

THE OREGONIAN'S
NUMBER OFF
Exemption of Union Pacific
From Rates Fixed by Spokane
Decision Is Blow.

NEED NOT MODIFY RATES
Unless Intermediate Cities File In-
tervening Petitions, Harriman
Lines May Establish Voluntarily
Long Haul Rates.

The effect of the exemption of the Union Pacific from the adoption of the rates fixed by the Interstate Commerce Commission in the Spokane rate case, as announced in dispatches from Washington yesterday, will be to relieve competitive points like Walla Walla, Pendleton and Baker City from participation in the benefits of the original decision, in the opinion of Portland railroad men.

Had the Commission held the Union Pacific to the full force of the decision, as first announced, the new Spokane rate would thereby have been established as a reasonable one for a haul of 2300 miles to the Pacific coast, and would have modified its rates to intermediate points to conform proportionately with the new tariff to Spokane from St. Paul.

O. R. & N. PLANS BIG CUT-OFF
Short Route to Coeur d'Alene Lake
to Be Begun June 1.

Announcement that construction of the O. R. & N. cut-off between Spokane and Coeur d'Alene Lake would be commenced June 1 was made by General Manager J. P. O'Brien yesterday.

BRIDGE IS BADLY NEEDED
Heavy Traffic Is Damaging Morrison-Street Span.

The situation regarding the bridge across the Willamette River at the pres-

BRIDGE DOES NOT
EXCUSE MASHER
Male Flirts Under Legal Ban in
Portland Even if Lady in
Case Is Willing.

Thorny will be the path of the male masher who flirts with a lady in Portland. It doesn't matter if the lady in the case is interested and responds to the easy wink or the suggestive stare, if the

FINE PLACED AT LIMIT
Haste of Father, Necessary to Support
12 Children, Earns Him
Beating—Other Cleanings
From Police Court.

GRAIN VESSELS FIXED
BARK MARECHAL DE NOAILLES
AND JORDANHILL TAKEN.

French Vessel Chartered for Round
Trip—British Craft Will Come
From Guaymas in Ballast.

Two grain carriers were added to the route list for Portland yesterday. They are the French bark Marechal de Noailles and the British bark Jordanhill.

RECEIVES WIRELESS REPORTS
Forecast Official Beas Gets Mes-
sages From Steamships at Sea.

Forecast Official A. Beas, of the United States Weather Bureau, is in receipt of the following wireless messages from the interior cities mentioned in the forecast:

Wicklund Ordered to Seattle.
ASTORIA, Or., May 14.—(Special.)—Captain Oscar Wicklund, of the Point

Captain Given Leave of Absence.
Captain W. H. Whitcomb, master of the

Marine Notes.
The steamship Alliance is due to sail

Arrivals and Departures.
PORTLAND, May 14.—Arrived—Steamship

Titles at Astoria Saturday.
High. Low.

COSS MAKES REDU
Denies He and Connell Hope to
Profit Off City.

BOUGHT LAND TO IMPROVE
Owner of Montgomery Tract De-
clares Larger Part of It Can Be
Had for Park Purposes at
Reasonable Price.

Walter A. Goss, who is associated with Samuel Connell in the ownership of the Montgomery tract on the East Side, re-

GROCERS HERE DUNE
PLANS MADE FOR MEETING OF
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

Secretary Charles B. Merrick, of the Oregon Retail Grocers' Association, is in

WIDEN UNDER DOORS
POSTMASTER TO ENFORCE REG-
ULATIONS OF DEPARTMENT.

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A movement has been started to es-
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STEAMER INTELLIGENCE.
Due to Arrive.

Table with columns: Name, From, Date. Lists various steamships and their routes.

Scheduled to Depart.

Table with columns: Name, For, Date. Lists steamships and their destinations.

Entered Friday.

Alliance, Am. steamship (Parsons), with general cargo, from Coos Bay.

Cleared Friday.

Alliance, Am. steamship (Parsons), with general cargo, for Coos Bay.

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BIG ITALIAN NAVAL BUDGET. Nation Will Spend Over \$52,000,000 in Next Three Years. ROME, May 14.—The Minister of Marine, Admiral Mirabello, has obtained the approval of the Cabinet to a naval programme that provides for the construction within the next three years of an expense of \$52,000,000 of four Dreadnaughts and several fast scout cruisers.

TALK TO ME! ON Contagious Blood Poison BY R. TAYLOR, The Leading Specialist. On account of its frightful hideousness Contagious Blood Poison is commonly called the King of all man's diseases. It may be either hereditary or contracted.

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