

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

OREGONIAN TELEPHONES. Managing Editor... City Editor... Advertising Department...

AMUSEMENTS. HILLING (Broadway at Taylor)... MISS MILDRED KEATS... "The Birds' Christmas Carol"

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS. Orders for copies of The New Year's Oregonian...

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ST. FRANCIS FORESTERS ELECT. St. Francis Court, No. 1183, Catholic Order of Foresters...

N. W. SCHEER BURIED. Funeral services for N. W. Scheer, who died suddenly at his home...

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ASKS EMPLOYERS TO USE STREETCARS. Personal Privilege Admitted, but Points in Favor of Patenting Trolley Company Cited.

Mrs. McCann's Funeral Held. Funeral services of Mrs. Mathers McCann, who died at her home...

John W. Buckner Dies. John W. Buckner, 1205 East Madison street, Sunday, at the age of 49 years...

Burglary Suspect Taken. Sheriff Phillips at 454 East Fifty-fifth street, and is held in the county jail pending investigation...

Annual Banquet of Protective Association. The Protective Association of the city held its annual banquet...

Divorce Granted. Divorce decrees were granted yesterday by Circuit Judge Gantenbein to Rose Adams against Mack Adams...

Traveling Men to Dine. Reservations for Dinner Tomorrow Night Already Are 200. Two hundred reservations have been made for the big "stag" dinner of the Travelers' Protective Association...

Men's Suits, Overcoats. High Grade Ready to Wear. Good merchandise—priced low the year round—cannot be marked down unless marked up to be marked down...

Thomas B. Montgomery Buried. The funeral of Thomas B. Montgomery, who died at his residence 574 East Ninth street, North, last Wednesday, was held yesterday under the auspices of Portland Lodge of Masons, No. 55, Mr. Montgomery was a member of Golden Gate Lodge, No. 21, services were held from his home and interment was in Sylvan Cemetery.

"Little Theater" on Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 2:15 and 8:30

MISS MILDRED KEATS The gifted young dancer, in a series of beautiful interpretive dances. For the benefit of the children of the unemployed women.

Auspices Junior League. Prices—Afternoon, 50c; Evening \$1.00

"The Birds' Christmas Carol" Tickets for all performances on sale at Sherman, Clay & Co's.

of the case of Charles P. Elwert against Mrs. Carrie Elwert. Elwert is seeking the division of certain of the Elwert estate.

JITNEY IS UNDER BAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ASKS EMPLOYERS TO USE STREETCARS.

The Chamber of Commerce yesterday issued a letter to all of its employers recommending that they stop patronizing the jitney bus.

RABIES TO BE FOUGHT Forest Officer Reports Alarming Spread in Four States.

A serious spread of rabies in Southern Oregon, Northern California and adjoining parts of Idaho and Nevada and plans for quarantining and muzzling all dogs in the affected portions of all four states were reported yesterday by T. P. MacKenzie, assistant district forester in charge of the grazing department in the Pacific Northwest.

FREE POSTER IS OFFERED F. G. Cooper Agrees to Draw for Rose Festival Association.

Mr. Cooper, artist, son of J. C. Cooper, of McMinnville, has offered to draw the official poster for the 1916 Rose Festival and donate it to the Festival Association.

TRAVELING MEN TO DINE Reservations for Dinner Tomorrow Night Already Are 200.

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30 IN RAID NOT FINED JUDGE STEVENSON SAYS GAMBLING TOO UNIVERSAL FOR OFFENSE.

Decision Surprises Even Attorney for Waiters' Club—Manager Pays \$50 for Gambling. A special commission is calling upon all the wholesale houses and manufacturers to refrain from making stags of the big representation at the "stag" and invitation is extended to all visiting traveling men to attend.

PORTLAND'S EMPORIUM 124 to 128 Sixth St., Just off Washington. Pre-Inventory Cleanup. Tremendous Pre-Inventory reductions in every department. We invoice Jan. 1st. Thousands of dollars' worth of new up-to-date garments, furs and millinery will be sacrificed this week.

MAILBOX IN STREET ASKED Chamber of Commerce Has Scheme for Letter-Writing Week.

Application was made to the City Council yesterday by the Chamber of Commerce for permission to erect a large mailbox and platform in Sixth street between the Postoffice and the Portland Hotel for use during the "Letter-Writing week," arranged for January 17 to 22.

CITIZENS TO SEE SEWER City Engineer Will Conduct Party Through Montavilla Trunk.

A personally conducted tour through a sewer is the latest specialty of City Engineer Dater. This afternoon at 2 o'clock he will conduct a party of citizens of Montavilla for a mile or so through the new Montavilla trunk sewer.

Automobile Robes, Overcoats and Raincoats At 33 1/2% Reduction Until January 1st ARCHER & WIGGINS

HASTE TO MEAL COSTS \$20 Plea of Hunger Falls to Win Leniency for Speeder.

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GOLD FOUND IN LAURELHURST A man recently became discontented with his BORROWED home and purchased a homestead of the LAURELHURST CO. near LAURELHURST PARK at an extremely close figure. Today he discovered that he had bought a gold mine, as his property has increased in value approximately twenty-five per cent, and is sure to go much higher.

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