

DECLARES EAST VIEWS PORTLAND AS PIVOTAL POINT

Portland is looked upon as the commercial and industrial capital of the Pacific Northwest by business men and investors in Eastern cities, according to W. W. Ferguson, realtor, who has just returned from a two months' trip through North Atlantic states and Canada.

"The superior natural advantages of Portland as a shipping point and industrial center are recognized by capitalists and investors and during the past two years the city has in their opinion advanced to premier position among the port towns of the Pacific," said Ferguson. "The aggressive fight put up by The Journal and by Portland manufacturers and shippers in the Columbia basin freight rate hearings at Washington has proved to be the best possible advertising for the city."

Ferguson spent some weeks in Toronto and other Eastern Canadian cities and states that American capital is behind an immense development campaign in that territory. More than \$20,000,000 of American money has been invested during the past year in the pulp and paper industry in a small section of Southern Ontario alone and similar mills are being erected in Quebec and other provinces. Thousands of settlers are coming into Canada from Scotland and England, Ferguson said, and many of them are crossing the border to the United States.

Ferguson has opened a realty office in the Wilcox building. He was accompanied by Mrs. Ferguson on his eastern trip.

Two Autos Smashed In Evening Wreck; Viewed by Hundreds

Hundreds of people saw a spectacular auto smashup, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, at the intersection of Sixth and Columbia streets. Mr. and Mrs. Moses Lerman, 222 1/2 Columbia street, were riding south on Sixth street in a car owned and driven by L. Cominali of The Dalles. Mark Israel, 401 Sixth street, was moving west on Columbia in a delivery truck. A head-on collision resulted.

Israel was taken away in an ambulance. Mr. and Mrs. Lerman are at St. Vincent's with minor injuries and Cominali is said to have escaped practically unharmed. The crowd, which formed to see the wreck, necessitated police action.

Special Religious Meeting Called on Rim of Crater Lake

A special religious meeting will be held on the rim of Crater Lake next Sunday at 11 a. m., conducted by the Rev. John W. Hoyt of Ashland, Presbyterian Sunday school missionary for Southern Oregon. This is the third annual service of song and preaching conducted on the rim by the missionary and the meeting will be held, as in previous years, in the large reception room of the lodge. It is possible that one of the prominent ministers of the valley will be present to assist. An invitation is extended to all who can make a special trip to Crater Lake. All who can sing or play a musical instrument will be organized into a choir and orchestra.

Oregon City Licenses
Oregon City, Aug. 5.—Beasie E. Roberts and James C. Maple, both of Jennings Lodge, were issued a license to wed Wednesday.

AMERICAN LEGION LEADER TO SPEAK

Franklin D'Olier, national commander of the American Legion, will be the chief speaker at a mass meeting to be held in the Armory, Tenth and Couch streets, Monday night, at 8 o'clock. D'Olier, who is making a tour of the United States, will arrive in Portland Saturday night, according to present plans, and will remain here until Tuesday at least before going to the Sound.

Every post in Oregon will be represented at the meeting and it is open to the public. The committee in charge of arrangements urges that all former service men, whether or not they are members of the American Legion, should attend, inasmuch as Commander D'Olier is to speak on soldier legislation. Chaplain William S. Gilbert, who only last Saturday was elected commander of the Oregon department of the American Legion at the convention at Astoria, is expected in Portland Saturday to greet the national commander. William B. Follett, retiring commander of the Oregon department, is in Portland and along with G. Lane Goodell, vice commander of the state organization, will greet the national chief.

Salem Legion Men To Meet D'Olier

Salem, Aug. 5.—Franklin D'Olier, national commander of the American Legion, will be the guest of Capital post No. 9 of this city at a luncheon at the Marston hotel Monday, when he visits Salem on his tour of the Pacific coast. D'Olier, who will spend Saturday, Sunday and Monday in Oregon, is scheduled to arrive here at 11:30 Monday morning, leaving that afternoon for the South.

9 Hospitals Agree To Treat Patients Of American Legion

Rogers MacVough, state Americanism chairman of the American Legion, was notified Tuesday that plans have been perfected by the National Americanism commission, of which Colonel Arthur Woods is chairman, whereby the men of Legion posts will be able to cooperate with the nine hospitals of Oregon to take care of the disabled service men who are receiving medical treatment. Plans have also been made for the reception and after care of wounded soldiers who are released from hospitals in other states, and are returning to their homes outside of the state.

Forty-eight states have been canvassed by the Americanization commission, with a view to helping the 17,000 ex-service men who are now confined in 700 different hospitals. Legion posts will send members to visit these men. Cooperation of the Women's auxiliary will be an important part of the program. Special efforts will be made to aid the 150 men who are discharged daily from hospitals. Help will be given them in obtaining work, and in looking after their compensation and insurance. Interstate cooperation will take care of men who find it advisable to seek work in other states than those in which they have been receiving medical attention.

"These men must be given to understand that the American Legion stands behind them, and that this feeling is to be expressed by the friendly interest of visitors while he is in the hospital and by affording whatever help he may need when he comes out," Colonel Wood declared.

Cocaine Found When Police Raid Chinese

Thirteen packages of cocaine and morphine were found in a basement room occupied by Loy Him, 107 North Fourth street, when the place was searched by

patrolmen Tuesday night. The police were about to leave after arresting the 34-year-old Chinaman when George Enos entered for the apparent purpose of purchasing narcotics. He was arrested on a charge of having a hypodermic needle in his possession. Loy is held for the federal authorities.

GIGANTIC FIRE SALE TO BE HELD IN PORTLAND

Seattle and Portland Business Men Fight for Great Stock of Merchandise, Slightly Damaged by Fire and Water—Wide Awake Business Men of Portland Out-General all Others and Capture Great Stock Portland People to Get the Benefit.

Beyond a doubt this will be one of the most amazing and one of the greatest selling events ever held here. A real fire sale of a real stock. Thousands upon thousands of dollars' worth of men's clothing, hats, shoes, furnishings of all kinds. The entire stock of the Manheim store of Hoquiam, Wash. This store was known by the people of Grays Harbor as one of the staple firms of the northwest. Consequently the entire stock of men's suits, pants, hats, shoes, shirts, underwear, hosiery, etc., is all high grade, up-to-the-minute merchandise.

Thousands of articles, garments of all kinds, were not even soiled by fire or water. All will go in this great fire sale. All garments or articles that are spotted or stained will be sold as damaged goods. So the purchaser will know exactly what he or she is getting, nothing will be misrepresented. Over thirty thousand dollars' worth of men's apparel absolutely without a spot or a stain from the fire. Every article, damaged or undamaged, must be sold at once. Don't miss it—one of the most gigantic, amazing salvage fire sales ever held here.

Advertising is being spread broadcast around the entire coast of the country. Preparations are being made to handle the thousands of shoppers who will take advantage of this great selling event.

Stock will be sold at the corner of Second and Alder, at the Glickman Salvage Store.

Great Fire Sale will start Friday morning and continue daily.

For full information, read big ad in Thursday's paper.

NOTICE: Clothing salesmen wanted, hat salesmen, shoe salesmen, furnishing goods salesmen wanted. Must be experienced. Sale starts tomorrow. For full information see page 3—Adv.

AUGUST SALE PLUSH COATS 25 PER CENT OFF!

Sale Starts Friday, August 6th

Plush coats consisting of Salts, Peco, Behring and Hudson Seals in all the new styles and models, plain and fur trimmed collars. All new merchandise purchased for Fall and Winter 1920-1921.



Reg. \$42.50 Coats, Less 25%, Now \$31.88

Reg. \$45.00 Coats, Less 25%, Now \$33.75

Reg. \$49.50 Coats, Less 25%, Now \$37.13

Reg. \$59.50 Coats, Less 25%, Now \$44.63

Reg. \$67.50 Coats, Less 25%, Now \$50.63

Reg. \$79.50 Coats, Less 25%, Now \$59.63

All Other Plush Coats Up to \$250.00 Reduced 25 Per Cent

Every Garment Plainly Marked Showing the 25% Reduction



381 Alder St. Corner West Park

PEOPLES THEATRE BUILDING



Ever buy shoes this way except at a

Regal Summer Sale

EVERY pair guaranteed, regardless of price.

Prices lowest in the city.

Every pair this Summer's styles, regular Regal qualities, workmanship and service.

Prices reduced to clear every Regal Oxford and Pump out of the store.

Not a pair of "sale shoes"—now or

ever in a Regal Sale.

Not a collection of "off sizes."

That's the reason you can have your money back or another pair for the asking.

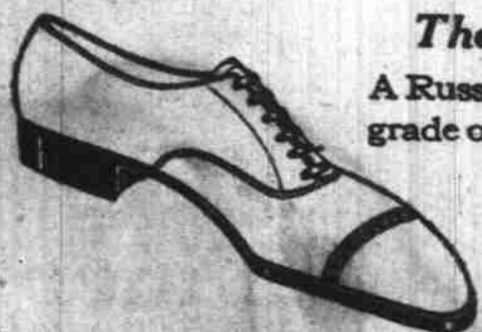
Upholding—for our own protection as well as yours—the integrity of the Regal name and trademark, no matter at what price the shoes are sold.

\$6.65 Values up to \$12.00 worth up to and over 40% more



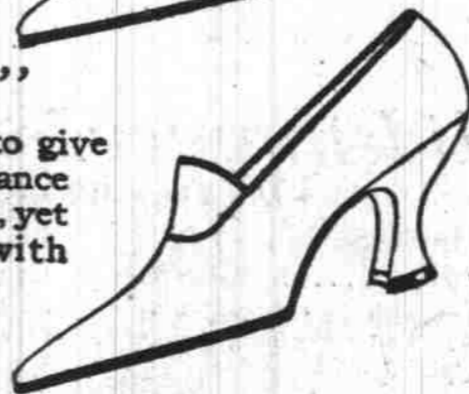
The "BILTMORE"
A fine quality of Russet leather. The last broad in ball and heel, gives the usual Regal comfort.

The "THEO TIE"
A stunning "tie" in finest Matt or Brown Kid or in Black Satin. Medium vamp, high arch, the sides held shapely by a dainty bow.



The "MANAGER"
A Russet Oxford of the best grade of leather. The broad ball and swinging outer lines are distinctively Regal.

The "OPERA"
Especially designed to give a trim, snug appearance when worn with spats, yet equally effective with buckles. In fine Calf or Patent Leather.



Other remarkable values at \$7.85, \$9.85, \$10.35 and \$11.35 Regular prices from \$11.00 to \$16.00

The REGAL SHOE STORE.

Portland Store, 347 Washington Street, Between Broadway and Park St.

REGAL SHOES Exclusively for MEN, WOMEN and CHILDREN

SAN FRANCISCO 772 Market St.

OAKLAND 1315 Broadway

SEATTLE 1118 2nd Avenue

TACOMA 940 Pacific Ave.

First-of-August Bargains That Will Crowd This Store Tomorrow With Eager Buyers!

Think of It! Heavy All-Silk PONGEE Regularly \$2 the yard **\$1.49**

A very durable quality! All 33 inches wide! Highly desirable for women's dresses, blouses, smocks—and for men's shirts! An exceptional value!

A Wonderful Sale! Best Standard GINGHAM **39c**

A wide range of plaids, stripes, checks and plain colors! An opportunity, indeed, for thrifty buyers!

SIMON'S THE STORE OF BARGAINS First, Second and Alder Streets

Sale Supreme—Women's Sleeveless Vests **25c**

In fine elastic jersey rib! Many have bodice top! Sizes from 34" to 40". Just think of the price—only 25c!

Friday Special Royal Club or M. J. B. Coffee **1-Lb. Can 49c**

Limit two cans to a customer

Silk Lisle Hose for Women **39c Pair**

White silk lisle hose at a wonderfully low price! Extra double heels and toes! Elastic garter tops! A limited quantity, but all sizes!

Curtain Scrim **39c**

In cream, ecru and white, with fancy filet borders! All 36 inches wide! Supply yourselves here tomorrow! It's a bargain that does not offer often!

Men's New Suits Just in by Express

One of Chicago's best clothing manufacturers has sent us a fine assortment of high quality men's suits, with the proviso that we are not to use his name, for the reason that they will retail for less than the wholesale price quoted 60 days ago, therefore he does not wish to injure his regular trade! Every suit hand-tailored! High-grade worsteds and unfinished worsteds! Silk and fancy linings! Models both for men and for young men! Every suit absolutely perfect and in the latest style! It's an opportunity, men! TO APPRECIATE THE VALUES YOU MUST COME AND SEE THEM!

\$65 Values for Only \$39.50 \$50 Values for Only \$33.00

The Busy Home of Good Shoes Offers a Rousing August Special for Little Girls and Boys

"NOBBY TREAD"

The Best Barefoot Sandal

There is None Better—First Quality—They Fit—They Wear! All at One Low Price—

\$1.44

In sizes 8 1/2 to 11; in sizes 1 1/2 to 2. In sizes 5 to 8, \$1.39