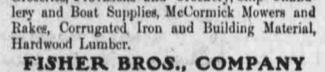
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will be liable to a term in the reform school. The law provides a big jump in penalties for children betwen 10 and 16, who may be confined in the county jail for a few offenses or in the reform school for offenses which would cause an adult to be sent to the state's

boy is found guilty of manslaughter- and Daniel and Representatives Taw-

for conviction of which crime an adult ney, Sherman and Bartlett.

can not be sentenced to the peniten-

tiary. In the present case, if the Cook

prison, or who may be hanged for capital crime. But a boy under 16 can not be sentenced to the penitentiary The statement has been made repeatedly during the past few days that the Finnish people of the city have raised a large fund for the purpose of of them approaches the phenomenally

carrying on this case, and estimates of the amount vary from \$1000 to \$3000. Judge Winton, special prosecutor, said yesterday that he believed these stories had been greatly exaggerated, and that the sum was sufficient only to insure proper handling

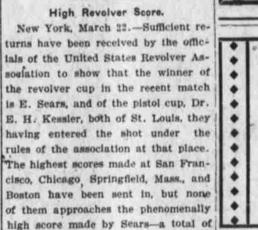
of the case. A delegation of Finns called at the

office of The Astorian last evening to no value. ask that an alleged misstatement appearing in these columns yesterday be corrected. The error was alleged to have occurred in the testimony of John Jokela. The Astorian stated yesterday that Jokela quoted his sweetheart. Miss Christine Lehto, as having said that Willie Cook took undue liberties with her. The delegation which called last evening at this office made the statement that Jokela really testified Miss Vilen told him the lad had improperly molested her at times. The writer was in the court room at the time Jokela was on the stand and understood the man to have testified that Miss Lehto made the statement. The testimony was secured through th medium of an interpreter, and it just possible an error was made. was very difficult to understand what was said because of the noise in the court room and the mixture of Finnish and English incident to the taking

of testimony. Jokela states that he quoted Miss Vilen, the dead girl, and not Miss Lehto, and the man's statement is cheerfully published.

QUIET DAY IN HOUSE.

Most of the Time Devoted to Postoffice Bill-Bitterness Shown. Washington, March 22.-Outside of few routine matters the house devoted the entire day to further discussion of the postoffice appropriation by the Treasury Department. Corner Eighteenth and Franklin, bill, but disposed of only one page.



The conference committee will consist

of Senators Burnham, Hansborough

Wade Estate Valued. Pendleton, March 22 .- Appraisers of the C. B. Wade estate today filed estimates of their valuation at \$324,438 with liabilities at \$331,000. Of this \$12,000 is mining stock of practically

477 out of a possible 500 in 30 minutes.

Rumored Ameer Is Poisoned. St. Petersburg, March 22,-A disatch received from Ashkabad, the apital of the Russian Trans-Casplan territory, says rumors are current there that the ameer of Afghanistan has been poisoned ..

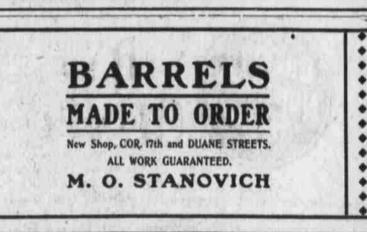
Sure Lamorna Is Wrecked. San Francisco, March 22 .- So firm has become the belief that the ship Lamorna has been wrecked, that today she was posted for re-insurance and offered at 45 per cent.

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