

# REVOCABLE PERMIT FOR DRIVERS URGED

Realty Board Indorses Plan  
to Regulate Autoists.

CAPTAIN LEWIS SPEAKS

Enactment of New State License  
Law Proposed to Cut Down  
Number of Accidents.

Enactment of an automobile driver's license law by the state was urged yesterday by Captain H. A. Lewis, head of the traffic division of the city police force, in speaking before the Portland realty board at the regular weekly luncheon and meeting at the Benson hotel, as the solution to the automobile problem and as a measure to reduce the tremendous toll in life and limb which Portland has paid as a result of accidents during the past year.

Captain Lewis also scored the all-day parker as the greatest cause of congestion on the streets and urged car owners to leave their machines at home unless they actually use them during the day's business. One-way traffic on the city streets will soon be necessary to prevent congestion, he declared.

The traffic officer was invited to speak before the board in place of Chief of Police Jenkins, who was unable to be present.

All Phases Discussed.  
Captain Lewis thoroughly covered all phases of the traffic subject relative to Portland streets and asked the co-operation of the realty men in aiding the police in the movement for safety and relief of congestion. At the close of his address the board adopted a resolution endorsing the work of the traffic department and pledging co-operation.

Captain Lewis presented accident figures for the past three years, showing an increase this year of 100 per cent over two years ago. The figures follow: 1917, total of 4000 accidents and 22 deaths; 1918, total of 4000 accidents and 23 deaths; 1919, report covering first 10 months shows 8000 accidents and 32 deaths.

"Every automobile driver should be made to carry a certificate which would be revocable by the court if the man proved to be a reckless or incapable driver," he declared. The present times do not justify anything towards cutting down recklessness and speeding. If a driver is "caught" he pays his fine and charges he up to operating expenses of his machine.

"He probably figures that that was one time that he was unfortunate enough to get caught and goes ahead and speeds again, endangering life and property. If the driver who was reckless was forced to give up his license for a time and to leave his machine in the garage for 10 days, a month or longer he would hesitate the next time before violating the law."

Pedestrians Also Blamed.  
That the driver was not all the drivers by any means was also pointed out by the police captain, who declared that 80 per cent of accidents in which pedestrians figure have the driver on foot, who "blundered across the streets as though ox team traffic were still in force."

The solution of the downtown congestion problem must ultimately be met by the establishment of one-way traffic, now used in many eastern cities with narrow streets, he stated. At the present time over 1000 automobiles pass along any one block of Washington street in the business district in an hour, he said, while 119 street cars and two or three times as many automobiles operate on Second street, practically slowing traffic to a snail's pace.

The man who drives his car downtown in the morning, parks it in front of some body else's place of business and leaves it there all day is the worst traffic pest in Portland, he declared.

J. D. Lee, pioneer Oregon real estate man, was the second speaker at the meeting, his subject being "Portland, the Automobile Capital." Lee urged the realty men to unite in a progressive policy looking toward the industrial development of city and state and increasing the population 100 per cent. George Englehart, acting as chairman of the day.

## GAS MAY GUARD SAFES

BURGLAR PROTECTION DEVICE  
DESIGNED BY PORTLANDER.

Arthur L. Tribe Declares "Invisible Chemical Barrage" Will  
Put Intruders to Sleep.

A device designed to make safe-cracking a lost art has been invented by Arthur L. Tribe, manager of the Oregon Independent testing laboratory, and H. D. Gates of Portland, and is being placed on the market under the name of the "Invisible Chemical Barrage." The active principle of the new safe protector consists of a phial of chemicals placed within the safe. When the safe is blown with nitroglycerine the explosion shatters the phial and the chemicals escape in the form of a gas barrage which rolls into the room and overcomes the burglar if he lingers to collect his plunder.

The gas employed, according to Mr. Gates, is not a killing mixture, but is a combination of "tear gas" and an asphyxiating gas. The burglar who cracks a safe protected with the chemical barrage is supposed to be prevented from returning to the room after the explosion to rifle the safe, or, if he remains in the room in spite of the gas, is supposed to be found in the morning, slumbering peacefully on the floor.

Arthur L. Tribe, the chemist of the Invisible Chemical Barrage company, has been engaged in the practice of chemistry for the past 25 years, and has been employed in the capacity of chemist by the United States government and by the city of San Francisco. He has made his home in Portland since 1914.

According to H. D. Gates, advertising and sales manager of the new company, the idea of protecting safes by means of a gas barrage came from the use of poisonous gases in warfare.

"The airplane has become a mail and express carrier," he says, "the submarine is being used to salvage submerged wrecks, and has wireless telephone has been adapted to peacetime use. We are carrying out the demobilization idea and adapting poison gas to commercial uses."

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## Thanksgiving Sales All Over the Store



### Women's Coats \$22.45 Extra Special Offering for Today

Second Floor—Women's and Misses' Winter Coats specially priced in the Garment Store today. These are all from our regular stock and the prices were formerly much higher. Coats of Tweed, Melton, Burella and Nov. \$22.45 city Mixtures. Belted, plaited and full styles. Priced special at

### Women's Coats \$38.00

Great Range of Styles

Second Floor—Beautiful Coats of high-grade Plush, Silvertone, Velour, Bolivia, Tweeds and Novelty Mixtures. Splendid assortment of the most wanted colors, including brown, tan navy, Pekin, burgundy and taupe. Plaited, belted and loose styles. Storm collars. \$38.00 These are wonderful values at this price

### Women's Coats At \$49.45

Second Floor—Women's and Misses' high-class Coats grouped for quick selling. The season's most attractive styles are shown in this lot. Plush, Silvertone and mixtures. Silk or satin lined. Excellent \$49.45 range of desirable colors. Priced special at

### Women's Coats at \$69.85

Second Floor—This lot of Coats is made up of high-class garments taken from our regular stock. Only one or two of some styles, but there is a splendid assortment to select from. Velour, Silvertone, Crystal Cloth, Bolivia and other popular materials. Some of these have large fur collars. Belted and loose effects. \$69.85 Shown in all the leading colors. Priced special for tomorrow at only

### Girls' Coats at \$16.98

Sizes for Girls 8 to 14 Years

Second Floor—These excellent Coats are made up in good heavy Kersey cloth in navy and brown. Full models with wide belts, deep cuffs and large collars. Warm and \$16.98 comfy for school

—LOT 2—Girls' School Coats priced for Saturday at \$13.98

### Girls' Bloomers At \$5.25

Second Floor—Girls' Gymnasium Bloomers of good quality navy blue serge. \$5.25, \$6.25

### Girls' Middy Skirts At \$6.98

—Girls' Middy Skirts of navy blue serge made with wide waist. Extra values \$6.98

### Girls' Middies, \$5.98

—Navy Blue Serge and Flannel Middie Blouses for girls, \$5.98

### Infants' Needs at Special Low Prices

Second Floor—Infants' Blankets with pink or white fig. 98c

—Infants' Double Blankets with fancy colored border. \$1.09

—Infants' Shoes—odd lines on sale at the pair 79c

—Infants' Knit Gowns of good quality. Special 89c

—Infants' Bath Towels at 68c

—Infants' Wash Cloths at 12c

## Great Sale Men's Pants

Basement Underprice Store



—600 pairs Men's Pants in a rousing Saturday Sale in our Basement Store. A splendid opportunity for thrifty men to supply their winter needs at a substantial saving.

### Cassimere Pants At \$3.39

Basement—Men's Cassimere Pants in serviceable gray color. Neat pin-stripe pattern. Well made in every particular and just the right weight for general wear. Sizes \$3.39 34 to 42 waist. Special pair

### Moleskin Pants At \$4.00

Basement—Brown Moleskin Pants—this is an exceptionally good fabric for service. Heavy weight and fleece lined. Sizes from 31 to 42 \$4.00 waists. Basement sale, pair

### Men's Madras Shirts, Special \$1.69

1000 Men's Ties, Special 65c

Basement—Men's Shirts of good quality madras, with black and white stripes. Reversible French cuffs. Cut in full standard sizes, 14 1/2 to 17. Basement special, at \$1.69

### Other Specials for Men

Basement—Men's Black Sateen Shirts of heavy quality, cut full and well made, sizes 14 1/2 to 17. Special at \$1.45

—Men's Heavy Mixed Wool Sox, dark blue or gray. Special 45c

### Boys' Overcoats \$8.95

Basement—Boys' and youths' Overcoats in a variety of good serviceable materials. Several styles in the sale, sizes for boys from 11 to 18 years. \$8.95

Basement special, at

—GET THE BASEMENT HABIT, IT WILL SURELY PAY YOU!

### Plush Scarfs at \$10.95 Extraordinary Values!

Neckwear Dept., First Floor—We have a limited number of women's high-grade Plush Scarfs that will be closed out at a special low price. Very fashionable worn with winter suit. Made of splendid quality black plush—size 68 inches long by 14 inches wide. Neatly lined and finished with pockets and belt. See these at once. \$10.95 Exceptional value, specially priced at

### Plush Scarfs \$17.95

Saturday Special  
Neckwear Dept.—72x12-inch Hudson Seal Plush Scarfs—satin lined and plush-ball trimmed. Specially priced at only \$17.95

### Special Sale of Marabou Scarfs

Main Floor—One of these dainty Scarfs would make a very acceptable gift. Dressy, light weight and comfy and always in good taste. Satin lined. Ribbon ties or silk fasteners. Two lots: —LOT 1—Marabou \$8.95 Scarfs. Special, only

—LOT 2—Marabou \$14.95 Scarfs. Special at

### Men's Quality Clothes \$30 to \$65

—THE MEN'S STORE invites your inspection of a new shipment of Winter Suits just in. Smart, snappy styles for young men and the more conservative model for business men. Ask to see the Black Hawk, Imperial, Hummer and Komb models. Novelty mixtures in the new shades of browns, greens, grays and blues at \$30 to \$65

### Gift Suggestions for Men

—Men's Silk Shirts, priced \$7.50 to \$10  
—Men's fancy Shirts from \$3.50 to \$8.50  
—Men's French Flannel Shirts at \$10.00  
—Men's Wool Sweaters at \$5 to \$18.50  
—Men's Vassar Union Suits, \$3.50-\$16.50  
—Men's Carter Union Suits, \$2 to \$10.50  
—Outing Flannel Pajamas, \$3.50 and \$4  
—Outing Flannel Gowns \$2.50, and \$2.75  
—Men's Silk Pajamas, \$5, \$6.50 and up  
—Men's Mufflers, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.25 to \$5  
—Men's Christmas Ties at \$5c up to \$5  
—Men's Fancy Silk Hosiery at \$2 the pair  
—Sterling Silver Buckles, \$2 and \$2.50

### Boys' Suits, Special \$6.75

Boys' Overcoats \$8.95

Main Floor—Good sturdy suits for school wear. Waist seam and belted models. Made up in novelty mixtures with full-lined pants. Broken sizes, 6 to 18. \$6.75 Extra good values at \$6.75  
—Boys' high-grade Suits in latest models and fabrics, \$20-\$35

### Model Roasters \$2.48

—Basement Sale  
—Model Seamless Glazed Roaster like this illustration. Self-basting. This is the 15-inch size for ordinary family use. Basement special \$2.48  
—Mottled Enameled Roasters in the 18-inch size. Special at \$3.29

### Steel Dripping Pans Only 25c

Basement—Black Seamless Sheet Iron Drip Pans with round corners. Sizes 6 1/2x13 to 12x15 inches. For roasts, biscuits, bread, etc. Basement special.

## Children's Hats Special \$1

Basement—Children's Trimmed Hats in a large assortment of pretty styles. Black and colors. On sale in the \$1.00 Basement at special

## \$12 to \$35 Trimmed Hats At HALF PRICE

Second Floor—A great opportunity for women to choose from over 200 beautiful trimmed hats at just one-half original prices. Large, medium and small hats trimmed with burnt ostrich, burnt goose fancies, flowers, ribbons and ornaments of various kinds. Shop early for first choice.



### \$12 Hats at \$6

### \$35 Hats \$17.50

—\$12.00 Trimmed Hats \$ 6.00  
—\$15.00 Trimmed Hats \$ 7.50  
—\$18.00 Trimmed Hats \$ 9.00  
—\$20.00 Trimmed Hats \$12.50  
—\$25.00 Trimmed Hats \$12.50  
—\$27.50 Trimmed Hats \$13.75  
—\$30.00 Trimmed Hats \$15.00  
—\$35.00 Trimmed Hats \$17.50  
—TAILORED HATS of Velour and Hatter's Plush, faced with Beaver. Formerly \$10 1/2 Off to \$18 values, now at 1/2 Off

—ALL UNTRIMMED HATS—\$7.50 to \$18 values, at HALF PRICE

## Women's Neckwear \$1.00

—Values to \$1.75

Main Floor—Special clean-up sale of odd lines Women's High-grade Neckwear. A wide range of season's popular styles in

Collars, Sets, Modiste, Vestees and Guimps

—Organdie, Georgette, Net, Lace, Satin and Voile materials. Dainty lace trimmed styles, also embroidered, tucked, plaited, hemstitched and shirred effects. Make it a point to see these bargains. \$1.00 Values up to \$1.75. Special at



## Handkerchief Sale!

—Start your Christmas buying at once, while stocks are fresh and assortments at their best. The savings, too, are most unusual. Note these special offerings.

Linen Handkerchiefs 7c  
Main Floor—Women's all-linen Handkerchiefs with neat hemstitched edges. Not more than one dozen sold to a customer. Extraordinary values. 7c Offered in the Pre-Holiday Sale at low price

Initial Handkerchiefs 17c  
—Women's Fine White Cotton Kerchiefs with embroidered initial and wreath in corner. Extraordinary values. 17c 1/2-inch hems. At 17c

—Women's embroidered one-corner pure linen Handkerchiefs. Also Swiss Madeira Kerchiefs, 3 for \$1.00

—Real Madeira Spanish Hand-Embroidered and Fine Linen Handkerchiefs in many 75c designs. Special 75c Ask for your Stamp.

Women's Kerchiefs Special 25c  
Main Floor—Pure Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs with 1/4-inch hemstitched hem. These are of exceptional quality. Good full size. Priced special at 25c

—Women's sheer Cambric Lawn Handkerchiefs with dainty embroidered designs in white, gray and colors. 15c values 10c

Nursery Rhyme Handkerchiefs  
Main Floor—Children's Cut-Out Picture Book with Nursery rhymes and 3 good quality Handkerchiefs. An attractive gift. Priced 35c special Saturday, a book 35c

—Children's Handkerchiefs of fine sheer quality material with animal and figure designs. Box of six at 65c

## Toilet Needs and Drugs

—We reserve the right to limit purchases of any article in the following list. S. & H. Green Trading Stamps with purchases.

## Ivory Soap Special, 25c 4 Cakes, 25c

Main Floor—Ivory Soap will not be sold or delivered at above price except with other purchases made in the Drug Department.

## Drug Offerings for Today

—OWK Paraffine Oil, excellent for cooking—tasteless and odorless—full pint bottles 50c  
—Palmolive Cold Cream at 48c  
—Packer's Tar Soap, special 23c  
—Resinol Soap the bar only 25c  
—Revelation Tooth Powder 25c  
—Sempore Givonne at, cake 49c  
—Colgate's Shaving Cream 30c  
—P. & S. Soap, cake at only 10c  
—Colgate's Toilet, all odors, 18c  
—Santol Tooth Paste only 30c  
—Soap Keswick, each only 10c  
—Baume Anal'que Bengue 65c  
—Hind's Honey and Almond Cream—2 sizes—49c, \$1.10  
—Milkweed Cream, 45c, 90c  
—Dandierine 33c, 50c and 90c

## \$1 for Your Old Shoes!

—Today is the last day this special offer will be in force. With every pair of men's or women's shoes purchased at this store today \$1 will be deducted from the price providing you turn in a pair of men's or women's old shoes for Portland charities. Shoes must be mated, but it doesn't matter how badly worn.—Shoe Dept., Main Floor.

## Women's Shoes Reduced

—LOT 1—Women's Laced and Buttoned Shoes in various styles and leathers. Regular \$7.95 \$9.50 to \$12 grades \$7.95  
—LOT 2—Women's \$8.95 \$11 to \$14 shoes at \$8.95  
—LOT 3—Women's \$9.95 \$12 to \$16 shoes at \$9.95

## Men's Ties, Special 53c

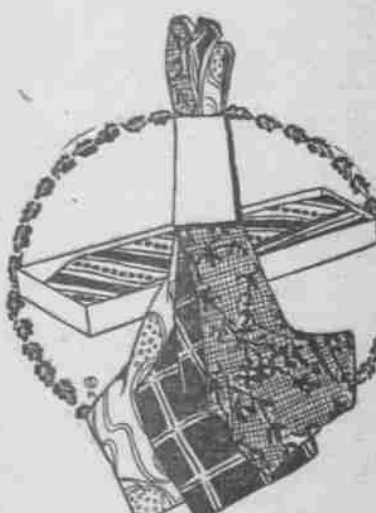
Center Circle, Main Floor

—A phenomenal Underprice offering of several hundred Men's Ties. Very latest styles with wide ends and stitched bands. Large assortment of patterns and colors. \$53c Ties for \$1.55—each

## Men's Ties At 95c

Center Circle, First Floor—Persian effects, stripes, dots, figured and broaded. Beautiful high-grade Ties, 3 for \$2.75, each 95c

Handkerchiefs 6 for 73c  
Center Circle, First Floor—Regular price \$1 per box of six. Fine quality cambric handkerchiefs with initials—nearly all letters. Six for 73c

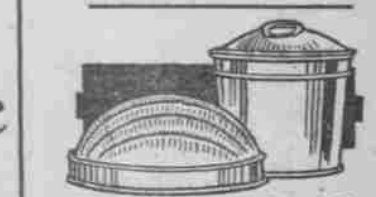


## Best Coffee 3-Pound Cans \$1.55

Fourth Floor—Dependable, M. J. B. Royal Club or Golden West Coffees put up in air-tight 3-lb. cans. Special \$1.55

## Royal Baking Powder, 36c

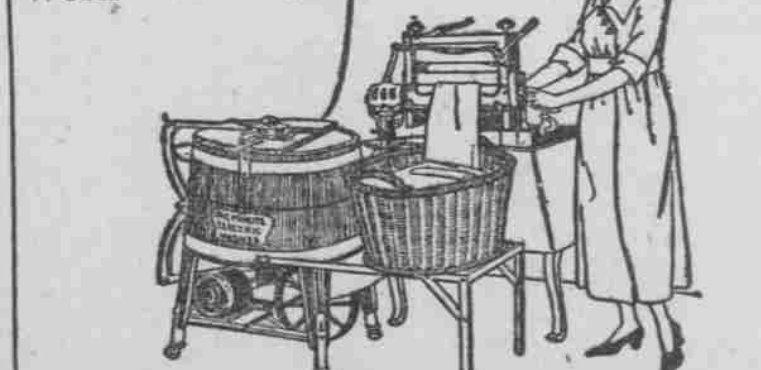
Fourth Floor—This is the size that sells in the regular way at 45c a can. On sale Saturday at special, the can \$36c  
—Oregon Walnuts for 36c Thanksgiving, pound at



## Pudding Moulds Special 68c

Third Floor—Two styles as illustrated above. Made of extra heavy quality tinware, with tight fitting covers. Melon Molds in 5-pt. size, special 68c  
—Tall Molds, 4-pint size, at 68c

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## One-Minute Electric Washing Machine

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