

Millinery Opening!

Our
Millinery Opening
Will be pulled off
Wednesday, October 3rd,
Should you need a winter lid, and
we are sure you will, it will pay you
to attend this opening.

Everybody invited to attend whether
you want a hat or not. We will try to
make it as attractive and pleasant as
well as interesting for you as possible.

Styles this season are more beautiful than ever and prices to
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Want Column

Lines under this head will be received at the
rate of One Cent a line, (five cent a line about 7
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less than ten cents. May contain any matter
of lost, found, strayed, stolen, for sale, to rent,
or for any purpose, without display lines.

FOR SALE—A GOOD YOUNG JERSEY
Cow with calf at her side. Inquire at this
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WANTED TO TRADE—A NEW 1st CLASS
single seated phonograph for a two seated
one. Inquire at this office.

WANTED TO BUY—A GOOD MILCH COW
Inquire S. T. GLASS at R. I. Depot.

A SNAP, if taken at once very
cheap, a rooming house. One
of the best locations in the
city. Eleven rooms, good clis-
tern, storm cave, three lots, shade
trees, enquire at Erin House, cor-
ner Railroad street and Kansas
avenue.

LOST—Ladies gold link brace-
let. Finder please return to Sad-
dle Rock restaurant and get re-
ward.

a scale for photoithographing,
but where it is indistinct as to
figures and lines it should be
made plain.

You will have the plat submit-
ted to the department at the
earliest date practicable.

Respectfully,
E. A. HITCHCOCK,
Secretary.

IS NOT APPROVED

The Townsite Plat of Ardmore
Has Been Returned to the
Commission Subject to
Instructions.

The plat of Ardmore, recently
sent Washington for approval by
the interior department, has been
returned to the townsite commis-
sion without approval.

The plat was received here last
evening and a visit to the townsite
commission office today failed to
develop any further information,
as Col. Johnson stated that he had
received no instructions.

However J. George Wright,
Indian inspector, is in the city
from Muskogee and when seen by
a reporter stated that the plat was
returned on account of the size of
lots in Ardmore and that it would
have to be made to conform with
the department rulings in regard
to the size of lots before the same
would be approved by the depart-
ment.

Readers of the Ardmoreite will
remember the provisions of the
department instructions in regard
to the size of town lots, which
were published just before the
plat was sent to Washington.

These instructions provided for a
uniform size for lots and fixed the
dimensions, both for residence and
business lots, and it seems from
what Mr. Wright knows of the
matter that it will require some
time to get the plat in a shape
which will meet with the approval
of the department.

Mr. Johnson says that if the
department insists on its instruc-
tions as to size of lots it will re-
quire an entire re-survey of the
town.—Ardmoreite.

With one of those nobby hats and
double breasted sack suits, together
with a pair of our vici kid shoes,
you are dressed up and no one hurt
financially. New York Store.

town of Sterrett, and to the de-
partmental letter Aug. 18, 1900,
instructing you to direct the
townsite commission at South
McAlester to survey lots in that
town in accordance with the in-
structions contained in said letter
of July 1, 1899, which directed
that the maximum size of resi-
dence lots should be 100x50 feet
and the maximum size of business
lots 25x150, or as nearly that size
as practicable, "having regard to
all the interests of the parties
residing in the town," and hav-
ing "due regard to the conveni-
ence of all the parties in the
establishment of alleys and
streets."

The acting commissioner recom-
mends that the plat be trans-
mitted to you with directions to
instruct the townsite commission
to subdivide the blocks into lots
in accordance with the directions
contained in said departmental
letter of Aug. 18, 1900.

As suggested by the acting
commissioner, you were advised
by wire on the 8th instant to
make no report on the report of
the Ardmore townsite commis-
sion until further advised by the
department.

Entertaining the views contain-
ed in the acting commissioner's
letter, a copy which is inclosed
herewith transmitted for correc-
tion in accordance therewith.

It is observed that streets have
not been extended through a num-
ber of blocks. Possibly in some
cases satisfactory reasons can be
given for this, (but apparently no
sufficient reason exists in such
cases as blocks numbers 64, 77,
78, 124, 249, 257, 303, 306, 431,
432, 492, 493 and 528.) You will,
therefore instruct the townsite
commission to change the survey
and plat in this particular, unless
in any case a change will destroy
valuable improvements, such as
buildings. Fruit trees and like
improvements would not be deem-
ed sufficiently valuable. If, in
any instance, an exception is made
to this rule, the commission must
make a report as to the facts.

You will advise the commission
that the map is not on too small

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The first bloodshed in the great
coal strike came Saturday, when
miners and troops clashed. Mar-
tial law has been declared. This
is a very bad beginning and does
not augur well for the ending.

There is a good big sore over the
return of the plat of Ardmore sent
into Washington. The fear that all
lots must be of uniform size, and
no one person can get more than
one, unless he buys it. There need
be no worry. You will get none
unless you buy them, and besides
all of this there may be another
ruling before our time comes. The
interior department is just taking
an education on Indian territory
affairs, and has yet passed the rudiments.
Don't get uneasy.

Hadn't Chickasha Ought to Take a Hint?

A well backed movement is on
foot to build a \$7000 hotel in
Mangum. This is a much needed
improvement and as Mangum busi-
ness men are in the habit of get-
ting what they go after in the way
of improving the town we expect-
ed to see work commence on this
building soon.—Mangum Sun.

This May be Meat.

We find the following in the Ryan
Advocate of last Friday, and plead
guilty to not knowing anything
about it. We are not posted on a
non-partisan convention at South
McAlester, nor can we see how a
non partisan convention or any other
kind of a convention at South
McAlester can have anything to do
with the question mentioned:

Ryan, L. T., Sept. 21, 1900.

To whom it may concern:
After telephone communication
with most of the Rock Island town,
T. L. Wade of the Chickasha district
and myself of the Ryan district,
each of whom were elected executive
committeemen of our respective
districts by the South McAlester
non-partisan convention have deem-
ed it necessary that some concert
of action be had in protesting against
the locating of the 480,000 acres of
pasture land in Comanche country
along the Rock Island railroad. In
order that this may be done we have
decided to call a meeting at Duncan
Oct. 8, at 4 p. m., and beg that each
town will send at least one repre-
sentative.

L. T. RUSSELL,
Executive Committeeman 4th Com.
Dist.

Instructions About Town Lots.

The Letter of the Department
Relative to the Ardmore Plat.

Department of Interior,
Washington September 11
To the U. S. Indian Inspector for
the Indian Territory, Muskogee
Sir:—The department is in re-
ceipt of a communication of the
7th inst from the acting commis-
sioner of Indian affairs inclosing
a report dated the 1st from the
Chickasaw townsite commission,
transmitting a plat of the townsite
of Ardmore, and also a list of the
owners of improvements in said
town.

The acting commissioner states
that the plat was transmitted (i-
rect by the commission and that it
is stated in its report that its re-
port relative to said plat will be
transmitted through your office.
The acting commissioner also
states that the plat is not trans-
mitted by the Indian office for the
department's approval, but for its
inspection in regard to a great
number of lots of "excessive size"
that have been laid out by the
commission, and he invites atten-
tion to a few of said lots, viz:

Block 303, 600x533 feet, sched-
uled as one lot to Monroe Wheeler
Block 443, 380x465 feet sched-
uled as one lot to W F Whitting-
ton.

Block 125, 400x370 feet, sched-
uled as one lot to J M Sheldon.

Block 126, 400x300 feet, sched-
uled to said Sheldon.

Block 431, lot 3, which is sched-
uled to the Chickasaw Compress
company.

Block 450, scheduled to Ard-
more Oil and Milling company.

Block 469, scheduled to same
company.

Block 100, scheduled to A J
Wolverton.

Block 145, lot 1, scheduled to
W. B. Johnson.

Block 27, scheduled to John J.
Stolfa.

Block 1, scheduled to J. D.
Rainwater.

Block 64, scheduled to M. H.
Key.

Block 65, scheduled to the
same party.

The department's attention is
also invited to the fact that in many instances the dimen-
sions of lots are not given, and
the acting commissioner states
that in his opinion, where the lots
are of regular shape the width
and depth should be indicated,
and where they are of irregular
shape all dimensions should be
given.

He also calls attention to de-
partmental letter of July 1, 1899,
relative to the size of lots in the

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E. Robinson, Manager.

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