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UNEMPLOYED ARMY 2 SHOT TO PIECES

Constable Catlin and 2 Assistants Bring in 38 and Ship Them South.

FORTY-SIX WERE CAMPED AT DEEVER YESTERDAY

Rimer's Jobless Forces Are Marching on to Eugene Is Latest Report.

"We are shipping all the unemployed men and hoboes south," said Constable John Catlin this morning, "and all of them appear to be satisfied. They don't want to go back north. Last night 38 members of army No. 2, were sent south from here."

Part of army No. 2, which was escorted by the sheriff of Polk county from McCoy Saturday to the county line and told to keep on moving, lit the Oregon Electric from the Sidney Mill Road yesterday morning and walked to Deever. Fearing trouble and that they would make good their threats to use force to secure food, the farmers of the neighborhood assembled at the station last night to prevent damage to property. Sheriff Bodine was telephoned at Albany and he detailed three deputy sheriffs to the scene.

Catlin Confers With Leaser.
Constable Catlin and Jim Groshong and F. Carmickle were those detailed. Upon arriving the constable went to the camp of the invaders, which was in a grove. The men were making up mulligans from potatoes. After a conference, the leaders and the constable decided the band would move on to Albany.

After the mulligan stew was eaten, the 46 started out, accompanied by the three deputies. They arrived here shortly before 11 o'clock. Eight of the men, however, footsore and worn out, were left at Conzor. The remaining number of 38 boarded an empty car of through southbound freight No. 221 at about 12 o'clock and are on their way to California.

Constable Catlin states that when the army left McCoy, 10 deserted and that they were followed by the reputed leader, Captain Rice and his wife, who returned to Portland by train. The constable said that a man appearing to be a Louisiana creole was in command at Deever.

Rimer's Army Marches South.
Having been given breakfast at Harrisburg yesterday morning, where they were also sheltered for the night, Rimer's unemployed forces, left by the way of the Oregon Electric tracks southward bound, 54 strong, without giving the authorities any trouble. It is reported that they arrived at Junction City shortly after 12 o'clock yesterday and were escorted through the city by a large delegation of citizens. The last report received here is that they are making for Eugene.

Mayor I. W. Davis, of Harrisburg, this morning stated over the telephone that no more delegations of unemployed would be tolerated there. "We will disregard their demands and they will be escorted right out of the city immediately after their arrival," said the mayor, "and I would like this fact to be generally known."

"That these unemployed armies will eventually break up and scatter is the belief of Constable Catlin. He says they are apparently getting mighty tired of tramping in such large crowds and that there has from time to time been serious dissension among them.

Constable Catlin and his assistants deserve credit for the way in which they handled the men. But for the constable's ingenuity in handling such men, Albany would today probably be housing another bunch similar to those who were ousted Friday. The constable said he recognized many old time hoboes in the crowd.

THREE MEN GIVEN 10 DAYS FOR RUSHING RESTAURANT

Hub Cafe on Lyon Street Is Victim of the First Case Here.

Charged with rushing a restaurant, three men, declaring themselves to be sincerely in search of work and that they were strictly up against it, were hauled before Justice Swan this afternoon, plead guilty and were given 10 days in the county jail. They began serving the sentence shortly afterwards. They gave the names of Morton, Miller and Shaddock. It is the first case of its kind to happen here.

The three men entered the Hub restaurant at Ninth and Lyon streets this afternoon shortly before 1:30 o'clock, ordered a meal of the proprietor, Mrs. Albert Dunback, ate it and then announced they didn't have any money to pay for it.

The proprietor rushed to the telephone to call the police but one of the men told her not to hurry as they would wait. They made no effort to get away. Chief of Police Austin and Officer King made the arrests.

In court the spokesman of the trio said that they were strictly up against it, that they hadn't had anything to eat since yesterday morning and that was very little and that they had expected to get arrested. He said that they were bound for Eugene where they thought they could get work. He said the last work he had was at Spokane in a lumber mill.

They were given the minimum punishment and Justice Swan told them the jail was not a bad place to stay and that they would get good meals. They seemed to be pleased.

PLANS TO BE MADE FOR HOLDING OF CONVENTION

Sunday School Heads Will Confer Tonight with Association Secretary.

To lay plans for the coming state Sunday school convention, the Sunday school superintendents of the city and president and secretary of the Albany Commercial club will confer with Charles A. Phipps, secretary of the Oregon Sunday School association at dinner at the St. Francis hotel at 6:15 o'clock this evening.

The Sunday school convention will be held here April 27, 28 and 29. Tentative plans for the holding of the convention will be drafted at the meeting. Mr. Phipps will arrive on an afternoon train from Portland, Rev. F. W. Emerson, of this city, the president of the association, will be present at the meeting.

Miss Elsie Bain is in Corvallis the guest of Miss Marion Anderson, of Albany, who is attending the Oregon Agricultural College.

Exonerated on Charge.—Elmer Russell, who was charged with contempt of court for disregarding an order of the county court regulating the size of loads and wagon tires transported over roads, was exonerated of the charge following an investigation of the case by the county court. It was found that the load was not so badly damaged as was alleged and that Russell only hauled two pillings to the load. The section of road in question is near Gilkey station.

Auction Sale Well Attended.—The auction sale of furniture and farm machinery, conducted by Col. Ben T. Sudtel Saturday, was a success and good prices were realized. Mr. Newell, whose goods were sold, will leave for Indiana in the near future.

Summoned as Jurymen.—J. A. McCullough, John Robson, F. M. Dawson and Fred Lyons have been summoned to appear in the Federal court at Portland on January 26, to serve as jurymen.

Dr. Ferguson Honored.—In honor of Dr. W. D. Ferguson, a member of the board of trustees of Albany College, A. C. Schmitt, vice-president of the First National Bank, entertained all of the Albany ministers at dinner Saturday evening at the Hotel Hamel.

S. S. CONVENTION TO BE HELD HERE

Albany Won Bid for the State Gathering of Oregon Endeavors Feb. 20-22.

COMMERCIAL CLUB AND CHURCH SOCIETIES INVITE

Notable Speakers Will Attend Convention; Will Be Extensively Advertised.

Albany, through a meeting of representatives of its churches, has formally extended an invitation to the state committee of the Oregon Christian Endeavor union to hold its annual convention in that city next month. Not only have the young peoples' societies and the churches of Albany agreed to stand back of the arrangements for such a gathering, but the commercial club will aid the plan to bring 250 more from all parts of the state, February 20, 21 and 22. The state committee has accepted the invitation and detailed plans are being prepared for the gathering.

Will Be 24th Convention.
The convention this year is the twenty-fourth annual gathering. Last year Portland entertained the convention in connection with the World's Citizenship Conference. Salem was host in 1912 and Ashland in 1911.

Two men will stand out prominently because of their wide reputation and experience in Christian endeavor work, when it comes to analyzing the program which is now in the making. One is John Willie Baer of Los Angeles, formerly general secretary of the "worldwide" movement of Christian Endeavor. The other man who will be prominent on the program is H. H. Rottman, field secretary for Endeavor work of the northwest and a religious worker in this section for 20 years. He has become well known in this state through recent work here. He begins a six week pre-convention tour of Oregon next Saturday.

Extensively Advertised.
Extensive advertising of the convention is being planned. It is expected that the Albany Commercial club will arrange for some special work along this line, and if possible, a handsome poster will be placed in all the church buildings of the state. Special rates on all the railroads will be asked for certified delegates.

Program and all arrangements will be under the direction of G. Evert Baker, state Christian Endeavor president. Mr. Baker will be assisted by a committee at Albany, which met for organization this week.

ONE ROAD DISTRICT HAS GOOD ROAD AND ANOTHER HAS BAD ROADS

David Swing Rieker, who is traversing the Pacific Highway, accompanied by his wife, to ascertain actual conditions, and who was in Albany several days ago, writes in this morning's Oregonian as follows:

"Having been 'clayed' by the rain and anxious to get caught up with our schedule, we passed only a few hours in Albany, leaving the next day a little after noon, when the sun came out. We followed the wide street, paved with asphalt, that leads out of Albany, turned into a stretch of West Ninth street mud, waded a block and started south over a road that promised well, but failed to keep its promises.

Two miles out we were sorely tempted to cross over the fields to the railroad track and were on the point of surrendering to the temptation when a team, pulling a wagon, was brought to a stop in the road.

HELPLESS SHIP DECLINES AID

Yellowstone Refuses Tow Line from Catonia Although Main Mast and Fuel Is Gone.

CAPTAIN DESIRED TO SAVE SALVAGE ON VESSEL

Yellowstone Is Eighteen Miles off from Coos Bay and Badly Damaged.

(By United Press Association).
Marshfield, Or., Jan. 19.—A wireless received at noon stated that the crew of the steam schooner Yellowstone, which with its main and mizzen masts gone, fuel exhausted, rudder lost, is helpless, eighteen miles off Coos Bay, had refused to take a tow line from the steamer Catonia which laid by all night waiting for daylight to give her assistance. It is presumed that the captain of the Yellowstone believed he could make port without the aid of the other vessel, thus saving salvage charges.

The Catonia proceeded on its way but the steamer Chatham is standing by the Yellowstone. News of the Yellowstone's plight was brought here yesterday by the schooner Fair Oaks, which had abandoned the plan of towing the Yellowstone because she herself was badly damaged, and short of fuel and water.

Vessel In Tow.
Marshfield, Jan. 19.—According to wireless messages the Yellowstone was taken in tow by the steamer Chatham shortly before noon and headed southward. The crew was safe.

Dr. E. Z. McAlister and Donald McRay, both of Corvallis were in the city yesterday.

COUNTY COURT WILL NAME JUDGES AND CLERKS SOON

The county court will announce the election of judges and clerks to serve in the May primaries within the next few days. The members of the court at present are working on the selection of those to serve.

The county court will also make a jury list for the circuit court and will announce it about the end of the month. Owing to the slowness of the registration, this work has been retarded.

vided his seat with me on a lime barrel.

"And I'm glad to meet you," the farmer went on. "You're doing a good thing. I've been reading your articles and I want to just show you a piece of road we're comin' to directly."

South Road Disgraceful.
And the farmer made good. A half mile farther on we came to the dividing line between two road districts.

"Now stand there and look the other way," he enjoined. I obeyed.

"What do you see?" he demanded. "Well," I answered, "the road looking north is pretty good. The road looking south is disgraceful."

"That's just it. That's what I wanted you to see. Now I'll tell you something. This is the dividing line between two road districts. Both district supervisors had the same amount of money to spend. That shows where a lot of the responsibility lies."

\$125 REWARD OFFERED FOR BODY OF FRITZ BINDING

Friends of Man Who Mysteriously Disappeared Monday Are Fearful.

Five intimate friends of Fritz Binding have offered a reward of \$125 to the person producing the body of Binding, who mysteriously disappeared last Monday from the home of Henry Suessens.

Although officers and relatives and friends of the missing man have been constantly on the search for him, nothing has been heard of him since he left the Suessens home, where he was staying.

Fear is expressed that Binding has met with foul play or that he has committed suicide. However, no possible theory has been advanced on these accounts.

Binding was a retired farmer, having recently sold a tract of land near Tangent. He had come to Albany to make his home and had only lived here a few days when he disappeared. He was unmarried and his age is given as 60. He is of German descent and during Judge Galloway's recent term of court was granted his final citizenship papers.

It was at 10:30 o'clock last Monday morning that Binding was last seen to leave the Suessens home on East Water street and as far as is known has not been seen since. It is said that the night before Binding was feeling in good spirits and had been in splendid health for some time prior.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Tate, Saturday, a twelve and a half pound boy.

REV. CUMMINS TO GIVE SPECIAL SERMON COURSE

'The Perfect Life' and 'The Object of Life' for Jan. 25 and Feb. 1.

Rev. J. Dirickson Cummins, vicar of St. Peter's Episcopal church, last night announced a course of two special sermons to be preached by him on Sunday mornings, January 25 and February 1, on subjects which should be of interest to everyone.

The first will be "The Perfect Life" to be delivered on Sunday morning, January 25 at 11 o'clock at the church. The second will be "The Object of Life" to be delivered on Sunday morning, February 1, at 11 o'clock. These sermons will be followed by another course to be announced later.

Everyone is invited to attend this course of special sermons and all other services of the church. The following is on the announcement cards: "If you are not already affiliated with any church, why not make this your church home? Strangers are always welcome."

General Secretary to Come.—H. W. Stone, general secretary of the Portland Y. M. C. A., will stop off in Albany, enroute to San Francisco, to attend the annual meeting of the local association on Wednesday evening. He will make an address during the evening.

Mrs. Kelly in Portland.—Mrs. P. R. Kelly, wife of Judge Kelly, went to Portland this morning to receive medical attention from a specialist.

Corvallis Girls Visit Here.—Misses Edna Dow, Ina Chesley and Hazel Chesley, all of Corvallis, were over Sunday visitors in the city. They returned home last night.

Corvallis Hotel Man Here.—Charles L. Baker, a Corvallis hotel man, was in the city yesterday visiting friends.

ONLY 278 VOTERS HAVE REGISTERED

Last Weeks Record Is 2 More Than Twice As Many of Proceeding Week.

ALBANY PRECINCTS ARE WELL UP ON THE LIST

Edmond C. McClain, at Age of 88, Is Oldest Voter Thus Far Registered.

Only 278 voters have registered in Linn county since the registration books opened January 5. Of this number 186 were enrolled last week, this being two more than twice as many as registered in the opening week. Only 28 women electors have signed the registration books thus far.

North Harrisburg precinct is far ahead of any other precinct in the county in number of voters registered, having 30 enrolled. South Harrisburg precinct ranks second, 19 of its residents having registered already.

Albany Nos. 1 and 5 Tied.
Albany Precinct No. 1 and Albany No. 5 are tied for the largest number registered in the Albany precincts, each having 17. Albany No. 4 is only 1 behind and all of the other precincts are well up in the list. Calapooia, Orleans, Syracuse and other precincts near this city rank near the top. It is probable that precincts in many other parts of the county have as many voters registered as the precincts in and near Albany but the registering officers have not sent in the blanks yet so the names have not been entered on the books.

The oldest voter thus far registered is Edmond C. McClain, who resides in Albany, Precinct No. 7 and is 88 years of age. E. P. Devaney, of Albany Precinct No. 5, ranks next, he being 85. The youngest voter whose name is now on the books is either Eva Dodge, of North Harrisburg, or Clem Howell, of Rowland, each one of whom is 21 years of age.

Complete Registration Up to Date.
The complete registration up to last Saturday night by precincts is as follows:

North Harrisburg, 30; South Harrisburg, 19; Albany No. 1, and Albany No. 5, each 17; Albany No. 4, 16; Albany No. 3, Albany No. 7 and Syracuse, each 14; Orleans, 13; Albany No. 9, 12; Calapooia, 11; Albany No. 2, and Albany No. 6, each 9; Sunrise, 8; Albany No. 8 and South Seio, each 7; Knox Butte and Tangent, each 6; Holley, Price and Shedd, each 5; Center and Shellburn, each 4; East Brownsville, Foster and Rowland, each 3; North Brownsville, Crowfoot, Santiam, and Tennessee, each 2; Berlin, West Brownsville, Fox Valley, Jordan, Lacomb, Lebanon, North Lebanon, Peoria and Sweet, Home, each 1; South Brownsville, Crawfordsville, East Halsey, West Halsey, Kingston, South Lebanon, Mill City, Providence, Rock Creek, North Seio, Sodaville, Strawberry, Tallman and Waterloo, each 0.

NEW MEN ON SALEM AND ALBANY NEWSPAPERS

According to an announcement in Saturday night's Salem Capital Journal Charles H. Fialler, former editor of the Eugene Guard, has purchased an interest in the Capital Journal and will conduct the paper in partnership with Graham P. Taber, the former owner. New equipment will be installed and the plant will be moved into larger quarters.

It is also rumored that another change will soon take place in the ownership of the Albany Herald. It is understood that Frank S. Allen, city editor of the Eugene Register, has purchased an interest in the Herald and will be associated with E. M. Reagan in the management.

Edgar Smalley, of Corvallis, was a Sunday visitor in Albany.

F. W. Schultz, the Lyon street butcher returned today from a two days' visit at Forest Grove.

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