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Says Failure of Mills to Deliver Lumber Will Tie Up Construction Work on Railroad

SEATTLE, Sept. 10. — Purchasing Agent Dole, who sailed for Seward on the steamship Alaska last night, said the failure of Puget Sound lumber mills to deliver their orders may delay construction work on the Alaska railroad. Six million feet has been ordered by the commission, which has not been delivered, and if the deliveries are not made before the close of navigation at Anchorage, he said it would tie up all construction work until spring, and probably longer, at that end of the line.

TO PROBE EXPENSES ON GOVERNMENT RAILROAD

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11. — Secretary Lane has appointed Herbert A. Meyer, assistant secretary of the interior; A. D. Sheperd, a Pacific coast railroad man; and E. F. Wendt, valuation engineer for the Interstate Commerce Commission, who recently made a trip to Alaska, to investigate the increasing cost of the government railroad now building from Anchorage to Fairbanks, and to submit their report to the house appropriation committee.

LIBERTY LOAN BONDS

The employees of the Alaskan Engineering Commission and the residents of Alaska in general will, within a comparatively short time, be given an opportunity to render patriotic aid to their government by participating as purchasers in the \$2,000,000,000 issue of Liberty Loan 3½ per cent bonds. As soon as definite arrangements are made for the acceptance of local subscriptions the public will be so informed through the medium of the daily and weekly press. The total amount of the Liberty Loan authorized by Congress is \$5,000,000,000. Of this only \$2,000,000 is being offered to public subscription at this time. The bonds are to be issued in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500 and \$1000, and will pay 3½ per cent interest. They are exempt from all Federal, State and local taxation, with the exception of inheritance taxes.

These bonds should be eagerly subscribed by the patriotic people of America, not only because it is their first duty to help their Government, but because they are the safest investment on earth. They are secured by the entire wealth of the United States, the annual increase of which alone amounts to about 50 billions of dollars. Our country is at war with the most powerful and resourceful foe the world has ever known. Millions of men and millions of money will be required to make the result decisively victorious. The draft will provide the men. It is the privilege and duty of those not in the army to provide the money.—R. R. Record.

LATEST NEWS FROM FAIRBANKS

Lieut. Harry L. Twaddle, of Fort Gibbon, orders five of the employees of the Alaskan Engineering commission, who had previously made applications for commissions in the officers' reserve corps of the army, to report to the army post at Fort Gibbon as soon as possible with the credentials for examination. The men are F. D. Hayden, assistant divisional engineer; R. B. Ward, resident engineer; Francis Rotch, Jr., pilot; J. F. Kerper, office engineer, and H. A. Keil, land surveyor. It is understood that all intend to make application to enter the engineer corps, as they are better qualified for that class of work, than any other.—Fairbanks Citizen.

RIGGS AFTER LITTLE PIGS

In line with the government's policy of conserving the food supply and of eliminating waste of food, Commissioner Riggs has decided to engage in the raising of pigs at Nenana, and is in the market for twelve embryo porkers, which he will fatten on the waste material from the government commissary. Chief Clerk Bickford has been delegated to scour the countryside to obtain the shoats.

WAGON ROADS FOR MATANUSKA DISTRICT

M. D. Snodgrass, who has spent some time past in the Matanuska district, is very favorably impressed with its agricultural possibilities. Last year, he states, wheat, oats, and barley were matured there and yielded very favorably, while potatoes and the ordinary garden products gave excellent returns despite the unfavorable season. This year, with normal conditions, he expects to see a great gain in the output of that section and at the greatly enhanced prices for all farm products the farmers of that section will do well.

One of the most pressing needs of that section, Mr. Snodgrass states, is wagon roads as feeders to the railroad. Under present conditions he says, the agriculturists are experiencing the greatest difficulty in getting their produce to market, and in teaming their supplies and provisions to their homesteads from the railroads. An effort will be made to have the territorial road overseer for this division look into the matter with a view to securing as much work as possible on the roads of that section.

This month Snodgrass will go to Fairbanks to relieve J. W. Neal, superintendent of the station there, who will leave the service and will go to California, where he has a large ranch of his own that he will devote himself to in the future.

Waterfall & Frazier whiskey at The Branch.

All Alaska News

The steamer Northland, which was sunk about a year ago at Kake, in Southeastern Alaska, has been successfully raised and is now on her way south for repairs. The Northland was raised and nearly free from water when one of the wrecking crew passing through one of the rooms with a lighted lantern caused an explosion and fire due to the crude oil which had accumulated, throughout the interior of the hull, necessitating the flooding of the steamer again to extinguish the blaze.

Captain Dan Pullen, Alaska's first West Pointer, has been notified to be prepared to depart for France with the engineer corps of the U. S. army, according to a letter received by his mother, Mrs. H. S. Pullen, of Skagway. He will be promoted to the rank of major before leaving America. He was appointed to West Point by President Roosevelt in 1906 and graduated at the head of his class.

CIRCULAR

Washington, Sept. 15, 1917.
Department of the Interior.

The Post Office Department has requested that in using the rubber stamp "Your Patriotic Duty—Buy a Liberty Loan Bond," which was the subject of an order of this Department on the 15th instant, be put on the left end of envelopes and other mail containers, so as not to interfere with the postmark and cancellation stamp.

ORDER

Department of the Interior.
Washington, Sept. 15, 1917.

Envelopes and other official mail containers used by this Department and its bureaus and services, including offices and agencies outside of Washington, shall be stamped in red with the following line:

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Rubber stamps for the purpose will be ordered in quantity by this Department and requisitions for the number needed by each bureau and its outside offices should be made in the usual way; also for red ink pads.

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