

CLAIMES THAT DUNN IS DEAD

Florida Man Says He Shot Noted Criminal

IN LETTER TO CHIEF BURT

R. T. Goodwin Declares That John P. Dunn Was Killed.

Chief Burt yesterday received the following letter:

"Cypress, Fla., Oct. 25, 1902. "From R. T. Goodwin to the chief of police at Wichita, Kas. Dear Sir, You will please send me the money which you and your state offered for the capture and death of John P. Dunn, which killed John H. Powers sheriff on the 5 day of February 1902 for \$10,000. I went on the 22 day of this month as I went to arrest him he shot me but I shot him too and killed him. I say I killed him and I want the say for it. I am sure it was him according to description don't fail to send me the money air mr. chief. I am sure it was the man send me the money by return mail.

"Hope to hear from you soon. "R. T. GODWIN. "If you want me to see the reward papers to you all write but the reward is \$10,000, now send it to me at once. R. T. Godwin."

Chief Burt hardly knows what to think of this letter. Mr. Godwin enclosed one of the circulars offering the reward for Dunn and giving the description and the full details, and seems positive that he has captured the right man. The chief said it was possible and that it would be investigated. This man may be a deputy sheriff and received one of the circulars. Chief Burt said that Sheriff King of Clarksville, Ark., had told him that this fellow had written to him several times, saying that he believed Dunn was staying near Cypress. Mr. King paid little attention to the matter.

Chief Burt believes that the writer of the letter is honest and is not trying to take anyone. He may not have Dunn, but he believes he has and wants the money. The letter is written very poorly. It is almost unintelligible, the spelling is fearful, as will be noticed by a perusal of the letter, which is given verbatim.

Mr. Godwin seems to think that Kansas people are easy, that they have the cash in the bank ready to send to the man who makes the capture, without any affidavit of identification or having the man identified by any officer interested in the case. If this is John P. Dunn who was killed by a Florida farmer, the officers want to see the body before they pay any eleven hundred dollars reward. From the letter it would seem that Mr. Godwin is an illiterate man and ignorant of the ways of the world. Chief Burt believes that Godwin killed a man, but there must be some proof produced that it is John P. Dunn before the reward is paid.

Chief Burt wrote to Mr. Godwin last night, asking him what disposition was made of the body and for full particulars regarding the killing. He can hardly believe that John P. Dunn would allow any man to come near enough to kill him when it seems as if he was sure to make his escape.

John Dunn may be dead. It is possible, and Chief Burt is anxiously awaiting news from Mr. Godwin and also Sheriff King, who has also been advised of the alleged capture of the much-wanted criminal.

John P. Dunn is wanted for bank robbery and the murder of Sheriff Powers at Clarksville, Ark., on February 5, last. Dunn, in company with several others, attempted to rob the bank at Clarksville, but were driven off by the sheriff and his deputies. In the battle the sheriff was killed, and the entire gang made their escape. Dunn and Jersey Durham were captured in this city. Durham now awaits trial at Clarksville. Dunn was shot in the light and brought to the St. Francis hospital on February 26, and he expired in April. Circumstances were gotten out and a thorough search made, but nothing has as yet been found that would indicate where Dunn is, except this letter which says that he is dead.

CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT

L. B. Trebbe Arrested in this City Last Night.

L. B. Trebbe was arrested in this city yesterday afternoon by Officer Fox of the local police force and Deputy Sheriff Dwyer of South Haven, Sumner county, on the charge of embezzling over \$900 from the firm of W. W. Miller & Sons of Kansas City, Mo., and Anthony, Kan. Mr. C. E. Miller was with the officers when the arrest was made.

Trebbe was a grain buyer for this firm at Portland, Sumner county, it is alleged, that he manipulated the checks and books in such a way that he was able to get quite a good deal of money from the firm. He is alleged to have made false entries in his reports, but his work was so smooth that he was not detected until the money was discovered a warrant was worn out and the arrest made under it.

HOSTETTERS CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS Excessive eating will cause Bloating, Heartburn, Belching, Indigestion, Constipation and Biliousness. The best way to prevent these ailments is to take a dose of Bitters after each meal. It will aid the stomach in its work of digestion. Try it. For sale by all Druggists.

Trebbe will be taken to Wellington this morning for trial.

This is the fifth man in six years who has embezzled from this firm, and every one has been captured and punished. One man, when he found that his thefts were discovered, shot himself.

BURGLARS ON THE WEST SIDE

They Entered the Home of C. A. Parr Last Night.

Last night about 9 o'clock the home of C. A. Parr, 211 South Seneca avenue, was entered by burglars. Mr. Parr runs the grocery store at the corner of Maple and Seneca avenues and keeps open until about 10 o'clock each evening. His wife, daughter and Mrs. Herp, who lives in the house, were at the store until half past 9 o'clock. In company with Mrs. Herp's son they went to the house and the two women sat on the front porch and talked for some time. The burglar entered the house and found the front door open and the latch torn off. He told his mother about this and an investigation was begun. They found the rooms in a topsy-turvy condition and immediately sent for the police. Mrs. Herp, while in the house, heard someone working upstairs.

When the police came one went to the rear door and two walked in the front door. Mrs. Herp and Miss Lottie Parr were standing on the sidewalk in front of the house. But a moment or two after the officers entered the house a man slipped out of the front door and ran across some vacant lots and disappeared. The women notified the officers, but they could not find the burglar. The thief evidently knew that he had plenty of time for he went through every room in the house, throwing the contents of trunks and bureau drawers on the floor and turning everything upside down. As far as known nothing was taken from the house.

RUNAWAY GIRL CAPTURED

Daisy Alexander Walked from Newton to Sedgwick.

Daisy Alexander, a 17-year-old girl, ran away from her home in Ellingwood Tuesday morning and was captured in this city last night. She is the daughter of M. R. Alexander, a deputy sheriff at Ellingwood, and last summer Arthur Jones of 30 South Topeka avenue spent a few days visiting in that city. He fell in love with Miss Alexander, who is rather pretty, and they ran away together. They went to Newton, where the father found his daughter. Young men were arrested and is now in jail there. The girl was taken back home. This happened the latter part of August. Tuesday she ran away again and went to Newton. She called at the jail and talked with her sweetheart and Tuesday night she walked from Newton to Sedgwick, a distance of fifteen miles. She arrived at Sedgwick about midnight and yesterday she procured a rig and came to this city. She says she got tired of being hunted, and so gave herself up. Her father was here yesterday morning, but returned to Newton. He will come after his daughter today. Miss Alexander says that she loves Mr. Jones and will never be content until they are married.

CONFERENCE BEGINS TODAY

Unitarians Will Begin Work at 10 o'clock This Morning.

The Missouri Valley Conference of the Unitarian church, will begin its session in the First Unitarian church this morning at 10 o'clock. The delegates begin to come in yesterday and the indications at present point to a large attendance and successful meeting. The public is cordially invited to attend all of the services. The following is today's program: 10:30 a. m.—Business session; reports of churches, Sunday schools, alliances and Young People's societies; appointing of committees. 12:30 p. m.—Devotional services, Rev. J. L. Marsh, Lincoln, Neb., Intermision. 2:30-4:30 p. m.—Conference session; general topic, "Methods of Increasing the Effectiveness of the Church in the Conference." Address, "A Unitarian Circuit Rider," Prof. W. H. Carruth, Lawrence, Kan.; discussion of the address and of the following and kindred topics: Method of Church Support, the Post Office Mission, Presiding Stations and Mid-week Services, Non-Resident Church Membership, Enrichment of the Church Service, the Branch Alliance, Intermision. 8:30 p. m.—Service of worship; address of welcome, Judge T. B. Wall, Wichita, Kan.; response, Prof. W. H. Carruth, president of the conference; conference sermon, Rev. Fred V. Hawley, secretary of the Western Unitarian conference, Chicago.

ARE IN COUNTY JAIL

Dr. Richardson and Wife Loose Bondsman and are Committed.

Dr. C. H. and Mrs. C. W. Richardson were yesterday committed to the county jail in default of bond. These are the Oklahoma people who are charged with the murder of a baby, which they had taken to keep as their own. J. M. Moore of the Fourth National bank, was on their bond, but yesterday he asked to be released from the bond. The city court granted his request and so the man and his wife were committed to jail. A hearing of their case has been continued several times and the exact date of the last continuance has not yet been decided on.

HARRY HUME IN NEW YORK

Clearwater Boy Having the Time of His Life.

Mr. Robert Keller yesterday received a letter from Harry Hume, who was the first lieutenant in the Wichita company during the Spanish-American war. Mr. Hume was a clearwater boy and has gone through some very exciting experiences. He is in New York city at present and writes that he has gotten hold of the toughest job that he has ever gotten up against. He is deputy superintendent of elections and it is his duty to go into the toughest holes in the city to look after the registration. He says that every young man is challenged, every new man and every man who makes in a lodging house.

COOLER WEATHER TODAY

Winter is Slipping On Wichita Who Suspects Not.

Winter is coming on and very gradually, too. Each day and night will be just a little bit cooler than the one before until Wichita will find the wind some morning whistling down her chimneys with terrible force. The temperature yesterday was 74. The minimum was 47 and the maximum 76. Cooler weather is predicted for today by Dr. Johnson.

SESSION IS ENDED

Kansas Dentists Concluded Their Work Yesterday.

The sixth annual session of the Kansas Dental association ended yesterday morning. The session was taken up with clinics by J. R. Lewis, of Newton, and W. R. Otto, of Hutchinson, followed by a general discussion of the topics discussed. After some miscellaneous business the meeting adjourned.

KANSAS NEWS STAND SOLD

Pioneer Firm of Wichita Goes Out of Business.

PAUL EATON, PURCHASER

Will Take Possession of Business This Morning.

Last night Dillon & McTaggard, who have run the Kansas News stand right around the corner of Main and Douglas avenues for the past fourteen years, went out of business, selling their stock and good will included in long established business to Mr. Paul Eaton, for \$5,000. Mr. Eaton will take charge of the store this morning.

Mr. McTaggard has been in very poor health ever since the injuries he received in the carry-all accident when Buffalo Bill was here four years ago. He has not felt able to carry on the business for some time, and he and his partner sold out very quickly, the deal being made in twenty-four hours. Mr. Dillon, as also Mr. McTaggard, says that he does not know what he shall do now for the present. It is stated on good authority, and there is every reason to believe that the statement is true, that both these gentlemen are in such circumstances that they are well able to retire from active business life and they will do so. The business started fourteen years ago when they came to this town in the same place as it is now. The same goods are handled and the great success the business sustained makes it worth the good price that it brought in the deal yesterday. The establishments in Wichita of long standing are of great value, as well as the site they build upon.

The new management will make a greater success of the business than has yet been done. Mr. Eaton is a business man through and through, and he conducts a business in such a way that it will be a success in any case, even in the case of hard times. His way of making a business successful is a modern one, up-to-date and hustling. No time is too precious but that he will take the time to look after the business he is running, and he has shown that he can make as much of a success out of his employer's business as though it was his own.

The new management contemplates many improvements, which will make a change in many respects. The business will be run under the name, "Kansas News Stand."

The business deals with newspapers received at the earliest possible date, cigars and tobaccos, fruit, soda fountain drinks, magazines and fine candies. The best of everything will be kept on hand and the already flourishing trade is expected to be increased considerably.

GUESTS OF COL. TOLER

Eagle Newsboys Will Attend Show at Auditorium Tonight.

Tonight the Eagle carriers and the newsboys who sell Eagles on the street will be the guests of Manager Toler at the Auditorium. Seats have been reserved for all the boys and the tickets will be distributed at the Eagle office this morning. The State company is one of the best that has appeared in Wichita this season, and the boys are assured of a pleasant evening.

A CASE OF IT.

Many More Like It in Wichita.

The following case is but one of many similar occurring daily in Wichita. It is an easy matter to verify its correctness. Surely you cannot ask better proof than such conclusive evidence. Mr. J. W. Shultz of No. 1—Waco avenue says: "I knew from the symptoms that my kidneys were either weakened or over-excited and in a letter to my sister in Cleveland I acquainted her of this fact. She advised me to use Doan's Kidney Pills. I had my druggist send for them. They did me a deal of good. Shortly afterwards I noticed that they could be procured at the Moore Drug Co., 216 East Douglas avenue, and I went there for a box. If the first one had not brought positive benefit I never would have used a second, and if the second had not added greatly to that benefit I would be the last resident in Wichita to publicly recommend the preparation." For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cents. Foster-McLure Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

Everything New and Always The Latest Styles

In Custom-Tailored Suits and Overcoats, Fine Hats and Furnishings

Greenfield Bros. Same Price to Everybody 112 East Douglas Avenue

We Wouldn't Have the Face To offer you old goods at the price of new, even if we had such in stock. The "H. & H." label has always stood for what is newest and best in clothing. It's a guaranty that goes with every Suit and Overcoat you buy of us that it is just as represented or "your money back." Price has never been our first consideration—it shouldn't be with anyone. But, to give you the best goods at the lowest price conformable to honest merchandizing has always been true of our dealings. We're selling good Suits and Overcoats at prices you'll be asked for shoddy. Herman & Hess No Clothing Fits Like Ours.

THE BIG DISSOLUTION SALE Is drawing the crowds of shoe buyers who appreciate the great values we are giving. NEW, STYLISH SHOES AT CUT PRICES Good, serviceable and up-to-date Shoes for men, women and children. Supply yourself and family now. MORRIS & SPEER PHONE 144 144 NORTH MAIN STREET

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Can't Be Beaten We have a fine line of Ladies' Hand Welt Shoes in extended sole or McKay light sole, patent or kid tips, made of excellent quality of fine kid. Price—\$2.00 A New Pair If Not Good Wear GARR'S WICHITA-KANSAS Phone 780 126 North Main

PRIZE TO BE AWARDED To the Best Drill Team During an Entertainment. Harmony Council of the Fraternal A.O.U.W. has issued an invitation to the members of the degree team who took part in the drill work during the fraternal insurance

This Morning At 9 o'Clock The doors will open and the greatest sale in Wichita's history will be inaugurated. The C. R. Fulton Stock Must Be Closed Out At once; that is the instructions of the probate judge and they will be carried out to the letter. High-grade, Up-to-date and Stylish Overcoats, Suits, Trousers, Hats, Caps, Shirts and Fine Snappy Furnishing Goods Will All Be Sold at Cost and at 1/3 and 1/2 First Cost Attend this sale and buy two for the price of one. A large force of salesmen to wait on you. Come and save from a third to a half. O. Z. SMITH ADMINISTRATOR

The Profits Are Yours At the Golden Eagle THIS STOCK-REDUCING SALE is a money saving to clothing buyers of Wichita long to be remembered. This Great Stock Must Be Reduced..... On account of the backward fall season and having over-bought we were compelled to throw this mammoth stock of High-grade Suits, Overcoats, Hats, Caps and Furnishing Goods on the market and SLAUGHTER AWAY THE PROFITS right in the heart of the season. Everything Must Go—Nothing Reserved Remember we have no trash or old goods carried over for years to show you. Everything is new and up-to-the-minute and every garment guaranteed as represented or your money refunded. See Display and Prices in Our Window

GOLDEN EAGLE WICHITA'S GREATEST MONEY-SAVING CLOTHING STORE.

Baird's Old-Fashioned Horehound Candy We Have Just Received 5c Packages 200 Pounds in DOCKUM & HIGGINSON'S TWO DRUG STORES Postage Stamps at Cost. 123 and 248 North Main.

CLEANLINESS IS NAE PRIDE, DIRT'S NAE HONESTY. COMMON SENSE DICTATES THE USE OF SAPOLIO

The S.W. 5-10 Cent Store All our prices named are in plain figures—there's no misunderstanding them. 7c Standard Apron Gingham, Yard 5c There is only a dozen places in this city, containing blue and brown cloths. As long as they last, you get them at per yard 5c NEW THINGS FOR 5c Five Patent Iron Handles, each 5c 10-15 Spring Hairpins, each 5c Combination Tank Hammer and Puller, each 5c Silver Extension Sash, Curtains, Hooks, each 5c Dover Key Buttons, each 5c Wire Vegetable Peelers, each 5c Long Handle Cake Turners, each 5c Metal Rim Adapters, Stone Mark, 1 for 5c Iron Foot Brushes, each 5c Crown and Square Taps, 5c Files, each 5c NEW THINGS FOR 10c Nickel Plated Night Lamp, complete, each 10c Wire Hair-Strainers, each 10c Extra Heavy 25-First Class Cheese Lanes, each 10c Wire Potato Press, with long handle, each 10c Nickel Enamel Washbasin, each 10c Bone and Wood Hairbrush, Colons and Forks, each 10c Nickel Wire-mesh Dish Cloth, each 10c Ladies' Hairbrush, each 10c Latest Blue Carpeting, Square Yards, each 10c Men's Rubber Heels, each 10c

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