

ASKS MUCH POWER

Rate Bill Proposed by Interstate Commission.

MAY FIX MAXIMUM RATE

Prompt Decision, Collection of Overcharges, Examination of Railroad Accounts and Control of Private Car Lines.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The Senate committee on interstate commerce today received a copy of the rate bill prepared by the Interstate Commerce Commission...

It defines the word transportation as used in the bill so as to include all instrumentalities employed by the carrier, including elevators, terminals, cars, whether owned by the carrier or other parties for refrigeration, ventilation or other purposes...

Applies to Canadian Roads.

It makes the through or joint rate for goods shipped from one part of the United States to another through a foreign country subject to the control of the Interstate Commerce Commission...

WANTS END TO BOSSISM

PRESIDENT DECLARES HIMSELF ON NEW YORK AFFAIRS.

Tells Republicans He Wants Honest, Independent County Chairman Elected.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—President Roosevelt has declared himself against "bossism" in New York politics. This declaration he has made emphatically in letters to personal and political friends regarding the selection of the chairman of the Republican committee...

Powers Given Commission.

To fix a maximum rate. To fix the differential and to prescribe both maximum and minimum rates, and to enforce the same when that may be necessary to prevent discrimination...

Collect Overcharges in Court.

It provides for the collection in the courts of overcharges found by the commission and the penalties for the failure of the carriers to observe final orders of the commission.

Government Pays Costs.

The bill provides that no costs shall be allowed the petitioner in the Circuit Court. In the cases appealed to the Circuit Court the United States is defendant and, if the proceedings are dismissed, the defendant shall have judgment for its costs.

SENT TO PRISON FOR FRAUD

Dishonest Voters and Election Officers Severely Punished.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Samuel K. Eilenbogen, the City Marshal, who was convicted yesterday of perjury in connection with registration frauds in the recent election, was sentenced today to not more than four years and six months and not less than two years in state's prison.

WHERE IS FANNY PARK?

Last Heard of in Portland—\$1000 Award Her.

DENVER, Colo., Nov. 29.—(Special.)—Falling to locate living relatives of Celia May, in the second ward of the County Hospital, Saturday, D. L. Webb, who, during the woman's life, acted as conservator of her estate, appeared in court yesterday and requested the appointment of an administrator, that burial may proceed.

ATTACKS BRIDGE MONOPOLY

Government Begins Suit Against St. Louis Terminal Company.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 29.—Acting in behalf of the United States Government, Federal District Attorney Dyer today filed a petition in the United States Circuit Court for an injunction to prevent the Terminal Railroad Association from continuing its alleged violation of the Federal law.

GRAY HAIR QUICKLY RESTORED

To its natural color by using Alfred's Sure, Harmless, At-First-Class Drug.

Various railroad and bridge companies embracing the Terminal Association from further competing with that corporation in promotion of an alleged unlawful monopoly.

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M'CURDY QUILTS FATOFFICE

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needed the best possible service at such a time and that the officers who did the hard work of rectifying errors for which they were not to blame were entitled to a fair recompense.

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The Michigan Society of Oregon, which was so eminently successful in entertaining visitors from the Wolverine State...

With Lawson exposing the wickedness of high finance and revealing the wretched and rotten condition of insurance, investment, politics—

With Russell showing the marvelous power of the weak, when they work for one another—a few starving strikers building a business of \$140,000,000 capital and billions of good works—

With a stirring story of Alaskan love and adventure, and a few mighty good Christmas stories—

Everybody's for December is full of stir, and thought, and feeling.

Everybody's Magazine 15 cents \$1.50 a year.

Special representative wanted for Everybody's Magazine in towns where there are no dealers.

TOURIST STOLEN

Victim Secures Weapon and Runs Thief to Earth.

TAKES CAPTIVE TO POLICE

Edward Rosenthal, Felled by Brutal Intruder, Regains His Feet and Effects Plucky Capture of Assailant.

After being slugged in the head and knocked down behind a counter in his own store, Edward Rosenthal last night performed the plucky feat of seizing a revolver, firing several shots at his assailant, chasing him from 227 Burnside street to First and Couch streets and there forcing him to hold up his hands until the arrival of Policemen Tichnor and Lytle.

Handcuffed and under guard of the two policemen, the fellow was brought to headquarters, where he gave the name of Jesse Tannehill, and said he was a logger from Yacolt, Wash. He had been drinking some, and was in an ugly mood. He told Captain Moore that earlier in the day in letters to personal and political friends regarding the selection of the chairman of the Republican committee...

PURSE-SNATCHER IS ARRESTED

Nervy Woman Regained Property, but Withheld Her Name.

A man who gave his name as James Johnson was arrested late yesterday afternoon in a Fourth-street market by Headquarters Detective Welch, and booked at the central station on a charge of larceny from the person. The prisoner is alleged to have snatched the purse of a woman, whose name was not secured. She displayed unusual nerve, and before the man could escape, took her pocketbook and money from him.

INJURED MAN HAS FUNDS

George Kirkwood, of Forest Grove, Falls on Stairway.

Policemen Keller and Craddock probably saved a fortune for George Kirkwood, aged 63 years, when they picked him up in front of the Olive House, 20 1/2 Washington street, last night, and escorted him to the City Jail. When searched by Allen Rogers, the man was found to have \$154 in his possession. He was locked up for the night, and the City Physician was called in to treat a scalp wound the old man received when he fell down a set of stairs. Kirkwood is from Forest Grove.

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MICHIGAN SOCIETY ENTERTAINS.

The Michigan Society of Oregon, which was so eminently successful in entertaining visitors from the Wolverine State last night, held one of the most delightful receptions since its inception. It was held at Ringier's Hall, Sixth and Alder streets, and was attended by nearly all of the 300 members of the society. The reception, consisted of a musical programme, dancing and the giving away of several big fat Thanksgiving turkeys. Among those who took part in the programme were Miss Edith Nordstrom, yesterday evening.

THIS JUST ABOUT STRIKES BOTTOM

HERE ARE PIANOS GOOD TO PLAY ON FOR \$23, \$26, \$29, \$38 AND SO ON UP, AT \$2.00 OR \$3.00 A MONTH.

Gale, Kingsbury, Nunn & Clark, Ludwig, Schiller, Voss, Fischer; Also a Hallet & Davis and a Steinway, and Many Others to Be Closed Out at Eilers Piano House.

A "Pierpont" beautifully carved legs, only \$22. A two-time famous "Gale," only \$25. A Worcester Square, elegantly carved legs, only \$25. A fine genuine mahogany case, Kingsbury, only \$25. A Steinway, \$36; a Hallet & Davis, \$34. A "square deal" surely to all who have the room for one of these old-time favorites.

Uprights For a Song.

Largest size, golden oak, fanciest style Ludwig, only \$18. Largest size, mahogany-cased Kingsbury, only \$18. A fine Kingsbury, walnut case, \$13. A fine fancy Voss, in pretty mahogany case, only \$12. A very nice little Fischer, ebony case, only \$12. A Collard & Collard upright, only \$8. A good Newton upright, \$8. A fine mahogany-cased Hackley, only \$12. Largest size Baus & Co., mahogany upright, fine tone, only \$10. Two discontinued Colonial style Pease Pianos, brand new, only \$28 each. Largest-sized golden oak case, Wellington, only \$12. Two showy Hamiltons, \$16 and \$14. A fine genuine mahogany case, somewhat marred, only \$7. Largest-sized Wing & Son, walnut case, only \$12. Another Wing & Son, also like new, \$12. Fine mahogany cased Leicht & Co. Piano, only \$18.

Practically all of the above and numerous other pianos were taken as part payment on a new case. Chickering, Weber, Kimball, Hazeltin, Planola piano, Orchestral, or some of the other high-grade instruments handled by the House of Eilers. All must go quick. Terms entirely to suit your convenience.

Brand New Ones Also.

A number of very costly and specially designed pianos of the very highest grade intended for the "Downtown" Exhibition, at Eilers Piano House, arrived too late. These will also be closed out at very low prices. The following are some of the artistic styles ever shown included in this array. Remember, every one positively new with all the latest improvements, in choice of specially selected woods, extremely beautiful and unique. Eastern of payments. Come, write or telephone Eilers Piano House, 351 Washington street.

FINANCES OF EQUITABLE LIFE

Accountants Show \$410,044,927 Assets, \$67,142,865 Surplus.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—At the monthly meeting of the directors of the Equitable Life Assurance Society today it was decided that the advances to the agents that have been carried by various trust companies should be taken over and carried by the society. This course was recommended by Paul Morton, president of the society.

The report of the two firms of expert accountants which have been at work on the society's books was presented, setting forth that on September 30 the assets of cash and investments amounted to \$398,559,221. In addition, \$7,664,660 is carried as an asset under the heading "agents' Life Assurance Society today it was decided that the advances to the agents that have been carried by various trust companies should be taken over and carried by the society.

The following, who were nominated at the last meeting, are the latest directors: William VanHorne, of Montreal; W. M. C. Redfield, of Brooklyn; and John D. Kernan, of Utica, N. Y.

NO DANGER TO THE INSURED

Armstrong Advises Them All to Hold Their Policies.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Senator Armstrong, chairman of the committee appointed by the New York Legislature to investigate life insurance, issued a Thanksgiving greeting today to policyholders, advising them not to let their policies lapse. The address follows: I am asked for a brief message to policyholders on the eve of our adjustment for the year, and am glad to make this suggestion: Do not allow your policies to lapse on account of anything received by the investigation.

Policyholders are in a better position now than before the investigation began, and their position ought steadily to improve as our inquiry proceeds. The legislation we will recommend will undoubtedly safeguard and strengthen the rights of policyholders, but those who suffer their policies to lapse will lose the benefit of what we have done already as well as what we hope to accomplish. No sacrifice now ought to be made by policyholders and policies are contrary for a short time yet will not only prevent loss, but enable the insured to reap the best service to the greatest amount.

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GREETING To all our friends and patrons, and to all those whom we "hope for" as friends and patrons, we extend greetings of the holiday season. We've had a prosperous year, and we trust it's been the same with you. -We're duly thankful for all you've given us in the past and trust we may have the pleasure of seeing you at our store between now and Christmas. We've prepared a feast of holiday bargains for you. And remember you're just as welcome to look around as to buy. DO YOUR HOLIDAY SHOPPING HERE DIGNIFIED CREDIT TO ALL POWERS THE STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY CORNER FIRST AND TAYLOR STREETS

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CASTORIA The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Dr. J. C. Fitcher and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment. What is CASTORIA Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend. GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Fitcher The Kind You Have Always Bought In Use For Over 30 Years. IN A WEEK We treat successfully all private nervous and chronic diseases of men, also blood, stomach, heart, liver, kidney and throat troubles. We cure SYPHILIS (without mercury) to stay cured forever. We remove STRICTURE without operation or pain, in 15 days. We stop drains, night losses and spermatorrhoea by a new method, in a short time. We can restore the sexual vigor of any man under 50 by means of local treatment peculiar to ourselves. We Cure Gonorrhoea in a Week The doctors of this Institute are all regular graduates, have had many years' experience, have been known in Portland 15 years, have a reputation to maintain and will undertake no case unless cured or not at all. We guarantee a cure in every case we undertake or charge no fee. Consultation free. Letters confidential. Instructive BOOK FOR MEN mailed free in plain wrapper. We cure the worst cases of piles in two or three treatments, without operation. Cure guaranteed. If you cannot call at office, write for question blank. Home treatment successful. Office hours, 9 to 5 and 7 to 8; Sundays and holidays, 10 to 12. DR. W. NORTON DAVIS & CO. Offices in Van-Noy Hotel, 224 Third St., Cor. Pine, Portland, Or.