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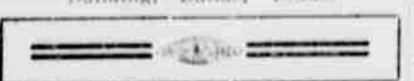
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Ardmore, Tuesday, Jan. 18, 1910

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR STATE OFFICES.

The Ardmoreite is authorized to announce LEE CRUCE as a candidate for Governor of Oklahoma, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the primary election to be held August 2, 1910.

IS GRAPEVINE REPORT TRUE.

Reports are insistent that Judge Jesse Dunn will resign from the bench within the next two weeks of thirty days or two months, and announce his candidacy for the democratic nomination for governor. Grapevine dispatches state that Jesse is going to do this to save the Democratic party from being "rent up the back" by Lee Cruce and Bill Murray. This certainly is very considerate of Dunn, accepting the grapevine report as true. The Democratic party certainly, also, owe nothing to Dunn that it hasn't paid in full with interest, compounded semi-annually. He has already been honored beyond most Democrats, and he has deserved all that has been given him. In getting into the race for governor he only detracts from the strength of Mr. Cruce. He will not hurt Murray to any considerable extent, and he will not defeat Lee Cruce. We fail to see where he will gain much should he finally get into the race for governor. He can be respected to his present position, a place on the supreme bench, without opposition in his party. He has a fight on his hands should he make the race for governor with the odds against him winning in the campaign three years ago. Hon. Lee Cruce conducted a vigorous campaign, pitched his battle upon a high moral plane, ignored abuse and vituperation in silence, met defeat, came in smiling and supported the on-life state ticket and has been the same loyal dignified citizen since. Now he asks the democracy to support him for the highest honor in the gift of the party. If the Democratic party ever owed any man anything, the Oklahoma democracy is certainly indebted to Lee Cruce at this time. But passing this by, upon the point of expediency, efficiency and equality, these essentials to success and maintenance of honor, Lee Cruce is the logical candidate. He can win. He would make Oklahoma a good governor, an even-balanced chief executive, there would be no stain of scandal or breath of suspicion upon his conduct of the State's affairs, as there is none against Lee Cruce as a man and citizen. He will make a splendid race in this section of Oklahoma, regardless of any man who is now, or may be in the race. —E. H. Reno, American.

COMMISSIONERS ARE CAREFUL

Using good judgment and practical common sense in selecting plans.

"They may skin us," said Reist F. Scavally, chairman of the board of county commissioners today, "but we are going to be at the skinning." The commissioners are on the lookout in letting the contract for plans for the county court house. Their good judgment means much to the people of the county, their time is very valuable in looking over the plans, their judgment must be relied upon and the commissioners feel their responsibility. We say and without any desire of flattery that Carter county commissioners have a very high standing in the state, they have labored hard and the people of Carter county are with them. Republicans in the county state that the Democrats have a set of men in these offices they are perfectly willing to trust.

The only work to do to eliminate graft if any should be attempted is to manage the business so that no contractor and the architect have a stand-off, or any connection whatever. When that end is accepted the architect will know that his work will be inspected by outside agents employed by the commissioners and every effort will be made to see that value is given in return from the money expended.

The commissioners will no doubt give Oklahoma architects preference in the making of plans if all other things are equal.

A BURLESQUE—DUNN OUGHT TO PROSECUTE

If Jesse Dunn doesn't sue the Oklahoman for personal damages it will be because he is long suffering or blind. That caricature of Jesse that the Oklahoman ran on the front page yesterday morning would scare a nigger baby into forty kinds of spasms.—El Reno American.

PICKUPS HERE AND THERE.

Seventeen Prisoners.
There are seventeen prisoners in the city jail. The boys are all broke, but they insist on drinks at frequent intervals and fight now and then.

Death of Niece.

Miss H. S. Hayden has received a telegram from Cooper Creek, Texas, conveying the news to her of the death of her niece, Mrs. Minnie Nugent. She deceased is also a grandchild of Mrs. A. W. Williams, who resides in this city.

Fixed the Judge.

Judge Mason received a handsome calendar today as a present from the M. C. Edlin Resaudia company of Columbus, Ohio. The case is made of German silver and is very handsome. Every lawyer who sees it desires to consult the art of legal and remove it from the desk of the judge.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses have been granted to J. W. Moore and Miss Mary Spencer of Ardmore, and P. A. Frazier and Miss Alice Bailey of Kellor.

Called Committee.

R. P. Scavally, chairman of the state organization of county commissioners, has issued a call for the legislative committee of the organization to meet in Guthrie next Monday when they will confer with the legislature in reference to legislation affecting the counties. The committee is composed of A. L. Housen, W. C. Bryant, W. C. Barnyard, Ed Overholser, Gal Graham, and R. P. Scavally, president and ex-officio chairman.

Selecting Plans.

Matters bid fair now for the commissioners to spend the remainder of the week in looking over the plans for the court house submitted by architects. Each architect is given his turn and each is given the same amount of time to explain his plans. The commissioners realize they have an important piece of work on their hands and are using due care. Twenty sets of plans have been submitted and others wired this morning asking for more time to get their plans before the board. County Attorney Mathison is working with the committee.

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The remains will be buried at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon at Rose Hill cemetery. Funeral services will be conducted by the Masons of which order the deceased was an honored member.

Attention, Masons.

The members of Ardmore Lodge No. 31, A. F. & A. M. will meet at the hall at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon to attend the funeral of our deceased brother, A. G. Kinsey.

W. M. G. H. BRUCE, Secretary.

The woman who goes through life playing bridge is not always prepared to cross it when she comes to it.

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ARGUMENT BEGUN IN OUSTER SUIT

ATTORNEY GENERAL OF MISSOURI WANTS RAILROADS FINED OR OUSTED.

VIOLATED ANTI-TRUST LAW

Attorney General Says Law Was Violated in Fixing Freight and Passenger Rates in That State—Railroads File Demurrer to Petition.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 18.—Arguments were begun today in the supreme court in the suit filed by the attorney general to fine or oust the sixteen railroads of this state for alleged violations of the anti-trust laws, in fixing the freight and passenger rates.

COTTON MILLS FOR THE SOUTH

EXPECTED THIS WILL BE BANNER YEAR FOR TEXTILE MILLING IN INDUSTRIES IN SOUTH.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 18.—Reports from all over the cotton belt indicate that 1910 will be a banner year for the textile milling industries of the South. Cotton manufacturers will doubtless make a great stride during the coming twelve months, and before many years it is predicted that New England's vaunted supremacy in the textile line will be in danger.

Additional spindles and looms are being added to mills all over the South, while many mills all over the new companies are formed wholly or in part by men interested in established and successful cotton factories.

These enterprises require the expenditure of millions of dollars, which add to the wealth of the South and provide employment for many thousands of her people. In many instances the construction of a new mill entails the establishment of an entirely new city, with water supply, sewer system, electric lighting equipment, improved streets and sidewalks, modern cottages for the operatives and other facilities for the health, comfort and contentment of the employes, as well as schools for the education of their children, churches for their religious training, etc.

An important feature in Southern cotton milling is the adoption of electricity for power, and many of the new mills are equipped for its use, while a number of the existing plants have changed their power equipment to the electrical drive.

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BLOODY RECORD OF BASS REEVES

FEDERAL OFFICERS MOURN THE DEATH OF NEGRO DEPUTY MARSHAL, WHO KILLED 11 MEN.

Muskogee, Okla., Jan. 17.—He killed fourteen men, but nothing more true could be said of him than that he did his duty, and today the federal officers and ex-federal officers in eastern Oklahoma mourn the death of old Bass Reeves, "Black Bass," as he was known, for he was a negro. No history of frontier days in Indian Territory would be complete with no mention of Bass Reeves, and no tale of the old days of "Hell on the Border" could be told without the old deputy marshal as a prominent character. He died Wednesday, after several months of illness at the age of 72.

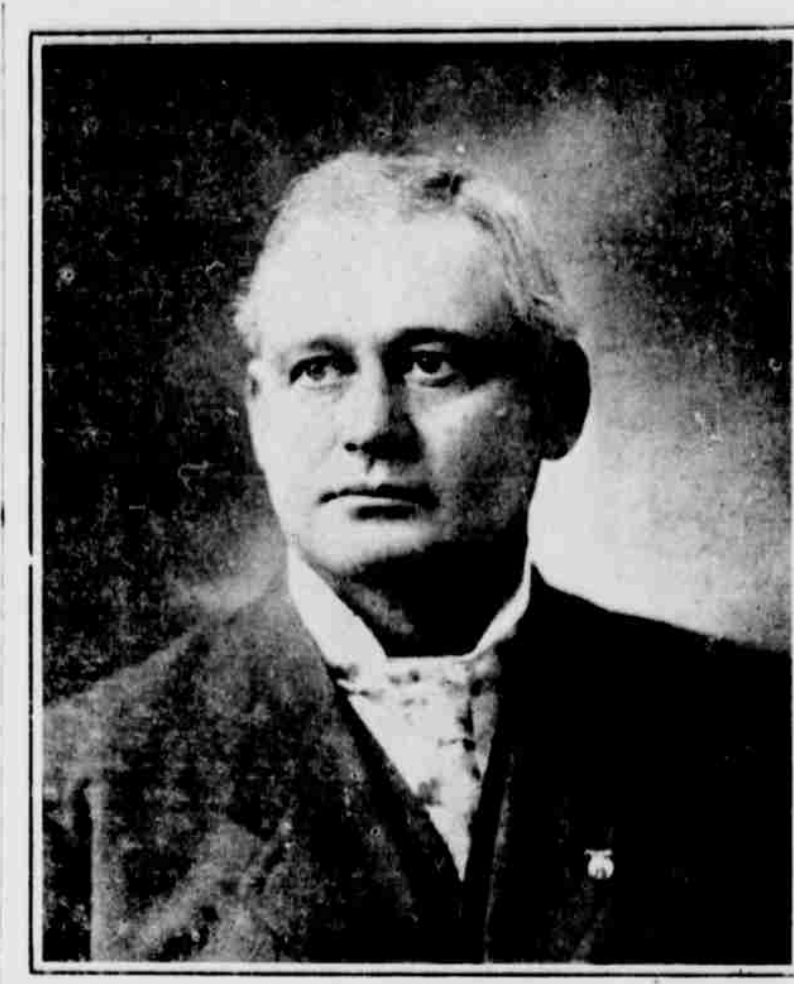
For thirty-two years, beginning way back in the seventies and ending in 1907, Bass Reeves was a deputy. During that time he was sent to arrest many of the most notorious characters that in those days infested this part of the Indian country, and because he was gifted with a mind that knew not how to quail, and an intensity of purpose that led him to follow criminals day and night, dogging the fugitive's trail—because of this, he rarely failed to land his man in the Muskogee federal jail. As his record shows, it often happened that he was unable to get him alive, but the old deputy often said that he had never shot a man except in self defense. He was once tried for murder but was acquitted on the ground that he had killed the man in the discharge of his duty and to save his own life.

In his youth, and in the early days of Arkansas, Bass was a slave, entering the federal service as a deputy ten years after the close of the civil war. That was long before a court had been established in Indian Territory and all that country was "ruled" from the federal court at Ft. Smith. Then when people started to come into the Indian Territory and a marshal was sent to Muskogee, Reeves was detailed there.

One of the many acts which typified the man and best shows his devotion to duty was the arrest of his own son. A warrant for the arrest of the younger Reeves for murdering his wife had been issued and Marshal Bennett said that perhaps another deputy had better be sent to serve it. Old Bass was in the room and quietly said: "Give me the writ." He went out, arrested his son, brought him into court and saw a jury try him, convict him and sentence him to life imprisonment.

Reeves had many narrow escapes but was never wounded. At different times he has been shot in two, buttons were shot from his coat, his hat punctured and his bridle reins shot from his hand, but no bullet ever touched his body. And this, too, in spite of the fact that he said he never fired a shot until after he was fired at.

The trouble with people who can only talk on one subject is that they always do.



JUDGE ARTHUR WALCOTT, Exalted Ruler of the Elks, who will preside tonight at the homecoming of the Elks.

ELKS HOMECOMING AT HALL TONIGHT

GATHERING OF ALL THE ANTLERED HERD AT SMOKER—VISITORS HERE.

The Benevolent Protective Order of Elks will hold a reunion at their club rooms this evening. A smoker will be enjoyed and not only those whose dues are paid, but all former Elks are requested to be present at the social meeting. There are a number of visiting Elks in the city and they are especially requested to be at the reunion at the club rooms, corner Washington and Broadway.

The officers of the lodge have been very diligent in preparing for the occasion. Short talks on Elkdom will be made by Exalted Ruler Arthur Walcott, Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler Dr. J. G. Abernethy, and other prominent Elks. There will be plenty going to make the evening a social success. The Elks have one of the prettiest homes in the state, they have recently spent several hundred dollars in repairs and in new furnishings and in providing their rooms with the best literature. The Elks have always been generous with Ardmore when a hall was needed for entertainments and they have the best wishes and respect of the people of the city. Their home has always been conducted on a high plane, and the boys at the meeting tonight want to meet every fellow who ever wore the antlers.

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COUNTY COURT NEWS.

Several Dismissals in Liquor Cases—Where Conveying is the Charge.

Some of these days the attorneys who practice in the county court are going to wake up and find their cases dismissed from the docket. Judge Mason complains they are not arduous enough to keep up with the docket and he is likely to furnish them with a lesson some of these days. Some cases were continued today for the term and the judge is being pleaded with, to set aside the order of continuation.

In the case of the Ardmore State Bank against Jim Burns and Sam Weeks a continuance was taken pending settlement.

J. R. Dixon vs. the Frisco, suit for damages, continued for the term.

Henry Norton, conveying liquor, dismissed at cost of defendant.

Henry Darr, conveying liquor, dismissed.

T. J. Jackson and P. W. Shores, conveying liquor, dismissed.

Swafford Dry Goods Co. vs. R. A. Owen, et al., continued.

Woodson Smith Hat Co. vs. Hamy Willis, et al., continued for the term.

J. T. Bledsoe vs. W. W. Means, passed for settlement.

Chas. Brown, escaping from jail, continued for term.

LOST—School warrant on District No. 56 for \$125. Finder please leave at County Superintendent's office and receive reward. 186



DR. J. G. ABERNETHY, District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler of the Elks. He will be among those who will give the visiting Elks a hearty handshake at the Homecoming tonight.

NOW PEACE REIGNS AMONG REPUBLICANS

CARTER COUNTY BOYS HELD A LOVE FEAST AND BURIED THE HATCHET.

Roy M. Johnson, editor of the Statesman, who has been working assiduously for the past month to heal the broken places in the local republican party, announces that he has succeeded and that the lion and the lamb have lain down together. Other republicans who attended the Guthrie meeting state that local differences have been patched up. Postmaster Douglas and his friends have made up with State Committeeman Burns and his friends, or vice versa as the case may be, and they have agreed to be good little children and fuss no more. Whether the pacification will have to do with the Lone Grove post office fight is not known—any way all is lovely now with the local politicians.

Another surprise has been sprung. Editor Johnson has been working to induce Judge Chas. M. Campbell to allow his name to be used as a candidate for congress in the fourth district against Chas. D. Carter. The tentative candidacy of Judge Campbell has pleased Cash Cade, the national committeeman, and also the chairman of the state central committee.

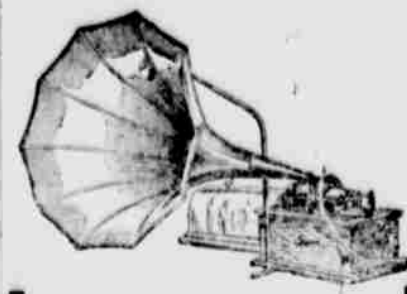
District Indian Agent Knapp at Hugo, who was a candidate, has agreed to get out of the race if Judge Campbell will announce. He says also he will work for Campbell and the republicans say they are hopeful of winning the congressman. Ed Butler of Durant, Dynamite Ed Perry of Conkate, and L. G. Disney, who made one race in this district, are all favorable to

the Campbell candidacy.

Judge Campbell and Major Trunk stopped off at Oklahoma City on their return trip from Guthrie, and it cannot be learned how Judge Campbell views the matter.

Dr. C. F. Sullivan was here today from Lone Grove. He brought his two children, Ruth and Paul, to place them in Hargrove college.

Isn't it strange that when a man gets fat his hair generally gets thin?



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