MAN SHOT IN ROW IN NOODLE HOUSE

Stewart Johnson, Anyox, B. C., Seriously Injured.

WOMAN'S FRIEND JAILED

J. F. Roy, Assistant to Sheriff of Clackamas County, Confesses Firing During Brawl.

During a disorderly brawl in the Chinese restaurant Nom Kin Low, Fourth and Everett streets, last night, Stewart Johnson, 23, of Anyox, B. C., was shot through the stomach, probably fatally. J. F. Roy was arrested and accused of the shooting. He was identified by a woman who said she saw the shooting and who also said she was Roy's companion at the time. Roy is an assistant to Sheriff Wilson of Clackamas county. He also has been working for the federal prohibition agents.

The woman in the case is Mrs. C. E. Price of the Cecil apartments, Ninth and Davis streets. According to her story, she met Roy earlier in the evening and together they went to the Chinese restaurant for noodles, taking a table in a private booth.

Johnson Apparently Drunk.

While they were eating, Johnson came into the booth, apparently drunk, and acting in a disorderly manner. He shouted something about being tough, as tough as the next man, and threatened to hit Roy, she said. Mrs. Price said that Roy drew his revolver and shot the man at close range.

Other occupants of the restaurant said that Roy ran down the back steps. Lee Fung, a Chinaman living on the ground floor of the building, and several other Chinamen gave chase, having heard the shot. Fung said he followed Roy as far as the customs house.

Robert Neugebaur, deputy sheriff, called the police station from the customs house and reported that a man supposed to have done the shooting was there. Policemen Reno, Forken and Rinehart went to the office and put Roy under arrest.

Roy Is Identified.

He was taken first to the restaurant where the shooting occurred. There Mrs. Price identified him as the man she was with, and told detectives that she saw him shoot.

At police headquarters Roy later confessed to Lieutenant Thatcher and Inspector Tackaberry. He had no revolver on his person when caught, but showed the police where he had tossed the revolver in a doorway during his flight.

Roy said he had tried to get away from Johnson. He told detectives that Johnson had come into the booth without knowing either him or the woman with him, and had started using abusive language. He also said that Johnson attempted to hit him with a pitcher.

Johnson was hurried to St. Vincent's hospital, where surgeons began probing for the bullet. Late reports were to the effect that his condition was serious and that there was very little chance for his recovery.

INJUNCTIONS ARE ISSUED

Irvington Park Residents Will Settle Fate of Litigation.

Final disposition of several injunctions which were filed recently against prospective builders in the Irvington Park district, preventing them from continuing construction work on several small residences, will be made tonight. The Irvington Park Welfare league, which filed the injunctions, will hold a meeting at the Kennedy school for the purpose of disposing of the injunctions and discussing city health and sanitary restrictions for buildings.

Members of the organization are opposing the building of several small residences in the district, which they contend are not being constructed in accordance with the sanitation ordinances of the city and which are not up to building requirements.

Obituary.

Marcina Balsam.

Miss Marcina Balsam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Balsam of 403 Hancock street, died Sunday morning. She had been suffering from the effects of a severe nervous breakdown but her condition was regarded as not critical. Miss Balsam, whose mother was an Oregon pioneer, was 25 years old and formerly attended Jefferson high school. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Finley undertaking establishment. Final rites will be at the Portland crematorium.

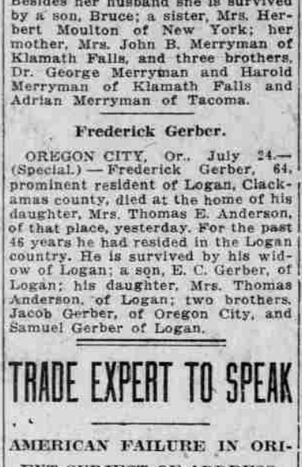
Mrs. Ethel M. Bailey.

Funeral services were held last Wednesday for Mrs. Ethel M. Bailey, wife of Dr. A. B. Bailey, who died at her home, 170 Vista avenue, on July 17. Final rites were at Hillsboro. Mrs. Bailey was a graduate of Pacific university and of Snell Seminary, Oakland, Cal. She was an accomplished musician.

Mrs. Bailey was married to Dr. Bailey 25 years ago at Hillsboro, and for the last ten years had made her home in Portland. She took an active part in social affairs, and was a member of the McDowell club and the Thursday Morning Art club. Besides her husband she is survived by a son, Bruce; a sister, Mrs. Herbert Moulton of New York; her mother, Mrs. John B. Merryman of Klamath Falls, and three brothers, Dr. George Merryman and Harold Merryman of Klamath Falls and Adrian Merryman of Tacoma.

Frederick Gerber.

OREGON CITY, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—Frederick Gerber, 64, prominent resident of Logan, Clackamas county, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Thomas E. Anderson, of that place, yesterday. For the past 46 years he had resided in the Logan country. He is survived by his widow of Logan; a son, E. C. Gerber, of Logan; his daughter, Mrs. Thomas Anderson, of Logan; two brothers, Jacob Gerber, of Oregon City, and Samuel Gerber of Logan.



Edwin J. Dingle, who is in city from Shanghai.

TRADE EXPERT TO SPEAK

AMERICAN FAILURE IN ORIENT SUBJECT OF ADDRESS.

Leading Authority on Far Eastern Commercial Conditions Comes to Enlighten Business Men.

Occidental ignorance of the orient, especially the western business man's conception of the business methods of the people of the far east, is the principal factor that works against American success in China, says Edwin J. Dingle, geographer and publisher, recognized as one of the world's leading authorities on oriental trade conditions. Mr. Dingle, who is in Portland for a brief business visit, will address the foreign commerce club tonight at the Chamber of Commerce.

The occidental, particularly the American, with his conceit, his "pep" and his business systems, falls in the orient usually because he does not understand the character of the people, Mr. Dingle declares.

"The ignorance of things oriental among business men is merely intensified by the interest they pretend to show in the far east," said Mr. Dingle. "To one who has traveled widely and lived close to oriental peoples for more than 20 years this ignorance may appeal much more than it might to others."

Mr Dingle in his address tonight will touch upon the various phases of trade with the orient, particularly that which affects the Pacific coast. The meeting will be open to all persons who are interested.

ROAD MEETING TODAY

Boosters for Mount Hood Loop Are Asked to Attend.

In the hope that the county commissioners will be made to see the importance of appropriating county funds for the further improvement of the Mount Hood loop road between the county line and Zig Zag, proponents of the work ask that persons interested attend a meeting of the state highway commission and the county commissioners today at 1:30 in room 520 courthouse.

The state already has graded the piece of road in question and it is felt that the county should cooperate to the extent of placing rock upon the grade, or the state money expended in the improvement will be wasted, it was said.

TAX LIFT UP TO VOTERS

Income of Clackamas School District Inadequate.

A meeting of the taxpayers of school district No. 1 of Clackamas county will be held at the high school in Milwaukie Monday afternoon, July 31, for the purpose of voting on a special district tax proposed to meet additional expenditures for the coming school year. A budget recently prepared for the year shows an estimated expenditure for the maintenance of the schools in the district of $39,101, while the income of the district at present is $20,581.

The budget does not include any new improvements or buildings but covers running expenses alone. It is proposed to levy a special tax to raise the additional $18,520 needed.

72 Auto Drivers Arrested.

The first step in a campaign to clean up the city of traffic violators was taken last night when four motorcycle officers, Smythe, Kelly, Shaylor and Gladwin, arrested 72 drivers for all kinds of offenses from no tail lights to speeding. This is more than three times the average night's work. Each of the patrolmen took a different part of the city, and arrested every violator they saw. The campaign will be continued, the officers said, until automobile drivers begin to fake notice of regulations.

Pair Caught Stealing Auto.

Special Patrolman Craig, unarmed, last night arrested Lee Bradley and C. B. Brown, two young men, at Twenty-fourth and Kearney streets just as they were in the act of making off with an automobile belonging to Thomas Abramson. On one man was found a .45 caliber army type pistol, fully loaded. The other carried a bundle which contained a blackjack and a small burglar's jimmy. Both were locked up, charged with carrying concealed weapons.

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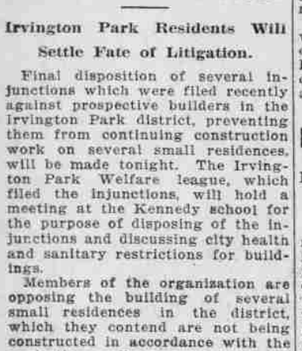

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PORTLAND'S CINEMA ART CLUB EXTINCT

Life Is Snuffed Out by Unfeeling Constable.

UPLIFT CHIEF IS MISSING

Photographer of Women in "Altogether" Among Those Absent When End Comes.

The Cinema Art club of Portland is no more. A materialistic constable, armed with a writ of attachment, closed the doors of Portland's struggling center of art cinematographic yesterday afternoon. A meeting of somewhat outraged members put the coup de grace to the organization later in the evening by voting that the club be disbanded.

Helis de Valiere, photographer, artist and leading spirit in the club, who had been its president, solicitor and fee collector since its inception, was absent when the constable called. Mr. De Valiere was also conspicuous by his absence at the meeting—a meeting that had been called for the sole purpose of inquiring into certain artistic tendencies of the president, such as taking photographs of women in the "altogether."

Mr. De Valiere is in the city, his supporters, a pair of young men of south European origin, explained, but some temperamental reason prevented his appearance. His opponent, a middle-aged Anglo-Saxon, claimed that it was not temperament, but the fact that the artist-photographer-president was afraid to face the music and the charges which were waiting for him.

Debts Hasten Dissolution.

The art club died a painless death. The mortal thrust was delivered at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon by the materialistic constable. Three hours later it passed away without a struggle, without its father, Mr. De Valiere, at its figurative bedside.

The attachment was brought about by debts which De Valiere had contracted in the name of the organization. For several days it was known that creditors were preparing to invoke the law.

When the constable called at the center of culture yesterday it was a queer group that faced him. Three club members and Miss Martha Randall, head of the women's protective division of the police bureau, were present. Miss Randall had been called into the case by the member who objected to Mr. de Valiere's photographic tendencies.

Miss Randall Interested.

After the writ of attachment had been pasted up and the clubbers were rendered homeless it was the policewoman who volunteered assistance. She offered them the use of her offices, located on the floor above the club rooms in the Worcester building. Charity alone did not prompt her action, as the photographic activities of de Valiere had come to the official attention of Miss Randall and a file in the records of the division was being filled with various complaints that had been received there. Miss Randall was only too willing to hear more of the work of the club.

The death-bed scene of the Cinema Art club took place in the headquarters of the policewomen. Some 20 members attended. Several telephone calls were placed in the attempt to locate the president. These being unsuccessful, the club settled down, heard the charges of photography in the nude, decided to disregard them and disband. Without a murmur, without a protest, the Cinema Art club expired.

Holis de Valiere, the missing president of the dead club, had blazed, for about six months, like a comet in Portland's art, cinema and theatrical firmament. He founded the club. He solicited the memberships. He collected the fees. No books were kept, no articles of incorporation filed. The club was to be the center of an uplift movement in local filmdom, a sort of screen Olympus.

Recent Party Recalled.

But a party, an elaborate banquet and entertainment, given at the Multnomah several weeks ago started the club to its death. Performers had been secured, tickets sold and distributed and the ballroom made ready for the guests, when it was discovered that Mr. de Valiere was missing. The members and their friends carried out the programme, then somebody charged that De Valiere had run away. The following day he appeared, denied his disappearance and claimed that the club was being assailed by malicious gossipers.

This affair brought it to the attention of the better business bureau of the Ad club. An informal investigation, the details of which have been thoroughly aired, followed. Then came last night's action and the final curtain.

The members say that they will form a new club.

"But De Valiere won't be in it," the determined Englishman declared.

SHOP WORKERS UNITE

Organization of Association in Albina Shops Begun.

An association of shop workers doing the work at the Albina shops of the O.-W. R. & N. company during the strike of regular employes is in process of formation. Through it the workers will have representation in dealings or negotiations with the railroad officials.

It was said yesterday that a majority of the 590 workers now employed at the shops had joined the association. Balloting for officers is in progress. At the Southern Pacific shops in Brooklyn a similar association is to be formed as soon as the necessary preliminaries have been completed.

B. M. Jewell, head of the striking brotherhoods, yesterday sent to local strike leaders the following message: "The railroads are now desperately struggling to settle the strike and at the same time save their faces. We are riding in the driver's seat and see no reason for a change of programme."

EIGHT SPEEDERS FINED

Endeavor to Get Visitors to Train Excuse That Helps Driver.

T. Uchida, Japanese, who drove a truck into a ditch along the Base Line road Sunday, was arraigned before District Judge Deich yesterday on a charge of driving an automobile while intoxicated, and his trial was set for Wednesday.

H. E. Coleman admitted an excessive rate of speed when haled before Judge Deich, but offered as an excuse the plea that he was endeavoring to get a party of easterners who had been out on the Columbia River highway back to Portland in time to make their train. He was fined only $5.

Other speed fines were: R. A. Brown, $10; Joe Czerny, $10; D. S. Bain, $5; J. Cunningham, $10; R. T. White, $15; W. D. Lockhart, $5, and H. W. Peterson $5.

C. E. Doolittle was fined $2 for not displaying a tail light and R. Kivisto $5 for parking on the interstate bridge fill.

CITY OF MILLION SEEN

GREAT GROWTH BY 1937 IS PREDICTED.

Estimates Are Made by Experts of Northwestern Electric Company's Staff.

Portland will have a population of 1,000,000 in 1937, according to estimates of engineers of the Northwestern Electric company, who have based their conclusions on plottings of future growth made after a comprehensive and detailed study of the expansion of public utility companies in the local field during a given period of years.

"And the estimates of our experts," said L. T. Merwin, general manager of the Northwestern Electric company, "are corroborated by those of engineers in the employ of the telephone company and other public utilities."

Mr. Merwin made the foregoing statement at a meeting of Northwestern Electric stock salesmen, following his return from a trip to California last week, where he conferred with Herbert Fleishhacker in regard to proposed future development projects of the corporation in the Columbia basin.

"Northwestern Electric will continue to grow at the same rapid pace it has set in the past four years," continued Mr. Merwin, "and it is the confident expectation of company officials that our operations will have at least doubled before the end of the next five years. While millions of dollars must and will be spent by our company, as well as other utility concerns in this territory within the next few years, I look for closer co-operation between large public service purveyors and the conservation of waste power."

WOMEN ROIL ATTORNEY

FAIR JURORS QUIZ WITNESSES AD LIBITUM.

State's Attorney Is Almost Shut Out and Accused Woman Found Not Guilty.

VANCOUVER, Wash., July 24.—(Special.)—Mrs. Bessie Vogel, who is the mother of nine children, was found not guilty today of having liquor in her possession by a jury of five women and one man. The women on the jury plied the witnesses for the state with questions while Prosecuting Attorney Hall attempted to get a few words in edgewise.

"Well, if you women are going to do the talking, I'll stop," Mr. Hall told them, after waiting some time for a chance.

Each of the fair members of the jury smelled the moonshine in evidence and several of them tasted it. Mrs. Vogel admitted the liquor had been found on her property when the sheriff and his deputies raided her home near Orchards. She declared, however, that she did not know how it got there.

One of the women on the jury asked Sheriff Thompson why he did not "pull the whole bunch" involved, instead of merely bringing in one woman.

The members of the jury were Mrs. Mary Van Atta, Mrs. Lillie Thompson, Mrs. L. J. Dermody, Mrs. H. Bissner, Mrs. Anna Morley and George Weigel. The case was tried in the court of Justice Wilson.

FIVE ASK FOR DIVORCE

Woman Declares Husband Tried to Send Her to Asylum.

Five divorce suits were filed in the circuit court yesterday.

Hattie B. Nelson, who was married to Jake L. Nelson in Vancouver in 1903, complained that when she was ill last year her husband swore out a complaint against her charging her with insanity in the hope of saving himself the expense of her illness. She was discharged immediately upon examination, she says. Later, by false representations, she was sent to the poor farm, from which she was rescued by relatives, asserts Mrs. Nelson. She asks $1000 alimony in a lump sum and $75 a month.

Other divorce suits filed were: Alice M. against Robert Francis Clark, Rose G. against Dewey F. Osborne, Natalie against Arthur W. Wilcox and Flora M. against P. M. MacCollister.

APPEAL BOND ATTACKED

Court Sets Hearing for Question in $20,000 Libel Case.

OREGON CITY, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—Exception to the bonds filed by the seven defendants in the so-called Mount libel suit has been taken by the plaintiff, Dr. H. S. Mount. The $20,000 verdict against seven physicians given by the circuit court on the basis of a libelous communication published to the county court, is to be appealed, and the bond to cover the amount of the verdict is required.

Judge Campbell has set August 1 for the hearing to justify the defendant's bondsmen who are Francis Welch, L. E. Jones, William Krassig, John A. Meissner, Ruth L. Eaton, C. F. Farr and T. L. Chambers.

Publisher to Be Host at Beach.

Herbert J. Campbell, publisher of the Vancouver Columbian, will be host today to his employes and the people of Clarke county at a picnic to be held at Columbia beach. The amusement resort has been leased for the day by Mr. Campbell. In the afternoon there will be games and sport contests while at night after a picnic lunch there will be dancing in the new pavilion.

Hotel Man's Body Found.

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 24.—The body of Harry B. Jackson, prominent hotel man and manager of the Hotel Vancouver here, who disappeared two weeks ago, was found in False creek today. An inquest will be held to determine the cause of the death.

EPILEPSY HELD CURABLE

LEADING OSTEOPATH SAYS FASTING IS IMPORTANT.

Disease Taken in Time Declared to Be Mastered by Methods Applied in Practice.

"Epilepsy can be cured in a large percentage of cases if taken in time," said Dr. Hugh Conklin of Battle Creek, Mich., one of the leading osteopaths of this country, in an address before a group of osteopaths in the Selling building last night. "Of course, there are many different kinds of epilepsy, some of them practically incurable, and these I do not attempt to treat."

Dr. Conklin is on a tour, conferring with the members of his profession and explaining his method of treatment. This method is simply to enforce on his patients a long fast, giving them nothing but water for as long as the physical condition permits, and contemporaneously giving them osteopathic treatments. The theory upon which the treatment is based is that a large majority of cases of epilepsy are caused by degeneration of what are known as Pyer's glands. These glands normally give a secretion utilized by the body for various uses, but when for some unknown reason they become diseased or impaired, they secrete a solution which causes convulsions. Fasting causes a cessation of the making of this solution, and allows the tissues time to right themselves and to combat the disease. Osteopathic treatments free any pressure of impingement on the nerves controlling these glands and allow them to nourish the affected parts.

The average fast period is about 22 days, according to Dr. Conklin, although many are able to fast as long as 36 days.

"Epilepsy rarely is studied at all exhaustively except by heads of state epileptic institutions," said the doctor, "and these men are handicapped by the fact that most of their cases are incurables, those in advanced stages of mental deterioration, or confirmed cases of heredity, or those cases in which positive Wasserman symptoms have developed. At Craig colony in New York there are some 2200 cases of this kind. These are about 17 per cent of the total number of epileptics in that state.

"In the United States there are about 300,000 cases of the disease, and a majority of these cases are curable, if the proportion between the curables and incurables for the whole country is anything like that for the state of New York."

Six years ago Dr. Conklin sent out 6000 letters to members of his profession asking them for autopsies of epileptic cases. From these cases secretions were taken from the Pyer's glands and injected into animals, and convulsions and death ensued. A sufficient number of animals were treated to convince Dr. Conklin that his theory was correct.

At Battle Creek a clinic has been established for the use of epileptic children of the poor, largely through the agency of Dr. Conklin, and with the aid of his wealthy patients. Dr. Conklin is now on his way home from attending the national convention of osteopaths held at Los Angeles two weeks ago. He leaves Portland tonight.

HEALTH EXPERT AGED 96

DR. CHARLOTTE DAVENPORT HERE ON LECTURE TOUR.

Renowned Advocate of Hygienics Mother of 18 Children; Eldest Living Son 80 Years Old.

Dr. Charlotte Davenport, 96 years old, renowned lecturer on hygienics, military training and care of the body, is in this city for a short while. Mrs. Davenport is on a vacation trip from Philadelphia, where she makes her home. She spoke last night before a small group at 431 Chamber of Commerce building, on the prime importance of the care of the body. Dr. Davenport is of the conviction that only through bodily health can anyone hope to attain intellectual and spiritual heights.

Dr. Davenport was in Portland 21 years ago, remained here several weeks and gave many lectures on her subjects. She says that she is a living example of her doctrines and that others, by proper care, can see as much of life as she has.

The doctor is the mother of 18 children. She was married at the age of 15. Her oldest son, 80 years of age, is still living. She has been married three times. She will go to Vancouver, B. C., from here.

MR. STADTER TO PRESIDE

Deputy City Attorney Will Act for Municipal Judge Ekwall.

For the seventh time since he has been deputy city attorney at police headquarters, Fred Stadter this week will be entitled to all the rights and privileges of the title of judge during the absence from the city of Municipal Judge Ekwall, who will attend the American Legion convention at The Dalles.

Mr. Stadter was asked to serve as acting judge Thursday, Friday and Saturday, and he informed Judge Ekwall yesterday that he would be willing to serve if it is agreeable to the city council and City Attorney Grant.

In past years Mr. Stadter has served as acting municipal judge during the vacation days of the regular judges.

Mishap Victim Unidentified.

SALEM, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—An unidentified man who was injured by an automobile driven by O. M. Pulley, about six miles north of Salem last night, died here today. The body was turned over to L. T. Rigdon, coroner. The man had nothing on his person to establish his identity. Officials expressed the opinion that he was a laborer walking south from Portland. His skull was fractured and he suffered other injuries.

Classes to Hold Exhibits.

The physical education department of the Portland summer term of the University of Oregon will gave an exhibition of its work this evening at 8 o'clock in the gymnasium of Lincoln high school. At the same time the art department will have on display in the art rooms, on the third floor at Lincoln, an exhibit of the art work done in the three art classes during the last six weeks. The public is invited to attend both of these exhibitions.

Gypsy Church Incorporated.

SALEM, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—The Gypsy church of America, with headquarters in Portland and capital stock of $250, has been incorporated by Mary George, Millie Mitchell, May Nicholas, Rose Nicholas and others. Articles were filed in the state corporation department today. Other articles filed here today follow: Hood River Country club, Hood River, $2000; A. W. Peters, Truman Butler and E. O. Blanchar and others. Spiegel Cloak & Suit Manufacturing company, Portland, $10,000; L. Spiegel, Frank Rodinsky and Joe Metz.

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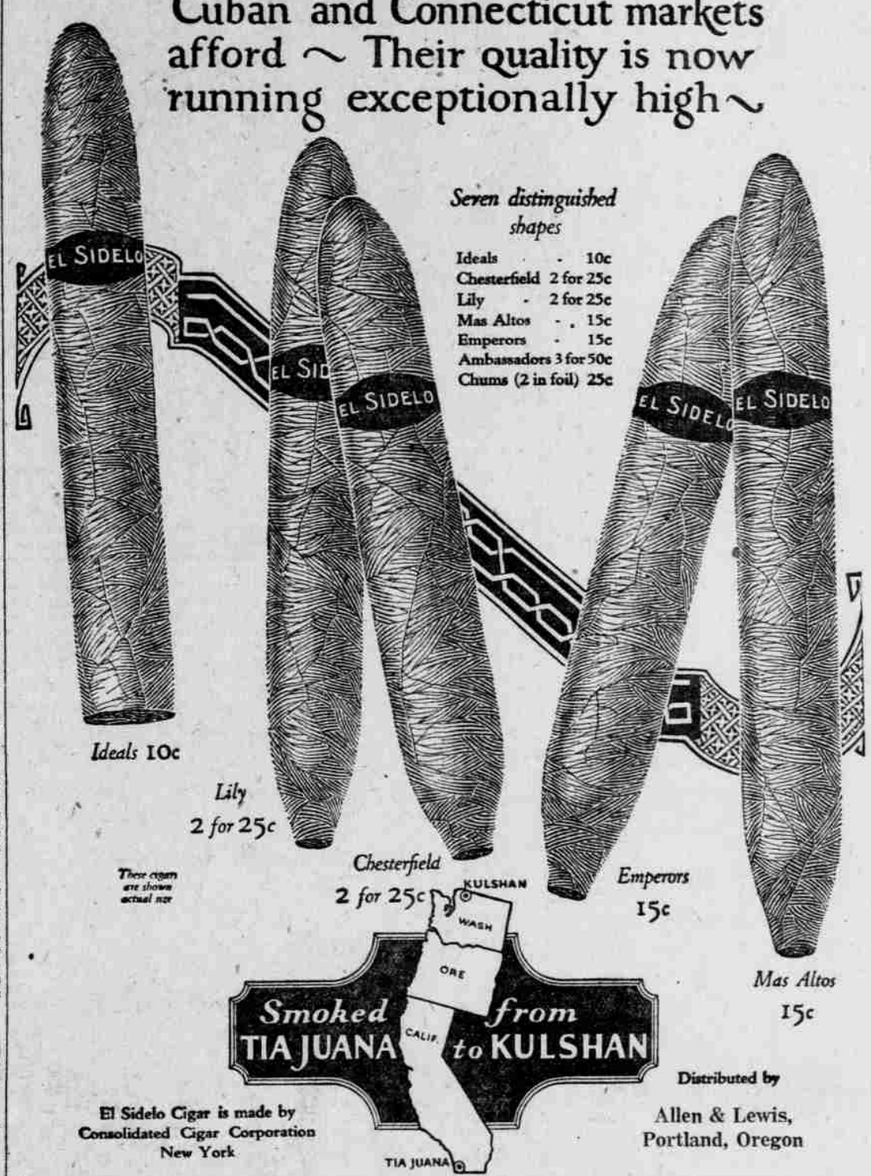

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