Company Contends Alteration | \*\* Is War Measure.

SHIPWORKERS WOULD GAIN more.

Ex-Senator Mulkey, as a Property Owner, and Gerlinger Interests. Oppose Yambill Street Use.

Whether an application of the Portland Reilway, Light & Power Company for permission to lay a third rail on For permission to lay a third rail on Yamhill street, between First and Second, so that, during the busy hours, some of the cars crossing the Hawthorne-avenue bridge can be routed via Yamhill instead of Alder street, is a war measure, because the change is in the interest of shipworkers in South Portland plants, is to be decided by the Commission of Fublic Docks.

There was a hearing held yesterday afternoon beginning at 2 o'clock and at the conclusion of testimony Commissioner Knapp moved the matter be referred to the chairman and secretary to investigate and report at the next

to investigate and report at the next session and that another hearing would be conducted afterward. It was said by O. B. Coldwell, general superin-tendent of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company, that the facilities on Yambill street were desired by the Emergency Fleet Corporation because of the need of shipworkers reaching their places of employment promptly, also that they be accorded means of getting home in a reasonable time. H. B. Beckett, counsel for the Oregon district of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, corroborated that statement.

Property Owner Objects. Ex-Senator F. W. Mulkey, owner of property at Second and Morrison streets, said the same step was attempted three years ago by the company and that it was not original with the Emergency Fleet Corporation. He recited that damage would be done to certain business property if the point of

company sending all of its cars via Yambill street. On behalf of Mr. Ger-linger he said the original cost of the Gerlinger building was \$180,000, and that it netted only 3 per cent now while, if the looping of cars was changed, owing to so much depending on its value because of the proximity to the transfer point, it would not be worth \$90,000.

Judge Is Facetious.

As to the application being a war measure, he said the German army had met the allies with a stiff resistance at

SERVICES IN HOUSING SURVEY ARE WOLUNTEERED.

Theaters, Churches, Merchants and Children Will Assist in Important Underlaking.

Fully 90 per cent of the precinct workers of Portland have volunteered their services to aid in securing a complete emergency survey of immediately-available rooms, apartments and dwellings, and do everything possible on October 14 and 15 to make the survey a success. Letters were sent to the 4000 precinct officials, asking whether they would donate their services, and the response was highly gratifying. Sydney B. Vincent publicity manager, placed an order for 125,000 cards yesterday, and these are to be distributed by merchants. Drawings are being made for a series of posters, similar to those used in liberty loan campaigns, while the theaters are to be asked to project publicity slides at each performance. All pasions will be requested to present the importance of the survey to their congregations next Sunday. School children, also, are being enlisted for the undertaking, on which largely will depend Portland's future prosperity.

The committee in charge will meet this afternoon to further perfect plans, and precinct workers will receive instructions Friday evening at meetings to be held in Lincoln, Washington and

structions Friday evening at meetings to be held in Lincoln, Washington and Jefferson high schools.

## Theatrical Review.

Pantages.

Diversing, and of excellent entertaining merit, is Pantages new bill, opening yesterday with Sinelair and Dixon, a pair of clever comedians of the spontaneous variety, featured in a big musical comedy called "Olives." "Olives" is a sort of password in the romance the two young chaps are following up with a lively lass who used to adore the little green pickles. So these two men ask every fair maid they meet if she cares for "olives." Doesn't sound like much on which to build an entire musical show in several acts with a dozen song specialties and chorus changes, but it suffices nobly and with fine comedy effects.

Cliff Dixon has a capital voice which he uses in great style to get the best out of several songs he offers.

Frank Sinclair is a fast, snappy worker in comedy, and his pantonime is a show in itself.

All the girls, six of them, are shapely and sing nicely with a lot of pretty costume changes. The heroine is Myrtle Lawler, who has a delightful singing voice and expressive dancing feet.

Of the many specialties in the "Olives" act, one stands out for the DIVERTING, and of excellent enter-

her of munical shows of other days. There's a Floradora specialty, a Yama Yama number, one from the "Merry Widow," one from the "Prince of Pilsen" and Lotta Faust's celebrated "Sammie" song. All of these are done cieverly and interwoven into a song by Dixon called "Waiting for a Girl." He passes 'em all up, even a Winter Garden doll, and picks out a simple, modest little sweetie who sits on the doorstep and waits for him.

and waits for him.

Of the other acts Britt Wood, billed as a boob, and looking it, is the cleverest sort of an entertainer. Britt just nunters in and twangs a guitar while he sings laxily and then gets into mu-sical and dance action with his har-monica. He is in a class with Britt Wood, and has every one yelling for

Octavia Handworth and Gordon De meet at their departed partners' graves and exchange revelations. Despite its unusual atmosphere, the sketch is a riot, full of fun and human nature and delightfully enacted. P. J. Murphy as a sexton is a joy.

The Follis sisters, plus Nat Le Roy.

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offer gay songs and quick-fire dances with novel eccentric touches and a happy development of original ideas in entrances and exits. Zeno Dunbar and Jordan are a sen-

HOLD WHEAT, SAYS HOUVER

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Assurances that there is no occasion and well as the control of the C

knew the present application was the result of a conference between officials of the Fleet Corporation and that Mr. West was acting in the best of faith in the matter.

Judge Wallace McCamant, appearing for L. Gerilinger, owner of the Gerilinger and the Oddfellows Hall Association, also objected to the Tambilli-street loop being allowed, saying that while there was an estimate that probably 25 cars would be routed that way, there was nothing in the ordinance to prevent the

met the allies with a stiff resistance at the Marne, at St. Quentin and other points, until the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company sought to obtain the loop privileges, whereupon the Germans sued for peace.

Mr. Coldwell was called on to produce figures as to the number of cars passing certain transfer points and intersections, and opponents of the application sought to show the loop change was to relieve a congestion that was greater at other points. Judge Fred Olson, representing clients at Second and Alder streets, also spoke for the general public, urging that the meeting be postponed so they might be heard.

Divisions to Entrain for Van-couver On or About Oct. 14.

Apportionments were made yesterday by the State Selective Service Bureau under a new call which will take 159 limited service men from Oregan divisions and place them in the Spruce Division of the Army. It is stipulated that the men inducted must have no physical defects which will prevent them from doing work in the woods.

The new inductees of this call, No. 1380, will be entrained for Vancouver on or about October 14. The reservoir of limited and special service registrants from old classiffications is fast being depleted in Oregon and, presum-

being depleted in Oregon and, presum-ably, in other states. Local divisions of the state are al-lotted these quotas in the new call: lotted those quotas in the new call:

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Marton No, 2, 3; Multnomah 3; Tillamook,
3; Union, 2; Wallows, 3; Washington, 5;
Portland City No, 1, 4; Portland City No, 2,
10; Portland City No, 5, 5; Portland
City No, 5, Portland City No, 6, 5; Portland
City No, 7, 4; Pertland City No, 8, 4; Portland
City No, 10; 4, Total 150.

PEASE TO BE TRIED NOV. 20 Demurrer of Alleged Enemy of Red Cross Overruled.

East of Argonne Forest.

CAMBRAI SECTOR IS QUIET

ing to the German official communication issued tonight.

The German statement issued this morning reads:

"Flanders—In front of Cambrai the day was quiet. North of St. Quentin heavy fighting has been kept up almost uninterruptedly since the middle of September. In spite of repeatedly bringing fresh formations into action, the enemy has not been able to obtain any successes here worth mentioning decrease of Portland Man Sues to Recover Money Carlotte and C

We found a break through had failed, but the enemy held the line of Danne-voux-Montfaucon. Pressing forward beyond Malincourt, the Americans very nearly captured the whole of a regimental staff. The staff was released by

our counter attack.'

OFFICER TO BE IN PORTLAND TO EXAMINE MEN FOR CAMPS.

Applicants Who Are Accepted Will Be Sent to Officers' Training Schools for Instruction.

Examination of civilians for central officers' training camps and the organization of the University of Oregon medical school into a Student Army Training Corps will be undertaken this week-end by Colonel W. H. C. Bowen, commander of the Student Army Training Corps at Eugene.

Federal Judge Bean yesterday overruled the demurrer in the case of A. A.
Pease, who was arrested on a charge of
making derogatory statements about
the Red Cross and the case was set
for trial November 20.
In the case of Nels Lund the court
took its decision on the demurrer under
advisement. Lund, who is house paysician at St. Vincent's Hospital, is
alleged to have written a letter contanning disloyal statements to a friend
in Chita.

Read The Oregonian classified ads.

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week-end by Colonel W. H. C. Bowen,
commander of the Student Army Training Corps at Eugene.

He will arrive in Portland Saturday and will be accompanied by his
adjutant. Captain Kiare Covert, recently stationed at the University after
six months overseas service with the
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Monday.

Civilians examined for the central officers' training camps will be sent to
Camp MacArthur, Texas; Camp Zachary Taylor, Kentucky, and Camp Hancock. Ga. for schools in infantry, field
artillery and machine gun work, respectively.

Assault Started Toward Dark MINISTERIAL UNION MEETS Language Used by Speakers in Fourth

Liberty Loan Condemned. A resolution adopted by the Minister-

ial Union yesterday condemns the use of improper language in the liberty loan drive. Election of officers resulted as follows:
Rev. Joshua Stansfield, First Method-

Germans Admit Retiring to Positions on Aisne and Suippe, and Say Allies Are on Heels.

BERLIN, via London, Oct. 7.—The Americans this evening began an attack against the Germans between the Argonne forest and the Meuse, according to the German official communication issued tonight.

Rev. Joshua Stansfield, First Methodist, president; Wilhelm Pettersen, United Norwegian Lutheran, vice-president; Rev. L. C. Poor, Woodlawn Methodist, secretary.

Chairman Woodward, of the State Council of Defense, spoke on Sunday, closing, scoring cigar store proprietors for remaining open Sunday.

Soldlers' day will be observed in Porticular durches Sunday. October 27, through the influence of the Women's Protective League, which was represented at the meeting. Special effort will be made to give the soldier boys a warm welcome, and appropriate sermons will be delivered by many pastors.

Assurances that there is no occasion to refersive the concern of growers have been received by Mar H. Houser, vice-president of the Emerging of the Emerging of the Corporation, as a former employe of the company. That was resented by Mr. Beckett, who said be sented by Mr. Beckett, who said be sented by Mr. Beckett, who said be result of a conference between officials of the Fleet Corporation and that Mr.

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LOCATIONS FOR HOMES HEAD-QUARTERS ARE CONSIDERED.

Work on Building 2000 Cottages by January 1 to Start When Office Building Is Arranged.

In response to the call issued Saturday by Vice-President Powers, of the

day by Vice-President Powers, of the housing committee, John Clark, owner of the lot at the northwest corner of Fourth and Stark streets, tendered the use of that tract of land for use of the committee in erecting a building to be used as headquarters for the Homes Corporation and its various departments.

The lot in question is located near the heart of the business section and but a short distance from the old Ainsworth National Bank building, in which headquarters of the Placement Bureau are located. Acceptance has not been voted by the committee, but it was announced yesterday that advantage would undoubtedly be taken of Mr. Clark's offer unless a more suitable site were offered.

Six weeks of training given the present contingent of the Benson Polytechnic United States Army training detach in United States Army tr

able site were offered.

Harry Hamlet, owner of a vacant let at Eleventh and Davis streets, offered the use of that tract to the committee, and it is being considered also as a possible headquarters for the Homes

At its meeting yesterday afternoo

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the executive committee of the Homes Corporation took up the question of securing a release from the advertising concern holding a lease on the tract. The erection of headquarters building is to be the first big step in the accomplishment of the task before the general committee—2000 cottages by January 1—and work is to be started as soon as a decision is reached relative to the location of the proposed building to the location of the proposed building

TRAINING ADDS TO WEIGHT Benson Mechanics Respond Well to Military Regime.

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