BOND DEALERS ARE NOT TO TAKE PROFIT

Portland Men to Waive Commission on Government Issue for War.

DEMAND ALREADY HEAVY

Subscription Books May Be Opened by Some Houses Today; Prospective Tax Increases Popularity of Exempt Municipals.

Portland bond dealers will handle their part of the new Government issue of war bonds without the customary commission and without profit to them-

In this they are adopting the at-titude taken by the big Eastern bank-

While the interest rate on the proposed loan has not been determined, the bonds will be sold to the public on the first offering at par. It is the bonds will be sold to the public on the first offering at par. It is probable that the rate will be as low as 3 per cent, and in no event is it expected to exceed 3½ per cent. After they pass from the hands of the Government it is probable that the issue will command a slight premium.

Local bond dealers already have had many inquiries from prospective purchasers. It is probable that subscription books will be opened by some houses today, as the demand is getting heavy.

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Of secondary interest in the investment world is the Government's plan for financing the war, or, in other words, of redeeming its bonds. President Wilson has told Congress that he wants to pay the war debt, as much as possible, "as we go along," so it is probable that various means of taxation will be devised to meet these requirements.

It is almost certain that the income tax will be substantially increased and

tax will be substantially increased and that inheritance taxes, excess profits taxes and other levies will be imposed upon the people who are best able to pay the bills.

Municipals May Be Exempt. But in calculating the taxes on incomes the Government possibly may exempt its own bonds as well as Amer-ican municipals, as it has done in the

For that reason the demand for municipal bonds and other tax-exempt securities has been growing. As an example of this situation, State of Idaho bonds which heretofore have been going at par, sold here yesterday at 101.07, approximately a 4.11 per cent

Yesterday's advices from the East reflect a similar situation there. A syndicate was formed by Kuhn, Loeb & Co. and other large bond houses to purchase \$25,000,000 of State of New York bonds at a premium of \$1,304,250.

More than half of these bonds already have been sold and the remainder are offered at a price that will yield a net return of only 3% per cent.

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"Municipal bonds are sure to be a prime security for many years to come," said John A. Keating, president of the Lumbermen's Trust Company. of the Lumbermen's Trust Company, yesterday. "The decline of interest rates obtainable for foreign government loans, the prospective offer of billions of dollars of United States bonds at a low interest rate, and the improving conditions in rural districts are factors that will combine to make municipal bonds of American towns, counties and states more pop-

Savings Investments Expected.

It is estimated that a large percentage of the Government's funds will be spent in the Northwest for grain, ships, lumber, foodstuffs, wool and all other commodities needed to carry on the war.

The money taken from this part of the country in the form of bond investments and taxes will find its way back through the hands of producers and manufacturers.

testimony of R. A. Leonard, District Attorney of Butte County.

He said he was an attorney in Oroville in 1912, at which time he sought to collect a bill from Mr. Rivers. The latter called at his office and said he would be able to pay the bill before long, as, he said,

"We have a scheme that will get the money from the suckers."

W. T. Baldwin, an abstractor, who became familiar with the plan of town

and manufacturers,
Bond dealers here expect a big rush

of applicants as soon as the securities are offered for sale. It is probable that an allotment will be made for the law. Judging from the present demand, Oregon's allotment will be oversub-scribed many times.

"WINDSHIELDS" ARE SEIZED James Mamaras Is Arrested as Pro hibition Law Violator.

James Mamaras, proprietor of Greek restaurant, was arrested yesterday forencon at 105½ North Sixth street, by Patrolmen Burke and Thompson and Deputies Miles and Smith, of the United States Internal Revenue Service, on charges of having violated the prohibition law.

Billed as "automatic automobile

windshields, handle with care," a consignment from San Francisco was broken open and found to contain several quarts of which with the wonderful growth and characterized it in his paper, he said, as a wild-cat scheme. eral quarts of whisky and alcohol. Bail was fixed at \$500, which Mamaras fur-nished.

PETITIONS TO BE CHECKED

Fraudulent Names Found on Som Initiative Requests.

A complete check of the signatures placed on the stand yesterday by bepartiached to initiative petitions filed uty United States Attorney Goldstein with measures for the city election and identified the picture as one taken at herself 15 years ago in her father's

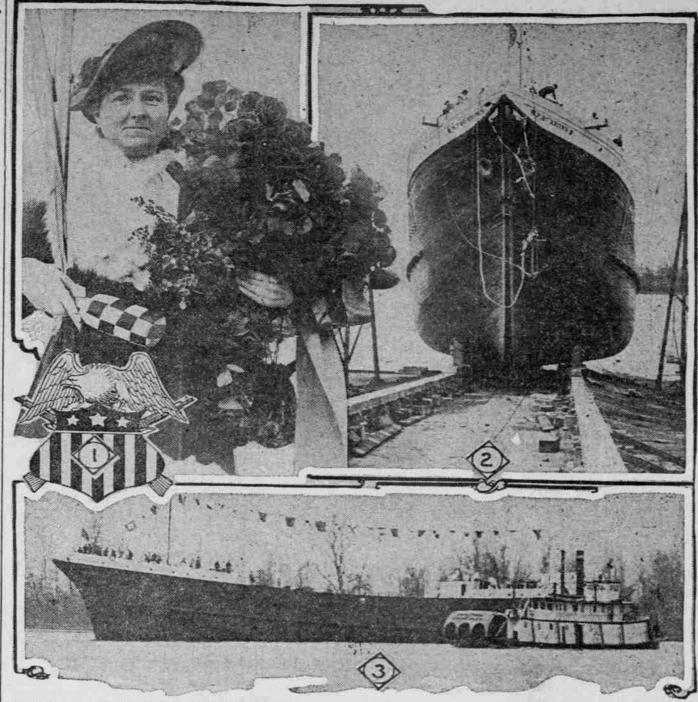
The Council yesterday passed an or-The Council yesterday passed an ordinance presented by Commissioner
Bigelow appropriating \$300 to cover the
cost of the examination. Auditor Barbur
will satisfy himself as to the authenticity of the petitions before accepting
the measures for a piace on the election
ballot.

BADIO STATIONS CLOSED

Ohlo Society Meets Tuesday.

The Ohio Society will hold a meeting in the Elizabethan room of the Imperial Hotel Tuesday night, April 17, at 8 o'clock. All Ohio people, residents of the city or visitors here, are in-vited. There will be a musical and literary programme. Plans are being formulated to entertain the delegates from Ohio to the National Education

INITIAL AUXILIARY SCHOONER BUILT ON PACIFIC COAST FOR LIBBY, M'NEILL & LIBBY FLAG, AND PRINCIPALS AT LAUNCHING.



1-MRS. C. C. COLT, WHO CHRISTENED SHIP. 2-W. F. BURROWS WHEN ABOUT TO ENTER WATER. 3-VESSEL AS SHE APPEARED AFLOAT.

SCHEME AIRED

Government Is Closing Case of Land Operators.

TRIAL MAY END TOMORROW

Project Promoted by E. R. Erickson and E. B. Rivers Alleged to Have Been Misrepresented by Attractive Pictures.

How the operators themselves regarded the scheme to sell town lots on the arid acres of Butte County, Cali-Local bankers expect a substantial fornia, for which E. R. Erickson and withdrawal of money from savings accounts for investment in the new Federal Court, charged with having used counts for investment in the new Federal Court, charged with having useral loan, but they expect this money the mails to defraud, was shown in soon to drift back into the banks interesting fashion yesterday in the testimony of R. A. Leonard, District

became familiar with the plan of town lot selling, testified he told Rivers he was taking awful chances in his operations, as they were in conflict with

Lottery System in Sale Used. "The Orange Subdivision of Therma-

Ito" was the title of the paper town lots in which were sold throughout the Middle West and in the Pacific Northwest for the modest price of \$8.50 each. Purchasers were made to feel hat they were winning something, the form of a drawing or lottery being used. The small fee was nominally for legal fees in perfecting deeds.

Mr. Baldwin testified that as town lots, the land was worthless. As acreage, he said, it was perhaps worth \$15 an acre. George C. Mansfield, editor of the

Oroville Dally Register, said the building of a town near by was not known there until a swarm of deeds began coming in from the Middle West for registry with the county officials. He then investigated the town with

Plan Never Explained.

The Oroville Chamber of Commerce protested and Rivers was asked to appear before that body and explain the plan of operations. This he promised to do, but never made good his word. One of the attractive pictures in the literature used by the promoters of the Orange Subdivision was that of a Orange Subdivision was that of a young girl and her dog in the fore-ground of a photograph of a luxuriant

with measures for the city election and identified the picture as one taken June 4 started last night under the direction of City Auditor Barbur as a result of fraudulent names having been found in some of the petitions. Every petition will be checked over by Every petition will be checked over by The Government will close its case the caption beneath the photograph reads: "A fig orchard on our land." The Government will close its case by noon today and the case will prob-

RADIO STATIONS CLOSED

Governor Gets Notice That All of

Amateur Plants Must Be Scaled. Orders have been received in Portland that all amateur wireless outfits must be closed. This is, of course, a precautionary step taken by the Gov-

meet Friday night at 8 o'clock in the blue room at the Portland Hotel, and not at the Multnomah Hotel, as originally apnounced.

States Navy. It is addressed to the ling as though a great victory had been blue room at the Portland Hotel, and not at the Multnomah Hotel, as originally apnounced. The President of the United States has, in accordance with the authority vested in him by the second section of the act of is booming."

August 13, 1912, an act to regulate radio communication, directed the closing or taking over of certain radio-communication stations including those in the states of Washington and Oregon.

The details of this procedure will be carried out by a party of inspection, whose duty it will be to see that the antenne of stations are lowered, the receiving and sending apparatus disconnected and sealed and that duplicate inventories of all parts, including those spare and disused, are prepared for signature after checking. This party of inspection will be under the direction of at least one commissioned officer of the Navy. The stations will be some of Features of Bill.

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warned by mail previous
of this party.
In order that this work may show the
cognizance and approval of the state and
municipal authorities, their co-operation is
respectfully invited, especially as regards
the extension of recognition and support to
should the warning by mail Inspectors should the warning by mail the District Radio Inspectors have failed

In its effect.

Also co-operation is invited in assistance in maintaining these stations in a closed condition after they have once been closed. They shall not later be opened except by orders of the commandant of the 13th Naval District

ORTLAND RED CROSS CHAPTER OUTLINES PROPOSED WORK.

Instruction Is Free to Women Betwee 16 and 45 Who Intend to Qualify as Alds.

Courses of instruction have been mapped out for members of the Portland chapter of the American Red Cross by the educational committee, headed by Dr. Frederick A. Kiehle, The classes will be started as soon as reg-istration is sufficient for the purpose, and instruction includes first-aid work, dietetics, preparation of surgical dress-

ings, nursing, etc.
Two general divisions have been prepared to include active and less active workers. The following details of the courses were given by the Portland chapter yesterday:

Class "A" (Nurses Alds.) Applicants must be women between the ages of 18 and 45, with the required physical, mental and moral qualifications, and without restricting home ties, who agree seriously to pursue in their entirety the

courses.

1. Nurses aids (10 lessons).
2. Elementary hygiene, home care of the sick (15 lessons).
3. Home dietetics (15 lessons).
4. Preparation in surgical dressing (8 lessons).

Sons).
On the completion of these courses and satisfactory passing of the required examinations such members will receive certificates as nurse's aids. They promise to hold themselves subject to call for duty by the Portland Chapter of the American Red Cross.
There will be no expense attached to instructions in nurse's aid courses except registration of 50c per individual per course, required by the National Board of the American Red Cross.

Class "B" (General Instruction).

Class "B" (General Instruction). For women not available for actual service at this time but who desire Red Cross certificates in one or more of the courses indicated in the above paragraph, accredited instructors will be furnished and a Red Cross certificate given on the completion of the course. Fees will range from 500 to \$3.50 per course:

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First aid, 50c,
Hygiene and nursing, \$3.50.
Dietetics, \$3.50 plus cost of materials.
Surgical dressings, \$2.
Groups of not less than 15 and not more han 25 women of 16 years of age and upvards should meet and choose a president and secretary. On application to Red Cross leadquarters, an instructor will be fursleshed. nished.

All requests for information should be made to Miss Bessie Doyle, secretary of the educational programme committee, at Hed Cross headquarters, Main 4204, 2 to 4 P. M., or morning hours at Main 8325.

HERMAN A. POLITZ IS BACK Portland Clothier Says War Does Not

Check Business in East. Declaration of war apparently had no effect on business in New according to Herman A. Politz, Port-land clothier who returned Tuesday from a month's business trip in th He was in New York when war

was declared. ormulated to entertain the delegates of the National Education of the National Education of a secret nature leaking out to the enemy.

Woman's Club to Meet.

The woman's Pennsylvania Club will seet Friday night at 8 o'clock in the content of the states Navy. It is addressed to the secret nature leaking out to the enemy.

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The order is issued from the Puget celebrating in every direction. The content of the states Navy. It is addressed to the line as follows:

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or Australian onions by failure to make a delivery at Vancouver, B. C., on April 9, the defense asserts in an answer filed in the Circuit Court yesterday that it has no control over the movements of the steamer Waltoteru, on which the onions were shipped, and is not responsible for the delay.
Further, it contends that the contract provided for arbitration in case of trouble and that the plaintiff has

NEWS OF VESSELS' MOVE-MENTS NOT TO BE PUB-LISHED.

WASHINGTON, April 10 .- The Associated Press is requested by the Secretary of the Navy to transmit the following to its members:

"Every newspaper in America is earnestly requested during the present period not to print the arrival or departure of any ships in the coastwise or international trade or of any naval vessel. This statement is now made as the formal request of the Administration, and I feel sure all papers will comply and in the future make no mention of movements of ships. "JOSEPHUS DANIELS."

The Oregonian will comply with the foregoing request. Until further notice nothing will be published in these columns concerning the arrival or departure of vessels in Pacific Coast ports.

refused to arbitrate. The Bank of Cal-ifornia holds \$16,000 to the credit of the defendant, which the plaintiff is seeking to prevent collection of. The delay has given the Texas onion crop opportunity to get on the market and kill chances of profit on the Australian onions, it is maintained.

Garden Superintendent Retained.

John Denison, whose record as superintendent of the garden and stock departments of the Multnomah County Farm won high commendation from S. Farm won high commendation from S.
B. Hall, county agricultural agent, was retained by the County Commissioners yesterday at a salary of \$100 a month, more than he had been yesterday at a salary of \$100 a month, \$25 a month more than he had been receiving. Mr. Denison resigned a week ago and the Commissioners refused to accept his resignation without looking into his reasons.

1 teet.

Contracts for the construction of two 65-foot passenger launches for service on Lake Washington soon will be let by the commission. The cost limit on each boat is \$3500.

There is no reason why the spirit of nortal should be proud, unless he owns a coal mine.

VESSEL IS LAUNCHED

Auxiliary Schooner W. F. Burrows Floated at Kenton.

SCORES CHEER NEW SHIP

Mrs. C. C. Colt Acts as Sponsor, Breaking Bottle of Champagne on Bow as Start Is Made on Way Int- River.

Neill & Libby, were fully rewarded in being spectators at what was admitbeing spectators at what was admit-tedly among the most successful launch-ings on the Coast. Few similar events the way of preparing for service with have really taken place without some hitch, either in starting the ship or after she floated. The vessel is the namesake of the president of Libby,
McNeill & Libby,

towed to the Albina dock so the four masts may be stepped. Her engines, built at San Francisco, and which are being tested there, may be started this way in another week, and it is said that on their receipt not more than a month will elapse before the Burrows will be ready for delivery.

when about to enter water.

At.

HONORGIRLS PLANSHOW

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ASTORIA, Or., April 11.—(Special.)
—Captain Iver Holmes, of the Willapa
Harbor launch Nasel, and four companions, were brought ashore today by Captain Rimer and the Cape Disap-pointment Coast Guard crew after a perilous time at sea. The launches Lenore and Nasel left Nahcotta yester-day to visit points on William Herber day to visit points on Willapa Harbor. Both were caught by the gale and tide and were carried out to sea.

Late in the afternoon, when off Klip-san Beach, the Lenore was swamped and was later driven ashore. Her crew was picked up by Captain Holmes, of the Nasel, which bucked the gale down the Coast to the Columbia River lightship, where she arrived last night. This morning the Coast Guard crew bro the men and their boat into port.

CREW OF MANY NATIONALITIES

Berlin Has Men Drawn From Lands

Between Both Poles.

Like a traveling congress of nations was the salmon ship Berlin yesterday noon, when she towed away from Portland to spend the season in waters where the salmon schools abound.

Filipinos from Uncle Sam's Far Eastern possession, men from the land of the Mikado, Norsemen, some Americans and a few representatives here and there of other nations were on the vessel. But missing were any who bow submissively to the banners of the central allies. The ship had her customary store of material and supplies. On deck a clamor was heard, tuneful ukuleles and guitars, aided by cymbals and bells, mingling with the bawl of a cow, squeals of pigs and cackle of hens.

erner, which left in the afternoon for Westport to load.

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PORT TO HAVE RESTAURANT

The Ames Shipbuilding & Drydock 3:18 A. M....86 feet 10:40 A. M...-0.1 foot 5:02 P. M....6.2 feet 10:10 P. M... 3.6 feet Company today secured leases of har-bor area in front of the plant on the

west waterway, and sent a petition to the War Department asking that the channel be widened from 500 feet to 750

Notice to Mariners.

The following affects aids to navigation in the Seventeenth Lighthouse District:
Willapa Bay-Toke Point to South Bend,

Juan de Fuca Strait-Middle Point buoy

March 29, was replace ROBERT WARRACK,

Proposal for Building Ships With

When definite announcement is made as to what the Government proposes to do with American tonnage, particularly the new ships planned by the Federal Shipping Board, and the degree of cooperation that body expects in coarse. Shipping Board, and the degree of cooperation that body expects in operating the vessels, a programme recently
offered shipping interests by M. H.
Houser to provide Portland-owned ships
through regular subscriptions will be
completely worked out. Mr. Houser
and others stand ready to go into the
campaign vigorously.

From many localities outside of the
city, as well as from many men here.

Scores who undertook a trip to Kenton yesterday to witness the launching of the four-masted auxiliary schooner W. F. Burrows, pioneer of the new type of vessel adopted by Libby, Mctype of vessel adopted by Libby adopted will be dependable, the community not having to call on outsiders to maintain wooden vessels,

mamesake of the president of Libby,
McNelli & Libby.

No small part in the affair was essayed by Mrs. C. C. Colt, whose husband is president of the Union Meat Company, she having the distinction of being official sponsor for the Burrows. On the platform, just before the ship was started, Mrs. Colt was presented with a large bouquet of American Beauty roses, a gift of the builders, the Stafford-Clarkson Company.

One quart of real, honest-to-goodness champagne was requisitioned and it was just 2:20 o'clock when the bottle crashed against the bow of the vessel as she began her slide to the waters of North Portland harbor.

As compared with some of the steel carriers building here, the Burrows is not large, but size did not detract from the din that went up as she rode gracefully on the water. An anchor dropped just after she left the ways served to check her momentum and the steamer Paloma was soon alongside and shifted her back to the yard.

In a few days the Burrows will be towed to the Alpina dock so the four masts may be stepped. Her engines.

Pacific trade now.

Arrangements are under way for a monster vandeville bill to be given as a benefit for their organization by the answer of the state of the transfer of the tra

There are numerous routine subjects to be taken up. One, dealing with the war, will have to do with the use of one

Marine Notes.

General cargo was discharged at Oak-treet dock yesterday by the steamer West-rner, which left in the afternoon for West-

of the bar tugs, probably the Wallula, under the direction of the Navy. Dredg-ing matters are to be discussed.

Nehalem Calls Dredge Bids.

at Smith Cove Terminals.

SEATTLE, Wash. April 11.—The Seattle Port Commission today voted to establish a restaurant owned and operated by the commission at the Smith Cove terminals. This is the first venture of the commission in the restaurant business.

The Ames Shiphuilds. WHEELER, Or., April 11.—(Special.)
The call for bids for the construction Million

Columbia River Bar Report.

NORTH HEAD, Wash., April 11.—Condition of the bar at 5 P. M.: Smooth; wind, outh, 24 miles.

100,000 of Yakima Wool Sold. NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., April 11 .-(Special.)—Ellis Ragan, a prominent sheep man of the Yakima valley, has sold to Robert Stanfield of Stanfield, Or., 100,000 pounds of wool at prices ranging from 32 to 41 cents for the different grades. The wool will go into storage at Portland.

TO REMOVE DANDRUFF

any drug store, pour a little into your hand and rub well into the scalp with the finger tips. By morning most, if not all, of this awful scurf will have HOUSER PLAN GETS SUPPORT disappeared. Two or three applications will destroy every bit of dandruff; stop scalp itching and falling hair.

LAUGH AND PLAY

Look, Mother! Is Tongue Coated, Breath Feverish and Stomach Sour?

"California Syrup of Figs" Can't Harm Tender Stomach, Liver, Bowels.



A laxative today saves a sick child tomerrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogg up with waste, liver gets singgish, stomach

COOS YARDS ARE GONE OVER

Theodore Brent Passes Through City
on Way to Washington.

Theodore Brent, ice-chairman of the Federal Shipping Board, is spending today on Coos Bay inspecting wooden shipyards there and gathering information as to class of constructions.

at 3 o'Clock Hereafter.

Instead of at 4 o'clock, the official convening hour for years, the Port of Portland Commission will gather at 3 P. M. today. At the last meeting Commissioner Kelly suggested the earlier hour as a means of expediting the transaction of business, and the proposal was unanimously adopted.

There are numerous routine subjects

IN FIVE MINUTES NO SICK STOMACK, INDIGESTION, GAS

"Pape's Diapepsin" Is the Quickest and Surest Stomach Relief.

You don't know what upset your stomach—which portion of the food did the damage—do you? Well, don't both-er. If your stomach is in a revolt; if er. If your stomach is in a revolt; if sick, gassy and upset, and what you just ate has fermented and turned sour; head dizzy and aches; belch gases and acids and cructate undigested food; breath foul, tongue coated—just take a little Pape's Diapepsin to neutralize acidity, and in five minutes you wonder what became of the indigestion and distress.

Millions of men and women today know that it is needless to have dys-pepsia. A little Diapepsin occasionally keeps the stomach sweetened, and they eat their favorite foods without fear. If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the quickest, surest, most harmless antacid is Pape's Diapepsin, harmless antacid is Pape's Diapepsin, which costs only fifty cents for a large case at drug stores. It's truly wonderful—it stops food souring and sets things straight, so gently and easily that it is really astonishing. You: stomach will digest your meals if you keep acids neutralized.—Adv.

