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Mir. Curley of Blackstone wa here on business last week.

Mr. F. W. Carter of Boynton was here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Wm. Grimmett of Taft was hers on business Satuday.
Mr. and Mrs. Starr of Ft. Gibson was in the city this week shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Fields of Twine were trading in Muskogee Saturday.

When you want your watch fixed take it to R. A. Givens on North 2nd St.

Mis. Hudson of Hudson of Et. Gibson was in the city this week on business.

Mr. E. S. Williems of CoffeeKaysas, was a pleasant caller at the offic and exchanged the Vindicator for the Cimeter.

Bud Lowery of Talequah was combining business and pleas. we here Saturday and Sunday.
Mr. H. C. Childs of Haskel callel in to see us today with one eye all swollen up from : fall in the ice and sleet.

Miss Se:t MeConmick who have $b$ en lingering for s me time, died on the 2 th at the president of her mothers on So. Third St.
Wies you vat agool somve and treated nice, Catl on Mr. Dave Richardson, North 2nd.

Mr. Dave Lee of Boynten was a pleasant caller this week and is thinking of going to Washing ton on next Tueslay.
Mr. J. C. Johmion of Wewoka called at the office this week, and was telling the boys how it happehed. Call again, Mr. J.

Rev. R. C. Campleil of Wagoner called at the office and subsorthed for the Cimete. Ail "o. k. 'for you, lev.

The following tenchers were on our streets Saturday:-Profs. Spencer, Biggers, Mike, Hearne, and Misses Sims and Biggors.

Mrs, Amy Guest has retumed to the city and is now at home with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Thurman.
J. H. Lilly of Boston, Mass., is among recent arrivals here,
and expects to hang out a legal shingle at some point in the Indian Territory.
As journalists we have never received so many compliments for our paper accompanied with such little change as has been our lot for the past few days. Surely a compliment must be the shortest distance between two points. Send us a little change,-Chickasaw Rival.

Right you are for it takes money to run a paper.
Judge Reed of Lee, I. T.. stopped at the office this week, and had a talk with the Cimeter gauge and report that things look better around about Lee.
The Suiree given by the Excelsior Social Club was a great success in every way, the hail was full to ovelflwing, the guests enjoyed the evcelien- thutsic and all agreed thar the affair eclipsed anything ever given at Jones Hall.

## NOTICE.

\$5.5. in cash will begiven to any person securing ten names from any location for enrollment in the 2 th Century Correspondence School of Stenography. This offors is good until April 1st. For further particulars address C. A. Biggers, box 121 , Maskogee. I. T.'

## Board of Charities Organized.

 A number of the best citizens of the city met at Bcebe Chapel, C. M. E. church, Monday, Feb. 2), to consider and inaugurate plans to ielp the needy poor of the community, The meeting was opened with religious services conducted by the pastor. prayer was offered by Rev. G. G. Gratton, P. E. an 1 after addresses from sevaral an organization was peafected. .Mes. E. N. J. Sims, President Mis. Jenny Moton, V. Pres.
Rev, W. F. Simons, Secretary Mrs. Ida Fue, Asistant Sec. Mrs Escie. Treasurer.
Committee on By-laws and Con-stitution:-
Rev. G. G. Grattn, P. E. Cherokee District, C. M. E. ohurch.
Mrs. J. Moton.
Mrs. P. Furguson.
The organzation adjourned to meet at Bebed Chapel. Monday. Feb. 27, at 3 p. m.
By order of Mrs. E. N. J. Sims, President.
W. F. Simons, Sec'y.

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