

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

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BENEVOLENT YULETIDE CHEER BROUGHT TO POOR FAMILY

Mother Is Grateful for Wood Supply, Dinner of Goose and Period of Free Rent. BY ADDISON BENNETT. ANDERING around among the tenement houses in one of the poorer portions of the city on one of the late cold afternoons I saw two boys, perhaps about 10 or 12 years of age, carrying in some wood, which a woodsway was there sawing into stove lengths. The boys seemed to be very happy, very busy and their every step was a trot. I stopped for a time and watched them, for their actions appealed to me. They soon the sawyers finished with the cord, folded up their saw, started their little flivver and were moving out of the block, evidently the mother of the boys, appeared and hailed the men in the moving machine and asked, "How much do we owe you?"

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LABORER IS SUICIDE—Eric Anderson, a laborer, 65 years old, committed suicide in his room at the Hart hotel, 205 1/2 Burnside street, some time yesterday. The body was found shortly after noon and was turned over to the coroner. As far as is known he had no relatives in this part of the country. There will be no inquest.

RULING ON TERMINAL ASKED—Formal application was made to the city council yesterday by Fletcher & James, automobile accessory dealers at Sixth and Pine streets, for a city ruling on their right to construct an auto bus terminal in their quarters. Requests had come from various sources, the letter said, to establish suitable terminal facilities for the bus which did not care to enter the new bus terminal on Park street. The letter will go before the council next Wednesday and probably will be referred to the special traffic committee under Commissioner Barbur. The location is within a district which was declared in former investigation to be too near the congested section.

IMPROVEMENT COST ESTIMATED—The total cost of the improvement of Pacific street, from the west line of East Fifty-second street to the west line of 10th block 2, LaSalle is placed at \$1,291,552, and property owners within the assessment district have been notified that the assessment has been apportioned and is now subject to examination. Such objections must be filed by January 11 and a hearing before the city council.

USERS OF WOOD CONTAINERS FINED—Ashes in wooden containers and rubbish about the premises when inspected by the fire marshal yesterday, called led to a \$40 municipal court fine for the Oregon Bag & Sulfate Manufacturing company, 153 Grand street, yesterday. The case is as a warning to people throughout the city to use nothing but metal containers for ashes, according to Fire Marshal Green.

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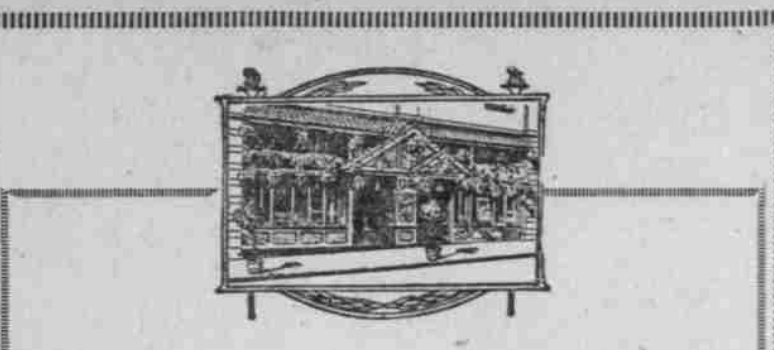
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