88-Year-Old Widow Cleared War Prisoners Of Stealing 2 Cubes of Butter

Oakland, Cal., Feb. 9 U.B.—"Grandma" Margie Russell, a spry 88-year-old widow, was cleared Wednesday of charges she stole



Freed-Mrs. Margaret Russell, 88-year-old \$75-a-month pensioner, cocks an attentive ear to proceedings at Municipal court in Oakland Calif., where she appeared on charges of "stealing two cubes of butter valued at 38c. The charges were dropped and she got a \$300 settlement. (Acme Telephoto)

Bridge Players To Portland

bridge enthusiasts will migrate to Portland for the four-day northwest regional meet starting Thursday.

Nearly the entire membership of the Elks Bridge club will play in at least one tournament, while many will compete for the men's pair, women's pair and open pair championships, all two-session

Eleven players who had top scores in the five-week series just concluded at the Elks club were named as official representatives as follows: W. E. Kimsey, Mrs. Stuart Thede, Mrs. John S. Bono, Gilbert Groff, Elmer Berg, Mrs. Dewey Howell, Mrs. Arthur L. Lewis, Mrs. Harry J. Wied-mer, Mrs. Arthur L. Binegar, Ellis H. Jones and John Pugh of

Shedd.
Winners in the final competition of the series included William F. Leary, Robert May, James Schaub, Howard Pickett, Gilbert Groff, W. E. Kimsey, Jack Nielsen, Mrs. Milton D. Parker, Mrs. Edward E. Roth and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dannen of Brownsyille. Weekly tourof Brownsville. Weekly tour-naments will be resumed at the Elks club February 13.

Class Holds Party

Pratum — The senior young married Sunday school class of Mennonite church held its monthly class party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Roth. Sixteen were present. Henry Beuther is teacher of the class and Norman Gydesen is class president.

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pay-less market.

The settlement gave Mrs. Russell \$300 in return for her pledge not to sue for false arrest. It provided that the payment did not constitute an admission of liability.

The decision clears the way for distribution of about \$120,000,000 in war claims to some 140,-100 of Mericans and 135,000 philippine prisoners of war.

The claims will be paid out of approximately \$160,000,000 in

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Carl Becker, 53, the store detective who arrested Mrs. Russell when he claimed he saw her slip two cubes of butter into her shopping bag, moved for dismissal of the complaint.

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After the judge granted the request, the detective and Mrs.

Bussell were asked to pose to

Four Corners Greets Many New Residents Into Area

Four Corners, Feb. 9-Many newcomers are coming to Four monthly meeting on Feb. 7 with

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Boy Scout Activities An unique demonstration in

An unique demonstration in depicting boy scout activities has been installed in a show window at 456 Court street. The display was placed in recognition of the 40th anniversary of scout week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Donald P. Wegner recently moved from Eugene, Ore. to 4040 E. State street the operates a gas station at Capitol and Market streets.

Leaving this week for Hardy, a later date. Program chairman, New M. W. Turker of the street of the extension of the enterprise of the extension of the enterprise of the extension of the enterprise and social organizations were present. The enterprise market was considered and social organizations were present. The enterprise market was considered and social organizations were present. The enterprise market was considered and social organizations were present. The enterprise market was considered and social organizations were present. The enterprise market was considered and social organizations were present. The enterprise market was considered and social organizations were present. The enterprise market was considered and social organizations were present. The enterprise market was considered and social organizations were present. The enterprise market was considered and social organizations were present. The enterprise market was considered and social organizations were present. The enterprise market was considered and social organizations were present. The enterprise market was considered and social organizations were present. The enterprise market was considered and social organizations were present. The enterprise market was considered and social organizations were present.

Neb. was Mrs. M. W Tucker o The display consists of a re- East State street who expects to volving table on which enlarged photographs of scenes emparents and other relatives.

Russell were asked to pose to gether for photographers. Just as the pictures were to be taken, he turned his back on her and walked out of the court room.

Asked if she had hard feelings for Becker, Mrs. Russell laughed and said, "Oh, no, that's all over."

She spent four days in jail following her arrest last Dec. 15

Turrentine who have parked sociation met at the community their trailer house at 455 S. Lan-hall. All representatives of the

will present a program before the school and the third grade room mothers on Monday Feb. 13 at 1:15 o'clock. Mrs. Ernest Walker; vice chairfleavan White is the teacher.

The "Hobbyists" held their binder b

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