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- Assorted lot of waists, each 50c
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Grand Display, Flowers, Foliage, Shapes, Semi-Trimmed and Trimmed Hats. All new designs. Best of Quality. Moderate Prices.

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To get a beautiful enlarged picture of any member of your family. Here's your prescription. Bring the Photo at once. Buy one dollar's worth of merchandise; that is all there is to it. Only a short time to do it in, so

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WILL CUT OFF A PETTY RAKE OFF

GOVERNOR WEST WILL CALL ATTENTION OF DISTRICT ATTORNEYS TO THE LAWS GOVERNING THE COLLECTION OF MONEY BELONGING TO STATE BY ESCHEAT.

With the view of saving the state 10 per cent, which in past administrations has been paid out to attorneys for the bringing of actions to recover property which has escheated to the state for the lack of heirs to lay claim to it, Governor West today announced that he would follow out the policy of having the various district attorneys bring the actions, and in the event that they were unable to do so that he would have it attended to by the attorney-general.

The law provides that wherever land escheats to the state, because of the lack of heirs to claim it, that it shall be the duty of the district attorney for the district in which it is located to bring the action. It is further provided that, in the event that the district attorney shall not be able for some reason to act that the governor may appoint some attorney and allow him to take 10 per cent of the value of his property for his fees. The practice has been in past administrations to appoint attorneys and allow them this commission, but the governor has decided that this money might as well flow into the coffers of the state. Should the district attorney directed by the governor to bring the action be unable to do so, because of any good reason, then arrangements have been made by the governor with the attorney-general to have some member of his staff bring it.

Escheat cases involving about \$30,000 have recently been called to the attention of the governor, and these will be considered at once.

Warning to Railroad Men.

Look out for severe and even dangerous kidney and bladder trouble resulting from years of railroad work. Geo. E. Bell, 639 Third street, Fort Wayne, Ind., was many years a conductor on the Nickel Plate. He says: "Twenty years of railroad work left my kidneys in a terrible condition. There was a continual pain across my back and hips and my kidneys gave me much distress, and the action of my bladder was frequent and most painful. I got a supply of Foley's Kidney Pills and the first bottle made a wonderful improvement, and four bottles cured me completely. Since being cured I have recommended Foley's Kidney Pills to many of my railroad friends." Red Cross Pharmacy.

WOULD CUT OFF 3000 FROM CENSUS

Contending that a special election held last spring to annex territory situated in the vicinity of the asylum and state prison was not legally held, Wm. P. Lord today commenced an action in the circuit court asking that it be declared void, and that the city be restrained from collecting \$23,000 in the way of assessments made for street improvements, and should he prevail in his suit, it will mean the decrease of the population of the city to the extent of 3000 people.

Shortly after the annexation election was held a movement was inaugurated to improve Asylum Avenue, and to assess the cost of the improvement to the abutting property owners, and it is the collection of this tax that it is desired to have enjoined. The contention of the plaintiff is that the special election annexing the territory was carried by 42 votes and that they were all employees of the asylum, and that while they have a residence that entitles them to a vote at general elections, it is not such a residence as will allow them to vote at special elections, and therefore it is void.

Medicines that aid nature are always most successful. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts on this plan. It loosens the cough, relieves the lungs, opens the secretions and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Sold by all dealers.

A sign of the times: "Fresh Paint."

When your doctor orders you to stop work it staggers you. "I can't you say. You know you are weak, run down and falling in health day by day, but you must work as long as you can stand. What you need is Electric Bitters to give tone, strength and vigor to your system, to prevent break down and build you up. Don't be weak, sickly or ailing when Electric Bitters will benefit you from the first dose. Thousands bless them for their glorious health and strength. Try them. Every bottle is guaranteed to satisfy. Only 50c at J. C. Perry's.

A "vindication" is not always justification.

Not a Word of Scandal Marred the call of a neighbor on Mrs. W. P. Spough, of Manville, Wyo., who said: "She told me Dr. King's New Life Pills had cured her of obstinate kidney trouble, and made her feel like a new woman." Easy but sure remedy for stomach, liver and kidney trouble. Only 25c at J. C. Perry's.

Farm with Stock

Fine farm in Polk county, 133 acres, about one-half in cultivation, rest good pasture and fine oak timber, four fine springs, one piped to the house, A1 farm house and good barn, slightly located; part of the land is rich, black bottom soil and remainder north and west slope, family orchard, good fences, one-fourth mile of railroad. Price \$80 per acre, including following stock: 7 milk cows, 4 2-year-old steers, 5 heifer calves, 16 hogs, 140 hens, 11 geese, 1 horse. Bechtel & Bynon, 347 State street.

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STRUCK BY AUTO BUT NOT HURT

JUST THROWN OVER A BANK SOME 20 FEET, BUT INSTEAD OF A CORPSE THE AUTOISTS FOUND AN EXPERT IN PROFANITY.

To be struck full and square by a swift moving automobile and be taken off his feet and hurled over an embankment 20 feet in height and escape without any apparent injury, was the experience of J. G. Mather, a farmer living on the Slough road about four miles from the city.

Mather was returning from a visit to the city and, according to people at a ranch who saw the accident, had imbibed somewhat in the liquid that cheers. He was taking the middle of the road like a populist and when an automobile—the owner of which is unknown—came sailing along the road, the screams and shrieks of the horn failed to arouse him. When it became apparent that he could not be aroused the driver of the machine sought to turn to one side and just as he did so Mather evidently heard the machine and leaped in front of it. The result was that he was struck by it and hurled over a 20 foot embankment. Fearing that he was badly injured, occupants of the machine started to assist him, but when they looked over the embankment where he had fallen, they found that he had gotten up, was brushing the dirt off his clothes and violently cursing "stink wagons" in general. When his toilet had been completed, he pursued his journey as though nothing whatever had happened.

A REFEREE TO LOOK AFTER THE COUNTESS

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE] New York, March 21.—George M. McKeller was today appointed by Justice Gay as referee to take testimony on the application of Princess Troubetzkoy, for \$3,600 annual income in lieu of alimony from her former husband, John Armstrong Chaloner, of Virginia. The princess was Amelle Rives, the novelist, who divorced Chaloner in 1893. In her application Princess Troubetzkoy says that her former husband has an income of \$39,000 and that he promised to give her an income of \$3,600 for life.

THE ITALIAN DENIED HE WAS ASSASSIN

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE] Viterbo, Italy, March 21.—Flat contradiction of the testimony of state witnesses was made on the stand today by Nicola Morra, accused of the actual murder of Gennaro Cuocollo, to revenge an offense against the Camorra. Although subjected to a grueling cross examination, he refused to admit that he had anything to do with the murder or that the Camorra society was in any way connected with it.

Cartozzi and Vitozzi are suffering from a fever and their condition is reported critical.

Solomon is credited with having been the wisest man that ever lived, yet we'd put a man in jail today for doing some of the foolish stunts that Solomon performed.

True love is not disposed of in tin cans.

NOB HILL LOTS

Are going fast; don't let them all slip away from you; better act at once. A great throng of people visited Nob Hill Addition yesterday. All were highly pleased with the situation. Many are closing upon lots.

\$10 per Month

Prices range from \$250 and up, payable \$10 down and \$10 per month. You will say these prices are right when you see the property.

Most of the lots have fine fruit trees, excellent natural drainage, and command the finest view of any part of the city.

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- 3d. Lots lay high and dry, commanding splendid view.
- 4th. Prices and terms are right.
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Let us show you Nob Hill today. Our auto is at your service at any time.

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New Incorporations.
The following articles of incorporation were filed today with this secretary of state:

- Alaska-Pacific Fisheries, Portland, capital, \$500,000.
- Farmers' & Merchants' Bank, Harborsburg, capital, \$30,000.
- The Palmyra Company, Portland, capital, \$35,000.
- Oakdale Tennis Club, Medford, capital, \$3,000.
- E. H. Dodge Lumber Company, Portland, capital, \$35,000.
- Ellsworth Aviation Company, Portland, capital, \$1,000,000.
- Wasco Land Company, Portland, capital, \$25,000.

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58 Acre Snap

Mr. Farmer and Mr. Investor, you will certainly miss a chance of your life if you don't look up this snap—58 acres, 50 acres under cultivation, all nice level land and well drained, on the main macadam road, only half mile from the city limits, ripe for subdivision; would sell for \$200 to \$300 in 5-acre tracts, only small amount of money down. Don't overlook this real bargain, as we only have a few days to sell at this price, \$125 per acre.

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Elect then what you most admire
My choice remains the horse.
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Effervescent, clear and bright
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Right in these printed verses here