The Daily Ardmoreite.

INDIAN TERRITORY SURVEYS.

W. W. Tallaferro of this city called at the office of the Ardmoreite and brought with him a stick of wood which he had purchased from a farmer who resides near Ardmore. When Mr. Tallaferro split this piece of wood he found that the two inner sides bore this inscription, "1-16—S. B. T." which interpreted means one-sixteenth section Bearing Tree, which indicates that it was a part of a tree designated in surveying language as a "bearing tree," and is a witness to a sub-division section corner. These marks were made by a surveying corps and in the course of time the tree formed a growth and this growth took the reverse of the marks perfectly and both the original cut and the impression can easily be read.

This mark was made on the tree by the United States geological survey some time in 1870, at which time the United States geological survey was engaged in surveying and platting the Indian Territory. This lasted for many years. The geological surveyors commenced their work in the Chickasaw nation, and the start was made near Fort Arbuckle, and where the Indian base meridian was inaugurated many years ago when the original survey of the Oklahoma and Indian territories was made. This line is the base of all descriptions of lands in Oklahoma and the Indian Territory, and lands lie east, west, north and south with reference to it. It has been said that the geological surveys of the two territories is the best that has ever been made of such a large tract of land. Particular attention was given to the topography of the country and accurate locations of all streams and elevations were made. From this survey it is possible to learn within twenty feet of the actual elevation above sea level of any part of the Indian Territory. The conclusion to the five civilized tribes in winding up the affairs of the five tribes and making allotments found it necessary to make an additional survey, and subdivided the sections into forty-acre tracts and located all improvements, thus enabling the commission to allot the lands of the Indians with reference to their improvements. The location of the improvements played a big part in settling contest as to who had prior right to any particular tract. The Indian Territory is unquestionably the best surveyed country in the world. In many of the older states all lands are mentioned by meters and bounds. A description would read something like this: Beginning at a certain creek and thence running north to a given tree and thence east to the barn of some farmer, and so on. Should the tree or the barn be destroyed great confusion results and many a bitter and bloody quarrel has been started and costly litigation instituted on this account. No such trouble will ever arise in the Indian Territory as permanent corner stones plainly indicate the location of the land, and any layman with a little experience in reading descriptions can tell where he is "at" without trouble. The Indian Territory was surveyed without cost to the Indians or the people of the Indian Territory and the expense of such survey was paid from an appropriation made by congress for that purpose.

THE BURNING GAS WELL.

Another Effort Will be Made Monday to Shut It Off.

Caney, Kan., March 17.—Good progress has been made with the battle of the flames at the burning gas well, or rather in the preparation for the battle that will take place in a few days. The wreck of the ruined hood has been taken away. The flames left unobstructed again flew upright with a mighty roar.

The situation is the same it was two weeks ago before the hood scheme was adopted.

Word has been received from Independence and Chanute that the hood and crane are completed. They will be brought to Caney on a special train probably late today. Mr. McDowell expects to be able to set the improved hood over the fire not later than Monday, and says there will be no probability of failure this time, as every possible element of weakness has been provided against. There will be four ten-inch pipes leading from the side, instead of two, and means are provided for quickly anchoring to the ground so the top opening can be closed at once.

The most unique plan of all for stopping the fire came in by wire today. It suggests throwing alum in the hole until it is puckered up.

Stevens, Kennerly & Spragins Co have 50,000 ft. water pipe to lay at the lowest price.

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WANTED TO BUY—Improved and unimproved city property, both low, medium and high priced. I have customers for such and can sell if you will list with me right away. Orin M. Redfield, over postoffice. 1-1m

WANTED—Two gentlemen, or gentleman and wife, to room and board also table board. Prices reasonable. 116 Fifth avenue, northwest. 12-tf

WANTED—To buy old iron, copper, brass, rubber, etc. Texas Wagon Yard, N. Caddo. 11-1m

WANTED—At once. One or two girls to train as nurses. Ardmore Sanitarium. 30tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Brick store room 20 by 90 on east Main street. Apply McCoy's Drug Store. 15-6

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Apply at cottage, 718 W. Main street. 12tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—40 acres of intermarried surplus land near Ardmore. A. D. Chase, Sr. 18

FOR SALE—Fine fresh hot barbecue, cooked every day. Bring your bucket and get gravy. Davis Market, W. Main St. 4-4

FOR SALE—Four room house in South Ardmore. Fine location. Good water. Fruit, barn and lot 210x 210. Price $1,000. Also four room house in west Ardmore and lot 100x 150. Terms cash. Cheap if sold at once. Write Box 227. 13tf

FOR SALE—Two pool tables and outfit in good condition. Apply at Loeenstein's. 41tf

FOR SALE—Pure strain Barred Plymouth Rock eggs, $1.00 per setting. Jim McCann, at Wall's drug store. 2-1m

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching from thoroughbred Barred Plymouth Rocks. E. B. Thompson strain. J. T. Byars, L st., N. W. 27-1m

FOR SALE—My entire possessions in Ardmore property and business. Perfect title. Reason for selling is impaired health of my wife. W. A. Watts. 26-1m

LOST.

LOST—Volume twelve of University of Literature, in southwest Ardmore. Finder, return to Mrs. Dr. C. L. Cann. 18-1t

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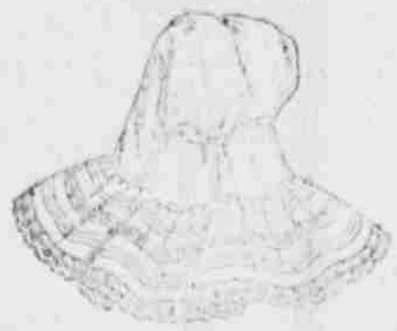

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ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

By virtue of authority in me vested as mayor of the city of Ardmore and in conformity with a resolution of the city council of the said city, an election is hereby called and the same shall be held in said city on the 7th day of April, 1906 at the fire station at the city hall in the city of Ardmore, Indian Territory for the purpose of determining whether or not there shall be issued by the said city $35,000 at 5 per cent 20-year school bonds to be used for the purpose of erecting and equipping school buildings in said city $25,000 at 5 per cent 20-year waterworks bonds to be used for the purpose of extending water mains, putting in fire hydrants, etc., $50,000 at 5 per cent 20-year sewer bonds to be used for the purpose of putting in sanitary sewers, septic tanks, etc., interest to be paid semi-annually on all the said bonds. At said election, no one shall be allowed to vote unless he is a qualified elector under the law, and in addition be the owner of real or person property within said city subject to taxation. Those voting for the issuance of said bonds shall have printed on their tickets, "For the issuance of $35,000 at 5 per cent 20-year School House Bonds," "For the issuance of $25,000 at 5 per cent 20-year Waterworks Bonds," "For the issuance of $50,000 at 5 per cent 20-year Sewer Bonds," and those voting against the issuance of said bonds shall have printed on their tickets, "Against the issuance of $35,000 at 5 per cent 20-year School House Bonds," "Against the issuance of $25,000 at 5 per cent 20-year Waterworks bonds," "Against the issuance of $50,000 at 5 per cent 20-year Sewer Bonds."

Given in my hand and seal of office as such mayor. This the 5th day of March, 1906.

R. W. DICK,
Mayor

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ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

By virtue of the authority vested in me as mayor of the city of Ardmore, Indian Territory, I do hereby issue this proclamation for an election to be held on the 3d day of April, 1906, in the said City of Ardmore for the purpose of electing one Alderman in each of the four wards of said city and the places, and the Judges for holding said election in each of said wards are designated as follows:

First Ward—National Bank Building; Judges: J. N. Morgan, M. L. Alexander and W. S. Wolverton.

Second Ward—M. M. Griffith Building; Judges: C. F. Fraley, Sam Weeks and L. N. Murdock.

Third Ward—Fire Station, City Hall; Judges: L. H. Love, Mike Gorman and Alf Edwards.

Fourth Ward—Rivens, Corhn & Frensley Building; Judges: J. M. Loyd, John Lynch and Frank Berryhill.

Witness my hand and seal of office this the 10th day of March, 1906.

R. W. DICK,
Mayor of the City of Ardmore.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION.

In the United States Court for the Southern District of the Indian Territory, at Ardmore.

In the matter of the guardianship of Minnie Wood, Jno. W. Wood, guardian.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as guardian of Minnie Wood, duly appointed by the United States Court for the Central District of the Indian Territory, at Antlers, will make application to the United States Court for the Southern District of the Indian Territory, on the 27th day of March, 1906, for an order to sell the following described lands:

E 19.93 acres of lot 3; SW 10 acres of lot 3, less 3.20 acres for G. C. & S. F. Ry., Sec. 2, Tp. 4 S. Range 2 E. SW¼, NW¼, SE¼; S½, NE¼, SW¼; S½, SW¼, SE¼; SW¼, SE¼, SE¼, Sec. 2, Tp. 4 South, Range 2 E.; S½, SW¼, SE¼, Sec. 20, Tp. 3, South, Range 1 West; SW¼, SE¼, SE¼, Sec. 20; SE¼, NE¼; NE¼; W½, NE¼, NE¼; NW¼, NE¼; N½, SE¼, NE¼, Sec. 29, Tp. 3, S. Range 1 West; SW¼, NE¼, SW¼; S½, NW¼, SW¼; N½, SW¼, SW¼; NW¼, SE¼, SW¼; Sec. 27, Tp. 5 South, Range 3 East. All in the Chickasaw Nation, Indian Territory.

Said lands being located within the jurisdiction of the United States Court for the Southern District of the Indian Territory, at Ardmore, Indian Territory, and being the same lands allotted to Elsie Tonetubbe of whom the said Minnie Wood is the sole and only heir, for the purpose of educating the said minor, Minnie Wood, and improving and developing her own individual allotment.

Said application will be made to said court at nine o'clock a. m. on said date, or as soon thereafter as the court will take up said application.

Given under my hand this the 30th day of December, 1905.

JOHN W. WOOD, Guardian.

Leflotter & Bledsoe, attorneys for Guardian.

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