

ONE MILL ROAD TAX TO BE REVIVED BY STATE IS ADVOCATED

Bill Presented to Legislators
With Indorsement of Big
Portland Taxpayers.

MULTNOMAH NOT SHARE

This City, Backers Declare, Would
Receive Indirect Benefit as Reim-
bursement for the Outlay.

A bill providing for an extra 1 mill
state road levy in the years 1915 and
1916 was presented to the Multnomah
county delegation last night by a
number of prominent taxpayers.

The fund thus raised is to aid high-
way development in the counties out-
side of Multnomah. The bill is in
line with a resolution passed by the
State Association of County Judges
and Commissioners, at their recent ses-
sion in this city.

None of the money is to be available
until the first installment of taxes is
returned in 1916. Although Multnomah
county pays approximately one
third of the tax, it is not forth that
the county is not to participate in
state aid for roads. The motive for
this is found in the fact that every
improved highway in the state indi-
rectly benefits Portland. The develop-
ment of the state will reduce Multnomah
county's proportion of the state
tax charge.

The bill was formally presented to
the delegation by W. L. Boise and
E. E. Covert, on behalf of the follow-
ing taxpayers:

A. L. Mills, Joseph N. Teal, Estate of
Henry Felling by W. C. Alvord, Estate
of H. W. Corbett by E. R. Corbett,
Woodward, Clarke & Co., Louis G.
Clarke, William F. Woodward, W. P.
Olida, Phil Metchan, Leo Friede,
A. S. Benson, J. C. Albrecht, J. E. B.
Yoon, W. L. Boise, H. L. Pittcock, John
F. Carroll, C. S. Jackson, W. M. Ladd,
S. Benson, Julius Meier, E. E. Covert,
Edgar Piper, W. B. Ayer, F. W. Lead-
better, D. C. O'Brien, Non-Partisan
League by George C. Mason, manager;
Lipman, Wolfe & Co. by Adolph Wolfe,
president; Will Lipman, Horace Rams-
dell, Edmund C. Giltner, W. J. Clemens,
Lang & Co., L. Lang, Allen Lewis,
Zimmerman-Wells-Brown company, W.
J. Zimmerman, D. Solis Cohen, Alex.
Bernstein, W. Margulis, Sweeney In-
vestment company by Bruce Glending,
president; R. P. Effinger, G. Simpson,
S. Stanley, L. Gerlinger, North Pacific
Lumber company by Donald McKay,
J. Paulsen, L. C. Gilman, Samuel Hill.

CIRCUIT COURT COST FOR YEAR AMOUNTS TO CONSIDERABLE SUM

Insurance Commissioner Ferguson
Gets Reports From
All Counties Except Curry.

(Salem Bureau of the Journal.)
Salem, Or., Jan. 5.—The cost of cir-
cuit courts of Oregon for the nine
months ending September 30 was
\$214,676.02, according to Insurance
Commissioner Ferguson, who has re-
ceived reports from all counties ex-
cept Curry. This sum, it is explained,
does not include salaries of the judges
of the circuit courts, which are paid
by the state of Oregon. The cost of
the courts by counties follows:

Baker	5,752.00
Benton	1,098.21
Clackamas	5,898.10
Clatsop	5,917.59
Columbia	1,275.73
Coos	8,833.10
Crook	2,946.29
Douglas	1,978.99
Gilliam	1,139.60
Grant	4,822.60
Hart	1,718.85
Hood River	1,036.25
Jackson	2,998.70
Josephine	3,178.85
Klamath	10,705.97
Lake	3,736.73
Lane	12,721.38
Lincoln	1,665.23
Linn	3,414.96
Mallam	1,908.59
Marion	10,158.35
Morrow	819.00
Multnomah	69,828.94
Polk	4,051.33
Tillamook	1,032.43
Umatilla	7,471.46
Union	8,037.69
Walla	1,819.70
Wasco	4,447.06
Washington	7,384.55
Wheeler	1,819.70
Yamhill	2,965.55

Heating Quality Of Gas Increased

State Railroad Commission Instructs
Local Company to Give More Effi-
cient Service.

If your dinner burns, Mrs. House-
wife, do not blame yourself entirely
unless you know the secret about to
be revealed. Since last Friday morn-
ing the gas furnished to Portland
homes has been much hotter than it
was last year. The state railroad com-
mission is responsible for the change,
for on its orders the Portland Gas &
Coke company raised its product 20
British thermal units.

The raise may be Greek to you, but
it means, according to the railroad
commission, that you should turn your
burner a trifle lower to obtain the
same results as more heat is now ob-
tained than formerly from the same
amount of gas. On January 1 the gas
showed 570 British thermal units and
this morning it showed 677 British
thermal units. The former standard
was 550 British thermal units, which
has now become the minimum in place
of the 525 minimum formerly allowed.
The use of more oil in making the gas
resulted in the increased heat value.

John Crawford.
Oregon City, Or., Jan. 5.—John
Crawford, a native of Ohio, and a
resident of Oregon for many years,
died January 1. Mr. Crawford was 83
years old. He was a Grand Army vet-
eran.

Again We Record Overwhelming Hosts of Eager Customers Tomorrow, the Third Day, and Next Week We Mean to Increase Public Interest



January Has Probably Never Before Seen Such Busy Selling Days as These, Occasioned by Stirring Sales of Every Garment In the Women's Third Floor Apparel Store

—For the last two days the apparel store was filled with such eager crowds as one expects to see only at the busiest Christmas shopping time. But it is only natural that it should be so. The most decisive bargains ever offered in fashionable new garments are being displayed in every section of this large apparel store.

—All coats, suits, dresses, waists, skirts, furs are priced far below their original prices. NOW is the best time to buy all kinds of ready-to-wear garments. THAT is why hundreds are here—and hundreds more will come as fast as they learn what extraordinary bargains have been secured by their fortunate neighbors.

—Each day adds its own remarkable quota to this decisive radical reduction movement.

New White Chinchilla Worumbo Coats, Special \$12.50 and \$15.00

—These coats are shown in two different styles—models that promise to be in greatest favor for the spring season. In three-quarter lengths. Made of pure white genuine Worumbo.

\$17.85 TO \$20.00 SUITS
—Suits of serge and chevrons in black and colors. With long or medium-length jackets. Skirts in newest styles.

\$17.95 —Of fine chevrons, made in short jacket styles, trimmed with fur collars and with yokes. Skirts in new yoke flare-top styles.

\$28.75 —Suits of fine gabardine and broadcloth, in the new jaunty short jacket styles, perfectly tailored and trimmed.

\$67.50 —These suits are the remainder of this season's importations of highest-class novelty styles of velour, plush, velvet and broadtail plush.

\$8.95 —Party and dancing dresses of taffeta silks, crepe de chine, chiffon, charmeuse and white French serges. In white, light blue, pink, gray and black.

\$11.95 —Dresses of serge and velvet in a large variety of novelty and combination effects; also velvet combined with satin. In black, new green, brown, plum.

\$21.65 —Dresses of velvets and silks in street and evening shades. In plain tailored, combination and novelty styles. In the newest and most popular styles.

\$4.95 —Coats of chevrons and fancy boucle in black and colors. Some are plain tailored, others have velvet or plush trimmings.

—Third Floor

—Second Floor

Great Sale of Silks and Dress Goods These Two Great Events Join in Making This "Great Stock Reducing Sale" of Intense Interest in the Store That Is Always NEW EVERY YARD REDUCED

—It is well to remember the two-fold significance of these January sales, for it explains their vast interest, economy and importance from the point of view of the Portland buying public.

—(1) To rid our stocks of all odd lots and thus to keep THE "NEW STORE NEW."

—(2) To provide a quick means of distribution for the good surplus lots from makers and importers.

—Both these principles are in force in this especially notable sale of every yard of dress goods and silks in stock, and will continue during the month of January.

—But come as soon as possible—make your selections early—for with the many women anticipating their spring needs in this sale—the assortments are bound to grow limited. Below we list:

Some of the Silk Specials
\$4.00, \$3.50 and \$3.00 Silks 98c
\$5.00 Black Velour du Nord \$2.50
\$5.00 Silk Duveltyne for \$1.98
\$7.50 Chiffon Velvet and Plushes \$3.75
\$12.00 Brocade Velvets and Satins \$3.98
\$5.50 Embroidered Crepe Mandarin \$3.50
\$6.00 Embroidered Crepe Mandarin \$3.00
\$3.00 and \$2.50 Print Warp Taffeta \$1.98

ALL BLACK SILKS REDUCED
—Messalines, satin Duchesse, Faille, Bengaline, Moire, Poplin, Crepe, Pussy Willow Taffeta, Crepe Meteor, Canton Crepe, Taffeta and Foulards.
—Special 79c, 89c, \$1.10 to \$4.49 yard.

—Second Floor

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This Great Corset Sale Includes Our Entire Stock Latest Models of Well-Known Corsets (Nemo Corsets Excepted) Smart Set, La Vida, W. B., Modart, C. B., Etoile de France, Nadia, Bien Jolie Wednesday We Feature the Famous La Vida Corsets

—Representing always the latest mode, fitting every form-line and producing perfect symmetry and correct shapeliness of figure, they assure without loss of durability and represent the acme of corset perfection.
—Comfort and perfect fit are the keystones of La Vida construction, which permits perfect ease, either in sitting or standing posture.
—Our cosetiers will assist you in the selection of the right model to meet your individual requirements.

—Fourth Floor

An Old-Time Household Linen Sale

—We say "Old Time" sale because many women have bought a year's supply of linens since this "White Sale" started, which is what every good housewife has done for many years. The linens here are all of finest qualities, and when they are advertised as "linens" you can rest assured that every thread is linen and of the best grade that can be procured for the price.

\$1.00 Triumph Sheets, size 2 1/4 x 2 1/2 yards, for 81c
95c extra large size Witby Sheets, special 75c
\$4.50 beautifully designed Satin Bedspreads \$1.69
\$2.00 to \$2.50 white and colored Bedspreads \$1.69
11c fine quality bleached Huck Toweling, yard 11c
17c full-bleached, All-Linen Crash, yard 14c
12 1/2c soft, full-bleached Crash, red border, yard 9c
40c Turkish Bath Towels, size 45x45 inches 25c
50c pure linen hemstitched and hemmed Towels, each 19c
25c hemstitched and hemmed Huck Towels, each 19c
\$5.00 extra heavy, pure linen bleached Napkins, doz. \$4.29
\$3.50 23-inch bleached pure linen Napkins, dozen \$2.98
Colored Table Damask, half price; was 50c, now, yard 25c
60c half-bleached, extra weight Table Damask 39c
\$1.35 pure linen bleached Table Damask \$1.19
75c pure linen, 66-inch Table Damask, yard 59c
\$1.50 hemmed Austrian linen Table Cloths 98c

—EXTRA HEAVY DOUBLE DAMASK CLOTHS AND NAPKINS, full grass bleached, circular designs in beautiful artistic patterns, magnificent quality of high-count Irish linen. Cloths range in sizes from 2 1/2 x 2 yards to 5 x 5 1/2 yards. Napkins from 24x24 to 28x28 inches.

Cloths—Regular \$6.75, \$8.00, \$9.50, \$10.00, \$11.00 to \$25.00
Special \$5.10, \$6.35, \$7.19, \$7.59, \$8.25 to \$18.75
Napkins—Regular \$6.00, \$6.50, \$10.00, \$19.50 and \$25.00
Special \$4.49, \$4.98, \$7.59, \$14.69 and \$18.79

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Lipman Wolfe & Co "Merchandise of Merit Only"



"An Old Bird Is Not
Caught With Chaff."

Take the Advice of

A Wise Old Owl

Buy Your

Spring Shirts Now

At Cost—and Less

—This is certainly a phenomenal sale of the best grades in men's shirts. Wise men have anticipated their spring shirt needs, and Monday and Tuesday saw this department taxed to its utmost with discriminating men who were anxious to avail themselves of this special opportunity.

—These shirts are the products of the most prominent makers of men's high grade shirts. They are perfectly tailored, full cut, perfect fitting. Modeled in pleated and plain negligee styles, with laundered cuffs, soft cuffs and some with separate collars. In every size.

\$1.25 plain and pleated bosom Shirts 87c
\$1.50 Madras and French Percale Shirts \$1.15
\$2.00 plain and pleated stiff and French Cuff Shirts \$1.38
\$3.00 soft bosom mushroom Shirts, French cuffs \$1.49
\$2.50 imported Madras, white and colored Shirts \$1.88
\$5.00 all silk Shirts, French cuffs, separate collars \$2.95
—First Floor

FRENCH LINGERIE HAND MADE HAND EMBROIDERED ENTIRE STOCK ONE- FIFTH TO HALF OFF

Annual White Sale in Art Needlework

offers useful artistic articles that are new and fresh, all stamped, ready to be made. Below is a list of some of these offerings:

Table Linen Cases, 75c
—Something entirely new, consisting of table cloth and napkin cases, neatly stamped.

Dresser scarfs in a variety of fancy designs, 18x45 ins. 65c
Pin Cushions 15c
Guest Towels 35c
Large Guest Towels 50c
36 and 27-inch Centerpieces for 75c and 50c
Tray and Serving Cloths 25c
Collar and Cuff Sets 25c
Breakfast Caps for 15c
Handbags for 25c
—Fifth Floor

BLOUSES AT \$2.00 TO \$3.00
—Of fine voiles, crepes and dainty lingerie, in novelty, plain and fancy models. Trimmed with embroidery and lace.

BLOUSES AT \$2.75 TO \$3.50
—Colored handkerchief linen blouses with embroidered collars and cuffs; novelty blouses or voile and lingerie.

REG. \$3.00 TO \$4.00 BLOUSES
—Plain colored, black and white stripe crepe waists. Flannel waists in striped patterns. Voile waists trimmed with embroidery and lace. Tailored blouses with vests.

\$1.79 —Plain colored, black and white stripe crepe waists. Flannel waists in striped patterns. Voile waists trimmed with embroidery and lace. Tailored blouses with vests.

All Furs at Half Price
—Conforming with our established policy not to carry over made-up furs from one season to another, we are determined on a complete clearance of stock, hence this astonishing half-price reduction on every fur in stock. Fur sets of neckpiece and muffs, separate muffs and stoles.

Regular prices from \$15.00 to \$250.00
Sale prices from \$ 7.50 to \$125.00

—Fifth Floor

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