

FOR SPOKANE AND

The Press receives the full leased wire report of the United Press.

Special illustrated news service of The Press is the best in the city

THE INLAND EMPIRE

WHEN MOVING

don't forget to give carrier your new address or telephone The Spokane Press, Main 375.

The Press

THE PEOPLE'S PAPER

HOME EDITION

Weather—Fair tonight and Saturday; continued warm. Max. temp., 89; min. 68.

1 CENT IN CITY. ON TRAINS, FIVE CENTS.

SPOKANE, WASHINGTON, FRIDAY, JULY 29, 1910.

EIGHTH YEAR, No. 249

25 CENTS A MONTH

POINDEXTER LEADS IN SENATORIAL RACE

POSITIVE MAN IS CRIPPEN

Very Nervous in Manner—Girl Companion Watches Him Tearfully.

(By United Press Leased Wire) ON BOARD STEAMSHIP MONTROSE, via Wireless to the United Press, Montreal, Que., July 29.—"Robinson and son" are assuredly Dr. Hawley H. Crippen and Mile, Ethel Claire Leneve. Crippen attempted to disguise himself by shaving his mustache; his companion tried to hide her identity in the garb of a boy. (Signed) Captain Kendall.

"I first suspected the couple when the Montrose was two hours from Antwerp," continues the captain's message. "I watched them and concluded that the man, registered as a merchant, was Crippen, and that the 'son' booked as a student, was a girl. I read the details of the case fully in London and saw pictures of both printed in London and in Antwerp. There is no doubt of the identity of the pair.

(Continued on Page Six.)

This Girl Caused Scandal Through All California



MISS ADA CLARK.

(Special to The Press) CHICO, Cal., July 29.—James N. Gillett, governor of California, has taken a hand in a "hugging scandal" involving the principal of a state normal school. The accused man is C. C. an Liew, head of the school here. His accuser is 17 year old Ada Clark, who charged that Van Liew placed his arm around her waist while she was seated in his office. The pedagogue indignantly denied the charges and sur-

USE OF NAVAL VESSELS BY PRESIDENT AND OTHERS COST \$1,465,261 IN 5 YEARS

Records Show That the Sylph and Mayflower Were in Service Largely for Junkets and Pleasure Cruises by President Roosevelt and His Family.

YACHT NOW USED BY PRESIDENT TAFT HAS DONE NO NAVAL DUTY FOR 2 YEARS

(Special to The Press) WASHINGTON, July 29.—During the five fiscal years ending June 30, 1909, the government spent \$1,465,216.91 for the maintenance of three vessels for which, so far as naval purposes are concerned, it received little benefit. The vessels are the Mayflower, Sylph and Dolphin. The Mayflower and Sylph are known as the president's yachts and the Dolphin as that of the secretary of the navy.

There is no law authorizing the use of these vessels for other than naval purposes, yet all of them, according to the records of the Navy department, have been used about half the time in the five years mentioned for pleasure junkets. The secretary and assistant secretary of the navy refuse to give out the movements of the Mayflower and Sylph in the last fiscal year. Secretary Meyer gave the movements of the Dolphin since he has been secretary, but said that as a matter of etiquette he did not feel that he ought to give out any information regarding the vessels the president used.

Soon after Colonel Roosevelt assumed the duties of president he ordered the Mayflower repaired and made ready for presidential use. A most elaborate bathroom, rivaling those in many private yachts, was installed. Last year the bureau of construction and repair spent \$50,000 in a new gasoline launch for the president's use in connection with the Mayflower.

For two years, according to the records of the navy department now available, the Sylph has performed no naval duty. It has been used to carry the president's family about the water of the Potomac, Long Island sound and those adjacent to Boston harbor.

WEST SIDE IS ENTHUSIASTIC

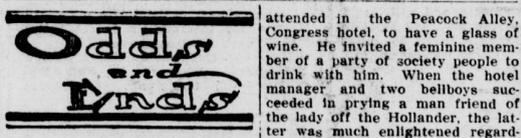
If All Candidates Stay in Race It Will Be a Landslide for the People's Choice.

By the Editor of The Press. "Peter the Hermit of Western Politics."

That is the way one man referred to Miles Poindexter in Seattle Wednesday. "He is the man who will lead the people of this state out of the 'intrest'-ruled wilderness, and into the open plains of political independence. And, from the example of Poindexter in Washington and Chamberlain and U'Ren in Oregon, the other states of the far west will receive their inspiration for future achievement," this Seattle progressive leader added.

The senatorial fight is the biggest political sensation in the history of this state—when you're talking to men of all classes on the west side. On the east side the great majority of men have decided to vote for Poindexter—hence the lack of excitement. But the east side must not be over-confident. It must remember that the size of the majority it will give Spokane's favorite son will determine whether or not he is to go to the United States senate.

The political bees are buzzing up and down every business street in Seattle. Stretched at different points across Second avenue are three big political banners. One points to the location of



The citizen who was getting subscriptions for a statue to a great scholar was talking to a prominent merchant who declined to subscribe. The merchant said: "There is no necessity for a monument to Mr. ... His fame is enshrined in the hearts of his countrymen."

PORTLAND, Ore.—May Yohe has signed a vaudeville contract with Archie Levy of San Francisco to open the season there next month.

"THEN IT HAPPENED"



It was the fifteenth round, and poor Kid Uppercut was nearly all in. Spike McMush certainly had him going. Noticing his opponent's distress, Spike became playful. He would taunt young Uppercut. Striking a "hick" pose with both his feet together and his guard down, Spike stuck out his jaw and with an ironical sneer said, "See if you can hit that—I'll let yer."

Kid Uppercut was not a slow thinker, if he was groggy. Like lightning he drew back and— Some sporting writers had the nerve to say the knockout was a lucky punch.

CHICAGO.—A cruel joke was played on Henri Coston of The Hague, Holland, when he was told that it was allowable for one to invite any woman that one saw un-

Our Pretty Girl No. 3-- Of Browne's Addition



This is Artist Gru's dream of the Browne's addition girl. Way down underneath her fashions and the finish she got at school, she is a genuine girl, with lots of things to do and plenty of things to hope for. Her summer is busy enough with house parties for girls she knew at school. She has an awful lot of tennis to play, and swimming and autoing to do before autumn. She will probably be one of the debutantes of 1910. After that there will be a whirl for her in society; then she'll see in The Press that she is engaged to some young man with a prominent name, and after that the wedding. And so, after all, she'll wind up where most all other girls do. She is handicapped, however, just a little bit, this Browne's addition girl. She must marry a man of prominent family, and there are so few of them, comparatively, that her pick of good men isn't as wide as that of other girls. Sometimes she makes a bad selection for this very reason, and, as her heart can be broken just as completely as anybody's else, you can see that it isn't always as much fun to be a society girl as you might suppose.

RACING IN AUTO TO MEET FATHER, WHOLE FAMILY IS KILLED BY TRAIN IN HIS SIGHT

(By United Press Leased Wire.) FRESNO, Cal., July 29.—Mrs. J. E. Kleinsaffer and her daughter, Mary, aged 9, here, killed her son David, 19, fatally injured, and her son Joseph, 19, severely hurt in an automobile accident near here today. The automobile was struck by a passenger train at Reedley, 20 miles southeast of Fresno. The train carried Kleinsaffer, who expected to meet his family at Fresno. David Kleinsaffer was driving the machine when the accident occurred. The car was going rapidly and his body was hurled many yards. Mrs. Kleinsaffer was clear of the machine as the pilot smashed into it. She was caught in the splintering car, however, her skull crushed and her back and both arms broken. She lived 10 minutes after the collision. Mary Kleinsaffer was instantly killed. David was brought to a hospital here, where it is said he cannot live. Joseph will probably recover. The Kleinsaffers came from Dakota three months ago. The father had been in the east on a pleasure trip. The family in the automobile were raving to beat the train to the station to be in time to welcome him home.

FIGHTING TO KEEP TITLE

(By United Press Leased Wire.) MADRID, July 29.—The troubles of King Alfonso and his cabinet multiplied today with the introduction of the church question into the industrial situation throughout Spain. Premier Canalejas was in conference with his majesty during the day and urged upon him the cabinet's demand for drastic opposition to the demands of the Vatican, which are that the ministry shall withdraw objectionable church legislation. It is no secret here that the king and his ministers are fighting for their political lives. The insurrectionists throughout Spain are grow-

SHE KILLED FORMER SWEETHEART; JURY RIGHTLY EXONERATED HER

(By United Press Leased Wire.) OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., July 29.—Mrs. Day Fisher, wife of E. F. Fisher, a prominent business man of Oklahoma City, today stands exonerated of any crime, though she shot and killed G. E. Smith of Santa Clara, Cal. According to Mrs. Fisher, Smith and she were sweethearts in Hannibal, Mo., 10 years ago, when she married Fisher. Since her marriage she says Smith hounded her, imploring her to desert Fisher and go with him. On one occasion, she said, he threatened to shoot her. Yesterday he attempted to enter the Fisher home, and Mrs. Fisher shot him. Smith has a wife and two children in Santa Clara. When his body was searched after the shooting a revolver and a picture of Mrs. Fisher were found in his coat pocket.

DOWNEY IS PRACTICALLY ACQUITTED

But Fined Because He Was "Indiscreet and Negligent."

A fine of 34 days' pay is the sum total of the punishment which the police commission has decided to inflict on Detective Lee Downey, who shot at and wounded Joe Curry, a youth who was attempting to make his escape last June 24. As announced in The Press one week ago today, the decision of the board would practically exonerate Downey, a nominal suspension being sufficient punishment, according to Commissioner Mudgett and his conferees.

The decision was reached a week ago, but was not formally announced until today, when Mudgett sent the following letter to Chief of Police Sullivan:

On motion of Commissioner George Armstrong the following findings of the committee were adopted: "That, whereas the evidence introduced at the hearing of Police Officer Lee Downey did not show that Downey intentionally shot at Joe Curry, yet it showed he was indiscreet and guilty of negligence in drawing and carrying his revolver under the circumstances shown by the evidence; therefore, Officer Downey do forfeit his pay from the date of his suspension by the chief of police, to-wit, June 24, 1910, to July 28, 1910."

The motion was seconded by Commissioner F. P. Weymouth and carried. Young Curry, whose home is in Astoria, Ore., was shot in the back, and was so severely wounded that he was confined to the Sacred Heart hospital for three or four weeks. Downey claimed that the shooting was an accident.

3 REGIMENTS ON STRIKE DUTY

(By United Press Leased Wire.) COLUMBUS, O., July 29.—Three regiments of the Ohio national guard are doing strike duty in Columbus today. Soldiers are patrolling the street near the car barns of the Columbus Railway & Light company. The traction company will attempt to resume running cars today and the soldiers will guard the tracks. There was no violence during the night and early morning, and it is believed the presence of the troops will be sufficient to maintain order today. No cars were in operation yesterday afternoon or last night. Governor Judson Harmon is expected to arrive today. He will keep in touch with the situation and use every means in his power to prevent the recurrence of disorder.

JOHN G. CARLISLE IS DYING

Served as Grover Cleveland's Secretary of the Treasury.

(By United Press Leased Wire) NEW YORK, July 29.—John G. Carlisle, former secretary of the treasury, but who has been practicing law in New York since 1897, is in a critical condition today from heart failure. Carlisle suffered an attack of heart disease Monday and his condition has grown steadily worse. His physicians have little hope for his recovery. Carlisle is 75 years old. He entered public life in Kentucky and after holding a number of state offices, was sent to congress, being elected by the democrats. He served as speaker of the house from 1883 to 1889. Afterwards he was elected United States senator from Kentucky, and then was appointed secretary of the treasury, serving from 1890 to 1893. In 1896 he joined the gold wing of the democratic party.

SAVE MONEY ON FLOUR

At tells of first class brand of "cruff of life" at less money than usual. That reading the ads saves you money on most everything you need is being more thoroughly proven each day. For instance, a certain advertiser in The Press today tells of a superior brand of flour made, he says, from "No. 1 Bluestem wheat," which he sells at a price considerably less than is usually charged for first class flour. Surely you need flour—why not save money on it. Remember, money saved is really better than that much earned. Look up this add. It tells of many other saving prices on groceries.

THINK HE'S ENTITLED TO GET FINE BACK

A. B. Barney, who lives at the corner of Madison and Everett, on the highest part of the north hill, wants the city to refund him \$2.50 which he paid as a fine for letting his horse run last Sunday morning, without holding it in his hand. He said he allowed it to do so only for a few minutes while he was at breakfast, and that since the greater part of the summer he has been without water most of each day, he thinks that he should be entitled to some extra privilege.

Mrs. Marine Warren has brought suit to set aside the will of Walter H. Warren, alleging that his mind was poisoned against her before he died, causing him to cut her off an his will.