

TAZEWELL WILL BE REMOVED BY SIMON Incompetency and Neglect of Duty in Office Will Be Main Charges.

POLICE WILL IGNORE HIM Failure to File Written Complaints Against Prisoners to Be Specified—City May Lose Large Sums in Court Fines.

Mayor Simon will remove Municipal Judge Tazewell from office for cause, the main reason being Tazewell's alleged failure to file written complaints against all prisoners, as required by law, thus placing the city in danger of losing from \$10,000 to \$15,000 paid into the municipal treasury in fines.

Judge Tazewell says that he inaugurated the system of filing written complaints against all prisoners in the Municipal Court since he took office. He denies that he ever intimated that he would assist the family of the late Judge Bennett named to succeed to the vacancy. He reiterates his declaration that he has not broken faith in announcing that he will not resign from the bench, saying he promised to resign only in case he should not desire to be a candidate in the municipal election to succeed himself.

The main charges against Tazewell are incompetency, inefficiency and neglect of duty in office. It is said that more than 100 cases have been tried in Municipal Court without written complaints against the prisoners as required by law and as a result the city may lose between \$10,000 and \$15,000 collected as fines, it is declared.

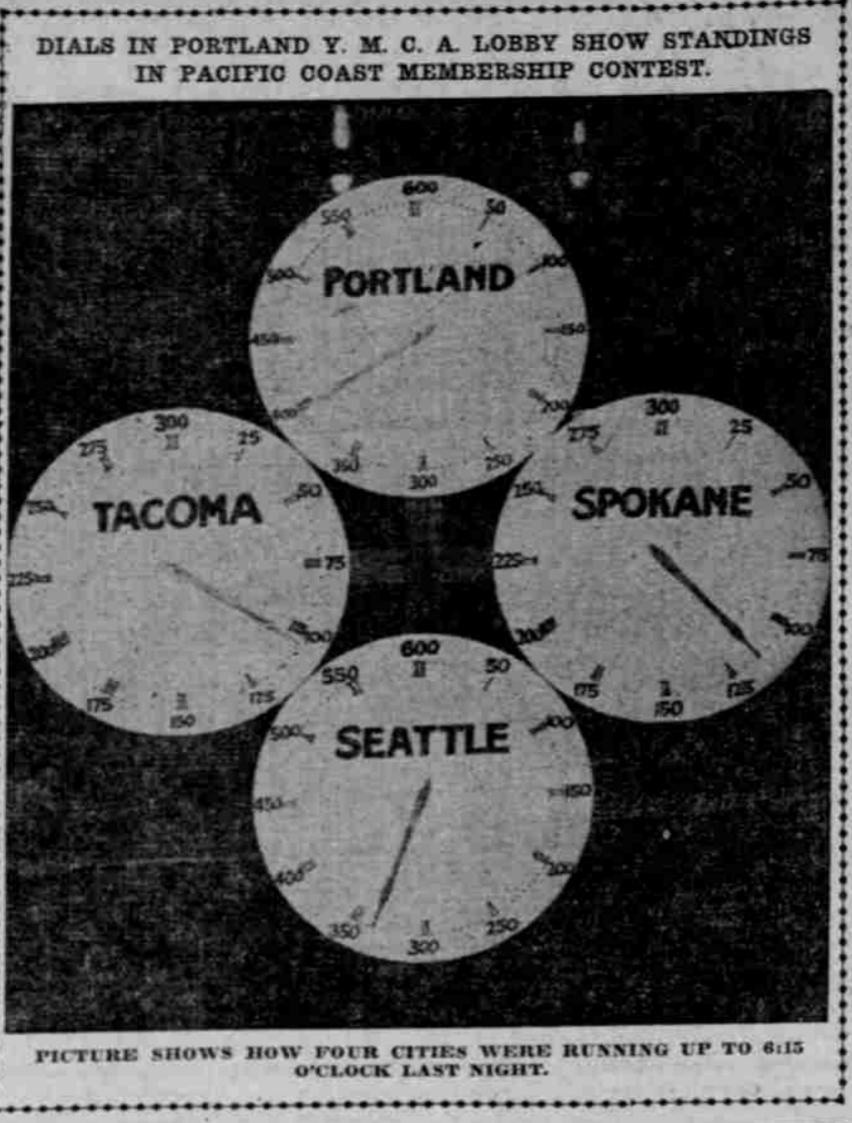
Circuit Judge McGinn ruled in the case of Gus Franz, appealed from the Municipal Court, that the conviction was invalid in that no written complaint had been filed in Tazewell's court and ordered \$100 which Franz had paid as a fine, returned to him.

When Tazewell sought the appointment he intimated to Mayor Simon, although no direct statement was made, that he would pay the salary of the office, \$150 a month, to the family of the late Judge Bennett, his predecessor. Investigation has disclosed that nothing has been turned over to the Bennetts by Judge Tazewell.

Tazewell's appointment became effective on September 22, 1910. There is no truth in the statement that it was to turn the salary of the office over to Judge Bennett's family, continued Tazewell. "As a matter of fact I could not afford to do so, as my private practice has dwindled almost to nothing since I accepted the appointment as Municipal Judge. There was never even an intimation of that character."

Major J. P. Kennedy, to whom the appointment as successor to Judge Tazewell was promised, is opposed to Tazewell's removal, although he counseled him for his failure to live up to the terms of the resignation agreement made with Mayor Simon.

Manual Training to Be Topic. A meeting of teachers and others interested in manual and industrial education will be held today in the committee room of the Public Library, at 10 A. M. Professor E. D. Resaler, of Corvallis, will preside, a few informal addresses will be made and committees will be organized to present different phases of industrial and manual instruction at next year's meeting of the State Teachers' Association.



PORTLAND IN LEAD Seattle Is Close Second in Y. M. C. A. Contest.

Portland is leading in the membership contest with 2510 points, followed by Seattle with 2250 points, Tacoma with 2120 points, and Spokane with 2090 points.

Table titled 'PORTLAND AHEAD ON FINAL DAY OF Y. M. C. A. MEMBERSHIP CONTEST.' with columns for City, Orig. No., Pres. No., and Pts. Portland: 4,038, 562, 4,541, 2310. Seattle: 2,925, 471, 3,396, 2250. Spokane: 2,127, 270, 2,347, 2090. Tacoma: 1,849, 267, 2,097, 1670. Total: 10,951, 1360, 12,297.

If Portland can hold its own until tonight it will come out a winner in the Young Men's Christian Association membership contest that is being conducted between this city, Seattle, Spokane and Tacoma. When the competing cities exchanged reports last night Portland was leading with 2510 points; Seattle, second, with 2250 points; Spokane, third, with 2090 points, and Tacoma, fourth, with 1670 points.

When the contest started it was thought likely that some one city would take and decide the contest from start and hold it to the end. The race, however, has been close throughout and the element of uncertainty has increased the interest greatly.

The four competing associations will exchange reports at 6:15 o'clock tonight, as they have each night during the campaign. This, however, will not mark the end of the contest, for all new members secured up to 9 o'clock count in the final result. If Seattle should prove to be ahead when the 6:15 o'clock returns are received, the 9 o'clock returns will put forth a heroic struggle between that hour and 9 o'clock.

Good Things in Markets. BY LILLIAN TINGLE. IN spite of the fact that Columbia River smelt remains scarcer than usual at this season, and that halibut is still inclined to be higher in price, the fish markets are better supplied, both as to quality and variety, than they have been for some time past.

EUROPE TO LEARN ABOUT NORTHWESTALOE P. H. W. Ross, Banker, to Make Tour Abroad in Behalf of Oregon and Washington.

Former President of Ellensburg Commerce Chamber and Financier Has Big Development of States in View.

For the purpose of interesting English capital in the development of Oregon and Washington, P. H. W. Ross, former president of the Ellensburg, Wash., Chamber of Commerce, and for 22 years cashier of the Bank of Ellensburg, left this city yesterday on a trip to Europe that may keep him in that portion of the world for nearly a year.

Woolen Mills Wanted. His plan to interest English capital in Oregon and Washington is not particularly new. Several companies are operating in this section at present that have for their object the exploitation of local territory through English money.

Clearings Show Growth. Portland's increase of 8 per cent over week year ago.

Officers are nominated. Multnomah Club Names Ten for Selection as Directors.

Honduran Rebels Score. Xoro, City of 3000, Taken—Capital Will Be Attacked.

John Brown is Divorced. Vancouver Man Is Given \$300 Judgment by Judge McMaster.

War Veteran Wins Fight. Court Denies Vancouver's Right to Open Street on His Land.

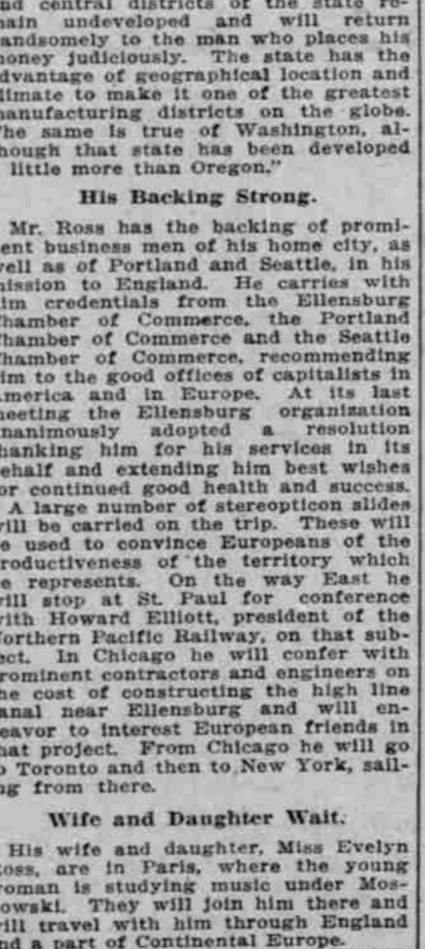
Take the Eugene Flyer. This new Southern Pacific train leaves the Union Depot at 4:30 P. M. daily, East Morson street at 8:40, and stops only at Clackamas, Oregon City, Canby, Aurora, Hubbard, Woodburn, Salem, Albany and Junction City.

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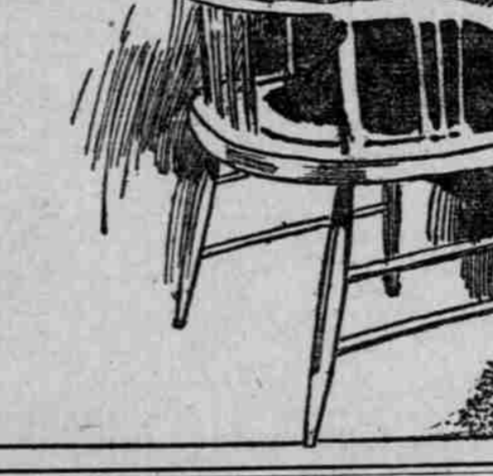


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