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SIMS-DANIELS ROW IS AGAIN REVIVED

Rear Admiral Decker Writes Letters Flaying the Secretary of Navy.

NO WORDS ARE MINCED

Mr. Daniels Cannot be Relied Upon For Veracity—Letter is Published in Service Magazine and Dated June 17th.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, June 26.—The Sims-Daniels row over the navy's conduct in the recent war was revived today with the publication of a letter from Rear Admiral Benton J. Decker, commandant of the 7th naval district in Florida, in which he charged Secretary Daniels in his testimony before the senate investigating committee "of intentionally and deliberately" misrepresenting certain acts of Rear Admiral Sims. Admiral Decker said he had also sent a copy to Secretary Daniels. The admiral declared in his letter that "from my personal knowledge of Mr. Daniels' character I am glad to believe that whatever is cited in his statement to the discredit of officers is so perverted and twisted as to the actual facts false meaning."

Favors Woman Suffrage.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—Governor Roberts of Tennessee in a telegram today to President Wilson said he heartily favored the ratification of the suffrage amendment and would include that subject in a call for a special session of the legislature as his legal department advised him the ratification could be made.

McAdoo is Popular.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 26.—Postmaster General Burleson who arrived here during the night declared he and the entire Texas delegation would vote for the nomination of William McAdoo.

Holding Conferences.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 26.—The democratic national committee charged into the Georgia contest when it met today. Each faction was on the ground and were holding whispered conferences early and making last minute plans for the battle. As this contest is being heard, friends, opponents and all interested in Senator Reed, who claims a seat as delegate from the 5th Missouri district, were also busy lining up their forces.

May Tour Pacific Coast.

NEW YORK, June 26.—The chances of clinching a republican victory in the far west in November would materially be strengthened if the republican national committee would send the candidates on a speaking tour of the Pacific coast states, according to Samuel Platt, prominent Nevada republican who conferred with Will Hays here today.

Reinforcing the Ranks.

CHICAGO, June 26.—W. G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen today began work on an effort to bring back into the brotherhood ranks the 15,000 workers expelled for taking part in the unauthorized strike during the past year.

OREGON WOMAN INJURED.

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 5.—A temporary platform at Broadway auditorium on which were about 100 delegates to the Northern Baptist convention were having their pictures taken, collapsed a few minutes after the close of this morning's session.

Three persons were severely hurt and several others were cut and bruised.

Mrs. Maud Northrup, of McMinnville, Or., suffered a wrenched back. Most of the 3500 delegates had left the building.

The convention today by a unanimous vote condemned propaganda, religious or political, which seeks to induce the government of the United States to meddle with the internal affairs of Great Britain.

SHRINER TRAINS WERE SERVED WITH ROSES

Shriner trains passing through Roseburg up to noon today were served with roses by the committee which has been meeting all trains during the past few days. Several trains went through this morning, practically completing the returning caravans. A great deal of credit is due Mrs. Hamilton and the members of her committee for their excellent work. They gave a great deal of their time and worked almost to the point of exhaustion

CONVENTION NEWS.

(By Associated Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO, June 26.—The Pennsylvania "drys" won a smashing victory in the state convention caucus today, defeating efforts to instruct for a "wet" plank by a vote of 60 to 18.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 26.—Secretary of Agriculture Meredith announced today that he was "not in any sense a candidate" for the democratic nomination for president.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 26.—William Jennings Bryan was unanimously selected as Nebraska's representative on the resolutions committee at the caucus of Nebraska delegates.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 26.—The democratic national committee voted late today to place the Palmer delegates from Georgia on the temporary roll of the national convention.

without remuneration and rendered a priceless service to the community. Roseburg has been advertised from coast to coast in a manner that will leave a lasting impression on the memory of those who went thru the city. The publicity received could not be duplicated by an expenditure of many thousands of dollars and the credit is due largely to the committee working under Mrs. Hamilton, and to N. Rice, who assisted the committee at a great deal of expense and time.

Eugene Census Is Given As 10,593

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, June 26.—The census for Eugene, Oregon, was made public today by the department officials and was quoted at 10,593, an increase of 1854, or 7.6 per cent.

Board Makes No Change In Award

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, June 26.—Except for the adoption of new names, virtually no change has been made by theh Knight board in the original list of recommendations for the award of war service decorations, members of the board said today.

Bucharest to be A Big Center

(By Associated Press.)

BUCHAREST, June 25.—This city will become a huge communication center for south Europe, both for wireless and aviation, if present French plans are carried out. The Marconi company has offered to build a huge wierless station in Rumania, which would handle business from the east as well as local business to the west, but it appears likely that the Rumanians will either continue their own wireless service in connection with the Eifel tower and other stations in France, or else permit the French to establish such a station.

Both British and French firms, backed up by their governments, are attempting to arrange a complete airplane service. The French propose to connect Paris, Vienna, Budapest, Bucharest and Constantinople, in a general way, with branch services including Serbia, Bulgaria and Greece. It is hoped later to extend this service into Russia.

LOCAL NEWS.

C. C. Wamsley and daughter, Emma, left this afternoon for Yoncalla, where they will visit for a few days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. James and two children left this afternoon for Oakland, where they will spend the week end visiting with relatives.

Miss Delia Adams, who has been visiting here with her mother, Mrs. W. J. Jones, left this afternoon for Brooks, Oregon, where she resides.

Mrs. E. J. Welkins, of Winchester, spent this morning in Roseburg shopping and attending to business matters. She returned home on the afternoon train.

Some youngster shooting an airgun in a careless manner yesterday evening put a hole through the window of Judge Stewart's office at the courthouse.

A. A. Bellows yesterday filed a complaint in the recorder's court against The French Transfer company, charging them with blockading Sheridan street near the dispatchers' office with two of their large trucks. The hearing was held at 1 o'clock today but Recorder Whipple made no ruling on the case and will make further investigations before any action is taken.

AVIATORS FORCED FIND NEW FIELD

Flyers From Albany Unable to Locate Hanan Field and Land at Edenbower.

LANDING VERY ROUGH

Say That Landing Field Should be Marked in Order to Prevent Accident to Fast Moving Planes on Way North.

Unable to locate the landing field, R. R. Trask and Welter Cannon, of the Willamette Aerial Transport Co., piloting a standard plane, circled Roseburg for several minutes this morning and then landed in the field immediately west of the Moore timber tract in Edenbower. The markings of the Hanan field could not be seen from the air, they stated, and they were unable to find a suitable place in which to land. The Edenbower field was very rough, but they managed to reach a stop without accident. They have a slow landing plane or otherwise there possibly would have been an accident. They were brought to the city by Howard Calkins of the Roseburg Welding and Brazing Co., and after a short stop for dinner and to refill the gasoline tank they started on their way.

"Every field should be plainly marked," Mr. Trask said. "We have a slow landing plane, having purchased it particularly because of the fact that we will be forced to land on unimproved fields. But there are many other planes, such as the Curtis, DeHaviland and others which land at a much higher rate of speed, and unless landing fields are plainly marked there will probably be a great many accidents.

"While flying there is always the possibility of a forced landing. If there is an aviation field near, clearly marked and easily discernable from the air, there will be no difficulty in reaching the ground safely.

"We came in over your field and could see no marking of any kind on it. I first thought of landing there but knowing that Roseburg had a field, I began looking about for it, but after circling for a long time was unable to find it, but located this other field which I knew was perfectly safe for this plane. Your city should take action at once to place the proper markings on the ground in order that planes may find the field. When we left San Francisco we found that there will be many planes coming north during the next few months and you should make ready for them."

The plane is to be used near Albany for passenger carrying purposes. It is of a type used by the Canadians during the recent war, and is a slow but particularly dependable type of plane.

Many Irrigation Permits Issued

According to the records of Percy A. Cupper, state engineer, between January 1 and June 1, this year, two hundred sixty-three permits to appropriate water, and ten permits to construct reservoirs have been issued. Of this number, thirteen permits have been granted covering the appropriation of water for the development of approximately 9300 horsepower, 198 permits covering the appropriation of water for the irrigation of 41,685 acres of land, and ten permits covering the appropriation of water for mining purposes. The remaining 43 permits cover domestic use, water for stock, municipal, and various other uses.

Under the various permits it is contemplated that approximately 240 miles of canals will be constructed, and the various features of construction work will cost approximately $1,600,000.00.

In Douglas county permits have been issued to Charles V. Slusser, of Myrtle Creek, covering the irrigation of twenty acres of land, with the waters of Myrtle creek.

To David G. Glass, of Pendleton, covering the appropriation of water from South Myrtle creek, for irrigation of 20 acres.

To Douglas C. Ingram, of Portland, covering the appropriation of water from Looking Glass creek for irrigation of 57 acres, at an estimated construction cost amounting to $1500.

To Joseph R. Ritter, of Perdue, covering the appropriation of water from Stouts creek for irrigation of 20 acres.

To W. G. Hoagland, of Reedsport, covering the appropriation of water from an unnamed stream for domestic use.

To J. B. Madoche, of Drew, covering the appropriation of water from Surveyor creek for domestic supply, and irrigation of 40 acres.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Hunter left this afternoon for Oakland, where they will visit with friends and relatives for a few days.

LOSS OF $30,000 WHEN HOTEL BURNS

West Fork Hotel Destroyed by Fire Yesterday—Liberty Bonds Destroyed.

STORE BURNED ALSO

Fanned by Breeze, Fire Quickly Destroys Frame Building in Which Hotel Was Conducted by Mr. and Mrs. Barry

Fire yesterday afternoon destroyed the West Fork hotel and store conducted by Mr. and Mrs. Tim Barry. Liberty bonds to the value of $18,000 were burned together with $2000 in mortgages and securities and the building, its stock and fixtures, bringing the total loss to well over $30,000. The Liberty bonds will very probably be renewed as they were registered at the time of their purchase and new ones will probably be issued by the government. The majority of the mortgages and securities will also probably be duplicated as most of them were registered with the county clerk. It is not known whether or not the hotel, store, and furnishings were covered by insurance.

The fire started in some unknown manner and practically nothing was saved. The hotel contained the long distance telephone station and communication with the place was destroyed.

The building was of wooden construction and burned rapidly, the flames being spread by a high wind. With no fire fighting equipment there was nothing that could be done to save the building and so rapidly did it burn that only a very small amount of the furniture could be removed. The store operated in connection with the hotel contained a large quantity of merchandise and this also was destroyed by the fire.

The West Fork hotel was one of the most popular of such hostelries along the line. It served railroad men, linemen and a great many vacationists. The meals served and the class of service given were of such quality that the hotel and its proprietors became well known thruout the entire state. In the summer time it has been the habit of a great number of people to stay at the hotel for several weeks while hunting or fishing in the West Fork vicinity.

Birthday Party At Camas Valley

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Edmonds, of Camas Valley, entertained with a birthday party Thursday evening, June 24th, in honor of their daughter, Miss Agnes Edmonds, the occasion being the fifteenth anniversary of her birth. A pleasant evening was spent in games and singing and at a late hour a dainty luncheon was served. Those who were present were: Blanche Cox, Cecilia, Ada and Lawrence Denn, Mildred, Eliza, Claude, Allen and Frank Church, Maple, Alberta, Velma, Ted and Harland Wiley, Nellie Dahl, Gerald Lehnerr, Ida Thrush, George and Walter Boren, Lois and Harold Dick, August Robinson, Evelyn Murray, Fred Newman, Marion and Bertha Edmonds, Mrs. J. T. Murray, Mrs. J. P. Denn, Mr. and Mrs. E. Edmonds, Miss Daisy Wilson, Edward Wilson, Lawrence Sharpe, and the guest of honor, Miss Agnes Edmonds.

Word was received here yesterday to the effect that Mrs. L. G. Hilstead, sister of Mrs. Elmer Wimberly of this city, was recently married in Salt Lake City to L. A. Pittman of that place, as they will make their home there. Mrs. Hilstead had visited Mrs. Wimberly in this city on a number of occasions and has many friends here.

PRUNE MARKET OPEN.

The prune market opened all over the state today with packers paying 15 cents, with greater than a quarter drop. This is a higher price than was paid at the opening last year, but it is not expected that the price will go much over 16 cents, owing to the unsettled condition of the market. Buyers have been given a certain limit and will buy only a certain amount of fruit, after which time they will not quote prices. Their purchases at this time will be only enough to cove rtheir actual contracts. The uncertainty of future prices will keep the buying price from soaring very much above its present level. The price is steady throughout the state.

CHRISTIANS WIN FINE BALL GAME

Sixth Inning Blow-up on Part of Baptists Gives Christians Winning Score.

PLAYS ARE THRILLING

Spectators Are Well Satisfied With Contest Staged at Bellows Park by Teams of Twilight League Yesterday Evening.

A great ball game was played at Bellows' field yesterday afternoon between the Christian and Baptist teams. Those who love ball games were well repaid for being present at this one. One who knows the game would have felt he was seeing some professional game except for the sixth inning. The pitchers were Ritzman for the Baptists and Cedarstrom for the Christians. Cedarstrom was hit harder than Ritzman but Ritzman's support was much the poorer. The first two innings were blank for both teams. In the third the Baptists made their two runs. L. McClintock opened it with a beautiful hit. Black flew out to left, and Calhoun to first, then John McClintock hit for two bases, L. McClintock scoring. Singleton also hit a beautiful one, scoring John McClintock, and Singleton took second on the throw in. Ritzman ended the inning. That was all for the Baptists. They never had another good chance to score.

The Christians made their first run in the fourth. Cedarstrom had a life on an error. Althaus came to bat. Cedarstrom started for second, and made it and kept right on to third. Reibel struck out and Black missed the third strike and was compelled to throw to first, and Cedarstrom rushed across with a run. The Christians made two more in the sixth. Ritzman had a slow dewdrop that he mixed with his fast ones, and he fooled many of the batters with it, but when he fed one to Cedarstrom in this inning, the Christian batter rode it to center field for a hit. The center fielder must have thought it was a hand ball, for he cuffed it around a few, tried to pick it, but had butter fingers, and Cedar went on to second. Althaus sacrificed. Instead of playing safe and getting his putout at first, the pitcher tried to get Cedar at third, and failed, thus giving Althaus a life at first, and having none out. Althaus stole second. Reibel went out from the pitcher to first, then Busch hit to second. The baseman let the ball get away from him, and Cedarstrom brought over the tying run, and Althaus went to third. Perry hit to Singleton, who got the ball in his hands, then looked at it, and kissed it and told it how much he loved it, and in the meantime Althaus scored, and all hands were safe. Henry hit to short, and another fumble filled the bases. There was a beautiful chance for more scores, but Ritzman tightened and struck out the next two men. The Baptists went out one, two, three in the seventh, and the game ended three to two, favoring the Christians, giving them five wins, and only one loss. The next scheduled game is next Tuesday. The standing of teams is now as follows:

Team	Won	Lost	Per ct.
Christians	5	1	.833
Presbyterians	3	3	.500
Baptists	1	5	.166

Excellent Service Given Shriners

A. L. Kruger, Southern Pacific dining car inspector, was in the city yesterday and part of today looking after the interests of the company in serving the great throng of Shriners returning to their homes from the Portland convention. In all Mr. Kruger had supervision over thirty-six dining cars and judging from the favorable comment expressed by the hundreds of travelers this gentleman had not been neglectful of his duty in any single particular in giving the best possible service to the company's patrons. It is no small task to carry out a program to serve the traveling public with perfect satisfaction to the "inner man," but Mr. Kruger seems to have the faculty of "getting around the job" in a way that is pleasing to all concerned, as was fully demonstrated by his efforts the past week in handling these people attending the Shriners' convention.

SAYS SHOW IS FINE.

Roy Durbin, a former resident of Roseburg who is now located at Klamath Falls, has written to the News-Review and has the following to say concerning the musical comedy show to be presented at the Antler's theater next Tuesday: "Bert Southern's 'Hen-Pecked Henry' show is all right. You birds that want good singing and dancing along with a good comedy come out and support this show. They have showed here two nights and have had record breaking crowds each night. It is a nice, clean company and anyone caring for this kind of a show will sure enjoy it."

ROLL NEARS COMPLETION.

(By Associated Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO, June 26.—Completion of the temporary roll of the democratic convention is in sight today when the national committee resumed consideration of the credentials with the Georgia contest before it and Senator Reed's effort to gain a seat with the Missouri delegation also to be passed on. The influx of delegations which began yesterday cointinued and added hourly to the physical and conversational congestion in the hotel lobbies.

Senator Harding Takes a Vacation

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, June 26.—Senator Warren Harding left Washington for an unannounced destination today. He plans to be away until Tuesday. It was said that his destination would not be disclosed, as the senator wanted to get a much-needed rest.

Shriners Forced to Pay Double Price

Attempts to hold up Shriners with exhorbitant prices for articles purchased from a front street confectionery, were brought to a halt yesterday afternoon by Sheriff Quine, who threatened to bring a profiteering charge unless the increased prices weer reduced. A sandwich and a cup of coffee were sold at 30 cents. A piece of pie and cup of coffee at 25 cents. Apricots 25 cents a dozen. A local railroad employe went to the place for a piece of pie and cup of coffee and was charged 25 cents. The day before he had paid only 15 cents and consequently he made an objection. When it was learned that he knew the regular prices a hurried apology was made and he was given back the difference. He reported the affair and an investigation disclosed that Shriners were being charged double prices. Sheriff Quine immediately warned those in charge of the place to either reduce their prices to normal or face a profiteering charge. The prices were cut.

Turner Gets Seat In Dem. Convention

AUDITORIUM, San Francisco, June 25.—The democratic national committee today decided to postpone consideration of the Georgia and Missouri contests until tomorrow morning, after clearing away all the preliminaries for the opening of the national convention next Monday. It was the plan of some of the leaders to have the contests heard by sub-committees.

The committee decided to seat R. R. Turner as a delegate-at-large from Oregon, who had been named by the state committee to fill a vacancy caused by death. John L. Schuyleman had protested against the seating of Turner. Turner was selected as delegate-at-large by the Oregon state committee to fill the vacancy caused by the death of G. T. Baldwin. Schuyleman appeared before the committee and argued that he should fill the vacancy on the ground that he received the fifth highest vote in the race for the four places as delegates at large. Schuyleman announced he would carry his case to the credentials committee.

Schuyleman in his protest sets forth that he had received 10,459 votes in the state-wide primaries but that, notwithstanding this fact, 13 members of the Oregon democratic state central committee had met and filled the vacancy by naming R. R. Turner, a federal office holder of Roseburg. The animus of the committee's action, he declared, was opposition to president Wilson, of whom he had been a loyal supporter.

An editorial appearing in the Oregonian on June 21 was cited in support of his case. The charge that he had been a socialist was answered with the statement that he had voted the democratic ticket for the last 24 years and that he had never voted the socialist ticket. Mr. Schuyleman said further:

"Permit me to say that no individual group or party has a monopoly on democracy. Democracy is a principle and is as impossible of monopolization as the multiplication table."

CALKINS SUBMITS ANNUAL REPORT

Number of Acres In Various Crops Show In Detailed Summary By Assessor.

PRUNES LEAD FRUITS

Thousands of Acres of Non-Bearing Orchard Makes the Future of the Prune Outlook Very Bright for Douglas County.

The agricultural report of County Assessor Frank L. Calkins shows a number of very interesting facts. Farmers planting grain appear to favor oats, as more is grown than both spring and winter varieties of wheat. Considerable corn is being grown also, a marked increase over former years being shown. The activities of corn growers in advertising their product with corn shows and publicity directed toward the obtaining and planting of better seed are probably responsible for the increase. For fruit, prunes top apples by about 200 acres. There are only 80 acres more of bearing orchard than non-bearing, showing the future outlook of the prune industry to be very good. The complete report follows:

Number of farms	1733
Total acreage in farms	419,374
Crops—	Acres
Winter wheat	9480¾
Spring wheat	4817½
Oats	14,368¾
Barley	1737
Rye	396½
Corn	4764¾
Clover	885½
Alfalfa	1033¼
Wild or marsh hay	502
Other hay crops	17,004
Potatoes	706
Other root crops	55
Field peas	47
Field beans	69
Hops (old acreage)	75
Hops (new acreage)	69
Other crops	33,699½
Bearing apple trees	2755
Non-bearing	2651½
Bearing cherry trees	137
Non-bearing	18¾
Bearing pear trees	596¼
Non-bearing	131½
Bearing peach trees	208¼
Non-bearing	3½
Bearing prune trees	2984
Non-bearing	2903½
Bearing walnut trees	85
Non-bearing	24¾
Loganberries	118½
Blackberries and raspberries	8½
Strawberries	36¼
Other fruits and nuts, bearing	157¾
Non-bearing	13½

Outgoing Aliens Leave Large Sums

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, June 25.—Between nine and ten millions of dollars have been gathered from outgoing aliens who were too modest to declare the full amount of their earnings for income tax payments and many thousands more are being collected from delinquent aliens who boast of their ample incomes to immigration inspectors to convince those officials that they can easily care for incoming dependents, according to a statement made public here by Colonel Daniel L. Porter, supervising internal revenue agent of the federal income tax collecting service.

Forty-five agents have been kept busy at the piers and elsewhere in the city collecting the millions from outgoing aliens. A small squad in a bureau established close by the Courts of Special Inquiry at the Ellis Island station, lend attractive ears to the beasts of the aliens.

For the months of February, March and April the reports show that more than $30,000 was collected at Ellis Island from alien tax dodgers, while three times that amount was traced to other localities and the collectors were notified. The reports for May are not yet filed, yet the amount collected is said to have increased with the increasing flow of immigration.

BASEBALL AT CANYONVILLE.

There will be a baseball game at Canyonville Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock between Yoncalla and Canyonville teams. This promises to be a good, fast game. Both teams are practicing hard for this battle. Canyonville has not been beaten this year, so you may expect a good game.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Houston left this afternoon for Albany to spend a short time visiting and attending to business matters.

A demurrer was filed by the A. Rupert company to the case brought against it by Leona E. Abraham. The demurrer claims that the evidence is not sufficient to constitute a cause of action.