

## POLITICAL PARAGRAPHS

Jack Thatcher and Norman Wardall have issued an edict, so the editor hereof has been informed, that Cayton's Weekly must be hit hard, which we figure out to mean that not even the accustomed \$2 subscription must be given it. If so small an amount will control the editorial policy of the paper then fellows you are foolish to not pay the two bucks and own the paper for another two years.

Billy Potts, late candidate for charity commissioner of King county, is again in the hotel business and is a bit sore over his turn down, although, as he now sees the matter, it was a blessing in disguise for him, but he is sore enough to throw a monkey wrench into the Republican machinery just for the fun of seeing the sparks fly, and yea, verily we suspect he will try to do so.

John E. Ballaine is being urged by scores of friend to file for the state senate from the Thirty-second senatorial district and if he does he will come mighty close to pulling the persimmon. Ballaine made a magnificent fight for the congressional nomination two years ago and it is believed by his friends that he could at this time beat John Failure Miller, either in the Republican primaries or in the general election as an independent candidate, but Mr. Ballaine is too patriotic to precipitate a campaign rumpus at this time and he therefore will keep out of that fight, but may enter the state senatorial contest.

Cayton's Weekly suggests that some well known colored man run for the state senate in the Thirty-seventh senatorial district, and if he did no more than defeat Ed Palmer, from a colored man's stand point, quite a good deal would be accomplished. Palmer has always peddled the bull to the colored voters in his district, but at no time did any of them ever remember of him succeeding in doing anything for them. Palmer has never, in all his political history succeeded himself and this is his time to go to the mat. No colored person can vote for Ed Palmer without confessing that he is a traitor to the colored man. Get ready to vote for anybody for state senator, but Palmer. More will be said as the campaign proceeds.

The fight in the third commissioners district is "sho one warm baby" and it aint half what it's going to be. Tom Dobson is a political scrapper of ye olden days and if Clark Nettleton gets in the scrap as he threatens to do it will be a fight to a fare-you-well finish. Already three have filed and according to rumor as many more will likewise file for the nomination.

In filing for justice of the peace for the Seattle district, C. G. Austin is the personification of "coming back" after going away. Many years ago he was elected to the state senate from Whitman county, immediately after Washington was admitted, and after serving out his term he retired from the game and "came back" years afterwards by being elected justice of peace in Seattle and was subsequently named police judge by Mayor Humes. Once again he quit the game and went into business, but "came back," at least in part, and sought the nomination for lieutenant governor, but was defeated. He took another long rest and has come back again for justice of peace.

The colored voters are continually demanding official recognition from successful politicians and never succeed in getting any or so little that what they get is the same as nothing. If they really want recognition they should get out and seek some of the places themselves, not only in the primaries, but even after the nominations have been made by getting on the regular ticket by petition. Suppose for an instance, should Norman Wardall be re-nominated, some influential colored man would seek the election of auditor on the regular ballot and then get the support of the col-

ored vote and as many of the white votes as would rally to him. Wardall would promise him the best place in his office to quit. Fight the devil with fire if you want to beat him at his own game.

Smiling Jim Hart, of Christopher, who is almost a daily visitor to Seattle, was seen one day this week and in reply to "Well, Jim, you have done it again," he whispered, "Lincoln was always more or less right in what he said, but I have been able to fool all of the people of my district all of the time, at least for the past twenty-six years, during which time I have been justice of peace of Christopher, and last week I filed for another term and I hope to fool 'em again." One with such a pleasing personality as Jim Hart, has little or no trouble in fooling the people forever and one day afterwards.

## SEEKING PUBLIC OFFICE

Filing for the primary election (thus far all Republicans) which began last Friday one week up to going to press are as follows:

### County Treasurer

A. E. McBrien, 1005 4th Ave.  
Wm. A. Gaines, 901 6th Ave.

### Sheriff

John Stringer, Sheriff's office.  
Fred Tuite, 326 Ballard Ave.  
Robert T. Hodge, New York Block.

### County Clerk

Percy F. Thomas, County Clerk's office.

### Prosecuting Attorney

Fred C. Brown, L. C. Smith Bldg.  
John D. Carmody, 727 18th North.  
S. M. Brocket, Prosecuting Attorney's office.

### County Assessor

Robert A. Tripple,  
Frank W. Hull, Assessor's office.  
Julius G. Day, 3818 Linden Ave.

### County Auditor

N. M. Wardall, Auditor's office.

### School Superintendent

A. S. Burrows, Court House.

### County Engineer

Samuel G. Humes, Court House.

### County Coroner

C. C. Tiffin, Joshua Green Bldg.  
Justice of Peace (Seattle District)  
Reah Whitehead, 325 Fifth North.  
O. G. C. Beals, 1707 Sunset St.  
John B. Wright, Court House.  
Victor Zednick, New York Block.  
C. A. Austin, 535 N. Broadway.  
John B. Gordon, City Hall.  
Otis W. Brinker, Court House.  
Hillman Jones, 4818 Holly St.  
R. B. Brown, 126 East 55th St.

### Constables, Seattle

John Watcher, 1908 Atlantic St.  
James E. Shannon, City Hall.  
Thomas J. Sweany, 1321 West 4th.  
James N. Lambert, Court House.  
Louis Hunny, 1423 King St.  
Tom Mulligan, 223 Thomas St.  
Joseph C. Grass, 1711 Boren Ave.

### County Commissioners

(Second District)

L. C. Smith, Auburn.

### County Commissioners

(Third District)

J. E. Mullane, 5305 Eighth N. E.  
A. E. Ruffner, Ballard.  
Thomas Dobson, Renton.  
Charles Marble, 113 W. 60th St.

### State Representatives

District 40 Fred Mess,  
Walter J. Lunn, Auburn.  
John Fleming, Enumclaw,  
(Democrat).  
Lillian L. T. Hall, Burton.  
J. T. Jones, Kent.  
District 41 H. P. Rude, 4801 Alki.  
L. J. Cross, Renton.  
Evan Thomas, New Castle.  
District 42 H. J. Phillips, 5770 26th N. E.  
Geo. N. Hodgdon (Democrat), 5643 Brooklyn Ave.  
District 43 A. F. Haynes, 810 28th So.  
District 44 W. W. Conner, 907 Summit.

District 45 C. O. Qualheim, 1700 Terry Ave.  
District 46 C. C. Bras, 2611 1st Ave.  
S. A. Hull, 2125 8th W.  
Norman B. Abrams, 102 West  
Crocket St.  
District 47 W. G. Leckey, 1634 30th.  
C. K. Poe, 1144 Federal.  
James B. Kinne, 1216 Madrona  
Drive.

### Superior Judge (Non Partisan)

Crawford E. White, 3936 Juneau St.  
District 30 H. D. Taylor, Eagle Gorge.

### Senatorial

District 31 Geo. B. Webster, 9773 Arrow-  
smith Ave.  
Ralph D. Nichols, 4815 37th So.

District 32

District 33 Wm. Wray, 838 34th So.

District 34 T. D. Rockwell, 613 Minor.

Richard Gowan (Democrat), 308 3rd So.

District 35 F. H. Renick, 1424 Belmont.

District 36 Fred W. Hastings, 2 Prospect.

District 37 E. B. Palmer, 521 13th No.

### Justice of the Peace

James Hart, Christopher.  
James Greggs, New Castle.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF  
Washington for King County.  
Georgia Watson, Plaintiff, vs. Milton Watson, De-  
fendant—No. .... Summons by Publication.  
The State of Washington to the said Milton Watson,  
Defendant:

You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty  
days after the date of the first publication of this  
summons, to-wit: within sixty days after the 15th  
day of June, 1918, and defend the above entitled  
action in the above entitled court, and answer the  
complaint of the plaintiff, and serve a copy of your  
answer upon the undersigned attorney for plaintiff  
at his office below stated; and in case of your failure  
so to do, judgment will be rendered against you ac-  
cording to the demand of the complaint, which has  
been filed with the clerk of said court.

The object of the above entitled action is to ob-  
tain a decree of divorce from the defendant by the  
plaintiff on the ground of cruelty.

ANDREW R. BLACK,

Attorney for Plaintiff.

P. O. Address, 316 Pacific Block, Seattle, Wash.

June 15—August 3, 1918.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF  
Washington for King County.  
Mary A. Graff, Plaintiff, vs. Frank F. Graff, Defend-  
ant—No. .... Summons by Publication.  
The State of Washington to the said Frank F. Graff,  
Defendant:

You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty  
days after the date of the first publication of this  
summons, to-wit: within sixty days after the 29th  
day of June, 1918, and defend the above entitled  
action in the above entitled court, and answer the  
complaint of the plaintiff, and serve a copy of your  
answer upon the undersigned attorney for plaintiff  
at his office below stated; and in case of your failure  
so to do, judgment will be rendered against you  
according to the demand of the complaint, which  
has been filed with the clerk of said court.

The object of the above entitled action is to ob-  
tain a decree of divorce from the defendant by the  
plaintiff on the ground of desertion.

ANDREW R. BLACK,

Attorney for Plaintiff.

P. O. Address, 316 Pacific Block, Seattle, Wash.

June 29—August 17, 1918.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF  
Washington for King County.  
Georgia Lee Cole, Plaintiff, vs. Nathan H. Cole, De-  
fendant—No. .... Summons by Publication.  
The State of Washington to the said Nathan H. Cole,  
Defendant:

You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty  
days after the date of the first publication of this  
summons, to-wit: within sixty days after the 29th  
day of June, 1918, and defend the above entitled  
action in the above entitled court, and answer the  
complaint of the plaintiff, and serve a copy of your  
answer upon the undersigned attorney for plaintiff  
at his office below stated; and in case of your failure  
so to do, judgment will be rendered against you ac-  
cording to the demand of the complaint, which has  
been filed with the clerk of said court.

The object of the above entitled action is to ob-  
tain a decree of divorce from the defendant by the  
plaintiff on the ground of cruelty and non-support.

ANDREW R. BLACK,

Attorney for Plaintiff.

P. O. Address, 316 Pacific Block, Seattle, Wash.

June 29—August 17, 1918.