

HARRIMAN ROADS REDUCE TRIFFS

Voluntarily Lower Rates on Bags and Give Out New Class Scale.

HELPS PORTLAND MAKERS

Competition With Eastern Manufacturers Possible—Schedules Apply to Points in Montana and Utah.

Reduction 25 Per Cent.

Announcement of important reductions in freight tariffs on bags out of Portland over the Oregon, Utah and Idaho.

The new rates, which in some instances involve a reduction of as much as 25 per cent. will be of much interest to shippers.

Beginning August 2, there will be a new rate of 75 cents per 100 pounds on cotton-lined sugar bags.

On the same date there will also become effective a rate of \$1.10 per 100 pounds on burlap, gunny and jute bags.

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CONTRACT LET FOR TUNNEL

Pacific Bridge Company and Robert Wakefield to Build Cut-off.

Within a year, O. R. & N. trains will be running through the big \$1,000,000 tunnel under the Peninsula.

The tunnel will be exactly 8425 feet long, or 145 feet more than one mile.

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BUILD FORTY-TWO NEW CARS

Street Railway Traffic of Portland Shows Big Increase.

No feature of Portland's remarkable growth within the past year is better shown than by the fact that the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company has an order for 42 additional passenger cars.

The new cars will be built by the Puller Manufacturing Company.

SERVICE TO KLAMATH POOR

Chamber of Commerce Wants Better Train Accommodations.

The transportation committee of the Chamber of Commerce will investigate charges of discrimination in train schedules which were placed before it yesterday.

FINE IMPOSED ON ROAD

Attorney-General Prepares to Collect \$10,000 From C. & E.

SALEM, Ore., June 29.—(Special.)—Attorney-General Crawford went to Albany yesterday to represent the state in the case against the Corvallis & Eastern Railroad for the collection of the penalty for the alleged failure of the railroad to comply with the Railroad Commission act.

Business Shows Increase.

Archibald Gray, Assistant General Freight Agent of the Great Northern, with headquarters at Seattle, was in Portland yesterday on freight business.

WELL-SHOWN CHARTS

State Board of Health Plans Tubercular Exhibit.

PUT PUBLIC ON GUARD

Display Will Be Made in Oregon Cities as Education Against Ravages of Consumption—More Funds Are Needed.

Preliminary plans for a tubercular exhibit to be taken through the state have been taken up by the State Board of Health.

PROMINENT CANDIDATE FOR GRAND EXALTED RULER OF ELKS.

J. U. Sammis, a lawyer of Sioux City, Ia., is being widely talked of for the position of grand exalted ruler of the Elks.

The position is filled at the annual reunion of the grand lodge in Los Angeles next month.

Mr. Sammis' candidacy is being advertised by the Elks of his own state, as well as by South Dakota, Minnesota, Nebraska and other lodges throughout the West.

Mr. Sammis is recognized as a lawyer of ability, a brilliant orator and a leader in the Iowa Senate.

CONGO HORRORS ARE TOLD

Rev. Joseph Clark Brings Pictures of Atrocities.

Graphic enough to bring shudders was the address of Rev. Joseph Clark, a Congo native, in his address to the horrors of the Congo.

Mr. Clark pictured in brief sentences the horrors of the Congo.

He spoke of the soldiers cutting off a hand brutally, so that the victim might be made to work.

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BANK'S MINE FOR SALE

BIDS ASKED ON COPPEROPOLIS PROPERTY.

Proceeds to Go to Creditors of Defunct Stockmen & Traders' Bank Through Merchants' National.

The Copperopolis mine, at Quartzburg, eight miles from Prairie City, the property of the defunct Stockmen & Traders' Bank, is to be sold.

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THREE PERSONS WANT CHILD

Custody of Little Marie Priolet Is Much Sought.

The case involving the custody of six-year-old Marie Henriette Priolet was postponed by Judge J. B. Brough.

Three men and two women now demand the custody of the child, but the court is hinted, will not allow her to be cared for by any of them.

The girl was born at Toulouse, France, March 27, 1923.

Her father, died in Juvenile Court yesterday morning a petition in which he says he deserted his wife in France, and came to this country.

His mother, Bridget Josephine Priolet, the little girl's mother joined him at Coeur d'Alene, in July, 1926.

But Unglas says that the Priolet woman promised him last February she would meet him in New York.

She says she went, instead, to Aberdeen, Wash., leaving the child in the care of Frederick Mesne, a local North-End saloonkeeper.

HORSE DEALER IS ACCUSED

Man Who Buys Team Says He Is Badly Swindled.

That Le Roy T. Henderson, proprietor of a feed and sale stable at Eleventh and Jackson streets, engaged in swindling the patrons who go to him to buy horses, is the charge made by A. C. Rhodes.

Rhodes in a suit filed in the Circuit Court yesterday, charged Henderson with using a man named Gentry and one Ed White as stoogeboys.

The plaintiff demands \$521. He says he bought two horses upon the assurance of Henderson that they were just the animals he needed to work his 18-acre potato patch.

Rhodes thinks the horses were worth only \$55 for the team, but says he paid \$100 on the lease for the land, \$135 for seed potatoes, and enough more for utensils and labor to bring the total to \$521.

TWO RAILWAY COMPANIES SUED

P. R., I. & P. Defendant in Damage Case, as Is Oregon Electric.

Annie Weir brought suit in Circuit Court yesterday afternoon against the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company, to recover \$5000 damages.

A car upon which she was riding October 6, last year, derailed, she says, on Russell street and Gantenbein avenue, she says, at more than 12 miles an hour, throwing her violently across the car.

She says she was injured and scratched hands and arms are worth \$5000. She is 50 years old.

The Oregon Electric Railway Company is also made the defendant in a damage suit filed in Circuit Court yesterday.

Sarah J. Henderson, trustee of property at Adams street, demands \$9000 for the manner in which the company has constructed its railway over the property.

DESSERTION CHARGED BY WIFE

But Husband Is Abusive, She Adds, and Wants Divorce.

Answering the divorce suit of Woodford F. Young, a brakeman in the employ of the Oregon Electric Railway, Mrs. Alle Young says he "deliberately deserted" her in January, 1928.

She says she married Young at Roseburg, July 30, 1924. Young earns \$57.50 a month, she says, and is able to pay her \$20 a month.

She says she has been paying \$15 a month to Mrs. J. Y. Patterson, for the support of their child.

The brakeman was frequently surly, cruel and abusive when he lived with his wife, she says.

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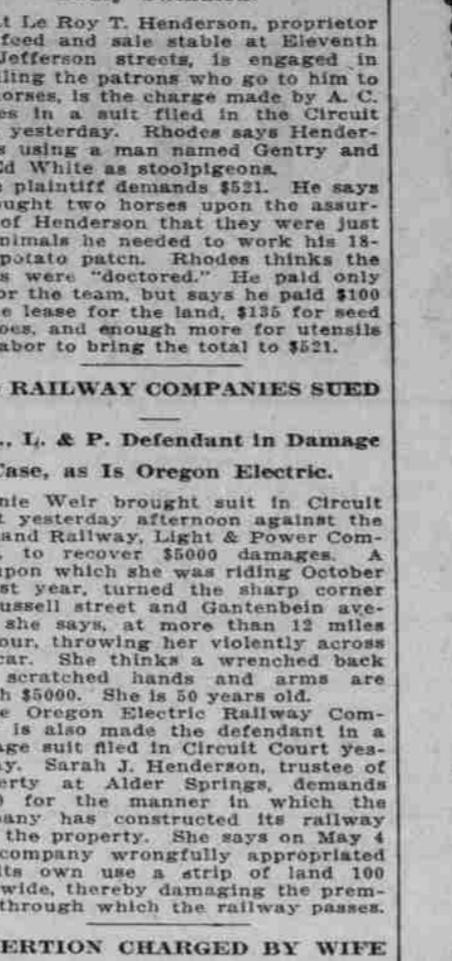
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BAKER GETS PLUM

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Broken Leg Case on Trial.

The case of Hans Jorgensen against the Chapman Timber Company for \$5000 damages on account of a broken leg, will go to trial on its merits, as Presiding Judge Brough yesterday morning overruled the demurrer of the company.

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