

## HOME REED "CHILLY"

Frazier Detention Institution  
Scored by Officials.

## BETTER BUILDING URGED

Trained Social Workers Should Be  
Placed in Charge of Inmates.  
Declare E. B. MacNaughton  
and R. C. Holman.

Individual members of the advisory county budget committee and members of the Board of County Commissioners are agreed that the foremost need at the Frazier Detention Home is the placing of that institution in charge of trained social workers if its aims and purposes are to be served and desired results attained. At the same time it is agreed that the building occupied by the home is inadequate for that purpose and is equipped poorly for the proper care and treatment of the inmates.

"To me the Frazier Detention Home is a mighty chilly proposition," said E. B. MacNaughton, chairman of the county budget committee, yesterday. "I probably cannot better define my position with regard to the home than to say that it impresses me as closely resembling the parochial institution to which the blade took Oliver Twist."

**Building Not Suitable.**  
The main building and the grounds now used for the Detention Home originally were deeded to Multnomah County by the Drs. Brown on condition that the property always should be used for the care and training of delinquent and dependent children. For many years the building has not been suitable for the needs of such an institution. Although the county has expended \$3000 in repairs and the property, together with the equipment, represents a total investment by the county of approximately \$15,000, it admittedly is not desirable as a home for children.

During the administration of Judge W. N. Gatens as Juvenile Court Judge he interested the County Commissioners in the institution and the need for making the place more useful and attractive. About \$3000 was expended by the county in making needed repairs to the building, playground equipment was provided, a portable school obtained, a circulating library service installed, the grounds were beautified with flowers and shrubbery and the Rotary Club was induced to make the home its Christmas charity beneficiary.

**County Has No Control.**  
"The County Commissioners have no jurisdiction over the home, other than to audit and allow the claims for salaries and maintenance," said Chairman Holman, of the Board of Commissioners, yesterday. "We have absolutely no control over the management."

"The control and management of the home most assuredly should be placed in the hands of a trained social worker. For the present the main building should be extensively repaired and made more habitable."

"This plan and the management of the institution should be directed by persons who are familiar with children, their care, proper nourishment, schooling and helpful training, that they eventually may become useful citizens. It is just as essential that these children should be fed and clothed properly as it is that they should have a habitable building, surrounded with homelike advantages and conveniences, in which to live."

## LUMBER FIRM EXONERATED

Effort to Recover \$7500 for Fatal  
Fire Is Unavailing.

After hearing the testimony, United States Judge Bean yesterday directed the jury to bring in a verdict for the defendant in the suit of H. B. Askew, administrator of the estate of Roy E. Askew, against the C. A. Smith Lumber & Manufacturing Company. Plaintiff had sued for \$7500 for the life of his son who was burned to death in February, 1915, in a fire which destroyed a rooming-house belonging to the lumber company.

Similar suits by the administrators of the estates of William S. Glover and Louis Pappas, who lost their lives in the same fire, immediately went to trial jointly in the same court before another jury.

## Fair Association Elects Woman.

GRESHAM, Or., Dec. 5.—(Special).—Mrs. Edith Towner Weathered was elected a director of the Multnomah County Fair Association at the meeting of the stockholders held Monday. Other new members of the directorate are City Commissioner John M. Mann and T. J. Krueger, both of Portland.

WHILE AT WAR  
WOMEN SUFFER AT HOME

EUGENE, OREGON.—"I certainly owe a great deal to Dr. Pierce's Remedies; three different times they have saved my life. One time I had trouble with my lungs and the doctor said that I could not get well. I took Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and it cured me. During another illness the doctors said there was no chance for my recovery. I took two bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and I was an operation, and at once, too. I again took the Favorite Prescription and the 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and they brought me through just fine—well, and without an operation, so I cannot speak too highly of these wonderful remedies."—MRS. ALMA JARVIS, 602 W. 2d St.

ROSEBURG, OREGON.—"During expectancy I was so poorly I could not keep anything on my stomach and my head and back ached terribly all the time and I was so nervous. A friend told me about Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I took three bottles and never had any trouble afterward. The first dose helped me. My baby was a nice, healthy child. I think the 'Prescription' is simply great. I am glad to recommend it."—MRS. C. A. PARKER, 861 Mosher Street.

"Favorite Prescription" and "Golden Medical Discovery" are both put up in liquid and tablets. If not obtainable at dealers, send 10 cents to Doctor Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and he will mail trial package of either tablet.

## REED COLLEGE DEBATERS WHO WILL ARGUE WITH ORATORS OF UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON TOMORROW.



## REED TO DEBATE

University of Washington to  
Be Met at Tacoma.

## WORLD PEACE PLAN TOPIC

New Rules Made—Neutral Territory,  
Audience Decision, Merits of  
Question, Not Presentation, to  
Decide—Debaters Named.

Two teams of Reed College debaters will depart today for Tacoma, where they will match their oratory and argumentative faculties with teams of the University of Washington in two platform clashes tomorrow. This will be the fourth annual debate between the two institutions and they go into the fray with the score tied.

In the first competition the college boys won both affirmative and negative decisions. A year later one of the teams lost and the other proved winner. Last year the university squads carried off all honors.

In some respects the debates to be held tomorrow are to be innovations in Western college circles. Ordinarily it has been the custom for either affirmative or negative teams to "travel," appearing at the seat of the rival institution to face the opposing team there. This year both debates are being held in "neutral" territory. One will be held at the Lincoln High School auditorium in Tacoma during the afternoon, while the other will be staged at Camp Lewis in the evening.

Heretofore judges have been named to pass on merits of the arguments and oratory delivered. This year the judging is to be done by vote of the audience and it is stipulated that the decision shall be based on what the hearers think of the merits of the question rather than on the work of the debaters. Dr. William T. Foster, president of Reed College is given credit for effecting these changes in the debate system.

Resolved: That the nations of the world should establish a Supreme Court, with an international constabulary to enforce its decrees. "Is the wording of the question to be argued. Members of Reed College's affirmative team are Stephen Mathieu and Samuel A. Weinstein. The men who will present the negative arguments are Harry Kenin and Jack Levine. The former are juniors, the latter sophomores. Professor R. D. Lee has served as coach of the affirmative team and Professor Paul H. Douglass trained the negative pair.

## WAR BOARDS ASK HELP

MEN TO ANSWER QUESTIONS ARE  
WANTED FOR AFTERNOONS.

Shipyard Workers Rush Office After  
Day Is Done—Captain Pope and  
Chester Hogue Volunteer.

Volunteers were called for yesterday to aid in the work at draft exemption board headquarters at room 145 Courthouse. All who can give a part of their time each day to the work will be welcome. Such as can aid as asked to advise W. F. Woodward, chairman of the ten city exemption boards, and he will assign them to duty.

The office is open from 8 A. M. to 5:30 P. M. During the late hours of the afternoon there are many inquiries at headquarters by men from the shipyards, who call after their day's work is done. At this time particularly the office force is found inadequate to meet the demands. Pope reported for volunteer duty yesterday.

Chester J. Hogue, of the West Coast Lumbermen's Association, was another volunteer worker who offered his services.

## INFIDELITY IS ALLEGED

Joel B. Mitchell Seeks Custody of  
His Three Minor Daughters.

Trial of the divorce suit of Joel B. Mitchell against Carrie Mitchell was

started yesterday before Circuit Judge Bingham, of Eugene, who is sitting in Judge Tucker's court. The plaintiff is seeking a decree and the custody of their three daughters. He charges his wife with cruelty and infidelity and names Lem Elam, of Bend, as co-respondent.

The fight is over the custody of the daughters and the wife in a cross-complaint charges her husband with both cruelty and desertion. She alleges her testimony will show that her husband was married before and that Federal officials at one time sought to arrest him on an alleged charge of bigamy.

Laura Kirkpatrick yesterday started suit for divorce from Floyd Kirkpatrick on grounds of cruelty and desertion. They were married at Tacoma in 1916. L. F. Pickens wants a divorce from Beatrice Pickens on grounds of desertion. They were married in Cook County in 1916 and have no children. Cruelty is charged by Mary Usher in a suit filed for a divorce from W. J. Usher, to whom she was married at Goldendale, Wash., in 1916. She asks that her maiden name of Laura Bushnell be restored to her.

Two months after he was married to Sarah Mead, she deserted him, alleges George W. Mead in asking for a decree. They were married in North Dakota in 1907. John E. Clark wants a divorce from Grace Clark on grounds of desertion and Alvin Vogel wants a divorce from Maude Vogel on the same grounds. They were married in Portland in 1914. Presiding Judge Kavanaugh yesterday granted the following divorce decrees: Rose Crandall from Leroy Crandall; Hattie Monroe from Frank Monroe; Edith Hackett from Vernon Hackett.

## COUNTY CLERKS TO MEET

SESSIONS WILL BE HELD IN PORTLAND, NOVEMBER 12, 13 AND 14.

Proposed Legislation Making Terms of  
Clerks Four Years Instead of  
Two Will Be Considered.

County Clerks from all parts of the state are expected in Portland next week to attend the annual convention of County Clerks, which will be held in the office of County Clerk Beveridge, December 12, 13 and 14, inclusive. Matters of legislative interest to clerks and other subjects relative to the new tax laws and legislative enactments, both of which are of vital importance to all clerks, will be under discussion.

Some of the chief topics to be discussed and considered is the proposed legislation making the terms of County Clerks four years instead of two. The Clerks will join the Sheriffs and other county officials throughout Oregon in seeking to enact such a law. The present officers of the State Association are: L. B. Fox, The Dalles, president; Stacy M. Russell, Eugene,

## Bend, Oregon, Woman Dies.

Mrs. Alice T. Coble, of Bend, Or., died Tuesday at St. Vincent's Hospital following a three months' illness. The funeral was held yesterday at 1 o'clock at the Finley chapel. Rev. R. Elmer

## FOR SALE

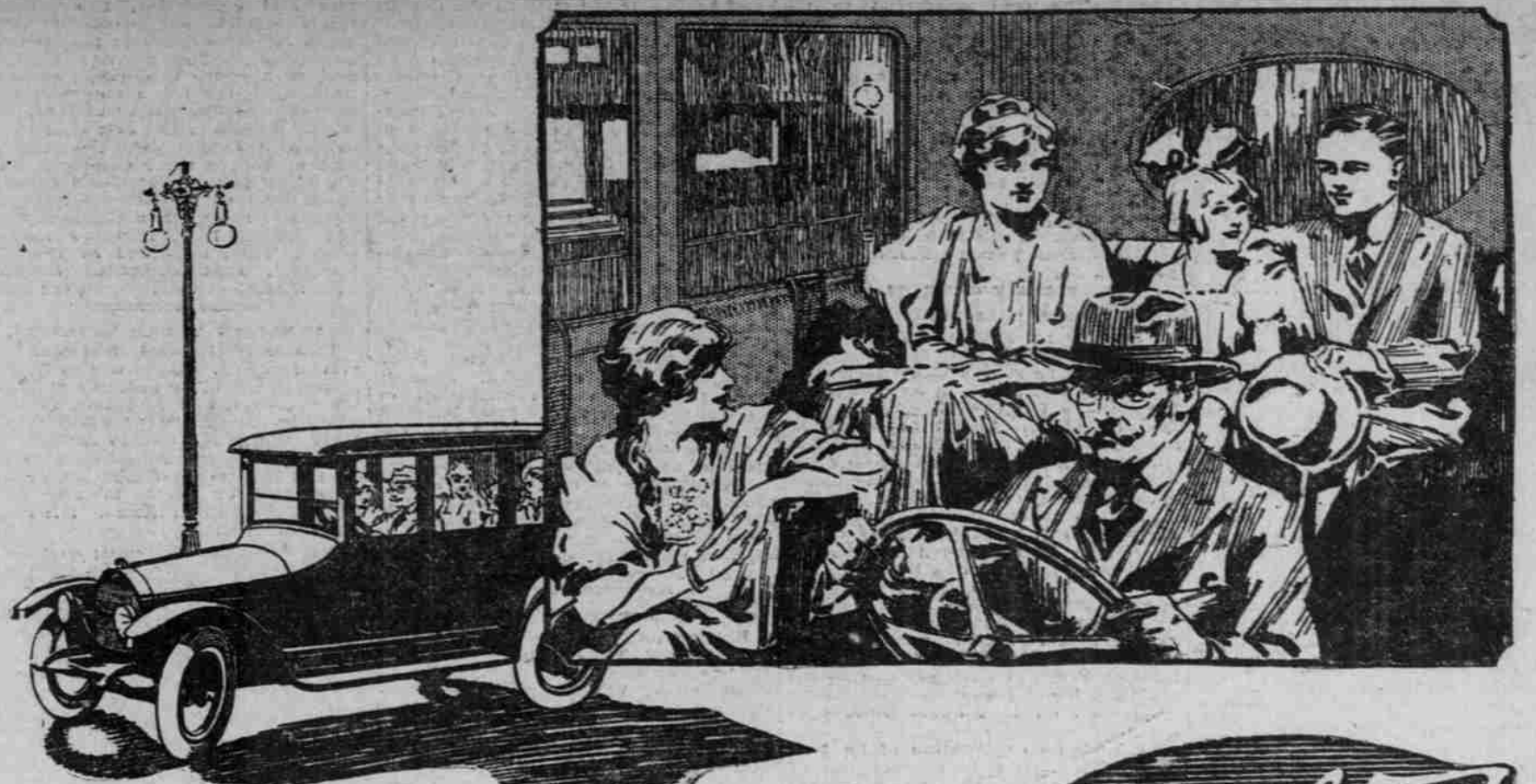
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Sawmill and Site, Portland, Or.

This property is very favorably located within the city limits on the Willamette River and contains about 100 acres. It has adequate facilities for Rail and Water Shipments and on account of its location it can also cater to the city retail lumber trade, besides having a good outlet for slabwood and such other fuel as the mill produces.

The capacity of the sawmill is about 225,000 feet in ten hours, and it has ample Dry Kiln and Planing Mill facilities, with good storage sheds and large yard room. The undersigned will consider tenders, subject to the approval of the court, for the sale or lease of the foregoing described property.

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Attorney for the Receivers

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both sides of rear seat, foot rail, wind-  
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Those wishing further advice, free,  
may address Dr. Lewis Baker, College  
Bldg., College-Edwood streets, Duxton,  
Ohio, enclosing self-addressed stamped  
envelope for reply. Full name and ad-  
dress must be given, but only initials  
or fictitious names will be used in my  
answers. The prescriptions will be  
filled at any well-stocked drug store.  
Any druggist can order of wholesaler.

John C. L. writes: "I find my natural  
strength and nervous system failing.  
I do not recuperate as of yore.  
My food and rest seem not to benefit as  
they should. Am weak, despondent and  
unable to perform the duties which  
were assumed earlier in life, while my  
ambitions for work and pleasure are  
slowly going."

Answer: I think a powerful, harm-  
less tonic and nerve medicine will  
rejuvenate and restore the functions of  
digestion, assimilation and elimination  
by invigorating the nervous system.  
Obtain three-grain cadomene tablets,  
packed in sealed tubes, and take as  
per directions accompanying.

"Morris" asks: "I have suffered with  
a chronic cough for almost a year, and  
catch a fresh cold every few weeks.  
The doctor gives me help, so I  
write to you."

Answer: You need a thorough laxa-  
tive cough syrup, one that not only re-  
lieves but surely drives it from the  
system. The following regularly used  
will cure any curable cough or cold  
promptly: Obtain a 2½-oz. bottle of  
essence mentho-laxene, mix it with a  
home-made sugar syrup or honey as  
per directions on bottle.

J. W. W. asks: "Can you prescribe  
a reliable treatment to get rid of dan-  
druft, itching and feverish scalp?"  
Answer: I know you can get instant  
relief and permanent results by using  
plain yellow minyl as per directions  
which accompany each 4-oz. jar.

C. M. C. asks: "Please relieve me of  
a coated tongue, foul breath, headache,  
constipation and general ill health."  
Answer: If habitually constipated,  
you should take three-grain sulphur  
tablets (not sulphur) and arouse the  
organs which eliminate waste material  
from your body. These tablets purify  
the blood and improve the health by  
acting on the liver, kidneys and bowels.  
Obtain in sealed tubes with full direc-  
tions.

John C. asks: "Will you please tell a  
young man how to increase his weight."

Answer: If you have no serious or-  
ganic trouble I believe the regular tak-  
ing of three-grain hypo-nuclease tablets  
will cause an increase in the weight of  
you or anybody who is abnormally thin.  
Don't expect to do so in a week or two.  
It takes time, but the help is worth  
time and money, too.

NOTE: For many years Dr. Baker  
has been giving free advice and pre-  
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confidence.—Adv.