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ALBANY DAILY DEMOCRAT

Tonight and Wednesday fair Continued Cold

ALBANY COMPANY BUY GOVERNMENT TIMBER OFFERED AT SALE TODAY

Merrill Lumber & Shingle Co. is Highest Bidder on Stumpage in Breitenbush District at Portland.

TO CUT LUMBER

Company Buys 68,000,000 Feet Near Detroit and Will Commence Commercial Logging Operations Soon.

The Merrill Lumber & Shingle Co., a corporation which was formed here this month, today purchased the tract of Government timber in the Santiam National Forest which was advertised for sale recently by officials of the United States forest service.

This timber consists of 68,000,000 feet of yellow fir, Noble fir, sugar pine, white pine, hemlock and red cedar timber and is located along the Breitenbush river 1 1/2 miles northeast of Detroit, in Marion County.

Mayo Denies Letter to Board Was Protest

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—By A. P.—Rear Admiral Henry Mayo, Commander of the chief fleet during the war, told the Senate investigating committee that his letter to Secretary Daniels saying that the Knight Board did not give enough consideration to the records of officers' service at sea, was not to be taken as a protest.

New Classified

DAY OLD CHICKS—Do not order your day old chicks until you have seen one of my making and price pamphlets. Send for one. Bert Case, Route 5, Phone 41-F-3.

WANTED—Clean cotton rags at the Democrat office.

FOR RENT—Furnished light house-keeping apt. Parties with children need not apply. Call at 630 West 7th.

WANTED—A young reliable man wants some form of work for about six hours a day. Leave word at Democrat office, care of X. Y. Z.

FOR SALE—O. A. C. Eggs for hatching from heavy laying strain, Barred Rocks, \$1.50 per 15, put your order in early. I. O. A. C. cockerel for sale. See Mrs. A. M. Rorer, Albany, 1232 Front St.

HEALTH FLOUR—Prof. Mutch's Health Flour, 10 lb. sack, 80c, at Murphy's Seed Store.

WANTED—Land plaster sower, for cash. Address C. B. Settlement, Tangent, Ore.

LOST—On Jan. 19th, foxterrier pup, black and white, 4 months old. Return to Harry Schlosser, 234 So. Ferry St., Reward.

FOR SALE—Two houses at corner of 5th & Ellsworth, at very reasonable price. Prices and terms on application. Beam Land Co., 133 Lyon St.

FOR SALE—40 acre farm in Benton county, 3 miles north of Albany, 25 acre prune orchard. Will sell cheap. See R. B. Dove, 231 North Main, Phone 738-J.

FOR SALE—Corn in ear, good hog and chicken feed. Get it now while it's going. S. M. Peebler, 1017 E. 1st St., Phone 426-Y.

RED CROSS DRIVE NETS COUNTY \$547

Miss Nimmo's Classes Win School Prize; Teddy Gilbert is First

Reports from Linn county towns have been received in the Red Cross drive. Field sales have been successful. Albany leads with \$335.45 to her credit, \$193.35 of this being sold by the pupils of the Junior High school. Miss Nimmo's pupils of the Junior High sold \$47.50 and received first prize, a picture of General Pershing. Teddy Gilbert, one of Miss Nimmo's pupils sold \$14.50 worth and thereby received the \$5 prize. The following amounts were reported: Lebanon, \$55.99; Brownsville, \$12; Halsey, \$6.60; Scio, \$10; Crabtree, \$3.38; Gooch, \$5; Tangent, \$2.20; Shedd, \$1.27. Total of sales in Linn county \$547.46.

700 RADICALS TAKEN IN RAID

27 Reds Arrested in Seattle Are Listed for Deportation

SEATTLE, Jan. 20.—By A. P.—Federal officials announced today that twenty-seven alleged radicals arrested in raids last night are to be held for deportation.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 20.—Department of justice agents and Seattle police, armed with federal deportation warrants last night made more than 700 arrests in a sweeping raid which, officers said, was intended to "break the backbone of radical activities in the northwest."

Many of the men taken were released after examination at the United States immigration detention station, but many others were held, and officers said they expected at least 200 suspects would later face deportation hearings.

The 196 warrants originally issued, were directed in the most part against members of the Union of Russian Workers, an alleged radical organization, but the scope of the raid was widened and poolrooms, hotels and gathering places searched for persons suspected of membership in any radical society.

Trucks in Collision—The delivery cars of the J. D. Sears Grocery and Fosbair & Mason Drug Co., met yesterday evening with more or less damage to both.

ANNUAL REPORT SHOWS GROWTH

Far-West Mfg. Co., Holds Regular Meeting; Dividend Declared

The Far West Manufacturing company held its first annual meeting last night since occupying the new quarters. All but seven shares of the stock were represented.

The reports of the secretary showed an excellent years business, \$33,500 being the total sales for the year. A six per cent dividend was declared and paid the stockholders.

A. C. Butcher, Dan Johnston, C. M. Grigsby, C. E. Williamson and J. H. Thomas were elected directors for the ensuing year. A. C. Butcher, was elected president, and business manager, C. M. Grigsby, vice-president, and Dan Johnston secretary and treasurer.

The floor space of the plant was increased 50 per cent last year in addition to a big outlay for machinery.

The officers, directors and employees are to hold a meeting together this evening for the purpose of having a better understanding between the manufacturing and the managing end of the business.

C. K. Tebbets, the traveling salesman of western Washington and northern Oregon is also here to confer with the company for the work of this year.

ARMENIAN STATESMAN & SOLDIER APPEALS TO ALBANY PEOPLE TO AID IN FIGHT AGAINST TURKS

GENERAL MESROP AZGAPETIAN FASCINATES LOCAL AUDIENCE WITH STORY OF OPPRESSED PEOPLE; DRIVE TO START SOON; LINN COUNTY ASKED TO RAISE \$5,000.

General Mesrop Azapetian Armenian Soldier and Statesman last night at the Baptist church, delivered the strongest appeal for the liberation of his race ever presented to an Albany audience.

In summing up the character of the man and the cause he represents it is safe to say that the General is a soldier, statesman, diplomat, and a Christian of the first magnitude, and his cause, praying to the civilized nations of the earth to prevent the extermination of his people by the tyrannical Turk is truly just, and a responsibility from which no Christian nation can be morally relieved without lending a helping hand.

The general is one of the number making an appeal to the United States to raise thirty million dollars in this country to supply the devastated districts of Armenia with the absolute necessities of life, and to assist them to again start in the rebuilding of their industries which have been utterly destroyed by the war. The Armenians are the oldest Christian nation on the earth and are a people who thirst after education, righteousness, and progress. But owing to being under the despotic rule of the inferior Turk they are not permitted to carry out their policies, said the speaker.

The Turks are Mohammed in religion and belong to the degenerated Tartar race from ancient Siberia and are of a type that does not endorse education and progress. At the beginning of the war the leading Ar-

menians were all killed, or sent to prison by the Turks in order that they might control and prohibit the Armenians joining the allies.

The Armenians set forth their claims to other Christian nations on the grounds that they are a Christian nation of the Caucasian people and have succeeded in every country in the world where they have had an opportunity and that the leaders of their people have held prominent positions in every country where they have been tried.

The Armenians sent one fourth of a million soldiers to the war out of a population of between four and five million people, which is, perhaps, the largest percentage in any of the allied nations in the conflict. It was largely through Armenian influence that Palestine fell into the hands of the allied armies caused by the Turks dividing their force to fight the Armenians at the same time they were being attacked in Palestine.

He said the United States is the greatest republic in the world, and is looked to as the defender of the oppressed in all lands because of her action in the recent war and the attitude in giving the Cubans a stable government, and that she has emerged into a world power. His final appeal was that England, France and Russia at the beginning of the war when the Armenian was making a great record that at the close of the struggle they should have a stable

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STUDENTS HELP SEARCH THE CITY

High School Boys Seek Out Names of People Missed in Census Count

Some 50 or more students of the local high school are out today scouring every nook and corner of the city, looking for people who have been missed in the decennial census enumeration.

The students are working in co-operation with the Chamber of Commerce, which is making every effort to get every person in the city counted. If anyone is overlooked it will be a far-sighted error, for the city is being searched from boundary to boundary.

The chorians at Salem yesterday added 150 names to the list in that city through their efforts. In one case the chorian committee called at the Mapes home where a baby had been born a few minutes before. The committee waited while the parents disheveled a suitable name, and now Miss Bertha Mapes is the youngest person to be listed in the 1920 census in the capital city.

If anyone has been overlooked it is still time to secure the count by informing the office of the City Recorder.

AMERICAN PAPERS FACE SHORTAGE

Western Publishers 40 Per Cent Short on Paper Following Ruling

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—A. P.—American newspapers in the middle-west apparently will be 40 per cent short on paper supply as a result of an embargo placed by the Canadian government on shipments of newsprint to the United States from the plant of the Fort Francis Company, an American controlled concern in Western Canada, the state department announced today.

PRETTY WEDDING OCCURS TODAY

Miss Ruth Barrett Becomes Bride of Frank H. Wilson, of Dallas

Miss Ruth Eleanor Barrett, one of Albany's most popular young women, and Frank Harold Wilson, prominent young man of near Dallas, were married at nuptial high mass at St. Mary's Catholic church at 9 o'clock this morning. Rev. Father Arthur Lane performed the ceremony.

The wedding came as a complete surprise to Miss Barrett's friends in this city. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Margaret Barrett and the bridegroom is the only child of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Wilson, prominent fruit growers of Polk County.

Preceding the ceremony Miss Marjorie Holman, of Dallas sang "I Love You Truly" and Miss Suelia Dorgan sang "Because" and "Just for Today". The wedding march was played by Sister Alexander, of St. Mary's Academy. Frank Barrett and Miss Irene Barrett, brother and sister of the bride, stood up with the contracting couple.

Miss Barrett was beautiful in a wedding dress of white satin and brides veil. She carried a shower bouquet of Ophelia roses and Frezia, which was later caught by Miss Holman.

Following the ceremony a delicious wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's mother and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson left on the noon train for southern California. They will spend the next three months at Los Angeles and travelling in the sunny south.

Chinese Take An Interest In Trade Matters

SHANGHAI.—An active interest is being taken by the Chinese government in the arrangements being made for the seventh annual convention of the National Foreign Trade Council, which is to be held in San Francisco May 12-15 in 1920.

OLCOTT GIVES OUT LIST OF BILLS

Measures Passed by Last Legislature Are Given Signature

SALEM, Jan. 20.—By A. P.—Governor Olcott announced the list of bills he has approved which were passed at the recent special session of the legislature. They included those making possible the enforcement of the death penalty in the event the people amend the constitution restoring capital punishment; also the Jones Bill for extending the act appropriating money for the Roosevelt Highway contingent on the government appropriation; also the Eberhard bill making it unlawful for contractors to employ on public works aliens who had evaded service by non-citizenship claims. He has not yet acted on local road bills. It is not known whether he will veto any.

RUSSIANS REFUSE DEPORTED REDS

Only Three Permitted to Enter, Says Telegram; Crosses Frontier

TERIJOKI, Jan. 20.—(By the Associated Press.)—The hands of bolsheviks and anarchists deported from the United States are safely across the Russian frontier, but whether all of the party will remain safe in soviet Russia is a question to be determined by the bolsheviks.

Hardly had the last of them passed over the border yesterday than a belated telegram reached the Finnish military officials in charge of the transfer announcing that the soviet government had decided to permit only three deportees to enter.

Their names have not been made public, but those favored are believed to be Emma Goldman, Alexander Berkman and Peter Bianski.

The telegram is incomprehensible in view of the fact that delegation including the wife of Maxim Gorky came out to receive the exiles and elaborate preparations had been made to welcome them.

The deportees, with baggage, trudged through deep snow, laughing and singing revolutionary songs. Cheers were raised by the Russians waiting on the other side of the frozen Syser-bak river, which separates the Finnish and bolshevik lines.

NEW YORK BAR DENIED HEARING

Delegation Headed by Hughes Shut Out of Trial

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 20.—By A. P.—The Assembly committee trying the five suspended Socialist members refused to permit the appearance of the New York City bar association headed by Charles Evans Hughes, which asked to be received in the interest of the public.

Chairman Martin read the statement asserting that the assembly learned that the defendants were members of a party whose industrial platform was industrial unrest, bringing force and violence into action and direct action by the masses. Hughes said that the members seats should be temporarily restored as the charges were not properly formulated.

Train Help Up At Richmond, Cal.

The S. P. train was held up last night at Richmond, Cal., according to word received today by local S. P. officials and Chief of Police Catlin. The leader of the gang is described as being 30 years old, weight 170 pounds, light complexion, hair cut close and combed back, wore blue bib overalls. A considerable haul is reported.

PUBLIC LIBRARY ENJOYS GROWTH DURING THE LAST TWELVE MONTHS

Report of Librarian at Annual Meeting Shows 12,876 Volumes Were Loaned Readers; 376 New Patrons

NEW BOOKS ADDED

Shelving Placed in Lecture Room Adds to Capacity; School Books Placed in Library Good Move.

According to the report of Mrs. Viola Price Franklin, librarian, to the Public Library board at the annual meeting held last week, there were 12,876 volumes borrowed from the library during last year, the largest since the organization of the local institution. There were 276 new patrons added to the list of book users and the library enjoyed a successful year in every respect.

The outstanding feature of the progress made during the year is the placing of shelving in the lecture room adjoining the main auditorium, and the placing of the library books of the graded schools of the city in the library.

The agreement between the library board and the school directors is reported as working out very satisfactorily, and the books more widely circulated. The library is fast becoming a center for meetings and lectures, a long various lines of interest to the public. There have been seven prominent lectures given during the year and thirty two meetings of minor importance.

At a recent meeting a committee was appointed to work for a county library. Dr. Ellis, as chairman, has made comprehensive plans to bring the matter before the county and the work is progressing satisfactorily. The extension committee is making special efforts to get more of the laboring men to take advantage of the library.

It is gratifying to find the increased interest in the reading of the best type of books. During the year more than 100 books have been purchased and 92 donated, making the total number of volumes at the close of the year about 5000.

The Albany library was first organized in 1908 and has been in the new building since 1914. 12,876 books were checked out this year, the largest by far since the beginning. There were 376 new readers added during the year. Judge H. H. Hewitt has been the president of the board, which consists of 12 members since the original organization.

The salary of the librarian was raised to \$1020 at the annual meeting. The books and magazines are systematically arranged, and kept in first class condition at all times. The

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Have You A Farm For Sale?

Three letters in One Day

The Democrat yesterday received three letters from people in other states subscribing for the paper in order that they may be able to watch the real estate advertisements.

All are coming to Oregon to BUY FARMS.

We are constantly receiving such letters and answering them.

What are you doing, Mr. Real Estate Man, or Mr. Private Individual with a farm or house or land to sell?

Why not list your offerings in the columns of the Democrat and keep people who are looking for buys informed?

You are passing up a big salesmanship opportunity right here. Send in Your Copy Today