

Wide Flexibility Permitted in Bids on U. S. Steamers

Shipping Board Agrees on Main Features of Sales Plan to Be Announced About May 1.

Washington, April 18.—Considerable flexibility will be permitted in the bids submitted in response to the forthcoming offer of the government for sale of existing shipping routes, the shipping board announced today, and further incentive to purchasers will be given in a reciprocal guarantee that the government will not enter into a field which competes with any route taken over by private operators.

The policy committee of the board has agreed upon the broad features of the sales plan, which will be announced about May 1. Bids will be invited for the purchase of ships for operation on consolidated routes with a widening of the range of ports to be served, both in this country and abroad, a prerequisite of any proposal being that the purchaser guarantee service for a term of years.

Bidders will be permitted to submit proposals for purchase and operation of any number of ships on the trade route which they select and within certain limits, to state what service they agree to maintain. Wide latitude will also be authorized in the matter of terms for payment to the government.

It was emphasized, however, that all bids will be carefully analyzed to determine whether they amply protect the government in the quality of service to be maintained, the number of ships to care for the commerce offered and the sufficiency of guarantee as to maintenance.

Member of Motor Squad Suspended for Five Days

Chester W. Clegg, motorcycle officer, was suspended for five days Wednesday by Acting Chief of Police Dillon for alleged neglect of duty.

The charge was that he failed sufficiently to protect evidence recovered in connection with the series of holdups by the "blue car" bandits last Thursday night. A pin, attached to a piece of cloth, was lost while returning to the station.

Two other motorcycle officers, Duffield and Jacobson, who reported to Capt. Lyman Wheeler that they got within 15 feet of the bandit car the night of the holdups, but failed to fire at it, will not be suspended, Acting Chief Dillon said.

Ex-Omahian Succeeds Late Bishop Tuttle



Bishop A. C. Garrett as he appeared when first dean of Trinity cathedral in Omaha.

Bishop E. V. Shayler of the Nebraska Episcopal diocese will attend the funeral of Right Rev. Daniel S. Tuttle, presiding bishop of the Episcopal Church in America. The services will be held in St. Louis Friday afternoon.

Right Rev. Alexander Charles Garrett, D. D., who will succeed Bishop Tuttle, was the first dean of Trinity cathedral in Omaha.

Studio of Drama Director to Appear Here in Recital

Maude Scheerer, founder and director of the Studio of the Drama, New York, will appear in a dramatic recital "Women of Shakespeare" at the Misner school, 3172 Dodge street, this evening at 8:15. Commenting on Miss Scheerer's work, the Washington Post says: "She is entertaining and creative. There are deep revelations of character in her comedy and tragedy."

"Blue-Eyed Blonde" Wrecked Her Home Is Wife's Charge

A "blue-eyed blonde girl" wrecked her home, Amy M. Soper alleges in her petition for divorce filed in district court against Ray F. Soper, superintendent of the Omaha flour mills.

Savidge Refuses Call

Rev. Charles W. Savidge, pastor of Peoples church, said Wednesday morning that he has received a call from the Peoples church at San Diego, Cal. Rev. Mr. Savidge, however, will continue his pastorate here.

Mrs. Nelson State Witness in "Blue Car" Bandit Case

The case of Mrs. Anna Nelson, wife of Pete Nelson, held on a charge of receiving stolen property in connection with the depredations of the "blue car" bandits, was continued to Monday in municipal court Wednesday.

Complaint against her will be changed to make her a state witness, detectives said.

Every morning a "hot tip" comes over the telephone at police station that Pete Nelson, former proprietor of Saddle Creek tavern and wanted in connection with the "blue car" bandits, has been seen at certain places. Detectives are kept busy.

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35c Pond's Cold Cream **24c**
35c Tarline Flakes Moth Preventive **21c**
60c Forhan's Tooth Paste, **39c**
35c Mavis Talcum Powder **18c**
50c Djer Kiss Cold Cream **35c**
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Luxor printed silks are much in demand for blouses and frocks. The new Paisley, Persian, Egyptian, Roman, Balkan and Oriental effects on crepe de chine, Canton crepe, Georgette and silk and wool Bengaline. 36 to 40-inch width. Yard **\$2.95**

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