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President's Proclamation Extending The Food Licensing System to Cover Articles Not Heretofore on the List

ALL WAREHOUSES NOW INCLUDED

*Purpose and Scope Are Explained
in Statement Issued by the Food
Administration—Given Further
Control Over Animal and Vege-
table Fats.*

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES
OF AMERICA.

(A PROCLAMATION.)

Whereas, under and by virtue of an act of Congress entitled "An act to provide further for the national security and defense by encouraging the production, conserving the supply, and controlling the distribution of food products and fuel," approved by the President on the 10th day of August, 1917, it is provided among other things as follows:

"That, by reason of the existence of a state of war, it is essential to the national security and defense, for the successful prosecution of the war, and for the support and maintenance of the Army and Navy, to assure an adequate supply and equitable distribution, and to facilitate the movement of foods, feeds, and fuel, including fuel oil and natural gas, and fertilizer and fertilizer ingredients, tools, utensils, implements, machinery, and equipment required for the actual production of foods, feeds, and fuel, hereafter in this act called necessities; to prevent, locally or generally, scarcity, monopolization, hoarding, injurious speculation, manipulations, and private controls, affecting such supply, distribution, and movement; and to establish and maintain governmental control of such necessities during the war. For such purposes the instrumentalities, means, methods, powers, authorities, duties, obligations, and prohibitions hereinafter set forth are created, established, conferred, and prescribed. The President is authorized to make such regulations and to issue such orders as are essential effectively to carry out the provisions of this act."

And whereas it is further provided in said act as follows:

"That, from time to time, whenever the President shall find it essential to license the importation, manufacture, storage, mining, or distribution of any necessities, in order to carry into effect any of the purposes of this act, and shall publicly so announce, no person shall, after a date fixed in the announcement, engage in or carry on any such business

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TAKING OF SEDAN BY U. S. ARMY "GOOD NEWS," SAYS MR. BAKER

Recent Advance of Americans,
Says the Secretary of War,
"Fine Military Achieve-
ment."

Press interview by the Secretary of War, November 7, 1918:

"The news of the taking of Sedan is very good news; it is a great military achievement. At our last report the Americans were a distance, I believe, of 5 or 6 miles from Sedan, in the most difficult country along the western front, except the flooded territory in Flanders.

"The advance of Pershing's Army from the 28th day of September to the 1st of November, slow, difficult, in the face of tremendous opposition and against the strongest kinds of positions, and its subsequent very much more rapid advance, including the taking of Sedan, if that place actually has fallen, is as fine a military achievement in a limited area as has taken place in the war at any time."

ACKNOWLEDGES HELP GIVEN BY NATION'S BENCH AND BAR

The War Department authorizes the following statement by the Judge Advocate General:

Some time ago the office of the Judge Advocate General found it necessary to adopt a new method of selecting, from the country at large, the limited number of lawyers needed and especially qualified to become officers in the Judge Advocate General's Department of the Army for service during this war. As the basic principles of the method required, this office sought the views of and conferred with the judges, both State and Federal, and most distinguished disinterested members of the bar throughout the country, in order to determine those lawyers best qualified for service in this branch of the Army.

The investigations and conferences are about completed. The new method is established. The results seen in this office have shown its wisdom. Its success is demonstrated. All this is due entirely to the cooperation, interest, and help of the bench and bar. Both have rendered a distinct service to this department and this office takes pleasure in expressing to them its sincere gratitude.

AMERICA PROTESTS AGAINST GERMANY'S VANDALISM IN ORDERING DESTRUCTION OF COAL MINES IN BELGIUM

ACTS ARE DENOUNCED

*Violation of Solemn Promise
To Spare Private Property,
Secretary Lansing Says in
Note Sent Through Swiss
Minister—Can Not Fail to
Impress U. S. as "Wilfully
Cruel and Inhuman."*

The Secretary of State makes public the following:

DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
Washington, D. C., November 7, 1918.

SIR: I have the honor to request that you will bring the following to the attention of the German Government:

"In its note of October 20th the German Government announced that 'the German troops are under the strictest instructions to spare private property and to exercise care for the population to the best of their ability.'

"Information has now reached the Government of the United States to the effect that the German authorities in Belgium have given notice to the coal mining companies that all men and animals should be brought out of the pits, that all raw materials in possession of the companies should be delivered to the Germans, and that the mines will be destroyed at once.

"Acts so wanton and malicious, involving as they do the destruction of a vital necessity to the civil population of Belgium and the consequent suffering and loss of human life which will follow, can not fail to impress the Government and people of the United States as willfully cruel and inhuman. If these acts, in flagrant violation of the declaration of October 20, are perpetrated, it will confirm the belief that the solemn assurances of the German Government are not given in good faith. In the circumstances, the Government of the United States, to which the declaration of October 20 was made, enters an emphatic protest against the measures contemplated by the German authorities for whose conduct the Government of Germany is wholly responsible."

Accept, sir, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

ROBERT LANSING.

MR. HANS SUEZER,
Minister of Switzerland, in charge
of German interests in the United
States.

COMMITTEE TO REPORT AGAINST FIXING BASIC PRICE

Chairman Page Issues Statement Declaring That a Necessity for It Does Not Exist.

Dr. Thomas W. Page, chairman of the Cotton Committee appointed by the President, has issued a statement containing several of the points included in the report being prepared for the President. On the subject of price-fixing the statement reads:

"The Cotton Committee was directed to recommend basic prices on cotton if upon investigation a fixed price should be found necessary. The committee has ascertained that such a necessity does not exist, and its report which is now nearing completion will be submitted to the President within a few days.

"Shortage Does Not Exist."

"It has been the policy of the Government to fix the price of any commodity only where there was an actual prospective shortage, and in the case of cotton such a shortage does not exist.

"The committee further reports that there is no way of enforcing a fixed price except through the readiness of the Government to purchase the crop. Under a fixed-price system, the cotton exchanges would be closed and merchants, bankers, and other intermediaries would be put out of business.

No Inspection System.

"As there is not for cotton, as for wheat, an official system of inspection and certification, such a system would have to be created. This could be done only at great cost and in the course of many months. The committee is convinced that before the necessary organization could be effected and adequate financial arrangements completed, the necessity for them would have ceased, and that in the meanwhile immeasurable damage would have been done through the disruption of present marketing agencies and the checking of the movement of the cotton from the farm to the mill.

"The committee will also recommend the continuance of the committee on cotton distribution, with the view to bringing into proportionate use all grades of cotton."

THOMAS WALKER PAGE,
Chairman.

Development of Roads In Hampton, Va., District

The War Department authorizes the following:

For the development of roads at the Hampton Roads (Va.) district, the sum of \$1,710,000 has been authorized. The work is to be done by the construction division of the Army, and will consist of improvements on roads from the Road Naval Base No. 2 to Camp Morrison; from the navy yard to Portsmouth; Norfolk to naval base at Lewells Point; to Ocean View; and improvements on roads from Fort Monroe to Langley Field, to Hampton and to Newport News.

MR. HURLEY URGES PEACE-TIME NEED FOR IMPROVEMENT IN ALL FORMS OF HIGHWAY TRANSPORT

The highways transport committee of the Council of National Defense, which was formed to do a vital war-time task, has been called upon by Chairman Edward M. Hurley, of the United States Shipping Board, to perform a peace-time function no less important than that which fell to it during the war.

Chairman Hurley points to the greater need to-day than ever before for the stimulation of all forms of highways transport in carrying down to the merchant marine of to-day and to-morrow the foodstuffs necessary to feed the hungry millions of stricken Europe. His letter follows:

Mr. Hurley's Letter.

UNITED STATES SHIPPING BOARD,
Washington, November 7, 1918.
HIGHWAYS TRANSPORT COMMITTEE,
Council of National Defense,
Washington, D. C.

GENTLEMEN: Our merchant marine of to-day and to-morrow will carry a message of good will to the nations of the world.

Millions of cruelly starved folk face westward from every shore with mouths open to the promise of America. These must be fed, and then clothed, and also supplied with the other necessities of life. Our grand privilege is now here to restore life, strength, and hope to these martyred brothers of a hundred tongues.

Highways transport facilities at the farmer's gate, and at every farmer's gate, must immediately suggest the initial phase of overseas distribution; must make a picture in the farmer's mind of the movement of the products of his soil and labor from his own gate through to the distant points of the world—to Europe, to Algiers, to Athens, and the Orient.

The highways transport service is the first step in the great system of transportation to the sea and then on the merchant marine to the far points of the world.

Food must begin to move soon from every hill, through every valley of the great country behind our shores, down to the shipping points before we can start our ships from the ports and fulfill our duty; and, with the promise of the war's end before us, the Highways Transport Committee throughout this land could and should render a peace-time service by stimulating highways transport of nourishment and supplies so badly needed. Routes and channels from shipping points must be opened up and efficiently maintained, and our merchant marine must be built up to meet the demands for distribution overseas.

Resistance in any form to the free movement of farm products must be reduced and eliminated, and the most efficient utilization of man power must be introduced wherever possible.

The United States Shipping Board urges that this message be carried through you and your regional chairmen to the State organizations and on down through your great body of patriotic

WAR DEPARTMENT CONTRACTS FOR 851,000 LEATHER JERKINS

The War Department authorizes the following from the office of the director of purchase and storage:

Contracts for the manufacture of 851,000 leather jerkins to cost \$3,703,400 have been awarded to 23 manufacturers in various parts of the country by the leather clothing section of the clothing and equipage division. These jerkins will be supplied to the Government during December, January, and February, and will complete the requirements up to March 1, 1919. The list of contractors, with the amounts allotted to each, is as follows:

Manufacturer.	Quantity.
Lyons Mfg. Co., Framingham, Mass.	20,000
Boston Overall Co., Boston, Mass.	100,000
J. B. Pearson Co., Boston, Mass.	50,000
Knopf Mfg. Co., Boston, Mass.	20,000
A. J. Bates Co., Webster, Mass.	50,000
Simon Coat Co., Boston, Mass.	10,000
M. J. Collins Co., Boston, Mass.	40,000
Fuller & Sullivan, Boston, Mass.	50,000
H. Harris Co., St. Paul, Minn.	6,000
Amity Leather Products Co., West Bend, Wis.	5,000
Monarch Mfg. Co., Milwaukee, Wis.	90,000
J. H. Rice & Friedman Co., Milwaukee, Wis.	18,000
Cohen Bros. Co., Milwaukee, Wis.	18,000
Edward Goldman Co., Boston, Mass.	75,000
B. Greenwald Co., Boston, Mass.	20,000
Int. Duplex Coat Co., New York City	80,000
F. B. Q. Clothing Co., New York City	80,000
Leather Apparel Mfg. Co., New York City	65,000
Alward Anderson Southard Co., Chicago, Ill.	22,000
Wyman Partridge Co., Minneapolis, Minn.	6,000
Milwaukee Tanning & Clothing Co.	15,000
T. W. Stevenson Co., Minneapolis	6,000
McKibben, Driscoll & Dorsay Co., St. Paul, Minn.	5,000

NEW SERIES OF WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATES AND STAMPS

Secretary McAdoo has made the following statement:

The Secretary of the Treasury has determined upon the issuance of a new series of war-savings certificates and stamps to be placed on sale early in 1919, and to be known as the series of 1919. The new series will have a maturity date of January 1, 1924, and in practically all respects will be issued on the same terms and in the same manner as the present series of 1918.

A new \$5 war-saving stamp, blue in color, bearing the head of Benjamin Franklin, the apostle of saving, and a former postmaster general, is in preparation. The new stamps will be placed on sale early in 1919.

The same thrift stamps and thrift cards now in use will be continued in 1919, and will be exchangeable into new series of 1919 war-savings stamps payable January 1, 1924, in the same way as the exchange has been made during this year into the series of 1918 war-savings stamps.

men whose vision can well embrace the crying need of their brothers in other lands for help.

Very truly yours,
EDWARD N. HURLEY,
Chairman.

\$18,000,000 IS AUTHORIZED FOR EXTENSION OF ARMY CAMPS

War Department Announces Details for the Erection of Many Additional Buildings.

Authorization for additional construction for Army use of approximately \$18,000,000 has just been given to the construction division of the Army. The projects contemplated are the enlargement of several camps and additions to projects already under way.

\$7,500,000 for Camp Grant.

Of the total of \$18,000,000, approximately \$7,500,000 will be spent for the enlargement of Camp Grant, Ill. There is to be added to the strength of this cantonment 1 detention camp, 1 quarantine camp, 1 brigade headquarters, 3 battalion headquarters, 3 medical detachments, and 34 companies. There will be constructed in addition to barracks for the accommodation of the personnel of these organizations an increase in hospital facilities, which will cost \$844,700, which is included in the total figure for the expansion.

The strength at Camp Custer is to be increased to include a detention camp, 1 quarantine camp, 1 depot brigade headquarters, 8 battalion headquarters, 8 medical detachments, and 30 companies. Buildings will be provided for the accommodation of these men. The total cost of the new buildings and other facilities is estimated at \$4,815,000, of which \$325,000 will be spent for a hospital.

Extension of Camp Dodge.

The extension at Camp Dodge will consist of a detention camp, a quarantine camp, a depot brigade headquarters, two battalion headquarters, two medical detachments and six companies. The estimated cost of this expansion, including hospital building, is \$2,835,210.

Additional facilities are to be provided at the Delaware Ordnance Depot for the better handling of the work. This will consist of a new wharf, dock sheds, and railroad facilities. The estimated cost is \$1,203,185.

The additional construction at the Aerial Gunnery School, Miami, Fla., will cost about \$660,000. Eleven new steel hangars will be added to the school, four new barracks and mess halls, one officers' quarters, and work on the buildings and roads.

New Steel Hangars.

Three new steel hangars, five lecture halls, four telephone schools and buildings will be added to North Camp Jackson, at a cost of \$270,110.

New facilities buildings, such as warehouses, machine shops, carpenter shops, garages, and two large barracks, and one officers' quarters will be erected at Camp Abraham Eustis at an estimated cost of \$121,600.

Additions and modifications to Fort Douglas, Utah, will be made at an approximate cost of \$262,976.

At Camp Humphreys two new barracks and one officers' quarters, one warehouse, and several minor buildings will be erected at an approximate cost of \$63,000.

A liberty theater will be erected at

EXECUTIVE ORDER BARS LIQUOR FROM STATEN ISLAND SHIP ZONE

EXECUTIVE ORDER.

Prohibiting the sale, manufacture, and distribution of intoxicating liquors within a certain zone adjacent to the Johnson Shipyards Corporation, Mariner Harbor, Staten Island, N. Y.

By virtue of authority vested in me by a joint resolution of Congress "authorizing the President to establish zones in which intoxicating liquors may not be sold, manufactured, or distributed," approved September 12, 1918, and by virtue of the fact that in my opinion the creation of a zone of the character described in said resolution adjacent to the plant of the Johnson Shipyards Corporation, Mariner Harbor, Staten Island, N. Y., is advisable in, and necessary to, the proper prosecution of the war, I do hereby order that from and after the 20th day of November, 1918, no person shall sell, manufacture, or distribute intoxicating liquors at any point within 100 feet of any part of the property owned, leased, or occupied by the Johnson Shipyards Corporation at Mariner Harbor, Staten Island, State of New York, the same being situated at the northwest corner of the streets known as Richmond Terrace and Union Avenue Extension, and, in particular, that such sale, manufacture, or distribution is prohibited at any location on the north side of said Richmond Terrace between said Union Avenue Extension and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co.

WOODROW WILSON.

THE WHITE HOUSE,
October 25, 1918.

May Appoint More Than Two Members of Family to Civil Service Positions

EXECUTIVE ORDER.

In view of conditions existing in Washington, D. C., due to the influenza epidemic and the inadequate housing facilities, the Civil Service Commission is authorized as a war measure to certify to the executive departments and independent establishments in the District of Columbia for probational (or permanent) appointment the names of persons who, by reason of having two or more members of their family in the service, would otherwise be barred from consideration for such appointment.

WOODROW WILSON.

THE WHITE HOUSE,
28 October, 1918.

Camp Bragg, Fayetteville, N. C., at a cost of \$38,700.

Two storage warehouses approximately 70 by 950 feet will be erected on Municipal Pier No. 5 at Baltimore. These warehouses will be of typical standard construction and will be connected by two railroad tracks, connecting with the nearby railroad line on Pratt Street. The estimated cost is \$210,000.

Cafeteria facilities are to be erected at the Bethlehem Loading Co., New Castle, Del., to provide accommodations for 600 men. The estimated cost is \$45,000.

CANAL ZONE AREA RESERVED FOR U. S. NAVAL AIR STATION

EXECUTIVE ORDER.

1. The areas hereinafter described situated within the Canal Zone are hereby set apart and assigned for the uses of a naval air station, and other naval purposes, under her control of the Secretary of the Navy; but the said areas shall be subject to the civil jurisdiction of the Canal Zone authorities in conformity with the Panama Canal act.

2. The said areas are described as follows:

I. That island named Guarapo Island, in its entirety and shown on Hydrographic Office Chart No. 5000, dated December, 1914, lying to the westward of and approximately parallel to the canal prism, and directly to the southwest of Gatun Dam, between latitudes approximately 9° 14' 50" north and 9° 15' 40" north, and longitudes approximately 79° 55' 44" west and 79° 56' 04" west; together with the small islets immediately adjacent to the westward.

II. The water area lying between the canal prism and the Island of Guarapo, also the water areas off of the northerly, westerly, and southerly shores of said island, to a distance of 200 yards.

3. The said areas are more particularly described on blue print No. 4301-16, dated the 27th day of September, 1918, issued by the governor of the Panama Canal.

WOODROW WILSON.

THE WHITE HOUSE, November 4, 1918

'POSSUM RIDES ON AIRPLANE.

Hangs on by Feet and Tail and Wins Commission as Mascot.

The War Department authorizes the following:

Engine trouble forced two Army flyers from the 2d Provisional Wing, Park Pace, Houston, Tex., to stay overnight near Anderson, Tex., recently. They were Lieut. Harry McDonough, pilot, and Fred W. McConky, jr., observer. McDonough, in a hunt in an adjacent grove that night, caught a live 'possum. The airman shut the 'possum in the fuselage of the plane for the rest of the night and the next morning they started for headquarters, 85 miles away. The 'possum in some manner escaped from his cubby hole after the plane was in the air and rode the rest of the way hanging by his feet and tail to the scarf mount over the rear cockpit. Upon landing, the animal was handed over as a mascot to the men of the 343d Squadron, who christened him "Aero," and to-day he enjoys the distinction of being the first flying 'possum of the Air Service.

EXECUTIVE ORDER.

Mrs. Anna L. Bennett may be appointed to the position of clerk in the classified service without regard to the civil-service rules.

This order is issued on the recommendation of the Postmaster General, who states that on account of Mrs. Bennett's distinct ability as a clerk, gained as the result of over four years of training in the Post Office Department, and the difficulty that would be experienced in replacing her by the appointment of a new and inexperienced clerk, her appointment would be in the interest of the service.

WOODROW WILSON.

THE WHITE HOUSE,
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EXECUTIVE ORDER.

I hereby create a Committee on Public Information, to be composed of the Secretary of State, the Secretary of War, the Secretary of the Navy, and a civilian who shall be charged with the executive direction of the committee.

As civilian chairman of the committee I appoint Mr. George Creel.

The Secretary of State, the Secretary of War, and the Secretary of the Navy are authorized each to detail an officer or officers to the work of the committee.

WOODROW WILSON.

April 14, 1917.

American Communique

American Official Communique No. 133.

HEADQUARTERS AMERICAN
EXPEDITIONARY FORCES,
November 6—Evening.

The First American Army has made further important gains on both sides of the Meuse.

East of the Meuse our troops advanced to a depth of more than 4 kilometers. Neither the extremely difficult nature of the terrain nor the two fresh divisions hurriedly brought up by the enemy greatly delayed our progress. On the Cote St. Germain, however, the enemy defended his positions with particular obstinacy, and we were able to secure them only as a result of a bitter struggle. Near Marvaux Hill 284 and Fontaines fell into our hands. The battle still continues, with the enemy making desperate efforts to maintain a last foothold on the heights of the Meuse, which he has held since 1914.

West of the Meuse the enemy again failed to check our rapid progress. Along the river bank we took Villemontry and Mont De Brune and reached the western outskirts of Mouzon. To the west our line passed through Autrecourt and Beau Menil Farm to Connage. We have also taken Bulson, Haraucourt, and the important town Raucourt.

Since the beginning of our attack on November 1, 22 enemy divisions

METAL COMPANY REORGANIZED BY WAR TRADE BOARD'S ORDER

The War Trade Board announces that the Machinery & Metal Sales Co. and its subsidiaries have been reorganized as a result of an investigation made by the War Trade Board into the methods by which the company secured licenses for the export of caustic soda. The investigation disclosed the fact that licenses were secured from the War Trade Board by misrepresentations made by George T. Baird, president of the company.

In the reorganization the president of the company, George T. Baird, has severed his connection with the company, and Judson J. Whitehead has been elected president in his place. Mr. Whitehead will hereafter assume personal charge of all dealings with the War Trade Board in order to insure compliance with their rules and regulations as well as with all provisions of law.

By way of making restitution for the profits improperly made through export of caustic soda, the company has paid a substantial sum to the United States through its attorney at Washington.

The reorganization has been effectuated by elimination of all persons connected with the illegal transactions, and it is expected that through the reorganization the standing of the company, both with the Federal authorities and with the financial community will be essentially improved.

Purchasing Agents for Department of Justice

For the information of dealers in supplies needed by the Department of Justice it may be stated that the department obtains the materials required in the manner indicated below:

Supplies for the department in Washington are purchased by authority of the Chief Clerk under schedules of the General Supply Committee of the Treasury Department.

Supplies for the United States judges, attorneys, marshals, and clerks are purchased under authorization from the department, a large quantity being sent direct to them from the Division of Supplies in the office of the Chief Clerk.

Supplies for special agents throughout the country are authorized by the chief of the Division of Investigation.

The superintendent of prisons, who is located in the department at Washington, and the wardens of the United States penitentiaries at Leavenworth, Kans., Atlanta, Ga., and McNeil Island, Wash., as well as the superintendent of the National Training School for Boys, Washington, D. C., and the superintendent of the National Training School for Girls, Washington, D. C., are also purchasing agents.

have appeared on our front between the Meuse and the Argonne.

Our pursuit planes dropped a ton of explosives on several important road centers which were being used by the enemy to make his escape. Seven enemy airplanes were shot down during the day. Two of our machines are missing.

CONFER ON PLANS REGARDING WINTER MAIL TRANSPORTATION

The superintendents of the 15 divisions of the Railway Mail Service covering the entire United States have concluded a conference at Washington relative to the transportation of the mails during the coming winter.

One question requiring immediate attention was that of making arrangements for the transportation of the immense volume of Christmas mail for the soldiers and sailors overseas to New York, where it passes from control of the Post Office Department to the Army and Navy authorities. It is estimated that there will be 200 carloads or 100,000 sacks of this mail arriving at New York during a 10-day period beginning about November 10.

Expected to Break All Records.

Arrangements for transporting the regular domestic Christmas mail and the mail during the winter have also been made. It is estimated that the Christmas mail throughout the United States will break all records, and that the volume of all classes of mail handled this winter will be greater than ever before. In previous years it has been possible for the Railway Mail Service to reduce its force during the summer months, owing to decreased mail matter, but during the past summer it has been necessary to greatly increase the working force over the entire country, due to the increased volume of mail matter. The winter months are always the heaviest, but during the past summer the volume of mail handled was greater than last winter, not alone in the Eastern States, where most of the war work is done, but over the entire country.

Forty Per Cent Increase.

One superintendent of a division in the Atlantic Coast States reports an increase of approximately 40 per cent of mail handled this past summer over that of last summer.

A comparison between the volume of mail handled at New York in the Pennsylvania Terminal railway post office during the four weeks in February, May, and August, 1917, and during a corresponding period this year shows an increase in the number of mixed parcel post packages handled of 160 per cent in February, 274 per cent in May, and 233 per cent in August.

ARMY NEEDS HARD BREAD.

Calls from Overseas Due to Mobile and Trench Warfare.

The War Department authorizes the following:

Under pressure of the mobile and trench warfare, the overseas calls for hard bread have been largely increased. The subsistence division of the Quartermaster Corps has requested all depot quartermasters throughout the country to stimulate in their territories the production of hard bread and the tin containers used in their packing.

At the present time 220,000 cartons of hard bread packed in wax paper and 700,000 packed in tins are being produced daily. It is expected that early in September the capacity will have reached 300,000 wax paper cartons and 1,000,000 tins of hard bread daily.

GENERAL PERSHING'S GREETING TO THE AMERICAN FARMER

The Department of Agriculture issues the following:

This message of appreciation from Gen. Pershing to American farmers was received by Carl Vrooman, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, who is now in France with a committee of American agricultural representatives:

AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES,
OFFICE OF COMMANDER IN CHIEF,
France, October 16, 1918.

HON. CARL VROOMAN,
Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

DEAR MR. VROOMAN: Will you please convey to farmers of America our profound appreciation of their patriotic services to the country and to the allied armies in the field. They have furnished their full quota of fighting men; they have bought largely of Liberty bonds, and they have increased their production of food crops both last year and this by over 1,000 million bushels above normal production. Food is of vital military necessity for us and for our allies, and from the day of our entry into the war America's armies of food producers have rendered invaluable service to the allied cause by supporting the soldiers at the front through their devoted and splendidly successful work in the fields and furrows at home.

Very sincerely,

JOHN J. PERSHING.

Bean Packers May Work At Their Normal Capacity

Bean packers throughout the country will be allowed to operate at normal capacity for three months beginning November 1. The Food Administration announces that it is assured of sufficient tin plate to permit the packing of beans in normal quantities.

Canners will be allowed to use up all odd-sized tins now on hand, but additional purchases of tins smaller than the No. 2 size will not be permitted. The canners will not be allowed to contract for more than a three-months' supply of either cans or beans, nor will shippers be allowed to sell beans to canners without first securing Food Administration permits.

FLYING BOATS' LONG TRIP.

Three Navy Machines Make Journey from Philadelphia to Pensacola.

The Navy Department is informed that three flying boats have successfully completed a flight from Philadelphia to Pensacola, Fla. The trip, which was made without accident, consumed eight days due largely to the fact that several days were lost on account of bad weather. The three planes were built at the aircraft factory at Philadelphia and it was decided to make the flight to Pensacola instead of shipping them. The Navy personnel making the flight included Lieutenant Hutchins (in command) and Lieutenant Slater, Ensigns Connelly, Sturgis, Blont, and Blanchard, Chief Machinist's Mates Sullivan and West, and Machinist's Mates Kern, Curran, Stafford, and Elmore.

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Quarterly Report Shows Decrease in Wool Stocks

Stocks of wool in hands of dealers and manufacturers on September 30, 1918, were about 182,000,000 pounds grease equivalent less than on September 30, 1917. With all figures reduced to a grease equivalent basis, stocks as given by the Bureau of Markets were September 30, 1918, 468,000,000 pounds, compared with 194,000,000 pounds on June 30, 1918, and 650,000,000 pounds on September 30, last year.

Stocks reported by classes in pounds on September 30, 1918, were: Grease, 321,558,794; scoured, 29,162,687; pulled, 19,150,488; tops, 12,635,421; and noils, 16,122,871. The year before stocks were: Grease, 388,594,596; scoured, 64,635,849; pulled, 24,330,015; tops, 23,122,825; and noils, 17,944,426.

Out of 1,118 concerns reports from all but 9 are included in the totals. The detailed quarterly wool stock report will contain an added feature in the form of a comparison of the stocks and number of firms reporting each class and grade of domestic and foreign wool. Copies may be obtained from the Bureau of Markets, United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

PATENT OFFICE EXAMINERS.

Civil Service Commission Announces Open Competitive Examinations.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces open competitive examinations for assistant examiner, Patent Office, for both men and women, on November 20, 21, and 22, and again on December 11, 12, and 13, 1918, from which vacancies at the entrance salary of \$1,500 per year will be filled.

Required subjects.—Higher mathematics, mechanical drawings, French or German, technics, experience.

Optional subjects.—Chemistry, civil engineering, electrical engineering, mechanical engineering, physics.

Details of the scope of the examinations, places of holding the same, etc., may be had upon application to the Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Temporary appointments may be given persons exhibiting the required training in the above subjects pending their taking the civil service examination. Inquiries concerning and application for temporary appointment should be made to the Commissioner of Patents, Washington, D. C.

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SUPREME COURT PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1918.

Present: The Chief Justice, Mr. Justice McKenna, Mr. Justice Holmes, Mr. Justice Day, Mr. Justice Van Devanter, Mr. Justice Pitney, Mr. Justice McReynolds, Mr. Justice Brandeis, and Mr. Justice Clarke.

Washington T. Porter, of Cincinnati, Ohio; Stuart M. Salisbury, of Los Angeles, Cal.; and Thomas C. Yager, of Coachella, Cal., were admitted to practice.

No. 357. The United States of America, plaintiff in error, v. Dan Hill. Argument concluded by Mr. Assistant Attorney General Frierson for the plaintiff in error. No appearance for the defendant in error.

No. 227. The Public Utilities Commission for the State of Kansas et al., appellants, v. John M. Landon, as receiver of the Kansas Natural Gas Co.;

No. 329. Kansas City, Missouri, et al., appellants, v. John M. Landon, receiver, et al.;

No. 330. Kansas City Gas Co., et al., appellants, v. Kansas Natural Gas Co., et al.;

No. 333. The Public Utilities Commission for the State of Kansas et al., appellants, v. John M. Landon, as receiver, et al. Three hours allowed for the argument of these cases, on motion of Mr. F. S. Jackson in that behalf. Argument commenced by Mr. F. S. Jackson for the Public Utilities Commission for the State of Kansas et al.; continued by Mr. Robert Stone for Landon, receiver; Mr. James B. Lindsay for Public Service Commission of Missouri; Mr. A. F. Smith for Kansas City, Mo.; Mr. Chester L. Long for Landon, receiver, and Mr. Charles Blood Smith for Fidelity Title & Trust Co., and concluded by Mr. J. W. Dana for Kansas City Gas Co. et al.

No. 320. Emanuel Baltzer et al., plaintiffs in error, v. The United States of America; and No. 321. William J. Head, plaintiff in error, v. The United States of America. Argument commenced by Mr. Joe Kirby for the plaintiff in error.

Adjourned until to-morrow at 12 o'clock.

The day call for Thursday, November 7, will be as follows: Nos. 320 (and 321), 21 Original, 218, 378, 3 Original, 3, 7, 8, 10, and 12.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1918.

Present: The Chief Justice, Mr. Justice McKenna, Mr. Justice Holmes, Mr. Justice Day, Mr. Justice Van Devanter, Mr. Justice Pitney, Mr. Justice McReynolds, Mr. Justice Brandeis, and Mr. Justice Clarke.

Alfred Beitman, of Cincinnati, Ohio; John Weld Peck, of Cincinnati, Ohio; and Michael Joseph Gernon, of Russell, Kans., were admitted to practice.

No. 10. H. C. King, plaintiff in error, v. The Putnam Investment Co. Submitted by Mr. Lee Monroe for the plaintiff in error, and by Mr. B. I. Litowich for the defendant in error.

No. 12. Stephen W. Allen et al., plaintiffs in error, v. J. F. Trimmer, as treasurer, et al. In error to the Supreme Court of the State of Oklahoma. Dismissed with costs, pursuant to the sixteenth rule, on motion of Mr. S. P. Freeling for the defendant in error.

No. 320. Emanuel Baltzer et al., plaintiff in error, v. The United States of America; and No. 321. William J. Head, plaintiff in error, v. The United States of America. Argument continued by Mr. Joe Kirby for the plaintiffs in error, by Mr. John Lord O'Brien for the defendant in error, and concluded by Mr. Joe Kirby for the plaintiffs in error.

No. 21. Original. The State of Georgia, complainant, v. The Trustees of the Cincinnati Southern Railway and the Cincinnati, New Orleans & Texas Pacific Railway Company. Argued by Mr. William A. Wimbush for the complainant, and by Mr. Edward Colston for the defendants.

No. 218. Guerini Stone Company, petitioner, v. P. J. Carlin Construction Company. Argument commenced by Mr. Edward S. Paine for the petitioner.

Adjourned until to-morrow at 12 o'clock.

The day call for Friday, November 8, will be as follows: Nos. 218, 378, 3 Original, 3, 7, 8, 14, 17, 18, and 19.

Give our boys in the Army and Navy every fighting chance. Pledge yourself to save to the utmost of your ability and to buy war-savings stamps.

WATER SUPPLY DEVELOPMENT PLAN AT HAMPTON ROADS, VA.

The War Department authorizes the following statement:

The sum of \$3,600,000 will be spent in the development of the water supply at Hampton Roads, Va. Authorization has been given to the construction division to handle the work.

The main project for the development has been subdivided into four parts, each having a separate appropriation. The principal project is known as the "Portsmouth water development," which contemplates raising the dam at Lake Cahoon, additional pumping equipment at Lake Cahoon pumping station, installation of additional pipe between Lake Cahoon and Lake Kilby pumping station, enlargement of filtration plant at Lake Kilby, additional pumping equipment at Lake Kilby pumping station, additional supply main from Lake Kilby pumping station to Portsmouth pumping station, additional reservoir at Portsmouth pumping station, additional pumping equipment at Portsmouth pumping station, a 24-inch main from Portsmouth pumping station to the vicinity of the navy yard and a 20-inch main across the rivers and Berkley to connect with the Norfolk distribution system. The estimated cost for carrying out this project is \$1,800,000.

Harwood's Mill Development.

Another of the developments is known as the Harwood's mill development at Orianna, Va., to supply an increased volume of water to the various Government activities in the vicinity of Newport News, Va. This project will cost \$1,100,000.

The water supply for Langley Field and Fort Monroe is to be increased. This is known as the Big Bethel water development and will cost approximately \$600,000.

The fourth project consists of additions to pumping station No. 2 at Newport News, Va. The estimated cost of this work is \$150,000.

Expense is Divided.

The expense on these projects is divided between the War Department and the Navy Department. The Navy will pay the entire cost of the Portsmouth water development. Its share of the Big Bethel project is \$300,000, for the Harwood's mill project its share is \$710,000, and for the additions to the pumping station at Newport News, Va., it will contribute \$30,000.

AWARDS BY WAR LABOR BOARD TOTAL 358 SINCE LAST APRIL

The National War Labor Board authorizes the following:

Since its inception last April the National War Labor Board has made awards and otherwise disposed of 358 industrial disputes between employers and employees in war industries and industries directly essential to war production. On November 1 there were 315 cases awaiting settlement.

In 69 cases members of the board and examiners conducted hearings for the col-

MAXIMUM PRICES FOR FRIGORIFICO HIDES OF NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER TAKE-OFF FIXED BY THE WAR INDUSTRIES BOARD

The War Industries Board authorizes the following:

The price-fixing committee of the War Industries Board has established maximum prices for frigorifico hides of November and December take-off at \$61 for steers and \$44 for cows.

Several other grades of best Argentine, Uruguay, and southern Brazil wet-salt hides have been established at corresponding maximums for November and December shipment.

Other foreign hides and skins, for November and December shipment, remain unchanged as compared with the maximums for August, September, and October shipment, except Argentine and Chilean wet-salt horsehides which have been slightly altered.

Maximum prices on foreign hides and skins shall remain unchanged for November and December shipment (subject to any action which may be taken by the interallied executive committee), with the exception of the following grades (which list of grades may be amended), on which the maximum prices shall be as follows (the prices on frigorifico steers and cows apply to November and December take-off):

Buenos Aires frigorifico steers, \$61 Argentine gold per 100 kilos f. o. b. ship.

Buenos Aires frigorifico cows, \$44 Argentine gold per 100 kilos f. o. b. ship.

Montevideo frigorifico steers, \$61 Argentine gold per 100 kilos f. o. b. ship.

Montevideo frigorifico cows, \$44 Argentine gold per 100 kilos f. o. b. ship.

River Plata frigorifico type steers, \$58 Argentine gold f. o. b. ship, 10 per cent shrinkage guarantee.

River Plata frigorifico type cows, \$43 Argentine gold f. o. b. ship, 10 per cent shrinkage guarantee.

River Plata frigorifico type kip, \$47 Argentine gold f. o. b. ship, 10 per cent shrinkage guarantee.

River Plata frigorifico type calf, \$38.50 Argentine gold f. o. b. ship, 10 per cent shrinkage guarantee.

Argentine city special matadero steers, 28½ cents c. and f. New York or Boston.

Argentine city special matadero cows, 20½ cents c. and f. New York or Boston.

lection of evidence upon which awards of the board were made. This number includes awards made by the board and its members as arbitrators, and findings made in cases where both parties to the controversy did not submit the issues for arbitration. In cases of the latter class the board made recommendations for settlement.

Fifty cases have been dropped or suspended, mainly for failure of the complainants to prosecute. In 17 cases the board did not take jurisdiction. Thirty-three cases were settled without the intervention of the board, after one of the parties to the dispute had sought action by the War Labor Board. Four cases were withdrawn, and 177 were referred for settlement to other departments of the Government, under rules of the board. In all, 673 cases were filed with the board between April and November 1,

Buenos Aires and Montevideo frigorifico kip, 15/25 pounds, \$49.

Buenos Aires and Montevideo frigorifico kip, not over 32 pounds average, \$47.

Buenos Aires and Montevideo frigorifico bulls, \$42.

Morris & Co. San Salvador hides and Swift & Co. Asuncion hides, price shall be relative to regular frigorificos.

Montevideo city matadero steers, 28½ cents c. and f. New York or Boston.

Montevideo city matadero cows, 22 cents c. and f. New York or Boston.

Buenos Aires matadero kip and extremes, 22 cents c. and f. New York or Boston.

Montevideo city matadero kip and extremes, 23 cents c. and f. New York or Boston.

Argentine and Uruguay saladero steers, \$57.50 Argentine gold per 100 kilos f. o. b. ship.

Argentine and Uruguay saladero cows, \$40 Argentine gold per 100 kilos f. o. b. ship.

Rio Grande saladero steers, \$56.50 Argentine gold per 100 kilos f. o. b. ship.

Rio Grande saladero cows, \$40 Argentine gold per 100 kilos f. o. b. ship.

Sao Paulo frigorifico hides, 25½ cents, weighed and delivered at New York.

A go-between may not charge a brokerage to both buyer and seller. No one owning a lot of hides or skins may charge his customer a brokerage when selling same. Brokerage on foreign cattle hides and skins shall not exceed 2 per cent. The brokerage on foreign goatskins, sheepskins, and other skins (excepting cattle hides and skins) shall not exceed 3 per cent.

Shipments of dry kips under 12 pounds and dry salted kips under 15 pounds, when mixed with common dry hides (such as Bogota, Orinocos, Porto Cabelas, La Guadras, Central Americans, etc.), shall be sold at two-thirds the price of the hides, or rejected, at buyer's option. Shipments of dry kips under 14 pounds, mixed with hides from Mexico, West Indies, and Peru, shall be sold at two-thirds price, or rejected, at buyer's option.

HORSEHIDES.

1. Chile and Buenos Aires city G. S. hides, not under 25 kilos average, \$7.50 c. and f. shipping weight, free of ponies, colts, and glues. Headless and seconds at 50 cents less.

2. Chile and Buenos Aires Province of Campos horsehides, about 18 to 20 kilos average, \$5.75 c. and f. shipping weight, free from ponies, colts, and glues. Headless and seconds at 50 cents less.

3. All China dry horsehides, \$3.50 for No. 1, about 16 to 17 pounds average; \$2.75 for No. 1, about 12 to 13 pounds average; \$2.50 for No. 1, about 10 pounds average. No. 2 at 50 cents less. No. 3 at half price.

Special Orders, No. 253:

13. The appointment of Capt. Fred W. Lennox, Sanitary Corps, to the grade of major in the Sanitary Corps, United States Army, during the existing emergency, with rank from October 26, 1918, is announced.

EXTENSION OF FOOD LICENSE SYSTEM

(Continued from page 1.)

specified in the announcement of importation, manufacture, storage, mining, or distribution of any necessaries as set forth in such announcement, unless he shall secure and hold a license issued pursuant to this section. The President is authorized to issue such licenses and to prescribe regulations for the issuance of licenses and requirements for systems of accounts and auditing of accounts to be kept by licensees, submission of reports by them, with or without oath or affirmation, and the entry and inspection by the President's duly authorized agents of the places of business of licensees."

And whereas it is essential in order to carry into effect the provisions of the said act that the powers conferred upon the President by said act be at this time exercised to the extent hereinafter set forth.

Now, therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States of America, by virtue of the powers conferred upon me by said act of Congress, hereby find and determine and by this proclamation do announce that it is essential in order to carry into effect the purposes of said act to license the manufacture, storage, and distribution of certain necessaries to the extent hereinafter specified:

All persons, firms, corporations, and associations not already so licensed engaged in the business of milling corn, oats, barley, or rice.

All persons, firms, corporations, and associations not already so licensed engaged in the business of importing, manufacturing, or distributing casings made from the intestines of animals for sausage and other food commodities.

All persons, firms, corporations, and associations not already so licensed engaged in the business of manufacturing near beers or other similar cereal beverages.

All persons, firms, corporations, and associations engaged in the business of importing, manufacturing, or distributing oat flour, raw corn flakes, buckwheat, or buckwheat products.

All persons, firms, corporations, and associations, not already so licensed, engaged in the business of operating warehouses or other places in which any food or feed commodities are stored for hire;

All persons, firms, corporations, and associations, not already so licensed, engaged in the business of importing, manufacturing or distributing: Chinese vegetable tallow, coconut stearine, coconut olein, cod oil, cod liver oil, cohune oil, fish and marine animal oils, lard oil, lard stearine, linseed oil, mustard seed oil, mutton tallow, neat's-foot oil, neutral lard, oleo stearine, oleo stock, olive oil, rape-seed oil, sesame oil, shea nut oil, sun-flower seed oil, tallow, and all other animal or vegetable fats and oils, including hydrogenated fats or oils, which are in whole or part edible, or which may be made edible; except those specifically exempted by said act of Congress, are hereby required to secure, on or before November 15, 1918, a license, which license will be issued under such rules and regulations governing the conduct of the business as may be prescribed.

All persons hereby made subject to license must apply, specifying the kind of license desired, to the United States Food

Administration, License Division, Washington, D. C., on forms prepared by it for that purpose, which may be secured on request.

Any person, firm, corporation, or association other than those hereinbefore excepted, who shall engage in or carry on any business hereinbefore specified after November 15, 1918, without first securing such license, will be liable to the penalty prescribed by said act of Congress.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done in the District of Columbia, this 2d day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the one hundred and forty-third.

(Seal.) WOODROW WILSON,
By the President.

ROBERT LANSING, *Secretary of State.*

Food Administration Statement.

Through the above proclamation the licensing machinery of the United States Food Administration has been extended to cover the manufacture, storage, and distribution of various foods which heretofore have not, in part or in whole, been in the licensed class.

All concerns engaged in the business of operating warehouses or other places in which any food or feed commodities are stored for hire will now be placed under license. Up to this time only cold-storage concerns have come under the licensing scope of the food-control act through a previous presidential proclamation. In this connection the Food Administration and the War Industries Board made this statement:

Joint Statement Issued.

"Conferences have been held with the trade engaged in this business, and steps have been taken toward the determination of fair storage rates. Storage enters materially into the cost which the public ultimately pays for the commodities, and this action is taken to check the excessive rates which have been charged by some individuals through the shortage of storage space. As one step in the institution of this control the President has just issued a proclamation (November 2) under the food-control act requiring all persons engaged in the storing of food and feed commodities for hire to take out a license by November 15."

Control Over Edible Oils.

Another provision of the proclamation is designed to give more control over the glycerin extraction of animal and vegetable fats and oils. For this purpose all concerns engaged in the business of importing, manufacturing, or distributing the following, if not already so licensed, are required to secure a license on or before November 15: Chinese vegetable tallow, coconut stearine, coconut olein, cod oil, cod-liver oil, Cohune oil, fish and marine animal oils, lard oil, lard stearine, linseed oil, mustard-seed oil, mutton tallow, neat's-foot oil, neutral lard, oleo stearine, oleo stock, olive oil, rape-seed oil, sesame oil, Shea nut oil, sunflower-seed oil, tallow, and all other animal or vegetable fats and oils, including hydro-

U. S. MAILS LOST ON VESSELS EN ROUTE FOR SOUTH AFRICA

OFFICE OF SECOND ASSISTANT
POSTMASTER GENERAL,

Washington, November 2, 1918.

In addition to the notice of June 3, announcing the loss of mails from the United States to Egypt on the S. S. *Caledonian*, which left Marseille the latter part of June, 1917, further information has been received which indicates that the mail of May 26, 1917, for Mombasa, British East Africa, was also lost. It is estimated that the mail for Mombasa contained 1,300 ordinary letters, being the accumulation of mail at New York from May 19, 1917, to May 26, 1917.

The steamship from England for South Africa, reported as lost, conveyed mails for Mozambique (Lourenzo Marquez) and South Africa which reached New York from August 3, 1918, to August 27, 1918, the mails being made up of articles as follows:

Mozambique—600 ordinary letters, 7 registered articles, 4 sacks prints.

South Africa—16,000 ordinary letters, 201 registered articles, 77 sacks prints.

In connection with inquiries for missing mail, postmasters will consult this notice for the purpose of determining whether the mail inquired for was on either of the vessels referred to in the foregoing.

OTTO PRAEGER,
Second Assistant Postmaster Gen.

EXPORT LICENSE CANCELED.

A Canadian customs memorandum says:

Notice has been given that the authority formerly given to Canadian collectors to license exports of mica and fish oils is canceled, and it will therefore be necessary to submit all applications to the War Trade Board, Ottawa. It has also been decided that export licenses shall be required for shipments of stearin and tallow to the United States as well as to all other countries.

generated fats or oils, which are in whole or part edible, or which may be edible.

Under the proclamation all millers of corn, oats, barley, or rice will now be licensed. Up to the present time these classes of millers whose plants have a daily capacity of less than 75 barrels per day in the manufacture of food for human consumption have been exempted from license. All millers of feedstuffs have, however, been licensed.

Importers, manufacturers, or distributors of sausage casings, if not already so, are placed under license. These sausage casings are imported from China principally, and the action was taken for the purpose of stabilizing the market for this material used in the production of an important food.

Others Under License.

Those engaged in importing, manufacturing, or distributing oat flour, raw corn flakes, buckwheat, or buckwheat products, are also placed under license through the presidential proclamation. Buckwheat and buckwheat products concerns handling these commodities for food purposes have not been under license heretofore, while those handling oatmeal and rolled oats have been.

REASONS WHY EVERY RETAIL MERCHANT SHOULD KEEP CAREFUL BOOK ACCOUNTS

Commissioner of Internal Revenue in General Letter Tells How All May Help Government and Themselves in Meeting War Tax Problems.

The Bureau of Internal Revenue has issued the following general letter addressed to retail merchants embodying some reasons why every retail merchant should keep book accounts:

BUREAU OF INTERNAL REVENUE,
Washington, D. C., Sept. 14, 1918.

To retail merchants:

The revenue act now pending in Congress is expected to produce \$8,000,000,000. This means a tax on the average of more than \$76 for every man, woman, and child in America. The average per family is nearly \$340.

In many businesses taxes will be one of the largest items of expense. It is of the utmost importance, therefore, that every concern in business, large or small, whether corporation, partnership, or individual, shall maintain an exact record of its receipts and expenses—in other words, keep accurate accounts. Taxes should be considered as an expense of the year for which they are assessed rather than for the year in which they are actually paid and the necessary reserves should be provided for at once.

Close Check to be Kept.

Because of the large amounts to be collected the Bureau of Internal Revenue will be compelled to check the income-tax returns filed by taxpayers more closely than heretofore. The retail merchant who is able to place before the internal-revenue inspector book records showing exactly how he arrived at his statement of net income will greatly facilitate the Government's task of collecting the war revenues and save himself annoyance and expense.

No special system of accounts is prescribed by the Internal Revenue Bureau, but the books should show in detail inventories, purchases, sales, capital investments, depreciation, and similar items required in making up the income-tax return. Every merchant should study the income-tax law and regulations and see to it that his accounts are kept in a manner that will enable him to determine his net income for taxation purposes.

Keeping Systematic Accounts.

Aside from the necessity of keeping systematic accounts in order to comply with the Government's requirements, every progressive merchant should adopt an approved accounting system for the good of his own business. In no other way can he further his financial interests more effectively. It has been proven time and time again that accurate accounts are absolutely essential to success in business. The merchant who has a good accounting system is able to eliminate waste and unnecessary expense and can so control his

purchases and his credits as to greatly lessen the chance of failure. The inventory, which can not be taken without some form of accounts, is the compass of a business. Without it the direction in which the business is heading either for success or failure can not be determined.

In the complexities of modern business costs must be calculated with certainty in order to determine what the selling price of an article should be in order to yield a reasonable profit. This is impossible without books of account.

The profits of a business or the losses of a business can not be determined without book record; and now that the Nation requires every citizen to contribute to the war budget within his means and income, the returns required by the Government under the revenue laws can not be made with any degree of accuracy without books of account and annual inventories.

The Bad-Debt Loss.

The bad-debt loss of the Nation, which runs into large figures annually, is due in large measure to inexperience and inability. If merchants would keep even the simplest books of account the bad-debt wastage would be reduced materially, for inability and inexperience are usually marked by the absence of an accounting system.

Owing to the withdrawal of man power from industry it is essential that every business man be more frugal and exert himself more effectively to conduct his business efficiently. Extra effort put forth in carrying on the business so as to increase volume at less expense will decrease the chance of failure, increase the earnings of the merchant as a reward for his effort, and enable him to share more liberally in the governmental financial program made necessary for the successful prosecution of the war.

The man who knows the exact condition of his business from day to day has an immeasurable advantage over the individual who has no records upon which to base his operations. It is the duty of every citizen, especially in these war times, to keep in such close touch with his business through record keeping and otherwise as to maintain the greatest efficiency and render to his Government every cent due in taxes.

DANIEL C. ROPER,
Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

DEATHS REPORTED IN NAVY.

Lieutenant Dies of Influenza; Shipfitter Succumbs to Wounds.

The Navy Department reports the following deaths:

Lieut. (Junior Grade) Joseph C. Morris Small, United States Navy, died November 2 of influenza. Wife, Mrs. Margaret Rettew Small, 609 South Forty-eighth Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Arthur Paul Sharpe, shipfitter (first class), United States Naval Reserve Force, died October 29 of shell wounds while on duty abroad. Mother, Mrs. Anna J. Sharpe, 2506 South Forty-first Street, Omaha, Nebr.

PURCHASE OF ARMY SUPPLIES FROM WORKSHOPS OF THE BLIND

The War Department authorizes the following:

Brig. Gen. R. E. Wood, Acting Quartermaster General and director of purchase and storage, has issued the following notice with reference to purchasing from institutions for the blind:

"The workshops of the blind under the supervision of Federal or State commissions at present produce many articles suitable for Army supplies. Nearly all such workshops produce brooms, mops, brushes, baskets, and wicker ware, and the list is being extended.

Instructions to Supply Officers.

"Zone supply officers are instructed to communicate with the department of public welfare of the various States in their respective zones and ascertain what articles are being made by the blind that are suitable for Army use, and they are further directed to cooperate with institutions for the blind by furnishing them samples and advice, so that their products may be extended and may conform with Army specifications.

"The director of purchase is instructed to purchase from such workshops as come under the direct supervision of Federal or State commissions for the blind such articles as are needed and suitable for Army purposes. Such purchases may be made upon payment of the prevailing market price, which may be determined by negotiation, dispensing with formal bids."

Purchases Already Made.

As a result of this notice considerable purchases have already been made from institutions for the blind, and it is expected that this will stimulate production at these institutions and cause the employment of many thousands of workmen who have become incapacitated through loss of sight.

MONEY ORDER STATIONS OPENED AT CAMPS OF PORTO RICANS

The War Department authorizes the following:

Arrangements have just been completed by officers of the construction division of the Army with Post Office authorities for the establishment of money-order stations at the following camps, where 12,963 Porto Ricans have been imported to help solve the labor shortage:

North Camp Jackson, S. C.; Camp Jackson, S. C.; Camp Bragg, Fayetteville, N. C.; picric acid plant, Little Rock, Ark., picric acid plant at Brunswick, Ga.

The stations are to be established for the purpose of facilitating the sending of allotments by the Porto Ricans to their families at home. Because of the low rates of pay in Porto Rico the allotments now being sent by the Porto Ricans to their families are fully as much as the Porto Ricans earned while at work at home.

It is expected that 50,000 Porto Ricans will be imported in the next three months to this country by the construction division to expedite big construction projects now underway in this country for the Army.

LIST OF CASUALTIES REPORTED AMONG THE UNITED STATES FORCES OVERSEAS

SECTION 1, NOVEMBER 8, 1918.

The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American Expeditionary Forces:

Killed in action.....	111
Died of accident and other causes.....	3
Died of disease.....	252
Wounded (degree undetermined).....	111
Missing in action.....	63
Total.....	540

Killed in Action.

CAPTAIN.

SCHLOSSER, Arthur L. Mrs. Kathleen Deceu Schlosser, 2134 Seneca Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

LIEUTENANTS.

KRIEBEL, Thomas E. Mrs. Dorothy Sanders Kriebel, 7418 Boyer Street, Philadelphia, Pa.
MCINTOSH, John M. Mrs. Anna M. McIntosh, 1631 Richland Street, Columbia, S. C.

SERGEANT.

PAUL, Ora H. Clarence Paul, Woodstock, Vt.

CORPORALS.

BECK, Clarence H. Mrs. Ida M. Beck, Ford City, Pa.

CRYDER, Charlie C. James B. Cryder, R. F. D. 1, Irwin, Ohio.

HASKINS, Luman. Mrs. Emma Haskins, Firestone Farm, West Market Street, Akron, Ohio.

LORENSEN, Edward H. Mrs. Kathryn Lorenson, 356 Ford Street, Watsonville, Cal.
SARVER, Phil R. Mrs. Jane H. Sarver, R. F. D. 2, Wexford, Pa.

BUGLERS.

HALL, JOHN T. Mrs. Mary A. Hall, 117 Bath Street, Santa Barbara, Cal.

LEDBETTER, Shirley. Egbert Ledbetter, Livingston, Tenn.

STORZ, George W. Mrs. Louise Storz, 27 Luty Street, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pa.

MECHANIC.

ENLOE, Roscoe. Dr. Isaac N. Enloe, 319 East High Street, Jefferson City, Mo.

WAGONER.

BAUGHMAN, Gilbert. Mrs. Mary Baughman, Liberty Center, Ohio.

PRIVATE.

ABRAMSON, Joel E. Theodore Abramson, box 23, Sawyer, Wis.

ALLISON, Arthur T. Mrs. Alice L. Allison, Crab Orchard, Tenn.

BAILEY, Courtney B. Mrs. Lucy M. Bailey, R. F. D. 1, Phenix, Va.

BAKER, Alvin. Mrs. Ella Baker, Willburton, Okla.

BARTLESON, Clayton W. Mrs. Anna C. Bartleson, Ray, Va.

BEAL, Ernest E. Mrs. Madge S. Beal, 405 Locust Street, Anaconda, Mont.

BEHN, Edward. Dr. Johanna Behn, 2418, Surry Court, Chicago, Ill.

BENJAMIN, Mortimer. Robert Benjamin, 668 Hamilton Avenue, Richmond Hill, N. Y.

BERGEMAN, Leland E. Mrs. Lena Bergeman, 649 Adams Street, West, Berkeley, Cal.

BERRY, Clarence Heathorne. Mrs. Mary Berry, 105 Elizabeth Street, Tamaqua, Pa.

BESANA, Guisepp. Frank Besana, La Honda, Cal.

BEST, Nell W. Mrs. Edna Best, Milton, Oreg.

BEYER, Ralph C. Mary Beyer, 1632 Concord Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

BILLETS, Peter. Michael Billets, Dickson City, Pa.

BILLINGS, Ernest O. Mrs. Rose Billings, Gold Hill, Oreg.

BOCKMAN, Harry S. Mrs. Little Bockman, 2812 East Seventy-sixth Street, Chicago, Ill.

BOYD, David H. Mrs. Ida F. Boyd, R. F. D. 2, Pinetown, N. C.

BRETT, Jarvis L. Mrs. Cornelia E. Brett, Newsoms, Va.

BURNS, Michael E. Mrs. Bridget Burns, 61 Albany Street, Albany, N. Y.

CANNON, Frank. Mrs. Hagertha Cannon, Mound City, Ill.

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The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American Expeditionary Forces:

Killed in action	48
Died of disease	57
Wounded severely	37
Wounded slightly	132
Missing in action	269

Total 543

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 Colo.
 THOMPSON, Frank J. Mrs. Mary Thompson,
 61-A Central Avenue, Jersey City, N. J.
 TOMANIO, Phillip. Bruno Tomasio, Danbury,
 Conn.
 TORIAN, James E. Mrs. Luey J. Patterson,
 R. F. D. 3, Grapevine, Tex.
 WIDGEON, Johnnie A. Mrs. Betty Widgeon,
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 ZACH, Joseph. Mrs. Lilly Zach, 4949 Hoyne
 Avenue, Chicago, Ill.
 ELLIOTT, John F. Isaac Joelson, jr., Fruit-
 dale, Ind.
 FERRETTI, L. O. Matteo. Miss Fanny Fer-
 retti, 623 Congress Street, Detroit, Mich.
 FRIEDMAN, John L. Mrs. Mary Srael, New
 Wagon, Okla.
 GAULT, Ernest S. J. E. Gault, R. F. D. 1,
 Chippewa Lake, Ohio.

CASUALTIES REPORTED BY GEN. PERSHING

GILBERT, Tyson H. Hiram D. Gilbert, Abilene, Tex.
 GOODWIN, Otmer. Mrs. Janie Goodwin, Precious, Clay County, W. Va.
 GRUMBRECHT, Fred. Mrs. Gertrude Schwartz, 594 West Side Avenue, Jersey City, N. J.
 HARMAN, Thaddeus. Mrs. Thaddeus Harman, care of Mrs. W. W. Stoneburg, 1017 Avenue B, Council Bluffs, Iowa.
 HELLAND, Alfred A. Peter D. Johnson, box 681, Saint James, Minn.
 HILDEBRANDT, Joseph. Herman Hildebrandt, 872 West Fifth Street, Winona, Minn.
 HOLLY, Grafton. John M. Holly, Balcom, Ill.
 HOWELLS, Ernest P. Mrs. John Howells, 2101 Salisbury Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.
 HUBBELL, Henry W. Jacob Hubbell, Kewick, Iowa.
 HUTCHENSON, William H. Mrs. Beatrice Hutchenson, R. F. D. 1, Palmersville, Tenn.
 IRELAND, Joseph C. Mrs. Lydia B. Ireland, 105 North Woodstock Street, Philadelphia, Pa.
 JACOBBER, Ralph. John Jacobber, Harmes, Colo.
 JENSON, Walter H. Peter Jensen, R. F. D. 1, Underwood, Minn.
 KALINCHUK, Fred O. Michael Paluh, 7714 Donald Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio.
 KELLY, Edward E. Mrs. Lucy Kelly, 1330 Herkimer Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 KINKENNON, Charles A. James T. Kinkennon, Dexter, Iowa.
 KLAROWSKI, John, jr. Mrs. Mary Klarowski, 3142 East Eighty-first Street, Cleveland, Ohio.
 KRONMANN, Henry F. Carl Kronmann, box 123 Arcata, Cal.
 LA ROCHE, Harry. Theo. La Roche, 471 North Greenwood Avenue, Kankakee, Ill.
 LAYNE, Edmond N. Mrs. Rosie Wheat, Spurgeon, Mo.
 LEHMAN, Walter J. Mrs. Hattie B. Lehman, 611 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Ind.
 LEWIS, Donald. Albert Lewis, Lehair, Mont.
 MAHON, Harry F. Mrs. Samuel Mahon, 205 West East Street, Streeter, Ill.
 MAUCH, Barney. Miss Melania Mauch, box 6, Harrah, Wash.
 MIREBONNE, Richard. Nancy Steel, box 145, Montak, Mont.
 MEYER, Rudolph. Charley Meyer, Guy, Tex.
 MITCHELL, Frank C. Mrs. Bessie Mitchell, 614 East Ninth Street, Oklahoma City, Okla.
 NEAL, Glenn N. Mrs. Ellen Neal, Hickory Point, Tenn.
 OXFORD, Thomas A. Mrs. Mary A. Oxford, Nacoma, Tex.
 POEHL, Fred S. William Strohsahl, 100 Coleidge Avenue, Celerridge, Colo.
 POSTON, George S. Slias M. Poston, Thief River Falls, Minn.
 RAUB, Erwin Wallace. Mrs. Lydia Raub, R. F. D. 1, Red Lion, Pa.
 RIGSBY, Herace. Elvin Rigby, R. F. D. 6, Georgiana, Ala.
 RIORDAN, John A. Mrs. Sarah Riordan, 370 Prospect Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 ROBINS, Gurdon M. Mrs. Lillian Robins, 2459 North Eighth Street, Philadelphia, Pa.
 ROSS, Clifford. John A. Ross, Cedar Grove, Tenn.
 SABIN, Francis. Mrs. Margaret J. Sabin, St. David, Ariz.
 SHERWOOD, Charles Arberta. Mrs. Retta Sherwood, care Dell Beardsley, Arcade, N. Y.
 SWANLUND, William Hjalmar. Mrs. Bessie Swanlund, 29 Pettecorsette Avenue, Norwood, R. I.
 TRZASKA, Joseph. Joseph Staniszwski, State Street Auburn, N. Y.
 VAN WHY, Jefferson. Martin Van Why, R. F. D. 2, East Stroudsburg, Pa.
 VAUGHAN, William R. Mrs. Laura Vaughan, McLeansboro, Ill.
 WADE, James C. Mrs. Nellie Churchill, Athens, Ill.
 WASILK, Anton F. Frank Wasilk, Greenville, S. Dak.
 WRESINSKI, Thaddeus. Constantine Wresinski, 200 Morger Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 WRIGHT, Robey Glenn. Mrs. Maude Kinzalo, 968 East Third Street, Cincinnati, Ohio.
 ZAKSIEFSKY, Jehn. Mrs. Ava Grier, 2 Elbridge Street, Chelsea, Mass.
 McMILLAN, Eddie. Mrs. John T. England, Barbours, S. C.
 MACHULA, Jehn. Mrs. Rose Machula, 1802 Mallory Street, Cedar Rapids, Ia.
 MACK, Steven. Mrs. Mary Mack, 1213 Harriet Street, Dickson City, Pa.
 MADSON, Matt A. Mrs. Knut Madson, Renwick, Iowa.
 MAGGI, Philippo. Lingi Maggi, Stubbleville, Ohio.
 MAKOWSKI, Andrew W. Frances Mirecka, 4511 Mercer Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

MAVRAKOS, Thomas P. Peter Mavrakos, 690 Milwaukee Avenue, Chicago, Ill.
 MEETZKE, Benjamin T. John A. Q. Meetze, R. F. D. 1, Lexington, S. C.
 MILTON, Stefan. Nicholas Milton, 6583 East Seventy-sixth Street, Cleveland, Ohio.
 MINOTTE, Matteo. Mrs. Felice Dellafave, 67 Magne Street, Rochester, N. Y.
 MIYAS, Walter. Mrs. Anne Mivas, 23 West Street, Chicopee, Mass.
 MOLYNEAUX, John L. Mrs. Mary Molyneaux, 723 Henry Street, Davenport, Iowa.
 MORELLE, Eugene. Joseph Infusino, 2101 Mead Street, Burlington, Wis.
 MORRIS, Roy. Robert L. Morris, 2100 Taylor Street, Richmond, Va.
 NELSON, Paul A. Mrs. Ida Nelson, 359 Armstrong Avenue, Jersey City, N. J.
 NIEBUHR, Walter. Mrs. Meta Niebuhr, 231 Griffith Street, Jersey City, N. J.
 NUNNALLY, William C. James K. Nunnally, R. F. D. 2, Homer, Ga.
 OCHS, Elmer W. Mrs. Katharine M. Ochs, 5646 Drake Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio.
 PAUR, Bernard Ben. Mrs. Anna Paur, 1300 McCulloch Street, Wheeling, W. Va.
 PETERSON, Martin. Mrs. Agnes Peterson, box 303, Winona, Minn.
 PHILLIPS, Jehn. Mrs. Anna Phillips, 4 Centerville Street, Coaldale, Pa.
 PRITCHARD, Roy O. James F. Pritchard, Keokuk, Okla.
 RAMSAY, Jesse. Mrs. Frances Ramsey, R. F. D. 5, Greenfield, Ohio.
 RATHGEBER, George L. Mrs. Helen Rathgeber, 284 Niagara Street, Tenawanda, N. Y.
 RESENDES, Manuel. Mike Resendes, 35 William Street, Fall River, Mass.
 RESLER, Garnet S. Mrs. Mary Resler, Thro Ohio.
 ROACH, Daniel O. Mrs. Katie Maton, Lamont, Kans.
 ROBINSON, Dezier. Miss Ollie Robinson, Canton, Ky.
 SIMMONS, George E. Miss Lydia King, 2342 North Twenty-fourth Street, Philadelphia, Pa.
 SITERLET, Anthony J. Mrs. Katherine Siterlet, R. F. D. 2, Royal Oak, Mich.
 SPANISH, Melvin. Blanche Walton, 716 Acorn Street, Jacksonville, Fla.
 SPIERS, Earl C. Mrs. Elizabeth Spiers, Olathe, Colo.
 STOUT, William H. Mrs. Mary Stout, R. F. D. 3, Bellecenter, Ohio.
 STRANDGARD, Richard. Mrs. Henry Philippen 315 Seventeenth Avenue, East Mohac, Ill.
 STRICKLAND, Relmon. James B. Strickland, Martins Mill, Tex.
 TANNER, George A. Andrew S. Tanner, Henrietta, N. C.
 TIGHE, Venner V. Mrs. Clara Tighe, Perry, Iowa.
 THURUN, Ernest H. Henry B. Thrun, 727 Taylor Street, Toledo, Ohio.
 WRELD, Walter H. Mrs. Emma Seals, Northfield, Minn.
 WELTER, Clarence P. Mick Welter, 2502 Elm Street, Dubuque, Iowa.
 WERTZ, Walter. Sarah Lamb, 907 North Lawrence Street, Philadelphia, Pa.
 WILCOX, Ernest C. Mrs. Emma Stilwell, 126 North Street, New Britain, Conn.
 WIRE, Amos W. William Wire, Gravity, Iowa.
 YARBROUGH, Almuth R. Mrs. Margaret Yarbrough, Mount Calm, Tex.
 ZENGLER, Howard L. Mrs. Louis Zengler, 506 Nineteenth Street NW, Canton, Ohio.
 ZUEGORSKI, Walter. Frank Zuegorski, 10 Nelson Street, Maspeith, N. Y.

CORRECTIONS IN CASUALTY LIST.

Killed in Action, Previously Reported Missing in Action.

CORPORALS.

LAWSON, Deforest. Clyde J. McLane, 726 East Seventh Street, Erie, Pa.
 SMITH, Frank R. Frank A. Smith, 980 Decatur Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

PRIVATEES.

CORNELIUS, Bennett. Ben Cornelius, Thomsville, N. C.
 CORVARO, Domenico. James Corvaro, Anagnano, Province Teramo Abruzzi, Italy.
 DAVIS, Eugene L. Eugene L. Davis, Taleville, N. Y.
 ENGLISH, Sylvester John. George W. English, R. F. D. No. 5, Erie, Pa.
 ESTES, Orville. Earl Estes, Rankin, Okla.
 GEORGE, Arthur M. William E. Georger, 280 Geneva Street, Buffalo, N. Y.
 GOODYEAR, Paul. Mrs. Annie A. Goodyear, Mount Holly Springs, Pa.

LOOKER, Horace Russell. Horace G. Looker, 1401 North Broad Street, Lyons, N. J.
 VEST, Clarence Winford. Mrs. Margaret Vest, R. F. D. No. 6, Linton, Ind.

Wounded Severely, Previously Reported Missing in Action.

CORPORALS.

CULLEN, James J. Mrs. Mary Ann Cullen, 15 Clairmont Avenue, New York, N. Y.
 LOVE, Frederick. James Love, Petrolia, Ontario, Canada.

BUGLER.

HOSMER, Donald. Mrs. Emily Hosmer, 1517 East Eighty-fourth Street, Cleveland, Ohio.

COOK.

MANLEY, John J. Eugene Manley, 612 North Washington Avenue, Scranton, Pa.

PRIVATEES.

CAVERRETTA, Anthony. Mrs. Mary Caverretta, 504 Ellsworth Street, Philadelphia, Pa.
 CLOOS, Arthur F. Mrs. Elizabeth Cloos, 194 Conella Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 COLE, Francis A. Mrs. Ida Cole, West Point, Pa.
 COX, George Omar. W. L. Cox, R. F. D. 29, Carlos City, Ind.
 CRAWFORD, Robert M. William H. Crawford, Santa Anna, Cal.
 DAVIS, William T. Mrs. S. A. Huddleston, corner Virginia and Madison Streets, Eugene, Oreg.
 DRAKE, Joseph. Seabe Drake, Starks, La.
 KING, Thomas A. Mrs. Margaret E. King, 1110 Adeline Street, Oakland, Cal.
 ROSE, Delbert Dean. Orin L. Rose, Hep Bottom, Pa.
 STANLEY, Lafayette. Miss Altie Stanley, Mayfield, Ky.
 DEFILIPPES, Frank. Prospero DeFilippes, Corioto Perdicara, Italy.

Wounded Slightly, Previously Reported Missing in Action.

PRIVATE.

BLANSHAY, Harry. Jake Blanshay, 1053 Clark Street, Montreal, Canada.

Wounded (Degree Undetermined), Previously Reported Missing in Action.

PRIVATEES.

BIENKOWSKI, Alex. Anton Bienkowski, 6805 Hosmar Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio.
 BINGLE, Robert. Mrs. Gussie Bingle, R. F. D. A, box 233, Houston, Tex.
 DI PIAZZA, Charles. Frank Di Piazza, 91 Jewell Street, Garfield, N. J.
 FICKLIN, Harry T. Joseph Ficklin, Diamond, Wash.
 FISHER, Jehn. Mrs. Mary Dickler, 529 Wharton Street, Philadelphia, Pa.
 GARCIA, Tomas. Mrs. Lola C. Garcia, Kelly, N. Mex.
 GUIDOTTE, Vincent. Mrs. Nazzareno Guidotte, Beliena, Province of Rome, Italy.
 HANSON, Andrew, jr. Mrs. Christiana Hanson, Stenington, Mich.
 KING, Sydney T. E. H. King, general delivery, North Yakima, Wash.
 NEIKIRK, Oral W. Mrs. Mary Neikirk, Falls River Mills, Cal.
 SMITH, Jehn Joseph. Mrs. Mary Smith, 226 Lexington Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 STRELE, Robert F. Frank J. Steele, Lockheld, Ky.
 STONE, William K. David Stone, 1820 Virginia Street, Berkeley, Cal.

Returned to Duty, Previously Reported Missing in Action.

CORPORAL.

FRANK, Alvin J. Mrs. Anna Frank, 1167 Twenty-fifth Avenue, Milwaukee, Wis.

PRIVATEES.

ANDERSON, Carl F. Mrs. Charlotte Anderson, 904 Fulton Street, Bay City, Mich.
 ARMSTRONG, Edward V. George Beanet, Marianna, Pa.
 BARGER, Jehn P. Mrs. Jehn P. Barger, Milan, Tenn.
 BRATTSTROM, David W. Mrs. Karin Brattstrom, 6514 Second Avenue, N. E., Seattle, Wash.
 CHAYKA, Serhel. Mrs. Vasilia Chayka, village Traulin, Pert of Sudilkov, city Zaslav, Stalis Vellusk, Russia.
 CLARK, James B. Mrs. Eleanor Clark, 4228 Aspin Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

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Additional List of American Prisoners And the Camps Where They Are Held

The War Department authorizes publication of the following list of soldiers who, it has been ascertained, are prisoners of war in Germany:

CAMP RASTATT.

COSTELLO, John, private. Mrs. Margaret Costello, mother, 1453 Second Avenue, New York, N. Y.

REEDER, Arthur E., private (first class). Mrs. Catherine Reeder, mother, Trevorton, Pa.

JEFFERSON, Clifford, private. Frank W. Jefferson, father, Portland Mills, Pa.

FINCH, Enos, private. Mrs. Sarah Finch, mother, box 5, R. F. D. No. 1, Shavertown, N. Y.

TEMPLETON, Jesse H., private. Samuel Usrey, brother-in-law, Linton, Ind.

RAPPOPORT, Isadore, private. Harry Rappoport, brother, Salamanca, N. Y.

LAPKIN, Samuel, private (first class). Mrs. Lena Lapkin, mother, 118 West One hundred and twelfth Street, New York, N. Y.

KAUFMAN, Adolph, Jr., sergeant. Mrs. Emma Kaufman, mother, 460 West One hundred and thirty-first Street, New York, N. Y.

BERGER, Thomas, private. Jaima Berger, father, Elvira, Canada.

MCSWAIN, Thurston, private (first class). Walter G. McSwain, father, R. F. D. No. 1, Blacksburg, S. C.

CYGANOWASKI, Wojciech, private (first class). Andrew Jausana, cousin, 105 Joseph Campus Avenue, Detroit, Mich.

NORVELL, Albert, private. Mrs. Susie Norvell, mother, Schuyler, Va.

MCFARLAND, Alva, private. William McFarland, father, Cleo Springs, Okla.

JONES, Harold A., corporal. Mrs. Dena Schuff, mother, 100 Wall Street, North East, Pa.

EICHNER, Herbert W., corporal. E. H. Eichner, brother, 1311 West One hundred and tenth Street, Cleveland, Ohio.

STUNSKY, Joseph Stanley, private. Mrs. Mary Stunsky, mother, 429 East Thirtieth Street, Erie, Pa.

TATMAN, Jennings Bryan, private (first class). Mrs. Amanda B. Tatman, mother, R. F. D. No. 2, Hartford, Kans.

STANATHY, Stanislaw, private. Antonio Stawinski, stepbrother, 510 East Second Street, Erie, Pa.

CARGO, Gordon N., private. Milford W. Cargo, father, Brown's Plan, East Pittsburgh, Pa.

LESLIE, Carl C., private. Mrs. Lettie E. Leslie, wife, Alva, Okla.

PELLIGRINO, Nicolo, private. Nunzio Pellegrino, father, Girardville, Pa.

KNOPP, John, private. Mike Prekop, uncle, R. F. D. No. 2, Ebervale, Pa.

BRANDT, Othniel, private. Mrs. Gustav Brandt, mother, Baraum, Minn.

STRASSBURG HOSPITAL.

MATCHETT, James D., private. Mrs. Maggie Strop, mother, Glenwood, Iowa.

CHERDUF HOSPITAL—LANGENSALZA.

RICE, George D. S., private. Tom Rice, brother, R. F. D. No. 2, Wheelock, Okla.

RUNES, Harry H., private, first class. Mrs. T. T. Rhines, mother, Hallton, Pa.

BECKER, William J., private. Gertrude Becker, sister, St. Clair, Pa.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED KILLED IN ACTION, NOW A PRISONER AT CHERDUF HOSPITAL—LANGENSALZA.

MANZELLA, Michael, private. Giuseppe Manzella, father, Trappeto Province, Palermo, Italy.

CAMP LANGENSALZA.

ROBERTS, Vivian H., lieutenant. Mrs. J. D. Roberts, mother, 451 Center Street, Maccon, Ga.

CAMP DARMSTADT.

RAYNER, Thomas G., private. Richard A. Rayner, father, Alpharetta, Ga.

CAMP HELLSBERG.

DOWNES, Frank, sergeant. Mrs. E. Downes, mother, 128 Litchfield Avenue, Willmar, Minn.

RESERVE HOSPITAL 2—STUTTGART.

HOTCHKIN, Walter J., mechanic. F. E. Hotchkin, father, 2351 West Fifty-eighth Street, Chicago, Ill.

MOORE, John, sergeant. Patrick Moore, brother, 248 West One hundred and forty-ninth Street, New York, N. Y.

ENCK, Harry J., private. Mrs. Katherine Enck, mother, 18 Hooker Street, Glendale, N. Y.

ANDREWS, John D., private. David Andrews, father, 114 McNeal Street, Millville, N. J.

PADATO, Rocco, private. Mrs. Christina Padato, mother, 236 Academy Street, Newark, N. J.

BRETZ, Emory Wilbur, corporal. George W. Bretz, father, Bolling Springs, Pa.

HAZZLETT, Heber Lee, private. Miss Maude Bunkle, cousin, 121 Boyd Avenue, Carlisle, Pa.

BOLDUC, Amedes J., private. Francis Bolduc, father, 9 Division Street, Worcester, Mass.

PADDOCK, Clarence P., corporal. Mrs. G. B. Paddock, mother, Brookville, Pa.

GRNDORF, Clarence E., sergeant. W. W. Grndorf, father, Millersburg, Pa.

PALONEY, Benjamin, private. Mrs. Claudia Paloney, mother, 249 Van Brunt Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

BECKETT, Emmett M., sergeant. Marie Beckett, 115 Broad Street, Florence, N. J.

GETTINGEN HOSPITAL.

STANLEY, J. C., lieutenant. Mrs. C. L. Bagwell, sister, 2734 Silver Street, El Paso, Tex.

CAMP UNKNOWN.

ROSENBERG, Mitchell, private. Morris Rosenberg, father, 4161 Fort Hamilton Parkway, Brooklyn, N. Y.

PFEIFER, Peter, private. Mrs. Margaret Pfeifer, mother, 185 Franklin Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

PARKER, George J., sergeant. Miss Helen Kelly, aunt, 47 Reeve Place, Brooklyn, N. Y.

PAUL, John, private. Sam Paul, father, Springdale, Conn.

PANNELL, John C., private. Mr. Pannell, father, 401 Smith Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

STURNIOL, David, private. Joseph Sturniolo, father, 4511 Fort Hamilton Parkway, Brooklyn, N. Y.

SCHWARTZ, Charles, jr., corporal. Charles Schwartz, father, 715 Lexington Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

WINNE, James, private. Mrs. Martha L. H. Winne, 35 Glove Avenue, Jamaica, N. Y.

WALKER, J. F., private. Mrs. Jennie Anderson, 122 Butler Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

TORRIZO, Frederick, private. Mrs. Rose Torrizo, mother, 691 Union Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

TEATOR, Kenneth W., private. Frank W. Teator, father, Athens, N. Y.

REPORTED IN GOOD HEALTH—CAMP UNKNOWN.

HILL, Eugene F., private. E. S. Hill, father, Duck Hill, Miss.

SCOTT, James M., private. James Scott, father, 126 New York Avenue, New York, N. Y.

MORELLA, Eugene, private. Joseph Infusino, friend, 2101 Meade Street, Burlington, Wis.

SMITH, Ray, private. James H. Smith, father, 61 Tulip Street, Ponchaque, N. Y.

KIES, Floyd Moreland, private. Mrs. Ella Kies, mother, 748 East Twenty-first Street, Erie, Pa.

REESIDE, Henry G., jr., private. Cora Reeside, mother, 1137 Denver Street, Baltimore, Md.

HERSHEY, William Elmer, private. Mrs. Lydia Hershey, mother, 780 Main Street, West Carlisle, Pa.

BARNES, Edwin, private. George Barnes, father, 1234 West Twenty-first Street, Erie, Pa.

CERZA, Stanislaw, private. Frank Macedonia, friend, Glencove, N. Y.

ROEDING, Frederick Frank, private. Mrs. Mary V. Roeding, mother, 97 Miller Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

SELLES, Manuel R., private. Jose Barrearas, cousin, 1458 Flatbush Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

SIEDLER, Hermann, private. Melchior Siedler, father, 314 East Eighty-sixth Street, New York, N. Y.

UTKOWITZ, Frank, private. Frank Wolski, friend, 84 Ludlow Street, New York, N. Y.

LEACH, Walter, private. Grace E. Curry, friend, 618½ Walnut Street, Niagara Falls, N. Y.

PFEIFFER, James Joseph, corporal. Mrs. Alexandria McCullough, sister, 1031 Stebbins Avenue, New York, N. Y.

SNYDER, Louis, private. Mrs. R. Snyder, mother, 445 Baynes Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

RECTOR, Alfred, corporal. Eush R. Rector, uncle, 6 Beltway Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

HUKD, Richard L., private. Mrs. Kate Hurd, mother, 117 Baker Avenue, North Chattanooga, Tenn.

ASHMORE, Paschel, private. Miss Vesta Ashmore, cousin, 277 Washington Street, Atlanta, Ga.

MCADOO, Joseph S., sergeant. Mrs. M. M. McAdoo, mother, Reynaldsville, Pa.

BEECHER, John B., private. John S. Beecher, father, R. F. D. 1, Newville, Pa.

DEEL, Bailey, private. Noah Deel, father, Drill, Va.

MCCAULEY, Edward, private. Mrs. Sarah McCauley, mother, 196 Meeker Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

ANGELOTTI, John, private. Mrs. Mary Angelotti, mother, 15 Meett Street, New York, N. Y.

BOMAN, Henning, private. John Erich Boman, father, Blixterceda, Orrebra, Sweden.

COFFEY, Martin F., private. Miss Mary Coffey, sister, 94 Sumpter Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

KAUFMAN, Wilfred Edward, private. Christ Kaufmann, father, Massillon, Ohio.

MORRIS, James, private. Gerald J. Morris, father, 25 Northridge Street, Patchogue, N. Y.

PRENIERE, Julius Frederic, private. Mrs. Olive Prienere, mother, Mountain Valley, Farm, Middlebury, Vt.

McKULE, Anthony, private. Mrs. Kate McKule, mother, 556 Fulton Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

MCSWAIN, Milton S., sergeant. W. J. McSwain, father, Pell City, Ala.

FRANKLIN, Augusta, private, first class. Wm. C. Franklin, father, Bartlesville, Okla.

LEAK, James V., lieutenant. Mrs. D. A. Leak, mother, Columbus, Miss.

MATTHEWS, Arthur P., lieutenant. Mrs. D. A. Leak, mother, Columbus, Miss.

CHRISTENSEN, Christ P., private. John Astor, friend, 65 Curtis Street, San Francisco, Cal.

REPORTED IN GOOD HEALTH—IN HOSPITAL.

O'TOOLE, James A., lieutenant. John O'Toole, father, 625 Pavonia Avenue, Jersey City, N. J.

LIST OF CASUALTIES OVERSEAS

(Continued from page 16.)

DANIEL, Arthur J. James B. Daniel, Charles, N. Mex.

DOBINS, Ora J. Willie J. Dobins, Putnam, Okla.

DRAIME, Cleo Albert. Mrs. Ida Draime, 264 W. Pearl St., Coldwater, Mich.

DUNMORE, Bruce William. Mrs. Ola Dunmore, 834 West Front Street, Monroe, Mich.

ENNIS, Charles. Mrs. Theresa Ennis, 2322 Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

FANCHER, Berdew. Royan Fancher, R. F. D. 1, Galveston, Tex.

FEEENEY, Frank F. Mrs. Mary Feeneey, 115 West Eighty-ninth Street, New York, N. Y.

FORSYTHE, Thomas J. Mrs. John MacIsaac, Pierre, S. Dak.

FOWLER, Daniel. Mrs. Bell Fowler, Clark, Tex.

HARRISON, James. Edward Harrison, 12 Holt Street, Fitchburg, Mass.

HAYES, Ernest C. Mrs. Nelly Millie, 442 Seventh Street, Valley Junction, Iowa.

HUDDY, John F. Mrs. Mary Huddy, 181 Palmette Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

LESTER, Donald L. S. E. Lester, Danville, Ky.

OLIVE, Clifford. Mrs. Anna Olive, Dumont, N. J.

ROSS, Frank D. Mrs. Mona Misc, Baizite, Ark.

SCHANROCK, Walter. Herman Schanrock, 131 Oak Street, Port Clinton, Ohio.

SCHWEIGER, Clarence G. Mrs. C. G. Schweiger, 3273 East Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

VOLL, William H. Mrs. Augusta Voll, 350 Duer Street, Oswego, N. Y.

Returned to Duty, Previously Reported Killed in Action.

BYERS, Raymond, private. Paul Byers, R. F. D. 3, Box 154, Jefferson, Ohio.

Died of Disease, Previously Reported Died in Sinking of Otranto.

COONEY, William J., private. William J. Cooney, 3321 Central Avenue, Augusta, Ga.

LIST OF QUARTERMASTER PURCHASES PASSED BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

The following is a list of purchase orders and contracts approved by the Board of Review of the Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army.

October 21, 1918.

Purchase orders and contracts under \$25,000 made on open-market purchase or let to lowest bidder and submitted to the board for consideration after execution and delivery.

HO-1754-N. R. B. Dietz Co., New York City, lanterns, \$16,600.

5254-N. Excelsior Quilting Co., New York City, quilting, \$4,800.

HO-1506-J. Fletcher Enameling Co., Charleston, W. Va., pots, \$9,900.

10-64. United States Rubber Co., Dallas, Tex., raincoats, \$6,761.63.

HO-1761-N. Republic Metalwares Co., Buffalo, N. Y., pots, \$5,250.

2522-CE P. The Scioto Rubber Co., Columbus, Ohio, raincoats, \$8,412.50.

8390. Mystic Rubber Co., West Medford, Mass., raincoats, \$5,448.75.

8511. United States Rubber Co., Boston, Mass., raincoats, \$5,826.09.

9508. A. J. Tower Co., San Francisco, Cal., raincoats, \$11,479.59.

8275. A. J. Power Co., Roxbury, Mass., raincoats, \$14,391.27.

HO-1744-B. Waterbury Buckle Co., Waterbury, Conn., buckles, \$24,019.20.

L-56-C. St. Paul Tannery, St. Paul, Minn., harness leather, \$7,890.

Sub-319-4-2892. Federal Tin Co. Inc., Baltimore, Md., hard-bread cans, \$25,000.

2680-1785. Woodbine Children's Clothing Co., Woodbine, N. J., wool breeches, \$6,319.

8597. Mystic Mfg. Co., Mystic, Conn., Melton, \$19,839.80.

HO-1816-N. Republic Metalwares Co., Buffalo, N. Y., wash basins, \$10,500.

HO-1772-B. G. E. Prentice Mfg. Co., New Britain, Conn., buckles, \$6,000.

Sub-319-4-2891. Boyle Can Co., Baltimore, Md., hard-bread cans, \$12,500.

2-5802. Chelsea Fibre Mills, New York City, burlap, \$11,200.

2-5804. Samuel Greenblatt & Co., New York City, bluing, \$16,950.

2686-1793. Walker & Stone, Philadelphia, Pa., shirting flannel, \$5,004.56.

HO-1702-N. The Schaffer Tinware Co., Brooklyn, N. Y., colanders, \$10,757.70.

4-2410. Baltimore Bargain House, Baltimore, Md., jackets, \$7,353.88.

2-3652. Griswoldville Mfg. Co., New York City, sheeting, \$8,576.

HO-1736-J. E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., meat saws, \$6,700.80.

Mot-675. Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., Akron, Ohio, tubes and casings, \$14,028.14.

Mot-617. Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., Akron, Ohio, tubes and casings, \$6,979.40.

Mot-656. B. F. Goodrich Co., Akron, Ohio, tubes and casings, \$11,327.04.

626. B. F. Goodrich Co., Akron, Ohio, tubes, \$6,112.75.

1604. American Beet Sugar Co., Oxnard, Cal., sugar, \$17,581.70.

HO-1571-B. Royal Typewriter Co., Washington, D. C., typewriters, \$7,839.

HO-1769-C. Wilson Jones Loose Leaf Co., Chicago, Ill., loose-leaf books, \$13,342.

HO-1846-N. Elsinore Paper Co., New York City, guide cards, \$9,750.

6. James Trimble, Philadelphia, Pa., lumber, \$5,760.

HO-1905-N. Preston Chemical Co., New York City, ink tablets, \$7,560.

4-2742. International Bedding Co., Baltimore, Md., mattresses, \$5,325.50.

HO-1715-A. Hammond-Bird Iron Co., Aniston, Ala., field crates, \$10,800.

HO-1749-N. Atlanta Stamping Co., Rochester, N. Y., pans (dish), \$12,900.

18821. William H. Thomas & Co., New York City, tarpaulins, \$14,624.

18660. George R. Burrows (Inc.), New York City, tarpaulins, \$5,353.60.

18668. Louis Martin, New York City, tarpaulins, \$5,023.16.

HO-1844-C. Peoria Cordage Co., Peoria, Ill., manila rope, \$12,887.60.

6-2798. Knop Bushiel, Venice, Md., tomatoes, \$17,250.

4-2806. F. I. Jones & Co., Deep Point, Va., tomatoes, \$5,760.

4-2851. J. A. Noell, Chipman, Va., tomatoes, \$14,400.

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4-2788. A. J. Lewis, Walnut Point, Va., tomatoes, \$22,400.

528. Falfurrias Jersey Dairy Co., Falfurrias, Tex., butter, \$14,950.

4-2685. Habbs Mfg. Co., Denton, Md., tomatoes, \$19,872.

4-2878. J. E. Klrwin, Hopewell, Md., tomatoes, \$7,680.

1606. Schucke & Co., San Francisco, Cal., tomatoes, \$10,800.

2734. Easton Packing Co., Easton, Md., tomatoes, \$13,860.

4-2876. William R. Delbey, White Haven, Md., tomatoes, \$11,808.

4-2802. L. J. Andrews & Co., Preston, Md., tomatoes, \$6,048.

4-2730. Golden Rule Packing Co., Thaxton, Va., tomatoes, \$5,760.

4-2811. Cottage Packing Co., Montrose, Va., tomatoes, \$3,000.

Sub-1094. New England Vinegar Works, Boston, Mass., vinegar, \$6,800.

1583. E. Clemens Horst Co., San Francisco, Cal., dehydrated carrots, \$5,214.

7. The Atlantic Refining Co., Philadelphia, Pa., fuel oil, \$20,235.

4-1492. Long Bros. Co., Westover, Md., tomatoes, \$13,792.

11156-PH. Swift & Co., Chicago, Ill., oleomargarine, \$13,138.12.

4-2672. P. H. Phillips & Bros., Hebron, Md., tomatoes, \$6,830.

4-1060. Quenepco Packing Co., Newark, Md., tomatoes, \$6,400.

Sub-1024. W. F. Schrafft & Co., Boston, Mass., chocolate candy, \$9,600.

10-1163. Thos. Roberts & Co., Philadelphia, Pa., tomatoes, \$18,144.

4-2528. George J. Liddell, Liberty Grove, Md., tomatoes, \$19,200.

4-2678. W. J. Wright & Son, Preston, Md., tomatoes, \$5,605.

4-2672. Eureka Packing Co., Bishopville, Md., tomatoes, \$6,050.

4-2790. J. B. Bailey, Brandywine, Md., tomatoes, \$16,000.

2729-18. Gulf Refining Co., Pittsburgh, Pa., motor oil, \$10,290.

4-2735. Joseph E. Patchett, Federalsburg, Md., tomatoes, \$12,800.

4-1999. The Fairmont Packing Co., Upper Fairmont, Md., tomatoes, \$9,500.

11149-PH. Armour & Co., Chicago, Ill., hams, \$24,950.

4-2844. J. W. Archer, Joppa, Md., tomatoes, \$10,080.

4-2626. J. M. Collins, Federalsburg, Md., tomatoes, \$12,960.

4-2606. Blue Ridge Canning Co., Cavetown, Md., tomatoes, \$6,080.

S-461. Mound Ridge Milling Co., Moundridge, Kans., flour, \$16,028.

HO-1680-C. C. A. Miller Co., Sturgis, Mich., barrel casks, \$13,717.

HO-1691-C. Roberts Brass Mfg. Co., Detroit, Mich., barrel casks, \$12,642.93.

HO-1869-P. Champion Blower & Forge Co., Lancaster, Pa., tire shinkers, \$6,240.

Purchase orders or commodities purchased at board of trade or exchange prices, on Food Administration allotment, on commandeered order, or by embarkation service.

4-2689. L. M. Milbourne & Co., Kingston, Md., tomatoes, \$35,200.

4-2877. Queen Anne Packing Co., Easton, Md., tomatoes, \$33,600.

1693. American Beet Sugar Co., Oxnard, Cal., sugar, \$26,371.80.

4-2851. Platt & Co., Delta, Md., tomatoes, \$32,000.

8792-C. Washburn-Crosby Co., Minneapolis, Minn., flour, \$493,500.

11168-PH. Morris & Co., Chicago, Ill., canned beef, \$90,912.

PURCHASE TRANSACTIONS APPROVED.

Contracts under \$25,000.

HC-657-B. Waterbury Buckle Co., Waterbury, Conn., guides, \$8,662.50.

HC-866-N. Solidhded Tack Co., New York City, thumb tacks, \$700.

HC-876-N. Boorum & Pease Co., Brooklyn, N. Y., books and journals, \$1,216.08.

HC-834-B. Landers, Frary & Clark, New Britain, Conn., butcher steels, \$3,589.60.

HC-840-N. National Baseball Mfg. Co., Schenectady, N. Y., baseballs, \$9,408.

7085-B. Converse & Co., New York City, towels, \$18,000.

6975-P. Alva Tape Mills, Philadelphia, Pa., stay binding, \$6,750.

6939-N. United Equipment Corporation, New York City, tool bags, \$5,900.

Contracts over \$25,000.

12. F. B. Chamberlain Co., St. Louis, Mo., vanilla extract, \$28,274.40.

MTC-242. Atlas Press Co., Kalamazoo, Mich., arbor presses, \$28,820.

MTC-250. The White Co., Cleveland, Ohio, wheels, etc., \$35,781.60.

M. X. M. B. Mayer, San Antonio, Tex., candle wax, \$27,000.

HC-868-C. Economy Baler Co., Ann Arbor, Mich., power balers, \$41,125.

HC-787-N. Auto Strop Razor Co., New York City, razor blades, \$117,600.

HC-788-N. Auto Strop Razor Co., New York City, razor blades, \$151,200.

HC-786-N. Auto Strop Razor Co., New York City, razor blades, \$252,000.

HC-854-P. T. A. Willson & Co., Reading, Pa., goggles, \$90,000.

HC-843-J. The Wehrle Co., Newark, Ohio, field crates, \$46,500.

HC-782-B. Gillette Safety Razor Co., Boston, Mass., safety razors, \$120,120.66.

HC-781-B. Gillette Safety Razor Co., Boston, Mass., safety razors, \$120,120.66.

HC-785-B. Gillette Safety Razor Co., Boston, Mass., razor blades, \$270,000.

HC-783-B. Gillette Safety Razor Co., Boston, Mass., razor blades, \$162,000.

7013-B. W. H. McElwain Co., Boston, Mass., waterproofing (shoes), \$34,260.

6951-P. I. W. Smith Woolen Co., New York City, jerkin lining, \$106,000.

7063-N. James Elliott Co., New York City, towels, \$36,000.

7049-B. E. H. Cabot & Co. Inc., New York City, blankets, \$228,000.

6985-J. Putnam & Hooker Co., New York City, grey drill, \$85,525.

7012-B. The Stamford Rubber Supply Co., Stamford, Conn., waterproofing (shoes), \$42,919.

6968-N. Liberty Belting Mills, Patterson, N. J., webbing, \$29,400.

7050-B. E. H. Hilliard Co., Buckland, Conn., blankets, \$55,000.

6958-B. Jas. & E. H. Wilson, Pittsfield, Mass., jerkin lining, \$135,000.

Contracts awarded to other than lowest bidder.

HC-833-J. P. Goldsmith's Sons, Cincinnati, Ohio, volley balls, \$15,353.

HC-863-N. Singer Sewing Machine Co., New York City, sewing machines, \$47,175.

HC-869-N. Old Down Ribbon & Carbon Co., New York City, typewriter ribbons, \$30,949.49.

HC-870-N. Rochester Stamping Co., Rochester, N. Y., trench mirrors, \$37,500.

HC-855-J. Eclipse Stove Co., Mansfield, Ohio, fireless cookers, \$57,500.

HC-852-J. E. T. Hugg & Co., Newark, Ohio, the ropes, \$52,854.45.

QUARTERMASTER PURCHASES PASSED BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

Contracts which supersede contracts previously approved.

5532-B Geo. S. Colton Elastic Web Co., Easthampton, Mass., webbing, \$25,593.75.

SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRACTS.

Sup-867 H. Jacob & Sons, Brooklyn, N. Y., leggings, number reduced from 100,000 to 60,420.

Sup to IIC-531-B Atlas Tack Co., Fairhaven, Mass., brass tacks, changes of tariff of sizes and deliveries as per schedule.

Approval of price on foreign purchases.

L-260-P Acme Glove Works, Montreal, Can., 18,000 leather jenkins at \$6.50 each.

Hamilton Cotton Co., Hamilton, Ont., 675,000 yards webbing at 17 cents a yard, 275,000 yards twill at 11 cents a yard.

Dominion Textile Company, Montreal, Can., 570,000 yards twill at 10 cents a yard, 270,000 yards twill at 2 1/4 cents a yard.

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Purchase orders and contracts under \$25,000 made on open-market purchase or let to lowest bidder, and submitted to the board for consideration after execution and delivery:

- 4-2305. Laurel Canning Co., Laurel, Md., tomatoes, \$5,346.
- 4-2019. Geo R. Snedaker, St. Georges, Md., tomatoes, \$6,980.
- 4-2847. C. C. Spencer, Bynum, Md., tomatoes, \$13,440.
- 4-2897. F. M. Magness, Bel Air Md., tomatoes, \$6,600.
- 4-1768. H. B. Messenger, Federalsburg, Md., tomatoes, \$14,000.
- 4-2840. West River Canning Co., Galloways, Md., tomatoes, \$22,000.
- 10-1201. Oscar Hommel & Bros., New York City, onions, \$7,875.
- 4-2879. J. E. Kirman, Hopewell, Md., tomatoes, \$5,500.
- 4-1269. Sherwood Canning Co., Sherwood, Md., tomatoes, \$17,000.
- 4-908. Tilghman Canning Co., Tilghman, Md., tomato's, \$8,640.
- 8-462. J. T. Polk Co., Greenwood, Ind., tomatoes, \$22,437.
- 10-1203. Oscar Frommel & Bros., New York City, onions, \$7,700.
- 4-467. Cochrane Brokerage Co., Kansas City, Mo., potatoes, \$23,960.
- 4-1403. J. W. Gillespie & Co., Bedford, Va., tomatoes, \$13,200.
- 8801-G. Sanitary Food Mfg. Co., St. Paul, Minn., hard bread, \$6,500.
- 8832-G. The J. Walker Co., Oak Harbor, Ohio, pickles, \$8,460.
- 4-2680. J. S. Middleton, Armstrong, Del., tomatoes, \$10,395.
- 4-2851. Bellows & Squires Co. (Inc.), Ocean, Va., tomatoes \$7,680.
- 4-1214. J. W. Welch, Bennings, Va., tomatoes, \$7,040.
- 4-2797. D. F. Gipe Co., Pequea, Pa., tomatoes, \$11,860.
- 4-1835. A. E. Greenland & Son, Aberdeen, Md., tomatoes, \$6,270.
- 4-2832. Louis Colgan, Fawn Grove, Pa., tomatoes, \$15,400.
- 4-2943. Reckerd Bros., Bel Air, Md., tomatoes \$22,540.
- 4-2846. Rock Fall Canning Co., Baltimore, Md., tomatoes, \$13,680.
- 4-2514. R. W. Knotts, Great Mills, Md., tomatoes, \$11,000.
- 4-2842. A. E. Andrew, Aberdeen, Md., tomatoes, \$6,435.
- 4-2681. The Camp Parole Canning Co., Baltimore, Md., tomatoes, \$9,504.
- 4-2791. Hopkins & Christopher, Bethlehem, Md., tomatoes, \$6,160.
- 4-2516. Durham & Jacobs, Bel Air, Md., tomatoes, \$13,800.
- 4-2534. Elkton Packing Co., Elkton, Md., tomatoes, \$14,976 20.
- 4-2880. A. T. Weeks, Roanoke, Va., tomatoes, \$15,460.
- 10-1149. Milton Marcus, New York City, fresh beef, \$17,212.50.
- 4-2618. J. W. Silver, Havre de Grace, Md., tomatoes, \$7,425.
- 4-2732. J. H. Spence, Federalsburg, Md., tomatoes, \$9,900.
- 4-2942. J. W. Wilkison, Bel Air, Md., tomatoes, \$10,240.
- 4-2525. Winbrow Bros., Whaleyville, Md., tomatoes, \$6,400.
- 4-2804. D. P. Gipe Co., Red Lion, Pa., tomatoes, \$7,920.
- 4-2834. J. E. Blackmore, jr., Ottumwa, Va., tomatoes, \$6,468.

- 2671. Hubbard & Jones Co., Taft, Va., tomatoes, \$6,600.
- 4-1456. James Wallace Packing Co., Cambridge, Md., tomatoes, \$22,400.
- 4-2367. Walker Bros., Aberdeen, Md., tomatoes, \$10,010.
- 4-1363. Spedden Packing Co., James, Md., tomatoes, \$14,200.
- 10-1187. S. E. Comstock & Co., Newark, N. Y., tomatoes, \$1,488.75.
- 10-1173. L. P. Haviland, Camden, N. J., canned corn, \$8,987.50.
- 10-1113. Hoorj Cocoa Co., Newark, N. J., chocolate, \$5,000.
- 8789-G. J. B. Ford Co., Wyandotte, Mich., yellow hoop, \$14,335.50.
- 4-2662. R. L. Hannabae & Bros., Goodview, Va., tomatoes, \$7,920.
- 8-475. W. H. Marshall Commission Co., Kansas City, Mo., flour, \$17,587.08.
- 8859-G. New Richmond Roller Mills Co., New Richmond, Wis., flour, \$9,702.
- Sub-452-2-899. Hales & Edwards, New York City, rice, \$9,133 30
- 4-1765. St. Michaels Packing Co., St. Michaels, Md., tomatoes, \$7,200.
- 8834-G. C. S. Christenson & Co., Madelia, Minn., flour, \$16,170.
- 10-1170. W. A. Higgins & Co., New York City, prunes, \$20,979 44.
- 8-476. Helvetia Milk Cond. Co., Highland, Ill., evaporated milk, \$11,160.
- 4-2762. Callant & Bro., Bellevue, Md., tomatoes, \$24,000.
- 4-1760. W. E. Robinson, Bel Air, Md., tomatoes, \$12,000.
- 8820-G. Green & Green Co., Dayton, Ohio, hard bread, \$13,500.
- 8836-G. Rembrand Stern & Son, Milwaukee, Wis., flour, \$5,400.
- 8855-W. J. Jennissen, Minneapolis, Minn., flour, \$10,584.
- 10-1200 G. Washington Sales Co., Brooklyn, N. Y., coffee, \$24,153.60.
- 8803-G. Squire Ginsee Co., Chicago, Ill., pickles, \$7,326.
- 4-2623. Sherwood Pkg. Co., Celit, Md., tomatoes, \$10,800.
- 8794-G. Serve Tis Evaporated Milk Co., Chicago, Ill., evaporated milk, \$5,760.
- 8772-G. Quaker Oats Co., Chicago, Ill., hominy, \$16,178.40.
- 8837-G. Empire Milling Co., Minneapolis, Minn., flour, \$8,736.
- 10-1172. W. A. Higgins & Co., New York City, prunes, \$8,428 13.
- 50-08 R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co., Winston-Salem, N. C., tobacco \$5,952.12
- 5055-N. Freeland Quilting Co., New York City, quilting, \$7,600.
- 5056-N. Langrock Bros. Co., Brooklyn, N. Y., quilting, \$90,000.
- 4905-N. Tube-Brush Co., Cambridge, Mass., waterproofing (shoes), \$90,001
- 5047-B. L. C. Chase & Co., Reading, Mass., rubberized canvas, \$15,699 77.
- 5050-A. Jos. W. L. Bailey & Co., New York City, sheets, \$5,792 60.
- 5057-C. Diamond Branding Mills, Chicago Heights, Ill., shoe leaces, \$10,125.
- 4900-B. Providence Praid Co., Providence, R. I. shoe leaces, \$18,000.
- 2-8900. International Cloak Mfg. Co., New York City, lining, \$7,500.
- 4070-A. Cannon Mills, New York City, towels, \$13,500.
- 4974-B. Tatam, Pintham & Greer, New York City, towels, \$6,525.
- 1794. The May Department Stores Co., St. Louis, Mo., towels, \$14,780.50.
- 2-8969. M. Sussman, Son & Steinberg, Philadelphia, Pa., lining, \$5,050.
- 2-8973. Harry Burken, New York City, lining, \$5,100.
- 2-8983. National Cloak & Suit Co., New York City, lining, \$13,750.
- 2-8977. Herman Cohen & Sons (Inc), New York City, lining, \$2,750.
- 2-8989. Hiramite Wilkind & Co., New York City, lining, \$6,450.
- 2-8974. Harry Burken, New York City, lining, \$9,150.
- 2-8957. Dexter-Richardson Co., New York City, lining, \$8,100.
- 4982-A. Cannon Mills, New York City, towels, \$8,174.88.
- 4984-A. Cannon Mills, New York City, towels, \$13,200.
- 01822. H. A. Partridge, Gridley, Kans., prairie hay, \$8,820.
- 01555. Albert Miller & Co., Chicago, Ill., timothy hay, \$8,700.
- 01634. National Hay Co., Kansas City, Mo., prairie hay, \$15,900.

- 01542. National Hay Co., Kansas City, Mo., prairie hay, \$12,840.
 - 01633. National Hay Co., Kansas City, Mo., prairie hay, \$7,800.
 - 01657. North Bros, Kansas City, Mo., prairie hay, \$15,000.
 - 01660. North Bros, Kansas City, Mo., prairie hay, \$15,000.
 - 01602. North Bros., Kansas City, Mo., alfalfa hay, \$8,400.
 - 01659. North Bros., Kansas City, Mo., prairie hay, \$15,000.
 - 01740. The Louis O'Connell Co., Tiffin, Ohio, timothy hay, \$9,000.
 - B-01589. The Ismert-Hincke Milling Co., Kansas City, Mo., bran, \$6,504.
 - B-02008. Washburn-Crosby Co., Buffalo, N. Y., bran, \$24,547.50.
 - 01731. O'Neill Hay Co., O'Neill, Nebr., prairie hay, \$22,000.
 - 01747. The Louis O'Donnell Co., Tiffin, Ohio, mixed hay, \$5,600.
 - FP-2-449. W. B. Power & Co., New York City, timothy hay, \$12,775.
 - 01774. Tolman Mackey & Co., St. Louis, Mo., timothy hay, \$9,900.
 - 01714. Tolman Mackey & Co., St. Louis, Mo., timothy hay, \$8,900.
 - 01638. Shofstall Hay & Grain Co., Kansas City, Mo., prairie hay, \$8,400.
 - 01627. Shofstall Hay & Grain Co., Kansas City, Mo., prairie hay, \$13,500.
 - 01753. Shofstall Hay & Grain Co., Kansas City, Mo., prairie hay, \$6,200.
 - 01754. Shofstall Hay & Grain Co., Kansas City, Mo., prairie hay, \$5,700.
 - B-01328. Woher Freeman Milling Co., Salina, Kans., bran, \$6,402.90.
 - 01810. Verris & Sons, Stewardson, Ill., mixed hay, \$5,040.
 - B-01647. Des Moines Elevator Co., Des Moines, Iowa, white oats, \$8,085.50.
 - 01728. The Raymond P. Lipe Co., Toledo, Ohio, timothy hay, \$18,000.
 - 1907. Lawton Refining Co., Lawton, Okla., fuel oil, \$16,225.
 - 01758. Langenberg Bros., St. Louis, Mo., timothy hay, \$9,450.
 - 01633. Federal Export Corporation, New York City, timothy hay, \$9,900.
 - 01717. H. Mueller Grain Co., San Antonio, Tex., prairie hay, \$5,700.
 - 01684. Ford Brothers, Alvia, Tex., prairie hay, \$7,200.
 - B-01641. The Mansfield Milling Co., Mansfield, Ohio, bran, \$6,400.
 - 01669. Parly & Daniel Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, timothy hay, \$20,100.
 - 01666. Parly & Daniel Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, timothy hay, \$20,100.
 - 01668. Parly & Daniel Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, timothy hay, \$20,100.
 - 01734. Carlisle Commission Co., Kansas City, Mo., timothy hay, \$9,000.
 - 01553. Van Wic & Moorhead, Chicago, Ill., timothy hay, \$17,400.
 - 01552. Van Wic & Moorhead, Chicago, Ill., timothy hay, \$17,400.
 - 01733. The McMillen Co., Fort Wayne, Ind., mixed hay, \$8,700.
 - 01683. The McMillen Co., Fort Wayne, Ind., timothy hay, \$13,500.
 - 4-2907. Sparrows Point Store Co., Baltimore, Md., manilla rope, \$9,425.
 - 21015. Watson Wagon Co., Canastota, N. Y., wagons, \$14,062 30
- Purchase orders and commodities purchased at board of trade or exchange prices on Food Administration allotment, commandeered order, or embarkation service.
- 8-463. J. T. Polk Co., Greenwood, Ind., tomatoes, \$40,653.
 - 2-959. S. F. Roberts, Baltimore, Md., tomatoes, \$44,000.
 - 4-910. Booth Packing Co., Baltimore, Md., tomatoes, \$73,000.
 - 10-1195. Thos. Roberts & Co., Philadelphia, Pa., tomatoes, \$28,600.
 - 11778-PH. Fox River Butter Co., Chicago, Ill., butter, \$66,574.42.
 - 8-479. Helvetia Milk Condensing Co., Highland, Ill., evaporated milk, \$39,600.
 - 4-1658. Sausbury Bros., Inc., Ridgely, Md., tomatoes, \$32,800.
 - 8-474. Wellington Milling Co., Wellington, Kans., flour, \$46,202.49.
 - 8-440. E. C. Catlin Importing Co., Kansas City, Mo., extract, \$28,166 60.
 - 8854-G. New Richmond Roller Mills Co., New Richmond, Wis., flour, \$44,190.
 - 10-1196. Food Administration Grain Corporation, New York City, rice, \$23,250.
 - 10-1193. Food Administration Grain Corporation, New York City, rice, \$23,750.

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Sub-420-2-937. Ar buckle Bros., New York City, sugar, \$219,765.
 4483-N. L. J. Fried, New York City, raincoats, \$151,800.
 B-01801. S. Zorn & Co., Louisville, Ky., white oats, \$36,625.
 B-01651. Hales & Edwards Co., Chicago, Ill., white oats, \$145,500.
 B-01743. Hales & Edwards Co., Chicago, Ill., white oats, \$139,500.
 B-01799. Donahue-Stratton Co., Milwaukee, Wis., white oats, \$33,625.
 B-01648. Bartlett-Frazier Co., Chicago, Ill., oats, \$390,413.75.
 B-01649. Armour Grain Co., Chicago, Ill., white oats, \$141,000.

PURCHASE TRANSACTIONS APPROVED.

Contracts under \$25,000.

HC-861-C. C. A. Miller Co., Sturgis, Mich., barrel corks, \$10,208.
 HC-862-N. Joseph Dixon Crucible Co., Jersey City, N. J., stove polish, \$2,952.
 HC-907-C. William Frank Co., Chicago, Ill., trumpets, \$18,666.67.
 HC-922-N. Hanlon Goodman Co., New York City, brushes, \$15,252.
 HC-878-S. J. F. Ruth, St. Louis, Mo., oven parts, \$19,370.
 HC-882-B. Silver Lake Co., Newtonville, Mass., braided rope, \$16,369.58.
 HC-875-N. Bockin Manufacturing Co., New York City, leg irons, \$24,500.
 7154-B. Windsor Webbing Co., Pawtucket, R. I., stay binding, \$2,777.02.
 7079-B. The Lowell Textile Co., North Chelmsford, Mass., towels, \$22,500.
 6973-B. Art Weaving Co., Peterboro, N. H., stay binding, \$2,222.22.
 7095-B. Page Manufacturing Co., New Bedford, Mass., cheesecloth, \$7,250.
 6997-N. H. Freedman, New York City, patterns, \$3,500.
 H-10694-105 Egt. Plant Bros. & Co., Manchester, N. H., cheek pieces (harness) \$9,000.
 VH-10648-64 Egt. Plant Bros. & Co., Manchester, N. H., cavalry links, \$5,700.
 L-6-N. Y. Berg Auto Truck & Specialty Co., New York City, shoeing boxes, \$13,035.
 104-Phila. H. J. Altman, Philadelphia, Pa., cot covers, \$3,750.
 EM-941-HM. Bennett Printing & Stamp Co., Atlanta, Ga., rubber stamps, \$500.
 6226-C. E. L. Mansure Co., Philadelphia, Pa., webbing, \$1,562.60.
 6396-B. Catamount Manufacturing Co., Bennington, Vt., pillow sacks, \$1,000.

Contracts over \$25,000.

HC-915-N. Imperial Brush Co., New York City, toothbrushes, \$41,244.26.
 HC-827-J. Chapman Steel Co., Indianapolis, Ind., field ranges, \$38,711.25.
 HC-860-C. Roberts Brass Manufacturing Co., Detroit, Mich., barrel corks, \$55,027.50.
 HC-916-N. George R. Gibson Co., New York City, toothbrushes, \$40,517.28.
 HC-857-J. Fox Furnace Co., Elyria, Ohio, liner bodies, \$67,500.
 HC-780-C. Stein-Burn Camp & Field Equipment Co., Chicago, Ill., rolling kitchens, \$420,000.
 HC-768-B. G. E. Prentice Manufacturing Co., New Britain, Conn., knapsack hardware, \$99,600.
 HC-911-C. Rudolph Wurttzer Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, trumpets, \$29,880.
 HC-884-B. Plymouth Cordage Co., North Plymouth, Mass., field picket lines, \$38,723.34.
 HC-865-C. Knisely Bros., Chicago, Ill., stovepipe and tent stoves, \$35,000.
 HC-917-P. Williams Brush Co., Philadelphia, Pa., toothbrushes, \$32,795.42.
 7051-B. E. E. Hilliard Co., Buckland, Conn., blankets, \$80,000.
 7069-P. Glen Riddle Mills, New York City, towels, \$42,240.
 7080-P. Armour Leather Co., Boston, Mass., top lifts, \$63,000.
 7097-B. Manville Co., Providence, R. I., cheesecloth, \$39,150.
 7087-B. Brander Commission Co., New York City, towels, \$25,520.
 7081-N. Lockport Linen Mills (Inc.), New York City, towels, \$31,200.48.
 7096-B. Acushnet Mill Corporation, New Bedford, Mass., cheesecloth, \$35,625.
 7088-N. J. J. Stevens & Co., New York City, towels, \$95,333.33.
 7084-B. Meredith Linen Mills, Meredith, N. H., towels, \$50,100.
 7098-A. Cannon Mills, New York City, towels, \$249,350.
 6910-B. Hopeville Mfg. Co., New York City, Jerkin lining, \$33,000.

7099-B. American Woolen Co., of New York, Boston, Mass., overcoating, \$45,250.
 L-17-N. Y. Edward H. Ladew Co. (Inc.), Glen Cove, N. Y., head stall, \$66,000.
 7170-B1. R. C. Heller Co., Baltimore, Md., pillows, \$74,350.
 10054. American Tobacco Co., New York City, tobacco, \$68,560.
 10077. American Tobacco Co., New York City, tobacco, \$51,420.
 8445-G. Swift & Co., Chicago, Ill., soap, \$33,928.94.
 13. E. C. Catlin Importing Co., Kansas City, Mo., extract, \$28,163.60.
 8710-G. Procter & Gamble Distributing Co., Cincinnati, Ohio soap chips, \$149,634.
 8587-G. Loose-Wiles Biscuit Co., Chicago, Ill., hard bread, \$156,000.
 8796-G. Jaques Mfg. Co., Chicago, Ill., baking powder, \$26,266.24.
 10131. Idalia J. Stewart, Marion, N. Y., jam, \$33,018.68.
 10139. Loose-Wiles Biscuit Co., Long Island, N. Y., hard bread, \$146,500.
 10135. The Diamond Match Co., New York City, matches, \$68,157.85.
 8727-G. Rub No More Co., Fort Wayne, Ind., soap, \$34,001.70.
 36. Gille Manufacturing Co., St. Louis, Mo., hard bread cans, \$25,900.
 10134. Loose-Wiles Biscuit Co., Long Island City, N. Y., hard bread, \$78,250.
 10133. Loose-Wiles Biscuit Co., Long Island City, N. Y., hard bread, \$78,250.
 1590. Columbia Can Co., St. Louis, Mo., hard bread cans, \$51,800.
 6769-B1. Mt. Vernon Woodberry Mills, Inc., gray duck, \$86,102.95.
 1404. Swift & Co., Soap Works, Cambridge, Mass., soap, \$86,500.
 8611-G. Waukesha Pure Food Co., Waukesha, Wis., gelatin, \$50,400.
 2. Best Cylmer Mfg. Co., St. Louis, Mo., jams, \$70,800.
 FF-10-6-3. FF-8-6-6. FF-14-6-3. FF-19-6-3. FF-17-1-1. Vortex Manufacturing Co., Cleveland, Ohio, oil, \$54,324.50.
 5291-J. The Warner Auto Top Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, haversacks, \$688,000.
 5816-P. Acme Glove Works, Montreal, Can., boots (leather laced), \$99,097.50.
 6073-B. Watuppa Mfg. Co., Fall River, Mass., webbing, \$25,350.
 5954-C. Monarch Mfg. Co., Milwaukee, Wis., leather jerkins, \$85,000.
 6515-B. Apsley Rubber Co., Hudson, Mass., raincoats, \$11,600.
 6403-B. Hub Raincoat Co., Boston, Mass., raincoats, \$83,700.
 Tel. Auth. 9, 13, 18. Clark Stewart Co., Atlanta, Ga., cordwood, \$90,000.

Contracts awarded to other than lowest bidder.

HC-909-C. J. W. York & Sons, Grand Rapids, Mich., trumpets, \$15,846.
 HC-908-C. J. W. York & Sons, Grand Rapids, Mich., trumpets, \$24,225.
 HC-948-N. Defiance Check Writer Corp., Rochester, N. Y., trench mirrors, \$112,000.
 HC-924-C. National Enameling & Stamping Co., Washington, D. C., boilers, \$17,940.
 HC-625-S. Mesker Bros. Iron Co., St. Louis, Mo., field ranges, \$39,518.75.
 HC-887-P. Henry Disston & Sons, Philadelphia, Pa., knives, \$11,467.02.
 HC-010-J. The H. N. White Co., Cleveland, Ohio, trumpets, \$27,000.

Emergency purchases approved by telegram.

10182. Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co., New York City, cigarettes, \$93,377.22.
 7031-N. Moe Levy Co., New York City, uniforms, \$12,300.
 10173. Liggett & Meyers Tobacco Co., New York City, cigarettes, \$50,162.22.
 5825-N. Cohen, Coleman & Co., New York City, overcoats, \$76,020.
 6296-N. Perry Heideberger, New York City, wool trousers, \$15,000.
 10183. Liggett & Meyers Tobacco Co., New York City, cigarettes, \$60,446.22.
 6490-N. Holtite Thistle Co. (Inc.), New York City, overseas caps, \$13,200.

Contracts approved by San Francisco Board of Review.

9449. Floesser Heynemann Co., San Francisco, Cal., fannel shirts, \$3,312.50.
 1309. Joseph Gutrad Co., San Francisco, Cal., scouring soap, \$840.
 1313. H. J. Heinz, Corp., San Francisco, Cal., Worcestershire sauce, \$576.
 1300. Benjamin J. Baum, San Francisco, Cal., chocolate, \$4,494.
 Sup. to No. 1831. W. A. Millers, San Francisco, Cal., hay for Camp Lewis, 75 tons hay

No. 1 barley shipment changed from Brack Station to Les Molina, at \$24. Hay for Camp Kearny, changed from Brack Station to San Francisco at \$23.90.

Contract disapproved.

Sup-835. Diana Knitting Co., Johnstown, N. Y., undershirts, modified to 900 garments daily during August; finished without covered seam.

Contracts cancelled (previously approved).

6226-C. E. L. Mansure Co., Philadelphia, Pa., webbing, \$1,562.50.
 5816-P. Acme Glove Works, Montreal, Canada, boots (leather laced), \$99,097.50.
 6073-P. Watuppa Mfg. Co., Fall River, Mass., webbing, \$26,350.
 5954-9. Monarch Mfg. Co., Milwaukee, Wis., leather jerkins, \$85,000.
 6515-B. Apsley Rubber Co., Hudson, Mass., raincoats, \$111,600.

SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRACTS.

Sup. to P. O. 10079. Morley Bros., Saginaw, Mich., halter straps, item of 12,567 straps cancelled.

Sup. to H-347-C. Stein, Burn, Camp & Field Equipment Co., Chicago, Ill., food containers; price due to error specified as \$9.56 instead of \$9.80, therefore reduction of 24 cents each in price.

Sup-947. Cluett, Peabody Co., Troy, N. Y., flannel shirts, number reduced from 270,000 to 170,000, extension of time of delivery.

Sup-2265. Ohio Falls Dye & Finishing Works, Louisville, Ky., waterproofing duck, affecting second item of order 1382-J: number of yards to be waterproofed reduced from 10,000 to 5,000.

Sup-2343. Southbridge Printing Co., Southbridge, Mass., tent duck, contract cancelled.

Sup-2165. Rhodas & Ripley Clothing Co., Boston, Mass., wool breeches, number increased from 18,000 pairs to 23,000 pairs. Additional 5,000 pairs to be delivered at once.

Sup. to P. O. 7692. The Cincinnati Horse Shoe Co., Cleves, Ohio, horseshoes, undelivered: No. 1 front 3,750 pounds; No. 1 hind 4,250 pounds; No. 0, 99 pounds; No. 1 mule 10,500 pounds. Contractor to substitute equal quantity of No. 4 and No. 5. Same price.

Sup-2091-A. North Star Woolen Mill Co., Minneapolis, Minn., blankets, contractor may deliver 45,000 4-pound blankets instead of 60,000 3-pound at \$8 each instead of \$6.50.

Sup-227. W. H. Duval & Co., New York City, Melton and blankets, 98,630 blankets to be furnished as follows: 4-pound at \$8 each, 13,170 Sec. Woolen Mills, 46,310 Guilford Mills, 32,000 Camden Mills, and 7,150 E. E. Hilliard & Co., in lieu of original items.

Sup-2040. Dunlap Mercantile Co., Kansas City, Mo., barrack bags, number reduced from 200,000 to 30,000, amount already delivered.

Sup-2073. D. M. Oberman Mfg. Co., Springfield, Mo., cotton breeches, unfinished balance of contract, 30,000 pairs to be delivered at rate of 5,000 weekly, ending September 21, 1918.

Sup-874. Kirsch Manufacturing Co., Sturgis, Mich., bed sacks, number reduced from 24,000 to 4,000.

Sup-2043. Washington Woolen Mills, Fredericksburg, Va., puttees. Number reduced from 7,500 to 7,020.

Sup-855. Newmark & Denziger (Inc.), New York City, bed sacks. Number reduced from 25,000 to 13,000.

Sup-849. The Gloucester Mfg. Co., Gloucester, Mass., barrack bags. Number reduced from 100,000 to 62,000.

Sup-814. R. E. Seitzick, Minotola, N. J., bed sacks. Number reduced from 40,000 to 8,442.

Sup-2134. Tauber, Rytenberg & Co., New York City, cotton shirts. Number reduced from 12,000 to 10,000, amount already delivered.

Sup-2177. Dormer Bros. Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, stockings. Contract canceled.

Sup-831. John Curtin (Inc.), New York City, paulins. Number reduced from 776 to 703.

Sup. to P. O. 4523-J. The Block Co., Indianapolis, Ind., wool service coats. Contractor to bale, at request of United States, at \$0.9953 per bale.

Sup-2180. Ross-Hogan Knitting Co., Utica, N. Y., undershirts. Contractor to have permission to finish balance at mills at Waterville after knitting, bleaching, and dyeing at Utica.

Approval of price on foreign purchase.

Domestic Specialty Co., Hamilton, Ontario, Canada, shoe dubbing: 300,000 pounds at \$0.20 per pound; 135,000 pounds at \$0.25 per pound.

QUARTERMASTER PURCHASES PASSED BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

October 23, 1918.

Purchase orders and contracts under \$25,000 made on open-market purchase or let to lowest bidder and submitted to the board for consideration after execution and delivery:

4-2774. U. S. Rubber Co., Baltimore, Md., raincoats, \$7,034.75.
 Mot-809. Fisk Rubber Co., Chicopee Falls, Mass., tires, \$6,203.75.
 Mot-808. B. F. Goodrich Rubber Co., Akron, Ohio, tires, \$19,041.50.
 Mot-803. H. S. Tire & Rubber Co., New York City, casings, \$13,595.75.
 Mot-802. B. F. Goodrich Co., Akron, Ohio, casings, \$14,453.
 Mot-805. Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., Akron, Ohio, tubes and casings, \$17,100.25.
 01690. Crego Bros., Aurora, Ill., timothy hay, \$9,750.
 01816. C. O. Sellen & Co., Shelby, Ohio, timothy hay, \$18,600.
 01800. Voris & Sons, Stewardson, Ill., timothy hay, \$9,000.
 B-1970. Langenberg Bros. Grain Co., St. Louis, Mo., timothy hay, \$9,000.
 01757. Langenberg Bros. Grain Co., St. Louis, Mo., timothy hay, \$9,000.
 01837. S. W. Kemp & Son, Spencerville, Ohio, timothy hay, \$13,000.
 02030. Niezer & Co., Fort Wayne, Ind., timothy hay, \$6,000.
 01999. Independent Hay & Grain Co., Evansville, Ind., timothy hay, \$9,900.
 01930. Hewitt Bros. (Inc.), Locke, N. Y., timothy hay, \$16,740.
 01796. I. H. French & Co., Champaign, Ill., white oats, \$14,000.
 01901. Planley Grain Co., Omaha, Nebr., white oats, \$16,437.50.
 02086. Merriam & Hilliard Co., Omaha, Nebr., white oats, \$16,875.
 02028. Brady Bros., Payne, Ohio, mixed hay, \$5,800.
 02048. L. J. Roberts, Leroy, Minn., timothy hay, \$16,200.
 02050. Koehler Bros. Hay Co., Lamar, Mo., prairie hay, \$15,000.
 B-02073. Des Moines Elevator Co., Des Moines, Iowa, white oats, \$6,650.
 01824. Arnold & Swick, Newton, Ill., timothy hay, \$8,700.
 01825. Arnold & Swick, Newton, Ill., timothy hay, \$9,400.
 01761. Foberman, Mackey & Co., St. Louis, Mo., timothy hay, \$9,450.
 01750. Vinita Hay Co., Vinita, Okla., prairie hay, \$20,000.
 B-01877. Washburn-Crosby Co., Minneapolis, Minn., bran, \$13,809.60.
 48. The Texas Co., Houston, Tex., fuel oil, \$10,000.
 01961. Southwest Hay & Grain Co., Phoenix, Ariz., alfalfa hay, \$13,000.
 01935. Shofstall Hay & Grain Co., Kansas City, Mo., alfalfa hay, \$6,500.
 01934. Shofstall Hay & Grain Co., Kansas City, Mo., alfalfa hay, \$6,200.
 01763. Gaines Bros., Fairland, Okla., hay, \$7,600.
 02047. W. A. Frohardt, Omaha, Nebr., prairie hay, \$9,200.
 01919. F. E. Osborne & Co., Batavia, N. Y., mixed hay, \$6,720.
 01918. F. E. Osborne & Co., Batavia, N. Y., timothy hay, \$6,720.
 01839. S. W. Kemp & Son, Spencerville, Ohio, timothy hay, \$8,750.
 01915. Kendrick & Sloan Co., Indianapolis, Ind., timothy hay, \$5,600.
 01971. Langenberg Bros., St. Louis, Mo., timothy hay, \$9,450.
 01929. Hewitt Bros. (Inc.), Locke, N. Y., timothy hay, \$5,760.
 B-01727. Duluth-Superior Milling Co., Duluth, Minn., bran, \$5,176.
 01932. J. P. French, Houston, Tex., prairie hay, \$13,800.
 10-1233. P. E. Sharpless Co., Philadelphia, Pa., evaporated milk, \$17,670.
 4-2843. Stetson & Ellison, Camden, Del., tomatoes, \$17,360.
 8-469. Greer Bros. & McKnight, Marshfield, Mo., tomatoes, \$7,400.
 4-3069. I. H. Bayers, Westminster, Md., tomatoes, \$9,600.
 10-1236. Thomas Roberts & Co., Philadelphia, Pa., tomatoes, \$5,760.
 4-2945. J. P. Harris, Preston, Md., tomatoes, \$6,800.
 4-2738. P. L. Harrison & Son, Woodwardville, Md., tomatoes, \$12,240.
 4-2935. Alex. Noble, Preston, Md., tomatoes, \$14,680.
 4-2946. Riverside Packing Co., Girdletree, Md., tomatoes, \$9,000.

Sub-173-2-874. Cherry Creek Canning Co., Oswego, N. Y., tomatoes, \$10,500.
 4-1459. W. F. Assau Canning Co., Baltimore, Md., tomatoes, \$10,500.
 10-1238. Springville Canning Co., Springville, N. Y., tomatoes, \$10,323.
 Sub-173-2-896. Edward G. Ruff, Delta, Pa., tomatoes, \$5,670.
 Sub-173-2-935. Ruff & Rehmeier, Woodbine, Pa., tomatoes, \$18,000.
 1610. Sunlit Fruit Co., San Francisco, Cal., tomatoes, \$14,400.
 4-3128. Sleeping Creek Canning Co., Cherry Run, Md., tomatoes, \$6,400.
 10,1194. Thomas Roberts & Co., Philadelphia, tomatoes, \$12,672.
 4,1340. Bradley & Wheatly, Preston, Md., tomatoes, \$6,400.
 4-2884. Lloyds Packing Co., Cambridge, Md., tomatoes, \$16,800.
 1615. Salsina Canning & Packing Co., San Jose, Ca., tomatoes, \$10,800.
 10-1189. Peck & Pratt, Hilton, N. Y., tomatoes, \$21,222.
 10-1237. J. S. Middleton, Suffern, N. Y., tomatoes, \$11,530.
 4-3068. John G. Grinels, Grinels, Va., tomatoes, 7,200.
 8-470. J. W. Kennedy & Son, Hartville, Mo., tomatoes, \$10,350.
 Sub-173-2-853. Girard Canning Co., North Girard, Pa., tomatoes, \$9,000.
 8-475. Bush Bros. & Co., Dandridge, Tenn., tomatoes, \$18,500.
 4-3070. Kremlin Packing Co., Kremlin, Va., tomatoes, \$6,400.
 4-1402. A. M. Moore, Cambridge, Md., tomatoes, \$6,240.
 4-3067. Girdletree Packing Co., Girdletree, Md., tomatoes, \$9,000.
 4-3083. H. F. Hemingway, Baltimore, Md., tomatoes, \$20,800.
 10-1212. Yager & Halstead, Cortland, N. Y., canned corn, \$5,250.
 4-3044. George R. Snedaker, St. George, Del., canned corn, \$13,800.
 10-1245. W. B. A. Jergens, Brooklyn, N. Y., prunes, \$19,264.54.
 Sub-1075. H. D. Foss & Co., Inc., Boston, Mass., candy, \$22,518.
 10-1243. The National Grocery Co., Jersey City, N. J., prunes, \$12,371.81.
 Sub-440-2-870. Ward Baking Co., New York City, yeast, \$21,150.
 4-3043. J. S. Middleton, Armstrong, Md., canned corn, \$10,350.
 10-1065. Taylor Bedding Mfg. Co., Taylor, Tex., mattresses, \$16,560.
 1779. Schleuter Mfg. Co., St. Louis, Mo., cans, \$9,800.
 4-2976. S. O. Co. of N. J., Baltimore, Md., gasoline drums, \$15,300.
 B-01804. Callahan & Sons, Louisville, Ky., burlap sacks, \$9,485.
 B-01802. Bosworth Bag Co., Memphis, Tenn., burlap sacks, \$14,250.
 Purchase orders or commodities purchased at board of trade or exchange prices, on commander order, on Food Administration allotment, or by Emergency Service.
 8835-G. Badger State Milling Co., Portage, Wis., flour, \$32,400.
 8080-PH. Armour & Co., Chicago, Ill., beef (canned), \$3,485,845.52.

PURCHASE TRANSACTIONS APPROVED.

Contracts under \$25,000.

HC-880-N. Hay Budden Mfg. Co., Brooklyn, N. Y., anvils, \$12,780.
 HC-954-N. W. H. Compton Shear Co., Newark, N. J., tinners' snips, \$4,307.20.
 HC-851-N. National Enameling & Stamping Co., Washington, D. C., pans, \$4,464.
 HC-912-C. Blackmer Rotary Pump Co., Petoskey, Mich., rotary pump, \$24,500.
 7146-P. George Woods Sons Co., Philadelphia, Pa., towels, \$5,568.
 7133-N. Apfelberg, Rosenblatt & Co., New York City, wool trousers, \$18,750.
 7107-P. Louis E. Stiltz & Bros., Philadelphia, Pa., color stuffs (ambulance guidons), \$9,750.
 7131-N. Hirschberg & Co., New York City, overseas caps, \$3,080.
 6566-N. C. A. Potter, Gloversville, N. Y., gloves, \$6,300.
 HC-942-B. United Shoe Repairing Machine Co., Boston, Mass., blades, awls (harness), \$895.73.
 L-7-NY. Deitsch Bros., New York City, carriers, \$4,715.20.
 VH-10630-51 Egt. O. J. Cronin Co., Portland Oreg., gun slings, \$3,000.
 H-10690-101 Egt. P. M. Hoyt Shoe Co., Manchester, N. H., crown straps, \$22,350.

L-23-B. Yale & Towne Manufacturing Co., Stamford, Conn., buckles, \$8,444.44.
 H-10687-98 Egt. Indianapolis Saddlery Co., Indianapolis, Ind., straps, \$4,080.
 FF-48-10-43. Magnolia Petroleum Co., Dallas, Tex., kerosene, \$843.75.
 H-10701. Belber Trunk & Bag Co., Philadelphia, Pa., reinforcing patches, \$4,570.50.
 HC-841-C. A. J. Reach Co., Philadelphia, Pa., repair kits, \$2,650.

Contracts over \$25,000.

6905-A. Wellington. Sears & Co., Boston, Mass., gray duck, \$118,944.
 7075-A. Leaksville Woolen Mills, Leaksville, N. C., blankets, \$213,500.
 MD-465. Dort Motor Car Co., Flint, Mich., cargo bodies and troop seats, \$132,500.
 MD-462. Mitchell Motors Co., Racine, Wis., cargo bodies and troop seats, \$214,500.
 MD-468. Field Manufacturing Co., Owosso, Mich., cargo bodies and troop seats, \$71,500.
 MD-473. International Harvester Co., Chicago, Ill., cargo bodies and troop seats, \$286,000.
 MD-446. Auto Body Co., Lansing, Mich., cargo bodies and troop seats, \$341,250.
 7121-B. The American Mills Co., Waterbury, Conn., webbing, \$717,500.
 7162-B. Hudson Narrow Fabric Co., Hudson, Mass., webbing, \$59,200.
 7077-P. George Royle & Co., Philadelphia, Pa., blankets, \$282,500.
 7070-N. Alexander Smith & Sons Carpet Co., New York City, blankets, \$1,250,000.
 7053-B. Merrimack Woolen Corporation, Lowell, Mass., blankets, \$180,000.
 7071-B. Jefferson Manufacturing Co., Jefferson, Mass., blankets, \$600,000.
 7057-B. Grant S. Kelly Woolen Mills Co., New York City, blankets, \$252,000.
 7072-B. Holden Woolen Co., Holden, Mass., blankets, \$72,000.
 7078-B. James & E. H. Wilson, Pittsfield, Mass., blankets, \$150,000.
 VH-10621-20. Hans Rees Sons, New York City, leather, \$165,217.50.
 H-10665-77 Egt. Plant Bros. & Co., Manchester, N. H., gun slings, \$62,466.19.
 VH-10617-16 Lea. England Wagon & Co., Philadelphia, Pa., leather backs, \$255,840.
 VH-10646-07. The Smith-Worthington Co., Hartford, Conn., harness sets, \$542,000.
 10614-Lea. 15. The Haffner Bros. Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, leather sides, \$90,100.
 L-72-C. A. P. Gallum & Sons, Milwaukee, Wis., calfskins, \$93,000.
 L-1-J. Perkins Campbell Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, harness, \$136,354.40.
 H-10663-12 Har. The Strocker Bros., Marietta, Ohio, harness, \$136,354.40.
 L-9-P. Belber Trunk Co., Philadelphia, Pa., tool bags, \$46,104.96.
 FF-51-7-12. Swift & Co., Chicago, Ill., strained oil, \$25,500.
 7100-B. Sawyer Ragan & Co., Dalton, Mass., overcoating, \$45,250.
 7103-B. B. B. & R. Knight (Inc.), Providence, R. I., sheeting, \$64,500.
 7152-N. Lambertville Rubber Co., Lambertville, N. J., hip boots, \$52,521.
 7008-B. The Felters Co. (Inc.), Boston, Mass., felt (mackinaws), \$75,000.
 7117-B. Crown Mfg. Co., Boston, Mass., raincoats, \$74,850.
 7201-B. Amory Browne & Co., Boston, Mass., blankets, \$85,454.40.
 HC-913-N. Consolidated Safety Pin Co., Bloomfield, N. J., safety pins, \$87,649.15.
 HC-945-B. Carr Fastener Co., Cambridge, Mass., fasteners, \$893,380.
 HC-944-C. Challenge Refrigerator Co., Grand Haven, Mich., refrigerators, \$55,680.
 1472. G. H. Bent Co., Milton, Mass., hard bread, \$37,250.
 HC-952-B. Underwood Typewriter Co., Washington, D. C., typewriters, \$31,050.
 HC-919-J. Boker Cutlery & Hardware Co., New York City, anvils, \$42,750.
 HC-879-J. The Cordoran-Victor Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, trench mirrors, \$43,750.
 HC-943-J. Kelly Co., R. A., Xenia, Ohio, rope, \$37,200.
 HC-883-C. Arthur J. O'Leary & Son Co., Chicago, Ill., saws, \$49,425.
 7048-C. The Wallace & Smith Co., La Porte, Ind., blankets, \$193,280.
 7055-J. Cumberland Gap Woolen Mills, Hariman, Tenn., blankets, \$116,000.
 7047-J. Beckman & Co., Cleveland, Ohio, blankets, \$549,000.
 7044-B1. Fields Manufacturing Co., Mouth of Wilson, Va., blankets, \$38,150.
 7054-B. Taylor Mfg. Co., Northboro, Mass., blankets, \$337,500.

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7056-B. Grant S. Kelly Woolen Mills, New York City, blankets, \$336,000.
 7043-B. The Fabran Woolen Co., Stafford Springs, Conn., blankets, \$52,500.
 7046-B. Lawrence Reegan, Wilsonville, Conn., blankets, \$33,450.
 7045-N. Patterson & Greenough, New York City, blankets, \$149,500.
 7076-N. Raritan Woolen Mills & Somerset Mfg. Co., New York City, blankets, \$825,000.
 7118-S. Panama Rubber & Equipment Co., St. Louis, Mo., raincoats, \$41,850.
 7150-B. Bourn Rubber Co., Providence, R. I., hip boots, \$98,474.25.
 7060-N. Siegel Bros. & Goodman, New York City, padding, \$28,075.
 7144-A. Hunter Mfg. & Commission Co., New York City, gray sheeting, \$30,750.
 HC-836-C. Western Sporting Goods Co., Chicago, Ill., boxing gloves, etc., \$49,180.
 HC-839-B. The Draper Maynard Co., Plymouth, N. H., boxing gloves, etc., \$65,000.
 HC-842-C. Chicago Sporting Goods Co., Chicago, Ill., mitts, masks, etc., \$11,939.86.
 HC-841-P. A. J. Reach Co., Philadelphia, Pa., basket ball guides, etc., \$25,320.
 HC-837-C. Thomas Wilson Co., Chicago, Ill., catchers' mitts, etc., \$29,879.20.

Contracts Awarded to Other Than Lowest Bidder.

HC-837-C. Thomas Wilson Co., Chicago, Ill., masks, mitts, etc., \$11,545.
 HC-841-P. A. J. Reach Co., Philadelphia, Pa., baseballs, etc., \$168,837.50.
 HC-842-C. Chicago Sporting Goods Co., Chicago, Ill., volley balls, etc., \$52,670.
 HC-839-B. The Draper Maynard Co., Plymouth, N. H., footballs, etc., \$35,574.60.
 HC-836-C. Western Sporting Goods Co., Chicago, Ill., body protectors, \$6,750.
 HC-921-B. O. E. North & Co., New Haven, Conn., slides, \$3,315.
 HC-797-C. Oakes Mfg. Co., Tipton, Ind., fireless cookers, \$149,500.
 HC-823-C. Waterman Waterbury Co., Minneapolis, Minn., field ranges, \$40,500.

Emergency purchases approved by telegram.

10175. Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co., New York City, cigarettes, \$50,153.63.
 10176. Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co., New York City, cigarettes, \$93,357.90.
 10172. Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co., New York City, cigarettes, \$77,477.04.
 10153. Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co., New York City, cigarettes, \$60,054.14.
 10170. Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co., New York City, cigarettes, \$72,379.74.

Approval of price on foreign purchase.

Domestic Specialty Co., Hamilton, Ontario, shoe dubbing, 2,400,000 tins at \$0.2475.
 Cook & Belton Co., Toronto, Ontario, shoe dubbing, 600,000 barrels at \$0.095.

SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRACTS.

Sup-1131. E. S. Atkins & Co., Lancaster, N. Y., knife blades. Deliveries to be made on dates and in the amounts specified.
 Sup-2338. Gloversville Knitting Co., Gloversville, N. Y., wool gloves. Contractor permitted to deliver 33,000 seconds at 82 cents.
 Sup-1004. Armory Browne & Co., Boston, Mass., twill. Contractor may deliver 10,000 yards seconds in lieu of like amount of firsts at \$0.4066 per yard instead of \$0.428.
 Sup-998. Goodyear Rubber Co., New York City, rubber gaiters. Government will accept only amount ready or in process of manufacture.
 Sup-1001. Hood Rubber Co., Watertown, Mass., overshoes. Government will accept only amount ready or in process of manufacture.
 Sup-978. Goodyear Rubber Co., New York City, arctic overshoes. Government will accept only amount ready or in process of manufacture.
 Sup-992. La Crosse Rubber Mills Co., La Crosse, Wis., rubber gaiters. Government will accept only amount ready or in process of manufacture.
 Sup-993. Hood Rubber Co., Watertown, Mass., rubber gaiters. Government will accept only amount ready or in process of manufacture.
 Sup-991. Mishawaka Woolen Mfg. Co., Mishawaka, Ind. Government will accept only amount ready or in process of manufacture.
 Sup-2180. Boulevard Lace & Embroidery Co., West New York City, art chevrons. Number of 1st gunner's chevrons reduced from 779,530 to 4,000; second class reduced from 1,559,060 to 5,000.

Sup-2374. The Felters Co., overseas caps. Undelivered portion changed from 75,000 yards, 20 ounces, 54 inches to 50,000 yards, 30 ounces, 60 inches, at \$3.75 per yard.
 Sup. to HC-705-B. Royal Typewriter Co., Washington, D. C., typewriters. Deliveries as per schedule.

Sup-2470. Federal Felting Co., Westerly, R. I., felt for overseas caps. Undelivered balance converted to O. D. felt for mackinaw lining at \$3.75 instead of \$2.50 per yard.

Sup-2545. S. Stroock & Co., New York City, mackinaw lining. Changed from 30 ounces, 60 inches wide to 30 ounces, 60 inches wide, fast color.

Sup-2373. Joseph Wild & Co., New York City, felt for overseas caps. Undelivered balance converted to felt for mackinaw lining at \$3.75 per yard, instead of \$2.50.

Sup-2468. American Felt Co., Boston, Mass., felt for overseas caps. Undelivered balance converted to felt for mackinaw lining.

Sup-2196. Beebe Glove Co., Richmond, Ind., knit gloves. 31,500 gloves will be accepted shorter at wrists at \$0.225 per pair.

Sup-2379. Eastern Finishing Works, Kenyon, R. I., dyeing and waterproofing duck. 36,000 yards to be dyed and waterproofed instead of original amount.

Sup-2357. Wilson H. Brown, Philadelphia, Pa., puttees. Change of deliveries as per schedule.

Sup-2345. H. C. Greilich, Port Jervis, N. Y., barrack bags. Number reduced from 200,000 to 190,000.

Sup-2469. American Felt Co., Boston, Mass., felt for overseas caps. Conversion to felt for mackinaw lining of undelivered balance.

Sup-2258. Mt. Hope Finishing Co., North Dighton, Mass., gray cloth. Cancellation of 60,000 yards.

October 24, 1918.

Purchase orders and contracts under \$25,000 made on open-market purchase or let to the lowest bidder and submitted to the board for consideration after execution and delivery.

8849-G. The Princeton Canning Co., Brownsburg, Ind., tomatoes, \$12,000.
 8846-G. Arcadia Canning Co., Arcadia, Ind., tomatoes, \$7,089.

11495-M. The Wimp Packing Co., Chicago, Ill., fresh beef, \$24,351.20.
 4-2035. W. W. Finney, Bel Air, Md., tomatoes, \$6,380.

4-2884. Lloyds Packing Co., Cambridge, Md., tomatoes, \$12,800.
 11160-PB. National Biscuit Co., New York City, butter, \$23,188.15.

4-1681. Stockton Packing Co., Stockton, Md., tomatoes, \$8,800.
 8-448. Sunbright Canning Co., Dickson, Tenn., tomatoes, \$5,100.

131. Swift & Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, butter, \$13,506.83.

8861-G. Reid, Murdock & Co., Wadena, Minn., canned corn, \$12,725.20.
 10-1334. Clinton Canning Co., Rome, N. Y., canned corn, \$7,782.

4-3047. G. N. Baker, Middletown, Del., canned corn, \$16,640.
 8860-G. Pella Canning Co., Pella, Pa., canned corn, \$22,640.20.

4-3045. E. M. Records & Co. (Inc.), Forest Del., canned corn, \$14,950.
 4-2984. H. R. Baker, Odessa, Del., canned corn, \$23,050.

8856-G. M. Work & Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, candles, \$24,900.
 11179-PH. Leserman Bros., Chicago, Ill., butter, \$6,006.36.

4-2933. J. Ludington & Co., Baltimore, Md., tomatoes, \$6,380.
 4-2881. Waterview Packing Co., Waterview, Va., tomatoes, \$16,000.

8840-G. J. S. Stanleys, New Weston, Ohio, tomatoes, \$6,000.
 8851-G. Lapel Canning Co., Lapel, Ind., tomatoes, \$10,200.

8845-G. Leisure Packing Co., Leisure, Ind., tomatoes, \$9,150.
 8844-G. Orestus Packing Co., Orestus, Ind., tomatoes, \$14,700.

8857-G. The J. Weller Co., Oak Harbor, Ohio, vinegar, \$4,500.
 8797-G. Fargo Mill Co., Fargo, N. Dak., flour, \$8,504.35.

8886-G. Carnation Milk Products Co., Chicago, Ill., evaporated milk, \$18,600.
 8880-G. Hillsboro Condensed Milk Co., Hillsboro, Wis., evaporated milk, \$7,564.

8882-G. Denmark Condensed Milk Co., Denmark, Wis., evaporated milk, \$22,320.
 8879-G. Valecia Condensed Milk Co., Madison, Wis., evaporated milk, \$7,440.

8881-G. Valecia Condensed Milk Co., Madison, Wis., evaporated milk, \$19,840.
 8884-G. Valecia Condensed Milk Co., Madison, Wis., evaporated milk, \$19,050.

Sub-1093. W. F. Schraft & Sons (Corp.), Boston, Mass., candy, \$8,000.
 8793-G. Serv-Us Evaporated Milk Co., Chicago, Ill., evaporated milk, \$5,700.

10-1246. Canastota Canning Co., Canastota, N. Y., canned corn, \$11,250.
 01826. T. P. Riddle & Co., Lima, Ohio, timothy hay, \$10,050.

01828. T. P. Riddle & Co., Lima, Ohio, timothy hay, \$10,050.
 8827-G. Squire Dingee Co., Chicago, Ill., pickles, \$7,500.

01987. Hewitt Bros. (Inc.), Locks, N. Y., timothy hay, \$7,440.
 01667. Early & Daniel Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, timothy hay, \$20,100.

02027. Brady Bros., Payne, Ohio, timothy hay, \$9,000.
 01976. J. P. O'Hara & Co., Moravia, N. Y., timothy hay, \$13,860.

01870. S. C. Woolman & Co. (Inc.), Philadelphia, Pa., timothy hay, \$6,660.
 01860. S. C. Woolman & Co. (Inc.), Philadelphia, Pa., timothy hay, \$7,020.

01892. Stockbridge Elevator Co., Jackson, Mich., timothy hay, \$6,480.
 01977. J. P. O'Hara & Co., Moravia, N. Y., timothy hay, \$13,440.

2037. Rolph Navigation & Coal Co., San Francisco, Cal., coal, \$14,340.
 01952. T. P. Riddle & Co., Lima, Ohio, mixed hay, \$9,750.

01888. S. W. Kemp & Son, Spencerville, Ohio, mixed hay, \$5,184.
 01864. Four Store Co., Hicksville, Ohio, mixed hay, \$6,600.

01863. Four Store Co., Hicksville, Ohio, timothy hay, \$5,040.
 FF-94-2-39. Texas Co., New York City, fuel oil, \$18,270.

01850. Shofstall Hay & Grain Co., Kansas City, Mo., prairie hay, \$13,750.
 01851. Shofstall Hay & Grain Co., Kansas City, Mo., prairie hay, \$8,550.

FF-G1-2-5. Standard Oil Co. of New York, Long Island City, N. Y., gasoline, \$19,800.
 2-6177. Chas. Navasky & Bros., New York City, lining, \$1,240.

B-01803. Bosworth Bag Co., Memphis, Tenn., burlap sacks, \$14,250.
 2797-1899. Ellis Hosiery Co., Philadelphia, Pa., men's hose, \$8,125.

2-6169. H. Banendahl & Co., New York City, lining, \$13,750.
 2-5972. Harry Goodman, New York City, lining, \$10,850.

2788-1873. C. J. Milne & Sons, Philadelphia, Pa., shirting flannel, \$7,837.59.
 4994-B1. Joseph Schwartz, Baltimore, Md., top lifts, \$21,000.

205982. Jacob Lunitz & Sons, New York City, padding, \$13,866.56.
 2-5982. Jacob Lunitz & Sons, New York City, padding, \$13,866.56.

Mot-590. Wood Hydraulic Hoist & Body Co., Detroit, Mich., hoists, \$9,000.
 Mot-771. H. S. Sherman Mfg. Co., Battle Creek, Mich., hose clamps, \$8,583.33.

11197. Buxton Printing & Stationery Co., St. Louis, Mo., cards, \$6,000.
 MV-V-42. Thornhill Wagon Co., Lynchburg, Va., painting, \$9,051.57.

Mot-834. Fisk Rubber & Tire Co., Chicopee Falls, Mass., tubes and casings, \$15,503.54.
 Purchase order or commodities purchased at board of trade or exchange prices, on Food Administration allotment, on commandeer order, or by Embarkation Service.

11198-M. Indianapolis Abattoir Co., Indianapolis, Ind., fresh beef, \$243,512.
 11194-M. Independent Packing Co., Chicago, Ill., fresh beef, \$121,750.

10-1249. Thos. Roberts & Co., Philadelphia, Pa., tomatoes, \$25,600.
 8859-G. Indiana Condensed Milk Co., Indianapolis, Ind., evaporated milk, \$75,565.

10-1079. Food Administration Grain Corporation, New York City, rice, \$77,500.
 8856-G. Star & Crescent Milling Co., Chicago, Ill., flour, \$31,536.

B-2075. Donahue-Stratton Co., Milwaukee, Wis., oats, \$39,312.50.
 B-01900. Bartlett-Frazier Co., Minneapolis, Minn., white oats, \$31,125.

B-02085. H. I. Baldwin & Co., Decatur, Ill., white oats, \$35,875.
 B-02074. Updike Grain Co., Omaha, Nebr., white oats, \$33,750.

QUARTERMASTER PURCHASES PASSED BY THE BOARD OF REVIEW

1002. S. Zorn & Co., Louisville, Ky., white outs, \$73.00.
 101797. Callahan & Sons, Louisville, Ky., white outs, \$38,250.
 4466-N. Pines Rubber Co., Brooklyn, N. Y., raincoats, \$122,255.

PURCHASE TRANSACTIONS APPROVED.

Contracts under \$25,000.

0771-A. Wellington, Sears & Co., Boston, Mass., gray duck, \$11,049.50.
 7078-N. John Doyle & Co., Inc., New York City, paulins, \$12,000.
 7155-A. Wellington, Sears & Co., Boston, Mass., webbing, \$3,212.50.
 7164-B. Osborn Mills, Fall River, Mass., checkcloth, \$7,250.
 7166-P. Hooper Sons Manufacturing Co., Philadelphia, Pa., stay binding, \$1,250.
 7163-P. Hooper Sons Manufacturing Co., Philadelphia, Pa., stay binding, \$22,400.
 7124-C. Powers Manufacturing Co., Waterloo, Iowa, handbooks, \$4,000.
 7106-P. Richmond & Kemp, Philadelphia, Pa., color staffs, \$24,500.
 7091-N. Church Webb & Close, Inc., New York City, hoods, \$1,875.
 7064-B. American Felt Co., Boston, Mass., felt, \$4,576.
 7105-N. Colson Fibre Mills, New York City, mouth pad burlap, \$23,520.
 7132-P. Hy Grade Waist Co., Philadelphia, Pa., cot covers, \$3,750.
 6948-B. Consolidated Manufacturing Co., Boston, Mass., canvas pouches, \$351.63.
 7139-C. U. S. Tent & Awning Co., Chicago, Ill., truck covers, \$15,300.
 7123-B. R. H. Long, Framingham, Mass., coal bags, \$282.05.
 7122-B. Plant Brothers Co., Manchester, N. H., strap retainers (haversacks), \$8,287.94.
 HC-951-N. Krauter & Co., Newark, N. J., nippers, \$1,786.41.
 HC-935-B. Dover Stamping Co., Cambridge, Mass., funnels, \$1,074.76.
 HC-947-J. Krauth & Benninghofen, Hamilton, Ohio, music stands, \$21,600.
 HC-920-J. Hudke Mfg. Co., Parkersburg, W. Va., elbows (ranges), \$8,020.25.
 HC-960-B. Waterbury Mfg. Co., Waterbury, Conn., loops, \$18,528.
 VII-10589-24½ Egt. Hewes & Potter, Boston, Mass., loops (gun slings), \$4,000.
 VII-10584-20 Egt. Graton & Knight Mfg. Co., Worcester, Mass., loops (gun slings), \$3,900.
 H-10692-92 Egt. Belber Trunk & Bag Co., Philadelphia, Pa., tongs, \$517.25.

Contracts over \$25,000.

7206-B. Millbrook Woolen Mills, Norwich, Conn., blankets, \$476,000.
 7110-B. Intervals Mills, New York City, cap cloth, \$62,500.
 7108-P. G. S. Stewart, Norwalk, Ohio, color staffs, \$114,180.50.
 7137-J. Ohio Canvas Goods Mfg. Co., Toledo, Ohio, truck covers, \$25,050.
 7138-J. Hettrick Mfg. Co., Toledo, Ohio, truck covers, \$41,750.
 7145-A. Hunter Mfg. Co., New York City, gray sheeting, \$32,800.
 7142-N. Chelsea Fibre Mills, New York City, burlap, \$96,000.
 7152-B. George C. Moore Co., Westerly, R. I., webbing, \$123,200.
 6849-B1. Mt. Vernon Woodberry Mills, Baltimore, Md., gray duck, \$54,318.83.
 7141-B. Brander Commission Co., New York City, towels, \$57,750.
 7068-N. H. P. McKenney & Co., New York City, body lining, \$26,319.
 7164-N. Boucher Cork & Machine Co., New York City, bandoleer webbing, \$33,711.81.
 7092-N. Rothstein, Rosenberg & Sainy, New York City, body lining, \$28,037.12.
 6287-J. Galvin Bros., Cleveland, Ohio, breech covers, \$222,500.
 7165-B. The Ansonia O. & C. Co., Ansonia, Conn., webbing, \$27,300.
 7052-B. J. P. Stevens & Co., New York City, blankets, \$748,600.
 7101-B. B. B. & R. Knight (Inc.), Providence, R. I., sheeting, \$43,000.
 7062-A. Smith Hogg & Co., New York City, tent drill, \$94,077.50.
 7065-N. Phil Walcott & Co., New York City, body lining, \$26,443.
 7094-N. H. B. McKenney & Co., New York City, body lining, \$124,500.
 7143-N. Taylor Clapp & Beall, New York City, pillow cases, \$151,447.72.
 HC-871-N. Graff, Washbourne & Dunn, New York City, whistles, \$31,500.
 HC-949-C. National Enameling & Stamping Co., Milwaukee, Wis., coffee boilers, \$25,200.
 HC-874-N. Singer Sewing Machine Co., New York City, sewing machines, \$32,317.36.

VH-10626-47 Egt. Theodore H. Bearse & Co., Chicago, Ill., pistol holsters, \$37,500.
 VH-10625-46 Egt. P. J. Cronin Co., Portland, Oreg., pistol holsters, \$46,250.
 Mot-644. Hendea Manufacturing Co., Springfield, Mass., motor cycles, \$144,987.50.
 52-1. Broadbent Portable Laundry Corp., Washington, D. C., mobile laundry units, \$335,478.
 5776-B. Lawrence & Co., Boston, Mass., sheeting, \$1,492,800.
 6594-N. Linden Tanning Co., Newark, N. J., half soles, \$292,200.
 6256-B. Parker Wilder & Co., New York City, pillow cases, \$26,608.50.
 6500-A. Lawrence & Co., New York City, gray gauze, \$41,000.
 6789-B. Flint Mills, Fall River, Mass., gray gauze, \$81,595.33.
 L-12-C. Dodson-Fisher-Brockman Co., Minneapolis, Minn., pistol holsters, \$90,000.
 VH-10651-72 Egt. A. H. Little & Co., Lynn, Mass., belts (officers'), \$97,500.

Contracts awarded to other than lowest bidder.

HC-826-S. Wrought Iron Range Co., St. Louis, Mo., field ranges, \$39,656.25.
 HC-856-P. Edward C. Budd Mfg. Co., Philadelphia, Pa., limber bodies, \$70,950.
 HC-858-J. Eclipse Stove Co., Mansfield, Ohio, limber bodies, \$31,200.
 HC-914-B. American Optical Co., Southbridge, Mass., goggles, \$78,125.
 HC-800-J. American Stove Co., St. Louis, Mo., stoves, \$100,500.
 HC-958-P. T. A. Wilson Co., Reading, Pa., goggles, \$80,000.
 VII-10586. Indianapolis Sadlery Co., Indianapolis, Ind., loops (gun slings) \$2,250.
 52-2. American Laundry Machinery Co., New York, N. Y., mobile laundry units, \$76,730.
 52-3. Troy Laundry Machinery Co., New York, N. Y., mobile laundry units, \$68,000.

SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRACTS.

Sup. to 1950-N. Heller Bros. Co., Newark, N. J., hammers. Changes in prices: Carrier's, 68 cents; rounding, \$1.44; and fitting, \$1.20.
 Sup-242. Ohio Falls Dye & Finishing Co., Louisville, Ky., dyeing and finishing duck. Contract cancelled (10,311 yds.).
 Sup-2325. Annin & Co., New York, N. Y., standards. Contract cancelled.
 Sup-2257. Kendell Bros., New York City, N. Y., silk shirt waists. Contract cancelled.
 Sup-2305. Sayles Finishing Plants, Saylesville, R. I., dyeing and waterproofing. Number of yards reduced from 117,000 to 25,000.
 Sup-2248. United Shirt & Collar Co., Troy, N. Y., cotton shirts. Number reduced from 5,000 to 1,260.
 Sup-2406. American Woolen Co., New York City, melton. Number of specifications changed to 1,315 instead of 1,316 (error).
 Sup-2353. Twin City Mfg. Co., Minneapolis, Minn., suits and jumpers. Change in delivery as per schedule.
 Sup-2364. Lawrence & Co., Boston, Mass., wool stockings. Time of delivery extended to 6/5/19, 30,000 weekly.
 Sup-2369. Star Fur Mfg. Co., New York City, fur caps. Changes in tariff of sizes of caps.
 Sup-945. Standard Oilcloth Co., Youngstown, Ohio, duck. Number of yards reduced from 100,000 to 45,000.
 Sup-2250. Wellington, Sears & Co., twill. Provides for delivery of seconds; to be packed separately.
 Sup-2407. Meritas Mills, Columbus, Ohio, duck. Contractor may deliver 130,000 yards, 12.9 ounces, 60½" in place of 260,000 yards, 30½, 12.9 ounces. Balance cancelled.
 Sup-2383. John H. Meyer & Co. (Inc.), New York City, dyeing and finishing khaki. Contractor to dye and finish 270,000 yards at \$0.49 per yard. Decrease, \$270.
 Sup-2157. Clarence Whitman & Son (Inc.), New York City, dugout blankets. 29,500 blankets to be delivered at 3.50 pounds per blanket instead of as contracted for (4.50 and 4.75 each) \$4.50 each instead of \$6.00.
 Sup-2064. Alexander Smith & Sons Carpet Co., New York, N. Y., blankets. Contractor may deliver 130,000 4# blankets 50 per cent wool, 50" reworked wool in place of same amount 85 per cent wool—15 per cent reworked at \$6.125 per blanket.
 Sup-997. Wellington, Sears & Co., Boston, Mass., twill. Provides for delivery of 2,326 yards 60" 88/48 107 4 leaf twill, seconds.
 Sup-2245 (continued). Wellington, Sears & Co., Boston, Mass., twill. Made in performance of original contract \$0.606 per yard instead of \$0.638.

Sup-997. United States Rubber Co., New York City, boots. Government will accept only what is ready or in process of manufacture.

Sup-2113. Louis Walther Manufacturing Co., Philadelphia, Pa., shirting flannel. Delivery of 20,000 yards additional.
 Sup-2372. S. Stirock & Co., New York City, overseas caps, felt. Conversion of undelivered portion to felt for mackinaw lining.
 Sup-927. Turner Halsey Co., New York City, uniform cloth. Contractor may furnish 112,000 yards seconds in gray dyed O. D. at \$0.282 per yard to apply against total delay.
 Sup-2531. Standard Felt Co., West Alhambra, Cal., overseas caps. Conversion of undelivered portion to felt for mackinaw lining.
 Sup. to 5055. Alfred Struck Co. (Inc.), Louisville, Ky., construction. Variation in terms, and deduction of \$3,562.93 from contract price.

Sup. to H-362-S. The Baker Stove Works, Belleville, Ill., heaters. To be delivered 10 days after delivery of pins and elbows to contractor.

Sup. to P. O. 20117. Hackney Wagon Co., Wilson, N. C., escort wagons. Cancellation of 500 front wheels, 500 hind wheels.

Sup. to P. O. 3206. Conneaut Shovel Co., Conneaut, Ohio, shovels, etc. First grade shovels may be delivered instead of seconds.

Sup. to 3207-J. Conneaut Shovel Co., Conneaut, Ohio, shovels, etc. Thirty-nine thousand nine hundred and twenty-five shovels may, at option of United States, be delivered in first grade at price for first grade shovel.

Sup. to Ohio Carriage Manufacturing Co., Columbus, Ohio, carts. Contractor may deliver carts without wheels, in which case price to be \$36.50 less.

Sup. to P. O. 20254. Ohio Carriage Manufacturing Co., Columbus, Ohio, carts. Same clause.

Sup-688. The Finkelstein Skirt Co., New York City, barrack bags. Number reduced from 50,000 to 25,000.

Sup-683. Johnstown Knitting Mills Co., Johnstown, N. Y., underwear. Nine hundred garments made daily during August to be made without covered seam.

Sup-2000. Mayfield Glove Co., Mayfield, N. Y., gloves. Contract canceled.

CONTRACTS CANCELED (PREVIOUSLY APPROVED).

6256-B. Parker Wilder & Co., New York City, pillow cases, \$26,808.50.

6500-A. Lawrence & Co., New York, N. Y., gray gauze, \$41,000.

6789-B. Flint Mills, Fall River, Mass., gray gauze, \$81,595.33.

H-10392, 98 Egt. Belber Trunk & Bag Co., Philadelphia, Pa., tongs, \$517.95.

Marine Corps Contracts

The following contracts have been placed by the Quartermaster of the United States Marine Corps:

October 25, 1918.

707. Blackstone Supply Co., Boston, Mass., subsistence.
 769. Hess-Hawkins Co. (Inc.), New York, N. Y., carbon paper.
 675R. Cascade Lumber Co., North Yakima, Wash., lumber.
 675R. Deer Park Lumber Co., Deer Park, Wash., lumber.
 675R. Shevlin-Hixon Lumber Co., Bend, Oreg., lumber.
 675R. Craig Mountain Lumber Co., Winchester, Idaho, lumber.
 670R. S. Blckman, New York, N. Y., pans.
 670R. The Vollrath Co., Sheboygan, Wis., enamelware.
 670R. William H. Devitt, Philadelphia, Pa., enamelware.
 670R. International Silver Co., New York, N. Y., enamelware.

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764R. Waterbury Rolling Mills (Inc.), Waterbury, Conn., brass.
 776. The American Tobacco Co., New York, N. Y., tobacco.
 777. Stephenson Underwear Mills, South Bend, Ind., underwear.
 778. American Clip Co., Washington, D. C., folders.
 779. The Lamson Co., Boston, Mass., conveyors.

SEALED PROPOSALS INVITED

WAR DEPARTMENT.

Clothing and Equipage Division, Quartermaster Depot.

Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at the office of the Director of Purchase, Munitions Building, room 3415, Nineteenth and B Streets NW., Washington, D. C., cotton goods subdivision, webbing section, until 10 a. m. November 20, for furnishing 2,000,000 yards of 1/2-inch olive-drab braid during the months January, February and March, 1919. Envelopes containing proposals must be indorsed: "Proposal for furnishing 2,000,000 yards of 1/2-inch braid" and addressed to this office. Sample must be submitted with proposal. Information and proposal blanks may be had on application.

Office Quartermaster General, New York City.

Sealed proposals in triplicate for furnishing the following quantities of duck:

- 990,799 yards 38-inch No. 6 duck,
- 10,000 yards 24-inch No. 6 duck,
- 43,883 yards 36-inch No. 6 duck,
- 4,220 yards 44-inch No. 6 duck,
- 12,000,000 yards 30 1/2-inch 12.9 duck,
- 68,865 yards 22 1/2-inch No. 1 duck,
- 368,067 yards 18 1/2-inch No. 1 duck,
- 2,500,000 yards 37 1/2-inch No. 9 duck,
- 125,814 yards 31 1/2-inch No. 9 duck,
- 811,561 yards 37 1/2-inch No. 8 duck,
- 1,500,000 yards 31 1/2-inch No. 8 duck,
- 132,440 yards 25 1/2-inch No. 2 duck,
- 2,146 yards 22 1/2-inch No. 2 duck.

all to be in the gray state and for delivery equal weekly during January, February and March, 1919, will be received here until 2 o'clock p. m. November 15, 1918. Detailed information as to construction, etc. on application at this office. Envelopes containing proposals to be indorsed "Proposals for duck" and addressed to the cotton goods procurement branch, clothing and equipage division, 109 East Sixteenth Street, New York City.

INTERIOR DEPARTMENT.

General Land Office.

Sealed proposals in duplicate will be received in the General Land Office until 12 o'clock noon Monday, January 6, 1919, and then opened, for furnishing and delivering iron posts with brass caps, for public-land survey corners, for use during the fiscal year 1919, in accordance with plans and specifications for manufacture and delivery, copies of

which may be obtained upon application to the chief clerk of the General Land Office, who will also furnish blank forms of proposals. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids or to accept or reject any part thereof in the discretion of the Commissioner of the General Land Office. Proposals should be securely enveloped, marked "Proposals for iron posts," and addressed to the Commissioner of the General Land Office, Washington, D. C.

MARINE CORPS.

Canvas, duck, etc.—United States Marine Corps, quartermaster's department, Washington, D. C., November 4, 1918. Sealed proposals in duplicate, to be publicly opened by the depot quartermaster, United States Marine Corps, 1100 South Broad Street, Philadelphia, Pa., on December 4, 1918, are hereby invited for furnishing 47,500 yards stiff canvas, 415,000 yards 8-ounce tent canvas, 2,390,000 yards 10-ounce tent canvas, 4,627,166 yards 12-ounce tent canvas, 325,500 yards 30-inch bleached drilling, 500,000 yards 30-inch unbleached drilling, 60,000 yards 18-ounce khaki duck for cot cover, 2,200 yards 16-ounce 22-inch white cotton duck, 3,000 yards outing flannel for filters, 765,000 yards drab jean, 1,000 yards turkey red muslin, 1,500 yards 36-inch bleached muslin for flag stars, 200,000 yards unbleached muslin, 150,000 yards unbleached muslin for pillowcases, 810,000 yards unbleached muslin for sheets, 1,675,000 yards Nainsook, 725,000 yards canvas padding, 100,000 pairs shoulder pads; 56,500 yards Winterfield silesia, 1,000,000 pairs cotton socks, 200,000 yards toweling, and 5,000 hand towels, to be delivered to the depot quartermaster, Marine Corps, 1100 South Broad Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Athletic supplies.—United States Marine Corps, Quartermaster's Department, Washington, D. C., November 5, 1918. Sealed proposals in duplicate, to be publicly opened by the depot quartermaster, United States Marine Corps, 1100 South Broad Street, Philadelphia, Pa., on December 6, 1918, are hereby invited for furnishing 100 striking bags, 100 shooting bags, 200 medicine balls, 10,000 baseballs, 200 sets baseball bases, 2,000 baseball bats, 50 striking-bag disks, 400 footballs, 500 sets boxing gloves, 2,500 fielder's gloves, 1,000 football jerseys, 200 catcher's masks, 200 catcher's mitts, 400 first-baseman's mitts, 50 baseball home plates, 200 baseball chest protectors, 20 16-pound shots, and 500 stop watches, to be delivered to the depot quartermaster, Marine Corps, Delaware Avenue and Kenilworth Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

The Purchase Information Office, Room 2426, Munitions Building, Nineteenth and B Streets, Washington, gives information to persons desiring to sell material or supplies to the War Department and advises bidders concerning bids and awards.

American Glue Co., Boston, Mass., 15,600 sheets sandpaper, 28 reams emery cloth, \$745.52.

La Porte Mat & Mfg. Co. (Inc.), La Porte, Ind., 42 door mats, \$58.80.

Talc Products Co., New York City, 150 gross crayons, \$157.50.

Williams, Brown & Earle, Philadelphia, Pa., 1 parallel rule, 24-inch, \$22.

Belmont Packing & Rubber Co., Philadelphia, Pa., 2,400 handhole gaskets, \$180.

R. P. Clarke Co., Washington, D. C., 1 numbering machine, \$9.60.

Milton Bradley Co., Philadelphia, Pa., 48 compasses and dividers, \$14.60.

A. Flanagan Co., Chicago, Ill., 24 compasses, \$8.10.

Russell & Erwin, New York, 216 catches, \$28.05.

H. Bainbridge & Co., New York, 100 sets date bands, 36 sets guide cards, \$48.

Forbes & Myers, Worcester, Mass., 1 pedestal grinder, \$195.

Manning, Maxwell & Moore, New York, 9 belt punches, \$10.80.

Democrat Printing Co., Madison, Wis., library supplies, \$87.15.

Voorhees Rubber Mfg. Co., Jersey City, N. J., 1,000 pounds packing, \$635.

Bobrick Chemical Co., Los Angeles, Cal., 12 dispensers, \$30.

Woodhouse Mfg. Co., New York, 1 30-foot extension ladder, \$68.

Western Electric Co., New York, 1,000 connectors, \$118.

Peck, Stow & Wilcox Co., Southington, Conn., 18 pairs dividers, \$5.58.

Simmons Hardware Co., Philadelphia, Pa., 80 pounds wool steel, \$13.50.

Carborundum Co., Niagara Falls, N. Y., grinding wheels, \$284.12.

Republic Rubber Co., Youngstown, Ohio, 500 gaskets, \$7.75.

Carl A. Judson, Chicago, Ill., 24 pairs hoof pads, \$21.60.

John Gifford & Son, New York, 432 curtain fasteners, \$25.92.

Reiff & Nestor Co., Lykens, Pa., 6 reamers, \$6.

U. S. Steel Products Co., Washington, D. C., 51,500 feet pipe, \$13,138.62.

Armstrong Mfg. Co., Bridgeport, Conn., 12 sets pipe dies, \$11.34.

Cleveland S. T. Co., Cleveland, Ohio, 18 dies, boiler, punch, \$5.40.

Pratt & Whitney, Hartford, Conn., 12 machine dies, \$16.80.

J. H. Williams & Co., Brooklyn, N. Y., 36 wrenches, \$4.98.

Public Printer, circular 1239.

C. H. Whall Co., Boston, Mass., 800 insulations, \$1,954.08.

Ox Fibre Brush Co., New York City, 3,000 brushes, \$1,470.

Public printer, circulars 1234 and 1235, supplements.

Collins & Co., New York, 2,400 machetes, \$3.120.

Winkenjoiner Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, 4 whistles, \$17.

Ansin & Co., New York City, 50 flags, \$1,584.85.

Bearings Co. of America, 50 thrust bearings and washers, \$212.50.

J. G. Ray Manufacturing Co., Buffalo, N. Y., 3 funnels, \$7.35.

Bausch & Lomb Optical Co., Rochester, N. Y., laboratory supplies, \$17.05.

Public Printer, Washington, D. C., 18,000 letterheads.

James S. Barron & Co., New York City, 12 water breakers, \$109.20.

Coston Supply Co., New York City, 48 rockets, 48 signals, \$53.60.

National Bolt & Nut Co., Pittsburgh, Pa., 2,400 pounds nuts, \$455.

National Electrical Supply Co., Washington, D. C., 25,000 feet wire, \$96.

Felt & Tarrant Manufacturing Co., Chicago, Ill., 1 comptometer, \$220.

J. Duncan Co., Everett, Mass., 2 switches, \$8.

Public Printer, Washington, D. C., 10,000 forms printed.

Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, Washington, D. C., 3,000 pounds asphalt, \$190.

PURCHASES FOR THE PANAMA CANAL

American Sewer Pipe Co., Akron, Ohio, 300 feet drain tile, \$21.

Eugene Deitzgen Co., New York, 2 dividers, \$7.56.

C. D. Durkee Co., New York, deck and spike irons and pumps, \$46.28.

Simmons Hardware Co., Philadelphia, Pa., 6 bellows, \$3.25.

Consolidated Safety Valve Co., Manning, Maxwell & Moore, New York, 3 safety valves, \$42.72.

U. S. Steel Products Co., Washington, D. C., 1,500 pounds nails, \$105.

Diamond Expansion Bolt Co., New York City, 300 bolts, \$54.25.

Henry Bainbridge & Co., New York City, 35 gross clamps, \$54.25.

The B. F. Goodrich Rubber Co., Akron, Ohio, 1,500 feet hose, \$1,820.

The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., Akron, Ohio, 75 tires, \$901.50.

National Electrical Supply Co., Washington, D. C., 495 pounds wire, \$296.50.

Taunton-New Bedford Copper Co., Taunton, Mass., 600 pounds nails, \$234.

Canada Carbide Sales Co., New York City, 3 1/2 gross tons ferrosilicon, \$542.50.

Texas Co., 500 tons asphalt, \$19,562.

Yale & Towne Mfg. Co., New York, 1 switch, \$55.

Valentine & Co., New York, 800 gallons Valenamel, \$2,125.

C. D. Durkee & Co., New York, 9 grommet sets, \$24.75.

Davis-Bournonville Co., Jersey City, N. J., 1,000 rods, 36 valves, \$251.

Independent Pneumatic Tube Co., Chicago, Ill., parts for grinders, \$63.

Armstrong Mfg. Co., Bridgeport, Conn., 24 sets pipe dies, \$22.80.

Wilcox, Crittenden & Co., Middletown, Conn., 125 thimbles, \$336.

Bethlehem Steel Co., Bethlehem, Pa., 30 turnbuckles, \$19.20.

Topping Bros., New York, 150 pounds rivets, \$23.70.

Grip Nut Co., Chicago, Ill., 300 nuts, \$51.32.

C. D. Durkee & Co., New York, N. Y., 15 eye-bolts, \$3.75.

Smith-Serrell Co., New York, N. Y., 366 pins, \$347.70.

St. Lewis Screw Co., St. Louis, Mo., 50 lag screws, \$12.50.

Starr Bros. Bell Co., East Hampton, Conn., 6 gongs, \$9.12.

U. S. Rubber Co., New York City, 50,000 feet lamp cord, \$925.

Supply officer, navy yard, Philadelphia, Pa., 10,000 gallons red lead in oil, approximately \$13,000.

Pratt & Whitney, Hartford, Conn., 3 ratchet drills, \$11.28.

General Electric Co., Schenectady, N. Y., 2 voltmeters, \$71.20.

M. L. Barrett & Co., Chicago, Ill., 48 quarts lamp coloring, \$72.

Westinghouse Electric & Mfg. Co., Washington, D. C., 1 set Stator coils, \$525.

United Lead Co., New York, N. Y., 1,000 pounds lead pipe, 4-inch, \$101.90.

Champion Ignition Co., Flint, Mich., 788 spark plugs, \$433.40.

Public Printer, printing Circular 1234, Supplement.

J. A. Roebling & Sons, Trenton, N. J., 600 feet sash cord, \$12.

Sidney B. Strouse, Atlantic City, N. J., 9 platform scales, \$299.97.