

NO RUSH TO FILL VACANCY

Governor Mead Will Take His Time in Naming Railroad Commissioner.

LITTLE ACCOMPLISHED YET

Lawmakers Adjourn With Their Work Even Farther Behind Than at Same Time Last Year.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 25.—(Special.)—Governor Mead said this evening:

"I do not think I shall appoint a Railroad Commissioner to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. McMullen until some time has expired. Just at present there is no need of particular haste in the appointment. The commission has itself recommended certain amendments to the law, and I am advised that other amendments to the commission measure are proposed by members of the Legislature.

GETS HENEY TO DOCTOR LAW

FAMOUS PROSECUTOR DRAWS MEASURE FOR POLSON.

The Judiciary Committee, However, Takes Exception Because Good Points Are Already on Statutes.

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It is reported that Heney was the author of the bill introduced early in the session by Polson, of Chehalis, which provided punishment for persons attempting to bribe or influence a judge or juror.

HOUSE SLOW AT "CATCHING ON."

The Senate, of course, with its larger proportion of experienced members, is catching on to the printing of bills, as a result of which committee reports have in but few instances been passed.

BOY AND GIRL ORATORS TIE

Miss Bonney and J. G. Schroeder Win Second Place at Corvallis.

CORVALLIS, Or., Jan. 25.—(Special.)—In the local oratorical contest held here tonight, Mark V. Wetherford, of the American Society, won the honor of representing O. A. C. in the inter-state oratorical contest to be held in this city in April.

LIBEL STEAMER FOR \$2500

Hanalei Lehman Put South Bend Water System Out of Commission.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 25.—(Special.)—The steamer Hanalei Lehman, while steaming up the Willapa River, January 22, from South Bend to Raymond, lost the regular channel and ran into and broke the pipe line of the Mountain Spring Water Company.

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RESUME WORK FEBRUARY 3

Original Plan to Erect Two Buildings Together May Be Abandoned—Secretary Stone on Growth of Y. M. C. A.

The various secretaries of the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. are hard at work outlining plans for the new campaign for the raising of the balance of the \$120,000 necessary for the erection of suitable buildings for the two associations.

The original plan was to erect two buildings side by side on First street, but if a suitable location cannot be found for two buildings together they will be erected separately.

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