

### FOREST SERVICE CURBED BY COURT

#### Department Is Forbidden to Prosecute for Violation of Regulations.

### SHEPHERDER WINS CASE

#### California Judge Is Upheld for Sustaining Demurrer of Two Men Indicted for Grazing Flocks Within Sierra Forest.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, March 15.—Under a decision of the Supreme Court handed down yesterday the Forest Service will no longer be permitted to institute criminal proceedings against persons who violate its regulations governing forest reserves. By a vote of four to four, the court sustained the action of Judge Welborn, of Southern California, who sustained the demurrer of two men indicted for grazing sheep on the Sierra forest reserve without permit. Judge Welborn held that the law authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to make regulations for the administration of forest reserves is unconstitutional in that it attempted to delegate legislative authority to an executive officer and empowered such officer to create a criminal offense. Forest Service officials have not yet been advised of this decision, but it is their opinion that the decision of the court merely prohibits them instituting criminal prosecution against persons who violate their regulations. It is their intention to continue their regulations in effect and to continue to charge a fee for grazing within reserves. Just how they expect to enforce their orders, in view of this decision, is not made plain. If they find themselves helpless they probably will appeal to Congress to enact their regulations into law.

### PRESIDENT SENDS FOR JONES

#### Tells Washington Senator He Wants Railroad Bill Passed.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, March 15.—President Taft today sent for Senator Jones, of Oregon, with Senators Brown and Burkett to discuss with them his desires in the matter of railway legislation, and to urge them as best he could to support a railroad bill which carries out the main reforms to which the party is committed. He made it plain that he is not wedded to any particular measure, but is insisting upon the passage of the Elkins bill without amendment, but is willing to defer to the judgment of Congress as to details. He is desirous, he said, that a bill should be framed and passed by Republican votes, so that credit for its enactment will not have to be divided with the Democrats, and he urged all three Senators to lend their efforts to help attain this end.

### WASHINGTON BILLS PASS

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, March 15.—The Senate today passed Senator Jones' bill permitting the Okanogan Electric Railway Company to bridge the Columbia and the Okanogan Rivers. The Senate also passed Senator Piles' bill permitting Seattle to purchase 16,000 acres of land at \$1.25 an acre to protect its water supply.

### JURY GETS DEPOT CASE

#### Verdict Delayed in Suit to Recover Penalty From Railroad.

ALBANY, Or., March 15.—(Special.)—The case of the State of Oregon vs. the Corvallis & Eastern Railroad Company to recover a \$10,000 penalty for an alleged failure of the company to comply with an order of the State Railroad Commission went to the jury at 2 o'clock this afternoon. No verdict had been reached after eight hours' deliberation. The main question before the jury is whether the company complied with the commission's order to erect a suitable depot at Lyons, by reconstructing a depot out of two old cars.

### SHIP CLOSELY SEARCHED

#### Customs Officers Look for Contraband Opium in Seattle.

SEATTLE, March 15.—Every movable thing on the Great Northern liner Minnetonka is being shifted and every crevice and hiding place peered into by customs officers in their search for opium. This far \$400 worth of the drug has been found. No arrest has been made. The Chinese crew affect the utmost indifference, and seem to know nothing about the opium. The stuff is high class, refined in Hongkong, and the profit is so great on opium that sets into America that the Hongkong syndicate can well afford an occasional loss. The seized opium is burned in the Seattle Garbage Crematory.

### CITY SAVES WOMAN LEPER

#### Purchases Property, Will Build New Home and Allow Income.

AIKEN, S. C., March 15.—Miss Mary V. Kirk, who has been quarantined at her residence in this city for 16 months, alleged to be suffering from leprosy, contracted while a missionary in Brazil, three years ago, will be removed to a cottage to be erected for her by the City of Aiken in a secluded locality. The City Council has decided to pay Miss Kirk for her city property, build her the new home and allow her a specified sum monthly.

### MEDIATION HALTS STRIKE

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will be none. Settlement of the whole controversy by mediation and arbitration is assured.

### TRAVELERS NOT WORRYING

#### Employees of Roads, However, Are Concerned in Outcome.

Travelers, apparently, are not looking upon the threatened strike of the locomotive firemen with a great degree of alarm, according to the general agents along Railroad Row in Portland. There has been no diminution in travel in an-

icipation of a tie-up of the roads, it is declared. The only thing that will affect the volume of travel, say the ticket agents, will be definite announcement of a strike. If this date should be announced several days ahead there will likely be a big rush in travel for the few days preliminary to the strike. Every man in the West whose home is in the East will want to get there before the trouble begins, and vice versa.

Employees of the roads, even to the clerks in the offices, are strongly interested in the result of the negotiations for a settlement of the trouble. It is believed that 150 clerks in the O. R. & N. offices were laid off for a time. This was when the road was in the hands of a receiver and it was expected that extensive washouts in addition to strike trouble.

It is contended that after the switchmen, brakemen and those actively engaged in operating trains, the employees in the local freight and ticket offices would be the first to suffer from a prolonged tie-up of the railroads. Employees in the general offices would come last, as there is generally an accumulation of work that must be disposed of.

### SITUATION DILEMMA TO ROAD

#### Santa Fe Head Says "They're Between Devil and Deep Sea."

SANTA BARBARA, Cal., March 15.—"The railroads are between the Devil and the Deep Sea in dealing with the Brotherhood of Firemen," said E. P. Ripley, president of the Santa Fe today. "There are two alternatives before them. One is to demand for an increase without throwing the burden on the public and we are not allowed to do that, like every one else. The other is to raise freight rates to meet a higher wage scale."

### PAULHAN OFF IN HUFF

#### AVIATOR DISGUSTED WITH LEGAL TROUBLES HERE.

Injunction Obtained Prohibiting Him From Taking Away His Four Machines.

NEW YORK, March 15.—"I am ready and glad to leave this country," declared Louis Paulhan, the aviator today, in retracting his declaration that he had made his last flight in America and would return to France by the first steamer.

Disgusted with patent infringement suits, Paulhan seemed to be in much the same frame of mind as Henry Farmar, the other foreign aviator who went back to Europe in a huff after a series of unsatisfactory exhibitions here in the summer of 1908.

Paulhan packed up his machines and prepared to leave, despite every effort which his manager, Edwin Cleary, made to induce him to stay and complete his contract.

Cleary obtained an injunction today prohibiting Paulhan from taking with him any of the four aeroplanes he owned in this country. There are two Bleriot and two Farmar machines. With his craft tied up and Cleary threatening a damage suit for \$150,000, Paulhan is said to be in a quandary. He is said to be considering his decision, but he was obdurate and is determined to sail Thursday.

### FREEDOM WILL BE BRIEF

#### HOLDUP MAN TO BE RE-ARRESTED ON FEDERAL CHARGE.

Accusation That A. B. Smith Threatened Banker Through Mails Will Be Pressed.

SALEM, Or., March 15.—(Special.)—When A. B. Smith, ordered set free today by the court, is released from the County Jail, United States Marshal Reed, of Portland, will be on hand to take him to Portland to be tried by a Federal jury on the charge of misuse of the mails.

Before Smith held up the Hinges jewelry store, for which he was arrested, he sent several letters through the mails threatening to kidnap the daughter of A. Bush, a banker of Salem, unless Bush paid a large sum of money in a certain place at a certain time.

### IDAHO RECALL BREWING

#### LEWISTON MAY INVOKE LAW ON MAYOR AND OTHERS.

Council Is Told Step Will Be Taken Unless Water, Street, Police, Fire Changes Are Made.

LEWISTON, Idaho, March 15.—(Special.)—As a result of dissatisfaction with some of the city departments, a recall petition was presented to the members of the Council in such a manner as to leave no doubt of the intention of invoking recall proceedings unless changes in some of the departments are made.

The administration has been commended on the efficiency of some of the departments, while in other cases charges have been made to the effect that the appointees seem to be unfit for the positions in which they have been placed by the Council.

The recall movement is directed against Mayor Tweedy and members of the Council in charge of the water, street, police and fire departments.

### George W. Cowgill Dies in South.

PHOENIX, Ariz., March 15.—(Special.)—George W. Cowgill, for three years secretary of the Phoenix Board of Trade, died today of consumption. He came to Phoenix five years ago from Los Angeles, to which city his body would be taken Friday by his widow for burial. He was 58 years old. For many years he lived at Spokane, Wash. He came south for his health.

### STANDARD SCORED AS TRADE UNION

#### Government Attorney Argues That Oil Company Should Be "Erased" From World.

### COURT'S QUERIES INTEREST

#### Attorney-General Wickersham to Close Case for Prosecution Today—Portland Situation Cited. Branches Called Bogus.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Holding up the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey as a danger to the country and its organization as a commercial precedent that should be erased from the business world, Frank J. Kellogg today arraigned the corporation before the Supreme Court of the United States. It was the Government's turn to be heard in the argument over the dissolution of the company, decreed by the Circuit Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Missouri. Except about 20 minutes that John G. Milburn consumed at the beginning of the sitting in the conclusion of his opening address and about an equal length of time occupied by T. Watson at the close of the day, both in defense of the Standard Oil, all the time was taken up by Mr. Kellogg. He gave a history of the Standard Oil and its activities, with frequent comments on the law of the case. He seemed inclined to leave many of the legal points for discussion by Attorney-General Wickersham, who is to close the case for the Government tomorrow. Particularly was this true at the point of common ownership of Standard Oil property urged by the defense to have existed both before and after the organization of the alleged illegal combination in 1899.

Time after time the court manifested its keen interest in the case by subjecting counsel to a series of queries. The judges were particularly anxious to know about the company's financial statement issued tonight by the Standard Oil and to get the various interpretations of the meaning that should be given the word "monopoly," as used in the Sherman anti-trust act.

The day brought out a sharp conflict of purposes between the Government and Standard Oil. Mr. Kellogg, on behalf of the Government, dwelt upon the activities of the corporation to prove an intent to monopolize. On the other hand, the Standard Oil counsel contended that such subjects were not before the court for review.

At the conclusion of the Standard Oil, since its pipe lines had been made common carriers, had established delivery stations at "outlandish places where nobody ever had a refinery. Their rates were prohibitive, counsel said, and that was the reason applications to use the pipe lines had not been made by independent producers.

Railroad rates, as a means of unfair competition, were next considered. He spoke of the number of Standard Oil officials in many railroads.

Portland Situation Mentioned. From the railroad question he returned to what he called the "bait and switch" of competition. As an example he told of the Standard selling oil at a loss in Los Angeles, where there was competition, and at a profit in the Standard Oil Seattle, where there was no competition.

"They may say that is only competition, but we say it is competition that is dangerous in the hands of a corporation spreading all over this country," declared Mr. Kellogg.

Alleged bogus independent companies organized by the Standard were likewise classed as dangerous to competition. The 30 minutes occupied by D. T. Watson for the company were devoted to the argument that the only thing the Circuit Court below held to be in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law was the combination of 1899.

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### END NOT IN SIGHT

#### Efforts to Arbitrate in Philadelphia End in Failure.

### LABOR ISSUES NEW CALL

#### Unions Throughout State Urged to Be in Readiness for General Strike Already Authorized by the Federation.

PHILADELPHIA, March 15.—"The conference with George H. Earle has not resulted in any plan or suggestion for the settlement of the carmen's strike, and negotiations are therefore to be considered ended," was the official statement issued tonight by the general strike committee of ten.

President E. E. Greenawald, of the State Federation of Labor, tonight issued a call to labor unions in the state to take a general strike vote and hold themselves in readiness to respond to a call for the state-wide sympathetic strike authorized by the recent convention of the State Federation at Newcastle.

Some Desertions Reported. There was no change in the general situation today. There were several desertions in the strikers' ranks, but these, it was stated by the labor leaders, were more than counterbalanced by accessions.

Mr. Earle, who is the city's representative on the traction company directorate, said: "Nobody's position has been changed. Nor is there immediate prospect of settlement. This discussion, however, was carried on in the very best spirit, and I think will involve few if any appreciable changes in the position of the other."

Company Firm on Point. "The union wanted all the men not only taken back, but placed on their former runs. Mr. Kruger stated as definitely as he could yesterday that this would involve a breach of faith with the men who had remained with the company and the company would never agree to the plan."

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### PARTY'S PLEDGES KEPT

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#### Take a Little Diapiespin Now and Your Stomach Will Feel Fine Five Minutes Later.

If your meals don't fit comfortably, or you feel bloated after eating and you believe it is the food which fills you; if what little you eat lies like a lump of lead on your stomach; if there is difficulty in breathing after eating, eructations of sour, undigested food and acid, heartburn, brash or a belching of gas, you can make up your mind that you need something to stop food fermentation and cure indigestion.

To make every bite of food you eat aid in the nourishment and strength of your body, you must rid your Stomach of order Stomach within five minutes, and digest promptly, without any stomach gas which sours your entire mass—interferes with digestion and causes so many sufferers of Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Biliousness, Constipation, Griping, etc. Your case is no different—you are a stomach sufferer, though you may call it by some other name; your real and only trouble is that which you eat does not digest, but quickly ferments and sours, producing almost any unhealthy condition.

A case of Pape's Diapiespin will cost fifty cents at any Pharmacy here, and will convince any stomach sufferer five minutes after taking a single dose that Fermentation and Sour Stomach is causing the misery of Indigestion. No matter if you call your trouble Catarrh of the Stomach, Nervousness or Gastritis, or by any other name—always remember that a certain cure is waiting at any drugstore the moment you decide to begin its use. Pape's Diapiespin will regulate any out of order Stomach within five minutes, and digest promptly, without any stomach gas which sours your entire mass—interferes with digestion and causes so many sufferers of Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Biliousness, Constipation, Griping, etc. Your case is no different—you are a stomach sufferer, though you may call it by some other name; your real and only trouble is that which you eat does not digest, but quickly ferments and sours, producing almost any unhealthy condition.

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