FOOD ORDERS GIVEN

Supplies Bought With Cash Sent for Belgian Relief.

WOMEN TO EARN $1000

Part of Fund Set Aside to Pay Idle for Making Clothes—Contract for Flour Let to Crown Mills for Figure Below Cost.

The Oregon committee for Belgian relief met Tuesday in the offices of Samuel Hill, chairman, and determined upon expenditures of cash donated for foodstuffs. A total of $12,305.34 was reported to the committee as having been collected for the aid of the Belgians. Of this sum, $1000 has already been appropriated to pay for sewing garments by unemployed women of the city.

Purchases were authorized as follows: Blankets, 300 pairs; dried pears, 1700 pounds; condensed milk, 1000 cases. The balance will be expended for flour, the bid of the Crown Mills, Balfour, Guthrie & Co., at $5.50 a barrel, being accepted. At the present price of wheat, this is said to be below the cost of manufacture, and other mills declined the business at that price. All these foodstuffs will be delivered at the Municipal dock at once for loading aboard the Cranley.

The committee determined that all cash received too late to be expended for supplies to be shipped on the Cranley, which is expected to be dispatched late this week from Municipal Dock No. 1, will be forwarded to the American Commission for Relief in Belgium, 71 Broadway, New York City, and contributions of foodstuffs will be sold and the receipts forwarded, so that the Belgians will receive the benefit of all donations.

Contributions were reported by the committee yesterday as follows:

Cash Contributions.

Previously acknowledged	$11,979.27
Lillian Borland, Portland	2.00
C. R. Winston	5.00
Lawrence Riddle	2.50
Mrs. Chris Peterson	5.00
W. M. Cornfoot	2.50
A. D. J.	5.00
Genevieve Church	5.00
Mary L. Church	20.00
Mrs. H. Clarke	1.25
First Presbyterian Sunday School, Salem	52.57
Frank Savary, Portland	5.00
Robert W. Lewis	10.00
Miscellaneous cash contributions collected by C. Henri Labbe	19.50
Miscellaneous contributions collected by E. V. Lamotte	50.00
A friend	5.00
M. G. Munly, Portland	10.00
P. Todd, Jefferson, Or.	5.00
W. M. H. Woodward, Portland	5.00
Chinese Consolidated Benevolent Association, Portland	117.50
A friend, Oregon City	2.20
Sunday school, Terrebonne, Or.	4.05
Total	$12,305.34

Foodstuffs.

	Approximate value.
Previously acknowledged	$28,615.34
O. C. Hughes, Washougal, Wash., 2 boxes groceries, 1 sack beans	60.00
Roseburg citizens, Roseburg, Or., 1 sack rice, 1 sack beans	25.00
Peoples Supply Company, Roseburg, flour	10.00
Faculty of the Oregon Agricultural College, through Corvallis Commercial Club, Corvallis, Or., invested in foodstuffs	241.99
Citizens of Corvallis, Or., through Corvallis Commercial Club, quantity of food, clothing, etc.	200.00
Dr. O. J. Goffin, Portland, printing bill paid by him personally (printing receipts, cards and letter heads)	22.75
F. W. Sanders, Alderdale, Wash., 25 sacks flour	35.00
John Everson, Warrenton, Or., 1 box wearing apparel	25.00
M. G. C. Dahlin, Mercer, Or., 1 sack dried peas	2.50
Laura Dahlin, Mercer, Or., 1 package clothing	5.00
Mrs. E. A. Hughes, Gladstone, Or., 1 package bed covers, 1 box merchandise	10.00
Mrs. Harrison, Oregon City, Or., 1 package clothing	10.00
Japanese Relief Association, Portland, 2 sacks salt, 5 cases canned goods, 5 sacks rice, 17 sacks flour, 2 bundles corn flakes	125.00
E. M. & E., Eugene, Or., 32 packages flour	85.00
C. C. C., Dallas, Or., 12 sacks dried prunes	75.00
P. S. S., Salem, Or., groceries and flour	30.00
Total	$29,688.08

OCCUPANTS ARE SHIELDED

Persons Having Only Deed Not to Dictate Type of Pavement.

In petitions of property owners, expressing a preference for a type of pavement, the actual occupants who have bought the property by contract are to be considered before the person who holds the deed, according to a decision reached by the City Council yesterday. The plan is to prevent the holders of deeds to property sold by contract on the installment plan from dictating the class of pavement to be laid.

It is said on some occasions cases have been found where large property owners have dictated the class of pavement in a district in spite of the fact that that owner has disposed of all his property by contract, reserving the deed only as security. It is said the deed holder often has been influenced by the paving companies into signing a preferential petition for a high-priced pavement.

NEW THEATER TAX LIKELY

Ordinance Up for Third Reading Puts Ban on Posters.

Prohibition of the indiscriminate posting of theater advertising matter and revision of the license system against theaters are provisions of an ordinance which was passed to third reading by the City Council yesterday after being approved.

The measure, if finally passed, will prohibit any theater from posting banners, signs, posters or other advertising matter on streets or vacant property except in glass-covered frames.

The license provision of the measure, if passed, will reduce the total amount of revenue now received by the city from theaters. The ordinance makes a fixed charge of $20 a year for each theater, regardless of size. It then requires a payment of 10 cents a year for each seat in the theater.

"HONOR BOY" MUST SERVE

Earl Riley Is Sentenced When He Fails to Make Good.

Earl Riley, the "honor boy" who failed to make good, and his partner, Joe Robson, must serve terms of one to 10 years in the Penitentiary for stealing an automobile two weeks ago. They were sentenced by Circuit Judge Davis yesterday and will leave for Salem in custody of a Deputy Sheriff today.

Harold Kelland, arrested with Riley and Robson, was given the same sentence, but was paroled because it was his first offense. Riley is 17 years old and has been under the supervision of the Juvenile Court or the State Training School ever since he was 9 years old. Last month he "crossed his heart," shook hands with Judge McGinn and promised to be good. He was arrested again two weeks later.

AD CLUB HOLDS LUNCHEON

President Baker Emphasizes Work of Commerce Committee.

The Portland Ad Club, with its newly-elected officers, met at its luncheon yesterday in the Multnomah Hotel for the first time since the big installation jinks last week.

President Baker was loud in praise of his predecessor, Charles F. Berg, to whom he attributed many of the policies he has developed for his own administration.

Mr. Baker emphasized the work of the trade and commerce committees of the club and urged that they give careful attention to every movement that may arise affecting the commercial and industrial development of the city.

Other speakers of the day were Harvey O'Bryan, G. D. Lee, G. A. Benedict, Dr. J. F. Beaumont, William Whitfield, Roy Edwards, Miles Standish, S. S. Hewitt, N. G. Pike and C. V. Cooper.

NAME CHANGE DUE TO VISITS TO DRUG STORE IN GOOD OLD PROHIBITION KANSAS.

Uno Bradley.

Prohibition changed the name Charles, but now Uno, Bradley, who, with his wife, Ted, is visiting with J. J. Carlin, 469 Flint street, while playing a week at Pantages. Bradley was in Kansas when Mrs. Carrie Nation was carrying on her campaign against bootleggers. Bradley one evening told a story concerning a patron of a drug store who went into the store one evening and remarked: "You know, Doc," and got a dark brown bottle. Bradley said that he went in and the druggest said: "What do you want?"

"Blessed if I know," said Bradley. "You know." Another little brown bottle came across the counter. The story was such a hit that the nickname "Uno" was attached to Bradley, and, although this was 15 years ago, the name still sticks.

CANADIAN COIN BELOW PAR

Discount Rate of Clearing-House Body Does Not Apply to Gold.

Canadian money, with the exception of gold, will no longer be taken at par by Portland banks, 10 members of the Clearing-House Asociation having taken this stand because of the unusual financial conditions that prevail in Canada, due to the war.

A rate of discount has been adopted that makes a Canadian silver dollar worth 99 cents and a $5 Canadian bank note $4.95. Canadian banks have depleted their reserves in New York and now they have to pay a premium on New York exchange. The discount was put into effect when Portland banks were charged this premium in doing Canadian business.

JACOB KANZLER HONORED

Initialed Watch Fob Presented by Club to Retiring President.

When the board of trustees of the Progressive Business Men's Club met yesterday for their last meeting of the old administration, they presented the retiring president of the club, Jacob Kanzler, with a beautiful solid gold, old-English initialed watch fob.

R. W. Nisbet, of Marshall Wells Hardware Company, made the presentation speech. He said: "Mr. Kanzler, we cannot express adequately our sense of appreciation for the time and energy you have spent in our club matters, but as a token of good fellowship and friendship we want to present this watch fob to you that you may be reminded ever of the moulding and cementing of a friendship which will stand forever."

BRIDGE PLAN PRINTS OUT

Specifications for Interstate Span Are Sent Likely Bidders.

Since the plans and specifications for the Interstate bridge were adopted a week ago, 2500 blue prints of the plans have been delivered to contractors in all parts of the country, said E. E. Howard, of Harrington, Howard & Ash, consulting engineers, yesterday.

There are 60 prints in the complete set of bridge plans, and more than 40 of these sets have been sent to prospective bidders. The prints are made in Kansas City and sent out from the home office of the consulting engineers.

Bids for the bridge will be opened February 23.

ONLY CITIZENS MAY VOTE

To Make Anti-Alien Amendment Effective by June Is Aim.

In accordance with the anti-alien amendment adopted by the voters of the state last November, only full-fledged citizens are to be permitted to vote in the city election to be held in June. City Attorney LaRoche and District Attorney Evans, at a meeting yesterday at the Courthouse, made plans for a bill to be presented to the Legislature making the anti-alien act operative.

It is proposed to have the County Clerk go through the registration books and strike out the names of all unnaturalized persons who have been permitted to vote up to this time.

FOUR AUTO DRIVERS PAY

SEVEN-DAY JAIL SENTENCE IS PENALTY FOR RECKLESSNESS.

Two Who Tie Up Cars and Traffic Needlessly Are Fined $50, but Case of Fourth Is Continued.

Four unruly automobile drivers yesterday in the Municipal Court under Judge Stevenson paid the penalty for flagrant violations of the traffic laws.

For driving west on the left side of Alder street near Twelfth Tuesday night, W. S. McHugh, owner and general manager of the Marsh Printing Company, who piloted his automobile into the machine of S. C. Morton, of St. Helens, received a sentence of seven days in jail for reckless driving. Mr. McHugh admitted that he had had three or four glasses of beer. McHugh gave notice that he will appeal the decision of the court and his bond was set at $500.

When George Curray, driver of a furniture company auto van, blocked traffic for four blocks along Union avenue Tuesday night and defied motormen to make him get off the car track, he did not count upon Captain of Detectives Baty and Harry P. Coffin, chairman of the Safety First Commission, being on one of the streetcars thus stalled. After a night in jail he was fined $5, but the fine was remitted.

Disregarding the warning signal of Traffic Officer Bender, Charles Nibling, a gardener, ran his automobile into the rear of the machine owned by A. Tobey Tuesday. Nibling asserted he did not hear the signal and the case was continued for sentence.

Charged with blocking traffic along Milwaukie street for nearly 26 blocks, E. J. Bennett was fined $5. Bennett drives an automobile of the street-cleaning department.

Corn Growing Contest to Start.

The George Social and Commercial Club will hold a corn growing contest for 1915 in the George district, near Sandy, to encourage the wider production of corn in that section. T. W. Cross, agriculturist of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company, delivered last week 150 pounds of "Minnesota 23" corn seed at Estacada, which will go to the growers of the George district, and will be donated to the clubs there for distribution. There is much interest among the growers over the coming corn contest, which will start this Spring and end next Fall at the fair when the awards will be made to those who make the best showing of corn production. The Minnesota corn seed is said to be the best for the purpose. A considerable number of farmers will enter the contest. This contest originated at the George Fair last Fall, which was attended by Mr. Cross, J. P. Werlein and others from Portland when seed for the corn was offered.

French Inspect Horses in Klamath.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—T. Larregain and R. Parent, representing the French government in the purchase of war horses in this country, Sunday inspected 100 head at Merrill, purchasing 54 of the number. There are approximately 600 head being offered by local stockmen for inspection and sale. The price averages between $75 and $100 a head.