

DEPUTY SHERIFFS IN RAID NET 54 ALLEGED GAMBLERS AND \$266

Two Officers Are Planted in Alleged Establishment in Commonwealth Building.

A raid, shortly after midnight this morning of an alleged gambling joint in the Commonwealth building at Sixth and Burnside streets, by Deputy Sheriffs George Hurlbert and Christofferson, assisted by eight other deputies, netted a total of \$2250 ball money, deposited, 64 victims and a gambling outfit.

Preparations for the raid were begun two weeks ago. All secret operations against molestation were spotted, two officers, unknown to the habitués of the place, were planted in the room and when the raiding posse, after eluding the vigilance of the outer guard, rapped on the door, everything was easy.

The two officers inside shouted, "Hands Up," and hands went up. The sum of \$2250, comprising the "bank roll" was seized. Charles O. Craig of San Francisco, and Harry Trekasak, known locally as the "Fat Kid," said to be the conductors of the place and J. Adams, and J. W. Black, alleged to be the manager, were those arrested. A charge of conducting a gambling establishment has been placed against them. The other 49 arrested were booked as vagrants. All were taken to the county jail and released on deposit of bail.

"Stud" and "pan ging" games were in progress, say the officers, when they entered the room.

FATHER SEEKS HIS CHILD

South Dakota Man Resists Attempt to Adopt Boy.

Claiming possession of his 6-year-old son, whom he had never seen, Vincent F. Wellner, a wealthy farmer from Kimball, S. D., made an appearance in the county court Tuesday, opposing the petition of John C. and Julia Larson, who were seeking to adopt the boy. According to the Larsons' attorneys, Wellner married their daughter, the mother of the boy, in 1910. She obtained a divorce from him a short time after the birth of the child. She was awarded his custody and monthly alimony. She came to Portland in 1916 and later became the wife of Walter C. Johnson. Husband and wife died in 1918. The Larsons, who are accused of abetting their daughter in obtaining a divorce from Wellner, say that he has lost all claim to the child through abuse of the mother and subsequent failure to pay alimony. They say they will resist to the utmost the attempt of the father to gain possession of the child.

THREE DIVORCES GRANTED

Shipworker Claims Wife Would Live Without Eating.

Degrees of divorce as follows were signed by Presiding Judge Stapleton Tuesday: Ruby Lee Allen from her husband, B. Allen, cruelty; Mary Uhlman from Theodore Uhlman, desertion; Jacob B. Bright from Mary M. Bright, desertion. In the new cases filed, Albert Meyer, a shipyard worker, charges Ollie Meyer with trying to live without eating and refusing to cook anything substantial for his meals. That Viva Matthews runs the streets at night and crawls into bed with stray cold feet is charged by Lawrence Matthews.

Asks \$3000 Damages The Portland Realty association, own-

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We vacate 285 Morrison at Fourth—Moving to the New Eilers Music Building, 287 Washington St., Near Fifth.

Over \$18,000 worth of small musical instruments, sheet music and supplies at heretofore unheard-of low prices, including the famous C. G. Conn and King Band Instruments and Saxophones, Orpheum Banjos, Guitars, Mandolins, Ukuleles, etc. A partial list of BARGAINS:

THE LAST WEEK OF THIS SALE--HURRY

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Graves Music Store

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FAREWELL DINNER IS GIVEN IN HONOR OF SAMUEL C. BRATTON

Nearly 100 Friends Gather About Table Tuesday Evening at Chamber of Commerce.

During eight years spent in Portland as commercial manager of the Portland Gas & Coke company and as leader in many civic and patriotic undertakings, Samuel C. Bratton has made many friends. About 100 of them assembled at a farewell dinner in the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday evening to do him honor and bid him farewell.

Charged With Threat to Kill Pietro Roveto was arrested this morning at 416 Forty-fourth street by Constable Mark Peterson on a warrant charging him with threatening to kill his son, sworn to by Truant Officer Krum. Roveto is held in the county jail in default of \$500 bail.

Bootlegging Is Charged Tom Howell, colored bootblack in the Pittock block, was arrested late Tuesday night on a bootlegging charge by Deputy Sheriffs George Hurlbert and Schirmer. Howell is held in the county jail in default of \$25 bail.

Trees in Memory Of Col. Roosevelt To Adorn Highway

A tree for every Boy Scout troop in Portland is to be planted upon the Columbia highway this spring, in memory of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, who was national vice-president of the association according to national Boy Scout plans, which were approved by the executive committee of the local Boy Scouts at a recent meeting.

Ill Health Causes Henry Fuhrer to Take His Own Life

Despondent over continued ill health, Henry Fuhrer, 43 years of age, committed suicide Tuesday evening by hanging himself to a tree near his home on the Taylors Ferry road, just west of the Jewish cemetery. Fuhrer left his home at about 7 o'clock and his wife, alarmed by his absence, and searching for him, ran into his thin, clad body dangling from the limb of a tree a few yards from their home. Fuhrer was a Swiss and had been in this country for a number of years, residing on the Taylors Ferry road for the last nine years. He had been suffering from stomach trouble for about a year, and had been unable to work since last June. Fuhrer had been engaged in concrete work before sickness overtook him and had been working in the Jewish cemetery. In addition to his wife he is survived by a 3-year-old son. The body was removed by the coroner to the morgue.

Attorney Tift Is Found Dead at His Portland Residence

Arthur Palmer Tift, aged 46, former member of Martin Pipes & Tift, attorneys, of Portland and a resident of this city for the last 27 years, was found dead in bed at his home, 351 West Park street, Monday morning by his mother, Mrs. James W. Parks.

Mr. Tift was born in Buffalo, N. Y., in 1872 and came to this city at the age of 19, engaging in law work. He had recently suffered a nervous breakdown and had not been working. When he retired Sunday night he seemed to be in his usual health and the attack of heart trouble evidently took him suddenly in the night.

STATE IS ON LIST FOR THE DRY AMENDMENT

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One of the 34, California, however, cannot be definitely placed in the list of states for the amendment because of a court action against certification of the favorable action begun in San Francisco.

Father Kettenhofen Passes at Beaverton

Beaverton, Jan. 15.—After an illness of only two days, Father Kettenhofen of St. Cecilia's parish, Beaverton, died Tuesday, a victim of Spanish influenza. Father Kettenhofen, formerly of Roy parish, came to Beaverton last fall, when Rev. Mr. Le Miller went to France with the Knights of Columbus. Archbishop Christie, Monsignor Rau of St. Mary's, a number of priests and many friends attended the funeral Saturday morning and the body was sent to Freeport, Ill., his old home, for burial. His mother and other relatives reside there.

Ask for 1919 War Stamps—for sale at usual places.

KAWANIS TO SUPPORT PLAN TO ERECT HERE LIVESTOCK BUILDING

President Plummer, Manager of Exposition, Addresses Club Luncheon Tuesday.

Pledge by the club to support a movement for a permanent livestock exhibition building in Portland followed a vigorous speech before the Kiwanis club Tuesday by O. M. Plummer, general manager of the Pacific International Livestock exposition.

President George A. Lovejoy, who presided at the luncheon in the Portland hotel, announced the convention of Kiwanis in Tacoma and urged a large attendance of Portland Kiwanians, in view of the fact that Portland is going to ask for the next national convention.

One of the features of the luncheon was a piano solo by G. A. Berry. The banquet which was to have been held Saturday night in honor of O. Samuel Cummings, the international secretary of the organization, has been postponed on account of the influenza epidemic.

There are over 175 towns throughout the state that have no commercial organization such as a Chamber of Commerce. In these towns the committee will try to organize local chambers.

State Chamber of Commerce Plans Are Being Rushed

The campaign for membership in the newly created State Chamber of Commerce has started, with orders for full steam ahead. John L. Etheridge, chairman of the membership committee, has opened headquarters at Morris Brothers' bond house, and with an office force of live wires, the campaign is going to be rushed to early completion.

"It is to the interest of every one of the 109 Commercial clubs of the state to affiliate themselves with the State Cham-

FRANKLIN DAY IS URGED FOR THRIFT DRIVE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Secretary of the Treasury Glass Tuesday urged special observance of Benjamin Franklin's birthday, on January 17, as a day for promotion of nationwide thrift.

"Franklin attributed his many brilliant successes to the steady practice of thrift. We must follow in his footsteps if we are to succeed in completing the task for which Americans have died. If we are to carry out our part of the peace program, if we are to acquire funds from personal, as well as national, prosperity."

Secretary Glass said: "In a few days our county chairmen will have been appointed, and they, in turn, will have appointed their local committees. Every town in the state is going to have a committee man to let them know of the State chamber."

BEAUTY SPECIALIST TELLS SECRET

A Beauty Specialist Gives Simple Home Made Recipe to Darken Gray Hair.

Mrs. M. D. Gillespie, a well known beauty specialist of Kansas City, recently gave out the following statement regarding gray hair: "Anyone can prepare a simple mixture at home, at very little cost, that will darken gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. To a half pint of water add 1 ounce of bay rum, a small box of Barbe Compound and 3/4 ounce of glycerine. These ingredients can be bought at any drug store at very little cost, or the druggist will put it up for you. Apply to the hair twice a week until the desired shade is obtained. This will make a gray haired person look 20 years younger. This is not a dye, it does not color the most delicate scalp, is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off.—Adv.



Advertisement for VICTROLA Dance Music. Includes text: 'Always Ready Never Tires Unlimited Repertoire', 'Prices \$25 to \$400 Convenient Terms', and 'Sherman Day & Co. Sixth and Morrison St. PORTLAND'. Also features a Victor record illustration.

Large advertisement for TOM MIX featuring a cowboy holding a sign that says 'TOM MIX IN'. The cowboy is wearing a hat and a vest, and is standing in a landscape with a house and trees in the background.

Advertisement for KLEEN-MAID bread. Text: 'The "thoro-bread" of breads. Good to the last crumb.' Includes an illustration of a loaf of bread and the text 'High Class VAUDEVILLE STRAND THEATRE SCREEN TELEGRAM'.