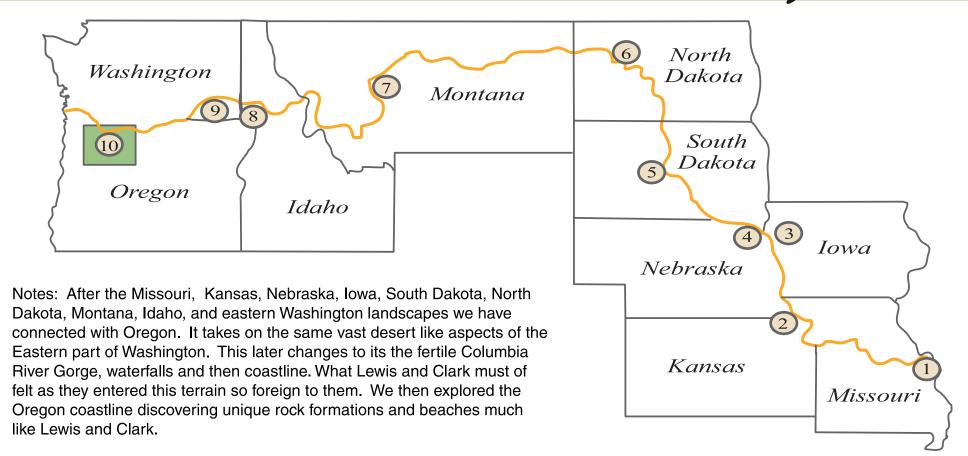
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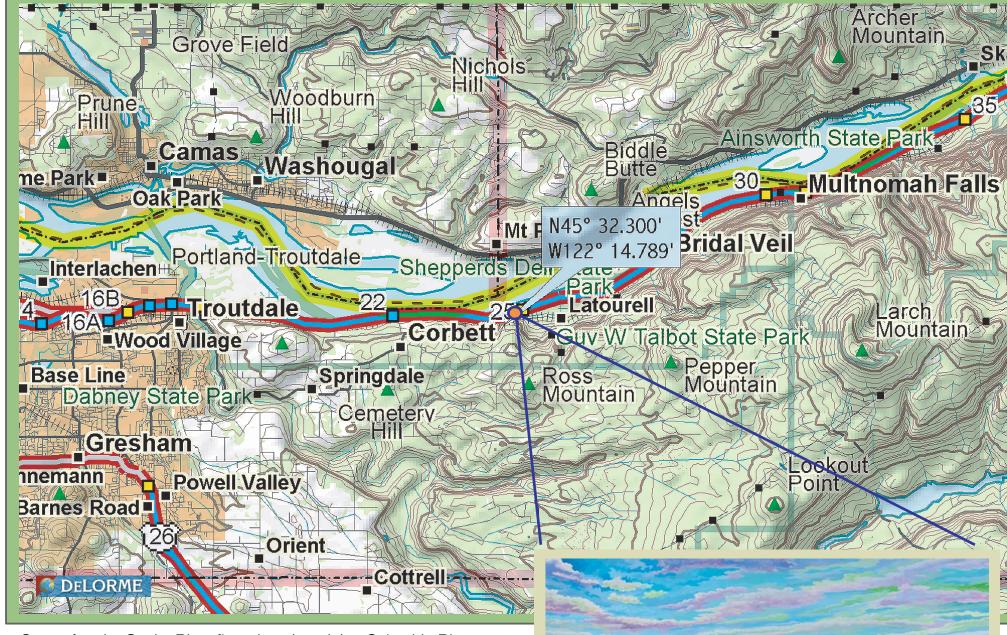












Soon after the Snake River flows into the mighty Columbia River, Oregon joins on the South side of the river and co-hosts the Columbia River Gorge. This view is from Vista House atop a bluff that surveys the most fertile area along the entire route. With its dense vegetation, strong wind and the temperate influences of the Pacific Ocean, this area provides an enduring bounty. Lewis and Clark encountered an environment that they had never seen before and had to endure its abundant rainfall at Fort Clatsop.

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