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DOMESTIC SCIENCE SCHOOL. The following representative women have been elected as officers of the Portland School of Domestic Science:

President, Mrs. E. P. Mossman; first vice-president, Mrs. Julia Marquam; second vice-president, Mrs. Rose Hoyt; third vice-president, Mrs. A. E. Rockey; secretary, Mrs. Allen Gilbert; correspondent secretary, Mrs. Fletcher Linn; treasurer, Mrs. G. W. Dewey.

Women who are to have the direction of the household are expected to step from the schoolroom into the discharge of duty in all completeness, without preparation.

Methods of cooking, principles of sanitation, skill in buying, command of servants, in fact, all matters pertaining to the details of management of the house, the home, are not taught to the girl who is to become so important a factor in the domestic science of the country.

Ignorant of the delicate and significant relations of motherhood, the girl enters upon such relations without knowledge, without suggestions that may be given from experience.

DR. AMES, FUGITIVE. Dr. A. A. Ames, mayor of Minneapolis, is a fugitive from justice. He escaped from Frankfort, Ky., pursued by officers holding requisition from the governor of that state, asked for by the governor of Minnesota.

power among his fellows, knowing the possibilities that lie before the man who is elevated to high position, he chose to betray all his people excepting the few who revel in municipal filth, chose to associate with the men and women who live upon a level with the human beasts and who make up that under world filth we all scorn.

What worse punishment? To be despised of all men, to be a fugitive from justice, to seek seclusion, to dare not make known his whereabouts, to scurry from place to place, hunted by representatives of the government who would drag him before the courts to receive the condemnation of the law.

NEED OF HONEST MEN. The needs of Alaska are being exploited in the public prints and are before Congress and the administration for present consideration.

Apropos, there is one need that will appeal to all experienced in the conditions of the far northern territory—the need of honest men in the conduct of government business there.

Honest men in office, to supplement the efforts of those honest men who have held some positions and who have striven to uphold the dignity of their government and the standard of decency in officialism, is one of the pressing needs just now in the territory of Alaska.

Spain will spend \$20,000,000 annually during ten years, to build a modern navy. Spain had on January 1, 1901, estimated, 17,560,216 people, or about two-ninths of the population of the United States.

The Oregon Camera Club has been exhibiting pictures showing the beauties of scenery in this state, and thereby has done good service for the commonwealth.

Keep on noting the cold of the Eastern states, the inclemencies of weather that annually transform those regions into places wherein the poor suffer from insufficiencies of fuel and clothing and food, and everyone lives only to look forward to the coming of spring.

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Kenzia girls got up a dancing party recently and cut the men out entirely. This is all right as an experiment, but if it becomes a habit, there will be trouble.

The Tacoma Ledger calls Portland an inland town. Doesn't it know that The Dulles, 110 miles above us, exports codfish?

Chicago has a problem. It wants to know which is the cheaper, to lower the tunnels under it or raise the river.

A silver dollar is as big now as it ever was, and yet, since the recent decline in silver, it looks like 30 cents.

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THE LAWS OF SPAIN OR OF AMERICA, WHICH? Sentenced on Island of Guam, a Marine Carries the Matter to Washington. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10.—One of the strangest cases that ever came before the United States courts will shortly be submitted to the Supreme Court by George A. McGowan, a San Francisco attorney.

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