ON AUDITORIUM BILL.

future.

It is definitely understood between

the principals, city officials, contractor and bondsmen, that any recommendation made by the special com-

McCumber Sees Plan to Defer Senate Action.

SENATOR STILL HOPEFUL

North Dakotan, on Visit to His Former Neighbors, Says Some Reservations Are Sure.

EUGENE, Or., Dec. 15 .- (Special.)-President Wilson desires to make a campaign issue of the peace treaty, said Porter J. McCumber, United States senator from North Dakota, who was here today to visit his old friends and neighbors, Mr. and Mrs.

Bruce L. Bogart.

"We've got to have a treaty and will have one sconer or later," and denator McCumber. "From last reports it looks as though the president desires to make it an issue in the campaign, defer the treaty until the campaign, deter the treaty distri-the campaign is over and keep the question alive until then. I think he is making a grave mistake if he does that, because there is no better way by which the American people may express their convictions and preju-dices than at the polls next election.

Republican Victory Forecast. "There will be, in my opinion," continued the senator, "a change of administration. The change will be brought about by a very decisive majority, and that change will come about whether the treaty is ratified or whether ft is not ratified. As a supporter of some advanced step and agreement between nations to main-

agreement between nations to maintain the peace of the world I hope there will be no great delay in the ratification of some kind of a peace treaty, but one thing is certain, and that is there will be very little, if any, change in the reservations which were finally adopted,

"The president must either accept these reservations substantially as adopted or the treaty will not be

adopted or the treaty will not be ratified," said the senator. "While I would like to see further changes in the reservations, we must same as the reservations, we must remember that each and every one of them is a result of a compromise between those who are called radical reservationists and the mild reservationists. They represent months of endeayor to secure a set of reservations as mild as could be obtained and at the same time assure the necessary 64 votes to put the treaty through.

"They do operate as an amendment "They do operate as an amendment to article 10, withholding our assent to any binding obligation to protect the independence or territorial integrity of any other nation, but there is still retained the solemn obligation of every nation party to the agreement to respect the territorial integrity and political independence of every other nation.

"And if these nations honorably observe that agreement there will never the territorial integration of every other nation.

serve that agreement there will never need to be armed intervention to protect any weaker nation, and if we cannot depend upon the honor of each nation to maintain that part of its agreement we could scarcely depend upon them to maintain the agreement lieve he was carrying a large sum of

agisement we could scarcely depend upon them to maintain the agreement to assist by use of the airmy or navy.

National Henore Big Question.

"In either instance," continued Sentator McCumber, "we have to depend upon a sense of national honor. So, also, there is still retained the positive agreement on the part of each mation that in case of any dispute with another it will either be submitted to arbitration, which would be entirely outside the league, or any the disputant country and to the world.

"If we put this treaty through, and I think we will before apring, we will have taken a further step to end forested since 1911."

The senator fyrther said that under the league of nations the United States would be the attrogest member and that Great British pognessions that would have a vote in the league.

CAR SHORTAGE IS DENED

TEMPORARY PREIGHT EMBAR.

GO ATTRIBUTED TO STORM.

Ballway Officials Declare Weather

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Railway Officials Declare Weather Is Solely to Blame for Partial Restrictions.

Denial that any freight embargo has been instituted by railroads of the central western region, owing to a shortage of cars, was made last night by local freight traffic officials, following the appearance of an item in

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dicted serious consequences for the lumber industry of the northwest.

Owing solely to weather conditions, said railroad officials in reply, a purely temporary embargo has been placed in effect on certain classes of freight, to be removed as soon as storm congestion passes and traffic returns to normal. The embargo applies strictly to shipments east of Salt Lae City and similar boints on the transcontinental lines, and excludes from such shipment all freight save fuel, perishables, livestock, foodstuffs, governmental supplies, etc. Such a temporary han on certain Such a temporary han on certain classes of freight was determined upon at a meeting of railroad offi-

************* NATIVE PORTLANDER, PROM-



announcement of the Edwin James Munk, prominent Portland jeweler, comes as a shock to his many friends and

business associates.

Mr. Munk was born in Portland January 18, 1877, and was educated in the public schools of the city. After a short time apent in San Francisco, he associated himself with Butterfield Bros. For the past 12 years he was associated with the jewelry firm of F. Friedlander company. Surviving Mr. Munk are his widow, Edith Schuyler Munk, and two chilren, Jane and Edwin, as well as his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Munk; two sisters, Mrs. Harry Hayes and Mrs. William Woodruff, and one brother, John C. business associates.

ruff, and one brother, John C.

Modification Not Likely.

"If we were able to make some of the reservations less radical and to me more acceptable, we would lose votes in the final action and a sufficient number to defeat the ratification. These reservations, while some put this country in a selfish attitude, arc, after all, of no great consequence. It is not true, as many assert,

Matthews Desired to Create

lieve he was carrying a large sum of

What It Doesn't Say Is as Interesting as Its Facts.

Determination to Keep American Army Intact Emphasized-Offense at Solssons Urged.

BY ARTHUR D. HOWDEN SMITH.

WASHINGTON. D. C., Dec. 15.—
(Special.)—Interest in the final report of General Pershing on the work of the A. E. F. has been intensified in army circles by the strained relations known to exist between General Pershing and General March, chief of the general staff. Army officers who have been associated with General Pershing consider that the report is as remarkable for what it does not say as for what it actually contains. Another feature of the report which is attracting the attention of overseas officers is the emphasis which General Pershing lays again and again upon his insistence during the war that the American troops in France should be held together under their own flag, except when emergencies arese which demanded their loan to the British or French armies by regiments, brigades or divisions. WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15 .-

the British or French armies by reg-iments, brigades or divisions. Own Activity Understated. Marked as are General Pershing's statements on this point, however, it statements on this point, however, it is said that he had understated the extremes in which he was pushed in carrying his contention, and it is understood to be the belief of Pershing himself and his principal subordinates, that only his insistence upon the organization of American field armies in the fall of 1918 enabled the allies to win the war.

armies to the fail of 1818 enabled the allies to win the war.

General Pershing's friends likewise contend that he has slipped over the part which he played in inducing Marshal Foch to start a general oftensive in the summer of 1918, instead of waiting until the spring of 1919.

Foch Ignorant of Offensive. "The bare truth is," said an Ameri an officer, in discussing the subject, that Foch know nothing about the solssons offensive which started the rushing-in of the Marne salient.

"Petain had discussed this project

be better to wait. "Finally, about the end of May,
Pershing became interested in it. He
supported the Idea, and in the end he
argued Petain into attempting it. Petains' objection was that he had no

Foch's military diaries are published Similarly the opinion is held by American officers who were overseas that Pershing was the only one of the allied high command who had any definite conviction that the war could be won before the winter of 1918-19 set in.



te to aliens, to Japanese and to rried women whose husbands are ployed and able to support the nily, while the Legion men cannot d work, will be branded by the or-GAINED 25 POUNDS

The sum of \$1900 was voted as a fund for immediate pellef of destitute ex-service men, and a committee was appointed, consisting of the members of the four following committees: Employment, patriotic, grievance and benevolence, headed by Captain Convill of the employment bureau.

As a step for immediate relief, Colonel Creed Hamomnd, head of the 2d Oregon, announced that the armory would be fitted up immediately with about 300 beds for use of ex-service men who could not find places to sleep, and had not the money to pay for lodging. During the colld spell, particularly, it has not been uncommon for ex-service men to be practically destitute, it is asserted, although the demand for snow shovelers has aided materially.

The last Fine as I Ever Did in My Life"—He Says Tanlac Built Him Up.

"Yes, Sir, I have actually gained twenty-five pounds since I began taking Tanlac and I feel as fine as I ever did in my life," was the statement made by C. N. Schmidt. of French Block, Tacoma, Wash, in a conversation with the Tanlac representative a few dars ago.

"I was in such a weakened, rundown condition that I was not only unable to do any work but I could hardly get about," continued Mr. Schmidt. "My stomach was in such a bad fix that I was hardly able to eat a thing that would agree with me and the little I did manage to force

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Regarding \$70,000 Contractor

Asks From Municipality.

The claims of Hans Pederson of Seattle, contractor who built the municipal auditorium, and his bondsmen and creditors, for an alleged deficit between the contract price and the actual expense entailed, amounting to facily and is giving me strength. As ipal anditorium, and his bondsmen and creditors, for an alleged deficit between the contract price and the actual expense entailed, amounting to \$76,000, were heard yesterday afternoon by the special board of inquiry, recently appointed by Mayor Baker.

No action was taken by the board toward a recommendation to the city council relative to the claim, but it is understood that such a recommendation will be drafted at a second and final session to be held in the near council relative to the claim, but it is understood that such a recommendation will be drafted at a second and final session to be held in the near the council relative to the claim, but it is understood that such a recommendation will be drafted at a second and final session to be held in the near the council relative to the claim, but it is understood that such a recommendation will be drafted at a second and the council relative to the claim, but it is understood that such a recommendation to the city council relative to the claim, but it is understood that such a recommendation to the city council relative to the claim, but it is understood that such a recommendation to the city council relative to the claim, but it is understood that such a recommendation to the city council relative to the claim, but it is understood that such a recommendation to the city council relative to the claim, but it is understood that such a recommendation to the city council relative to the claim, but it is understood that such a recommendation to the city council relative to the claim, but it is understood that such a recommendation to the city council relative to the claim, but it is understood that such a recommendation to the city council relative to the claim, but it is understood that such a recommendation to the city council relative to the claim, but it is understood that the council relative was never that it and it makes no difference what I eat, it agrees with me perfectly and is giving me strength. As I sat tween twenty-five and thirty pounds in weight, am stronger than I have been in vears and just simply feel fine all the time and couldn't ask to be in better condition."

Tanlac is sold in Portland by the Owi Drug Co.—Adv.

mine, near Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, that he first became interested in the

WOULD-BE ROBBER FOILED

mendation made by the special committee will not be necessarily binding, inasmuch as the city admittedly is not legally bound to pay the deficit incurred by the contractor.

Testimony given before the committee was to the effect that the original bid for construction was \$217,000, and that later an additional \$21,525 was allowed for cierical errors in the compilation of items included in the bid. The claim itself is for unpaid bills incurred by the contractor, Hans Pederson, amounting to about \$7900, and for \$52,000 borrowed by him to defray the expense of extra material, with interest. The combined deficit amounts to \$70,000. SHOTS FIRED IN ATTEMPT ON GROCERY STORE.

several months before it was actually undertaken. Then he abandoned it. Then he took it up again with Foch. and Foch said go ahead. Then Foch changed his mind, and said it would be better to wait.

Made III When Pipe Bursts.

Masked Man Makes Escape When George J. Smith. Proprietor, Offers Resistance.

Henry Berger, aged 42 and married.
was accidentally asphyxiated at his home, 2197 East Yamhill street, early yesterday, when a gas pipe in the home burst because of the cold weather. Mrs. Berger and their two children escaped.

Mrs. Berger was rendered violently ill by the escaping gas, but recovered sized his revolver when the robber sized his revolver with no cassuations and the robber sized his revolver with the robber sized his revolver when the robber sized his

Petaln's Objections Overruled.

"Petaln objected that they had just come out of the line.

"Pershing said: 'Very well, put them in again.' Petaln objected once more that the American divisions had not been used in a major offensive. Pershing declared they could do it, and Petaln gave in.

The offensive was rendered violently ill by the escaping gas, but recovered. The two children escaped the gas fumes, as they were sleeping in another part of the house.

Mr. Berger was employed in the freight department of the O.-W. R. & N. company.

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DOWED OF ME. been used in a major offensive. Pershing declared they could do it, and Petain gave in.

The offensive was undertaken as a local affair and Foch did not know of it until he heard of the result. This will be proved, I think, when and if Foch's military diaries are published."

DOWER GENERATOR MADE

(Continued From First Page.)

Stewart, ex-patrolman, who lives next door to the grocery, ran out of his home. The footpad fired at Mr. Stewart and the latter fired one shot in reply. Captain Harms and his some maximum. I know no reason why it should not last until time rots the footpad fired at Mr. Stewart and the latter fired one shot in reply. Captain Harms and his some maximum. I know no reason why it should not last until time rots the footpad fired at Mr. Stewart and the latter fired one shot in reply. Captain Harms and his some maximum. I know no reason why it should not last until time rots the footpad fired at Mr. Stewart and the latter fired one shot in reply. Captain Harms and his some maximum of the interference of the result. This was a fact that the footpad fired at Mr. Stewart and the latter fired one shot in reply. Captain Harms and his some maximum of the interference of the result. This was a fact that the footpad fired at Mr. Stewart and the latter fired one shot in reply. Captain Harms and his some maximum of the result. The footpad fired at Mr. Stewart and the latter fired one shot in reply. Captain Harms and his some maximum of the footpad fired at Mr. Stewart and the latter fired one shot in reply. Captain Harms and his some maximum of the footpad fired at Mr. Stewart and the latter fired one shot in reply. Captain Harms and his some maximum of the footpad fired at Mr. Stewart and the latter fired one shot in reply. Captain Harms are publicated in the footpad fired at Mr. Stewart and the latter fired one shot in reply. Captain Harms are publicated in the footpad fired at Mr. Stewart and the latter fired one shot in reply. Captain Harms are publicated in the footpad fired at Mr. Stewart and the la Machine Not "Motion" Plant.

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of an air compressor at the Hercules

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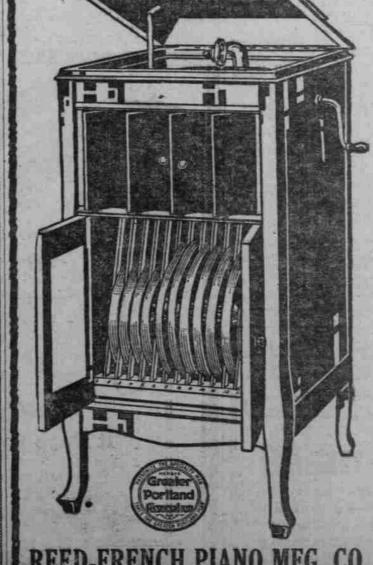
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