ONE YEAR OF WAR TO COST 36 BILLION

Additional Estimates of Over Seven Billions Presented by Secretary Baker.

HUGE ARMY CONTEMPLATED

For Chemical Section, New Feature of America's Fighting Programme, Nearly \$2000,-000 Is Asked.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17 .- Additional Army estimates presented today in-

The Quartermaster's Corps seeks, ap-

proximately \$2,500,000,000

New Item Inserted. The chemical warfare section asks

for \$198,800,000, a new item.

The air service seeks \$178,750,368.

Previous appropriations for the air service for this fiscal year amount to \$854,000,000, while the total appropriations for aircraft since the United States entered the war amounts to \$1.

The total expense of the Government during the year is expected to be between \$35,000,000,000 and \$35,000,000,000.

600. Appropriations now total \$28,751,241,773, including \$5,462,689,346 of contract authorizations. In addition, the Shipping Board is expected soon to ask for several hundred million.

An effort will be made, it is understood, to provide for some of the new estimates by authorization.

Revenue Bill May Be Changed. cording to Congressional leaders, seem | relatives here. st likely to be inserted for rais-

Captain T. E. Y. Seddon and Lieutenan Vincent de Wienzbicke to Carry Message Throughout Oregon.

Few wartime messages to Portland have the gripping force of those which will be delivered tomorrow night at Auditorium, when the city is invited to hear the address of two dis-tinguished officers of the allied armies. The speakers will be Captain T. E. Y Seddon, of the New Zealand contingent of the British army, and Lieutenant Vincent de Wienzbicki, of the French high mission. Both have seen active service under the flags of their re-spective countries on the western front. Captain Seddon arrived in the city yes-terday and Lieutenant de Wienzbicki is to arrive this morning.

Arrangements have been made, not only for the appearance of the two of-ficers tomorrow night, when all Port-land should rally to hear their messages, but for various other speaking engagements. Lieutenant de Wienzbicki will speak

before the Ad Club today at noon, and at Corvallis on September 26. On Sep-tember 27 and 28 he will speak in Ta-

tember 27 and 28 he will speak in Ta-coma and Seattle.
Captain Seddon will appear before the Progressive Business Men's Club tomorrow at noon and before the Reality Board on Friday at noon. He speaks today at the noon hour of the Grant Smith-Porter plant. He is an-nounced for Corvallis on Friday even-ing and for Roseburg on Saturday evening. On September 24 he will speak before the Rotary Club in this city.

Other speaking engagements for the ommendations as speakers well worthy of the largest audiences, will be an-

DRAFT BOARD UNDER FIRE

Eugene Woman Says Politics Cause of Her Removal.

EUGENE, Or., Sept. 17.—(Special.)—Allegations of inefficiency, suggestion of manipulation by a political clique, and assertions that a woman who has and assertions that a woman who has been performing efficient war service has been removed to make place for an able-bodied man are elements surrounding the dismissal by the Lane County draft board today of Miss Ruby Thramer, its chief cierk, and the election of J. Dorr Hamlin as her successor. The announcement of Hamlin's appointment as a member of the Lane County board was made yesterday and his election to the position of chief

his election to the position of chief clerk followed today.

The board, following Mr. Hamlin's

election, tendered Miss Thramer a posi-tion as an assistant in the office at a



Dr. T. W. Harris stated tonight that any statement to the effect that poli-tics had anything to do with the re-moval of Miss Thramer is absolutely false.

WIFE ACCUSED OF CRUELTY

H. Anderson Seeks Divorce Fron Wife He Says Deserted Him.

H. Anderson, in a suit for divorce filed yesterday, says that Orpha M. An-derson at one time quit their home and stayed away for 40 days. She left a note saying she was going 1000 miles away, but returned unexpectedly. The husband seeks a decree on grounds of both cruelty and desertion. They were married in 1899.

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Cruelty is charged in the complaint which Violet K. Bain filed against P. H. Bain. They were married in Portland in 1904 and have four children.

H. E. Jordan alleges desertion in a complaint filed against Maude Jordan. They were married in Portland in August, 1913, and lived together but one year.

GEORGE W. VOGEL PASSES

Veteran Real Estate Dealer Prominent in Business Circles.

Tank Men to Be Signed Up.

Lieutenant G. G. Garland, recruiting officer for the Tanker Tom Cats, will be at 417 Corbett building Thursday to sign men for the Tank Service. On Saturday of last week Lleutenant Garland made his first visit to Portland, prepared to sign 45 men. More than 100 men applied for the service. He accepted 45 and tomorrow will be pre-pared to accept the others who applies and any men in the first and second drafts who can qualify. His acceptance is subject to the approval of Provost Marshal-General Crowder.

Fisherman Commits Suicide.

ASTORIA, Or., Sept. 17 .- (Special.)-Olof Olson, a Columbia River fisher-man, committed suicide at his home in the west end of the city last night. The man was temporarily in-sane. He cut his left wrist twice, stabbed himself eight times in the left Increases asked for today indicate stabled himself eight times in the left the possibility of a change in the pending war revenue bill when it reaches the Senate. Consumption taxes, acden, about 50 years of age and had no

Astoria to Have Liberty Temple.

ARMY VETERANS TO TALK

ASTORIA, Or., Sept. 17.—(Special.)—
The material is being assembled for the erection of the Astoria Liberty Temple in the Courthouse Square. The structure will cost about \$1500. The money has been raised through voluntary donations and several of the unions have effered to contribute the labor. The temple will be completed in about 19 days.

Woolen Mills Employes Buy Bonds.

Draft Board Members Held.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Sept. 17.—Under orders issued and shouted the order to trim tanks by Provost Marshal-General Crowder for diving. today, members of draft boards will be American Gunners Quick. permitted to resign only on recommendation of the Governor, stating good reasons therefor, which reasons must be approved here. This virtually puts a stop to draft board resignations.

EXTRA!! ORPHEUM Show Tonight.

IMMEDIATE ACTION

Eye of Lurking Sea Monster Always Target for Gunners on Destroyers.

Luck Turns for German Undersea Hunter, but Yankee Enemies Often Appear Where They Are Least Wanted.

BY RALPH D. PAINE, (Copyright, 1918, by Raiph D. Paine.) INSTALMENT 4.

dicate that the total expenses of the Government for the coming year will approach \$35.090,000,000.000.

RAINIER, Or., Sept. 17.—(Special.)—
Gorges was asked by the War Department to provide \$7,347,000,000 in addition to previous estimates for carrying out the enlarged American military programme for the coming year.

The new estimate is based upon plans for having nearly 4,000,000 in training at home another 1,000,000 in training at home another 1,000,000 in training at home the brings the money sought for the Army in the fiscal year 1919 up to more than \$24,000,000,000.

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surface, like an eye at the end of a tentacle of some lurking and formidable sea monster. It was exposed no more than a few seconds, a furtive glimpse, but the commander of the German submarine had discerned the reflected but the commander of the German submarine had discerned the reflected limage of a fine ship, the largest of the flock, which was about to pass within fair torpede range.

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This was the coveted opportunity for which he had been cruising and waiting. Iying under the sea during the short daylight hours and awash or emerged at night with the crew greedly gulping the fresh air on deck and ready to scramble down the hatch at the alarm of the "hooter" horn in the conning tower.

Navy Uses Highest Radio Acriel

Excellent Hunting, But-

It was the commander's first trip in this U-boat and he had wandered over an empty sea from which all shipping seemed to have vanished. He had blown up one wretched little fishing schooner, but this was like shooting rabbits when one is out for big game, and it was really no better than target practice. What happened to the fishermen was of no consequence. At night he had sighted one or two American destroyers passing like shadows, but their lookouts were unable to descry the gray streak of the submanine's deck as she lay shrouded and invisible.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—The highest radio aerial in the world, the cables of a captive balloon, is in use at the New York Navy yard. It was announced that the yard has been in communication with the wireless station at Arcadia, Cal.

Portland Couple to Wed.

TACOMA, Wash. Sept. 17.—(Special.)

—Marriage licenses were issued in Tacoma today to William Walters and Emma Spranger, both of Portland, and to Jack Lavalar, of Alaska, and Hilda M. Sanberg, of Astoria, Or.

invisible. Now the luck had turned. Here were a dozen steamers in a leisurely can-voy outward bound, and favorable weather for bagging at least one of them. A straight run for a torpedo, a frightful explosion, panic in the convoy, and a chance of dashing in and scuppering another one before the verdammt destroyers could gather them

together again.
Good hunting, splendid, were it not for those swift Yankee destroyers which had a trick of being on the spot when they were least wanted.

The periscope had disclosed one of these hated craft as moving at a dis-Portland Woolen Mills employes, of whom there are 450 in the plant at St. Johns, mostly women, held a liberty bond meeting at noon yesterday, and by 3:30 P. M. had subscribed for bonds to the amount of \$22,500. This is an average of about \$50 for each employe. There are 130 looms in operation in the mills, engaged exclusively on work for the Government. zied and annoyed. Fixing the destroyer in the field of vision for an instant, he switched the lenses into high power

American Gunners Quick.

It was unwise to linger for more careful observation, with the slender tube above water, because those Amer-ican gunners were infernally quick at getting on the mark. They had been known to smash the top of a periscope, an inconvenient mishap like blinding a

man in one ye. He could see with the other one, true enough, but his morale was apt to be shaken. The submarine commander therefore

The submarine commander therefore decided to dive instantly and hope for another squint at the fat merchantman before letting drive a torpedo. Perhaps the periscope had not been aighted from the destroyer's bridge or crow's nest and it might be feasible to slip in between two of these restless guardians and take position before an alarm was raised.

The perscope which had showed for a moment was no more than two or three inches in diameter, a mere speck against the ruffled, sparkling surface of the sea, but it had been slowly moving at this first appearance, making a very slight wake, two converging streaks like a V, just enough to distinguish it from a floating bit of stick upended.

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WOMAN CLAIMS TOP PLACE Mrs. H. E. Christianson Disputes

Record of Clatsop Man.

ILWACO, Wash., Sept. 16.—(Special.)
—Pacific County disputes Clatsop County's claim to the champion cranberry picker of the United States. On Monday. October 8, 1917, Mrs. H. E. Christianson, wife of County Commissioner H. E. Christianson, of Pacific County, picked 28 boxes of cranberries during an ordinary working day. This was done on the E. M. Hulden box.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Sept. 17 .- (Spesial.)—Crews of men have completed the grading of all sections of the Col-

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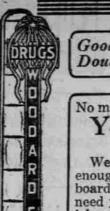


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