

**ROLPH SLAMS LID ON HARD**

All of the Ragging Dances in the Downtown Cafes Must Go—Mayor Suddenly Decides Upon a Visit to Downtown Resorts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 21.—Mayor Rolph slammed down the lid. No more will the "bunny buggers," the "Texas Tommies" or "Grizzly bears" cavort with Terpsichore in downtown cafes. And gloom is piled as high as Mount Tamalpais in some parts of the "Parla of America" today. This after the city chief executive explored the dancing dens himself.

Mayor Rolph appeared last night before Chief of Police White and asked for two detectives to accompany him through the tenderloin. Just what he thinks of the riotous revel there is not known yet. But just what he intends doing with the hundreds of popular downtown resorts is known. For shortly after his visit to Chief White a hurry order was issued and all cafe proprietors were notified to "cut out the ragging."

It is a blow to the Bohemian life of San Francisco and will put innumerable cafes out of business. Dancing in the center of the cafes, say the proprietors, is what brings trade and trade gets the money.

**LARGE SUPPLY ON LIVESTOCK MARKET**

PORTLAND, Jan. 22.—Receipts for the week have been: Cattle, 2136; calves, 22; hogs, 3680; sheep, 2432.

The accumulation of large supplies of cattle incident to the storm gave buyers an opportunity of securing an adequate supply and there was a tendency to hammer prices wherever possible. The demand was active and an increased number of buyers took the offerings. At the end of the week prices had gone off 10 cents to 15 cents from the close of last week. This reduction applied to the average offerings, but good quality cattle brought prices equal to those of last week.

The hog market showed a decline of about 25 cents at the end of the week. There were a few offerings that held up toward the top, but the average sales were at a lower point. The sheep market was a little bit slow and draggy. There was little life or activity to the demand for sheep and buyers soon filled their wants at slightly lower prices.

**GIRL ELOPES; IS INSULTED; OFFICERS TO THE RESCUE**

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 22.—James I. Graves, 27, a logging camp cook, accompanied by Pearl Reynolds, a pretty 17-year-old country girl, was taken from a passenger train from Seattle yesterday by detectives and arrested on a vagrancy warrant, pending advices from the girl's parents, who own a ranch at Curtis, Wash. The girl is being detained as a witness.

After two months' courtship, the couple left Curtis Wednesday and went to Seattle, where they occupied separate rooms at the Northern hotel.

"He told me he would marry me when we reached Seattle," said the girl, "and I believed him. He tried to insult me on the way to Portland. I want to go home now." The police believe her story.

Graves declines to talk.

**UNION DUES ARE RAISED AT SPOKANE**

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 22.—Times are so hard that to raise the dues of union members a half cent a month would result in many leaving the federation, was the general opinion expressed at the session yesterday. The debate was over the question of paying the president of the federation a salary of \$125 per month.

The secretary showed that 20 unions had left in the last year because the members were unable to pay the half cent raise, for lack of jobs. The proposed raise was killed. That only 40 per cent of the wage earners in the state are organized, and less than half of them are affiliated with the federation, was brought out during the discussion.

**Railroad Man Dies.**

PASADENA, Cal., Jan. 21.—Elias Ford, former general traffic manager of the Pennsylvania railroad, died suddenly of heart failure at his residence here today.

Haskins for health.

**QUEER UNKNOWN ANIMAL CAUGHT**

Dan Green Has Pet Which Puzzles Local People—Seems to Be a Cross Between a Marten and a Ferret.

D. E. Green, who is living on a tract of wood land he owns in the Griffin creek country, on Christmas day caught an animal which is of a species unknown to the people of this section.

His dog on Christmas day ran the animal into a hollow tree, where Mr. Green with an ax soon chopped it out and to his great astonishment he saw an animal such as he had never seen or heard of before. Its body is about the size of a kitten, only longer, being 12 inches in length, while its tail is 18 inches long. Its body is covered with fur resembling very much the fur of a marten. Its tail is very bushy and the different colorings of its fur form pretty rings around its tail, while these variegated streaks run lengthwise on its body. It is quite tame and feeds upon raw meats, vegetables and crackers.

Mr. Green declares his pet to be a mixture of marten and ferret.

**COURT HOUSE NEWS**

**Real Estate Transactions.**  
Gordon Voorhies to Helen W. Bingham, 45.545 acres in Tp. 38, 1W ..... Contract  
C. P. Hall to Claire Edmonds, trus., property in Brownboro, B for D..... \$ 3000  
W. C. Gannaway to Myron F. Sheets, 10 acres in Tp. 37, 1W, B for D..... 6000  
James H. Messler to J. A. Perry, 159.57 acres in Sec. 30, Tp. 37, 3W ..... 1200  
Rogue River Irrigated Orchard to Wm. Wright von der Hellen, 2.12 acres in Tp. 36 1W 10  
A. M. Ford to Loren V. Marcy, lot 9, blk. 13 Butte Falls, 10  
Cora Wilson to A. S. Mack, land in Sec. 25, Tp. 37, 2W\* 1050  
S. T. Songer to M. S. Dewhurst, land in Tp. 40, 1E ..... 10  
Margaret M. McArdle to Geo. L. Treichler, property in Oak Lawn add. Medford, ..... 1750  
U. S. to Wm. A. Long, 160 acres in Sec. 28, Tp. 38, 3E Patent Benton Bowers to John M. Nichols, 4 acres in Tp. 25, 1E 10  
J. O. Talent to W. A. Painter, 8.28 acres in Tp. 38, 1W... 10  
James Lowe to Geo. W. Jones, land in Tp. 39, 2E ..... 1800  
Eda M. Morris to Anna E. Hargrove, property in Ashland, 1500  
**Marriage Licenses.**  
Arthur Holland and Mrs. J. J. Anderson.  
**Probate.**  
Guard. Thos. E. and Lingle Scantlin; order appointing T. E. Scantlin guardian.  
Guard. Martha Huger. Bond of guardian on sale of real property approved.  
**New Cases.**  
Crater Lake Lumber Co. vs. L. R. James, action to recover money. W. E. Phipps, attorney for plaintiff.  
Crater Lake Lumber Co. vs. L. E. Bean, action to recover money. W. E. Phipps, attorney for plaintiff.  
Crater Lake Lumber Co. vs. B. J. Aydlott et al., action to recover money. W. E. Phipps, attorney for plaintiff.  
James J. Mears vs. City of Jacksonville; action for damages. Tucker & Brown, attorneys for plaintiff.  
James S. Bailey vs. Victor Klein; action to recover money. Geo. W. Trefren, attorney for plaintiff.  
Clara L. Loomis vs. W. F. Loomis; divorce. W. J. Moore, attorney for plaintiff.  
J. E. Hart vs. Susan C. Hart; divorce. Gus Newbury, attorney for plaintiff.  
Mabel Starks vs. Geo. Starks; divorce. Gus Newbury, attorney for plaintiff.  
Jackson Co. Bank vs. W. E. Johnson and Elsie Johnson; suit to declare a deed a mortgage. Vawter & Purdin, attorneys for plaintiff.  
W. T. Grieve vs. Martha R. Mitchell et al.; suit to quiet title. Gus Newbury, attorney for plaintiff.

**SCHOOL NOTICE.**

All pupils who will be six years of age on or before June 1, 1912, may enter school Monday morning, January 22, 1912.  
No classes organized after Friday, January 27.  
All desiring to enter should enroll as soon as possible, as the schools are full at the present time and accommodations must be made for the new pupils. Respectfully yours,  
U. S. COLLINS,  
Supt. of Schools.

**TO SCALE MOUNT M'KINLEY**



PROFESSOR HERSCHEL C. PARKER  
Professor Herschel C. Parker, of Columbia University, accompanied by Belmont Brown, of Tacoma, is on his way to Mount McKinley which, for the third time, he will attempt to scale. Arthur Aten, of Valdez, Alaska, has been employed to handle the dogs and sledges.

**MISS RADER ALSO WINS ATHLETIC HONORS**

EUGENE, Ore., Jan. 22.—Miss Hazel Rader is not content to allow her brother, Donald Rader, who is considered one of the cleverest basketball players at the University of Oregon, to uphold the athletic reputation of the family alone. Miss Rader, who is a sophomore in the university, is one of the best forwards among the women here. She is at present the holder of a two-fold honor, being captain both of the sophomore women's team and of the five representing the Kappa Alpha Theta sorority, of which she is a member.

**OREGON DEMOCRATS TAKE LITTLE HEED OF INCIDENT**

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 22.—That the Wilson-Harvey incident has not angered the Oregon democrats against the New Jersey aspirant for the democratic presidential nomination was plain today, following the Jackson club banquet here. Prominent democrats from all parts of the state attended.

The speakers all defended Wilson and pleaded for harmony in democratic ranks.

P. C. Hunt delivered the principal address and declared he believed Roosevelt would be the republican presidential candidate.  
He characterized Roosevelt as the "most unscrupulous, audacious, four-flushed demagogue ever entrusted with high authority."

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**SMALL HOLDINGS OF LAND SAFE**

Owners of Tracts of Less Than 1000 Acres Will Not Be Affected by Suit Against Railroad Company, Belief of United States Officials.

PORTLAND, Jan. 22.—In the opinion of United States officials and of those who have followed the Oregon & California land grant suit carefully the opinion of Circuit Judge Galloway in Albany last Thursday in the case of William George against the Curtiss Lumber company effectually establishes the fact that title to about 400,000 acres of land in western Oregon originally purchased from the O. & C. in quantities not less than 1000 acres is perfect and will not be affected by the government's suit against the railroad and the large purchasers of railroad land.

In other words, the small purchasers of O. & C. land and the present holders of this land need have no fear of being themselves sued as have the railroad company and the large purchasers. About 5000 persons purchased land from the railroad in quantities under 1000 acres. Since then the land has frequently changed hands and now is owned by thousands of people. Much of it has been divided into small tracts and sold to farmers and orchardists.

**MAKING REPORTS ON GREAT LAND CASE**

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 22.—R. D. Townsend, one of Attorney General Wickens' aides, now in Portland, is expected to arrive in San Francisco in connection with the litigation over the government's billion-dollar grants to the Southern Pacific railway, the Coos wagon road and the Oregon & California railroad.  
Townsend is now receiving reports in Portland from government agents investigating claims of the hundreds of litigants from all Pacific coast states. Six thousand claims are involved.

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**NOTICE OF SALE OF IMPROVEMENT BONDS.**

The City Council of the City of Medford, Oregon, will receive sealed proposals for the purchase of \$22,000.00, six per cent, ten-year Improvement Bonds (optional after the first year), at a meeting to be held February 6th, 1912. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check equal to 5 per cent of the amount bid for, said check to be made payable to the City Treasurer of the City of Medford, and to be forfeited to said city in case said bid is accepted and said bonds are not purchased in accordance with said proposition within 30 days after the notice of said acceptance.  
All bids must be filed with the City Recorder at any time before 1:30 o'clock p. m. February 6th, 1912.  
The Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
ROBT. W. TELFER,  
City Recorder.  
Dated this 17th day of January, 1912.

**WANT CLOTHES ON PUTNAM'S WORK**

Police of San Francisco Frown Upon Handiwork of One of America's Foremost Artists—Committee is Named to View Statuary.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 22.—The police want the proprietors of Barbary Coast resorts to put clothes on Sculptor Arthur Putnam's masterpieces or take 'em away. Greek satyrs, fauns and nymphs, the handiwork of one of America's foremost artists, are frowned upon.  
Resort keepers say it is "high art" and an uplift inspiration for the masses who throng the dives. A policeman who doesn't know anything of Greek mythology, but claims the eye of an Anthony Comstock, started the fuss. So a committee consisting of Chief of Police White, Artist Earl Cummings and others are to judge whether the figures shall remain as they are or shall be forced to wear a figleaf or two, or whether it is up to the owners to drape them in a full suit of clothes or remove them entirely.

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**LEGAL NOTICES.**

**NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT OF RECEIVERSHIP.**

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, J. F. Reddy, as receiver of the Medford & Crater Lake Railroad company, an Oregon corporation, to which receivership he was heretofore appointed by an order of the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Jackson county, in a cause therein, and now pending, entitled Edgar Hafer, plaintiff, versus Medford & Crater Lake Railroad company, an Oregon corporation, A. A. Davis, B. F. Adkins, R. H. Whitehead, J. M. Keene and W. I. Vawter, defendants, has filed in said court his final report, showing that said receivership is ready for final settlement.

Notice is hereby given that heretofore, in said court and cause, an order was duly made and entered setting said final report for hearing, in open court, at Jacksonville, Oregon, on January 20, 1912, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., and requiring ten days' notice thereof to be given. And all persons interested in the said estate and in the matters contained in said final report, and in the distribution of the money belonging to said receivership, will please take notice that at said time will come on for final hearing the matter of passing upon said final report, and of the receiver's fees, expenses and disbursements, and of the fees and disbursements of his attorney, and the matter of the general distribution of the funds, and that all persons having objections to said report are hereby required to file the same with the clerk of said court prior to said time.

Notice is hereby given that at said time and place, the court will determine the manner of distributing said fund, and to whom the same shall be distributed.  
Dated this 17th day of January, 1912.

J. F. REDDY,  
As Receiver of the Medford & Crater Lake Railroad Company, an Oregon corporation, which receivership is pending in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Jackson County.

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