

## BABCOCK & PEETS ARE ENGAGED TO SUPPLY FURNISHINGS TO ELKS

Thirty Thousand Dollars is Estimated Cost of New Temple's Interior Decoration Which Doyle Will Install.

Babcock & Peets, interior decorators of Portland, were last night engaged by the building committee of the Elks lodge to supply all furnishings for the new temple here with the exception of lighting fixtures. Materials have been selected and their installation will be supervised by A. E. Doyle, architect. Mr. Doyle, personally, will furnish the lighting fixtures. Thirty thousand dollars is the estimated cost of the interior decorations. This includes the lighting, draperies, floor coverings and furniture, as well

as furniture for the lodge room. Goods will be ordered immediately and are expected to begin arriving as soon as the building is ready to receive them. Materials selected promise to make the local lodge home one of the finest in the northwest.

E. C. Peets, representing the furnishers, and A. E. Doyle, met with the committee last night and worked out final details. The Babcock & Peets company furnished a number of Pendleton's most attractive homes.

## JUDGE M'COURT IS FREED BY ROSSMAN

PORTLAND, Jan. 29.—Presiding Judge John McCourt of the Multnomah county circuit court was freed Thursday afternoon following a session in chambers with Municipal Judge Rossman to determine his guilt for traffic violation Monday night.

He told Rossman that he was ready to take his medicine, but inasmuch as he had passed several traffic patrolmen before his arrest, felt that one of them should have notified him that his lights were out.

## GOVERNMENT OF CITY PROVES MORE COSTLY IN 1919 THAN BEFORE

Expense Record Set But Year is Prosperous One According to Recorder Fitz Gerald's Report Prepared for Council.

Every department of Pendleton's city government, with the exception of health, legal services and the treasurer, cost more for operation during 1919 than for any previous year, according to the annual report of Thomas Fitz Gerald, city recorder, which was completed and ready for the city council last night. On the whole the year was a prosperous one for the city, the report states.

There were 225 permits issued during the year for the erection, alteration and repair of buildings within the city. The estimated cost was \$699,306.00.

There were issued 67 sidewalk permits for the construction of 5518 lineal feet of concrete sidewalks; 32 plumbing permits, and 123 burial permits during the year.

**470 Cases Tried**  
There were 470 cases tried in the recorder's court during the year resulting in the collection of fines totaling \$5,484.68. The operating expenses of the police department were \$7,875.89, and of the recorder's office \$1,637.72 during the year.

There were expended for betterments in the Fire Department \$525.48 while the operating expenses were \$5,950.12 during the year.

There were 168 licenses issued during the year producing a revenue of \$2,567.00. The amount expended in the extension and repair of the levee during the year was \$7,274.51. There were sewer extensions constructed on the Jane street and Grant street laterals at an expenditure of \$5,272.78.

There was no paving in the city during the year but there are several districts on the north side ready for paving during the coming year as soon as a plant can be procured for the work.

**Few Ordinances Printed**  
The bulk of the ordinances of the city are not in printed form, and none of the charter amendments are in print at the present time, with the exception of a few special ordinances printed during the past year. While the recorder has a pretty fair memory it is almost impossible for him to remember all the ordinances passed since 1906, and also as many of the ordinances were passed without any regard to their effect on existing ordinances, modifying and in some instances repealing whole sections of the same without any mention being made thereof, so that it is quite difficult at this time to really say what ordinances are in full force and effect, without extensive research and study.

"I would therefore recommend that some provision be made for the codifying and printing of the charter and ordinances of the city without delay so that the officers can intelligently enforce the same," the recorder recommends.

## HORSE THIEF IS SCARED TO DEATH; SO IS HORSE

BECKLEY, W. Va., Jan. 29.—John Combs was charged with stealing a horse. When the deputy sheriff, who owned the animal, sought to serve a warrant, Combs died of fright. On the way home the horse died.

## SHORTAGE OF TEACHERS IN STATE REACHES 456

SALEM, Or., Jan. 29.—The total shortage of teachers in Oregon, including those classified as below standard is 456, or 15.9 per cent of the teaching positions in the public schools of the state, according to a report filed with Governor Olcott by the National Education association.

A summary of the report, as far as it pertains to the schools of Oregon, follows:

Number of superintendents reporting: 15.  
Total number of teaching positions included in reports: 2520.  
Total number of teachers who dropped out during the past year: 677; 26.8 per cent.

Total number of new teachers entering, September, 1919, 1003; 39.8 per cent.

Total shortage of teachers reported: 131; 5.19 per cent.  
Total number of teachers below standard: 225; 12.9 per cent.

Total shortage, including teachers below standard: 456; 18.09 per cent.

Questions addressed to the 15 superintendents reporting and their answers follow:

Has it been necessary to accept lower qualifications in order to supply teachers? Yes, 14; No, One.  
Have teachers' salaries increased in comparison with salaries in other vocations? Yes, two; No, 15.  
Have teachers' salaries increased in proportion to cost of living? No, 15; Yes, none.

Is the number of teachers below 21 years of age increasing? Yes, eight; No, seven.  
Are promising young men and women attracted to teaching as in the past? Yes, two; No, 13.

## SENATOR CHAMBERLAIN WILL MAIL PETITIONS FOR NAME ON BALLOT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Senator Chamberlain expects to have petitions ready to mail tonight for placing his name on the ballot as a candidate for another term as a United States senator from Oregon. He is following the petition method in response to the requests of Oregon friends who wrote that they wished to circulate the petitions for him. He is also preparing a formal 199-word announcement of his candidacy to go on the petitions.

## USE MOVIES TO STUDY GERMAN CRIMINAL CLASS

BERLIN, Jan. 28.—German criminologists have called the movie film to their aid.

Movie schools are now attached to the Berlin police department, and this system is being extended to other parts of the country.

"Tricks" of criminals of all kinds are taught by the film. The ways and wiles of the burglar, the "stick-up" man, the forger, the bank robber are carefully explained to policemen with the film, which at the same time gives valuable instruction in counteracting the activities of the criminal element.

One of the special features of this movie instruction is the application of the finger print system. Policemen are taught all the intricacies of this art, so that a patrolman or a desk man can apply this identification means fully as well as a finger print expert.

Crime has been vastly on the increase in Germany since the war ended, and the police have been hard pressed to keep up with the criminal, especially as many of their best detectives and patrolmen have quit for more lucrative fields. The introduction of the movie school is in line with efforts to build up the air police and several other innovations of post-war days.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—One out of every 100 citizens is ill with the "flu" according to the health department. Telephone service is seriously threatened with 1600 operators ill.

## MUTT AND JEFF START TIDAL MERRIMENT WAVE

Tired humanity, war burdened, and tax ridden, demand diversion with little thought or worry as to its artistic origin.

If a play or its actors are able to extract incessant laughter from an audience, naturally disposed to be serious in these trying times, that play or actor becomes an unqualified success as well as a national benefactor.

Mutt and Jeff started a tidal wave of merriment that has been continuous and multiplying year by year since its inception. Like Bud Fisher's daily cartoons, as long as Mr. Hill is able to offer new comedy features each season, so long will "Mutt and Jeff" play its yearly engagement to capacity audiences.

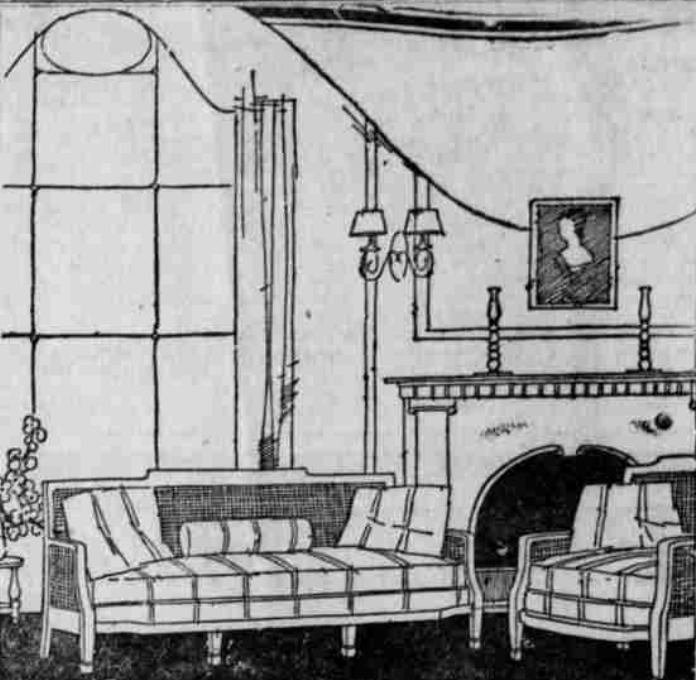
Situations ludicrous in the extreme are suggested by these funny fellows, and one does not have to stretch his imagination to any great extent to conceive just how funny they will be in their latest fun festival "Mutt and Jeff's Dream."

Mr. Hill has furnished an entire new scenic equipment in keeping with the bright gorgeous costumes that rival many Broadway productions, and a chorus of real beauties who can both sing and dance. Theatregoers who have laughed at Mutt and Jeff, perhaps many times, will find this offering so entirely new as to have the effect of being an innovation.

"Mutt and Jeff's Dream" will be presented at the Oregon theatre next Friday for an engagement of one night.

## COMMAND IN CARE OF SOLDIER DEAD ARRIVES IN PARIS

PARIS, Jan. 29.—American soldiers, clerks, draftsmen and other workers who will have charge of removing to the United States bodies of some of the American dead buried in France, arrived here today. The party consists of 48 men under the command of Colonel Rogers. Actual removal of the bodies, it is announced, will be delayed temporarily due to lack of steel caskets. The work will be started first in the first district.



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