

TELEPHONE HEAD WOULD LET CONTROL REST WITH STATES

(Associated Press Special Wire)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Expressing no objection to the pending Communications bill, Walter S. Gifford, president of the American Telephone & Telegraph company, said before the senate interstate commerce committee today that passage of the measure by congress probably would mark the end of state regulation of utilities.

Gifford added that what happened with the railroad under regulation of the interstate commerce commission, where federal control had become supreme, was bound to happen also in the field of communications.

The Communications bill would group radio, telephones, telegraph and cables under control of a new communications commission, and the committee is making an extensive investigation of the whole subject.

Gifford explained to the committee, however, that inasmuch as most of the provisions of the pending measure already were in the law, enactment of the bill probably would not change the present situation.

Questioning the witness, Senator Dill, democrat, Washington, asked whether the federal government might not be able to aid the states in their regulation of utilities by amending the present law but Gifford replied that probably would be impossible.

"Whenever a federal commission touches utilities," he said, "the result is that the federal government controls and the state fades away."

Gifford asserted he thought it would be unwise to take away from the states the power of regulating utilities.

Outlining the policy of his company, which he said was shaped only to obtain a reasonable return, the witness added there was "not the slightest incentive" to make undue profits because the money would be distributed among a large number of stockholders, none of whom holds more than one percent of the stock.

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held be removed as superintendent, that no further grazing leases be granted on their forest lands and that the Indian bureau cease to ignore the requests of the tribal council.

They charged Ernest Wiley, former superintendent of forests on the reservation, with accepting bribes from stockmen and accused Arnold of countenancing a practice by which timber scalpers employed on the reservation were accepting money from lumber companies cutting Klamath timber under contract.

Superintendent Arnold denied that the forest lands are being over-grazed.

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the streets, inconveniences to the thousands of government workers, President Hoover himself not excepted, school children and others, was the chief toll charged against the snow storm. A number of accidents were reported by motorists and pedestrians, but few were of all persons.

Eight years ago this week a 28-inch snow caved in the roof of the Klatskanie moving picture theatre, with a loss of 98 lives. Householders yesterday and today responded to a warning by local officials to clear their roofs quickly.

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to go places with her. She was always modest, always tried to save money, and that kind of conduct appealed to me."

Mrs. Hutchinson, a society leader in Chicago, previously testified she did not suspect her husband was unfaithful to her until 1927, and declared she still loved him. Mrs. Taylor, the first witness, freely admitted her relationship with Hutchinson, but said she did not know he was married until long after Jane was born. She said Hutchinson told her he was not a marrying man when she asked that he marry her.

Hutchinson was asked, "Did Mrs. Taylor ever object to your maintaining two homes?"

"When she first learned of it, she threatened to leave me."

The witness said Mrs. Taylor protested it was "not right" when he was affectionate to her during the early part of their friendship. He said he never forced his affec-

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OPERATING SYSTEM OF ROSE COMPANY MAY BE ALTERED

Trustees of the Roseburg Rose company are arranging a meeting tonight to consider plans for continuing operation of the large farm in Edenhower. This nursery has been under the operation of C. R. Raynor, of Vancouver, B. C., for several years, and has been engaged principally in raising roses and other flowers for use in the Canadian nurseries. Due, however, to lack of a system for handling surplus consistently, the owners have apparently abandoned the project. Money was raised locally to aid in financing the concern, and the trustees are desirous of putting the business on a sound basis.

It has been proven that the roses grown at the nursery can lead the market, and there has been a ready demand for them. The policy, however, of supplying Canadian markets first and leaving local requests unfilled has not proven successful, but it is believed that with a different system for marketing the flowers that a steady and reliable trade in Oregon and Washington could soon be created. An attempt will probably be made by the trustees to secure a manager for the place, or else to sell the plant to someone qualified to handle it.

ROSEBURG SENIOR HI QUINTET MEETS COQUILLE TONIGHT

Roseburg senior high school basketball team will meet Coquille last at the local gymnasium tonight in an important contest in the southwestern Oregon A league. If Roseburg can beat Coquille tonight, it will be almost impossible to displace the local team from first position in the league, although the team winning the conference schedule does not win the right to represent the district at the state contest, as this honor is decided at a tournament to be played in Marshfield.

Roseburg, undefeated, is now leading the league by a wide margin, but is expecting a hard struggle tonight to maintain its showing against North Bend being a great surprise to all other teams of the league.

ROTARIANS HEAR 4-H CLUB WINNERS

Yesterday's Rotary meeting was in the hands of the Four-H committee of the club and Chairman Dave Busenbark presented J. Roland Parker, club leader, who introduced two of his outstanding club members and prize winners, George Shambrook and Robert Blakely. Each of the boys gave a short talk, telling of their club work and how they won their prizes. Mr. Parker told of the progress of the club work, stating that there is a total enrollment in this work now of 950 boys and girls and there are 52 clubs. The

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PORK SAUSAGE, LB.	20c
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VEAL SHOULDER ROAST, LB.	25c
VEAL SHOULDER STEAK, LB.	25c
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PHONE 280

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