

PORT BOND ISSUE OF \$1,000,000 TO ESTABLISH LINES

Step in General Plan of Port
Development Included in Special Election.

TO BE ON SEPARATE BALLOT Money Would Permit Equalization of Charges, Fuel and Wages of Competitors.

To aid in establishing water transportation lines, the Port of Portland commission will ask for a \$1,000,000 bond issue at the special election, June 3.

The port measure will appear on a separate ballot from "state and city measures and the vote will be restricted to persons living within the Port of Portland district.

The ballot title, as prepared by the commission reads simply: "Bonds in the amount of \$1,000,000 for aiding the establishment of water transportation lines."

The purpose for which the money can be spent, in the discretion of the port commission, are defined by the law adopted by the last legislature and are as follows:

HOW TO BE SPENT

Contracting for cargo or cargo space. Guaranteeing cargo up to certain amounts to ship lines, companies or individuals.

Guaranteeing against delays in the Columbia and Willamette rivers or on the Columbia river bar.

Absorption of charges for lightering, dredging and towing in case a vessel should get aground.

Equalizing with competitive ports the towage, pilotage, stevedoring charges, seamen's wages, fuel and supplies.

The total amount of bonds issued by the port commission will aid the establishment of water transportation lines can not exceed, together with other debts of the port, 1 per cent of the assessed valuation of property in the port district.

TO AID DEVELOPMENT

The port commission is given power to determine the issue of the bonds, the denominations and the rate of interest, except that the interest rate must not exceed 6 per cent. The bonds are to be issued serially, the first \$250,000 due five years after issue and the remainder in equal installments at regular intervals. Provision is made in the law for sale of the bonds to the highest bidder and they are to be known as "Water Transportation Bonds."

The law passed by the 1915 legislature supplements a measure adopted by the 1917 legislature, which gives the port commission authority to encourage water transportation but does not provide for meeting the cost of the encouragement. The proposed bond issue, constitutes one of the steps in the general plan of port development.

AMERICANS SHOULD SET WORLD EXAMPLE

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horhood. We are neighbors. We have always been friends. But that is all old. Something new has happened. I am not sure that I can put it into words, but there has been added to the common principles which have united the Americas time out of mind a feeling that the world at large has accepted those principles, that there has gone a thrill of hope and of expectation throughout the nations of the world which somehow seems to have its source and fountain in the things we always believed in.

It is as if the pure waters of the fountains we had always drunk from had now been put to the lips of all peoples, and they have drunk and were refreshed. And it is a delightful thought to believe that these are the fountains which are sprung up out of the soil of the Americas.

DEMOCRACY'S BIRTH HERE
I am not, of course, suggesting, or believing that political liberty had its birth in the American hemisphere, because, of course, it did not, but the peculiar expression of it, characteristic of the modern time, that broad republicanism, that genuine feeling and practice of democracy, that is becoming characteristic of the modern world, did have its origin in America; and the response of the people of the world to this new expression is, we may perhaps pride ourselves, a response to an American suggestion.

It is that true we owe the world a peculiar service. It is to suggest great practices, we must ourselves be worthy of them. I remember not long ago attending a very interesting meeting which was held in the interest of combining Christian missionary effort throughout the world. I mean eliminating the rivalry between churches and agreeing that Christian missionaries should not represent this, or that, or the other church, but represent the general Christian impulse and principle of the world.

UNITY AGAIN EMPHASIZED
I said I was thoroughly in sympathy with the principle but I hoped if it was adopted that the inhabitants of the heathen countries would not come to look at us, because we were not ourselves united, but divided; that while we were

asking them to unite, we ourselves did not set the example.

My moral from that recollection is this: We, among other friends of liberty, are asking the world to unite in the interest of brotherhood and mutual service and to the genuine advancement of individual and corporate liberty throughout the world. Therefore, we must set the example.

I will recall to some of you an effort the I made some years ago, soon after I assumed the presidency of the United States, to do that very thing. I was urging the other states of America to unite with the United States in doing something which very closely resembled the formation of the present League of Nations.

PREVIOUS EFFORT RECALLED

I was ambitious to have the Americas do the thing first and set the example to the world of what we are now about to do. I had a double object in it, not only my pride that the Americas should set the example and show the nations of the world their principles, but that the United States should have a new relation to the other Americas.

The United States upon a famous occasion warned the governments of Europe that it would regard it as an unfriendly act if they tried to overturn free institutions in the Western Hemisphere and substitute their own systems of government which at that time were inimical to those free institutions; but while the United States thus undertook of its own motion to be the champion of America against such aggression from Europe, it did not give any conclusive assurance that it would never itself be the aggressor.

What I wanted to do, I had referred to which I had just referred to was to offer to the other American states our own bond that they were safe against us and any illicit ambitions we might entertain as well as safe, so far as the power of the United States could make them safe, against foreign nations.

If, of course, I am sorry that happy consummation did not come, but after all, no doubt the impulse was contributed to by us which has now laid a sort of mutual pledge on the part of all self-governing nations of the world that they will be friends to each other not only that, but that they will take pains to secure each other's safety and independence and territorial integrity.

No greater thing has ever happened in the present world, that, and I am particularly gratified tonight to think of the hours I have had the pleasure of spending with Mr. Fessenden as a member along with him, of the commission on the League of Nations which prepared the covenant which was submitted to the conference.

PLAN FOR BIG NAVY GIVEN UP

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gram submitted to the last congress, which would make the American navy second to none, Daniels said.

Daniels said he had assurances from Lloyd George and other allied statesmen that they were planning to follow the lead of the United States and "that it was the wisest policy not to enter into any large construction program until the League of Nations meets."

The secretary's stand today was a direct reversal of his recommendations last December.

"America has only two courses," Daniels said, "either to build the biggest navy in the world or we must have the League of Nations."

In asking elimination of the house program he recommended to the last congress, Daniels added, "We shall still have the regular three-year program."

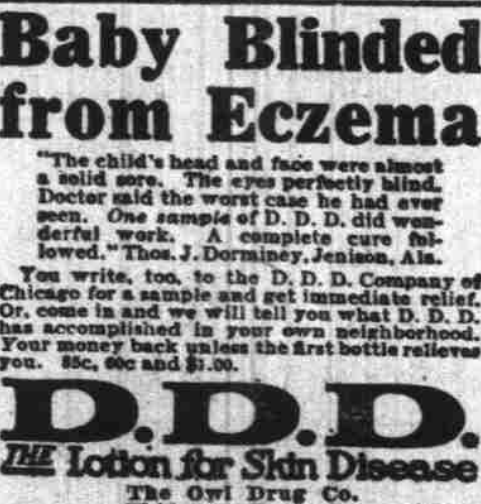
Daniels urged that the 1916 building program be pushed through.

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present three-year program a composite ship, combining battleship and cruiser qualities shall be built, Daniels said may be decided tomorrow.

Daniels said the navy officers were a unit in favor of equipping the first-class fighting ship with 12 16-inch guns.

The present three-year program authorizes 10 capital ships—four battleships and six cruisers.

Contracts for two of the battleships have been awarded and the other will be let soon, Daniels said. Four of the cruisers have been contracted for and the remaining two will be built at the Philadelphia navy yard.

CONTRACT BASIS ADOPTED

In answer to questions of committee-men, Daniels said the navy plans to eliminate all cost plus work from its construction and do everything on a contract basis.

Large naval expenditures will not be necessary under the League of Nations, according to the belief of many European statesmen, particularly by the British, Daniels said.

Great Britain has suspended all construction work looking toward increasing her navy. Plans of the British were to build three more large composite warships in the near future, but Daniels said these are all waiting until peace questions are settled.

Speaking of naval plans of other Europeans besides the British, Daniels said the French are planning to build only a few small ships rather than the large ones which were planned for the Mediterranean.

"America having initiated the League of Nations covenant and the new era," Daniels said, "we ought to show our faith and confidence in this great document which is induced by 20 nations and four fifths of the world, by not at this time authorizing any large increase in naval construction."

"Therefore, I recommend the elimination of the program I urged at the last congress. We shall still have the regular three-year program."

CONFIDENCE IN COVENANT

"Since I asked for the large increase in the navy, the world has been agreed to and I have the utmost confidence in it. It is the most momentous document in 2000 years of the world's history, and with its aims of disarmament and lasting peace we cannot, in good faith, now strive to have the greatest navy in the world."

Daniels also revealed the number of men the United States must keep in France and Germany to enforce the peace terms has not yet been determined.

The airplane, the secretary indicated, is looked upon as the greatest weapon of the future, while the submarine will probably be discarded, although there is strong sentiment against this move on the part of some nations.

TENTATIVE PLANS FOR GUARD REORGANIZATION ANNOUNCED

Washington, May 27.—(U. P.)—Tentative war department plans for the peace time national guard include a return to the pre-war organization comprising 16 divisions. It was stated authoritatively today.

Unless unexpected changes occur, this

plan outlined will be submitted to congress for its approval with a request for an appropriation sufficient to carry it out.

The first year organization would include 106,000 men, 200 for each senator and representative. This is in accordance with the Hays act, as are the proposed 50 per cent yearly increases for the four succeeding years, so that the second year there will be 306,000 men, the third 459,000, the fourth 612,000 and the fifth 765,000.

For the first year the divisions will be organized on a basis of 7820 men to a division. There will be 24 coast artillery companies. New York's share of these will bring her total guardmen to 2500 the first year.

In the proposed divisional organization, there are expected to be one artillery and three infantry regiments to a division, with the fourth to be formed later. War department officials desire principally to assure strong organization of units can be filled up later.

Twenty-five states, Hawaii and the District of Columbia so far have been authorized to organize national guard units. They include: California, Idaho, Oregon, Utah, Hawaii, Montana and Washington.

GERMANY IS SEEKING ADMISSION TO LEAGUE

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put of the coal mines which were destroyed. We go even farther than it was assumed we would go. The financial experts of the world will be astounded by that.

"As far as our counter proposals concern Belgium, they are in agreement with President Wilson's program."

"We accept the prescribed reduction in disarmament to an army of 100,000; and we are prepared for complete disarmament on land and sea if the other nations will agree to do likewise. We are desirous of freeing France from military cares and burdens."

"We can do all these things only if the means of paying for them through work are provided. If one reads Clemenceau's note one almost loses hope that it is realized that only he who works can pay."

Regarding Clemenceau's reply to previous German communications in which the French premier declared Germany would not go hungry even if some of its food producing territories were taken away, as it would still be possible to import foodstuffs from them, the chancellor pointed out that Germany couldn't buy grain and potatoes with paper money of no value outside Germany. He also asserted it would be most difficult to restore German industries when vast quantities of coal must be brought in from outside and when most of the productive territories of the east were torn away from the fatherland without the privilege of self determination.

"We must withdraw from this deadly

circle if the entente desires reparation and it is with this purpose that our counter proposals are put forward," Scheidemann declared.

"One dare not take the tools from a people and then demand that they work. The German people are like the Jews when they were led by Moses. They face 40 years' march in the wilderness, but mustn't perish in it."

"Your president has put into force the idea of a league of nations. At the same time the German counter proposals stand out as a demand for immediate admission to that league. Only through it can this epoch of hate and mutual destruction be closed."

SENTIMENT IN GERMANY IS GROWING FOR PEACE

Paris, May 27.—(U. N. S.)—Confidential reports reaching Paris today from American sources in Berlin indicated that sentiment in favor of signing the treaty is growing stronger everywhere and that sentiment in the attitude of the German envoys at Versailles, who are working at top speed getting ready the final counter proposals in terms of changes which will be presented probably on Thursday morning.

The understanding in allied circles is that the Big Four will devote only a short time to the German counter proposals and will then demand that the Germans accept or reject them within 48 hours.

It is stated that, while further modification in the treaty is expected it will simply be along the line to make the carrying out of the terms easier. The meanwhile the allied armies are ready to strike at a moment's notice should there be a seventh hour rejection.

C. A. Strickland has been elected by the Central Labor council of Portland to represent it at the American Federation of Labor at Atlantic City June 3.

ROAD WORK BIDS PRESENTED TODAY

State Highway Commission Hears
Proposals for \$2,250,000
of Construction.

Proposals for road work, the cost of which is estimated at approximately \$2,250,000 were opened by the state highway commission today. The projects cover 54 miles of pavement, 55 miles of grading, 23 miles of grading and macadamizing and six bridges.

The bids were referred to the engineer for tabulation and recommendation.

The largest project covered the paving of the Columbia river highway between Cascade Locks and Hood River, a distance of 22.3 miles, the estimate on which is approximately \$500,000.

Other principal projects are paving 11.2 miles between Rainier and Clatskanie, in Columbia county; grading and paving 7.5 miles in Douglas, between Oakland and Willbur; grading and paving 9.8 miles in Yamhill, between Minville and Yamhill; grading 12.3 miles in Clatsop county, between Arlington and Morrow county line, and grading Cabbage hill, in Umatilla county, 28.5 miles.

Callan Remembers Craft
That the little Danish steamer Mary, reported in news dispatches as having

rescued Aviator Hawker and his companion, is the same craft which he saw frequently at Arosas, Scotland 12 years ago, is the belief of Robert Callan, janitor of the Rose City park school. Callan says the Mary formerly carried ore and coal from Main and Norway to the British Isles, and that he was a member of the gang which worked her cargo at the port in Scotland.

E. J. Stack, secretary of the State Federation of Labor, has been doing organization work in Pendleton.

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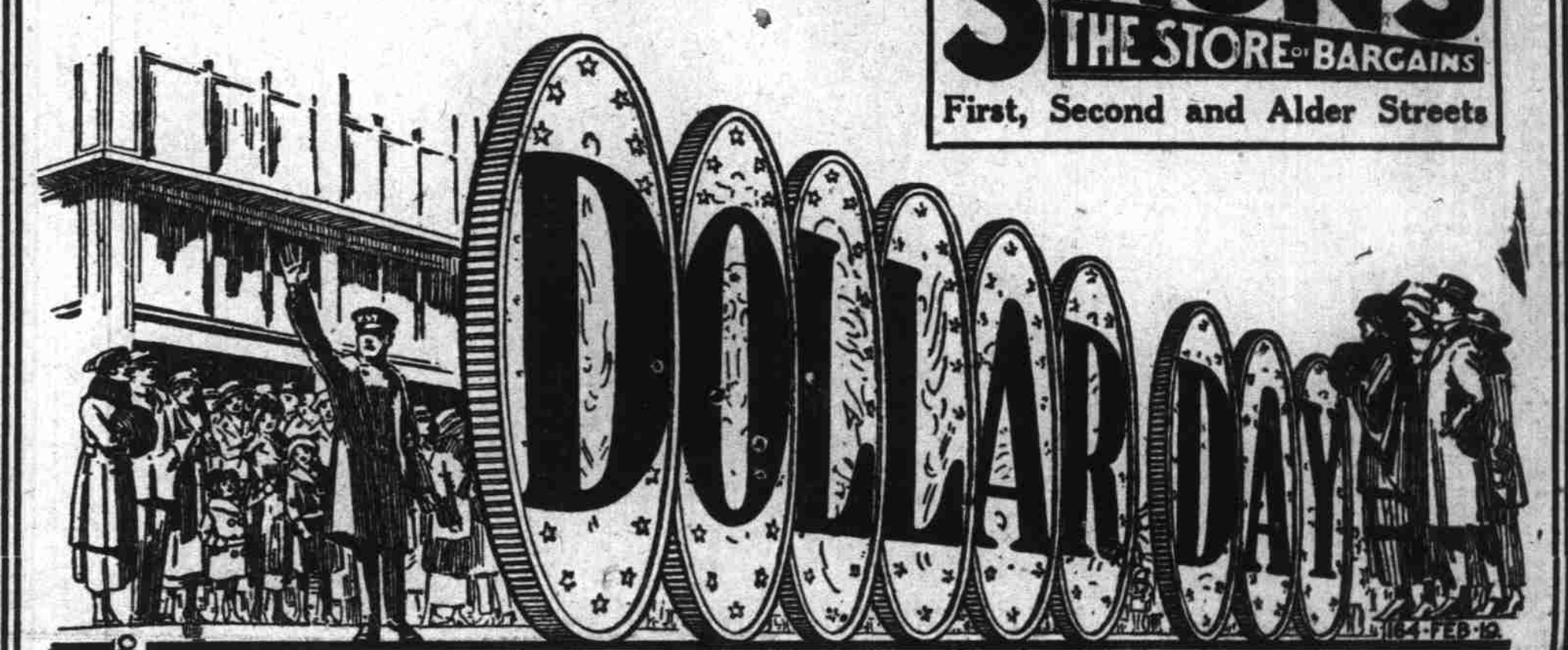
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\$1.50 Men's and Boys' Caps; assorted **\$1**

Men's Muleskin Work Gloves; 2 pairs for **\$1**

Men's \$1.50 Sport Shirts; nobby patterns **\$1**

Men's Dress Shirts, priced only **\$1**

Men's regular 35c Hose; 4 pairs **\$1**

Men's 50c Cashmere Hose; 3 pr. **\$1**

Men's Fiber Silk Hose; 3 pairs **\$1**

Men's Pajamas; ass'd patterns **\$1**

Children's \$1.50 Wash Suits for **\$1**

Dollar Day **\$1** Dollar Day

Dress Goods and Cottons

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Five 35c Pillow Cases; made of good bleached muslin, 42x36-inch size. Not more than 6 to a customer. **\$1**

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Black Voile Waists, in conservative styles, only **\$1**

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Dollar Day **\$1** Dollar Day

Groceries

20 lbs. Rice for only **\$1**

25 bars Yellow Laundry Soap **\$1**

12 bars Peets' Mechanics' Soap **\$1**

12 lbs. Spaghetti for only **\$1**

16 lbs. Curved Cut Macaroni **\$1**

12 lbs. White Beans for only **\$1**

10 cans Gold Shore Clams, No. 2 **\$1**

6 packages Cream of Barley **\$1**

8 packages Raisins 15-oz., for **\$1**

5 lbs. Assorted Cookies for **\$1**

12 lbs. Pearl Barley for only **\$1**

12 lbs. Lima Beans for only **\$1**

3 cans Glass Label Peaches, No. 2 1/2 can, for **\$1**

7 cans Golden Elk Tomatoes **\$1**

Dollar Day Specials for the Household

2-way Benjamin Electric Sockets **\$1**

2-cell Flashlights, with battery **\$1**

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\$1.25 Bucy Lawn Sprinklers **\$1**

\$1.39 10-piece Casserole Sets **\$1**

5-gal. Stone Jars with covers **\$1**

4 lbs. Old English Floor Wax **\$1**

\$1.25 quart White Enamel for **\$1**

\$1.20 quart Hueter's Varnish **\$1**

Specials in Good Cigars

Schiller's Smokers, 20 for **\$1**

New Bachelor, 15 for only **\$1**

Tom Wilson, 20 for only **\$1**

Soho, 20 for only **\$1**

White Owl, 16 for only **\$1**

Plug and Smoking Tobacco

Wetover, 2 plugs for **\$1**

Dixie Queen, 1 1/4; 11 pkgs. **\$1**

Five Brothers, 11 packages **\$1**

Bull Durham, 12 packages **\$1**

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