

JURY FINDS DEALER GUILTY AS "FENCE"

Alex Goldstein Offers No Defense.

CASE RESTS ON APPEAL

Verdict Returned in Less Than Five Minutes; Confessed Thieves on Stand.

After deliberating less than five minutes, a jury in the court of Circuit Judge Belt yesterday found Alex Goldstein, second-hand dealer, 28 1/2 North Third street, guilty of receiving stolen property, or, in criminal parlance, of being a "fence." No testimony was put on by the defense, the attorneys for Goldstein relying on an appeal to the supreme court on a technicality argued before Presiding Judge McCourt Monday and decided adversely to their interests.

The specific crime charged against Goldstein was that of receiving 12 suits of clothes, four overcoats and several pairs of shoes stolen from A. C. Peel, 101 East Sixteenth street, for which the confessed thieves testified that they were paid \$40 by Goldstein.

Alex Goldstein, with his brother, Harry Goldstein, his brother-in-law, Nathan Karl, and father-in-law, William Jacobson, all owners of north-end second-hand stores, were indicted by the grand jury the last day of April. When trial of Alex Goldstein was called on the first court day of June, the attorneys for the defense asked Presiding Judge McCourt to dismiss the indictment on the ground that the law requires a case to be tried in the term of court following the one in which the indictment was returned, which would have been May. Judge McCourt ruled that the law had not so been interpreted by recent supreme court decisions and appeal was taken.

Case Rests on Appeal.
To maintain the standing of their appeal, Attorneys Morris A. Goldstein and Dan Powers asserted that they would offer no evidence at the trial and would not argue the case. They did, however, cross-examine witnesses of the prosecution.

Testimony for the state sped to a rapid close yesterday morning. Eugene Kelly, "pal" of Harry Goldstein, substantiated all the statements Gardner had made on the witness stand the day before concerning dealings with the alleged "fence," Alex Goldstein, but the name of Harry Goldstein was not mentioned. Kelly insisted that he had a working agreement with Goldstein by which stolen goods were to be taken in and the thieves protected.

Though named in a separate indictment, Nathan Karl was connected with the receiving of stolen property in the case at trial by testimony of police detectives. Inspector Phillips identified jewelry which Kelly and Gardner had admitted stealing from Harley Morton, jeweler, and disposing of to Goldstein, as seized in the shop of Nathan Karl, 27 North Third street.

Inspector Identifies Shoes.
Inspector Goits asserted that the shoes in evidence as stolen from the store of J. H. Barrett at Hillside and sold to Goldstein were found by detectives in Karl's store. He further said that after the arrest Karl, in the presence of Alex Goldstein, said that Goldstein had brought him the property in question, but that Goldstein refused to comment on the matter until he had consulted his lawyer.

Though a strong fight was made by Earl F. Bernard, deputy district attorney, to get in evidence that Goldstein had failed to make a report of the stolen property purchased, as required by city ordinance, Judge Belt refused to allow it in.

Case Against Brother Dismissed.
On motion of attorneys for the defense the case was dismissed as to Harry Goldstein, brother of Alex Goldstein, no evidence having been produced to sustain the charge.

CHILD IS GIVEN MOTHER
Stepmother of Ernest Dowler Gives Up Charges in Fight.

Abandonment by Mrs. Cora Dowler, stepmother of 7-year-old Ernest Dowler, of the charges that Mrs. Ethel Monahan, maternal mother of the boy, was not a fit person to have his custody, resulted in a modification of the divorce decree of Mrs. Monahan from her former husband, Oscar Dowler, yesterday, whereby the permanent care of the child was given to his mother.

This ended a fight between foster parent and real parent following the death of the father in a lumber camp recently. Immediately after the death of her former husband Mrs. Monahan petitioned the circuit court to allow her the child, which originally had been awarded the father. To prevent the carrying out of any court order Mrs. Dowler, stepmother, kidnapped the lad, it was charged, taking him into the state of Washington, out of jurisdiction of Oregon courts.

Mrs. Dowler later returned to Oregon voluntarily with the boy and prepared to fight out the case before Presiding Circuit Judge McCourt.

Boys Seemingly Scholastic Superiors of Girls.

Statistics of Jefferson High School Graduating Class Shows Average Age of Boys Younger Than Girls.

ARE boys better students than girls? Though it does not necessarily follow, a statistical summary of the graduating class of June, 1920, at the Jefferson high school, prepared by Principal Hopkins Jenkins, shows that the average age of the boy graduate is 17 years, 6 months and 17 days, and that of the average girl graduate, 18 years, 2 months and 11 days. In the race for the youngest graduate the two sexes are very close, the youngest boy being E. Emmet McCaffery, 16 years, 1 month, 20 days, and the youngest girl, Thelma Hill, 16 years, 3 months, 20 days.

Yet the girls hold the lead in the number of honorary graduates, there being 28 girls holding the distinction and only 17 boys—but the number of girl graduates is 107 compared with 74 boys. Four boys and four girls completed the course in three years. Although tied for that honor, the boys, in spite of lesser numbers, lead the girls by 17 to 14 in the number completing the four-year course in three and one-half years. Engineering is the favorite line the

boys expect to follow, 12 preferring that work to some showing preference for law, next in the list. Girls prefer teaching and stenography, the number teaching to be teachers being 25, those hoping to be stenographers, 21. One of the boys shows a preference for undertaking as a future business.

Of the 181 students, 120 expect to complete their education at universities, theological and business schools.

During the past year, the boys have been the heaviest money-makers in addition to their school work. A total of \$68,537 was earned by 67 boys, the average being \$1,022.35. The largest amount earned was by Stanford Harley Anderson, \$3000. Clerking and shipyard work drew an equal number of recruits—21 each—with paper carriers next with 19.

The girls, of whom 62 worked, earned \$14,881, an average of \$239.15. Office work was the heavy favorite, with housework and clerical work second. Twelve each engaged in the latter two occupations, 25 in the first. There were 18 girls who made their own graduation dresses.

Of all the various school activities, the athletic association had the largest enrollment among the graduates, with 48 boys and 28 girls.

VETERAN'S FUNERAL TODAY

SERVICES TO BE HELD FOR SOLDIER DYING OVERSEAS.

Sergeant Jerome E. Woodson of Portland to Be Laid to Rest in Mount Scott Cemetery.

The funeral of Sergeant Jerome E. Woodson, Portland boy who died at a rest camp in Winchester, England, will be held today at 2 o'clock and the body will be interred with military honors in the American Legion plot in the Mount Scott cemetery. The body is the first of the Portland dead to be brought back from overseas for interment here.

Sergeant Woodson died while recuperating from a wound believed to have been received in the Argonne offensive. He suffered an attack of influenza followed by pneumonia. He was 29 years of age.

He was a member of Company E, 162d Infantry, and it was with that organization that he went overseas. He had previously been with the 3d Oregon for three years, making the trip to the border with that organization.

He lived with his mother in Portland and was employed as elevator operator at the Meier & Frank store and at the Benson hotel.

The boy's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Harrison, now a resident of Caldwell, Idaho, is in Portland and is staying at the Treves hotel.

He is also survived by a brother, Parker S. Woodson, and an uncle, E. W. Hurst, both of Grand Island, Neb.

COMMISSION TO BE SUED

Polk County Citizens to Seek Change in Road Routes.

SALEM, Or., June 8.—(Special).—Two legal actions, one of which will be in the nature of mandamus proceedings to compel the state highway commission to construct the west-side Pacific highway as it was originally located by the state legislature, and the other to enjoin the commission from constructing the road on the route adopted by the highway department, will be filed within the next few days, according to John W. Kaste, Portland, who was here today preparing the necessary legal papers.

Both cases will be brought by citizens of Polk county and are interested in the building of the highway as originally located.

An injunction suit will also be filed against the commission in the Polk county circuit court.

Oregon City Jury Called.

OREGON CITY, June 7.—(Special).—On request of District Attorney Hedges the grand jury has been called to convene Friday, June 11. The most important matter to come up at that time is the case of Theroux brothers, who are charged with arson.

Lift off Corns!

Doesn't hurt a bit and Freezone costs only a few cents.



With your fingers! You can lift off any hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the hard skin callus from the bottom of feet. A tiny bottle of "Freezone" costs little at any drug store; apply a few drops upon the corn or callus. Instantly it stops hurting, then shortly you lift that bothersome corn or callus right off, root and all, without one bit of pain or soreness. Truly, No humbug!—Adv.

S. & H. Stamps Given on Charge Accounts if Paid in Full by 10th of Each Month

JUNE WHITE DAYS!—JUNE DISCOUNT SALES!

Notable Savings on Seasonable Merchandise of Dependable Quality—Reductions in Many Instances Ranging From 40 to 50%. Take Advantage!

Glenwood Butter
2 lbs. \$1.15

Model Grocery, Fourth Floor—No delivery of butter except with other purchases made in the Grocery Department. Place your order early in the day. \$1.15 Glenwood Butter 2 pounds for

The Standard Store of the Northwest

Olds, Wortman & King

Reliable Merchandise—Reliable Methods

Electric Cleaner Campaign

—1000 extra Trading Stamps will be given with every Hoover or Sweeper-Vac Cleaner sold from June 6 to 20th. Ask for a free demonstration in your own home.—Department on the Third Floor.

The Basement's Greatest Sale of Women's Dresses



Basement

\$13.95

Basement

500 Dresses to Be Closed Out at a Sacrifice Price!

—By all odds the most important sale of Women's Dresses ever announced by the Basement Underprice Store! Over 500 garments are involved and there isn't a one of them but what is worth much more than the sale price. Were we to buy them today we could not sell them under \$22.50 to \$25.00. This season's most attractive styles for street and business wear, trimmed with braids, buttons, embroidery, etc. Made up in Wool Serge and Wool Jersey in the most desirable colors. The woman who has need for a new dress will find these extraordinary values. All sizes from 36 up to 42 in the sale. Priced special in the Basement Underprice Store Sale at only \$13.95

Wash Dresses
At \$3.95

Basement—Dainty Wash Dresses priced for quick clearance. Many attractive styles suitable for street wear. Made up in Fancy Voiles and Plaid Gingham in all the newest colorings. The material alone is \$3.95 these dresses worth more than the sale price

Georgette Waists
At \$2.98

Basement—About 200 Waists in this offering. Made in Georgette Crepe of splendid quality in white and many wanted colors. Some are beaded and embroidered—others are trimmed with tucks and laces. \$2.98 Broken lines, formerly \$3.50 to \$4.50; now



DOLLAR DAY

In the Basement

—All Items in This Space Will Be on Sale for One Day Only—No Telephone or Mail Orders Accepted

—MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS of good quality white cambric. 18-inch size and the body will be interred with military honors in the American Legion plot in the Mount Scott cemetery. The body is the first of the Portland dead to be brought back from overseas for interment here.

—WOMEN'S House Dresses—an odd lot, priced for quick selling. Good styles and materials. Priced in Basement Underprice Store; at \$1

—CREPE TOILET PAPER of good quality. Limit 20 rolls to a customer. No telephone or mail orders accepted—20 rolls for \$1.00

—BLEACHED MUSLIN of fine soft finish. 36 inches wide. Limited quantity. No telephone orders accepted. Special, 4 yards for \$1

—MEN'S SUSPENDERS offered for one day at a special low price. Good heavy web with leather ends. \$1 Regular 65c grade; 2 pairs for \$1

—HUCK TOWELING of excellent quality. Full bleached and 18 inches wide. Buy all you want—while it lasts—today, 4 yards for only \$1

—TOILET PAPER put up 1000 sheets to the roll. Excellent grade tissue. Limit 10 rolls to customer. \$1.00 No phone orders; 10 rolls

—COTTON TOWELS, size 13 1/2 x 27 inches. Red borders. Very desirable for hotel and rooming-house use. \$1 Priced very special, 7 Towels for \$1

—PILLOW CASES, made of heavy round thread sheeting. Size 45x36 inches. On special sale today. \$1 in the Basement Store—2 for \$1

—MEN'S UNDERWEAR—Shirts and Drawers of good light weight cotton. White and ecru. Specially priced \$1 for today's selling at, 2 for \$1

—LONGCLOTH of fine soft finish for lingerie; infants' needs. Full 36 inches wide. Specially priced \$1 for today's selling—4 yards for \$1

—WOMEN'S VESTS in sleeveless style with V-shape neck. Pure white ribbed cotton. Large sizes only. \$1 Basement Sale special, 3 for \$1

—WOMEN'S CAMISOLES of excellent quality wash silk. Pretty styles, trimmed with laces and ribbons. \$1 Full range of sizes. Special at \$1

—BOYS' BLOUSES of striped and checked percale in good colors. This is an odd lot made up of broken lines. Sizes 6 to 8—3 for only \$1

—TABLE NAPKINS, size 17x17 inches. Plain hemmed. Very desirable for restaurant or every-day use in the home. On sale; dozen

Sale of Notions and Small Wares

—Bargain Circle, Main Floor

—Ribbon Wire—white or black. 4c 3 yards to the piece; special at 3c
—Carnation Curlers, brown, black 4c
—Net Shopping Bags, 35c grade 23c
—Twilled Tape, 24-yard pieces at 25c
—Dress Weights by the yard in black and white. Regular 20c quality at 10c
—Shoe Laces—30-inch length for Oxfords. Brown, chocolate, tan, black 7c

—Whisk Brooms in any style 39c or size. On special sale today

Bathing Caps, 2 for 25c
Bargain Circle, First Floor—A small lot of 1919 styles in Bathing Caps go out for quick sale at a fraction of former prices. Various colors \$25c in the assortment—2 for only 25c

7638 Yards of Summer Wash Goods

In a Great Basement Sale

28c

37c



Basement—You will never have a better opportunity to buy the material for your new Dress, therefore lay in a good supply for the season. Were we to sell these fabrics at a fair margin of profit based on today's cost we would be compelled to price them at 45c to 50c a yard. Fortunately we placed our orders over a year ago and as a consequence are able to quote low prices on materials most in demand for summer wearables.

At 28c Yard

Basement—3426 yards of Fancy Figured Voiles and Batistes—beautiful sheer fabrics in light grounds with 28c dainty patterns—yard

At 37c Yard

Basement—4212 yards of Figured Batistes in many attractive patterns. Also Batistes in plain colors and dots. 37c Extraordinary values at

All Untrimmed Hats

HALF PRICE

Basement Millinery—Another Great Half-Price Sale of Women's and Misses' Untrimmed Hats for today in the Basement Store. Hundreds to select from. The season's newest and best styles, braids and colorings. An especially good showing of large hats for beach wear—at HALF PRICE.

—\$6.69 Untrimmed Hats, Special \$3.35
—\$5.69 Untrimmed Hats, Special \$2.85
—\$4.69 Untrimmed Hats, Special \$2.35
—\$3.69 Untrimmed Hats, Special \$1.85
—\$2.69 Untrimmed Hats, Special \$1.35
Hat Trimming Flowers and Foliage at 49c

Remnant Sale

1/2 Price

—Several hundred short lengths and remnants of Drapery Materials on sale at 1/2 price. Here is a good chance to buy curtains for the beach cottage or summer home at a big saving. Early choosing gives you a larger assortment.—SHOP EARLY!

Lawn Mowers

At \$6.75

Basement—12-inch Lawn Mowers with brass bushing. Well made—knives easily adjusted. \$6.75 Limited number on sale at

—16-inch Ball-bearing Lawn Mowers with 4 cutting blades. Made of best materials. Easily adjusted. \$9.75 Priced very special at

—Headquarters for Garden Hose, Screen Doors, Window Screens, etc.

Get Your Stamps!

56-Inch Navy Serge

\$3.45

Basement—Extra special offering for today. 56-inch Wool Serge; splendid quality for suits, skirts and dresses. Sponged and shrunk. Specially priced at—the yard \$3.45

Wool Checks

At \$2.75

Basement—All-Wool Shepherd Checks in the wanted sizes for suits, coats and skirts. 42 inches wide. Sponged and shrunk. Don't fail to take advantage of this offer. Specially priced at—the yard \$2.75

Sale of Vacation Needs in Dishes And Cooking Utensils

—The Basement Housewares Store will place on sale today a large quantity of slightly damaged Dishes and Enamelled Ware at greatly reduced prices. People having cottages at the beach or summer homes should take advantage of this sale, for the articles offered are just what is needed. No telephone orders accepted. SHOP EARLY IN THE DAY FOR BEST CHOICE.

Dishes
—In the Sale there are Cups with and without handles—Sauces, Fruit Dishes, Vegetable Dishes, Creamers, Sugars, Bowls, Plates, Platters, Soup Dishes, Covered Dishes, etc.

Enamelled Ware Specials

—4-qt. Covered Enamelled Sauce Pans, priced at only 78c
—4-qt. Coffee Pots specially priced for this sale at; each 75c
—12-inch Enamelled Wash Basins on sale today; only 39c
—1 1/2-qt. Double Boilers, priced 79c
—5-qt. Tea Kettles, special \$1.00
—6-qt. Tea Kettles, special \$1.25

Tea Cups at 15c
—Plain White

—Made with good strong handles. Buy a dozen of these for the beach cottage. Specially priced 15c for today's selling at; each

Dinner Sets
—2 Specials
—27-Piece Dinner Sets for the beach; special at \$4.48
—34-Piece Dinner Sets, neat patterns; special at \$5.98
—These are sold as "Seconds."