

MR. WEST SLATED FOR HIGHWAY JOB

Aim of Pierce Is Declared to Be Party Solidity.

WAIL ALREADY IS RAISED

Opponents of ex-Governor Say Demand Will Be Made Regular Democrat Get Job.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 11.—(Special).—That Oswald West, ex-governor of Oregon, is slated by Walter M. Pierce, governor-elect, for a place on the state highway commission, was the news brought to Salem today by prominent democrats who purported to have inside information with relation to a number of proposed political appointments under the new administration.

Opponents Are Aroused. Opponents of the appointment of Mr. West to the highway commission have let it be known that they are not in sympathy with any move to save the esmy camp, and will go to headquarters in a body prepared to demand that the job be given to some so-called regular member of the party organization.

One of the democratic visitors here today was outspoken in his opposition to Mr. West for highway commissioner or any other office in the gift of the Pierce administration.

West Not Real Democrat. "Although elected governor of Oregon on the democratic ticket, Mr. West never was nor never will be a real democrat. While chief executive of the state he tried repeatedly with the opposition, and a number of the best-paying and most-coveted offices were filled by republicans. It was agreed that Mr. West proceeded on the theory that he already had his friends under obligation and it was his best play to cultivate the friendship of the opposition."

Mention also was made by this democrat of the close friendship that has existed between Mr. West and George E. Chamberlain for many years.

Mr. Chamberlain, although more diplomatic in conducting his political affairs, is the same stripe of democrat as is Mr. West, declared the visitor. "While governor Mr. Chamberlain played to the non-partisan galleries, and party lines were badly shattered. Under his administration the men and women who worked for his election obtained the post office and the railroads walked away with the job."

William Pollman Mentioned. For the northern Oregon district William Pollman, wealthy Baker banker, has been mentioned prominently in connection with the office of state highway commissioner. Mr. Pollman a few weeks ago issued a statement in which he declared he would not accept the position, but since that time his friends have attempted to have him reconsider the proposal.

In case Mr. Pollman is not appointed the honor probably will fall to Sam Boardman. Mr. Boardman was an active Pierce supporter in the recent campaign, and acted as treasurer of the Jesse Winburn election funds.

C. E. (Pop) Gates Another. For the southern Oregon district, C. E. (Pop) Gates of Medford is declared to be in the running. Although a republican Mr. Gates supported Mr. Pierce in the campaign, and was said to have been instrumental in persuading Mr. Winburn to donate \$5000 to the cause.

In case Mr. West receives the appointment as highway commissioner he will represent the Portland district. The only other candidate mentioned in connection with the office from the Portland district is C. E. Spence, master of the Oregon state senate.

There are three members of the highway commission, the present commissioners being R. A. Booth of Eugene, John B. Yeon of Portland, and W. B. Barratt of Heppner. All three of these commissioners are expected to have their resignations on file before the first of the year.

Correct English: A Daily Quiz

HOW is tube pronounced? What is a cleft infinitive? Is its use permissible? What is amiss with the notice, "If any toy has lost a cup, they may apply to the janitor?" Upon which syllable is tarpaubin accented?

Answers to Monday's Questions. Put "other" after "any" in, "He pitches better than any man in the country."

Since "supreme" means highest or greatest, it should not be compared, as in "She rejected his offer with the most supreme contempt."

"Continuacy" pronounced "con-tew-ma-cy" means incontinent and incorrigible obstinacy.

Since the phrase "hat I lent you" modifies "book" and not "library," it should be placed next to the noun it modifies in, "Did you return the book to the library that I lent you?"

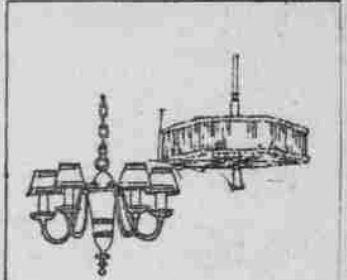
BRIDGE BODIES BUSY BURNSIDE COMMITTEE IS AFTER WIDE APPROACH.

Real Progress Is Believed Made Toward Solution of Problem Affecting Traffic.

The importance of wide main arteries of traffic leading to the bridges is coming to be realized in Portland through the actions of groups of property owners. Yesterday there were two meetings of committees in Commissioner Bar-bur's office to plan for this future

development. The lead is apparently being taken by the Burnside street group, but Madison street property owners, as well, have their eyes on future developments and will have a 100-foot street to the river from Fifth street if their present plans materialize.

The Home in Good Taste



No. 80—Shades for fixed lighting fixtures (continued). CHANDELIERs require small candle shades of silk or vellum. If they are very formal—of parchment if they are less formal. The drop-light over the dining table should preferably have a formal silk shade, which may or may not be closed at the bottom.

The color of the shade is very important, for it should not be so strong in tone as to detract from the floral decorations on the table nor of such a peculiar color as to be unharmonious with the different clothes worn by the woman at the table. Usually a tone of warm champagne, straw color or pale gold is the best color. The shade may be made of painted parchment or vellum, but should be simple in design and color.

The drop-light over the dressing table may be much more elaborate—of silk, lace trimmed, or of ruffled dotted muslin over silk to match the curtains in the room. Rose color is the best lining for these shades. The cord upon which the table light hangs should be of silk in a tone to harmonize with the walls and ceilings of the room.

New Today in the Markets

A NEW shipment of the best-looking Florida grapefruit that has been shown on the Portland market this season has arrived and is offered at the usual price of 15 and 20 cents, according to the size. The fruit is large and of good color. Arizona grapefruit is also shown and sells at four for a quart.

Butter has taken a fine of 3 cents a pound, making the wholesale price 21 cents. The average selling price of the best quality is 26 cents a pound. Select quality eggs have dropped to 53 cents a dozen wholesale and stores yesterday quoted them at 45 cents a dozen. There may be a reduction today, however. Pineapples are in the market, and the price is \$1 each. Good-looking eggplant is selling at 20 cents a pound and artichokes are 20 cents each. Large-sized hothouse cucumbers are offered at 25 cents each.



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Double Trading Stamps

will be given today with cash purchases in all departments. Choose gifts here and get the cash saving.

\$1.25 Stationery \$1.00 Main Floor—Hurd's lawn or suede finish Correspondence Paper in white and all the popular colors. Put up one quire in a neat gift box. \$1.25 values at \$1

"Say It With an OWK Merchandise Bond or Glove Order" —The best solution to the uncertainty in giving is the purchase of an OWK Merchandise Bond or Glove Order. This enables the one who wish to remember to do his or her own choosing, thus avoiding duplication of gifts and other objections. Bonds or Glove Orders may be purchased for any amount desired and it makes no difference when they are used. Ideal Christmas Gifts. For sale on the Main Floor.

For Your Convenience—Branch Postoffice in the Basement, Near Alder St. Entrance Public Telephones, 2d Floor—Tea Room, 4th Floor—Shoe Shining Parlors, Basement

Christmas Cards —All the newest designs. See display at Alder—Street Circle.

Olds, Wortman & King RELIABLE MERCHANDISE—RELIABLE METHODS.

Christmas Candies —Candy Games, Boxed Chocolates, Fancy Containers, etc., 1st Fl.

Time Is Short!

—WITH ONLY 11 DAYS REMAINING in which to select Christmas gifts the necessity of shopping at once is of pressing importance if you would complete your list in time. Every resource of this great store has been enlisted to the end that customers may find here, as in-seasons past, BEST SERVICE—BEST VALUES—BEST MERCHANDISE.

Give Him Something Useful This Xmas!

—Choose something he can make use of and you will please him to a certainty.

SHIRTS Are Always Appreciated and In Good Taste

—No man ever has an oversupply of them, and even though his stock is adequate a new shirt or two is always a most welcome gift. Our showing of quality shirts is the largest we have had in many seasons, and those who are planning on choosing practical gifts are especially invited to see our superb display.

—Bates Street —Arrow —Knickerbocker

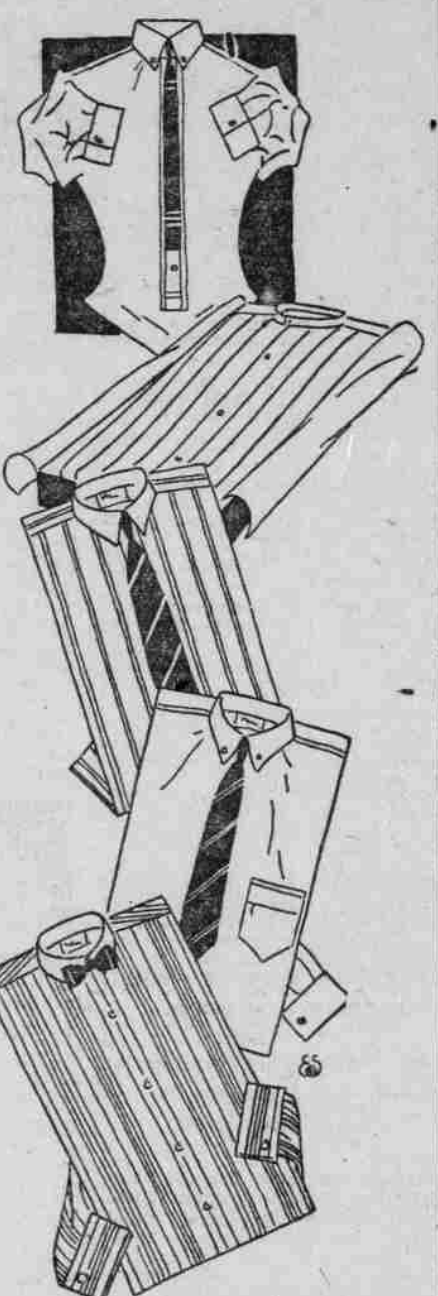
and other famous makes that are the choice of discriminating men who want quality and fit in the shirts they wear. Step in at your first opportunity and let us help you select his gift shirts.

Suggestions

- Percale Shirts in a large assortment of distinctive patterns. Priced at only \$1.69
—Madras Shirts, unexcelled for looks and serviceability. Extra values at \$2.50
—Silk Striped Shirts in new patterns \$3, \$3.50
—Mixed Silk Shirts, latest colorings—at \$7.50
—English Broadcloth Shirts, priced at \$4 and \$6
—Fiber Shirts, many patterns at \$6.50 to \$7.50
—Broadcloth Silk Shirts, extra quality—at \$7.50
—Crepe de Chine Shirts, all wanted colors—\$10
—Starched Cuff Shirts—priced at \$2.50 and \$3
—Collar Attached Shirts priced from \$2 to \$4

Double Stamps Today

Men's Store, Main Floor Gift Headquarters



For Her Xmas Present

—Hose always prove a very delightful token of friendship. This is the logical place to buy gift stockings.

Panel Back Hose Main Floor—Silk Hose in seamless style with panel or "French seam" at back. Lisle tops. A hose of \$1.50 quality. Priced at \$1.50 —Other lines \$1.15, \$1.65

Cashmere Hose —Best quality, full fashioned Cashmere Hose in Wayne Knit make. Brown and Oxford heathers, fawn, \$2 beaver, white. The pair \$2

Novelty Hose —Fancy Cashmere Hose with exclusive hand-embroidered clox designs. Large assortment of patterns and all the newest colorings. \$3.35 Full fashioned. Pr. \$3.35

Silk Hose —Pure silk of best ingrain quality. Medium weight with special finish. Some have fancy Persian tops, others plain with lisle lined welt. A pair \$2.95 —Box of three pairs \$8.65

Featuring Gift Blouses At \$5 and \$10

Second Floor—The fascination of a pretty blouse makes it the ideal gift. Here are values that have no counterpart in all Portland!

Blouses \$5 —Lovely creations in Crepe de Chine, Georgette, Pongee, etc. Tailored and dressy models trimmed with braids, beads, hemstitching, etc. Black, white and all best colors. Specially priced for this sale \$5.00

Blouses \$10 —fancy overblouse models in pleasing assortments. Made up in high-grade Georgette, Crepe de Chine and Radium. Wonderfully attractive styles for gift giving. \$10.00 Latest colors. Special at \$10.00



High-Class Blouses

Second Floor—Here is assembled a magnificent collection of dressy blouses of the better grades. Of Velvet, Georgette, Crepe de Chine, Canton, etc. Many imported models. Black and every favored color of the season. \$7.98 to \$49.95

Tailored Waists Second Floor—White Crepe de Chine Waists in smartly tailored models with fancy vest fronts and the new long collars. Trimmed with hand-work, laces, tucks and platings. Specially low priced at \$6.75, \$7.95, \$8.95, \$11.95



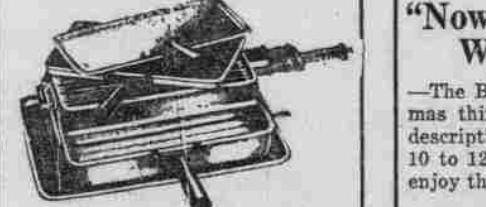
Lassie Dress and Doll Outfits

—Dainty Gifts for Little Tots! —A new novelty that is sure to commend itself to anyone looking for a useful gift for a little girl. Just in by express. And the quantity is limited, therefore early buying is advisable.

These Attractive Outfits consist of a charming Dress, one style of which is shown in accompanying sketch. Made up in splendid quality gingham, plain or checked, with cross-stitch designs. DOLL with identical style dress FREE with each purchase of outfit. Put up in Christmas mas box. Priced at only \$3.50



Home Gifts



Electric Grills In a Sale Third Floor—With this handy appliance she can boil, fry, toast—two operations at the same time. A practical gift for every-day use. \$10.50 value for \$8.89



\$2.00 Gift Trays \$1.48 —mahogany finished, with fancy centers in assorted designs and glass protected tops. A gift any woman would appreciate. \$1.48 Size 11x17 inches. Only

Housewares Store Third Floor

Smoke Stands

\$2.48 —The man who smokes would welcome a gift of this sort. 26 inches high. Brass finish. Equipped with good heavy base, with removable ash tray. Special \$2.48 3d Floor

Santa Says:—

"Now Is the Time to Choose Gifts While Assortments Are Best" —The Big Toy Store is filled to overflowing with Christmas things. Dolls, Toys, Games and novelties of every description. And Santa himself is here every day from 10 to 12 and 2 to 5. Bring the children in and let them enjoy the sights in this wonderland.—Department, 4th Flr.

Toyland Specials

- Parcheesi Game, reg. \$1 ular \$1.35—special at \$1
—Undressed Dolls, sleeping eyes and curly hair. \$6 values \$3.95
—Mamma Dolls, 20-inch size, non-breakable. \$5.00 value \$4.25
—57 Game Board \$6.00 value—at \$4.50

25c Linen Kerchiefs Box of 6—\$1.00

Main Floor—Phenomenal values, these pure Linen Handkerchiefs! Shown in the newest colored effects and 1/4-inch hems and embroidered corners. Yellow, blue, rose, orchid, Nile, pink. Set of six different designs put up in holly box. Reg. \$1 ular \$1.50 value \$1

'Kerchiefs At 35c —Pure linen Handkerchief with old English corner initial. Very sheer. 3 each \$1.00—each 35c

Children's Handkerchiefs

—AT 10¢ EACH—Children's Handkerchiefs in a large selection of character designs. Interesting 10c for little tots. Each \$1.00 —SPECIAL—Fine white lawn Handkerchiefs, 10c —Double Trading Stamps on Cash Purchases Today. —BOX OF 2 Children's Handkerchiefs of good quality white material with character designs. 18c Priced special only 10c —BOX OF 3 Children's Handkerchiefs with embroidered designs. Large assortment to select from. Priced special 50c

Gift Sale of Pillows HALF PRICE

—The Drapery Section on the 3d Floor announces a great clearance of silk-covered Pillows at 1/2 regular selling prices. Square and Oblong Shapes Only —All are made from high-grade materials and are especially desirable for gift-giving.

- 1/2 Price —Regular \$25 Pillows on sale \$12.50
—Regular \$30 Pillows on sale \$15.00
—Regular \$35 Pillows on sale \$17.50
—Regular \$40 Pillows on sale \$20.00
\$2.50 Pillow Tops At \$1.95 —Beautiful silk Tapestry Pillow Tops—special lot, new and very attractive. These are regular \$1.95 \$2.50 values—at \$1.95

\$2 Table Scarfs \$1.59

—why not give her one of these Scarfs for Christmas? They are made from fine quality Tapestry in many attractive patterns and rich colorings. Regulation size. We also offer at the same price Tapestry Table Runners. Regular \$2.00 value. Special at \$1.59

Tapestry Couch Covers At Big Savings

—a gift suggestion for the gift seeker who has in mind choosing something useful and ornamental. Large assortment of Couch Covers from our regular lines on sale at big reductions. Made from high-grade tapestry in attractive patterns and colors. Note these special prices: —\$12.00 Couch Cover \$7.50 —\$24.00 Couch Cover \$16.00 —\$18.00 Couch Cover \$12.75 —And Double Stamps,

Beautiful Velour Couch Covers Reduced to \$19.75

—these were formerly priced to sell at \$25.00 and \$27.50. Rich Oriental and Persian designs in many desirable colors. Made from high-grade Velour. Limited quantity only. Shop early. While they last \$19.75 Drapery Department—Third Floor

Best Coffee 3-lb. Tins \$1.15

—choice of Dependable or M. J. B. vacuum packed in airtight tins to keep it fresh and delicious. 3-pound \$1.15 tins priced special at \$1.15

Buckwheat Flour 9-lb. Sack 65c

—New York Buckwheat Flour; for those appetizing hot cakes! 9-pound sack, special at 65¢ —1/2-lb. sacks priced at 35¢ —Eastern Corn Meal, sack 29¢ —Snow Drift Shortening priced at 43¢, 80¢ and \$1.55 a can. —Crisco 35¢, 70¢, \$1.35, \$2 —Oregon Prunes, 40-50 size, 2 lbs. 25¢—30-40 size, 2 lbs. 45¢

Model Grocery 4th Floor



Regular \$15 Dinner Sets \$9.95

—46-piece Dinner Sets—service for six persons. Choice of two attractive patterns in conventional and floral designs with gold edge. Good serviceable ware for everyday use. Regular \$15.00 Sets, on \$9.95 special sale today at 3d Floor