

## SALVATION ARMY CONGRESS OPENS

**MORE THAN 4,000 DELEGATES FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD ASSEMBLED IN LONDON—AMERICA HAS GREAT REPRESENTATION—INCLUDES CHINESE.**

(Journal Special Service.) London, June 24.—It seldom falls to the lot of man to see such a bountiful harvest spring from the seed he has sown as is afforded in the case of Gen. William Booth and the Salvation Army, the world-wide organization of which he was the founder and is still the active head. Today 3,000 of his subordinates, assembled from every part of the world, were given an official and cordial welcome in the same city where 40 years ago his handful of humble followers were hooted and derided, and even stoned by the street crowds.

The international congress of the Salvation Army, for which preparations have been making for more than a year, was formally opened today in a mammoth hall on the Strand, especially erected for the occasion and capable of seating nearly twice the number of people that any other available building in the metropolis will hold. When the venerable founder of the army called the gathering to order and delivered his opening address he faced an audience the like of which has never been seen before in any part of the world. The hall was packed with nearly 10,000 men and women, all of them clad in the familiar blue uniforms of the Salvation Army. About half the number were officers and workers of the organizations in Great Britain. The other half represented the foreign divisions of the army. The world-wide scope of the organization and its work is strikingly illustrated by the fact that the delegates present spoke among them no less than 32 different languages. The countries represented included France, China, Japan, Canada, South Africa, India, Australia, Russia, Switzerland, Germany and the United States.

**Big American Delegation.**

By far the largest delegation from abroad was that of the United States. The delegation from that country numbered 600 men and women, and was in charge of Commander Booth-Tucker. It was not only the largest delegation numerically, but was also the most picturesque and widely representative of the work of the Salvation Army. To represent the different phases of the army's work on the other side of the Atlantic, the American delegation included a Chinese brigade from California, a tail of those who work among the mountains of Kentucky, a Mexican brigade, a Hawaiian brigade, and a brigade of colored people from the south.

The international congress began today will continue for a fortnight. For eight days conferences will take place, and General Booth will, it is arranged, deliver speeches which will average five hours' length each day. Three days more will be devoted to public meetings both in the congress hall and in all parts of the metropolis, and the congress will be brought to a grand finale by a huge gala day at the Crystal Palace.

**Schedule of Steamer T. J. Potter.**

The steamer T. J. Potter will leave Portland, Ash street dock, for Astoria and Ilwaco as follows:

June 25, Saturday, 1:00 p. m.  
June 26, Sunday, 9:00 a. m.  
June 27, Monday, 9:00 a. m.  
June 28, Tuesday, 9:00 a. m.  
June 29, Wednesday, 9:00 a. m.  
June 30, Thursday, 9:00 a. m.  
July 1, Friday, 9:00 a. m.  
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From the latest photographs of the two Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt's, junior and senior, who have just ended the feud that existed between the elder Vanderbilt and his son and the younger Mrs. Vanderbilt—on the right—ever since he married against the wishes of his parents. The reconciliation of the two women took place in a London hotel and was witnessed by Princess Hatfield and the Duchess of Roxburghe.

## CONFERENCE OF UNITED BRETHREN

**SIXTEENTH ANNUAL SESSION CONVENES IN U. B. CHURCH AT FELLOWSHIP—BISHOP CASTLE PRESIDES—DEVOTIONAL SERVICES OF SONG AND PRAYER.**

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Philomath, Or., June 24.—The sixteenth annual session of the Oregon conference of the United Brethren in Christ convened in the U. B. church at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, with Bishop Castle in the chair. After a brief devotional service, consisting of song and prayer, Bishop Castle gave the first of a series of expositions on Eph. 3:15-21. His theme for the morning was "The Abiding Life." He emphasized the need of more

power in pulpit and pew. It is a rare treat to be permitted to listen to the bishop. His wide travels, his broad experience, coupled with his deep spiritual insight, make him at once a most entertaining and instructive speaker.

At 9 o'clock in the morning the business of the conference was begun. The secretary being absent, Rev. G. E. McDonald of Eugene was elected to that position. Reports were called for and the remainder of the forenoon was devoted to the giving of these reports. During the morning session Revs. Hornschuch, Maurer and Crooks of the Evangelical church were formally introduced to the conference and some other visiting brethren were admitted to advisory seats.

Rev. Barton of Everett, Wash., led the devotional service at the opening of the afternoon session. Following this, reports were again taken up. About 22 fields of labor reported. A very large majority of reports showed increase along nearly every line. Several reports were received with hearty applause. The conference is fortunate in having Rev. Rossman from The Dalles to conduct the song service.

On each Friday and Saturday morning Bishop Castle will continue his expositions on Eph. 3. Everyone invited to these services. Rev. J. S. Rhodes of Tillamook preached the evening sermon.

## OREGON CHRISTIAN MINISTERS' MEETING

**IDEAL WEATHER AND LARGE ATTENDANCE MARKS SECOND DAY SESSION OF MISSIONARY CONVENTION AT TURNER—W. F. RICHARDSON PREACHES.**

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Turner, Or., June 24.—The Oregon Christian missionary convention now in session here, began its second day's labors at 8:30 o'clock this morning with devotional exercises led by G. S. O. Humbert of Eugene, after which George C. Ritchey of Roseburg discussed "Ambition in the Preacher—Nature and Limitations."

"Shall We Discourage Preaching in Those Not Specially Trained?" was the subject of an able discourse by A. H. Dodd of Falls City. T. S. Handsaker of Corvallis then spoke on "A Reading Course for This Association—Is It Practicable and Advisable?" followed by W. F. Richardson of Kansas City, Mo., who delivered a sermon, choosing as his subject, "The Grokking of the Sermon." Mr. Richardson's discourse was listened to with marked attention by the large assemblage of delegates and visitors.

At the conclusion of Mr. Richardson's sermon an adjournment from the actual work of the association was taken until the afternoon. At 2 o'clock the afternoon session was opened by devotional services led by Jesse Hunter of Eugene. Harry Benton of Elgin then discussed "God's Book Practical—Calling for Practical Preaching," after which followed a talk on "Ordination of Officers in the Churches," by A. A. Berry of Hood River, and "The Church and Popular Amusements," by Ernest C. Wigmore of Eugene.

Adjournment was then taken until 8 o'clock in the evening, at which time W. F. Richardson of Kansas City will deliver a sermon on "The Eclipse of Miracles."

## WILDERNESS NOW A FRUITFUL COUNTRY

Mr. Leo Friede of Portland has just returned from a visit to his "stamping ground" in Crook county, one of the eastern Oregon counties that was in former years regarded as a barren waste. He gives a glowing account of the changes that have taken place. Where formerly the lands were devoted to stock raising, population and prosperity are now in evidence on every hand, and acres that were once covered with prairie grass are now producing big crops of alfalfa, wheat, barley and rye. That it is also a good fruit country is proved by the fact that they are beginning to raise fine fruits where formerly it was considered impracticable on account of frost.

Most of this change has been wrought by irrigation. The streams whose waters flowed unobstructed to the sea have been diverted into the irrigation ditches of half a dozen companies and many land owners and combinations of owners are making the formerly unfruitful soil to blossom as the rose.

Although the country is still without a railroad, Prineville has doubled its population. The civic pride of its citizens is a notable feature. Good buildings and pleasant homes are the rule. Telephones are penetrating all through the farming sections, and every ranch and farm house has its rural mail box where mail is delivered at stated intervals. All this is changing Crook county from one of comparative remoteness to a highly civilized and pleasant residence section of Oregon.

**HOLLYWOOD ARRIVES.**

(Journal Special Service.) San Francisco, June 24.—The bark Hollywood, 119 days from Newcastle with coal, which was given up for lost, was sighted off San Pedro today.

## NOT SO MANY PIANOS

**As People Were Made to Believe. Facts Brought to Light.**

The long looked-for and much-advertised steamer Nebraska has at last arrived with its mammoth cargo of "Around the Horn" pianos, about which for the last few weeks the Ellers Piano House have been filling the columns of the daily papers.

### There Seems to Be a Discrepancy.

The ship's manifest of the cargo, as published in the Oregonian of June 22, was for FOUR pianos. The Ellers advertisement in the Telegram of same date stated that over 200 pianos had been received on the steamer Nebraska and took occasion to add "Pianos by sea cause a wave of jealousy to run high in competitors' minds."

### An Investigation.

We are naturally inclined to attend to our own business and to allow others the same privilege, but being in the piano business, and therefore properly curious to know which statement was correct, we made a thorough investigation and found that the cargo consisted of exactly 56 pianos, and have the proof in our possession. While we know it is not good business sense or good taste to advertise a competitor, we think the facts which we have brought to light, and inasmuch as such an ad has been made of this great shipment, are too good to keep and present them for what they are worth.

### "Around the Horn" Prices.

Now, what does this coupon proposition mean after all? Ellers Piano House says, on account of the large saving of freight by this route and in order to make room for this large shipment (56 pianos) they are selling pianos new for \$160 less than they have been selling the same pianos heretofore (a pretty big profit), besides taking a coupon of \$25, which would make the price \$135 less than formerly. If we were to sell a few pianos at a profit of \$135 we would feel like closing up our little store a day or two and going fishing.

### Now, Are They Doing It?

Let us take their own figures and one certain piano for comparison. We notice in their window they have a Jacob Doll piano, the price of which is \$275, and coupon taken at \$25, leaving a balance to be paid of \$250. Is the public to believe this is \$160 less than they have been selling it heretofore? This certainly cannot be, as it would make their former price \$275, plus \$160, or \$435, for this piano. You do not have to go back but a few months to see where they have advertised this same Jacob Doll piano for \$185, or \$50 less than the great coupon proposition. We confess we have never been able to see how this great reduction of \$185 could be made, when the saving in freight could not exceed over \$8 or \$10 on a piano. Furthermore, other Portland piano dealers have been shipping by water for several months. Barnum once said the people liked to be humbugged, but Lincoln said "there was a limit," and we have about come to the conclusion the limit has reached Portland. A few weeks ago Ellers Piano House, in a full-page ad, took occasion to style us as "Tackey little Wright," and we offer this as our only apology for the above disclosure of facts. We are doing business at our new stand in the old legitimate way and would be pleased to have you call and see us. Our pianos, however, are for good reasons not subject to great fluctuations in prices.

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## DAMAGING CHARGES

(Continued from Page One.)

themselves money belonging to the corporation and to defraud Dr. Connor and the other stockholders.

In order to carry out this alleged conspiracy Dr. Miller and Dr. Welch are accused of falsifying the minute book. It is charged that at the meeting of the directors held May 12, 1903, Dr. Welch wanted to be appointed professor of prosthodontic dentistry, while Dr. Miller wanted to continue in his position as dean of the faculty, and we offer this as our only apology for the above disclosure of facts. We are doing business at our new stand in the old legitimate way and would be pleased to have you call and see us. Our pianos, however, are for good reasons not subject to great fluctuations in prices.

Dr. Miller wanted his salary fixed for his services as dean, secretary and treasurer, stating that he could not expect to spend so much of his time without at least \$2,000. Dr. Welch stated that Dr. Miller was entitled to a salary, because he had all the work of running the school. Dr. Welch moved and it was carried that Dr. Miller continue to receive \$2,000 for his services as dean of the faculty and secretary and treasurer of the corporation. Dr. O'Connor wanted to know if he was to get anything further this year. The secretary stated that under the present arrangement he would receive the usual fee for lectures delivered.

**Welch Given Promise.**

These words, it is charged, were in plaintiff's opinion placed on the minute book by Dr. Miller in violation of section 1838 of Bellingier & Cotton's annotated codes and statutes, and the action constitutes a crime. The signature of Dr. Welch to this entry in the minute book was afterward procured by Dr. Miller. It is stated, by a promise that a resolution should be introduced in the board of directors granting him a salary of \$1,500, though it is alleged he did nothing to earn such a salary, and is not competent to teach prosthodontic dentistry. Dr. O'Connor declares that all these alleged illegal actions took place over his protest, and that his request that action be instituted in the circuit court against the president and secretary was ignored by them at a meeting held last May 24. He then sent out a circular calling on the stockholders to institute such action, with the following ends in view:

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pay back the money alleged to have been misappropriated and illegally spent; to obtain an injunction permanently restraining the treasurer from paying Dr. Welch \$1,500, or if he had paid it already, to force Dr. Welch to refund the amount, and to remove the secretary and treasurer from office because of gross misconduct. The same request was sent to the Title Guarantee & Trust company.

Declaring that the college corporation is in imminent danger of insolvency on account of the alleged official mismanagement of Dr. Miller, the courts are asked by Dr. O'Connor to remove Miller from his position as secretary and treasurer and appoint a receiver to take charge of the corporation until its affairs shall have been straightened out, as well as to force an accounting from Dr. Miller and the refunding of all moneys alleged to have been misappropriated and illegally paid out by him. The court is further requested to see that the Title Guarantee & Trust company observe any orders which may be issued. Dr. O'Connor asserts that the other stockholders will join him in the suit.

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## GOOD TIMES IN CENTRAL OREGON

**LEADING STOCKMAN OF PRINEVILLE SAYS THAT WHEAT AND ALFALFA ARE IN GOOD CONDITION—BELIEVES SHEEP AND CATTLEMEN WILL AGREE.**

Will Wursweiler, owner of a general store and a dealer in cattle and sheep at Prineville, formerly of Pendleton, is at the Imperial hotel on a brief visit to the city.

"Prineville and vicinity are enjoying an exceptionally prosperous spring," said Mr. Wursweiler, "and the indications are that we have continuing prosperity throughout the year. The only thing that could be desired at present is rain. It seems hardly probable, however, that the dry spell will continue much longer."

"Wheat and alfalfa in that section, and, in fact, as far south as Bend, are in good condition. All the irrigated land bids fair to produce bountiful crops. "With the building of the railroad into that country, everything points to a boom. A great many people are going in advance of the railroad. Land sales are good. Much money has been changing hands from wool buyers to producers in the vicinity of Prineville during the past month, and I must hasten home for another big sale."

"As for troubles between the cattlemen and the sheepmen, they have been somewhat overdrawn, and at present there is nothing alarming. The recent slaughter of sheep by miscreants only amounted to about 60 head. No serious trouble between sheep and cattlemen is anticipated."

Mr. Wursweiler has 7,000 head of sheep on the range this spring and 700 head of cattle. He is also gaining fame in the Prineville country as an owner of fast horses, and his pioneer efforts in this line may result in a second blue grass region near Prineville. It is said the climate of that country is well adapted to horse raising.

### For the Ocean Beach.

The popular steamer T. J. Potter will make her initial trip this season on Saturday, June 25, leaving Ash street dock promptly at 1 p. m. Season tickets, Portland to any point on the beach, \$4.00. Saturday excursion tickets, good returning Sunday night, only \$2.50. Tickets and berth reservations at O. R. & N. city office, Third and Washington.

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