LUNCHEON TO OPEN **BIG RELIEF DRIVE**

Oregon to Raise \$150,000 for Armenians and Syrians. Plans Are Outlined.

PORTLAND'S QUOTA \$75,000

Every Dollar Subscribed to This Fund Will Be Distributed Under Direction of Reliable Agents. Workers Are Named.

The first gun in the big humanitarian drive for Armenian and Syrian relief will be fired Monday evening at Hotel Portland, when the executive commit-tes of the Portland division of the American Committee for Armenian and Syrian Relief, all officers, committees and workers, numbering about 225, will

and workers, numbering about 213, will gather for a banquet in the grill at 6 o'clock. This meeting will be presided over by Wells Gibbert, general of the drive, and there will be a number of addresses of an illuminating character, calculated to arouse interest and enthusiasm in the drive.

Some of the speakers will be from out of fown and there also will be short talks by native Armenians. The pleasure of the evening will be heightened by a number of selections by Waldo Davis, the chime player, who won fame at the Panama-Pacifit Exposition, and there will also be spirited patriotic and popular sougs by a male quartet. The working plan of the drive will be explained in detail so that workers will be ready to go out Tuesday morning fully fortified on every phase of this big mercy drive. As in past drives, the workers will assemble with their captain each morning for instructions, all starts being made from Hotel Portland, headquarters of the committee.

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Oregon's Quota la \$150,000 America is asking at this time for a fund of \$10,000,000 as a Winter fund for the starving Armenians and Syrians. Already large sums have been forwarded and are now in the hands of the missionaries who are dispensing money, food and clothing. Oregon's quota is \$150,000. Of this sum Portland expects to raise \$75,000. Former drives have gone "over the top" with ease, yet none has pulsated with the heart throbe of butchered men, outraged, demanted

this one. The intelligent, systematic manner in which the preliminary plans have been made promise well for the success of the drive.

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Sherman E. Hall, chairman of the speakers' bureau, has already had a number of speaker, appearing before men's and women's organizations. Mrs. It. S. M. Emrich, for 12 years a resident Schools have completed plans for a big thrift parade Monday. National Thrift parade Monday. National Thrift parade will start from the school grounds at 1:36 P. M., and it is expeaking today in the Pirst Methodist Episcopai Church at the morning service and at the Sunnyside Congregational Church at the morning service and at the Sunnyside Congregational Church at the morning service and at the sevening service. On Satarday he addressed the Civic. Government of Gresham's school population.

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The terrible condition in Western Asia is cose that words fall to express. Exiled from their homes, robbed of their pessessions, wanderers in a desolated land, starving by tens of thousands, their only hope for the barest necessities of life is in American charity.

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This is one of the three great war drives which Precident Wilson has personally indoresed, the other two being the Banks. Or. Feb. 2—(Special.)—The foliar operation contributed free for relief, the state in the homes of p. J. Vandersanden by private individuals. The expense of the Purchand campaign is being carried on by three Purchand campaign is being carried on the contributed \$16,056 to the operating expenses of the National work of the own.

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Judge Tazwell Is Exonerated in Grand Jury Report.

torneys Dormitzer and Ditchburn made these charges against me in Judge Kavanaugh's court, I went personally to the grand jurors and asked them to conduct a thorough probe of my court. I told them that if I had done anything for which I should be censured I would gladly step down and out."

PLEA OF 'GUILTY' CHANGED

Alleged Bootlegger Decides to Stand Trial Before Circuit Court.

BAKER, Or., Feb. 2.—(Special.)— Dave Rombough, who recently plead guilty to the charge of bootlegging, withdrew his plea of guilty and entered a plea of not guilty, through his at-torney today electing to stand trial at the coming term of Circuit Court. Frank Politta, indicted by the grand tury on the same charge, vesterday Frank Politta, indicted by the grand jury on the same charge, yeaterday was arraigned and plead not guilty. All Turner, another alleged bootlegger, pleaded not guilty also and will be tried at the coming term of court. The trial of William Hays, charged with the larceny of sheep, will come up at this term of court, which opens next week.

WAR COMING CLOSE HOME

C. R. Gibbs, of Portland, With Canadian Troops, Killed in Action.

OTTAWA, Ont. Feb. 2 .- The follow-

THREE LEADERS IN DRIVE FOR ARMENIAN AND SYRIAN RELIEF FUNDS.



"We find that the court procedure in all juvenile cases cannot be termed secret but is admirably adapted to shield as much as possible from notoriety, the name of the juvenile delinquent, while at the same time it gives every opportunity to the accused to present all facts and circumstances in his favor; that it is not the policy of the Juvenile Court either to exclude attorneys or to conceal the records of cases from the parent, guardian or the legal representative of the accused.

"We find that the charges brought

a criminal of my boy. I said that those charges were not right, but he told me to sign the petition, as it was only a matter of course."

Mrs. Sadie Smith, who, it was reported, charged that Judge Taswell

proved by Vote of 551 to 43.

TWIN FALLS, Idaho, Feb. 2 .- (Spe (al.)-Bonds have been voted here, 551 to 43, for a new municipal waterworks system costing \$275,000. This project has been under discussion here for several years, but no unusual interest marked election day and only one-third

City officials declare no difficulty will be encountered in convincing the Government of the necessity for the proposed new system here.

Orchard Spray Factory Started. SUTHERLIN, Or., Feb. 2 .- (Special.) The Sutherlin Spray Manufacturing Company has been organized to manufacture sprays for orchardists here and clacwhere. The officers are F. J. Nor-ton, president; D. W. Banker, vice-president; S. W. Duer, secretary and treasurer. Supplies have been ordered and a plant will be built at once.



WATER IN PETROL TINS READY FOR THIRSTY TROOPS AS THEY ADVANCE AT BATTLE OF PLANDERS. Besiming tomorrow, an interesting series of official British war photographs will be on exhibition on the third floor of the Red Cross Superfluity Shop, 104 Fifth street. These photographs, numbering about 1400 views of action at the front, have been sent by the Canadian government to C. S. Greaves, of this city. Miss Henricita E. Falling and Miss Crocker have in charge the hanging of the photographs, which will be shown in graups of about 100, changed every two weeks, until the Portland public has had an opportunity to view the entere series. The group shown temorrow and for two weeks following comprises senies from the battless of Flanders and Menia road, women ambulance drivers in performance of their work of mercy, tanks in action and other interesting phases of the war game. An admission fee of 10 cents will be charged for viewing the pictures.



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ROAR OF PROTEST GOES UP

Disabilities Declared to Exempt From Army Service Few With Curable Allments.

"Please direct local boards to delay physical examinations of men in class I until receipt of new physical regulations, which are in the mails, to you under the caption, 'Changes in Selective Service Regulations.'

"(Signed) CROWDER."

This telegraphic order received yesterday from Washington by Captain J. E. Cullison, head of the draft organization in Organ, excites a big roar

Gorgaa."

"We certainly are at a great disadvantage way out here." he commented. Some examining boards of the state have already reported to Captain Cullison that they have already completed physical examinations of all Class I men of their division. How any changed regulations may be made to apply to men in those divisions is one problem that remains unsolved.

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Extension of Time Necessary.

On the other hand, many boards, even though but two or three days' delay may be experienced, will be unable to pass upon their Class I registrants before the time limit expires. An extension beyond February 15, or tacit disregard of the limit, offers the only solution for such divisions.

Captain Cullison declared he has not the slightest intimation as to what the slightest intimation as to what changes in examinations or physical requirements will be brought about through the revisions announced. From other sources, including the Washington dispatch of January 28, it is gleaned that the lid is being clamped down with a vengeance on disqualification of medialized as unfit for any sort of service.

"Under the new system," states the dispatch, "practically the only persons exempted on physical grounds by local boards will be imbeciles and victims of major aliments. Even men with missing fingers and toes, originally rejected, will be accepted in the second draft."

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NEW ORDERS ON WAY

bid the local boards to exempt any man as unfit unless he is hopelessly disqualified. Thousands disqualified in the first draft had comparatively slight defects, such as enlarged tonsils, skin diseases, and flat-foot, and these, it is said, will be accepted in the second draft. They will be passed on to district medical boards, which will reject only those who cannot be used for military purposes. Those accepted will be sent to cantonments where they will be sent to cantonments where they will have expert treatment for the cure of the disabilities."

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The orders sent out by Captain Culli-on from the Adjutant-General's office

yesterday stopping physical examina-tions did not reach Multnoman County boards, their copies being sent through the mails. As a result the 11 local boards proceeded with the tests in ignorance of orders to the contrary.

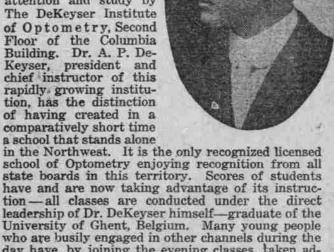
Examinations Are Halted. OLYMPIA, Wash, Feb. 2 .- Complying with instructions received today from Provost Marshal-General Crowder, Gov-

To get the very best results take Dr. Humphreys' "Seventy-seven" at the first sneeze or shiver. "Seventy-seven" breaks up Colds

that hang on-Grip. All Drug Stores.

The Eyes

A mighty important factor of the human body is this all-absorbing subject and one that is being given more than usual attention and study by The DeKeyser Institute of Optometry, Second Floor of the Columbia Building. Dr. A. P. De-Keyser, president and chief instructor of this rapidly growing institution, has the distinction of having created in a comparatively short time a school that stands alone



school of Optometry enjoying recognition from all state boards in this territory. Scores of students have and are now taking advantage of its instruction - all classes are conducted under the direct leadership of Dr. DeKeyser himself-graduate of the University of Ghent, Belgium. Many young people who are busily engaged in other channels during the day have, by joining the evening classes, taken advantage of the opportunity to advance themselves and have become Vision Specialists. Numbered among the graduates of the school are some of the most successful specialists of the city. On March 11th a class for beginners will be inaugurated for Summer instruction, preparatory to entrance in the September term, affording an excellent opportunity for those desirious of learning optometry.

Dr. DeKeyser is also conducting one of the most completely equipped and advantageously operated Vision practices in the city, affording every modern method for the proper testing of the eyes. Owing to the volume of his prac-tice, Dr. DeKeyser has found it necessary to recommend that those desiring the utmost and the most careful attention to their troubles of Vision should arrange for appointment either by telephone or in person.

The offices of this institution and Dr. DeKeyser's offices are located on the 2d floor of the Columbia Bldg., Washington and Park Sts. Phone Main 9587.