

PHONE RATE REFUND TO BE MADE SOON

December Bills to Patrons to Be Credited.

REHEARING TO BE ASKED

Division Superintendent Announces Task Is Difficult and Delay May Be Expected.

The Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company will make refunds to subscribers in accordance with the recent order of the public service commission...

Problem Found Difficult

With reference to the recent order and the compliance of the company therewith, Mr. Phillips said: "The commission's order reached me the forenoon of December 1 and as found therein, December 1 was designated as a reasonable time for the order to become effective..."

Company to Obey Order

"First and most important, I desire to announce on behalf of the company that, with the best good nature that we can command, we propose to obey this order, both in letter and in spirit..."

Authority Questioned

"First, with reference to the order and its disposition of the matter of legal rates: It is the opinion of the company, guided by its legal counsel, that as a matter of law the commission has no authority to make an order of refund such as has been attempted..."

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"This puts us in a position of conforming strictly to the order as made by the commission whether or not it is legal, and further puts us in the position of going further with the refund than were involved in our stipulation..."

Rehearing to Be Asked

"We now come to the difficult matter of complying with the order in so far as it establishes a refund for the future. Candor again requires that we should state that we are unable to do so..."

OPEN NOSTRILS! END A COLD OR CATARRH

How to Get Relief When Head and Nose are Stuffed Up.

Count fifty: Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. Your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely...

ASTHMA SUFFERERS

FREE—25-cent bottle of our wonderful As-No-Mor for Asthma, sent absolutely free. Gives instant relief. Cured thousands. Will cure you. Guaranteed. Four months' supply for \$1.00. As-No-Mor handled by all leading druggists.

that we say now that it is the purpose of the company to apply for a rehearing regarding the reasonableness of these rates as the basis upon which we must go on with our undertaking to render a full, complete and satisfactory service to our subscribers in the state of Oregon...

End of Trouble Hoped For

"The thing I am desirous of making plain at the present time is that the company accepts this order with good grace and in good faith. We are particularly sorry that the commission found it necessary to comment as it did in the order upon the service that we are giving..."

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JURY VERDICT IS SCORED

Disregard for Facts Charged in Intoxicated Driver Case.

"If the people of Multnomah county seek to put a nail on drunken madmen driving automobiles through the highways and byways, they will have to provide some jury method by which an absolute disregard for facts can be eliminated..."

MISSION BOARD MEETS

Members at Eugene. EUGENE, Or., Dec. 4.—(Special.)—The state board of the missionary society of the Christian church met in this city in all-day session Tuesday...

MEN TAKEN TO MONTESANO

Four Who Confessed Centralia Plot Kept in Separate Cells. ABERDEEN, Wash., Dec. 4.—(Special.)—Four more I. W. W. prisoners, charged with murder, arrived from Lewis county this afternoon...

TACOMA ASKS FOR COAL

President Urged to Request Shipment from North. OLYMPIA, Wash., Dec. 4.—Appeal has been made to President Wilson by Governor Hart that official request be filed with the authorities of British Columbia for release of 1000 tons of coal to be shipped from British Columbia for relief of the coal situation in Tacoma...

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3 AT SEATTLE FACE CENTRALIA CHARGES

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MUSTEROLE. DON'T FUSS WITH MUSTARD PLASTERS! There's no sense in mixing a mess of mustard, flour and water when you can easily relieve pain, soreness or stiffness with a little clean, white Musterole. Musterole is made of pure oil of mustard and other helpful ingredients, combined in the form of the present white ointment. It takes the place of mustard plasters, and will not blister. Musterole usually gives prompt relief from sore throat, bronchitis, tonsillitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frost-bitten feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). 30c and 60c jars; hospital size \$2.50. Key West, Fla.—"For five years I suffered from irregularities, with terrible pains and an awful weakness in my back. The doctor gave me different medicines but they did me no good. A friend asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I found it to be the best medicine I ever tried. It cured me and it made me well, and I can now do my housework. I am telling my friends about it."—Mrs. J. M. CAMUS, 725 Caroline St., Key West, Florida. Many women, at some period in their life suffer from ailments peculiar to their sex and which in most cases may be readily relieved by this famous root and herb medicine, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, just as Mrs. Camus found it helped her after suffering for years and trying everything else in vain. If you have any annoying symptoms you fail to understand, write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of their 40 years experience in advising women on this subject is at your service.