

\$12,500,000 BEFORE VOTERS ON JUNE 3

Million More Up in Portland Than in State.

POST-WAR DEMANDS GREAT

Ten Million Wanted for Reconstruction Programme and Relieving Unemployment.

Voters in Oregon will determine the fate of \$12,500,000 in bonds, at the special election, June 3, while the Portland voters will act on about \$13,500,000. Aside from the bond measures there will be a millage for roads, which will raise \$1,900,000 a year for farmer roads, the tax being a mill and a half levy for educating returned soldiers, sailors and marines, which will raise \$200,000 a year for four years, and a measure which will authorize the state to pay the interest for five years on securities of irrigation and drainage projects, but there is no way of estimating what amount of money this will involve.

Of the state bonds to be voted on, \$10,000,000 are intended to meet the reconstruction problems and provide employment for soldiers and the people they replace in civil life. The reconstruction programme not only is intended to provide labor, but also to develop resources of the state which otherwise would remain dormant.

Two \$5,000,000 Bills.

There are two reconstruction bond bills on the state books. Each is for \$5,000,000 and they should be considered as companion measures. The first divides its \$5,000,000 as follows: \$2,352,500 for erecting buildings; \$547,000 for land settlement, and \$2,099,500 for reclamation work, to be expended only in co-operation with the federal government. The second divides its \$5,000,000 after this fashion: \$2,000,000 for public buildings and land settlement, divided as follows: \$500,000 for a penitentiary at Salem; \$125,000 for a reconstruction hospital at Portland; \$500,000 for buildings at the Oregon Agricultural college; \$500,000 for buildings at the University of Oregon; \$100,000 for buildings at the normal school at Monmouth; \$150,000 for buildings at the state hospital at Pendleton; \$17,500 for five armories located at Astoria, Baker, Bend, La Grande and Medford, providing that these respective towns shall match the \$17,500; \$25,000 for buildings at the Soldiers' home at Roseburg; \$25,000 to complete the armory at Marshfield; \$20,000 for a building for the home for feeble minded. For the soldiers' land settlement act, \$475,000. The remaining \$2,000,000 is not to be used except with government co-operation, the federal government to match dollar for dollar, the money to be used for irrigation, drainage or other improvements, such as reclamation of logged off lands, swamp and arid lands.

Roosevelt Highway is Contingent.

The Roosevelt highway bill for \$2,500,000 and is a contingent proposition. The bonds will not be sold unless the government matches the money. The Roosevelt highway is to be a military road along the coast and will tap all the coast counties, giving access to a territory at present hard, or impossible to reach, but which with a road is possible with vast development. A military highway along the coast has been recommended for years by military experts.

There is a one mill tax which the state grants wants. This money will raise about \$1,000,000 a year and the proceeds will be devoted exclusively to the improvement of the farmer roads which feed the main highways of the state system.

For enabling soldiers, sailors and marines to complete their education a two-tenths of a mill tax will be submitted to the people. This will raise \$350,000 a year and will run for about four years.

It is impossible to estimate what sum the state must spend to pay interest on irrigation and drainage project bonds which call for the state to take care of the interest for the first five years, this money to be repaid by the projects within six months after their bonds mature. The state is not to guarantee such interest, however, until the project has been carefully examined and approved by the state and the state authorities are assured that the project is a good one.

Additional Items in Portland.

Portland will have a few additional items to vote on. They will not exceed \$1,000,000. For example, the Baker seeks authorization for bonds to build comfort stations, community houses and other park improvements, estimated at \$200,000. The city commissioner Perkins wants to submit a bond issue for \$150,000 for remodeling the city hall. Commissioner Bigelow wants \$200,000 for eight new fire stations, two docks and houses for fire boats.

The county wants a few millions to rebuild the bridges across the river, but authority for this will not come until too late for the matter to be submitted at the June 3 election. The bill granting this authority may not become a law until the latter part of May and the time will be too short for getting the subject on the ballot. County commissioners contemplate submitting the bridge bond matter to the voters at a subsequent special election.

MANY TEACHERS NEEDED

NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS IS COMPARATIVELY SMALL.

Approximately 100 Positions Are to Be Filled This Year With no More Than 70 Eligibles in Sight.

With the date of the election of Portland school teachers but 15 days distant, the board of superintendents is concerned over the comparatively small number of applications that have been received. There will be approximately 100 positions to fill at that time and at the present time not more than 70 eligible and desirable teachers have applied.

An unusually large number of Portland school teachers are leaving the profession according to D. A. Grant, school superintendent. Many who left to enter the service or to fill other war positions have not returned and have signified their intention of remaining in other work. Two or three questionnaires are being received daily by Superintendent Grant from superintendents of other cities which pay higher salaries.

Men and women teaching in smaller cities of the state and applying for Portland positions are this year being personally interviewed. The Willamette valley section has been practically covered by the board of superintendents. Assistant Superintendent Whitney is at present in the eastern of the country around The Dalles, while another mem-

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SCIENTISTS UPHOLD U. S.

POLICIES OF CHURCH SUPPORT AMERICA IN WAR.

Lecture by W. W. Porter of New York Church Given to Portland Audience.

The Church of Christ, Scientist, as a unit in the support of the policies of the government and its allies during the war, was the subject of a lecture given by William W. Porter of New York at the First Church last evening.

The activities of Christian Scientists during the war have been widely publicized and are well known, said Mr. Porter. "Christian Scientists have been a unit in their support of the policies of our government and its allies. As the atmosphere of peace and justice settles over the nations of the world Christian Scientists recognize that the victory has not been so much a victory of men over men, or nations over nations, but is a victory of principle and truth over the rulers of the darkness of this world, and over spiritual wickedness in high places, as Paul puts it.

"Christian Scientists have a tender regard and gratitude for their revered leader, Mary Baker Eddy. This gratitude is in recognition and acknowledgment of the broad, unselfish service to mankind which she has characterized Mrs. Eddy's life. From the time of her healing in the year 1856, Mrs. Eddy's life was spent consistently and exclusively in unfolding the facts connected with her healing in such terms and manner as would best be understood by the human mind.

"The recognition is growing that the works of Christian Science reflect the existence of a definite law, and that this law is available to heal and bless all mankind. The statement of this law, or Christian Science, and the method of application will be found in all of the writings of Mrs. Eddy, more especially in the book 'Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures,' which is the only textbook on Christian Science healing. This book is unfailing in making the 'true idea of causation or God, in a higher idea of life, more adequate health, courage, confidence, ability, righteousness, and good will. These are fruits of Christian Science, the sign of Immanuel, or God with us."

PRAISE GIVEN TO Y. M. C. A.

Frederick J. Glass Returns From Service With Army Overseas.

That the Y. M. C. A. was not 100 per cent efficient any more than the army was 100 per cent efficient, or any other enterprise can be expected to show a perfect organization, is the statement of Frederick J. Glass, 5309 Thirtieth avenue southeast, overseas "Y" worker, who has just returned after a year with the American troops on the fighting front.

However, Mr. Glass contends the Y. M. C. A. organization was just as highly efficient as any organization could have been under similar conditions, and those who know the service rendered to the men at the front and who are not prejudiced against the association as such have nothing but words of praise for the work performed.

Mr. Glass was accompanied home from France by his son, Carlisle, who served with battery E, 65th coast artillery corps, and who was in a hospital at Brest at the time Mr. Glass was ready to return to America.

Ex-Adjutant-General Sails.

SEATTLE, April 29.—Word was received by relatives here today that Lieutenant-Colonel Fred W. Llewellyn, former adjutant-general of the state of Washington, sailed on the steamer Kronland for America on April 18. Colonel Llewellyn, when he left Seattle, commanded the 18th infantry, formerly the old 2d Washington.

Ship Departure is Delayed.

SEATTLE, April 29.—Departure of the new \$500-ton steel steamer Western Knight, recently apportioned by the United States shipping board to the Admiral line, has been postponed until May 1. The vessel is going to oriental ports on her maiden voyage.

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Thirty men were examined before 12 could be introduced as satisfactory to all the jurors in the espionage trial of the Finnish Socialist editors of Astoria. The 24 remaining from the regular panel were not enough and a special venire was secured yesterday afternoon, which dragged in half a dozen more men and out of the six, two were found, and every one of the six was needed before the two were picked out.

This morning in the federal court the opening statements and the first witnesses will be offered. The case will probably consume the remainder of the week, as there were many articles published in Toveri and Toveritar, which will be introduced as evidence. The defense will show that one of the articles, on which one of the counts in the indictment is based, was taken from the dispatches appearing in the Oregonian. This particular dispatch outlined the attitude of the bolsheviks in Russia toward the allies. The dispatch is only an incident in the mass of evidence to be presented by the government, showing the general trend of the Finnish newspapers to sow dissatisfaction and disloyalty among the Finnish readers of the publications.

Defendants Reside in Astoria.

The defendants, A. J. Partan, W. M. Reivo, Jacob Klivala and Frans Neimi, are all residents of Astoria. They are defended by Thomas Mannix, of Portland, and Austin Lewis, of Los Angeles. First Assistant United States Attorney Garnett Goldstein is handling the prosecution.

Extreme care has been exercised by prosecution and defense in selecting the prospective jurors. The attitude of the jurors toward the war before and after the United States entered the conflict, was considered important. Every man with sons of military age was asked if his boys were in the service. Whether the signing of the armistice should be considered when deliberating over violations of the espionage act was another point on which the lawyers were curious and the political affiliation of each man examined, and what papers he read. No one admitted being a socialist and few had ever read socialist papers or studied that system of government.

Jury Finally Selected.

The jury, as finally completed, consists of Jacob George, Charles G. Faine, Harry G. Allen, Scott Howard, J. J. Hatton, W. L. Sharp, H. C. Patty, H. P. Allen, Benjamin K. Drake, Harry Julian, James B. Grant and W. H. Blair.

Among those dismissed were J. W. Toomey, C. W. Hodson, Charles Gold and George S. Adams. Howells believed in vigorous prosecution of those not in entire sympathy with the government; Mr. Adams was dismissed because he is a postmaster at Astoria; Adams has been uncompromising in his views about the Finns at Astoria and thought this might prejudice him against the defendants and Toomey evinced a determination to do independent thinking.

MUSICIANS BOOST CONCERT

200 Members and Guests of Club Hold Meeting.

Two hundred members and guests yesterday enjoyed the hospitality of the Musicians' club in the Benson hotel. The occasion was an annual get-together meeting. Incidentally the "high links" to be staged by the club at the Masonic Temple auditorium Friday night was boosted.

The object of the "high links" is to raise a few hundred dollars to cover the deficit remaining from the two recent music festivals held in the public auditorium, and to enable the music festival management to start with a clean balance sheet, possibly just fall.

Dr. Enna presided at yesterday's banquet and M. Christensen was toastmaster. Two choral quartets, "The Split of Spring" and "The Americans Come" (Pay Poster) were sung by the quartet of Westminster Presbyterian church choir, Mrs. Jane Burns Albert, Mrs. Lulu Dahl Miller, Joseph P. Mulder, and Don J. Zan with J. R. Hutchinson, piano accompanist. Short addresses were made by Dr. Enna, M. Christensen, George Wilber Reed, Alexander Stewart, Oakland, Cal. David Sheets Craig, Seattle; George Jeffery, Mrs. Edward L. Thompson, William H. Boyer and Mrs. Alexander C. Shaw.

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Students of the University of Pennsylvania have organized a secret society to suppress radical tendencies among undergraduates.

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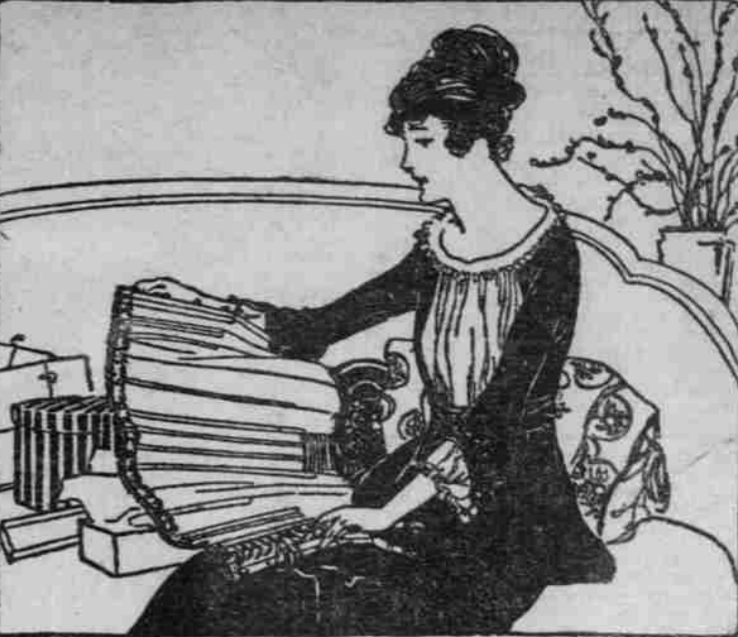
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