APPROACHING OPENING OF CANAL IS CAUSING A REVIVAL OF INTEREST

Plan to Give Immense Barges Loaded With Sugar Place of Honor.

STATISTICS OF INTEREST

Facts Concerning Big Ditch Through Isthmus Contained in Exhaustive Atlas of The Journal.

Announcement from Washington that commerce will be moved through the Panama canal about May 10 renews interest in the big ditch. The plan now is to give immense barges loaded with sugar the honor of being the first to pass through. The distances which these barges will have to cover, together with other data regarding the canal may be briefly sketched as follows:

The length of the canal from deep water to deep water is 50 ½ miles. From shore line to shore line the distance is 40 miles. The bottom width of the approach channel in Limon bay is 500 feet. From Catun lake to Culebra cut it is 24 miles. Channel width from Gatun to Culebra cut entrance from 500 to 1000 feet. Culebra cut is nine miles long and the bottom of the chapnel in the cut is 300 feet wide. On the Atlantic side the depth of the channel approach is 41 feet at mean tide. Depth of channel approach on the Pacific side is 45 feet.

The largest vessels will have no difficulty in making the turns at any of the angles in the canal. These angles have a width sufficient for a vessel 1000 feet long to make the sweep without hindrance. On the entire canal there are 22 angles.

In case of war the canal will be found ready to meet any emergency, heavy batteries being distributed slong the route and mines having been placed so that it would be practically impossible for an invading foe to escape serious damage or total destruction. Wireless stations and lighthouses are

These are but a few of the many interesting things described in The Journal Atlas of the World. The atlas contains maps of all countries of the globe and tells all about parcel post. This atlas will be given away free to Journal readers. Cut out the cou pon in today's paper and remit \$2.60 for four months' subscription to the Daily and Sunday Journal and the atlas will be furnished without additional cost. Out-of-town patrons will be charged 13 cents extra for postage.

BY, MUSICIANS' CLUB

High Compliment Is Paid at Luncheon to Father Dominic of Mount Angel.

Father Dominic of Mount Angel was the guest of honor at a luncheon given yesterday at the Portland hotel by the Musicians' club of this city. The affair was a compliment to the composer upon the playing of his overture "The Call of the West," by the Portland Symphony Orchestra for the first time at the orchestra's last concert of the season Friday afternoon of last week C. E. S. Wood, Frank Branch Riley and David H. Wilson were introduced by President W. Gifford Nash to speak for the club, but when the guest of honor was introduced he modestly whispered to Toastmaster Nash to say for him that "The overture expressed his sentiments." About 30 members of the club were present.

In speaking of music, literature and art, Col. Wood said that art and beauty alone are eternal and survive. The beauty that is part of what we call soul belongs to the immortal part of man, whether he be material or spiritual.

Who cares nowadays in digging up the buried ruins of that which was once the glory of Greece," he said, "to bother about the ashes of the past; we search, rather, for the beautiful in poetry and art, and for tablets that reveal truth. Your mission in gentlemen, is the creation of the beautiful and you are taking part in s permanent work of all time. I have known Father Dominic so many years that I could not say all that I should like to say in his presence. I could not utter one syllable of anything bad against him. Such is his modesty that, if I were to tell him what I think of him, he would rather that I struck him a blow on the cheek."

Mr. Riley gave an interesting sketch of the guest of honor, from the time he, at the age of 12, took up the study of music in his home in Switzerland, encouraged by his father, an editor and publisher. The intention was, he said, that young Waedenschwiller was to be come a professional musician, but the parish priest urged that he rather become a priest, and so he became priest musician.

Mr. Wilson gave a technical analysis of the overture "The Call of the West."

Babcock Denies Published Story

Salem, Or., May 5 .- With nearly 6000 employers in the state listed in the offices of the state industrial accident commission and only about 500 rejections of the compensation act on file, C. D. Babcock, of the commission, today branded as false the statement sent out from Portland to the country papers of the state to the effect that a member of the commission has said that only 500 to 600 of 3000 manufacturers of Oregon are coming under the pro-

visions of the act. "Someone with an ax to grind has seen sending out these statements to the country papers," said Mr Babcock. "This is the rankest kind of misrepresentation, and sounds like new chapter in the war against the compensation act carried on by the casualty insurance people for the past two or three years, and which is still on, although they must re-slize that it is a losing game."

Sheffield Plate

In the Anniversary Sale

\$16.50 Fish Platter . \$9.95 \$3.50 Bon Bons . . . \$2.48 \$2.50 Bread Trays. . \$1.69 \$5.50 Flower Vases \$4.00 \$7.75 Veg. Dish...\$5.95 \$7.50 Sandw. Trays \$4.48 \$12 Round Plates..\$7.95 \$8 Fruit Basket...\$4.95 \$9.00 Steak Dish...\$5.95 \$12.50 Breakf't Set \$8.95 \$7.50 Cheese Dish . \$4.95 \$10 Fern Dish \$6.95 \$20 Fruit Bowls . . \$12.95 \$15 Fruit Bowls \$9.95 \$25 Veg. Dish...\$15.95 \$22 Coffee Set...\$13.95 \$9.00 Roll Basket. \$5.95 \$30 Coffee Urn...\$19.95

Beautiful Hand-Finished Pieces SCARFS, CENTERPIECES, PILLOW TOPS, UN-DERWEAR, SHIRT WAISTS, CHILDREN'S DRESSES

HALF PRICE

-Although the liveliest buying was witnessed in our Art Needlework section, the assortment of these beautiful foreign and American finished examples of art needlework offers a broad selection.

-You can never hope to duplicate any of these beautiful pieces again at these Anniversary Sale Prices.



Come-Share in a Remarkable HALF PRICE Coat Sale



COATS ILLUSTRATED WERE SKETCHED DIRECTLY FROM MODELS OFFERED IN THIS SALE

With 718 of the Newest Early Summer Coats as the Attraction \$12 to \$14\$6.95 \$17.50 to \$22.50\$9.85 \$35 to \$50\$17.50 \$45 to \$60\$24.45 Coats\$17.50 Coats\$24.45

_A SURPRISE EVENT—planned and prepared for several months. Showroom coats, samples and coats secured from makers who were overstocked. Altogether the most remarkable collection to sell at minimum prices—new coats that are worthy of presentation in our Anniversary Sale. Exquisite coats of bengaline, taffeta, whipcord, faille, moire, brocades, charmeuse, crinkle crepe, honeycomb worsteds, plaids, checks, cheviots, mixtures. In black, white and every fashionable shade. Plan to come early Wednesday morning, for in many instances there is but one of a kind. See the triple window display.

\$2 Traveling Aprons Special 98c

-Pullman traveling aprons of gured cretonne and rubbe lined. In attractive patterns and a variety of colors. All with various pockets for necessary toilet accessories. When in use can be tied around the waist.

Bathing Caps 75c Regular \$1.00 and \$1.50 -Fancy silk bathing caps, all rubber lined. In various combinations of colors, in dotted, figured and plain effects. Trimmed with Persian

bands. In bonnet and hat

shapes. See Suza-100La 181

Ribbons Particular Newness Enter This Sale at Astonishingly Low Prices

\$1.25 to \$1.75 Fancy Ribbons 89c

-Imported fancy ribbons less than 12 hours in Portland. Such wonderful plaids, stripes and beautiful Dresden effects in pastel colors are seldom seen in a sale -Ribbons in greatest demand for sashes, girdles and trimming purposes.

85c to \$1.25 Fancy Ribbons 69c

-This collection is not one bit less attractive, nor a whit less beautiful than the more expensive ribbons offered in this sale. Light colored plaids, stripes in great variety, pastel effects in all the new shades will appeal at once to women in need of ribbons.



5000 PAIRS Brand New Best \$1 Silk Gloves 79c 16-Button Length

-Pure silk double tip Guaranteed to be regular \$1.00 gloves from one of the greatest manufacturers of silk fabric gloves in Amer-

-These come in black and white in all sizes. You have our assurance that they are all new fresh gloves that will give you splendid satisfac-First Floor

75c to \$1.25 **Oriental Novelty Colors** 29c

-Rich Oriental and Japanese embroidered Collars in deep glowing colorings and rich designs.

-Collars suitable for waists, dresses and coats.

-Japanese embroidered pompadour effects, reproductions of Turkish and Arabic hand work.

-In round, square, epaulet and Van Dyke shapes. -Of white, cream and ecru batiste and crepe.

-In such colorings as delft blue crimson, orange, mahogany and combination ef--First Floor

Glove Silk Bloomers Selling Regularly at \$2.25 \$1.69

-These bloomers are made of a strong, serviceable quality glove silk, not the kind that is usually found at special sales, but silk that combines beauty with durability, and can be laundered as easily as a silk handkerchief. -They are cut extra full in length and width and are

reinforced at the chief points of wear. -In pure white, emerald, mahogany, gray, tango,

bronze, purple, King's blue and Copenhagen. -First Floor

Yes, Tomorrow We Show Again

More New Hats Not Shown Before \$4.45 Selling Formerly to \$1

-"I bought an untrimme shape for \$7.50, identicall like this hat you are sellin trimmed for \$4.45.

-"This hat was not trin med here, for I bought or with a widely advertise label in it for \$15.00."

-These and similar remarks were heard yesterday in our millinery department when customers inspected the trimmed hats on sale at \$4.45. W are not denying the fact that these hats were sent us by three national known hat manufacturers, consequently it did not take wise shoppers lon to realize the exceptional worth of these hats at \$4.45.

MAKE THEIR FIRST APPEARANCE IN OUR STORE. -Come early in the morning for the best selections.

Wreaths of Every Flower That Grows Regular Prices Range From \$1.00 to \$1.50

-Roses, full-blown and budding, ragged dahlias, poppies, field flowers ar

lin materials, with glossy, green true-to-nature leaves.

Dinnerware That Wears the Crov



-One store offers a

EVERY ONE THE LATEST DESIGNS OF THE FOREMOS SHAPES. THE LATEST DECORATIONS.

At Prices Not Ob

\$15.00 Austrian China Dinner Set, \$7.95 of 100 pieces, showing four different spray designs. \$38.00 Theodore Haviland Dinner Set, \$24.95 100-piece set, showing six different decorations, Chantilly shape, American Semi-Porcelain Dinner Set, \$4.98 50-piece set in plain white with two-gold line border. \$20.00 French China Dinner Set, \$12.98 100-piece set, decorated in four different designs,

In Greatest Favor---This Underwear Sale---With Satisfying, Worthy Specials



Selling Regularly at 75c -Slipover style gowns with round neck and kimono sleeves, with edgings of em- from. broidery and Torchon lace combined with lace, and embroidery insertions and bead-

-New Knickerbocker combi- edged with torchon lace. nations in princess style with dainty yokes of lace and insertion or embroidery, ribbondrawn. The drawers are edged to match.

Combinations \$1.19 Worth \$1.50 to \$1.65

These fine combinations are made of excellent quality of longcloth, in Knickerbocker, waisted or -New straight cut petticoats of princess style. New laces, dainty excellent quality longcloth with embroideries and ribbons are the ruffles of dainty embroidery and trimmings. Some have the new beading drawn with ribbon, or of straight leg drawers.

Worth \$1.25 to \$1.75

-Dozens of different styles are included in this assortment of dainty gowns. They are made of fine longcloth or pelisse crepe in slipover, open front and high neck styles, with short, long and cimono sleeves. Many have pretty yokes of Val. lace and embroidery, and trimmings of excellent quality embroidery and fine tucks. Cut with round, square or V-shaped necks.

Gowns at 75c

75c Corset Covers 49c

-Made of splendid wearing longcloth in round neck style, with allover embroidery or lace fronts, finished at neck with lace insertion beading and ribbon. Also some trimmed with embroidery and lace combined and lace medallions. Eight different styles to choose

40c Corset Covers 29c -Corset covers of fine longcloth made in round neck style, with trimming of heavy lace or open \$1.25 Combina'tns 89c embroidery, drawn with ribbon,

Crepe Petticoats 95c Selling Usually at \$1.50 -Made of pink, blue or white plisse crepe with deep accordion pleated ruffle and two rows of wide lace insertion.

White Petticoats 98c Worth \$1.25 to \$1.50 wide embroidery. -Fourth Floor

SALE OF CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR

Children's Crepe Gowns-Anniversary Sale, 79c These gowns are of a good quality of crepe in all white or white with pink or blue dots. They are made in slipover, open front or high neck styles, with long or kimono sleeves. The trimmings are insertions and lace edgings, drawn with ribbon. Sizes 4 to 14 years.

Children's and Misses' Gowns-Anniversary Sale, \$1.19 -Fine nainsook gowns in several attractive styles, made slipover with flare sleeves with yoke effects of dainty insertions, embroidery, tucks, beadings and lace edgings, drawn with ribbon. Sizes 8 to 16 years.

Children's Muslin Drawers-Anniversary Sale, 25c -Made of a good quality of muslin in Knickerbocker style, edged with dainty embroidery. Also some in straight leg with cluster tucks. Sizes 2 to 12 years.

Good Corset News For Every Woman

-Fashion hopes are fully realized at lastthe "nature figure" may be enjoyed now by all types of women. The new Nemo KOP-SERVICE Corsets make this possible.

-We never before had the pleasure of offering our patrons such

Nemo Week Ask to See

Miss S. Thomas Expert

Nemo Fitter



the radically new construction of the KOPSERVICE models; but you'll have to see the corsets themselves to fully realize their novel worth. Here's an example: No. 561-Low bust, almost topless; allelastic above waistline-top doesn't dig in when you bend or dance. Long, flexible skirt, with Lasticurve-Back. The new suede batiste, sizes 20 to 30.....\$5.00

Other models, for slender or stout \$5.00 NEW AND PRACTICAL. See them!

\$3.25 Motor Veils \$1.19

-Of all silk chiffon cloth 13/4 yards long by one yard

-These veils are water and dust proof and can be had in such fashionable colors as orange, navy blue, brown, sky, pink, myrtle, white, gray and black. Hemstitched all around. Very strong and First Floor serviceable.

\$10 German Silver Mesh Bags \$6.95

-These bags are made with the attractive narrow frames, of soldered mesh. Each bag is beautifully made and finished, and are very superior in every -First Floor particular.

Drapery Materials All at Sale Prices

35c Fancy Art Scrims 18c 25c Curtain Nets 14c 50c Cretonnes 39c 40c and 50c Chintz . . . 29c 25c Curtain Scrim 19c \$1.00 Sunfast Madras . 79c \$1.25 50-inch Cre-

tonnes89c \$1.00 Curtain Nets...73c 60c and 65c Cretonnes 39c \$1.25 Sunfast Draperies89c 35c Curtain Nets.... 19c

-Fifth Floor

-For Wednesday we provide 350 additional trimmed hats THA

Remarkably Low Priced, 45c

some rare posies that bloom only on the Summer hats. -These are wreaths that never sell for less than two on three times th price. Each one is, in itself, a pretty and complete trimming for any ha -They are ornaments called for by all the new hat shapes-the hig bandeaux, the sailors and the Watteaus, and they may be used in a doze different ways. The flowers are of every color, and of silk, satin and mu

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More Half Price Aprons

-We have added 500 more aprons to the assortment that wa almost exhausted yesterday. Band, bib and tea aprons, also a assortment of gingham aprons, bib aprons for maids and wai resses, hemstitched or plain bretelles. Many of the lines the were entirely disposed of are replenished, offering

28c APRONS AT 14c

25c APRONS AT 12c

60c APRONS AT 29c 1000 New Gingham Petticoats

35c APRONS AT 19c

Of Amoskeag Gingham and Chambray ECONOMY BASEMENT PRICE 50c -These aprons are of plain striped materials, with ruffle at th

bottom and finished with tucks. Extra quality materials are use in these garments and are extra well made. In all lengths.

Children's Straw Play Hats SELLING REGULARLY AT 75c

ECONOMY BASEMENT PRICE 29c

-These Hats are made for both boys and girls. In three style one of fancy straw with high crown, ribbon-trimmed and stick-u at the side; others of plain straws with high or round crowns, i plain white with colored band trimmings.

25c Hair Bow and Sash Ribbons Plain and Taffeta, Five Inches Wide 19c

-Hair bow and sash ribbons of plain taffeta and moire taffets full five inches wide, in white, scarlet, black, navy blue, Coper hagen and burgundy.

Every Day New Sales In the Economy Basement Store