



In the Case of any instrument sold by us not proving exactly as represented, I am here to make the matter good.

No defects are likely to appear, however.

All instruments are thoroughly tested before leaving the factory, and we have no hesitation in saying that

THE BUSH & GERTS PIANOS

will prove the equal of many sold at double the price.

E. B. LUKE
Ardmore, I. T.



Every Man Will Want a Pair

In a few days there will be a sudden jump into summer, and it will seem hotter than ever before. Better be prepared, sir, with a pair of cool and comfortable Summer Oxfords. We are ready with all the new styles, and there's a whole Summer's comfort in every pair. Our Oxford prices are just as easy on your pocketbook as the shoes are on your feet. Patent Leather, Patent Kid, Vici Kid from \$1.50 to \$5.

Don't forget to bring your old shoes to us when they need half soles. Our shoemaker does it right.

HAMILTON & CO.
Shoe Store.

How is Your Face?

EVERY man or woman feels a keen interest in his or her face, and every face possesses some good points: fine eyes, a good profile—some characteristics that will show up well in a picture. It's a great part of our art to look after these good points and show them up in the photos we make, consequently our pictures represent you at your best.

S. S. COLE
Photographer
Studio over Randol's Store

DR. NICHOLSON,

Dentist

Over Bonner & Bonner's drug store. Rooms 1 and 2 between Drs. von Keller and Folson.

No Work for Negroes.

Red Cross Tansy Pills

FOR Suppressed Menstruation PAINFUL Menstruation
And a PREVENTIVE for FEMALE IRRREGULARITIES.
Are Safe and Reliable.
100% Purely Vegetable.
Never Fail!

The Ladies' Relief.
PRICE \$1.00
Sent postpaid on receipt of price. Money refunded if not as we say. Sample and Booklet sent free.

Vin de Cincobona Co., Des Moines, Iowa

Williams, Corhn & Co., invite you in to see their new shipment of White Elephant buggies.

You can't afford to miss it—Hamly's last day, Thursday.

SMOKE THE ELDO.

Over 100,000 Smoked in Ardmore Last Year.

What people say about the Eldo:

Bonner & Bonner, druggists: "Best 5c seller we have."

F. J. Ramsey, druggist: "Can't be beat."

W. B. Frame, druggist: "Send me a thousand."

T. N. Coleman, druggist: "Good enough for anybody."

J. H. Kahn, confectioner: "My customers ask for the Eldo."

Peoples & Co., confectioners: "Only 5c cigar that pleases everybody."

W. F. Whitlington: "It is O. K."

B. Moscovitz, Santa Fe hotel: "It is a winner. Send me 500."

Ardmore Drug Co.: "It's a cracker-jack."

Sidney Suggs, the Ardmoreite: "I smoke nothing else."

Those Who Sell the Eldo.

A. F. Jones, grocer.

Panks hotel.

McCharen & Webster, grocers.

Grimes Bros., grocers.

J. A. Skipworth, grocer.

Moore & Winans, restaurant.

Ardmore Drug Co.

S. E. Jenkins, grocer.

Coleman Bros., druggists.

J. H. Spiegle, confectioner.

Tanner & Stewart, groceries.

C. Crosby, grocer.

Julius H. Kahn, confectioner.

Whittington hotel.

T. N. Coleman, druggist.

Frank Wymore, grocer.

J. W. Holland, grocer.

M. T. Felker, grocer.

California restaurant.

W. B. Frame, druggist.

F. J. Ramsey, druggist.

B. Moscovitz, restaurant.

Bonner & Bonner, druggists.

Peoples & Co., confectioners.

Lane Bros., grocers.

Dillard & Allen, grocers.

J. H. Hatcher, druggist.

H. D. HARDIE.

Manufacturer.

Ardmore, I. T.

Two dozen pearl buttons for 10c at the Nickel store.

11-6t

Violently insane.

Muskogee Daily Phoenix says Deputy Jones brought in from Checotah, a man of the name of Lee Stocks, who is violently insane. He is a man of herculean strength and it was necessary to chain him in order to handle him. Stocks was turned over to Jailor Lubbes who put him in the insane ward at the jail.

Stocks has been working in the country near Checotah for several years. He was in the employ of J. S. Todd, of this city, five or six years, but lately was working for a man of the name of Julian, whom he assaulted last Tuesday and severely injured. Previous to his going crazy Stocks was a peaceable, law abiding citizen, an industrious worker, and well thought of in the community. What caused his insanity is not known, but he is undoubtedly a dangerous man to handle.

The big rush is on, at Hamly's.

Phone 142 for bus or baggage wagon. Meets all trains dan and night.

11-1m

LIGHT & THOMPSON.

If you have never bought a White Elephant buggy, you have never owned the world's best make. We have in a big shipment of White Elephant buggies, hacks and phaetons.

Williams, Corhn & Co.

We are closing out our Sewing Machines at 25 per cent. off.

27-4t

WEEKS BROS.

Four more big days for Hamly.

Lawn Mowers at money-saving prices at

27-4t

WEEKS BROS.

Every call given my personal attention. Phone 74 catches a carriage day or night.

T. E. CHOATE.

AT THE UNITED STATES JAIL.

There Are 120 Unfortunates Placed There for Safe Keeping.

Mrs. May Miller alias Mrs. M. E. Ingram, charged with larceny, was brought in last night, by Deputy House, he having arrested her at Hickory. The prisoner told the marshal that her real name was May Miller, but she had been going under the name of Ingram. She registers at the jail as a grass widow, 33 years of age, and gives her occupation as a "house worker." We learn that she stole a dress skirt from a lady at Davis, and committed other petty pilfering.

Ella Rogers is a very dark, ginger-cake-colored woman, and was arrested and brought in by Deputy Buck Garrett from eight miles northeast of Ardmore, charged with contempt of court.

Angelina Davis is a yellow Indian woman, arrested at the same time and place, and under the same charge by Deputy Garrett, and placed in jail yesterday. This woman is 36 years old, and can neither read nor write, else she might have read the subpoena and attended court, without having to be arrested and brought in by force.

Ed Howell was brought in by Deputy Wilkinson, having been arrested at Cheek yesterday. He is charged with introducing, also disturbing religious worship.

W. F. Moane, charged with introducing and selling, was arrested at Roff and brought in by Deputy Edgar Wilhelm. Moane is 47 years old and should have known that it was a violation of the law to introduce or sell liquor in the Indian Territory.

Thomas Newsome is a negro, and was arrested at Ran by Deputy Henson, charged with contempt of court.

There are now 120 prisoners in the jail.

One marriage license was issued Saturday afternoon—J. G. Abernethy, 30.

Miss Almeida Smith, 25, both of Ardmore.

Edgar Wilhelm, formerly of Ardmore, but now of Roff, has been appointed a deputy marshal at that place, and he brought in his first man last night.

The Newsome Family.

The Rev. G. T. Black handed us the following expression of gratitude from this sorely afflicted family, who are now in Acton, Tex.:

"To the kind Christian people and Endeavor and Benevolent societies of Ardmore: We feel it our duty to try to show you some appreciation and our heartfelt thanks for the many kind and generous deeds of charity which you have rendered us during our long and sore afflictions, since the middle of November of last year. We never have been among a more charitably disposed people, for we have been furnished food, clothing, medical aid and everything possible for our comfort. All this we appreciate more than we can ever tell. May God's richest blessing attend you all in this world and eternal life in the world to come.

"Your afflicted friends,

"C. A. NEWSOME AND FAMILY."

Hamly's last day—Thursday.

Leave bus and carriage calls at Banks hotel for Cathay's bus. Prompt attention.

11-1m

Going! Going! Hamly's last days.

Abernethy-Smith.

Yesterday afternoon at 6:30 o'clock the marriage ceremony was performed between Dr. Joseph Gordon Abernethy and Miss Almeida Smith, at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith, on North Washington street, Rev. C. C. Weith officiating.

The groom is a popular young dentist of our town, and has many friends who will congratulate him upon his good fortune.

Miss Smith is a most estimable young lady, and is loved by all who know her.

Mr. and Mrs. Abernethy will be at home to their friends at the home of the bride's parents from this time on.

The Ardmoreite joins their hosts of friends in extending congratulations to the happy couple.

The days are growing shorter for Hamly.

ST. LOUIS EXCHANGE CAN BE BOUGHT AT THE ARDMORE NATIONAL BANK AT ALL TIMES, TO PAY FOR LOTS.

12-4t

J. W. and A. N. Lauderdale, of Dougherty, I. T., are prepared to furnish on short notice and in any quantity foundation and building rock, crushed rock for paving and concrete work. Write them your wants.

18-1m

The A. & C. Crossings.

Several parties in Ardmore, who have been sorely aggrieved for the want of crossings over the A. & C. grade in the First ward have written personal letters to W. C. Perry at Kansas City, who is the general attorney for the road, in regard to the matter. Among the number who have written are Sam Noble, Thomas Norman and J. N. Barail. The latter is in receipt of a letter from Mr. Perry, in which the writer says: "I will take up the matter referred to as soon as possible, and hope to conclude arrangements by which a sufficient number of crossings will be made over our road in your city to reasonably accommodate the public. I appreciate the spirit in which your letter was written and will do all I can to bring about the results you desire."

Laidlaw is furnishing paint for the best houses in town. Their paint has the lead. It's the best paint; that's the reason.

11-4t

Every size of sewer piping in stock at Williams, Corhn & Co's.

A car of fresh Queen of the Pantry flour at Felker's. Join the host of particular people that use this good flour exclusively.

11-3t

The Santa Fe has put in reduced rates from all stations to Sulphur Springs, I. T., the famous Indian Territory health resort. Get rate from Santa Fe agent, which includes stage ride from Davis to Sulphur Springs and return. Send and get pamphlet. Tickets on sale daily until September 30, 1902, inclusive, good returning October 31, 1902.

McCormick mowers, binders and rakes at Williams, Corhn & Co's.

Attention Knight's Templar.

All the members of Ardmore Commandery No. 5, K. T., are ordered to attend a called convocation at the asylum on Monday May 12, 1902. At 7:30 p. m.

W. F. BOWMAN, E. C.

L. B. ROBERSON, Recorder.

Three dozen pearl buttons for 10c at the Nickel store.

11-2t

STAR MAIL ROUTE LINES.

Ardmore to Tishomingo.

Leave Ardmore 8:20 a.m.

Arrive Providence 10:20 p.m.

" Durwood 11:30 a.m.

" Earl 12:30 p.m.

" Mannsville 1:30 p.m.

" Norton 3:00 p.m.

" Ravia 5:30 p.m.

" Tishomingo 7:00 p.m.

Leave daily except Sunday.

Ardmore to Madill.

Leave Ardmore 7:30 a.m.

Arrive Hoxbar 11:00 a.m.

" Wilson 12:30 p.m.

" McMillan 2:30 p.m.

" Tyler 3:30 p.m.

" Weaverston 4:45 p.m.

" Oakland 5:30 p.m.

" Madill 6:00 p.m.

Leave daily except Sunday.

Ardmore to Healdton.

Leave Ardmore 6:30 a. m.

Arrive Lone Grove 8:30 a.m.

" Hewitt 10:30 a.m.

" Healdton 12:30 p.m.

Leave daily except Sunday.

Ardmore to Simon.

Leave Ardmore 7:00 a.m.

Arrive Brock 9:00 a.m.

" Cheek 10:00 a.m.

" Simon 12:00 m.

Leave daily except Sunday.

Star Route mails close promptly on leaving time.

T. L. HOLLAND J. M. COLSON

..LIVERY STABLE..

COME to the new barn on South Washington street to get your swell turnouts, new horses, new rigs, new harness. Everything new and first class.

Come to see us. We are here to please and share a part of your livery trade.

Special attention given to boarding horses.

HOLLAND & COLSON

DR. WM. S. PENNELL.

DENTIST

Over Peoples' Cafe...Rooms 8 and 10



\$3.50

Our Special Offer

to customers is not quite equal to giving a Gold Dollar ^{FOR} Fifty Cents but almost the next thing to it. Call and be convinced.

We Can Show You

Ladies' Three Point Slippers.....45c

LYNN, the Shoe Man

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

Next Friday evening at 8:15 o'clock the Elocution class and Primary department will give the first entertainment of the closing exercises of Hargrove College.

Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock will witness the Declaration and Recitation contest.

At 10:30. Contest by military company, for the Sidney Suggs medal.

Saturday night, Oratorical contest, and fan drill.

Sunday 18th, Baccalaureate sermon by Rev. R. H. Mahon, D. D.

Sunday night, Undergraduate sermon by Rev. W. B. Palmore, D. D.

Monday 19th, 10 a. m., Literary address and essays by young ladies.

3:30 p. m., Musicale by piano and stringed instrument classes.

Monday evening, Commencement address by Rev. W. F. McMurry, D. D. and graduating exercises.

THOS. G. WHITTEN, Pres.

To the Insuring Public.

On and after June 1 we must insist on the prompt payment of premiums on the 1st of each month. The companies demand payment from us then, and we will have to pay it, if not out of our own pockets, we have to go to the banks and borrow it. If on the 1st of the month any of our customers wish us to carry their account for thirty days, we will do so, by taking their notes, bearing 10 per cent. interest, for the amount of premium due. This note we can discount in the banks to raise the money to pay their premium. The insurance business is done on a cash basis, and our commissions are small, and if we are compelled to borrow money to pay our companies, and then lose a few bad accounts, there is nothing left in the business for an agent. Today we are carrying over \$9,000 of unpaid premiums for which the companies demand prompt payment of us, we must insist on prompt payment from our patrons, or security of same by note. Any business man will understand our position, and will not censure the action we are taking. We are compelled to do something of this kind or quit business. Yours truly,

ROBERTS & POLAND.

W. S. WOLVERTON & SON.

9-12t

Long waisted, full in the hip! Now will you be good? and wear Sunflower pants, Madden & Sykes, 11d&w

Contractors and others in need of building rock, foundation or crushed rock will consider their best interests by conferring with J. W. and A. N. Lauderdale at Dougherty, who are prepared to furnish any quantity on short notice.

18-1m

A. V. DOAK W. S. SMITH

DOAK & SMITH

Real Estate and Rental Agents

Read the Following Lists:

FOR SALE

Six room, two story house, bath room and stone cellar; nice orchard. Terms easy. A bargain.

Three room box house, fencing and small orchard; close in. A bargain for cash.

One three room house, rooms 12x12, 12x8 ceilings, fine well of water, small shed for horse and cow. Terms easy.

Three choice residence lots in West Ardmore, a beautiful part of the city.

Five room house on Main street, storm house, barn and well. Come quick if you want a bargain.

One half a block in North Ardmore, two barns and fenced.

FOR RENT

Four room house, good barn and well close in. Come quick.

Three room house, two blocks from Main street. Fine well.

Two room house in North Ardmore, in good repair cheap.

Office in Noland's China Hall, Main St.

\$25 REWARD

WE will pay \$25 reward for the arrest and conviction of any party or parties netting off quail or dynamiting of fish within a radius of 25 miles of Ardmore.

B. F. FRENSELY.

Pres. Rod and Gun Club.

Williams, Cor