FIRST HOG ISLAND **LAUNCHING JULY 4**

Other Yards to Join New Independence Day

BIG "SPEED · UP" PLAN

D-dest Licking Due to Kaiser, Says Schwab

Detroit May 23 - Director Gen eral of Shipping Schwab, speaking before Detroit shipbuilders, said they were to play a prominent part boats can sink them.

"The Kniser," he added, "is due for the D-dest licking any one

"Make the Fourth of July the great st ship-launching day in the world's

This is the plan of the United State dipping board, and in connection with

yards in the completion of a ship in time participate in the Fourth of July tunching program Originally, it had en scheduled to launch the first ship. Hog Island in August

In commandeering steel, the Govern-ment has pointed out that instellation at has been depending upon a priorities sys-em for securing the steel necessary for arrying out its war program, but the uncertainty of this system was feared and necessitated the new move.

Steel Shortage Hampered Work

Charles M. Schwab, director general of he Emergency Fleet Corporation, ad-nitted soon after his appointment that a

mand of the steel supply, it is ex-pected there will be no more delays, and the speed-up program will be pushed vigorously with a view to participating. the great launching "festival" on In-ependence Day Every shippard in the country has

peed-up movement to make the holiday

that city July 4 for the launching fetc.

part in the "Liberty Launching" pro-

ngs to be made a series of notable. May thus far surpass even the negations in all yards as a peculiarly, by more than 2000 tons daily

Officials of the shipping heard and Emergency Fleet Corporation expect to mergency Fleet Corporation expect to 7 inches long, 60 feet beam and 36 feet 3 inches depth, and is equipped with quadruple expansion engines and three Scotch boilers.

PUSEY AND JONES CLUB IS DOING GREAT WORK

Most of Workers in Gloucester City May 2. Shipyards Members of Welfare Society

The Pusey and Jones (lub formed City, is doing great work, according to Corporation. Dr. Charles A Eaton, chief of national service section, of the Emer-

Dr. Eaton, when he visited the two yards a few days ago and attended a meeting of the club was surprised at the work being done and said that there is no other shippard with an organization of this kind.

to date, with a total of 47,550 deadwight tons.

Other steel ships (requisitioned while ended May 1) include the Lake Clear a 3166-tonner, cargo ship, built by the American Shipbuilding Corporation in

very large.

An inter-department baseball league has been formed by the Pusey and Jones employes of the two shipyards. The schedule arranged runs to October 5, and each team will play twenty-one games. Captain Hansen, donated the sum of \$400 to the league to be used in providing uniforms to the teams and there is going to be great rivalry among them. Games will be played on Saturdays and holidays. days and holidays.

About fifteen crews of conductors and motormen, who were formerly employed on the trolley cars in Camden and Philadelphia, now leave the New Jersey and Pennsylvania shipyards every day at 4 o'clock and go to Camden and bring down trolley cars and carry the shipyard workers home. This has greatly relieved the congested condition. The men are paid shipyard rates while operating the cars. The pay-as-you-enter terminal will soon be built at the old racetrack so that the cars can be left there in the mornings and taken back at night.

Cornell President Urges Ban on All Luxuries

Ithaca, N. Y., May 23,—The spend-thrift of today is a traitor, the good citizen the man who sints and saves; nonessential industries should be released from nonessential service and sent into war industries; costly entertainment should case.

Five Carloads of Tools for Essington

CONGRESSMEN AMAZED AT DELAWARE SHIPYARDS



committee on necessart marine and fi-heries, here for a three days' tour of the shipwards on

STEEL SHIPBUILDING PROGRESSING RAPIDLY

Over Hundred Thousand Tons Added to Fleet Within Last Two Weeks

The first two weeks of May have added 128,220 tons of steel ships to the new American merchant marine. Last mitted soon after his appealment that shorting of steel held up work at Heg Shorting of steel held up work at Heg May 11) aggregate 48,150 tons of steel steel supply, it is extended to the steel supply, it is extended to the steel supply, it is extended to the steel supply it is extended to the

It is now virtually certain that the record deliveries of April, aggregating 170,000 tons, will be surnassed in Mai. The average rate of deliveries in May thus far is 5000 tons per day more than
in April, when 6000 tons daily average
of steel ships were officially reported delivered. For the first eleven days of May
the average was more than 11,600 ton. and of the steel supply, it is exall city July 4 for the launching fets.

Wilson May Have Part in Launch

These figures are based on official reports to the Emergency
Fleet Corperation. According to figures on Apr. deliveres given out by the commissioner of navigation, approximately 240.00 tons of steel shipping were de-livered in April, averaging more than 0000 tons daily. The official figures for May thus far surpass even that average

It is the aim to have at least one launching in each yard, so that the event may be unde into one of particistic inspiration to all the shipbuilders of the country.

It is believed that work could probably be so arranged as to fit in with a botal aggregate wooden hull, with a total aggregate by this program. With a month and a haif this program. With a month and a haif intervening, construction could be speeded up in these yards where ships are not near the launching stage. Through placing holiers and engines in ships still on the ways, launchings has scheduled for a few days prior to July scheduled for a few days prior to July in the Sparrows Point yard of the Beth-lehm of the work, it is planned.

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It is a deadweight tons. She is 405 feet in the side of a inches long, 50 feet beam and 35 feet inches long, 50 feet beam and 35 feet in the side of a inches depth, and is equipped with quadruple expansion engines and three Scotch boilers.

Another large vessel delivered was the contract ship West Lianga, or 8800 tons, built by the Skinner & Eddy corporation at Seattle, Wash. She was delivered to the United States Shipping Board in record time tyring to the launching of the Tuckahoe in twenty-seven days at the Camden plant of the New York Shipbuilding Corporation.

Another contract ship was entered was considered in record time tyring to the land an ultra-modern bather shop corporation.

Another contract ship was entered upon the list of delivery last week, however, when the 3500-ton carge vessel Langa which make the war front of the last of delivery last week, however, when the 3500-ton carge vessel Langa completed by the American Shippaulding Corporation.

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mational service section of the Emer-gency Fleet Corporation.

The club was formed to promote the welfare of the shippard workers, and welfare of the shippard workers, and Lake Lewando was completed by the now most of the men employed in the American Shipbuilding Corporation in two yards are members and they are its Cleveland yards. The American cor-deriving great benefits. Meetings to poration has the honor of being the instruct various kind of workers are second shipbuilding company to break being held weekly and now there is in force an Accounting School directed by William Corletto, who has charge of the cort ferror than the contract of the cort ferror than the cort for the cort ferror than the contract delivery column. Six versely column to the contract delivery column to the c

a 3100-tonner, cargo amp.
American Shipbuilding Corporation in the Winone, of Herbert Robinson, one of the members of the club, who holds a position as layer-out, broke a record a few days ago when he laid 39 4-10 tons of 55-point shell plates. vania Shipbuilding Company at Glou-cester, N. J.; the 4000-ton cargo ship Rudolph Hirst has charge of the work securing subscriptions to the Red Cross fund in the Pennsylvania shipyard, and William Murphy in the New Jersey yard, and they believe that every employe will contribute a day's pay so that the fund from the shipyards will be served by the Standard Shipbullding Company at the New York yards and the Lake Owens, of 3200 tons, a cargo vestigates. pany at its New York yards and the Lake Owens, of 3300 tons, a cargo ves-

quistioned) to date aggregate 128 in number, of \$44.060 deadweight tons. The six contract ships delivered to date aggregate 47.550 tons; tetal de-liveries to date, 891.610 tons.

SPENDTHRIFT TRAITORS

service and sent into war industries; consty entertainment should cease and civilians should be prohibited from purchasing gasoline for the "luxury" of motoring. These assections were made by Jacob Gouid Schurman, president of Cornell University, in his address at the fittleth annual commencement of the university here.

War Likely to Suspend Making Baby Carriages

Atlantic City, N. J., May 23 - Th teel citabilian may force the aux pension of plants engaged in the manufacture of baby carriages it tional Eabs Vehicle Manufac turers' Association in way service council. M. L. Elloch, of Philadel phia is among the delegates.

and one man. "We cannot man facture vehicles without steel." Baby carriages are not classed as

Manufacturers have abundone the use of tin on all baby carriages saving at least 100,000 pounds:

HOG ISLAND SHOPS NEARLY COMPLETE

Important and Necessary Structures Going Up at a Speedy Rate

during the fast month that many of the

some 500 feet in length, is one of the buildings which is almost a impleted. "Throw Coal Into Cellar Instead,"

a War Chest drive at the plant. Admiral Bowles and Alba B. Johnson, president of the Baldwin Lecomotive Works, delivered addresses.

HOG ISLAND EMPLOYES 100 PER CENT AMERIC

STOLEN AUTOMOBILE BALKS | Rev. Dr. Eaton Praises Them for Their Collides With Curb and Occupant

tional Service Is Held for Theft The excellent showing of the Hog cause of their condition are eagerly

An automobile collision at Eighteenth Island employes in subscribing more than sought for owners of other houses see street and Columbia avenue led to the street and Columbia avenue led to the street of Thomas Regan, of Twenty-been duly recognized by the Rev Dr provements When there is brisk compressed by the Rev Dr provements when there is brisk compressed by the Rev Dr provements when there is brisk compressed by the Rev Dr provements when there is brisk compressed by the Rev Dr provements when there is brisk compressed by the Rev Dr provements when there is brisk compressed by the Rev Dr provements when there is brisk compressed by the Rev Dr provements when there is brisk compressed by the Rev Dr provements when there is brisk compressed by the Rev Dr provements when there is brisk compressed by the Rev Dr provements when there is brisk compressed by the Rev Dr provements when the reverse and the reverse are the reverse and the reverse areas and the reverse areas and the reverse areas are the reverse and the reverse areas are the reverse areas are the reverse areas are the reverse areas are the reverse areas areas are the reverse areas eighth street, near York, an alleged charles A. Ealon, chief of the national

automobile thief.

Regan was driving the car He attempted to turn a corner and collided with the curb to avoid hiring another machine. A rear wheel of his machine snapped off. He jumped off the var and ran down the street Policeman Kenny, who witnessed the saccident, became suspicious of Regan's actions. He arrested Regan and at Nineteenth and Coxford streets police station. Regan admitted taking the car from in front of the Woman's Hospital. at Twenty-record street and North College avenue. The car is owned by Dr. Edith Shanatt. He was arraigned before Magistrate Glenn at Fourth and York streets police station today and held in \$800 bail for court.

PATRIOTISM FREES PRISONER

Judge Releases Former Convict Who Knitted Socks for Soldiers Touched by the patriotic tale of Frank Brown, a Philadelphian, who was arrested recently at the gates of the Eastern Penitentiary after having served

three years, Judge Kates, in the Camden Criminal Court, today released him. Brown was arrested on charges pre-ferred by Charles Alcott. West and Mickle streets. Camden Alcott alleged that in 1911 Brown stole his horse an-wagon. Three years ago he was sen-tenced in a Philadelphia court for lar-

SHIP BOILER PLATE

PLANT IN RICHMOND

Emergency Fleet Corporation Plans Increase in Newport News Establishment

plant for the manufacture of botter plane in the cuts of Echmond for the Emergined Flect Corporation.

The purpose of building this factors in Echmond, instead of here, is that

is a good labor market in Rich-end and better housing facilities for employer.

Is unofficially reported here today the Emergence Place Composition the programs Place Composition

that the Emergency Pise: Corporation has decided to increase the size of the Newport News plant 50 for cent. Plans tog enlargement of the varid were under when war was declared, but it is derstood that the increase in the sectiv of the plans contemplated by Emergency Fleet Corporation is in ages of the several ways now under

The company employed a canvaguer who worked under our direction several days, then set out to explore for himself in the end be discovered in the area wouth of Market street and east of Broad just twenty houses, of which he and his reserve houses, of which he

ORDERS RICELESS WEDDINGS

Says Food Controller

advertisements in the newspapers and a corps of canyassers at the door belie called upon citizens to take in Hog Island lodgers as a patriotic duty

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service section of the Emergency Fleet go.

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tary Condition

Philadelphia was even less neepared for war than the nation, the report starts. It had come so close to the debt lemit that it had to proceed with caution. The vity had not been planned and hudt and employed so as to center the greatest possible service or to make possible even a short period of negletical victious scribbs conditions, nation-wide reciperity and a normal straids growth a population, it was making only a low and housitating progress.

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condition the committee found. Price

shape and few presented a nossible charge for our consideration. Many of the houses contained a whole family in one room. These rooms were poorly lighted and ventilation seemed entirely neglected. In several instances, the

While this canyons was in progress a representative of the bousing commit-tee of the Council of National Defense came to us for information on condi-

The most pressing need of the past

conditions were bound to develop as they have When the tenant is unable to move because there is no other house to move to one element in the landlord's interest is removed. When houses that have stood vacant for years be-

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The city, too, has become slacker. The diversion of public interest, page

rearcity and high cost of labor have ex-hausted appropriations or made heads of departments loath to let contracts. Added to these has been something ap-proaching demoralization in some de-partments due to loss of drafted men, to resignations of trained employes who felt the rill to European Service to the municipal spell of economy that cost Many Available Dwellings dwellings to meet the influx of shippard

to them are added higher and fluctuat- in the past, did not even know the size Walter Stanley Coar, of 2 ing prices of materials, higher wages of those needs and consequently had no teenth street, with sixt, and scarcity of labor, the owner is stimuprogram for meeting them, we are today using not reserves but what we require to be measured in terms of men in uni-form alone, a large part of the civilian we are falling behind in such essential services as sewer and water extension sels controlled by the shipping and the removal of privy vaults and The big demand in the service sanitary inspection. Bad as our lack of for firemen and coal passers.

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