

10 BIDS ON MORRIS
BONDS KEPT SEALEDTrustee Gets Tenders on Por-
tions of Assets.

ACTION AWAITS REFEREE

Reorganization Committee Ex-
presses Intention to Make Offer
on All of Resources.

Ten bids for the assets of Morris Bros. Inc. were received yesterday by E. C. Bronaugh, trustee, but he sealed them up together in an envelope and announced they would be opened tomorrow noon, when A. M. Cannon, referee in bankruptcy, will be in the city to act with him.

So far as known all ten bids were for certain parts of the assets and none for the whole. The bids were made prior to the time for receiving bids, closed yesterday noon, that the reorganization committee of creditors would make an offer for the purchase of the assets as a whole.

Intention to Bid Declared.
This was not done but, instead, a letter was delivered to Mr. Bronaugh yesterday signed by A. M. Cannon, chairman of the committee, stating that plans to purchase the assets were being matured by the committee and lack of time alone had prevented a bid being submitted for consideration yesterday. It was intimated in the letter that it would be made as soon as the committee had decided to make an offer to the creditors represented by the reorganization committee instead of other bids for the property.

The committee was advised by legal counsel, it was said, that in the existing conditions the rights of the committee and the creditors would be protected fully by the notice sent Mr. Bronaugh and its plan would not be prejudiced by reason of the fact reorganization had not yet been completed fully.

Return of Referee Advised.
Mr. Bronaugh gave the letter due weight and said he would consult Referee Cannon, who was expected to return to Portland tonight, as the representative of the federal court, in which the bankruptcy proceeding is now being handled. It was hardly possible, Mr. Bronaugh said yesterday, to say just what would be done until this conference was held. Bids might be opened, as planned, tomorrow noon, or the opening might be delayed to give the reorganization committee a chance to make its tender at the same time.

Tenders May Be Rejected.
If the bids are found not to be reasonable, bids again may be advertised for, or the assets may be sold in parcels without advertising again. The federal court advised the calling for bids for the property, reserving the right to reject any or all such tenders.

The letter of the reorganization committee received yesterday by Mr. Bronaugh was as follows:
"You are notified that creditors of Morris Bros. Inc. bankrupt, whose claims aggregate more than \$1,000,000 have associated themselves together for the purpose of purchasing the assets of the bankrupt. To secure the organized co-operation of so large a number of the creditors of necessity consumed a large amount of time and money. The participation of this number has been secured only within the last few days.

"The direction of the matters for which these creditors have associated themselves together is in the hands of a committee of which the undersigned are, respectively, chairman and a member.

Committee to Make Bid.
"You will realize that to bid for and purchase these assets requires the making of certain financial arrangements by the committee. These financial arrangements are now well under way with every prospect of successful completion before many days.

"You will recall that at a meeting of creditors, at which the reception of bids set for today was discussed, fear was expressed that the time was insufficient to permit the complete working out of the plans of reorganization; and this fear has now turned out to be well grounded.

"Within not more than 30 days from date this committee, if the assets still remain unsold, will present to you an offer to purchase the assets of the bankrupt estate, as an entirety, for their full market value.

"The undersigned have full authority by resolution duly passed by the committee, to negotiate this purchase and have full authority to submit this communication to you.

"The letter was signed by Mr. Fanning and James C. Cunningham, a member of the committee.

FUN PLANNED FOR BUYERS

ENTERTAINMENT FEATURES TO
BE MORE NUMEROUS.Excursions on River, Dancing,
High Jinks and Luncheons to
Be on Programme.

Entertainment plans for Buyers' week, August 1-6, are being planned in a tentative way and it is declared that a better time for every visitor to Portland is assured this year than ever before in the recurring history of these affairs. Plans to be arranged and some of the events now programmed may be shifted, but it appears there will not be a dull moment for the visiting merchants who accept Portland's hospitality at that time.

For the night of Monday, August 1, for example, there is a reception and dance in the ballroom of the Multnomah hotel. The reception part of it will be brief and to the point. Mayor Baker will give an address of welcome, as will President Van Duzer of the Chamber of Commerce. Three musical selections will be given and dancing will follow.

On the next night, August 2, visiting merchants will be entertained at a stag smoker, which will be in the order of a high jinks. While the men are enjoying the smoker, women

MOVING PICTURE NEWS

TODAY'S FILM FEATURES.
Peoples—Pauline Frederick, "A Slave of Vanity."
Columbia—"Deception."
Liberty—Lackie Cogan, "Peck's Bad Boy."
Herald—W. Griffith's "Dream Street."
Rivoli—Wanda Hawley, "The House That Jazz Built."
Majestic—Gertrude Atherton's "Don't Neglect Your Wife."
Star—William Fairbanks, "Fighting Bill."
Circus—Moore, "Straight Is the Way."
Hippodrome—"Fine Feathers."
Globe—Pola Negri, "Passion."

WANDA HAWLEY is the maiden all forlorn who gets fat as the cow with the crumpled horn when she lives in "The House That Jazz Built," which furnishes the Rivoli screen programme with a brisk and entertaining comedy.

When the story opens Wanda is a slim and charming young wife, whose skill at cooking and housekeeping makes home life a real treat for her devoted husband, a young attorney. His talents are recognized by a railroad company, and he gets a position as junior counsel at \$25,000 a year. The couple leave their simple home in the suburbs for a home in the city more in keeping with their swollen income. Wanda gets a shock, and decides to fight for her mate. She regains her former attractiveness and then comes a battle between wife and husband. The ending is a satisfactory one to everyone but the vampire.

Another feature of the Rivoli bill is "The Empty Gun," a stirring little western drama. Lon Chaney, famous for his characterizations in "The Miracle Man," "The Penalty" and "The Law," has the leading role. Claire McDowell, a pioneer screen favorite, is the heroine of the story. Mutt and Jeff in a cartoon comedy and Fox news reels are also shown. The usual musical offerings of the Rivoli orchestra are a pleasing feature.

Screen Gossip.
Ralph Graves, who has one of the principal roles in "Dream Street," at the Helix, is the son of a wealthy family. He is a member of the board of the visiting delegations will be entertained at a theater party. Mrs. W. D. McWaters is chairman for this affair.

A luncheon by the Portland Ad club in honor of visiting buyers will be staged Wednesday noon in Washington park. This will be an all fresco affair and a delightful event is in prospect. Wednesday night there will be a style show.

Another unique luncheon will be served the following day at the Olympic central mills. The Portland Ad club is being host. That night there will be a boat trip on the river, with dancing. The banquet of Friday, August 5, and Saturday afternoon, from 1:30 to 4 o'clock, there will be sightseeing trips.

TWO FUGITIVES VANISH

NO TRACE OF MUNSON OR OF BECK IS FOUND.

Both Men Wanted at Vancouver After Jailbreak Face Charges of Forgery.

VANCOUVER, Wash., June 27.—(Special)—No clew has been found by Sheriff Thompson of E. E. Beck, alias E. E. Becker, or Berger, and Charles Munson, alias Louis Still, or E. Anderson, who sawed their way to liberty from the Clarke county jail yesterday. When the sheriff went to the jail just before religious services were to be held he discovered that these two prisoners had sawed through two bars and had escaped.

Beck is wanted in various places in the east on charges of forgery. The total amount he received being nearly \$17,000. He said that his brother is a judge of the supreme court of Pennsylvania. He bought a car from a local concern, the Wilde Motor Car company, giving in part payment a check for \$500 on the Bank of Oklahoma City. It was learned by wire that he had no account there and was arrested from a detective agency and he admitted his identity. He was being held on a charge of forgery here.

Beck is described as being 28 years old, 5 feet 8½ inches tall, weight 133 pounds; light brown hair, blue eyes; light complexion, slim build, very neat dresser, wore blue suit with lighter blue stripes, soft finish; light-colored fedora hat, pongee shirt and English oxford shoes.

Munson was being held for forgery, to which he pleaded guilty. He obtained \$10 by signing the name of a local woman, it is charged.

Commerce Body Co-Operates.
Officials of the Chamber of Commerce, on reading a letter from the department of agriculture, which contained suggestions as to how work commercial bodies can do to stimulate agricultural interests in their various sections, found that the things suggested already were being carried out by the Portland organization. An agricultural committee is functioning and things beneficial to farmers are favored.

Aid to Ex-Servicemen Indorsed.

CENTRALIA, Wash., June 27.—(Special)—The women's auxiliary of the Grant Lodge post, American Legion, Friday night adopted resolutions indorsing the national legislative programme for the benefit of ex-servicemen and their families. The measures included in the indorsement were the sweet bill, adjusted compensation bill, Langley bill, Kenyon bill, emergency officers' retirement bill and land preference bill.

Bankers to Meet Here First.

Delegates to the annual convention of the American Institute of Banking from Seattle, Tacoma and Portland will gather here July 13 to go by special car to Minneapolis, where the convention will be held July 13-22. Bankers will travel from Portland to Omaha over the Union Pacific system.

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4000 AT BIBLE SESSION

RURAL SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK-
ERS MEET AT WATERLOO.

Eminent State Leaders in American Union Speak; Special Meeting Held for Children.

ALBANY, Or., June 27.—(Special).—Not less than 4000 persons attended the fifth annual group gathering of rural Sunday schools conducted in this section of the state by the American Sunday School union held yesterday at Waterloo. Some estimate the attendance at 5000.

The gathering was said to be the largest concourse of rural Sunday schools ever held in Oregon and officers of the union who were present believe it was the largest gathering of the kind ever held in the United States.

Though primarily a gathering of the rural Sunday schools of Linn county, the meeting attracted Sunday school teachers and workers from many portions of Marion, Lane, Benton and Lincoln counties and a few visitors from Portland and other sections of the Willamette valley.

Aside from its prominence as a religious gathering the meeting was a triumph from a musical viewpoint. The musical programme featured four stars, Loren J. Luper of Tainent, who gave trombone solos; Mrs. Nettie Hoone-Wetmore of Albany, cornetist; Mrs. Marjorie McMonies of Corvallis, violin; and Mrs. J. L. Gault of Corvallis, soprano.

Leading speakers were Dr. W. P. White of Seattle, former pastor of the United Presbyterian church of Albany and now regional director for the Pacific coast of the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago; Dr. E. C. Hickman of Salem, president of the Linn county school of Theology of Willamette university; E. R. Martin of Portland, district superintendent of the American Sunday School union for Oregon, Washington and Idaho, and G. F. Johnson of Portland, district vice-president of the union.

G. W. Roberts of Albany, local missionary for the union in Linn county, who arranged the gathering, presided at the forenoon session and G. F. Johnson presided at the afternoon session. Besides the principal session, which most of the visitors attended, there was a special meeting for children, presided over by leaders among the rural Sunday schools of Linn county.

The gathering was held in a beautiful fir grove along the bank of the south Santiam river at Waterloo.

TRAFFIC SURVEY SLATED

Purpose Is to Ascertain Which Has Heaviest Burden.

A traffic survey of bridges will be conducted at some time during the two-month period that the Morrison-street bridge is closed, according to City Engineer Laurgaard. The survey will probably extend over an entire week.

The purpose is to ascertain which bridge bears the heaviest traffic and which receives the burden of the Morrison-street bridge. A close watch will also be kept on conditions in order to gather data to prevent blockades by rerouting and to devise methods to overcome the bridge traffic problem.

The city engineer has ordered the closing of the street ends at Pine and Oak streets until flood damage to the highways has been repaired. The elevated passageways from the street to the docks have been weakened by the high water and are unsafe in their present state, Mr. Laurgaard said.

Car Loader Instantly Killed.
CENTRALIA, Wash., June 27.—(Special).—N. O. Nelson, aged about 28, was instantly killed this morning while loading a car at the Eastern mill. A heavy timber fell on him, crushing his head to a pulp. The victim's home was in Seattle, an address found in his effects being 317 Knoll Hill avenue, Seattle.

Three Destroyers to Visit.
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acter to Portland harbor over July Fourth. The destroyers Bruce, Aron Ward and Zellin will arrive here next Saturday and remain until July 13. Advice came to the Chamber of Commerce to that effect yesterday from G. T. Swasey, commander United States

navy at San Francisco. In acknowledging receipt of the telegram advising the coming of the destroyers, the Chamber asked that time of the arrival of the boats at the Lighthouse at the mouth of the Columbia river be forwarded here so that their reception in the harbor could be arranged. Although no arrangements have as yet been made, it is expected the officers and men on the three boats will be taken over the Columbia river highway while they are in the city.

HE COULDN'T HIT A LICK OF WORK

Portland Man Ached From Head to Foot—Feels Fifteen Years Younger Now.

"Yes, sir, I've gained fifteen pounds by taking this Tanlac and feel so hale and hearty that it makes me want to go back to the farm," said Wm. P. Willaby, retired farmer, living at 413 East Eighth street, Portland, Or., recently.

"My stomach was in bad shape and I suffered with indigestion in all its forms. I had pain all through my stomach and back and there was a awful burning in my chest, and at times I could hardly breathe on account of the gas which formed. I had rheumatism from my hips clean down to my feet and at times was in pain from head to foot. My night's rest was broken up, and I went down in weight and strength until I was so weak I could hardly get around the house, much less hit a lick of work."

"That was my condition when I started in on Tanlac, but judging from the way I feel now I can't tell there was ever anything the matter with me in my life. I'm eating like I used to years ago out on the farm. I can't get a sign of stomach trouble or rheumatism. I weigh a hundred and eighty pounds, feel fifteen years younger and believe I could strike up a state of health as good as anybody. Tanlac is certainly great."

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A noted authority says that a few drops of "Outgro" upon the skin surrounding the ingrowing nail reduces inflammation and pain, and so toughens the tender, sensitive skin underneath the toe nail that it cannot penetrate the flesh, and the nail turns naturally out—almost overnight.

"Outgro" is a harmless antiseptic manufactured for chiropodists. However, anyone can buy from the drug store a tiny bottle containing directions.—Adv.

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