

Railroad Wins Appeal; Other Decisions Given

SALEM, Apr. 29 (AP)—The Spokane, Portland and Seattle Railway company, won its appeal before the Oregon supreme court in the case of J. C. Hopkins in a suit for personal injuries. The case was appealed from Multnomah county where the plaintiff, a brakeman, was awarded damages under the provisions of the federal employer's liability act.

In the opinion of George Rossmann, the verdict of the lower court was reversed with instruction to dismiss the case. The decision held that the court, presided over by Judge W. A. Ekwall, had erred when it failed to direct a verdict for the defendant, as the plaintiff failed to produce sufficient proof upon which the jury could properly base its verdict for him.

Other decisions handed down Tuesday include: Lorenz company, a corporation, respondent, vs. J. M. Gray and others, respondents and Day & Company and Dorothy Kika and others, appellants, appeal from Multnomah county. Suit to foreclose lien. Opinion by Justice Kelley. Judge W. M. Duncan reversed and case remanded.

O. F. Cooke vs. City of Portland and others, appellants, appeal from Multnomah county. Action to recover damages for street vacation. Opinion by Justice Kelley. Judge Jacob Kautzler reversed.

A. Barber, appellant vs. G. S. Hartley and others, appeal from Washington county. Action to recover money on a promissory note. Opinion by Justice Rand. Judge George R. Bagley affirmed.

In the matter of estate of Isaac Gratton and E. D. Williams, executor appellant vs. Paul J. Gratton and E. B. Beahm, appeal from Multnomah county. Suit to construe will. Opinion by Justice Brown. George Threlwell, reversed.

In the matter of estate of Marie C. Banfield, petitioner vs. Henry C. Schulerman and Marie Schulerman, contestants, appeal from Multnomah county. Motion for modification of opinion involving settlement of estate. Decree of Judge George Threlwell modified in opinion by Justice Brown.

Petition for rehearing denied in La Grande National Bank vs. Friswold and Frisberg vs. Elrod.

Search for Bodies In Queen's Sound

PRINCE RUPEIT, B. C., April 29 (AP)—The waters of Queen's Sound were being searched yesterday for persons believed to have been drowned when the Canadian steamer Sea Belle split in half on a reef at Goose Island. It was not known how many persons were aboard.

A woman's dress was found in the splintered wreckage by Indian fishermen who discovered the troller.

MOST FOODS TASTE BETTER IF COOKED IN SMALL AMOUNTS

Same is True of Hills Bros Coffee, Which is Never Roasted in Bulk

When food is cooked in small quantities, the mixing, the application of heat, can be controlled with much more exactness. An omelet, for example, made of three eggs will turn out more tender and fluffy than one made of many eggs.

A similar situation occurs in roasting coffee. When roasted in bulk it is impossible to control the heat exactly. Some of the beans, therefore, is overdone and some underdone. As a result there is a variation in flavor.

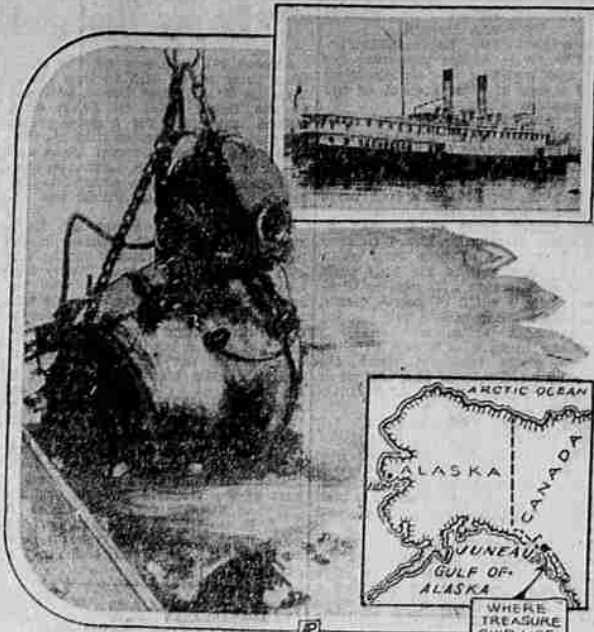
In the invention of Controlled Roasting, Hills Bros. found the way to insure an even roast in their fine blend of coffee. Only a few pounds at a time are roasted by this patented, continuous process. When the roasting is finished a uniformly delicious flavor has been developed such as no other coffee has.

When you buy Hills Bros. Coffee it is always fresh because it is packed in vacuum. By this process, air, which destroys the flavor of coffee, is taken from the can and kept out. Ordinary cans, even if air-tight, do not keep coffee fresh. Grocers everywhere sell Hills Bros. Coffee. Ask for it by name and look for the Arab on the can.

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TREASURE-HUNTERS PLAN TO LIFT PACKET SUNK WITH \$3,000,000



The Alaskan packet, bringing returning miners with fortunes in gold, sank near Juneau, Alaska, in 1901, and two Portland, Ore., house movers with a new type diving apparatus (left), now plan to salvage the vessel and recover its treasure, estimated at more than \$3,000,000.

Large Movement Of Wheat Toward Tidewater Points

PORTLAND, Ore., April 29 (AP)—About ten million bushels of wheat held by the farm board agencies in the inland Empire is expected to be moved to tidewater points within the next two or three months, Henry Collins, district manager of the Farmers' National Grain corporation, said yesterday.

This is being done to make room for the new crop. About 75 cars are moving daily to coast points, Collins said.

He estimated there is about 27,000,000 bushels of wheat on hand in the Pacific Northwest, and of this, about 17,000,000 bushels is in the hands of farm board agencies. Collins said he expects the wheat carry-over to be as large as last year.

If the demand from the Orient, the United Kingdom and California keeps up, Collins said, another 5,000,000 bushels should be sold, bringing the Northwest carry-over down to 20,000,000 by August.

June, bringing lower grain rates, is expected to see a heavier movement to tidewater.

Chats With Parents

EMOTIONAL EDUCATION By Alice Jackson Peale

There are relatively few schools where children are given opportunity to learn something more than subject matter.

Even where an attempt is made to help children acquire not only knowledge but desirable emotional attitudes, the effort is often in vain.

The more we learn of the art of parenthood, the more we realize that in our increasingly artificial life, even the best home may fail to provide for the child a wholesome emotional education.

For this, at least some experience in a simplified setting which is scaled to meet the needs of childhood seems desirable.

A good summer camp offers an opportunity for emotional education which can hardly be found elsewhere in modern life. Here are some of the most valuable lessons which your child can learn from a summer spent at a camp.

To be happy without having father or mother constantly near.

To win approval on his actual merits.

To make his own choices and to know by them.

To make his daily contribution of work in the world where such work really matters.

To expect no special favors and considerations.

To accept the judgments and values of a group which is friendly but not prejudiced in his favor as his parents must be.

To emulate in the person of his counselors an ideal which is not too remote from one which he is able to achieve in the immediate present or near future.

This is especially valuable to the child who must live in a world where his elders are preoccupied in ways which are impossible for him seriously to emulate until he himself is grown.

"You're pretty well taken," as one father wisecracked to the other.

Gandhi says he'll wear trousers but no shirt when he goes to England. That's one thing off his chest.

Small Boy Victim Of Strange Malady

SAN MATEO, Cal., April 29 (AP)—Robert Ewing, 6, has been unconscious in a hospital here for a week with a strange malady that followed measles, it was disclosed yesterday.

During that time five physicians of the boy have given their blood in transfusions in an effort to restore the Ewing boy.

The illness is said to be a form of meningitis that is rare. After each transfusion the boy shows considerable improvement, but it dies down and then another transfusion is called in. It was believed that additional transfusions will be necessary.

France May Scrap Treaty With Italy

PARIS, April 29 (AP)—In view of the difficulty of reaching agreement on the exact meaning of the Franco-Italian naval limitation treaty, it was unofficially proposed yesterday in quarters close to the ministry of marine that France drop the treaty with Italy and issue a statement of her own naval needs.

The proposal suggested that France declare for a navy of 640,000 tons replacing all units when they reach the age limit. This would require a building program of about 40,000 tons a year until all superannuated vessels were replaced.

PORTLAND, Ore., (AP)—Alaskan gold, washed from the coarse gravel of Yukon streams, calls again this time from the watery grave of the treasure ship Islander, sunk nine miles from Juneau, August 15, 1901.

The Islander, split open by an iceberg in Stevens' Passage while homeward bound with successful gold-seekers, plunged to her grave in 385 feet of water. With her went 72 passengers and crew members, and a vast store of gold dust which the prospectors were bringing "outside."

In May, Frank and Roy Curtis, Portland house movers, will begin operations to raise the Islander in the hope of wresting fabled wealth from the sea that claimed it 30 years ago.

No one knows how much gold dust, bullion and money was aboard the vessel when it went down, but at the time it was reported the ship's safe contained \$3,000,000 in loose gold and \$400,000 in currency.

The success of the venture this year rests largely upon a curiously constructed diving bell, equipped with a motor-driven air pump, a powerful searchlight and sprocket wheels that enable it to crawl about on the ocean floor and on the Islander's deck.

The bell is built from cast steel, and said to be strong enough to resist ocean pressure at a depth of 500 feet. The operator works under normal atmospheric pressure. No air is forced into the bell. It contains only the air it takes down with it, supplemented by two tanks of oxygen.

Working from this bell the brothers hope to weave a network of cables under and around the submerged vessel. These cables will be carried to a barge, anchored above the wreck, which will be equipped with 40 winches.

At low tide the winches will take up the slack in the cables. As the tide comes in the buoyancy of the barge will lift the Islander free of the sea floor, and winches will draw the barge and sunken ship shoreward until it grounds again.

In four months they expect the Islander will be high and dry on the beach and the gold will be theirs.

Several attempts have been made to salvage the Islander. One suitcase containing 14 pounds of gold in buckskin bags was recovered.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO (From Observer, Sat., April 28, 1906)

Uncle Jerry, 63, died on Sunday, April 22, 1906, to Mr. and Mrs. T. Donovan, a daughter, and to Mr. and Mrs. James Garlity, at Island City, on Friday, April 27, 1906, a son.

H. G. Van Dusen, state fish warden, is paying the fish hatchery in Wallowa an official visit.

The new eight-room school house across the street from the city hall is a fine looking building.

TEN YEARS AGO (From Observer, Fri., April 29, 1921)

This afternoon a number of representatives of the Central Labor Council went to Perry to investigate conditions in the road camps.

Among the bridges involving an expenditure of approximately \$270,000, bids for which will be opened at a meeting of the state highway commission in May 28, are a number of Union county structures.

The first flight of the year to be undertaken by a plane in the La Grande fleet of companies was a ten-minute hop made yesterday by Walter E. Lees.

ONE YEAR AGO (From Observer, Tues., April 29, 1930)

George W. Joseph, storm center of Oregon gubernatorial politics and candidate for the Republican nomination for governor, was the speaker at today's chamber of commerce luncheon.

The final week of checking population figures for La Grande resulted in adding 73 names to the total of 7700 announced last Tuesday, giving this city a new total of 8043.

With a permit taken out for a \$50,000 building, the La Grande Masonic Building association announced that it has signed a lease with the J. C. Penney company for a building to be erected on the lots between the present Masonic hall and Granada theatre.

FORESTER DROWNS IN "Bottomless" Lake

SAND POINT, Idaho, April 29 (AP)—The sheriff and coroner yesterday dragged Lake Pend Oreille, which is "bottomless" in many places, for the body of W. W. Schwartz, 50, drowned Monday when he fell from a fishing boat.

E. T. Wolfe, former forest supervisor, and Schwartz, a well known forester, had just purchased the Trestle Inn in partnership. Schwartz, 200 feet offshore, apparently became dizzy and fell into the lake.

DAVIS NOMINATED CHICAGO, April 29 (AP)—Paul H. Davis was nominated yesterday to succeed Dr. Arthur Wood as president of the Chicago stock exchange.

A fighter who has the edge over his opponent, says the office sage, doesn't always put up a slugging bout.

D. A. R.'s HONOR FIRST LADY



This flowerly welcome awaited the First Lady of the Land at the opening of the annual convention of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Washington. Mrs. Herbert Hoover is shown here, left, receiving an old-fashioned bouquet from Mrs. Lowell Fletcher Hobart, president general of the D. A. R., in the presence of 4,000 women gathered in flag-decked Constitution hall.

Some Seeding Is Reported In Wallowa County

By G. C. Meek (Observer Correspondent)

WALLOWA, Ore. (Special)—Some what milder weather conditions have prevailed over this section of the country during the past week. Drying winds and bright sunshine have dried the surface of the fields.

A considerable number of farmers who have been busy at fence repair work and other odd jobs about the farm are expecting to commence farming operations immediately. Some seeding has been done at a few of the farms in this end of the valley and also some in the hill sections.

Grass has made an excellent growth during the past few weeks and stock is looking exceptionally well, and many small bands have been placed on summer ranges. L. W. Minor, who recently made a number of purchases of sheep in the community, has been busy getting the sheep moved to range in the Whiskey creek district.

George Coleman and wife, of Powatka, were visitors in town last week.

Sam Meek was at Enterprise last week buying some weanling pigs from Melvin Thorpe.

The county road maintenance crew finished work on the Promiss road the latter part of the week and moved the road machinery back to some of the roads in this section. A large grader and truck is being used on Parsnip creek in filling in some ruts and smoothing the surface of the market road there and work of grading and dragging of some of the other dirt roads in the Leap section will be done during the coming week, according to Clarence Burgett, who is in charge of the work there. A drag was put into use on a part of the dirt road leading into the Leap section. However, many places were found where deep ditches had been washed in early spring, making it nearly impossible to do anything with a drag, and it was decided to delay the work a few days until the ground on Parsnip creek could be secured. Practically all mud holes have dried in the roads.

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hatches. Some ordering of hatchery chicks is being done from here. Some who have chicks ordered are expecting them during the coming week. Local egg prices have advanced 16 during the past week, with most of the stores now paying 11c per dozen in trade.

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Ed Bell has been plowing summer-fallow at the C. A. Hunter ranch on Whiskey creek. He is using one eight-horse outfit and one three-horse outfit in trade.

Giles Plass was cleaning up a garden plot for his son, Herman, at his place in town last week.

Two large flocks of cranes were observed by several of the residents of the community early Sunday morning on their northward flight.

One of the largest runs of suckers seen in many years in the streams of the county has been in progress during the past two or three weeks. Small boys have been catching the suckers in great numbers. Fishing for trout is said to be quite good in some of the smaller streams, and a number of anglers who have been fishing recently reporting very good catches.

Charles Johnson, of Lower Valley, reports that he expects to resume his logging operations in the Whiskey creek district as soon as the ground becomes soft enough. Because of the fact that the ground on part of the main Whiskey creek roads often remains quite soft until later in the spring, he is thinking of moving a part of the logs across the ridge between main Whiskey and South Whiskey creek in order to strike the South Whiskey creek road, and thus get started somewhat earlier. He estimates that he has something like a half a million feet to log at this point.

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Ella and May Couch, of Leap, visited with friends in town Saturday evening and Sunday.

J. F. Haun, of Evans, has moved his band of sheep to pasture in the Parsnip creek section where he is herding them.

L. V. Lathrop, of Leap, has been building fence along both sides of the new market road which passes through his farm. While the road on some of these stretches through some of the fields has not been thrown open to travel yet, practically all of the work has been finished.

Bruce Fisher and wife, of Middle Valley, visited John Bales, of Leap, Sunday.

H. O. Anderson and family, of La Grande, visited Saturday night and Sunday at the Gastin home.

Miss Bethel Fleishman, who taught the school in district No. 40 during the past school year, has been hired for next year's teacher.

Red Students Riot In Lisbon, Portugal

LISBON, Portugal, April 29 (AP)—The red flag of revolution waved over the school of medicine yesterday for two hours while students and police engaged in a fray. Three students were seriously injured and a score of others suffered minor wounds.

Student riots also occurred in Oporto. Several demonstrators were reported to have been injured in clashes with police.

Mississippi Law Makers Adjourn

JACKSON, Miss., April 29 (AP)—The "rump" session of the Mississippi legislature, called in defiance of Theodore G. Bilbo, adjourned its one day sitting yesterday after the 108 members present had virtually capitulated to the governor's demand for pledges against investigating or attempting to impeach his administration.

When the Rudy insists that you turn in on Rudy Value, you might as well face the music.

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SAVINGS

CHANNEL MARKERS

IN THE earlier days of this country, spending the family budget used to be a hazardous business. It was only by harsh experience that a householder learned to steer clear of bad bargains and come into port with his money's worth.

There were snags and shoals aplenty. Inferior goods and unscrupulous merchandising methods made the channel dangerous. "Let the buyer beware" was an accepted slogan of trade.

Fortunately for millions of consumers, this condition has wholly changed in more recent years. The channel has been charted. Today advertised, trade-marked goods of known value are for sale in every city and hamlet. The buyer knows he can trust such products. He reads the advertisements in his paper, chooses the commodities he needs, and makes his purchases with the knowledge that he will get full value for his outlay.

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