SHAFFER'S WIDOW TELLS HER STORY

Says Husband Was Shot Down in Cold Blood by Nathan H. Suitter.

HAD MADE NO THREATS

Testimony Is Corroborated by Three Other Witnesses—Guest at Fatal Birthday Party Gives Graphic Account of the Tragedy.

That Henry Shaffer, who was killed by Nathan H. Suitter, never had trouble with Jacob Holzworth, his landlord, was the assertion made on the witness stand in Judge O'Day's department of the Circuit Court yesterday morning by Mrs. Dora Shaffer, widow of the dead longshoreman. She said that before Suitter fired the fatal shot, on the night of March 1, she had been troubled by the landlord, but taht her husband never had been bothered. She told her story of the shooting and attendant circumstances without apparent emotion.

According to her testimony, her husband had not laid hands on Policeman Suitter when the latter fired the three shots which proved fatal. Neither had her husband cursed the officer, she said, but had simply asked twice for permission to leave the house, and when the revolver was produced, had said: "I am not afraid of that gun." This, said the witness, was partly in answer to her warning, spoken in a low tone in German to her husband. She told him to come in the other room or the officer would shoot him. She said she told Shaffer this before Suitter drew the weapon. When asked why she had thought the policeman would shoot, she said that he looked "awful mean," and spoke roughly.

Although Mrs. Shaffer speaks English poorly, it was necessary at times to check her, as she spoke so rapidly that she could not be understood. Only once did it appear that she was about to break down under the strain of the rehearsal of the tragedy, and that was when Judge Henry E. McGinn, special prosecutor, showed her the bloodstained garments worn by her husband on the night of her birthday party, when he was shot. Then she put her handkerchief to her eyes, to brush away the tears.

Five witnesses were examined during the day. Three of them corroborated Mrs. Shaffer's testimony in all essential details.

Corroborates Her Story.

Jacob Steikel, who had known Shaffer for four years, and who was at the birthday party, told yesterday afternoon the story of the shooting. As he does not understand English, it was necessary to employ an interpreter, and Otto Kleeman acted in this capacity. Steikel said he was in the kitchen at the time of the shooting, and saw Suitter draw his revolver. He corroborated Mrs. Shaffer's testimony by saying that Shaffer had made no threats of violence.

"I was playing the violin when Officer Suitter came the first time," said the witness. "I did not know the officer was there until some one said the police had called. I asked Mrs. Shaffer what Suitter wanted, and she replied: 'He wants us to stop.' Then Mrs. Shaffer went to her husband, who was in the bathroom. She said: 'The policeman is out there.' Shaffer said: 'Where is he?' Then Mrs. Shaffer went into the front room and Shaffer followed.

"By that time Suitter was out of doors. Shaffer went out and joined him. I didn't play afterward, and Shaffer soon came back. In a short time Suitter came back and said, 'You must stop now. I don't want any more of it.' Then the members of the party said, 'We all have to go home now.' Shaffer replied that they would have two or three glasses of beer first, and shortly afterward the second policeman came. He remained in the dining-room, while Suitter went to the kitchen.

"I was standing by the door, with the violin in my hand, when Suitter put me under arrest. I said, 'Shall I take my music and instruments along, too?' He answered, 'Yes.' Then I strummed a little on the cymbal, Hungarian harp, which we had there, and Suitter said, 'You quit that or I will fix you.' I wasn't making much noise. Suitter had his club in his hand then.

"After that Suitter went to the rear kitchen door. I went and stood by the window. While I stood there Shaffer came out of the bathroom, which adjoins the kitchen. While Shaffer was still walking Suitter put his club away and pulled his revolver. Mrs. Shaffer came to her husband and said in German, 'Henry, keep away or he will shoot you.' Mr. Shaffer replied in English to his wife's request, 'I am not afraid of the gun.' Then Suitter pulled the trigger. He shot twice so rapidly that the shots could hardly be counted. Shaffer fell on his side, looked over to where his wife was standing, and said, 'Good-bye.' The blood spurted from the wounds and he raised his head once before he died.

"That is all I saw, except that Suitter stood there with the revolver in his hand with it pointed toward Shaffer.

Little Drinking Done.

"When Suitter fired he raised his hand to do it, because he was afraid of hitting a child who stood there. Shaffer didn't have hold of Suitter. Shaffer wasn't near enough to touch him. I don't know what Shaffer said to Suitter out on the sidewalk, but when Shaffer returned he said, 'We will have to stop now.' I said, 'Will we have to go home,' and he said, 'No.' He said we would have a right to stay until 10 o'clock. He said they had so much beer there, and that we had a right to stay. We didn't drink very much beer; I didn't see much there, anyway."

Steikel said that the officer had the gun in his hand before Mrs. Shaffer spoke to her husband, and before Marie Borrowichka, one of the witnesses, told him to come away. In this his testimony conflicted with that of Mrs. Shaffer, who said that Suitter had not drawn the gun when she sought to have her husband return to the front room.

Mrs. Shaffer's testimony was practically the same as Steikel's. She said that only one beer keg was on tap. Another had been purchased some time before, she said, but had been taken away. Upon this point the defense expects to show that her testimony is not correct, in that the keg was there on that night, and was removed after the shooting.

Mrs. Shaffer said that besides the beer, there were two demijohns of wine, presented to her by one of the invited guests. She said that the women had no beer, only wine; that her husband had not had any, and that she herself had only one glass of wine. She said she had three glasses of beer later in the afternoon. She said the men drank the beer, but were not intoxicated.

"When my husband was shot," said the witness, "he was standing there as meek as a lamb." She said she did not know why the shooting was done, unless it was because Suitter wanted to shoot somebody. She was positive that four shots were fired. Other witnesses said there were only three.

There were about 20 persons assembled at the party, Mrs. Shaffer said.

Makes Sarcastic Retort.

Mrs. Shaffer said that Suitter made the second visit to the house in about a half hour, coming back with another officer, the latter in uniform. Suitter was in plain clothes at the time. She said the two entered, the second policeman leaving immediately, after taking a look around. She supposed he had gone to call the patrol wagon, and when pressed for a reason for this belief, said: "Well, he didn't come to pray to God, or to sing." Mrs. Shaffer denied that her husband had a revolver, saying that during the eight years of their married life he had never owned a gun.

Miss Borrowichka, one of the witnesses of the morning, said that Suitter and Shaffer walked side by side down the street, apparently talking earnestly. Shaffer left the house at that time by the rear door, she said, and met Suitter in front of the house. She went to Shaffer and tried to get him to leave the kitchen, she said, but he pushed her away. She said Shaffer was quiet in his actions. After the shots were fired, she asserted, the assembled guests began to yell for the police.

Jacob Drieber was one of the witnesses of the afternoon. He said Shaffer lay with his head six feet from the bathroom door. After he was shot he waved his hand to his wife, as much as to say, "Good-bye." The witness denied that they had been drinking heavily. He said seven men were arrested and taken to the police station from the fatal birthday party.

Other witnesses of the day were Dr. F. H. Dammasch and Deputy Coroner A. L. Finley.

Mrs. Henry Shaffer, Who Testified Against Husband's Slayer Yesterday.

FREE EDUCATION EVILS

C. S. Hulin Says Recipients Won't Obey Rules, and Are "Cheap."

PORTLAND, May 19.—(To the Editor.)—I read with interest The Oregonian's recent editorial in relation to the disturbances and insubordination at Stanford University, and have also noticed that the same kind of thing has occurred in flagrant form at the University of Michigan. These occurrences are instances of the dangers of free higher education, and show the ever present tendency of the human family to "look a gift horse in the mouth." This is the result of giving that which should never be given, but should always be paid for, and if possible, earned by the student himself.

Stanford University is a private enterprise—that is, it is not supported by taxation—being self-supporting by reason of a great and munificent endowment, but is a free school, and open to the same objection on that score as a state-supported institution.

The kernel of the whole matter is that free, higher education is a mistake, and in the present age is not accepted with humility and gratitude, but is demanded as a right. It is not appreciated, and its recipients refuse to be governed by any rules of conduct suitable for them and for the institutions they attend, and hold themselves above all law, all decency or good morals. They attend these schools in a spirit of condescension, but they will submit to no rules or methods of government by proper authority, and they will "run things" themselves, or else "strike" and quit school (if indeed they are not dismissed) and go home in a spirit of defiance, refusing to recognize that they are disgracing themselves, their parents and friends. Good citizenship is not a sure product of free colleges supported by taxation. Having striven for and obtained a free education at the expense of the state, such recipients are apt to strive for a free living afterwards. Free education obtained as the result of corrupt political methods, breeds political corruption in those who receive it, and is the source of much of the political corruption of the present day.

Just at this time, while these matters and the contentions in regard to our own state university are vivid in the public mind, is a good time to pursue inquiries in regard to conditions at the University of Oregon and ascertain if the reports concerning lack of discipline and enforcement of proper rules of conduct are true; if the reports of disorderly carousals by the students in the dry city of Eugene and the refusals of the police department to interfere with them, are founded on fact.

It is true that these conditions prevail to a greater or less extent at all colleges, but they appear in their most aggravated form at the free colleges. The man who seeks and demands a free education lacks the fine old-fashioned sense of honor that scorns to accept anything he cannot pay for, and holds himself above all laws and all restraints.

A careful consideration of this subject leads me to submit three propositions which I hold to be self-evident and absolute facts:

First—This character of insubordination exists in its worst form at the free colleges.

Second—Such insubordination as occurs at colleges where tuition is charged, is upon the part of students whose expenses and tuition are paid by their parents and friends.

Third—The man who earns and pays his own way through college is never guilty of insubordination.

C. S. HULIN.

LEGAL WIFE OF CLARKSON

Decided Helen Maloney's Marriage to Osborne Is Void.

NEW YORK, May 20.—Miss Helen Maloney, daughter of Martin Maloney, of Philadelphia, never was legally married to Arthur H. Osborne, according to the decision of Referee Cohalan, which was filed in the Supreme Court today.

The court affirmed the report. The effect of the annulment of the Osborne marriage is to make the marriage to Samuel Clarkson legal.

Spring styles Hanan shoes at Rosenthal's

RICE THROWER IS HIT BY COACHMAN

Gilbert Beaumont Struck With Whip After Wedding of Sister-in-Law.

BLOW LEAVES DEEP GASH

J. W. McCullough Arrested for Assault at Anabel Church Door on Guest of the Hollingsworth-Bell Nuptials.

Gilbert Beaumont, of Anabel station was severely hurt by being hit over the head with the heavy butt of a whip while attempting to throw rice into a carriage occupied by his newly wedded sister-in-law, early yesterday afternoon. The whip was wielded by the coachman, J. W. McCullough, who did not know Beaumont, and thought the brother-in-law was merely trying to annoy the bridal couple, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Hollingsworth, who were being driven to the Union depot.

The assault occurred in front of the Calvary Baptist Church, at East Eighth and East Grant streets, immediately after the marriage ceremony. It was witnessed by scores of wedding guests, as well as by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Monroe, who officiated at the ceremony.

Beaumont was badly stunned by the blow, which was delivered with terrible force, and his scalp was laid open for a space of several inches. After the wound had been attended, Beaumont went at once to the Municipal Court, where Judge Cameron issued a warrant for the arrest of McCullough.

"It was downright meanness," said Beaumont. "The coachman must surely have known me. He drove me to my own wedding not long ago. I can't understand why he should do such a thing, and I shall prosecute him to the limit."

The unpleasant incident of the wedding celebration was not witnessed by the bridal party, the carriage being closed. They continued on in the carriage all unaware that a member of the family had been brutally hit by the coachman who was driving. Beaumont's wife was in the carriage at the time, her sister, Miss Vesta Bell, being the bride.

Beaumont and others had showered the young couple liberally with rice as they left the church, and the bride and groom showed the customary haste in getting away from the tiny nuptial pellets. As the party got inside the carriage, the coachman slammed the door, climbed quickly to his seat and lashed his horses into a fast gallop amid the parting salutations of the guests.

Beaumont, armed with a paper of rice, ran out to the vehicle, intent on giving the bridal party a good sprinkling. He caught hold of the side of the carriage, whereupon the driver, without slowing down, took his whip in both hands and struck the young man over the head with the butt.

A warrant for the coachman's arrest was placed in the hands of Patrolman Burke. Beaumont went with the officer to find the offender, saying he was willing to devote the rest of the day to locating McCullough. The coachman was arrested later at the Lyons livery stable. He would make no explanation of his conduct. Bail in the sum of $50 was required for his appearance today in the Municipal Court.

WANTS BILL 332 PASSED

Mr. Rosenberg Thinks It Necessary to Protect Columbia Salmon.

ASTORIA, Or., May 19.—(To the Editor.)—In a recent issue The Oregonian urges the voters to vote "no" on the two first bills at the June election. Carefully reading this editorial, I find that the main reason for this "no" vote is the thought that the Legislature "ought" to pass laws protecting our salmon. But the Legislature has not done it, though for 20 years wasteful methods of catching fish have been prosecuted on the Columbia River.

Hence iniatory bill 332, to stop fishing at the head of tide—to lay a true foundation for future legislation, has been presented to the voters of the state. Bill 332 has been submitted by leading citizens of the state, organized in the Columbia River Salmon Protective Association. This bill was unanimously indorsed by the State Federation of Labor. It was likewise indorsed by the annual convention of the Oregon State Grange, in the following terms:

"Whereas, There has been referred to the committee on resolutions for consideration the two fish bills relating to the fishing industry, to be voted on at the June election, bills Nos. 319 and 332, respectively, your committee has carefully examined into these two bills as far as their time would permit, and have to report that we favor proper protection to all natural spawning ground; and to that end we condemn as a great detriment to said industry and to our state the operation of fishwheels in the narrows of said river and demand and urge the passage of a law removing the same and also further recommend that said law shall be so constructed as to remove all traps from said stream.

Copy of report of committee on resolutions, State Grange of Oregon."

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., May 13.—Edward Rosenberg, Box 138, Astoria, Or.—Dear Sir: In response to a request from Mr. Hylen, I am giving you my opinion as to certain matters connected with the salmon fishing in the Columbia. As you know, I was the first Commissioner ever sent out to investigate the salmon. I spent some time in Astoria in 1880 and I have made a number of visits there or farther north in the same interest since then. I have not changed my opinion in this time as to these matters.

(1) The fishwheels and the stationary trap in the Columbia River should be abolished. It would be well for the fishing interests of the country if the stationary trap in all of its various forms were everywhere eliminated, for this is the most destructive and undiscriminating kind of fishing. On the Columbia, where the river is narrow and swift, the fishwheel is not only very destructive, but has the additional evil effect of (a) taking work from the fishermen, and (b) of taking the fish when they are not in the best condition, for fish for canning ought to be taken in tide-water.

(2) It would be well if all fishing on a large scale above tide-water in the Columbia should be prohibited.

(3) I would also recommend that a careful study of gill-net and similar methods of fishing be made, with a view to the ultimate interest of the fishing industry, as even if worse forms of fishing were eliminated, there are still perhaps too many gill-nets for the size of the river.

To prohibit gill-net fishing after dark would virtually destroy the effectiveness of that industry at all times when the water is clear. Very truly yours,

DAVID STARR JORDAN.

Thus pleading and urging true protection of our salmon, are leading citizens of our state, the organized workers of our cities and farms, and adding great weight to our work is President David Starr Jordan, the greatest fishery expert of the United States.

On behalf of the fishermen and a great food supply, I ask The Oregonian to help us in this righteous fight.

ED ROSENBERG,
Sec'y United Fishermen of the Pacific.

PLATT DENIES MARRIAGE

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their cameras at him. He was almost carried to his carriage by his attendants.

In opening his testimony, the Senator said he was nearly 75 years old. His first wife died in 1901. He first met Miss Wood in 1901.

Then came his string of denials. He never saw Miss Wood at the Oriental hotel in his life. He never asked her in August, 1901, at that hotel, to be his wife, nor at any other time or place. He did not talk about marriage to her in November, 1901, nor did he on Thursday, November 9, 1901, ask her to marry him.

Never Wrote the Letters.

The letters he was alleged to have written to Miss Wood were produced and he denied having written any of them.

The letter reading:

"The letter is so bright, it almost reconciles me to Odell's election," was dated 1905, and Mr. Stanchfield asked:

"Odell was elected way back in 1900, was he not?"

"He was."

"Yes, that was the year he beat me, and I thought I could not be mistaken," said Mr. Stanchfield, which raised a laugh in the courtroom, in which the Senator joined.

The Senator positively denied having had improper relations with Miss Wood, did not believe he ever called her by a more endearing name than Catty, and did not remember telling her he was miserable. A letter which he is alleged to have written to Miss Wood in 1902 was read, in which he said she must not expect much from him as his time was occupied and "life is hardly worth living."

After the convention he hoped to meet her. It ended, "peace and plenty be with you."

Mr. Platt said:

"I don't think it is a genuine letter. I would not write a letter in such a tone to her now or at any time."

Being shown the letter, he said it was not in his handwriting. He said he liked to correspond with her, and being asked if she was the only one, said:

"She was one."

He did not understand why he told her to occupy a certain room at the Fifth-avenue Hotel, but said he told her to await his signal, because he was going to take dinner with her.

The Senator said he could not remember whether he kept the engagement, but he was certain Miss Wood did not stay with him in his suite that night. He said he was not in the habit of inviting women to the Fifth-avenue Hotel. He could not recall whether his secretary, Mr. Howe, was at the hotel on the night of November 9, 1901, nor could be say whether Mr. Howe, who had been a clergyman, remained a licensed minister while in his employ. Asked if Mr. Howe signed his letters in facsimile of the Senator's writing, the witness said he never had seen such signatures.

The Senator did not recall how many times he met Miss Wood in 1902. He went to the house of Mrs. Lamont in West Thirty-eighth street at times, he said, but never sent for Miss Wood to meet him there. He was not permitted to answer a question as to whether he used an assumed name when visiting at the Lamont place.

No Secret Marriage.

"Was there a secret arrangement between you and Miss Wood as to marriage?" he was asked.

"That is absolutely false," the Senator replied.

The Senator said he met J. Martin Miller frequently, but he denied any knowledge of the plan for obtaining his letter to Miss Wood which was told of in the statement purporting to be signed by Miller, which was introduced in the case yesterday.

He did not obtain the letters in 1903; did not recall ever having had them and did not recall that Miller had anything to do with securing them. He denied that Miller ever demanded money from his son Frank for that purpose, but had endorsed a $1000 note for Miller, which had been almost entirely paid.

He recalled receiving a letter from Howe & Hummel in reference to a contemplated case against him and gave his son, Frank Platt, $10,000 to secure the return of certain letters in this case. He understood the case was brought for Miss Wood, he said. When he said previously that he paid no money for the letters, he meant that he paid none to J. Martin Miller.

SOLOIST TOMORROW NIGHT.

Arthur Alexander, Who Will Appear With Portland Symphony Orchestra.

Arthur Alexander, who is to appear as soloist at the last of the season's concerts by the Portland Symphony Orchestra tomorrow night, sang in the rehearsal yesterday and expressed himself as much pleased with the organization. This will be Mr. Alexander's first appearance in Portland since his great success in London, and the announcement that he has been secured as soloist for tomorrow's concert has been received with enthusiasm.

AT THE HOTELS.

The Portland—F. G. Frinck, F. G. Taylor, Seattle; A. Dallman, G. Kraus, New York; C. H. Reif, M. Mintzer, San Francisco; J. Oliver, South Bend, Ind.; L. Bloch, San Francisco; M. D. Clare, A. Neuman, H. Humbert, New York; H. O. Cook, Washington; R. P. Ingles, New York; Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Breuner, Sacramento; N. Klein, New York; C. E. Flowers, Boston; G. J. Lange and wife, Oakdale; S. G. Faulkner, Vancouver, B. C.; E. M. Greenway, San Francisco; P. Spitko, F. C. Sullivan and wife, Omaha; C. C. Bobb, Kalamazoo; Mrs. R. Fuller, Amity; O. J. Boss and wife, San Francisco; H. B. Clapham, Tacoma; H. J. Miller, Aurora, Or.; L. Allison, C. J. Allison, Cambridge; W. Hammock, Mrs. R. Lytle, Miss Hoquim, Chicago; C. C. Birney, San Francisco; L. Gardella, Oroville; J. F. Scherlin and wife, San Francisco; J. R. Barker, Chicago; C. Merrill, Seattle; W. Hilman, New York; E. Wilhelm, Chicago; B. D. Stevens, Beloit, Wis.; J. H. Case, Butte; S. Lauter, San Francisco; C. L. Stebbins, Tacoma; C. King, New York; C. Abell, Boston; J. H. Nehemkas, San Francisco; T. Wilton, E. H. Lewis, San Francisco; R. S. Edmundson, Los Angeles; T. H. Huntley, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Fairchild, Chicago; P. Riehm, Billings, Mont.; W. A. Avery, Jr., city; Mrs. M. Adams, Tacoma; S. E. Lewis, New York; T. Dunn, St. Louis.

The Oregon—O. J. Eugene, Aberdeen; W. D. Frey, Denver; W. F. Reed, Gardiner; J. W. Booth, Wasco; W. C. Harding, Aberdeen; W. E. Johnson, Aberdeen; W. Henry, Los Angeles; C. A. Kemp, C. L. Drager, San Francisco; F. Lewis, Brooklyn; C. Ranty, Philadelphia; J. Frust, Chicago; H. L. Cohen, Cincinnati; B. W. Coffman, Chehalis; M. Perwien, E. P. Rockfellow, New York; E. R. Treason and wife, Denver; E. E. Leighton and wife, Winnipeg; C. Grayson, M. L. Chandler, Medford; C. Johnson, San Francisco; J. O. Adams and wife, Omaha; B. Fair, Aberdeen; A. Schultz, Oakland; T. R. Sheridan, San Francisco; T. G. Schrinner and wife, Davis; J. Moore, Tacoma; T. Reeves, San Francisco; A. W. Bogle, T. C. Thompson, Seattle; G. B. Reeves and wife, A. S. Haines, city; R. Fulton, Aberdeen; G. W. Dorman, St. Paul; W. F. Pierny, Chehalis; G. Smith, Castle Rock; Edd Hopkins, Aberdeen; R. H. Mader, Seattle; Miss Reuter, Miss Dorothy Reuter, The Dalles; F. E. Veness, Winlock; E. H. Foadick, St. Louis; A. Danahon and wife, Chehalis; W. S. Gray and wife, T. F. Jack, Denver; C. H. Upton, M. D., La Grande; S. Shyman, Seattle; A. C. Miller, Mrs. Watt and daughter, New York; W. L. McCabe, Seattle; J. H. Bayson and wife, San Francisco; O. Engen, Aberdeen; F. Taylor, F. W. Vincent, Pendleton; H. A. Littlefield, Newberg.

The Imperial—F. A. Kennedy, New York; E. S. Snelling, Cathlamet; D. J. Miller, Florence; E. R. Bryson, Corvallis; C. Bathburn and wife, E. Thieler, San Francisco; R. W. Johnson and wife, Winnipeg; Albion Doe, Bertha Handa, Mrs. L. Henderson, San Francisco; B. C. Cox, city; J. W. Merrill and wife, S. B. Best, city; R. C. Sly, Stevenson; Harry Haslam, Astoria; Fred Pietsch and wife, Hilda Pietsch, Edna Pietsch, Milwaukee, Wis.; T. V. Wanesly, Glendore, S. Bergman, H. Berg, Spokane; J. R. Mangin and wife, Salt Lake City; C. L. Cox, Grant County; E. N. Bell, Corvallis; George W. Massey, Amity; Raleigh R. Massey, Amity; A. S. Reed, Astoria; H. M. Bransen, Salem; W. L. Thomas, Wallowa; R. E. Warner, Brownsville; Charles Hoover, Keiso; Miss Lola Fleury, Albers; F. F. Woodward and daughter, Helena; James Paul, Charles M. Roberts, William L. Smith, Heppner; R. C. Sly, Stevenson; R. A. Booth, Eugene; W. E. Wight, Newberg; Mrs. Young and family, Washington; Washington, Ione; T. V. Morgan and wife, Colton; Dell B. Scully, L. W. McAdams, city; Mrs. Scarth, Toledo; H. C. Lehman and wife, Independence; A. M. Zelcea, Chicago; N. Peterson, H. O. Nickerson, J. J. Hill, Seattle; C. Werthenback, Graton; Clyde McMath, Philomath; A. Livingston, Kennewick; T. E. Waters, Corvallis; J. E. Miller, San Francisco; Mrs. B. B. Owens, Salt Lake City; C. M. Dority, Springfield; A. N. Ganse and wife, Omaha; W. L. Simmerman, C. A. Lillie, city.

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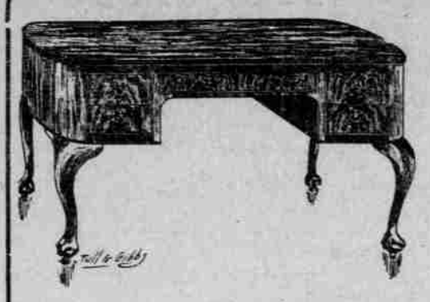

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