

STATE BOND ISSUE FOR TRUNK ROADS MAY BE SUBMITTED

Oregon Voters Probably to Be Asked to Authorize \$10,000,000 Flotation.

BOARD TOURS ALL STATE

County Officials Found Agreeable to Plan of Aiding Construction of Main Highways.

A measure probably will be submitted to the voters of Oregon next year reorganizing the state highway commission and bonding the state in the sum of \$10,000,000 for the construction of trunk highways.

What Impressed Me Most Probably on the Entire Tour was the Possibility for Development Throughout the State.

I will instance that section lying between Klamath Falls and Bend, Oregon, over the Pacific and Columbia River highways and through central Oregon.

Inspection of Roads En Route.

The board made a personal inspection of the principal roads en route, and as an immediate result will make a number of important recommendations to the state highway commission.

Leaguers Are Meeting.

Tacoma, Wash., July 21.—(P. N. S.)—The annual institute of the Epworth Leaguers of western Washington is in full swing today at Epworth heights, adjoining Redondo Beach.

COUNTY COURT NEWS

Petitions for indemnity for cows slaughtered because of tuberculosis were filed with the county commissioners as follows: Bhayer & Martin, eighty-sixth and East Gilliam streets, one cow, \$25; E. M. Kiger, Gresham, four cows, \$100; I. B. Hutchins, Pleasant Home, one cow, \$25; Gottlieb Schwab, Fairview, one cow, \$25.

The board ordered the relinquishment of East Seventeenth street from Sherritt avenue to the south city limits to the city as a street.

That grades and the location of the Capitol highway may be made proper before the road is hard surfaced Roadmaster Yeon, county surveyor, Bonser and Dorr E. Keasey were named viewers to make the changes necessary.

Foreman John Denison of Multnomah county was authorized to exchange a thoroughbred Holstein bull for a fresh cow and to sell such cows at the farm as are unproductive, using the proceeds for purchase of additional cows.

The board appropriated \$25 to pay for a membership for the county in the Holstein Friesian association of America.

A request by Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Borthwick that they be allowed to pay a \$600 balance on the purchase price for a road right of way, additional at the rate of \$200 per month, was ordered held in abeyance pending a conference with the roadmaster.

A letter from Attorney Oliver M. Hickey, regarding notice of garnishment in the suit of A. Harper against W. L. Hall, served on the county, was referred to the district attorney.

Deeds from James W. Ross and R. T. Dabney to right of way on the Columbia River Highway and from E. M. Brown and D. W. McKay for Base Line road right of way and easement agreements from R. H. Thompson and G. Tollison for Base Line road right of way were made matters of record.

Permission was granted M. J. Coleman to lay a 4 inch water pipe across Linnton road from the city water line at the Portland Brick & Tile works.

Joseph & Haney, attorneys, were advised that a claim for damages for A. Gill, alleged to have been injured while working on the Columbia River Highway, has been referred to the roadmaster.

Sheriff Hurlburt was allowed two extra men for 75 days to fill vacation vacancies. Both places have already been filled.

A bill for \$68.35 for time lost by William McClellan, an industry received while employed on the Columbia River Highway was referred to Roadmaster Yeon.

Bar to Honor O'Day.

Memorial services are to be held in honor of the late Judge Thomas O'Day next Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock, in the courtroom of Circuit Judge Davis.

DR. HILLIS IS PAYING DEBTS OF NEPHEWS BY PEN AND LECTURE

Voluntary Non-Suit Ends the Case Against Brooklyn Divine in Portland Court.

OVERDUE NOTES BASIS

Arrangements Are Made to Meet These Notes, Indorsed by Pastor, and Case Is Dropped.

A voluntary non-suit taken yesterday, brought to a close the suit against Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, noted Brooklyn pastor and Chautauqua lecturer.

The action disclosed the fact that Dr. Hillis is writing and lecturing to pay off debts of two nephews contracted in business after Dr. Hillis had started them out for themselves.

The non-suit was taken after arrangements had been made to meet notes for \$12,068.97 which Dr. Hillis had signed and which were due Strayton & Lawbaugh, Ltd., plaintiff in the action.

China May Use The Oregon System

State Superintendent of Instruction Requested to Send Available Information on Methods in Use in This State.

Salem, Or., July 21.—Oregon's standard school system and industrial clubs will probably be installed in China, David Z. T. Yui of Shanghai, having requested that the state superintendent of public instruction furnish him with all available information relative to them.

A member of the Swedish commission writes that his country's city schools are doing excellent work, but the rural schools are in need of just the things being done in Oregon.

Superintendent Churchill has just issued for distribution bulletins describing the standard school system and industrial club work.

Coast's Quake Record.

The records of 50 years show that the Pacific coast of the United States has experienced 4447 earthquakes.

TINY TARIFFS OF THE S. P. LINES ARE BEING RECAST IN ONE FORM

Absorption of Small Properties by Company Means Simpler Rate-Finding.

ALL IN ONE SYSTEM NOW

'Parent Company' Working Out Details of Reorganization Which Became Effective July 1.

Southern Pacific traffic employees are tackling the job of gathering into one comprehensive tariff sheet all the data heretofore contained in half a dozen.

Each of the small independent properties, though operated by the parent company, was legally a railroad by itself and reports, interchanges, divisions of earnings and all other phases of accounting work had to be kept separate for each.

The single tariff for all lines is expected to simplify the process of finding out for shippers what the freight rates are to points on these Oregon lines.

Records and files in the accounting department of the road are now being packed in boxes for shipment to San Francisco, which hereafter will be the headquarters for the general accounting department.

Sunday Sing at Florence.

Florence, Or., July 21.—Sunday afternoon a fair sized chorus assembled at the Carnival pavilion and joined in a community sing.

At a mass meeting attended by 350 men last night resolutions demanding the discharge of all Japanese and Chinese from the canneries were adopted and a committee was appointed to present the demands of the meeting to the canneries.

Chinook Are Running.

Florence, Or., July 21.—Chinook salmon are running fair this season. Only a few boats have been out since the season opened, July 15, as the local markets are easily supplied.

PRECAUTIONS TAKEN TO PREVENT TROUBLE AT FISH CANNERIES

Threats Against Orientals Employed at Anacortes Made at Mass Meeting.

Anacortes, Wash., July 21.—(P. N. S.)—Deputy sheriffs and special guards today are stationed at all the large salmon canneries of Anacortes following threats made at a mass meeting last night to forcibly drive from the city all orientals employed in the canneries unless the canneries owners agree to discharge all Asiatics in their employ.

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Prospector Sought Fortune in Vain

Medford, Or., July 21.—After vainly searching half a century for the fortune he believed to be in the hills, Romeo D. Strang, discouraged by the days' small return and breaking of his once robust health, placed a rifle to his heart in his cabin in the Willow Springs district today, and with one shot ended his long life.

Strang had been in southern Oregon hills for eight or ten years. He spent the greater part of his life prospecting in Colorado and Idaho. According to his friends, he made enough from day to day to live comfortably but the fortune just over the hill was a constant lure and he never worked long in one place.

Strang was a Mason and that order will have charge of the funeral.

IT WILL PROFIT YOU TO ATTEND OUR FREE BAKING DEMONSTRATION ON FIFTH FLOOR, ANNEX—DAILY THIS WEEK, 2 TO 5 P. M.

With the Two Floors Now Open of Our Wonderful New Building—This Store Is More Than Ever Portland's Favorite Shopping Place, Plus the Advantages of Enabling You to Buy in Our (Soon-to-End)

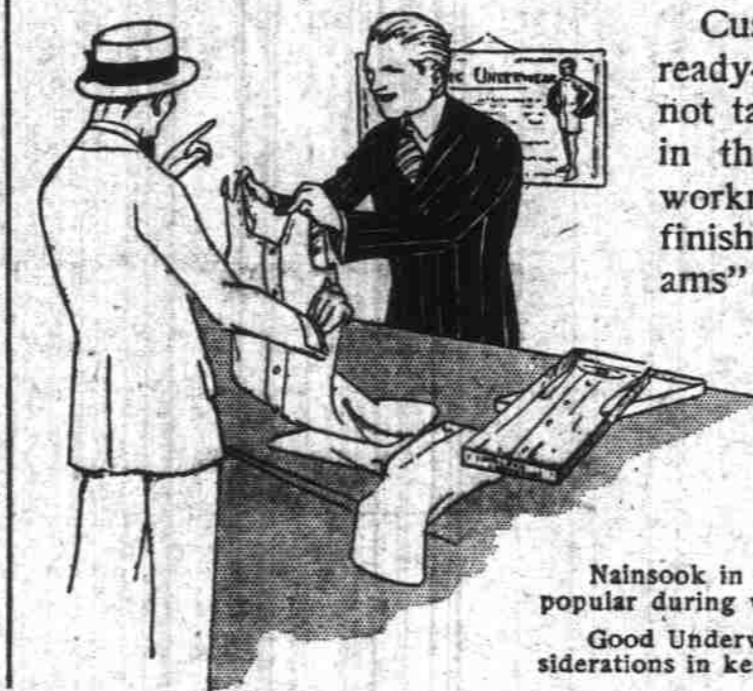


GIGANTIC REMOVAL SALE

Every Article in the Store, New Building and Annex Now Reduced except Contract Goods, "Silk Maid" Hose, New Fall Suits and Groceries.

Men's Athletic-Style Gotham Underwear (Lines) for 59c

That Originally Belonged on \$1, \$1.50 and \$2 Levels Men Cannot Make Nor Money Buy Any Better



Custom quality shirts and drawers at a ready-for-service price. These garments do not take any odds of any other underwear in the market. They are superlative in workmanship and fabric, perfect in fit and finish.

Fine quality mercerized fabrics, crepes, madras, linen and silk mixtures are the materials used in these Summer-necessity garments, in plain white and fancy stripes.

"Gotham" Shirts, Drawers, Ea. 25c Broken Lines of 50c Grades

Nainsook in stripes and checks—the cool garments always so popular during warm weather. Made in regulation athletic style. Good Underwear in the Athletic style is one of the chief considerations in keeping cool these days—remember that!

Lovely Ribbons, Yard 25c

50c, 75c and \$1.00 Values. Tapestries, taffetas and satins, in all kinds of styles, including the favored satin borders. Splendid assortment of colors. 6 to 8 inches wide. The ribbons you'll want for sashes, girdles and hair bows.

Oregon Wool Blankets \$4.35

Regularly Priced \$6.50. Soft white Oregon wool, full bed size, with colored borders. Slightly stock-soiled.

Almost Any Kind of a Negligee, \$1.98

The Original Prices Were Far More TO DON A NEGLIGEE, MADAM, IS TO ESCAPE FROM PARIS INTO BOHEMIA

The negligee offers every woman solace and comfort from the trials and tribulations of the wardrobe. It is a respite from the ordeals of tailored apparel—a Roman holiday of ease and indolence.

And the negligees we offer tomorrow are not only lovely and charming, but they're the odds and ends left from several high-grade lines and made one lot of the whole—and the price is \$1.98.

Silk Crepe de Chine, Japanese Silk, Albatross, Crepe

The colors are both light and dark—the patterns too varied to mention.

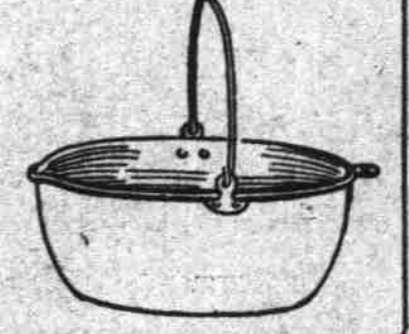
The styles are excellent—those suited to home wear or for traveling.

No exchanges—no credits. Fifth Floor, Sixth-St. Bldg.

Aluminum Kettles, Now 89c

Instead of Regular \$1.60 Price

300 of these kettles have just come in—and as long as any of them remain the price will be 89c. Made of medium-weight aluminum, with riveted band handle; 2-gallon size.



New Store Talks

Number 14

The woodwork construction in the new store is one of the most interesting phases of the work, and one that will be admired by everyone. Just a few facts will be illuminating.

The main entrance, the entire first and mezzanine floors are finished in Tobisan mahogany, which comes either from the south coast of Africa or the east coast of Mexico. Every piece is selected for its beauty of grain and harmony of color. It is the highest-priced lumber used for finishing.

The remainder of the floors are red luan and old growth yellow fir, cut quartering, white enamel finished. The red luan comes from the Philippine Islands, being hauled to the mills by the water ox, a species of buffalo.

To obtain the vertical grain desired, trees smaller than five to seven feet in diameter cannot be used, and this size requires a growth of over a hundred years. The older the tree the finer the grain. To prepare these woods for inside uses, they must first be dried on sticks, then kiln-dried for a week, assorted for grain and color, planed, veneered and worked to sharp sand-papered, scraped and hand-finished.

Meier & Frank Co.
THE QUALITY STORE OF PORTLAND
FRANK, Sixth, Morrison, Alder Sts.

A Headstrong Proposition in All Men's Fine STRAWHATS

Less One-Half

You will have to act quickly on this offer, for these Hats are so new and fine and marked so low that they are like a pretty girl with money—they will not go begging for suitors.

Most of them are the famous "Knox" make.

These Hats
in sennit and split straws—all stylish shapes—at

\$1.45	\$1.69
Formerly at \$3.00.	Formerly at \$3.50.
\$1.98	\$2.45
Formerly at \$4.00.	Formerly at \$5.00.

These Hats
in finest Milan, Panama and Bangkok Straws—none better—are priced at

\$2.98	\$3.45
Formerly at \$6.00.	Formerly at \$7.00.
\$3.98	\$4.98
Formerly at \$8.00.	Formerly at \$10.00.

—Temporary Annex, First Floor

Event No. 2--Is Draperies and Curtains

In Our Great Series of Value-Giving Occasions in the Before-Vacating-the-Temporary-Annex-Sale at Removal Prices

These items are simply forceful illustrations of the hundreds of others that await your coming. We have but one object in view—that is to reduce stocks. And, we believe, there is but one way to do that quickly—that is to put prices on the goods so they'll sell upon sight.

30c to 60c Figured Nets, sale price, yard at	17c	15c Colored Scrims, good patterns, sale price, the yard	9c	Silk Table Runners, rose, gold, blue, special each	\$1.25	50c Brass Extension Rods, to 54 inches, each	15c	\$4.50 to \$5.00 Scrim Curtains, lace edged, pair	\$3.45
\$1.25 to \$2.00 Swiss Appliqued and Embroidered Nets, yard	50c	35c Satines for Comforters, many designs, the yard	28c	\$1.50 to \$3.00 Drapery Silks and Armures, the yard	85c	Sham Holder for Wooden Beds, special, each at	15c	\$2.00 Scrim Curtains, lace insertion, pair	\$1.19
\$3.00 Swiss Appliqued and Embroidered Nets, yard	\$1.00	Silkolines for Comforters, splendid variety, yard	11c	\$2.00 to \$5.00 Velours, 3 to 8-yard lengths, yard	\$2.50	Mission Poles, 1-inch, 6-foot lengths, each	6c	\$4.35 to \$6.50 Irish Point Curtains, pair at	\$3.65
25c to 30c Cream Figured Madras, sale price, yard	21c	15c Cretonnes, variety, sale price, the yard	9c	\$2.00 Sunfast Drapery Material, lattice design, yard	85c	Mission Poles, 1-inch, 12-foot lengths, each	12c	\$3.00 Irish Point Curtains, the pair at	\$1.89
35c Cream Figured Madras, good patterns, the yard	28c	35c to 60c Cretonnes, splendid patterns, price, yard	28c	\$1.00 and \$1.35 Kimono Silks, the yard at	65c	\$2.75-\$3.00 Nottingham Lace Curtains, pair at	\$1.65	\$2.00 to \$4.00 Duchesse Lace Curtains, pair	\$8.65
25c Bordered Scrim, hemstitched finish, the yard	18c	\$1.50 to \$3.00 Shadow Cretonnes, sale price, yd 50c to	\$1.75	65c Kimono Silks, many effects, the yard at	33c	\$3.25 Nottingham Lace Curtains, pair at	\$1.85	\$3.75 Arabian Lace Curtains, the pair at	\$1.98
35c Bordered Scrim, hemstitched finish, the yard	28c	Pillow Squares of Damask and Tapestry, each at	25c	Walger Window Awnings, special, each at	\$2.00	\$3.75 Nottingham Lace Curtains, pair at	\$1.98	\$6.50 Arabian Lace Curtains, the pair at	\$4.35
35c Colored Scrim and Swiss, sale price, the yard	15c	Cretonne Porch Cushions, many patterns, special, each	49c	10c Brass Extension Rods, to 54 inches, each	5c	\$3.75 Nottingham Lace Curtains, pair at	\$2.25	\$2.50 and \$2.25 Novelty Braid Curtains, pair at	\$1.49
35c Colored Marquissettes, sale price, the yard	21c	Japanese Canvas Porch Cushions, special, each	89c	35c Brass Extension Rods, to 54 inches, each	15c	\$1.50 Scrim Curtains, hemstitched hems, pair at	75c	\$2.00 to \$2.75 Cluny Lace Curtains, pair at	\$1.89

—Temp. Annex, Ninth Floor.

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