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## GERMANS CAPTURE ANOTHER CITY

**Get Rasova Near Important Bridgehead and Seize Railroad Junction.**

## GERMANS REPORT ENEMY YIELDING IN CONFUSION

**Made Capture of Six Thousand Men, Officers, Machines and Munition.**

(By United Press)  
Berlin, via Sayville, Oct. 24.—It is announced that Gen. Mackensen has captured Rasova, eight miles south of the important Cernavoda bridgehead. He seized Medpidia railroad junction. "The enemy is yielding in confusion before the right wing. Pursuing, the German, Bulgarian and Turkish cavalry reached Caramurat, north of Constanza. They captured 75 officers, six thousand men, one flag, 72 machine guns, 12 cannons, and one mine thrower. The Roumanians and Russians rushed to their reinforcement. The losses have been heavy.

Petrograd, Oct. 24.—The war office admitted that Gen. Mackensen had captured Constanza and the Medjidia railway junction. The Russo-Roumanians were forced northward. The statement indicated that Mackensen controls half of the Constanza railroad. The Roumanian artillery repelled their attacks near Orsovo.

London, Oct. 24.—It is announced that the British consolidated a thousand yards of trenches east of Goudecourt. There has been intermittent shelling. Gen. Haig reported that the British lost 200 men in capturing Scheben redoubt, and capture a thousand Germans. Paris reported attacks when a French aeroplane attacked a trench at Stavaart wood.

Paris, Oct. 24.—It is announced that the Serbians resumed their advance against Monastir and Captured German and Bulgarian trenches to Hajmid depths. They inflicted heavy losses.

## ROOSEVELT AT DENVER ENDORSED BEN LINDSEY

**And Ben Has Endorsed President Wilson. Teddy Took a Safety Razor Shave.**

Denver, Oct. 24.—Roosevelt surprised the republicans, when he declared himself favoring the reelection of Judge Lindsay, the democratic candidate for judge of the juvenile court. He addressed a women's meeting in the auditorium this afternoon. He denounced mob violence against republican hecklers during Wilson's recent Chicago visit. He speaks again tonight.

Roosevelt rose late this morning. He was shaving when the special reached Colorado Springs. He used a safety razor in full view of the crowd staring in at the window. He rushed to the rear platform in his shirt sleeves and shouted a few words as the train started.

**Coach Died.**  
(By United Press)  
Marshfield, Oct. 24.—Joseph Coach died as a result of self-inflicted wound in the head. Coach killed City Attorney Treadgold at Bandon, recently, and then shot himself.

**Saved By Dog.**  
(By United Press)  
Salem, Oct. 24.—A dog's barking awakened A. R. Jacobs and he found his house burning. He rushed to the street carrying the dog. It is believed the animal saved his life.

## Y. M. C. A. CAMPAIGN BEGUN FOR SUBSCRIPTIONS

**\$2500 Wanted for Expenses. If Raised Free Heating Plant Promised.**

Starting out this morning a crowd of Y. M. C. A. boosters have been covering the city in the interest of the Y. M. C. A., an institution Albany has reason to be proud of, one of the best assets in the city, a character and health builder. The goal is \$2500. That much is needed for the support of the institution the coming year, and it is entitled to it.

The Y. M. C. A. does a great work for the boys and young men of the city, a live wire in their interest along clean lines.

In case \$2500 is raised this year A. C. Schmitt has offered to put in a new heating plant, something that is greatly needed.

Aiding in the canvass is Will Wright, assistant state secretary, of Portland, an old standby in former subscription canvasses, one of the Y. M. C. A.'s best friends. No money is better invested than when put into the Y. M. C. A.

## DEATH OF FORMER ALBANY WOMAN AT NORTH YAKIMA

W. M. Parker, secretary of the 2500 received word last night telling of the death of Mrs. Chas. Knecht, of that city, a former resident of Albany for a number of years. Mrs. Knecht was 72 years of age, and became a member of the 2500 in 1901 at the age of 57 years. She was a woman of excellent character, and leaves many old friends in Albany who will regret news of her death. She leaves a husband, Chas. Knecht, who runs a store here for several years at the present site of the Worth store, and a daughter, Mrs. Flossie Knecht Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scott went to Portland on the morning train.

## CITY NEWS

**Taft and Hughes Here—**  
Coming to town yesterday were two men of well known names, Taft and Hughes. But not the ex-president nor the present republican candidate? They are T. M. Hughes, of Seattle, and E. A. Taft, of Portland. Both are salesmen. When Mr. Taft was traveling in the middle west eight years ago he often met another salesman named Bryan. That was the last year that Bryan was a candidate. But Taft war for Bryan and Bryan for Taft for president of the U. S. And today Mr. Taft is for Wilson. Mr. Hughes was not present at the Hotel Albany to explain his choice for president.

**Milt Miller Spoke—**  
Hon. M. A. Miller spoke at Scio last night. While in the field for Wilson he is also working for Weatherford for congressman, declaring that the member from this district should be one in keeping with the policies of Mr. Wilson, who will undoubtedly be reelected. Besides he recommends him as worthy and well qualified, a young man of ability and integrity, one who would make a true representative in congress.

**From Prineville—**  
Mrs. Hoffman, of Prineville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Coates. She reports politics over there boiling with great interest in the presidential campaign.

**Returned to Portland—**  
Fred Newton, of Portland, returned home last evening, after a week's visit in Albany.

**Broke Collar Bone—**  
John Clelan, of the Bishop, Calif., high school football team, recently broke one of his shoulder blades in a game, and has had to retire for at least part of the season.

**Returned to Albany—**  
R. A. Wilson, of the S. P., and family, have returned from Marshfield, where they have been several months. Mr. Wilson has been placed on the day truck at the depot, 8 to 4 and will begin work again this week. Their many friends here are glad to have them back in Albany.

**Went Over Highway—**  
Mrs. John Kirkland and Miss Carrie Wolfe were guests at the Sternberg home in Portland Saturday, going over the Columbia Highway Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Max Politz.

## CORRESPONDENT SCORES REPORT OF FOOT BALL GAME

**Declares Democrat's Report Misrepresented Facts, Doing Willamette an Injustice**

Albany Democrat:—Your issue of October 23, 1916, contains an account of the Willamette University-Albany College football game, which, to my mind, deliberately misstates the facts. Therefore, in order to correct, if possible, any false impression which may have been created thereby, I ask for space in your paper.

Your article states that Willamette team was continually penalized for roughing. As a matter of fact, no penalties for roughing were inflicted on either side, throughout the entire game. Any member of the Albany team will bear me out in this statement.

Your article also states that Teal, Willamette's halfback, was put out of the game for rough play, after repeated warnings from the referee. As a matter of fact, this game player was not once warned by the referee that he was roughing, and left the field only because he was no longer able to stand on his injured leg, after gamely participating in several plays with his knee half out of joint. He was not put out of the game at all, but on the contrary went out only when he could stand up no longer.

Your article further states that Coach Matthews was continually signaling to his team from the sidelines. There is absolutely no grounds for this attempt to injure Matthews' reputation as a square coach. He was accompanied by an official each time he went on the field and the captain of the Albany squad, also, could have been right at his side, had he chosen to exercise his privilege in the matter.

You seem to have tried to create the impression that, because Hunter's leg happened to be broken—an occurrence which no one regrets more than do the individual members of the visiting team—the Willamette squad were a rough crowd. There is not a college coach in the valley (including Coach Bailey of Albany College) who has not complimented the Willamette teams on the clean, square games they play.

Therefore, as one interested in and enthusiastic over all branches of clean athletic sport, in all its branches, and in the interest of fairness and justice to visitors and strangers in our midst, even though they be the victors in our contests with them, I ask for fair reports and correct statements in our papers.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALBERT N. MINTON.

## THEATRICAL ATTRACTIONS COMING TO ALBANY SOON

Albany people have been supporting the theatre so well of late that Manager Conrad Meyers, of the Globe, wonders if he could get the support of the city in bringing the Hippodrome vaudeville circuit here every week. The Hippodrome is a high class circuit, formerly the Empress. The long jump from Portland to San Francisco gives a week without regular bookings, except where pickup towns are played for one or two night stands. Salem and Eugene have been using the circuit two days a week and the people take to it. If the proper encouragement is received during the next few days Manager Meyers may sign up for the year.

The coming month finds another good lot of theatrical engagements booked for Albany. Nov. 2 is the date for the Maarer Sisters, one of the highest class acts on the road. This plays at the Globe.

At the Rolfe Nov. 6-7 will be seen a picturization of "Beating Back," dramatized from Al. Jennings' famous outlaw stories recently published in the Saturday Evening Post. Jennings will be seen in the original role himself. On Nov. 8-9 the big Vitagraph release, "God's Country and the Woman," a picture that played at \$1.00 top price in Portland.

Sunday, Nov. 12, at the Globe will see "Silver Threads Among the Gold," a six-reel photo feature, with which Richard J. Jose, the celebrated tenor, will appear and sing the song that he made famous, along with other selections. Other dates will be announced later.

It is not likely that Albany will get

## PRESIDENT AND GERARD CONFER

**Talked German Situation. Gerard Not to Take Part in Campaign.**

## WILSON GOES TO CINCINNATI TOMORROW

**Hughes to Resume Campaign Tonight, Speaking on Pro German-American Alliance.**

(By United Press)  
Long Branch, Oct. 24.—Ambassador Gerard lunched with President Wilson and spent the afternoon discussing all phases of the German situation, including submarine warfare. Gerard said he bore no official German communication. He expects to fully discuss peace prospects.

The ambassador is not certain when he will return to Berlin. He positively remains until election, but will not participate in the campaign. It is announced that Wilson makes five minute stops at Philadelphia and Baltimore tomorrow enroute to Cincinnati. He will make several stops in Ohio. He speaks at Cincinnati Thursday night.

New York, Oct. 24.—Justice Hughes resumed his campaign tonight. He speaks at Queensborough. He may answer the Democratic charge that he entered into an agreement for a pro-German-American independence conference. The Democrats alleged that Hughes uttered anti-ally attacks after a conference of pro-German people. Odds shifted ten to nine on Hughes. Some even money is offered.

## ENGLAND BUYS TWO SHIPS OF FLOUR OF PORTLAND

**Paid \$7.50 a Barrel. Chicago Firms Gets 1,000,000 Bushels of Wheat.**

(By United Press)  
Portland, Oct. 24.—It is learned reliably that Great Britain purchased two shiploads of flour here during the last few days. They offered over the market price, \$7.80 a barrel. One Chicago firm purchased nearly a million bushels of northwestern wheat within a few days, paying \$1.55 for bluestem. Portland delivery. The demand is increasing.

## BIGGEST ROBBERY IN N. Y. FOR SEVERAL YEARS

**Prominent Wall Street Man's Family Chloroformed Robbed of Silver and Jewelry.**

(By United Press)  
New York, Oct. 24.—Frank Grey Griswold, a prominent Wall street man, reported his Long Island home burglarized. One hundred thousand dollars' worth of silver and jewelry are missing. It is the biggest robbery in recent years. The burglars rode in an auto. They chloroformed the entire family and all are ill this morning.

**For Wilson.**  
The American, of New York, which is fighting Wilson, has just taken a straw postal card vote, covering 22 states. The result is:  
Wilson 71,999.  
Hughes 54,359.  
In means that the masses are for Wilson all over the U. S. at least 3 to 2.

**Lair Hill for Wilson.**  
Mrs. Rufus Thompson, of this city, reports that her brother Lair Hill, of California, a leading coast lawyer, a former editor of the Oregonian, is for Wilson, declaring that his constructive work for the government entitles him to reelection.  
**Murdock for Wilson.**  
Congressman Victor Murdock, a leading progressive, prominent ly mentioned for president on the progressive ticket, who was one of the best speakers at the recent Chautauqua in Albany, has announced his preference for Wilson, whom he will give his hearty support. This means more than Roosevelt the other way.

## DEATH OF MRS. DELANCY OF PNEUMONIA TODAY

**Worthy Citizen, Member of the M. E. Church, Native of Iowa.**

After an illness of several days, with pneumonia, Mrs. Anna Ailetta DeLaney, wife of C. H. DeLaney, died at 2:30 o'clock this morning.

She was born in Iowa April 19, 1865, coming here ten or fifteen years ago. She was a member of the M. E. church, a woman of sterling Christian character, beloved by her family and all knowing her.

She leaves a husband and three children, Mrs. Fred Hollich and Miss Beulah, of this city, and Merrill DeLaney, of Newport.

Mr. DeLaney is in Iowa on a visit with relatives and former neighbors, at different places, and it was impossible to reach him until yesterday forenoon, when he started for home at once.

The son Merrill came over yesterday by auto, notified after the train left, of the critical condition of his mother. He reached here at 9 o'clock. Arrangements cannot be made for the funeral until the arrival of Mr. DeLaney, when the time will be announced.

## RICHARDSON'S GAP HAS SUCCESSFUL ROAD DAY

**Twenty-five Teams Haul Gravel Men Do Work and Women Serve Banquet.**

Richardson's Gap, a community in the Santiam country east of this city, enjoyed a profitable day yesterday in a good road and school day. All the men in the neighborhood, under the direction of road supervisor W. A. Gilkey, shoveled gravel onto the road as it was hauled by 25 teams. As a result of considerable stretch of road was repaired and put in good shape for the winter.

At noon the women served a magnificent lunch, if such an adjective can be used in describing a banquet. Those who ate of it pronounce it way above the ordinary.

County Judge D. B. McKnight and School Supt. W. L. Jackson were present and spoke to the workers and their wives. It was a pleasant day, ideal October weather, and a profitable one for the district.

## BABY DOLLS MAKE HIT AT THE GLOBE

No better little show ever played in Albany at popular prices than Armstrong's Baby Dolls, which opened at the Globe last night. It is a snappy, clever comedy of fifteen people, 10 of whom are girls. There is little plot or sense to the play, but they hand out an hour and a quarter of nonsensical fun that is a sure chaser for the blues.

The baby dolls in the chorus are a good looking bunch of girls who dance well and have fairly good voices, and add materially to the cast. Billie Bingham is a cute little son-brette with the best voice in the company, aside from Earl Bonner, leading man, who made a hit last night when he sang "When you're Broke, Dead Broke." Barbara Haaland, prima donna, is good looking and graceful, and takes her part well. Honey Harris, character comedian, who portrayed a negro role last night, displayed real talents as an actor and made the big hit of the evening with his songs and dances.

Ed. Armstrong, Irish comedian, and George Dore, Dutch comedian, who looked like Ford Sterling, of course were good, and furnished the main part of the trouble in the fun making. They were a scream from start to finish.

It is a good company, giving full value for the admission price. They come from a long and successful run at Baker theatre, Portland. Tonight the closing performance will be "September Morn."

## ORIOLES PASSED THRU ON WAY TO WASHOUGAL

**Have Forty Engagements This Fall and Winter Covering the Coast.**

Passing thru Albany last night on the 6:30 train were Miss Oran Harkness, Miss Becker and Mrs. Sparling, forming the Orioles, one of the Ellison-White attractions in their lyceum courses, on their way to Washougal, Wash., to give a concert. Miss Ethel Boyd, who was with the Orioles last year accepted a position in a prominent part with a New York grand opera company, and is traveling thru the south, with forty or more dates ahead. The Orioles have forty engagements for this season. They gave a varied program, Miss Harkness as reader and impersonator, Miss Becker whistler and Mrs. Sparling soprano soloist. All sing also. A new stunt this year is a Hawaiian number, in costume, each playing a ucalala and singing the Hawaiian songs, which closes the concert. They have been having big houses and were enjoying their experiences. Yesterday afternoon in their Pullman they practiced on the ucalalas, and some of their admirers took up a collection of 90c. Miss Harkness will be home Christmas holidays.

## PARCELS POST COUNT MADE BY LOGAL OFFICE

A parcels post count which was taken at the local post office during the period from Oct. 2 to 16, shows that there were 1303 pieces of parcels post mail sent out of Albany weighing 3,894 pounds. The total cost of postage was \$116.50. The total number of pieces received from other points and from this city for delivery here was 1,879. The total number of pieces handled was 3,182.

## THE VILLISTAS

(By United Press)  
Juarez, Oct. 24.—Chihuahua City refugees reported that the Villistas and Carrangistas had a skirmish near Fresno, ten miles west of the city. Fresno is Villan own ranch, purchased while he controlled Chihuahua state. Fugitives' exodus is increasing.

## CITY NEWS

**Up from Portland—**  
Mr. and Mrs. W. Alexander Anderson and two daughters, Margaret and Elizabeth, of Portland, returned to their home in their car, after a visit at the home of Mrs. Anderson's mother, Mrs. Barker.

**To Attend Wedding—**  
Alan Banks, of the Hamilton store, went to Portland this afternoon to attend the wedding of his sister, Miss Marguerite Banks, and Wesley Guyer, of Astoria, which will take place tomorrow evening. Mrs. Banks is already in Portland helping in the arrangements for the happy event.

**Metropolitan Company Coming—**  
Among the attractions Conrad Meyer, of the Globe theatre has booked for the coming season is a concert by the New York Metropolitan Co., a combination of grand opera and concert performers, in a matinee on Christmas day. Skovgaard, the violinist will again be with the company here last year. Otherwise the company is materially changed. Leading vocalists will be Mary Maiben Allen, Susan Emma Drought, Mildred Haynes and Audrey N. Engle. Mrs. Skovgaard is the pianist. It will be a performance Albany people will look forward to with pleasure.

**Admitted to Probate—**  
The will of the late G. A. Waggoner was today admitted to probate. The estates is valued at \$3800.

**Administrator Appointed—**  
F. L. Smith has been appointed administrator of the estate of the late John Marrs, valued at \$2300.

**Left for Eureka—**  
The daughter of C. H. Walker, Miss Vernal, took the train for Marshfield, on her way to Eureka, Calif. The journey from Marshfield will be made by steamship. She will find a home with her uncle, Hon. Frank P. Wheeler, register in the U. S. land office, in which she expects to find employment.

**College Chapel—**  
Monday, Oct. 30, 8:30 p. m.—I write to express my appreciation of the lecture on Popular Astronomy and the Laws of Celestial Mechanics, which you give in our auditorium. The grasp you have of the subject and your manner of presentation is such as to capture the imagination of your audience. I am, very truly yours, W. W. Parker, Principal Lincoln Park high school, Tacoma, Wash.

**Weather Report—**  
Yesterday's temperature ranged between 27 and 68 degrees. The river stands at 1.0 feet.

## BOOSTER MEETING SET FOR NOV. 13

**Commercial Club Will Have Manufacturers and Jolly-up Banquet.**

## W. A. EASTBURN RESIGNS PLACE AS SECRETARY

**Club Promises Support to Bill Asking State at Large to Boost Tourist Travel.**

At the meeting of the Albany commercial club last night Manager W. A. Eastburn, who has efficiently served as secretary for the past year, tendered his resignation to take effect Dec. 31, or sooner if the club can fill his place before that time. Mr. Eastburn will engage in business for himself after the first of the year.

The club voted to support the proposition advanced by the Portland Chamber of Commerce to ask the coming legislature for an appropriation of \$25,000 a year for the next two years for the purpose of advertising for tourist travel to Oregon. Inasmuch as the travel benefits all parts of the state it is thought that the money should come from the state at large.

Other states in the west are doing the same thing and it is up to Oregon to come to bat and pull for her share. Less than 20 per cent of the tourist travel of the United States comes to Oregon and Washington. These states, with California, which include some of the world's greatest scenery, should receive 75 per cent of the travel these days when war in Europe makes travel to those countries impossible.

British Columbia spends \$125,000 of public money a year, the city of Denver, Colo., spends \$75,000, the states of Colorado, California, and other commonwealths have state appropriations. Washington will have a similar appropriation this winter.

It was decided to hold a manufacturers' meeting and general get-together round-up and banquet Monday evening, Nov. 13. A committee on arrangements consists of F. M. French, J. A. Howard and G. A. Flood.

A resolution was adopted in appreciation of the efforts of A. L. Fisher in behalf of making a success of the fair.

## W. E. PARKER MAKING GOOD RUN FOR SHERIFF

**Lifelong Resident of Linn Has Confidence of Voters for the Office.**

W. E. Parker, candidate for the office of sheriff on the Democratic ticket, is making a quiet but aggressive campaign. The past week he has visited various parts of the county where his candidacy has been well received. Harrisburg, Scio, Shedd, Halsey, and other precincts have been visited lately, and from every locality comes reports that he is winning many good votes.

Parker, who is a native of Linn county and a member of a pioneer family, is well known all over the county, and the older residents, as well as others who know him, feel confidence in voting for him for the office of tax collector and state peace officer. He will poll a large vote in every part of the county, especially in the precincts near his old home near Plainview.

Several good contests between republican and democratic candidates will be waged this election, but none will be more interesting than the race for the office of sheriff.

**Canadians Will Strike.**  
(By United Press)  
Winnipeg, Oct. 24.—Premier Borden urged the Canadian Pacific trainmen to delay their coast to coast strike scheduled for 5 p. m. tomorrow. He appealed to their patriotism. The trainmen replied that delay is impossible. They called attention to the railroad's big war earnings.

Geo. Taylor went to Salem this morning.