

SALE OF TOWN LOTS

In the Kiowa County was a Money Maker—How Invested.

Governor Richards, assistant commissioner of the general land office was asked today what proportion of the receipts from the sale of the lots would finally accrue to the three county seats of the counties created in the Oklahoma country recently opened to settlement, and also what the expense of the sale had been. After some calculation the governor said it had cost about four-fifths of 1 per cent to conduct the sales. There had been received from the sales in the three townships, \$736,067. The expenses of conducting the sales amounted to \$5,860. These expenses included the expenses of the three commissioners, the clerical help, the townsite commissions, the pay of the guards, the express charges on money forwarded to the sub-treasurer at St. Louis and the expense of erecting booths or stands where the sales were conducted. In addition to these expenses was the \$4,000 which was spent in the work of surveying the townsites which will have to come out of the receipts.

The net returns to each of the three towns are expected to be about as follows: Hobart, \$130,000; Lawton, \$410,000 and Ardmore, \$186,000.

This money will be spent in accordance with the terms of the president's proclamation and of the law providing for the opening as follows:

"A court house shall be erected therewith at each county seat at a cost of not exceeding \$10,000 and the residue shall be applied to the construction of bridges, roads and such other public improvements as the secretary of the interior shall deem appropriate, including the payment of all expenses actually necessary to the maintenance of the county government until the time for collecting county taxes in calendar year next succeeding the time of the opening. No indebtedness of any character shall be contracted or incurred by any of said counties prior to the time of collecting county taxes in the calendar year next succeeding the opening, excepting where the time shall have been authorized by the secretary of the interior."

Norris Silver, North Stratford, N. H.: "I purchased a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure when suffering with a cough doctors told me was incurable. One bottle relieved me, the second and third almost cured. Today I am a well man." City Drug Store.

Brain-Food Nonsense.

Another ridiculous food fad has been branded by the most competent authorities. They have dispelled the silly notion that one kind of food is needed for the brain, another for muscles, and still another for bones. A correct diet will not only nourish a particular part of the body, but it will sustain every other part. Yet, however good your food may be, its nutriment is destroyed by indigestion or dyspepsia. You must prepare for their appearance or prevent their coming by taking regular doses of Green's August Flower, the favorite medicine of the healthy millions. A few doses aids digestion stimulates the liver to healthy action, purifies the blood, and makes you feel buoyant and vigorous. You can get Dr. G. G. Green's reliable remedies at City Drug Store, Ardmore and Madill. Get Green's Special Almanac.

White Cream Vermifuge is perfectly harmless, and will remove every worm. It is also a tonic, and by its strengthening properties will restore to pale cheeks the rosy hue of health. Price 25c. W. B. Frame, City Drug Store.

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The soothing and healing properties of this remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and permanent cures have made it a great favorite with people everywhere. It is especially prized by mothers of small children for colds, croup and whooping cough, as it always affords quick relief, and as it contains no opium or other harmful drug, it may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by City Drug Store and F. J. Ramsey.

Don't wait until you become chronically constipated but take DeWitt's Little Early Risers now and then. They will keep your liver and bowels in good order. Easy to take, safe pills. City Drug Store.



Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and perseverance in its use will work wonders for the most hopeless woman. If Mrs. Newton, whose letter is given below, had not persisted in its use, she might never have known the happiness of perfect health. Perhaps the reason for her persistence was because she used "Favorite Prescription" as a "last resort." Physicians had failed. If "Favorite Prescription" could not help there was nothing to hope for. It did help. It always helps and almost always cures. It establishes regularity, drives weakening drains, breaks inflammation and irritation and cures female weakness. It imparts strength and elasticity to the organs of maternity and makes the baby's advent practically painless.

"When I consulted you in April, 1899, I was in poor health," writes Mrs. E. K. Newton, of Fairbury, Armstrong Co., Mo. "I had been sick all winter and in addition my trouble was on the road to maternity, which the doctor said would end my days. I was almost discouraged, did not expect any help, but thought the end was only a matter of time, and so I bought your little, motherless children.

"It was in this condition that I began the use of your famous medicine. On receipt of your letter of April 26th my husband purchased six bottles of Favorite Prescription and Golden Medical Discovery, and I used it as you directed. When you wrote me words of encouragement on April 26th I had received no benefit from the medicine, but determined as a last resort to give it a fair trial. I am now taking the thirtieth and last bottle. I have a lovely baby girl three weeks old that weighed six pounds at birth. My baby and I are enjoying perfect health, thanks to your wonderful medicine in which I believe I owe my life."

Dr. Pierce's Pills stimulate the liver.

By stopping to think a woman gives her tongue an occasional rest.

H. C. Watkins, sexton of the Methodist Church, Springfield, Pa., says: "My wife has been very bad with kidney trouble and tried several doctors without benefit. After taking one bottle of Foley's Kidney Cure, was much better, and was completely cured after taking four bottles." Bonner & Bonner.

A wise politician never counts his voters until after they have voted.

B. W. Pursell, Kinterville, Pa., says he suffered 25 years with piles and could obtain no relief until DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve effected a permanent cure. Counterfeits are worthless. City Drug Store.

Only the cowardliest kind of a coward will slap a man's face behind his back.

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The Chicago papers seem to hold to the idea that the roortuary reports of that town should not be accepted as indicating the health of the place, but, rather, the number of grade crossings.

A diseased liver declares it self by moroseness, mental depression, lack of energy, restlessness, melancholy and constipation. Herbine will restore the liver to a healthy condition. Price 50c. W. B. Frame, City Drug Store.

Ringling Brothers have added several elephants to their herd this season, and thirty little and big elephants are now exhibited with the show. This is more than half of the entire number of elephants in the Western Hemisphere, and many more than have ever been seen with a circus.

To Cure Dyspepsia and Indigestion. Sour stomach or Heartburn, take Rex Dyspepsia Tablets. All druggists are authorized to refund money if they fail to cure. Price 50c per package.

A man's heart may be in the right place, but it doesn't cut any congenial water with some women if his fortune is missing.

Sid Darling, 1012 Horward St., Port Huron, Mich., writes: "I have tried many pills and laxatives but DeWitt's Little Early Risers are far the best pills I have ever used." They never gripe. City Drug Store.

If a girl works down town she looks forward to a holiday as a good opportunity to make her a new skirt waist.

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The hills and valleys of the Indian Territory contain millions of the nation's capital lying idle. Locked in the hillsides are vast treasures, while rank growths cover acres, that should be shimmering in golden grain. Those to whom it belongs should have the benefits of its developments, while the government should receive its quota of the common interest. There will be a few questions of more importance to the nation at large at the coming session of congress, than the redemption of these rich lands, by the settlement of those questions, that have kept the territory bound to the past.—Daily Chieftain.

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