

ANOTHER RIVER AND HARBOR SCHEME PROPOSED BY CHAIRMAN

Proposition is to Divide State into Districts for the Purpose of Raising Funds for Care, Maintenance and Improvement.

To divide the state of Oregon into several districts, as perhaps the Columbia river, Willamette valley and the southern Oregon districts, for the purpose of raising funds for the care and maintenance of rivers and harbors is another big idea which the chamber of commerce contemplates springing on the legislature when it meets at Salem in January.

The question was opened at a meeting of the chamber some time ago, and since that time repeated meetings of the transportation committee have discussed the puzzle, trying to arrive at some plan which will be feasible and easy and which will be able to meet with the approval of the legislature and the people. As yet no definite plan has been selected, but the committee is still groping for some specific outline upon which to build a bill which will meet all the requirements of the case and at the same time answer all of the many objections which it is feared will be hurled at it by those members who are not contiguous to some navigable river or deep-sea harbor and who are, therefore, not liable to be so friendly to a measure which is sure to cost the state a vast sum of money before much benefit can be derived from it.

The only definite standard which the committee now has before it as a pattern is the Port of Portland. This, as is generally known, is a commission authorized by the state to bond a certain prescribed district for money to carry on the work of deepening the channel from Portland to the sea as far as it may. The same act which created the commission also provided for a special tax which may be levied to aid in the work of the commission.

For a time it was argued that it would be sufficient to increase the Port of Portland boundaries and make the taxable district extend over more Multnomah territory and farther down the river to some station. It has been practically decided, however, that this would not fill the requirements of the case and that it would be better to make some arrangement for the care of the entire waterway of the state while the measure was up for discussion.

One of the main reasons why the committee thinks it important at this time for the state to take a hand in the improvement of its harbors and rivers is the fact that it has been intimated many times by the river and harbor committee of congress that those states which took some substantial part in the improvement of their waterways would be the ones which would be the soonest picked for aid by congress. It is expected that the work done under such a law as is contemplated would serve as a sort of bait to congress when the river and harbor appropriation bill came up for consideration.

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Third Street Front.

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In Our New and Lively Grocery Department

Extra Fine Mocha and Java, a grade that sells anywhere for 40c the pound, and even we can't sell it for less at regular price. Hundreds and hundreds of pounds for **34c** Friday, 3 POUNDS FOR \$1; or the pound.....

35c Coffees selling Friday, while these special prices are in force, at 3 pounds for 85c, or the pound, **29c** only.....

30c Coffees—we offer 3 pounds for 70c this day, or you may buy only one pound and pay, **24c** per lb.....

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Hats for School Girls.

Felt hats for school girls of tender years are both chic and becoming this season. There are numbers of rolled shapes with the pompadour in the front and folds of silk around the crown or with velvet instead of the silk. Plain ribbons, flowered ribbons and velvet and silk mixed ribbons are also very much used on the fall hats for young misses. The passion for stripes, which is so noticeable in new women's wear of all sorts, is also noticed on girls' fall hats, both in the silk and velvet trimmings.

Nor is the school girl without the taste of the moment in wings and birds. Many hats for misses are shown in round or turban shape with wings or birds across the front or at the side. Hats made of felt braid are also quite popular this autumn for little girls. These are in sailor, continental or English walking hat shape or in hooded form of shabby styles. They are trimmed with ribbon choux frequently in the same color, with little and big buckles and with breasts, wings or signatures of the same color or white. The favorite colors seem to be brown and tan, although red, as always in the autumn, is also a prime favorite.

The plaid and fancy silk trimmings seem to be preferred for the plain felt or beavers, while plain colored trimmings of the same shade or a lighter or darker shade of the same color are used on the braided hats.

Some of the round hats are turned straight back off the face with a broad band of ribbon and a flat bow on the crown. One of the most stylish hats seen has a rolling brim sailor, turned up more at the sides than in the front and back. It was trimmed only with a flat, stiff leather band, with a small square bow in front. A brown braid hat was trimmed with box plaatings of velvet and a gray felt with a velvet fold and a squirrel's tail at the side.

For the Housekeeper.

Any one who has once acquired a taste for unsalted butter becomes almost pathetic in his desire for more of it. There's no missing off of butter from which the first freshness has passed made possible when you eat it in its unsalted state, and fresh butter is a delight in itself to epicure and the ordinary mortal blessed with a healthy appetite alike.

Tiny churns—really dolls' affairs—come, in which a leftover bit of cream may be beaten up in a little while into delicious butter, and the buttermilk, although meager as to quantity, will be very different from the best sort the average city dweller is used to.

Chill the cream first and keep it chilled while you are working with it, and ply the tiny dasher with a will. When the butter "comes," work the lumps together with a wooden spoon; press to exclude every drop of moisture and cold into little balls with butter paddles.

Stupendous Savings on Seasonable Silks

Beautiful patterns in swishing, shining silks, that were bought to sell at a great deal more than this price. Fancy taffeta in small neat figures, light or dark shades—silks that can be used for the construction of handsome waists or suits; regular value \$1.00 the yard—very special for Friday **59c**

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Very, Very Swell Mannish Suits

A special value on superb suits that will hold good for one day only. Best suits possible to buy, made of all wool materials, in large or small plaid patterns; trimmed with braid and buttons. Regular price \$40 each. Buy one Friday, and pay us only **\$29.49**

Women's Wrappers, of flannellette, lined waist, deep flounce around bottom, and they are trimmed with braid and ruffles; fancy stitched; regular \$1.50 value—Friday only **98c**

Second Street Annex



From the Bargain Basement

Carving Knives and Forks, with imitation stag handles; good steel, but the knives have never been ground; worth 75c the set—Friday only, set **9c**

Yellow Bowls, regular 15c value; very special for Friday, only **9c** each

Coal Oil Cans, regular 25c size; special for Friday, only **19c** each

Third Street Basement.

Brilliant Bargains on Bedding

Pillow Slips, size 42x36; regular 15c values—four one **11c** day

Seamless Sheets, a splendid grade of cotton, size 72x90; regular 75c quality, Friday, **50c** each

White Bed Spreads, good size and regular \$1.50 quality; special for Friday **\$1.19**

Pacific Pillows, 3 1/2 pound size, size 20x27 inches; special for Friday, each **85c**

Second Street.

White Cotton Blankets, the very large 12-4 size, and a heavy weight blanket, too, worth \$1.50 to \$1.75 the pair, Friday only, **\$1.24** pair

Feather Pillows—and mind you they ARE feather pillows, 2 1/2-pound ones; special Friday, each **49c**

Comforts, full size, silkoline covered, filled with best white cotton; regular \$2.25 values; Friday price, each **\$1.75**

12 1/2c Silkoline for 9c Yard

Fancy Figured Silkoline, good width and quality; sells regularly at 12 1/2c the yard; very special for Friday only, the yard **9c**

Third Street Balcony.

Union Suits 49c

Women's and Misses' sizes, splendid fleece lined cotton, perfect fitting; buy here Friday and get a **49c** 75c one for, only

Third Street.

Blk. Silk Gloves

A superb grade of prime Black Silk, in the popular 18-button length; regular \$1.75 values—special for Friday, pair **\$1.39**

Third Street, Right Aisle.

overcharged because of their nationality. Then they bring with them their custom of treating a shop as a free exhibition, an amusement in which they indulge if they so please without spending anything. The American stores, like the popular Paris 'magasins,' are, in fact, laid out to meet this notion. Their goods are lavishly displayed on counters or hanging up, so that the prospective customer can gaze at the novelties and the pretty things, and

entering guest and demand to know her wishes. Thus, the American customer and the English shop assistant fall to appreciate one another.

Piquant Jelly.

Turn two glasses of tart jelly (preferably currant) into the upper vessel of a double boiler. As it is melting whip into it three tablespoonfuls of dry English mustard, six drops of tobacco and two teaspoonfuls of granulated gelatine which has been softened in a trifling of cold water and melted over steam. As soon as the ingredients are perfectly blended into a paste, turn into dainty little individual molds. This jelly is best prepared a day in advance. The gelatine is added only to insure perfect shapes when unmolded.

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Scented Hair is the Latest.

The girl with the scented hair is the popular craze. Her hats seem to be scented and her veils; yes, and her complexion, too—all perfumed. The girl with the perfumed hair knows how to select her perfumes. She does not pick them out at haphazard, by any means. Nor is she reckless with them. She picks out the right scents and uses them in the right way. The secret in perfuming is to choose the wild flower scents. The hothouse scents are apt to be heavy.

Jeweled Shoes and Gowns.

The jewelers who have foreseen a "white" winter, have specialized in colorless gems this season. Pearls rank first as the favorite stone, says the London Express, and moonstones, white coral and white sapphires are also fashionable.

Although, according to weather experts, the winter of 1906 is likely to be a very frosty one, glittering stones will take second place, and diamonds will be replaced by pearls.

The "live" stones, such as the ruby, sapphire, diamond and emerald, are not nearly so popular as the "dead" gems, such as the pearl, moonstone or opal.

By "live" and "dead" stones is meant respectively the gems which flash back light and the stones which mirror the rays of the sun as a still pond mirrors a landscape.

The woman who glitters will not be considered in good taste this winter, and pearls or opals are being set into rings, bracelets and necklaces.

There is no doubt that the opal is

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coming into fashion, although the breath of superstition will always tarnish it. It is the most beautiful gem, and not only reflects the color of the gown, thus toning successfully with every shade, but is said to denote the good or bad health of its owner.

The moonstone is also a beautiful gem. There is an old superstition, which few people are aware of, that when lovers are parted each should possess a moonstone set round with a

diver circle. In the event of being threatening one of the lovers the moonstone worn by the other is supposed to reflect the lightning danger.

If you are looking for more help, either male or female, read The Journal Classified under "Business Wanted" and "Situations Wanted" pages.

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