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HASKELL URGES PRIMARY LAW

URGES LEGISLATURE TO FOLLOW OKLAHOMA CONSTITUTION.

TO VITALIZE CONSTITUTION

By Enactment of Necessary Laws Urges Law Covering Impeachment, Taxation and Usury and Working Convicts.

Guthrie, Ok., March 30.—Gov. Haskell sent a lengthy message to the legislature today calling attention to the laws which he thought should be passed at this session. He particularly urged the immediate passage of a bill for mandatory primaries as expressed by the constitution. The approaching elections in the municipalities as authorized by recently enacted laws, in his opinion, made such action necessary.

The message also laid special stress upon laws necessary to vitalize the constitution. He urged a law covering impeachment and removal from office, taxation, and to prevent the charging of usury, to authorize the teaching of agriculture, horticulture and stock feeding in the public schools, and for the working of Oklahoma's 800 convicts upon the public roads. It was suggested that the legislature should have the right to build without hindrance beyond that which protects individual property.

Legislation dealing with Oklahoma public lands was also urged. He advocated the repeal of the territorial law requiring fifty sets of statutes for each county.

As to public institutions, the governor says economy and moderation were essential in considering the question. An insane asylum on the eastern side of the state, a school for the deaf, dumb and blind, penitentiary and reformatory, and with some educational institutions, the governor thought would be sufficient for the present. The insane of Indian Territory, he held, should be removed by the United States Indian agent, would be delivered to the state after June 30, when the federal care of them ceases, and the creation of a board of pardons and paroles; the passage of

a law against the employment of members of officers' families or dependent relatives; for prescribing the method of electing the chief justice of the supreme court; for the transfer of district judges to other districts when not engaged in their own; repeal of the territorial law giving the privilege of swearing the resident judge on the bench, which the governor thought it was being abused; recommend a law to specifically define qualifications which warrant removal of the judges.

The governor also mentioned the consideration of justice to the laboring people, against blacklisting, defining arbitrary negligence and rape, the boys of service for training. "The supreme court has worked hard and long, but is snowed under," the message says, in advocating the passage of a bill such as the one offered by Representative Rainey, creating a court of original appeals, and as to the fees charged for the incorporation of companies, it recites: "The state has inherited a law from Oklahoma Territory providing a charter fee of only \$10, to be paid to the state. This may not have been intended as a joke, but nevertheless it has that appearance."

The governor suggests the passage of a law making the fee not less than one-tenth of one per cent, with a minimum charge of \$3.

The house received from the committee on privileges and elections majority and minority reports on the contest of D. G. Marley (dem) against W. H. H. Allen (rep.) for seat belonging to Alfalfa county. The majority report gave the seat to Marley upon a majority of 235. This committee was of the opinion that the election had been issued by democratic election officers. The minority report was signed by two democrats and two republicans. By a vote of 59 to 43, the house agreed that amendments made by officers of the election in Alfalfa county which had not been taken before the house committee be read to the house.

The senate recommended for passage the bill by Senator Frank's outlining the duties of the state labor commissioner. It provides for a free employment bureau for the benefit of those who want work, and for those seeking to employ labor. It provides for fire escapes for all factories, and for the inspection of factories by a state factory inspector. The senate also recommended for passage the bill by Senator Thomas for the appointment by the governor of special election commissioners for the holding of county elections. The commissioners are to be the residents of the county holding the election, and must not be interested in any institution of an aspiring town. The bill prescribes a form of petition for county seat.

Conference With Miners.

The following coal operators left last night for Kansas City to attend the meeting of the Southwestern Interstate Coal Operators association, which will consider the matter of conferring with representatives of the United Mine Workers of America relative to a contract for one, two, three or five years, as the case may be, the operators wanting the long contract and the miners wanting a short one; James Degnan, James McConnell, S. J. Tonkin and R. W. Church.

Dr. Porter Speaks.

Dr. J. S. Porter of Richmond, Va., field secretary of the foreign mission board of the Southern Baptist convention, will speak at the Baptist church in North McAlester at 8 o'clock tonight. He will not speak in McAlester, hence all who possibly can do so should go and hear him tonight.

New Sod Turned.

A large acreage of new sod is being turned in this vicinity and the farmers will add a large additional cotton crop this year, as most of the new sod is being put in the white staples.

BENEFIT PROGRAM AT BUSBY THEATRE TONIGHT

Overture Orchestra Vocal solo Mrs. C. B. Bryan A Box of Monkeys, A Farce in two Acts. Mrs. Oadego (thoos an admirer of rank), Mrs. S. A. Hawk. Stiers Bengalis (her niece, brought up in a ranch), Mrs. E. A. Enloe, Jr. Lady G. Generous Landpoor (an English aristocrat), Mrs. C. M. Swift. Edward Halston (awesterner), Mr. Lester Dawley. "Charming" Orlanther (his partner, son of Lord Doncaster), Mr. Roy Busby.

ACT I—Drawing room in Mrs. Oadego's home, residence, 800 5th avenue.

Overture Orchestra Vocal Solo Mrs. J. M. McClelland Living Pictures, Dreams of an Artist's modes. The Artist—Col. Wm. Busby. The Interpreter—W. P. Freeman. Cupid—Miss Francie Davis. The Debutante—Lillian Liddy. Minnie—Nola Laffore. The Peaching Girl—Miss Elsie Kishit. The Real Cross Nurse—Miss Eliza Browne. The Colonial Girl—Pauline Phillips. Inez—Nell Hooker. The Duchess of Portland—Ila Gill. Prince Charles—Master Francis Chilton. Miss Hook of Holland—Miss Agnes Stunt.

Helene—Mrs. Joe Johnson. Ceriseotte—Miss Beatrice Millon. Marguerite—Miss Eunice Stuart. Queen Louise—Nelle Maye Welch. Captain Ross Heidon. Nida—Bessie Humphrey. Helene—Mabel Townsend. C. C. Carter—Mrs. Guerrant. Yvonne—Theresa Allen. Spring—Miss Louisa Grant. Tableaux.

Overture Under the following management: Business Committee—Mrs. Felix Phillips, Mrs. A. C. Markley, Mrs. Schretzer, Mrs. Emory, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. C. B. Stuart, Mrs. M. A. McAlester, Mrs. Will Haldy, Mrs. A. Bealy, Miss Jane Hawkins, Miss Barbara Allen and Mrs. W. S. Ambrose. Mrs. M. H. Kirkpatrick—Stage manager.

Tickets 50 cents. These tickets are on hand for reserved seats at Nix's pharmacy.

ACCEPTED QUICKLY.

Council Accepted Chief Roe's Resignation Instantly and Ordered Things Turned Over.

The special committee of the city council Monday afternoon did not spend any time dealing with Chief Roe to withdraw his resignation from the fire department, it accepted the same by a unanimous vote.

Stratified nominations were made for chief of the fire department and former chief of police, C. C. Collier, and the Holbrook, who has done valiant work at times as volunteer firefighter, were placed in nomination. There were ten of the twelve members of the council present and the vote stood five for Collier and five for Holbrook. The tie was up to Mayor Chaney and he broke it by voting for Holbrook.

A resolution was passed asking that everything be turned over at once for the new chief's control.

A petition asking the council to rescind its order reducing the salaries of the fire boys was presented and it contained many signatures. The council felt that it was a matter that should not be acted upon at a special meeting and consequently postponed consideration of it until the next regular meeting.

The fact that Chief Roe had gone into this papers with a bitter criticism of the council and the further fact that he had an altercation with one of his men while on duty Sunday, may have had something to do with the prompt action of the city council.

BANKERS MEET NEXT MONDAY

The first annual convention of Group Five, Oklahoma Bankers' association which will be held in this city, April 8, promises to be one of the most important meetings held for some time by the new state bankers. Over 200 invitations have been sent out and a large number of replies have been received. It is quite probable that ex-Comptroller of Currency, Hildrey, now president of the reorganized Bank of Commerce, at Kansas City, will be present and address the convention.

A program of great interest has been prepared. In the evening the visitors will be entertained at the Busby theatre where Joseph and William Jefferson will present "The Rivals."

Following is the program: Program—Monday Morning Session, April 6, 9:00 A. M. Invocation—Rev. Charles Christensen.

Address of Welcome—E. J. Fanning, president First National Bank, McAlester.

Response—T. J. Harvman, chairman. Report of Officers and Routine Work. Negotiable and Irregular Notes—Hon. Boons Williams, Lawhill, Okla. Query Box and General Discussion (Have questions ready.)

Afternoon Session—1:00 P. M. Chattle Mortgages—Hon. C. B. Ames, Oklahoma City.

Address—Hon. H. H. Smook, State Bank Commerce. Bill of Lading and Accounting—Hon. B. A. Mohrner, Durant, Oklahoma.

Nursery—By Hon. F. J. Wykoff Stillwater, Oklahoma.

Pricing place of meeting, election of officers, appointing of committees, etc. Evening—8:00 P. M.

McAlester bankers will entertain visiting bankers, their wives and sweethearts, at the New Busby theatre where Joseph and William Jefferson will present "The Rivals." The opportunity of seeing this play alone will more than repay your trip.

FARMERS UNION

County Organizer Will Be Here Monday to Confer as to Establishment of Warehouse.

The Pittsburg County Farmers Union desires to establish the parent warehouse, principal one of the four in this county.

McAlester, in the co-operation of the citizens and business men can be secured.

County Organizer C. M. Caves of Indianola, will be here on Monday April 6th, to take this matter up with the business men. Mr. Caves should be given a hearty reception. McAlester is not the center of farm trade that it ought to be. Now is the opportunity for the McAlester business men to show that they appreciate such trade and the chance to make this the headquarters of this great movement, so far as this section of the country is concerned.

J. O. U. A. M. REVIVAL

The Order Has Begun an Active Campaign to Increase Membership.

There was a fair crowd out at the opening meeting of the council of the Junior Order of American Mechanics in their hall over the Farmer grocery, Monday night.

Counselor J. C. Hubbard presided. The principal address was made by C. L. Voris, state organizer. He exhaustively reviewed the principles of the order, patriotism, brotherhood, separation of church and state, religious liberty, protection of the home, temperance, morality.

He spoke of the special benefits, in addition to those of including high principles. Every member receives liberal benefits in time of sickness or death, the most liberal given by any fraternal order and it is not based on the necessities of the member, the benefits being uniform. He also told of the national orphan home where

ANOTHER BLOW AT REMOVAL

nearly three hundred children of deceased members have the benefits of school and home training. At the conclusion of Mr. Voris' speech the council by a rising vote pledged unanimous support to Mr. Voris in his special work of swelling the local membership.

Thereupon there was a call for Dr. R. F. Hamilton, one of the wheel horses and most active workers in the order. Dr. Hamilton always makes a stirring speech and with such a subject he fairly outdid himself. He elaborated upon the principles of the order as set forth by Mr. Voris and was cheered long after time.

Henry P. Robbins was present as a visitor and responded to a call for a speech, talking on an admirable appreciation of the order.

After these exercises the council adjourned for refreshments, where sandwiches, pickles, and coffee were served. The members remained for some time mingling socially.

TERRELL TRIAL OF ABSORBING INTEREST

Since the Terrell murder trial began Monday the interest has not once abated. The court house is packed constantly and every available seat falls from the lips of the witnesses.

It is listened to intently by jurors and spectators. Today one one-fifth of the witnesses had been examined. Will Beck being the last to leave the stand. While the state has only faintly begun it may be seen from the line of questioning that the two disputed points will be as to who was the aggressor and as to what weapons which were made.

The following business was disposed of during the morning hour: State vs. Sadie James, defendant allowed to stand on her own recognizance.

State vs. Endie James, bail reduced to \$100.

Wewoka Trading Co. vs. Chucpeco Oil and Gas Co. Interpleading of W. A. Griffith filed claiming one cable order on sheriff of Seminole county to release said cable to Seminole Trading Co.

Maggie Russell vs. J. H. Helmar, defendant Alia answer.

Drew vs. Erwin, plaintiff Alia amended petition.

Guess vs. Rock Island Railroad, Defendant Alia answer the copy.

Doughterty vs. Foster, defendant Alia demurrer and answer. Plaintiff given 10 days to answer.

McALESTER MUST RAISE THE MONEY

A meeting of the Oklahoma-Kansas League will be held Wednesday at Muskogee. At this meeting a schedule will be adopted and the eighth town for the league will be decided upon.

President Young and Manager Mason will represent McAlester. It is absolutely necessary, however that the soliciting committees get busy and raise the necessary guarantee money. If this money is not raised McAlester will not be represented in the league and there will be no base ball here this year. Something must be done at once.

Germany Go South. A party of 50 Germans went south today on their way to the Panhandle, where they will take up a big tract of land. The Germans are just from the Panhandle and feel as though they were able to make a good part of the Panhandle blossom like a rose.

Police Court

J. K. Dobbs was fined \$5.00 for fighting with J. F. Hendricks in the north and Sunday night. There was one lone drunk who laid his nose. The three arrests given sleeping accommodations in a store. Sunday night were found innocent of immorality by a jury of their peers Monday.

SECRETARY GARFIELD WILL SUE TO GET ASIDE DEEDS

It is the consensus of opinion that Secretary Garfield's report to Attorney General Bonaparte that seven hundred and forty Creek allotments and sixteen hundred Choctaw and Chickasaw allotments have been attempted to be deeded away in violation of plain provisions of law, and will have an effect inimical to removal of restrictions legislation.

One of the most damaging features of such report at this time is the charge that many of the supposedly illegal deeds were made to Robert L. Owen, present senator from Oklahoma.

This charge weakens Senator Owen in his fight for legislation removing the presumptions of disinterested statehood on his part.

While the secretary of the interior could not act any drastic legislation through the senate so long as Senator Owen and Gore opposed the same, he has enough friends in the senate to eventually break legislative line to which he is hostile.

People with any knowledge of the Indian situation in the state of Oklahoma recognize that the fact that there have been so many deeds made in face of the law is the strongest reason why restrictions should be removed. When men buy law suits they would not pay as much for the land as they would if there were no consequent litigation affecting the title.

It is urged that the fact that so many sales have been made in the face of the McChamber amendments shows the futility of such legislation. It does not prevent the Indian from getting an adequate price for his land.

Filed With Coal

The north yards are filled to the limit with coal. Every available car has been loaded with fuel in the yards.

Marriage Licenses

Wm. A. Reynolds, Bookkeeper Ethel LeStine, Bookkeeper


Footlights in Theatre

Have a tendency to dim your vision of the show. You can overcome this by using a pair of our new imported opera glasses.

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The Oldest and most Up-to-date Jewellers in McAlester.



NOTICE

Patrons will please note that the following is correct phone list of The Daily News:

TUESDAY, MARCH 31, 1908.

CITY AND VICINITY.

Haltman, the Tenor. J. O. Galloway, of Duncan, was here today.

J. E. Luck sells cars. E. P. Martin, of Durant, was here today.

W. R. White and Company, Insurance.

Rex Board left today, for Dallas, Texas.

W. H. Wallace, practical horse shoeing and blacksmithing, 1418 Main.

Mrs. Frances Bennett and children of Krebs went to Eufaula today to visit friends.

Bert L. Harper, local editor of The News, returned this morning from a trip to Kansas City.

The Max comedians, that showed to a good house at Krebs Monday night, went to Kiowa today.

The seat sale for "The Lion and the Mouse" will open Wednesday. This is one of the season's big attractions.

J. M. Skinner, national lecturer for the Good Templars order, has been holding interesting meetings in Muskogee for several days and expects shortly to organize a lodge there. He goes to Kiowa tomorrow on a similar mission.

Lillian Russell in a New Play.

One of the attractive announcements for the coming theatrical season in this city is the appearance of Lillian Russell in a new racing play by George Broadhurst and George V. Hobart entitled "Wildfire".

Mr. Hobart is the author of "The Man of the Hour," "Why Smith Left Home," and "The Girl from Lane's," Mr. Hobart is the author of several plays and a clever writer in the German dialect. The two gentlemen have written a comedy with the scenes laid in Hempstead, Long Island. The role is that of a young widow who inherited a estate...

MONEY ON CITY PROPERTY

Straight Loans. A Good Protection and Quick Action. Loans \$500 to \$5,000. A Speciality. THE SWAN COMPANY. Phone 845. 22 E. Grand Ave.

PERSONALS

T. A. Walters, of Hugo, was here today.

Wm. Woolley of Stuart was here today.

L. D. Harris, of Stigler, was here today.

Elmo Davis of Durant was in town today.

O. K. Chandler of E. L. Reno, was here today.

M. L. Thompson is here today from Hartshorne.

J. T. Reynolds, of Sallisaw, was here today.

W. E. Beatty went to Dallas this morning.

O. D. French of Sallisaw, was in town today.

G. L. Andrews went to Muskogee last night.

James H. Gordon returned today from St. Louis.

E. C. Millon returned today from St. Louis.

Charles F. Head, is out today after a week's illness.

Ed Cole went to Kansas City last night on business.

Miss Myra Childress, of Canadian visited here today.

Calvin Ballard left this afternoon for Oklahoma City.

J. W. Stevens of Oklahoma City visited here today.

Harry Cohn returned today from a business trip north.

R. M. Cameron, of Hugo, transacted business here today.

M. D. Patrick, a merchant of Calvin, was in town today.

E. J. Fannin went to Muskogee last night on legal business.

County Commissioner Anderson is over today from Hartshorne.

C. D. Atkins, of Boswell, transacted business in town today.

T. M. Langley, of Coffeyville, Kan., was a prospector here today.

Superintendent A. B. Copely, of the Rock Island, was here today.

Mrs. C. Plattell of Krebs went to Savannah today to visit friends.

REAL ESTATE LOANS

Investigate Our New Contract. John T. Leibrand

The joint meeting at the city hall Monday night was not a pronounced success, very few more men being out. The factory will go to Oklahoma City. Still the burden of the universal plaint is: "McAlester needs factories." Any full-grown factory wanting to break into McAlester may do so. Nobody will strive to enjoy it.

MRS. COLLINS DIES.

One of McAlester's Earliest and Most Respected Residents Passes Away.

Mrs. Charlotte Collins, widow of the late L. D. Collins, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Metcalf, this afternoon (about 10 o'clock), after a lingering illness. She had cancer of the stomach.

Mrs. Collins was born in Greenwood, Ark., 58 years ago, being a daughter of Mrs. Jane Baker, of McAlester. She came to McAlester 17 years ago, while the town was in its infancy.

Mrs. Collins was a consistent member of the First Baptist church and was a splendid woman, who enjoyed the respect and affection of a large circle of acquaintances.

Mrs. Collins leaves the following children: Mrs. John Morgan, Blanch, and Mrs. Will Hawkins, Leigh; Mrs. George Metcalf, Mrs. Frank Coleman, Miss Christine Collins and Mr. James Collins, all of this city.

All the children, her mother, Mrs. Jane Baker and her sister, Miss Gladys Baker, were at her bedside when the end came.

Definite arrangements for the funeral have not yet been perfected.

Calvin Ballard Dies.

Mrs. H. J. Elford, one of the best known and most highly respected residents of North McAlester, died at her home there at 6:40 this morning, at the age of 54 years, eight months and 29 days.

The funeral will be conducted from the residence by the Rev. Mr. McWhorter at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, the funeral being under general direction of the Order of Eastern Star, of which the deceased was an active member.

She leaves a husband and son who have the community's sympathy in their hour of bereavement.

Dash Filed Suit.

Leno Sorris, Monday afternoon company, for damages in the sum of \$3000.

Sorris says that on October 14, 1907, he was injured so severely that he has since been unable to do his customary work.

When Charles Klein's famous play "The Lion and the Mouse" after its remarkable run of two consecutive years at the Lyceum theatre in New York is presented at the Busby theatre on Friday, April 3, patrons will have an opportunity of passing judgment upon a play that not only has rivalled in popularity Mr. Klein's character comedy "The Music Master" but has taken rank as one of the great dramatic successes of the century.

"The Lion and the Mouse" deals in vigorous fashion with one of the most widely discussed problems of the day—that of the power exercised by wealth in American politics.

The same notable company that presented this drama in Boston, Chicago, Philadelphia and last season in the Hudson theatre in New York, is now presenting it at the Lyceum theatre in New York.

CLASP HANDS.

Halleysville and Hartshorne Get Together and Pull for One of State Normals.

The citizens of Halleysville and Hartshorne held a mass meeting Monday night and passed resolutions offering a \$50,000 site, free lights, heat, water and telephone service for the location of one of the proposed normal schools there.

The meeting was largely attended and great enthusiasm was manifested. The citizens of both towns joined hands and pledged themselves to work night and day for the normal.

The following committee was appointed to push the campaign for this normal: Halleysville—Messrs Wilkinson, Marla, Jarvis, Miller.

Hartshorne—Messrs. Christian, Hunter, Raymond, Anderson, Savage. The committee came to McAlester early this evening and began working. Every member says that there will be no let up until the normal is landed.

Their work naturally conflicts with the efforts of other Pittsburg county people to secure the penitentiary for this county.

There are three applicants for the penitentiary, Welestin, Granite and McAlester. There are sixty-four towns seeking the penitentiary and the normal.

It is thought that the location of the penitentiary here will enable Pittsburg county roads, that need it badly, to be worked sooner than they could be in any other way; the pen will afford a splendid home market for produce and will stimulate truck gardening, poultry raising and butter making.

BROTHERHOOD MEETING.

First Annual Meeting of First Presbyterian Church Tuesday Evening.

The following program has been prepared for the first annual meeting of the Presbyterian Brotherhood which will be held at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, March 31, at the First Presbyterian church, to which every body is invited:

Music. Reading from Ralph Connor, Dr. Henderson. Fellowship in the Scriptures. Dr. Street.

Fellowship of the Apostles and Early Christians, E. A. Boyd. Music. Fellowship in Camp, W. P. Halliday. Fellowship in Distress, Dr. E. N. Allen.

Reading (selected), F. H. Kellogg. Fellowship in Town, Frank Craig. Music—C. A. Wilson. Fellowship in the Church, Rev. Charles Christianson.

Music. Election of Directors and Business Meeting.

SIX COUNTIES.

Coal County Joins in the June Teachers' Normal at Jones Academy.

Choctaw School Supervisor Ballard has received a communication from the county superintendent of schools of Coal county asking that that county be included with Pittsburg, Latimer, Atoka, LeFlore and Haskell counties in the joint teachers' normal to be held at Jones Academy, near Hartshorne, for the month beginning June 1st.

Mr. Ballard is very enthusiastic over the prospect of the normal. He is assured of the very best instructors, and the teachers of both the Indian schools and those directly under their control.

The normal will end in time for such teachers as desire to attend the McAlester summer Chautauqua.

R. H. DeBruier returned last night from Oklahoma City, where he had taken his two children.

SMART SPRING FURNISHINGS

Underpriced Values in Underwear, Shirts and Hosiery.

The Hats of Fashion. Exclusive Agents KNOX STETSON

HAWES

The Man who has the habit of getting the most for his money, buys his clothes here.

The Model McALESTER'S GREATEST STORE

For Selling Boogie. With Thomas, M. Smith and Annie Bevers, colored, were brought in from Alderson this morning upon the charge of selling boogie. Deputies Fatum and Over made the catch Monday night.

Lillian Russell's Car. A special interurban car will leave Hartshorne Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock for the Busby theatre where Lillian Russell will present "Wildfire".

The seats for this attraction are going fast. Practically all of the balcony seats are now gone.

NORTH END NEWS.

Mrs. W. D. Hedy has as her guest her mother, Mrs. J. J. Copenot of Vinita.

Mrs. Frank Richards and Mr. W. M. Browning were summoned to Fairview, Mo., Sunday to be present at the bedside of their mother who is in a critical condition.

Mrs. Letha Bevan of Shawnee and Mrs. C. M. Rodman and little son, Doyle, of Earlsville, Okla., are visiting Mrs. P. A. Doyle on North Main St.

Mrs. Tim Mannahan and her friend Miss Frances McCreary of Omaha, Neb., returned Sunday evening from Omaha, where Mrs. Mannahan has been visiting for some time.

Mrs. Harry Ballard died early this morning and will be buried tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Ballard hotel. Interment will be in the Old Town cemetery and the services will be in charge of Antler Home Chapter, No. 2, O. E. S., of which deceased was a member. Mrs. Ballard was one of our pioneer citizens and a woman well beloved. Her growing husband and son have the sympathy of the entire community.

There will be a called meeting of the board of directors of the McAlester Trust Trust Company.

arrange for Sister Ballard's funeral. Mrs. May Morris, W. M. Mrs. Sophia Hartburg, Sec.

REAL ESTATE MARKET.

By the Jones Daily Report of McAlester Trust Trust Company.

Warranty Deeds. Royal Stuart to Frederick W. Woodruff, \$500, lot 10, block 145 McAlester; 3-17-08.

Edward M. Boyd to same, \$150, lot 9, block 243, South McAlester; 3-16-08. William C. Graves and wife to South McAlester; 3-16-08.

Oklahoma Investment Co. to same, \$100, part lot 7, block 51, South McAlester; 3-15-08.

John Pring and wife to Alexander McKinnon and wife, \$750, part lots 2, 3, block 540, South McAlester; 3-27-08. Oliver J. Burke and wife to Leon R. Catonkey, \$200, to 18, block 492, South McAlester; 3-20-08.

Choctaw Western Colonization Co. to E. F. Hite, \$40, lot 3, block 193, Crowder, Okla.; 11-23-06.

Great Western Land & Immigration Co. \$295, lots 7, 8, block 9 Kioks; 3-14-08. Same to J. M. Smith, \$100, lots 9, 10, block 9 Kioks; 3-14-08.

Thomas J. Stallings and wife to William J. Sibley, \$349, lots 11, 12, block 22, Hartshorne; 2-14-08.

Anna Becking and husband to Frank Craig, \$2,000, part lot 7, block 471, South McAlester; 3-12-08. Ugo Anderson and wife to Frank Savage, \$100, part lot 4, block 14, Savanna; 2-22-08. Bertha J. Donnelly to Charles H. Wood, \$1, lot 2, block 325, South McAlester; 3-14-08.

BUSBY THEATRE

LILLIAN RUSSELL

An excellent cast in "Wildfire"

Wednesday, Apr. 1

Prices: Parquet, \$2.00; Dress Circle, \$1.50; 1st 3 Rows Balcony, \$1.50; Next 5 Rows, \$1; balance 75c; First 5 Rows gallery, 50c; balance 25c.

Seats now on Sale at Nix's Drug Store.

BUSBY THEATRE

Friday, April 3rd

Henry B. Harris

THE LION AND MOUSE

The most successful drama of the present generation. With a cast of distinguished players and a production of magnificence.

THE RECORD: Two years in New York; Six months in Chicago; Four months in Boston.

PRICES: 25, 50, 75, 1.00, 1.50

THE VENDOME HOTEL

Proprietor. Serves the best meal in the city for 25 cents. Makes it a point to always have the table supplied with the best of the market.

Board by meal, day or week. East Choctaw Ave. Phone 147.

A Mistaken Idea...

Some people have an idea that in order to have a bank account, they must have a large sum to deposit; that the bank does not care to be bothered by small accounts.

This, however, is not true of the City National Bank. This bank welcomes new accounts, whether of \$1 or \$1,000, and the same courtesy and service is accorded the small depositor, as those in more fortunate circumstances.

It is our object and wish to serve the public in financial matters in a manner that shall be satisfactory to all—old or young, rich or poor.

We want your banking business and will be pleased to have you open an account with us.

CITY NATIONAL BANK. McAlester, Okla.