

Water Wagon is Due to Leave at Midnight

Applications for Secure Places Aboard are Expected to be Numerous

WAGE SLAVES START BATTLE FOR LIVELIHOOD

SWEATSHOP CLOTHING MANUFACTURERS HIT

Rioting is now in progress—Police Reserves have been called out. More than 100,000 workers are said to have left employment. Big factory attacked by the striking employees.

United Press Service
NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Rioting in connection with the clothing strike started this afternoon. Manhattan strikebreakers and strikers came together when a factory was attacked. Police reserves were called out and checked the rioting.

Service
NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Active picketing in clothing factories has been reported. Strikers say that they will not return to work until their demands are met but few disagree with the demand that nearly every big establishment is crippled. This the owners deny.

Judge Gowen Revis Office
In anticipation of his taking up the duties of Justice of Peace for Linkville district, E. W. Gowen is preparing his office and court room. He has leased the building at Fourth and Pine streets, and will dispense justice there during his term of office.

Miss Maude Ripper returned last night from Ashland, where she spent the holidays visiting relatives.

Miss Mabel Snyder of Ashland is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John J. Oliver.

Convicted Laborites are Started for Federal Pen

Trip to Leavenworth Being Made in a Special Train. Route is Kept Secret. Women are Brave

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 31.—The attorneys for the defense of labor leaders this morning filed writ of super-seedeas and error in the federal court. Judge Anderson put both matters over until Thursday.

With no possibility of legal interference, the "Dynamite Special" left here at 12:30. While Judge Anderson was postponing action for the defense, United States Marshal Schmidt was at the county jail instructing his fifty deputies regarding their duties on the trip.

"There is a possibility, almost a probability, that there will be an attempt to dynamite this train," said Schmidt. "I do not expect anything like that to happen, but it will be no picnic. I must deliver these men safely at the Leavenworth prison. I intend to see that this is done. The first man caught drinking on the trip will be fired at the next station."

United States District Attorney Miller called the 100 typewritten pages compiling the two writs filed by the defense a "pile of rot."

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 31.—The

LOCAL WOMEN FORM ORCHESTRA

ORGANIZATION COMPLETED AND INITIAL PRACTICE HELD LAST NIGHT—HAVE SEVERAL ENGAGEMENTS IN VIEW

Organization of a ladies' orchestra was effected last night when four well known local musicians met in Kasliga hall and held their first practice. Members of the orchestra are Mrs. A. Y. Tindall, piano, Mrs. Fred Barlow, violin, Miss Faye Hogue, clarinet, Mrs. Allen, cornet.

SHORT RANCH CHANGES HANDS

C. R. PATTERSON OF CALIFORNIA PAYS \$7,000 FOR 280 ACRES. WILL RAISE CATTLE AND HOGS FOR THE MARKET

The short ranch, near Spring Lake, has been sold. A deal has just been closed whereby the property was transferred by Mrs. Margaret Pitts to C. R. Patterson, late of Mendocino county, California.

The property is one of the best highland ranches in the county. It consists of 289 acres, and the consideration is said to be in the neighborhood of \$7,000.

It is Mr. Patterson's intention to devote his entire attention to raising cattle and hogs for the market. He will install a pumping plant in the spring to furnish irrigation for his forage crops.

convicted labor leaders started on the journey to the federal prison in Leavenworth Kansas at 21:30 this morning. The route of the "Dynamite Special," as the train carrying them is called, has been kept a secret. Fifty armed deputy United States marshals and six newspaper correspondents accompany the prisoners. The train is due to arrive in Leavenworth Wednesday morning.

Wives and relatives of the prisoners bade them farewell at the county jail. The behavior of the women was Spartan. With eyes red from weeping, they forced smiles and cheered their husbands with hope that an appeal would be granted.

It is reported that the international union has assumed the responsibility of providing for the families of the prisoners.

Ryan will be eligible to parole in April, 1916. The men who were sentenced to six years will be eligible to parole in July, 1915; the four year termers in July, 1914; the three year termers in February, 1914; the two year termers in August, 1913, and the one year termers next May.

PEACE ENVOYS STILL APART

NO SOLUTION OF THE TURKISH BALKAN DEADLOCK HAS YET BEEN PRESENTED—INFORMAL MEETING HELD

United Press Service
LONDON, Dec. 31.—The peace envoys informally conferred this morning. At the conclusion it was stated that they were no nearer an agreement than yesterday.

Today's talk referred largely to the guarded proposal of ambassadorial mediation. The Balkan envoys refused to consider the plan unless the proposal was formally presented in writing. This will probably be done tomorrow.

Roumania Wants Slice

United Press Service
BUCHAREST, Dec. 31.—The chamber of deputies has voted \$30,000,000 for the military credit. Roumania desires to participate in the spoils of the Turkish-Balkan war.

Rucker's Sister Is Probing His Death

Unable to Ascertain Facts in Connection With the Affair at Merrill. Dead Man's Relatives Consult With Authorities. No Post Mortem Held

There is an air of mystery concerning the circumstances in connection with the death of Walter G. Rucker at Merrill early Saturday morning, according to his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Gooch of Red Bluff, his daughters, Mrs. E. Caldwell and Miss Nora Rucker, and son, Verne Rucker of Edgewood, and a friend, M. Mussalem of Weed, who came here to take charge of the remains.

Yesterday the party went to Merrill to have the remains exhumed and to make what investigation they could. Last night they returned to this city and turned the remains over to Coroner Whitlock to prepare for shipment.

"We found it very difficult to find out anything in connection with the death of my brother," said Mrs. Gooch. "The people at Merrill seemed to think it strange that we should make an investigation, and our inquiries were met for the most part with evasive answers."

"All we talked to were positive that Rucker fell down stairs, but we could not find a single one who saw him fall. Some insisted that his death was due to fatty degeneration of the heart, but the death certificate signed by Dr. Patterson, who attended him, states that death resulted from internal injuries not positively determined, resulting from a fall down stairs."

"The statement in the morning paper that a post mortem examination had been made is untrue. No post mortem has been held, so that story as to the cause of death is without foundation."

MISS CORNWALL MARRIES EDDY

FORMER HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS HERE WED IN PORTLAND. GROOM IS NOW WITH SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY

A romance commenced in the Klamath county high school culminated in Portland December 23, when Miss Addie Cornwall, instructor of German and History at the high school, became the wife of Ernest Eddy, formerly head of the commercial department of the local school.

News of the marriage has just been received in Klamath Falls. The couple met two years ago when they were teaching in the high school, and became fast friends. While some intimated that there would be a marriage, nobody suspected when Miss Cornwall announced just before

CASTRO NOT WANTED

Former President of Venezuela Arrives in New York

United Press Service
NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Former President Castro of Venezuela arrived here today aboard the steamer La Touraine from Havre. He was taken to Ellis Island and ordered to appear before a special board of inquiry.

It is expected that he will be deported on the first French liner leaving this port.

Police Watch Players

The police have been watching a couple of poker joints during the past few days, but have been unable to arrest anyone who could be convicted of gambling.

Ben Morris, auditor for the Klamath Development company, returned to Klamath Falls Tuesday after spending Christmas with relatives at Berkeley. He was accompanied by Richard Lachse of the same city.

SAN FRANCISCO WILL CELEBRATE

ALL OF CAFE RESERVATIONS ARE GONE AND IT IS ESTIMATED THAT MORE THAN HALF A MILLION WILL BE SPENT

United Press Service
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—Despite the predictions of rain, the city is preparing to welcome the new year in the most elaborate manner. All of the cafe reservations are gone. The celebration will cost more than half a million dollars.

Underwood Sees Wilson

United Press Service
TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 31.—Governor Wilson is conferring this afternoon with Congressman Underwood regarding an extra session of congress.

Prof. Max A. McCall, instructor in agriculture at the high school, returned Monday from Fort Klamath, where he spent Christmas with friends.

RAILROAD WORK WILL BE RUSHED

TRACK WILL BE LAID ON NEW LINE INTO SUSANVILLE BY JUNE 1ST. WHEN WORK WILL BE STARTED FROM THIS CITY

Active construction on the line of the Modoc Northern will be started from this city by June 1st, according to information which has come here from Alturas, the county seat of Modoc county. The Central Pacific has filed amended articles of incorporation there.

INDIAN PLEADS HIS INNOCENCE

CHENOWETH UMPQUA DENIES THAT HE MURDERED FRANK JACK—CASE IS SET FOR TRIAL JANUARY 21ST

"Not guilty." With his right hand uplifted as if making an oath, Chenoweth Umpqua in the circuit court this morning denied participation in the murder of Frank Jack.

George Chastain will Keep his County Job

Democrat will be Retained as Clerk of the Circuit Court by Republican County Clerk De Lap

Announcement has been made by County Clerk De Lap that no change will be made in his office force. This means that George Chastain is to remain as clerk of the circuit court, and that he will be one of the two lone democrats at the court house, the other being Assessor J. P. Lee.

SCHOOLS OPEN NEXT THURSDAY

ANNOUNCEMENT OF PLANS IS MADE BY CITY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS — THE HIGH SCHOOL OPENS MONDAY

The public schools will reopen on Thursday. This was announced today by City Superintendent R. H. Dunbar.

The scholars were granted a vacation earlier this year on account of the teachers' examinations, and in order to allow ample time for the studies outlined for the term, the session will commence Thursday, instead of Monday, as is the case at the high school.

NEW YEAR TO BE USHERED IN WITH USUAL PLEDGES

FIRE CHIEF WILL RING THE FIRE BELL AT 12

Noise Making Devices are Being Prepared for the Occasion—Dances and Dinners to be Popular Amusement—Herald Will Print Tomorrow as Usual—No Rest for the Weary or Wicked

Noise making devices are being put in commission today for the heralding of the new year at 12 o'clock tonight. Ed Wakefield, fire chief, is planning to ring the fire bell. He has doctored the wheezy, cracked fire warning until he believes that people who are near enough can hear it.

"Of course, they cannot expect to hear it if they are more than half a block away," he said this afternoon. The water wagon is scheduled to start promptly upon the appearance of the youngster, 1913, and there are probably a greater number of local people this year than ever before who have signified their intention of climbing aboard.

In order to be certain to keep a place on the wagon for a considerable time, many will stock up to capacity with liquids tonight, feeling sure that in the morning they will feel like becoming a steady passenger forever more.

The Herald will appear tomorrow night as usual with all of the local news of interest, as well as the dispatches of the United Press from all parts of the world.

George N. Hamilton of Grants Pass is here to attend to business matters.

CHRISTMAS THAT SHE WOULD SPEND THE HOLIDAYS IN PORTLAND.

BERTHA KELLEY CHANGES NAME

POPULAR MIDLAND GIRL IS MARRIED BY JUSTICE OF PEACE

A quiet wedding was solemnized in the office of Justice of the Peace Graves this afternoon, when the Judge united Bertha Belle Kelly and Albert G. Hamilton, Midland farmer.

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Chastain first came to Oregon when he was 7 years old, his parents making the trip from Arkansas to Jackson county in 1875. In 1888 he came to Klamath county, and engaged in

the mercantile business at Bonanza. It was while he was living at Bonanza that Mr. Chastain married Edna Sutton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Sutton. Mr. Sutton was the founder of the Ashland Tidings, and his wife was one of the first white women to see Crater Lake.

In 1900 Chastain came to Klamath Falls, and went in the mercantile business with L. F. Willets. He remained two years, then decided to leave the Klamath country, but after two months in Montana he became convinced that there is some truth in the slogan, "You'll Like Klamath," and he returned to his former position.

At the 1904 election, Chastain, although a democrat, was elected county clerk. His record was so good that the following campaign he was elected without opposition.

At the conclusion of his term he went into business again for a while, but sold out, and spent several months at the Shook ranch near Dairy. April 1, 1911, he accepted a position as deputy county clerk under De Lap, and from present indications, he will be an attache of the office for the coming two years.