

CITY NEWS

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Students in the art school, assisted by Fred, N. B. Zane, and students in the school of music are assisting with the play, the former doing the stage work and the latter supplying the orchestra. The play is the most elaborate one staged on the campus this year. Its setting is in Biblical times and the story is of seven beggars who came to the city, posing as gods and who in the end were exposed and sentenced by the real gods.

All Group Meeting—

Circles Number 2, United Lutheran Ladies Aid society, is to meet Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. B. F. Weschler, 670 Fifteenth avenue east.

Leave for Home—

Mrs. Owen Callaway and small son left Saturday noon for their home in Oakland, Cal., after a visit over the holidays with the former's parents.

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held during the month of December. Divisions five and seven will be in charge and the customary covered dish and sandwiches are requested said Rev. Haas.

Return to Portland—

Dr. and Mrs. D. S. Cochran left Monday for their home in Portland after two weeks visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Powell.

Club Plans Meeting—

The Iowa Women's club is to meet Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the chamber of commerce rooms. Mrs. Maude Rouse is chairman of the hostess committee and will be assisted by Mrs. Myra Rupert, Mrs. Georgia Roach, Mrs. Minnie Slatery, Mrs. Sigvald Skavlan, Mrs. G. A. Spicer, and Mrs. Alice Storer.

Home from Trip—

Mrs. and Mr. William Clark and daughter, Miss Mabel Clark, who have been visiting relatives and friends in Port Townsend and Tacoma, Wash., and in Corvallis and Monroe, Ore., have returned to their home in Veneta.

Teacher Convalescent—

Mrs. Bernice Cotner, of motor route C, teacher of the Franklin school, is unable to conduct her classes as she has just been released from a hospital after a severe illness. Her school duties will be carried on by a substitute until she is able to continue.

City Collects Fines—

H. A. Latham paid a fine of \$25 in city court Monday morning for drunkenness. Two dollar fines were collected from A. P. Moulton, parking too close to a fire plug; H. L. Cupp, making a reverse turn at East Broadway and Pearl; and R. K. Wheeler, parking in an alley.

Church night scheduled—

The regular Church Night at the First Methodist church will be held Thursday, January 17, according to announcement by Rev. J. Franklin Haas, pastor. This will be the first meeting since November as none were held during the month of December.

NORTHCOTT SAYS SANFORD CLARK IS HIS BROTHER

RIVERSIDE, Cal., Jan. 7.—(AP)—The Northcott "murder" case, described by police as "the weirdest mystery" in California criminal history, today had taken another strange turn, with the declaration of Gordon Stewart Northcott on trial for the murder of three missing boys, his accuser and nephew, 10-year-old Sanford Clark, was not his nephew, but his brother.

At the county hospital detention ward where young Clark and Cyrus Northcott are held as material witnesses, both laughed at Northcott's assertion. Mrs. Sarah Louise Northcott, now serving a life sentence at San Quentin for the murder of little Walter Collins at the sinister chicken ranch, recently stated that "an English lord" and not "Cyrus Northcott" was the father of Gordon.

Northcott today had made another bitter renunciation of alleged "third degree" methods used against him. They used the same methods on my brother, Sanford Clark when they got him to accuse me of murder," Northcott said, and the same methods that caused my mother to make a confession and take a life sentence. She thought I was a wicked boy so much pressure was put on her."

Northcott's statement was declared by officers to be a last minute attempt to repudiate previous confessions with an "insane" background.

As the trial resumed today Deputy District Attorney Redwine had announced that evidence against the accused 22-year-old Canadian and the three murders would be presented in chronological order.

Let Buyer Beware



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LAW MOVES IN ON CHICAGO HEIGHTS

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—(AP)—The law has begun to blot the blood and beer from a crime-choked Chicago Heights.

The stormy suburb, where 80 slayings have taken place in the last three years, was overpowered by federal, state and Chicago police officers just before dawn yesterday.

Twenty-five men were arrested; liquor was seized; slot machines smashed by the hundreds; and even the municipal government itself was superseded as the government men, aided by Chicago detectives, took possession of the city hall and police station.

Records of liquor and slot machine profits were taken showing what police called a giant ring that made hundreds of thousands of dollars. Three officials were revealed as linked with the underworld in the records seized.

Saved-off shotguns, revolvers and other weapons were found. In a garage the officers discovered what they believed to be the headquarters for the alcohol ring.

The arrests yesterday are said to mean virtual solution of three of the most recent killings in the suburban area.

None of the 25 prisoners, however, did much talking.

"Their silence smacks of the mafia," said Alexander G. Jamie, head of the special prohibition unit. "Correspondence found in some of the homes raided indicates that Chicago Heights may have been the next of a black hand ring operating in Chicago, New York, St. Louis and Cincinnati."

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Women's Arch Support Shoes, in brown or black kid or patent leather, were \$5.00, now	\$2.98	Misses' Black and Brown Oxfords, famous Robin Hood make, pair	\$1.95
Ladies' Oxfords, black or brown calf, were \$5.00, on sale at	\$2.98	Misses' Patent Dress Shoes, Straps or Ties, same make, pair	\$1.98
Patent Leather Ties, very dressy, were \$5.50, now	\$3.49	Ladies' Felt Slippers, were 95c, now	60c
Women's High Grade Arch Support Shoes, in kid or patent, were \$6.85, now	\$4.85		

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MEN'S OXFORDS, genuine calf skin, regular \$5.00, now	\$3.50	MEN'S HEAVY DOUBLE SOLE (Patent Shoes), regular \$7.50, now	\$5.50
MEN'S DRESS SHOES, black or brown kid, regular \$4.00, now	\$4.45	MEN'S 16-IN. TOP BOOTS, regular \$12.50, now	\$9.85

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SPECIAL SERVICES HELD SUNDAY NIGHT

At a special church program Sunday evening at the Methodist church the service was built around the general theme of what one would do if he had only one more day to live, according to Rev. J. Franklin Haas, pastor.

Rev. Haas spoke on the subject, "If I had but one more sermon to preach," in which he said that he would endeavor to present Jesus as the great sufficiency for man in the three great crises of his life, the day of sin, the day of sorrow and day of death.

Dr. A. R. Sweetser, professor of botany at the University of Oregon, who chose as his subject, "If I had but one more lesson to teach," said that he would do what he had always attempted to do, to stimulate an open mind and help man to see through the study of God of nature.

"I would love to give the largest and most available opportunity for knowledge which, in my interpretation, stands not only for intellectual acumen, but for real action," said R. A. Booth, vice-president of the Booth-Kelly Lumber company, who spoke on the subject, "If I had but one more gift to give."

An organ solo, "Glad Home," was played by Mrs. Gifford Nash, as her selection of the song she would play if it was to be her last. Mrs. Harry Seaton sang "O Love That Will Not Let Me Go."

L. J. Temple led the evening song service, and Rev. Curran, a visitor from the Upper Iowa conference, said the evening prayer.

POSTAL RECEIPTS INCREASE IN 1928

Postal receipts during the year 1928 show a gain of \$30,250 over those for the year 1927, according to figures compiled by H. R. Durkan, assistant postmaster Monday.

The total receipts for the past year were \$146,907.54, while those for the year 1927 were \$116,657.34, stated Mr. Durkan, indicating the increase in business carried on through the Eugene office.

During the month of December of 1928 a total of \$10,816.77 was registered which is an increase of \$301.48 over the receipts for the same month in 1927 when the returns were \$10,515.29.

GIRL BREAKS ARM

Geneva Myers, 12 years of age and daughter of Mrs. Linda Myers, 221 Williametta street, fell and broke her arm while skating Sunday afternoon on Lincoln street between 6th and Eleventh streets. The girl is a pupil at the Woodrow Wilson school.

How to Escape FLU

- 1 Avoid so far as possible the places where flu germs are most apt to be; crowded cars, public meeting places, warm, stuffy rooms.
- 2 Be careful of close contact with others and beware of all coughers and sneezers. Breathe through the nose.
- 3 Get lots of rest. Eat plenty of citrus fruits. Keep the bowels open. Take every precaution to keep in good physical condition, so your system will have high resistance against germs.
- 4 Above all, avoid catching cold. Any cold may be the forerunner of flu. Take Bayer Aspirin at the first sign of a cold and you can ward it off. Gargle with Bayer Aspirin at first sign of sore throat as this will remove the infection.
- 5 If you have any reason to suspect even a touch of flu, call your doctor.

January Clearance!
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\$3.25 Double Blankets At \$2.49	And these come in colorful plaid patterns, blue and grey, size 64 by 76 inches. A substantial saving for such blankets.
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\$3.50 Large Size Blankets At \$2.98	72 by 80 inch size, soft and fleecy, in just the plaids you would expect to select. Even at \$3.50 they're good values.
\$2.79 Sheet Blankets Priced \$2.25	Pretty nice to get between fleecy blankets during winter time, isn't it? White, grey or tan, size 72x80 inches, and double.
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