# UNCLE SAM JOBBER MACHINERY NOW

Entire Equipment of Spruce Division for Sale.

Three Boards Created by General Disque to Plan and Execute Big Sales Project.

As the largest producing operator in Spruce the world has ever known, the Spruce Division is entitled to a place of prominence in the history of the war, but now it is to become a gigantic jobber of machinery, power, railroads and railroading material, locomotives. cars, sawmills complete and in their clamental parts and other components of the change is a matter of gossip, but it is said that Richards has already turned over his office to Hearn. It was admitted at the local office of the Postal Telegraph Company tonight that the change had been made.

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Sales Board Has Big Joh. The sales department will formulate and execute plans to convert \$10,000,000 worth of property, more or less into cash. It will be organized on the lines of a private business of great magnitude. Portland is to continue the headquarters, and offices are being arranged on the seventh floor of the Yeon building. There will be a publicity manager for this great selling organization, who will inform prospective purchasers regarding the quality and condition of the goods, and when open to inspection and purchase. Just what form this publicity work Just what form this publicity work will take is not announced, but it will be an advertising job of some magni-

The warehouses and material yards of Uncle Sam's machinery house conducted by the Spruce division, will be at Vancouver Barracks. Presumably it will occupy more floor space than is commonly utilized for the display of machinery. Each article of the large magnitude. Back article of the large magnitude assortment is to be sold on its own merits, and the assembling will be from many camps, mill plants, hundreds of miles of railroad pushed into the spruce woods, and from docks along rivers of the Columbia River district. There will be leave soon for a three months' study in Europe of reconstruction needs of the devastated countries.

He goes as an independent investigator, it was announced. the Columbia River district. There will be locometives, cars, rolling stock of other sorts and special equipment for production of material for airplanes; stationary engines, donkey engines, hoists, electric power plants, saw and planing mill machinery and equipment for large and small plants; miles of cable, and incidentally the culinary equipment required in the camps to feed the soidlers and civilians engaged in spruce production.

Second-hand material is a part, but enly a part, for there will be lots of machinery and equipment that has never been unpacked. It will be brought to the material yards from where it had been delivered or from cars in transit when operations ceased. It is material that belongs to the Spruce Division, brought from far factories, wherever it could be obtained, and now it is to be assembled here in the Vancouver Barracks yards to be sold to the best possible advantage.

Uncle Sam has had one bit of experience to guide in a way in the dis-Much Machinery New.

rience to guide in a way in the dis-posal of the material. When the Panama Canal was completed the material on that work was listed in a complete cat-alogue. A large part of that material suited to the work was transferred to Alaska for use in building railroads

## ISSION IS RESOLUT

OREGON BODY STANDS PAT ON PHONE RATES.

Postmaster-General's Stand on Date of Wage Advance to Operators Is Opposed.

SALEM. Or., Nov. 20 (Special.)—
The Public Service Commission will stand pat in the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company rate increase matter, and will send no further messages to the Postmaster-General, excepting a formal acknowledgment by mail of his latest tolegram and a copy of the commission's order covering service of the company.

at an informal conference today it At an informal conference today it developed that the commission probably will take exception to the Postmaster-General's stand that increased wages for operating employes should go into effect as of November 15. Attention was called to the fact that the company had issued a bulletin some time ago that such increases would be effective from October 16, but had falled to carry out its promises.

failed to carry out its promises.

The commissioners held it palpably wrong to attempt to postpone the wage increase for a month, and this matter probably will be taken up at the hear-ing in Portland December 13.

### NEWS DIVISION IS CLOSED

Work of Committee on Public In-

formation Now Limited. WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—The news division of the committee on public information which has served as a clearing house for information on gov-eroment activities during the war, was

closed tonight.

All other branches of the committee except the foreign and official bulletin divisions, will be closed before the end

## MOORE MEMORIAL PLANNED

Resolutions Presented for Presentation to Court Tuesday.

Memorial exercises will be held to the Supreme Court rooms at Salem, Tuesday afternoon, December 3, at 1:30 P. M., in honor of the late Justice Frank A. Moore, who died September 15, 1918. Resolutions have been prepared and will be presented to the Supreme Court on behalf of the Oregon Bar Association by the following named committee:

Judge Wallace McCamant, chairman, Portland; Judge George G. Bingham, Salem; Judge Martin L. Pipes, Port-Memorial exercises will be held to

land: Col. J. H. Raley, Pendleton, and A. E. Reames, Esq., Medford. The Federal court will be represent-ed on this occasion by Charles H. Carey, chairman; C. E. S. Wood, Wirt Minor, William D. Fenton, and Arthur

Minor, William D. Fenton, and Arthur C. Spencer.

The Multnomah bar will be represented by Joseph H. Simon, chairman: Fred V. Holman, A. M. Crawford, Cleero M. Idleman, and William M. Davis. Officers of the Oregon Bar Association, as well as a large number of local attorneys are planning to leave Portland on the 19:40 Oregon Electric train at the North Bank depot, and will reach the North Bank depot, and will reach Salem in time to lunch before attend-ing the exercises.

## VALUE IS ABOUT \$10,000,000 POSTAL HEAD IS RELIEVED RED FLAG MENACE TALKED

A. B. Richards Surrenders Office to Former Assistant.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20 .- (Special.) -A. B. Richards, superintendent of the Pacific division of the Postal Telegraph Company, has been relieved of his duties by telegraphic orders from Postmaster-General Burleson. It is ru mored that William Hearn, Richards' spruce the world has ever known, the assistant, has been named as his suc-

Jack Rhain and Alex Marthalen, in this country. Such a peril may minors, were remanded to the Juvenile lurk."

Court yesterday by Municipal Judge

No Room For Red Flag Here. zation upon which will devolve the Rossman on two charges of stealing an greatest responsibility, for it will be automobile and breaking into a store, under the jurisdiction of this body that The boys were arrested by Motorcycle Patrolman Wright after an automobile in which they were riding with two other boys collided with a machine driven by J. Domisse at East Twenty-eighth street and Sandy boulevard Friday might. Seattle, wash, one of the previous speakers, Mayor Baker proceeded:

"The red flag trouble may be started in Seattle some day. But mark me, no red flag will be allowed in this city.

tle, on October 4, Proved.

into willing ears!

long love and fidelity!

ishing beauty and value.

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tion and high repute of 48 years'

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you diamonds of positive, fixed

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Diamonds, not only, but diamonds

set in cunningly-wrought conceits

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# SCOTCH OF OREGON

Members of St. Andrew's Society Laud Land of Birth.

Mayor Baker Tells Assemblage There Is Room for but One Flag in United States.

"We Scotch are great people. The admiral at the head of the British navy facing the Germans is a Scot. So is the Commander-in-Chief of the British armies in France. But we Scotch aren't making any noise about it. We are wearing our high honors with

modesty." Such were keynotes running through the annual banquet of the St. Andrew's Society of Oregon, held last night in the grill of the Hotel Portland. Two hundred people were present, about 25 per cent being women.

contained in a patriotic speech by Mayor Baker, who, speaking on the toast "The Rose City," said: "Some of the other speakers have referred to the menace of the red flag

No Room For Red Flag Here. Turning to Rev. E. V. Shayler, of

speakers, Mayor Baker proceeded:
"The red flag trouble may be started eighth street and Sandy boulevard Friday night.

After the boys were taken to police headquarters they are alleged to have confessed that they had stolen the machine in which they were riding, and also to have admitted breaking into a store near the scene of the collision. The two other boys who participated in the escapseds got away before the so many loyal English and Scotch, and so many loyal English and Scotch, and better still-that they are all good

Pershing's Name Applauded. Mayor Baker also lauded the spirit of the gallant little British army that

has cemented all peoples into one. He will be free and a musical programme lauded General Hafg and Admiral Beat-wilf be rendered. GOTTSTEIN FOUND GUILTY

General Foch, the commander-in-chief of the allies, and the meeting heard the speaker in silence. But when the Mayor mentioned General Pershing, the Scots head of Ladies' Auxiliary to the Ancient Order of Hibernians in America, held Friday evening, a resolution was adopted petitioning President Wilson broke into delightful applause

SEATTLE, Nov. 20.—William Gottstein, realty dealer was tonight convicted of murder in the first degree by a superior court jury.

Gottstein was charged with the killing of John Murray, a railway baggage checker, near Des Moines, Wash, not far from Seattle, on October 4. Robbery was said to have been the motive.

Seotch Tenacity Lauded.

Rev. E. V. Shayler, rector of St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Seattle, spoke on "Scotland's Part in the Great World War," and referred appreciatively to Scotch spirit and tenacity that helped to win the battles. He though that much of this tenacity comes from the Scot's Euti, who were arrested at Pellcan City religion, giving him the tenacity that bery was said to have been the motive. Scotch Tenneity Lauded.

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lander's. Space is here to tell you

of but a few.' Come, look, and

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Jewelry for men-seal rings, scarf

pins, vest chains, cuff buttons,

Jewelry for women-brooches, bar pins, bracelets, vanity cases.

Every conceivable article in the

finest of sterling silver for the

Novelties in fine leathers for men

and women; things of beauty and

that Portland can show you.

choose freely:

cigar cutters.

Mr. Shayler pictured the hopeful new era, the new democracy that is being ushered in to curh the spirit of social unrest that may be before us in days of reconstruction of our social fabric.

Patriotic speeches also were made by John McCourt, Major T. A. Mills, United States Army, W. R. MacKenzie and A. H. Birreil. Governor Withycombe, who was to have responded to the toast of "The Beaver State," was prevented from keeping his engagement.

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Music was rendered by Harold Hurlbut, tenor; Fred T. Crowther, baritone, and Miss Nan Gray, of Pantages Theater. Miss Elsie Johnston danced the Highland fling and Pipe Major Macdonald played bagpipe selections. Carl Denton was accompanist. A. G. Findlay the newly installed president, was toastmaster.

## PENSION EVIL IS OPPOSED

SOCIAL WORKERS GATHER AND DISCUSS WAR PROBLEMS.

Public Health Department Asked to Safeguard Returning Soldiers Against "Flu" Epidemic.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30 .- Social workers from all parts of the United States gathered here to consider problems arising from demobilization of the Nation's armed forces today adopted a resolution calling upon the Government "for avoidance of the evils of the pension system for our victorious troops and of preventable poverty among wage-earners." Another and a deeper keynote was

Further extension "of the social insurance and in workmen's compensation laws" was suggested as a remedy. The conference also resolved to request the United States Public Health Service and the American Public Health Association "to take immediate steps to safeguard the returning Army and the civilian population against a possible recurrence of the influenza epidemic."

Other resolutions called for "perpetu tion, extension and improvement of the United States Public Employment Service," "restoration of the protection for working children granted through the Federal child labor act of 1916" and adoption by the Government of a programme "by which the authority and responsibility of the Nation for Americanization should be organized, centralized and unified, with every encouragement to state and local effort."

## IRISH SOCIETIES TO MEET

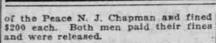
Ireland's Claim for Self-Determination Is Topic of Addresses.

Rev. Dr. Matthews, of Seattle, to Study Reconstruction Needs.

SEATTLE, Nov. 30.—Rev. M. A. Matthews, formerly moderator of the Presbyteran Church and pastor of the Seattle Pirst Presbyterian Church, is to leave soon for a three months' study in Europe of reconstruction needs of the devastated countries.

He goes as an independent investi-

adopted petitioning President Wilson to use his influence at the peace conference in gaining self-determination for Ireland.



JOHN B. COYNE. MARTHA J. WILSON,

We wish to thank our many friends for their kind sympathy and beautiful floral offerings in our sad bereavement, and especially Arleta Camp. MR. AND MRS. J. R. WELCH. MR. AND MRS. A. A. GALICHIS

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CARD OF THANKS.

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