

PORT OF ASTORIA TO BE EXAMINED BY I.C.C. SUNDAY

Mention of Seaport Town in Rate Case Arouses Curiosity of Commission.

WARRENTON IN RACE FOR TERMINAL RATE

Dodson Says Roads Favor Sound in Hearing Held on Friday Afternoon.

PORTLAND, July 26.—The interstate commerce commission has been hearing the case of Astoria so repeatedly discussed in the Columbia basin rate fight that they announced today that they will go to Astoria Sunday morning to spend considerable time inspecting the port facilities there.

J. O. Barr, civil engineer, testified of Warrenton's ambition to become a seaport. A. J. Harrington, traffic expert, provided charts showing that the railroads charge Warrenton an average of five cents per hundred pounds more on carload freight than Astoria.

C. A. Hart, representing the railroads, said the railroads do not object to granting Warrenton rates on a parity with Astoria when applied to freight moving from transcontinental and Montana territory but in the matter of rates from the inland empire the railroads had endeavored to interpret the ruling in the interstate commerce commission ruling in the Astoria case which, he said, proved Astoria was on a par with Portland and Puget sound for rate making purposes but did not include Warrenton.

Warrenton's separate action, demanding rates equalizing those to Astoria, was begun today. Warrenton is six miles beyond Astoria and has terminals on the west side of the bay.

BULGARIAN PARTY ARRIVES IN PARIS

PARIS, July 26.—The Bulgarian peace delegation arrived today. It is understood the terms of the Bulgarian treaty are practically completed.

MEXICAN BANDITS KIDNAP BOY OF 14

WASHINGTON, July 26.—The state department was today advised that Phillip Thompson, 14, son of John West Thompson, American citizen, was kidnapped from the Thompson ranch 30 miles out of Mexico City by bandits Thursday. The kidnappers demanded a ransom of 1500 pesos, threatening to kill the boy unless the money is forthcoming.

YOUNG MAN IS SHOT BY PUEBLO OFFICER WHILE DRAWING GUN

PUEBLO, Colo., July 25.—Frank Reese, 17 years old, claiming to hail from Los Angeles, was shot through the body by Policeman Jeff Evans at 10:50 last night. It is thought he will recover. A companion escaped after firing at the officer.

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Von Tirpitz Cannot Face Justice for Ex-Kaiser Decrees Council of Five

PARIS, July 26.—It is learned today that the council of five notified Admiral Von Tirpitz that his substitution for the ex-kaiser in assuming guilt for the war is impossible and not to be considered. The council declared Von Tirpitz could testify in the emperor's behalf if he is willing to risk incriminating himself.

FLAMES IN JOHN DAY FOREST UNDR CONTROL

Forest fires in the John Day section, Whitman National Forest, are now under control, according to reports received today by W. W. Snyder, district forest supervisor, Umatilla National Forest, E. N. Kavanagh, of the Portland forestry office, has returned from the fire zone and with Fiscal Agent Loving left for Portland this morning.

HUNDRED MILLION IN CREDIT OFFERED

BERLIN, July 26.—New York financial interests have offered to extend Germany a hundred million dollars credit for the purchase of food and raw materials, according to cable word from Martin Nordberg, German financial agent, today.

WASHINGTON TOWN HAS \$25,000 FIRE

SEATTLE, Wash., July 26.—Fire starting in a vacant building, practically destroyed the business section of Machias near Monro, today. Damage is estimated at \$25,000. The fire started in a vacant building.

Black, Red and Gold New Colors For Fatherland

BERLIN, July 26.—The German national colors hereafter will be black, red and gold, provided the state constitution is ratified. The constitutional committee has just finished days of wrangling over whether the old imperial colors are preferable to the new.

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ELKS TEMPLE TO COST \$167,000 IF THEATER IS BUILT

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Bids for Theatre are Low in Comparison With mark on Proposed Building.

The proposed Elks Temple, business block and theater will cost in round numbers \$167,000 if the combined structure is built upon a basis of the low bids submitted yesterday to the committee in charge. This figure includes the general contract, heating, plumbing, wiring and installation of an elevator but does not include the furnishing of the building.

Hunting Chicken Dinner Senator McNary's Hobby, Rest of Them Go Golfing

WASHINGTON, July 26.—Among the harmless hobbies of legislators, none says Senator McNary of Oregon, is more interesting than his. "It affords so much variety, and not a few surprises," said McNary, telling about it.

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NOW CHIEF OPPONENT OF CARRANZA



Angeles, named provisional president of Mexico and commander-in-chief of the forces that follow "Pancho" Villa, with Villa second in command, promises to make things interesting for Carranza in the country to the south. Angeles under the Diaz rule in Mexico was educated for the regular army. A graduate of Chapultepec, the West Point of Mexico, he was sent to France to the military academy at St. Cyr. There he completed his military schooling.

Pilot Rock Streets Have Electric Lights

Pilot Rock is serving electric lights to its customers and on the streets until midnight at present and finding the plant very satisfactory, according to Maxon Z. Vaughan. Power is turned on about an hour before sundown and is on for about five hours now. Later it will be operated longer hours.

Popular Haynes Autos Will Be Had Here By Umatilla Auto Co.

The Umatilla Auto Co. has taken over the agency for the Haynes automobile, and has two carsloads enroute to Pendleton. There are four and seven-passenger cars in the order and deliveries can be made in about three weeks. The four passenger roadsters are proving quite popular and several orders have already been taken for these.

Alleged Activities of Bolsheviki in N. Y. Probed. Deportations to Follow

NEW YORK, July 25.—Several labor leaders were called today as witnesses before the Lusk joint legislative committee investigating alleged bolsheviki attacks here. The department of labor instructed Inspector Schuel to attend the sessions and proceed with the deportation of all persons against whom evidence of anarchistic activities has been collected.

Survey is Begun for Stretch to Cabbage Hill Completing Highway

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Somebody From Here is Going to Lose Two Bones, Visitor Out for Revenge

Beware, you Pendletonians, when you go to or through Freewater, W. V. Derrick, of the east city is going to lift \$2 from some one of you, for he so declared within the hearing of Police Judge Thomas Fitz, Gerald Friday afternoon. Derrick is out for revenge.

STOCKMEN GET GOOD PRICE IN KANSAS CITY

The sum of \$13.55 for dehorned steers, \$12.35 for horned steers and \$10.75 to \$11.25 for cows were the prices recently received in Kansas City, Missouri markets by Henry Lazinka, Frank Kopp and Charles Nelson. All the cattle came from Pilot Rock, Mr. Lazinka having nine loads of steers; Mr. Kopp three loads of steers and cows and Charles Nelson four loads of cows and steers, one of which was owned by Fred Fletcher.

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