

# MANY WOULD HOLD FAT COUNTY JOBS

Bodine to Run Again for Sheriff; Francis and Froman Not Adverse to Another Term.

# DEMOCRATS PICK SAM GARLAND AS SENATORIAL TIMBER

Representative Childs Said to Be a Candidate; Lewelling Not Seeking Election.

Continued from Friday, Feb. 6

Linn county officers will not go begging in the year of our Lord 1914. This much became certain when a Democrat representative obtained a line on active and receptive candidates for keys to the various rooms in the court house.

The following county officers were interviewed and in answer to the question, "Do you expect to become a candidate for the nomination at the next primary election?" answered as follows:

Sheriff Bodine: Yes, I expect to become a candidate for re-election. I feel that the record I have made during the past two years has been such as to entitle me to a second term but will of course accept the verdict of the public without question.

County Treasurer Francis: It is my present intention to run again but as yet I have made no formal announcement of my candidacy.

County Commissioner Russell: I am not prepared to say as to whether or not I will enter the race.

County Recorder Froman: It is probable that I will be a candidate at the primary election but have not definitely concluded to make the race.

County Surveyor Geddes: He could not be located but his friends assert that he will become a candidate for re-election.

County Clerk Marks: I have arrived at no definite decision at this time. I have been considering the matter of entering the practice of law and therefore am unable to give you a definite answer.

The Democrat made further inquiries from friends of Mr. Marks in regard to his plans and learned that a large number of his advisors are insisting that he abandon the idea of entering the legal profession and accept a renomination. Mr. Marks has twice been nominated for county clerk on both the Republican and Democratic tickets and has made an exceptionally capable official. He is the only county clerk in Linn county who has been made the choice of both political parties.

It is understood that County Commissioner Russell will have opposition. T. M. Holt, of Thomas, will be a candidate for the Republican nomination and D. H. Pierce, of Harrisburg, has under consideration the announcement of his candidacy. The latter stated to a Democrat representative this morning that he had not definitely concluded to enter the race but that his friends were urging him to become a candidate.

State Representative Childs will be a candidate for re-election according to reliable information and it is more than probable that Hamer Speer, the well known Tangent merchant will enter the race. State Representative Lewelling stated that he had no intention of becoming a candidate for re-election. He has also been mentioned as a candidate for joint separator from Linn and Lane counties but asserts that he has no ambition along this line. It is also reported that Representative Porter will not be a candidate for re-election but the Democrat has been unable to confirm the report.

U. G. Smith, a well known farmer residing two miles south of Albany has been mentioned as a candidate for the Republican nomination for state senator but it is not known as to whether or not he will enter the race. Attorney N. M. Newport, of Lebanon is talked of as a candidate for the same nomination and it is considered probable that he will become a candidate. He has however made no announcement of his candidacy or stated definitely that he will make the race.

Attorney Sam Garland is being urged to accept the Democratic nomination for state senator from Linn county. He is considered an exceptionally strong candidate and will doubtless be nominated if he consents to "toss his hat in the ring."

# ALBANY ELKS WERE JOLLY GOOD FELLOWS LAST NIGHT

Entertained Jolly Entertainers and Gave Them a Purse of \$21.

A good lunch, a lot of fine entertainment and a purse of \$21, was received by the Jolly Entertainers, the wonderful troupe of children from the Children's Home of Des Moines, Wash., at the hands of Albany's local Elks last night.

After the performance at the Bligh theater, the children repaired to the Elks temple, at the invitation of the Elks for some fun. They were accompanied by the people of Albany who took one or more of the children to their homes for the two nights they were here. In all, about 400 people were present.

Arriving at the temple, the children and their guardians were escorted to the hall and there the festivities began. First the Elks gave their entertainment which was a varied one and which delighted the children. Then the children entertained the Elks with songs and skits, after which they were dined and given a purse of \$21 collected among the Elks. Never before, said a prominent Elk this afternoon, has he seen such genuine pleasure at the Elks' club on the part of both entertained and entertainer. Prof. Draper, the big hearted leader of the children, was nearly overwhelmed with gratitude to the Elks and the children could have thanked their hosts in no better way than by showing the appreciation they did.

# DEMONSTRATION TRAIN AT SCIO AND CRABTREE TODAY

Rolling College Will Be in Albany on February 14 For Long Period.

The demonstration train from the O. A. C. made West Scio and Crabtree today and tomorrow will make Lebanon and Brownsville, being at the former place during the morning and the latter place in the afternoon.

From Brownsville the train will go out of Linn county into Lane, making towns in that section of the valley until February 13, when it returns to Linn county, stopping at Harrisburg in the morning and in the afternoon making Halsey, Shedd and Tangent.

From Tangent the train will proceed to Albany, remaining here for quite a period on Saturday. Definite announcement will be made later.

# ALBANY MAN INVENTS GOOD ROAD MACHINE

J. D. Isom, Jr., Exhibits Contrivance to Spread Gravel Evenly.

A road patching machine which has been invented by J. D. Isom, Jr., of Albany, and which was displayed at the convention of the road supervisors of Linn county today attracted considerable attention.

With the machine it is possible to distribute gravel on roads exactly where needed in one operation. The inventor is a son of J. D. Isom, road supervisor of road district No. 11 which adjoins this city.

C. E. Steward, of Brownsville, is in the city this afternoon on business.

T. H. Ryder, of Baker, is a business visitor in Albany.

Robert Erick, of O. A. C., was in the city yesterday.

Invitations Are Out.—Invitations in the form of announcement cards are out for the Methodist organ recital at the church on February 11, commencing at 8:15 o'clock. The admission will be 30 cents. This will be the inaugural recital for the new pipe organ. W. H. Donley, an organist of Seattle, assisted by George Wilber Reed, tenor and Miss Orah Harkness, reader, will furnish the entertainment.

Big Rally Last Night.—The students of the Albany high school, both girls and boys held a big rally last night on First street, to interest people in the basketball game to be played tonight at the Y. M. C. gym between Salem and Albany. The rally was perhaps one of the biggest and most comical ever held. There were two bands in the procession and scores of students wore unusual make-ups. The stunts pulled off were of an entirely original and entertaining character. A stranger remarked: "Albany must certainly have some high school. I never saw such spirit."

# CRUSADE AGAINST TOBACCO USE ON

Wee Be to Minors and Dealers for Infraction of the State Law.

# AGE LIMIT 18 YEARS; CIGAR DEALERS NOTIFIED

Juvenile Officer Catlin Says Giving Away Tobacco Is As Grave a Crime.

That the crusade against the sale of tobacco of any description to boys under the age of 18 years, has been launched here and that it will be vigorously pursued, was the statement this morning of County Juvenile Officer John Catlin.

"The school board recently passed a resolution against such traffic and against the use of tobacco by minors," said the officer, "in upholding the state law and as the juvenile officer, it is my duty to prohibit any infraction of the law. This I most certainly intend to do whenever such a case comes to my notice."

Dealers Are Notified.

Yesterday Officer Catlin went around and notified each and every tobacco dealer, from grocery store proprietors to cigar store owners that the state law would be rigidly enforced.

"We are aware of the fact that a boy is liable to fib about his age," said the officer, "but I told cigar dealers that if they are in the slightest doubt about the boy's age, to turn him down, as the sale of tobacco to a boy under the age limit, is punishable under any circumstances and the fact that he gave his wrong age, does not excuse anyone."

Giving Tobacco Is Crime.

That the grown-ups who give tobaccos to minors are just as liable as the cigar dealers, was an emphatic statement of the officer. "We can get them under the same conditions that we would get the dealers," he declared.

That youngsters caught using tobacco will be hailed before the proper authorities and that their parents will be notified, is the intention of Officer Catlin.

"With all of the dealers warned not to sell tobacco to minors," said Catlin, "and other precautions in effect against the smoking or using of tobacco by youngsters, there should be no reason for boys to use tobacco and if they do I think that their crime is nearly as bad as that of a dealer who would sell the 'weed' to a youngster."

Crusades on Elsewhere.

That the tobacco habit among minors is assuming alarming proportions is indicated by the crusades inaugurated throughout the state.

In Portland an epidemic of juvenile crime, traceable largely to the cigarette habit, has been causing the officers of the juvenile court an immense amount of work the past few days.

The juvenile officers, who were instrumental in bringing about the mass meeting of parents and teachers, at the Public Library in Portland 10 days ago, are anxious to have the crusade against cigarettes carried further. The habit, they declare, is one of the greatest incentives to thievery which their investigations show. A boy, who will not steal under ordinary conditions, is often impelled to commit a burglary to get the cigarettes which he craves.

"Cheese it, cop!" was the warning cry to numerous lads yesterday in Salem to comrades who were smoking cigarettes. The reason was that an ordinance prohibiting the sale of tobacco in any form to minors under 18 years of age became effective today. Not only does the ordinance provide a penalty for selling tobacco to minors, but it makes it unlawful for minors to use it or have it in their possession.

Drastic Ordinance.

The ordinance is drastic and the police have been notified that it must be enforced.

The law provides for the reprimanding by the recorder of a minor for his first offense and for subsequent violations he shall be fined not less than \$2 nor more than \$20, or imprisoned for not less than one nor more than 10 days in jail.

E. J. Daly, of Butte, Mont., is in the city visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bert R. Westbrook. Mr. Daly is a brother-in-law of Mr. Westbrook.

# ALBANY UNIVERSITY CO-ED MARRIED AT EUGENE

Donald Pague and Miss Hazel Barta Stole March on Many Friends.

Eugene, Or., Feb. 6.—Donald Pague, of Portland, and Miss Hazel Barta, of Madison, Wis., juniors in the University of Oregon, last night celebrated the completion of their mid-year examinations by repairing to the Episcopal church in this city and getting married. Today they went to Portland, where they will make their home.

Most of the members of the Delta Gamma sorority and the Avava club, with which the bride and bridegroom, respectively, are affiliated, were not aware that the wedding was to take place. Half a dozen friends of the couple, who were sworn to secrecy, led the ceremony.

Afterward the newly married pair took dinner together and then Mr. Pague escorted his bride to the Delta Gamma house and himself returned to the Avava house to break the news to his fraternity brothers. The couple left this morning before the campus had awakened to the fact that another college romance had reached a happy result.

The bridegroom is a son B. S. Pague, an attorney of Portland, and graduated from Hill Military Academy. Miss Barta, although she came from Wisconsin to enter the university, has since made her home with relatives near Albany. Both young people have been prominent in student activities here. Mr. Pague having been a member of the second football team and Miss Barta of the dramatic club.

# OWLS CLUB AT LEBANON IS CLOSED BY THE CIT

Lebanon, Or., Feb. 6.—The police, a deputy sheriff and constable raided the local Owls' lodge a few nights ago, arrested Secretary F. E. Parrish and took charge of the club fixtures and destroyed the stock of liquors. The hearing was set, but before the time for the hearing the lodge and the city officials came to an agreement by which the lodge agrees to cease conducting its clubrooms and the handling of liquors for its members. The secretary was then released.

The club had operated for a year and has been keeping liquors on storage for its members. There has been considerable complaint for several months and at the December election a new charter was adopted by the people, which was stringent on the handling of liquors.

F. C. Burke, of Eugene, transacted business here this morning.

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# PERSONAL MENTION FROM SHEDD AND THAT VICINITY

Shedd, Or., Feb. 6.—(Special to Democrat)—Glenn Large had business calling him to Albany last week.

V. W. Robnett and wife were Albany shoppers Thursday.

Hurley Morgan of Plainview transacted business in Shedd Thursday.

H. O. Pinkstaff of Tangent had business calling him to Shedd Wednesday.

T. M. Bennett the barber went to Halsey Wednesday evening.

Henry Freerksen and wife were Albany shoppers Friday.

E. G. Pugh had business calling him to Albany Friday.

Geo. Smith of Oakville had business in Shedd Thursday.

Herman Zoelert made a business trip to Halsey Wednesday.

Prof. Wilson made his regular trip to Shedd this week.

James Kelly and family moved to Independence Thursday.

J. M. Dickson, president of the Oregon Dairy Association, is with the demonstration train that will be through here February 13. Mr. Dickson will deliver a short lecture at each stop.

Mrs. O. H. Locke, of Chicago and Miss Velma Davis and Miss Volens Smith went to Jefferson this afternoon to attend a house party given by Mrs. Rosco Thomas of that place. Born February 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Otto Locke, of Corvallis, a seven pound girl, Mrs. Locke is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nanney, of Albany.

# "WIFE STOOD IN WAY OF MY HAPPINESS AND I SHOT HER"

Hazel Heidman Confesses to Murder of Mrs. Manning, According to Police.

(By United Press Association) Newark, N. J., Feb. 7.—Hazel Heidman, age 25, of Vernon, N. J., has confessed, according to the police, to the shooting and killing of Mrs. Harriett Manning at the latter's home yesterday.

Miss Heidman drank a solution of bichloride of mercury today and her condition is critical.

Mrs. Manning was shot to death in the presence of her mother and a sister by the woman, who gained admittance to the home by saying she was a "friend from Philadelphia." The theory advanced is that the first person was a man dressed as a woman. Mrs. Manning has been separated from her husband.

"Yes, I loved Manning and I wanted to marry him," Miss Heidman is alleged to have told the police. "His wife stood in the way of my happiness and I shot her."

# Freezing Weather in Middle West

(By United Press Association) Chicago, Feb. 7.—Freezing weather prevailed in the central and middle western states. Zero temperatures extended as far south as the Texas coast. The storm is moving east.

W. Huggins, of Salem, transacted business here this afternoon.

Registration is Brisk.—That registration of voters in Linn county has been brisk during the past few days was the statement of County Clerk Marks this morning.

Coshow Will Probated.—Upon petition of O. P. Coshow, the will of the late O. P. Coshow, who died at Brownsville January 24, was admitted to probate yesterday by Judge McKnight and the said petitioner was appointed executor. The estate is valued at \$2000. There are 13 heirs.

Banquet at St. Francis Tonight.—Thirty couples of the younger set will tonight banquet at the Hotel St. Francis, from 7:30 o'clock to 9, after which they will attend the dance at the armory in a body. There will be features of entertainment, several singers and instrumental soloists having been engaged for the occasion.

Through the courtesy of Manager Bligh of the Bligh theater, Baby Elva, the seven year old singer, appearing at the theater, will appear on the program.

Artillery Band Arrives.—Major Charles E. York, leader of the Coast Artillery band, of 29 musicians, arrived this noon from Eugene and are at the St. Francis. They will give a concert tonight at the armory.

Weather Report.—The range of temperature for 24 hours ending at 8 o'clock this morning was 34 to 41 degrees. The river is 5.6 feet. The weather report says cloudy tonight and Sunday. Probably rain.

# SECRETARY BRYAN SEEKS NEW TREATY

Administration Wants Treaty Excluding Japanese from American Soil.

# TOKIO GOVERNMENT ASKS NEW ALIEN LAND LAW

If Ban on Land Ownership in California Is Raised Treaty Will Be Signed.

(By United Press Association) Washington, Feb. 7.—That Secretary Bryan is seeking the Tokio government's consent to a Japanese exclusion act similar to the Chinese exclusion law is stated upon high authority.

It is said that the California alien land law is the principal obstacle. Japan is willing to have a "gentleman's agreement" by which Japanese coolie labor will be excluded from the United States with the statutory condition that the Japanese land ownership ban in California will be raised.

Tokio cares less about opening the United States to more Japanese than it does about protecting those already settled here. The house immigration committee hadn't decided as to whether it would resume hearings on the Raker bill.

Coroner Fortmiller Still Laid Up. Coroner William Formiller is still confined to his home with an injured knee. He has now been laid up two weeks. Mr. Fortmiller injured the limb in a peculiar way while helping to pry an automobile out of the sand at Newport last summer.

Alignments in the knee joint were sprained. He has been able to be up and around but when treatment failed to cure, the doctors recommended that the patient remain quiet for an indefinite period.

Collect Subscription.—Miss Beulah Hinkley, stenographer of the Commercial club, this morning started the collection of the subscription for the removal of the Brownsville glove factory to Albany. The sum to be collected is \$250 and was subscribed by local merchants and business men to defray expenses of the concern in moving.

Injured Knee Cap.—Harry Cusick suffered a painful accident yesterday afternoon, and as a result is laid up today with a badly sprained right knee cap. He was descending the stairs of the Cusick bank to the basement when he slipped and fell half way down, landing on the floor on his knee.

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