

FRAUD IN NEW LAND

Investigation Under Way by Legislative Committee.

RING WITH ODELL AT HEAD

Report Expected to Show That ex-Governor Geer and ex-Land Agent Geer Were Engaged in Some Shady Transactions.

DEAF MUTE SCHOOL MAY BE

Many Senators Favorable to Bill Passed in the House.

SENATOR HOLMAN READY FOR ADJOURNMENT

He is ready to leave for his home in Astoria.

WRESTLE WITH JAYNE BILL

Committee Will Not Probably Be Ready to Report Before Friday.

WILL ADJOURN WITHOUT DAY

Legislature Will Take No Notice of Developments in Mitchell Case.

TANGLE IN LAND DEPARTMENT

Idaho House Committee Asks for Time and Expert Help.

AT THE HOTELS

The Portland.

LACK OF DISCIPLINE ALLEGED

Ex-Warden McPherson and Wife Before Penitentiary Committee.

Special Order on County Division.

Convicted of Fraudulent Voting.

San Francisco, Feb. 15.—Adolph Steffens, accused of fraudulent voting at the last primary election, was today found guilty after the jurors had conferred for a few minutes.

Woman Fined for Cruelty to Horse.

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HUNDREDS OF CHARITY HOSPITALS HAVE TRIED PE-RU-NA DURING THE LAST YEAR AND FIND IT WONDERFULLY EFFICIENT FOR ALL CATARRHAL DISEASES.

SISTERS OF PROVIDENCE, Mother House, Montreal, Can., write: "We are happy to say that a number of our Sisters of our community have taken Pe-Ru-NA and have derived great benefit from its use." The Winters of Canada are long and severe. Catarrh of the head and throat prevails for at least seven months of the year. As soon as Pe-Ru-NA was introduced into Canada, its use spread like wildfire, for it exactly met the climatic diseases which abounded. Catarrh, when it once fastens itself upon the system, is not to be dislodged by the use of local remedies. A systematic remedy is needed to eradicate the disease. Pe-Ru-NA exactly meets this demand. Pe-Ru-NA is the whole history of medicine, no remedy was ever devised that has been so universally recognized as a specific for catarrh. It not only breaks up promptly coughs and colds, but it can be relied upon to permanently cure catarrh in its worst stages and forms. A reward of \$10,000 has been deposited in the Market Exchange Bank, the above testimonials are genuine; that we hold in our possession the signed testimonials of these institutions. Every one of our testimonials are genuine and in the exact words of the

ard, the convict who was made a trustee, gave her two hand-painted plates about the same time the portieres were given to Mrs. James. She thought it nothing wrong at the time, but afterwards, when she thought it over, she saw that the only purpose of the gifts was to influence the treatment of her son by Mr. McPherson. She also said that she has not returned the plates to the donor.

Convention of Women of Woodcraft. WALLA WALLA, Wash., Feb. 15.—(Special.)—The seventh annual meeting of the Women of Woodcraft for the district of Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho is in progress here today, with over 50 delegates in attendance.

Electric Lights to Be Cheaper. WALLA WALLA, Wash., Feb. 15.—(Special.)—As a result of the determined war waged on the electric light rates here for some months past, the Northwestern Gas and Electric Company has today announced its intention of making a considerable reduction in rates, beginning March 1. The company has just completed a \$300,000 plant on the Walla Walla River, the lowest rates which it has charged are primarily due to the introduction of Senator Fauley's bill in the Washington Legislature for the regulation of gas and electric rates by municipalities.

Osteopath on State Board. OLYMPIA, Wash., Feb. 15.—(Special.)—The Wilson Senate bill requiring osteopaths to undergo examination by the State Board of Medical Examiners and giving them one place on the board will be favorably reported by the House committee on medicine and surgery.

AT THE HOTELS. THE PORTLAND. F. W. Rogers, St. Paul; C. H. Green, Saginaw; G. K. Koon, Paris; E. H. Russell, B. C.; J. C. Meunier, and W. E. Giers, Jr., Bend; W. F. F. Powers, H. F. Peters, St. Louis; E. H. Johnson, Mrs. J. S. Klobner, Green River; C. R. Heap, Mich. T. L. Munroe, Rochester; G. A. Graves, Chicago; A. Rowland, San Fran; W. E. Newell, Tacoma; J. E. Graves, S. F.; W. H. Wines, Astoria; J. A. Rothbarth, N. Y.; B. T. Waller, Tacoma; H. T. Lewis, San Fran; W. B. Timms, Elizabeth; W. Bennett, Marshfield; N. Phillips, San Fran; K. Michael and wife, A. Dunbar, Astoria; C. S. Baxter, Chicago; Miss Golden and maid, H. Sebree, Caldwell; Mrs. New York; B. D. Bradlee, New York; Hooper, San Fran; C. W. Wilbur, Chicago; M. Conrad, Chicago; J. Jacobs, San Fran; S. Sturtevant, N. Y.; H. M. Bates, San Fran; St. Louis; A. P. McFarlane, Eugene; C. Olin, Chicago; J. C. H. Jones, San Fran; J. S. Smith, San Fran; P. Hagan, Spokane; E. Van Orden, N. Y.; R. C. Cleveland, Spokane; J. J. Scherer, New York; M. Reifel, Arizona; G. F. Smith, San Fran; C. Hasey, Spokane; W. H. Dickinson, Seattle; C. Taylor and wife, A. E. Rice, Chesham; Seattle.

OTHER WORLDS. Our sole knowledge of the people on other worlds and how far the people there differ from our inhabitants, can only be guessed by comparison with animal nature on this side of the sphere of our world. More important to us is a knowledge of ourselves. "Know Thyself" was an old Greek thought. How to take care of one's own body is not so simple as some think; the human mechanism is a wonderful thing and requires watching. One man who has done more to teach the American people how to care for their bodies than almost any other, is Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., the Author of the "Common Sense Medical Adviser." He says: It is not the quantity of the food eaten which produces strength and health (for some people can keep strong on a very meagre diet), but it is how much food is absorbed and assimilated by the blood and carried to nourish every organ of the body. It is, therefore, vitally necessary for the body that the stomach be in a healthy condition. "Stomach trouble," prevents proper nutrition to the heart, liver, lungs, and kidneys do not get proper food—they are starved and increased the risk of disease, because, begin to show signs of distress. Outwardly these signs may be sleepless nights, tired, haggard feelings, or by reason of the nerves not being fed on pure blood, they become starved, and we receive a "surprise" in the pain we call neuritis. Rheumatism, too, is a blood disease. After years of practice and study Dr. Pierce found that an Alternative Extract, which he named "Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery," made from the extracts of several plants, invariably produced a tonic effect upon the system. It helped the process of absorption of the healthy elements in the food and increased the red corpuscles in the blood, as well as eliminated the poisons from the system. Business is business. No time for headaches. Constipation causes them. Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets stop them by cutting the cause. Laxative and mild.