RULING PLEASES DISTRICT HEADS

Commissioners to Hit Hard Blow at "Loan Shark" Violations.

STATEMENT OF SIDDONS

Comments on Effectiveness of Decision of Justice Shepard on Law's Constitutionality.

The Commissioners expressed much satisfaction last night at the defeat of the "loan-shark" law by Chief Justice Shepard, of the Court of Appeals, in the decision handed down by him in the case of William N. Prender. Commissioner Siddons, under whose particular jurisdiction the enforcement of this law comes, last night commented as follows upon the decision:

"I heard this morning that the so-called 'loan-shark' law which Mr. Justice Clabaugh recently declared unconstitutional had been upheld by the Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia, and the news was very pleasing to me, as well as to the other Commissioners.

"While I am not aware of the scope of the opinion that was rendered this morning, I am hoping that it is far-reaching and broad. In the event that it meets my expectations and hopes in this respect and becomes the last word in law in the matter, the Commissioners have much to look forward to in the suppression of the evils arising as a result of the iniquitous 'loan-shark' operations which this District has been dallying with for so many years. Needless to say, if the court holds, as we hope, the Commissioners will prosecute each and every case of 'loan-shark' wrongs quickly and with all possible force and firmness.

Decision of Court.

In reversing Chief Justice Clabaugh's decision in the case of William N. Prender, of Alexandria, who was denied a license as a pawnbroker and then instituted mandamus proceedings, Chief Justice Shepard, of the Court of Appeals, said:

"There had been much public complaint attending the lending of money in the District of Columbia, in comparatively small sums upon pledges or other security, by persons engaged in the business whether technically pawnbrokers within the meaning of former licensing statutes or not. The act undertook to remedy these mischiefs, in part at least, through license and regulation.

"In return for the somewhat high license tax and the regulations imposed, this class of lenders is given the right to exact a greater rate of interest than is permitted to bankers and others who are excluded from the operation, and it does not be the rule and who lend at a rate not greater than 8 per cent per annum.

Police Power of Congress.

"It is argued that the judgment below rested upon the ground that the act of 1913 is unconstitutional and void because of the discrimination made in the first section between residents of the District and non-residents, and between residents of other States and incorporated associations of other States.

"That there is such discrimination cannot be denied, but the question is, considering the nature of the business regulated, whether the classification and discrimination are within the power of Congress.

"Whatever, in legislating for the District of Columbia, is vested with the exclusive police power of the States within their several limits, and it is not limited by the prohibitions of the fourteenth amendment. However, as has been said in a border case, 'the power is extensive, but it is not unlimited, and is to be judicially tested.'

"Chief Justice Shepard intimates his opinion that the Legislature in the judgment thereof, to an end within its power, and unless the regulations are arbitrary, oppressive or unreasonable, it is not for the courts to say that they are beyond the exercise of the legitimate police power of Congress."

He adds that the power of classification of persons, making different provisions in relation to residents and non-residents, has frequently been upheld as being reasonable.

ORDERS FOR ARMY ENGINEERS.

Lieut. L. H. Watkins to Assist Col. William W. Harts.

First Lieut. James O'Connor, who has been under instruction at the Engineer School at Washington Barracks, has been ordered to report to Col. William C. Langfitt, in charge of rivers and harbors, for duty as the assistant. He will relieve Lieut. Joseph J. Hain, who is stationed in Chattanooga, Tenn., for duty in connection with the rivers and harbors work there.

First Lieut. Lewis H. Watkins, who also has been under instruction at Engineer school, has been ordered to report to Col. William W. Harts, Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds, to assist in connection with the construction of the Lincoln memorial, the Grant memorial, the Harry Monument, the development of Potomac Park, Meridian Hill Park, and other public reservations.

Labor Men's Case Advanced.

The Supreme Court yesterday advanced the cases of Gompers, Mitchell, and Morrison, officers of the American Federation of Labor, appealed to the court from the District Supreme Court on a judgment finding the plaintiffs in error guilty of contempt of court. The case grew out of the Bucks Stove and Range Company injunction suit, which was begun in the local courts six years ago. The appeal will be heard in January.

REAL HELP FOR STOMACH TROUBLE

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James O'Donnell and other druggists sell Phospho-pepsin tablets, for only 50c a package.

FUNERAL OF REV. J. C. PRATT.

Services Tomorrow Noon and Interment in Rock Creek Cemetery.

Funeral services for Rev. James Calcott Pratt, vice president of the firm of A. S. Pratt & Sons, who died at 2:30 o'clock yesterday morning after a month's illness, will be held at his residence, 1825 Avenue of the Presidents, at noon tomorrow. Bishop Randolph, of the New York Reformed Episcopal Church, will conduct the services. Interment will be in Rock Creek Cemetery.

Rev. Mr. Pratt was born in Brooklyn, N. Y. He died at the age of sixty-seven. He was graduated from the Theological Seminary near Alexandria, Va. He came to Washington in 1882 and entered the Reformed Episcopal Church. He married Miss Margaret S. Johnson. He entered the firm of A. S. Pratt & Sons and became its vice president. His wife and one son, Stewart Pratt, survive him.

DECISION OF TRIBUNAL FAVORS THE BAY STATE

U. S. Supreme Court Holds Massachusetts May Tax Foreign Corporations There.

CHIEF JUSTICE HAS BIRTHDAY

Under a decision of the United States Supreme Court handed down yesterday, the State of Massachusetts will be able to collect many thousands of dollars from foreign corporations doing business in that State.

The decision upholds the validity of the State law imposing a tax on foreign corporations, which have their usual place of business in the State. The decision was not unanimous. The Chief Justice and Justice Van Devanter dissented from the conclusions of the majority which were announced by Associate Justice Day.

The case was brought by the Baltic Mining Company, a Michigan corporation, and S. S. White Company, incorporated under the laws of Pennsylvania. Both corporations had their offices in the State of Massachusetts. The ground of the attack was that the law was a burden upon interstate commerce.

The Supreme Court dismissed the "lemon case," appealed by the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad, from a decision of the Commerce Court. This case was brought by the railroad to enjoin the Interstate Commerce Commission from enforcing the order made nearly two years ago regarding the rate on lemons from the West to the Eastern points. The railroad attacked the order on the ground that it was made to establish competitive conditions between the lemon producers of California and producers in Sicily.

Former Chase Kloss, former Senator, Secretary of State and Attorney General, was in the Supreme Court to make a motion for a writ of certiorari.

Incidentally Mr. Kloss came to Washington to remove the personal effects and household goods from his home in K street, which is resulted while Secretary of State, to Pittsburgh.

Chief Justice White was sixty-eight years old yesterday. The Chief Justice celebrated the event by working a little harder than usual.

PROTEST MADE AGAINST CAR LINE ON M STREET

Resolutions in Opposition Adopted at Meeting of Mid-City Citizens' Association.

Resolutions protesting against the granting of a franchise for a proposed street car line along M street Northwest were passed by the Mid-City Citizens' Association at its meeting last night in the office of Charles S. Shreve, 1009 Eleventh Street Northwest.

The substance of the resolutions of protest were that the wishes of the residents along the street had not been considered; that M street is not wide enough for a street car line; that the present surface system under the street would have to be torn up and that the tracks would have to go around Thomas Circle, thereby making that point a dangerous traffic center.

There was considerable discussion over the question of polling the office of the Recorder of Deeds of the District under the jurisdiction of the District Commissioners and a resolution favoring placing the office under the heads of the local government thereby removing distasteful jurisdiction of negro employes was unanimously adopted.

Several speakers discussing conditions that exist at the office of the Recorder of Deeds, declared that even now it is feared that the President will appoint a colored man to succeed the colored incumbent. The association also favored the movement to open schools for the teaching of trades throughout the city.

President A. J. Drew, of the association, was in the chair during the meeting.

Balls at Trinity Baptist Church.

John F. Dempsey, former member of Congress, will speak at Trinity Baptist Church at 8 o'clock tonight in answer to criticisms of a speech recently delivered here in opposition to race segregation. Other speakers have been invited.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

WHITE.

Antonio Adonis, 25, and Salvatore Cerone, 18, Rev. Ignatio Fealy.

Joseph L. Boone, 25, and Henrietta M. Leverson, 20, Rev. T. S. Alexander.

Edgar S. Conner, 21, and Ethelyn E. Norris, 18, Rev. C. W. Johnson.

William T. Bradley, 27, and Ada Owen, 21, both of Portsmouth, Va., Rev. C. E. Rice.

Joseph F. Lilly, 26, and Clara T. Marchant, 23, Rev. D. J. Roche.

Arthur C. Walker, 26, and Julia A. Darlington, 19, Rev. Lazarus Fealy.

Edward A. Harrison, 21, and Anna Florence Terry, 20, Rev. J. A. Ball.

Charles Steele, 26, and Emma Costello, 22, both of Newark, N. J., Rev. Paul B. Wallington.

Ralph De Sanctis, 21, and Rosa Demonte, 20, Rev. M. J. Kennedy.

Cleveland D. King, 25, and Annabel Stetsman, 22, of Mount Rainier, Md., Rev. W. L. McKenney.

Fred Vernon, 26, of Portsmouth, Va., and Flora Nelson, of New York, N. Y., Rev. James S. Montgomery.

Jacob H. Stapelkamp, 28, of Pinebluff, Va., and Susie G. Dorset, 18, of Richmond, Va., Rev. James S. Montgomery.

COLORED.

M. H. Holmes, 25, and Dennie Jones, 22.

W. H. Brown, 22, and Sadie C. Smith, 18.

A. Magruder, 22, and Nellie Lewis, 19.

W. T. Collins, 22, and Blanche M. Hoagland, 18.

C. Johnson, 21, and Eddie Johnson, 21.

J. Cole, 22, and Lena Taylor, 18.

E. Bonds, 21, and Estell Higgins, 21.

M. E. L. Diggs, 31, and Mary V. Cunningham, 26.

H. Thompson, 21, and Fannie Adams, 20.

G. H. Brooks, 26, and Jane Clark, 21.

W. Williams, 26, and Florence Johnson, 20.

BIRTHS REPORTED.

WHITE.

Andrew H. and Gertrude F. Duvall, girl, Roland and Mary L. Steiner, boy.

Morton and Mae English, twins, girls.

George W. and Marian M. Roe, girl.

Victor and Maude Cobb, girl.

Octavius and Camilla Sagmeister, girl.

Robert E. and Agnes M. Hicks, girl.

Carter F. and Alice R. Hall, girl.

Thomas J. and Rachel Tucker, boy.

Charles W. and Nellie M. McCullum, girl.

Ralph M. and Antoinette A. Berger, girl.

Olof and Carolyn Preston, boy.

Samuel and Hester Simms, girl.

COLORED.

James and Virginia Keyes, girl.

Jesse A. and Laura Bolts, girl.

OFFER TO FURNISH SPEAKERS ACCEPTED

North Washington Citizens' Body Discuss Segregation of White and Colored Residents.

COMMITTEES ARE ANNOUNCED

Offers by the Tax Reform and the Street Safety Associations to furnish speakers for the December meeting, were accepted by the North Washington Citizens' Association at its meeting in the parish hall of the Church of the Advent, Second and T Streets Northwest, last night. A resolution was passed, calling upon the Commissioners to widen the alley at Todd Place. There was some discussion of means to effect the segregation of white and colored people in the District.

The following committees were announced by the president:

Executive Committee—H. F. Worley, Dr. A. D. Cobey, E. A. Niess, F. M. Headley, Hugh Everett, T. H. Braden, M. D. Kiefer, John Baker, R. L. Faris, and the chairmen of all other committees.

Membership Committee No. 1—D. S. Hoover, R. W. Tallman, George J. Berg, Dr. F. V. Brooks, and Dr. M. D. Lyon.

Membership Committee, No. 2—Edward S. Hoskins, Robert S. Moffatt, R. M. Harvey, W. D. Hallen, and John B. Espey.

Committee on Streets, Sidewalks, and Lights—L. J. Matthews, E. J. Wrightsman, T. W. Cochran, F. J. Cooksey, and George Musson.

Committee on Schools and Schoolhouses—E. C. Palmer, the Rev. H. T. Stevenson, the Rev. E. H. Mott, A. G. Monahan, and E. A. Niess.

Committee on Sanitation—Dr. W. W. Alleger, R. L. Faris, F. R. Wheatley, F. S. Moorhead, and Thomas J. Alleger.

Committee on Parks and Playgrounds—R. J. Wrightsman, John Baker, Joseph W. Cleary, W. C. Alden, and Hugh Everett.

Committee on Fire and Police Protection—Washington Topham, Charles H. Mayers, B. T. Garrison, W. D. McKenzie, and Charles E. Jerman.

Committee on Sewers and Water—Dr. Levi C. Blake, J. F. Podge, J. E. Simpson, George Speidel, jr., and C. B. Stokes.

Committee on Press and Postal Facilities—Samuel Gompers, W. C. Calvert, Charles A. Ford, A. B. Keefer, and A. S. Biddle.

Special Committee on Attendance—Dr. A. D. Cobey, F. M. Headley, E. A. Niess, Hugh Everett, and H. F. Worley.

SHAKESPEARE CLUB ELECTS.

First Meeting for Study Will Be Held November 29.

Members of the Shakespeare Club have perfected the organization and have elected officers. The first study meeting will be held November 29. Meetings will be held on alternate Saturdays. The first reading will be "The Merchant of Venice." Three papers of 30 words each will be read. These products will be on Shakespeare, Queen Elizabeth, and writers contemporary with Shakespeare.

Officers of the Shakespeare Club are: Alden Wheeler, president; Mrs. Elizabeth K. Skelton, vice president; Mrs. Alden Wheeler, secretary, and William Greene, treasurer. There are now twelve members of the club, and membership will be limited to twenty-five.

LABOR PLANS PROTEST

C. L. U. Will Discuss Colorado Mine Conditions Tomorrow Night.

Arrangements for a public meeting at National Rifles Armory tomorrow night to protest against Colorado mine conditions were completed at a meeting of the Central Labor Union last night. Mother Jones, labor worker, will address the meeting. Several other speakers prominent in labor circles will deliver addresses.

An agreement was entered into by the Central Labor Union and the Retail Liquor Dealers of the District whereby the latter agree to employ none by union labor in their establishments. The union will issue a card to liquor saloon keepers employing union labor and selling union goods, which will signify to the public that such establishments are union places.

WOMAN BADLY HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Mrs. Christine C. Nelson Thrown Twenty Feet When Street Car Hits Machine.

Suffering from internal injuries and a slight concussion of the brain, Mrs. Christine C. Nelson, fifty-six years old, wife of August W. Nelson, druggist, of North Capitol and R Streets, is in a serious condition at Casualty Hospital as a result of a collision between the automobile she and her husband were riding in and a street car at Second Street and Florida Avenue Northeast yesterday afternoon, shortly before 2 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson were riding out Florida Avenue, going east, and when directly beneath the railroad viaduct at Second Street their machine was struck from behind by a street car of the Capital Traction Company. The automobile was practically demolished. Both occupants of the machine were hurled from their seats. Mrs. Nelson landing with great force against the stone wall of the viaduct, twenty feet away. Mr. Nelson was thrown about ten feet, striking the sidewalk curbing.

Mrs. Nelson was picked up in an unconscious condition, and hurried to Casualty Hospital in an ambulance. It was stated last night that her condition was serious. At a late hour she had not regained consciousness. Mr. Nelson was bruised about the knees and wrists. He also was taken to the hospital.

DEATH RECORD.

WHITE.

Emma V. Grant, 61 years, 108 Delafield Place nw.

John Edward Griffin, 26, 47 Third St. nw.

Alexander McKenzie, 72, Gen. Wash. Univ., Hosp.

John H. Agry, 19, 227 Tenn. Ave. ne.

William T. Gladden, 29, Casualty Hospital.

Henry Bennett, 66, Wash. Asylum Hospital.

Charles H. Simpson, 26, 2311 M St. nw.

James Calcott Pratt, 67, 1825 Ave. of the Pres.

Alice Theresa Taylor, 19, Sibley Hospital.

William Fenton Howes, 68, 15 15th St. se.

Mary Webster, 72, 1116 Maine St. sw.

Samuel Yeatman, 3, Providence Hospital.

Marguerite Miller, 1 month, 4209 L St. ne.

COLORED.

Mary E. Hawkins, 65 years, 901 M St. se.

N. Helen Green, 29, 235 11th St. se.

James Dorsey, 27, 1965 12th St. nw.

John M. D. Wilson, 56, 940 T St. nw.

James Taylor, 80, Freedmen's Hospital.

John Mills, 34, Freedmen's Hospital.

Lena V. Early, 30, 1915 4th St. nw.

Mary Patten, 32, 224 Oakdale St. nw.

Lewis H. Jackson, 48, 1915 9th St. nw.

Isabell Beatrice Tyson, 34, 218 O St. nw.

Columbus Warren, 35, 1122 25th St. nw.

Lucinda Madgin, 70, 1232 8th St. nw.

Eleanor Smith, 8 months, 420 Wash. St. nw.

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MRS. MARY P. PIERCE DEAD.

Was Widow of Deputy Sergeant-at-Arms of the House.

Mrs. Mary P. Pierce, wife of the late Col. E. S. Pierce, died yesterday at her residence, 163 Girard Street Northwest, after an illness of a few weeks, at the age of seventy-three years.

She came to Washington from Grand Rapids, Mich., when Col. Pierce was appointed deputy sergeant-at-arms of the House of Representatives, sixteen years ago. Col. Pierce died a year ago, soon after they had celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Pierce leaves one son, Henry V. Pierce, of Grand Rapids; three daughters, Martha N., Anna Louise, of this city, and Amelia Pierce Carlson, wife of Civil Engineer C. A. Carlson, U. S. N., and three grandsons.

Funeral services will be held from her residence Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Burial will be in Arlington National Cemetery.

PLANS FOR MINISTER'S TRIAL ARE ARRANGED

Rev. J. A. De Puc, Formerly Pastor in Arlington, to Be Tried December 1.

With the Rev. Dr. Wallace Radcliffe acting as chairman, the Commission of the Washington Presbytery, chosen to hear the charges against the Rev. J. A. De Puc, formerly pastor of a Presbyterian church at Arlington, met at the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church yesterday afternoon and completed the preliminary arrangements for the clergyman's trial.

The trial of the minister on charges growing out of an indictment by the district grand jury in connection with the sale of stock of a typewriter concern of which he is alleged to have been an officer, was set by the commission December 1 at the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church.

On the outcome of the trial depends whether or not the Rev. Mr. De Puc will retain his position in the church. He denies all the allegations in connection with the sale of the stock, and declares he will retain his position in the Presbyterian clergy.

ELECTION NEWS AT PRESS CLUB.

Members Tonight Will Receive Bulletins on All Contests.

A special telegraph wire has been installed in the National Press Club, and through the courtesy of the United Press members of the club tonight will receive bulletins on the elections in the various States.

Owing to the great interest in the New York Mayoralty election, as well as the Gubernatorial contest in Massachusetts, and State and Congressional elections in other States, the United Press service volunteered the service to the Press Club. All bulletins will be posted as soon as returns from the various districts come in.

Mrs. F. Donaldson Reported Missing.

Mrs. Eunice Donaldson, thirty-two years old, is missing from her home, 1015 Jefferson Street Northwest, and the police have been asked to look for her. According to the police she has been away from home three weeks.

STREET CAR STRIKES HARDLY POSSIBLE HERE

Washington Railway Relief Association Preserves Cordial Relations Between Employer and Employe.

Conditions now existing in Indianapolis, where the street railway system is completely tied up as a result of a strike, causing inconvenience to the public and reported loss of life, seems remote from this city. Local street car systems are owned handled in such far as the public and traffic is concerned, employes are concerned.

The Washington Railway and Electric Company and its allied interests, long ago recognized the needs of its employes and, as part of such recognition, there came into being an association for the mutual protection of all employes, with the result that such conditions as now exist in Indianapolis could hardly obtain here.

In addition to the Washington Railway Relief Association, fathered by the Washington Railway and Electric Company, its employes are given consideration by the management so that there is harmony between employer and employe.

THROAT GASHED BY RAZOR.

Real Estate Operator's Wife Finds Him in Pool of Blood.

Washington B. Berry, forty-six years old, a real estate operator, of 1416 Meridian Street Northwest, is at Garfield Hospital, suffering from a four-inch gash across his throat, which he sustained at his home shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Berry says her husband did not attempt to kill himself. She said the accident occurred in the kitchen of their home while Mr. Berry was preparing to shave. Mrs. Berry stepped out of the room a moment. When she returned she found her husband on the floor in a pool of blood. He was taken to Garfield Hospital. While Berry's condition is serious, physicians at the hospital say his chances for recovery are good.

Spanish Army Officer Executed.

Madrid, Spain, Nov. 3.—Capt. Sanchez, of the Spanish army, who was sentenced to death by court-martial for the murder of Senor Jaion, a wealthy landowner, in September, after a dispute at cards, was executed today on the military parade ground.

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HONOR FOR SEVENTEEN WASHINGTON MEDICOS

Capital Practitioners Enter College of Surgeons of America November 13.

FIRST SESSION IN CHICAGO

When the first convocation of the College of Surgeons of America sits in Chicago November 13, a review of the rolls will show that twenty-four Washington medicos are among the founders of the institution, and as fellows of the college have had conferred upon them the highest honor their profession can give on this continent.

Besides these there are seventeen other members of the local fraternity who will be admitted to fellowship in the college.

Surg. Gen. Stokes, of the Public Health and Marine Hospital Service, is chairman of the State committee for the District of Columbia. He has received the following list of the Washington founders and those admitted to the college under class B through their high standing in the medical profession:

Founders—Edward A. Balloch, Rupert Blue, William Cline Borden, J. Wesley Bovee, W. P. Carr, Francis E. Hagner, Joseph Taber Johnson, E. P. Magruder, G. Brown Miller, James F. Mitchell, John P. Moran, E. Mason Parker, L. H. Reichelderfer, J. J. Richardson, A. R. Shands, Raymond Spear, Albert P. Stokes, Isaac S. Stone, George H. Torney, George Tully Vaughan, John R. Wellington, Charles H. White, and William Holland Wilmer.

Class B—Joseph H. Bryan, W. K. Butler, Virginius Dabney, William C. Ervine, H. A. Fowler, W. H. Fox, Henry D. Fry, L. B. Greene, Albert E. A. King, Robert S. Lamb, F. B. Loring, W. V. Marmion, Arthur Mathewson, O. A. McKimmie, Charles W. Richardson, Stephen O. Richey, and J. Ford Thompson.

FUNERAL OF MRS. GRANT.

Services Held for Wife of Chamber of Commerce Secretary.

Funeral services for Mrs. Virginia Grant, wife of Thomas Grant, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, were held yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the chapel of Wright's undertaking establishment. Burial was in Glenwood Cemetery and was private. There were many flowers from friends of Mr. and Mrs. Grant, and the directors of the Chamber of Commerce sent a set piece on behalf of the chamber.

Mrs. Grant had been a resident of the District most of her life. She was a native of Kentucky. She died Sunday after an illness of several months.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., November 3, 1913—8 p. m.

There will be local rains Tuesday from the lower lake region eastward, snow in the central and northern Rocky Mountain regions and rain in central and eastern Texas followed by generally fair weather Wednesday. Elsewhere the weather will be fair Tuesday and Wednesday, except in the north Pacific states.

It will be colder Tuesday night and Wednesday in the Middle Atlantic States and New England.

Local Temperatures.

Midnight, 70; 2 a. m., 72; 4 a. m., 70; 6 a. m., 70; 8 a. m., 65; 10 noon, 58; 2 p. m., 60; 4 p. m., 62; 6 p. m., 56; 8 p. m., 55; 10 p. m., 51. Highest, 82; lowest, 50.

Relative humidity—8 a. m., 91; 2 p. m., 72; 8 p. m., 79.

Rainfall (8 p. m. to 8 p. m.), 0 hours of sunshine, 0; per cent of possible sunshine, 00.

Temperature same date last year—Highest, 66; lowest, 36.

Temperatures in Other Cities.

Temperatures in other cities, together with the amount of rainfall for the twenty-four hours ended at 8 p. m. yesterday, are as follows:

	Max.	Min.	8 p. m.	Rain.
Asheville, N. C.	68	52	56	...
Atlanta, Ga.	72	56	58	...
Atlantic City, N. J.	56	52	54	...
Berwick, N. Dak.	36	32	35	...
Boston, Mass.	56	48	50	...
Buffalo, N. Y.	54	50	52	0.02
Chicago, Ill.	52	46	50	...
Cincinnati, Ohio	62	50	50	...
Cleveland, Ohio	58	52	56	0.06
Concord, N. H.	52	42	46	...
Davenport, Iowa	54	42	44	...
Denver, Colo.	70	30	50	0.22
Des Moines, Iowa	57	44	46	...
Detroit, Mich.	56	50	54	0.06
Galveston, Tex.	66	54	64	...
Helena, Mont.	60	32	36	...
Indianapolis, Ind.	60	52	54	...
Jacksonville, Fla.	77	58	64	...
Kansas City, Mo.	70	46	52	...
Little Rock, Ark.	66	40	42	...
Los Angeles, Cal.	70	54	62	...
Marquette, Mich.	48	34	38	0.02
Memphis, Tenn.	64	44	52	...
New Orleans, La.	72	54	64	...
New York, N. Y.	58	42	52	...
North Platte, Nebr.	50	34	36	...
Omaha, Nebr.	50	34	40	...
Philadelphia, Pa.	58	50	54	...
Pittsburgh, Pa.	56	48	50	...
Portland, Me.	48	38	44	...
Portland, Oreg.	54	52	52	...
Salt Lake City, Utah	58	36	41	0.38
St. Louis, Mo.	60	44	48	...
St. Paul, Minn.	48	40	41	0.04
San Francisco, Cal.	60	54	56	...
Springfield, Ill.	60	44	50	...

Condition of the Water.

Temperature and condition of water at 8 a. m.: Great Falls—Temperature, 36; condition, 35. Dalecarlia reservoir—Temperature, 52; condition at north connection, 25; condition at south connection, 46. Georgetown distributing reservoir—Temperature, 52; condition at inflow gatehouse, 29; condition at effluent gatehouse, 42.

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KENTUCKY CONVICTS OFFER REWARD FOR CAPTURE OF ESCAPED PRISONER

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 3.—Convicts in the State Penitentiary have raised a fund of $121, which they offer for the capture of John Hayden, a negro prisoner, who escaped.

The offer sets forth that the convicts are "grieved over the fact that John Hayden has violated the trust reposed in him by our kind warden."

Price Collier Dead.

London, Nov. 3.—Price Collier, the well-known American author, is dead. A dispatch from Copenhagen announces that the writer was seized with an attack of heart disease and died suddenly while on a shooting expedition with Count Wadell.

REAR ADMIRAL MAYO IS GIVEN TRANSFER

Detached by Request from Duties as Aid for Personnel to Go to War College.

Pursuant to his own suggestion, Rear Admiral Henry T. Mayo, U. S. N., will be detached from his present duties as aid for personnel and ordered to the Naval War College at Newport, R. I. The transfer was sought by Rear Admiral Mayo in order that he might obtain information available at the War College, before being assigned to the command of the Atlantic fleet. He was appointed aid for personnel by Secretary Daniels on April 28, 1913. At his departure the Secretary has taken occasion to make complimentary comment upon his ability and the splendid service he has given the department.

Capt. William F. Fullam, who has been aid for inspections since February of this year, will succeed Rear Admiral Mayo as aid for personnel.

Capt. Augustus F. Fechteler, at present president of the board of inspection and survey, will relieve Capt. Fullam, and will in turn be relieved as head of the board by Capt. Henry B. Wilson, now commanding the battleship North Dakota.

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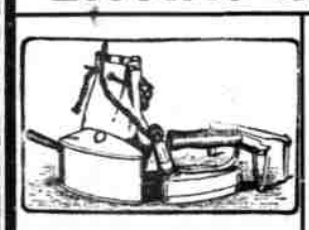
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PIERCE—On Monday, November 3, 1913, at 1 p. m., at her home, 163 Girard Street Northwest, MARY P., the beloved wife of the late Col. Edwin S. Pierce, formerly of Grand Rapids, Mich