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H. D. HARDIE, Manufacturer, (OP STAIRS.) Pennington & Stone's Building.

At the Opera House.

The Madison Square Theatre company closed their week's engagement at this place last night, producing the great southern play, "Marked for Life." The Stater company have enlisted many warm friends in Ardmore by their excellent productions and social intercourse among our people. While this is their second appearance here this year, Ardmore will again be ready to welcome this excellent company back again. They most certainly have deserved better houses than they received.

Carpet matting, rugs, art squares, linoleum and window shades at the furniture house of C. R. Jones.

For the noblest shirt waist hats in town go to Mrs. Spurgeon's. 12 SW

The prize for the best essay on the Brook school, by the children, offered by Col. Sidney Suggs of the ARDMOREITE has been awarded Etta Allen, and that young lady will receive the Weekly ARDMOREITE regularly hereafter for one year.

Furniture sold on easy payments, if you wish, at the furniture and carpet house of C. R. Jones.

Thirty six suits of all wool serge worsteds; very nobby, well worth \$12.50. Special price \$8.50. WESTHEIMER & DAUBE.

DISTRICT COURT.

Mrs. Arnold's \$5,000 Damage Suit Occupies the Entire Day.

There was but little done in the district court yesterday outside of the case in which Mary C. Arnold sues I. E. Harmon et al for \$5,000 damages. The parties to this suit lived near Elk, and it seemed that Harmon had rented some land from Arnold. There arose a difference between them in reference to the land, and while pistol and gun plays were going on, Mrs. Arnold claims that she became so excited that it caused her prostration for several weeks, and for other damages she sued Harmon for \$5,000.

The plaintiff was represented by Cruce, Cruce & Cruce, while the defendant had employed Herbert & Cannon and Furman & Mathers. Strong speeches were made on both sides and the jury went to the box about 6 o'clock.

The jury, after being out for a short time, returned and informed the court that they had been unable thus far to agree. They were allowed to go home, but to reconvene Monday morning, when they will try to reach a verdict.

Special discount on laces and embroideries this week at Westheimer & Daube's.

Have you thought of buying oil stock, or would you buy the right kind if you had an opportunity? See what N. R. Tisdal has to offer. 10 3t

Three months for \$1; 130 books to select from, all late and popular. HOMER BOYD.

Having purchased the J. S. Jenkins photograph gallery in the Randol building I find that I could not successfully attend to all the details of two galleries and have sold the gallery in the Herbert & Lewis building to my brother, R. L. Cole, who from now on will have full charge of that business. My old friends and customers will find me at all times in the Randol building where I have the best equipped photograph gallery in the Indian Territory.

1236w S. S. COLE.

Good Things to Eat. When you want anything good to eat come or phone to PORTER STAPLES', The Red Headed Grocer. 12-3t Phone 57

See Akers this week for furniture at cost.

Services at Broadway. I will preach at Broadway, Sunday morning and at night and not at Carter Avenue as was stated in Saturday morning's Citizen. J. M. GROSS.

FOR SALE—Santa Fe eating house and hotel, near Santa Fe depot; good paying business; all goes at a low price. Going to Beaumont. Address Box 105, Ardmore, I. T. 12 2t

Don't fail to visit Westheimer & Daube's store this week. Big special sale in all departments.

The ladies of the First Presbyterian church will serve dinner Thursday, May 16, from 11:30 to 2 o'clock at Peoples' cafe.

For Rent. Several nicely furnished rooms to rent. Apply. 10-6t Mrs. J. W. PHILIPS.

A saving of \$4 on a \$12.50 couch. This is what J. H. Akers offers you as long as he stays in business in Ardmore.

"God So Loved"

Will be the Pastor's theme this morning at the

Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

At the evening service the pulpit will be occupied by

MR LOVIC P. LAW.

THE PASSING THROUG.

All the World's a Stage and Each one Plays a Part.

Arthur Juhan is here from Durant.

Ben Ingram is in Madill on business.

Jim Davenport from Troy, I. T., is in the city.

Will Munell of Cornish was in the city yesterday.

Tom Adkins was in the city yesterday from Dougherty.

Wade Hampton of Foster, Okla. was in the city yesterday.

Capt. J. S. Hammer came in from Pauls Valley last night.

Mrs. M. L. Stowe and Mrs. Pet Law left for Berwyn yesterday.

Mrs. Hugh Suggs and son of Berwyn are visiting relatives in the city.

Messrs. Shippey and Craig came in from the camp for a short time yesterday.

W. P. Mobley and W. T. Sloan are spending the day at Oakland and Madill.

Mrs. Jessie Schultz of Mill Creek is visiting at the residence of Mrs. H. A. Ledbetter.

Prof. J. R. Hendrix has returned from Gainesville, where he visited the public schools.

Miss Mina Crim, Mrs. Gallatin and Bud Watkins have gone to Sulphur to spend a few days.

T. P. Williams, J. W. Williams, and J. W. Owby of Paris are registered at the Whittington.

Mrs. T. A. Walker and children from Peach Springs, Arizona, are in the city visiting Mrs. Walker's daughter, Mrs. W. R. Yeldell.

S. S. Evans, formerly of Marietta, and George Erwin, both of Hereford, Texas, were in the city yesterday en route to Kansas after cattle.

J. C. Graham of Ardmore was in town Tuesday. Mr. Graham will be quite well remembered by Purcell people who visited Ardmore on a certain occasion, but we don't know whether he was still loaded down with "keys" or not.—Purcell Register.

The newest street hats in town, at J. J. DABIS'.

Veal, Strawberries, New Potatoes, New Snap Beans, At the Cold Storage Market.

Smoke Hardie's ELDO.

Conversion Through Pork. An old Cambridge friend of mine who had a good deal of the wisdom of the serpent in him had a farmer in his parish in Norfolk whom he could not get to church. Whenever he pressed upon him his neglect or his bad example he was always met with the same excuse, "You be too young and do not know enough to teach such as I." At last he gave up the farmer in despair. But one day he happened to pass by the farm while his parishioner was engaged in killing a fine pig. My friend said: "What a pig! Why, he weighs 34 stone!" "What dost thou know of pigs?" replied the farmer. "I only wish he weighed as much." When they next met, the farmer, to his surprise, told my friend that the pig had been found to weigh just 34 stone. He added, much to my friend's gratification, "And thou wilt see me at church next Sunday, parson!"—Manchester Guardian.

What Are We Coming To? The fond mother had just killed 10 of her 12 children.

She was a happy wife, and her husband came home early every night.

"Now," she said, with a contented sigh, "John can close with the agent for that house."

This was 26 years from now, when no landlord would accept a tenant with more than two children.—New York Sun.

The Victims. "Some men," said Uncle Eben, "gits de reputation of being patient when de troof is dat dey's too indolent to stan' up fob what dey is entitled to."—Washington Star.

Smoke Hardie's ELDO.

GRAND JURY'S FINAL REPORT.

Finds Seventy-One True Bills Adjudges for the Term.

The grand jury which has been in session for one week handed in their final report to Judge Townsend yesterday, which is as follows:

Since our last report we have found true bills in commissioner's cases, viz:

Wash Lewis, Dick Shields, R. P. Mitchell, Joe Abies, selling liquor. Lawrence Martin, et al., larceny Charles Hall, introducing liquor. H. W. George and Will McKellop, forgery.

John Fuller, Henry Heck and Julius Donahoe, burglary.

We return the following "no bills" in commissioner's cases, viz:

Will Graham, introducing liquor. Will Higgins, selling liquor.

We return the following original true bills:

Weapon.....3
Larceny.....7
Aggravated Assault.....7
Selling Liquor.....3
Disturbing Peace.....1
Murder.....1

FINAL REPORT.

Ardmore, I. T., May 11, 1901
Hon. Hosea Townsend, United States Judge:

SIR:—We, the grand jury, beg to submit this, our final report:

We have found true bills in commissioner's cases.....33
True bills in re-referred cases.....3
Original true bills.....35

Total..... 71

We have found no bills in commissioner's cases.....8

Of the true bills returned they were the following offenses:

Violating revenue law.....1
Larceny.....24
Receiving stolen property.....1
Selling liquor.....15
Assault to kill.....5
Murder.....5
Weapon.....7
Robbery.....1
Introducing liquor.....2
Manslaughter.....2
Adultery.....1
Arson.....1
Aggravated assault.....2
Disturbing peace.....2
Forgery.....1
Burglary.....1

Total..... 71

We have examined the United States jail at this place and find the same to be in first-class condition, the prisoners well cared for and fed.

We thank the court and all officials for courtesies extended.

Respectfully submitted,

P. B. ARTHUR, Foreman.

T. W. WESTBROOK, Clerk.

Lost—Lady's gold watch "Cora" engraved on the back of it. Lost in southwest part of Ardmore. Finder will be paid \$15 for returning same to this office.

7-6t MARIE ECHOLS.

PISTOLS AND GAMING.

Ten Negroes Brought Down From the Canyon.

When the negro excursion train passed Ardmore yesterday afternoon Deputy Marshal Reynolds and Jack Walters stopped off with ten excursionists in tow, whom they had arrested at the Canyon for carrying pistols and gaming. Dr. Bunn was one of the ten, who was in charge of the train, and for resisting an officer, he was placed under arrest.

The other nine negroes, who were searched and placed in jail, are Joe Alexander, Warren Towns, Ben Booker, John Goosby, James Rachels, Bob Eastey, Joe Wooster, Will Miller and Ed Buller.

Six pistols were taken away from the crowd. Jack said he had several more rounded up but they got away from him.

Marshal Reynolds said he could have got a hundred if he had had sufficient help.

They all had on their Sunday clothes and were looking their best. They lived at different points from Ciebune to Ardmore.

Dr. Bunn, who is also colored, was taken up to see Judge Bradford at his home to see if he could give bond. After hearing his statement the judge released him.

Spragins & Co. have a big line of ice cream freezers. Any size any price you want.

Just a Few Plain Facts

It Will Pay You to Read Them Carefully.

It is wasteful to read such modest statements as "I sell the best shoe on earth." "I am the largest shoe dealer in the country." "Etc." But may we whisper in your ear confidentially that we DON'T sell the best shoe on earth, WE DON'T CLAIM that we sell more shoes than every one else put together. We won't try to make you believe that we are the only one that can buy and sell shoes. BUT WE DO SAY that we think we handle up to date, honest goods; that we give good value for money received. We look back with pride on the increase of our business last year. And yet we are not satisfied. If you want up-to-date footwear we invite you to come and see our stock of Ladies' Oxfords, ties and button, and strap sandals, prices \$1.50 to \$3.50; men's shoes, high and low cut, in all leathers, prices \$1 to \$5.00; nice assortment, price from \$2 to \$5.50.

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HARGROVE COLLEGE.

The Closing Exercises Will Begin Friday, May 17.

The following program has been arranged for the closing exercises of Hargrove College, which will begin next Friday, May 17th:

FRIDAY NIGHT.

This hour will be given to Miss — and her primaries, interspersed with music by the mandolin club and piano.

SATURDAY MORNING, 10 a. m.

Contest for gold medal by the — and Henry W. Grady societies.

Literary address by Rev. E. D. Cameron.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

A musical recital.

SATURDAY NIGHT.

Contest for two gold medals.

1. —

2. The elocution class.

SUNDAY MORNING.

Commencement sermon by Bishop R. K. Hargrove of Nashville, Tenn.

SUNDAY NIGHT.

Sermon by Rev. Sam J. Thompson, presiding elder of Oklahoma.

MONDAY MORNING.

Essays and orations.

Address by Rev. L. M. Broyles of Oklahoma City.

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After that date I quit business in Ardmore. J. H. AKERS.

Make wholesome ice cream at home. Buy your freezers from Spragins.

To Elect Officers.

The Ladies of the Leaf will hold their annual election of officers tomorrow at 3 p. m. at the residence of Mrs. T. N. Coleman.

MRS. W. A. LEDBETTER, Pres.

PROFITS FROM SMASHING.

Mrs. Carrie Nation Said to Have Made \$15,000 From Her Work.

Mrs. Carrie Nation, the saloon smasher, is said, according to a Wichita (Kan.) dispatch to the Chicago Inter Ocean, to have made enough out of her crusade to keep her in comfort the rest of her days. Reliable authority says she has made \$15,000. Of this amount she will use \$5,000 to build a cottage in Topeka, and the remainder she will invest and with the interest and profits therefrom meet her expenses.

She has also reaped a good deal of fame, which will always be of some little benefit to her in the cause of temperance. Her husband has jumped into prominence as a persecutor of saloon men, and he will continue to get a large patronage from temperance people over Kansas, who will continue prosecuting saloonists whether they win or not. There are enough cases piled up against Mrs. Nation and her friends to keep the courts busy for a long time to come, and out of each one David Nation probably will get a fee.

Cleveland to Summer in the Berkshires.

Ex-President Cleveland and his family will spend the summer at a place called Riverside, in Tyringham, ten miles south of Lenox, says a Pittsfield (Mass.) dispatch to the New York World. Mr. Cleveland and his family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gilder two years ago, when the ex-president greatly enjoyed the trout fishing in this vicinity. The prime reason given for their coming to Berkshire is that they think the children will be in better health than at Gray Gables. The house they have leased is an old-fashioned country place on a hillside, with a fine outlook. It is said that Mr. Cleveland contemplates building a country house in Tyringham in the near future.

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