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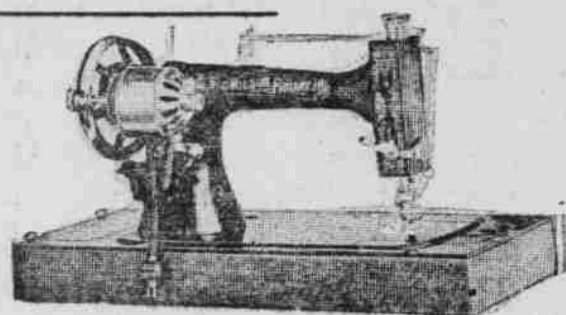
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### TRANSPORT MEETING SET

INTERESTED INVITED TO PORTLAND HOTEL WEDNESDAY.

Tentative Plan Drawn for Formation of Highway Transportation Organization.

A meeting of all persons interested in highway, rail and water transportation was called for next Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the Portland hotel, at a preliminary meeting of transportation experts held last Thursday in the office of Julius L. Meier, regional chairman in the Pacific northwest for the highway transport committee of the council of national defense.

This preliminary meeting was attended by Fred A. Beach, engineer of the public service commission of Oregon; L. J. Sparks, manager of the Portland branch of the Firestone Tire & Rubber company, and head of the local ship-by-truck bureau; R. M. Dunton of Boston truck transportation expert and Mr. Meier.

At this meeting a tentative plan was drawn up for the formation of a transport organization here, to be composed of all persons utilizing transportation in their business. This plan includes the following main points:

- To promote highway transportation.
- To assist the organization of complete transport facilities through development of the trinity of transportation, highway, rail and water.
- To eliminate waste motion.
- To decrease cost of truck transportation.
- To co-ordinate interests of rail, water and truck traffic.
- To promote such legislative and regulatory measures as are deemed necessary and essential in the safeguarding of the public welfare.
- To promote building and extension of roads to take care of present and future needs in highway transport.
- To establish and maintain a central bureau of shipping.
- To establish the influence of this association is to embody the entire Pacific northwest.

"There are various organizations to promote commercial interests, but none to promote transportation," said Mr. Dunton, who is one of the originators of the move for the new organization. "This is such a vast field, and one so complicated in its many ramifications, that there should be an organization to promote transportation composed of men who use transportation in their business, who know transportation needs, and have made a study of them."

"To form such an organization for the mutual benefit of shippers, transportation men and all concerned, is the purpose of Wednesday's meeting, at which it is hoped that a large attendance will be present."

### French Hotelkeepers Seek to Attract Americans.

Recognition of the Value From American Point of View Is Advocated.

PARIS, Dec. 6.—The National Chamber of Hotelkeepers has begun an active campaign to make French hotels attractive to Americans. American ideas are being sought through an agent of the chamber in the United States. A series of articles for hotelmen is being published by the organization's official paper. The necessity of modern toilet conveniences, honest treatment and otherwise conforming to the standards of the United States are emphasized.

Cleanliness is given the most attention by the chamber's agent in the United States and he cites conditions in some of the French hotels that

would be surprising to an American. He recommends the use of white or light paint to prevent the gloominess of interiors, greater illumination, recognition of the bath tub from the American point of view, removal of various unsanitary quarters from near the kitchen, elimination of little service charges and other changes.

"Breakfast," the correspondent reports, "is the American's best meal, and we must organize ourselves to give it to him and to serve it very quickly. Also, ice cream is the national dessert; it is eaten morning and night. America has machines for making this dessert. Perhaps we can adopt a model and later make it in France." The hotelmen are cautioned by the correspondent against "a veritable organization to boost prices" which he said had been reported to him. Otherwise, he reasoned, returning travelers would spread the bad news "we would thus lose the chance we now have to make enormous profits."

### ICE THICK IN COLUMBIA

Jam Across River Expected in Cold Snap at The Dalles.

THE DALLES, Or., Dec. 6.—(Special.)—Friday was the coldest of the year in the city, the mercury falling to 12 degrees above zero. The weather prophet gives no promise of relief for The Dalles. With a coal shortage in the city, many families are "up against it" for heat. The coldest spell last winter was January 3 when the thermometer registered 3 degrees above the zero mark.

Predictions that snow may soon fall are made by many ranchers claiming to be students of local climate. Tons of ice in the Columbia river opposite The Dalles is said to be predicted that an ice jam will extend across the river by tomorrow morning.

### Mrs. Pope Is a Visitor.

Katherine Ward Pope, an esteemed dramatic soprano who formerly lived in this city, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. A. McQuinn, and also her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Latourette of Oregon City. For some time past she has been doing advanced vocal work in New York City, under direction of Bamboshek of the Metropolitan Opera company and mis-en-scene with Agnini, assistant stage director of the same historic company. Mrs. Pope, who is receiving opera training, and making rapid progress in that art, plans to return to New York City by December 20. She says she is thoroughly enjoying her week's holiday and rest in Oregon.

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### STURGIS CASE WATCHED

SUPREME COURT TO HEAR PENDLETON CONTEST.

\$5000 Bequest Left for City Library, Which Was Abandoned for County Institution.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 6.—(Special.)—The case of Hartman and other taxpayers of Pendleton to restrain the so-called commercial association of that city from having the use of \$5000 bequeathed to the organization by the late Samuel Sturgis for the benefit of a library there, will be heard by the Oregon supreme court on December 9.

At the time Mr. Sturgis died his will provided that the sum of \$5000 should be paid from his estate to the officers of the Pendleton commercial association for the benefit of the city library. It was also set out in the will that at any time when the library ceased to exist for a period of three years the money should revert to his estate.

Before the will was probated, however, the plaintiffs charged that the city library was abandoned and that the county library plan was adopted. Because of this situation it was alleged that the officers of the Pendleton Commercial association had no legal right to accept the money, even though it was applied toward the conduct of the county library.

The case was tried in the Umatilla county court and the contention of

the plaintiffs was affirmed by the trial judge. The defendants then appealed to the supreme court.

Local attorneys say this is one of the most important cases to come before the supreme court in recent years and the outcome of the litigation is being closely watched by many library organizations in the state.

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