

\$6000 IS REQUESTED BY WELFARE BUREAU TO CARRY ON WORK

Funds Must Be Obtained or Activities for Needy Ones Will Be Suspended.

BUDGET HAS BEEN CUT

City of Portland Reminded That Tax is Not Doing Their Full Duty at Home at Present.

A report of effective service in behalf of the needy made today by the Public Welfare Bureau is coupled with an appeal for \$6000 to carry on the work.

The bureau's budget was cut 40 per cent because of improved economic conditions in Portland, but the amount so far secured, \$10,000, has been sufficient to carry on the work, declares the report which is signed by the directors of the bureau and which reads as follows:

The Public Welfare Bureau during November, December, January and February rendered individual assistance in the following cases:

Food, fuel, clothing, etc., \$286; temporary employment, 54; permanent employment, \$18,000; secured medical or institutional care, 114.

Improved economic conditions in Portland have lessened the destitution arising from unemployment and under-employment, but unfortunately not those arising from accidents, old age, sickness and death.

We have been able to reduce our average budget by 40 per cent. We have raised \$10,000 but must have an additional \$6000 to carry on the work of relieving distress during the remainder of this year.

Unless we can obtain these funds we will be compelled to suspend our activities and turn away needy people of cases urgently needing aid.

In the past repeated written appeals have tired the public, consuming valuable time, and were a source of enormous expense to the bureau. This season the directors have saved at least \$2000 of expenses by making personal appeals, but even by this means contributions have not resulted in sufficient volume to meet our most urgent requirements. While we appreciate the many calls for relief, we must maintain that the citizens of Portland are not doing their full duty in alleviating distress at home.

This is your problem. We appeal to you in the confidence that you will respond generously.

Directors: L. N. Fleischner, J. Henry Ludbe, E. S. Howard, Merton H. Insley, W. B. Mackay, Julius I. Meier, T. Henry Boyd, J. P. Daly, Mrs. A. E. Blose, Mrs. Henry L. Corbett, Mrs. P. J. Flynn, Mrs. Alva Lee Stephens, Mrs. J. D. Farrell, Wells Gilbert, Kurt Koehler, J. A. Henry, L. B. Smith.

Russian Agent, Shot, May Die of Wounds

Friends Assert Shooting Was Accidental But Police of Baltimore Are Silent—Carried Large Sum.

Baltimore, Md., April 5.—(U. P.)—Michael Porzakovsky, secret commercial agent of the Russian government, will probably die from bullet wounds received at the exclusive Baltimore Country club.

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BRIEF NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

Eugene Ministers Ready. Eugene, Or., April 5.—The Eugene Ministerial Association has offered the services of its members to Mayor Bell for whatever war-time duty may be assigned them.

Reforestation Under Way. Grants Pass, Or., April 5.—A contingent of 25,000 western yellow pine trees of 2-year-old stock, and 100 white pine trees of 3-year-old stock, has been received by the Crater National Forest.

Homesteader Is Convicted. Goldendale, Wash., April 5.—James M. Shipley, a homesteader residing in the Munson Prairie district of the Elmore mountains, 15 miles northeast of Goldendale, was convicted of a statutory offense by a jury in the superior court at Goldendale after being out on the case for 14 hours.

Motorists Will Drill. Aberdeen, Wash., April 5.—(U. P.)—Recruiting for a motorcycle company formed here last night is in full swing today and more than 26 members already have signed up.

Militia; Is Arrested. Seattle, Wash., April 5.—(U. P.)—Dr. J. H. F. Gill, a Chinese tong war leader, has been called to a conference of tong leaders for 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

SNAPSHOTS TAKEN ON SKIRMISH LINE

LIEUTENANT RICHARD I. HELMER, formerly in command of the marine corps, Oregon Naval Militia, has been in Portland on a flying visit to arrange his affairs before accepting a commission in the Fourth company, coast artillery, of San Francisco, Cal.

SEVENTH company, coast artillery corps, O. N. M., of Medford, has adopted as a mascot Frank Holstein, formerly the mascot of the First cavalry, U. S. A.

WHEN the boys went to the "front" from Lebanon Saturday the town closed up to escort them to the train. A large number went to F. company, Third Oregon, and others to various organizations.

SOME time ago a body of students in Eugene made a small coffin, and with mournful rites labeled it "University of Oregon Gloom."

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St. Louis Celebrates Action of President. St. Louis, Mo., April 5.—(U. P.)—St. Louis today ratified President Wilson's step to defend the honor of the nation.

MAN CONVICTED OF ASSAULT PROCLAIMS LOYALTY TO THE U. S.

C. A. Colenaty, Fined \$10, Declares He Defended the Flag, Despite Testimony.

C. A. Colenaty, manager of the Cascade market, Third and Yamhill streets, was fined \$10 in the municipal court this morning, when he was convicted of an assault on L. A. Jones, proprietor of a booth.

Jones, who sells coffee, tea and flowers in his booth, asserted that the dispute grew out of the fact that Colenaty displayed an American flag, thus antagonizing foreign patrons of the market.

Colenaty denied this, stating that Jones had been ordered to leave the market through some other trouble, and had refused to go.

Jones said his nose was broken in two places as a result of the assault, which he asserted was made with a ten-pound flowerpot, augmented by fists.

Ejectment Suit Commenced. Ejectment proceedings against Jones were started by the Frye Packing company, owner of the market, several days ago and the hearing comes up in the district court this afternoon.

Colenaty, who is a native of Bohemia, stated that he was a member of the Elks and that he had endeavored to have his sons enlist in the militia, but they were rejected.

Patrons of the market were heard making derogatory remarks about the flag over Jones' booth, Colenaty said, and as evidence of his loyalty to this country he promptly rebuked them, with the statement that there would be no neutral talk in his place.

"I told them I wouldn't stand for any talk about the flag, and I said it right before this fellow and he heard it," declared Colenaty, turning to

Jones. The latter did not deny that Colenaty had done this.

Jones said his was the only flag in the market until after the trouble on Wednesday, when several were strung up. He put up his flag immediately after Mayor Albee's proclamation was made, he said, and the ejectment order soon followed.

Colenaty said he did not mind the \$10 fine and was anxious only to make clear his unquestioned loyalty and patriotism for America.

Lecture on Engineering. "Some Interesting and Unique Bits of Engineering Construction" illustrated by stereopticon views, is the subject of a lecture to be delivered tonight in Room A, Central library, at 8 p. m., by J. W. Swares, hydro-electric engineer. The public is invited to attend.

Speaking of New Spring Hats

reminds us that this is Easter week and every man is expected to follow his wife's or sweetheart's example and appear in a new hat on Easter Sunday.

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