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DRAFT LAW EVADER IS VOLUNTARY PRISONER

PORTLAND, July 28.—Living on deer and bear meat, wild honey and huckleberries for three years, and with only half a dozen shells of ammunition remaining, Alfred Patti, draft evader, could stand the solitude of the Siskiyou mountains no longer. He surrendered to the sheriff of Jackson county and in Portland today told his story to Charles Roames, assistant United States attorney.

With his brother, Charles, Alfred Patti disappeared in the mountains after filling his questionnaire in 1917. Since then Alfred has led the life of a nomad, and when he separated from Charles last fall, he became a wandering hermit until the very sound of his own voice scared him. Alfred has no idea where Charles has gone. Their miserable existence palled on Charles more quickly than on Alfred.

"We didn't want to kill anyone," explained Alfred in giving his story today. "We were brought up to believe that killing isn't right, so rather than go to war and kill people, we preferred to hide out in the mountains. It has been a terrible experience. The army would have been heaven compared to it. No one told us that because of our conscientious objections to killing that we could have been assigned to non-combatant service."

REPUBLICANS PLAN ACTIVE FIGHT ON NON-PARTISAN LEAGUE

SEATTLE, July 28.—Plans for an active fight by the republican party against the activities of the national non-partisan league in the rural districts of Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Montana were announced here today by Charles R. Forbes, Senator Harding's campaign manager in the Pacific northwest.

Mr. Forbes predicted that efforts of elements representative of organized labor, farmers and railway workers to capture the republican primaries in this state as planned at a conference at Yakima last week will fail.

Disabled Soldiers Combat Removal

SARANAC LAKE, N. Y., July 27.—Two hundred disabled soldiers undergoing treatment at the Home sanitarium here for tuberculosis contracted while in service, today are on strike against the United States public health service.

This action was taken upon receipt here of an order from the New York office of the health service directing that all disabled men be transferred to service sanitariums in other sections of the country.

The former soldiers have formed an organization to combat the proposed move.

SON CONFESSES TO MURDERING MOTHER, FATHER WAS HANGED

TORONTO, Ont., July 24.—A confessed murderer of his mother—a crime for which his father was hanged seven years ago—Arnold Love, 22 years old, a Ceylon, Ont., farmer, lies in jail here today.

During evangelistic services in his home town, Love went forward and declared to the evangelist that he had clubbed his mother to death because she had reprimanded him for "keeping bad company."

Young Love was one of the principal witnesses against his father, Henry Love, who was convicted by a jury and hanged at Owen Sound, Ont., for the crime.

While the evidence against him had been mostly circumstantial, on the scaffold the father made what was believed to be a confession of his guilt.

The son grew up into manhood, a prosperous farmer and the tragedy of his life was apparently buried until he attended the evangelistic service. He told the evangelist that when his mother reprimanded him, he was angered and killed her with a stick of wood and hid the body in the cellar. On advice of the evangelist, Love gave himself up to the police, who are investigating his story.

COUNTY FAIR AT CANBY TO BE BIG SHOW

"From the present indications," states David Long, secretary of the Clackamas County Fair Association, "there never has been a greater demand for space in the big pavilion for exhibits than for the coming fair, which will be held September 20, 21, 22 and 23."

Among those to exhibit this year will be the *Morning Enterprise*. This is the first time this publication has had an exhibit. A number of years ago, at a number of former establishments has been engaged. Hal Hess, who has charge of the circulation department, will be one of the most attractive in the line. The Carlton & Rosekrans company of Canby has also engaged a regular space, and will have one of its attractive displays. From all indications there will be a better showing made by Canby than any previous year, although Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kaupisch, of that place, have always done their share towards having that place before the public with fine products.

There are more prizes offered for the poultry this year than any year heretofore, and already five trophy cups have been donated to be awarded in this department.

The livestock department is to be one of the big attractions this year. Among those to enter pure-blooded stock will be Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes, when some of their famous Guernseys from Red Wing Farm at Redland, Clackamas county, will be exhibited. They have 22 as fine Guernseys now on their farm as can be found in the Northwest. Following the Clackamas county fair they will take their stock to the state fair.

Ensign Gribble will be the superintendent of the livestock department, and the first prizes for the Guernseys, Ayrshires, Holsteins, Shortorns, Herefords will be \$8, and the second \$4, while the prize for the best heifer under one year will be \$5 and the second prize, \$2. A prize of \$15 will be given for the best four animals, either sex, any age, not of one breed. These must be registered.

Andrew Kocher is to be superintendent of the poultry department, and Ben F. Keeney will be judge.

A. B. Newell will be superintendent of the horticultural department. Edj the Toster Weathered, who had charge of the Oswego range exhibit last year, has been engaged as superintendent of the range exhibits this year. Among the grapes that have signified intention of exhibiting this year is that of Oswego. Last year it was awarded first place, and it is probable that one of the old standbys, Warner Grange, that has seldom missed a fair, will be there with its full exhibit of grains, fruits, berries and everything that goes to make a fine display.

A prize of \$75 is offered to the improvement club or neighborhood organization having the best exhibit of vegetables, grains, shells and in the shelves, fruit and dried fruits, canned fruits, dairy products and household products. The second prize is \$50 and the third prize is \$25. Hazel won first prize last year, and also later again this year.

A prize of \$30 is offered for the most unique booth and the second prize is \$10.

Various prizes will be offered in all of the departments, including the floral department, needlework, domestic science, agricultural, and dairying.

Among the special features for this year's fair will be the juvenile display on the second floor, when Brenton Vedder and Miss Snedeker will have charge. September 22 is scheduled for juvenile day and a special program will be given.

Monday, the first day of the fair, will be agriculture, dairymen's and Canby day. Among the features for that day will be a demonstration of milk and cream testing. There will also be a general lecture on dairying. At 1 o'clock an automobile parade and ball game will be among the attractions. From 7 to 8 p. m. a band concert will be given.

Wednesday, September 22, will be Mollala, Juvenile and Farmers' day. At 10 A. M. the stock parade will take place, and a band concert to take place in the evening.

Thursday, the last day of the fair, has been set aside for Grange Day, and a special program is being arranged. At 11 o'clock there will be a stock parade, and band concert in the evening, with other attractions to be announced later to take place in the afternoon.

There will be horse races each day of the fair, these to take place in the afternoon and will be in charge of Ed Fortune, who has had charge of the races for several years at the fair.

TRAFFIC VIOLATOR FINED

Arthur Thayer, of Clatskanie, was fined \$1 by Judge Loder Wednesday for turning at the intersection of Seventh and Main streets.

BIBLE SCHOOL TO BE HELD FOR MONTH AT GLADSTONE PARK

Under the auspices of the Moody Bible Institute, of Chicago, a summer Bible school will open at Chautauqua park at Gladstone immediately after the close of the Chautauqua program. The speakers at the school, which is open to anyone free of charge, have been selected from some of the leading churches of the coast and from the Chicago office of the institute.

Dr. W. P. White, of Albany, regional director of the Pacific coast extension department of the Moody institute, is in charge of all arrangements. Camping privileges in the park will be given those attending the school through the courtesy of the Chautauqua management. Tents will be rented by the association for the entire month at a nominal sum.

Among the speakers who have been engaged for the summer school are Lewis Sperry Chaffer, author and teacher; Dr. George E. Gulle, of the Moody institute; Dr. B. B. Sutcliffe, of the institute; Dr. W. B. Hinson, pastor of the White Temple Baptist church of Portland; and Dr. W. P. White, of Albany. The institute is also announcing the lecture by Billy Sunday on Sunday afternoon, July 25, and by Dr. W. B. Hinson, Sunday evening, in the Chautauqua auditorium, as part of the summer school. The sessions of the Bible school will continue until August 22.

The advisory committee consists of Judge Wallace McCamant, Dr. H. A. Andrews, C. E. Sox, Samuel Lancaster, Henry Kirk, L. E. Hamilton, J. D. Mickle, Harvey Cross, E. B. Clark, W. P. Elmore, Paul B. Wallace, C. A. Park, D. W. Wakefield, Dr. G. B. Pratt, B. L. Hageman.

Mexico Commanded To Release U. S. Man

WASHINGTON, July 28.—Representations of "an urgent nature" have been made to the Mexican government through the American embassy at Mexico City for release of Carl Haeglin, the state department announced today. Haeglin, an American citizen, is being held prisoner by Francisco Villa.

APPEAL IS MADE BY RAILWAY MEN FOR THOMAS MOONEY

WASHINGTON, July 28.—An appeal in behalf of Thomas J. Mooney and Warren K. Billings, convicted in San Francisco in connection with the preparedness parade bomb explosion in 1916, was presented to the White House today by a committee representing the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electrical Railway Employees of America. John B. Mooney of San Francisco, a brother of Thomas J. Mooney, headed the committee.

A memorandum left with Secretary Tammily for presentation to the president said the convention of the association had instructed the committee to "bring this case to your attention and to appeal to you to do all within your power to see that wrongs that have been done to these men are righted and justice given them."

MARINES TO PROTECT AMERICAN RESIDENTS IN CHINA WAR ZONE

WASHINGTON, July 23.—Apprehension as to the safety of foreigners in China, resulting from fighting between the two factions, was lessened today by advice of the state department from American legation at Peking.

General Wang, commanding forces in Peking, the advice said, had taken measures to protect Americans and other foreigners, while reports to the legation from Tien Tsin and other points in the zone of activities indicate a disposition by all leaders to respect foreign colonies.

There are in the capital and at Tien Tsin approximately 600 American civilians. The reinforced American military strength in Peking is 425 marines, which, added to the combined allied forces, including that of Japan, will, it is believed, be sufficient to reduce disorder. It is assumed that the only danger foreigners might incur would be due to their wandering beyond the boundaries of the foreign concessions and then only at the hands of scattered groups.

It was explained unofficially today that action by any of the powers represented is unlikely so long as the factions confine themselves to operations that do not endanger foreigners and that leave open the road from Peking through Tien Tsin to the coast. The greater part of the foreign military forces, including that of the United States, is now patrolling that route.

Pacific Coast Jumper Who Bettered His Own Record in the Olympic Tryouts



Portland, Ore., will be represented in the Olympic Games at Antwerp by John Murphy of the Multnomah A. C. In the final tryouts held at the Harvard Stadium, Cambridge, Mass., he bettered his own high jump record, made last year. To win then he jumped 6 feet 3 1/2 inches. This year he cleared the cross bar when it stood at 6 feet 4 1/4 inches.

OUTLAW VILLA GIVES SELF UP TO GOVERNMENT

Eagle Pass, Texas, July 28.—Francisco Villa has surrendered unconditionally to the provisional government of Mexico. It was reported here today.

After a conference this morning with General Eugenio Martinez, commander of the northern district, Villa surrendered. It was said.

Carl Haeglin, the American who was made prisoner when Villa took Sabinas and held for ransom, has been released, the report said.

MEXICO CITY, July 28.—Arrangements for his surrender having been completed, Francisco Villa, the bandit, is expected to come to Mexico City soon and later settle down to a quiet life as a rancher.

General Eugenio Martinez, commander of the northern forces, has arrived at Sabinas to superintend the surrender of the Villistas. It is understood that no more than 600, will lay down their arms, under immunity, the details of which will be decided by Villa and Martinez.

FARMER-LABOR MAN WAITING ON COX FOR HELP IN DEBS CASE

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, July 28.—Plans looking to the release of Eugene V. Debs from prison are being held in abeyance pending word from Governor Cox, Democratic nominee for president, as to whether he will cooperate in them. Parley P. Christensen, Farmer-Labor nominee for president, informed the governor in a telegram today. The telegram asked for an early reply to one sent by Mr. Christensen from Denver last week, wherein he asked the nominee of the Democratic and Republican parties to join him in pressing for Debs' release.

Russian Colonists May Locate Here

EUGENE, July 24.—Representatives of a Russian colony in Calgary, Canada, have been in Eugene looking over the territory with a view to securing tracts of farming lands. They state that if they can secure the sort of property wanted they may pave the way for the coming of a large number of Russians from the northern section. They speak with the highest appreciation of the Willamette valley and its resources.

REPORT OF SCHOOLS FOR YEAR SHOWS LARGE ATTENDANCE

According to the school report of the superintendent's office for the past year there were 7592 children in school out of a total 11,531 in the county between the ages of 3 and 20 years. The increase in the salaries paid teachers in 1920 over the previous years' salaries was from \$12 to \$14 per person. In the year just completed the average for the men teachers was \$119.55, in contrast to the \$98.79 of the year before, and the average salary for the women instructors was \$96.21, over the \$72.24 of the 1919-20 year. The enrollment showed an increase of 526 students in 1919-20, the total for the previous year having been 7066. One of the best attendance records in years was made this past year, the percentage having been 94 per cent. The report shows 46 men and 302 women teachers in the 142 districts of the county, the total of 348 being an increase of 15 teachers over the previous year. The number of students completing the eighth grade in the Oregon City schools was boys, 33; girls, 27; total, 60; and in the county, boys, 342; girls, 279; total, 621. Enrolled in the high schools were 277 boys and 544 girls. The total number of students in high schools exceeded the number of the previous year by 113. The superintendent reports \$26,838.83 on hand at the end of the year, receipts having \$18,325.56 and disbursements, \$18,646.73. Two new school houses were built during the year, bringing the total number of buildings in the county to 151. Four private schools have an enrollment of 387 pupils with 26 teachers. Library books in the county schools total 36,427 volumes.

Tacoma Car Fares Are Given Boost

OLYMPIA, Wash., July 27.—The public service commission today authorized for a period of six months the establishment of 10-cent car fare by the street railway companies of Tacoma. The order provides for the sale of commutation books of not less than 25 tickets for \$2, or 3 cents a ride. The new tariff is effective July 28.

Upon the condition that the city relieve the company of franchise obligations requiring payment of a percentage of gross revenues to the city and requiring free rides for city officers and employees and also relieve the company of a large part of franchise requirements in regard to paving between tracks, the commission orders the street car companies to file a supplemental tariff providing for the sale of commutation books of 15 tickets for \$1, or 6 2/3 cents each.

SEATTLE OFFICERS ON LOOKOUT FOR GROVER C. BERGDOLL

SEATTLE, July 28.—Agents of the department of justice are today searching Seattle, Bellingham and vicinity for Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, draft evader, who escaped from military guards at Philadelphia on May 21 last.

According to information given out at the Seattle office of the department of justice, Judge W. B. Douglas, of St. Paul, Minn., former attorney general of Minnesota, furnished the clue on which the bureau officers are working.

Judge Douglas, who arrived in Seattle Monday evening, told the officers of a man answering Bergdoll's description exactly who occupied a berth opposite that of the judge.

The man was extremely nervous, said the judge. He changed clothes three times on the journey from Spokane to Seattle and wore glasses, which he removed when he wanted to see anything. Judge Douglas positively identified photographs of Bergdoll as those of his fellow passenger.

Navy Seizes Oil At San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—Six United States destroyers drew up at the loading plant of the Associated Oil company in this city today with orders to commandeer the plant and seize 150,000 gallons of fuel oil for their own use following a contest over the price of the fuel between the navy and the company. It was reported that the demands of the navy were not resisted and that loading started immediately.

The navy was taking the oil at its own price, of \$1.73 a barrel, navy authorities announced. The oil company was notified that it may resort to the court if it wishes to get its own price, which ranges around \$2.

The commanders of the destroyers were ordered to use all means within the power of the navy to secure the oil and two of the war vessels which were in the van berthed at the company's wharf. After a brief parley the company connects the vessels up with its tanks.

The destroyers expected to depart for Astoria tonight with full tanks.

SOUTH ROUTE OF MT. HOOD LOOP LIKELY CHOICE

(Portland Oregonian)

It is almost a certainty that the state highway commission will select a location for the Mount Hood loop road, between Gresham and Zigzag, on the south side of the Sandy river.

If the commission desired chiefly a scenic road, the route would most likely be on the north side of the river, where the Portland city commission has petitioned that it be placed. People who have traversed the north and south sides usually agree that there is a more wonderful vista on the north side, and that along the north side there are innumerable ideal spots for outings. However, the state highway commission is looking for more than scenery, for in Oregon it is practically impossible to build a road in any section without its being more or less of a scenic highway.

Scenery is not confined to the Columbia highway, the Mount Hood loop or Mackenzie pass. There is some magnificent scenery on the Pacific highway; the Grants Pass-Crescent City road; the Coast highway, the Roseburg-Coos Bay highway and in fact, scenery will be found on all sides.

On the south side of the Sandy river there is a rich agricultural district whose possibilities can scarcely be realized. Into the Mount Hood road on the south side there flows the traffic and produce of a large section of Clackamas county. If located on the north side the Mount Hood road would not be so convenient and this traffic and produce would have to find another means of trickling into Portland.

One of the main points the members of the state highway commission constantly in mind when selecting a road is how it will serve the people. The location which will be of most general benefit has the favor of the commission. Thus, as the south side has scenery and, furthermore, will be of superior benefit to the producers, the odds are that the location will be on the south side.

There may be no decision for some weeks, however. Commissioner Booth plans, next month, to go out on the tentative route selected by the forestry people through the national forest. Commissioners Benson and Kiddle are expected to go to Government camp or farther in the near future, although both these commissioners have been over the ground before.

In a general way, there is an impression that the state highway commission will make the location from Gresham to Zigzag, or from the Multnomah county line to Zigzag. It is within the range of possibility, nevertheless, that the commission may make the location starting from Sandy to Zigzag. There is a good road from Gresham to Sandy, in fact a couple of them. By starting at Sandy and going toward the mountain considerable mileage would be saved in building a road.

The present road from Sandy through Firwood, Cherryville and Brightwood is at this time in bad shape. There is no rougher road in Oregon, for it is a succession of chuckholes. Much of this distance was planked a year ago, but during the winter heavy trucks were run over the road, smashing the planking to kindling or knocking the boards loose. Now traffic must skirt along in the chuckholes at the edge of the planking and the driver must be in low or intermediate gear most of the time, which is a serious matter in these days of gasoline shortage.

Engineer Scott, who made a survey for the state highway commission, has followed the present road as a rule, but has avoided the heavy grades which develop here and there. The city commission now wants the highway commission to make another survey on the north side before arriving at a decision.

Whether the highway commission will go to the expense of the second survey is not known, but the sentiment of the commissioners, as informally expressed, is that they lean toward the south side, for obvious reasons.

Even though the commission decides on a location this year, the season is so far advanced that no work can be performed this year, even if the contract were let.

Little by little the Mount Hood loop is being gouged into being. The Zigzag-Government Camp section is approaching completion and now the forestry people are planning to award a contract within a few weeks for six miles within the national forest on the Hood River side. The state highway commission has agreed to pay for building a mile and a half in Hood River county which will connect with the six miles in the preserve. This work will be let by the forestry people.

The mile and a half which the state is to pay for, and the state expects Hood River county to share the cost, will be the most heavy construction on the loop. The mile and a half will be one of the most costly pieces of work in the state, but until this short stretch is graded, no work can be done on the adjoining six miles in the reserve.

TIL TAYLOR IS KILLED WHEN SIX BREAK JAIL

PENDLETON, Or., July 25.—T. D. Taylor, sheriff of Umatilla county, was shot through the breast and fatally wounded here this afternoon when six of seven prisoners confined in the county jail made their escape. Sheriff Taylor died at 6:10 P. M., four hours later.

Poses were formed immediately at Pendleton and at nearby points and towns and took up the trail of the outlaws.

One prisoner, Robert Jeffries, remained in the jail and took no part in the break.

The prisoners who escaped were: Neil Hart, Indian, aged 23, held in jail after a duel with Taylor and Deputy Sheriff Maria in the hills near Reith last week, and who faced charges of grand larceny and attempt to kill; Jim Owens, Indian, aged 29, caught with Hart; Jack Rathie, 22 years old, held on robbery charge; Albert Lindgren, alleged check raiser; Richard Patterson and Lewis Anderson, held on a bad-check charge. All of them were awaiting grand jury action.

The prisoners first overpowered Jake Marin, a deputy sheriff, who had entered the cell to carry them their dinner. The break was made at 1:55 P. M.

Then, led by Hart, the Indian, the prisoners made their way to the sheriff's office and began a search for guns and ammunition.

Hart evidently obtained a rifle which he loaded and, accompanied by two of the other prisoners, left Taylor's office.

Taylor and Guy Wyrick, a friend, were just entering the sheriff's office when they saw Owens and Patterson rammaging the drawers in the search for ammunition. They rushed the prisoners and Taylor threw Owens down. Wyrick overpowered Patterson.

Then Hart entered the office with the loaded rifle and shot Taylor.

PENDLETON, July 27.—Neal, who killed Sheriff T. D. Taylor Sunday, was seen in an automobile with four other men on the Nolin hill road, twelve miles west of here, at noon today, according to a telephone message reaching Pendleton. The man who telephoned said Hart was carrying crutches.

"Let's kill this guy," he shouted as the machine passed, the man said. The machine, a six-cylinder touring car, was traveling at top speed.

No posse is out in that direction, a fact lending credit to the report.

MASKED MAN TRIES HOLDUP WEDNESDAY AT WEST LINN INN

A masked man appeared at the Crown Willamette Inn at West Linn Wednesday morning at 3:30 o'clock, and after knocking the watchman, Charles Clancy, out, hastened into the lobby of the hotel and as he was starting toward the money drawer of the office, he spied the clerk, J. F. Murphy, who was just leaving the kitchen to enter the office. Murphy seeing the masked man, lost no time in asking him what he wanted, nor did he take a gun after him, but instead hastened through a rear door into the basement and over the suspension bridge looking for a night officer. Night Officer Surtus accompanied Murphy to West Linn, where an effort was made to find the man with the flour sack mask, but he was probably frightened away, and had made his disappearance by the time Murphy and Surtus returned. The money drawer was not disturbed.

Wm. Vanderbilt Passes in Paris

PARIS, July 23.—William K. Vanderbilt, the American financier, died here today. He had been suffering from heart disease and complications. Mr. Vanderbilt was the eldest surviving member of the Vanderbilt family. He celebrated his 70th birthday December 12 last. His only daughter, Consuelo, married the duke of Marlborough in 1895.

Mr. Vanderbilt's death occurred at 6 o'clock this evening. At the bedside were his wife, his daughter, the duchess of Marlborough; his two sons, William K. Jr., and Harold and Dr. Edmund Gros, the family physician in Paris.

The funeral will be held Monday next from the American church. The body later will be taken to the United States.