

STATES SECONDARY IN RATE QUESTION

Interstate Order Is Supreme Where Intra-State Ruling Conflicts.

SHREVEPORT CASE DECIDED

Highest Court Says Texas Commission Erred in Discriminating Against Louisiana Points—'One-Master' Idea Gains Headway.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—A long step toward placing railroads under "one master instead of many" was taken today by the Supreme Court in upholding the power of the Interstate Commerce Commission to strike down state rates that discriminate against interstate commerce.

The court said in substance that the Minnesota and other recent state rate cases in which the railroads lost might have been decided otherwise had roads gone to the Commission for relief instead of the courts.

The decision was announced by Justice Hughes, Justices Pitney and Lurton dissenting. The case arose out of a complaint by Shreveport, La., merchants that the Texas Railroad Commission had shut them out of all Texas business by compelling the railroads to reduce Texas state rates far below what the Interstate Commerce Commission allowed the railroads running from Shreveport to Texas cities to charge.

Power Found in Congress.
The court first decided that Congress had power to control intra-state charges over an interstate carrier to the extent necessary to prevent injurious discriminations against interstate traffic, and then held that Congress had conferred this power upon the Interstate Commerce Commission.

"It is of the essence of the power to regulate interstate commerce, that where it exists, it dominates," Justice Hughes said. "The fact that carriers are instruments of interstate commerce, as well as of interstate commerce, does not derogate from the complete and paramount authority of Congress over the latter or preclude the Federal power from being exerted to prevent the intrastate operations of such carriers from being a means of injury to that which has been confided to Federal care. Wherever the interstate and intrastate transactions of carriers are so related that the Government of the one involves the control of the other, it is Congress and not the state that is entitled to prescribe the final and dominant rule, for otherwise Congress would be denied the exercise of its constitutional authority and the state and not the Nation would be supreme within the National field."

Congress Not Bound.
In removing discriminations against interstate commerce, the court held Congress was not bound to reduce the interstate rates below what it may deem to be a proper standard to the carrier and the intrastate rates.

One Master Must Rule.
"We are not unmindful of the gravity of the question that is presented when the state and Federal laws conflict," the opinion concludes. "But it was recognized at the beginning of the century that could not prosper if interstate and foreign trade were governed by many masters, and where the interests of the freedom of interstate commerce are involved, the judgment of Congress and of the agencies it lawfully establishes must control."

RAPP'S DEFENSE HALTED

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tion of her son's graduation it was so that the friends of her son might be received and entertained. Baldwin spent one night and a day in a room under that of the witness.

The forenoon session was consumed chiefly by the reading of Rapp's impassioned letter to Mrs. Catherine Dean, of New York, alleged affinity named by the singer as co-respondent. Mrs. Schumann Heink was called and was asked only one question: "What was the date of your marriage to Paul Schumann?" asked the attorney.

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Mr. Swift was hit on the head with a heavy timber, his nose was broken and his skull is believed to have been fractured. Two local doctors, together with Dr. Hockey, of Portland, are in attendance at his home.

Conductor Rainey, on the construction train, was struck by falling timbers also, his right leg being broken near the knee and the left leg just above the ankle. He was sent to a Portland hospital.

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BAGGAGE RULING FOUGHT

RAILROAD COMPANY SEEKS TO ENJOIN ORDER OF COMMISSION.

Order in Transfer Case Issued Some Months Ago Said to Be Taking Property Without Compensation.

SALEM, Or., June 8.—(Special.)—Alleging that an order of the State Railroad Commission preventing it from granting baggage privileges to the Baggage & Omnibus Transfer Company, Pacific Terminal Company in a suit filed here today charges that the order is in violation of the Federal Constitution.

The plaintiff says it has made arrangements with the Baggage & Omnibus Company to assist in handling baggage and that the order of the commission, if put into operation, will result in great loss to it and cause much inconvenience to the traveling public.

It is declared that the action of the commission is tantamount to taking the plaintiff's property without due process of law.

The Baggage Transfer Company several months ago, in a complaint filed with the commission, alleged that representatives of the Baggage & Omnibus Transfer Company were allowed to board incoming trains to solicit business, and given special privileges at the Union Depot, which worked a hardship upon other baggage transfer companies and the general public. As a result of the complaint the commission issued an order forbidding the terminal company from discriminating in favor of any transfer company.

Aged Priest III at Aberdeen.

ABERDEEN, Wash., June 8.—(Special.)—Father Gilson, age 84, a Roman Catholic priest, is ill at St. Joseph's Hospital and because of his advanced age little hope is held for his recovery. He has made more than 50 trips across the Atlantic. Two years ago he celebrated in Portland the golden jubilee of his services in the church and at that time received a telegram of congratulations from the Pope.

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Carnival--June WHITE SALES

"A Phenomenal Sale of Dresses" The Verdict of Hundreds of Women Beautiful Dresses of Wool Crepe and Serge At \$9.95



Worth \$18.50 to \$25

—And the woman who is fastidious about the way dresses are made will be delighted with this sale of new dresses, which are also distinguished for the smartness of the styles.

Madame, If You Know "Clothes Worth" The Superiority of These Novelty Suits At \$25.00

Which Have Sold Regularly at \$42.50 to \$50.00 Will Instantly Be Apparent

—Just because women are connoisseurs of apparel is why so many bought these suits Monday.

New Ideas In Styles and Trimmings That Give Distinction to the Lingerie in this June White Sale

\$1.00 GOWNS FOR 79c

—Six different styles of gowns made of a fine quality longcloth, slip-over styles with round or square necks—deep yokes of embroidery and lace—set-in sleeves, or yokes of dainty eyelet embroidery and lace insertion—lace edging on the sleeves at the neck and all drawn with ribbon. All sizes.

CREPE COMBINATIONS, SPECIAL, 98c

—Made of a splendid quality of soft plisse crepe, in open and closed styles, trimmed with torchon lace and insertion. Waisted styles are finished with beadings and ribbon, with drawers made in the new narrow cut with lace edging.

45c CORSET COVERS, SPECIAL, 29c

—Corset covers of good quality longcloth with yoke of lace and embroidery insertion, lace edging, beadings and ribbon.

\$2.75 TO \$2.85 PRINCESS SLIPS, SPECIAL, \$1.95

—Of fine longcloth, with trimmings of double-thread Val. laces, set-in medallions and lace insertions. The skirts are finished with four rows of lace insertion and lace edging. All sizes.

\$1.65 PRINCESS SLIPS, SPECIAL, \$1.19

—Made in open-front style with dotted Swiss embroidery trimming, drawn with ribbon. Skirt is finished with embroidery ruffle.

\$4.00 TO \$4.50 GOWNS, SPECIAL, \$2.95

—Fine longcloth gowns, trimmed with Princess lace and net yoke and sleeves, or with fine tucking, ribbon beading and dainty rosettes. Also some with deep panel front yokes with wide shadow lace and insertion yoke and sleeves. These are in square-neck and slipover styles.

\$2.75 GOWNS, SPECIAL, \$1.95

—In slipover style, with medallion trimmings combined with lace, insertion and tucks, with lace sleeves. Also with yokes of Swiss embroidery and wide shadow lace, in square-neck style. Some are trimmed back and front. All are made of a fine quality of longcloth.

\$2.00 TO \$2.25 GOWNS, SPECIAL, \$1.69

—These attractive gowns have yokes of lace insertion and dainty embroidery or tucks and embroidery. Also Empire yokes with wide ribbon beading, trimmed back and front, and kimono sleeves of lace and insertion.

The Best \$1.25 Washable Doe Skin Gloves in Pure White 95c Pair

—These gloves are very smart, possessing an extremely tailored air, which makes them so popular for all around Summer wear. They have one clasp and are pique sewn.

Genuine Surprises in Our Specialty \$1.00 Summer Blouses

Regular prices would be \$1.75 to \$2.50

—Ever since the first day we offered our Specialty \$1.00 Blouse women have marveled at the humble price for blouses of such beauty and quality. This was gratifying, but we still wanted to make them better—and we have, we think, because this last shipment was planned with this in view.

—This is a sale of more than 600 new blouses that are not just such fine qualities of materials, but blouses in the latest and daintiest styles.

—Of Voile, Crepe and lingerie trimmed with fine laces, embroideries, hemstitching and tuckings—in long and short sleeve styles as well as low or V-neck styles with the sailor or Gladstone collars.

Annual Millinery Sale A Carnival of Wonderful Bargains Four Sale Groups of Fashionable Hats

—The cost of these hats is not considered now, for at this time every year we clean out many of our finest trimmed hats. We do it at this time, while the season is yet young, so that you may reap economies by getting the hats when they are still the styles of the hour, and so they can be worn during the warmest Summer days.

—These hats are so exquisitely made and colors so artistically blended that they are quite the equals of those from Paris.

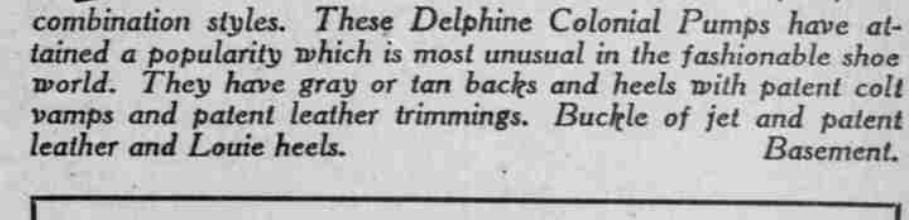
—Hats for all occasions in correct tailored, semi-dress and dress modes, of Lizarre, Milan hemp, hair braids and other fashionable millinery materials in black, white and colors.

—NOTE—These hats may not be returned for either credit or refund of money.

Hats Selling Regularly From \$25.00 to \$40.00, June Sale \$15.00 \$15.00 to \$18.00, June Sale \$ 7.50 \$ 9.00 to \$12.00, June Sale \$ 4.95 \$ 6.00 to \$10.00, June Sale \$ 3.95

The "Delphine" Pump at \$6.50 Is a Two-Toned Colonial Style

—The smartly dressed New York and Parisian women this season favor pumps in combination styles. These Delphine Colonial Pumps have attained a popularity which is most unusual in the fashionable shoe world. They have gray or tan backs and heels with patent colts vamps and patent leather trimmings. Buckle of jet and patent leather and Louie heels.



Lipman Wolfe & Co. Merchandise of Merit Only

Economy Basement Store

\$1.00 Scarfs and Squares Economy 59c Each

—These pretty scarfs and squares are made with bleached union centers, trimmed with lace insertion and bordered on four sides with wide lace.

—Squares are size 30x30 inches. —Scarfs are size 50x16 inches.

\$1.00 Scissors 39c

—Guaranteed steel scissors in all sizes, including manicure, nail, round points and dress-makers' scissors with regular or new finger-fit handles.

\$1 Stamped Needlework Economy Sale 25c

—Stamped and tinted scarfs, pillow tops and centerpieces in a great variety of conventional and floral designs. The materials are art ticking, pure linen, fancy brocades and fancy reps.

18c Women's Vests Economy Sale 12 1-2c

—Made of white Swiss ribbed cotton, soft in texture; low neck, sleeveless style, with trimmed top and mercerized tape.

Women's Union Suits Economy Sale 25c

—Union suits of white ribbed cotton in light weight, made with low neck and no sleeves, trimmed at knee with linen lace.

20c Plisse Crepe Economy Sale 14c Yard

—The new soft finish crepe, in white and tinted grounds with neat colored designs. Also comes in plain white.

60c Fancy Crib Blankets Economy Sale 44c

—In pink, blue, fancy plaid patterns or small checked designs. Also Teddy Bear, Little Bo-Peep and animal patterns. Size 50x30 inches.

A Most Unusual Kimono Sale Offering \$1.75 and \$2.25 Kimonos of Crepe and Flannelette in Long Styles At \$1.10

—The flannelette kimonos are made of a splendid quality of material in a weight suitable for Summer wear, in becoming Empire style with round neck and turn-down collar. The cuffs, collar and entire length of front are finished with scalloped edge to match material.

—The crepe kimonos are of heavy, genuine serpentine and soft finished plisse crepes, made in most attractive styles, in Empire and loose effects with scalloped edge or pretty border trimmings or satin ribbon finished. Some have deep collars and revers and either kimono or set-in sleeves. They come in beautiful, dainty flowered and figured effects, in a variety of pretty colorings.

