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## RECOVER 42 BODIES

FROM WRECK SUNDAY NEAR MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA.

## EXPECT TO FIND MORE

Beneath the Debris—Coaches of the Wrecked Train Caught Fire and Victims Were Burned to Death.

Melbourne, Australia, April 21.—Forty-two bodies have been taken from the wreck caused by a collision on April 19th between two trains at Braybrook Junction near Melbourne.

It is believed that a number of other bodies will be found beneath the debris.

The injured are placed at eighty-eight.

The coaches of the train caught fire and many were burned beyond recognition.

## WOMAN SHOTS TO KILL

WHITE WOMAN SLAYS BLACK IN JIM CROW ROW OVER CHILDREN.

Memphis, Tenn., April 20.—Mrs. James Wright of this city today shot and killed Lella Gordon, a negro woman. Mrs. Wright used a single-barreled shot gun.

Mrs. Wright reloaded the weapon and started in pursuit of Mary Davis, another negro woman. She shot at her once after a chase of nearly a block, but the charge went wild.

The homicide followed a desperate struggle between the white and negro women, in which Mrs. John Wright, a sister-in-law of Mrs. James Wright, who lives with her, received a bad beating at the hands of the Davis and Gordon women. A quarrel over the children of the white women being stopped from playing with some negro children living in the vicinity led to the fight.

## MYSTERY IS CLEARED UP

AGED WOMAN CREATED SENSATION IN KANSAS CITY.

## AMONG LOCAL BANKERS

Woman Had Various Financial Deals Arranging Big Financial Deals Aggregating Half a Million—She Lives at Galea, Kans.

Kansas City, Mo., April 21.—The mystery surrounding Mrs. Maria Louisa Hunt, an aged lady, whose negotiations for securities and realty has been puzzling local bankers and the police was cleared up today when the police received a telephone message from Frank C. Hunt, her son, who is a mining engineer at Galena, Kansas.

Young Hunt asked the police to hold his mother and he would come to Kansas City immediately for her.

Although Mrs. Hunt's negotiating of the big deals was sensational they were never carried to conclusion and the police say they have no excuse to hold her.

Ladies' and children's straw hats cleaned up nicely at 15c.

JOHNSON, the Hatter's.

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## ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION

PRESIDENT OF GUATEMALA RECEIVES SLIGHT WOUND IN AN ATTEMPT TO KILL HIM.

San Francisco, Cal., April 21.—A message from Guatemala City states that an attempt was made last night to assassinate Manuel Estrada Cabrera, president of Guatemala.

Many shots were fired at him, only one hitting him. The wound being in the hand is not considered serious.

## LOCATES AT SULPHUR.

Prominent Iowa Democrat Will Practice Law at Sulphur.

Sulphur, Okla., April 21.—Hon. J. S. Estes has moved here from Sidney, Iowa, and will begin the practice of law and take a prominent part in the political affairs of the new state.

Mr. Estes ran for United States congressman on the democratic ticket from the eighth district of Iowa in 1906 and was defeated by W. P. Hepburn, republican, by only a few votes.

## AGAINST THE NEGROES

SENATOR WARNER OF MISSOURI UPHOLDS PRESIDENT.

## DISGRACE TO THE UNIFORM

Warner Says Negro Troops at Brownsville Stained an Honorable Record of Their Race as Soldiers. Painstaking Analysis.

Washington, D. C., April 21.—A painstaking analysis of the testimony taken in the several hearings of the Brownsville affair and especially that by the committee on military affairs, was presented to the senate today by Senator Warner of Missouri.

"I have no prejudice against negro soldiers," said Warner, "and I am not prepared to cry out against negroes as soldiers because I believe that members of the Twenty-Sixth Infantry at Brownsville disgraced the United States uniform and stained an honorable record of their race as soldiers."

"Lawlessness is not the distinguishing characteristic of any race or color. To have allowed these soldiers to remain in service with the stain of that crime resting upon them would have been criminal."

"No community in which they might be stationed would be secure."

Mr. Warner declared that "While there was a special motive for the negroes to shoot up the town in that way," he insisted that there was an absence of such motive on the part of anyone else.

The people whose houses were shot up were people whose attitude toward the negro soldiers was known to be hostile.

## LOCAL OPTION ELECTION

FORTY CITIES OF SOUTHERN ILLINOIS TODAY VOTING ON LOCAL OPTION QUESTION.

St. Louis, Mo., Apr. 21.—Forty cities and towns, the majority of them in Southern Illinois, are today holding local option elections.

The anti-saloon officials say they will add five more counties most of which are already dry.

The contest is bitter on both sides.

Received Sag News.

P. B. Adams of the Tyler-Simpson Co. received a telegram this afternoon calling him to Garrison, Texas, to the bedside of his sister, Mrs. Kate Garrison, who is quite ill.

Mr. Adams left on this afternoon train for the south.

## TEXAS FLOOD SITUATION

WATERS ARE GENERALLY RECEDED AT OVERFLOW POINTS.

## PROSPECTS ENCOURAGING

Goldthwaite Fears Trouble From the Colorado and People Are Moving to High Ground—Property Loss is Enormous.

Fort Worth, Texas, April 20.—But little aside from the damage and misery on the part of the victims is left from the high waters of the Trinity. At 10 o'clock tonight the river was in its normal banks, although at noon yesterday it had reached the high mark made by the raging flood of 1883.

Street car traffic has been resumed to Rosen Trighls and Rock Island railroad traffic to North Fort Worth is also unimpeded. The Northern Traction cars are again in operation. All this traffic was resumed at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The total damage including that to railroads is now placed at \$1,500,000. A relief fund totaling \$400 has been subscribed for the flood sufferers.

AT DALLAS—At 8:30 o'clock last night, G. M. and Jack Duncan, custodians of the government property at the wharf, reported that within the twenty minutes' period, hour the river had fallen eight and was then going down rapidly. At 11 p. m. they report a fall of one foot since six o'clock.

At 6 p. m. Voluntary Weather Observer G. A. Eisenlohr reported the fall of two-tenths of a foot between that time and noon. The river was then at the forty-foot stage, the maximum for the present rise having been attained at noon, when the government gauge showed 40.2 feet. Mr. Eisenlohr said that unless heavy rains had fallen in the country up stream, he expected a rapid fall during the night.

Goldthwaite, Texas, April 20.—It is feared the floods in Colorado river will reach the mark made in October, 1900. Many families are moving to higher ground.

The result will not be so disastrous as the former flood, for the reason that there remains ample time to plant and grow crops on the flood land.

The Santa Fe railroad company is a heavy loser, as much damage has been done to tracks and bridges; besides it has on its hands hundreds of head of cattle on the west side of the Pecos Bayou, which must be cared for until the road can be repaired.

Bryan, Texas, April 20.—The Brazos

## Crowded!

An investigation will reveal the fact that

## The West Main Carriage Painting Co.

Have their house pretty well crowded with

Top Buggies, Runabouts, Stanhopes, Phaetons, Surreys and Delivery Wagons

Most of which are to be repainted—quite a number are for sale or exchange. You can pick up a Bargain for your money.

Will Trade for Your Old Buggy

G. S. Job, manager of the above firm, is a well known citizen of Ardmore and assures you Honest Work, Prompt Service and Right Prices. We also

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Located in Cruce-Maxwell Bldg. West Main St., Ardmore, Okla.

## RESOLUTIONS ARE PASSED

ENDORSE FAVORABLE REPORT OF RESTRICTIONS BILL.

COMMEND OUR BANKERS

In Their Efforts to Secure Necessary Legislation for Oklahoma—Thanks Expressed to the President Also.

Shawnee, Okla., Apr. 21.—Special.—The following resolution was unanimously adopted at the meeting of Oklahoma Immigration Association and Commercial Secretaries today.

"Whereas Oklahoma, the new state comes into the Union with a large percentage of her area withheld from taxation by reason of restrictions placed upon the lands of competent Indian allottees, thus denying the state and several subdivisions thereof, the right of taxation, which is necessary to carry on the functions of home government, and

"Whereas the development of the state has been greatly retarded and restricted by said restrictions imposed on Indian lands, thus minimizing the efforts of all commercial organizations in building up the new empire.

"Be it resolved by the Oklahoma Immigration and Industrial Development Association, in joint session with the Oklahoma Commercial Secretaries that we most heartily endorse and approve the action of the joint committee on Indian affairs in reporting favorably the measure removing restrictions from Indian lands in Oklahoma, an act which is not only justice to the Indian allottee, but a recognition of the ability to manage their own affairs, and keep pace with the marked advancement of Oklahoma.

"Be it further resolved, that we express our thanks to the president of the United States for his assurance of support in this respect, and commend our representatives in congress for their untiring efforts to secure this notable legislation.

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Guthrie, Okla., April 21.—Special.—Charging that he erased the words "One thousand" and substituted therefor "One team," the state printing board today rejected the bid of Frank Greer, publisher of the Guthrie State Capital for printing schedule No. 2 of the state printing bill, which was for \$45,000.

Greer is also sued on his bidder's bond of one thousand dollars. It was accidentally discovered that an interlineation had been made and Greer was called before them and severely criticized and notified of the suit.

The bids on the rest of the four schedules were rejected and new ones will be advertised for, all the other bids being declared too high or faulty.

## TUCKER INDICTMENT QUASHED.

Oil Company Promoter May Be Re-Indicted However.

Topeka, Kan., Apr. 21.—H. H. Tucker, Jr., former secretary of the Uncle Sam Oil company and its promoter, who has been indicted for using the mails to defraud, secured the quashing of the indictment today.

United States Attorney Boone says he has asked the federal grand jury to re-indict Tucker.

## In Justice Court.

The case of the state against Hamp Rogers charged with wife beating was dismissed by justice of the peace Winfrey this morning at the defendant's cost.

Scott E. Johnson was arrested this morning and made bond on the charge of to keep the peace. A peace warrant having been sworn out against him by his brother-in-law.

## Chamberlain's Has the Preference.

Mr. Fred C. Hamrah, a prominent druggist of Portsmouth, Va., says: "For the past six years I have sold and recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is a great remedy and one of the best patent medicines on the market. I handle some others for the same purposes that pay me a larger profit, but this remedy is so sure to effect a cure, and my customer so sure to appreciate my recommending it to him that I give it the preference." For sale by F. J. Ramsey and Hoffman Drug Co.

Corrugated iron at Elvins, Corbin & Frenley's.

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## TRIAL NEARING END

PROSECUTION RESTS ITS CASE IN TRIAL OF FRANK SCHNECK FOR MURDER.

Ottawa, Kan., April 21.—The state rested in the Schneck murder trial today. A few minutes previous it introduced Mrs. Enbright, who lives close to the Schneck's home. She testified that at midnight on the night of the tragedy she saw a light in the Schneck bedroom and the figure of a man bending forward. "What do you say as to his identity?" asked the prosecutor, "I feel certain it was Frank Schneck," replied the witness.

## New Buildings at Sulphur.

Sulphur Okla., April 21.—A number of contracts have just been let for new business houses and flats and work will begin at once.

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## Our Sale Grows

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Thousands of dollars worth of brand new goods are being sold at prices never before known in Ardmore.

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Watch for our circular and list of reductions at every door in Ardmore. We guarantee every price and your money back if not just as advertised.

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THE LADIES STORE

## BURGLARY AT SULPHUR

YEGGMEN GET \$250 FROM MERCHANT AT SULPHUR—OFFICERS IN PURSUIT.

Sulphur, Okla., Apr. 21.—Special.—The clothing and shoe store of A. D. Nowlin was burglarized last night and \$250 in money taken from the safe.

Officers are searching for some suspicious parties and are hopeful of catching the burglars.

## BILL FAVORABLY REPORTED

HOUSE COMMITTEE FAVORS MC CALL BILL REQUIRING PUBLICITY OF CAMPAIGNS.

Washington, D. C., April 21.—The McCall bill requiring the publicity of campaign contributions was today reported favorably to the house by the committee on elections.

## WEST FILES MANY SUITS

AGAINST NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHED OUTSIDE THE STATE.

## ON WHISKEY ADVERTISEMENTS

Says He Will Include all Newspapers Which Carry Advertisements for the Sale of Whiskey—News Stand Also.

Guthrie, Okla., April 21.—Special.—Attorney General West today filed suit in Logan county district court against twenty defendants, including the Kansas City Journal, Dallas News, Fort Worth Record, St. Louis Republic and Globe Democrat newspapers, to enjoin them from entering the state with advertisements for intoxicating liquors and its substitutes.

Permission is asked to include all other publications containing liquor advertisements not now known to Mr. West. "If I win the suit," said West, "such publications as Life and Harpers Weekly must eliminate whiskey advertisements or not enter the state."

In the suit is also included the local distributing news stands.

## PRESIDENT WILL SIGN.

After Opinion of Bonaparte Employers' Liability Will Become Law.

Washington, D. C., Apr. 21.—As a result of an opinion rendered to the president by Attorney General Bonaparte at a cabinet meeting today, it is believed that the president will now sign the employers' liability bill.

## OBJECT TO DISPENSARY

PHYSICIANS OF OKLAHOMA CITY MAY START FIGHT

## RESENT DISPENSER'S THREAT

Claim to Be the Better Informed As to the Necessity for a Liquor Prescription—Will Act Thursday—May Ignore Matter.

Oklahoma City, April 21.—Oklahoma City physicians resent the threat made by the Rev. J. J. Thompson, district dispensary supervisor, that he will cause the arrest of doctors who make a practice of writing prescriptions for liquor, indiscriminately. The position of the doctors is that they are better judges of when liquor prescriptions should be written than the former minister.

"It is probable that the Oklahoma County Medical society, at its meeting Thursday night, will discuss the prescription clause of the Billups bill," says Dr. W. T. Salmon, president of the association. "It is likely that we will decide to ignore the threat of the Rev. Mr. Thompson and write prescriptions when we feel that conditions warrant, or else we may adopt the policy agreed upon by the society in El Reno and decline to write whiskey prescriptions at all."

"There are few diagnoses requiring whiskey alone as a remedy, but when whiskey is the one thing needed by a patient, it is likely that the attending physician will consider the welfare of his patient rather than be governed by the threat of probable prosecution at the hands of the dispensary authorities."

"There are no doubt some doctors who write prescriptions promiscuously and at a stipulated fee. These physicians, though, are not of the class to which the great body of practitioners belong. Such deportment is condemned by the medical societies and the guilty ones expelled. Fortunately, these physicians are scarce."

## NEW HAMPSHIRE REPUBLICANS.

State convention at Concord—Doubtful About Instructions.

Concord, N. H., April 21.—The republican state convention to select delegates to the national convention at Chicago met here today.

There is little early indications of what the convention will do regarding instructions.

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