

Delinquency of Children Placed at Door of Marriage Laws of State By Probate Judge Dunbar

That 75 per cent of the delinquent children who come before him are the result of marriages between feeble minded persons or between children who are under age, and that a large percentage of the divorce cases of this state are due to the same reasons, is the conclusion of Judge William C. Dunbar after his years of experience as probate judge of the Ada county court.

Judge Dunbar is decidedly opposed to the marriage of minors unless the contract is passed upon by some representative of the state. He does not believe that the consent of the girl's parents is the only step that should be taken before the license is granted. He holds that the state and society at large are almost as much interested in that marriage as are the persons themselves, and that, therefore, society through its representatives should take some means to protect itself against delinquent children as the fruits of that marriage.

The records of his office show that a large percentage of the children who are brought before him are the results, either of marriages between persons of weak minds or between children who are under age. He finds that most of the children before his court come from homes where the conditions of living are poor, where they do not have the proper care and attention, where the father and mother are not capable of caring for the children in the proper way, and where they even do not know whether their own home would pass muster from a sanitary point of view or not.

He declares that he has never known of a case where marriage between minors have been happy, where both parents have a full regard of their parental duties, where the children were properly cared for and trained, or where the interests of society at large have been properly pro-

ected from delinquent children. He thinks that the parents often give their consent to their daughter's marriage without properly weighing the consequences, and that the state, through some of its judges, should take the necessary steps to protect the interests of society and the community by passing upon such a marriage before the license could be issued by the county recorder.

"The records of this court will show," said the judge this morning, "that 75 per cent of the delinquent children who come before me are from homes where either the mother or the father has a weak mind, or where they were married when they were not yet of age. I believe that the interests of society in that marriage are such that some judge or other official should pass upon it, in addition to the consent of the parents, before the county recorder could issue a marriage license.

"There is no law upon the statute books of this state that will prevent marriage between persons of weak mind. The records show what kind of children come from that sort of homes. I believe in a rigid medical examination before marriage, and I am convinced that a license should be refused to persons who have any communicable disease whatever.

"In addition to these things, we need a county hospital for the temporary confinement of the insane and for the proper care of the diseased county charges. There are a large number of persons in this county who need medical attention more than anything else, and we have nothing but the contagion hospital in which to care for them.

"I believe that the poor farm who ought to be in the hospital, but it is the only place that we have to put them. Conditions like that could easily be remedied by a county hospital for cases where medical attention may be all that is necessary."

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Costs Little and Acts Quickly. Money Refunded If It Fails.

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Mix one pint of granulated sugar with 1/2 pint of warm water, and stir for 2 minutes. Put 2 1/2 ounces of linseed (fifty cents) in a pint bottle, and add the Sugar Syrup. Take a teaspoonful every one, two or three hours. Tastes good.

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Pinex, as perhaps you know, is the most valuable concentrated compound of Norway white pine extract, rich in guaiacol and the other natural healing pine elements.

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Thousands of housewives in the United States and Canada now use this Pinex and Sugar Syrup recipe. This plan has often been imitated, but the old successful formula has never been bettered. Its low cost and quick results have made it immensely popular.

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ORDINANCE FOR REGULATION OF THE STREET CARS

Half Fare Rate for School Children Provided—Petition for New Paving District Is Presented.

Three ordinances were introduced at the council meeting this afternoon. One was by Mayor Hodges, requiring improved railway service in Boise and carrying with it the amendment for the carrying of school children at half fare and granting the company the right to remove its track on certain streets. Two were introduced by Councilman Pinegan, one providing for the inspection of the sidewalks throughout the city from time to time by the city engineer and providing for the repairing of broken or defective walks at the expense of the property owner, and the other provided for giving deeds to portions of an alley purchased by property owners in the northwest part of the city.

At the request of the Beaver River Power company a resolution was introduced requiring the Idaho-Oregon company to remove from its poles a certain wire used as a private telephone wire, for which it has no franchise and which is so situated that the Beaver River company cannot continue its work without setting 75-foot poles which are considered unsafe and dangerous. The council took the matter under advisement until tomorrow afternoon.

A petition was presented by Dean Perkins asking that paving be laid beginning at Thirteenth and Bannock streets, north to State street, thence west to Park avenue and along Park avenue to the city limits, connecting with the paved county road. The petition was liberally signed by property owners and will be investigated by the council as more territory may be included in the district than is asked for by the petition.

A petition was also presented asking the council to permit Mr. Herrick to re-establish his popcorn stand at Ninth and Main streets, but no action was taken on the request.

Remedy as Bad as the Disease. "On the seventh of February I contracted a severe cold followed by a cough and final loss of voice. I tried many remedies none of which did me any good. I then went to my family doctor and he swabbed my throat five or six times with some abominable stuff. I think it was beneficial but the remedy was as bad as the disease. At last the thought struck me—why not try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I did so and this morning my voice is fairly good and is gradually growing better," writes H. C. Blay, publisher of The Reporter, Rapid City, Manitoba. For sale by all dealers. Adv. T. T. S.

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A Local Temperance legion of 15 members was organized at the new Colliester Presbyterian church on Sunday afternoon by the local W. C. T. U. of that place, assisted by Mrs. Rose, county president of the W. C. T. U., and Mrs. Farmer, county superintendent of the L. T. L. work in Ada county.

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PLAN TO CONTROL SHIPPING AFTER CANAL IS OPENED

President of Chinese Steamship Company Tells of Plans of British and Russians to Control Trade.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 19.—Wong Wafay, president of the China Commercial Steamship company, until recently operating vessels between Hong Kong and Salinas Cruz, but now leasing its ships to other companies pending the settlement of a \$3,000,000 indemnity suit against the Mexican government, has issued an open letter to the merchants and manufacturers of the United States, setting forth, in substance, that certain Russian and British commercial interests are now "pooling" for the control of trans-Pacific shipping following the opening of the Panama canal, and predicting that by the time the Canal is opened these interests "will have gained absolute sovereignty of the western seas." He appeals to American business interests to look away from home to the ship-building records of Europe, and "make haste to prevent the control of oriental and western commerce by those cliques which seek to throttle American industries while they exploit the products of European manufacturers."

Wong has been 20 years at the head of numerous commercial and transportation companies, and president of the Bank of Shanghai. He is considered an authority on oriental commerce and was sent to investigate shipping possibilities in Mexico and California, to determine the advisability of the Los Angeles-Hong Kong steamship line, for which the western Chinese are patiently working. Wong stated, while in Los Angeles, that practically all of the big operations of Hong Kong and Shanghai are boosting the project, and assured the Chinese of Los Angeles that on his return to Hong Kong he would unqualifiedly endorse the big enterprise. He states that \$16,000,000 will be necessary and predicts that the Chinese government can be induced to give a substantial subsidy. He declares the operation of nine vessels can be profitably maintained within two years from now. "The Chinese of China," he said, "regard such a steamship line as the most paramount need of their new republic, as the future prosperity of China depends on the immediate and thorough development of its commerce, or foreign markets. It is very desirous that American capital be invested in the enterprise, to the extent of at least one-third, to insure its success. If American money is involved in our commercial enterprises, we will be sure of their success, because then we will have the advantages of American business sagacity and hustle. But if not one dollar is put into the scheme by Americans, it will still be a profitable enterprise, because the Chinese merchants, and the Chinese government, I believe, will co-operate. We will get foreign capitalists to build our ships; we will let them own the ships, but we will pay them good interest on their cost and give them 25 per cent of our profits to operate the ships, paying also the insurance. At the end of a certain number of years, we will agree to buy the vessels at their first cost, which is a splendid proposition."

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BOISE LIKELY TO BE BIG TRAINING CAMP NEXT YEAR

Class B Ball Players May Come Here—President Bossner Home from the Milwaukee Meeting.

The possibility of a class B league baseball squad training in Boise next spring, bringing to this city some 40 odd players to work out, never looked better, for President W. F. Bossner of the Boise Baseball club, who returned yesterday from Milwaukee, where he attended the meeting of the National association, virtually closed negotiations for the camp. He is not prepared at this time to name the club.

President Bossner made a hard fight for a \$1500 salary limit for class D ball but failed, the other magnates standing out against the plan. President Lewis of the Cotton States league, was the only magnate who voted with him for the raise in the salary limit. The limit was finally placed at \$1200 and all Western Tri-State league clubs will have to remain under it for the commission laid down an iron rule that attempts to get over the salary limit of a league would be frowned down upon and if clubs do so action will be taken to punish them.

Boise was boosted and placed on the baseball map by the energetic President Bossner, who started a boom for this city as the 1916 commission's meeting place, a boom that was started jocularly and was finally considered seriously. There were 350 baseball league representatives present at the meeting and they took the Boise proposition as one worth considering.

Since returning home President Bossner has received a letter from the Butte Chamber of Commerce stating that the Union association has decided not to hold a meeting until after the Western Tri-State league meeting, Jan. 20, to learn first what this city proposes to do. Butte is anxious to have Boise in the Union association again.

Mrs. Peter Holan, 11501 Buckeye Rd. Cleveland, O., says: "Yes, indeed, I can recommend Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. My little boy had a bad case of whooping cough, some times he was blue in the face. I gave him Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and it had a remarkable effect and cured him in a short time. Remember the name, Foley's Honey & Tar Compound, and do not accept any substitute. Children like it, grown folks are quickly helped by it, and it contains no opiates.—McCrum & Deary, Ballou-Lattimer Co.—Adv. T. T. S.

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"Pape's Diapepsin" Ends Indigestion, Gas, Sourness and Heartburn in Five Minutes.

"Really does" put bad stomachs in order—"really does" overcome indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, heartburn and sourness in five minutes—that's just that—makes Pape's Diapepsin the largest selling stomach regulator in the world. If what you eat ferments into stubborn lumps, your belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food and acid; head is dizzy and aches; breath foul; tongue coated; your insides filled with bile and indigestible waste, remember the moment Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. It's tummy astonishing—almost marvelous, and the joy is its harmlessness.

A large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin will give you a hundred dollars' worth of satisfaction or your druggist hands you your money back.

It's worth its weight in gold to men and women who can't get their stomachs regulated. It belongs in your home—should always be kept handy in case of a sick, sour, upset stomach during the day or at night. It's the quickest, surest and most harmless stomach doctor in the world. Adv.

BREVITIES

Harry Dana left this morning for New Meadows on a business trip.

General Frank Martin was called to Mountain Home this morning on legal business.

A daughter was born today to Mr. and Mrs. B. E. TAYLOR at their home, 1718 McKinley avenue.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid society will meet in the east room of the church tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

The second division of the Immanuel Ladies' Aid society will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. James Fisher, 2514 Washington street.

M. G. Riebling of Payette is in the city today, his mission being to congratulate K. I. Perky upon his appointment as United States senator.

Harry R. Clitham, a prominent piano player of southern Idaho, has taken charge of the sheet music department in the Sampson Music company's store.

The Woman's Alliance of the Unitarian church will be entertained tomorrow afternoon by Mrs. Houston at the home of Mrs. W. T. Kingsley, 529 East Bannock street.

Mrs. W. O. Taylor and infant son, George, have returned to Twin Falls, accompanied by Miss Margaret Roberts, who will visit that section in the interests of the traveling library.

A gang of bridge workers, who have been employed on the Idaho Northern, arrived here this morning and will at once begin work repairing the Oregon Short Line bridge which was damaged by fire last week.

The Philatelic class of the First Methodist Sunday school will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. L. A. Carver, 1116 Ellis street. Take the belt line and transfer to the Soldiers' Home car.

Mrs. M. D. Folk and daughter, Miss Charlotte Drummond, left this morning for Jerome to visit the former's

The Mode COUPON EVENT

EXTRA SPECIAL VALUES FOR THE SECOND WEEK OF The Anniversary Sale

- COUPON NO. 1—Capital News Art Department**
Burlap Pillow Covers in beautiful browns and greens, stenciled and corded, ready for use. These are beauties and are very low priced considering quality; with coupon **27c**
- COUPON NO. 2—Capital News Ladies' Underwear**
Ladies' white flannel lined, spring neck knit Union Suits, with high neck, long sleeves, ankle length or low neck, elbow sleeves and ankle length; with coupon **69c**
- COUPON NO. 3—Capital News Ladies' Hose**
Ladies' Black Cotton Hose with wide elastic garter top; fast color; full seamless, double heel and toe; with coupon, 2 pairs for **25c**
- COUPON NO. 4—Capital News Ladies' Stocks**
Ladies' Robespierre and Fancy Stocks, lace and silk trimmed; a nice assortment of colors including red, green, blue, black and also two-color combinations; regular 50c value, with coupon **23c**
- COUPON NO. 5—Capital News Men's Section**
A rare snap in men's fine sweaters in the regular coat styles, and with high collars. These are extra values for Wednesday only, with coupon ... **59c**
- COUPON NO. 6—Capital News Ladies' Night Dresses**
The famous Brighton outing flannel Night Dresses for ladies in white and colors with high and military collars, also collarless; regular \$1.75 values, with coupon ... **\$1.19**
- COUPON NO. 7—Capital News Henderson's Corsets**
A corset special of unusual interest. The well known Henderson Corset in seven different models; made of fine quality cotton and batiste in all sizes; regular \$2.00 values, with coupon **\$1.49**
- COUPON NO. 8—Capital News Candy Section**
Extra fine grade of Chocolates in six flavors—honey comb, nougat, coccanut centers, strawberry, vanilla and lemon; regular 40c value, with coupon **15c**
- COUPON NO. 9—Capital News Toilet Paper**
Our Toilet Paper coupon specials are always given such exceptional values; a regular 10c roll at other stores; with coupon **25c**
- COUPON NO. 10—Capital News Talcum Powder**
At the drug sundry section we offer the well known and reliable Jap Rose Talcum Powder at just one-half what others ask for it; with coupon **25c**
- COUPON NO. 11—Capital News Bath Robe Cloths**
A very desirable selection of Bath Robe Cloths in a great variety of colors and patterns for both men's and women's bath robes; very fine, soft, warm quality; with coupon yard **39c**
- COUPON NO. 12—Capital News Bed Spreads**
Extra heavy quality Bed Spreads at a very cutting price. These spreads are full size and as they are such great values and the quantity limited we restrict the quantity to one to each customer; with coupon **\$1.00**
- COUPON NO. 13—Capital News Scissors Special**
At the notion counter we have a large assortment of fine grade, nickled, steel scissors in several sizes; specially priced for Wednesday, with coupon **25c**
- COUPON NO. 14—Capital News Laces and Insertions**
The lace section offers for Wednesday German Val Laces with insertions, to match in 1 to 2-inch widths; 12 yards to bolt; with coupon **50c**
- COUPON NO. 15—Capital News Writing Paper**
1 pound best quality Writing Paper; linen finish; and one package of Envelopes to match; Wednesday, with coupon **29c**

Foster Thompson, \$1000; lots 1 and 2, block 34 Ellis addition to Boise.
Janie G. Jones to William Jones Estate, \$100,000; lot 2, block 2 and lots 9, 10 and west half lot 11, block 5, original townsite Boise.
All our watch work absolutely guaranteed.
CON W. HESSE, Jeweler, Adv.
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OWYHEE—Lena Wilkie, Payette; P. R. Sigbee, New York; S. J. Fell, Salt Lake; Harry Long, Portland, Ore.; L. B. Connor, New York; A. O. Amundsen and wife, Caldwell; Charles W. Dempster, Soda Springs; C. M. Cook, Portland; Mrs. D. W. Gorby, Glenns Ferry; Mrs. E. J. Parmley, Glenns Ferry; J. E. Field, Emmett; Earl Landin, Portland, Ore.; C. L. McMurry, Pittsburg; Paul L. Haddock and wife, Shoshone; James G. Kedwell, Portland.
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GOV. WILSON HAS GREAT CONFIDENCE IN McCOMBS; MAY PUT HIM IN CABINET



New York, Nov. 16.—That William F. McCombs, New York lawyer, chairman of the Democratic national committee and personal friend of Woodrow Wilson, can have a job in the cabinet after March 4 next if he wants it is the opinion of many politicians. There can be no doubt but that Wilson has the profoundest confidence in McCombs' ability. He selected the young lawyer to handle his campaign for the nomination, and having won at Baltimore he secured for McCombs the important job of secretary of the Democratic national committee. Wilson is highly pleased with the work McCombs has done. His confidence in him has been more than justified. If he would entrust McCombs with the important task of handling a campaign can it be doubted that he would hesitate to trust him with a position in the cabinet? Men who are closest to Governor Wilson do not pretend to be able to forecast a cabinet for the next administration. The governor has not discussed the matter with his most intimate friends. He has listened to suggestions, but has not given the least intimation as to who will be invited to assume the posts.