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TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

Pleaded Not Guilty-

court yesterday.

Auction Sale-

Go To California-

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Stewart left In Circuit Courtyesterday to go to Southern California to pass the holidays with their lowing cases yesterday: Anna Shedmona college at Claremont, about 40 vorce: John Waterhouse et al vs. miles east of Los Angeles.

Are At Brother's Bedside-

Oregon Timberman, accompanied by divorce; Regina Oxer vs. Dela B. Fine Dairy Equipment-Mrs. Cornwall, arrived in this city Howard et al, demurrer sustained. who is lying quite ill at St. Mary's hibits filed in case be returned. hospital. The many friends of all concerned, in this city, will be glad to Wants Attorneys Presenthear of Mr. Benson's speedy recovery.

Park Levy-

at the three mills as being the near- does Judge McBride, and it is conlower.

Is Around Again-

I. E. Evans, the well known and son, popular keeper of Uncle Sams buoy station at Tongue Point, was in the Why Not Here?city yesterday, accompanied by Mrs. With the departure for San Diego down, and returned on the tender or Frederick N. Freeman, plans are which is one degree below the freez- halem Valley were visited. The three

Christmas Stores-The Astoria stores are doing a fine business this week, and every day they are filled with shoppers

Anton Kuljis, of Clifton, charged eager to pick out something in the with the sale of liquor without a li- line of presents. Some of the stores cense, pleaded not guilty in circuit have really fine displays, too, espec- eligibility of candidates to the water ially in their show windows, and na-

matter even to walk down the streets. of horses was held at the George few days has enabled nearly everyday afternoon, and was attended by been a pleasure to drop into the displays.

Judge McBride passed upon the fol-Mary J. Kinsey vs. C. J. Curtis, settled and dismissed; F. M. Casto vs. Editor George Cornwall, of the Alice J. Casto, default and decree of

Judge McBride announced yesterday that on next Monday morning he will set cases for trial during the February term of court and he refiled with the city auditor its levy for cases to arise then be present at that heard two murder cases, which are profits should be better.

very trying for more than one rea-

Columbine, which happened to be well under way for the establishment ing point. This record was taken at

THE MORNING ASTORIAN, ASTORIA, OREGON

Happily Remembered-

That the Christmas spirit has The membership of the Norwegiun reached the outlying logging camps Methodist Episcopal church of this all about the lower Columbia is prov- city devised a pleasant holiday epien by the constant arrival, from all sode for themselves and their pastor. directions, of the stalwart employes Rev. O. T. Field, on Wednesday of the different logging camps; they night, when, at the usual weekly come singly, in pairs, in groups and meeting of the membership, they preby squads, and being promptly paid sented that gentleman with a handoff at their respective headquarters in some purse snugly filled with "coin Astoria, disperse for the holiday sea- of the realm," to his astonishment son, to such points as interest or en- and gratitude, and for which he was gagement dictates. Nearly all the taxed to make what he deemed adecamps are in process of closing for quate acknowledgment. After the the holiday term, and some of them presentation ceremony was over, and may remain closed even longer; but throughout the course of happy adnone hereabout are reported as shut- dresses that followed, everybody was

Florking From Camps-

Gives Opinion-

matter.

ting down for any prolonged period regaled with a multitude of good things furnished by the good women

of the church; the whole affair taking City Attorney Abererombic has record in the parish as one of the prepared an opinion in relation to the happiest of its incidents.

commission, at the request of that Not Many Thereturally these make it an interesting body. The city charter provides that The meeting called in Foard & a condition precedent to holding Stokes hall last night with the object An auction sale of about 50 head The delightful weather of the past office in that commission is that each in view of seeing what the chances Warren place in Warren on yester- one to get out, and to many it has to the city. The city attorney holds company in this city did not turn out commissioner should pay \$25 taxes are of starting a second military that city taxes and school taxes as well as had been expected. The many from Astoria and other cities, stores and look over their handsome should both be included. This will attendance was not very large. There permit several to hold the office who not being a sufficient number present perhaps might be excluded if the to warrant, the organization of a actual city taxes alone were consid- second company, four of those there

tered. Mr. Abercrombie, however, made application to enter the First son, Donald, who is attending Po- rick vs. John Shedrick, decree of di- further holds that assessments and company. Their entrance into the corporation taxes should not be in- Pirst company will give that organi-Clatsop country, entry of mandate; cluded. This opinion will doubtless zation its full quota of men. But it settle the comment and indecision is said that the fact that the meeting that have obtained in relation to the last night was not a success does not necessarily mean that the project of a

second company is dead. There seems to have been some misunder-W. S. Carpenter, of the dairying standings and a lack of concerted yesterday morning on the steamer with leave to plaintiff to file amended firm of Carpenter & Chandler, of effort, it is said, and quite a few of Hassalo, to visit the bedside of Frank complaint; F. L. Darling vs. Millie Grays River, was in the city yester- the men assert that the plan should Benson, a brother of Mrs. Cornwall's, Taylor et al ordered that certain ex- day, and made the pleasant announce- not be dropped. Lee Cadonau was ment that the work of putting their largely instrumental in creating in dairy business on an active footing terest in the plan of the second comover on the Barr ranch, has been pany. finishd and that the business is in

full operation. He and his partner Four Inches of Snow-

are very cheerful over the prospects Judge Trenchard and Commission-The park commission yesterday quests that all attorneys who have have developed so evenly and suc- last night from a trip of investigation. and the technical arrangements that ers Moore and Frye, who returned the coming year, setting he rate at 3 time. It is probable that Judge Mcmills. It had arranged to make I firide will adjourn the present term and are experts in the business and four inches of snow on the "summit" men are from Turlock, in California halem Valley, stated that there was 2.5, but inasmuch as he state law re next Monday, as it is expected the will leave nothing undone in their and on the tops of the mountains. tenths thereof it was necessary to ed upon by that time. It is probable new venture to make it one of the The snowfall in that locality had avoid the fraction or decimal con-tained in that lovy, and it was placed in the state that works as hard as men of this northern country have the altitude was sufficiently great est possible to that without going stantly said that the district should not been getting what they are en- Judge Trenchard stated last night have two judges. Recently he has titled to for their products and will that the journey, which lasted a endeavor to show how, and why, the week, had been satisfactory. The roads are in pretty good shape, and

> The Cold Snap-While the official thermometer in

the new work is excellent. The commissioners and Judge Trenchard talked with the residents of that part of the county over the work

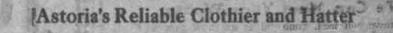
Astoria has not shown any very cold Evans, and is making good progress from San Francisco yesterday of a nevertheless tingling noses and ears also went over to the eastern end of weather during the past several days, from the pain and duress of the naval board composed of Commander have told another story. The ther- the county, as far as the Columbia broken leg he was subjected to some William Gill, Commander Edwin A. mometer showed only 31 degrees line, and also visited Jewell, Elsie six or seven weeks ago. He came Anderson and Lieutenant-Command- above the zero point, Fahrenheit, and Vesper. All parts of the Ne-



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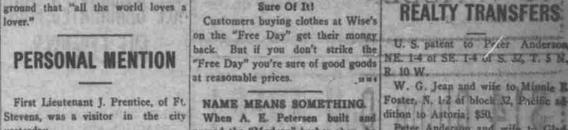
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is said that \$1,000,000 will be spent on an altitude of a hundred feet or less lowed her soldier-lover, Jack Johnthe new grounds, and and it is prob- above the river seemed to make a able that it will become the most distinct difference. Up around the important station in the country.

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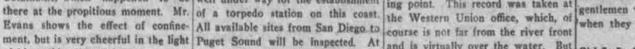
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tion, and that is located at Newport, a different story. There ice formed R. I., where the rigors of winter of sufficient thickness to support a learned that the young girl. Emma interference with the experiments. It big cat ,or even two big cats. Even Rearns, of San Francisco, who fol-

city pary yesterday morning the roads were frozen quite solid, so that a man R Pomeroy, and will be duly return- on the evening train. could walk on the crust on the mul

Out in the mountains there were re Spare ribs, pork tenderloin, and ports of a heavy snowfall which re-

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gentlemen were pretty well tired out when they got back last night.

Girl Is In Custody-

From an officer at Fort Stevens, son, from the Bay City, arriving here on the last trip of the Rose City, is N. Y., spent the afternoon here yes. his employment really modern. now safely in custody of Sheriff M. terday, going back to the metropolis

ed to her parents in San Francisco. T. C. Murray, of New Orleans, The young soldier frankly admitted was among the crowd of visitors his affection for the girl and made a reaching this city on the noon exmanly plea to be allowed to marry press yesterday.

her on the spot, to spare her good name even from the shadow cast by her impetuous action in following him up here; all of which commend-

ed itself to his officers and they en-\$3. Place your order at the Astoria dorsed his course and it was thought hotel or telephone Main 3521, or they had gone to Fort Columbia or leave your orders at the Astorian to Chinook to have the ceremony performed, he being given leave for that

Don't buy your Xmas can- Howard did not make the northshore run that afternoon, the young people taken by the sheriff, and the young ady was at once turned over to him. It is held at the fort that Miss Hearns and careful in her conduct while at the post, and everyone seems pre-

> Christmas Cards, Booklets, Callenders, Art Goods, of Books.

14th and Commercial St.

J. P. Redmond, of Portland, spent meant that it should stand for what stone-Oregon Timber Co., 192 acres the day here yesterday, a guest at the it was called. No patron has mirsed in S. 32, T. 5 N., R. 10 W.; \$1000. Hotel Occident.

J. T. Brennan, of San Francisco, sorial parlor at that house; and every was among the big group of tourists new device in the way of perfect noted here yesterday.

business visitor in the city yesterday. expert bootblack, the best in the J. G. Carruthers, of Binghampton, business; a qualification that makes at reasonable prices.

yesterday

COMING ATTRACTION.

will be seen here next Sunday. Perhaps not since "The Virginian," has Ham Sausage the stage been offered a hero at once purpose; but because the Major Guy so human, so manly and so irresist-The glorified cowboy has appeared in went as far as Warrenton, on their fiction and stage again with his somway to Astoria, and were there over- brero and his wild antics with a six shooters. The thing about Mr. Mack's cowboy, that has appealed so forcefully, is that he is real. He is a man. was very lady-like in her manner He does some things that society does not sanction as proper; but his Best Porterhouse Steaks 121c, 15. her lover, despite her importunity in man to be trusted with a woman. presumably on the old romantic of this kind, but he knows and loves Prime Rib Roast Beef. 10c, 124c the better way when he sees it.

Notice.

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