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## OVERCOAT WEATHER!

Had you thought  
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## A County Seat Question Settled

The Oklahoma Supreme Court  
Decided in Favor of  
Cordell.

Guthrie, Ok., Oct. 20.—The  
supreme court decided unani-  
mously today that Cordell is the  
county seat of Washita county,  
and ordered that the next term of  
the district court be held there.  
Lawyers representing both Cordell  
and Cloud Chief argued the ques-  
tion in court. In September  
Judge L. McAtee convened court  
at Cloud Chief, the old county  
seat, the Judge C. E. Irwin con-  
vened court, at Cordell. A con-  
troversy arose and the two judges  
adjourned court pending the set-  
tlement of today.

**Special Agents Removed.**  
Washington, Oct. 20.—It was  
learned at the interior department  
today that the secretary had order-  
ed Special Agents Hawley and  
Reynolds relieved from duty in  
connection with the allotment  
work in the southwest. Such ac-  
tion was predicted in these dis-  
patches on last Monday. The ac-  
tion is understood to have been a  
direct result of the complaints  
which have come to Washington  
frequently of late in reference to  
the manner of conducting the  
work on the Kiowa, Comanche  
and Apache Indian reservation.

One of the men is alleged to  
have held religious camp meetings  
on the reservation. It is also re-  
ported here that one of the agents  
declared without reservation that he  
"thought the government had no  
right to allot the lands to the In-  
dians." This agent stated that he  
had "conscientious scruples  
against carrying out the law."

It is also reported here that one  
of the agents created much dissat-  
isfaction in his camp by making  
every man give him a title in ad-  
dressing him and also requiring  
that the members of the survey-  
ing corps passing near him shall  
salute him.

Mr. C. F. Nesler, one of the  
department inspectors, has been  
placed in supreme control of the  
men, and it is understood that the  
department will not assign two  
more special agents to the allotting  
work. Nesler has been found en-  
tirely reliable in such important  
government work and to him will  
be instructed the work of selecting  
capable assistants in each of the  
three camps already organized.  
It is thought that the work will  
proceed even better than when  
the special agents were in charge.

## A Big Burglary.

A Burglar Loots a Good Many  
Shops and Secures Plunder  
From All of Them.

Last night, after church an enter-  
prising burglar took in the town  
and secured plunder from nearly  
every house he entered. He got at  
the city engineer's office an eleva-  
tion. At the barber shop he got a  
hair-cut, at another a shampoo. At  
one of the banks he got the interest  
on a balloon ascension, at another  
he got notice of a protest, and at  
the other took a draft on the water  
cooler. At one grocery store he  
took the cream from a can of bak-  
ing powder, at another the flavor  
from a case of coffee. At one of  
the bakeries he took the rising out  
of the bread. At one dry goods  
store he took the holes from a bolt  
of lace, at another he took the  
"wish" from all silk. At a grocery  
store he took the condense out of  
the milk. At a furniture store he  
took a look out of a glass, at an-  
other he took a roll out of the car-  
pets. At a hardware store he took  
a stretch from the stretchers. At a  
furnishing store he took the jump  
from a jumper, and at the mill he  
took the suction from a pump. At  
the ice plant he took a chill. At  
one print shop he took a form; from  
another he took a pie. At the light  
plant he took a cry, because he  
could not use the electros in his  
business.

MON.—Don't be like the burg-  
lar. Patronize Tom. He lives and  
spends his money here.

The editor has been defined as  
"a man who carries a pair of scis-  
sors in his vest pocket, a lead  
pencil in his breast pocket, a note  
book in his coat pocket and his  
wealth in somebody else's pocket."  
—Ex.

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BLAME  
THE  
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