LAWYERS DEFY MR. JEROME AND THE GRAND JURY

Osborne and Pierce Refuse to Obey Subpoenas They Claim Are Illegal.

DENOUNCED IN COURT.

District-Attorney Wants to Find How Grand Jury Secrets Became Public.

District-Attorney Jerome appeared before Judge Crain in General Sessions to-day and asked that body attachments be issued against James W. Osborne, his former assistant, and Franklin Pierce, who was counsel for the King Committee, which preferred charges against Jerome to Gov. Hughes. The District-Attorney explained that he had sent Grand Jury subpoenas to the two lawyers named, but that they refused to obey them.

The subpoenas were issued in a special inquiry the District-Attorney is conducting into an alleged violation of the Penal Code by those responsible for giving the minutes of the January (1908) Grand Jury, which investigated the Ice Trust, to the King Committee.

Two witnesses were examined in this inquiry yesterday, McDonald DeWitt, a lawyer, employed in the office of Clarence J. Shearn and Miss Hubby, one of Mr. Shearn's stenographers.

Copied Osborne's Notes.

According to Mr. Jerome, DeWitt and Miss Hubby went to the office of James W. Osborne, during his absence, and there made a copy of the Grand Jury minutes in the Ice Trust inquiry. To get further information as to this subpoenas were issued for Osborne and Pierce.

"I understand," said the District-Attorney to Judge Crain, "that these gentlemen intend to contest the validity of the subpoenas served upon them. They also desire to contest the subpoenas to learn whether or not I am going to bring an action against John Doe, Richard Roe and others, without naming the defendants.

"The witness, DeWitt," said Mr. Jerome, "declined to answer certain questions on the ground that they would incriminate him and on the further ground that he would be disclosing professional secrets of his client, the Star Publishing Company.

"I wish to say that the real defendants are Osborne and Pierce, and I am loath to believe that men of the standing they claim to be should try and hide anything of the kind and in this way.

Case Is Put Over.

"If their conduct is honorable they should welcome this inquiry. Mr. Osborne knows how clean this office is, for he has worked here, and if he is willing to attack a man who stood by him in his hour of need, then let us know it."

Replying to the District-Attorney, George Gordon Battle, who appeared for Mr. Osborne and Mr. Pierce, said that Mr. Jerome's "extraordinary harangue" included matters not before the Court.

"This is neither the time nor the place," said Mr. Battle, "to attack men of their professional standing. The question before the Court is whether these gentlemen have been rightly subpoenaed. I do not believe they were. Under Judge Ward's decision in the New York World matter, they believed it was their right to contest this inquiry."

Mr. Battle then asked that the court take up the question of the validity of the subpoenas on Monday when the merits of the case could be threshed out in full. Body attachments would not, therefore, be necessary. The District-Attorney said he would consent to this if Mr. Battle would submit his motion papers to him by noontime tomorrow. Mr. Battle promised and the argument went over.

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Collectors	6	Porters	7
Compositors	8	Pressers	15
Cooks (M)	4	Pressmen	3
Cooks (F)	9	Salesladies	23
Cutters	9	Salesmen	35
Dressmakers	53	Shipping Clerks	1
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Engineers	1	Tinsmiths	1
Engravers	3	Typewriters (F)	1
Farm Hands	3	Upholsterers	1
Feeders	14	Waiters	7
Finishers	18	Waitresses	14
Folders	9	Miscellaneous	375
Total			1,165

The World printed to-day 1,165 Help Ads., 405 more than all other New York papers combined.

MRS. CARTER MUST PAY COSTUMER FOR STAGE GOWNS

"Cheap and Badly Made," She Told Judge, and Would Have Hurt Her Reputation.

ROYAL ROBES WRONG.

Cut with Low Necks, and Queens, Even on the Stage, Wear High Necks.

Mrs. Leslie Carter, taking the witness stand to-day in the City Court, where the suit brought against her by a costumer for a bill of $1,241 is on trial, told Justice Green and the jury that everybody on the stage drew a salary, but she didn't think that had anything to do with fixing the responsibility as to the employment of the particular person.

The jury late this afternoon returned a verdict of $1,137.50 in favor of the costumer.

Mrs. Carter had testified that Minnie Jones, who acted as her wardrobe woman, was in reality a substitute for Mrs. A. E. Heerman, the plaintiff, and that when she—Miss Jones—took measurements for the costumes of Mrs. Heerman made she was not actually in Mrs. Carter's employ.

Mrs. Carter described the costumes as "impossible."

She Was Horrified.

"I was horrified," she said. "None of them was right. They were cheap, badly made and badly fitted. Indeed, they would have been damaging to the play had we produced it."

"And you have been accustomed to producing very high-class performances, have you not?" asked Nathaniel Levy, Mrs. Carter's lawyer.

"Yes."

"You mean that you have appeared in productions that have been very elaborate?" broke in Max Josephson, counsel for Mrs. Heerman.

"Your Honor," said Mrs. Carter, turning to Justice Green, "I think, perhaps, Mr. Josephson wanted to refer to my production under Mr. Belasco, with the idea of taking away a little of my glory in my own productions since leaving Mr. Belasco."

Gowns for Queens All Wrong.

"I call your attention to the queen's gown," continued Mr. Levy, "and I ask what was wrong with it?"

"Why, it was all wrong," replied Mrs. Carter. "There were five gowns for the queens, and they were all trimmed alike."

"Who put in the precious stones?"

"I had them put in when the alterations were made."

Mrs. Carter said that she and Mrs. Heerman had a conversation about "La Tosca," and she contracted with Mrs. Heerman to make the costumes. Mrs. Heerman, she said, told her the cost would be between $1,500 and $1,800.

"I told Mrs. Heerman I wanted the best," said Mrs. Carter.

"Mrs. Heerman could have produced costumes for you at the price stated which would have been as elaborate as any used in your previous productions?" the lawyer asked.

"Yes. Of course, that does not include my personal costumes."

"The petition in bankruptcy was filed against you Nov. 19, 1907?"

"Yes."

She Put In the Bill.

"And you put in Mrs. Heerman's bill with your schedules?"

"Yes. That is, I put in what I heard was the amount of the bill. I had not received a bill from Mrs. Heerman."

"You were discharged from bankruptcy Dec. 7, 1908?"

"Yes."

Mr. Levy read from Mrs. Carter's answer to the bankruptcy petition, showing that she had paid $300 on account to Mrs. Heerman, and she considered that, with the amount she was compelled to expend on alterations, quite sufficient for the costumes.

On cross-examination Mrs. Carter admitted she swore in her answer to the bankruptcy proceeding that she owed Mrs. Heerman $1,300.

A queen—even though on the stage—should never so far forget herself as to wear a low-neck gown, according to Hall Vernon, a maker of theatrical costumes, who preceded Mrs. Carter on the stand.

"Look at this garment," said Mr. Levy, "and tell the jury whether in your opinion it is a proper gown for a queen."

"No," was Vernon's quick reply. "This is a... wrong. It's a low-neck gown, and a queen should wear a high-neck gown."

"Well," continued Mr. Levy, holding up a princess's gown, "is this all right?"

"It's low neck, too."

"Would a princess wear it?"

"Not on your life!"

OAKLAND ENTRIES.

OAKLAND, March 27.—The entries for to-morrow follow:

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; selling: Gelma, 106, Addison, 108, Aftermath, 106, Minot, 106, Mr. Mack, 106, Mel, 106, Hollander, 106, Taunt, 106, Boas, 103, Queen, 103, Old Settle, 103, Burnell, 101, Bal Reed, 101.

SECOND RACE—One mile and an eighth; purse: Rabbit, 106, Elevation, 106, Lal Allen, 104, Cloverland, 104, Joe Nealon, 104, Blaskey, 99, Fancy, 97.

THIRD RACE—One mile and seventy yards: Montcowan, Hand up, High Private, 110, Firestone, 108, Don Enrique, 104, The Pow, 102, Muskoday.

FOURTH RACE—Nine-sixteenths: Bell Snake, Carroll, 121, Dream, 118, Gilbert Rose, 113, Sure Get, 113, Donovan, 108, Rocky O'Brien, 121, Silvia Dunbar, 118, Old Mexico, 118, Melissa, 108, Curry, 108, Flying Squirrel, 113, Copperdown, 113, Effie Beal, 113, Star Blue, 110, Lumen, 108.

Lumen, Silvia Dunbar, Ormondale entry, Donna Sure Get, Star entry, Gilbert, Tarpon, Mexico, Curry entry, Sky Fire, Dr. Price entry, Meadlifer, O'Brien, Mr. Mack.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs; selling: Sequoia, 116, Sandster, 107, May Annesa, 106, Ben Brush, 106, Tom Kirk, 106, Adriatic, 105, Lal, 105, Ben Ed, 102, Foreign, 102, Sandster, 107, Bahonda, 103, Gurney, Jacob, 99.

SIXTH RACE—Seven-eighths: Jim Clarkin, Semolon, 109, Golf, 122, Rio Chico, Water, 99, Boyer, Red, 114, Fanatic, 99.

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First Picture of Woman Kidnapper; Her Husband Now in Separate Jail.

MRS BOYLE AND JAS. H. BOYLE.

Police Place Kidnappers in Separate Jails

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when Boyle arrived there. She may be taken to Mercer to-morrow.

Evidence to Convict Woman.

Former District-Attorney Cochran, of Mercer County, who is counsel for Mr. Whitla, said here to-day that he has evidence which will absolutely connect Mrs. Boyle with the Pennsylvania end of the blackmailing and expressed the determination to bring her to trial in this State on a charge of abduction, the penalty for which is life imprisonment.

At the conference, to-day, it was decided not to make out the information against Boyle and his wife on a charge of kidnapping, here, but to wait until Boyle arrived at Mercer, late this afternoon.

Chief of Police Kohler and County Prosecutor Cline, of Cleveland, entertain the belief that the authorities of Mercer County, in which Sharon is located, may fail to properly connect the woman with the main charge. Conspiracy, they think, would be the greatest possible charge they can make against her, and in this, it is said, there are abundant opportunities for a miscarriage of justice.

In that event, the Cleveland authorities declare, she can be arrested and brought back here for trial under Thursday's indictment, jointly charging her and Boyle with blackmail. A copy of the indictment was served upon Boyle and his wife just before they were taken away. The formality of an arrest was dispensed with, as the county officials waived their rights under the indictment until the pair have been given a trial in Pennsylvania.

FATHER OF WOMAN KIDNAPPER ADMITS HER FULL IDENTITY

CHICAGO, March 26.—That William McDermott, a retired member of the Chicago Fire Department, is the father of "Mrs. James H. Boyle," who with her husband is charged with the kidnapping of Willie Whitla, was confirmed by the grief-stricken father to-day.

Information from Cleveland indicating strongly that the prisoner arrested there was none other than the girl who before her marriage was Anna McDermott, was brought to William McDermott and his son, of the same name, who is a bank clerk, last night. Although the information seemed conclusive, neither father nor son would definitely admit that the imprisoned woman was their daughter and sister.

They admitted that the evidence seemed conclusive. There was little sleep in their home at No. 599 Cleveland avenue last night, the long hours being spent in hoping against hope that there had been some mistake in the identification.

To-day, however, reporters presented every known detail of the identification as telegraphed from Cleveland, and the old man broke down and declared that there could be no doubt that "Mrs. Boyle" could be none other than his daughter.

Mr. McDermott's story of his daughter's life is that of a wayward girl.

Anna McDermott, according to her father, was as a child one of the prettiest, one of the brightest in the neighborhood. She was given every possible advantage of education and careful moral training, but as she approached womanhood she fell into company of which the old fireman did not approve. Quarrels were frequent, and about three years ago Anna eloped.

Since that time her history has been a blank to her Chicago kin. Even the name of the man with whom she cast her fortunes was unknown to them. They carefully read from day to day the story of the kidnapping of Willie Whitla, of his return to his parents, and the arrest of the "Boyles," but they never dreamed of connecting "Mrs. Boyle" with winsome, headstrong Anna, who had deserted her home to follow unknown paths.

"They say she is pockmarked now," said McDermott. "She must have suffered from the disease since she left us, for then her skin was as fair as an angel's."

Mr. McDermott has two other daughters who are married.

According to the statement of the father the girl was educated at St. Vincent's Academy, in this city, and at Fini Sawa Academy, near Madison, Wis.

HER ART PAID LOAN, SAYS MISS GARDEN.

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payment they had and their money has been paid as well.

"As to Mrs. Mayer's statement that I have treated her in any way, in a public or a private place, in which a woman of refinement should treat another woman, I believe that it is untrue. I am a woman first and an artist last."

"Tell Miss Garden that the Mayers say that her success has turned her head and made her snobbish?"

"I told her, and she says that the American public is best qualified to decide whether Miss Garden's artistic achievements have caused her to act in an unjustifiable manner."

"Did Miss Garden feel that she really owed the money?"

"She says: 'Why should it have been paid if it were not owed?' Why, indeed? She paid it, moreover, because she did not want her career and her artistic work to be marred by mercenary and material considerations. There was an agreement regarding the original loan about which the newspapers have never said anything. Inasmuch as Miss Garden has always and persistently been misrepresented in the public prints she declines to say more."

The telephone clicked and the flow of indirect artistic temperament was cut off.

Since the trouble between the prima donna and Mrs. Mayer, it has been learned that Miss Garden lived in Philadelphia, at No. 3101 Clifford street, in 1896. Her father, who, according to the memory of persons who knew the family, was then known as Mr. Garden, had a bicycle repair and sales shop in Spring Garden street and was considered well-to-do.

Old Philadelphia friends of the family say that Mary Garden's father brought the talent of the budding prima donna to the attention of Mrs. Mayer, whose husband he had met in a business way.

COLD DRIVES ROCKEFELLER FROM CAR TO HOTEL.

RICHMOND, Va., March 26.—John D. Rockefeller, who has been spending the winter in Augusta, Ga., arrived here today. His car was cut off here and two hours later, because of the lack of heat, he vacated it and went to a hotel. He denied himself to callers. His party will leave here to-night for Hot Springs for an indefinite stay.

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FARMER TO MEET WIFE BEFORE SHE DIES IN CHAIR

Condemned Woman to Say Goodby to Husband, Her Partner in Murder.

ALBANY, March 26.—Before Mrs. Mary Farmer meets death in the electric chair at Auburn Prison next Monday morning she will be permitted to bid good-by to her husband, James D. Farmer, who occupies a cell in the death house of the prison, condemned to die for complicity in the murder of Mrs. Sarah Brennan, for which Mrs. Farmer is to be executed. Supt. C. V. Collins, of the State Prison Department, said to-day that he had advised Warden Benham, at Auburn, that the condemned couple were to be permitted to see each other before the parting, if either expressed a desire to do so.

Near Death Chamber.

Farmer's cell is within a few feet of the death chamber and he will of necessity hear the witnesses as they file into the chamber to witness his wife's execution. He will also know when Mrs. Farmer begins the fatal march to the chair.

Preparations for the execution have been practically completed and if present plans do not miscarry it will be devoid of sensationalism and quickly carried out. Supt. Collins was in charge of the prison department a decade ago when Mrs. Martha Place was executed in Sing Sing prison. She went to her death calmly and quietly and there was every reason to believe, from reports received here, that Mrs. Farmer will do the same. A woman attendant will accompany her to the chair.

Mrs. Farmer's execution probably will be the last early morning execution at Auburn. Superintendent Collins has authorized Warden Benham thereafter to conduct electrocutions at 6 o'clock in the evening rather than at 6 in the morning, as is customary in the State prisons. Warden Benham suggested the weird hour of midnight, the time fixed in some other States where electrocution is in vogue, but the superintendent decided that 6 P. M. would be a better hour, as witnesses would be enabled to reach Auburn during the day, and if they desired, to leave in the evening.

Dr. Spitzka at Execution.

It has been customary to hold executions at 6 A. M., before the prison population is astir, but through underground channels common in the prisons the day of an execution is usually well known among the convicts, and an air of uneasiness prevails. The question of changing the hour from morning to evening in Sing Sing and Clinton prisons will be discussed at the regular wardens' meeting to be held here next week.

Dr. Edwin A. Spitzka, of Philadelphia, who has attended more than thirty electrocutions in this and other States, and who performed the autopsy on the body of President McKinley, will attend the execution of Mrs. Farmer and will make the post-mortem examination.

FLORIDA ENTRIES.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 26.—The entries for to-morrow follow:

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse; three-year-olds and upward: Prince Albert, 100, Lady Fitz Herbert, 107, Joe Fallert, 112, Gordon Lee, 109, Reine Regente, 107, Colmo, 100, Donna H., 107, Vandam, 109, Batsman, 107, Belle of the Ball, 99, Arawaka, 107, Raimondo, 104, J. S. McAllister, 104, Lady Carolina II., 107, Alex Grant, 109.

SECOND RACE—Five and a half furlongs; selling; four-year-olds and upward: Martins, 108, Miss Jerry, 97, Adamant, 98, *Day of Dawn, 97, *Miss K. O. B., 101, *No Quarter, 103, Risk, 104, Lucy Young, 106, Battle Axe, 111, Charley Lusk, 108, Kate Carney, 102, Pearl Hopkins, 106, Roseboro, 108, *Miss Perigord, 101, Precedence, 106.

THIRD RACE—Seven furlongs; selling; four-year-olds and upward: Bitter Hand, 105, Bosom Friend, 92, *Teeta H., 92, *Helen Virginia, 95, Flarney, 87, *Bosserian, 100, *Hooray, 106, *Judge Green, 102, Judge Dunton, 105, *Miss Topsy, 99, Airship, 105, Gold Spink, 97, Rulloba, 102, Counterstand, 108, Youthful, 105.

FOURTH RACE—One mile; handicap; three-year-olds and upward: Pearl Point, 101, Belle Scott, 103, Ben Double, 102, Bestering, 99, Wine Merchant, 91.

FIFTH RACE—Five furlongs; purse; three-year-olds and upward: Sally Preston, 107, Font, 97, Ray Thompson, 115, Billie Hibbs, 106, Halifax, 105, Chief Hayes, 102, Don Hamilton, 109, Select, 107, Willow Plume, 99, Clolsteress, 107, Roseburg II., 104, John A. Munroe, 100, Pinion, 95.

SIXTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth; purse; three-year-olds and upward: Oro Dronoka, 106, Dr. Young, 106, Paul, 106, Heart of Hyacinth, 101, Hand Maiden, 106, Jupiter, 106, Northville, 106, Bright Boy, 106, Panique, 106, Shewolf, 95, Richmond Duke, 109.

*Apprentice allowance.

WAGES OF 12,000 MEN REDUCED BY REPUBLIC STEEL

Ten Per Cent. Slash, Effective April 1, Affects Workers in Five States.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., March 26.—Notices were posted in all the works here of the Republic Iron and Steel Company of a reduction in wages, effective April 1. About 4,000 men are affected locally, including all employees from salaried men to laborers, except men identified with the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers.

The reduction is believed to apply to all works of the company, including nine rolling mills, nine blast furnaces and one steel plant in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Alabama, and affecting 12,000 men. The reduction is approximately 10 per cent.

LUMBER TRUST CHARGE STARTS ROW IN CONGRESS

Looked Like a Boxing Match Between Fordney and Byrd for a Time.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Through a misunderstanding, Congressman Byrd, of Mississippi, and Congressman Fordney, of Michigan, almost came to blows on the floor of the House to-day while the latter was making a speech on the tariff. Mr. Byrd asked Mr. Fordney if it was not true that a trust exists among the retail lumber dealers of Mississippi, to which Mr. Fordney's firm, which is operating in that State, was a party. Mr. Byrd added that he knew whereof he spoke when he charged the existence of such a combination.

"The gentleman doesn't know a d——d thing about it!" shouted Mr. Fordney irritably.

Immediately Mr. Byrd made his way toward Mr. Fordney, but several Democratic members stopped him.

Mr. Fordney apologized to the House and said that if he had offended the gentleman from Mississippi he most humbly apologized. He added, however, that Mr. Byrd could not say that his firm was a member of a lumber trust.

Mr. Byrd then explained that it was not his intention to make such a charge and the incident was closed.

LOS ANGELES ENTRIES.

LOS ANGELES, March 27.—The entries for to-morrow follow:

FIRST RACE—Purse; seven furlongs.—Donald MacDonald, 100, Inclement, 102, Gerrymander, 100, J. H. Reed, 98, Guy Fisher, 103, Parton, 95.

SECOND RACE—Purse; two-year-olds; four and a half furlongs.—Angorona, 107, McLeod F., 106, Severa, 98, Inflection, 103, Ollie James, 101, Sir Ashton, 110, Lesverna, 98, Placide, 103, Virgie Cassin, 107.

THIRD RACE—Selling; seven furlongs.—Whip Top, 103, Prof. Castilo, 100, Ben Stone, 103, The Thorn, 106, *Itan, 104, Spohn, 105, Snow Ball, 107.

FOURTH RACE—The Los Angeles Oaks; $1,500 added; mile.—Chilia, 110, Med Hannan, 110, Fair Annie, 110, **Harry Davis, 110, Miss Naomi, 110, **Pills, 110.

**Davis entry.

FIFTH RACE—Selling; one mile.—Agnes Virginia, 99, Capt. Burnett, 113, Josie S., 104, Sink Spring, 106, Vesme, 106, Agnes Buchanan, 101, Cataline, 101, Lucky Lad, 106, St. Elmwood, 109, Financier, 105, Pickaway, 106, Sibari, 109.

SIXTH RACE—Mile and three-sixteenths.—Harry Esher, 110, Oberon, 107, Beauclere, 112, *Raleigh, 100, *Harry Rogers, 87.

SEVENTH RACE—Aunt Aggie, 106, Harrigan, 104, Waldorf, 104, Col. Bob, 110, Mark Anthony II., 114, Enfield, 104, Pio Pico, 107.

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'BABY' SHE SOUGHT IN FLAMING HOUSE WAS HER CANARY

Firemen Risked Life Only to Learn Woman Was Crying to Have Bird Saved.

(Special to The Evening World.)

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Mrs. Raymond H. Coleman, of No. 1306 R street, returning home from a visit to a friend's house last evening, found the top floor of the house enveloped in flames. Firemen were battling with the blaze, sub tenants were moving out their furniture and other valuables and a large crowd was massed in front of the building. Mrs. Coleman forced her way through the crowd screaming:

"Oh, my baby! my baby! it is burned to death!"

Then she rushed past two firemen and would have entered the building had they not restrained her. A moment later Mr. Coleman appeared on the scene and the wife screamed again for her "baby."

The firemen rushed into the smoke-filled hall and made their way to the second floor. Further ascent was impossible, as the third floor was a mass of flames. A hurried search of all the apartments on the first and second floors was made, but all that was found were three guinea pigs. The animals to all appearances were dead, but the firemen gathered them up and carried them to the street, where they were revived.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman were surrounded by a sympathetic crowd. Firemen meantime had hoisted ladders, and an attempt was made to enter the front third-story room. The apartment, however, was like a furnace, and despairingly the firemen threw a stream of water into the room.

"My poor darling baby," sobbed Mrs. Coleman. And he was such a dear, too." Composing herself Mrs. Coleman finally explained to the firemen that her "baby" was a pet canary.

BERRY TO QUIT OFFICE.

It was stated to-day that Park Commissioner Joseph Berry, of the Bronx, would send in his resignation to the Mayor in a few days.

A Tammany organization man is booked as his successor.

HAIR REMOVERS ARE DANGEROUS

Dr. Wertenbaker Says: "Don't Use Poisonous Depilatories."

In treating superfluous hair, it is of vital importance that the agent to be employed should be absolutely non-poisonous, antiseptic and germicidal, because if it is not so, with frequent use, it will produce eczema or blood poisoning. The trouble with the majority of ladies is that they don't do a little thinking for themselves. When an assertion is made by some unreliable concern, they take it as gospel truth. They never consider the reliability, neither do they question or ask for any substantiating proof that a preparation is non-poisonous. They seem to think that the bare word of the manufacturer is sufficient. To the contrary, ladies should be most particular in choosing a hair remover and learn first what reputable authorities know about it.

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Better take a doctor's advice. Don't be deceived with the fake free treatments which are advertised so extensively in the newspapers. Remember, after you have used worthless concoctions it will be harder to remove the hair; therefore, isn't it better to investigate all hair removers first BEFORE you try any one of them?

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