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NOTICE OF THE SALE OF BONDS.
The City of Ontario, Malheur County, Oregon offers for sale its negotiable Bancroft Improvements bonds in the sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars, bearing interest at not more than six per cent per annum, to become due and payable in ten years from December 1st, 1919, the date of issue. Interest payable semi-annually. Bids for the same must be submitted in writing, and will be received subject to the legality of the bonds. No bids will be received or considered for less than the par value of said bonds. An unconditional certified check, payable to the treasurer of the City of Ontario, for an amount equal to five per cent of each bid must accompany the bid. Bids will be received subject to the condition, that the bidder to whom the same are awarded will either accept or reject the same within ten days after receiving a transcript of the proceeding under which the said bonds are issued.

The Council of the City of Ontario reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

All bids for said bonds must be filed with the recorder of said City of Ontario, on or before 7:30 o'clock p. m. on the 23rd day of November, 1918, thereafter and on which day, the bids will be opened and action with interest thereon, together with taken thereon by the said common Council.

By order of the Common Council of the City of Ontario, Oregon,

W. F. ROMAN, Mayor
(City Seal)
Attest: CLAY M. STEARNS, City Recorder

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE IN FORECLOSURE IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR MALHEUR COUNTY

GEORGE GLASSCOCK, Plaintiff, vs ARTHUR E. DODDS and MABEL DODDS, Defendants.

By virtue of an execution in foreclosure, duly issued by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Malheur County, dated the 16th day of November, 1918, in a certain action in the said Circuit Court for said State and County, wherein George Glasscock, as Plaintiff, recovered judgment against Arthur E. Dodds and Mable Dodds, Defendants, for Two Hundred Forty Dollars (\$240.00) with interest thereon from the first day of May, 1917, at the rate of ten per cent per annum and Thirty-five Dollars (\$35.00) attorney fees, and the further sum of Twenty-five Dollars and ten cents (\$25.10) costs and disbursements:

THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That I will on the 23rd day of December, 1918, at the hour of 11:30 a. m. of said day, at the main entrance door of the Malheur County Court House, at Vale, Oregon sell at public auction, to the highest bidder or bidders for cash, the following described real property, to-wit:

An undivided one-half interest in the Southwest Quarter (SW1-4) of Section 30, Township 16 South, Range 47 E. W. M.;

Taken and levied upon as the property of the said above named defendants, or as much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment in favor of George Glasscock, and 1918, thereafter and on which day, against the above named defendants, the bids will be opened and action with interest thereon, together with taken thereon by the said common Council.

Dated at Vale, Oregon, this 18th day of November, 1918.

BEN J. BROWN, Sheriff
By T. C. McELORY, Deputy.
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GENERAL DICKMAN



Major-General Dickman, commander of the American army which will occupy German territory under the armistice.

MATTHIAS ERZBERGER



Matthias Erzberger, civilian leader of the German armistice delegation.

750,000 AMERICANS USED IN ARGONNE

Paris.—Out of the confusion and haze of the crowding military events on the western battle line since late in September, when battle followed battle until from Flanders to Verdun there was ceaseless action, it is now permissible to mention the part played by the American armies in the final decisive battle of the war, which ended with the armistice.

Military reasons heretofore have prevented accentuating the accomplishments of the Americans, except in a most general manner. But it may now be stated that 21 American divisions totalling more than 750,000 American combat troops participated in the action beginning September 26 and lasting 20 days, known variously as the battle of the Meuse, but which history may call Sedan—the battle that brought Germany to her knees, and as far as human foresight goes, ended the world's bloodiest and costliest war.

It was at daybreak of September 26 when the Americans went in. Using nine divisions for the preliminary attack and under vigorous artillery support, they advanced five kilometers the first day.

It was bitter fighting in the woods, brush and ravines, over a region perfectly registered and plotted by the enemy, where his guns, big and little, could be used with the greatest efficiency. The original nine American divisions in some cases were kept in the line over three consecutive weeks.

GERMAN DEBT ESTIMATED

Three Hundred and Forty Billion France is Total.

Paris.—Germany's debt to France is estimated at 340,000,000,000 francs by the Matin in an editorial. The newspaper apportions the debt as follows: Return of the indemnity of 1871 with interest, 60,000,000,000 francs; expenses of the present war, 140,000,000,000 francs; pensions, 40,000,000,000 francs; and reparation for damages, 100,000,000,000 francs.

Germany and Austria, it adds, should return to the allies a minimum of 7,000,000 tons of shipping in payment for that destroyed in the war, but they have at their disposal only 3,000,000 tons. Consequently the delivery of the entire German-Austrian merchant marine would constitute only half reparation.

Allies Will Get German Fleet.

London.—All of the German warships that must be turned over according to the terms of the armistice will be in allied hands by Saturday, a day earlier than stipulated by the agreement, it was learned on good authority.

Mun Ships to Carry Food.

London.—The British government is arranging for the departure to the United States of a number of German vessels. These ships will bring to Germany foodstuffs which the allies will permit Germany to receive.

Telegraphers Granted Wage Increase.

Washington.—Railroad telegraphers numbering about 70,000 were granted an increase in wages by Director General McAdoo. The new wages, representing a basic minimum of 15 cents increase an hour, will be effective from October 1.

General Pershing Decorated.

With the American Army in Eastern France.—A distinguished service medal was conferred on General Pershing at his headquarters by General Traubner, M. Blier representing President Wilson.

LUMBERING WAGES TO BE CONTINUED

Portland, Or.—Lumber manufacturers of western Oregon and western Washington are determined to maintain the wages of their employes at the standard which has prevailed during the war, despite the industrial uncertainty of the immediate future.

This is the substance of one of the principal resolutions adopted at a meeting of representative lumbermen and loggers of the two states held here Saturday. Reduction of wages, "even should lumber fall in value," is opposed by the operators.

Continuation of the Loyal Legion of Loggers and Lumbermen was urged as an absolutely necessary part of the organization of the lumber industry, in resolutions adopted. The meeting was conducted under the auspices of the West Coast Lumbermen's association, and was largely attended. Leaders of the industry from all parts of the northwest were present.

Charter No. 9348 Reserve District No. 12

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

ONTARIO NATIONAL BANK.

AT ONTARIO, IN THE STATE OF OREGON, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON NOVEMBER 1, 1918.

RESOURCES			
1 a	Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, (except those shown in b and c)	\$488,335.51	
	Total loans	488,335.51	
d	Notes and bills rediscounted (other than bank acceptances sold)	66,615.26	416,720.25
2	Overdrafts, unsecured	1,120.90	1,120.90
3	U. S. Bonds (other than Liberty Bonds, but including U. S. certificates of indebtedness); U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	60,000.00	
b	U. S. Bonds and certificates of indebtedness pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value)	20,000.00	
d	U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness pledged as collateral for State or other deposits or bills payable	30,000.00	110,000.00
6	Liberty Bonds:		
a	Liberty Loan Bonds, 3 1/4, 4, and 4 1/2 per cent, unpledged	5,192.67	
b	Liberty Loan Bonds, 3 1/4, 4, and 4 1/2 per cent, pledged to secure U. S. deposits	20,000.00	25,192.69
7	Bonds, securities, etc., (other than U. S.):		
b	Bonds (other than U. S. bonds) pledged to secure postal savings deposits	1,000.00	
c	Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged	7,688.93	8,688.93
9	Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)		2,400.00
10a	Value of banking house, owned and unencumbered	20,000.00	39,000.00
b	Equity in banking house		3,400.00
11	Furniture and fixtures		3,550.00
12	Real estate owned other than banking house		31,502.76
13	Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		34,427.26
	Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks		4,654.04
16	Net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies, other than included in item 13, 14 or 15		330.62
18	Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 17)		34,462.03
19	Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items		4,204.40
20	Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		3,000.00
22	War Savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps actually owned		94.18
	TOTAL		687,327.14
LIABILITIES			
24	Capital stock paid in	60,000.00	
25	Surplus fund		23,000.00
26a	Undivided profits	21,468.90	
b	Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	12,043.48	9,426.42
30	Circulating notes outstanding		60,000.00
32	Net amounts due to National banks		3,619.11
33	Net amounts due to banks, bankers, and trust companies (other than included in items 31 or 32)		10,824.58
	Total of items 32 and 33	15,443.69	296,127.16
34	Individual deposits subject to check		32,578.98
35	Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)		3,167.12
37	Cashier's checks outstanding (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, items 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40 and 41	330,578.26	
42	Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		97,556.60
44	Postal savings deposits		594.02
45	Other time deposits		18,568.14
	Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, items 42, 43, 44 and 45	116,718.77	
46a	War loan deposit account	41,675.00	41,675.00
51	Bills payable, with Federal Reserve Bank		30,000.00
	TOTAL		687,327.14
57a	Liabilities for rediscounts, including those with Federal Reserve Bank (see item 1d)	66,615.26	

STATE OF OREGON, COUNTY OF MALHEUR, ss:
I, W. F. ROMAN, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
W. F. ROMAN, Cashier
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of November, 1918.
S. F. TAYLOR, Notary Public

CORRECT—Attest:
T. J. BRONNAN
C. R. EMISON
L. ADAM
Directors.

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