

Chase & Sanburn's COFFEE

Oldest and Best on the Market.

People's Grocery.

Local Happenings

Vendetta tonight.
E. W. Stryker is at Welch today.
J. R. Carselover has a very sick baby.
Charley Pool, of Chelsea is here on court business.
Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Spaulding have a very sick girl.
Charley Jones came up from Big Cabin this morning.
Roe Cromwell was here last evening to see Amelia Bingham.
Lucien B. Woodall, of Estella is transacting business here today.
W. G. Labadie, of Miami is registered at the Green this morning.
T. E. Engleheart today distributed the first calendars out for 1908.
H. O. Bland and wife, of Afton, attended the play here last night.
Miss Beatrice Harrington in Vendetta at the Auditorium tonight.
James Neighbors of near Afton is here today visiting his uncle, R. R. Taylor.
Nat Hunt returned from Romona last night, where he has been for the past week.
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hosmer went to Oklahoma City last evening to visit a few days.
Mrs. August Schliecker and two sons went to Fairland this morning to visit relatives.
The county officers are all sporting new signs over their doors. They were made by Slaters McClure.
Miss Carrie Armstrong came over from Afton this morning to visit her sister, Mrs. Geo. E. McCollough.
Frank James and sister of Independence, Mo., are here visiting their brother, O. L. James and wife at the Cobb hotel.
Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Walker, Misses My and Zelma Lowe and Audrie Chisem, of Afton attended the opera here last night.
Miss Minnie Calvin, of McAllister, who has been the guest of Miss Elizabeth Scott, left this morning for Kansas City.
Miss Pearl Holderman, who has been visiting her brother Harry Holderman and J. L. Burns and family returned to her home at Chetopa, Kan., this morning.
The ladies of the Congregational Church will hold a Bazaar, and serve lunch on the second floor of the Scott Building Dec. 12th.
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Strauge, of Chelsea was here last night to attend the show and visit Mrs. Strauge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Raymond.
Mrs. W. N. Robinson, of Independence, Mo., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. James at the Cobb hotel. Mrs. Robinson is on her way to Sapulpa to make her future home.
Janette, the little three year old girl of Sheriff Bidenhour had the misfortune to fall against the stove and severely burn both of her hands. It seems that all of the sheriff's troubles are coming at once.
Bankers in other states are looking with envious eyes toward Oklahoma. Just think of it \$5,000,000 on top of \$1,500,000 to be distributed around is not a small item of cash to be sneezed at.
Two Jennings boys have won fame and fortune. A Chicago paper to which they sent their picture taken in their goat wagon, loaded with cotton planted, raised and gathered by themselves, not alone printed the picture, but sent them a check for two dollars.
There is a Sapulpa druggist that is feeling a new kind of "stringency." Some safe crackers puffed up his safe Saturday night and either failed to explode it, or after exploding it, resealed it, and now he is afraid to tamper with it for fear it'll go off. He has sent for a crew of oil well shooters. It was full of money when closed.
Red Feather is the title of a unique comic opera creation from the combined pens of Reginald De Koven, composer of Robin Hood, Chas. Klein author of The Lion and The Mouse and the Music Master and Chas. Emerson Cook author of De Wolf Hoppers latest operatic success Happyland, and the little crimson feather one sees so frequently in lapels and hat bands is a gentle reminder that the opera is soon to visit the Auditorium Vinita Dec. 13th.

Pryor Farley left this morning for Oswego.
3 pkg mince meat 25c. People's Gro.
18 lbs best sugar \$1. People's Gro.
The latest in folder photos at Fowler's.
Hetz's bulk pickles. People's Gro.
Mrs. Freeman Nidiffer, at the City Hospital is getting along nicely.
Canned peaches 15c. People's Gro.
Henry Thomas and wife are the proud parents of a 11 pound boy this morning.
Among the out of town visitors at the auditorium last night we noticed Fred Walker and wife, Misses Mae and Zelma Lowe and Audrey Chism, all of Afton.
Areh Miller & Co., are sporting a newly painted delivery wagon which with one of the best horses in town puts them in shape to deliver your goods right now.
Sittings for photos when light cloudy good as when clear at Fowler's.
Rev. G. N. Snodgrass goes to Park Hill today to spend 10 days in special church work.
C. A. Riddle has purchased two new buggies and a carriage to add to his livery stock.
Miss Pearl Holderman returned home to Chetopa, Kans., this morning after visiting her brother, Henry Holderman.
Miss Gavin, formerly a clerk at Sanders-Wright who came up from McAlester Monday, left this morning for Oswego and Kansas City.
Mrs. Tom Thomas came from Sapulpa last evening to visit Henry Thomas and wife.
George Reese has resigned his position at the Gem Candy Parlor, and will leave soon for his home in Rich Hill Mo. He was succeeded by Miss Cora Hart, of the Louis Wiles Packing Co., of Kansas City.
The people in the Northwest part of town are complaining a great deal about so many dogs running at large. They say that they congregate and get after cows and nearly eat them up before they can be driven off. The dog law ought to be enforced to the letter and the dogs that wear the collars ought to have a chain fastened to it when they get to leaving home.
Best flour \$1.20 sack. People's Gro.
The friends of Mrs. Eliza Minshall will be surprised to hear of her marriage to Mr. Curtis Sanders, of Leavenworth, Kansas, November 30, in the Presbyterian parsonage at Kansas City Kansas. The Chieftain joins the many friends of the bride in congratulating her, and while the groom is an entire stranger here, it is said that he is a gentleman of high standing in the army having served 12 years as one of Uncle Sam's boys.
Reece Cravens, who was assaulted Monday evening by Charley Parks is able to set up and smoke today.
FOR RENT—A six room cottage with gas and water, to a small family. 2112 J. W. Sanders.
District Court News
Only two cases have come up before Judge Brown for trial so far. They are: Fanny Scott vs. John Swain jury trial verdict in favor of plaintiff. C. W. Poole vs. W. J. Coon, jury trial—on trial. Several other cases have been transferred from the U. S. Court docket to the District Court. Little progress is being made owing to the new condition of things.
RED FEATHER
Mr. Homeseeker:
We have some very fine FARMS for sale cheap. Among them are:
50 acres 1-2 miles from Vinita
200 acres 9 miles from Vinita
140 acres 3 miles from Vinita
130 acres 8 miles from Vinita
60 acres 2 1-2 miles from Vinita
And numerous others
Also a hitch lot with good patronage and some nice city property.
HOOSIER REALTY CO.
Halsell Building

F. W. Bonfoey is on the sick list.
H. O. Bland was down from Afton last night to attend the show.
J. B. McManus has returned from Porum.
J. W. Swartz, of Chelsea is here today.
The best coffee at People's grocery.
Mrs. Conrad returned home to South West City last evening after a visit with her sisters' Mrs. Wm. Meeks and Mrs. Jno. Wise.
3 pounds prunes 25c. People's Gro.
J. W. Martin drove out in the country, near Afton today.
The ladies of the Christian church will give a Bazaar and dinner at the church Saturday, Dec. 14th. Everybody invited.
E. W. Stryker made a business trip to Welch today.
John Powell and Riley Stuart came up yesterday on No. 8 from Adair.
Charley Parcel and wife, of Big Cabin came up yesterday evening.
Joe Davis left yesterday afternoon for his farm near Coffeyville, Kan.
D. Chandler went to Adair last evening on the local.
Mrs. R. D. Fulton left for her home at Coffeyville, Kan., last evening, after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oco Trotter.
A Beautiful Book Representing a Fine Institution
We are today in receipt of a fine catalogue from the Parsons Business College. This Institution has grown year by year until it is one of the largest and best Business Colleges in the United States. A fine Telegraphy School is operated in connection with the College and with the M. K. & T. Ry. Co., dispatcher's wires running right into the College so that students receive practical work. During the recent strike this school furnished many operators to the different railroads throughout the Southwest.
It will pay the young people of this community to write for this catalogue and decide to attend this College, what it has done for thousands of others it can do for you.
Address James C. Olson, President Parsons Business College, w-4t.
Amelia Bingham, "A Modern Godiva."
The largest crowd of the season saw the best play that has ever been given in Vinita, at the Auditorium last night.
"A Modern Godiva," was presented with Amelia Bingham as the leading character. Theatre goers appreciate the efforts of the Auditorium management in securing so worthy and high class entertainment.
M. W. A. Elect Officers.
Vinita Camp No. 7057 Modern Woodmen of America, met last night for the election of officers and the transaction of other important matters. There was a larger attendance than for many weeks past and the meeting was filled with much interest. Upon vote of the Camps, Woodley lodge was consolidated with the Vinita lodge which makes the membership larger than that of any other camps in this part of the new state.
The following is a list of the officers elected for 1908:
H. M. Williams, Consul; E. C. Dalquest, Adv.; J. H. Parker, Clerk; M. J. Spalding, Banker; H. L. Cutlin, Escort; A. R. Bland, Watchman; A. B. Nichols, Secretary.
Managers—F. S. E. Amos, 3 years; James Glenn, 2 years; Rev. J. E. Parshing, 1 year.
Chief Forester—James Glenn.
Physicians—J. C. McCarthy, Louis Bagby, M. R. Chapman.
Poor Whist Player Condemned.
Deschappelles, the greatest whist player the world has ever seen, had but one hand and was an advanced republican. His manual dexterity was remarkable, and it was very interesting to watch him with his one hand—and that his left—collect the cards, sort them, play them and gather them in tricks. Late in life, when he had developed into ardent republicanism, he was supposed to have been mixed up in some of the attempts at revolution which broke out in the earlier days of the reign of Louis Philippe. His papers were seized, and it was proved that he had drawn up a list of persons to be disposed of. Among them was an elderly acquaintance, so described: "Vatry (Alphie) to be guillotined. Reason—effroyen inutile. Vatry is a bad whist player."
Love is Cruel, Indeed.
Love comes unbidden and flees from those who pray at his shrine. He comes like all-conquering kings—free-hearted, generous, great; he goes like a thief in the night, carrying away all that has made life worth the living. He stabs us with the weapons we have given him, he drinks our tears and laughs at the tortures he inflicts, for love is cruel. * * * And yet we are ever ready again and again to bare our hearts to the blows. Men feel love with more intensity than women, and they forget more swiftly.—From Madams.

The Ratcliff Store

Is showing a full line of Ladies' and Gentlemen's - - -

Silk Lined Mocha Gloves

This is the warmest neat fitting glove on the market. Lined and unlined
\$1.25 \$1.50 \$2.

The Ratcliff Store

Condensed Statement of FIRST NATIONAL BANK

As given the Comptroller of Currency
at Close of Business Dec. 3rd, 1907

Resources	Liabilities
Loans and Discounts . . . \$276,915.20	Capital Stock \$100,000.00
Overdrafts 7,775.71	Surplus 22,000.00
U. S. Bonds for Circulation 100,000.00	Circulation 100,000.00
U. S. Bonds 50,000.00	Undivided Profits (less expenses and Taxes) . . . 18,043.12
Premium on U. S. Bonds 1,562.50	DEPOSITS 421,226.01
City Warrants 5,698.13	Cashiers Checks 141.03
Redemption Fund 8,000.00	
Furniture and Fixtures . . . 1,216.24	
Reserve: Cash and due from banks . \$177,055.34	
Demand loans, 36,187.04 \$213,242.38	
\$661,410.16	\$661,410.16

In December, 1891, this bank opened its doors for business. During all these years its record has been one of unbroken success, as attested of the foregoing figures. On August 22nd, 1907, the last call for a statement, our deposits were \$403,214.01. Our deposits today are \$421,226.01. Showing a gain of \$18,012.00.

THE ABOVE STATEMENT IS CORRECT

A. L. CHURCHILL, Cashier.

Correct Attest:

OLIVER BAGBY
J. O. HALL
W. E. HALSELL } Directors