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PORTLAND BOAT TO
CELILLO FETE URGED
Chamber Committee Thinks
Estimated Receipts Ample
Guarantee of Price.
IMPORTANCE OF TRIP SEEN

Participation at All River Points Is
Planned for Party on Undine.
Permission Given for Fire-
boats to Take Part.

The Dalles-Celilo committee of the
new Chamber of Commerce went on
record Tuesday as strongly favoring
the chartering of the steamer Undine
for a round trip from Portland to
Lewiston and return during the week
of May 2 to 8.

The estimates of probable receipts
from passengers fares and berth reser-
vations made it evident that practi-
cally no risk would be incurred in guar-
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"Portland should emphasize its in-
terest in waterways, at the farthest
point that its navigable waters reach,
Lewiston. This is not said in a spirit
of prejudice, but represents reality, as
we view it, the broad grasp of the
waterways situation, dealing not only
with the present, as newly developed
through the completion of the canal,
but as to the future improvement of
the waterways.

"There is no question but that the
future action of Congress in dealing
with the improvement and canaliza-
tion of the rivers will be more largely
influenced by the extent of the fleet
assembled at Lewiston, having made
the run through the canal, than any
other possible thing that could occur."

Fireboat Participation Permitted.
It developed from the report of the
transportation committee that a special
train from Portland to The Dalles and
Big Eddy on the morning of May 5
via the O. W. R. & N. Company, is
contemplated, and possibly another via
the North Bank to Maryhill and return
to Granddallas.

Fred A. Ballin reported that the chief
of the Portland fire bureau had signi-
fied his willingness to allow the fire-
boats to participate in the Portland
celebration.

Secretary Kansler reported that in-
vitations had been extended to the
public schools of Portland through
Superintendent Alderman to take part
in the parade features and to L. C.
Gilman, president of Great Northern
Pacific Steamship Company, request-
ing the participation of one of the
new Hill liners from Flavel.

GERMANY IS NOT STRAINED
Former Portland Resident Writes
From Giessen-Hesse.

John Seaton, Deputy United States
Marshal, in charge of the Postoffice
building at night, yesterday received
a postal card from Rudolph Hoekel,
formerly of Portland, who is in Ger-
many. Mr. Hoekel said that conditions
there were not unduly strained in view
of the fact that Germany was warring
on so large a scale.

Mr. Hoekel, who some time ago was
injured in a fall from one of the new
buildings, left Portland for Germany
just a short time before the war broke
out and arrived in Germany almost on
the eve of the declaration of war
against Russia. He is with his wife
and baby, the baby having been one
of the first prize winners in the first
eugenic show held in Portland. He is
at Giessen-Hesse, Germany, with rela-
tives and said the time was not propi-
tious for him to leave there.

MONOLOGUIST TO APPEAR
Miss Ruth Draper to Give Pro-
gramme for Drama League.

Miss Ruth Draper, a reader of Na-
tional renown, will appear in mono-
logues on Friday evening at the Art
Museum under the auspices of the
Drama League.

Mrs. Henry Ladd Corbett is chair-
man of the committee of arrange-
ments. Professor Hammond, of Reed
College, president of the Drama League,
and Frank Branch Riley, secretary-
treasurer, as well as a large number
of the members of the organization are
working for the success of the meet-
ing.

Miss Draper has several intimate
friends among Portland society folk
and she is being entertained here at
informal gatherings.

RAYMOND STAUB IS BETTER
Physicians Think Oregon Athlete
Will Recover Completely.

Raymond Staub, the University of
Oregon athlete and former track star
at Washington High School, who was
injured in an auto crash early Sunday
morning at East Twenty-fourth street
North and East Flanders street, was
reported much improved yesterday.
His escape from the wreck with so few
serious injuries is viewed as remark-
able, and physicians report that he will
recover without any lasting ill effects
so far as his athletic work is concerned.
He was bruised badly, however.

Young Staub was returning from a
party in Rose City Park at the home of
a friend, and not from a dance at one
of the downtown hotels as had been re-
ported previously.

Illinois Society to Have Booth.
The Illinois Society will have a booth
in connection with the Interstate So-
ciety at the Rose Festival. This was
decided at an enthusiastic meeting of
the society held at the Commercial Club
last night, over which James McMen-
amin, the president, presided. Refresh-
ments were served after the pro-
gramme, which included a vocal solo
by Dr. O. J. Pitt, piano solo, Miss Mar-
ion Bennett, violin solo, Mrs. James
McMenamin, and reading, Miss Clara
Belle Lucas.

Sale Prices That You Cannot Afford to Overlook on
These New 1915 Spring Laces and Embroideries of Various Kinds
Just six items that are typical of the many very special offerings that are to be had in this department today. All new, fresh merchandise!
65c to 85c Swiss Embroidery Flouncing, in English eyelet designs. 45 inches wide, tunic or double-flounce style. Five yards makes a dress. 39c The yard.....
\$1.75 to \$2.50 Crepe and Voile Organdie Embroidery Flouncing, solid work, hemmed and scalloped edges, some with dainty colors. Forty-five inches.... \$1.49
75c to 85c Baby Embroidery Flouncing, dainty designs suitable for baby's wear, hemmed, scalloped and lace edges, 27-inch width, yard, spe- cial for..... 49c
\$2.50 to \$3.50 Net Top Laces, white and cream for party frocks, tunics, etc. Very elaborate floral designs and large scallop. 36 inches wide. Now yard.... \$1.98
35c to 50c Embroidery Edgings, on crepe, organdie and voile. Some with touches of color, popular for vestees and collars. Your choice, the yard..... 25c
12c to 18c Barman Lace Edges, white and ecru for art squares and table runners, German made. We have a splendid assortment in 2 to 3-inch widths at, yard..... 10c
—First Floor, Sixth St. Bldg.

Beautiful Cretonnes
Made to sell 12 1/2c Made to sell 17c
for 20c at. for 25c at.
Designs and colorings suitable for bedroom draperies and curtains, cushions, shirtwaist box coverings, window seat upholstering and dozens of other around-the-house places for cretonne uses. Colors to match any desired color scheme, dozens of lovely patterns.
—Temporary Annex, Ninth Floor.

Meier & Frank Co.
1887 1915
THE QUALITY STORE OF PORTLAND
Fifth, Sixth, Morrison, Alder Sts.

Some Reprints of Popular Books 50c
"The Land of Promise," "Fine Feathers," by Eugene Walters, "The Woman," by Albert Terhune.
"The Greater Joy," by Margaret Blake, "Seven Keys to Baldpate," by Earl D. Biggers.
—Bookstore—Sixth Floor, Sixth-St. Bldg.

1915 "Eppo" Petticoats Conform Perfectly
To the Demand for Wide and Billowy Effects That the New Gowns Require.
The new "Eppos" are beauties. The colors are lovely and as varied as you can possibly desire, the materials are soft, pliable or "stand-out," as you choose, and the models show all the new and effective touches of the season.
The most noticeable change from past seasons is the width, the flare and billowing tendency, that the new gowns make necessary.
We're showing new "Eppos"—all, of course, with the elastic-fitted tops—in all Jersey, all taffeta, all messaline or combinations of different materials. There are ruffled, ruched and pleated bottoms, pretty corded effects and other novelties.
Eppo Petticoats \$5
Messaline, Jersey and taffeta, regular and extra sizes.
Eppo Petticoats at..... \$7.00
Messaline, Jersey and taffeta, double extra sizes, to 38 waist, 56 hip.
300 LAST SEASON'S "Eppo" PETTICOATS AT LESS THAN COST—\$2.95
Made of fine messaline and Jersey, with the famous "Eppo" side fastening, splendid variety of colors and models. Slightly narrower than the present season's garments. Guaranteed all pure silk—and the famous "Eppo" make, \$2.95.
—Fifth Floor, Sixth-St. Bldg.



An Extraordinary Sale Children's Beautiful Little Dresses of Very Fine Quality and Finish
Without question, the most decided demonstration of exceptional value-giving Portland mothers have experienced in many a day. Entire lot of fresh, crisp and clean stock of dainty, little sheer creations from one of the country's best manufacturers—bought so low, we're enabled to price them far below the regular retail cost to you.
White Dresses Made to Sell at \$2 and \$2.50. Now \$1.29
Fine quality white lawn, trimmed with laces and embroideries, made in French and Empire styles. Long and three-quarter sleeves, square neck. Sizes 2 to 6 years.
French Style Dresses to \$3.50
Fine lawn, square neck, lace and embroidery trimmed. Surplice style with double rows of lace insertion and edge with ribbon bow trimming and many other models.
Dotted Swiss Frocks, \$4.50, \$4.98
Trimmed with laces, embroidery insertion and ribbon-run beading; or white lawns with small sailor collar, turnback cuffs trimmed with hand embroidery, wide lace at bottom.
—Second Floor, Sixth-St. Bldg.



For Today, Friday and Saturday
Women's Pumps and Oxfords \$1.98
\$3.50 and \$4.00 Models That We Are Discontinuing
Patent leather, brown and black suede, velvet, mat kid and tan Russia leathers. Lace-style Oxfords and low Pumps with tailored ribbon bow. Great variety and assortment to select from.
Women's \$4 to \$6 Tan Russia Calf Shoes, the Pair, for \$2.69
They're J. & T. Cousins' and other famous makes, lace or button styles, welt soles and Cuban heels. For this sale only, pair \$2.69.
Men's French, Shiner & Urner \$6, \$6.50, \$7 Shoes, Pair, \$4.85
Your choice of patent leather, button or Blucher style, gummetal and tan Russia leathers, button or lace styles. All desirable models.
Children's \$2 and \$2.50 Shoes, Pumps, 8 1/2 to 11, \$1.58
Shoes of patent leather, cloth or kid tops, button style, or tan Russia leather button styles. Pumps of patent leather and gummetal, broad, footform lasts and good weight soles, one and two-strap styles. Children's \$2 and \$2.50 Shoes, Pumps, sizes 1 1/2 to 2..... \$1.78
—Third Floor, Sixth-St. Bldg.

Today Only!
Men's Fine Corded Madras Pajamas AT \$1.19
Garments which were made to sell for \$2.50—all were bought below regular. Imported corded madras and crepe materials of very fine quality. Low-neck garments, with double silk frog and real pearl button fastenings. All sizes. Wonderful opportunity for saving in these Pajamas, regularly selling up to \$2.50 now \$1.19.
Temp. Annex, Main Floor

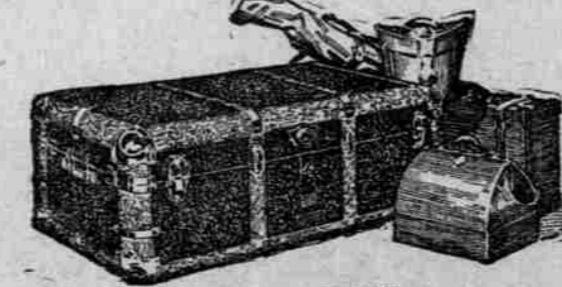
6000 Yards Imported Fine Black Velvet Ribbons
These were specially bought underpriced by our buyer while in New York last January. All choice qualities black satin velvet and velours, all widths.
10c No. 2 width, at..... 6c
14c No. 3 width, at..... 10c
17c No. 5 width, at..... 12c
25c No. 7 width, at..... 15c
35c No. 9 width, at..... 19c
40c No. 12 width, at..... 25c
50c No. 16 width, at..... 29c
60c No. 22 width, at..... 35c
75c No. 40 width, at..... 49c
1.00 No. 60 width, at..... 69c
1.25 No. 80 width, at..... 79c
—First Floor, Sixth St. Bldg.

Fine Hair Brushes 89c
Specially Purchased \$2.00 to \$3.00 Grades.
Genuine ebony and rosewood backs and pure bristles, guaranteed not to come out. 150 brushes in the lot at this radical reduction.
50c Scissors, ball bearing, sizes 6 and 7 inches, your choice of 60 at 10c
—First Floor, Sixth St. Bldg.

Here's News That Will Delight Women!
Parisian Ivory Toilet Articles
All greatly below regular today and this week. Buying in immense quantities enables us to offer very substantial price concessions that are too good to be passed by.
\$3.75 and \$4.00 Parisian Ivory Round Mirrors..... \$2.98
\$3.00 Parisian Ivory Round Mirrors..... \$2.59
\$3.25 Parisian Ivory Puff Boxes..... \$2.69
75c Parisian Ivory Hair Receivers..... 49c
75c Parisian Ivory Puff Boxes..... 49c
1.25 Parisian Ivory Puff Boxes..... 98c
\$4.50 Parisian Ivory Hair Brushes..... \$3.98
\$4.00 Parisian Ivory Hair Brushes..... \$3.69
1.00 and 1.25 Parisian Ivory Picture Frames..... 89c
\$2.00 and \$2.50 Parisian Ivory Trays..... \$1.79
1.00 and 1.25 Parisian Ivory renewable Buffers..... 89c
50c Parisian Ivory Flexible Nail Files..... 38c
65c-75c Parisian Ivory Dressing Combs..... 49c
—First Floor, Sixth St. Bldg.

A Hosiery Sale
Women's and Children's Each Item Greatly Reduced
Women's 50c Imported Silk Lisle Hose, light weight, double garter tops, reinforced feet, black and tan shades. 39c
2 pairs 75c; pair..... 50c
Women's 50c Mercerized Cotton Hose, medium weight, black only, six-thread heels and toes—hose for service. 28c
2 pairs 55c; pair..... 28c
Women's \$1.00 Pure Silk Thread Hose, double lisle feet, plain and colored handed tops, 300 pairs, mill run, of 85c
Women's 25c Cotton and Lisle Hose, light weight, seamless, full fashioned, black, white and tans. 3 pairs 60c, special at 20c pair..... 21c
Women's Pure Dye Silk Boot Hose, black, white and colors, lisle tops and soles, at 50c a moderate price, pair..... 50c
Women's 50c Extra Size Silk Lisle Hose, imported direct by this store, black, white and tan shades, sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2, pair..... 45c
Children's Mercerized Lisle Hose, black, white, tans, in Spring weights. Seamless feet, linen heels and toes. 25c
Children's New White Mercerized Socks, latest Spring styles, with fancy colored stripe tops, sizes 4 1/2 to 9 1/2. 3 pairs 50c, special at 20c pair..... 20c
—First Floor, Sixth St. Bldg.

Sale Prices on "Indestructo" Trunks and Luggage
A Great "Panama Exposition" Sale—the Result of an Unusual Concession From the Indestructo Factories
For today and this week only. The most important event of the year. All "INDESTRUCTO" Traveling Goods are guaranteed against fire, loss, breakage, and all "Indestructo" dealers are authorized to replace or repair all trunks and leather goods free of charge.
\$21.00, \$25.00 and \$28.00 "Indestructo" Trunks at \$14.75
Every "Indestructo" Special Model, Steamer. Three-quarter men's and women's Trunks, in 36 and 40-inch sizes. 6-ply boxes, tempered steel protections.
\$29, \$31 and \$33 "Indestructo" at \$21.00
"Indestructo" Greyhound—the winner of a thousand battles with the baggageman. 8-ply boxes, 36 and 40-inch size steamers and 36-inch three-quarter men's.
\$34.50, \$35.00 and \$36.00 "Indestructo" Trunks at \$24.75
\$10, \$11 and \$12 "Indestructo" Traveling Bags \$7.50
English design, leather lined, sewed corners, reinforced bottoms, sewed frame. 16, 17 and 18-inch sizes, 18 bags in the lot.
\$39, \$41.50 and \$44 "Indestructo" Trunks \$29.75
The "Dreadnought," judged by the American Baggage Association to be the strongest trunk built, and at the same time the lightest. Imported rawhide, Yale paracentric locks.
\$46.50, \$49.00 and \$52.00 sizes, same as above, at \$33.75
\$55.00 and \$65.00 Wardrobe Trunks \$32.50
\$85.00 Wardrobe Trunks at \$55.00
\$7.50 "Indestructo" Suit-cases on Sale at Only \$5.00
24-inch size, with or without straps, lined with three-ounce weight cowhide, hard-tanned finish.
\$6.50 and \$7.50 "Indestructo" Traveling Bags \$5.00
Leather lined, heavy three-quarter inch frames. Heavy bag-stock cowhide, soft and pliable. 16, 17 and 18-inch size. 25 in the lot.
—Temporary Annex, Fifth Floor



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