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**SHOOTING MESSENGER FINED.**—H. Kroll, a messenger boy of the Aero Messenger Company, who engaged in a fight with a policeman on the street of the moral squad in North End poolroom Monday night after he had been arrested, was found guilty of disorderly conduct by Judge Tawell in the Municipal Court yesterday. He was fined \$10, and sentence was suspended. The courtroom was packed with attorneys, policemen and spectators. A stenographic report of the testimony was taken at the trial. Chief of Police Noyes, and it is understood that it will be used in charges to be preferred against Kroll before the Police Commission.

**\$50,000 SUIT SETTLED FOR \$4250.**—After a jury had been obtained in Judge Morrow's department of the Circuit Court, witnesses examined and more than a day passed in the case of William Townsend Grewell against the Washington Northern Railroad Company, which owns a logging road at Cape Horn, Wash. was settled by stipulation between the attorneys yesterday morning. By the terms of the settlement, the railroad gets \$4250 cash and judgment for \$2000 on which execution is to be withheld until March 1. He had sued for \$50,000. Grewell lost an arm while employed by the company as a brakeman.

**FURBER SUE FOR FALSE ARREST.**—Paul Silverfield, a furrier, is defendant in a suit to recover judgment for \$55,000 filed in Circuit Court yesterday by attorneys representing Ross C. Barnes, who alleges that he was falsely arrested and imprisoned at the instigation of Silverfield. He declares that Silverfield caused his arrest on a charge of stealing two mink skins and that he was acquitted in Justice Court; that Silverfield caused a search warrant to be issued and his residence to be searched by virtue of the warrant and also that evidence was presented against him before a grand jury without result.

**PORTAL DEPOSITS GROWING.**—From present indications the Portland Savings Depository at the completion of business at the end of the present fiscal year, June 30, will have net assets of deposits large in excess of the half million mark that had been predicted. At the close of business on Tuesday night the net deposits amounted to \$223,176, with the deposits showing a large weekly increase. Since the first of the year there has been a constant stream of new arrivals into the country appearing at the deposit window and pushing their gold over the counter.

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## RENT FOR MARKET BLOCK WANTED.

Mayor Rushlight has addressed to the Executive Board a communication, setting forth that persons who are leasing the city property, known as the Market block, are paying no rent therefor, and recommending that the Board designate him as the city's agent to arrange for terms. The persons concerned are willing and even anxious to pay rent for the places they occupy. The Mayor believes that steps should be taken to collect rent from month to month from those using the property, but that no leases should be granted. The city may want to use the property soon. In case the members of the Executive Board do not wish to rent the places, the Mayor says, action should be taken to clear the block.

**SCHOOL TO HOLD PUBLIC RECEPTION.**—A reception to the public will be given in the Lents schoolhouse tomorrow afternoon, the occasion being the dedication of the new building completed in the historic territory, now a part of the Portland district. The programme will include vocal and instrumental music, drills and short addresses and work of the various classes will be exhibited. Boys' wood work, girls' drawing and other exhibits of the school work will be displayed. Principals and teachers of other Portland schools have been invited. A mothers' club will be organized at the school and the public reception. Mrs. Fred Olson and Miss Parsons will sing at the reception.

**APARTMENT HOUSE IS SOLD.**—The Buena Vista apartment-house property at the corner of Twelfth and Harrison streets, completed a few months ago by Trowbridge & Stephens, was sold yesterday to a Portland investor for \$100,000. The building occupies a lot 50x100 feet and contains four stories. Trowbridge & Stephens have retained and in a six-acre tract on Palatine Hill, five miles south of the center of the city. This tract was acquired of J. H. Hudson, who had owned the property for 25 years. It is the intention of Trowbridge & Stephens to clear the land and develop it for suburban building sites.

**ACCUSED BY GIRL IS SENTENCED.**—Complained against by a 14-year-old girl who answered him when he attempted to engage a room in the St. Elmo Hotel, at 419 1/2 Washington street, Tuesday evening, Taxiarius Cavalon was sentenced in the Municipal Court yesterday to serve 30 days in the city workhouse and pay a \$200 fine. This is the maximum penalty. The case was tried behind closed doors. Cavalon works in an Oregon City mill. Notice of appeal was given by his attorney.

**DISTRICTS MUST WAIT FOR CITY WATER.**—Residents of Reservoir Park and neighboring districts will have to wait for city water for a time, as the ways and means committee of the City Council yesterday afternoon did not act favorably on a recommendation from the Water Board to purchase private parties in that section of the city. On motion of Councilman Burgard, the committee voted to wait before considering the report of the Water Board, as there were but three members of the committee present.

**CHURCH MEETING TONIGHT.**—The United Presbyterian Church, Sixth and Montgomery, will hold its annual congregational business meeting tonight at 8 o'clock. All members of the church are invited to attend. The church is planning a large program for the coming year.

**BOOKS TO DISCUSS LIBRARY.**—The Brooklyn Improvement Club will hold a book discussion meeting tonight at 8 o'clock. The book to be discussed is "The Life of George Washington" by John Elliott. The club is open to all interested in the study of history.

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## CONVICTED DRUGSELLERS FINES SOUGHT.

To obtain funds with which to prosecute cases against persons believed to be selling opiates unlawfully, officers of the Juvenile Court have taken up with the city authorities the question of fines from such cases in the Municipal Court. The ways and means committee of the Council yesterday afternoon referred to City Attorney Grant a petition for one-third of the fines so levied, with a request for an opinion. The Juvenile Court authorities say there is a law which specifies that they shall receive one-third of the fines derived from cases of offenders who have been found guilty, where convictions have been brought about through the efforts of the Juvenile Court officers. In many cases, those officers have worked up the evidence on which convictions were had, it is claimed.

**AUSTRALIAN VISITS HERE.**—Hon. Neil Neilson, a member of the Australian parliament and former land commissioner of New South Wales, will visit Portland today and will be the guest of the Portland Chamber of Commerce and Commercial Club. Mr. Neilson is touring the Pacific Coast studying irrigation projects and conferring with commercial bodies for the development of trade relations between the Coast States and Australia. Committees from the commercial bodies of Portland will take him on a trip around the city to visit the principal industrial concerns and points of interest. He will be the guest of the Progressive Business Men's Club at its luncheon at noon and will make an address.

**PORTLAND PROPOSED AS RESERVE CENTER.**—Authorities in Washington will be petitioned by Portland business men to include Portland as one of the four reserve centers west of the Mississippi River, in the monetary bill now pending before Congress. The movement was introduced before the Rotary Club by D. O. Lively and other business men's clubs of the city will join in the petition. Mr. Lively in introducing his motion, said that Portland rightfully deserved to be made a reserve center in view of the fact that this city is at present the financial center of the Northwest, exceeding all others in bank clearings, and property valuations.

**PLANT BLAMED FOR FATALITY.**—A Coroner's jury inquiring into the death of James G. Turner, who was killed in the plant of the American Can Manufacturing Company Tuesday afternoon when his clothes caught in a pulley, returned the verdict that the plant was at fault. The jury also found that the company was negligent in not employing proper measures to safeguard its employees. Turner's clothing caught in the bolts of a pulley that was revolving rapidly. The pulley was around, and he was mangled. His funeral will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the chapel of Dunning & McIntee, and interment will be made in Greenwood Cemetery.

**G. PERRY PENISTEN BURIED.**—The funeral of G. Perry Penisten, who died Sunday, January 14, at Good Samaritan Hospital, was held yesterday afternoon from Finley's chapel. Mr. Penisten was born in Ohio, January 25, 1844, and came to Oregon from California in 1876. He settled at Astoria, where he took up farming and dairying. He retired from business several years ago and made his home at Mount Scott. He is survived by his wife and two daughters, Mrs. A. J. Richards and Miss Milla Penisten.

**TWO GUILTY, FINED \$100 EACH.**—R. Woods, of Seaside, who was caught bringing deer meat to Portland Tuesday, yesterday pleaded guilty and was fined \$100 by Justice Olson. Woods is a member of a gang at Seaside who killed several deer recently. The Sheriff is now looking for Fred Floeter, head of the ring. The snow has driven the deer down from the mountains where they easily can be killed. L. A. Daise was also found guilty of having deer meat in his possession and was fined \$100.

**PORTLAND STREETS STUDIED.**—To investigate the practicability and service of the hard-surfaced streets of Portland a delegation of Astoria officials are in the city, being authorized to make the trip by the City Council. The party consists of C. J. Curtis, Karl Knoblock and L. O. Belland, Councilmen and L. C. Rogers, a local engineer. At the present time Astoria has but two blocks of hard-surfaced streets and has decided to adopt this kind of construction in its future improvements.

**DAUGHTER OF EX-STATE SENATOR DIES.**—Mrs. Allen Clark, daughter of W. J. Mulkey, ex-State Senator, died at Good Samaritan Hospital Tuesday night. Her body was removed to her home at Monmouth last night, and the funeral will be held there today. Mrs. Clark was 24 years old. She is survived by her parents, a husband and a 5-year-old daughter. Mrs. Frank Lucas, of Portland, is a sister. Mrs. Clark was well known for her social ability.

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**MORSEBORN RECEIVES WATCH CHARM.**—At Tuesday evening's meeting of Ivanhoe Lodge, No. 1, of Pythias, Past Chancellor Crouch in behalf of the lodge presented to David N. Morseborn, retiring Chancellor Commander, a beautiful watch chain embellished with the symbols of the order, in recognition of his services during the past term.

**FRATERNITY TO CONVENT HERE.**—The annual convention of the Gamma Eta Kappa fraternity for the Northwestern district will be held in Portland, March 8 and 9. Spokane, Seattle, Tacoma and Portland will send delegates to the convention, which will have a total attendance of about 20, not including unofficial visitors.

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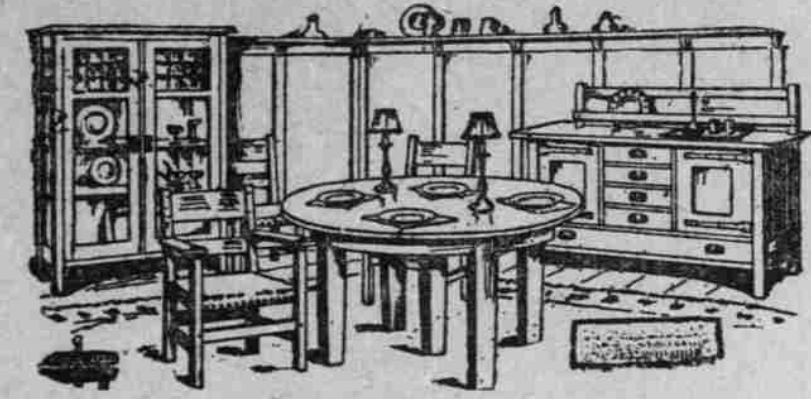
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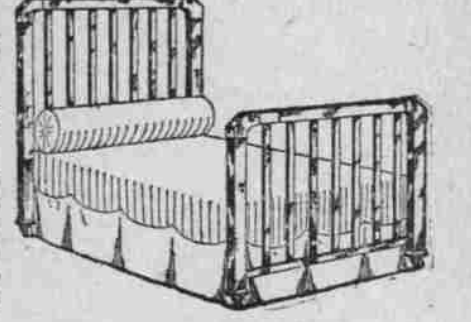
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