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S. T. Howard and others against German American Insurance Company, appellant, appealed from Jackson County; suit to re-cover on insurance policy; opinion by Jus-tice Eakin; judgment of Circuit Judge Mor-how modified.

F. Howard and others against Hartford B. T. Howard and others against Hartfort Fire Insurance Company, appellant; appealed from Jackson County; suit to recover on in surance policy; opinion by Justice Eakin judgment of Circuit Judge Morrow modified Joslo Pullen, appellant, against City o Eugene; appealed from Lasie County; suit



Eugene; appealed from Lana County; suit involving damages for personal injuries; pe-ilion to recall mandate denied; opfnion by Chief Justice Moore. Patrick H. Loughran, appellant, against S. B. Barker and others; appealed from Mult-nomah County; suit for attorney fees; opin-ion by Justice Eakin, judgment for defend-and by Circuit Judgo McGinn affirmed. Petitions for rehearing were denied as fok-lows: S. T. Howard against Horticultured Fire Relief of Oregon; United States Fidel-ity & Guaranty Company against Sheppard, Aitteen against Bjerkvig; Martin argainst Fietcher, and Mabel D, Hartman against Oregon Electric Railway Company.

CLOSING LAW APPLIES HERE

Portland Authorities Not Ready to

Act Yet, However.

Act Yet, However. That the Sunday closing law affects Portland as well as the rest of the state, is the opinion of City Attorney LaRoche. He says the law is state-wide and a part of the crimical code, and, therefore, the state law takes pre-cedence of any local ordinances or laws. "The city ordinances are limited by the state constitution and the state criminal laws," said Mr. LaRoche yes-terday. "If the Sunday closing law is valid it applies to Portland just as well as to the rest of the state. It is a criminal law and takes procedence over any law the city might attempt to pass."

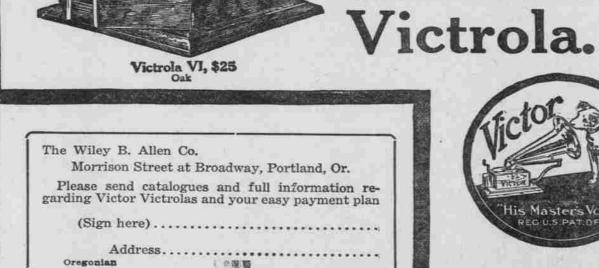
Chief of Police Clark, of Portland, Chief of Folice Clark, of Forliand, will not close the clark to that effect rfom the Mayor or Commissioners. Asked yesterday if he intended to close up the stores where tobacco is sold next Sunday, Chief Clark said that he would not unless he was asked to by those in higher authority in the city government. government

Douglas Attorney to Enforce Law.

ROSEBURG, Or, Sept. 14.—(Special.) —District Attorney George Neuner an-nounced late today that he would en-force the so-called Sunday closing law in Douglas County in the event it had been held constitutional by the Supreme Court of the state. The law heretofore has been unheeded by the prosecuting officers of Douglas County and was considered a dead letter.

Ridgefield Council Fixes Budget.

RIDGEFIELD, Wash. Sept. 14.- (Spe-cial.) -- The Town Council Tuesday an-nounced its estimate of expenses for the coming year. The expenses will be \$6444 and the usual receipts \$100, leaving \$1344 to be raised by taxation.





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