

FINAL ARGUMENT SET FOR JUNE 22

To Decide Whether
Northwest Railroads
Will Pay \$250,000

Final oral argument as to whether or not the northwestern railroads are to pay \$250,000 in back freight charges to shippers making shipments of livestock from Oregon, Washington and Idaho points to Chicago and Missouri river markets is set at Washington for June 22nd. Affiliated with the Northwestern Livestock Shippers' Traffic League as proponents are the Cattle and Horse Raisers' association of Oregon, the Idaho Wool Growers' association, Oregon Wool Growers' association, Idaho Cattle and Horse Growers' association, American National Livestock association and the Chicago and Omaha Livestock exchanges.

Arthur M. Gentry, Portland attorney, has left Portland to represent the shippers at the oral argument. The railroads will be represented by J. M. Souby, attorney of Omaha, Neb.

The oral argument as to these claims will be one of the last heard in a case that has already resulted in reductions of the rates paid by the livestock shippers of Washington, Oregon and Idaho, totaling

about \$200,000 annually. In April, 1926, the commission ordered this lowering of freight rates for the future, and stated that the rates had also been unreasonable in the past and directed that further hearings be allowed claimants at which to lay foundation for recovery of back charges. Hearings were held accordingly at Chicago, Omaha, Boise, Pendleton and Yakima during the summer before Examiner F. C. Weems. The examiner early this spring turned in an adverse report and now the question as to whether or not the decision is to be made retroactive is to be finally argued before the commission.

A small rug that has lost its stiffness so that it will not lie flat on the floor can be restored, stretch the rug tight and true, and tuck it face down on the floor or some other flat surface where it can be left undisturbed. Then sprinkle it generously with a solution made by soaking and dissolving one-fourth pound of flake glue in one-half gallon of water. The solution is made in a container surrounded by hot water. The rug must dry for at least 24 hours. Be careful not to use too much glue in a tight weight rug or it will penetrate.

Lettuce is rich in certain of the important vitamins and mineral salts. It also supplies bulk to the diet. Many people now consider lettuce an essential part of their diet throughout the year. Don't leave the lettuce on the plate when a salad is served to you.



LOSTINE PERSONALS

LOSTINE (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morris and daughter, Gwendolyn, and William Rollins, of Imbler, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Wiggins Sunday.

Mrs. Lelloy Parson and children left Monday morning for Walla, Wash., where they will visit Mrs. Parson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd for several weeks. Miss Gwendolyn will spend the summer there.

Miss Blanch Allen is visiting at the home of her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Graham, at Elgin.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morris, William Rollins and Mr. and Mrs. William Wiggins drove to the lake Sunday afternoon.

The small children of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bidler returned home Saturday evening from Walla where they have been visiting the past week.

Wallowa river is "bank full," caused by the warm weather and recent rains.

Mrs. Marion Hunter left Monday for Pendleton where she will visit with Mrs. Frank Moens and also attend the graduation of her daughter, Marion, from the academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kuhn and daughter were called to La Grande Monday morning by the death of Mr. Kuhn's mother who passed away Sunday night. W. W. Wade also went to La Grande.

Mrs. Martha Elmer has been on the sick list the past week. She went to Enterprise Sunday evening for medical treatment.

A large number of friends of the late Mrs. J. W. Hammock attended the funeral services at Summerville Sunday afternoon. A short service was held at her home at Lostine for those who could not attend at Summerville.

Lostine was visited Monday afternoon with one of the hardest rain storms of the season. The rain came down in sheets mingled with hail. The rain was in evidence only five miles this side of Enterprise, and Wallowa got only a little shower. Water ran down the streets here in torrents. Some gardens were washed out and several persons lost small chickens.

Fred Edwards and mother, Mrs. Nolan, returned Monday night from Portland where they have been visiting friends the past two weeks.

The county grader is grading one of the cross streets here. Miss Blanch Allen returned home Tuesday from Elgin where she has been visiting.

Grandma McCubbin is not quite so well the past few days.

William Rollins, Dave Hug and Corral Parson, of Elgin, were at Lostine Tuesday.

Harlan Graham and wife and William Miller and wife, of Elgin, were at Lostine Tuesday.

The young people of the Presbyterian Christian Endeavor, who went to Baker Friday to the convention returned home Monday. They report a very successful meeting. They brought back the shield that has been given each year for the past three years for the best attendance according to the size of the society.

The grange gave an old-time dance in the hall Friday night. Those who attended had a good time. At a late hour a delicious lunch was served.

Mrs. Bowman gave a dance in the hall Saturday night. A large crowd attended.

Dean and Mark Crow attended the Greater Wallowa County association meeting at Joseph Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Geo. Hill and son, Willie Cook, of Inland City, visited at the home of Edie Cook.

Mr. Davis and Fred West, of Union, visited at the home of Clarence Allen.

Mrs. H. A. Harmon, of Leap, came here Tuesday. She has received 200 Rhode Island red chickens.

Mrs. Rebecca Johnson and

PIONEERS

daughter left Friday for Bond, Ore. They have been visiting their mother, Mrs. McCubbin.

Phyllis Moffett left this week for Athens, Ore., where he purchased a fine, purebred calf.

Mrs. MacKenzie left Wednesday for Enterprise where she will visit her daughter for a few days.

Mrs. Walter Pratt and Mr. and Mrs. John Wright, of Cove, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gray over the week end.

NORTH POWDER PERSONALS

NORTH POWDER, Ore. (Special)—Carl Johnson and Larso Larson are leaving the first of the week for Moscow, where they will build a new inn. It will be a two-story building about 25 feet by 52 feet with a full basement.

The recent rains have caused the Powder river to rise and driftwood to pile up by the Elgin bridge. The wood had to be blasted out for clearance.

Several million have been reported caught in the Powder river and the mill race during the last few days.

George Young has sold his property here and bought an apartment house in Boise, Idaho.

Leo D. Hollenberg accompanied Douglas Hand and Eugene Bowman to the Union stock show Thursday where the latter two will judge stock.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Humphreys and family accompanied by Audrey Forsstrom were Baker visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Eva Mitchell is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Sennert, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burnett were Baker visitors Tuesday.

WOMEN GOLTERS BUTTER

PARIS (AP)—As a class, the women of France do better at golf than their men-folk, in the belief of Percy Boomer, who is professor



of the St. Cloud Country club, has been looking them over for several years.

"The French women will work hard to improve their golf," Boomer said. "And they are great fighters. It won't be many years before the French women will be able to put up a good show against the British in team matches."

"But it will be a long time, if ever, before the Frenchmen produce enough good players for international team matches outside the continent. They can't work at the game as the women do."

Men use only 10 per cent of their intelligence, a professor informs us. Now how are we going to go about discounting that statement, figuring that the professor was using only 10 per cent of his own when he made the discovery.

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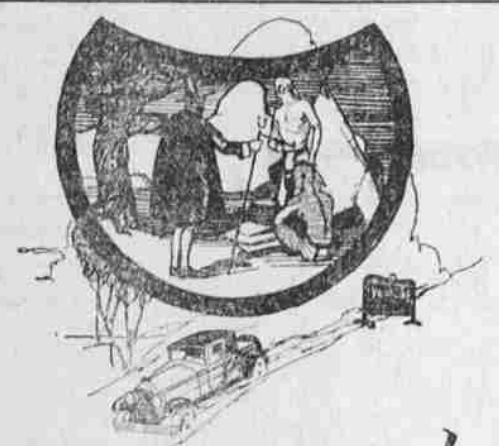
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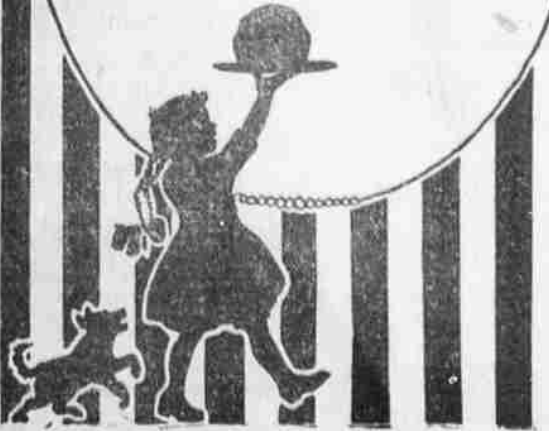
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