

JOHN BARLEYCORN GOT ANOTHER BLOW

Whiskey—750 Quarts of It—
Apprehended in
Albany

PORTLAND PEOPLE WILL BE VERY DRY

Secret Service Man Followed Four
Trunks from Togue, California,
and Stuff Was Taken at Oregon
Electric Depot in Albany.

The way of the transgressor is indeed hard these days, especially if the transgression happens to be along the line of booze importations. In the past three days something like 1,150 quarts of good whiskey has been apprehended in and about the Willamette Valley, 400 quarts being taken four miles this side of Newport and 750 quarts taken yesterday by United States Secret Service Agent Ralph Jones and Chief John Catlin of Albany.

The 750 quarts were taken at the Oregon Electric by Chief Catlin, who had received a phone message from Salem giving the numbers of the trunk checks. They were shipped right under the nose of Jones at Montague by a citizen of Linn county who is probably apprehended by now and who is supposed to have bought the stuff for Portland consumption.

Jones took the numbers of the trunks, followed them to Oregon, wired the Portland marshal's office that they were to be unloaded at Salem and Catlin followed them to Albany, where they were caught. The bootlegger, however, played a joke on the officers and unloaded the trunks and himself at Albany. When the trunks did not arrive at No. 16 at Salem, Chief Catlin was warned, and he found the goods at the Oregon Electric, arrived a minute before Mr. Jones arrived on the scene. In the meantime, however, the importer had "beat" it and has not been arrested, although it is known where he is.

The goods seized at Newport Friday night were unloaded at Jefferson Friday evening, placed in two automobiles—taken across the river on the Buena Vista ferry and sent up through Kings Valley to Newport. Four miles from Newport, however, they ran into a party of United States secret service men and state policemen who have been doing plainclothes work among the bootlegging fraternity at Newport. The two chauffeurs, neither Albany men, are now under arrest.

As a result the good citizens of Newport are something like \$4,000 ahead of the game, as that much booze failed to reach them, and the Newport bootleggers are \$4,000 behind. In the same way Portland is ahead—\$7,500 ahead—and the bootleggers are behind that amount. The booze is supposed to be selling at \$10 a quart and is bought at less than \$2 a quart, so that the value of the goods confiscated would be around \$2,000 in California.

Government Control of Airplanes Wanted

WASHINGTON, July 1.—(U. P.)—Following startling discoveries made by the senate aircraft on its tour, it is planned to recommend that the government take over all aircraft factories. Many are now operating on "shoe strings," and profiteering is rampant, declare the committeemen.

NEW CLASSIFIED

FOR SALE—Clean, cheap hay, \$15 in field or \$20 delivered. Call 2526. N. I. Hinds, R. F. D. 0.
FOR SALE—A small driving horse, cheap. O. C. Swander, R. 3, 31-2 miles southwest of Albany on Peoria Road.
FOR SALE—Or trade, 2 Percheron mares, 2 and 4 years old, broke to work. Will take Liberty Bonds. C. B. Sorenson, Shedd, 18F22—1w.
FOR RENT—6-room modern bungalow, on corner 1st and Main, with garage. Bell phone 259R. W. A. Sharp.
TO TRADE—5-room bungalow, 2 lots, 1-2 block from Main street and about 1 block from center of Toledo. Will trade for residence in Albany. Address John Salvage, R. F. D. No. 5, Albany.
FOR SALE—Clover hay in the shock at \$10 per ton, 5 miles south of Albany. Cheap hay for sale standing or in the shock. C. B. Settlemier, Tangent.

TWO GAINS REPORTED BY ALLIES LAST NIGHT

French Advance and Many
Prisoners Are Taken
by Italians

PARIS, July 1.—(U. P.)—The French advanced their lines slightly on a five-mile front northwest of Chateau Thierry last night. In an operation southeast of Osley, 200 prisoners were taken. Minor operations are reported in the official statement, these being along the Marne and resulting in the capture of 46 prisoners.

Italians Gain
WASHINGTON, July 1.—Striking suddenly in the upper Asiago last night, the Italians, aided by the French, captured over 1500 Austrians, including 50 officers, according to the Rome cables to the Italian Embassy here.

The message declared that the Italians had captured and now hold Ebell peak, Colderosso, and Mount Val Bel-la.

LONDON, July 1.—Marshal Haig today reported a successful British raid in the Picardy sector, but nothing important over the remainder of the front.

HOSPITAL SHIP IS DESTROYED BY SUBMARINE

LONDON, July 1.—(By U. P.)—The British hospital ship Landover Castle, carrying 80 Canadian army men and medical officers, and 14 nurses, was torpedoed and sunk off Fastnet, 160 miles from land, the British admiralty announced today.

There are 234 men missing, and but 24 members of the crew have arrived at port. The ship sank in ten minutes. The admiralty announced that apparently all the Canadian medical officers are missing.

New Forest Fire Is Reported at Detroit

Another forest fire was reported today, the new blaze being between Detroit and Hoover. This was reported by the Hammond Lumber company. The size of the blaze is not known but there is considerable smoke. A number of men left to fight the fire, and it is believed they have it under control now.

Linn County Sending 41 Men to California

Linn county will send 41 more men to Fort McDowell on the 5th of July. The men enroute at 11:45 and are called to report at the sheriff's office at 3 in the afternoon. There will be 73 in the afternoon. There will be 76 more go out on the 22nd of July, and this will exhaust class one in the county.

Murphy Takes Over Delivery—

Chris Murphy & Sons today took over the city delivery system. It was sold some weeks ago to Mr. Murphy by Asa Eastburn.

Visiting Here—

Floyd Hanchett and wife are visiting Mrs. Hanchett's parents at Tangent. They now reside at Lakeview, Oregon.

Sunday at Cascadia—

D. O. Woodworth spent Sunday at Cascadia.

Dr. Starr Here—

Dr. Starr of Brownsville was attending to professional business in Albany today.

Enters Bank Service—

Edmund Way of the 1918 Albany high school graduating class, and one of the winners of scholarships, has accepted a position with the Albany State bank.

Went to Portland—

Mrs. T. M. Wright of Moscow, Idaho who has been here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Craft, went to Portland this morning to visit relatives.

Spent Sunday in Corvallis—

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Collins and daughter Louise, Mrs. T. M. Wright of Moscow and Miss Cecil Gains of Portland drove to Corvallis yesterday and spent the afternoon and evening.

WORK OR FIGHT RULE IS NOW ON

Local Exemption Board Expects to Enforce Regulations

RECLASSIFICATION OF DEFERRED CLASS ON

About 30 New Class One Men Will Be Added to List When All Reclassified Cases Are Acted on By District Board Is Belief.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Seventy men were today subpoenaed under the new work or fight rule effective July 1. The government started first on the gamblers, idlers, ticket speculators, pool room habitués, tea roomers, criminals and park loafers. Later there will be a raid on the department store clerks and people in such occupations. It is estimated that there are 40,000 in New York affected.

Today is the day the "Work or Fight" rule goes into effect, and the Linn county board expects to enforce the rule in the county wherever it is necessary. It is not believed, however, that there are many in the county who will be reclassified on this account.

If information is received that deferred class registrants should be investigated, or if the board decides that some registrant should be doing more efficient work, action will be taken at once, however.

There will be many deferred class men who will be reclassified in class one, however, because an inquiry into the dependency and other claims for deferred class has shown that they were classed too high originally. These men will probably be sent out on July 22.

There are 25 cases of this sort now before the district board and the local board's decision has been affirmed in 15 cases. It is believed that about 30 new class one men will be secured by the reclassification.

Following are the regulations defining what registrants are to be considered by local boards as engaged in non-productive occupations or employments, and following each section (Does not include public or private chauffeurs, unless they are also engaged in other occupations or employment defined by these regulations as non-productive.)

Sales clerks and other clerks employed in stores and other mercantile establishments. (Does not include store executives, managers, superintendents, nor the heads of such departments as accounting, financial, advertising, credit, purchasing, delivery, receiving, shipping and other departments; does not include registered pharmacists employed in wholesale and retail drugstores or establishments, and does not include traveling salesmen, buyers, delivery drivers, electricians, engineers, carpet layers, upholsterers, nor any employees doing heavy work outside the usual duties of clerks.)

(The words "sales clerks and other clerks" do include the clerical force in the office, and in all departments of stores and mercantile establishments. (The words "stores and other mercantile establishments" do include both wholesale and retail stores and mercantile establishments engaged in selling goods and wares.)

The circular also says, in regard to acceptance of excuses by local boards:

In addition to the cases where reasonable excuses may be accepted for temporary idleness or for being engaged in a non-productive occupation or employment, local and district boards have authority under the regulations to withhold or postpone action for a reasonable time in cases where it appears that the registrant, in good faith, is, or has been, seeking productive employment, and that such reasonable postponement will enable him to secure such employment.

Persons engaged in the serving of food and drink, or either, in public places, including hotels and social clubs. (Does not include managers, clerks, waiters, etc.)

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OIL TANKS EXPLODED BY LIGHTNING TODAY

Much Damage Done at Los Angeles in Electrical Accident

LOS ANGELES, July 1.—(U. P.)—Two huge oil tanks of the Standard Oil company at El Segundo were struck by lightning and exploded. Lightning also struck an oil derrick, firing the oil flowing from a well.

Both tanks were of 50,000 barrel capacity. The explosion caused a deafening roar and a blinding flash. The tops of both tanks were blown off.

The firemen are fighting desperately, seeking to prevent the flames from spreading.

GASOLINE TRUCK FALLS THROUGH FLOOR OF BRIDGE

A near-serious accident occurred on the bridge this morning when the big gasoline truck of the Union Oil company of Corvallis broke through. Fortunately only the rear wheel broke through and the truck fell against the steel frame, otherwise it would have fallen to the ground, some 30 feet below.

The truck was near the outside of the bridge and the outside girder apparently broke first. When the truck fell through, another girder was broken and several more, almost to the center of the bridge, were cracked. Four planks were broken off and several more cracked.

It is supposed that the girder which broke was slightly defective, but not enough to be noticeable to the carpenters who put them in place a few months ago. The girder and planking were put in place this spring.

DESTROYERS TO BE LAUNCHED

WASHINGTON, July 1.—(U. P.)—The navy department today announced that 13 American destroyers will be launched on July 4th. All will be launched from American yards.

Farmer's Union Picnic at Barr's Grove July 4 to Be Big Event

W. M. Pierce Will Be Speaker and Musical Program Will Be Given

The Farmers' Union picnic at Barr's Grove, near Lebanon, is framing up as the biggest thing in the county on July 4th, and it is probable that a good crowd from Albany will be present. Senator W. M. Pierce of LaGrande is to be the principal speaker and will make an address along patriotic lines. Mr. Pierce, who is the democratic candidate for governor, is considered one of the ablest speakers in the state and his addresses are always well attended and well received.

In addition to the usual picnic dinner. Everyone who comes is expected to bring along the eats, but for those who forget there will be stands and concessions where the hungry may fill up. All the stands and concessions are under the supervision of the Red Cross, and all the proceeds will go to the Red Cross treasury.

There will be a big celebration at Lebanon and as a result of the two affairs so close together it is probable that there will be a general exodus from all over the county to the general direction of Lebanon. As the two celebrations are within five miles of each other, those who have cars will be able to attend both affairs.

The entire program for the Farmers' Union picnic has not been completed, but the main features are known. The address by Mr. Pierce is the principal event of the speaking program, but other talks are to be made in addition. Instrumental and vocal music is to take up a large share of the program, and the Hammer quartet of Albany will be on hand.

All the proceeds from the picnic and from the stands and concessions, including the nigger baby rack, will go to the Red Cross, and in the afternoon an auction sale, with the Red Cross taking the proceeds, will be held.

This is in charge of E. W. Bartruff, who is still in need of more goods to sell.

"All persons who can donate articles for the sale are asked to phone in their name and address and the article to be given," Mr. Bartruff stated today. "This is in order that a list may be made out. If you haven't time to phone in, however, bring the stuff to the sale. Anything of value will be acceptable whether land, stock, notions, grub or clothes."

Sunday School Rally Staged at Waterloo Yesterday; 700 Present

With more than 700 people in attendance the annual Sunday school rally was successfully staged yesterday at Waterloo under the direction of G. H. Rohrbough of the American Sunday School Union. One hundred and 25 automobiles were counted on the grounds and it is estimated that a larger number of carriages were used in conveying the people to the picnic. Next Sunday a similar rally will be held at Dever.

The program was in part as follows: 10:30 a. m.—Orchestra. Song service led by Mrs. Roy Miller. Introduction of Sunday School officers. Anthem by members of Waterloo S. S. Programs by local Sunday schools. A

TELEGRAPHS MAY BE TAKEN OVER

President Asks Authority From Congress for Action

IMPENDING STRIKE IS PARTIAL CAUSE

Will Be Necessary to Guard Military Secrets and Government Communications, Declare Secretaries Barleson and Daniels.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—(U. P.)—President Wilson today asked congress for power to take over the telegraph and telephone lines in the United States.

The President wrote the house interstate commerce committee endorsing letters from Secretaries Barleson and Daniels, sent simultaneously, stating that such power was necessary to prevent suspension of the telegraph service and to guard military secrets and government communications.

The President advocated the passage of the Aswell resolution empowering him to operate the telegraph, telephone, radio and cable systems. The President today vetoed the legislative appropriation bill because of the Borland amendment increasing the hours of the government workers without providing for pay for overtime.

Garaged Failure

The Garaged, which was to revolutionize the world by producing unlimited free energy, has proved a failure. This was the report of the government scientific board which congress had authorized to investigate the affair.

Visiting Her Aunt—
Lucille Gohn of Portland is here for a week or so as the guest of her aunt.

AUTO TURNS OVER NORTH OF ALBANY

Albany People Have Narrow Escape When Driver Loses Control

Five Albany people narrowly escaped death when a Ford car turned turtle on a grade seven miles north of Albany Sunday morning. C. E. Bruce is nursing a sprained wrist and other members of the party received minor bruises as a result of the accident, but no one was seriously injured.

In the car at the time of the accident were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bruce and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blodgett.

Blodgett was at the wheel and when they were making a steep grade lost control of the car at a turn of the road. The car went over just as they reached the foot of the hill.

Draft Man Is of Military Family

That all classes are included in the national army is to be seen from the cards left by the men at the army. These are collected by the Red Cross ladies and mailed, and at times some remarkable things are learned. Sunday a card was written, addressed to a major-general in the United States army, now in France. It started "Dear Father" and was signed "Your Son."

Grand Duke Michael Issues Manifesto

MOSCOW, June 26.—(By United Press)—Grand Duke Michael, brother of the former Czar, has issued a manifesto declaring that since the constitutional assembly has been dissolved, Russia is disintegrating. It is his duty, he declares, to restore order. The manifesto calls on the people to overthrow the Bolsheviks, and offers amnesty to all revolutionists.

First Tomato Story of Season Reported

Phil Baltimore is always the person to "beat in the first ripe tomato" of the season, and once again he comes to bat with a record which he believes will stand this season. He picked his first ripe tomato yesterday, June 30. Mr. Baltimore has mixed several varieties of tomato and the result he has called "Baltimore's Early" for lack of better name. Last year he ran second in the race, and was 17 days later than this year.

Black Sea Fleet in German Hands

LONDON, July 1.—(U. P.)—Chancellor Bonar Law today announced in the house of commons that the Russian Black Sea fleet had fallen into the hands of the Germans. An undated Moscow dispatch declared that the sailors blew up the fleet rather than surrender.

CITY NEWS

Left for Outing—

Miss Ellen Parker went to Newport this noon for an outing on the beach.

Here From Portland—

Mrs. Eva Patterson and daughter Eda of Portland are visiting relatives and friends.

Returned Home—

Mrs. Byron Taylor of Corvallis returned home Saturday evening after a two weeks' visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. French.

Goes to Newport—

F. M. Redfield and grandson Jack French left this noon for Newport for an outing.

Here From Mable—

W. E. Venable of Mable, Ore., spent Sunday in Albany with his wife. Have Adenoids Removed—

Little Florence Stratton and brother Waldo Stratton had their adenoids removed yesterday and are getting along nicely.

At Cascadia—

C. W. Sears and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sears spent the week-end at Cascadia.

Fords Arrive—

W. W. Crawford received a carload of Ford cars this morning.

Harry Cusick Home—

Harry Cusick, now undergoing military training at the summer camp maintained at the University of Oregon, spent the week-end with his family. He has accumulated a good tan and already looks the picture of health as a result of the training which he is receiving.

20 DISTRICTS TO RAISE \$16,000

Linn County W. S. S. Quota Believed Certain by Committee

LAST REPORTS ARE SLOW COMING IN

Leaders Believe at Least \$38,000 Has Been Pledged in Districts Which Have Not Yet Reported. Albany Is Near \$65,000.

While all the War Savings Stamp reports are not yet in, it appears as though Linn county will go over the quota by about \$20,000. There are still 20 districts to report and while their quotas are around \$45,000, the central committee expects to get around \$28,000 at least, this allowing for a considerable failure in each district.

At the present time Linn county has bought and paid for \$157,699 worth of W. S. S., and in addition has pledged \$336,152 during the past week. This makes a total of \$495,851, which is \$16,149 less than the quota.

It is believed that there is no doubt but that the \$16,000 will be reported, and in fact has been pledged for some time. The reports from several communities are being delayed for a day until more work can be done, and the final returns should be in by tomorrow.

Albany should have pledged close to \$65,000 when the final reports are in. There is \$64,000 officially reported and a few more pledges are being turned in by the workers.

Clerks Snowed Under

The postoffice reported a big business Saturday and today, and not all of this was for pledges. In fact, Postmaster Stewart declared that a surprising amount was not to make good pledges.

"One good thing I noticed," Mr. Stewart declared, "was that every customer was in a good humor. The stamps were bought because they were wanted and not because of any idea of compulsion."

On Saturday the clerks were snowed under and the order was issued that no certificates could be registered. The purchasers were asked to return later and have their certificates registered, and the clerks spent all of their time taking in the money.

The sales for the day amounted to \$35,000, "over the counter," and in addition the other postoffices in the county bought \$30,000 worth of stamps making the sales \$65,000. The Albany postoffice today remitted \$92,000 to the government for W. S. S.

Socialist Leader Is Arrested Today

CLEVELAND, Ohio, July 1.—(U. P.)—Eugene V. Debs, socialist leader, was today arraigned before the federal court charged with a violation of the espionage act. He waived the reading of the indictment.

Debs will plead at the trial. His bond has been fixed at \$10,000.

Explanation From Turkey Is Demanded

WASHINGTON, July 1.—(U. P.)—The American government has demanded that Turkey immediately explain the attacks by Turkish soldiers on the American consulate and hospital at Tabriz, Persia. The Spanish government has officially verified the attacks.

NEWSBOY BUYS MANY W. S. S.

George Parker, 806 Walnut, walked out of the postoffice this morning, carrying with him 20 War Savings Stamps, maturity value \$100. Mr. Parker, who is very close to ten years old, admitted that it made him feel good to see them.

"I've been selling papers since last June, and I've still got \$50 in the bank, and I'm going to buy more stamps with it," was the statement he issued for publication.

George is the small boy who sells Sunday after 5 o'clock, Saturday Evening Posts before that time, and who conducts himself as a small boy should between times.