THE WEATHER.

fonight and Tuesday Clear, cooler; frost. Sunday-High 40, low 31; range 36.

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CHERRY COAL MINE STILL IS SEETHING FURNACE

LARGE MEETING ASHLAND

From All Parts of Valley Orchardists Widows and Orphans Hoping Against States That He is Soon to Start Con-Gathered-Splendid Address by Prof.

O'Gara.

One of the largest gatherings of orchards and the growing of fruit. Paul mine where nearly 400 miners the construction of a telephone line. ever held in the county, was that at are entombed was blasted today when is today in Ashland applying for a Ashland Saturday afternoon when the four rescuers returned from the sec- similar franchise, having returned meeting of the Rogue River Horticultural Society was held there.

planting of an orehard was listened to with marked interest, and he was frequently called upon by his hearers to elucidate some point in their per sonal experience, hearing upon the

subject under discussion. Charles Meserve of Medford made one of his characteristic addresses it support of the matter of securing government forecasting burea nand : soil survey for the Rogne River valley The petitions to the agricultural de partment for the establishment of these needed improvements, were

signed practically unanimously. G. A. Hover addressed the meeting on the project for creating a combination of the fruit growers of the whole valley for the purpose of marketing their fruit as a whole, and also to inaugurate a movement toward e-tablishing a pre-cooling plan for the preparation of fruit for shipment and away again. a cold storage for its preservation

if trees, ry to hold it for any reason. during the month; one at Grants Pass nex. Salorday, the Saturday follow. out. ing at Cold Hill.

The program for these meetings will be practically the same as those for the former ones, thus giving the growers of the whole valley from Ashland to Grants Pass an opportunity to personally hear Prof. O'Gara decture on the planting of an orchard.

GRAFT CASES TO AWAIT FICKERT

Neal of Calhoun, Street Railway Magnate. Goes Over Until December 6-Lawlor

Absent.

(United Press Leased Wire.) SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 15,-The postponement of the resumption of the trial of Patrick Calhoun, millionaire street railway magnate, on the charge of bribery today until December 6 removes all doubt of the Charles M. Fickert will assume charge of the office of district attorney.

has prosecuted the graft cases as as- his arrival. sistant district attorney, alleged publicly during the campaign that Fick- it is believed that between 375 and ert was Calhoun's candidate for the 400 men are still in the mine. district attorneyship. Since his election Fickert has announced that he will prosecute all the graft cases.

Fickert places the result of three the federal bureau of Urbane and the years of graft prosecution at a direct issue and the new administration will and J. S. Webb of the federal rescue have to deal with it soon after taking bureau.

The postponement was ordered to-Judge Lawlor, before whom the sec- very far. ond trial of Calhoun was begun last summer. Judge Lawlor is in the east on a vacation.

It would be practically impossible, if past records are a fair criterion, to when he came out of the mine and obtain a jury before January if the staggered about blindly when he left case were resumed at once, and it is the cage. It is rumored that "aylor certain that little progress can be and Webb had a parrow escape on ped with telephones, and the rescuermade between December 6 and Jan- these cond level. They refused to are going down into the mine with uary, when Fickert goes into office. discuss their trip and would not ray chemicals to fight the fire.

E. D. Chenoweth of Eugene was a Medford visitor on Monday.

BETWEEN AND 400 MINERS STILL ENTOMBED

Hopes for Safety of Loved Ones -Rescuers Are Driven

Back.

CHERRY, III., Nov. 15 .- Hope that E. C. Sharpe, who was recently those interested in the proper care of the fire had burned out in the St. granted a franchise in this city for and trip into the shaft and reported Sunday from San Francisco. that they were stopped by the in-Prof. O'Gara's address on the tense heat after proceeding along the 200-foot level for a short distance.

They expressed the belief that the fire is still raging there.

They failedto find any trace of entomber men, either living or dead. The rescuers first went to the 300foot level and then tried to penetrate the 200-foot level.

Hose men will be sent down to fight the fire with water.

This report has put the most desperate ascept on the situation since the shaft was first scaled.

Rescuing Party Thwarfed. Rescuers wearing gas proof armor descended into the St. Paul mine today and found several lamps, caps and ooil cans at the 300-foot level near the shaft, indicating that some of the 400 entombed men had made their way to the shaft and gone

The descent was of an experimental nature and was entirely success-I'vo further meetings will be held ful. The men saw no fire and are confident that it has burned itself

Relatives Still Hopeful.

Hope has not yet fled from this viltage of widows and orphans. The belief is still strong that many of the several hundred men entombed in the St. Paul mine Saturday are still alive of the situation.

and it is learned definitely whether the men are dead will the relations of the entombed men give up hope,

Community Dazed. The terrible agony of Saturday night and Sunday night, during which time women and children have gone through the most heart-rending sufferings, has left this little community dazed and sickened.

been rushed here have had plenty to purpose. do caring for the distracted relatives of the entombed men.

Temperary hospitals are ready for the reception of the survivors if any are brought to the surface alive.

President A. J. Earli g of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad company, which owns the mine, has been on the scene since yesterday and has been directing in person the arrangements for the relief work. case going until January, when Richard Newsom, chairman of the Illinois Mining commission, is in charge of the situation, having as-Francis J. Heney, who heretofore sumed command immediately upon

From the best obtainable estimates

Have Narrow Escand

The first trip itno the mine 'oday was made by State Mine theorytor The turning of the Calhoun trial to Thomas Moses and A. Y. Barakan. o. second by Inspector James F. Taylor

It is impossible to learn the exact conditions in the mine as the heat is day on account of the absence of too great for the inspectors to venture

When they went into the mine they swore in a hundred deputies to keep the crowd 600 feet from the shaft

Inspector Taylor was deathly pale whether they had seen any bodies.

train arrived here with helmet equip- saving any of the entombed men-

FOR FRANCHISE ASHLAND

struction Work in This City to Fulfill Franchise Requirements.

Mr. Sharpe states that he is to start actual construction work as soon as possible and will live up to all the terms imposed by the council is granting the franchise, among which is one requiring a certain amount of work to be done within a certain

It is Mr. Sharpe's intention if he is able to secure the franchises, to build lines covering every section of the

1200 DENOUNCE

Seattle Members of Industrial Workers do Not Like Stand Taken by City

Authorities.

(United Press Leased Wire) SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 15 .- At a mass meeting attended by 1200 men in Arcade hall last night, resolutions on the lower levels, is growing today of protest against the probibiting by in spite of the apparent hopelessness the city officials of Spokane of speaking by members of the Industrial Not until the explorations are made Workers of th World were adopted. Many speakers were heard and the authorities of Spokane were denonneed for their attitude. The meeting which was held under the auspices of the local lodge of the Industrial Workers, with the assistance of the United Wage Workers, a socialistic organization, was called for the purpose of raising funds to assist the Spokane street speakers, and The doctors and nurses, who have about \$100 was subscribed for the

ENORMOUS DAMAGE WROUGHT IN JAMAICA

Suffered Heavily From Recent Hurricane.

(United Press Leased Wire.) KINGSTON, Jamaica, Nov. 15. -Meager reports received here today show that enormous property damage was wrought in the interior by the storm and hurricane of last Wednesday and Thursday.

Railroad traffic is completely paralyzed and it will be weeks before the highways are passable.

DEFAULTING OFFICIAL IS INDICTED ON TWO COUNTS.

(United Press Leased Wire.) CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 15.—Chas, L. Warriffer, former local treasurer of chell are imprisoned in the contempt the Big Four railroad company, was indicted on two counts today charging embezzlement and grand larceny.

Warriner is accused of embezzling \$643,000 of the company's funds.

The belief is general this afternoon

HENEYCOMES ENGINEER STEVENS AT WORK

Reappointment as Assistant Attorney General to Take Up Oregon Land Cases.

HENEY REMAINS IN 'FRISCO UNTIL JANUARY

Announcement Comes Unexepectedly -Was Not Believed He Would Again Work in This State.

(United Press Leased Wire) announcement was made at the department of justice today of the reappointment of Francis J. Heney as assistant attorney general to represent the government in the Oregon turers' association was considering

probability Francis J. Heney will continue his duties in this city as assistant district attorney until January 1, when his term expires. The announcement came suddenly, as it was not expected he would go back to

Following Her Acquittal Saturday white slavry will result. Night Mme. Steinheil Denies

Herself to All Callers.

(United Press Leased Wire.) PARIS, Nov. 15. - Madame Steinheil, "the red widow," who was ac- ble for them to cope with the present quitted Saturday of the murder of her conditions.' artist husband and stepmother, Madame Japy, is in hiding today in a country villa near here.

She is denying herself to all callers and newspaper men and her plans for the future cannot be learned.

It is freely predicted today that sweeping court reforms will result from th widow's trial.

she spent the night after 1er acquittal, was for champagne and sand-

"How happy and contented I am," she said, "and how glad I am that it is over."

Meagre Reports Show That Island ALL UNION MEN MAY WALK OUT

In Case Sentence Against Labor favorable. Leaders is Imposed-Resolutions Are

Adopted.

(Mail Tellane Special Service.) PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 15,-A local committee of the Central Labor body is today developing a plan for all union men and non-union men in the city to quit work for two weeks in case Compers, Morrison and Mitproceedings decided against them. Union leaders here hope to have the plan adopted throughout the United States and Canada.

At yesterday's meeting of the Contral Laber union a resolution to this effect introduced by H. C. Parker of the cigar makers' union, was adopted. Copies of the resolution were declared war on the United States to a member of the Suey Yings a forwarded to the annual convention Steel corporation by adopting a reso-Shortly after 2 o'clock a special that there is little, if any shance of of the American Federation of Labor now in session at Toronto.

FOR SOCIALISM RIPE IN AMERICA

New Rebellion Must Use Either Ballots or

Bullets.

(United Press Leased Wire.) NEW YORK, Nov. 15 .- Rose Pastor Stokes, who was a cigar worker G. Phelps Stokes, the millionaire so- the valley. WASHINGTON, Nov. 15 .- Formal cialist, today charged that August Belmont, the American representativ of the Rothschilds, has contributed \$50,000 to conduct a fight against socialism and the National Manufacspending \$1,000,000 for the same pur pore. She also declared that the time but not throughout the rest of the world. In this connection, Mrs. Stokes said:

"This new rebellion must be fought with the ballot if possible, but with bullet if necessary.

any other countary for a scientific valuable in such matters, socialist movement. Delada was imprisoned at Los Angeles and Fernan- REFUSES TO BE GOOD; do is under a jall sentence here for peaking the truth about the 'czar' f Mexico.

"In Spokane hundreds have been mprisoned betause they love liberty. "There must be a rebellion or

tion is right for a complete victory one month's imprisonment. for the working people.

"I cannot see that we can win by courtroom she shouted: the ballot alone. I wish that we blinded by capital that it is impossi- from suffragettes."

WOULD HAVE SALONS PROHIBIT FOOTBALL.

(United Press Leased Wire.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 15. A movement has been started in reached the Hotel Terminus where University of Virginia football player who was hurt in the game with Georgetowns University Saturday.

A court of inquiry will be held today and the jury will consist of the leading business men of the city. As a sign of sympathy the faculty of Georgetown immediately cancelled all games scheduled for this year and

Virginia took similar action. Midshipman Earl D. Wilson, quarter- Charles M. Haskell and other promi-

MRS. STETSON EXAMINED

Augusta Stetson, the recently depos- jury was faulty. ed leader of the First church, Christian Scientist, in New York, who has POLICE STRIVING TO HEAD been the chief figure in the recent storm within the Christian Science church, was examined today before the board of directors of the mother church. The examination was secret and those concerned refused to give out any information in connection with the affair.

FEDERATION DECLARES WAR ON STEEL CORPORATION

(United Press Leased Wire.) TORONTO, Ont., Nov. 15.— The corporation's employes.

GOES OVER THE NORTH END OF ROGUE VALLEY

ON ELECTRIC ROAD REPORT

Wife of Millionaire Socialism Says Formal Application Has Been Made Tronson & Guthrie's Car is Attractfor Franchise in Grants Pass, Ashland, and Central Point.

John F. Stevens, former chief engineer of the Panama canal, is in the city working on a report for John R. in Cleveland, O., before marrying J. Allen regarding an electric road in show were thrown open at 10 o'clock

> north end of the valley Sunday and House. A million and a half apples will continue his work until he has gathered all data having a bearing upon the construction of the road.

Formal application has been made in Ashland, Grants Pass and Central Point for franchises for the road and carload exhibit. It was held in rail-SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 15 .- In all for socialism was ripe in America, these will probably be acted upon road yards for two days and the exsome time during this week. It was upon Mr. Stevens' report into place. This lot is being greatly

upon the P. & E. railroad that ena- admired. bled Mr. Allen to sell all the P. & E. bonds, and as soon as he began to consider the construction of BERIOT WANTS BIG "American is probably riper than vens, as he considers his advice in-

GOES TO JAIL

(United Press Leased Wire.) BRISTOL, England, Nov. 15 .- Refusing to enter her own recognizance to keep the peace, Theresa Gurnett, the suffragette who attempted to "The master classes of America horsewhip Winston Churchill, presicannot force the people to violent dent of the London board of trade, on action, however, until every condi- Saturday, was today sentenced to

As she was being led from the

"All ministers of the present cab-

BOYS WENT FOR SWIM:

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 15 .- After believed either o have been drowned in the bay or swept to sea in a sail tion taken to prohibit football in the real danger at any time. They reach-It was learned today that Madame District of Columbia as a result of ed Sausilito Saturday night and spent Steinhell's first request when she the death of Archie Christian, the the day fishing. They had intended to return Sunday but the outgoing tide standed their sailboat on a mid flat and they were compelled to remain away Sunday night also.

HASKELL CASE AGAIN IS IN THE COURTS

(United Press Leased Wire.) OKLAHOMA CITY, O. T., Nov. 15. Judge Marshall today overruled Word received from Annapolis to the demurrers to the fraud indictday indicates that the condition of ments interposed by Governor back of the navy football team, who nent business men of Muskogee, in has been paralyzed from his neck connection with the town lot cases. cown as the result of an injury to This means that Haskell and the his spine four weeks ago, is not so other defendants must go to trial on lector may be expected to be indictthe indictments. This is the second time Haskell has been indicted for the alleged fraud. The first indict-BY THE MOTHER CHURCH ment returned against him was dismissed on Haskell's objection that (United Press Leased Wire.)
BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 15.—Mrs. the indictment returned by the grand

(United Press Leased Wire.) OAKLAND, Cal., Nov. 15 .- With the Mee family and the On Yicks tong fighting, rumors of friction between the Suey Ying tong and the Bing Kongs over the alleged abduction of a Chinese slave girl, have reached the ears of the police and BROWN SLATED FOR efforts today to forestall another tong war are being made by the loa lauthorities.

According to the police, a Bing American Federation of Labor today Kong man stole a woman belonging week ago. Since then relations have today. lution to attempt to unionize the been strained and war threatens to break out between them.

ing Much A intion

Among G. or Exhibit .

(United Press Leased Wire.) SPOKANE, Wash., Nov. 1 .- The doors of the second national apple this morning, when President Taft With Mr. Allen he went over the touched a golden key at the White of all varieties are on exhibition. The show covers mo. . than ten acres of space and entries from all over the

United baths are a display. Trons .. & Guti. : from Eagle Point in Stogue River valley have a hibitors worked all night getting them

Tells Los Angeles He Will Be Glad to Participate in Their Meet for \$80,000.

(United Press Leased Wire.) LONDON, Nov. 15 .- M. Perlot, the Frenchman who startled the world by piloting his aeroplane across the English channel, will not appear during the America naviation week at could, but the federal courts are so inet will receive similar treatment Los Angeles, Cal., undess he receives \$80,000 for his services. Beriot proposes competing at the Egyptian meet which is causing no small NOT LOST AS REPORTED amount of discussion throughout Europe and unless the American promoters meet his terms, he probably causing much apprehension by their will try for some of the valuable prolonged absence five boys who were prizes that will be offered in the land of the Sphynx. Several French aviators who have been approached with boat, returned to their homes today, offers to appear in the United States Washington to have congressional ac- The lads declared they were in no have expressed their willingness to take their air craft across the ocean.

COMPLETE SWEEP TO BE MADE OF EMPLOYEES

(United Press Leased Wire.) NEW YORK, Nov. 15 .- Collector Loeb is expected to make a complete renovation of the customs service within the next two weeks, it was learned today. Wholesale dismissals are to be made and these will be followed quickly by the largest batches of indictments thus far found against persons suspected of complicity in the customs frauds. As no more immunity baths are to be extended to government employes. those that are dismissed by the coled and vigorously prosecuted.

NEW CRUISERS PUT INTO COMMISSI N

(United Press Leased W' -) VALLEJO, Cal., Nov. 15.--The cruiser New Orleans was placed in commission at the Mare Island navy OF ANOTHER TONG WAR yard today with Commander Roger Wells in charge.

The crew and the major's of its officers were transferred from the monitor Cheyenne. The New Orleans is destined for service at the A static station.

THE AMATEUR PRESIDENCY

NEW YORK, Nov. 15 .- E. C. Brown of Chicago, probably will be elected president of the Amateur Athletic union, in convention here

James Sullivan, the present prestdent, probably will be elected secretar yand treasurer of the union.