One Hundred Twenty is the Full Report

That Embraces Every Choctaw County Case of Small Pox for This Awful Season – Forty Deaths Have Resulted in the County.

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Total number of cases in Hugo, 50.

Total number of cases at creosote plant, 21.

Total number of deaths in Hugo, 81.

Total number deaths at creosote plant, 6.

Total number of cases in Choctaw county outside of Hugo and creosote plant, 39.

Total number of deaths in county outside of Hugo and [portion missing]

Six new cases at the Old Goodland school marks the sum total throughout the county for the past forty-eight hours, the case at Hamden not so far developing as to be termed small pox.

Frank Rhone was added to the creosote plant list of patients Wednesday.

The Goodland cases are of the mild form and were listed late Tuesday. Dr. Dewey of the government Indian agency stating that they were small pox, and Dr. Wright, county health superintendent has so reported them to the state board of health.

The Ozier case reported Tuesday is one of varioloid and swells that total to 17. The case has been properly listed, but no anticipation of an outbreak is expected from there, owing to the prompt action of the attending physician in placing the quarantine after diagnosing the case.

With the better conditions prevailing and the fact that II the county towns are lifting their quarantines against Hugo, comes renewed confidence that that city is gaining steadily and that there is no occasion to fear an other outbreak.

The death list, largely from among those first taken, has began to assume less proportions and recoveries add to the era of better feeling now existent throughout the county.