

SENATE FILIBUSTER IS THREATENED

Opponents of Conscription Attempt to Block President's War Program in Senate.

VOLUNTEER SENTIMENT STRONG IN HOUSE

U. S. Will Draft Measures to Stop Food Supplies to the Central Powers.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—Opponents of the conscription bill this afternoon started filibuster tactics to delay the passage of the measure. Senator Thompson demanded the regular order in the consideration of the spy bill at the expiration of the morning business.

A score of anti-conscriptionists predicted draft riots, if the conscription bill passed. The house military committee voted twelve to eight, favoring the general staff army bill with the amendment "authorizing" the president to call for volunteers if he wishes. Before the selective draft is tried.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—Measures designed to prevent food supplies from reaching the enemy through Scandinavia are being prepared. The United Press learned that the problem is one of a general series of "trading with the enemy" restrictions the cabinet is working out. Legislation sealing air-tight the economic blockade against the central powers will probably be presented to congress soon.

While the United States is opposed to the black list some means are sought to prevent Scandinavian's from acting as "go-betweens" for Germany.

MAN ARRESTED FOR THEFT OF GLASSES

A man going under the name of Charles Davis was arrested this morning on a charge of stealing a pair of field glasses from a house three miles west of Eugene. The glasses were found in a local second hand store, the owner having innocently purchased them from Davis. The glasses were returned to the owner and the man is being held for orders from Sheriff Parker of Eugene. The man had been under arrest for vagrancy here a few days ago.

HORSE RAN

A riden horse belonging to Maurice Spickley, Seventh and Washington streets, took flight this morning and cantered off down town. Maurice had tied the horse to a stick in front of his house and had left it for a short time. Some little difficulty was experienced in capturing it in the business district of the city.

MAY NAME ROOSEVELT ON RUSSIAN COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, April 21.—Root, Professor Harper of Chicago university, Colonel Roosevelt and Charles Crane are among those considered for the Russian commission.

Shows Mixed Up.

By a co-incident, the wrong bills were sent to both the Globe and Rolfe Theaters yesterday. At the Rolfe George Walsh was booked in "Melting Millions," but the Fox film exchange switched "A Scarlet Letter" in place of it at the last minute. The Walsh play will be run next week. At the Globe the Herbert Beerbohn Tree was scheduled to appear in "Old Folks at Home," but owing to a change in the Triangle schedule where by Albany is to get newer releases, and this was cancelled and Dorothy Gish in "The Little Yank" was run.

Advertising Copy

Local business men are earnestly requested to turn in all advertising copy the day preceding the date of insertion.

NEW CLASSIFIED

For Sale. Strawberry plants, Magoons, Gold Dollar and Brandwines, some seed potatoes and apple vinegar 3 years old. 25c. gal. E. G. Goff, Home phone 7354. a21-24-pd.
WILL STORE PIANO—Will give good care if any person desires to store at my home, no children. Bell phone 225-R, or 465-J. a21-24.
FOR SALE—Dayton bicycle, good as new. Cheap if taken at once. Call at 333 Jefferson St. after 5:30 p. m. a21-25.

OFFICERS TRAINING CAMP ESTABLISHED IN CALIFORNIA

Will Train 2500 Officers; Local College Receives Telegram Asking Co-operation.

The following telegram was received today by Albany College: San Francisco, Calif., April 20, 1917. War department has suspended further appointment to line sections, officers reserve corps until close of training camp now being established at Presidio Camp, begins May 8th, duration three months. Desire to secure the attendance of 2500. Those completing satisfactorily the training course will be commissioned. The object of the war department is to select "first ten thousand" which implies the ten thousand ablest leaders selected from the co officer the first half million troops. The following are eligible, subject to minimum age limit of twenty years and nine months, the minimum age limit hereinafter the maximum age limit is twenty-four years. Members of reserve officers training corps, other cadet students, graduates of military schools, and other citizens, those having military training, preferred. All of the above must make application for commission in officers reserve corps and be certified to these headquarters by a commissioned officer of the regular army. The necessary blanks are being furnished the various officers throughout the department, whose names will be published in the newspapers. In case any considerable number of candidates located at one place, and no officer in the vicinity, one will be sent. Advise these headquarters if no officer is available in your vicinity. You are urged to graduate any senior duty certified as qualified for attendance. We want your best men.—Bell.

BRITISH AND FRENCH FLAGS FLYING IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, April 21.—For the first time that flags of foreign nations will fly from any Washington public building. Flag poles were erected today over the entrance to the state, war and navy building for English and French flags.

CITY NEWS

Albany Men Actors—At the Rolfe Theatre Monday and Tuesday two Albany men will be seen in the Pathe News films. On this occasion of the meeting of the U. S. forestry men in Portland March 25 when they took a trip up the Columbia Highway to Eagle Creek station they were accompanied by a Pathe camera man who made motion pictures of the party, trail, forest, etc. Supervisor C. C. Hall and Arthur Wilcox of this city, were present and are shown in the picture.

Lebanese Coup's Marries—Henry Julius and Miss Effie D. Bodie of Lebanon, were married this morning by County Judge D. B. McKnight.

WENT TO SALEM—Attorneys H. M. Hewitt and M. V. Weatherford went to Salem this morning on legal business.

TO VISIT WUSBAND—Mrs. J. M. V. Bilyeu left this morning for Wolf Point, Montana, where her husband is living on a ranch. She will stay there most of the summer. She was accompanied as far as Portland by her daughter, Miss Gertrude Bilyeu.

TO JOIN NAVY—Arthur Jones and Alva Starr, two Albany College students left for Portland today where they will take the examinations for the U. S. Navy.

HERE FORM EUGENE—Miss Mildred Shortridge of Eugene arrived in the city this morning and is a guest of Mrs. Ada Michaelson.

INSPECTING MORE WATCHES—F. M. French, official S. P. time inspector for this district, went to Detroit this morning on an inspection trip. Yesterday his work took him to Eugene.

This morning Mrs. W. M. Davis and daughters, Mary and Menrette, left for Portland where they are spending the day.

Hun Gets Wild—Dan Cauge, the Hungarian who was arrested yesterday and sentenced to serve 15 days in the county jail for using profane language and cursing the United States, created quite a commotion in the county jail last night. Between 8:00 and 9:00 o'clock he sent up a howl and continued to yell for a long time until he was quieted down by Sheriff Bodine.

Tax Collections Good—This afternoon the clerks in the office of Sheriff D. H. Bodine will finish their work of the first half of the 1916 tax collections. All payments have been entered and the books are in good shape. Miss Mae Tillman and Miss Zona Haight, who have been assisting, will leave the office and will not be needed again until the final rush in September when the last half is to be paid.

GERMAN WARSHIPS SENT TO BOTTOM

Two Destroyers Sunk When They Attempt Raid on Dover Is London Official News.

GENERAL HAIG ADVANCES LINE ANOTHER MILE

Belfour Arrives Safely in America; U. S. Armed Merchantmen Reaches France.

(By United Press) LONDON, April 21.—General Haig smashed another blow at Cambrai and advanced over a mile toward the German stronghold. The capture of Gonnelieu is announced. Artillery firing is heavy and German attacks were repulsed and many Germans made prisoners.

(By United Press) LONDON, April 21.—Two German destroyers were sunk and a third possibly destroyed when enemy vessels attempted a raid on Dover, the admiralty announced.

Boat Crew Lands. YEUIDEN, (Holland), April 21.—Only nineteen Americans and fifteen of other nationalities composing the crew of the Norwegian windjammer, "Kongali," a Belgian relief ship, landed here. The crew reported that the ship was submerged or hit a mine.

U. S. Liner Safe. Paris, April 21.—The armed American merchantman "Onega" arrived safely at a French port.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—Arthur Balfour, British Foreign Minister, landed safely the state department announced this afternoon.

ORGAN RECITAL TO BE GIVEN SUNDAY AFTERNOON

The following organ program will be given at the Methodist Church, Sunday afternoon, April 22, at 4 o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited: Melody in F.....Rockwell Minuet in G.....Beethoven Vocal Solo.....Selected (a) Missionary Hymn. An by West (b) Lead Kindly Light.....An by Ashford Pilgrim's Chorus—from "Tannhauser" Wagner Harp Solo.....Selected Entrancing Dream—Berceuse.....Gaston Lillie Gavotte—from "Mignon".....Thomas Andante in G.....Batiste Organ—Piano. Larghetto—from Symphony in D Major.....Beethoven Vocal Solo—A Perfect Day.....Carrie Jacobs Bond Lural Burggraf, Organist. Miss Jessie Paynter, Vocalist. Mrs. S. C. Worrell, Pianist. Davis Leininger, Harpist.

ALBANY MAN APPOINTED ST. VINCENT'S INTERNE

Dr. Earl Fortmiller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fortmiller, of this city, has been honored by an appointment as interne at St. Vincent's Hospital in Portland. He moves into the hospital today and immediately assumes his new duties.

The appointment is regarded as a distinct honor and an acknowledgment of Dr. Fortmiller's abilities. The appointment usually goes to a senior in the Medical College, while Dr. Fortmiller is but a junior. He has made a fine record as a student at the University of Oregon College of Medicine, leading his class the past two years and establishing an enviable reputation.

HONOR GUARD GIRLS TO HAVE BUSINESS MEETING—Miss Mae Ballack, Leader of the Albany Chapter of the Girls National Honor Guards has called a meeting of the local organization to meet in the library at 7:00 o'clock this evening.

Themeting will be short, but important and every member is urged to be present. It will be a business meeting to decide upon future contributions of the order, and various other matters.

ALBANY MEN PASS OFFICERS PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Officers Training Camp Will Be Opened in California on May 8th is Report.

M. V. Weatherford, Frank Stelmacher and R. Foy Wood returned last night for Portland where they successfully passed the physical examination for commission in the United States army. Mr. Weatherford and Mr. Stelmacher will leave here during the first week in May to receive military instruction in the officers training camp which will be opened in California on May 8th. Ed Bally will leave tonight for Portland where he will take the physical examination for a commission.

Old Man Chimney Sweep—Will be here all week to clean stove pipes and furnaces. All chimneys thoroughly cleaned and examined in case of defects. Leave orders at McAlain's Cigar store, Phone 106-R. a21-28. Todd Loss Sale—Notice has been received that the Supreme Court has sustained the decision of Judge Kelly in the case of Alfred Todd vs. D. Cormier, mayor of Lebanon, to collect \$75 attorney's fees. The case was decided against Todd in both courts.

Join U. S. Navy—Arthur Starr Jones and Alva Starr both Albany young men left on the noon train today for Bremerton where they will join the United States navy. The former will serve in the hospital corps and the later as a regular seaman.

Elmore Here Yesterday—Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Elmore of Brownsville, were in the city yesterday.

SCHOOLS IN EASTERN LINN IN GOOD CONDITION

County School Superintendent I. M. Cummings returned yesterday from a trip through the eastern part of the County. Last Tuesday she attended the closing exercises of School District No. 122, south west of Lacombe. Lucius Groves, the teacher at this place, had an all day program arranged and a fine time was had.

Wednesday Mrs. Cummings visited the Lacombe school and at District No. 96. All day Thursday was spent in the Lebanon Schools.

Friday another closing exercise was attended at School District No. 30, Sand Ridge, Miss Vera Merchant, instructor. Another all day program was observed.

Mrs. Cummings found the schools in good condition in every locality visited, and found the pupils doing good work.

OREGON ELECTRIC WILL RESPECT MEN'S SENIORITY

Employees Enlisting in Army or Navy Will Find Old Jobs Open on Their Return.

That the Oregon Electric railroad company will respect the seniority of its employees who go to war is indicated in the following letter received this morning by M. S. Logan, local agent. The letter is self explanatory: Portland, Ore., April 20, 1917.—Mr. H. S. Logan, Agent, Albany, Or.—Any employee in service in this department who desires to leave the service to volunteer or enlist in the U. S. Army or Navy, during our present trouble, will be permitted to retain their seniority rights and positions and will be returned to work with such seniority standing or position as they held at the time they enlisted in the service of our country. This of course, provided they are honorably discharged from such service.—C. A. Vermillion, Superintendent.

HUNGARIAN KILLED WHILE MAKING A BOMB

PITTSBURGH, April 21.—Nick Fellis, a Hungarian was instantly killed and three others fatally injured when dynamite exploded. Russell police are investigating the report that Fellis was making a bomb.

ARGENTINE DEMANDS SATISFACTION FROM GERMANY

ARGENTINE, April 21.—Argentine formally today demanded satisfaction from Germany for the submarine of the "Lamacion." Argentine's leading newspapers declare that if Germany's reply is unsatisfactory, President Irigoyen will declare war.

PARKER WINS GUN CLUB SHOOTING MEDAL

W. E. Parker carried off the medal at the semi-annual medal shoot of the Albany gun club. He tied for first place with Roy Templeton and in the shoot-off broke ten straight to Templeton's nine. The score of the various shooters was as follows: Templeton 23, Parker 23, C. G. Dodele 21, F. Baltimore 21, Hornbrook 20, T. B. Dodele 19, F. T. Baltimore 18, Leinger 17, Young 15 and Cusick 16.

MONEY RAISED FOR NEW CANNERY

Over Nine Thousand Dollars Subscribed By Local Business Men For Enterprise.

NOW UP TO GROWERS TO PRODUCE THE FRUIT

Paulhamus Will Have Charge and Find a Market For Linn County Surplus Crops.

The fruit cannery in Albany is now an assured fact so far as the subscription of the capital stock is concerned. It is now up to the fruit growers in this vicinity to decide whether or not the cannery building shall be erected this year or next year. The committee in charge of the subscription list completed the work yesterday. In all there has been subscribed something over \$9000.00.

The establishment of a cannery here under the management of an experienced man like Paulhamus of Puyallup, is one of the biggest things that has ever come to this community. With a strong group of business men back of the organization to give it standing and to provide the necessary funds for buying the machinery and paying cash for the products as they are delivered, and with the Oregon Electric Railway Company erecting the building to house the cannery, and providing satisfactory freight rates for transporting the output from here to Puyallup and eastward, there can be no question about the success of the undertaking as far as the cannery end of the business is concerned. There is just one phase of the undertaking which may delay or defer the successful operation of the cannery for the present, and that is the raising of the necessary fruit, berries and vegetables by the growers. Under the present arrangement no stock subscription of bonus of any kind is required from the growers, all that is asked is that they produce the stuff necessary for operating the cannery. Besides Mr. Paulhamus offers about a cent more per pound for all fruits, berries and vegetables that he can than does any other cannery. He realizes that the producer cannot be expected to continue to produce the stuff for the cannery unless he can do it at a profit.

Arrangements have been made by the committee in charge, with Mr. E. Roberts, to go among the fruit growers and farmers and see what amount of produce the growers are willing to contract to raise. Mr. Paulhamus has insisted that they shall make a specialty of raising three kinds of berries and one vegetable, namely: the Wilson strawberry, the Munger Black Raspberry, and the Phenomenal berry, and the Refugee bean. While he expects to get cherries and other kinds of fruit, yet he insists that, unless a sufficient acreage of the above three kinds of berries can be contracted to raise, the cannery will not start the cannery. The contracts that are made for fruit are to extend over a period of five years, and possibly ten; this is done so as to enable the growers to grow their fruit to advantage, as it requires several years to get berries into their best bearing condition.

The membership committee consists of Mrs. Robert E. Greene, Mrs. Frances Wilson, Mrs. Fred Bellows, Louise Weider, Mrs. R. C. Wooley, Chas. Weider, Bert Veal, Mae Tillman, Leatha McCullough, G. Morgan, Misses Canfield and Jones, Willard Marks, Wm. Eagles, Nelson McDonald, Kathryn Livingood, Bertha Lee, Miss Buhler, Miss Metcalf, Mrs. Harkness, Mrs. Haas, P. A. Young, Alice Cockerline, Wm. Burkhardt, E. C. Brandberry, Levi Tracy, Chas. Essex, Zona Haight, Archibald Gould, Leonard Hurst, Ella C. Meade, Walter Parker, W. H. Davis, Mrs. J. J. Lindgren and Mrs. Rocky E. Mason.

The joint meeting of the Civil Relief Committee of the Red Cross and the directors of the Associated Charities, was held last evening at the Hotel Albany, and was attended by every member and by Prof. C. W. Boettcher, Superintendent of the City Schools.

Several acres of land have been placed at the disposal of the joint committee and several citizens have indicated their willingness to co-operate with the joint committee by advancing funds with which to purchase seed and to hire teams to plow and prepare the land for seeding. The committee is very anxious to get in touch with the owners of vacant lots that may be used for garden or for growing potatoes and beans and the committee is equally anxious to get in communication with those who desire to avail themselves of the opportunity to use such land as is placed at the disposal of the joint committee. All available lots and all applications for the use of lots should be listed with Dan John-

RED CROSS APPEALS FOR LARGE MEMBERSHIP

Every Citizen Urged to Do His or Her Part in Preparation For Future Events.

Chairman Membership Committee By Mrs. R. E. Mason.

The Red Cross Campaign has started in earnest in Albany. We hope to and want to receive every loyal, patriotic citizen, man or woman, boy or girl. The committee hopes to invite every person in Albany to join this organization. It is a privilege to join, to aid this splendid work, for unfortunate suffering humanity. This is not a personal affair, but is everybody's business and when this committee of ladies asks your interest, membership, or work at headquarters, if possible—respond! Respond willingly! Give your membership of \$1 to this Society. Be enthusiastic! Responsive! It's your country as well as theirs—they are working for the cause and country; do your little share or part—if you are not told about this personally, come to headquarters, next door to Wells Fargo Express Co., with your membership fee, or tell them your willingness to work, to knit at home or to sew at headquarters some afternoon, where it is warm and comfortable. Because we have not had disasters and battles on land and sea as yet, is no reason to quiet down into passive individuals! Let's be ready and waiting! When Mr. Hurt, of San Francisco, Red Cross Headquarters was here, he told us that if we should have one terrible battle as they are having each day in European countries, that we would only have hospital supplies on hand to last 24 hours! This membership money that will be turned in to buy materials and hospital supplies, will do its work; it will not be for naught—if we do not need it for America, war or civilian disasters—it will go to the Red Cross work in Europe, where it is so dreadfully needed. Your Country Needs You! Join today! Perhaps there are some who cannot give the dollar and would be willing to work—if so—report at headquarters, there is work for all. Some have families or are business people and cannot give the time. They can give the dollar for materials, etc.

When you join, you are not pledging yourself to field work or any other thing. You are merely showing your colors, your loyalty to your country and the grand old flag.

Your help is needed now! To support its base and field hospitals, its doctors and nurses, and to provide the necessities of military and civic relief.

The American Red Cross is chartered by Congress. It is the only volunteer agency for relief, commissioned by the President of the United States, who is President of the Society.

This fund is used in calamities of all kinds—"The San Francisco Fire," "Ohio Valley Floods," "The Titanic" and "Eastland" disasters, and all other catastrophes involving loss of life and suffering. Don't wait! Don't be a laggard! Join Now!

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Twenty Thousand Mention Workers Walk Out in Berlin and Riots Reported.

STRIKE SPREADS TO ALL PARTS OF COUNTRY

Vatican Advised That Hungary on Verge of Revolution; Bread Riots Cause.

ROME, April 21.—Revolution is imminent in Hungary. The Vatican advised today. Resulting from the disturbances, Budapest and twenty-five other towns have been proclaimed in a state of siege.

Violence Reported. AMSTERDAM, April 21.—Twenty thousand Berlin and Spandau munition workers are striking as a protest against the reduction of bread rations according to the latest information. Scores of conflicting rumors including reported great violence in the riot came today. A great force of strikers are said to have evaded at Magdeburg and tried to burn public buildings. Duhshoff reports declare that strike delegates in Berlin rejected the proposition of the government to renounce their limitation of annexation and to abolish compulsory service and institute immediately equal franchise.

Krupps Join the Strikers. ESSEN, April 21.—It is reported that the Krupps plant joined the strike.

Berlin Denies Rioting. LEIPZIG, April 21.—Several thousand strikers are out but the munition plants are believed to be unaffected. Berlin officials deny the rioting.

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