

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

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AMUSEMENTS.
OFFHELM THEATER (Morison, between Sixth and Seventh)—Vaudeville, 2:15 and 8:15 P. M.
EIGHT THEATER (Third and Yamhill)—"Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway." Tonight at 8:15.

RED CROSS STAMPS.
Every friend of the human race should buy a few Red Cross stamps and use them in his business and personal letters. The money derived from their sale is used to prevent or cure tuberculosis.

YOUTH'S FUNERAL HELD.—Funeral services of Fred Floyd Blanchard, 21 years old, who died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Blanchard, on Powell and East Sixty-eighth streets, were conducted in the Laurelhood Methodist church Tuesday afternoon.

PHOTOGRAPH DEALERS ORGANIZE.—At a meeting held in the Commercial Club's convention hall yesterday, attended by representatives of the various wholesalers of photographers' supplies in Oregon and Washington, a temporary organization to be known as the Photographers' Dealers' Association of the Northwest, was effected.

LEVI MEYERS TO SPEAK.—The monthly meeting of the Florence Meade Mission Circle will be held, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. J. Westwood, at 341 East Third street. A sermon on "Pacific Coast Mission Work" will be read by Levi Meyers. The circle in the parish of the First Universalist Church, East Twenty-fourth street, Oregon, is securing new members at every meeting.

MINISTER'S FATHER DIES.—Rev. C. C. Poling, of Portland, yesterday was informed of the death of his father, Rev. D. S. Poling, 80 years old, at South Fort, Penn. Rev. D. W. Poling, of The Dalles, is also a son of the Pennsylvania clergyman. He was a member of the Pittsburgh Evangelical conference for more than 50 years.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS AT MRS. I. FROHMAN'S.
PARLOR C. PORTLAND HOTEL.
New importations of Japanese and Chinese curios and embroideries, suitable for holiday presents. Call and inspect our new goods.

PURE MILK GRANES THURSDAY.—Woodlawn grange will discuss the pure milk question Saturday night. Edward Morgan and Mrs. G. W. Stansbery will be the speakers. Taxation will be discussed by N. Black and Dr. F. S. Smith. Annual election of officers will also be held.

TROOPS COMING TO FORT.
Second Artillery Will Arrive This Morning at Vancouver.
A special train carrying troops for Vancouver from Fort D. A. Russell, in Wyoming, is scheduled to arrive in Portland early this morning over the O. R. & N. lines. The train will be transferred to the North Bank road and will continue straight through to Vancouver.

TELEPHONE BOX RIFLED.—Dan Brunbridge, a 16-year-old boy, living in a lodging-house, at 121 Union avenue, was arrested early yesterday morning and sent to the juvenile court, for having stolen one of the "pay-as-enter" telephone boxes. He visited the hallway of a near-by lodging-house and tore the box from the wall taking it to his room where he tried to force it open and rob it of the nickels. Sergeant Keller found the box under the boy's bed.

MULTNOMAH COUNTY RICH.
Clerk Fields Says Property Here Is Worth \$251,389,887.

Table with 2 columns: District, Value. Lists property values for various districts in Multnomah County.

GROOM, BUSY, DIDN'T WED.
J. Touffest, Losing Marriage License, Takes Time Finding It.

PIONEER WOMAN, 90, ILL.
Mrs. Frances Killin, in Yakima With Daughter, Near End.

SLEIGHING VICTIM BETTER.
Frank Smith's Limbs Not Paralyzed, and Friends Are Hopeful.

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GIFTS THAT PLEASE.
Special prices on Holiday Umbrellas, Hosiery, Furs, Neckwear, Jewelry, Silk Waists, Silk Petticoats, Kimonos, Gloves and Leather Goods.

IMPROPER POSTAL COSTS \$25.
Harold Davis, a youth residing at Corvallis, was yesterday hailed before the bar of the United States court and pleaded guilty to sending a postal card improperly decorated through the mail.

CARD OF THANKS.
Mrs. Thomas F. Rogers and family wish to thank their friends for their comfort during their late bereavement.

KIDNAPER BROUGHT BACK.
Warnock's Child Case Falls, but Another Charge Holds Good.

WHERE TO DINE.
All the delicacies of the season at the Portland Restaurant. Fine private apartments for ladies. 265 Wash., near 5th st.

CHRISTMAS PHOTOS.
Pictures taken at Aune, Columbia bldg., between now and Christmas, will be finished promptly regardless of weather.

RECITAL TONIGHT.
Interesting Pianola Recital to Be Given With Three Vocal Soloists.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS AT HENRICHSEN'S.
Our Splendid Display of DIAMONDS AND JEWELRY is a credit both to Portland and the L. C. Henrichsen store.

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Original ideas made this establishment grow from the smallest jewelry store in Portland eight years ago to the largest today.

Watches, Diamonds, Silverware. Don't buy any old kind of a timepiece for your Christmas present.

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WE HAVE ON SALE NOW FROM 100 TO 500 EACH OF THE FOLLOWING TO SELECT FROM: Brooches, Necklaces, Chains, Belt Pins, Bracelets, Pins, Combs, Lockets, Pendants, Scarf Pins, Seal Rings, Set Rings, Collar Pins, Bar Pins and hundreds of other articles appropriate for Christmas gifts.

JAEBER BROS. Jewelers Opticians. THE LARGE STORE. 266 Morrison Street, West of 3d

SYRIAN SEEKS WAY.
Moot Point Raised by Application for Citizenship.

OLD DECISION REVIEWED.
Judge Bellinger Had Held Informally Exclusion Applied Only to Chinese, Japanese and Tartars—Appeal Likely.

THRICE ARRESTED IN DAY.
All of Anthony Figaro's Wealth Now Put Up as Bail.

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Largest stock of Watches in the West. Swiss and American—the new thin model—adjusted to position, heat and cold. It is well to consult an expert when buying a Watch.

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