

EXPERT TO HANDLE  
ROLE IS SUGGESTED

Abolition of City Employment  
Bureau in Present Form  
Being Considered.

SAVING BY CHANGE LIKELY

Mr. Baker Is Investigating Proposals  
Made by Committee, but Man  
With "Punch" Is Sought to  
Provide Aid in Winter.

Abolition of the Municipal Free Em-  
ployment Bureau in its present form  
will be one of the outcomes of prepara-  
tions for handling the seasonal unem-  
ployment problem in Portland next  
winter. Plans for a sweeping revision  
of this branch of the service are being  
made by Commissioner Baker.

Though indefinite, it is likely that  
the bureau as it stands will be discon-  
tinued and that in its place will be  
established a general bureau for the  
handling of the unemployment prob-  
lem.

Commissioner Baker said yesterday  
that he is convinced after investigation  
that the bureau is inadequate and that  
changes in management are necessary.  
A committee of citizens appointed to  
investigate the question of seasonal  
unemployment recommended to Mr.  
Baker on Thursday the engaging of a  
trained worker to handle the entire  
problem.

A. E. Wood Recommended for Job.  
Mr. Baker said yesterday that he is  
unwillingly opposed to the creation of  
any new jobs at this time, but believes  
the recommendation can be followed  
out by a revision of the present Free  
Employment Bureau.

The committee recommended the  
appointment of Arthur Evans Wood, for-  
merly an instructor at Reed College,  
for the position. Mr. Baker said yes-  
terday that he is considering Mr. Wood.  
"I want a man with a punch," said Mr.  
Baker. "I want someone who will be  
able to get in and get results. There  
is a big field and there is a big prob-  
lem. I believe the right kind of a man  
can get results. But he has to have the  
punch and the snap and he has to know  
the business."

At present the payroll of the Free  
Employment Bureau totals \$250 a  
month, which amount would be avail-  
able for a revised bureau with no ad-  
ditional payroll and possibly a saving.

Disatisfaction Is Expressed.  
Commissioner Baker, under whose de-  
partment the unemployment problem  
comes, says he is certain the results  
can be obtained with a thoroughly  
competent bureau. He says he is dis-  
satisfied with the employment bureau  
as it stands now.

"Of one thing we are certain," said  
Mr. Baker yesterday, "and that is that  
we will have the unemployment prob-  
lem. In my judgment we need not  
spend much time inquiring into this.  
What is paramount is the obtaining of  
work for our own people first and work  
for others if it can be found. We do  
not want to make this an attractive  
city for the unemployed, but we do  
want to provide as best we can for our  
own people and especially our own re-  
sident men with families."  
"Just how this will be brought  
about is a matter for settlement. I  
have great confidence in the committee  
of business men appointed to investi-  
gate and make recommendations. I  
also have confidence in our ability to  
get a man with a punch to take charge  
and bring our aims to a reality with-  
out burdening the city service with any  
more employes."

CLATSKANIE TO SHOW

LEAGUE TO PARTICIPATE IN LAND  
PRODUCTS DISPLAYS HERE.

Town Has Exhibit During Visit of  
Governor and Other Officials  
Arranging Highway Trip.

Clatskanie, through its Development  
League, is the first community to an-  
nounce its intention to exhibit at the  
coming Manufacturers' and Land Pro-  
ducts Show. When it was found that  
Clatskanie would be visited this week  
by Governor Withycombe and promi-  
nent business men of Portland, the  
state in general in connection with  
the opening of the Columbia River  
Highway to the sea, Clatskanie ar-  
ranged for an exhibit at the ex-  
hibition of products of the soil was  
highly praised by the state's chief  
executive during his visit there Thurs-  
day.

This is the information brought to  
Portland by A. P. Bateham, vice-president  
of the coming exposition and  
chairman of the products committee.  
Mr. Bateham went to Clatskanie  
to judge the exhibits at the invita-  
tion of the officers of the Develop-  
ment League. Clatskanie business men  
informed Mr. Bateham they had ob-  
tained excellent results from last year's  
exposition, and proposed to make a  
larger display this year. Already ar-  
rangements are being made for a dis-  
play of grains, grasses, fruits and veg-  
etables.

"Clatskanie's land show this week  
is a credit to the community," said  
Mr. Bateham. "When the officers of the  
Development League heard that  
prominent visitors were coming," he  
continued, "the dates of the show were  
set ahead and the products were gar-  
thered together and displayed in a  
prominent place on one of the main streets.  
Many choice varieties of seed potatoes,  
grown for the seed, were displayed,  
and more than 20 varieties of apples,  
both early and late. Other exhibits  
consisted of peaches, strawberries,  
loganberries, blackberries and veg-  
etables of all kinds. Clatskanie will  
have one of the most interesting ex-  
hibits this year at the Fall ex-  
position in the Armory."

MEMORY FEATS AMAZE ALL

David Roth Performs for Seattle and  
Tacoma Civic Organizations.

Remarkable memory feats of David  
M. Roth, of Portland, amazed audiences  
in Seattle and Tacoma early this week  
when Mr. Roth went to those cities at  
the invitation of civic organizations.  
Monday noon he appeared before the  
Metropolitan Lumbermen's Club, in  
Seattle, and caused considerable stir  
by rattling off names, figures and  
telephone numbers after they had been  
fired at him by the assemblage. Most  
of whom he had never seen before.  
Thursday he repeated his performance  
before the Rotary Club, of Tacoma.  
Among other things, at the meetings  
he heard a rapid-fire roll call of the  
members and later without further  
study called off all the names from  
memory.

BUY A PORTABLE OVEN WITH BOLO REDUCING SLIDE—SAVES HALF THE GAS. 5TH FLOOR ANNEX  
Hundreds of Small Lots Are About Gone--Those Still Remaining We Can Afford Prac-  
tically to Give Away--and That's What We Are Doing in These

**Meier & Frank Co.**  
Established 1867  
**THE QUALITY STORE OF PORTLAND**  
Fifth, Sixth, Morrison, Alder Sts.

**LAST DAYS OF OUR  
GREAT REMOVAL SALE!**

There's so little that we cannot say very much about it--but the values are  
so strong that they'll sell in a hurry--the minute you lay your eyes upon them!

**Out-of-Town Mail Orders Filled From This**  
And All Our Advertisements  
if received within three days of date of publica-  
tion. Phone us where quantities are limited or  
you are in a hurry.  
We give our out-of-town customers the same privilege of  
buying from our daily ads as those who live in the city.  
Moreover, our method is not a "mail-order system"; it is,  
rather, a systematized shopping service which gives the  
personal attention of a trained shopper to the filling of  
every mail order.

**Make Your Kodak Autographic Why Not?**  
Any kodak, plus an Auto-  
graphic back, gives you an Au-  
tographic Kodak--and the cost of  
this device varies from \$2.50  
to \$4.25.  
Bring in your old kodak and  
let us make it up to date by  
substituting the Autographic  
for the old back. There are backs  
for most of the popular models.  
The Autographic Kodak means  
that you can date and title  
your pictures at the time of  
taking. Think of the advantage.  
Ask to see the new Kodak  
Amateur Printer; price \$5.  
We are headquarters for all  
Kodaks and Cameras. Develop-  
ing and printing by an expert.  
Kodaks and Cameras priced  
\$1.25 to \$125.  
—First Floor, New Building

**Limited Number of Traveling Bags \$7.50**  
Disposing of Them Before Moving  
Made of calfskin and cowhide, some with gold-  
plated frames. Leather lined, three pockets.  
**MEN'S AND WOMEN'S VERY FINE BAGS AND SUITCASES AT \$10**  
About 30 in the lot, including walrus, cowhide and pig-  
skin pieces. Some are worth fully 50 per cent more; be-  
cause of slight shelf wearing now priced at \$10; 16, 17  
and 18-inch.  
Temporary Annex, Fifth Floor

**Men's Fancy 4-in-Hands 35c, or 3 for \$1**  
Our Entire Stock—All 50c Grade  
This is a cleanup! We cannot sell everything  
at the top price. Got to take a loss to keep healthy,  
and we are sensible to take a good loss so as to  
keep wholesome and sound, so you'll want to come  
and share in this disposal.  
You'll find just about what you are looking for--this sea-  
son's newest patterns, colorings and shapes. Most men will  
buy a full season's supply. Yours for 35c each or 3 for \$1,  
instead of 50c each.  
**Men's "Sport" Shirts, Today, \$1.49**  
That Have Been Selling at \$2-\$2.50  
A splendid range of patterns and materials, including the popular crepe cloth, ma-  
dras and fancy basket weave in various patterns—all good. Made in regulation sports  
style—the favorite this season for outing wear. Sizes 14 to 17.

**All Men's "Olus" Underwear at Special Prices!**  
"Olus" is the popular shirt and drawer combination favored by hundreds of men. Note these underprices:  
ALL "OLUS" GAR- ALL "OLUS" GAR- ALL "OLUS" GAR- ALL "OLUS" GAR- ALL "OLUS" GAR-  
MENTS THAT WERE MENTS THAT WERE MENTS THAT WERE MENTS THAT WERE MENTS THAT WERE  
\$1.50 ARE \$1.05 \$2.00 ARE \$1.29 \$2.50 ARE \$1.79 \$3.00 ARE \$2.19 \$6.00 ARE \$3.85  
NOW NOW NOW NOW NOW  
**Famous "Knox" Straw Hats, Too, Are Underpriced**  
Knox superfine quality and Meier & Frank reduced prices make an irresistible straw hat combination.  
KNOX STRAW HATS THAT WERE PRICED \$1.15 IN OUR STOCKS AT \$4-\$5.00 GO FOR \$1.95  
IN OUR STOCKS AT \$2-\$3.50 GO FOR \$1.15  
Men's Store—Temporary Annex, Fifth and Alder, Just Inside Entrance.

**Children's Hosiery and Underwear**  
This Is the Day to Buy  
Because prices are lowered and, of course,  
quality is never sacrificed here.  
**CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS, PAIR 35c.**  
Very fine quality fiber silk, finely ribbed, elastic leg;  
black and white, sizes 5 1/2 to 10.  
**"BLACK CAT" HOSIERY, PAIR 25c.**  
Double knees, linen heels and toes, medium and heavy  
weights; sizes to 10. Exclusively at this store.  
**CHILDREN'S 20c and 25c SOCKS, 12 1-2c**  
Plain and mercerized lisle socks, white with fancy col-  
ored tops, in assorted colors; all sizes. 3 pairs 35c.  
**50c "NAZARETH" UNION SUITS, 35c.**  
For boys and girls, light weight, taped buttons, low  
neck, sleeveless, ankle length, drop seat; 3 for \$1.  
**WOMEN'S 50c VESTS TODAY AT 35c.**  
Good Summer weight, Swiss ribbed, made with band  
tops, low neck, sleeveless, and regular sizes only.  
**WOMEN'S \$1 PURE SILK HOSE 79c**  
Extra quality pure dye Silk Hose with mercerized lisle  
tops and soles. Black and white.  
—Hosiery Dept First Floor, Sixth-St. Bldg.  
—Underwear on Second Floor, New Bldg.

*This Is Last Week's Advertisement Repeated Word for Word. The Sale Was  
Such a Great Success That We Decided to Offer the Same Sensational Bar-  
gain Opportunity Once More to Our Customers This Week!*  
**Your Final Chance to BUY MEN'S FANCY SUITS FOR \$12.50**  
Were All \$25.00 HERE!  
You have missed waiting for this opportunity long enough.  
You have missed the pleasure of a crisp new suit. Right  
now, decide to swing out with a new suit that will put you  
in the front rank for style, fabric, pattern and all-round at-  
tractiveness. We have that suit in your size in this sale today.  
**The Fact That It's a Let-Go of Stocks Before We Vacate the Annex Is the Big Reason Why You Can Buy These Suits at Only \$12.50**  
Every one is taken right out of our regular stocks that have been  
such a "hit" this season, and \$12.50 ought to whisk them out in a  
hurry.  
You'll find what you want in style in both conservative and ex-  
treme models, such as the double-breasted model and the box-back  
and one-button, soft-roll coats. Of course, the English styles, with or  
without patch pockets, are also here to please the younger men who  
follow fashions more closely.  
Also what you want in this season's most desirable worsteds, cas-  
simeres, chevots, tweeds, velours, in latest patterns of Tartan checks,  
Glen Urquhart plaids, light and dark gray mixtures and pencil stripes.  
—Men's Store—Temporary Annex, Second Floor.

**Toilet Needs**  
50c EGYPTIAN FACE POW- 25c  
DER, SPECIAL AT. 10c  
25c DRESSING FACE POW- 10c  
DER, SPECIAL AT. 13c  
25c SAMURAI TALCUM 13c  
POWDER, SPECIAL AT. 13c  
25c JERGEN'S EUTASKA 13c  
TALC POWDER. 13c  
25c JERGEN'S CRUSHED 12c  
ROSE AND VIOLET TALC. 12c  
50c B HONNLEY'S IDEAL 19c  
BATH SALTS FOR. 19c  
50c TOILET SOAP. 25c  
ASSORTED ODORS, OZ. 25c  
SANTOL TOOTH POWDER 25c  
OR PASTE, TWO FOR. 39c  
50c RARUS THEATRICAL 39c  
CREAM FOR. 19c  
25c SEIDLITZ TOILET 19c  
BOX FOR. 19c  
25c MILK OF MAGNESIA 19c  
THE BOTTLE. 19c  
50c LEPACH'S PILLS, SPE- 29c  
CIAL AT. 29c  
**10c PICNIC SETS 7c**  
1 crepe paper table cover, 12  
napkins, 6 plates.  
25c PAPER PLATES, PARCH-  
MENT LINED, 6 AND 7 16c  
INCH, 40 IN PACKAGE.  
PAPER PLATES, UNLINED, 8-  
INCH SIZE, 25 IN PACK-  
AGE, FOR. 8c  
10c DENNISON'S PAPER LUNCH  
CUPS, 12 IN BOX. 8c  
7c DOZEN SALAD OR ICE  
CREAM DISHES. 4c  
10c ROSE NAPKINS, PLAIN  
WHITE, 100 FOR. 8c  
50c WAXED PAPER, THREE  
ROLLS FOR. 10c  
WAXED PAPER DRINKING  
CUPS, EIGHT FOR. 5c  
—First Floor, Sixth-St. Bldg.

**Letting Go This Children's Apparel**  
A Big Final Clean-Up That Is of Importance to Mothers!  
They must go—it's imperative—so you may have your choice of these  
fine wearables at half or less their original values.  
**50 CHILDREN'S SUMMER FROCKS, \$2.69.**  
Originally Priced \$4.50 to \$5.95.  
French ginghams, tissues, voiles and linens.  
Smart little styles, mostly in medium and practical  
colors. Size range, 6 to 14 years.  
**25 EMBROIDERED FROCKS WILL GO AT \$3.95**  
Formerly Priced \$7.50 to \$9.75.  
White and colored pique dresses, made in  
charming up-to-date styles, beautifully hand-embroidered in  
different patterns. Sizes for girls 6 to 14 years.  
**150 PRACTICAL FROCKS AT ONE PRICE—\$1.48**  
Reduced from \$1.95, \$2.50, \$2.75.  
Dresses for school and general wear. Made of  
linens, plaid ginghams and crepes. A very fine  
assortment of styles and colors in the 150 at this  
price. 6 to 14 years.  
**100 LINGERIE DRESSES MARKED AT \$1.89**  
Regularly Priced \$4 to \$6.95.  
Fine white dresses, prettily lace and embroid-  
ery trimmed. Some are last season's styles, but  
all desirable and require but little remodeling.  
Excellent assortment. Sizes for girls 6 to 14 years.  
—Fifth Floor, Sixth-St. Bldg.

**Out They Go! Boys' Suits \$5.85**  
The Remainder of Our Stocks of Fancy "Sampeck"  
and Other First-Class Makes That Were \$8.50,  
\$10.00 and \$12.50. Some Navy Blue Serges and  
Cheviots Included!  
It must be a quick cleanup—that's the secret of  
the big reduction. We'll be moving soon, and natu-  
rally our stocks must be reduced to the minimum.  
**Fancy Suits With Two Pairs Pants**  
Giving almost double service to the suit. There are grays, tans,  
plaids, Tartans, browns and good serviceable mixtures in the group,  
as well as the always-desired navy serges and chevots. Pants  
are lined throughout—Norfolk coat models of the best cut  
and workmanship—up to the usual standard of such makers  
as "Sampeck".  
There are suits in the lot desirable for present and early  
Fall wear. Full line of sizes 6 to 18 years.  
ANY BOY'S STRAW HAT IN OUR STOCK SELL-  
ING HERE ALL THE SEASON \$1.00 to \$3.00, NOW 75c  
—Temporary Annex, Second Floor.

**Drug Sundries Are Underpriced**  
25c BEECHAM'S PILLS, SPE- 17c  
CIAL AT. 89c  
OLIVE OIL CALIFORNIA, 89c  
ONE QUART AT. 17c  
5c CARBOLIC MOUTH  
WASH, MEAD & BAKER'S. 17c  
50c SEAMLESS RUBBER  
GLOVES, ALL SIZES, 39c  
THE PAIR. 39c  
—First Floor, Sixth-St. Bldg.

**"Blue Bird" Bicycles for Boys and Girls Reduced**  
**BOYS' "BLUE BIRD" BICYCLES**  
With coaster brake, 20, 24,  
26, 28-inch wheels.  
\$20.00 MODELS TO-  
DAY AT. \$15.95  
\$23.50 MODELS TO-  
DAY AT. \$18.73  
\$25.00 MODELS TO-  
DAY AT. \$19.85  
**BOYS' WELL MADE BICYCLES**  
Without coaster brake, best  
construction throughout.  
\$15.00 MODELS TO-  
DAY AT. \$11.95  
\$17.50 MODELS TO-  
DAY AT. \$13.98  
\$20.00 MODELS TO-  
DAY AT. \$15.95  
**GIRLS' "BLUE BIRD" BICYCLES**  
Complete with coaster  
brake and mud-guards.  
\$22.50 MODELS TO-  
DAY AT. \$17.95  
\$23.50 MODELS TO-  
DAY AT. \$18.73  
\$25.00 MODELS TO-  
DAY AT. \$19.85  
—Temporary Annex, Sixth Floor.

**Art Needlework 1/2 Price**  
Broken lines of package goods,  
consisting of Centers, Bags, Cor-  
set Covers, Dressing Sacques,  
Caps, Pillow Tops, etc., that are  
to be embroidered, all at half  
price.  
—Sixth Floor, New Bldg.

**300 Strips of 30c Bacon Special, lb. 22 1/2c**  
Whole or Half Strips—Order Quickly  
An extremely low price that is possible only  
because of the big quantity—bought from one  
of the foremost Western packers.  
Carefully selected, sugar-  
cured, thoroughly smoked ba-  
con. Light strips, averaging 6  
to 8 pounds, nicely streaked  
with lean. Usual price 30c. Sat-  
urday, pound, 22 1/2c.  
BUTTER, ROYAL BANQUET 63c  
FANCY OREGON MAKE, 50c  
GOPPEE VICTOR, POPU- 29c  
LAR 35c BLEND, POUND.  
HAMS, VICTOR, SUPERIOR  
QUALITY, WHOLE OR 18 1/2c  
HALF THE POUND.  
SLICED PINEAPPLE, VICTOR,  
NO. 2 1/2 CANS, DOZEN \$1.75 15c  
THE CAN.  
Grocery, Basement, Sixth-St. Bldg.