PORTLAND OREGON, THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 1920

## \$10.000.000 ASKED TO DEVELOP PORT FAVORITES REACT FROM TOP

Plan Includes Purchasing of Swan Island.

GIGANTIC MOLE SUGGESTED

West Channel of 1600 Feet Required to Be Dredged.

LARGE BOND ISSUE NEEDED

Scheme Approved by Committee of 15, Port of Portland, and Commission of Public Docks.

the creation of a straight west chan- loans." nel 1600 feet wide, together with the General Motors was the outstandopment plan submitted to the city loss of 33 1/2 points. council yesterday by the committee

acquisition of the low land in Mock's almost 10 points. bottom on the east side of the river. The day was one of the most active also opposite the island. It has the since the break of February, when approval of all members of the com- all markets were unsettled by the colmittee of fifteen, the Port of Portland lapse of exchanges. and the commission of public docks.

the committee of fifteen recommend better since that time,, and foreign the consolidation of the Port of Port- remittances were steady to strong land and the commission of public today, although French and Italian docks, committing the control and rates reflected pressure.

Harbor Lines to Be Changed. Revision of the present harbor lines

are come y of the project is carried out. This would be brought Crew of Schooner City of St. Helabout through the dredging of the west channel of the Willamette river to a width of 1606 feet and a 20foot depth. The east channel now utilized for navigation would be closed bottom, but would be a still water Baltimore. The City of St. Helens on a referendum at the November basin.

By dredging away the west half was a vessel of 1650 tons. have suggested in the Portland har- one trip from Portland to San Fran- the alternative of seeing the measure lake district. It is also proposed to was wrecked off Havana, Cuba, about to recede from its position and accept Population Has Gone Up Thirtyutilize the material dredged from two years ago, and to the auxiliary the referendum provision. both chan | to fill Mock's bottom.

#### Dredging Emphasized.

The importance of dredging out the west channel was particularly emphasized by F. M. Warren in presenting the plan to the council. Mr. Warren, who, with J. B. Kerr and F. C. Knapp. appeared before the council to represent the committee of 15, called attention to the fact that the creation of the west channel was regarded by all shipping authorities as an urgent need of the port.

The channel project itself would cost \$5,000,000, he declared, and it must be accomplished even if the rest | W. Stone of Santa Cruz, a member of of the plan should not be undertaken. channel dredging with the development scheme as a whole was strongly advocated.

Piers and Slips Included.

The scheme includes the construc- know such was not the case." on the west side of the river, served him that a change would be ordered. by rallroad trackage facilities including depots for inbound and outbound freight, with terminal yards of 2000- SPECIAL SESSION REFUSED car capacity.

feet wide by 5000 feet long on the easterly portion of Swan Island remaining after the west half has been removed fooms as one of the impor- Governor M. H. Holcombe, republitant features. This mole would be can, in a statement tonight, fiatly reconnected to the east shore by a fused to call a special session of the causeway, which will close the south Connecticut general assembly to act end of the present east channel and on the federal suffrage amendment. provide ample trackage facilities to the mole, as well as a wide roadway an almost unanimous vote in New for automobile trucks and other ve- Haven today, called upon the gov-

creation of 100 industrial sites, each necticut to be the 36th state to ratify 100 feet square, individually served the suffrage amendment. by railroad tracks, the lots front ing on streets each 100 feet wide Waterway frontage on both channels contemplates berthing facilities for 20 ships, each 500 feet long, thus affording both rail and water connections for the sites

Slips Built as Required.

made that piers in this district should ginia as far as Alexandria. either be municipally owned or should No stops were made and the presibe built by private firms or corpora- dent was away from the White House (Concluded on Pase & Column L.)

## STOCK MARKET BOOM PASSES IN DISORDER

General Motors Leads Wild Session With Tumble From 410 to

NEW YORK, March 24 .- The specu ative structure erected over the stock cause of the supreme court decision exempting stock dividends from inme taxes, evaporated into thin air today, after having given early promse of attaining great heights.

Favorite issues, especially thos ominated by pools and other professional interests, reacted 5 to almost 45 points from maximum quotations of the morning, the market closing in great disorder with call money at 1 per cent.

loans, which opened at the recent fixed rate of 7 per cent, was accompanied by circumstantial rumors that lenders of money were being urged by the federal reserve bank to put the brakes on further speculation. It is generally known that officials of the central reserve banks and other financial interests have viewed the

recent market movement with dis-Purchase of Swan island and re- approval, if not absolute concern. Any noval of the west half of it from return of the recent advance, it was the river; closing of the present believed, would necessitate further crooked, dangerous east channel and drastic action against "unessential

enstruction of a gigantic mole on ing feature of today's wild session. In the east side of Swan island, provid- the morning it rose 10 1/2 points to the ing terminal and dockage facilities new maximum of 410. When the marsuperior to those of any other city ket began its descent at midday Genon the Pacific coast, form the salient eral Motors was first to yield, tumfeatures of a \$19,000,000 harbor devel- bling to 366, its final price, and a net

Other motor shares, oils, equipments, steels and a large assortment The plan includes the acquisition of special stocks reversed their foreof all the low land in the Guild's noon gains of 3 to 12 points, keeping lake district on the west side of the pace with the break in General Moriver opposite Swan island and the tors and ending with losses of 2 to

Conditions in the international To carry out the proposed scheme credit situation have changed for the

direction of the physical development | Sales of stocks amounted to slightto the Port of Portland and vesting ly over 1,700,000 shares, which is in the port commission the title to somewhat under last week's largest all of the docks and harbor facilities turnover, when the market was alnow under the jurisdiction of the most at the zenith of its recent boom.

#### OREGON-BUILT BOAT AFIRE

ens Rescued by Steamer Goree. NEW YORK March 24 - The American auxiliary schooner City of St. Helens, from Marseilles and Oran, for Beaumont, Texas, has been abandoned way from the east mainland to con- and is on fire 300 miles off the nect with the mole proposed on the less message received here today by convened at noon Monday adjourned would be dredged to its full width of the naval communications service. The crew of the schooner was resmole and the west side of Mock's cued by the American steamship a deadlock had lasted for nine hours.

nel of sufficient width be provided to of St. Helens was built at St. Helens, referendum on the measure and inaccommodate all future marine traf- Or., by the Charles R. McCormick com- sistence by the senate that the emerfic and provide a turning table which pany two years, ago, and sold to a gency clause be restored caused the naval officials from time to time French syndicate after she had made two houses to lock horns and only btained to fill the low and of Guild's sister ship to the S. I. Ellis, which ment in the house induced the senate schooner City of Portland, now in active service on the Atlantic coast.

#### SCHOOL HISTORY FAULTY

California Veteran Protests Story of Monitor-Merrimac Fight.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 24 .-The state board of education agreed today that an account of the battle ! between the Monitor and Merrimac as given in the school history now in process of printing must be changed. Protest was made by Dr. George the board, to a passage in which the The advisability of combining the author states The commander of the Monitor withdrew his ship from the flight.

"This statement is absurd," Dr. Stone declared. "I was there and tion of piers, slips and industrial sites | The other members agreed with

The development of a mole 1087 Connecticut Governor in No Hurry Over Suffrage Amendment.

HARTFORD, Conn., March 24 .-The republican state convention, by ernor to convene a special session so The plan also contemplates the that it might be possible for Con-

#### WILSON ON 2-HOUR DRIVE President Takes First Trip Outside

Washington Since Illness. WASHINGTON, March 24. - President Wilson today made his first trip Construction of slips is provided outside of Washington since he was for along the channel in the Guild's taken ill last fall. Accompanied by lake district, such slips to be built Mrs. Wilson and Rear-Admiral Grayas they are required. Suggestion is son, his physician, he drove into Vir

## BONUS IS PASSED; SESSION ADJOURNS

Legislature at Olympia Holds On Until 4 A. M.

### SENATE FINALLY GIVES IN

Referendum Attached to Service Men's Measure.

Session Provides for Additional School Funds and Takes Step Toward New Code.

#### COMPLISHED BY WASH-INGTON LEGISLATURE.

Adopted joint resolution ratifying woman's suffrage amend-

ment to the federal constitution. Increased state's contribution to the common schools from \$10 for each census child of school age to \$20.

Raised the tax levy limit for the state general fund from 3 mills to 5 mills.

Passed soldiers' compensation bill providing payment of \$15 a month for each month spent in service and referred the measure to a vote of the people at the next general election. The bill carries an \$11,000,000 bond

Adopted a resolution requesting the governor and attorneygeneral to prepare a civil administrative code to be submitted to the next legislature providing for the consolidation of executive departments with a view to reducing the cost of state government.

Adopted resolution providing for the appointment by the governor of a commission to make a study and survey of present common-school laws and to make a report and recognisendations to the next legis ature.

OLYMPIA, Wash., March 24 .cial.) -The extraordinary session of ing the soldiers' bonus bill over which

election Action by the house in striking out

\$15 a Month Provided. The bill carries an \$11,000,000 bond

tion to all men in active service for (Concluded on Page 2, Column 4.)

# **UNRULY PROFESSORS**

THORITIES FOR HELP.

to Work on Track and Punish Those Who Disobey

HAYS, Kan., March 24 .- The Fort fessor P. Caspar Harvey, who today session of his housemaid. telegraphed the state authorities at Topeka asking protection. Richard J. Hopkins, attorney-general, directed the county attorney to prosecute per-

sons responsible for the disorders. The trouble started when President W. A. Lewis left a few days ago on The sudden advance in demand TAX LEVY IS INCREASED business. Departing, he suggested a Meyers in the Stevens building. half holiday, on which men students should build a running track, while girl students prepared a meal for the 1621 Quimby street, who was the toilers. At one of the "pep" meetings, it is reported, a woman suggested in fun that girls who did not aid should with endeavoring to entice the Meybe ducked in the lake.

Monday morning an announcement ing the faculty, would be ducked if duced as evidence they failed to report for duty at 1 quist, editor of the college newspaper, told in the municipal court yesterday, was the first person ducked. Pro- went to the office of his brother phyfessor James Start, on his way to sician to explain that he was not classes this morning, was captured guilty. by the students and thrown into the

from drowning by three students. into the water before they had an private office. opportunity to throw him in.

In a telegram to the state board of ulty members and students who patients were walting to be treated. failed to obey the "soviet" were being ducked.

"I intended to do my bit gladly or the track," Professor Start said tonight, "but I was threatened with ducking if I did not do as ordered. I decided not to be governed by force and threats." Mr. Harvey issued the following

statement: "I was for working on the track when it was first announced, and expected to come out on that day, but

two things arose. Tuesday afternoon work and I will not be forced to do anything by threats. I dived into the water for the sake of an ideal and as a protest against the use of force to promote school spirit."

#### **BOY. 12. HELD FOR RANSOM**

Son of Lexington, Ky., Man Disap pears With Unidentified Man. LEXINGTON, Ky., March 24.-While

relatives of 12-year-old Paul Littie, ist, were searching for him tonight following his disappearance late, a note was received at the Little home saying he was being ransom, supposed to be \$25,000.

The boy disappeared with an un identified man. He earlier had told playmates the man had promised him \$1 if he would deliver a box of candy. of Swan island, not only will a chan- The wooden auxiliary schooner City an emergency clause thus forcing to divulge the contents of the note. but is said to have told the police: "I don't care about the \$25,000 if I can get my son back safely."

One Per Cent in Decade.

WASHINGTON, March 24 .- Populaasue and provides for the payment tion statistics for 1920 announced toof \$15 a month additional compensa- day by the census bureau included: Dayton, O., 153,830, an increase of

# SCHOOL SOVIET DUCKS | HOUSEMAID CAUSES

FACULTY CALLS ON STATE AU- J. J. ROSENBERG AND DANIEL MEYERS MIX WITH FISTS.

Students Post Order for Everybody Altercation Results From Alleged Proselyting-Judge Assesses Fine of Five Dollars.

Ancient romances relate the daring Hays Normal school is in the grip of deeds of knights who did battle fo "student soviet." whose principal their fair lady's hand, but it remained occupation is hunting down professors for the 20th century with its scarcity and throwing them into the lake on of domestics to produce the cavalier the college campus, according to Pro- who was willing to fight for the pos-

> Two such cavaliers appeared in the municipal court yesterday in the persons of Dr. J. J. Rosenberg and Dr. Daniel Meyers. Dr. Rosenberg was charged with assault and battery fol lowing an encounter which is said to have occurred in the offices of Dr. It was Miss Marie Shea, housemaid n the establishment of Dr. Meyers at

cause Dr. Meyers accused Dr. Rosenberg ers' housemaid away, according to letter written by Dr. Meyers' attorney was posted that "all persons, includ- to Dr. Rosenberg, which was intro-

Dr. Rosenberg denied the charge P. M. Tuesday, March 23." John Lind- and, according to the story which he

Accounts of what transpired followlake. Unable to swim, he was saved ing his arrival there differed with the different witnesses, but all agreed Professor Harvey also fell into the that the combat started after the two ands of the students, but he dived physicians had entered Dr. Meyers' The private office. however, was not big enough to hold the combatants and they emerged into administration, Harvey said all fac- the waiting-room, where a number of

#### \$5 on a charge of assault and battery. FLEET TO GO TO ISLANDS

Judge Rossman fined Dr. Rosenberg

Francisco This Morning.

SAN DIEGO, March 24. - Twentynine warships, headed by the armored cruiser Brooklyn, flagship of Admiral Henry A. Wiley, commander of Pacific destroyer squadrons, will steam out was my only afternoon for debate of this harbor tomorrow morning for Honolulu to participate in the Hawalian mission centennial celebration It will be the largest fleet that has sailed from the harbor.

The bay presented a busy spectacle anchorages for an early start and took on supplies.

It is planned for this fleet to meet set at about 1500 miles east of Hono-

Membership Violation of Law.

a week. The case went to the jury the responsibility is upon him.

being unanimous for conviction.

# WILSON SILENCE TO FORCE ISSUE

President Adopts Plan on Treaty, Tip.

REPUBLICANS NOT WORRIED

Repeal of War-Time Laws to Hand Back Blame.

LATE PICTURE ELOQUENT

Smile of Old Days Is Gone From New Photographs of "Very Sick Man.'

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash-Ington, March 24 .- Some inkling of President Wilson's plan of injecting \$37,266,976; Idaho, \$1,143,678; Montana, the peace treaty into the campaign \$1,650,538; Oregon, \$7,459,685; Utah, came out today in feelers from the \$1.632.850; Washington, \$12.533,356, White House quietly passed around, and Wyoming, \$1,169,133. it is said by some loyal administration senators who had been calling

The president's plan is not to go out and begin talking about the calamity of the treaty defeat and setback given to world peace thereby as had been anticipated, but instead to adopt the stand-pat policy of keeping silent and waiting for comething to happen. Mr. Wilson intends doing nothing to revive the treaty or to States and Germany.

mething of a serious nature is like- announced here today y to happen as a consequence of the senate's failure to ratify the docu-Versailles. He will then say to the country that the senate is responsible and undertake to shoulder the blame on the republican party, because that party is in control of the senate by the narrow margin of two votes.

#### Democrata Most Concerned.

That the president would pursue uch a desperate course appears is cause more consternation among some today as the destroyers, comprising of the democrats than among any of the largest part of the fleet, shifted the republicans. Among republicans it was said that of course the senate without the president is king the inwar legislation. The majority leaders in both houses

are getting ready to take some action THREE I. W. W. CONVICTED statute books. It is doubted that any to the supreme council of the allies United States senate, Representative Walla Walla, Wash., Jury Holds vote against such measures, except crowned king of Syria, Premier congress, and W. H. McMaster, lieuthe express orders of Mr. Wilson. nition was denied him by the allies WALLA WALLA, Wash., March 24. The executive, under the constitution, (Special.)-A superior court jury signs bills repealing laws just as held today that mere membership in he signs other measures, and it then SEARS CONVICTION HOLDS the L W. W. is a violation of the will be for him to say whether he anti-syndicalism law, returning a wants the country to continue, tech- High Court Affirms Scutence of verdict of guilty against Dan Stewart, nically, at war. Should he velo such O. Kowachkua and Joe McCaskill, bills, republican leaders reason, the who have been on trial here for nearly people of the country will see that

bor, but sufficient material will be cisco in the McCormick line. She is a finally killed by indefinite postpone- DAYTON SHOWS INCREASE eration did not begin until 8 A. M. out from White House sources leads eral district court which found Frank The jury returned its verdict at 1:30 to the conclusion that Mr. Wilson is I. Sears, vice-president and general P. M. The jury took with it into the in a frame of mind to go far in his manager of the A. J. Bates company ted to vote. Bad roads in the counjury room the exhibits, so bulky it conflict with the senate. But no com- of Webster, shoe manufacturers, try prevented many from going to required three men to carry them. The munication in words as to his mood guilty of bribery and conspiracy to the polls. Wood was leading in 34 jury went through this mass of I. W. has carried half so much to the minds defraud the government in connection out of 64 counties. Johnson was W. literature and took one ballot, it of those whose names are not on the with the manufacture of army shoes, being unanimous for conviction.

White House guest list as some re- Sears was sentenced last December No time has been set for sentencing cent pictures of Mr. Wilson that have to serve a year and a day in the (Concluded on Page 2, Column 2,)

## OREGON SENDS UNCLE SAM SEVEN MILLIONS

NATION'S INCOME AND EXCESS

First Installment Indicates Collection for Entire Year of Approximately \$3,500,000,000.

WASHINGTON, March 24.-Income and excess profits taxes aggregating \$908,829,172 were paid as the first in stallment of the nation's tax bill for 1919.

While these figures do not repre sent an exact one-fourth of the taxes for last year, they indicate collection for the entire year of approximately \$3,500,000,000. treasury officials said tonight. The first installment more than offsets outstanding treasury certificates of indebtedness, issued in anticipation of the payment, and leaves the treasury in a position to continue its financial programme outlined several months ago. Collections for the first period of

1918 were approximately \$1,200,000,000 he reduction this year being due to the lowering of the normal income tax rate. The second district of New York, comprising the heart of the financial section, held its place in yielding the greatest amount of reverue of all collection districts, as i has for many years. Its total was \$154,505,989.

Collections included: California,

#### BIG POWER POOL FORMING Oregon Energy to Be Transmitted

to San Diego. SAN FRANCISCO, March 24 .- For rection of the state railroad commission that will make it possible to send electric energy from southern Oregon rrange a peace between the United to San Diego is to be effected this summer in order to offset the water The intimation is that he thinks shortage in this state, the commission

The announcement followed the submission of reports from representament which he brought back from tives of approximately 90 power concorns on proposed methods for over oming the shortage. The arrangement virtually is com

pleted, it was announced.

## Exit From Syrian "Kingdom April 6 Demanded.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 22 Press.) -- Dis patches from Beirut announce that ould not arrange a new peace treaty Emil Faisal, recently proclaimed king of Syrla, has given the French until seven destroyers steaming from San Itiative, but that both houses of con- April 6 to leave Syria, and the Arabs Francisco, the point of meeting being gress could act at once to repeal all have ordered the British out of Pales-

wipe all war-time laws from the Hedjaz, has been ordered to explain democrats in either house will dare the steps leading up to his being C. A. Christopherson renominated for perhaps those who act only under Lloyd George announced that recog- tenant-governor, nominated for con-

Army Shoe Manufacturer. States circuit court of appeals af-BOSTON, March 24.-The United peal has been at liberty under bail. and Wood forces were firmly in-

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# WOOD IN PRIMARY

General Well Ahead in South Dakota Returns.

LOWDEN IS SECOND CHOICE

Johnson Gets 21.735 and Is Running Steadily Third.

POINDEXTER LEFT OUT

Return Received From Most of

SIOUN FALLS, S. D., March 24 .-Special.)-Figures compiled early this evening on the results of the republican presidential preference pri mary yesterday gave Major-General Leonard Wood a total of 27,666 votes. Governor Frank O. Lowden 23,385 from 1185 of 1740 precincts in 58 of 64 counties, and represent about three-quarters of the total vote of

Complete reports have been received from practically all the cities and missing precincts are in thinly pop ulated counties where telegraph and telephone facilities are poor.

Lowden Is Second Choice.

In the counties where the vote was overwhelmingly for Wood, Lowdet eceived most of the remaining balts, while in counties which supported Johnson heavily Lowden was the second choice. It is not expected that further returns will change materially the relative standings of the hree candidates.

Reports coming in show Wood gaining in the same proortion as the early compilation in-FEISAL BIDS FRENCH GO dicated. Wood, Johnson and Lowden have made tours of the state and speakers here pushing the cause of one of the three candidates. A and I widen managers have m each other of mud slinging on the grounds that they have spent too much money and that it has beet

> Governor Gets Place. Though definite figures are not

Senator Miles Poindexter, who was an Independent candidate for repubican indorsement, polled a small vote. The largest total in any county was Hughes, where he received 64 votes out of 1100 cast. In most counties he

received from 5 to 15 votes and avail

counties to be less than 900 votes. The vote in the state is estimated at 75,000, which is considered light, especially as the women are permitahead in 13 and Lowden won out in 10. The vote for Johnson was surprising, as he did not actively enter the campaign until after the Lowden

#### trenched. German Counties for Johnson,

The California senator was strong in the counties where the majority of the residents are of German descent. These counties are Turner, Yankton Hutchinson and Bon . Homme. Hutchinson county Johnson received 1004, Lowden 127, and Wood 76. Johnson also carried Minnehaha county, the largest in point of popucame chiefly from the rural districts. In the Black Hills counties, where W. W. attempting to secure recruits the late Theodore Roomevelt once among returned soldiers. Page 3. lived, Wood received large majorities. He was also the victor in nearly all the towns and cities at which he appeared in his recent tour of the state while Lowden lost out in all but one of the cities of the state in which he

#### the latter part of February. Lend Is Fluctuating.

Wood's lead fluctuated considerably yesterday. At first it was estimated to be about 2000. Later reports increased that to 4000, while in the late afternoon the general's lead was considered to be about 3200. This evening, with returns coming in from the Black Hills, Wood's lead was rapidly increased to about 5000. In face of these fluctuations the Lowden headquarters have refused yet to concede the victory to Wood. The Johnnon managers have conceded the victory to Wood, and the Wood man-Severe break in Wall-street stock market agers are confident that they have won the hardest presidential strug-Columbia-Pacific company announces ten steamers to sail. Page 22.

Portland and Vicinity.

OFFARMAN CLAIMS VIC

CHAIRMAN CLAIMS VICTORY

gates by End of Week. NEW YORK, March 24 .- (Special.) -General Wood in the North Dakota primaries on March 16, won against

Senator Hiram W. Johnson, who was bear arms. Page 1a.

mmittee of 15 suggests expenditure of supported by the Non-partisan camsin,000,000 for harbor improvements. Concluded on Page & Column L.

WHAT HE OBJECTS TO IS SUPPORTING HIS WIFE'S RELATIVES.

