Local Happenings

Thursday, July 25

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Mayberry have moved to Tulsa to reside.

Mrs. J. S. Burtrum, who has been sick for three weeks, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gunter returned from St. Louis this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Stepp of Kansas City are visiting Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Williams.

Misses Anna Byrd and Malta Stevens went to Spavinaw this morning to visit Mrs. Sam Zeno.

Mrs. Thomas Terry, of Guthrie, is the guest in this city of her sister, Mrs. Albert Berry.

George Gatewood writes home that he is having fine success selling Remington typewriter machines.

Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Byrd, of Poteau, arrived in the city this morning for a visit with Mrs. Byrd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Gatewood.

J. A. Rafferty, of Cushing, Oklahoma, an old acquaintance of C. E. DePue, is here looking over the country with the view of investing.

Rev. Patterson, of Florida, is in the city visiting relatives and friends. He was formerly pastor of the First Baptist church of Vinita.

Evangelist J. E. Wolfe, who is holding tent meeting in Toronto, Canada, writes his brother here that the heat there had been something fearful.

Rev. Scott Stubblefield, of Kansas City, who has been visiting his brother E. A. Stubblefield and Vinita friends returned home this morning.

Ad Roach and family and Capt. G. S. White and family are camping by Lynch lake and their friends anticipate some great fish stories on their returned.

N. P. Johnson returned this morning and the Clerk's office force is wearing a broad smile, as Mr. Johnson delivers the goods promptly when in the office.

J. I. M[illegible]ning last night rushed out of the house with a lighted lantern to relieve a man in distress, who proved to be the man in the moon afflicted with an eclipse.

M. E. Milford has now joined the "batchelor's club," his family having gone East for an extended tour during the hot weather. They will visit at Chicago and other points.

Ned Hoskins was arrested by Officer Britt last evening for being drunk and disorderly. He was held in jail last night and this morning plead guilty in the mayor's court and was fined the usual amount.

With the Auditorium roof completed and the inside work on the building moving along smoothly, Vinita will soon be the proud possessor of a theater that will attract the best show companies on the road.

Two supposed counterfeiters worked the town of Catale yesterday and succeeded in trading quite an amount of bad money for good. Vinita people should keep their eyes open, as the "shovers of the queer" are supposed to have come here.

Manager Butler of the Auditorium theatre is in receipt of advise from the booking agent in New York City that he has secured the Red Feather troupe of sixty people and two car loads of scenery for a date in Vinita. They will appear here on December 13.

Friday, July 26

Mrs. E. M. Protasco has returned from a visit to Iowa.

Lee Barrett and wife returned last night from a visit to Claremore.

Dr. Wimer is remodeling his house and will have a nice modern house when completed.

Ed. Wallen, of Fairland, a cousin of S. E. Wallen, is a guest of the latter in this city today.

Attorney J. J. Jones returned last night from Washington, D. C., after a two weeks' visit.

Geo. E. Harris went fishing last night and returned with a "big head" and a small amount of fish.

Dr. F. W. Bird and wife of Poteau arrived this morning to visit the family of W. P. Gatewood.

Mr. J. R. Stewart of Ketchum is in town today. He reports the corn in good condition in that locality.

W. P. Phillips returned from Los Angeles this morning and went to Tulsa on the noon train.

Frank N. Thomas of Vinita and Ella Downing of Muskogee were married in the U. S. Clerks office last evening.

R. A. Atkinson returned to his home at Kansas City last night after a short visit in this city with his sister, Mrs. A. J. Williams.

W. H. Parker, familiarly known as "Uncle Hi," of St. Louis, arrived last night for a few days' visit in Vinita. He is an uncle of Judge Parker.

The Avery Oil and Gas Co., held a directors meeting this morning and elected W. P. Farley treasurer in place of Ola Wilhite, resigned.

C. C. Fawver of Seligman, Mo., who bought several car loads of hay and corn of Vinita dealers the first part of the week, went to Afton yesterday.

Deputy Neville took W. W. Avery to Pryor Creek this morning to receive sentence on the charge of gaming, of which crime he was convicted during the April term of court.

Uncle Bob Knight returned last evening to his home on the banks of the Grand river, where he has a fine stone residence in which many of his friends have shared in his hospitality.

S. Sanders, from St. Louis, who lived in Vinita for a number of years, is a visitor here and has many good words to say of Vinita and the improvements made since he lived here. He leaves today to attend the wedding of Mr. Starr at Claremore tonight.

Mrs. Levi Jones died at 4 o'clock this morning. The funeral services will be held tomorrow upon the arrival of a sister from Oklahoma. Mrs. Jones has been in a failing condition for some time, but her death came as a great shock to the family and friends as the deceased was attending to her household duties during the preceeding day.

A man purchased a bottle of Liquozone at the People's drug store yesterday and placed it on a shelf, stating that he would call for it later. On his return he picked up the wrong bottle and took quite a liberal dose of what proved to be mustache dye. By promptly administering an antidote, the druggist saved the victim from any serious results.

E. C. Baird, of Bartlesville, one of the directors of the Avery Oil & Gas company, is here to attend a meeting of the directors of the company.

The Chieftain has been informed that a large quantity of drift wood has lodged under and above the Locust creek bridge. The Commercial club should call the attention of its road committee, as a heavy rain would be liable to take the bridge out.

A general order was issued some time ago by a special commission of the court of claims that all applications of Eastern Cherokees must be filed not later than August 31, 1907.

Saturday, July 27

John Nichols, a brother of A. B. Nichols, arrived yesterday from Georgia for a brief visit.

Mrs. C. H. Smith died last night of typhoid fever. The funeral was conducted this afternoon by Rev. A. J Williams.

George Nidiffer and John Gunter unloaded three cars of horses yesterday. They were taken out to pasture preparatory to being sold.

Miss Glessie Lee returned from Nevada, Mo. this morning.

Miss Lois Chamberlin is suffering from a badly sprained foot.

Mrs. E. D. Ficklin and daughters, Leo and Mary, go to Tulsa this evening to visit Mrs. Ericksten.

F. M. Lewis is moving his stock of buggies and other implements into the north room of the Scott building.

Rev. Jones pastor of the Adair M. E. church, South returned to Adair last evening after a few days' visit in this city.

Prof. W. T. Ford, formerly of the Vinita public schools passed through this city last night enroute to Sarcoxie, Mo.

H. L. Finley, assistant bank examiner of Kansas, is expected here this evening to spend Sunday with his brother, Geo. C. Finley.

Rev. J. B. McDonald presiding Elder of the Vinita district of the M. E. church South, went to Muskogee last evening on business.

Rev. G. W. Snodgrass left on an early morning Katy train today for Vian, Fort Gibson and other points embraced in his district as field missionary. He will be absent from home for several days.

H. M. Butler, editor of the Pryor Creek Clipper, passed through Vinita last evening enroute from Eldorado Springs, Mo., where Mrs. Butler is spending the summer for the benefit of her health.

J. T. Hagan has decided to erect a one-story brick building on North Wilson street as soon as a satisfactory contract for same can be made. The building is to be 25x80 feet and we are informed that it has already been leased for five years.

Emmett Skinner will leave this evening for Excelsior Shrings, Mo., where Mrs. Skinner has been for several weeks for the benefit of her health.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. James left last night for Jamestown, Atlantic City and New York. A brother of Mr. James will have charge of the hotel during his absence.

Deputy Williams brought in the following prisoners last night: Viola Rogers, charged with larceny; James Muskrat and Cora Allen, chaged with adultery.

Deputy Long brought in Jesse Woods last night charged with being implicated with his brother, Bushy Woods, in a murder committed near Tahlequah recently.

Joseph Pelham, charged with the murder of a colored man at Bartlesville a week or two ago was yesterday taken before the United States Commissioner at that place and bound over to await the action of the grand jury.

Monday, July 29

Ewing Halsell left last night for a business visit in Kansas City.

Miss Ethel Frazier, of Claremore, is visiting friends in this city.

Judge Thomas came up from Muskogee today on legal business.

Mrs. C. J. Hunt went to Sapulpa Saturday evening for a short visit.

Mrs J. H. Butler returned Sunday evening from a short visit at Afton.

An oil well was brought in on a lease belonging to J. V. Roberts Saturday.

Veterinary Surgeon C. D. Meredith of Joplin, Mo., spent Sunday with friends in this city.

Pat Mahoney returned Saturday night from a month's visit at his old home in Kehoko, Mo.

Deputy U. S. Marshal Stepp, of Claremore, yesterday brought in J. W. West accused of false pretense.

Mrs. J. A. Gill, Misses Edna and Rose and Master Joseph Gill left yesterday for Salt Lake City for a few weeks sojourn.

W. T. Wade and family and Mrs. Wilbur have gone to Eucha to visit the family of Thomas Bluejacket. They will remain about two weeks.

W. H. Darrough and family are mantaining a camp at Sulphur Springs I. T., where they expect to remain this week.

Alice Garrett and Hieves Thompson were yesterday evening brought in by Deputy McGinnis, being charged with false pretense.

Mrs. John Wise, returned last night from a months visit with relatives and friends at Southwest City, Eureka Springs, and other points.

Joseph Chambers, a former resident of this city, has returned after an absence of about three years spent in Nashville, Tenn., and other Southern towns.

The marshal's office Saturday served an attachment on the store building and residence of Dr. A. J. Jordan to satisfy the claims of the Minnetonka Lumber Co.

At their regular meeting tonight the Odd Fellows will install J. K. Taylou as vice-grand and Dr. J. W. Craig as secretary.

Deputy Chamberlin last night brought in Scott Momet charged with slander. He was arranged before the United States commissioner and the case was continued to August 6. Momet gave bond and was released.

Edgar Buffington returned Saturday night from an extended visit to relatives in Los Angeles, Calif. Enroute home he stopped at Colorado Springs to see Lucian Buffington, whose health is being improved by his stay at this famous resort.

Cotton thread has advanced in price and will soon be retailed at ten cents a spool. This is not because it is scarce but the thread trust needs the money. Texas has already given notice that it will put every man in jail who sells the trust thead at any higher price than is now being charged.—Muskogee Democrat.

JOINS OFFICERS IN SEARCH FOR BROTHER'S ASSASSIN

John Alford, brother of Mac Alford, who was shot from ambush, near Porum last Tuesday night, has joined the United States officials in the search for the murders of his brother.

Last Saturday Alford, who lives at Sallisaw, spent the entire day in the neighborhood of the tragedy, questioning the neighbors of the dead man and searching in vain for evidence that would lead to the detection of the assassins.

From Porum Saturday afternoon Alford telephoned the marshals' office at Muskogee that he had talked with the people who were in the wagon with his brother at the time of the killing, but they saw no one and could give no idea of who committed the crime. Deputy Marshal Frank Jones of Checotah, is following a clue which he believes will lead to an arrest being made soon.

Can Fuse in Nebraska.

Lincoln, Neb., July 26—The Democrats and Populists of Nebraska have won their fight for fusion on the tickets at the first direct primary election on September 3. The supreme court today handed down a decision overruling the demurrer of the attorney general and ordering the writ of mandamus to compel the secretary of state to permit fusion on the primary ballots.

Plumbers Want $8 a Day

Butte, Mont., July 26—The local plumbers' union struck today for $8 per day of eight hours. The men now receive $7. Buildings worth $1,000,000 under construction are tied up.

INHERITED LANDS

Listed for Sale With the Indian Agent at the Union Agency, Muskogee

Notice is hereby given that the following described tracts of land allotted of deceased citizens of the Five Civilized Tribes have been listed for sale by their heirs, and sealed bids will be received therefor at this agency on each separate allotment of land described up to 2 o'clock p. m. of the date when said bids are to be opened August 16, 1907.

CHEROKEE NATION.

No. 6. Allotment of Joe Sparrowhawk, deceased:

Ne¼ of se¼ of ne¼ of sec 19, tp 22 n, r 22 e., and se¼ of sw¼ of se¼ of sec. 20, and n½ of nw¼ of ne¼, and sw¼ of ne¼ of ne¼ and nw¼ of se¼ of ne¼ and e½ of ne¼ of ne¼ and nw¼ of ne¼ of ne¼ of sec. 35, tp 24 n, r 17 e; 90 acres.

No. 7. Allotment of Lydia Sparrowhawk, deceased:

N½ of ne¼ of se¼ and s½ of se¼ of ne¼, and nw¼ of se¼ of ne¼ and ne¼ of se¼ of ne¼, and south 20 acres of Lot 1 of sec. 18, tp 29 n, r 21 e.; 80 acres.

No. 8. Allotment of Aley Johnson, deceased:

Ne¼ of ne¼ and n½ of se¼ of ne¼ of sec. 20, and nw¼ of ne¼ and ne¼ of sw¼ of ne¼ of sec. 25, tp 20 n, range 15 east; 110 acres.

No. 9. Allotment Martin White, deceased:

Lot 4 and ne¼ of sw¼ of nw¼ of sec. 4, tp 26 n, range 20 e.; 50 14 acres.

Listed for sale July 15, 1907; bids to to be opened September 15, 1907.

No. 10. Allotment of Charley Splitnose, deceased:

West ½ of nw¼ of section 8, township, 10 n. rge. 20 east 80 acres.

No. 11. Allotment of John Justice deceased:

East ½ of nw¼ of ne¼ of nw¼ of nw¼ ne¼ and ne¼ of ne¼ of section 11, and nw¼ of se¼ of se¼ of section 10, township 24 n. rge. 14 east, 80 acres.

All bids must be accompanied by a duly certified check on some solvent bank, payable to the Commissioner of Indian affairs, for 20 per cent of the amount of the bids.

All bids should be deposited with the United States Indian agent, Union agency, Muskogee, Indian Territory, and enclosed in a separate sealed envelope, upon which must be written "Bid for Inherited Indian Lands," and the date when the bid is to be opened. The envelope must not disclose a description of the land.

All information pertaining to heirship and proofs furnished by petitioners is on file at the Union agency and may be examined by any prospective bidder.

Until further notice official lists of Creek lands will be advertised in the Muskogee Phoenix, Cherokee lands in the Vinita Chieftain, Choctaw lands in the Evening News, McAlester, and Chickasaw lands in the Chickasha Express.

Further information and copies of the regulations governing these sales will be sent upon application.

DANA H. KELSEY,
tf United States Indian Agent.

GALBRAITH FOR ELECTION BOARD

Oklahoma City, July 26—Chairman J. B. Thompson, of the state Democratic central committee, last night recommended to Governor Frantz as a Democratic member of the Oklahoma election board, C. A. Galbraith, of Ada. Mr. Galbraith was formerly attorney general of Oklahoma and recently chief of the supreme court of the Hawaiian Islands.

WOMAN PRISONER JUMPS FROM MOVING TRAIN

Bartlesville July 29—Jumping from moving trains in efforts to escape is frequently attempted by male prisoners, but Cora Allen, of Bartlesville, is the first woman who is known to have done it.

While Deputy United States Marshal George Williams was taking her with three other prisoners from Bartlesville to the Vinita prison, she jumped through a window while the train was going at its regular speed.

The officer continued on his way to Vinita and on his return re-arrested the woman at Parsons, to which place she had made her way from Chetopa on a hand car.

War Against Consumption.

New York, July 26—Telephone poles are the latest weapons with which the welfare against consumption is being waged. In Yonkers every pole now bears a little tin sign reading: "Consumption is caused by the poison present in the consumptive's spit. This poisonous spit dries and goes as dust into other people's lungs. Don't give disease to others by careless spitting. Don't let others give it to you by careless spitting."

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