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NOT DEAD, BUT SLEEPING

The ship subsidy bill is dead; talked to death by the Marathon gabfest super-spielers of the United States Senate.

But the idea of building up an adequate American merchant marine is not dead; it is only sleeping.

Had President Harding, instead of getting behind a subsidy bill, gotten behind a measure to give preference in tariff duties to goods carried in American bottoms, it is likely that his program would have been carried out.

That is the kind of a law that was used to build up the great fleet of American ships this country had prior to the Civil war.

In some way, by subsidy or by preferential duties or by other means, the United States must and will bring about the creation of an adequate American merchant marine. In respect to all the dictates of common sense, this is manifestly a duty this government owes to the people of this country.

Loganberries ought to bring a better price than last year; they should bring a minimum of 6 cents a pound, to make that a healthy industry. If this can be brought about, some of the cannerymen of Oregon (not in Salem), who are offering 1923 canned loganberries at the prices received last year, will get a beautiful bumping; but richly deserved.

A ship of the American merchant fleet recently arrived from the Far East with a cargo of Turkish tobacco, rugs, and other luxuries on which the government collected two million dollars in customs duties. A considerable part of this can be credited to the new Fordney tariff law. People who must have Turkish tobacco and Persian rugs can afford to pay a liberal tax to help support the American government.

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KLAN LEADER

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visit to Topeka of two weeks he had administered the klansman oath to "approximately 100 men" in Topeka. McManus said he did not recall any of the names. He said he had been a member of the Klan for two years.

The McManus testimony brought out that the membership fee is \$10; that the members pay \$6.50 for the Klan uniform.

CONDITIONS

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539.63. The report continues in part: "The greatest aggregate of loans and discounts in the history of this department was reported at the close of business November 15, 1920, in the sum of \$211,854,140.60. This will disclose a net liquidation of loans and discounts from November 15, 1920, to December 29, 1922, in excess of \$54,000,000.00.

Bond Holdings Shown
"On December 29, 1922, the aggregate invested in United States bonds, municipal bonds and other securities aggregated the sum of \$58,918,069.62 as compared with \$45,277,352.59 on December 31, 1921, or an increase in this class of securities during the year 1922 of \$13,640,717.03. The increased investments in this class of securities discloses a general policy encouraged throughout the state for the investment in a class of securities which will provide secondary reserves or a class of liquid assets which will make immediately available sufficient funds to meet immediate necessities or emergencies. Experience during the past two years have demonstrated the necessity for the establishment of this policy as an additional means for future reinforcements.

"On December 29, 1922, available reserves aggregated the sum of \$60,171,281.45 as compared with the sum of \$51,325,002.55 on December 31, 1921, or a net

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increase in available reserves during the year 1922 in the sum of \$8,846,278.96 of 17 per cent. The actual cash on hand December 29, 1922, disclosed an increase of approximately \$1,100,000.00 as compared with the amount held by all banks on December 31, 1921.

Invested Capital Bigger

"The aggregate of capital, surplus and undivided profits invested on December 29, 1922, was the sum of \$36,780,153.31 as compared with the sum of \$34,696,748.04 on December 31, 1921, or a net increase of capital invested during the year 1922 of \$2,083,405.27.

TAX EXPERT

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of taxation questions. The two men were closeted for more than an hour Thursday afternoon by appointment at the state house.

Governor Pierce was voted a member of the Realtors association, and promised to attend whenever possible. He spoke briefly on taxation and bonding problems before Mr. Regan was introduced.

The session for March 15 is to be devoted to business only. The meeting a week later will be given over to a round-table discussion on land values.

ON TRIAL FOR LIFE

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between the couple while living with the broker, had gone on motor and boat trips up the Hudson with other men and, who finally, in the same day of the shooting, went to Martelliere's office with the wish to punish him for his cooling love.

Mrs. Saludes denied all these allegations.

WAS SHE PROPOSING?

"William Butler Yeats," said an editor, "is undoubtedly the greatest living poet, yet he admits that the poetry only brings him in \$150 a year."

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