

BRIDGE PROPOSED AS ROOSEVELT MEMORIAL

Gresham Resident Urges Way Across Willamette.

HIGH SPAN IS SUGGESTED

Rapid Increase in Auto Traffic Necessitates Crossing Without Draw or Turn Bridge.

A high-standing bridge spanning the Willamette river should be the memorial to the people of Portland to the memory of the great American citizen, Theodore Roosevelt.

"Back in 1908," says Mr. Snaahall, "I made the statement at a public gathering that Portland would eventually become the New York City of the Pacific coast. Several times since then I have been asked if I still hold that opinion and my answer has always been the same.

"I made a further prediction some years ago that Portland in a hundred years would become the metropolis of the United States and the financial center of the commercial world. Events of the last decade have strengthened my belief.

"The Willamette sloughs will ultimately be utilized for harbor space. When the time comes, as come it will, when shipping will seek cargoes in Portland for transport to all parts of the world, there must be adequate facilities.

Congestion Must Be Avoided. "The big, important question which we must consider in the establishment of a system which will provide for the present and future congestion on our thoroughfares leading from one side of the river to the other, it has seemed to many that the most feasible plan is to build an under river conduit. This is a logical way of considering the proposition from a viewpoint of good conditions and for the chief consideration of passenger and pedestrian traffic. But that is not the problem.

"The auto traffic has made the overhead bridge necessary. Very few people walk into the city now and very few ride in the trolleys as compared with the increase in population. Thousands come into the city daily in their machines. This is no fact but a system which has come to stay and to keep on increasing for years to come.

"The only way to prepare for this oncoming mighty wave of auto travel is to provide an overhead crossing, a span that has no draw, no turn, no first is the prime reason for such a span. Life would not be endangered by a movable unit of the bridge. Steamboats should be able to pass under without danger or delay and sailing ships should have room to pass under without shipping their topsails.

Site Is Suggested. "The point that would select for the crossing would be the site of the present Madison street bridge. At this point the elevations on either side of the river are the most favorable, the length of the structure would be the shortest and the approaches would be comparatively level, starting at Grand Avenue on the east side and terminating at Fourth or Fifth on the west side of the river. This not only provides for a safe, uninterrupted crossing of the river, but it also provides an absolutely safe way over all the railroad tracks running right through the heart of the city and discharging its traffic on either side beyond the river.

"A monument of this kind to an illustrious citizen would also be a practical asset to the community."

CHERRY ACREAGE GROWS

HOOD RIVER ORCHARDISTS PLAN MORE PLANTINGS.

Experiment Station Horticulturist Sounds Warning on Pollenization; Soil Is Suitable.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Nov. 27.—(Special.)—As a result of the splendid prices received the past two years for the fruit, Gordon G. Brown, horticulturist of the Hood river experiment station, says he finds that many local orchardists, despite the high cost of the nursery stock, are planning heavy plantings of cherries. The soils of most products of the valley, Mr. Brown says, are adapted to successful cherry growing.

Mr. Brown warns prospective planters of new cherry orchards not to overlook the matter of pollenization. "Most growers have considered it sufficient," says the horticulturist, "to interplant two or three of the standard varieties such as Bines, Lamberts and Royal Anna. But data collected by the Oregon experiment station shows that many of these varieties are self-sterile as well as intersterile—that is, incapable of pollenizing each other. The Western county growers have had a costly experience in learning these points.

"A number of varieties of cherries are known to be capable of pollenizing these varieties. They are the Black Republican, Tartarian, Cox, Elton, Wood and many seedlings. The most valuable commercial variety to be used as a pollenizer is the long-stemmed Waterhouse, which resembles the Royal Anna."

TAFT VICTIMS NOW FIVE

Two Arlinger Brothers Die as Result of Boiler Explosion.

NEWPORT, Or., Nov. 27.—(Special.)—News reached this place this afternoon that A. Arlinger and J. Arlinger, brothers, who were injured in the boiler explosion at Taft last Friday had died Monday. This brings the total number of victims of the disaster up to five.

Mr. Arlinger and his son Hoyt and the two Arlinger boys were buried at Taft yesterday.

The body of Jesse Farrin, the fifth victim, was sent to Marshfield Monday for interment.

CONCERT SERIES TO BEGIN

Glady's Morgan Farmer Will Appear at Public Auditorium.

Glady's Morgan Farmer will begin the new series of popular Sunday afternoon concerts arranged by the city

APPLE SHIPMENTS WAIT

Yakima Again Has Shortage of Refrigerator Cars.

YAKIMA, Wash., Nov. 27.—(Special.)—Renewed shortage of refrigerator cars is handicapping fruit shippers, who express fear that the earlier varieties of apples will reach market too late, and that the hold-

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ing up of shipments will cause such congestion later that the markets will break down under forced offering.

Forty-eight carloads of apples—20 refrigerators and 18 boxcars—were shipped last week. Increasing cold weather in the middle west and east and in the mountain regions is rendering boxcar shipments hazardous. Manager W. J. Urbart of the Yakima Valley Traffic & Credit association has declared that there is no prospect of relief for the car shortage.

PORTLAND LYCEUM COURSE

Season ticket for seven big numbers, 21.50. Taft, Tarbell, Mark Sullivan, Parkhurst, etc. Auditorium, reserved seats extra. On sale Meier & Frank's main floor. Direction Ellison-White Lyceum Bureau.—Adv.

MICHIGAN MAN IS CHOSEN

Burdette Glen to Instruct in Civil Engineering at O. A. C.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Nov. 27.—(Special.)—Burdette Glen, a graduate of the University of Michigan and star baseball pitcher for a University of Michi-

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gan conference championship baseball team, is a new instructor of civil engineering at the college.

Previous to graduation he was a regular instructor in engineering in the University of Michigan. He has had two years of practical experience in his profession.

Girls' Attempt to Escape Fails.

LEWISTON, Idaho, Nov. 27.—(Spe-

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cial.)—Mary Evans and Inez Platt, the two girls implicated in the Matt Dowd case involving a statutory offense, were assisted by unknown parties Tuesday in escaping from St. Joseph's hospital, where they had been detained. They were found later in Clarkston. It is believed that the girls were to have been smuggled out of the country in order that their testimony might not implicate others involved with them.

Only 23 Shopping Days Until Christmas—Early Choosing Is to Your Advantage

All Charge Purchases Made Friday and Remainder of This Month Will Go on December Accounts, Payable January 1, 1920

City and Out-of-Town People Who Cannot Come to the Store Are Urged to Make Use of Our Splendidly Equipped Mail Order Dept.—S. & H. Stamps Given

Bring the Kiddies to Toyland. Olds, Wortman & King. The Standard Store of the Northwest. Reliable Merchandise—Reliable Methods. Sweeper-Vac Cleaners.

Double Trading Stamps Will Be Given Today

With Charge or Cash Purchases in All Departments

Are You a Stamp Saver? If not, do you realize that you are actually throwing away a substantial cash discount on the money you spend? We give S. & H. Stamps as a token of appreciation for your continued patronage—they cost you absolutely nothing.

Special Display New Kimonos and Bath Robes

Women's Kimonos and Negligees. Second Floor—Whether it be a beautiful Hand-embroidered Kimono of Japanese Silk or one of Satin, Taffeta or Crepe de Chine you have in mind, here is a showing worthy of careful consideration.

Christmas Greeting Cards

At a specially arranged booth near Alder street entrance, we shall have ready for you this morning an attractive showing of the newest novelties in Christmas Cards, Calendars, Motives, etc.

OWK Coffee 39c Lb.

Fourth Floor—No delivery of Coffee except with other purchases made in the Grocery Dept. 39c OWK Imperial Roast, lb.

Dependable Tea

Regular 45c 60c Grade 45c Fourth Floor—60c Dependable or Uncolored Japan Tea, a pound 45c

Special Display and Sale of Handkerchiefs

Beginning today the Center Circle, First Floor, will be given over to a special display and sale of Women's and Children's Christmas Handkerchiefs.

Boys' Suits \$5.95

Main Floor—Month-End Sale of old line Boys' Suits, beginning this morning. 125 Suits in the lot. Dark grays, browns and mixtures. Full lined pants. Broken sizes 8 to 18; at \$5.95

Women's \$9.50 to \$12 Shoes

At this very low price Friday and Saturday—the two best selling days of November. You may take our word for it, the values are extraordinary. Every pair is of dependable quality. All sizes from 2 to 9 in the sale, and widths from AAA to E—but not in each style.

340 Pairs in the Sale

This Season's Most Desirable Styles. \$10.50 Black Kid Shoes with cloth tops, military heel, pair—\$7.95

Electric Washer

Having a "1900" Electric Washer in your home is better than getting the best wash woman in town to do your whole week's washing for three cents. It only costs about three cents per hour for electric current to operate one of these machines besides the great saving on wear and tear of clothes. See demonstration, 3d Floor.

Christmas Sale of Haviland China—3d Floor

Fancy Decorations—Gold Knobs, Handles. A pre-Holiday Sale that will bring many gift-seekers to the Housewares Store today. Hundreds of pieces of genuine Haviland & Co.'s China go out on the bargain tables at sacrifice prices.

Haviland China At 50c

Third Floor—Haviland China Cream Pitchers in small sizes—Pin Boxes, Match Stand, Celery Dish and Almond Dishes. Dainty gifts. On sale 50c today, your choice, at only 50c

Haviland China At \$1.00

Square and Round Tea Pot Stands—Almond Dishes—Open Sugar Bowls—Cream Pitchers—Candle Sticks—Round Bowls—Jelly Trays—Ash Trays—Pin Trays; choice at \$1.00

Haviland China At \$3.00

Chocolate Coffee Pots, Milk Jars, Compot Plates, Ice Relish Dishes, Jelly Dishes, Mayonnaise Bowls, Celery Trays, Handled Baskets, etc., only \$3.00

Sale of Chocolate Sets

Third Floor—Haviland & Co. Chocolate Sets in assorted patterns priced for quick disposal. These make very desirable Christmas gifts. Double Stamps with all purchases.

This \$94 Jewel Range Special \$72.50. This Range is a Perfect Baker. Equipped With the Duplex Grate—Burns Coal or Wood. \$94 Jewel Range \$72.50. All Stoves and Ranges Sold on Easy Payment Plan.

FOR BURNING ECZEMA. Apply Zemo the Clean, Antiseptic Liquid—Easy to Use—Does Not Stain. Greasy salves and ointments should not be applied if good clean skin is wanted.

CHRISTMAS GREETING CARDS. At a specially arranged booth near Alder street entrance, we shall have ready for you this morning an attractive showing of the newest novelties in Christmas Cards, Calendars, Motives, etc.

CHRISTMAS FURS. Women's, Misses' and Children's Fur Sets—ideal for gift giving. Excellent assortment to select from—Department, Second Floor.

CHRISTMAS KIMONOS AND BATH ROBES. Second Floor—Perhaps you have already had a "hint" that a Bath Robe or Kimono would be about right this Christmas.