

HIGHWAY AWARDS IN STATE REACH \$1,750,000 TOTAL

Contractors Offer Lower Bids to Meet Estimates of State Engineers and Win Contracts.

TEXTURE REQUIREMENT MET

Commission Finds Men Building Aurora-Salem Highway Negligent, but Work Will Continue.

As far as the state highway commission is concerned the Marion county paving affair was closed Wednesday with instructions that the work which was suspended be resumed, and that places where it is found that the pavement is thin shall be brought up to standard in accordance with the specifications.

As a result of its investigation, the commission found that the pavement met the requirement for texture but that the contractor had been negligent in laying it and that in many places it was either above or below the required thickness.

INSPECTION WAS FAULTY

It was also tacitly admitted that the inspecting by the highway department had been a serious failure.

Another matter adjusted by the commission Wednesday which has been the subject of much public discussion, was in reference to the purchase of cement. At the meeting in June the commission awarded a contract for 23,000 barrels of California cement. A protest was made by the Oregon Portland Cement company on the ground that its bid, which was the same as the California concern's bid, should be given preference for the reason that it was a home industry. The contract was held up and a hearing has now been given the representatives of the two companies. As a result it was decided by the commission to confirm its contract with the California company and to compensate the Oregon company with an order for approximately a similar amount which will be needed soon.

BIDS FOUND TOO HIGH

In addition to all this the commission awarded contracts for new construction involving approximately \$1,750,000. In the matter of a 28-mile paving contract on the Columbia river highway, between Svensen in Clatsop county and Clatskanie in Columbia county, it was decided to refer the bids to the engineer, as they were considered too high. In the afternoon an adjustment was reached with the bidder and the contract was authorized. The Warren Construction company was given the contract for bitulithic pavement on its bid of \$48,918.50. This was a reduction of approximately \$10,000 from its original bid. Similar action was taken in the 12-mile paving project between Junction and Eugene. This contract was awarded to Clark & Henry company for an asphaltic concrete pavement. The company reduced its bid by \$7500 and released the option on the use of the state paving plant, tendered in the call for bids.

PORTLAND MAN GLAD HE TOOK FRIEND'S ADVICE

Louis Hanson Was Wonderfully Improved by Taking Tanlac, He Says.

"I never was much on taking medicines, but the way Tanlac took right hold of my trouble and helped me, convinces me it's a great medicine," said Louis Hanson of 219 East Eighteenth street north, Portland, Or., while in the Owl Drug store recently. Mr. Hanson is employed as caulker by the Columbia River Shipbuilding company.

"I suffered with indigestion the worst way," continued Mr. Hanson. "This trouble started on me about a year ago and my stomach was in such a bad way that it just looked like the vibrations of the machinery around me at the yards would upset me and I would feel worse than ever. My appetite left me almost entirely. I didn't relish a thing that I would eat and most of the time after eating I would bloat up a lot with gas and be nauseated. I was bothered with nervous spells, too, and at times would just tremble all over and get so weak that I would feel like all the energy I had was gone. I was restless a good deal at nights and when I would get up in the mornings I would feel more tired than when I went to bed and I was also troubled a lot with night sweats that seemed to weaken me a good deal. I was bothered with headaches, too, and just felt pulled down so badly that many a day it would be a drag for me to keep going and when I would get off from work I would feel all tired out."

"I was in just this shape when I got to reading how Tanlac was helping others and when a friend of mine told me I ought to try it, too, I decided I would and I am mighty glad I did, because it has certainly improved me wonderfully. I have taken three bottles of it now and have a fine appetite and can relish what I eat and not have any bad effects from it like I used to. I sleep good at night and get up in the morning feeling rested and I find that after my day's work is over and I start for home in the evening I don't have that old tired-out feeling. I have gained some in weight and feel stronger and better in every way and I am going to keep on taking Tanlac, because it is certainly getting me in perfect shape."

Tanlac is sold in Portland by The Owl Drug company.—Adv.

FAIR NORMAL SCHOOL GRAD TRAPS BEAR

HILLSBORO, July 10.—Myrtle Huffman, who graduated from the Oregon Normal school recently, hearing that a bear was doing considerable damage in the Bacon neighborhood, where her parents live, borrowed a trap from her father, Peter Huffman, and caught the bear, which was a yearling, weighing about 180 pounds.

Ordinance Passed To Benefit Joe Day

The position of inspector of police at a salary of \$150 per month was established and the position of sergeant, carrying a salary of \$125 a month, was abolished by an ordinance passed by the city council Wednesday. Joe Day, former sergeant in charge of the night relief, will assume the newly created position. Mr. Day was formerly connected with the St. Johns station.

Fish Pirates Work Off Alaskan Coast

Juneau, Alaska, July 10.—Many fish pirates are operating in Alaskan waters, stealing from the traps of the cannery men. At the request of Governor Biggs federal authorities have ordered a submarine chaser to patrol Alaskan waters in an attempt to catch the robbers.

BARBER TO HEAD BUREAU OF STATE

Succeeds Harvey Wells, Resigned, as Commissioner, After Seven Years Service.

Salem, July 10.—A. G. Barber of Salem, for more than seven years chief deputy in the insurance department, will become state insurance commissioner on August 1, succeeding Harvey Wells, resigned.

Barber came to the insurance department in 1912, under Insurance Commissioner J. W. Ferguson, now state industrial accident commissioner. He has been chief deputy in the department continuously since.

Previous to 1912 Barber was engaged in the insurance business in Portland. He came from Pittsburg, Pa., in 1904. He is recognized as an insurance man of marked ability and his appointment has received the hearty indorsement of Commissioner Wells.

Barber has never been active in political affairs and is regarded as an independent.

Scarcity of Labor Delays Hay Baling

Hillsboro, July 10.—When William Bagley, who farms more than 300 acres, three miles north of Hillsboro, started his hay baling he was able to get help enough to bale 25 tons, though the baler's capacity is 50 tons a day. Saturday he could get no help and the baler remained idle. His clover hay will yield more than 100 tons this year.

Federal Judge to Testify for I. W. W.

Spokane, Wash., July 10.—Fred Kenned I. W. W., charged here with criminal syndicalism, will call Federal Judge Rud-

Woman Threatens Suit Against Druggist Because He Sold Her Substitute For Nuxated Iron Case Is Brought to Attention of Physicians Who Warn Public

Say That Ordinary Metallic Iron Preparations Cannot Possibly Give the Same Strength, Power and Endurance

As Organic Iron — Nuxated Iron.

With the threat to sue her druggist because he sold her a substitute for genuine Nuxated Iron, the tonic, strength and blood-builder, one woman has set in motion a wave of indignation over the country against a practice which offers such countless dangers to the health and welfare of the public. This woman claims that instead of obtaining increased strength and improved health as she had with the true Nuxated Iron, she was seriously upset and in fact became ill as a result of using the substitute. Such instances as these have led physicians mentioned below to emphasize that health officials and doctors everywhere should caution the public against accepting substitutes for Nuxated Iron. Those who are in need of a strength and blood builder should go to their family doctors and obtain a prescription calling for organic iron—Nuxated Iron—and present this to their druggist so that there may be no question about obtaining the proper article. But if they do not wish to go to the trouble of getting a prescription for Nuxated Iron then they should be sure to look on the label and

kin to the stand in his defense, he announced today. He will seek to have Rudkin testify that the I. W. W. is a lawful organization. The trial is set for July 16.

Two ovens of the usual kind and a third on the fireless cooker principle feature a new gas range.

See that the words NUXATED IRON are printed there.

There are thousands of people taking iron who do not distinguish between organic iron and metallic iron and such persons often fail to obtain the vital energy, strength and endurance which they seek simply because they have taken the wrong form of iron. If you are not strong or well, you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five grain tablets of Nuxated Iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength and see how much you have gained.

MANUFACTURERS' NOTE: The widespread publication of the above information has been suggested by Dr. James Francis Sullivan, formerly physician of Bellevue hospital (out-door department), New York and the Westchester county hospital; Dr. Ferdinand King, New York physician and medical author; Dr. George H. Baker, formerly physician and surgeon of Monmouth Memorial Hospital of New Jersey; Dr. H. B. Yall, formerly physician in the Baltimore hospital and a medical examiner, who state that the public may be informed on this subject and protected from the use of metallic iron under the delusion that it is Nuxated Iron or at least something as good as Nuxated Iron. Nuxated Iron is not a secret name, but one which is well known to druggists. Unlike the older inorganic iron products it is easily assimilated and does not irritate the stomach, make the bowels constipated and cause indigestion. It is a safe and reliable remedy for every purchaser or they will regret the loss of their money. It is dispensed by the Owl Drug company and all other druggists.—Adv.



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Angora Sport Wraps —Something New

—The Garment Store, Second Floor, has just received a shipment of these smart wraps. Styled with tuxedo front and narrow leather belt. Trimmed with fringe. Fancy plaids in sport colors. Priced at only \$35.00

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Sale of Girls' Petticoats —Department Second Floor

—Girls' Petticoats of White Wash Silk. These are reg. \$3.50 grade—special \$3.19
—Girls' Petticoats of White Wash Satin. Very serviceable. On sale Friday at \$2.89

FRIDAY SAVINGS SALES ALL OVER THE STORE

Women's Tub Frocks

\$5.95 to \$25

—Dept. Second Floor

—Of fine sheer organdies in many delightful patterns and colors—lovely flowered voiles and silk gingham in fancy plaids and checks. Dresses for every occasion where cool summery apparel is needed. Our stock embraces a wonderful collection of the new styles from the neat sport models to the more elaborate ruffle trimmed effects. Pay a visit to the Garment Store and see these attractive frocks. Prices range \$5.95 to \$25.00



New Tub Skirts

\$2.50 to \$5.50

Second Floor—Skirts of white Cotton Poplins, Gabardines and Piques—good serviceable styles for beach and sport wear. Some have gathered waist line with wide girdles or deep belts—others are in tailored styles with buttons to bottom and patch pockets. Full assortment of sizes. Priced \$2.50, \$3.95, \$4.50, \$5.50
—Other Wash Skirts at \$5.95 up to \$7.50

\$5 White Oxfords \$3.45 \$7.50 White Shoes \$4.45

Main Floor—Women's White Canvas Oxfords—plain pointed toe, rubber heels and soles. Regular \$5.00 grade — a pair \$3.45
Main Floor—Women's Golf Shoes—black and white, rubber heels and soles. For out-door and sport wear. All sizes. \$7.50 grade \$4.45

\$7.50, \$8 Oxfords \$5.95

Main Floor—Women's Oxfords of dark brown vic kid. Medium pointed toe last with moderately high heel and welt soles. Smart, dressy oxfords for street and sport wear. Regular selling price \$7.50 and \$8.00. Offered for Friday at the pair \$5.95

Men's \$1.50 Ties 3 for \$3.00

—Even before the war such ties were considered splendid vests at \$1.50. Made up in very newest shapes, some in wide end reversible ties, some in smart up-to-date patterns including stripes, dots and figures. Ties of standard \$3 \$1.50 quality special \$1.05 — 3 ties for only \$3

Wachusett Shirts Priced at \$1.50

—These shirts are of exceptional quality at the price. Come in and look them over. Stiff cut style. Excellent assortment of patterns—full standard sizes. Priced for Friday at only \$1.50
—MEN'S PAJAMAS in plain or figured materials—sizes 15 to 18—regular \$2 grade \$1.49



Men's Summer Underwear

Main Floor—We show several famous makes Union Suits including Carters', Vassar, B. V. D., Coopers'.

Men's Union Suits 3 for \$2.25

Main Floor — Chalmers Poroknit Union Suits, sizes 34 and 36 only. Short sleeves and ankle length. Slightly imperfect. Spec \$2.25
—Men's Athletic Union Suits priced at \$1.50 up to \$5.00



Women's Bathing Suits \$2.95 to \$15

Second Floor—Many people are taking advantage of these warm days and enjoying bathing in the various river beaches—and, of course, no one would think of going to the ocean beach resorts without taking along a bathing suit.

Wool Suits

—Great variety of colors—plain or in combinations. Some have long skirts, others are more abbreviated. With or without arm shields. \$5.50 to \$15.00

Cotton Suits

—At \$2.75 we show an excellent line of bathing suits in one-piece style with skirt. Trimmed with colored stripes. Practically all colors and good range of sizes. Full stock Bathing Shoes, Caps, Etc.



33-Inch Pongee Silks At 89c

Center Circle First Floor—Genuine imported Natural Pongee of a splendid weight and quality for women's sport dresses, skirts and jackets—also much used for men's shirts, pajamas and other garments. Here is an opportunity to buy pure silk pongee at about what you would pay for fine cottons. Full 33 inches wide. On sale Friday at special, the yard 89c



\$15 to \$20 Boys' Suits \$11.85

Main Floor—Old line Boys' Suits—ages 8 to 18. Many of these have 2 pairs of pants, but owing to the fact that sizes are broken we have priced them for immediate disposal. Light and dark mixtures. Norfolk belted styles. Suits formerly \$11.85 priced \$15.00 to \$20.00 Special

Boys' Pants 98c

—Boys' Pants of khaki color material and fancy mixtures. Full cut knickers. All sizes 6 to 18—priced special, pr. 98c

Model Grocery Specials

—Let this store fill your order for provisions to take you to the beach or to the camp.

Otter Clams 16c Can

—Special demonstration of Otter Clams at booth, Fourth Floor. Also demonstration of Mab Cleaner. 30c can Special at 25c

—VOGAN'S Marshmallow Whip for cakes. Regular 60c jars priced special at only 54c
—See Demonstration 4th Floor.

Women's Wash Vests \$1.98

Main Floor — The Neckwear Section offers for Friday a special assortment of women's fancy Vests at very low prices. Made up in dainty wash materials with colored stripes and dots. Many have pockets and fancy belts with pearl buckles. Apron effects and fitted styles with detachable collars. Suitable for summer outing wear. Values to \$1.98 \$3.95. Friday only

Motor Veils \$3.00 Values \$1.75 \$1.75 Values 98c

Main Floor — Broken lines Women's Veils greatly reduced for Friday. Made of good quality chiffon with well finished borders. For motor or street wear. In most desirable colors. —Values to \$1.75 Special 98c —Values to \$3 Special \$1.75



Detroit Jewel Gas Stoves and Ranges

—Good baking, above everything else, is the requisite most desired in a gas range. We do not believe any other gas ranges manufactured attain the baking perfection of Detroit Jewels. The exclusive and patented over construction which insures perfect and uniform distribution of the baking heat is the reason for this superiority. Detroit Jewel Ranges have

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Coolmor Porch Shades



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Third Floor—Equip your porch with Coolmor Shades and enjoy summer comfort. Made in 4, 5, 6, 8 and 10-ft. widths. Brown or green and brown combination colors. —"WIND-PROOF."

Hammocks

—Woven cloth Hammocks in a good assortment of new patterns—priced \$2.75 to \$10.00
—Couch Hammocks, Lawn Seats, Porch Rockers at popular prices.



Rich, Sparkling Cut Glass

Third Floor—Large shipment of high-grade American Cut Glass just opened up—ready for your inspection Friday morning. Numerous patterns, exquisitely cut on glass of superior quality.
—Cut Glass Nipples \$1.50 Up
—Handled Nipples \$2.25 Up
—Spoon Trays at \$2.00 Up
—Cut Glass Sugar and Creamer Sets are priced at \$3.00 Up
—Cut Glass Vases \$1.50 Up
—8-inch Bowls at \$3.75 Up

Trimming Remnants Priced 1/4 to 1/2 Off

Main Floor—Friday will be Remnant Day in the Lace Section. Hundreds of short lengths of Georgette Crepes, Nets, Chiffons, Laces, Embroideries, Ribbons and Trimmings—the accumulation of recent weeks' selling—go out on the bargain tables at 1/4 to 1/2 regular prices by the yard. Good useful lengths for almost all purposes. Don't overlook this sale. All remnants are marked at sale prices. Come early!

35c Handkerchiefs 25c

Main Floor—Women's and Misses' Handkerchiefs of crepe de chine. Beautiful new sport patterns in popular colors. Some with white crepe centers and fancy borders. Regular 35c Handkerchiefs special 25c

Remnants of Wash Goods and Domestic at Reduced Prices



Ice Cream Freezers
—White Mountain Ice Cream Freezers have triple motion.
—1-quart size priced \$3.35
—2-quart size priced \$4.25
—3-quart size priced \$4.95
—4-quart size priced \$5.65