

TO CORRECT THE OLD CHARTER

Officials May Resign to Make Themselves Eligible Under Commission Plan.

LAWYERS NOT OF ONE MIND

City Attorney's View Combated, but Councilmen Who Want to Be Mayor Declare That They Are Not Worrying.

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 14.—(Special).—Tacoma city officials who contemplate resigning so that no question can arise over their eligibility to hold office under the new commission plan of government...

OTHER HEIRS PROTEST

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ALBANY, Or., Jan. 14.—(Special).—Alleging that her sister, Elizabeth M. Boyle, of Sodusville, poisoned the mind of her father against his other children and thus secured all of his property, Luzena E. Hood, of Philomath, today filed a petition in the county court to have set aside the will of Samuel J. Irwin.

PORTLAND FIRM BARRED

Merchants Savings & Trust Company Must Quit Washington.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 14.—(Special).—Hearing an Oregon corporation from doing business in Washington, the Attorney-General today rendered the following opinion to J. L. Mohundro, State Bank Examiner.

CLARK COUNTY GETS TROUT

Spawn to Number of 500,000 Placed in Hatchery.

DUMAS DECLINES HONOR

W. T. CLARK HEADS WASHINGTON HORTICULTURISTS. Convention at Wenatchee Adjourns to Hold Next Session at Prosser.

WOMAN'S ACT BETRAYS HER

Presence Unknown to Police Until Attempt at Suicide Tells.

LOT SPECULATION BLAMED

Linton Man Says United Railways Withhold Part of the Truth.

GRANGER LEAVES CANAL

Resignation Follows Complete Exoneration of Sunnyside Manager.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Jan. 14.—(Special).—Walter N. Granger, manager of the great Sunnyside Canal, today handed in his resignation to Supervising Engineer Swigart.

CASE IS RE-ELECTED

Stae Federation Selects Officers and Adjourns.

BUILDING COUNCIL FORMS

Unions of Aberdeen and Hoquiam Effect Temporary Organization, Which Will Be Offered for Ratification by Referendum.

HOQUIAM, Wash., Jan. 14.—(Special).—The State Federation of Labor convention adjourned this afternoon, but a large number of delegates remained here tonight and took the initial steps for a State Building Trades organization.

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FREIGHT CHIEF PAROLED

WAREHOUSE FOREMAN SENTENCED, THEN SET FREE. Freight Inspector Let Off With Fine of \$60 in Case That Once Caused Sensation.

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MAN HAS ODD DELUSION

Believing He Runs by Electricity, George Newton Adjudged Insane.

JUDGE BOOTH RECOVERING

Consciousness Returns and Doctors Say He Will Be Released.

TRESTLES TO BE FILLED

Milwaukee Road Will Expend Million Dollars in Work.

LANE FARMERS SPRAYING

Orchardists Propose the Fruit Trees Shall Be Neglected No Longer.

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OIL! AT NEHALEM OIL! OIL! OIL! NO DOUBT OF IT, and we are going to sell another block of stock for THIS REASON. As we go down in the well we are boring at Nehalem now, we find the prospects SO VERY FLATTERING that we want to be prepared to put down at least SIX more wells, as soon as we get the Oil in this first well, and our expert tells us we will not have to go deeper than SEVEN HUNDRED and FIFTY feet, to strike the OIL LAKE, and at the rate we are going down, we will reach that depth within the next 40 to 60 DAYS, hence our desire to be prepared for the future in a financial way, as it will take a considerable amount of money to put down that many wells.

Our representative at the well reports the finding of NUMEROUS SEAPAGES, MORE NUMEROUS AS THEY GO DOWN. The formation now is BLUE SHALE AND A HARD BLUE CLAY MIXED WITH SHELLS. This formation is IMPREGNATED WITH THE OIL, and our head driller says we are undoubtedly near the sclerum rock, under which the oil is held. We have contracted the boring of the well to an expert driller, and the only way he can make money is by putting down the well as fast as possible, and the progress he is making is satisfactory.

The capitalization of the company is but 50,000 SHARES, par value \$1.00 per share, and because of this low capitalization this stock will be worth from \$100 to \$500 per share as soon as Oil is procured. The usual capitalizations of Oil companies is from One Million to Five Million shares, and these shares are sold at a low price which puts them into the hands of THOUSANDS of people, and this makes both the stock and dividends unattractive to the thinking and careful investors. NOT SO WITH THE STOCK OF THIS COMPANY, for it will get into the hands of but FEW PEOPLE, and THAT FEW WILL ENJOY THE ENORMOUS PROFITS. When we reach the depth of 500 feet, it is EXTREMELY LIKELY that the stock will be taken from the market altogether, and we expect to reach that depth about the FIRST OF FEBRUARY. The history of finding Oil in the Pacific Northwest is, that all, so far, has been found very near the coast. Go from lower California to the far North in Alaska, and you will find this to be true.

If desired, we sell the stock upon the following plan, as it constitutes a guarantee against loss, should the oil proposition not prove a success. To illustrate, should you buy \$50 worth of the oil stock, and for any reason you may become dissatisfied with it, the Nehalem Bay Land Company, owners of Nearney City, a Townsite, a beach resort on Nehalem Peninsula, will take over your stock and allow you full credit for the \$50 on any one unsold lot you may select, in above said Townsite, at the time of assigning said stock to that said Company, and the price of said lots to remain as they are now selling, being \$200 each, and the balance paid at the rate of \$5 per month, on each lot. These lots will easily sell for from \$400 to \$500 when the railroad reaches there, next Summer.

THERE IS NO BUSINESS IN THE WORLD AS PROFITABLE AS THE OIL BUSINESS. The rich have been made richer, and many poor have been lifted from poverty to affluence and wealth, by investing in legitimate Oil propositions, and no Oil proposition has ever been put before the people, upon a more honest basis, than this of the Nearney City Hydrocarbon Oil Company.

Present Price of Stock Is \$2.50 Per Share Send for Oil prospectus. Address all communications to the N. C. H. OIL CO. 274 Oak St., Board of Trade Bldg., Portland, Or. Stock for Sale Also by D. F. HOLT, Treasurer, Room 206, Rothchild Building

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KIDNEY TROUBLE Bright's Disease, Dropsy, Bladder Complaints, Cured by Liquicide. ONLY THREE DAYS TO LIVE. "It is with the greatest pleasure I write these few words of praise for what Liquicide did for me. I will try to tell you my condition when I began with your product. It was one year ago today, on June 14, 1904, when I took to my bed with 'Bright's Disease.' I could not turn in the bed. I sent for the doctor, and he told my brother that I would not live longer than three days. I got worse. Then I began to take Liquicide, and stayed with it until I had taken seven bottles, and now I have taken 11 bottles. I am a living testimony of one that has been cured of 'Bright's Disease.' I thank you very much for what it has done for me." H. R. GARDNER, 1400 Broadway, San Francisco, Calif., June 14, 1905. THREE YEARS LATER CURE CONFIRMED. Mr. Griffin confirms this November 1, 1907. He has experienced no return of his trouble. He used altogether 11 bottles of Liquicide. This letter is merely a specimen of many thousands we receive unasked from grateful patients. Many more telling and remarkable cures of these, as well as other diseases, will be sent anywhere on request.

Liquicide cures kidney trouble because of its power to kill germs. Some forms of kidney trouble are due to germs in the kidneys. Some are due to poisons created by germs elsewhere. And the disease never can end until these germs are destroyed. Liquicide which kills germs, kills internally, but a harmless germicide which works from technicality, which is free from technicalities and restrictions. Please send today your offer, please you under no obligation whatever. Liquicide costs 50c and \$1.00. THE LIQUIDCO COMPANY, 36-38 W. Kinzie St., CHICAGO.

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