



"A hint to the wise is sufficient."

A wise head will give careful thought on buying a piano.

Let it be a sweet toned instrument which will grace the home and to which it will be a pleasure to listen.

We can save you money. Call and get our prices.

E. B. LUKE, STREET

Fifth Sunday Meeting.

The fifth Sunday meeting held last Sunday, convened with Mud creek Baptist church at Leon. The introductory sermon was preached Thursday night by Rev. J. N. Wester of Burneyville. The business sessions which followed, Friday and Saturday, were replete with interest, and great good will result to the church. Those who occupied the pulpit during the meeting were Revs. E. A. Wesson, Marietta; G. W. Tubbs, Lone Grove; F. O. Leese, and last, but by no means the least, Ike Stanford of Marsden. R. D. Taliaferro served as moderator and A. W. Everett as clerk. The next fifth Sunday meeting will convene with the church at Keltner.

Choate & Finley, the old reliable transfer men, are permanently located at the City Livery Stable, where all calls will be looked after. For the closed carriage or wagonette, for weddings or funerals, 'phone No. 27. m3tf

Don't forget the handkerchief bazaar tomorrow afternoon at Mrs. James'.

To Cure Malaria in 4 Days. Take Quinoria. All druggists are authorized to refund the money in any case of chills, fever or malaria it fails to cure. Price 50c per package.

HAVE YOU SEEN OUR NEW SPRING SUITS?

If not, a surprise is in store for you when you visit our establishment. You will be at once impressed with this truth: That we carry one of the newest stocks of men's clothing in the Indian Territory.

We have a grand array of men's furnishings for Spring, 1901. The newest shapes and colors of Stetson and Dunlap Hats, and the Ringer Hat.

Spring neckwear -- latest creations and styles.

We are also headquarters for the best shirts in the I. T.

See them.

RINGER BROS.



For the Sick.

The doctor can do you no good unless his prescriptions are properly put up from reliable ingredients.

That's where we render invaluable aid to the doctor. We compound prescriptions as they should be.

And we handle the best of proprietary medicines.

T. N. COLEMAN.

THE DRUGGIST.

DAUGHTER CUT BY FATHER.

Lou Bacy Receives the Stab Intended For Her Husband.

Tuesday night just after dark, Lou Bacy was seriously cut by her father near Main street over in East Ardmore. An ARDMOREITE reporter visited the unfortunate woman, and found her resting easy, although it pained her a great deal to turn or cough.

From what Lou and her mother said, the difficulty came up because Lou's husband, Adam Bacy, was drunk, and his father-in-law, King Simmons, was reprimanding him for such conduct.

Words led to blows, and Adam Bacy had received one or two scratches from Simmons' knife, when Bacy's wife, Lou, interfered, and, it seems, got cut accidentally. At any rate she has a long gash across her breast, and Dr. Hatcher, colored, says that the knife touched one of the lungs, and, while she may recover, it is very serious.

King Simmons was arrested by Deputy Jack Walters and placed in jail.

For Rent.

Small two-room furnished house for rent. Apply to Noble Bros. 24tf

Wanted, Men and Teams.

I want a number of men and teams to work on the Choctaw grade. Apply to

F. M. SNIDER, Ardmore, I. T. 25-tf

Byrd Pruitt returned yesterday from Fort Worth where he had bought 150 head of cattle for shipment to the territory.

"Red Cross Bag Blue is the best in the world. Large package costs 5 cents."

If you want any corn ground into meal or chops take it to L. B. Robertson's mill on North Caddo street. Phone 116. 4 1m

A protracted meeting will begin today at the Broadway Methodist church, and services will be held there every night this week. Rev. J. M. Gross will be assisted by other pastors.

WANTED—One to 1000 cords of wood delivered or corded in timber not exceeding six miles from town. Size of contract fifty cords and up. ARDMORE OIL AND MILLING CO. 20dawtf

THE PASSING THROUG.

All the World's a Stage and Each one Plays a Part.

Jim Light is here from Ada.

Joe Bledsoe left for Pauls Valley today.

E. R. Poole, of Elk, was here yesterday.

Edgar L. Bozarth, of Oklahoma City, is here.

Deputy C. Madsen, of Chickasha, is in town.

J. S. Stone, of Duncan, is at the Whittington.

J. P. Mullen left today for South McAlester.

B. F. Miller, of Purcell, is at the Whittington.

John O. Watson is in the city from Mill Creek.

A. Eddleman left today for South McAlester.

Dr. A. V. Ponder, of Mannsville, is here today.

Deputy J. B. Davis of Colbert is in the city today.

H. H. Brown went to Pauls Valley on the noon train.

A. N. Everett was here on business yesterday from Leon.

J. E. Robinson, of Marietta, was a pleasant caller this afternoon.

J. W. Stewart was in the city today from Pontotoc, being the bearer of election returns from that little town.

G. B. Kelley, who is interested in our waterworks project, passed through the city this morning en route to Birmingham, Ala.

E. Dryer and J. R. W. Sargent, of Chicago, who are stockholders in our electric light plant, are in the city today looking after their interests.

A. L. Cruce, brother to our lawyers, A. C. W. I. and Lee, arrived in the city last night from Marion, Ky., and is on a prospecting trip.

D. F. Ellis and wife, of Davis, father and mother of Mrs. H. A. Ledbetter, who have been here to see their first grand child, returned home today.

W. S. Hodges is here today from Leon. He is figuring with our lumbermen on material for the construction of a Woodmen's hall and school building in his town.

Will E. Dupree, of Mount Vernon, Texas, a veritable young giant, and prominent stock dealer, was among our pleasant and welcome visitors today.

FOR SALE—One good second hand delivery wagon, cheap. 44t GEORGE LAWRENCE.

For the Public Good.

At the present time when the townsite surveyors are every day driving down posts and establishing corners and lines in our city, it may be well to read up on the law relating to their removal. Unthoughtedly some may remove them without thinking for a moment of the vast trouble which they may be incurring to the surveyors. The clause which has just been handed us is as follows:

"That hereafter it shall be unlawful for any person to destroy, deface, change or remove to another place, any section corner, quarter section corner, or meander post, on any government line of survey, or to cut down any witness tree, or any tree blazed to mark the line of a government survey, or to deface, change or remove any monument or bench-mark of any government survey. That any person who shall offend against any of the provisions of this paragraph shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof in any court, shall be fined not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars, or be imprisoned not more than one hundred days. All fines accruing under this paragraph shall be paid into the treasury, and the informer in each case of conviction shall be paid the sum of twenty-five dollars." (29 stats., 343.) Violations of this statute will be vigorously prosecuted.

Chase & Sanborn's coffee is sold only by S. E. Jenkins. 24-1m.

TOWNSITE MATTERS.

Twenty-three Men at Work--Will Take Another Month.

A visit to the townsite commission this morning found Chief Engineer John G. Joyce and Draftsman W. G. Rawles, busy at work; the rest of the force being in the field at work.

Mr. Joyce said that he had twenty-three men all told at work, comprising five separate surveying crews, who were busy every day surveying lots, blocks and streets.

As fast as this work is done Mr. Rawles puts it on the map. Mr. Joyce inspects all this work in person before it is put on the map, thereby assuring perfect accuracy in everything. Mr. Joyce says that it will be at least another month before the survey is finished. It is a complicated job, he said, owing to the irregularities in our streets and blocks.

"What about platting the new railroad, the Choctaw, Oklahoma & Gulf, on your map?" we asked. "We are looking for orders every day to do that very thing," he said. "The mayor and council of your city petitioned the department to have that done, but the right of way of the road through the city has not been definitely determined, and until that is done they will not instruct me to plat it. In the meantime, I am going right ahead platting the town just as though no Choctaw road existed."

It is to be hoped that the Choctaw people will settle definitely their entire right of way, terminal facilities and everything, and let the department know of it, so that our map will show the new road. From all the information we can gather, we are of the opinion that the citizens of Ardmore will soon have an opportunity to get warranty titles to their property.

WANTED—Second hand goods. W. H. Rogers, next door to J. B. Mansfield. 4 1m

The ladies have kerchiefs of all kinds and sizes. "Blowers and showers."

Bob Wade died at Wilson this morning at 4 o'clock of congestive chill. He was 35 years old and leaves a family. His funeral took place this afternoon.

Mrs. Bomar sells only good goods and at low prices. She has used excellent judgment in the selection of fine millinery and is in a position to please her customers. 2tf

Other Election Returns.

LEON.

The election at Leon passed off quietly, with the following officers elected:

Mayor, John Brown; marshal, T. W. Martin; recorder, Chap Baker; aldermen, W. S. Hodges, A. W. Everett, Will Brown, J. R. Taliaferro and J. A. Porter.

Thirty was the total number of votes cast. One candidate for marshal did not receive a vote. The successful candidate did not announce until 10 o'clock on election day.

ADA.

The first town election was held here Tuesday. A small vote was polled, the town being a new one and a great many of its citizens had not resided there the specified time to allow them to vote. Following is the ticket elected:

Mayor, George N. McKnight; recorder, O. B. Weaver; marshal, R. C. Couch; aldermen, Tom Hope, M. A. Harden, W. D. Lawder, W. H. Nettles and B. A. Aldredge.

PONTOTOC.

The election here passed off quietly. The following ticket was elected:

Mayor, R. H. Terrell; recorder, A. J. Simmons; marshal, A. B. Patton; aldermen, D. M. Simpson, R. W. Ray, O. H. Matthews, McNeal and ——— Boatright.

Mr. Hillis of Lone Grove, died Tuesday afternoon at 6 o'clock, of old age. He was 84 years old.

Ben White was sent to the pest house this morning, having contracted the small pox.

Just a Few Plain Facts

It Will Pay You to Read Them Careful.

It is wearisome to read such modest statements as "I am the largest shoe dealer in the town." But may we whisper in your ear confidentially that we sell the best shoe on earth, WE DON'T CLAIM that we sell than every one else put together. We won't try to make believe that we are the only one that can buy and sell shoes. BUT WE DO SAY that we think we handle up-to-date, honest goods; that we give good value for money received. We look back with pride on the increase of our business last year. And yet we are not satisfied. If you want up-to-date footwear we invite you to come and see our stock of Ladies' Oxfords, ties and buttons, and strap sandals, prices \$1.50 to \$3.50; men's shoes, high and low cut, in all leathers, prices \$1 to \$5.00; nice assortment, price from \$2 to \$3.50.

LYNN, The Shoe Man.



FASHION dictates the style, but not the cost of your Millinery. We'll do that.

Our Price

on Trimmed Hats, Hat Shapes and Millinery Goods will permit you to be in style at small expense.

Our display of Early Spring Goods is very interesting.

MRS. JAMES Milliner.

Episcopal Church Services.

Rev. George Biller, Jr., of Lehigh will hold devotional services at St. Philips church, tomorrow, (Good Friday) three hours, from 12 to 3 o'clock and in the evening prayer and sermon, commencing at 8 o'clock. All are invited to attend.

The handkerchief bazaar must be remembered.

Go to Julius Kahn for trimmed Easter baskets. They are nice.

The "Signal of Liberty" was a refreshing treat to opera goers last night. This beautiful drama, full of excitement from first to last, was favorably presented and received. A larger audience would have been equally delighted and the company deserved a patronage greater than was extended them.

Always Ready

To do you good work on short notice. Repairing guns, bicycles, sewing machines, etc. You will find us in our new quarters in the rear of Alexander's drug store, north of the postoffice. 17-1m G. W. RITTER & SON.

Notice.

Don't forget the time and place of the bazaar. Strawberries and cream will be served.

Obituary.

Luellen Lee Sexton died at Hewitt this morning at 1 o'clock of congestion. He was 39 years old. Funeral took place this afternoon.

It Don't Take Long

And it doesn't cost much for you to select your choice and get your size in one of those fine tailor made \$3 and \$4 trousers this week at the great Fire Sale price of \$1.65. 3dawtf J. N. BARALL.

Election is over, but the kerchief sale will be on tomorrow at Mrs. James'.

Attention, Ladies!

"I have just received a fine line ladies' kid gloves in the late colors. I will fit them on your hands and guarantee satisfaction. See me and be convinced. 2tf MRS. LILA BOMAR.

Easter Eggs, Easter novelties from Julius Kahn, the man who voted for mayor. 2-4t

No man will dispute the fact that Chase & Sanborn's coffee is the best. Sold by S. E. Jenkins 24-1m.

We have for rent 30,000 acres good pasture land. 28dwtf HUDSON & ARNOLD.

TIN SHOP.

I am now permanently located with a first-class plumbing and tin shop and am prepared to do on short notice--

Plumbing, Tin and Galvanized Iron Work, Tar and Gravel Roofing

on short notice. Every piece of my work shall be guaranteed. Wishing a share of your patronage, I am yours for Tin and Plumbing work.

ASA HOLMAN,

Hardy Building, North Caddo Street. Local and Long Distance Phone 25.

Olivette Soap



....Will Stand....

THE TEST

Your Easter Millinery.



The former opening is over but the opening exhibit continues with fresh additions of delightful creations daily. Come and inspect the new hats at your service, and try on as many of the hats as you like. The assortment is unrivaled, the style exquisite and you'll find the prices a great deal lower than those asked at any other store.

Keep your eye on our Misses' and Children's Hats, Baby Caps, Ladies' Suits, Skirts and Shirt Waists, Neckwear, Belts, Muslin Underwear.

Hats Trimmed Free When Material is Bought From Us.

LOWENSTEIN'S

Cut Price Millinery House.