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He Sustains the Demurrer to the Indictment and Gives His Reasons Therefor. In an opinion given yesterday evening Judge Baker, of the United States Court, sustains the demurrer to the indictment in the case of the United States against William Miller, Emanuel Collins, Hagerman, Muntz, Budd Taylor and Charles Alexander, colored men, who were indicted on the charge of preventing other colored men from voting.

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TWO DEATHS RESULT HOME OF JOHN JAMES, AT SOUTHPORT, DESTROYED BY EXPLOSION. The Lives of Mrs. James and Six-Weeks-Old Babe Sacrificed in the Flames.

OTHERS RECEIVE INJURIES THE HUSBAND AND TWO OTHER CHILDREN NOT BADLY BURNED. It is Thought Mrs. James Used Oil in Starting a Fire—Details of the Occurrence.

A fire which started yesterday morning at 4:35 o'clock at Southport, seven miles south of this city, resulted in the death of Mrs. John James, her six-weeks-old babe, the serious injury by burning of her husband and two other children and the total destruction of their home and its contents. The villagers were aroused by cries of fire, and when the first of them arrived at the house Mrs. James, with nearly all of her clothing burned from her body, was seen coming from the house, fighting for her life.

IN GOVERNMENT'S CLUTCHES. Arrest of Dr. Shepherd, of Parke County, and G. N. Kramer. Postoffice Inspector Fletcher, whose headquarters are at this point, swore out a warrant for the arrest of Dr. John P. Shepherd, of Judson, Parke county, charging him with embezzling funds from the postoffice at New Brunswick, Boone county.

MUSICAL SOCIETIES BALK. They Object to the Proposed Railroad Fare to Buffalo. The Maennerchor, Musikverein and Liederkreis, the three leading musical societies of this city, all of which intended to participate in the musical festival to be given at Buffalo during the Pan-American exposition, have decided to remain at home rather than pay the fare of \$2.25 which has been demanded of them by the railroad company.

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GOVERNOR WILL ATTEND. Will Visit Cleveland During National G. A. R. Encampment. Governor Durbin is expected to attend the National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic in Cleveland, O., Sept. 9 to 14 this year.

Excursion to Lawrenceburg, Aurora and Way Points. Via Big Four Route. Sunday, April 28. Special train leaves Indianapolis 7:30 a. m. Returning, leaves Aurora 7:30 p. m. Rate \$1 or less round trip.

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