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A SURE ENOUGH COP

Queer Being Seen on The Main Drag.

It wasn't an imported New York central park policeman that stood at the union depot yesterday and kept his optics peeled for the mild-eyed bunco steerer or the light fingered pickpocket. It was only Chief Meeks, but it took a close observer to recognize him, as his 230-odd pounds of a void dupeise was incased in a new, well fitting policeman's uniform.

Yesterday he could have been classed with the Kali-Tuli building or the burnt district as one of the sights of the city. A tenderfoot from the effete east approached him and told him he had been as far west as El Paso hunting a location and he was going to come back here and stop, just because this was the only town he had seen that had a real live policeman who could fill out his clothes.

When questioned as to his

opinion about the Sunday law, he said he had left it in the hind quart pocket of his citizen attire, but if the council passed any old law he'd see that it was obeyed, and if he found anyone breaking any of the laws he'd look at the malefactor and shatter his epidermis beyond post mortum recognition.

Summer tours—Lake and Seaside. Ask the "Katy" agent for information, or write James Barker, G. P. & T. A., St. Louis, Mo.

Just received a car load of furniture at Opera House Furniture store. 43tf

Choctaw Tailoring Company for the best line of shirts;

Summer Underwear—complete line at popular prices at Choctaw Tailoring Company.

Two trains daily on the Choctaw between Howe and Elreno. Sec agent. 43tf

When you want first-class job printing of any kind, don't forget the New Era.

Last night at midnight the thermometer registered 50° above zero. Almost winter.

The New Era is prepared to turn out all kinds of job printing on short notice.

That eclipse yesterday morning was the neatest thing to a fake that has struck this part of the land of the free and the home of the Marcus boom since we wore dresses and stayed sober. It wasn't our time and the thing didn't flarke the day enough to enable us to kiss a pretty milliner, as per our prearranged plan. The next time an eclipse comes were going to stay in bed and let the other fellow get up and look through a smoked glass until he gets a pain in the upper end of his backbone.

MUST GET PERMITS

New Indians Cannot Vote

Without Recognition of Their Tribal Authorities

Caddo, May 28.—J. C. Hampton, a prominent citizen of the Choctaw nation, living here, has received a communication from the Interior Department which will be of interest to many people. It was in reply to a letter of inquiry written by Mr. Hampton.

The question has been asked as to whether the people that have been admitted by the Dawes commission and by the United States court as citizens, and who have not been admitted by the Choctaw Nation as such were eligible to vote in the Choctaw elections. The reply was as follows:

"In reply to your letter, asking if the Dawes commission people were entitled to a right to participate in the tribal elections or government, you are referred to an act passed by congress of 1898, ratifying the agreement between the Chickasaw and Choctaw nations, in which it is shown that the Choctaw or Chickasaw laws govern the holding of such elections and ascertain who are qualified voters. Under the 29th section of the Curtis law it is set forth that the Choctaw and tribal governments shall reign for a period of eight years from March 4, 1898. And in Section 14 of that instrument the right to vote is under the Choctaw law."

It will be seen from the above that all people who are not duly recognized by the Choctaw authorities as citizens will not be allowed to participate in any of the tribal government elections even if they may have been admitted by the Dawes commission and by the United States court as citizens.

We are headquarters for everything good to eat, Allen-Miller Grocery Co. 43tf

Special Low Rate Excursions Via The Choctaw Route.

Annual meeting German Baptists (Dunkards), North Manchester, Ind. Tickets on sale May 28th and 29th at one fare plus two dollars for the round trip. Tickets limited until June 19th for return passage with privilege of extending July 1st if desired.

Biennial meeting General Federation of Womans' Clubs, Milwaukee, Wis. Tickets on sale June 2nd and 3rd at one fare plus two dollars for the round trip. Tickets limited for return passage until June 11th with privilege of extending until June 30th.

Annual meeting of the United Confederate Veterans reunion, Louisville, Ky. Tickets will be sold on May 27th, 28th and 29th at an exceedingly low rate for the round trip. Tickets will be limited until June 10th for return passage, with privilege of extending until June 25th.

Biennial convention of the National Republican League of

the United States, St. Paul, Miss. Tickets on sale July 14th, 15th and 16th at one fare plus two dollars for the round trip. Tickets are limited until July 21st for the return passage.

Knight of Pythias Conclave, Detroit, Mich. Tickets on sale August 25th and 27th at one fare plus two dollars for the round trip. Tickets are limited until Sept. 5th for return passage with privilege of extending until Sept. 14th.

Baptist Young People of America Industrial Convention, Cincinnati, Ohio. Tickets on sale July 10th, 11th and 12th at one fare plus two dollars for the round trip. Tickets limited for return passage until July 17th with privilege of extending until August 10th.

For any information regarding the above named rates call on W. H. Rielly, agent, or write Mr. C. B. Hart, G. W. A., C. O. & G. R. R., Oklahoma City; E. P. Kidwell, T. P. A. Oklahoma City or J. F. Holden, Traffic Manager, Little Rock, Ark.

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The drug stores, six fruit stands and the restaurants and hotels were open Sunday. Not a house that could come under the ban of the present law was open. This speaks well for the alleged lawlessness so much talked about by the howlers.

Screens! Screens! of all kinds. We have got them. Jones Manufacturing Co.

SAWMILL STOPPED

Territory Timber Cutters to be Stopped.

Durant, I. T., May 28.—Sheriff J. W. Durant and Indian Policeman Emerson Folsom of Caddo, returned from the east end of the county yesterday, where they had been to order all the saw mills shut down. Mr. Folsom stated to a reporter that he had taken the names of all parties engaged in timber cutting and that they would be promptly prosecuted under the law.

Large and complete line of Boys' Wash Suits, 40c to \$3.00 a suit. Choctaw Tailoring Co.

The city council met last night but we print no proceedings in this morning's issue. Our shorthand man was too sick to wade around seven blocks of soft, muddy real estate just to hear the city dads spell. The Capital gets paid to print their proceedings and we don't want to rob a widow woman's husband.

Bryan has given out the fact that he will not make another speech until after the Kansas City convention. This explains the extraordinary calm weather we have had lately.



Our fee returned if we fail. Any one sending sketch and description of any invention will promptly receive our opinion free concerning the patentability of same. How to Obtain a Patent sent upon request. Patents secured through us advertised for sale at our expense. Patents taken out through us receive special notice, without charge, in THE PATENT RECORD, an illustrated and widely circulated journal, consulted by Manufacturers and Investors. Send for sample copy FREE. Address, VICTOR J. EVANS & CO., (Patent Attorneys), Evans Building, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Wm. Weaver, Florist
Dealer in Cut Flowers, Shrubbery, Plants, Bulbs, Etc. Special attention to wedding and church decorations.
SOUTH McALESTER, I. T.

In the concert of nations Turkey is still shy the necessary chips of admission. We have all kinds of fresh vegetables, Allen-Miller Grocery Co. 43tf

Ignatius Donnelly seems to have worked some sort of a political gold brick scheme on Wharton Baker.

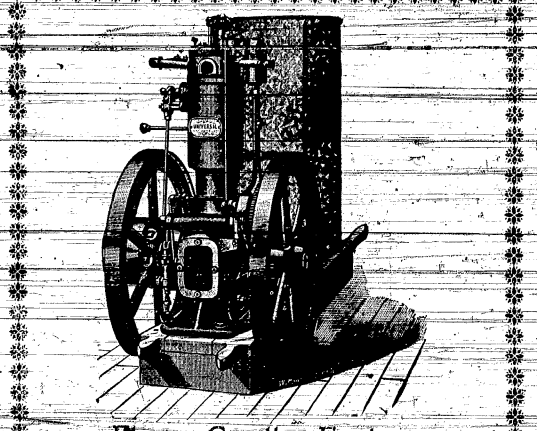
Don't fail to call at Opera House Furniture Store and see that big new line of furniture just received.

Promoter Hooley, of Chicago, has been granted a concession to work the Czar's private gold fields in Siberia. No concession was needed to work the Czar.

Our wagons deliver ice daily. Drop us a card or telephone 25 Choctaw Ice Co.

Let Us Show You
What a good shoe a little money will buy. We believe we can give you a better shoe for the money than you can find anywhere else in town. We want to convince you that we are right. Don't you think it for your interest to give us the opportunity?
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