

ORDERED TO MADRID.

WEYLER NOT TO AWAIT HIS SUCCESSOR.

The Deposed Captain General Commanded to Return to Madrid Without the Least Delay—Marshal Blanco Outlines His Policy to Insurgents.

MADRID, Oct. 12.—The minister of war has cabled to Captain General Weyler to embark for Madrid immediately, handing over the command to the Marquis Alameda or General Castellanos. All high civil officers and the principal lieutenants of Weyler will be replaced promptly. The government also telegraphed an order to cease instantly all severities and all rigorous methods of warfare practiced hitherto.

With the exception of the Conservatives and Republicans, who persist in courtship Weyler, the majority of the press and public opinion applaud the new government for gazetted decrees recalling Weyler and appointing Marshal Blanco governor general of Cuba.

So determined was the cabinet to act vigorously that, as soon as the council of ministers had approved the decrees, Count Xiquena, minister of public works, carried them to the palace and the queen got up from dinner to sign them.

The minister of war has telegraphed to the Transatlantic company to postpone the departure of the mail steamer to allow General Blanco to embark tomorrow with a numerous staff. Six generals, also officers who served under Marshal Campos in the early part of the present war and 20,000 men as reinforcements, will follow soon.

General Ramon Blanco, the new captain general, announces that he will act with great energy against the insurgents and will employ all political means to restore equality of treatment in the various sections of Cuba. He adds that he has the greatest desire to end the horrors of war and to establish peace by the system which he adopted in 1879.

The inhabitants of Palma, the birthplace of General Weyler, are preparing to give him an ovation on his return from Cuba.

TAMMANY WANTS GAYNOR

Are Endeavoring to Replace Van Wyck—His Pledge to George.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Nathan Strauss and Richard Croker have held a conference at Great Barrington, Mass., with Judge William Gaynor of Brooklyn and Colonel William L. Brown, and it is reported that there will be a readjustment of the Democratic city ticket with Judge Gaynor's name in the place of that of Robert A. Van Wyck as the candidate of the party for mayor.

Judge Gaynor was disinclined to accept a place on the ticket on account of his friendly relations with Henry George, the Independent Labor candidate. He said to Messrs. Strauss and Croker that Henry George, before accepting the independent nomination for mayor, had told him that he would not run if Judge Gaynor was a candidate. With this courtesy in mind, Judge Gaynor hesitated to give his consent. He has the matter still under consideration.

MAJOR WARNER BUSY.

John A. Duncan Urged for Revenue Collector—Other Favors Asked for.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Major Warner discussed Missouri appointments with President McKinley for more than an hour to-day. He was accompanied to the White house by General J. B. Henderson, John A. Duncan and Frank V. Hamilton, the Republican candidate for Congress in the Sixth district.

The major again strongly urged the appointment of Duncan as collector of internal revenue at Kansas City, and presented in detail the features of the contest for the place. As a result of this interview Duncan's friends claim to be greatly encouraged.

The candidacies of J. Silas Harris of Kansas City for minister to Liberia and Dr. Crossland of St. Joseph for some foreign place were brought to the President's attention by Major Warner. Both are considered as likely to receive appointments.

Major Warner also urged the appointment of some of his friends to postmasterhips in Western Missouri.

RUINED BY ITS SECRETARY

Mechanics' and Traders' Building Association Funds Improperly Used.

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—Judge Hanney today appointed Joseph W. Suddard and Arthur Walsh permanent receivers for the Mechanics' and Traders' Savings Loan and Building association on Bard, the expert who has been appointed to examine the association's books, reported that Charles C. French, the secretary, owed the association about \$369,000 and held property of the association either in his own name or in the names of friends upon which there were loans of \$319,000. This was secured by mortgages on property the appraised value of which did not exceed \$78,000. French is supposed to be in Colorado.

JAPAN AND THE SEALS

The Washington Invitation Supposed to Cover the Whale Question.

LONDON, Oct. 12.—An official telegram received here from Yokohama says that Japan accepted the invitation to send a representative to the assailing conference soon to be held in Washington upon the understanding that the whole sealing question was to be discussed and not simply the questions covered by the Paris award. Japan having no interest in the Pribilof islands.

THE GREAT DROUGHT ENDS

Rain Throughout the West and Southwest—And Still More in Sight.

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—The long, disastrous drought has been broken by more or less heavy rains throughout the West and Southwest. Reports from Kansas, Nebraska, South Dakota, Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Missouri, Arkansas, Texas, Oklahoma, Kentucky, Tennessee, Ohio and Minnesota show quite general rains, with indications of more during the next twenty-four hours.

The rain in Nebraska is the first of any consequence that has fallen in that state for six weeks, while Kansas and Missouri received their first thorough wetting for over two months.

According to the weather bureau, an unusually extensive area of low barometer extends from the Rocky mountains eastward over the Mississippi and Ohio valleys and the lake region. Within that area since Saturday morning general showers have fallen. The heaviest rainfall reported is at Wichita, Kan., where 2.88 inches were registered. The temperature is above the normal in nearly all sections except the southwest.

Many acres of fall sown wheat, which have been despaired of, will be revived by this precipitation; seed that has long lain unspouted in the ground will take a new impetus, and pastures and meadows, lately despaired of by cattle growers, will be revived. The effects of the general rain are not now calculable in dollars or in bushels. Cotton and corn in the Southern states will be benefited directly, and the more northerly districts will show in the acreage next year the good effects of a rain that was well nigh despaired of.

ALL OF KANSAS BLESSED.

TOPEKA, Kan., Oct. 12.—Reports from every part of this state as far as the Colorado line show that the long drought has been broken in virtually every section. Much of the young wheat must have died, for there had been no rain since early last month, but relief has come sooner than had been expected. And wherever the rain has fallen the downfall has been unusually plentiful. Towns like Fort Scott and Wellington, which would have been in sore straits in case of fire, now have plenty of water for emergencies as well as for everyday use.

The principal menace was the pastures, and it was thought that cattleman would have to begin feeding corn but the grass has been washed and reinvigorated and the feeding period will probably be short. Reports received by the local weather bureau indicate that the rain was general from Missouri to the Rocky mountains, and even beyond those limits.

MISSOURI ENJOYS THE RAIN.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 12.—Telegrams from every part of the state report the breaking by heavy soaking rains of the drought which has lasted for over two months. The rain was especially welcome about Joplin and Springfield. At St. Joseph the fall continued all of yesterday, reviving parched parks and lawns and probably doing much to alleviate prevalent sickness. The Missouri river, which had been unusually low, has begun to rise, indicating that the rainfall has been widespread. In other portions of the state, especially the agricultural section, the rains have revived pastures and farmers are busy in their wheat fields. The sky is everywhere still overcast and more rain is expected.

IRISH RELIEF FUNDS

No Special Session of Parliament Will Be Necessary.

LONDON, Oct. 12.—In reply to a petition signed by sixty-four members of the Irish party in the House of Commons asking the government to call a special session of Parliament to deal with the exceptional distress in Ireland, Arthur J. Balfour, first lord of the treasury and government leader in the House of Commons, has written to John Dillon, the Irish leader in the house, as follows:

"The government has observed the partial failure of the potato crop with great concern, and is watching anxiously the condition of the people in the threatened districts. There is no need, however, to summon parliament earlier than is customary because, should the apprehensions of the memorialists be unhappily realized, the executive is empowered to adopt the necessary measures without waiting for the sanction of parliament."

Omaha Exposition Carpenters Strike

OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 12.—One hundred carpenters employed at the Transmississippi exposition grounds struck to-day. They ask that the Carpenters' union be recognized, and that skilled labor alone be employed in the carpenter work. The contractors have been paying the union scale, but have not recognized the union.

But One Whale Caught.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 12.—The whalers that wintered in the Arctic last year are having hard luck this season. Only one of them succeeded in killing a whale this summer and the fleet that will return this fall will bring only a small revenue to their owners.

How Kansas Pay Debts

ELDORADO, Kan., Oct. 12.—A Butler county farmer went to a bank in this city Saturday and told the cashier he wanted to pay off a \$1,500 mortgage on his farm. The cashier looked up the mortgage and finding that it was drawing 9 per cent interest and was not due until next February, he told the farmer that it would have to run to that date. The farmer laid the \$1,500 on the counter, pulled out a buldog revolver, laid it beside the money, and said he was going to pay that mortgage. The cashier delivered up the document and took the money.

EVIDENCE ALL IN.

The Luetgert Defense Unexpectedly Offers No Surrebuttal.

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—When the Luetgert trial was resumed to-day, witnesses which the defense had called in surrebuttal failed to respond when their names were called, and finally ex-Judge Vincent announced to the court that the case of the defense was all in.

After a brief consultation by the counsel in the case it was agreed to begin arguments to the jury this afternoon. Assistant State's Attorney McEwen opened after lunch. He will be followed by Attorney Phalon. Ex-Judge Vincent will close for the defense and State's Attorney Dencen will close for the prosecution. The case will go to the jury probably next Saturday night.

It is reported on excellent authority that Luetgert has determined, despite the opposition of his attorneys, to make a speech before the close of the trial, telling the jury why he should not be convicted. Vincent and Phalon have used every possible argument to dissuade him, but he has only grown more sullen. He is also said to have openly denounced Vincent as incompetent. He believes that it is impossible that he should be convicted. Odds of 4 to 1 are offered on Luetgert's acquittal.

REUNION WEEK.

Fine Weather for the Leavenworth Fall Festival.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Oct. 12.—Reunion week opened bright and clear, twenty-four hours' rain having settled the dust. Camp Alger presented a lively appearance this morning with 1,600 white tents and two large pavilions covering over forty acres. Soldiers of the regular army have charge of the police regulations, while detectives from this and neighboring towns are also present. No gambling will be allowed. The camp was formally turned over to Commander Botkin by the reunion committee this afternoon.

The opening day was designated "Soldiers' Home day," and by noon fully 2,000 veterans were in the camp. The formal opening exercises were begun about 2 o'clock with Colonel Sidney Cooke of Herlington presiding. United States Senator Baker delivered the welcoming address on behalf of the town. Governor J. G. Rowland of the Soldiers' home responded for the veterans and Captain John M. Hyman of Illinois for other visitors.

TAX RIOTING IN ROME.

A Crowd Protesting Against Increased Levies Becomes Unruly—Police Charge.

ROME, Oct. 12.—A large procession of tradesmen, headed by the pro-syndic of Rome and the president of the chamber of commerce, marched to the office of the minister of the interior this afternoon to protest against the increased taxation. Premier Rudini, who is also minister of the interior, received a committee representing the tradesmen and promised that all possible would be done to promote friendly relations and greater equity between the tax collectors and taxpayers.

In the meanwhile a large crowd of people had collected around the ministry, angry shouts were heard and some of those present tore up paving stones and otherwise assumed a threatening attitude. This caused the police to make an attempt to disperse the violent portion of the crowd, and in the conflict which followed six policemen were injured and one rioter was killed.

BURNED HIS WIFE.

Four Oil on Her Clothes and Then Applies a Match.

CANTON, Ohio, Oct. 12.—Residents of the Tenderloin district at Dayton this morning who investigated screams, saw a column of flames in the rear yard of the home of William De Puyster. In the flames was found Mrs. De Puyster, and before aid could be rendered she was dead, the clothing burned from her body, and her flesh literally roasted. The kitchen of the house was covered with oil spots and fragments of a broken lamp were found in the house and yard. De Puyster, when found, would give no explanation of what had occurred, and was placed under arrest on suspicion of murder. Neighbors say he and his wife had been quarreling all night. It is charged by a neighbor that De Puyster poured oil over his wife's night robe and then ignited the garment. The De Puysters bear bad reputations and have conducted questionable places.

Wales Not Equal to the Emergency.

LONDON, Oct. 12.—The Prince of Wales has declined an invitation to mediate in the engineering dispute. In the course of his letter of refusal he says that he deeply deprecates the "disastrous state of affairs," but feels it would not be right or proper for him to attempt in any way to interfere or to mix himself therein.

Cattle Poisoned by Sorghum.

ATCHISON, Kan., Oct. 12.—Ninety head of blooded cattle on Hackerett & Field's ranch, near Alton, Kan., got into a field of volunteer growth sorghum sugar cane Saturday, and forty head died in a few hours.

ATCHISON'S BIG FIRE.

Sixteen Buildings Destroyed, Including a Flouring Mill and State Bank.

ATCHISON, Kan., Oct. 12.—The Cain-Hathorn mill and warehouses, the Atchison State bank, the Palace saloon, Ed Heinz' restaurant, Ben Down's barber shop and a number of small dwellings burned to the ground early yesterday morning. The Cain-Hathorn people lost 3,500 barrels of flour, and their total loss is nearly \$80,000, with only \$19,000 insurance. In all, sixteen buildings were burned.

IS IN BETTER SPIRITS.

SPAIN'S NEW CABINET IS HOPEFUL.

The Government Credited With Trying to Solve Existing Difficulties—Places for Cubans—Volunteers to Be Used—Spanish Anarchists Bitter.

MADRID, Oct. 13.—Senor Gullon, minister for foreign affairs, has communicated to his colleagues the views of the European and American press in regard to the new ministry. He points out that the foreign newspapers are almost unanimously of the opinion that the program of Senor Sagasta, the new premier, has caused an important change in the attitude of the Washington cabinet, leading to the belief that the Cuban question will now enter upon a more favorable phase and demonstrating that the steps taken by the ministry have had an excellent effect in showing that the government is choosing practical means to solve the existing difficulties.

The minister for the colonies, Senor Moret, announced at the cabinet meeting that with a view to proving the sincerity of the government's promise to grant autonomy to Cuba, he has telegraphed to Senor Montoro, leader of the Autonomist party, asking him to nominate candidates for appointment for some of the important posts under the Cuban administration.

A semi-official statement, issued after the cabinet meeting, says that by employing native volunteers in Cuba instead of European troops the expenses of the campaign would decrease and the operations against the insurgents would be conducted more rapidly.

SPANISH ANARCHISTS BITTER.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The Spanish anarchist refugees of this city announce the immediate publication here for circulation in Spain of a periodical entitled "Germania." In a circular soliciting funds they say: "Hail to the social revolution. A group of liberty loving Spaniards are about to answer Angiolillo's cry of 'Germania'—a valiant watchword from the seafoad. The cowardly, inquisitorial government of Spain and the press, and cowardly and inquisitorial capitalist class of Spain have thrown down the gauntlet. We shall take it up as the best means of demonstrating that the ideal never dies."

HAVANA, Oct. 13.—As evidence of liberality on the part of the Spanish authorities, La Lucha has been permitted to reproduce in interviews printed in the New York Herald with a number of Cubans of New York city, in which the latter say they are fighting for the independence of Cuba and not to obtain home rule for the island.

NEW YORK CAMPAIGN.

George Ticket Files Its Certificates—No Resigning to Make Way for Gaynor.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The certificates placing Henry George in nomination for mayor, Colonel George E. Waring, jr., for comptroller and Jerome O'Neil for president of the council were filed with the election bureau to-day. They bore the signatures of 2,871 petitioners. Certificates of the county and judiciary nominees of the Citizens' Union were also filed. The nominations were made by the Thomas Jefferson Democracy.

Tom L. Johnson, who filed the certificates, asked whether Colonel Waring had accepted, replied: "He is nominated and the certificate is filed. Whether he will accept or not is a matter for the future to decide."

Paul Goebel has been selected to succeed Richard H. Adams as the Citizens' Union nominee for register. He is a lawyer, is president of the Liederkrantz, a member of the German American Reform union and a member of the Citizens' Union organization committee.

The Journal and Advertiser's poll of the mayorality preferences of Greater New York voters now includes 229,559 names. Of these Van Wyck has 72,014; Henry George, 71,056; Seth Low, 50,048; General Tracy, 33,431.

The George leaders declare that the report that Tammany is figuring on withdrawing Van Wyck and naming Judge Gaynor for mayor, will not affect them in the least, for George will not now withdraw under any circumstances.

TRUST DENIED.

Insurance Companies, Attacked by Missouri, Plead Innocence.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Oct. 13.—Through their attorneys, the insurance companies whose charters the attorney general has sought to revoke, and the foreign insurance companies, the annulment of whose licenses to do business in the state is sought by the attorney general because of alleged violation of the state anti-trust law, filed their answer to-day in the preliminary proceedings in the supreme court, in banc. They deny that they have entered into a pool to control rates in this state. They admit that a board of underwriters has been formed in this state which fixes certain rates, but they deny that they are members of this board.

ALTON, Ill., Oct. 13.—The race war at the Alton public schools broke out afresh this morning. Last week the colored people ceased sending their children to the schools for the whites, supposedly awaiting a decision from the courts. The police guards, accordingly, were withdrawn. This morning the colored children appeared and, with a rush, overpowered the janitor, struck the lady principal down and took seats in school. The police were summoned and ejected them, and school was held the rest of the day with the police guarding the doors.

FORTY CASES DAILY.

Such is the Yellow Fever Outlook at New Orleans Until Frost Comes.

GALVESTON, TEXAS, Oct. 13.—Dr. C. W. Trueheart, member of the advisory board of health, reported to the health office that he had found a well defined but very mild case of yellow fever. Dr. Edward Randall reported two cases in his practice which he pronounces yellow fever. Dr. Guiteras declares that there are four cases of yellow fever in Houston. Dr. Swearington, state health officer, has issued a proclamation quarantining Galveston and Houston, saying there are a few mild cases in each.

The smaller towns of the state are excited beyond measure, and in many counties trains are not allowed to stop.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 13.—From the returns there is little hope in the yellow fever situation. The board of health is daily demonstrating that with a fair show it is possible for modern science to restrict and stamp out the disease, but the people who must suffer from a strict application of scientific methods rebel, the result being that the pathway of the board is beset with difficulties. If there were strict compliance with the health laws, if prompt report were made of cases, the fever germs would be quickly wiped out. But it begins to look now as if from thirty to forty new cases and from four to six deaths would be daily reported until frost comes. To-day, as on nearly every day since the fever first appeared here, about 50 per cent of the fatalities were traced to neglect and a disposition to hide cases until it was too late to do anything to save life.

INJUNCTION DECISION.

Judge Wilson Vigorously Denounces the Principle.

DENVER, Col., Oct. 13.—Judge Wilson, of the court of appeals, with Judges Thompson and Bissell concurring, handed down an opinion to-day in which he makes a vigorous attack on "government by injunction." In the case of H. Schradskie vs. the Appel Clothing Company, wherein the plaintiff was given a perpetual injunction by the lower court restraining the defendant from advertising a certain stock of goods as bankrupt stock, the court of appeals reverses the decree and remands the cause to the trial court with instructions to dissolve and dismiss the bill.

"We cannot approve a practice," said Judge Wilson, "nor subscribe to a doctrine which permits the exercise by the courts of the extraordinary power of injunction relief for every wrong or infringement upon the rights of another. Such a course of procedure, if carried to its ultimate natural conclusion, would tend to entirely subvert the fundamental principles upon which our system of laws is founded."

WOMEN SHOT BY BURGLER.

Mother and Daughter Found Murdered—Killed in Their Home.

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 13.—Mrs. Emma Kane, aged 65 years, widow of Eli Kane, and her daughter, Mrs. Sarah M. Shaw, aged 40 years, lived at 242 Lynn street in the lower part of Camden, near the river front. About 4:30 o'clock this morning Eli Shaw, a son of Mrs. Shaw, appeared at a third story window of the house and began shouting for the police at the top of his voice. Officers soon appeared and found that the two women had been shot, probably by burglars.

Shaw said that he was awakened shortly after 4 o'clock by a pistol shot. He made his way downstairs and at the bottom of the third story stairs found his mother bleeding and unconscious. He ran to the window and gave the alarm. Mrs. Kane was found sitting in a chair in the sitting room dead with a bullet wound in her head. Mrs. Shaw was at once removed to the Cooper hospital, where she died in a few minutes without making any statement.

The examination of the house showed that a rear shutter had been forced open, and a bureau drawer on the second floor had been ransacked.

MONEY APPOINTED.

Will Fill Out the Unexpired Term of the Late Senator J. Z. George.

JACKSON, Miss., Oct. 13.—Governor McLaurin has appointed Senator-elect Hernandez DeSoto Money as United States Senator, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Senator J. Z. George, whose term expires in 1899. Senator George, before his death, having declined to again become a candidate for the high office, an election for the regular term was necessary, and the last legislature, after a long deadlock, elected Mr. Money for the regular term beginning in 1899.

For Weeks With a Bullet in His Brain.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 13.—Sinclair McCoy, the New York traveling man who shot himself in the head while stopping at the Southern hotel, September 18, died at the Mullanphy hospital to-day. The bullet was removed from his brain three and a half days ago.

A Suicide on a Busy Corner.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 13.—At Sixth and Pine streets, one of the busiest corners in the city, yesterday afternoon, Frank Hannick shot himself dead with a revolver before hundreds of people. His clothing was that of a laborer, but nearly all new. His appearance was so emaciated as to indicate that he had not eaten for days, but in his pockets were \$1.50 and a bank book showing that he had \$150 deposited with the Mississippi Valley Trust company. A card was also found that showed that he had belonged to Glen Carbon Bricklayers union No. 9.

LEAVENWORTH REUNION.

Seven Thousand Veterans in Attendance—The Weather Fine.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Oct. 13.—The weather of the second day of the reunion was as fine as the first had been. Sunday's rain proved to have been timely, and Camp Alger and the roads were neither muddy nor dusty. It was estimated this morning that fully 7,000 strangers were already here. Eight special trains were scheduled for to-day. Veterans from Nebraska and Missouri are coming in fast, showing that this is an inter-state reunion in every sense.

The exercises at Camp Alger opened this morning with a meeting at Hanback pavilion. Congressman Broderick delivered a welcoming address on behalf of the veterans of Kansas to those from sister states. The first response was by Commander Botkin of the Kansas department and General John F. Platt of the Nebraska department responded for the other states.

A feature of the morning was a parade by 3,000 regular troops through the principal streets.

At 1 o'clock two campfires were held simultaneously. Commander Platte of Nebraska presided at Hanback pavilion while the one at McGregor pavilion was presided over by Commander Everhardy. At 2 o'clock the second big meeting of the day was held at McGregor pavilion. Senator W. A. Harris delivered an address to outside visitors in the name of Kansas and another welcoming speech was made by Vice Commander S. L. Wilson. The responses were by Congressman Curtis, and Major F. E. Thomas of Omaha, Neb.

The flower parade will take place to-morrow afternoon, the annual Apple Carnival parade Thursday and the parade of secret orders Friday, while the annual log rolling exercises of the Modern Woodmen of Kansas will take place the same afternoon.

Governor Leedy is expected to-morrow, but General Gordon of Georgia has telegraphed that he cannot attend.

OLIVER'S TRIAL BEGUN.

Called States Judge Foster Holds Against Colonel A. J. Smith's Assailant.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Oct. 13.—Joseph W. Oliver, the veteran charged with having blown up the residence of Colonel A. J. Smith at the Soldiers' home with dynamite, was arraigned in the United States court to-day on two counts—attempting to murder Governor Smith and attempting to commit manslaughter on Mrs. Smith. His attorneys argued at length to quash the indictment on the ground that dynamite was not a deadly weapon.

Judge Foster held that giant powder and dynamite were both deadly weapons when it developed that they were used with evil intent. He also ruled that Oliver should be tried under the statute fixing three years in the penitentiary for attempted murder and two for manslaughter. Oliver waived pleading at the bar and came into court with a scratch book full of notes that he had written while in jail.

DARK HORSE TO WIN.

Charles Hart Likely to Get the Oklahoma Marshalship.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—The situation with regard to the Oklahoma marshalship has again shifted, and it now appears certain that none of the names heretofore prominently connected with the race will be considered, but that the president and the attorney general have decided to appoint a comparatively new man. It seems highly probable now that the marshal will be named in a few days, and that the commission will go to Charles Hart. Mr. Hart is an ex-Ohioan, and is strongly backed by Ohio influence. He is now a resident of Oklahoma, but formerly lived at Warren, Trumbull county, O. It seems that Mr. Hart is a personal acquaintance of the president.

Accused of Three Murders.

FORT SCOTT, Kan., Oct. 13.—Harvey Jackson, a refugee for whose apprehension the government has spent much time and money, was arrested to-day by Deputy Marshal Jones in a hut on the river bank near Chetopa. He is charged with murdering Jane Singleton, his housekeeper, near Muskogee, I. T., in June, 1896, and is also accused of having murdered a man near Oswego and of having shot another man at Muskogee years ago. He confesses having shot the Singleton woman, but says it was in self-defense. He is in the federal jail here and will be sent back to Muskogee.

Used Human Flesh for Bait.

PERRY, Okla., Oct. 13.—James Wenah, a demented Indian, killed an old man by the name of Jones for fish bait. A party of men came across the Indian while he was fishing on Dog creek, and later they found the body of the dead man. They took the Indian in charge and he confessed the crime. He was asked if he killed the man for his money and he answered in the negative and said he had killed him for fish bait. An examination of the Indian's fish basket showed that he had torn a considerable quantity of flesh from the legs and arms of the man and baited his fishing line.

CHELSEA, Ind. Ter., Oct. 13.—The Shawnee Indians are holding a stamp dance about six miles north of here.

It has been in progress about three days. About 300 Indians are present. They wear gorgeous costumes gaily decorated and the dancing consists of jumping straight up and down in a circle around a big fire. Every few minutes they place their hands over the hearth, make a low bow to the fire, utter a savage yell, and proceed. This action is kept up as long as the Indians can stand it, and when they drop from fatigue some other takes their place.