Quarrels Between Families Last Straw and Police Give Week's Notice.

### NEIGHBORS ARE RELIEVED

Since Last Fall North Side Has Infested With Fortune-Telling Outfit and Wealth Upset Vagrancy Charges.

Portland must bid farewell to its picturesque and pestiferous gypsy colony, residents of the North End district during the past few months, and keepers of "phrenology" booths by vo-

reation.
Yesterday morning Nicholas George, chieftain of the clans, was called on the carpet by Police Captain Inskeep, who recited the list of public grievances against the colorful folk of Romany. 'One week to get out of town,' decreed the officer. "Linger an hour longer than that and you'll all be

nder arrest.' For once Nicholas George did not seek to temporize by argument, "All-a-right, Meester Captain," he agreed, "we be gone." Yet, gypsy fashion, he could not forego the last word. "We a-goin anyways," he said with sat-isfarion.

The edict of banishment was forced by a gypsy battle, waged last week, at 181 and 185 North Fifteenth street and \$26 Johnson street beween quar-reling families of the clan. In the tur-meil the three residences were sadly wrecked, doors wrenched from their hinges, windows shattered, ventilators forn loose and fireplace tiling pried

Booths Are Numerous. Late last Fall the gypsies, several score in number, came to town, like the beggars of the old nursery rhyme as to habiliment, but traveling in their own high-powered automobiles. They own high-powered automobiles. They tented for a time at the Rose City speedway, apreading out over the city in quest of "phrenological" plunder,

in quest of "phrenological" plunder, but, as the weather grew more severe, moved into residences, to the chagrin of the afflicted neighborhood.

Little booths bloomed everywhere in the North End, with daubs of phrenological charts displayed to catch the credulous. Slouched in the doorways, bold, black eyes challenging the passerby, stood the gypsy girts. "Come right in," they urged. "We read-a the humps. We bring the good luck!" They by, stood the gypsy girs. Come right in," they urged. "We read-a the bumps. We bring the good luck!" They jingled the golden coins of foreign mints, strung about their dusky throats, and set their arms akimbosplotches of vivid color, gaudy with soiled silks and gay cottons.

Fortune telling is under the ban of ordinance, and the plain-clothes police ordinance, and the plain-clothes police breezed into the various booths to procure evidence against the psuedo scientists of phrenology. Long lives and good fortune, dark men and fair, wives and sweethearts were found and classified among the bumps of policemen's heads. It was fortune telling, no matter how termed, decided the police, and hustled a score of gypsy women and girls into Municipal Court.

### Prosecution Is Failure.

But the gypsies hired counsel and fought the cases, maintaining that they practiced phrenology as a science and defying the law to forbid them. They won and went back to the harvest of

produced documentary evidence of plethoric bank accounts, unincumbered farm lands, expensive cars and many horses for trade. Somewhere between \$40,000 and \$50,000 wavered the for-tune of Nicholas George, who told the astonished court that he was a "piker by comparison with many of his people and announced that every gypsy family in his clan traveled the road in its

Other arrests on the fortune-telling charge followed, and a few convictions were procured. There was a constant succession of bickerings and blows among the families, and scarcely a week passed that did not find a bevy of gypsy defendants enrolled on the municipal Court docket.

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The clan in Portland is said to be divided in origin, some of the families being Syrian gypsies, others hailing from Brazil. It was this tribal distinction that wrought havoc with the gypsy peace and with the slumber of the commential for blocks around the commentation. the community for blocks around their dwellings.
They came from California, and they

are going back. "It is pleasant there," said one variegated matron, with longing in her voice. "So we go back, and I think, myself, I and mine will not come to Oregon again."

### KING IS SENT TO PRISON!

Parole Revoked After Flight With Young Girl.

Thomas King, whose flight to California with 15-year-old Hannah Vehon led to his indictment for kidnaping and another serious charge, was ordered to the penitentiary for an indeterminate sentence of from one to seven years, with the revocation of his parole by Judge Davis yesterday.

King pleaded gulity in March, 1915, to larceny from a shop, and was at that time sentenced by Judge Davis to from one to seven years and paroled

from one to seven years and paroled on his promise of good behavior. One of the conditions of his parole was that he was not to leave the state without the consent of the court.

On the showing by Deputy District Attorney Collier that King had broken several of the conditions of his parole and the likelihood of his conviction of the present charges, Judge Davie of the present charges. the present charges, Judge Davis re-voked the parole yesterday morning. This saved the state the expense of a trial and the girl from humiliating publicity. King is 22 years old.

### FIVE-DAY BRIDE IS SUED

Charles Higgins Says Wife Only Wanted to Get Clothes.

Charles Higgins hied to Vancouver, Wash. last Thursday and took unto himself a bride. Yesterday he filed sult-for divorce from the young woman. Mrs. Minnle Higgins, in the Circuit Court of Multnomah County, asserting married life was not all he had

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# Timely Offerings of Good Merchandise for Double Savings Tuesday

ARE YOUR EYES ALL RIGHT?

-If they are, you are indeed fortunate. If not, they should receive prompt and expert attention. Our optical service is unexcelled in Portland. Our equipment of instruments for examination is modern and complete. Let our graduate optometrists examine your eyes. Glasses will be prescribed only if needed-and at a moderate cost. WE DUPLICATE LENSES FROM THE PIECES.

-Optical Shop, Balcony, Sixth St.



-FREE if materials are purchased in our Silk or Dress Goods Shops. Skirts knife, box or accordion pleated, finished ready to sew on band for \$1. -Second Floor, Fifth Street.

Spring Fashion Book-now in. This excellent book, with any 10c or 15c pattern, for 25c. Advance Spring fashion sheets ready for distribution. -Pattern Shop, Second Floor,

# "Seconds" of Lion Brand Collars Tuesday Two for 15c

## Sale Pearl Earrings

-A special purchase of the new pearl screw earrings—recently put through by our jewelry buyer now in the East—will enable you to buy these attractive bits of jewelry Tuesday at good savings. -Dainty "screws" in the style most favored for

Spring and Summer wear will be shown in three sizes and in three different shades-white, cream and pink-at these re ductions:

35c to 75c Ribbon

REMNANTS at 20c

-Remnants-1 to 3 yards long of attractive Dres-

den, plain satin, taffeta, velvet, grosgrain and

sports ribbons. These are in the most desirable

colors, widths and patterns. On sale Tuesday at,

each 20c.

50c Pearl Earrings. Earrings.....69c \$1 Pearl

-Ribbon Shop, Main Floor

## Buy These Popular Collars Tuesday 65c-75c Veiling 50c at Just HALF the Regular Prices

TOW is the time for thrifty men and women who shop for them to lay in a supply of collars for months to come. Lion Collars -well and favorably known-are worn by discriminating men from coast to coast.

The collars on sale Tuesday are "factory seconds"-collars which were set aside by the eagle-eyed factory inspector because of slight imperfections. Some have defects so small as not to be observed. A slight irregularity of stitching or button holes, or other trivial defects, cause these collars to be branded as "seconds." It will pay you to attend this sale! All sizes from 14 to 20—and all the popular styles—included.

Special Tuesday 2 for 15c;

Each 8c; 6 for 45c; Doz. 85c

-Men's Furnishings Shop, Main Floor



-New veilings in hexagon and fancy meshes with neat, attractive borders and scroll designs; beauty veiling with single figure and chenille and velvet dotted veiling. The colors are black, purple, brown, navy, taupe and white. On sale Tuesday,

at, yard 50¢.

NEW MOTOR VEILS AT \$1.25

—Excellent quality of chiffon veils with satin stripe, three-fourths yard wide and one and threefourths yards long-a medium size veil that is most popular. In 10 shades. NEW MALINE FOR SCARFS, TRIMMING, etc.,

the yard 25c-35c. -Veiling Shop, Main Floor

## 25c-35c Dainty New Neckwear at 15c

-Pretty new Spring neckwear of organdy, voile, net and pique. Some are pure white and others have fancy colored stitchings and borders of colored stripes. Many have dainty lace edgings. All the popular and newest shapes and styles are to be found in this lot. Why not buy several to freshen up your Winter suit or frock-in this sale Tues--Neckwear Shop, Main Floor



### Wirthmor Waists \$1.00

-The four new models illustrated above will be on sale Tuesday in our waist shop. Despite the increased cost of materials and labor, we shall be ble to offer these unusual waists at \$1.

-Three models are of white voile with trimming of lace or organdy embroidery and tucks and the fourth is in tailored style, with narrow black cord stripes. Four exceptionally good models-on sale -Waist Shop, Fourth Floor Tuesday at \$1.

## Untrimmed Shapes BOOKS In Every Good Style

\$2 to \$12

-If you contemplate trimming your own hat-and more women are daily added to the lists of those who door if you have some definite idea which you wish followed with regard to your new Spring hat, you could not do better than see the splendid variety of

smart, untrimmed shapes we have for you. -Clever new styles in Milan, Milan hemp, hemp and lisere. A few of the new shades are China blue. Shadow Lawn green, dove gray, gold, purple, brown and, of course, black, white and navy. -Trimmings of every sort-flowers, wings, quills, imitation aigrettes, beaded and Oriental effects in

endless array. - Millinery Shop, Fourth Floor

By Our Own Oregon Women

-Our enlarged Book Shop-on the fifth floor-has a host of splendid new books of every sort to offer you. Among them you will find these good books by Oregon women:

Song of the Tooth Brush-Disease Prevention, Health and Happiness'

-Dr. Mary Tanner, \$1.00. "Thoughts From Oregon to Greet a Friend," Katherine Durham, 50c. 'Under the Blue and Gold," poems Mildred Hudson, \$1.00.

"Happy Valley," Anne Shannon Mon-

"From West to the West," Abigail Scott Duniway, \$1.25. "Anna and David Matson," Abigail Scott Duniway, \$1.00.

From an Oregon Ranch," Katherine, \$1.00. 'Charm of Fine Manners," Mrs.

Helen Starrett, 75c. "Past, Present and Future, His Plan," Mrs. Hood, 15c.

## Pretty New Silk Dresses

Priced Only

-New Spring dresses that have just come in! Pretty styles for afternoon and street wear. The materials are

TAFFETA, GEORGETTE, CREPE DE CHINE, SERGE

Some have dainty touches of silk embroidery, others are in combination of two or more materials. The colors are the most pleasing shades of Copen, tan, gray, black and navy. In all sizes for misses and women; moderately priced at \$17.50.

-Apparel Shop, 4th Floor



## 35c-40c Stamped | New Spring Styles Guest Towels 29c

—A large assortment of useful little guest towels. All are stamped to embroider in dainty designs. Some have hem-stitched ends, while others are scalloped.

\$1.25 PILLOW CASES 98¢ -Completely made pillow cases, stamped to embroider in attractive designs. All are made of best Sea Island cotton cambric.

65c STAMPED GOWNS AT 39¢ -An immense assortment of gowns of soft finished longcloth, completely made and stamped to embroider in pretty designs.

500 PIECES STAMPED GOODS HALF Stamped art goods of every sort-scarfs, children's dresses, women's underwear, etc All stamped to embroider on good materials. Regularly 50c to \$2.50-at HALF. -Art Needlework Shop, Second Floor



-are just different enough from the styles in vogue during the Winter to require a new corset, designed and made on new Spring lines. Our assortment of new

> \* REDFERN CORSETS

is now complete. There are lovely models for every figure-for the young, slender figure, for the young stout figure and for the more matronly type. All are built on natural, comfortable lines—yet so designed as to give the utmost in

New Redferns \$3 Upwards. DEMONSTRATION NOW BY EXPERT REDFERN CORSETIERE -Corset Shop, Third Floor

## 10,000 Yards 17c Outing Flannel

# Tuesday Yd. 121/2c

-One of the largest mills in the Eastthrough a very fortunate and special arrangement-has given us all its short lengths of good outing flannels at a low price. Every piece of this material is in perfect condition and lengths range from 2 to 10 yards. Light and medium shades-some solid and others in stripes of pink and blue with white. Materials a full yard wide-just the right weight

for gowns, pajamas and underwear. -On sale Tuesday only at the extremely low price of, yard 121/2c.

-Second Floor, Fifth Street

## 35cRaylawn Paper 27c

-The popular "Raylawn" pound linen paper, 90 sheets to the box. On special sale Tuesday at, box 27c.

15c Envelopes to match, pkg. 10c -Stationery Shop, Main Floor

## Two-Pound Roll Royal Banquet Butter at 85c

-Made fresh daily in our own sanitary churn. Rolled Oats, pure and fresh, one of the best brands, fresh shipment, 9-lb. sacks, 45¢. Shelled Pop Corn, fine, dry, 2-year-old stock, guaranteed to pop, 4 lbs., 25¢.

Walnut Meats, guaranteed new crop, lb., 50¢. Tetley's Green Label Tea, one of the best, 14-lb.

Cross & Blackwell's Chow Chow, genuine imported; quart bottles, 65¢; pint bottles, 35¢. Hawaiian Sliced Pineapple, Griffon brand, thick slices; dozen, \$2.10; large cans, 19¢. California Yellow Cling Peaches, Griffon, new pack, finest quality; doz., \$2.10; large cans, 19¢.

-Ninth Floor, Fifth Street.

Roberg-Recovery Will Be Assured After Thursday.

Though he is fully conscious and rational, it is only by the exercise of a strong and determined will that Frank Powers, now undergoing the Pasteur treatment for hydrophobia in St. Vincent's Hospital, is able to re-strain the recurrent impulse to bite and snap, at any object within his

Mrs. Minnie Higgins, in the Circuit Court of Multnomah County, asserting married life was not all he had thought it.

"She was my wife in name only," complains Mr. Higgins, and goes further to assert that his wife told him directly after marriage that she had married him only to get some money and new clothes, that she did not love him and never had loved him, and was going to leave him to go to Chicago.

"She says she is now making a hit with the boys because she has some new clothes," says Mr. Higgins in conclusion.

"She was my wife in name only," the patient talks freely concerning fury yesterday on two counts of larging to fice the payment of the unreasoning whimms of animal savanther to assert that his wife told him and never had loved him, and was going to leave him to go to Chicago.

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"I will not say that the point of safety has yet been reached, however," and the property is safety has yet been reached, however, was indicted by the grand fury yesterday on two counts of larcher, who is administering the treatment, and has described the unreasoning whimms of animal savanther to she the payment of the building for t

next Thursday without another attack his recovery will be assured." The complete course of treatment requires

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### THEFT OF TAXES CHARGED

William G. Seckendorf Indicted for Appropriating Checks.

William G. Seckendorf, manager of streets, was indicted by the grand

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A protest signed by more than 100 esidents of the Heights Terrace disresidents of the Heights Terrace district asking for the removal of a colony of unsightly tenthouses in their district will be considered by the City Council at a meeting this morning.

The tenthouses have been the cause of a long fight by the Heights Terrace residents, who contend that the tents not only are unsightly, but they should not be permitted in a district built up with attractive homes. They contend that the tents have resulted in deferment of plans for construction of a

### ment of plans for construction of a number of new homes in the district. RAILROAD OFFERS LAND

Employes to Have First Pick of Garden Sites on Right of Way.

### WHITE BRIEFS CALLED FOR District Attorney to Investigate Attack on Adjutant-General.

District Attorney Evans yesterday called for briefs from Attorneys John
F. Logan and Jay Bowerman, representing Adjutant - General George
White, and Attorney Frank Collier, representing George T. Willett, in the matter of quo warranto proceedings to oust General White from his office.

Mr. Evans has refused to bring the action in the Circuit Court for the The property consisted of real extent.

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The company has offered free use of its right of way and ail unoccupied property to employes who want to use it to grow vegetables and other arti-

TENT PROTEST DUE TODAY

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### MEISTER ESTATE \$65,000

Widow of Slain Man Is Named as Administratrix.

An estate valued at \$65,000 was left by Henry Meister, who was shot and

action in the Circuit Court for the state on the relation of Mr. Willett without adequate assurance that those seeking to depose General White had grounds for their attack.

\$45,000 bond.

The property consisted of real estate of the value of \$50,000, from which there is an annual income of \$7000, and personal property and life insurance of the value of \$15,000.



Golden West Coffee