

PROSECUTION URGED IN RAILROADS CASE

"Embezzlement Shown," Says Investigator of Affairs of Calhoun's Company.

\$1,096,000 LOAN IS BARED

Great Sum Withdrawn by ex-President of San Francisco Streetcar Concern, Used in Realty Deal, Is Testimony.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—A transcript of the evidence taken before the State Railroad Commission in its investigation into the affairs of the United Railroads, the surface transit system serving San Francisco, will be laid before the District Attorney with a request that he institute prosecutions.

Jesse Lillenthal, president of the United Railroads, said the present officers and directors of the company would co-operate in every way with the Commission in supplying the District Attorney with evidence.

Calhoun Is Denounced

"In my opinion," said Commissioner Eshleman, "a serious case of embezzlement is shown by the evidence taken here. Calhoun had no regard for his stockholders."

Patrick Calhoun formerly was president of the United Railroads. Testimony before the Commission showed that he withdrew over a period of years \$1,096,000 from the funds of the United Railroads.

Attorney Makes Protest

As President Jacobson pronounced Calhoun's name, Eshleman, an attorney representing the creditors of Solano farms, protested.

"I protest," he said, "against the branding of Calhoun as a felon." "I do not brand Mr. Calhoun as a felon," replied Eshleman.

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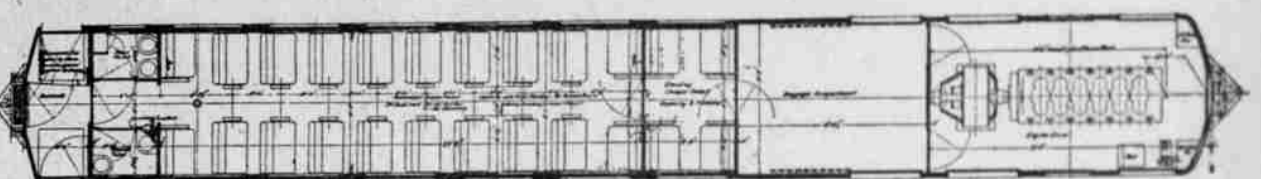
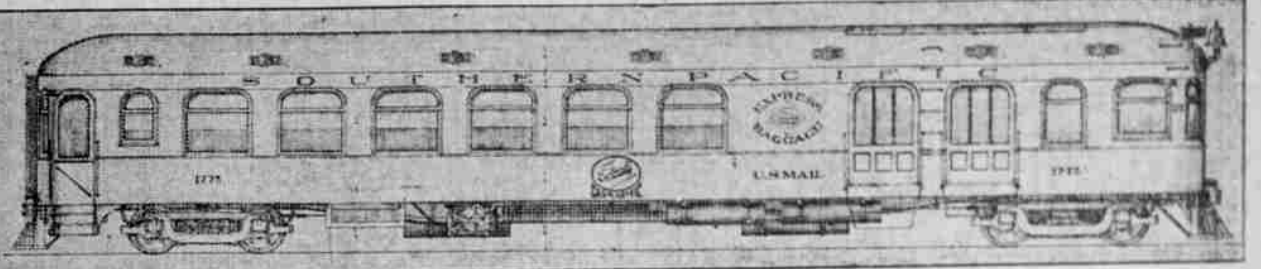
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Can Electricity Compete With Steam?



The Ewbank Self-Contained Gas Electric System Answers the Question

To quote from some data before us: "As a striking illustration of the way electric railroads are competing with steam railroads, it is interesting to note that in 1892 there was constructed by the Cleveland, Bedford and Akron Electric Railroad, an electric line thirty-five (35) miles in length between the cities of Cleveland, Ohio, and Akron, Ohio."

After a thorough test of the Ewbank Motor Car running thousands of miles, one run on the Southern Pacific R. R. between Roseburg and Glendale, of 3882 miles, with a fuel cost per mile of 3.9 cents per mile, against steam costing 10.01 cents per car mile; a total expense cost per mile Ewbank Motor Car .188 cents, steam .332 cents.

Think what such a system is worth to the development of Oregon. No expensive power plants, trolley poles, wiring, bonding and expensive upkeep of a trolley system. This system of electric control can be used in automobiles, fire apparatus, boats, etc., etc., and in the two former has proved a grand success, as has the railroad end of it.

The company will equip for Mr. D. W. Campbell, of the Southern Pacific, two passenger coaches with motors, attach to their powerful motor car now running between Roseburg and Glendale, which will give a train of three coaches, making the multiple unit system, just as used today on the Oregon Electric R. R., only they get the current from a power-house through trolleys to the motors on coach, the Ewbank system generates the current in its electric locomotive, transmitting it to the motors in coaches behind. It is just as feasible to do one way as the other, and all know it is being done with the trolley system everywhere. We will give further information on this subject to the public.

The Board of Directors have ordered sold a limited amount of the treasury stock of the company, Dr. H. B. Ewbank having been appointed exclusive sales agent.

Ewbank Electric Transmission Co. 723 Northwestern National Bank Building, Portland, Or. (MADE IN OREGON.)

MEXICANS CHASE DEFEATED GENERAL

Orozco, Routed by Colonel Salinas, Flees and Constitutionalists Trail Him.

CITY OF PUEBLA IS TAKEN

Workers in Capital Honor Madero's Memory and Celebration Is Orderly—Railways Halt Until \$3,000,000 Is Paid.

CLOTHES BRING DEMERITS

Old Adage Does Not Hold in Civil Service Efficiency Ratings.

CREDIT GIVEN PARCEL POST

Postoffice Department Says Cost of Living Is Reduced.

MODIFYING DECREE ASKED

International Harvester Company Files Motion at St. Paul.

INTERNAL REVENUE IS BIG

Receipts for Fiscal Year 1914 Largest in History of Nations.

WAR TAXES MUSICIANS

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—Musicians here have discovered that the European war has laid a heavy tax upon them. The price of sheet music has almost doubled in price because most of it is supplied by Germany and further importations into this country may not be available for some time.

"BOB" BURDETTE DYING

FAMOUS HUMORIST CRITICALLY ILL AT SUMMER HOME.

PATIENT CRACKS JOKE ON HIS DENTH.

Physicians See No Hope for 70-Year-Old Notable.

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BRIDGE TO BE DELAYED

NO BIDS FOR BONDS RECEIVED, AND WAR IS BLAMED. Commission on Interstate Structure Is to Meet Today to Open Offers, But None Is Expected.

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WOMEN TELL OF MOTHER'S FRIEND

Experience is or should be our best teacher. Women who have obeyed the highest and noblest of all sacrifices, the struggle for the life of others, should have a better idea of the influence of a mother's friend than those who theorize from observation.

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