

A Gigantic Sale of Merchandise ..AT THE JUMBO..

Once each year we celebrate the opening of this popular people's store by holding a two weeks' anniversary sale. Our sales of the past have won fame and friends for us by the reason of liberal underselling of seasonable merchandise. This sale should surpass all previous events.

WAIT FOR IT. AUGUST 11 TO AUGUST 25.

..JUMBO MERCANTILE COMPANY..

LOCAL NOTES

Dr. Oliver Bagby is expected home this week.

Mrs. James Palmour of Chelsea, is here Monday.

W. E. Butler was up from Pryor creek Monday.

Ed. Stanley has purchased a lot in Orchard Heights.

Mrs. Nell Anderson is down from oneet visiting friends.

R. L. Martin, of Pensacola, was in town Friday.

J. W. Sklener was up from Adair Sunday.

Felix Cowan spent Sunday at his farm.

A. R. Gill of Afton was a Vinita visitor Sunday.

John Franklin was in from Estella Saturday.

Badgett-Sanders are having their ore newly papered.

Judge Rogers and family arrived Monday from Shoals, Indiana.

John Okison is home from his Colorado cattle ranch.

Fred and Wilton Rateliff have returned from St. Louis.

Flour will be higher before long on account of the great loss of wheat.

Mr. and Mrs. John Skillman, of Big Cabin, were here Saturday.

Miss Verma Edmiston spent Sunday with friends at Big Cabin.

Miss Johanna French, of Tablequah, is the guest of relatives in this city.

Wm. Little has returned from the Bartlesville and Ramona oil fields.

Dr. A. P. Owen is having the interior of his drug store newly papered.

Ed. Rhea of the Jumbo store has returned from a trip to Eureka Springs.

Henry Walker was released from jail Thursday, having served his time out.

M. E. Milford purchased a lot in the Orchard Heights addition last week.

Miss Edith Wilkinson returned Monday from a visit with friends at Muskogee.

Miss Willie Haynes was here from Whiteoak Sunday, the guest of Miss Lou Hawkins.

Little Dick French and Joe Thompson are here from Tablequah visiting relatives.

President Dugger of Willie Haisell college is hustling in the interest of his school.

The Frisco have added sleepers to their trains 411 and 412. Tickets on sale at Frisco ticket office.

Mrs. J. C. Anderson and children left Monday evening for Pryor Creek to visit Mrs. S. H. Hayes.

The ladies missionary society of the Presbyterian church met Tuesday afternoon at the church.

B. E. Payne, who has been working at the new jail, is quite sick at Harry Hunt's home, where he is boarding.

T. N. Chitwood was in from his farm near White Oak Friday. He reports many sick cattle in that neighborhood.

Wheat and oats are being threshed, but most crops are greatly damaged by continued rains.

Frank Audrian and wife came down from Fairland Friday and were the guests in this city of Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Griffith.

Some of the good women of the town have undertaken to relieve the distress at the Hoskins' home, east of town.

Judge C. B. Rogers went to St. Louis Friday night to meet his wife and baby on their return from Shoals, Indiana.

A fist fight in which the belligerents pommelled each other unmercifully took place at the Frisco depot Sunday morning.

Rev. Dr. A. G. Washburn, of South McAlester, occupied the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday, both morning and evening.

Mrs. C. U. Kilgore, Miss Edie Ware and Willie Haynes, of White Oak, were the guests in this city of Miss Kate Harrison Tuesday.

Chieftain want ad's bring results. Ed Stanley is building a dwelling on the east side.

Mrs. L. D. Starr of Tablequah, is visiting in the city.

Sam R. Frazee and wife returned Tuesday from the World's Fair.

Grant Victor came down on the "bob" train yesterday from Afton.

It now transpires that boodie was really an issue in Missouri this year.

The Chieftain today received an invoice of 3,000 pounds of print paper.

Billy Simms is going to take his gun and rod into the jungles for about ten days.

The Badgett-Sanders Mercantile Co. is getting ready for a mammoth clearance sale.

Lumber men and contractors are anticipating a lively building boom to be inaugurated in the fall.

The marshal's office is doing a rushing mid-summer business all the deputies being kept busy.

An endeavor is being made to induce either the Miami or Bartlesville teams to cross bats with the local boys Sunday.

R. J. Wright is rapidly recovering from an attack of fever with which he has been struggling for a week or more.

A force of 200 men is required to keep up the beauty of the lawns, flowers, trees and landscapes at the World's Fair.

Miss Caroline Goodykootz is going on an extended visit to the West and will spend several days in Memphis before returning.

The sparrows have carried so much hay into the Congregational church steeple it was impossible to ring the bell last Sunday evening.

The prospect well on the east side is down nearly 600 feet but work has been suspended for two or three days by reason of a breakage.

Commissioner Stanfield has no "off season," there being petty offenders he must administer the law to who seem to know no vacation.

J. F. Charlesworth runs two sprinklers on the business streets and use water from the public well at the rate of 12,000 gallons a day.

W. C. Van Hoy, a prominent attorney of Bartlesville, who has been in the city on legal business for several days, returns home yesterday.

Robt. A. Caples, a newspaper man who was at one time connected with the Chieftain, is in town. He has been in California and Oregon.

Several farmers of the country tributary to Vinita report that they have saved a much greater percentage of their oats and wheat than they expected.

Marshal Darrough is not expected home until today, or Friday he having gone on from Tablequah with some prisoners whom he will leave in the pen.

The building of a wagon bridge over Little Cabin creek is now being agitated. Some time ago about nine hundred dollars was subscribed to the project.

Members of the Christian Endeavor society of the Presbyterian church will give an ice cream lawn social Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Morning.

The shipping of baled hay is one of the great industries of this section, and the season is now fairly open. The hay crop of 1904 will surpass all its predecessors.

Mrs. E. E. Starr returned to Tablequah yesterday morning. She has been visiting her son, Chas. Starr, five miles north of here, who has been sick with typhoid fever.

Crops in the Fullblood District.

Luman F. Parker, Jr., the well-known attorney, has returned from a week's stay in Muskogee, Tablequah and other points in the southern and southeastern part of the nation, where he has been looking after legal matters for the Cherokees. He reports that in the fullblood districts near Tablequah the crops are exceptionally good, not having been damaged by excessive rains.

BEFORE THE TRAPS.

Hartsman's Team Won the Honors in Monday Afternoon's Shoot.

Sam Ridenhour was high gun in Monday's weekly shoot with a credit of 23 kills out of a possible 25. The lifeless "birds" were sprung well and the misses were generally on comparatively easy birds. The difficult right and left quarterers and straight-aways were splintered, showing that more care was taken to get a bead on these styles of flying saucers.

Hartsman's team defeated the Briggs contingent with 109 to 132 kills out of a possible 225.

This is the score:

BRIGGS' TEAM.	
Briggs	11
Wright	21
Cornatzer	15
Safrank	17
Maddox	20
Conner	13
Reit	13
F. Ridenhour	11
J. Hunt	11
	132

HARTSMAN'S TEAM.	
Hartman	16
Ridenhour	23
Lemon	20
Wilkinson	20
C. Hunt	20
McClure	12
Webb	17
Hullington	21
McCullom	17
	166

At doubles out of a possible 10:

Devine	3
Wilkinson	5
Maddox	7
Ridenhour	5
Cornatzer	3
Killebrew	2
Briggs	5
McClure	5
Safrank	6
Hullington	3

There'll be Something Doin'.

Monday and Tuesday the colored population will desert Vinita and enjoy a "hilariously" good, old time at a picnic to be held at Brackett's Park. They will be talked to by these spellbinders, so it is announced: Judge Stanfield, W. H. Darrough, J. H. Butler, Dr. A. J. Jordan, Col. W. M. Simms, Seymour Riddle, J. C. Wilkinson, M. A. Sorrel, Prof. W. O. White and Capt. G. S. White. There will be bronco riding, egg shooting, steer riding, horse races and between seven and eleven other attractions not mentioned in the hand bills.

TWO HAPPY COUPLE.

A Bride Escapes Without Being Kissed by a Courtous Cupid.

Firm believes that marriage is anything but a failure the Messrs. Davidson yesterday played a noon hour session as cupid. Clerk Davidson performed the ceremony uniting D. G. Campbell, 26, of Ketchikan and Effie G. Keener, 24, of Southwest City, Mo.

Chief Deputy E. B. Davidson, however, assured a more responsible and dignified roll later when Miss Jessie Hough, deeply blushing behind a bridal veil of some flimsy, but rich material, was ushered into the office leaning confidently on the arm of Otis Skinner, a man of 33 years who enjoys a good standing in his community, Wyandotte. The couple were accompanied by several relatives and a license to wed was quickly made out according to Hoyle.

Then Mr. E. B., by request, became active and, although he could not refrain from looking at the pretty 17-year-old bride, he never missed a syllable of the prescribed marriage ceremony. There being no ring Deputy N. P. Johnson rung a bell and the happy couple made their escape while the two deputies were arguing as to their relative right to kiss the bride—the one who so impressively spoke the words or the one who made out the license and certificate.

Bruton Has Resigned.

Wilson O. Bruton, secretary of the Cherokee Nation, has tendered his resignation, and there are a score of applicants for the vacancy. Mr. Bruton retired because of the press of other business, he having been made administrator of quite a large estate left by his recently deceased brother-in-law.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

Recorded in the Office of the Clerk of the Second Recording District at Vinita, Indian Territory.

WARRANTY DEEDS.

sec 23, tp 26, r 20; and 10 acres in w1 sw-sw1 sec 23, tp 26, r 20.

Nelson and Rosa Moore to Nancy Buffington, n1 ne-ne1 se-ne-ne1 sec 36, tp 26n, r 21, and w1 nw-nw-nw1 sec 13, tp 26n, r 21e; \$500.

Nettie Martin to James A. Thompson, w1 ne-sw1 34, and se-ne-sw1 sec 34, tp 26n, r 20e; \$300.

Frank L. and Tom C. Barkhalter to Dora B. Blackwell, lot 7, blk 83, Vinita, and all improvements; \$300.

Susan Beeson to Curtis R. Ranstead, se-se-se1 sec 20, tp 28n, r 19e; \$25.

Alexander Powell to Chas W. Pool, w1 sw-nw1, and w1 nw-sw-se-nw-sw1 sec 18, tp 24n, r 18e; \$400.

Bettie and James W. Robinson to B. H. Hester, sw-se-ne1 sec 20, tp 24n, r 18e; \$50.

George and Amanda Milton to Jas. R. and W. Dawson, n1 ne-ne1 sec 31, tp 21n, r 14e; \$200.

Henry and Mary Taylor to James R. and W. Dawson, sw-sw1 sec 28, tp 26n, r 22e; \$400.

John and Mary Downing to L. B. Bell, sw-ne-ne1 sec 11, tp 23, r 20 east; \$100.

Walter M. and Eugina Charlesworth to John H. Matney, lot 4, blk 107, Vinita; \$295.

John and W. C. Patton to J. R. Scott, lots 46 and 47, blk 48, Vinita; \$5,100.

Iarnel and Lizzie Martin to S. G. Victor, nw-ne-sw1 sec 29, nw-sw1, and nw-ne-sw1 se-se-nw1 and sw-se-nw1 sec 30, tp 27n, r 24e; \$440.

Bertha Bean to S. G. Victor, se-sw-sw-sw1 sec 13, tp 26n, r 13e; \$300.

Toby Johnson to Bradley R. B. & T. Co., allotment, except homestead; \$25.

Jonas Thompson to Bradley R. B. & T. Co., allotment, except homestead; \$25.

Alfred Campbell to Bradley R. B. & T. Co., allotment, except homestead; \$25.

Clara Foster to Samuel G. Victor, sw-nw-sw1 sec 14, tp 26, r 21; \$80.

Mary Casner to Bradley R. B. & T. Co., allotment, except homestead; \$25.

Susie Bean to A. W. Foreman, se-nw

REPORTED FROM NOWATA.

Julia Funkhouser to Chas. T. Boggs, sw-ne-sw1 and s1 nw-sw1 sec 29, tp 25, r 17 east; \$240.

P. O. and Frank Bucher to J. F. Laderer, east 1 ft lot 9, and west 8.2 ft lot 8, blk 19, Bartlesville; \$667.50.

Mary E. Armstrong to O. E. Osborne, lot 5, blk 49, Bartlesville; \$1,050.

Samuel Henderson to Fred Sutton, lot 3, blk 73, Bartlesville; \$375.

Mary Casner to Bradley R. B. & T. Co., allotment, except homestead; \$25.

Toby Johnson to Bradley R. B. & T. Co., allotment, except homestead; \$25.

Alfred Campbell to Bradley R. B. & T. Co., allotment, except homestead; \$25.

Jonas Thompson to Bradley R. B. & T. Co., allotment, except homestead; \$25.

Mary Downing to W. E. Haisell et al, n1 sw1 and se-sw-sw1 sec 13, tp 25n, r 16e; \$300.

Harry Landrum to W. F. Hammet et al, s1 nw-nw1 sec 20, tp 25n, r 17 east; \$25.

Harry Landrum to W. F. Hammet et al, ne-ne1 sec 19, tp 25n, r 17e; \$35.

Mary Downing to C. L. Lane, ne-sw1 nw1 sec 24, tp 26, r 15e; \$200.

Hannah Lasley to Wm. J. Creekmore, et al, ne-sw-ne1 sec 20, tp 26, r 13 east; \$110.

Mo. Kas. & Okla. Ry. Co. to M. K. & T. Ry. Co., railroad property, all rights, etc.; \$1.00.

J. B. Butler to J. A. Reeves, nw1 and w1 ne-sw-nw1, and w1 ne-sw1 sec 18, tp 28n, r 16e; \$400.

Ben Grimmer to L. R. Shreek, ne1 nw1 sec 12, tp 26, r 17e; \$250.

Otis Gregory to G. B. Poor, north 50 ft lot 5, blk 69, Bartlesville; \$0.

Jack Luther to J. M. Bayless, se-sw1 sec 20, tp 27, r 17e; \$500.

Sarah Reese to E. M. Metcalf, w1 nw-se1 sec 2, tp 25n, r 12e, and nw-sw-sw1 sec 1, tp 25, r 12e; \$300.

Julia Starr to C. T. Boggs, se-nw-se1,

and w1 nw-se1, and e1 ne-sw1 sec 32, tp 25n, r 17e; \$400.

Katie Vann to J. M. Bayless, sw-se1 and se-sw-ne1 sec 33, tp 22n, r 16 east; \$500.

Ellen and Moses Webber to E. M. Metcalf, se-ne-se1 sec 1, tp 28, r 19e, and w1 se-se1, and ne-se-se1 sec 2, tp 28, r 19e; \$150.

Sylvia Williams to J. M. Bayless, ne-sw1 sec 23, tp 29n, r 14e; \$150.

CLAREMORE REPORT.

Jonas Thompson to Bradley R. B. & T. Co., allotment, except homestead; \$25.

Toby Johnson to Bradley R. B. & T. Co., allotment, except homestead; \$25.

Alfred Campbell to Bradley R. B. & T. Co., allotment except homestead; \$25.

Arthur Patterson to Caroline E. Burns; \$70.

Arthur Patterson to J. A. Burns; \$280.

Melinda Baker to Caroline E. Burns; \$300.

Nicey Martin to J. M. Bayless, se-sw1 sec 33, tp 22, r 16e; \$400.

Patay Daniels to J. M. Bayless, nw-se and ne-sw-ne1 sec 33, tp 22, r 16; \$500.

Jack and Susie Downing to Laura K. Gaskey, se-sw-ne1 sec 21, tp 23, r 17, article of agreement; \$20.

Lewis D. Daniels to J. M. Bayless, nw-sw1 sec 33, tp 22, r 16; \$400.

G. W. Smiley to Russell & Co., bill of sale, threshing machine outfit; \$1,275.

Sarah Nolls to J. M. Bayless, e1 nw1 se1, and nw-nw-se1 sec 31, tp 23n, r 10 east; \$150.

Jane Harlin to Louis E. Hohnan, w1 nw-nw1 sec 19, tp 25n, r 27e, and w1 sw-se, and se-se-sw1 sec 27, tp 24n, r 16e; \$400.

Mary Ross to Horace M. Adams, se-ne1 sec 14, sw-se-nw1 tp 24n, r 16 east; \$400.

Moses Ross to Horace M. Adams, sw-ne1, and se-nw-ne1 sec 14, tp 14n, r 16e; \$400.

Mary Bland to James S. and John B. Stapler, se-sw1 sec 29, tp 22n, r 14 east; \$300.

PATENTS.

Cherokee Nation to M. F. Stillwell, lot 2, blk 52, Bartlesville.

A MOTHER'S PLEADING.

Mrs. Cole Seeks Release from Jail of Her Criminal Son.

George W. Cole, a young man of a varied career, was arrested a few days ago for passing two phony bank checks at Claremore. He was brought to this city under a commitment holding him for trial in the sum of \$500. Today his aged mother presented another pitiful illustration of her love for a degenerate or erring boy. She came from her home in Galena, Kas., and was pleading among the officials at the court-house for mercy. The boy was arrested once before for "kiting" checks, but escaped the penitentiary upon a showing that he was insane. He was soon released from the mad house and his mother says only becomes insane at times, but does not always commit a crime when "under the spell."

Sometimes ago a woman secured a divorce and immediately married young Cole. After six weeks with him she returned to her former husband, and the two men exchanged shots.

Cole has a wealthy brother in Arkansas whom his mother believes will furnish the bail. In the meantime the officials cannot assist her as there is no provision for a jury to examine into his sanity, or to try the charge against him before October.

Offenders Jailed.

During the past 24 hours eight offenders have been placed behind the iron bars of the Hotel Darrough.

Bud Ross, charged with burglary and larceny, and Mac Taylor, adultery, were brought from Tablequah by Deputy Long. Deputy Johnson turned the keys on E. T. Martin, whom he brought from Sallisaw, charged with disposing of mortgaged property. Deputy White nailed Chas. Manard, a worthless negro, for vagrancy. From Bartlesville Deputy Kerr brought Cy Johnson, a peace disturber. Pies Thompson, from Nowata, booked John Howers, charged with assault, and Ike Gilstrap arrested J. M. Dallas at Collinsville for introducing and selling liquor.

DIP CATTLE IN OIL FOR TICKS

A Tulsa Veterinarian Will Consider Petroleum as a Remedy for Texas Fever.

A Tulsa special to the Kansas City Journal has the following:

Dr. S. G. Kennedy, of this place, finished dipping 400 head of cattle in crude petroleum yesterday, for the extermination of the Texas fever tick. This is the first experiment of the kind in the Territory, and stockmen are looking upon it with some interest. If the experiment succeeds well it is safe to say that thousands of cattle will be so treated as soon as possible.

The modus operandi pursued by Dr. Kennedy was to build a vat about eight feet deep by ten or twelve feet wide. The cattle were driven into the mixture over their eyes and ears, coming out of the bath with enough of the oil sticking to their hair to destroy the tick. About 10 barrels of oil are required for each 100 cattle to be dipped. As the oil is found on every hand here, the cost of the experiment is comparatively small.

Crude petroleum has been used for some time in Texas for the extermination of the fever tick, and has been regarded as quite successful.

Texas, or splenic, fever is an infectious disease of cattle propagated by the bite of boovis boophilus, or Texas tick. This little animal is a native of all the Southern states, and its ravages among the cattle of this region are enormous, the loss in Indian Territory being not less than ten per cent of all the cattle pastured here. So susceptible are the animals to the virus that it has been next to impossible to import Northern cattle into the infected regions.

In its natural home the tick spreads out over large scopes of country and covers the entire grazing district in such numbers as to preclude the possibility of any stock escaping from its influence. How to rid the country of it has been the subject of study of stockmen and entomologists for years. By experimentation it was ascertained that calves born in the infected regions seemed to be affected lightly or to escape altogether. From this it was discovered healthy animals inoculated by the attenuated culture of the blood of the diseased ones would have only a light form of the malady. This led to the theory of vaccination for the prevention of the disease. The idea was first set forth and elaborated upon at the University of Missouri and afterward taken up by other states. In the prevention of the disorder the idea was a success. But it was too difficult to put into general effect and too expensive for the small stockmen to profit by. The cultures were furnished from the bureau of industry, free to all who should apply. Many took advantage of the privilege, but were not satisfied with the manner of procedure or the results obtained. Hence a general demand for some remedy more simple and less expensive of application. Accordingly the petroleum cure was advanced, with what so far promises to be favorable results.

Good Singing.

J. R. Hubbard sang a delightful solo at the evening service at the Presbyterian church Sunday. Mr. Hubbard has a fine voice and his singing is becoming a feature of the services at that church.

Don't forget the coach excursion over the Katy to the World's Fair, St. Louis, Saturday, July 23. Tickets good going on all trains leaving Vinita after midnight July 22. Good returning on any train leaving St. Louis on or before midnight, July 30, 1904. See Katy's agent and go.