

COUNCIL TO ACT ON AUDITORIUM PLANS

Approval of Details for Working Drawings Expected at Special Meeting Today.

MAIN FEATURES ARRANGED

Seating of 5150 People Is Provided and Comfort Station With Public Shower Baths Is Considered for Building.

Having worked out preliminary plans for the proposed public auditorium which appear to have all the questions of interior arrangement settled to a point, the City Council at a special meeting this morning to approve the plans and the order them sent to New York for the preparation of the working plans. It is expected that his suggestion will meet with the unanimous approval of the Council.

For about two weeks Commissioner Baker has been working with Whitehouse & Foulhoux, the architects, on the difficult problem of the interior arrangement of the building. The result of the work is a new scheme which Mr. Baker says meets his idea of the city's needs. He approved the plans at a meeting yesterday with the architects. The Council was to have been present but the meeting was deferred until this morning on account of the absence of Mayor Albee during the afternoon.

Seating for 5150 Persons Provided.
The new plan as worked out provides an auditorium with a seating capacity of 5150 persons. The auditorium proper will be fitted for a large display chamber as well as a meeting place and theater accommodations.

The central floor or main part of the auditorium will be in the center of the building on the first floor. This will be 100 by 108 feet in size. The main entrance will be from Third street, the building being designed for the block at Third and Market streets. On the Market-street side of the main auditorium will be a side assembly room 40 feet in width and 140 feet long, and on the Clay-street side an assembly room 34 feet in width and 88 feet long. Between these assembly rooms and the main auditorium will be movable partitions. When these are raised the entire space may be converted into one large room.

Stairs Will Be Removable.
The stage will be 92 feet across and 45 feet deep, and will be elevated four feet above the rest of the auditorium floor. Removable stairs will be provided for this in case of exhibits so that this space can be used. The stairs in such cases will cover the orchestra pit. The removal of the stairs will leave a large pit for the music.

Normally the main auditorium will seat on the bottom floor a total of 1600 persons. The first gallery will seat 1200 and the second gallery 340, making a total seating capacity of 3140. By opening up the assembly rooms and placing seats on the stage the capacity can be increased to 5150.

At the Third street entrance will be a ticket lobby, 16 by 73 feet in size, and inside that a corridor 12 by 160 feet. The first gallery will have seats on three sides.

Basement to Have Exhibit Space.
This floor will also have several exhibit rooms. One will be 22 by 100 feet, another 21 by 62 feet, another 22 by 44 feet, and still another 16 by 62 feet.

The second gallery will be over the Third street side only. Provision is made for a basement with exhibit space 164 by 108 feet size. This basement as well as the upper or main floor will have vehicular entrances. The organ in the main auditorium will be built around the proscenium arch.

In the basement will be a public comfort station. This will be provided with street entrances as well as entrances from the building. It will occupy a space 15 by 85 feet. Among other things it will have a series of shower baths for public use, according to present plans.

ALBANY COMES SUNDAY

NAVAL MILITIAMEN PREPARE FOR ANNUAL PRACTICE CRUISE.

Oregon Reserves Will Make Trip to San Francisco and Hold Big Gun Practice.

The United States steamship Albany will arrive in Portland next Sunday to take members of the Oregon Naval Militia on their fifth annual cruise. The cruiser is in command of Lieutenant George A. Alexander.

This year's cruise will be taken by 11 officers and about 130 men of the Oregon Naval Militia from July 26 until August 2. The enlisted men include about 45 engineers, 60 from the deck force and 25 band members.

The Oregon Naval Militiamen will go on board the Albany Monday morning, leaving for sea Tuesday morning. San Francisco will be their first objective point and while on the way down the coast naval drill will be part of the daily schedule. Four days will be spent at the exposition city. The men will drill and do shore duty while in San Francisco.

The Albany will then cruise north and arrive at Port Angeles on August 6. Target practice will be engaged in for three days with the five-inch battery of the Albany.

Governor Whitcomb and Adjutant-General White, of the Oregon National Guard, will accompany the Albany as far as Astoria, and the latter will witness the practice when the reserves arrive at Port Angeles.

STATE ADVERTISING URGED

J. L. Lee Thinks Resources Should Be Emphasized More.

J. L. Lee, who has returned from the National convention of Realty Exchanges, which was held in Los Angeles recently, declares himself more than ever before filled with admiration for the resources of this state.

He referred to an address of J. R. Rhoades, of Los Angeles, upon the resources in Southern California and declared that the conditions there are in sharp contrast with those of Oregon.

"The splendid valleys of the Willamette, Umpqua and Rogue cannot be duplicated and the greatness of our inland Empire grows with acquaintance," he said.

"Mr. Rhoades, in his address, explained that the high prices asked for

IT WILL PROFIT YOU TO ATTEND OUR FREE BAKING DEMONSTRATION, 5th FLOOR, TEMPORARY ANNEX—TODAY 10 A. M.—5 P. M.

With the Two Floors Now Open of Our Wonderful New Building—This Store Is More Than Ever Portland's Favorite Shopping Place, Plus the Advantages of Enabling You to Buy in Our (Soon-to-End)



GIGANTIC REMOVAL SALE

Every Article in the Store, New Building and Annex Now Reduced except Contract Goods, "Silk Maid" Hose, New Fall Suits and Groceries.

Men's Athletic-Style Gotham Underwear (Broken) for 59c

That Originally Belonged on \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00 Levels. Men Cannot Make Nor Money Buy Any Better



Custom quality shirts and drawers at a ready-for-service price. These garments do not take any odds of any other underwear in the market. They are superlative in workmanship and fabric, perfect in fit and finish. In other words, they are "Gothams" and you know what that means.

Fine quality mercerized fabrics, crepes, madras, linen and silk mixtures are the materials used in these Summer-necessity garments, in plain white and fancy stripes. Sleeveless shirts and knee-length drawers.

"Gotham" Shirts, Drawers, Ea. 25c Broken Lines of 50c Grade

Nainsook in stripes and checks—the cool garments always so popular during warm weather. Made in regulation athletic style.

Good Underwear in the Athletic style is one of the chief considerations in keeping cool these days—remember that!

—Temporary Annex, First Floor

Lovely Ribbons, Yard 25c

50c, 75c and \$1.00 Values

Tapestries, taffetas and satins, in all kinds of styles, including the favored satin borders. Splendid assortment of colors. 6 to 8 inches wide. The ribbons you'll want for sashes, girdles and hair bows.

A special purchase makes 25¢ yard possible.

—First Floor, Sixth-St. Bldg.

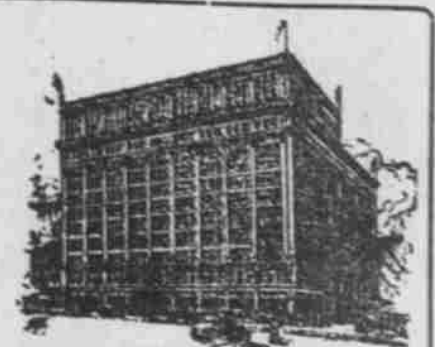
'Welworth' the \$2



These Beautiful and Becoming Blouses We Place on Sale Today at \$2 Will Be With Us but a Very Short Time

Only by an arrangement with the maker are we enabled to buy them at a most favorable price, consequently they are sold at a figure which does not fairly represent their true worth.

—Fifth Floor, Sixth-St. Bldg.



New Store Talks

Number 14

The woodwork construction in the new store is one of the most interesting phases of the work, and one that will be admired by everyone. Just a few facts will be illuminating.

The main entrance, the entire first and mezzanine floors are finished in Tobasan mahogany which comes either from the south coast of Africa or the east coast of Mexico. Every piece is selected for its beauty of grain and harmony of color. It is the highest-priced lumber used for finishing.

The remainder of the floors are red luan and old growth yellow fir, cut quartering, white enamel finished. The red luan comes from the Philippine Islands, being hauled to the mills by the water ox, a species of buffalo.

To obtain the vertical grain desired, trees smaller than five to seven feet in diameter cannot be used, and this size requires a growth of over a hundred years. The older the tree the finer the grain. To prepare these woods for inside uses they must first be dried on sticks, then kiln-dried for a week, assorted for grain and color, planed, veneered and worked to shape, sand-papered, scraped and hand-finished.

Oregon Wool Blankets \$4.35

Regularly Priced \$6.50

Soft white Oregon wool, full bed size, with colored borders. Slightly stock-soiled.

—Temporary Annex, Ninth Floor

All Motor Caps and Bonnets at 1/2 Price

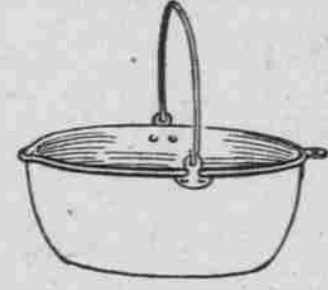
All kinds, suitable for auto, beach and street wear. Black and white checks and plain colors, variously trimmed.

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65c CAPS ARE NOW 33c
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\$1.00 CAPS ARE NOW 50c
\$1.50 CAPS ARE NOW 75c
\$1.75 CAPS ARE NOW 87c
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—First Floor, Sixth-St. Bldg.

Canning Season Is Here! Aluminum Preserving Kettles at 89c



Instead of Regular \$1.60 Price 300 of these kettles have just come in—and as long as any of them remain the price is 89c.

Made of medium-weight aluminum, with riveted band handle. 2-gallon size.

—Temporary Annex, Third Floor

Almost Any Kind of a Negligee Today for \$1.98

The Original Prices Were Far More

TO DON A NEGLIGEE, MADAM, IS TO ESCAPE FROM PARIS INTO BOHEMIA

The negligee offers every woman solace and comfort from the trials and tribulations of the wardrobe. It is a respite from the ordeals of tailored apparel—a Roman holiday of ease and indolence.

And the negligees we offer today are not only lovely and charming, but they're the odds and ends left from several high-grade lines and made one lot of the whole—and the price is \$1.98.

Silk Crepe de Chine, Japanese Silk, Albatross, Crepe

The colors are both light and dark—the patterns too varied to mention.

The styles are excellent—those suited to home wear or for traveling.

No exchanges—no credits. —Fifth Floor, Sixth-St. Bldg.

Mail Orders Filled

Housekeepers! Royal Banquet Flour Is Priced Today at Only \$1.55 a Sack

The finest flour milled in Oregon. It pleases more particular home bakers than any other flour. Our present stock is milled from all old wheat, which makes better bread—more bread—than that baked from new wheat.

—Basement, Sixth-St. Bldg.

Event No. 2--Is Draperies and Curtains

In Our Great Series of Value-Giving Occasions in the

Before-Vacating-the-Temporary-Annex-Sale at Removal Prices

These items are simply forceful illustrations of the hundreds of others that await your coming. We have but one object in view—that is to reduce stocks. And, we believe, there is but one way to do that quickly—that is to put prices on the goods so they'll sell upon sight.

30c to 60c Figured Nets, sale price, yard at 17c
\$1.25 to \$2.00 Swiss Appliqued and Embroidered Nets, yard 50c
\$3.00 Swiss Appliqued and Embroidered Nets, yard \$1.00
25c to 30c Cream Figured Madras, sale price, yard 21c
35c Cream Figured Madras, good patterns, the yard 28c
25c Bordered Scrim, hemstitched finish, the yard 18c
35c Bordered Scrim, hemstitched finish, the yard 28c
35c Colored Scrim and Swiss, sale price, the yard 15c
35c Colored Marquissettes, sale price, the yard 21c

15c Colored Scrims, good patterns, sale price, the yard 9c
35c Satines for Comforters, many designs, the yard 28c
Silklines for Comforters, splendid variety, yard 11c
15c Cretonnes, pleasing variety, sale price, yard 9c
35c to 60c Cretonnes, splendid patterns, price, yard 28c
\$1.50 to \$3.00 Shadow Cretonnes, sale price, yd. 50c to \$1.75
Pillow Squares of Damask and Tapestry, each at 25c
Cretonne Porch Cushions, many patterns, special, each 49c
Japanese Canvas Porch Cushions, special, each 89c

Silk Table Runners, rose, gold, blue, special each \$1.25
\$1.50 to \$3.00 Drapery Silks and Armures, the yard 85c
\$2.00 to \$5.00 Velours, 3 to 8-yard lengths, yard 98c to \$2.50
\$2.00 Sunfast Drapery Material, lattice design, yard 85c
\$1.00 and \$1.35 Kimono Silks, the yard at 65c
45c Kimono Silks, many effects, the yard at 33c
Walzer Window Awnings, special, each at \$2.00
10c Brass Extension Rods, to 54 inches, each 5c
35c Brass Extension Rods, to 54 inches, each 15c

50c Brass Extension Rods, to 54 inches, each 15c
Sham Holder for Wooden Beds, special, each at 15c
Mission Poles, 1-inch, 6-foot lengths, each 6c
Mission Poles, 1 inch, 12-foot lengths, each 12c
\$2.50 Nottingham Lace Curtains, pair at \$1.65
\$2.75-\$3.00 Nottingham Lace Curtains, pair at \$1.85
\$3.25 Nottingham Lace Curtains, pair at \$1.98
\$3.75 Nottingham Lace Curtains, pair at \$2.25
\$1.50 Scrim Curtains, hemstitched hems, pair at 75c

\$4.50 to \$5.00 Scrim Curtains, lace edged, pair \$3.45
\$2.00 Scrim Curtains, lace insertion, pair \$1.19
\$4.35 to \$6.50 Irish Point Curtains, pair \$3.65
\$3.00 Irish Point Curtains, the pair at \$1.89
\$12.00 to \$14.00 Duchesse Lace Curtains, pair \$8.65
\$3.75 Arabian Lace Curtains, the pair at \$1.98
\$6.50 Arabian Lace Curtains, the pair at \$4.35
\$2.00 and \$2.25 Novelty Braid Curtains, pair at \$1.49
\$2.00 to \$2.75 Cluny Lace Curtains, pair at \$1.89

—Temporary Annex, Ninth Floor

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land in California are not extreme. He showed that only 8 per cent of the standard parallel, comprising about 50,000 square miles, or one-third of the state, is in cultivation.

"Never more than 12 1/2 per cent of it can ever be thoroughly farmed."

Mr. Lee urged that Oregon should learn some lessons from California's

methods of advertising its attractions. "It would be well to make more of a feature of the possibility of Winter sports in Summer," he said. "Mount Hood is much nearer Portland than California and our rivers are better suited to aquatic sports than those in California."

NEW OARLOCK INVENTED

Man Makes Salem-Portland Trip Facing Bow of Boat.

A bow-facing oarlock, something that its inventor, P. T. Livingston, of

Salem, says will revolutionize rowing, has just arrived in Portland. Mr. Livingston left Salem in his 18-foot skiff, carrying between 400 and 500 pounds, last Thursday afternoon and after rowing the entire distance he arrived in Portland at the foot of Taylor street at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

By the use of the new oarlock it will be possible for the rower to face the

bow, and in this way be able to handle and guide the boat in a safer and easier manner than is customary at present, according to Mr. Livingston. His first test of the invention between here and Salem clearly showed him that it was well worth the trial. He will remain at the foot of Taylor street for several days demonstrating the bow-facing oarlock.

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