

CURE FOR GASTRIC NERVOUSNESS

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TAKES FLING AT COUNCIL

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STATEMENT OF JOHN F. LOGAN. The Charter Board evidently made a grave mistake in neglecting to insert a provision worded something like this: "Provided, however, that the provisions of this charter shall in no wise apply to the members of the present City Council, or office-holders, or to their successors or assigns, even unto the fourth generation." Had we inserted such a provision, there would have been no trouble having the proposed charter submitted to the people by the Council.

Lawyer John F. Logan, who was a member of the Charter Board of 15 taxpayers, which submitted to the City Council the proposed commission plan of municipal government, declared yesterday that the Board left out what appears at this time to have been a most important section—one providing that the proposed charter should not apply to present office-holders, and particularly members of the Council. He said that in the light of events, he can now see where it would have been a grave mistake to have inserted such a clause. He was speaking with regard to the refusal of certain Councilmen to allow the draft to be placed before the electors at a special election.

Money and Exchange. LONDON, Feb. 22.—Bar silver, quiet. Money, 2 1/2 per cent. The open market for short bills is 2 1/2 per cent; three months' bills, 2 1/2 per cent.

ESTATE GOES TO WIDOW WILL OF JACOB MAYER ADMITTED TO PROBATE. Children and Grandchildren Given Masonic Emblems and Small Sums of Money. The \$200,000 estate of the late Jacob Mayer, pioneer merchant, who died January 1, has been admitted to probate by the County Court and the terms of the will are to be carried out at once.

EXPECT CHEAPER EGGS SEATTLE DEALERS POSTPONE BUYING IN OREGON. Bananas Will Be 30 Cents Higher Next Week—Alaska Orders Keep Eggs Up.

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 22.—(Special.)—When banana shippers at Seattle Monday, dealers here say wholesale prices will be at least 20 cents per 100 higher, as the advance in the price of the fruit is expected to be 20 cents. The supply of bananas is dwindling and stocks will be practically exhausted by tomorrow night.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK MARKET. Prices Current Locally on Cattle, Sheep and Hogs. The week opened with a steady to firm livestock market and good prospects for remaining so during the week.

ANNOUNCEMENTS. Dr. Horn, the oculician, 2d floor Sweetland bldg., guarantees satisfaction or money refunded. No fancy prices.

Eastern Livestock Prices. CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—Cattle—Estimated receipts, 19,000. Market, steady to higher. Beef, \$1.25@1.50; Texas steers, \$1.20@1.50; Western steers, \$1.00@1.50; stockers and feeders, \$1.20@1.50; cows and heifers, \$1.20@1.50.

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,900. Market strong to 10c higher. Western steers, \$1.20@1.50; Texas steers, \$1.20@1.50; range cows and heifers, \$1.20@1.50; calves, \$1.20@1.50; stockers and feeders, \$1.20@1.50; calves, \$1.20@1.50.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000. Market, steady. Native steers, \$1.20@1.50; native cows and heifers, \$1.20@1.50; calves, \$1.20@1.50; stockers and feeders, \$1.20@1.50; calves, \$1.20@1.50.

LATEST ADDITION TO FLEET OF PORTLAND & ASIATIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY. NORWEGIAN STEAMER SELJA, NOW ON LAST VOYAGE AS TRAMP VESSEL. When the Norwegian tramp steamer Selja returns to Portland she will come as one of the fleet of the Portland & Asiatic Steamship Company.

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WARRANT FOR H. C. BOWERS. Chief Instructs Request for Hotel Man's Arrest. According to Chief Gretnacher, Detective Kay will go before City Attorney Kavanagh this morning and ask for a warrant of arrest against H. C. Bowers, a manager of the Portland Hotel.

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SUMMIT COAL MINING CO. Robert J. Linden, President and Manager. Miners & Shippers Bituminous Coal DOMESTIC AND STEAM. Mines located near Roslyn and Cle Elum, Washington. Carload orders solicited from manufacturers and others.

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Bonds Stocks Securities. Seattle Marine Notes. SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 22.—The steamer Sevak arrived at Port Ludlow from Seattle this morning and will complete her cargo for the West Coast.

Arrivals and Departures. PORTLAND, Feb. 22.—Arrived—Breakwater, from Coos Bay; St. Helena, from San Francisco; Hoop, from San Francisco; Astoria, Feb. 22.—Conditions at the mouth of the Columbia River, Feb. 22, 1909, weather, cloudy. Arrived at 7:15 and left at 11:30 A. M.—Steamer B. D. Inman, from San Francisco, arrived at 11:30 A. M.—Steamer J. Marhofer, sailed at 11:40 A. M.—French bark, L. from Astoria, for Queenstown or Fairmount, P. M.—Steamer, from Astoria, sailed at 2 P. M.—British steamer, Kalmath, for Manzanilla.

LEAGUE WANTS REASON Anti-Saloon People Desire to Occupy Baptist Pulpits. At the meeting yesterday of the Baptist Anti-Saloon League, a communication was read from the Anti-Saloon League regarding the attitude of the association toward the league.

NEW SERVICE TO NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIA. Delightful South Sea Tours for Rest and Recreation. New Zealand, the world's wonderland, is now, at thermal wonders, surpassing the other islands of the South Sea.

North Pacific S. S. Co.'s Steamship Moanoke and Geo. W. Elder. Sail for Eureka, San Francisco and Los Angeles direct every Thursday at 8 P. M. Ticket office 132 Third St., near Alder. Both phones, M. 1314. H. Young, Agent.

COOS BAY LINE. The steamer BIRKAWATER leaves Portland every Wednesday, 8 P. M., from Alsea, Coos Bay, and other points. It is a fast and comfortable steamer, with a crew of experienced hands.



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