

DAILY NEWS HAPPENINGS FROM THE DELAWARE RIVER SHIPYARDS

U. S. AND BRITAIN IN SHIP CONTEST

Schwab Accepts Challenge of England for Vessel-Building "Race"

AID TO WINNING WAR

New Fabricating Plants Planned—Hog Island to Make World Notice

An international contest for shipbuilding supremacy will be staged between Great Britain and the United States in the coming year.

Charles M. Schwab, director general of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, has accepted the challenge of England for the contest, which was in the form of authorization of the construction of one hundred ship ways.

Erection of two fabricating plants costing \$8,000,000, one of them at Patuxent, Md., and the other at Hog Island, Pa., are the first steps toward the exclusive manufacture of tubercles for ships, a \$6,000,000 increase in steel delivery—these are some of the plans of Mr. Schwab to meet the friendly challenge of the United States' greatest ally for a shipbuilding contest.

The eyes of the entire world—Kaiser Wilhelm included—will look with interest upon the friendly competition for upon it, in great measure, rests the result of the war.

Will Make World Notice

Hog Island will make the "whole world sit up and take notice" in the building competition, Mr. Schwab believes. He says there "isn't a thing that is feasible that Hog Island will be denied" in its effort to outdistance the shipyards of Great Britain in placing ships upon the sea.

Touching on the extension of submarine warfare to American coastal waters, Mr. Schwab flayed the German Government in his characteristic way.

"No nation can send submarines here to destroy our shipping, to kill our men, and what is infinitely more horrible, to slay our women and children, and expect us to sit idly by and do nothing.

"We shall fight this terrible war, no matter how long or how terrible, to the last ounce of our treasure and the last drop of our blood. This nation has never lost a war, and, by thunder, it is not going to lose this one.

"Up where I live the good old Pennsylvania Dutchmen say the Kaiser is going to get the worst licking a man ever got already yet, and that is the spirit in which we face submarines raiding our coasts or the slaughter of our men and the slaying of our women."

Changed conditions are bound to come after the war, according to Mr. Schwab. Riches and birth will count for nothing, but accomplishment for everything.

"The aristocracy of the world in the future is not to be the aristocracy of wealth, but of those who have done something for their country."

CAUGHT IN THE CURRENT AND MADE SHIP SHAPE

"Give me a man with lots of zip," says Uncle Sam "to run a ship, for to the fact the world in her worthy salt for a job of pep. The spice of life he's bound to win. And that is why he's mustered in."

The Sun Gun Club should make many shining marks.

No fletter boys than heater boys a shipyard can possess, and passers-on are chasers on a job to win success.

The barking of a dog frustrated the attempt of two men to bomb the Black Rock naval station at Bridgeport, Conn.

The patriot now defies his hat to the doughty tanker H. L. Pratt. Though 11-hour shells made fortune from, you can not keep good ship down.

It seems at first glance incongruous the whole day off and six or seven flag raisings will take place in the two yards.

Women school teachers will give their vacations this year to the shipping board.

Ernest Ritchie, a former water inspector, and Jacob P. Steiner, a leading Red Man of Gloucester, are in charge of the hospital building and assisting Dr. John Haley in looking after injured shipworkers.

A representative of the United States shipping board was at the two plants yesterday looking for a site for a school to instruct men in special work.

William Brockbridge claims the best springtime record in the hull and inspection departments. He will get a chance to show his speed on the Fourth of July.

J. H. Millar has received several letters commending the Pusey & Jones Club's new constitution, drafted by S. E. Southell, Dr. Charles A. Eaton, in charge of the national service section of the shipping board, has requested copies.

SCHWAB MOVING NEARLY DONE

Last of Motortrucks on Way With Equipment

Transfer of the offices of the Emergency Fleet Corporation from Washington to this city will be completed today.

All office employees of the fleet corporation are now in this city. The last group of 300 arrived yesterday afternoon.

GREAT EXTENSION TO CAMDEN YARD

Schwab Announces Plan for \$10,000,000 Addition to New York Plant

START WORK AT ONCE

Builders of Tuckahoe Deserve Money, Declares Director General

The Delaware River, now the world's greatest shipyard center, is to have another big extension of its shipbuilding facilities in the form of a \$10,000,000 addition to the New York Shipbuilding Company's plant in South Camden.

Work on the extension will start at once, in line with the nation's "speed-up" policy.

Announcement of this new plant on the Delaware was made by Charles M. Schwab, director general of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, to the Camden Board of Trade. The project was put through by the "master shipbuilder" only after several days of explanation in Washington as to the great need for the new plant. It follows closely Director General Schwab's recent authorization to the New York Shipbuilding plant for construction of seven new ships.

"The greatest discussion when the war council sits in Washington," Mr. Schwab said, "is the problem of building ships—and more ships."

"I told Washington that the plant which I created the Tuckahoe in twenty-seven days deserved this money for an addition and that the yard would produce more for the Government than the amount of its investment."

Mr. Schwab said his plan to increase the capacity of the shipyard met with opposition because some officials believed the Delaware River district was already congested with the number of shipyards and munition plants.

In addition to this big shipyard, the port of Philadelphia is virtually assured of several Government drydocks, as a result of the inspection tour made yesterday by members of the port and harbor facilities commission.

"I am greatly impressed with the port facilities of Philadelphia," Edward F. Carr, chairman of the commission, said. "I will say that this port will get the drydocks, although how many or how soon I cannot say."

From this statement shipping interests believe that the number of docks to be constructed will be at least three, as persons interested in bringing the docks here have urged the construction of four, declaring that two would be insufficient to supply the needs.

U. S. HOMES FOR SHIPMEN

Emergency Fleet Corporation Contracts for 600 at Chester

Chester, Pa., June 7.—The Emergency Fleet Corporation has awarded a contract for the building of 600 houses in Chester to Price & Johnson, of this city, according to a telegram received by the firm this evening from Washington.

The buildings and the land involve \$2,000,000. The houses will be occupied by workers at the Sun Shipbuilding Plant.

The houses will be on both sides of Morton avenue, between the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad tracks, near the Delaware River, and the Simpson estate. The houses will be of brick, two stories and six rooms, with "model city" effect.

J. P. Eyre Price, Chester, and W. P. Johnson, Philadelphia, are officials of the corporation receiving the contract. Mr. Price is a son of General W. G. Price, Jr., who in building 105 houses adjoining the Government site.

COMPRESSING CORN SHOCKS

Time and labor is saved in compressing corn shocks by the use of a new tool, described in the Popular Magazine, that consists of a rod and a crank handle. The rod is thrust into the shock after which a rope with a hook at either end is used to draw the bundle of stalks and hooked to the tool.

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BOOKKEEPER—Assistant in office of manufacturing concern; permanent position for capable young lady; state age, experience and salary desired. J. 642, Ledger Central.

BOOKKEEPER and stenographer wanted for auto concern; must be experienced; state salary desired and previous business connection. M. 1346, Ledger Central.

BOOKKEEPER, DOUBLY ENTRY, IN ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT—PUBLIC LEASER COMPANY.

BOOKKEEPER assistant wanted; large mfg. corporation; state age, experience and salary desired. 1441, Ledger Central.

BOOKKEEPER to balance double-entry every month at home; small business; J. 608, Ledger Central.

BOOKKEEPER—Assistant D. E. general office work; state salary and references. P. 908, Ledger Office.

BOOKKEEPER for manufacturing business; center of city; state experience and salary expected. M. 1442, Ledger Central.

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CLERK—Young lady in office of large manufacturing corporation must be neat, accurate and write a good hand; one having experience preferred; state salary expected. P. 804, Ledger Office.

CLERK—Young lady for general office work with knowledge of typewriting; state age, salary and experience. Apply by letter only. Edwin Harrington Son Co., 17th and Callowhill.

CLERK—experienced in general office work on adding machines; must be accurate; state age, experience and salary expected. P. 881, Ledger Office.

CLERK—Several good opportunities for young women between 18 and 25 in different departments of a large national institution; those with adding machine experience preferred; state age, experience and salary expected. P. 881, Ledger Office.

CLERK—Young woman for clerical work in manufacturing concern; excellent opportunity for advancement for those showing ability; state age, experience and salary expected. P. 832, Ledger Office.

CLERK—Young woman for clerical work in manufacturing concern; excellent opportunity for those showing ability; state age, experience, if any, and salary expected. P. 818, Ledger Office.

COMB HANDS: 64; twisters, 112 42; spinners, 211 84; doffers, 216 36. Apply Abaco Mill, Inc., Emerald and Adams sts., 4th floor.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

COMPTON OPERATOR—Must be experienced, principally on multiplication; short hours; good salary. Apply American Stores Co., 4th North st., 4th floor.

COMPTON OPERATOR, experienced; wanted; short hours; good salary; vacation. P. 820, Ledger Office.

COOK, white, experienced, for sea-going. Apply with references, Mrs. H. J. Munster, 1924 Master.

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STENOGRAPHER—fine with some knowledge of bookkeeping. Apply 171 W. Elm high ave.

TEACHING—Those desiring for patriotic reasons to continue teaching are offered employment during vacation at same salary. P. 128, Ledger Office.

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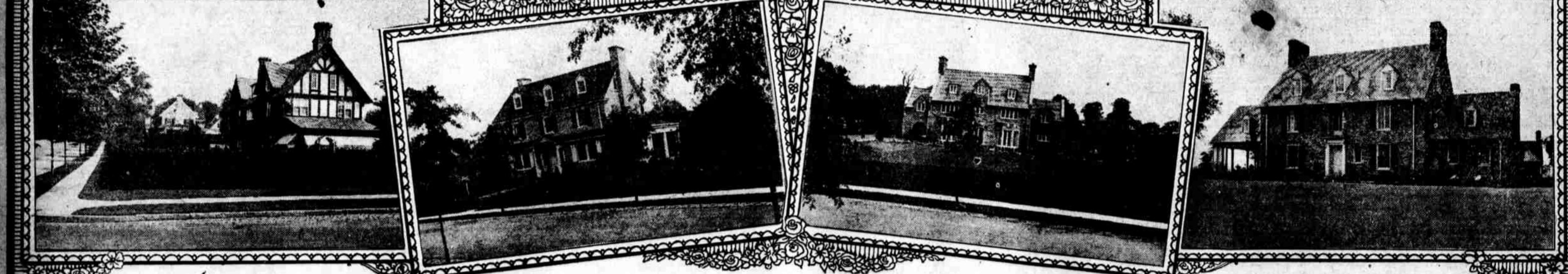
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