

WEATHER Probably fair tonight and Wednesday. Maximum temperature, 58; minimum, 41.

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A HOT FIGHT AGAINST GRAFTING COUNTY RING

WILL YOU VOTE FOR DISHMAN?

CAN YOU DO IT, AFTER READING FACTS ABOUT HIS RECORD?—HE SHOULD BE SNOWED UNDER.

When W. B. Dishman, the former operator of a "blind pig" joint east of the city, now running for county commissioner on the republican ticket, lived over the state line in Kootenai county, Idaho, he was a democrat, and rode into office as county commissioner in the great upheaval in 1896.

a minority that stood out against the majority, constituted by Dishman and the other member, Cable, Smith placed Dishman on record on every proposition that savored of the prostitution of the rights of the public, and that record is a bad one, for Dishman.

Record C of the affairs of old

PUGH'S "ELEVENTH-HOUR" BOOMERANG

PROMISE TO AUSTIN DOWNEY CASE A POLITICAL MOVE IN HEAT OF CAMPAIGN.

It must have given Prosecuting Attorney Fred C. Pugh a hard jolt to face the ministers yesterday and try to explain why he had deliberately failed to do his duty in the prosecution of the Joe Curry shooting case.

Mr. Pugh found himself in the same position in which he has found many men who have been brought before him in the last four years—cornered. The ministers of the gospel had made an investigation.

LOCAL JUVENILE CRIME INCREASED 60 PER CENT

Heads of the local police department declare that juvenile crime has increased more than 60 per cent in this city during the past two years, and cite the records of the juvenile court to show that the number of arrests monthly among the youth criminals is at least that much in excess of the arrests made in similar months a couple of years ago.

methods of handling criminally inclined youngsters as now in vogue in this city is the best that has yet been devised, still feel that considerable improvement will be necessary if the situation is to be successfully coped with.

It is also stated that during the past year more than twice as many youthful offenders have been arrested as in any other year in the history of the local department.

ABERDEEN WON'T GET A RECOUNT

(By United Press Leased Wire) WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—The appeal of the citizens of Aberdeen, Wash., for a recount of the census of that city will not be granted, it was announced by Director of the Census Durand today.

GOOD-BYE, BOYS!

(United Press Leased Wire) SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 1.—"Good-bye, boys," shouted George Ammus, a young Californian as he jumped over the side of the steamer Northwest as it was passing through the Bering sea.

NEWS PHOTOGRAPH OF MANUEL OF PORTUGAL AS A HAS-BEEN KING



This is the first photo taken of King Manuel of Portugal, following his deposition. It taken just after he had entered the carriage of the governor of Gibraltar, Sir Archibald Hunter, after attending services at the Roman Catholic cathedral.

AT 33, MRS. CLARK'S MOTHER OF 17 CHILDREN

Mrs. William G. Clark of Cleveland, O., has just become the mother of her third set of triplets. Between times the stork has left four sets of twins at her domicile.



MRS. WILLIAM G. CLARK AND HER NEW TRIPLETS.

Although but 33 years of age, Mrs. Clark has been the mother of 17 children, seven of whom are living. She herself was a French girl and came to America when six years old.

The remarkable record made by Mrs. William G. Clark of Cleveland, O., does not equal the records made by many other mothers, according to history.

Nowadays when the advent of twins excite such a commotion and triplets are good for "scare head" type, while quadruplets are worth big salaries on the museum stage, it behooves a shirking race to hark back to the time when a woman at Dunstable, England, was thrice blessed with triplets and twice did she usher into being five babies at a time.

But even this record was outdone by a German woman at Dayton, O., about a half century ago, who gave

CAL ATKINSON SHOULD RETIRE

Cal Atkinson should retire from the race for county clerk. Any public official who admits the taking of over \$1,500 of unlawful interest on trust funds in his care, is found to have been short by a grand jury at one time over \$1,700, and then six months later, after he has escaped prison on these charges, is found to have again had a discrepancy in his accounts of over \$800, is wholly unworthy of public trust, and possesses more than the usual amount of gall to ask the people to support him.

Atkinson gave six months' work and is reported to have spent about \$2,000 to get the nomination the first time. He admitted having spent \$1,500, and yet the office only pays \$2200 a year.

If the offices at the court house do not pay enough money, these men should quit striving to get them. The plan has been for an official to take an office at a moderate salary and then expect to graft enough to get even. So long as the people support official thieves so long will such men continue to fill the offices. It is for the people to chastise them, for under the present conditions at the court house it is useless to try to punish a delinquent public official through the duly authorized channels of the law.

Cal Atkinson is a product of the court house ring. Prior to becoming county clerk he held deputyships in various offices about the building, and knew "the ropes" when he got in. It did not take Atkinson long to strike "pay dirt," and he entered the plea that it was right because others had done so, and custom sanctioned it.

JUROR CHARGED WITH OFFERING TO BUNG JURY FOR \$500

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—George Beagle, an architect, a juror in the case of Edward Rosenheimer, was arrested today, charged with having offered to "hang" the jury for \$500. Rosenheimer is on trial for murder in the first degree because his automobile ran down and killed Grace Hough last August.

PRESS' 5 O'CLOCK FINAL

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GIRL IS KIDNAPPED BY BANDITS

Armed Posse in Pursuit of Band Who Stole Girl and Robbed Safe.

(By United Press Leased Wire) MEXICO CITY, Nov. 1.—Rurales and an armed posse are in close pursuit of the Mexicans who kidnaped Grace Rolph, 12, from a ranch near Chicoya, state of Tamaulipas, Wednesday. The girl is a daughter of Dr. M. Rolph of Pender, Neb.

WILSON A WONDERFUL CAMPAIGNER

(By United Press Leased Wire) PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 1.—Unusual interest marks the close of the present campaign in New Jersey.

BREADSTUFFS ARE ON THE DECREASE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—A decrease in the exports of breadstuffs from the United States for the last nine months of this year over the corresponding period of last year is shown from \$133,492,242 worth for the first nine months of 1908 to \$82,851,552 for 1909.

CHICAGO SOCIETY GIRLS PICKET STORES FOR UNION MEN

(By United Press Leased Wire) CHICAGO, Nov. 1.—Scores of society women injected themselves into the strike of the garment workers here today by taking up positions as pickets. Women high in society life pinned on garment workers' ribbons and marched back and forth in front of the shops, pleaded with strike breakers to quit and join the union and in general did all that strikers generally do.

100,000 TEAMSTERS MAY GO OUT ON STRIKE

(By United Press Leased Wire) NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—One hundred thousand teamsters, chauffeurs and helpers may be called on strike in New York city and a nation-wide strike of express drivers is threatened as a result of the strike of drivers and helpers employed by the express companies now out in New York city, Jersey City and Hoboken.

PORTLAND'S CENSUS WILL BE CUT DOWN

NOT QUITE AS BAD AS TACOMA, BUT IT WILL CHANGE FORMER ESTIMATE.

(By United Press Leased Wire) PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 1.—Portland citizens are due for a shock similar to that sustained by Tacoma recently, when the official population of the city announced, according to advices reaching Portland today from Washington.

It is reported that Director Durand has intimated broadly that Portland's census has been cut materially, and that the census, when announced, will be substantially smaller than was shown by original reports of the local enumerators.

LOOK OUT FOR FAKE WATER COLLECTORS

Do you live out in the northeastern part of the city, say out in the territory recently left dry by the squabble over the Jones water system? If so, have you been visited yet

VANCOUVER HAS AN APPLE SHOW, TOO

(By United Press Leased Wire) VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 1.—Canada's first national apple show is in full swing today, following the formal opening yesterday afternoon by Lieutenant Governor T. W. Patterson of British Columbia.

NON-PARTISAN CANDIDATES FOR SUPREME COURT



CHARLES E. SHEPARD "When in doubt see Shepard" is the motto of every young attorney in Seattle and not a few of the older ones. Charles E. Shepard is a progressive republican and the foremost consulting lawyer of the state. He seldom appears as an advocate. He is a Yale graduate and the author of several standard legal works.

OCTOBER'S WEATHER

The monthly meteorological summary for the month of October, just issued from the weather bureau, shows that during the month just closed there were 18 cloudy days, 6 clear days and 7 partly cloudy days. The maximum temperature for the month was 77, on the 31st, and the minimum 23, on the 27th. The total precipitation for the month was 1.35 inches.

ONE POOR GIRL'S CRY FROM THE BOTTOM OF THE ABYSS!

HER POSITION TAKEN BY A MARRIED WOMAN AT LOWER WAGES; SHE SINKS—A VITAL QUESTION PRESENTED BY HER PITIFUL LITTLE LETTER.

To the Press office there came last evening a letter. It was not couched in the most correct grammar, the spelling might have been improved upon, but no skilled judge

master of the art of grammatical construction, could tell a more tragic, or a more pitiful tale than does this little letter.

The writer, in this brief little letter, tells the story of one girl's pitiful life tragedy, the story of the crushing of one girl's life ambitions by cruel and unjust competition, and the story of one girl's ruin through the evil of conditions partly created by married women

leaving good homes to take positions in the world of work, at salaries lower than single girls can accept and retain their purity and honor.

It is a simple little letter, this, probably there are scores of girls in Spokane who could write a similar story of their lives, but it is at the same time one of the exemplifications of the old saying that "man's inhumanity to man makes millions weep" that has ever come

to this office. Here is the little tale of one girl's broken life, as the letter tells it:

To the Press—Dear editor, can you find space in your paper for a few lines from the saddest girl in the world. Can't something be done to prevent married women with good homes and husbands from taking up work and working for lower wages than girls that have to de-

pend on their day's wages of from \$6 to \$10 a week.

Dear readers, I was employed at \$8 a week and asked for \$10 and a married woman took my place for \$7, leaving her home and family, her youngest child being four years old.

nothing to do but move. I read an ad, "Chambermaids wanted," and applied at once. An old, gray-haired lady answered my call and after telling my circumstances advised me to take the position. I took it, and, oh, God, if I could only forget that position! I held no hard feelings towards this old lady, I was at my own free will to do as I liked. But this woman that took my position, I ask God to curse her until she draws her

last breath. She is the cause of my ruin and she will be the cause of my death. My conscience torments me and haunts me in my sleep. I am afraid to trust myself out as I am tempted to see my little girl fall. Oh, this woman, help her! A Good Samaritan!

If this poor girl, helplessly of the social system, will send The Press office, every effort will be made to help her in her need.