

**BANK CASE TRIALS  
DO OPEN AT ONCE**

**Ex-President Moore Loses in  
Plea for Delay to Se-  
cure Attorney.**

**SOLVENCY IN QUESTION**

**Actions Against Officials of Defunct  
Oregon Trust Bank Will Hang  
on Decision Reached on  
Mitchell Deposit.**

Walter V. Moore, ex-president of the defunct Oregon Trust & Savings Bank, will be placed on trial today technically charged with having received a deposit of \$200 from Miss Minnie Mitchell on the afternoon of the day before the bank closed its doors, knowing at the time that the bank was in an insolvent condition.

Effort was made yesterday by the counsel for Moore to have the trial postponed until the ground that Henry E. McGinn, one of the attorneys for the indicted banker, was engaged in a trial for murder and that it would be a hardship upon Moore to have the case go on without Mr. McGinn present at the start.

**Judge Denies Defendant's Motion.**

This motion was made before Presiding Judge Morrow, but was denied, the court giving as his reason the fact that Mr. McGinn was not engaged in the Moore case until after he had been engaged in the murder trial.

Perhaps the prosecuting officials could not present the evidence so convincing piece of evidence from among the array of irregularities charged against the men in charge of the bank than the incident of Miss Mitchell.

She had arrived in Portland, a stranger and an invalid, from the East, just a day or so before she made her deposit. She was wheeled about in an invalid's chair, helpless and pitifully dependent upon the sum which she brought with her. She had brought a letter of introduction to a Portland man, who, being a depositor at the Oregon Trust, recommended this bank highly.

It was late in the afternoon; the doors of the bank had been closed for the day and whatever disclosures had been made at the bank relative to their being able to continue in business and to the solvency of the institution had already been brought to light. The friend telephoned to the bank and explained that Miss Mitchell had just arrived in the city as an invalid and could not come down town again without a great deal of discomfort and asked that her deposit be taken.

After some delay the word was telephoned back for Miss Mitchell to bring her money, that it would be received, although the bank had ceased to transact business for the day. She was wheeled up to the receiving teller's window where the money was taken from her and a book given her. The next morning the notice was posted upon the windows that the bank had suspended payment.

Miss Mitchell will not be a witness, because she is ill at the present time in a sanitarium in Colorado, but her friend will testify for her.

The investigating experts, who examined the books of the Oregon Trust, have ascertained that the bank was insolvent from the day it first opened its doors to do business and that thus all of its officers have technically been guilty of violating the state banking laws, but the prosecution has picked out several specific instances, the most glaring being that of Miss Mitchell.

**State Will Be Able Represented.**

Representing the state will be Deputy District Attorney Fitzgerald, who has had the bank case in charge since the criminal investigation was first instituted. Assisting him will be District Attorney Cameron, who, no doubt, will appear throughout the entire series of trials.

Representing Moore will be C. W. Fulton and Henry E. McGinn. As Mr. McGinn is also occupied with a murder trial, now in progress in the Circuit Court, it is likely that he will be unable to attend the first few days of the trial. The trial will probably occupy two weeks, as hosts of witnesses will be summoned on both sides. As Moore's associates in the bank are jointly indicted with him upon this charge, the attorneys for the others will watch the progress with great interest, as the outcome of the case for Moore will virtually mean the same result for them. Henry Moore, E. E. Lytle, W. Cooper Morris and Leo Friele are the others under indictment. Judging from the routine order in which the cases are being assigned in the Circuit Court it is regarded as probable that this one will be assigned to Judge Bronaugh today.

**FENDER TRYOUT ON TODAY**

**Mayor and City Council to Witness  
Tests of Various Devices.**

Mayor Simon, members of the City Council and all who are interested in the question of fenders, will witness the tests of various devices at 2 o'clock this afternoon at Twenty-sixth and Uphur streets. The Portland Railway, Light & Power Company has furnished cars for all persons having inventions they wish to exhibit and it is expected the demonstrations will prove interesting and instructive.

The fender question has agitated Portland for years. Many tests have been held, but each time the Council failed to adopt any kind, and the street-car company has continued with a so-called fender which its own officers admit is defective and not as good as they would like to have of their cars. President Joselyn has stated many times that he is ready to adopt any good fender that shall be approved by the Council. Leonard L. Lombard, chairman of the Council committee on health and police, has declared that his committee will recommend a device after the tests are held, and he believes the Council will this time approve of some kind.

An Awful Eruption of a volcano excites brief interest, and your intense in skin eruptions will be short, if you use Bucklen's Arnica Salve, their quickest cure. Even the worst boils, ulcers or fever sores are soon healed by it. Best for Burns, Cuts, Bruises, Sore Lips, Chapped Hands, Chilblains and Itches. It gives instant relief. 25c. at all druggists.

Morgan & Robb, 250 Stark st., can write your contract bonds for you.

**Arnold's Infants' Wear—Beautiful New Neckwear—Waistings—Gloves—Veilings—Beltings—Hosiery, Etc.  
Ladies' Home Journal Patterns—Custom Shade and Drapery Work Specialized—New Spring Parasols**

**The Greater Olds-Wortman-King Store**

**The Most Attractive Easter Millinery in Portland  
3000 Trimmed Hats Wonderfully Low Priced**

**Easter  
Gloves Here**

Our Glove stock is complete in every detail. Every color and every size is here for your choosing. One and two-clasp styles in fancy embroidery backs or Paris point embroidery, in cape stock, mocha, suede or French kid; priced \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.25.

**\$1.75 Gloves  
At \$1.19 Pair**

Sale today only of French Kid Gloves, Paris point, two-clasp, black, tan, mode, browns and high colors, in choice French kid stock; regular \$1.75 values; Easter special, on sale at, pair **\$1.19**

**New Easter  
Neckwear  
25 cts. to \$10**

We invite inspection of our novelty lines of Neckwear; venise lace and princess Dutch collars, jabots, cascades, side effects, plain and fancy stocks; every style that one could wish for is here, priced at 25c to \$10.00.

**Neckwear  
35c; 3 for \$1**

Hand-embroidered Linen Collars, jabots, stocks, cravats, cascades, stock collars and bows, over 2000 pieces to choose from; priced 35c each or 3 for **\$1.00**

**Parasols for  
Easter Show**

A complete showing of all that's new. Now's the time to select your Summer Parasol to match your gown. We have the imported hand-painted or hand-embroidered tops, with carved bamboo or fancy handles, lined or unlined fancy pongees, any shade to match your dress; from \$2.00 to \$35.00.

**New Colored  
Umbrellas**

For rain or shine. Ask to see this green and black changeable silk serge Umbrella, with fancy border, mission or La Tour handles, tassel-trimmed; priced at, each, **\$2.50**

**Dainty New  
Wash Goods**

The richness and freshness of this showing will lead you clear into the midsummer season. The dainty fabrics are prettier than ever before. Marquisette voiles, printed flaxons, Irish dimities, silk-finish foulards, rough-weave linen suitings, Hesper cloth, Vassar and plaza cloth, silk-finish rough-weave French and English percales, Galateas, imported and domestic whit goods, etc.



Have you noticed there is a peculiar difference in our Millinery? There is not that similarity or sameness in the styles—Each hat has a distinctive style of its own—Today hundreds of new hats will be added to the display—Those who attended yesterday's showing were unanimous in the opinion that the hats were prettier than any they had ever seen—Those pressed Milans and Leghorn shapes, trimmed with large plumes, are charming for dress wear—The Tailored Suit Hats, of imported braids, made on plainer lines, are distinctive in every detail—Beautiful flower and fruit creations are exceedingly attractive for dainty Spring and Summer gowns—Get your Easter hat while assortment is good.

**Trimmed Hats  
Priced at \$5.95**

A complete new showing of Hats ready to put on and wear out. Each one is different from the rest in every detail. They are made of hand-made imported braids. Some are all-net shapes, some are trimmed with wings or quills, others in lace, flowers or fruit. For today's selling we will group about 100 of these. Some worth \$12.00 each; let us pick from the lot for, ea. **\$5.95**

**Trimmed Hats  
Priced at \$11.95**

A more delighted, better-natured lot of women never congregated than those who thronged our Millinery Salons yesterday. Today there will be a big change in the general showing. For a special item today we will group a lot of new Trimmed Hats, such as Milans, pressed chips, Tuscans, braids, open hems and imported braids; regularly worth up to \$20.00, on special sale at this price **\$11.95**

**Trimmed Hats  
Priced at \$19.95**

Don't fail to call again today. See this collection of pressed Leghorns, French Chips, English hems, imported hand-made braids, French hems, etc., trimmed most artistically in taffeta back velvet ribbon, rich flower and fruit or velvet trimmings. A lot of magnificent productions will be displayed in one group; values to \$32.50; exclusive **\$19.95** styles, no two alike; today **\$19.95**

**Women's Exclusive Easter Apparel  
New Suits, Costumes, Waists, Etc.  
Most Complete Showing in Portland**

A rare and complete showing of the most recent models adapted in stylish garments for American women—You can see the fashionable products of the most authoritative creators of style in a variety of prices and styles—No matter what kind of a suit you have in mind, if it is correct in style, you'll find it here, and at a price more reasonable than you expect—Prices range from \$15.00 upward to \$100.00

**Our Misses' Shoe-Top Suits must be seen to be fully appreciated—They are marvels of beauty and serviceableness—Shepherd check skirt and blouse with coat of blue, red or green serge; lapels, pockets and cuffs of same checked goods; a very effective suit—Norfolk Combination Suits, skirt of one color, coat of another, with belt and trimming of each to harmonize with the other—Then there's solid colors in fine serges, etc., styled to please the most particular young lady and priced in keeping with Olds-Wortman-King's usual low prices.**

**Foulard  
Dresses**  
Foulard Silk Dresses, styled with the new Russian effect, with pleated skirt and tunic overskirt slashed at the sides or pointed in front—Self-bordered trimming or bands of contrasting colors—Also come in buttons, braids and lace-trimmed effects, etc.

**Pongee  
Tailored  
Suits**  
A very neat line of styles in Women's Pongee Tailored Suits—Coats with three-button shawl collars, either self or moiré-trimmed—Turnback cuffs, button and braid-trimmed—Semi-fitting coats, pleated **\$20.00**

**\$5 Lingerie Waists \$2.29**

White Waists, in fancy lace, embroidered and medallion-trimmed lingerie; also an assortment of linens in plaited and tucked tailored styles. In all a very exceptional offering of values to \$5.00. On special sale for today—your choice at this low price, ea.—take advantage of sale **\$2.29**

**\$15.00 Silk Waists \$5.45**

High-grade dressmaker-made Silk Waists, in a varied and extensive assortment of patterns, in Dresdens, Roman stripes, black, fancy, plain and plaid taffetas, messalines, moire and Dresden stripe combinations, dark and light colors; regular values up to \$15.00 each, on special sale at **\$5.45**



**Easter  
Dress Goods**

The Spring Dress Goods are now ready, and such a showing is worthy of your inspection. See the new 60-inch Tailor Suitings, in mannish effects, highest grade imported novelties, intensified in beauty by the introduction of silk, which brings out the patterns in more lustrous and pleasing manner. See them. Priced at \$4.00 the yard. We show new French Crepes in all colors.

**Fine Footw'r  
For Easter**

The Shoe Store presents an extensive and most complete stock of the newest ideas in Shoes, Ox-fords and Pumps. For the more particular and discriminating trade we have black suede pumps at \$3.50 to \$5.00 pair. Colored suede pumps in all leading shades, \$5.00 and \$6.00. Then the more moderately priced oxfords and pumps, to please all who come to us for Easter footwear. See them.

**Bonnets for  
Infants Daintily  
Trimmed**

Don't overlook the dear little ones. We have studied and planned as much for their Easter as for the older ones. Feast your eyes on the charming little bonnets, daintily trimmed in flowers, laces, ribbons, etc.

**Confirmati'n  
Dresses \$3.75 to  
\$15.00**

New showing of confirmation Dresses for misses from 6 to 15 years of age. Materials are white lawns, nets, etc., trimmed in lace, insertion or sheer embroidery. We price them for Easter at \$3.75 to \$15.00.

**Novelties in  
New Jewelry**

All the new little jewelry accessories to dress have been carefully selected. Hat pins, belt buckles and pins, collar and veil pins, are shown in a great variety of styles and prices, sure to please you. See them.

**New Hosiery  
For Easter**

You should feast your eyes on this store's great showing of Spring Hosiery. There was never anything like the assortment shown in this city before. Plain and fancy silks, lises and cottons, to match your new gown. See this dainty assortment of Hosiery.

**New Spring  
Trimming's**

No trouble to trim the new gown or suit if you come to us for the trimmings or for suggestions. We show all the new colored bands, lace bands, appliques, medallions, machine cluny laces and insertions. Real torchons, all-over etc. Gold and silver trimmings, all-over nets, etc. Let us show you.

**LAYMEN TO RAISE CASH**

**MOVEMENT ONLY SUPPLEMENT-  
AL TO PRESENT WORK.**

**Convention Will Lay Stress on Fact  
It Is Not to Supplant Exis-  
ting Agencies.**

Emphasis on the fact that the laymen's missionary movement, which is to hold a convention in Portland March 29 and 31, is not intended to supplant any existing organization or agency in the missionary field, is made by Eastern leaders in the movement in communications to local churches. In reply to a question as to whether the laymen's movement is carried on with the idea of introducing some new system of conducting missionary work, it is declared that such is by no means the case.

"The laymen's movement is entirely supplemental to existing missionary organizations," writes one of the secretaries of the movement. "It is to gain financial support for the workers who are already in the field and to make it possible to widen the scope of service in foreign fields."  
"In launching the movement the position was taken that it was time for the men of the churches to do more

for missions. For many years the splendid societies conducted by women have been bearing the burden. From the response that has been received from all parts of the United States it is evident that the men themselves realize it is time for them to do their share."  
At the various ministerial meetings yesterday morning the subject of entertaining outside delegates to the convention received the consideration. At all of the meetings where the matter was presented the pastors expressed willingness to call for volunteer entertainers among the members of their congregations. In some cases the pastors had arranged for the entertainment of delegates, even before a request was made from the co-operating committee. The United Brethren, for instance, have given notice that they will care for both pastors and laymen from outside the city while the convention is in progress.  
No returns have yet been made on the number of delegates that registered at the various church services Sunday morning. What reports have already been made to the secretary, W. A. Lovett, are very encouraging.

**BEALS WANTS SLIDE DATA**

**Swathman Asks Observers of Four  
States to Describe Avalanches.**

Frequency with which land and snowslides have occurred in the Pacific Northwest during the last several weeks has suggested to Edward A.

Beals, district forecaster, the idea of compiling data concerning these accidents, including the loss of life and property damage resulting therefrom.  
To that end, Mr. Beals today will mail a letter requesting information from each of the local observers stationed in Oregon, Washington, Idaho and a part of Montana, the territory over which the district forecaster has jurisdiction.  
Mr. Beals requests information from the local observers in response to the following:  
Name of place, or number of section, township and range where avalanches or slide occurred.  
Character of country, as wooded, open, etc.  
Description, and if practicable, sketch, of track of avalanche or slide, also give direction of mountain slope, as north, etc.  
Time of occurrence—date, and hour of day or night.  
Description of wind-rush preceding avalanche or slide.  
Character of weather preceding and during avalanche or slide.  
Nature of attendant or preceding noises.  
Was avalanche a "slide" or a "rolling mass."  
Description and estimated amount of debris.  
Give as accurately as possible description and estimate of all property destroyed.  
Number, and if practicable, names, of persons killed.  
Give approximate cost to the county for repairing damage caused by such slide or avalanche.  
Give probable cause of avalanche or slide.  
Photographs of any phases would be appreciated.  
Swish—off goes you stiff hat! Not if it's a one-sixteenth size in the known Gordon—a perfect headfit.

**BIG TIMBER DEAL IS ON**

**TRACT OF 40,000 ACRES OF FIR  
IN COLUMBIA COUNTY.**

Henry Teurish, of Duluth, and A. J. Keith, of Milwaukee, said to be Purchasers from Benson Co.

Henry Teurish, of Duluth, Minn., and A. J. Keith, of Milwaukee, Wis., wealthy timberland dealers, are negotiating for the purchase of a Columbia County tract of over 40,000 acres of fir timber from the Benson Logging & Manufacturing Company, of this city, of which Simon Benson is president and manager.  
While the parties concerned in the transaction would not discuss the subject yesterday it is understood that the Eastern men have made a preliminary payment in the pending transaction, which, if closed, will be the largest transfer of timberlands ever made in this state.  
Messrs. Teurish and Keith are among the most extensive timberland operators in the country. They are interested in the Potlatch Lumber Company, of Idaho, which is capitalized for \$10,000,000, and in addition to having an interest in other similar prop-

erties throughout the Pacific Northwest have large timber holdings.  
If the sale is concluded it will rival in importance and the amount of capital involved the sale a few years ago by the Northern Pacific of 44,000 acres of timberlands to the Weyerhaeuser interests for a consideration said to have been \$4,000,000.  
It was impossible yesterday to learn

the plans of the prospective purchasers of the Benson holdings. It is suspected that the Wisconsin men may decide to establish a mill on the land and manufacture lumber, but this could not be confirmed.

Morgan & Robb, 250 Stark st., will insure your plate glass for you.

**A Poor Weak Woman**

As she is termed, will endure bravely and patiently agonies which strong men would give way under. The fact is women are more patient than they ought to be under such troubles.  
Every woman ought to know that she may obtain the most experienced medical advice free of charge and in absolute confidence and privacy by writing to the World's Dispensary Medical Association, R. V. Pierce, M. D., President, Buffalo, N. Y. Dr. Pierce has been chief consulting physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, of Buffalo, N. Y., for many years and has had a wider practical experience in the treatment of women's diseases than any other physician in this country. His medicines are world-famous for their astonishing efficacy.  
The most perfect remedy ever devised for weak and delicate women is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.  
IT MAKES WEAK WOMEN STRONG.  
SICK WOMEN WELL.  
The many and varied symptoms of woman's peculiar ailments are fully set forth in Plain English in the People's Medical Adviser (1008 pages), a newly revised and up-to-date Edition of which, cloth-bound, will be mailed free on receipt of 31 one-cent stamps to pay cost of mailing only. Address as above.

