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GULF, COLORADO & SANTA FE TIME TABLE.

SOUTH BOUND.
No. 1, Express, 4:45 a. m.
No. 2, Passenger, 6:13 p. m.
No. 13 Local Freight, 2:20 p. m.

NORTH BOUND.
No. 2, Express, 12:10 a. m.
No. 10, Passenger, 10:20 a. m.
No. 14 Local Freight, 1 p. m.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES OF U. S. MAILS.

South bound mail closes 5:45 p. m.
South bound mail arrives 6:13 p. m.
North bound mail closes 10 a. m.
North bound mail arrives 10:20 a. m.
Night mails are closed at 8:30 p. m.
Money order department is open at 8 a. m. and closed at 5 p. m.
Office hours from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.
Sundays from 2:30 p. m. to 3:30 p. m.
JOHN S. HAMKE, P. M.
SUMMERS HARDY, Deputy.

Applications has been made to enter in the Post Office at Ardmore, I. T. as second class mail matter.

NOTICE.

Our patrons will please bear in mind that no one has the authority to collect or receive any money due this office except the manager.

TRUE DEMOCRACY.

True democracy does not consist in being a democrat because you were born in the south or any other spot, nor because of the politics of your parents. The ideal of the independent fair minded Jeffersonian democracy is: "The greatest good to the greatest number." There is very little difference in the ideal or cardinal planks or platforms and principles of the Republican and Democratic party. Politicians at times have a hard time to stir up malice and hatred between the independent and conservative voters, who are the safe guards of this and every other country. This independent element, which the democracy pretends to despise and dubs as mug wumps, etc., has ever been the bulwarks of the party. It grew from democracy. It is this element, the independent, conservative element, that is courted by all parties and creeds. They will not sell themselves into bondage to any church or party. They will not bind themselves to serve contrary to their best conscientious convictions of duty to their country.

A German recently arrived in Ardmore. He desired to learn something of the politics of this country. He went to London & Moore's and purchased a Globe Democrat. He soon became conversant, he thought, with American Democracy. Desiring to familiarize himself with Republican politics he goes back and buys the St. Louis Republican.

"Mine Got," exclaimed he, vat kind uv language is dese United States language? I buys von Demikrat paper it vas all Republican, I buys von Republican paper, it vas all democratic."

He informed the editor of the Ardmoreite that he was so mixed up in his politics that when he ran for Alderman of the First Ward of Ardmore, that it would be either on the Ardmore Alliance Courier or Admore Chieftain ticket.

The old Democratic ideal, when followed in a temperate zone and conservative channel, is the correct ideal to set before you to shape your course of political and religious action in life. The church or party that is engaged in

administering the word of God, the laws of the land, and their other powers and influences, with the expressed and acknowledged motive of beating down one part or party of society and building up another part or party upon its overthrow and ruin, is unconstitutional and contrary to the revealed will of our God and Savior. It is enough for a democratic editor to announce his paper as being democratic. It is erroneous in him to not have proper respect for the political feelings of those who differ with him. He should publish what he finds against true American Democracy in place of what is for it, and if he has any editorial ability he will find little trouble in explaining away the prejudiced and erroneous assertions made against the true spirit of Democracy, without offending and repulsing the independent conservative element or wounding the feelings of Populist and Republicans. There is talk of a Democratic paper in Ardmore. Wisely handled it will be a benefit and a blessing. Like every other good thing it can be abused and made a detriment to Ardmore and the cause it seeks to benefit.

Jim Edward's, Caney (Kansas) Chronicle reaches our table. Mr. Edwards is improving the Chronicle and putting it to the front. It is now one of the best papers published in Kansas. Jim deserves success if any one man ever did. He is a brilliant young writer and with four or five years experience will become one of the leading newspaper men of Kansas.

THE CITY.

Stetson hats at Russell's. tf.

Remember the Peak Sisters tonight. Will Butler of Purcell, is in the city.

The frigid goddesses voices is heard and felt in the air today.

Mr. H. G. Russell of Holder was in town today.

Mrs. Kendig returned from Gainesville today.

Quite a number of Lebaonites are in town attending court.

Mr. and Mrs. James Barnett of Marietta are attending court.

There are a large number of divorce suits pending before the courts some of which promise sensational features.

Ladies you should visit the Racket Store if you want a fine hat in the latest style. 1wk

There is quite a deal of sickness in Ardmore. It appears to be an epidemic similar to lagrippe or dengue.

Lon Thompson who has been visiting his mother at Pilot Point Texas returned today.

Mr. Kagle's noted horse trader arrived in the city yesterday from Oklahoma with a car load of horses.

The cold wave was heralded by the southward flight of wild geese Sunday morning.

Read the article in this issue "Indians are rich." It is well worth your careful perusal.

J. E. Young has sold his interest in the Texas billiard hall and will remove to Lone Grove in a few days.

At noon today Mrs. Hopkins was still alive but there is no hope for her recovery.

You can buy a dollar white shirt for 50 cents at H. H. Russell's this week.

J. W. Thoms has bought the Central barber shop from J. H. Flannakin. He desires the patronage of his old friends and the public generally.

GIVEN AWAY.

With every dress from 25cts per yard upward, the latest styles of dress trimming. This opportunity will only last as a special inducement for the next thirty days, at

The Big Iron Store. 1wk.

A cow strangely affected died yesterday at one of the wagon yards east of the railroad. The symptoms were similar to those of hydrophobia.

The Racket Store duplicates all the cut throat prices on staple goods and sells you the balance of your bill for less money than the dodger men. tf.

Overcoats and stoves were dug up today from garret and cellar by those who were lucky enough to have them left over from last winter.

O. S. Bally can be found at Hall & Ryan's drug store. South Main street. Mr. Bally is city sanitarian. It may prove cheaper to employ Mr. Bally than a doctor. n3t

F. R. Malloy, of Texas, son of the former Mayor of Jefferson, Texas, well known to many of our citizens is in city looking up a business of some kind.

Have you seen Russell's line of overcoats they are daisies and very cheap. tf.

On adjourning court last evening, Judge Stuart remarked that he would go home take a hot bath and a dose of medicine which he hoped would qualify him today for grinding the grists awaiting him in the legal mill.

Trimnings worth from 25 cents to \$1 will be given with every dress from 25 cents per yard upward. Munzeshimer & Daube. 1wk

Persons desiring copies of the daily ARDMOREITE can obtain same by calling at London & Moore's book store.

One of the most popular eating houses in the city is that of Mr. Harshaw. When you eat there once you will go again. See this popular young man's "ad" elsewhere. tf.

FOR RENT.

I have two furnished rooms which I desire to rent to man and wife at reasonable figures. Call on the undersigned. Lun Johnson.

FOR SALE.

A good dwelling and business house situated at Lone Grove, ten miles west of Ardmore, which I will sell cheap for cash or trade for stock. Apply to J. R. Young, Lone Grove. 1wk.

J. B. Ingrams at the corner of Main and Caddo streets is the place to go for lunch, fish, oysters and territorial drinks. Meals served hot at all hours of the day and at reasonable prices. Give him a call. 1wk.

The following letter from an Ardmore young man, addressed to his best girl, was picked up on the street this morning: "In the gloaming, oh! my darling, as the evening shades advance; I will meet you, tie the dog up, so he can not gnaw my pants."

J. S. Mullenbrook, of Sulphur Springs on Rock creek was in town today. He informs the Ardmoreite that next summer there will be a first class hotel put up at the Springs which if done will make that place famous as a health and pleasure resort.

Deputy Pullian last night made a successful raid on a gambling hall, capturing four men and their tools consisting of cards and checks. They were arraigned before commissioner Scott today and plead guilty to the charge of gaming. Chief Stowe is determined to break up these places.

Deputy marshal Lindsay of the Paris force left last evening, having in custody John Watson who was held by Judge Gibbons to answer to the charge of murder. The prisoner will present himself before Judge Bryant under a writ of habeas corpus and have bail assessed which he will have no trouble in giving.

Cotton comes to Ardmore from a 150 miles square. People drive all the way from Purcell with their country produce in order to reach the Ardmore markets. Purcell and other country merchants are learning that it pays them to purchase in Ardmore, as they can afterwards sell their goods cheaper than when purchased elsewhere.

Engraving of all kinds done at T. H. Parkers, the jeweler. 1-f

Dr. M. W. Ligon of Holder, was in the city today on his way home from the strip where he had a valuable claim. It was under contest and in order to settle the matter he sold to the contestant for \$225. The doctor says the country is being rapidly improved and that magic towns have sprung up all over the country.

AN OUTRAGE.

The reporter has at last had an opportunity to notice some of the methods of conducting an examining trial before a Paris commissioner. Yesterday, during the proceedings in the Watson case, several witnesses were introduced to testify as to the good character of the accused. On cross examination, the court asked if he was such a man as would likely seek redress when a wrong had been done him. The witness replied that he thought so, in a legal way. The commissioner would not permit the manner of redress to appear in the record, and when the defendant's attorney asked the question, "Do you think he is the kind of a man that would seek redress by murder or by hiring any one else to commit murder?" the commissioner stopped him with the startling information that the question was irrelevant, and must not be answered, as it would only be the opinion of the witness. It appeared to the reporter that in this action there were no quarters to be shown, but that the court had its decision stored away before any evidence had been taken.

THE WATSON CASE.

Below is given the outline of the testimony in the Watson case, as given yesterday before Commissioner Gibbons:

Herman Seybolt, of Pau's Valley, testified in substance as follows: "I lived in Ardmore in September, 1892; knew Watson when I saw him; knew Sam Smith; remember the circumstance of the killing of George Adler; saw Watson at that time at Smith's butcher shop; that was the day before the killing, or it may have been the same day; Watson was talking with Smith; I went in the shop; saw Smith and Watson standing in the rear room; heard Watson say, 'I reckon 50 cents will do' saw Smith run his hand in his pocket, but did not see him pay anything; I heard Watson say, 'I have caps and powder, shot is all I want'; heard him say he had a gun; did not hear him say whose gun he had; saw Watson come out of Spragins' hardware store; he had a small package."

Howard Bess, the next witness, testified as follows:

"Have lived here four years; was here in September, 1892; know the defendant; I remember having heard of the killing of Adler; I owned a shotgun at that time; think Bess Walker had my gun at the time Adler was killed; if Walker did not have it I don't remember who did; defendant told me two or three weeks ago that my gun was reported to be the one with which Adler was killed; conveyed the idea that Smith or Lebo had used it; have never loaned defendant a gun; he has a shotgun."

Nathan Hughes testified as follows: "Watson said to me that if this cattle stealing did not stop, a Dutchman would come up dead; we were talking about Adler at the time, which was only a few days before the killing."

William Miles testified that he was the man holding the light for Adler when he was killed; that Watson came to him and told him that if he was arrested he had \$100 to give him to swear like he wanted him to in case he was arrested.

William Jackson, for the defense, testified that at the time of the killing he had Bess' gun; the character of defendant is good.

A number of witnesses were called for the defense, but their testimony was not permitted to go in record further than it related to the good character of the defendant.

HOTEL FOR RENT.

The Cottage Home Hotel, opposite court house, 15 rooms well furnished with beds, etc. Call on or address R. H. Glenn, Ardmore, I. T.

Advertise in the Ardmoreite.

Geo. W. Thrasher went to Davis today.

Rev. Sinkiller Griffin is again in the city.

Deputy John E. Stephens went up the road yesterday.

Bud Spella came down yesterday from Davis to visit his brother and attend to some business.

Attorney Weaver, came up from Gainesville. It is understood he is here in the interest of his client Johnson the crooked whiskey drummer.

A freight wreck between Gainesville and Red River caused the north bound passenger train three and a half hours delay.

In another column will be found the correct picture of the chief of the Osage nation and his wife, also the picture of another noted Indian Chief.

Elmer Stubblefield, the young man who was thrown from his horse Sunday afternoon, is still unable to leave his bed. Hopes are entertained, however, for his speedy recovery.

Barnett against the Santa Fe is now being tried. This is noted as the stinking case and originated by the defendant corporation leaving a lot of dead stock in cars on the side track in front of plaintiff's house at Marietta for which he seeks damages.

"Have you cheese here?" Was the query propounded by a countryman to Dr. McCoy this morning at his drug store. "No cheese" replied the doctor "but I will have in a few days also bread and nails—call again." The would be customer went on his way whistling "When the roses come again."

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

The case of Lael vs. Smith was tried before Judge Stuart today and verdict given in favor of plaintiff. This was a suit in which the plaintiff Lael was an intermarried and the defendant Smith a freedman citizen. The court held that these freedmen citizens are entitled to enough land for a support, but that in this instance the defendant forfeited his right of possession to the land in question by removing himself and improvements therefrom.

BORN IN A WAGON YARD.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Linch, last night at the Texas Wagon Yard, a boy, Dr. Leslie attending. The parents are from Vanzandt County Texas, and were traveling through the country prospecting, when overtaken by last night's event, somewhat to their surprise. The mother and babe are doing nicely and are receiving kind treatment through the ministry of the good ladies of the neighborhood. It is exceedingly fortunate that they fell into good hands in a strange land far from home and friends; and Mr. Linch desires to express his feelings of gratitude to those who so generously lent assistance. Mr. Bess the proprietor of the Texas Yard says he has had marriages and separations to happen in his place, but this is the first birth to occur there under similar circumstances.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We call the special attention of the public to our job office. We are prepared to do job work at as low figures, and as nicely as any office in town.

Consult the city sanitarian, O. S. Bally, at Hall & Ryan's drug store South Main street, in regard to any work in his line you may need. tf

Harehaw sets the best table for the least money of any man in town. t-f

M. E. Church South cor. Broadway and Church Sts.—Preaching every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. choir meeting Friday night.

Rev. Frank Naylor, Pastor. Sunday school at 10 A. M. Joe M. London, Supt.

C. B. Ladd's new cook has returned and the rush to the Central hotel is something wonderful to behold. 2t

The Ardmoreite is here to stay. Subscribe for it.

BY TELEGRAPH.

FROM OVER THE WORLD

A General Summary of News Condensed and Clipped From Our Daily Exchanges.

Mrs. F. M. Finley was given a verdict for \$12,000 at Dallas against the Santa Fe for damages on account of the killing of her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Testard about whom so much has been said in a sensational way through the press dispatches have come together in Dallas, kissed and made up.

Owing to a wreck between Red River and Gainesville, the passenger trains were delayed. We fail to respond today with telegraphic brevities as a consequence, which are daily seen under this head.

Chicago anarchists are increasing in wealth and numbers.

Four masked men ambush and rob a farmer near Sherman.

Great discouragement exists among sheepmen of Texas; the project of free wool is ruining their business.

San Antonio offers \$20,000 to secure the Corbett-Mitchell fight.

The Royalists are eager for the queen's restoration in Hawaii.

A man creates a sensation at the opera house in Sherman by arising and pointing a revolver at a lady actor. He was jailed.

The celebrated Randle case, of Dallas, is continued until the next term of the criminal court.

Snow is now ten inches deep in Brewster county, Texas, and the snow storms are still raging.

Mrs. Atkins, of Guthrie, is accidentally killed by the fall of a revolver.

A sensational divorce suit was filed in Waco yesterday styled Mrs. Dora W. McClelland vs. Peter McClelland. The plaintiff alleges a plot on the part of defendant to take her life.

HOLIDAY EXCURSIONS.

The G. C. & Santa Fe Railway (Santa Fe route) will sell excursion tickets December 19, 20 and 21 to Kansas City, St. Louis and Hannibal, Mo.; also all points in the Southeast, at one fare for the round trip, good for thirty days from date of sale. The undersigned will be pleased to have your business, and will cheerfully answer all questions and give information as to rates and routes. Call upon or address, I. R. MASON, Agent, Ardmore, I. T.

The Central Hotel always has a rush but is ever ready to serve its customers.

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