## ONLY THREE SHIP PLANTS IN NEED OF ADDITIONAL

Standifer Wood Shipyards at Vancouver and North Portland Seek 500 Carpenters.

STEEL MEN TO HAVE CHANCE

Standifer Construction Comparty's Plant to Be Ready Soon; Other Yards Well Supplied.

Unless the government orders a big new drive in shipbuilding the prospects of shipyards adding to their present forces are not bright, with possibly the exception of three cases, according to shipbuilders today. G. M. Standifer- Construction

company, which has a wooden yard at Vancouver, and the Standifer-Clarkson company, having a wood yard in North Portland, announce that they are in need of 500 carpenters, including skilled house carpenters, bridge carpenters and millwrights. Additional shifts have just been inaugurated in those yards and they have need of the men immediately. A large army of additional workers will be wanted soon in the steel shippard being established at Vancouver by the G. M. Standifer Construction company. Work on the fill is rapidly progressing. Northwest Drops 500 Men

In issuing the call for 500 more men, G. M. Standifer says that the two



Resinc cases of eczema, ringworm or similar affections, Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap usually relieve the itching at once and quickly overcome the trouble. Physicians have prescribed this simple, efficient treatment for many years. All druggists sell Resinol. Sample free. Dept.

#### Salts in Hot Water Clears Pimply Skin

Says we must make kidneys clean the blood, and pimples disappear.

Pimples, sores and boils usually result from toxins, poisons and impurities which are generated in the bowels and then absorbed into the blood through the very ducts which should absorb only nourishment to sustain the body.

It is the function of the kidneys to filter impurities from the blood and cast them out in the form of urine, but in many instances the bowels create more toxins and impurities than the kidneys can eliminate, then the blood uses the skin pores as the next best means of getting rid of these impurities, which often break out all over the skin in the form of pimples.

The surest way to clear the skin of these eruptions, says a noted authority, is to get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of hot water each morning before breakfast for one week This will prevent the formation of toxins in the bowels. It also stimulates the kidneys to normal activity, thus coaxing them to filter the blood of impurities and clearing the skin of pimples.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia. Here you have a pleasant, effervescent drink which usually makes pimples disappear, cleanses the blood and is excellent for the kidneys as well.

#### Portland Insurance Man Tells of Friend's Recovery

"He suffered considerably from gas in stomach and colic attacks, and at times was very yellow. His doctors diagnosed his ailment as gall bladder trouble and that an operation was necessary. Some one persuaded him to try Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. Since aking it one year ago he tells me he has been able to eat anything." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the ntestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, ncluding appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. The Owl Drug company.

## **Q**UICK RELIEF FOR STOMACH MISERY

Use Mi-o-na Tablets, they are one o the most effective and safe remedies for out-of-order stomachs. Besides aickly stopping the distress, Mi-o-na sothes the irritated walls of the stomsch, strengthens and builds up the digestive organs. Do not suffer another day, get a box at once. For sale by The Owl Drug Co.—(Adv.)

wooden yards are in a big drive to turn | tion. Another hull will be ready at that contracts as quick as possible. plant soon, while the Northwest com-To do that, he added, men must be secured who can handle tools. In other words, only experienced men are wanted. The policy will be to develop those COLUMBIA BUILT SHIP LAID UP if enough fully experienced men are not Motorship May, Now Pelican, Returns secured.

A peculiar condition exists at the

plant of the Northwest Steel company, where a few weeks ago 4000 men were The motorship May, which left Vanemployed compared to 3500 now. With couver, January 30, for an Atlantic port the government clamoring for more and put into Los Angeles, February 14 ships, that plant was compelled to lay off 500 employes because of the slowness with which material has been arriving from the East. Even at this the plant is way ahead of its schedule. An official stated that the plant is not running at full canacity now by any means. Despite the fact that the force has been cut down, a large number of workmen gather at the gates nearly every morning seeking jobs. Similar crowds gather at the plant of the Columbia River Shipbuilding corporation.

No Shortage Anticipated

pairs.

Pelican.

West Coast ports.

FATE OF VESSEL IS MYSTERY

Burned Hulk Found in South Sea

Thought Remains Bertha Dolbeer.

by the German raider Wolf, or foundered

n a gale in the South sea, may never be

known, but hope for the safety of the vessel has been abandoned here. The

schooner sailed from San Francisco, No-

vember 3, under command of Cantain

Ferem, and is 120 days overdue. She

was sold by the Pacific States Trading

company to H. F. Sullivan a year ago

and was carrying case oil to Australia.

left of the schooner.

shipyard at Astoria.

port.

A burned hulk recently found in the

ALL ALONG THE WATERFRONT

To inspect' the steamers Telegraph

and Dispatch, the assistant inspectors

left for Marshfield and Coquille Mon-

day morning. Captain Edwards, inspec-

tor of hulls, and John Wynn, inspector

of boilers, will go to Newport Friday

The motorship Pauline made a good

Thus the trip took only seven days. The

Bringing freight from San Francisco

for her sale to New Orleans interests

was consummated, the steam schooner

burn, it is said, will leave San Francisco

News of the Port

Arrivais March 5

MARINE ALMANAC

Sun Record for March 6

Sun rises. . . 6:41 a. m. Sun seta. . 6:04 p. m.
Tides at Astoria Wednesday
High Water Low Water
6:02 a. m. . 7.6 feet 1:44 a. m. . . 1.1 feet
8:07 p. m. . 5.4 feet

DAILY RIVER READINGS

RIVER FORECAST

AT NEIGHBORING PORTS

Astoria, March 5.—Arrived at 8 and left up at 9:40 a. m., steamer E. H. Meyer, from San

Phy in and Medical Author Sa

MERY WOMAN

EVERY MOTHER

EVERY DAUGHTER

NEEDS IRON

AT TIMES

generally took ordinary metallic iron, which often corroded the stomach and did more harm than good. I always insist that my patients take only organic from—Nuxated Iron. This particular form of iron is easily assimilated, does not inacken nor injure the teeth nor upset the stomach. It will increase the strength and endurance of weak, nervous, irritable, careworn, huggard-looking women in ten days time in many instances. I have used it in my own practice with most surprising results.—Ferdinand King, M. D.

NOTE: NUXATED IRON recomments by Dr. Ferdinand King can be from any good druggist with the guarantee of success or ... It is dispensed in this all good druggists.

CHILDREN'S COUGHS

may be checked, and more serious condi-tions of the throat will be often avoided

by promptly giving the child a do

To help strengthen her nerves as

put color into ber che

There can be no beau-tiful, healthy, rosy-cheeked women with-out iron. The trouble in the

past has been that when

women need-ed iron they generally took

Stage.

Height
(in feet.)

Change
in last 24
in last 24
in last 24
kein/all
in last 24
bours.

25 | 2.8| \*0.1| 0.00 10 | 5.3| -0.7| 0.00 20 | 6.5| \*0.3| 0.21 29 | 5.5| \*0.2| 0.00

after a few repairs are made.

steamer, for San Francisco; ballast

STATIONS.

Oregon City

(\*) rise; (-) fall.

to inspect the steamers Truant and New-

San Francisco, March 5. - (I. N. S.)

One hundred men were at the gate of the Supple & Ballin Shipbuilding corporation's plant, on the east side, between the Burnside and Morrison bridges Monday morning, seeking work. That plant is employing 600 men at present, about all it can handle with the present work. Some days three to five new men are put on, but not frequently. It is assumed that the large number is attracted there by the plant's being close in.

In the crowds are both experienced and non-experienced men. Many are carpenters, others are machinists, while a majority are common laborers.

the Peninsula plant an official stated that operations were progressing on an "even keel." Seven hundred and fifty are on the payroll now. There are applications right along from seeking work, but none are needed. unless, added the official, the government orders a big drive. None of the shipbuilders anticipate a

labor shortage, though knowing that the surplus doubtless will be absorbed in other lines of work developing as spring opens up.

WESTERN WAVE IS LAUNCHED

welfth 8800 Ton Steel Freighter Built Here Takes to Water.

Twelve 8800-ton steel freighters have been floated by two shipbuilding plants run between Portland and San Pedro. of Portland. The twelfth took to the en route to Antofogasta, with a cargo waters Monday afternoon at the North- of lumber. The Merchants Exchange west Steel company's plant. It was the was advised Monday morning that she Western Wave and was sponsored by put into San Pedro Sunday for fuel oil. Mrs. Bert C. Ball, wife of President Ball | She sailed from here on February 24. of the Willamette Iron & Steel works. which holds the contracts for outfitting he hulls built by the Northwest Steel company. Katherine, the young daughter of Mrs. Ball, was sponsor for the that was intended to be brought by Hampton, the previous hull the steamer Breakwater before the deal launched by the Northwest company. The Western Wave was the eighth launched by the Northwest Steel com- Prentiss arrived at Columbia dock Sunpany. Four have been launched by the day about noon. The affairs of the In-Columbia River Shipbuilding corpora-

### SAVE DAD'S LIFE **GET IT FOR HIM**

Says It is suicide to cut corns and tells how they lift right out.

You simply say to the drug store man Give me a quarter of an ounce of freezone." This will cost very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn from one's feet.

A few drops applied directly upon a tender, aching corn should relieve the soreness instantly, and soon the entire corn, root and all, can be lifted out

with the fingers without pain. This new drug called freezone is an ether compound discovered by a Cincinnati man, who says that while freezone is sticky it dries in a moment, and simply shrivels up the corn without

inflaming or even irritating the surounding tissue or skin. Don't let father die of infection or lockiaw from whittling at his corns but cut this out and make him try it.-Adv.

**Your Liver** has important work to do. Under favorable conditions it does Albany it well. If sluggish, relieve it with

# BEECHAMS

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

## **CAUSE INDIGESTION**

Create Gas, Sourness and Pain. How to Treat.

Medical authorities state that nearly nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble, indigestion, sourness, burning, gas, bloating, nauses, etc., are due to an excess of hydrochloric acid in the excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach and not as some believe to a lack of digestive juices. The delicate stomach lining is irritated, digestion is delayed and food sours, causing the dis-agreeable symptoms which every stom-ach sufferer knows so well.

Artificial digestents are not needed Artificial digestents are not needed in such cases and may do real harm. Try laying aside all digestive aids and instead get from any druggist a few ounces of Bisurated Magnesia and take a teaspoonful in a quarter glass of water right after eating. This sweetens the stomach, prevents the formation of excess acid and there is no sourness, gas or pain. Bisurated Magnesia (in powder or tablet form—never liquid or milk) is harmless to the stomach, inexpensive to take and is the most efficient form of magnesia for stomach purposes. It is used by thousands of people who enjoy their meals with no more fear of indigestion.—Adv.

#### For Burning Eczema

Greasy salves and ointments should not be applied if good clear skin is wanted, From any druggist for 35c, or \$1.00 for large size, get a bottle of zemo. When applied as directed it effectively removes eczema, quickly stops itching, and heals skin troubles, also sores, burns, wounds and chafing. It penetrates, cleanses and soothes. Zemo is a clean, dependable and inexpensive, antiseptic liquid. Try it, as we believe nothing you have ever used is as effective and satisfying.

and satisfying.
The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

#### STATISTICS ARE **GIVEN IN PUBLICATION** to San Francisco for Repairs. San Francisco, March 5. - (I. N. S.)

after a severe buffeting, arrived in San Serious Error Made Regarding Francisco Sunday for permanent re-Portland in 1918 Edition of Minus her captain, chief engineer and purser, who were arrested in Los An-"Pacific Ports." geles charged with sedition and attempts to obstruct selective draft, the steamer Centralia of the Pan-American Steam-

ship company, arrived in San Francisco The 1918 edition of "Pacific Ports," vesterday from Central American and ublished by Frank Waterhouse & Co. of Seattle, has just been issued. The vessel referred to as the May is issue is considerably larger than those evidently the Pelican. She was built on of former years. Not only is port in-the Columbia river and launched under formation given, but the statistics and the name of May. Later she changed hands and her name was changed to

> About 12 pages are occupied with information about the port of Portland. among the first of the statements about Portland is that there is now a channel 10 feet deep at the entrance to the Columbia and 30 feet in the Columbia reight and grain terminal now under over for a few days of "city life." construction a serious error is made.

"Construction is now under way for first unit grain elevator of 1,000,000 the grain elevator at Portland will contain 1,000,000 bushels. The information for the Portland section of "Pacific Ports" was furnished by the Chamber of Commerce, but E. N. Weinbaum, the statistician who prepared the material says that the information was correctly given; also that the book was published without giving the Chamber of Commerce opportunity to see any proof sheets of the local section.

The Seattle Chamber of Commerce advertisement of the Port of Seattle to Ship at Pacific Coast Ports," in which the Seattle figure is given as \$126.20; Portland. \$465; San Francisco. \$1368; San Pedro, \$481.50; San Diego, \$540.15, and Vancouver, B. C., \$230. For comparison the hypothetical case of a 6000-ton vessel of 30-foot draft, remain- the I. ing in port six days discharging and

taking on cargo, is used. veriest camouflage," was the comment of executive Secretary Dodson of the Chamber of Commerce, relative Pauline is a product of the McEachern to these figures.

"Our port costs properly estimated equalize, and where there is any disparity in the case of oriental service we equalize it.' Mr. Dodson is preparing figures

show the true facts.

#### Striking Caulkers Go Back to Work dependent Steamship company will be wound up here in a few days. The steamer Prentiss will take back a cargo of lumber to be loaded at St. Helens. The steamer F. A. Kilburn, fleet mate

of the Breakwater, was included in the Aberdeen, Wash., March 5 .- Caulkers The concern purchasing the employed in the shipyards who have been steamers is the Main Fruit & Steamship company of New Orleans. According to on strike several days, returned to work word from San Francisco the Break- this morning at the government scale of shock of the combined French, British water sailed from there Saturday for \$7.70 a day. Employes at the Grays and American armies. She knows that her new home on the Gulf coast. She Harbor Motorship yards were out for in spite of whatever initial success she was well loaded with general freight. three days and at the Aberdeen ship- may gain by a big west front offensive, Captain Rees is in command. The all | yard for one day.

Francisco. Arrived at 6 and left up at 7:80 a.

m., steamer Santiam, from San Pedro. Arrived at 9:30 a. m. and left up, gas schooner Rosmer, from Newport and way ports. Arrived at 9 and left up at noon, steamer Beaver, from San Francisco and San Pedro. Arrived at 10:55 a. m., steamer Trinidad, from San Francisco. Salled at 11:45 a. m., steamer Atlas and barge No. 93, for San Francisco. E. H. Meyer, American steamer, from San Francisco; ballast. Beaver, American steamer, from San Francisco and San Pedro; passengers and freight.

Mathews, from Columbia river.

Port Lobus, March 4.—Passed at 1 p. m.,
steamer J. A. Chanslor, from Gaviota, for Port-Departures March 5
James Tuft, American barkentine, for Sydney, via Westport; lumber. Washtenaw, American Erris, from San Francisco and Columbia river.

Marshfield, March 4.—Arrived: Lindauer. Weather at River's Mouth
North Head, March 5.—Conditions at the
mouth of the river at noon: Wind, east, 10 miles;

Erris, from San Francisco and Columbia river.

Marshfield, March 4.—Arrived: Lindauer, from San Francisco, 2:20 p. m.

San Francisco, March 5.—(I. N. S.)—Arrived: Tosa Maru, from Balboa, 11:50 a. m;

Rose City, From Portland, 3:55 p. m.; Admiral Dewey, from Los Angeles, 9:10 p. m.

Sailed March 4.—Queen, for Los Angeles, 12:25 p. m.; Vanguard, for Eureka, 12:05 p. m.; Nehalem, for Central America, 5 p. m.; Avalon, for Grays Harbor, 2 p. m.; Lyman Stewart, for Port San Luis, 4:35 p. m.; Dalsy Putnam, for Columbia river, 5:05 p. m.; Herbert L. Pratt, for Seattle, 5:05 p. m.; Westport, Crescent City, 5:50 p. m.; Newburg, for Fort Bragg, 9:30 p. m.; Johan Poulsen, for Portland, 10:10 p. m.; Argyll, for Portland, 11:25 p. m.

Seattle, March 5.—Arrived—Admiral Schley, San Pedro, noon; Grayson, Tacoma, 8:15 a. m.

Sailed—Katori Maru, Manila, 10:45 a. m.

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Seattle, March 4.—Arrived—Senator, from Singapore, 6:30 p. m.; Skagway, Port Blakeley, 7 p. m.; Fulton, at 7 p. m.; Santa Inez, Tacoma, 5 p. m.

Sailed—Azumasan Maru, Kobe, 5 p. m.

Ketchikan, March 4.—Sailed—Valdez, southbound, 11 a. m.

Port Townsend, March 5.—Passed in—A Can-

bound, 11 a. m.

Port Townsend, March 5.—Passed in—A Canadian steam sloop, letter "C" on stack, at 8 a. m.

Port Townsend, March 4.—Passed out—Admiral Evans and Admiral Farragut, at 2:15 p. m.

Port Gamble, March 5.—Arrived—Yosemite, San Francisco.
Tacoma, March 4.—Arrived—Arabien, Singa-

Notice to Mariners Branch Hydrographic Office, Portland, March 4.-Information has been received by radio from the master of a steamer that at 10:50 a. m. on March 1, 1918, he passed alongside of white painted wreckage, apparently a wood deckhouse, capsized. Bodega head, California, before I had fully recovered rheumabearing east true, 11 miles. Dangerous to navigation. E. F. Eckhardt, com-mander U. S. navy, retired, per Oscar W. Schwartz, nautical expert U. S. N.

EIGHT-HOUR PLAN KNOCKS PROP FROM UNDER I. W. W.

(Continued from Page One) offer the free service of the bureau to and thoroughly alarmed me. any extent needed. "Expand as far as labor," is the keynote of Mr. Densmore's told about the merits of Dr. Williams' instructions.

To make a study of how far the service can be extended, J. G. Brown of the It was fortunate for me that I did. for Seattle headquarters arrived in Portland these pills proved the very thing I this morning. His first duty was to needed. Improvement set in as soon

vate concerns. They live off the fees derived. Some unscrupulous private agencies actually supply the same man with two and three jobs during one season, each time collecting a fee, according to government officials, though having no interest in supplying that man with a job that suits. It is the govern ment employment bureau's policy to find an applicant a job that he will keep. If he should return for another job in a short while and still another his record is investigated. In this way the government service is able to supply the most reliable help. Surplus of Workers in City The present time is better than at this sea-

strictly a government organization, maintained entirely by the government.

And as a result thereof no selfish inter-

ests are involved as is the case in pri-

The labor situation at Portland at the son for some years, though it is estimated that between 3000 and 4000 men

formation given, but the statistics and are now idle, according to Mr. Bonham. conditions of export and import com- He believes the surplus of labor, how merce are set forth and a number of ever, will be absorbed when spring opens illuminating special articles are con- up, for men who are unable to get work in the city will be called by farm work. Explaining the present over supply, Mr. Bonham says Portland occupies peculiar position in that it is the only metropolis in a large territory and draws laborers from all sections when work slacks. Some are en route to other o Portland. In reference to Portland's sections in search of work and stop Among those out of work now there is no distress, Mr. Bonham says. In most cases they are well supplied with

pounds capacity," reads the statement money, having had good positions, and deavored to prepare everything in ad-in "Pacific Ports." The first unit of in the main are "laying off" by choice, vance so that even in open combat

defiant of the law and criminal in its William D. Stephens at the opening of the two day war conference of the and Commercial club insert a 12-page State Council of Defense here today. The governor, who has occasion to under the heading "Comparative Cost realize the extent of its machinations by reason of the dynamiting of the gubenatorial mansion at Sacramento. responsibility for which has been placed at the organization's door by the investigating officers, declared that there was a clear distinction between W. W. and the labor movement.

"In other states," said the governor, "this organization has recruited its forces from honorable workingmen. This is not true in California. The I. W. W. movement, as we have it, does not represent a condition of general unrest. It is no symptom of labor sickness. It consists of a group of sufficient viciousness as to constitute a menace. In the stress of the times we must prepare to deal with it irmly and effectively. Its members are disloyal enemies of the government and boastfully threaten to hinder and defeat our war work.'

#### AMERICANS DRIVE HUNS BACK: TAKE PRISONERS

(Continued from Page One)

she will be obliged to defend every step of the territory between the west front

In the 1918 German offensive system San Pedro, March 4.—Arrived, steamer Daisy the three lines of trenches of the original system give way to three great fighting zones, the first of which is known as the "zone of habitual com-Honolulu, March 3.—Arrived motor schooner bat"; the second as the "zone of grand

### DANGER FOLLOWS ATTACK OF GRIP

Many People Are Left in a Wretched Condition After the Influenza Passes.

Mrs. Van Scoy Experiences Dangerous After-Effects of the Grip and Learns the Value of a Blood Remedy.

The danger from grip is seldom over when the characteristic symptoms, the fever, the catarrh, the headache and the depression of spirits pass away.
The grip leaves behind it weakened western pore.

San Francisco, March 5.—Arrived—Steamer Willamette, Los Angeles, 5:30 a. m.; Washington, Eureka, 6 a. m.; South Coast, Los Angeles, 7 a. m.; Helen P. Drew, Greenwood, 7 a. m.; tug Sampson, with barge C. A. Smith in tow, Marshfield, 7:30 a. m.; Yale, Los Angeles, 8:30 a. m.; Necanicum, Brookings, 10 a. m.

Sailed—Power schooner Golden State, codfish cruise, 7 a. m.; tug Belief, with barkentine Charles F. Crocker in tow, Columbia river, 9:30 a. m. Williams' Pink Pills are justly

regarded as peculiarly adapted to building up the health after a siege of the grip. Mrs. Laura M. Van Scoy, who lives

Conn., makes a statement that supports this claim. She says: "I had a severe attack of grip, and tism set in and tormented me for three months. I was in a badly run-down state. Soon after it began I was so lame for a week that I could hardly walk. It kept growing steadily worse and pretty soon I actually couldn't walk. At last I had to give up completely and for three weeks I was obliged to keep to my bed. My knees were so stiff I couldn't bend them and my hands were perfectly helpless. Then the pains began to threaten my heart

"While I was suffering in this way necessary to assist in supplying chanced to run across a little book that Pink Pills. The statement in it impressed me and led me to buy a box. 

will not only be rendering a real service to the government, but to the employes and employers as well, according to both Mr. Brown and Mr. Bonham. But to make the work most effective the service must have the full cooperation of the employer, they emphasized.

"It is up to him now," said Mr. Bonham. "We are ready and he can place absolute reliance in the ability of the employment service to follow in these matters write today to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for booklets on the blood and wife to Mrs. Famile H. Dr. Williams Pink Pills.

We like M. Gray and husband to Fred J. Bolton, lot 20. Block 2, Woodm:re the lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the system with lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the system with lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the system with lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the system with lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the system with lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the system with lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the system with lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the system with lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the system with lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the system with lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the system with lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the system with lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the system with lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the system with lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the system with lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the lost color and vitality. New energy circulates through the lost color and vitality. New energy circulate

ploye together without any fees at- combats" and the third as the "zone of tached thereto, it is pointed out. It is battle." The "zone of habitual combat" replaces the old first line trenches. This zone is intended to lessen the frightful losses sustained in defending the first line trenches.

The first line of the "zone of habitual combat" consists most often of a single

The troops even take up their positions in the shell holes in front of These shell holes are this trench. stocked not only with munitions, but with food and water. Often this first line is held by only a few soldiers. Instead of sacrificing thousands of Field Marshal Hindenburg now prefers to save his men by permitting Nedm grand combats."

and troops, instead of being concentrated now on the front line, are spread out indefinitely to the rearward. If the front now gives way at any time, ever increasing defensive organizations and troops are found to the rear.

In these days of "grand combats" the defensive organizations for the infantry consists of trench after trench. All of these are supported by numerous defensive positions, such as concrete forts, fortified hills, blocknouses, machine gun nests, great underground caves and forests. After them comes the great

battle." where. armies get through the first and second zones, they must give open bat-

and betokens an appreciation that Germany must end the war on the 61st defensive, not on the offensive.

#### GERMANY HAS ADDED ONLY ABOUT HALF A MILLION TO FORCE ON WESTERN FRONT

By Henry G. Wales

Paris, Feb. 14.—(By Mail)—(I. N. S.) -Despite reports sedulously dissemknown that Field Marshal von Hinden-burg has augmented his forces in Fian-ders and France with less than half a same; \$60. million men for his much-vaunted of-Furthermore it is estimated that the total strength of the German armles opposing the French, British and American forces is approximately 3,500,-

can be used in actual fighting. Twenty new German divisions have appeared on the western front since late n the autumn, 16 of them coming from the Russian front and four from the Italian theatre of war. A German division comprises in all about 20,000 men, but that figure includes all branches of service. The rifle strength of a division of 20,000 men is never above 12,000 and frequently drops as low as 7500 in a division on active sectors, where there is an extraordinary amount of work to be done behind the first line trenches. Ten thousand is a fair average of the fighting strength of division today.

000 men, of whom, at the most, 2,000,000

In the early part of February the strength of the central powers was allotted as follows, according to latest reports by the intelligence departments secret services countries: Germans, Aus.-Hung, Bulg, Turk

Italian front . .

France and Belgium is very low. Nearly all of the able-bodied men between the ages of 20 and 25 have long since been combed out and incorporated in divisions stationed in the west. The 61 divisions are made up of landwehr, landstrum and new units containing 18 and 19-year-old boys getting active training. With 241 divisions, the German army is larger than it ever has been and represents a total force of nearly 5,000,000 men. But of this gigantic number less than 50 per cent can be put in the

Offensive May Be Already On Paris, March 5 .- (I. N. S.)-The increased raiding activity of the Germans during the past five days is accepted as the prelude to the long German offensive on the western front by some of the French military experts.

trenches for actual fighting with rifle

and bayonet.

Joseph Reinach, writing in the Ficondition that makes the system an garo today, stated that "the ofensive might be considered as already on." This view is disputed in some quarters, however, and there are war critics who believe the Germans may go no further than to intensify their raids.

Australian Raid Successful London, March 5 .- (U. P.)-Australian troops conducted another suc-Mrs. Laura M. Van Scoy, who lives cessful raid in the vicinity of Warne-at No. 20 Thorpe street, Danbury, ton last night, taking several prisoners and two machine guns, Field Marshal Haig reported today. In the same neighborhood the enemy attacked a British post and was re-

pulsed after sharp fighting. South of St. Quentin British patrols took several prisoners Monday after-

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BEAL ESTATE TRANSFER

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Schlitt et al, lot 4, block 12, Lincoln
Park

Nautilla Investment Co. to J. R. Connell et al, lot 4, block 12, Riverside
add to Albina

H. D. Chambers and wife to Lilly M.
Huntley, lots 1, 2, block 2, Montavilla
N. S. Nehl and wife to Frank Sasifield,
lots 1 and 4 and S. ½ lot 5, block
11. Blackstone's add
Valdemar Lidell and wife to Sibyl L.
Partch, lot 16, block 19, Vernon.
Merchants' Loan & Investment Co. to J.
H. Ellison, lot 10, block 7, Roselawn
Claude Straman and wife to Rebecca
Springer, 2 acres beginning on S. line

Robinson Jr. et al. und. 1/2 interest in lots 1 and 2, block 2, Mt. Tabor in lots 1 and 2, block 2, Mt. Tabor place

Frank L. Gerth to Marie Sprinks, lot 13, block 35, Beaumont add.

Lottie E. Gerth to Marie Sprinks, lot 13, block 35, Beaumont add.

Peter Each and wife to Bernand Each, und. 36 interest in lot 2, Block 2, Holladay park add

Ed W. Duncan and wife to Bennepin Mtg. Co. E. 36 of SE. 36 of SE. 36 ef SE. 36 sec. 26, twp. 1 N. range 3 E., con. 20 acres

A. L. Hawley and wife to John Verran, lots 9 and 10, block 13, Center add.

J. S. Greeny and wife to Title & Trust Co., lots 4 and 5, block 18, Woodmere

men, holding a rigid line of trenches, field Marshal Hindenburg now prefers to save his men by permitting them to fall back to the "zone of grand combats."

The German defensive organization and troops, instead of being concentrated now on the front line, are

William Walker and wife to Theodore Jasper et al. lot 7, block 29, Sullivan's add.

Nedta Co. to Mae Bartlett Kuenzel, lot 11, block 8, Merlow ...

L. A. Patterson and wife to Theodore Jan's add.

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L. E. Heslin et al to Mary C. Heslin et al. beginning at NW. corner of Dunbar donation land claim...

BUILDING PERMITS Bonham & Currier, erect 1 story frame to the Hudson between Oswegomand Mohawi; Tennant builder; \$1400.

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J. Slaughterback, erect frame garage, 329 Benton between Cherry and McMillan; builder W. E. Eastman; \$75.

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Governor Says I. W. W. Is Menace San Francisco, March 5.—(I. N. S.)—A scathing arraignment of the I. W. W. whom he termed as "an element" ond zones, they must give open batter of the Germans have on the Germans have endeavored to prepare everything in advance so that even in open combat they will have the advantage.

This is the defensive system which the Germans have built, at the same time announcing their intention of ending the war by a great offensive.

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H. A. Williams, erect frame garage, 653 E. 61st N. between Sandy and Siskiyou; builder same; \$50.

T. E. Habersham, erect frame garage, 652

same; \$50.

T. E. Habersham, erect frame garage, 652
E. 76th N. between Slakiyou and Klickitat;
builder same; \$60.

Christine M. Cook, erect 1 story frame garage,
1217 E. Ankeny between E. 39th and E. 41st
N.; builder same; \$80. Fred Gogler, erect frame garage, 721 Belmont between E. 20th and E. 23d; builder same; \$70 L. C. Anderson, erect frame garage, 957 E. 18th N. between Going and Prescott; builder same; \$50. L. B. King, erect frame garage, 626 Duke st. between E. 16th and Milwaukie; builder same 

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Jesse T. Jones, N. G.

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#### Uital Statistics Marriages. Births. Deaths.

MARRIAGE LICENSES George Henry Baker, 29, 357 12th st., and Eleanor Bertha Braun, 25, Pleasant Home. Edward N. Wilson, legal, 141 ½ 11th st., and Mrs. Sarah D. Wilson, legal, Cornelius hotel. Jerome Ketchum, 18, 51 ½ Union ave., and Helen Irene Pearce, 18, 170 Vista ave. L. J. Tallinger, 22, Seaside, Or., and Vera L. Barbur, 21, 784 E. Franklin st. Edwin Stanton, legal, 309 Jefferson st., George Arthur Sutton, 41, 286 11th st., and Mrs. Clarissa Miller, 36, 286 11th st.

Wedding Announcements W. G. Smith & Co., 311 Morgan bldg. DRESS SUITS for rent, all sizes. Unique Tailoring Co., 809 Stark st.

BIRTHS

MULLEN—To Mr. and Mrs. Phillip A. Mullen, 1028 Front, Feb. 28, a son.
HAMILTON—To Mr. and Mrs. Chester T. Hamilton. 881 E. Franklin, Feb. 23, twins, son and daughter.
BENZ—To Mr. and Mrs. August George Benz Jr. 608 Madison, Feb. 25, a son.
LUSK—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Lusk, 844

700 E. 26th, Feb. 20, a son.
LUSK—To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Pietzold, 546 Frederick, Feb. 18, a son.
PIETZOLD—To Mr. and Mrs. James P. Quinn, 1236 Minnesota ave., Feb. 28, a daughter.

775 PUUSS—To Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Pluss, 688 % 24, Feb. 28, a daughter.
POWELL—To Mr. and Mrs. Cora A. Powell, Feb. 18, 928 E. 21st, a son.
MARTIN—To Mr. and Mrs. Carl P. Martin, 66 % E. 12th, Feb. 27, a son.

100 WANTED—Boy over 16 to work in bakers at W DEATHS AND PUNERALS

KNICKERBOCKER — At the residence, Milwaukie, Or., Bertha Bell Knickerbocker, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knickerbocker, rister of Mrs. Hazel Spring, Mrs. Grabe Lakin, Ruth and Edith Knickerbocker, all of MRwaukie. Funeral will be held Thurnday, March 7, at 2 p.m., from the residential pariors of Miller & Tracey, Washington at Ella.

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GORMAN—In this city, March 4, Mrs. Bridget
Gorman, beloved mother of James E. Gorman. Funeral will take place from the residential funeral parlors of Miller & Tracey,
Wednesday, March 6, at 9 a.m., thence to the
Cathedral at 10 a.m. Interment Mount Calvary
competery. 10 cemetery.

10 BASS—At the residence of his mother, Mrs. W. G. Lloyd, 577 East Nineteenth street north, March 3, Chester A. Bass, aged 22 years 11 months 18 days. Friends invited to attend funeral services, which will be held at the above residence, at 10:30 a. m. Thurnday, March 7. Concluding services at Portland crematorium.

BRENY—March 2, at Balem, Or., August Breny, aged 47 years. Funeral services will be held at Dunning & McEntas's chapel, Wednesday, March 5, at 10 a. m. Friends in 10 vited. Interment Mount Oalvary constery.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS 75 DEATHS AND FUNERALS 75
CAMPBELL—At the family residence, 125 W.
Alberta st., Martha M. Campbell, age 66
years, beloved wife of Richard Campbell, mother
of Mrs. Ida Erickson of Oakland, Cal. Mrs.
Mabel Sawyer of Brownsville, Or., Mrs. Sarah
Coad of Pendleton, Or., and Harvey and George
Campbell of Vancouver Island, B. C. Remains
in care of the Chambers, Kenworthy Co., 1111
Kerby st. Funeral notice later. ALLISON—At 4627 70th et. S. E., March B, James Allison, age 57 years. Remains are at the funeral parlors of A. D. Kenworthy & Co., 5802-94 92d st. S. E., in Lents. Funeral no-tice later.

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PENNEY—Joseph Edward Penney, Multnomah hospital, March 2, 81 years, cerebral anaemia.

LAWRENCE—Rose Dorothea Lawrence, 752
Flanders, March 2, 85 years, arterio sclerosis.

LEYY—Mark Levy, 735 Flanders, March 1, 62
years, paralysis of heart.

STOREY—Dixis Lucille Storey, 105 E. 12th, March 1, 9 years, double pneumonis.

HABER—Louise M. Haber, 5920 90th, March 1, 60 years, arterio sclerosis.

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PALESTINE LODGE No. 141,
A. F. & A. M.—Stated communication Wednesday evening.
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W. S. TOWNSEND, Secretary.

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LOST—Lady's engagement ring, with two large diamonds, one large sapphire and 14 small diamonds, set in platinum. Will pay \$100 reward for return of ring or suitable amount for information leading to its recovery. Notify Mr. Smith, Marshall 702.

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EXPERIENCED white truck driver, capable of repairing. Willamette Dairy, 483 N. Union.

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1, 60 years, arterio sclerosis.

MEANEY—Margaret G. Meaney, 486 Davis,
March 1, 28 years, pulmonary tuberculosis.

WIBBER—Charles Wibber, Multnomah hospital. Feb. 28, 46 years, myocarditis. FLORISTS

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