

BRIDGE PLANS FIND TAXPAYERS DUBIOUS

Enthusiasm Lacking for Proposed Structure.

COST DECLARED TOO HIGH

\$6,000,000 Estimate Compared With Huge Interstate Span Which Cost Only \$1,750,000.

Lack of enthusiasm among taxpayers for the proposed expenditure of nearly \$6,000,000 for a handsome concrete and steel bridge replacing the present Burnside street span, 30 feet wide and extending from Union avenue to Third street, is a distinct indication from the announcement of Multnomah county commissioners that a bond issue to build such a structure would not be presented to voters in November.

Though generally conceded that the present Burnside bridge is rapidly becoming unsafe for heavy traffic, the paying of \$6,000,000 to replace a bridge which cost \$250,000 is proving too stiff a job, even in the face of the higher cost of labor and materials and the necessity for a larger structure. Particularly is the sum believed unnecessary high when compared with the interstate bridge which, with its eight miles of approach, making one of the longest in the world, cost only \$1,750,000.

Cost Believed Excessive.
The limit to which Multnomah county may be bonded for permanent roads or bridges would be reached with a bond issue of approximately \$5,400,000, leaving no opportunity for future essential development along these lines until reduced by tax payments.

"While I have not personally investigated the plans for the proposed bridge, it seems to me that such an excessive cost should be looked into thoroughly," commented H. E. Van Duser, president of the Portland Chamber of Commerce, yesterday. "The future of Portland depends upon the commercial development of its water front and this must not be sacrificed because of tremendous expenditures in other directions, even at considerable cost to the public."

Old Bridge Believed Good.
Though believing that traffic conditions in the city require a new bridge, City Engineer Laurgaard does not think the Burnside structure is in dangerous condition as yet or that it could not hold its own by extensive repairs, for several years. Not having gone into comparative costs, Mr. Laurgaard did not wish to comment on the sum estimated as necessary for the new bridge, except to say that it appeared very high. In planning the water front of the future in Portland the city engineer's office has considered the proposed bridge, with the approach going only as far as Second street on the west side, docking at least four feet lower than in the proposed span, and 30-foot instead of 110-foot wide approach.

Proposal Is Championed.
S. Benson, chairman of the state highway commission, whose bridge engineer, C. R. McCullough, submitted the tentative general plan and estimate to county commissioners, believes a bridge of the type and cost estimated to be the proper structure to replace the Burnside span.

"It would carry the traffic of all five bridges, it is necessary and would last 100 years," he commented yesterday. In considering the cost of the proposed bridge, Mr. Benson pointed out that it is necessary to segregate the \$6,000,000 estimate into units. For instance, the cost of the bridge proper is estimated at \$4,700,000, or 200 per cent greater than it would cost in normal times. The larger sum is reached by estimating the cost of land to be condemned by reason of wider, longer approaches than those of the present bridge, at \$800,000, with the regrading of streets, removal of the old bridge, arching of feet and incidental making up the balance.

Plans Held Too Elaborate.
Traffic experts of Portland, though unwilling to be quoted until they have made more thorough investigation of costs, are a unit in believing that the tremendous sum of \$6,000,000 is excessive for a new Burnside bridge. Their chief criticism of the proposed plan is that the plans are too elaborate and unnecessarily expensive.

Considerable sums could be lopped off the cost by shortening the approaches by one block on each side of the river and distributing traffic nearer the water front, it is declared. The 90-foot width of the bridge might remain because of future traffic demands, but the 110-foot width of approaches could be cut to 60 feet, involving not only in building expense but in land condemnation. The type of bridge proposed is applauded generally by engineers as not only good looking but strong. Trusses underneath rather than above the decking are approved by many, and the bascule type of draw span is said to be the quickest in action.

APARTMENT LEASE SOLD

Claypoole Transferred to Management of Mr. and Mrs. Holland.

Sale of the furnishings and lease of the Claypoole apartment house and annex, located at the southeast corner of Eleventh and Clay streets, was consummated yesterday. The apartment house is one of the largest of its kind in the city, the house and annex containing 60 apartments. H. P. Holland and wife, formerly managers of the Athens hotel, made the purchase from Mrs. Sophie Zellinsky, and will take over the management of the property. The new lease arranged for Mr. and Mrs. Holland runs for three years, with an option of two years longer, and the total rental exceeds \$10,000, it was said. The consideration for the furniture and portable fixtures going with the apartment house was given as \$39,000. The deal was handled through the Yates Realty company.

Forestry Men Cared For.

EUGENE, Or., Sept. 3.—(Special).—The forest service is erecting a two-story bunk house at McKenzie bridge, 55 miles east of Eugene, in the Cascade national forest for use of the extra men employed in the forest during the summer in fighting fire and in other activities in the woods.

Milk Buying Station Established.

EUGENE, Or., Sept. 3.—(Special).—The Hazelwood company of Portland has leased the Chambers concrete building for a cream and milk buying station. Walter Jacobsen, who has been in charge of the company's station at Junction City, will come here.

Our Store Will Be Closed All Day Monday—Labor Day—Plan Your Shopping Accordingly

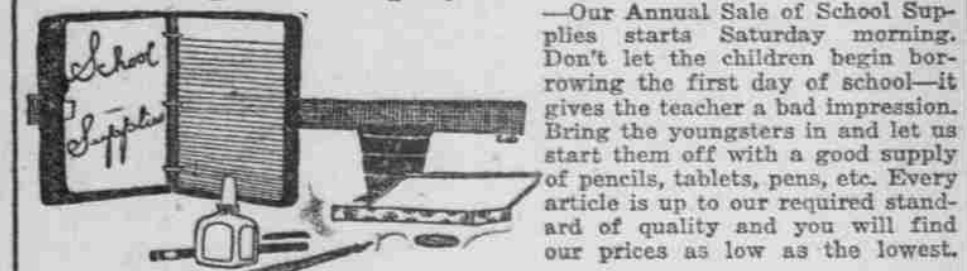
S. & H. Green Trading Stamps Will Be Given on All Charge Accounts if Paid in Full On or Before the 10th of Each Month—Filled Stamp Books Redeemed 3d Floor

Candy Day
Main Floor—Gimbal's Marshmallows 58c
—delicious—special per pound only
—Fresh Salted Peanuts—the kind everybody likes—priced special, lb. 28c
—No telephone orders—no deliveries.

The Standard Store of the Northwest
Olds, Wortman & King
Reliable Merchandise—Reliable Methods

Children's School Supplies

—Special Display at the Center Circle



—Our Annual Sale of School Supplies starts Saturday morning. Don't let the children begin borrowing the first day of school—it gives the teacher a bad impression. Bring the youngsters in and let us start them off with a good supply of pencils, tablets, pens, etc. Every article is up to our required standard of quality and you will find our prices as low as the lowest.

Make Out Your School List and Bring It to This Store

- School Tablets in all grades and sizes ranging from 5¢ up to 25¢
- Scratch Pads priced 3¢ to 20¢
- Composition Books at 5¢ to 10¢
- Note Books priced at 5¢ and 10¢
- FOUNTAIN PENS—large assortment of different styles in Waterman, Conklin and Sharfner makes. Also Kersharp and Sharp Point Pencils.
- Make selections now; popular prices
- Lead Pencils priced 3¢ and up.
- Drawing Pads and Spelling Pads.
- Students' Loose-leaf Books in several different sizes and grades.
- School Bags, Straps, Typewriter Paper, Stenographic Note Books, Erasers, Pens, Penholders, Etc., Etc.
- Inks, Paints, Crayons, Brushes, Chalk, Rulers, Compasses, Pencil Sharpeners, Blotters, Slate Pencils.

We Give S. & H. Trading Stamps

Headquarters for School Apparel and Holiday Needs

Suits, Coats, Dresses
—End of the Season Sale!

\$10

—145 garments remaining from our great \$15 and \$20 Sales are grouped into one lot and priced for immediate clearaway. In the sale there are

- 37 Silk Dresses
- 30 Wash Dresses
- 19 Suits
- 59 Coats

—The Silk Dresses are of Taffeta, Tricolette, Crepe de Chine, Satin, Georgette Crepe and Wool Jersey. Only one or two of a style. The Suits are in good practical styles and are shown in Wool Serge, Jersey, Tweed, Pongee Silk and Silk Poplin. Coats are of Wool Velour, Jersey, Plaids, Mixtures, Corduroy Velvet, Silvertone, Velour and Polo Cloth. There isn't an undesirable garment in the lot. On sale for today at special **\$10**

Women's Sweaters
\$3.98 and \$6.98

Bargain Circle, First Floor—Women's and Misses' Sweaters of mercerized cotton. These are of good quality and are wonderful values at above prices. Plain weave. Tuxedo and coat styles with belts or the sashes and square collars. Trimmed with tassels and crocheted or pearl buttons. Good range of colors. Special at **\$3.98 and \$6.98**

Fall Millinery Exhibit

—The new Fall Hats are amazingly smart, individual and attractive. We have never had the pleasure of presenting to our patrons so much variety or so much beauty at this early part of the new season. You will be delighted with this splendid showing.

Hats at \$10.00 and \$12.50

—At these popular prices you may choose from a large selection of New Fall Hats in the latest styles. Tailored models in sailor and tam effects, also many beautiful Trimmed Hats, including the very fashionable Feather Turbans. Becoming Hats for matrons and misses. Priced **\$10.00 and \$12.50**.—Dept. Second Floor.

Fur Trimmings for the New Season

Main Floor—Real Ermine—Skunk—Squirrel—Wolf—Mole—Opposum—Nutria—Seal—Beaver—Raccoon—French Seal—Mouflon—French Coney and many other favorite furs for trimming of Fall and Winter garments. We handle only furs of dependable quality and you can rely upon anything you buy here as being the best grade obtainable at the price. Fur Trimmings will be in great demand the coming season. We show a large stock in all widths from 1 to 12 inches. Black, brown, white, gray, taupe, etc. Priced at **\$1.95 to \$59.50** a yard.

New Fur Collars
—New shipment of Fur Collars just received. Made from prime skins, well finished and correctly shaped. A fur collar adds greatly to the smartness of any coat. Don't fail to see these. **\$19.50 up to \$85.00**

Toilet Needs

- Espey's Fragrant Cream at 23¢
- Eversweet—two sizes—25¢, 45¢
- Frostilla priced very special 25¢
- Gourard's Oriental Cream \$1.35
- Kolynox Tooth Paste priced at 25¢
- Lux Soap Flakes, 2 pkgs. for 25¢
- Mercolized Wax priced at only 89¢

Crepe Oil Soap
Special 25c
4 Cakes. 25c

—We reserve the right to limit quantity to each customer. Sold only with other purchases made in the Drug Dept. 4 cakes soap for 25c

Drape Veils 49c

Main Floor—Fancy Drape Veils and plain Hexagon Veils with chenille dots. Black, taupe, navy and brown. Also Shetland Veils in a good range of desirable colors. Veils selling heretofore at 65c to 95c at only **49c**

15c to 20c Sport Veils 10c

Main Floor—E-Z-On or Sport Veils of good strong hexagon mesh. Ideal veils for motoring and outdoor wear. Every woman should buy at least a dozen at this price. Black, brown, taupe and navy. 15c to 20c values. Saturday special at **10c**

Young Men's SUITS \$27.95

Main Floor—Young Men's high-class Suits at a sharp reduction in price for Saturday. One of our very best makes—note for clever styling and better fabrics. New 1920 models—single or double breasted, with or without belts. Browns, greens, tans and novelty mixtures. Smart, snappy clothes for young men of high-school age. All sizes from 32 up to 36. Regular \$35. **\$27.95** Suits priced special at only

Men's Suits \$41.75

Main Floor—These are from our regular \$60 and \$65 lines. Smart "Racer" model—a novelty style much liked by business men. Plain blues, browns and greens—also in novelty mixtures. Complete range of sizes from **\$41.75** 34 up to 40. Saturday Sale

Basement Sales

- MEN'S, WOMEN'S and Children's low Tennis Shoes and Slippers, slightly soiled and mused. Broken range of **59c**
- CHILDREN'S School Shoes in buttoned and laced styles. Sizes 5½ to 8. Priced special in the Basement at **\$1.39**
- Sizes 8½ to 12, priced special at **\$2.98**
- GIRLS' Gingham Dresses, **\$1.98**
- Sizes 6 to 12—Special at only
- SCHOOL HOSE at 45¢, 55¢ pair.
- GIRLS' WOOL SWEATERS in slip-on and coat styles. Sizes 28 to 34. Priced special in Basement **\$2.50 and \$3.50**
- BOYS' SWEATERS in popular coat style. Sizes 28 to 34. On **\$1.98** sale in the Basement at only
- BOYS' WAISTS of good **\$1.25** materials. Ages 6 to 14. At
- CHILDREN'S KNIT Under- **15c**
- Waists—ages 4 to 12—Basement
- CHILDREN'S BLOOMERS at 59¢

Children's Hats 79c

Basement—Good practical Hats for little tots of 6 to 10 years. Banded and trimmed effects. Felt, velvet or **79c** corduroy. Extra values at only

—Special showing of Women's and Misses' New Fall Hats in tailored and trimmed models. Feature **\$4.98** display for Saturday. Choice

Silk Hosiery \$1.19 Pair
—Dept. Main Floor

- Women's full-fashioned Silk Hose with lisle tops and feet. Shown in black and white. Irregulars of one of our best makes. **\$1.19**
- Priced special for Saturday at pair
- Women's \$3.00 "Best Knit" Silk **\$2.45**
- Hose; lisle tops and feet; a pair

Children's Hose 39c Pair

- Children's Ribbed Hose with double heel and toe. Black. All sizes 6½ up to 10½. Irregulars in white. Special at the pair **39c**
- Children's PONY HOSE in black, tan, white and cordovan. These **75c** have double heel and toe and will give best of service. Priced, pair

Exclusive Portland Agency for the Celebrated **BUSTER BROWN SHOES**

—Solve the children's school shoe problem by choosing Buster Brown Shoes. Made on the Brown Foot-Shaping last, they cannot pinch or bind the feet—but support and shape the tender muscles and soft, pliable bones perfectly. Buster Brown Shoes are made in many styles—in button, lace and blucher—from carefully selected leathers—by skilled shoemakers—and outwear ordinary shoes. Don't take any chances—buy Buster Brown Shoes and get comfort, style and service!

- BOYS' SHOES of mahogany calf. Laced style made on English last with guaranteed Neolin sole which is rain-proof. Sizes 1 to 6. Priced **\$7.50** pair.
- BOYS' SHOES of gunmetal calf in style as above, but with welted soles. Sizes from 1 to 6—priced, pair **\$7.00**
- BOYS' LACED SHOES, blucher cut, with medium round toe and welt sole.
- MISSSES' Gunmetal Laced Shoes, McKay sewed sole. Sizes 11½ to 2—**\$6.50**
- Sizes 8½ to 11 at **\$6.00** the pair.
- CHILD'S Laced Shoes of dark brown calfskin with welted sole. Sizes from 8½ to 11, priced at—the pair **\$7.00**
- ELKSKIN SKUFFERS in dark brown. Welted sole. Sizes 11½ to 2 at **\$6.50**
- Sizes from 8½ to 11, a pair, **\$6.00**

Girls' New Serge Dresses
—\$22.50 to \$52.50

—Mothers who constantly seek the exclusive and smart for daughter should see these new Serge Frocks. They have been chosen with great care so that there could be no question of correctness. And despite their superior quality and style they are priced surprisingly low. Sizes 10, 12, 14. Priced **\$22.50 to \$52.50**

Girls' School Coats

Second Floor—Coats of Bolivia, Velour, Broadcloth and Heather Mixtures. New 1920 Fall and Winter styles with large collars of self material or fur. Sizes for girls 6 to 14. Priced **\$9.50 to \$57.50**

School Dresses ½ Price

Second Floor—Old lines of Girls' Wash Dresses offered at just ½ regular prices. Checks, plaids and plain colors. Many attractive styles. Suitable for school.

- Girls' \$2.50 Wash Dresses now **\$1.75**
- Girls' \$4.98 Wash Dresses now **\$2.49**
- Girls' \$8.85 Wash Dresses now **\$4.43**
- Girls' \$11.50 Wash Dresses at **\$5.75**

Men's \$3.50 Ties \$1.95

Main Floor—Several hundred Men's high-grade Ties at a special low price. Made with haircloth lining. Choice patterns. **\$1.95** Regular \$3.50 grade at

Main Floor—Men's Dress Shirts made up in fancy striped percales. With French cuffs. Regular **\$1.89** \$2.50 values. Priced **\$1.89**

—We Give S. & H. Trading Stamps

Sale Men's "Beacon" Shoes
—Main Floor

- Men's dark tan calf Shoes in 14 different styles and patterns. All on English, semi-English and brogue lasts. Leather and Neolin soles. Splendid footwear at a sharp reduction right at the beginning of Fall.
- Men's \$9.50 Shoes, special **\$7.95**
- \$10.00 to \$11.00 Shoes at **\$8.95**
- \$12.50 and \$13.00 Shoes at **\$9.95**
- \$14.00 and \$16.00 Shoes at **\$10.95**
- Sizes 6 to 10—Widths B, C and D.
- Shoe Department, on First Floor.

Special Demonstration of **One-Minute Washers**
Housewares Store, 3d Floor

Boys' Suits \$9.85

Main Floor—Boys' Norfolk Suits—broken lines, selling formerly at \$12.50 to \$17.50. Blue Serges and novelty mixtures. Broken sizes. Special **\$9.85**

Corduroy Suits

Main Floor—Boys' Norfolk Suits in dark gray and brown. Durable materials. Pants full cut and full lined. **\$12.50 to \$13.50**

Corduroy Pants

—Corduroy Pants in dark gray and brown. Especially serviceable for school wear. Made with taped seams. Now is the time to supply your boy's needs. **\$3.50 to \$5**

Dependable Coffee

- 1-Pound Cans 50c
- 3-Pound Cans \$1.45
- 5-Pound Cans \$2.45

—Buy a 5-pound can and pay only 49c a pound. —Steam Refined Borax Soap, 8 cakes, **\$1.00** with 2 Free cakes—priced special at **\$1.00**

—Royal White Soap, 14 cakes and **\$1.00** 2 Free cakes (large size), special at **\$1.00**

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