

WORKERS CONFERENCE

Allied Welfare Organizations Meeting Called.

CAMPAIGN TO BE PLANNED

Arrangement of Details for Coming Big Drive Object of State Conference to Be Held at Baker Theater Tomorrow.

To arrange final details for the campaign of allied welfare organizations that is to raise a total of \$170,000.00 in the United States in November for war relief work, a state conference will be held in the Baker Theater tomorrow morning and afternoon.

Delegates will be present from every community in Oregon, having been invited by the Y. M. C. A., Knights of Columbus, Y. W. C. A., American Library Association, Salvation Army, Jewish Welfare Board and the Camp Community Service. The seven organizations associated in the largest philanthropic campaign in the world's history, W. M. Ladd, state chairman, and O. W. Davidson, state director, called the conference.

Special Party Coming. Speakers and singers of note, in a special party assigned from headquarters to carry the message to the people of Oregon's Western states, will reach Portland in time for conference. Among these are Fred B. Smith, who is well known here, and W. W. Perkins, of New York, who is expected to come, was kept back by highly important business.

There will be no public sessions of the conference, owing to the fact that liberty loan campaign preparations are in progress and only such business as must at this time be adjusted will come before the delegates.

Representatives Are Named.

Representatives of the allied organizations in this state, in addition to Chairman Ladd and Director Davidson, are as follows: Mrs. William H. Marshall, associate state director; Knights of Columbus, Frank J. Loberger; Camp Community Service, Emory Olmstead; Salvation Army, O. C. Bortzmeyer; Jewish Welfare Board, Ben Selling; American Library Association, W. L. Brewster; Y. W. C. A., Mrs. William MacMaster.

The personnel of the special party of speakers and singers follows: Lyman L. Pierce, director-general of the Western department campaign; Miss Cora Latham, San Francisco, associate department director for women's cooperative work; Clarence A. Spaulding, Pasadena, department director, speakers' bureau; Frederick F. Runyon, San Francisco, department director of publicity; Cyril J. Mee, New York, director of boys' and girls' "wars and lives" campaign; Fred B. Smith, New York; Dr. F. A. Laviolette, Seattle, Y. M. C. A. workers from France; Mrs. Richard E. Emrick, of Berkeley; Miss Bertha Conde and Miss Helen Barnes, of New York, representatives of the Y. W. C. A.; Milton J. Ferguson, Sacramento, representative American Library Association, and A. E. Carter, Oakland, representative of War Camp Community Service.

COL. SHARPE APPOINTED

New Commandant at O. A. C. Has Fine Military Record.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

Colonel Alfred C. Sharpe of Berkeley, Cal., appointed commanding military officer and professor of military science and tactics at the college, has an excellent military record. Captain T. F. Maginnis, professor of military science and tactics, has resigned, having been appointed assistant chief of staff at the Port of Embarkation, Hoboken, N. J., with the temporary title of colonel. Colonel Sharpe has served on the staff of the Adjutant-General, Washington, D. C., has been professor of prominent educational institutions, conducted himself with honor in action against the Indians, was judge-advocate in the department of Arizona and Colorado, was secretary of justice in Porto Rico.

FLAT CLOTHING TAX URGED

Ten Per Cent on All Grades Is Idea of Prominent Tailor.

A Flat Tax of 10 per cent on all grades of clothing has been suggested by Charles Cooper, of the National Association of Merchant Tailors, in letters to Oregon's representatives in Congress. The communication is written as a result of a survey made by C. F. Wetzel, of New York, president of the association.

The Government proposal to tax clothing above a certain value would have a very detrimental effect on the present and future clothing trade," he writes. "A \$20 suit may be a luxury to one man, while a \$70 suit represents luxury to another. The proposed tax would encourage mills to make low-grade goods, a tendency we should avoid. A blanket tax of 10 per cent would be fairer to all alike and would raise more money for the war."

FIRE ENGINE CASE CALLED

A. G. Long Gives Account of His Dealings With Officials.

A. G. Long, Portland representative of the American La France Fire Engine Company, was the chief witness yesterday for the city in the suit of Mrs. M. H. Cragg, who is seeking to restrain the city from completing the purchase of six fire engines from the New York firm at a cost of \$61,000. He gave a detailed account of his dealings with the city officials and explained fully why the specifications were changed after bids had been advertised and submitted. Judge Morrow, before whom the case is being heard without a jury, continued the case for a week or 10 days, pending the absence from the city of City Commissioner Bigelow and Fire Chief Dowell. Both officials leave tonight for California on official business.

E. J. Murnane Goes South.

Edmond J. Murnane, who has been recording secretary for the Portland Lodge of the Ancient Order of Hibernians for the last five years, will leave today for St. Patrick's Seminary at Menlo Park, Cal., to take up higher educational branches, after seven years' instruction at Columbia University. Mr. Murnane was manager of athletics and editor of the Columbia while at Ithaca, N. Y. He is the son of M. J. Murnane, 325 Mississippi avenue, former Representative from Multnomah County.

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KNIGHTS TO DEDICATE

ARCHBISHOP CHRISTIE TO SAY MASS AT FORT STEVENS.

Formal Opening of New Columbus Headquarters Building Set for Wednesday Night.

Completion of the first Knights of Columbus cantonment building in Oregon will be celebrated at Fort Stevens Wednesday night. The building is said to be one of the most perfectly appointed in the entire country. The building, which is 112 by 66 feet, contains an auditorium seating 900 men, hostess room, a permanent chapel and other rooms for the comfort and welfare of the Fort Stevens soldiers. A balcony around the auditorium is lighted indirectly so as to allow its use as a reading or writing room. The chapel at one end of the building will be open day and night for use of the men. The altar is made of spruce, finished in the natural and bought from Camp F of the spruce division. Colonel W. C. Rafferty, fort commander, will deliver the principal address at the opening exercises. A short address will be given by the Rev. John Waters, of Astoria. A minstrel show by the Fort Stevens band and a dance given by the young women of Astoria will complete the programme. The first mass in the new building will be an event of Sunday, September 22. The Most Reverend Archbishop Christie, of Portland, will officiate at a solemn high mass. He will be assisted by other church dignitaries. T. D. Ferguson will be in charge of the work of the Knights of Columbus at the new building. He is in charge of the work in the Lower Columbia district.

MULTNOMAH COUNTY FAIR

At Gresham, Sept. 17-21

Every patriotic citizen should visit the County Fair—Livestock, Agriculture, Poultry, Canning Demonstrations, Amusements, Special Days, Daily Concerts by Campbell's American Band with popular soloists.

Roy Marion Wheeler With His Famous Schuman Musical Club, Wednesday Night

Daily Admission, 35c—After 6 P. M., 25c. Take Cars First and Alder—25 Cents Round Trip

\$150—REWARD—\$150

New 1918 Cadillac; eight-cylinder, 4-passenger; Oregon License No. 58759; Factory No. 57-S 702; Dark Blue Body, (looks black) Goodrich Cord Tires all around, size 36x5. Tire carrier on rear, which has screw bent. Stolen August 23, 1918. \$100.00 of the above reward will be paid for the recovery or information leading to the recovery of the above described machine. \$50.00 of the above reward will be paid for the arrest and conviction of the thief or thieves by the Pacific Coast Automobile Underwriters' Conference of San Francisco, California. Wire or telephone information to T. M. HURLBURT, Sheriff Multnomah County, Portland, Oregon. Marshall 5400 and A 5436. Jas. McL. Wood & Co., 314 Railway Exchange Bldg.

Great September Drive of Seasonable Goods at Shanahan's This Week

The cool Fall weather will soon be here, and it is time for you to think about your Fall wear. To insure your seeing our beautiful new and never excelled stock of seasonable goods we have made such sweeping reductions in price that you will be compelled to visit us. We can state with sincerity that your dollars will have greater purchasing power this week at Shanahan's than you can possibly secure elsewhere. All that we ask is a fair comparison of goods and prices; then we will make the sale. Bargains await you in every department.

SHANAHAN'S Announces Fall Opening of Women's, Misses' and Children's Ready-to-Wear Apparel

Advertisement for Shanahan's clothing store. Features: New Fall Dresses Specially Priced \$8.95, \$17.50 to \$35.00; New Fall Dress Skirts Special, Each \$4.50, \$6.95 to \$15.50; Values Extraordinary in Juniors' and Women's High Grade Fall Coats \$15.50, \$19.50, \$27.50 to \$55.00. Includes images of clothing models.

Wash Goods Department Offers Three Wonderful Money-Saving Specials

Advertisement for Wash Goods Department. Features: Two Wonderful Specials of Outing Flannels Specially Underpriced at 22c and 25c Yard; 50c Mercerized Cotton Poplins Amazingly Underpriced At Only 29c Yard; 35c Fine Dress Percales Special at 25c Yard.

HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR

Advertisement for Hosiery and Underwear. Features: Children's Vests or Pants, Special at 45c to 50c Each; Women's Union Suits, Sp'l \$1.00 Each; Children's Fleece Union Suits, Special 75c Each; Women's Gauze Vests, Special, 25c Each; Children's Tan Hose, Special 40c Pair; Girls' Fine Hose, Special, 3 Pairs 85c; Boys' "Wunder" Hose, Special 35c Pair; Boys' Extra Heavy Hose, Special 45c Pair.

Sheets and Pillow Cases

Advertisement for Sheets and Pillow Cases. Features: 72x90-inch Bleached Sheets, special, each \$1.00; 72x90-inch Bleached "Fruit of Loom" Sheets, each \$1.98; 72x90-inch Unbleached Sheets, special, each \$1.65; 72x90-inch Unbleached Pepperell Sheets, sp'l, each \$1.75; 81x90-inch Bleached Linen Finish Sheets, sp'l, ea. \$1.75; 81x90-inch Bleached "Torn" Sheets, special, each \$1.85; 81x90-inch Bleached Extra Heavy Sheets, sp'l, ea. \$2.10; 81x90-inch Bleached Hemstitched Sheets, sp'l, ea. \$2.25; 42x36-inch Pillow Cases, special, each \$29c; 42x36-inch Pillow Cases, special, each \$35c; 45x36-inch Pillow Cases, special, each \$40c; 42x36-inch Hemstitched Cases, Old Stock, sp'l, each \$60c; 45x36-inch Hemstitched Cases, Old Stock, sp'l, each \$60c.

A Sensational Sale of Towels

Advertisement for Sensational Sale of Towels. Features: Sizes 13 1/2 x 23-inch Huck Towels, sp'l 12 1/2c ea., doz \$1.00; Size 16x33-inch Huck Towels, special each \$20c; Size 18x33-inch Turkish Towels, special, each \$15c; Size 18x34-inch Turkish Towels, special, each \$25c; Size 20x39-inch Turkish Towels, special, each \$35c; Size 24x48-inch Extra Heavy Turkish Towels, each \$69c; Size 24x51-inch Extra Heavy Turkish Towels, each \$98c.

Three Extraordinary Specials of Cotton Comforter Batts

Advertisement for Cotton Comforter Batts. Features: \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75. Size 72x84-inch White Sanitary Cotton Batts, complete in one roll, full three pounds in weight. Ladies who desire to make their own comforters will do well to attend this sale.

Advertisement for Shanahan's clothing store. Features: \$1.25 Opaque Window Shades, specially underpriced now at, each \$1.00; Sensational Clean-up Children's Wash Dresses at only 49c; NEW LOCATION, Dekum Bldg., Third and Washington Sts. THE STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY—"THE BIG CASH STORE." ENTRANCES—266 WASHINGTON ST. AND 125 THIRD ST. 49c.