LOWER RATES REQUESTED

high Freight Has Stopped Production, Secretary Wallace Tells Interstate Body.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 18.— Railroads must share with the farmers and others the burden of the present economic situation by reducing freight rates. Sacretary Wallace said today before the interstate commerce commission, which is investigating rates on grain and hay.

High freight rates have stopped High freight rates have stopped production, the secretary said, add-ing that if the present situation con-

tinued production from the farms would be reduced materially. "We cannot afford to let our agri-culture be destroyed," he declared. "In attempting to relieve the dis-tress of the farmers we are dealing with great economic forces. All our people ought to share the burden of the present depression."

Farmer's Load Held Too Big.

District Attorney Gives Opinion on House Amendment.

OREGON CITY, Or., Aug. 18 .cial.)-The amendment as passed by the house of representatives, as regards the issuance of search warrants to federal officials, does not change the status of the prohibition laws in the state, or in Clackamas county. Neither does it sanction the manufacture of home brew, according to an interpretation given by District Attorney Stipp, in explaining the application of the federal amendment to the existing laws.

Mr. Stipp's opinion is contradictory by the house of representatives, as re-

BRUMFIELD ON LAST LAP

(Continued From First Page.) he has done since his arrest last week at Calgary. NEUNER MEETS SALEM CHIEF

Possibility of Woman in Brumfield Case Is Discussed.

SHARE IN BURDEN

DEMANDED OF ROADS

plans, said Mr. Neuner, he would have met the unidentified woman in Canada and they would have sailed for Australia or some other distant port.

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It was District Attorney Neuner's opinion that nearly a week would be required to present the case to the grand jury. In case an indictment is returned he said the trial should get under way by September 15. Any attempt on the part of the defense lawyers to obtain a change of venue will be contested by the district attorney. District Attorney Neuner said Dr. Brumfield would not be allowed to receive callers at the jail, with the exception of his wife, children and attorneys. This, the district attorney said, was in line with the physician's orders to the effect that the dentist salaries plumbing and heating bids orders to the effect that the dentist should remain quiet and not be dis-

TIMBER DEAL HANGS FIRE

PROPOSED SALE MAY REST WITH UNITED RAILWAYS.

Action of Road Officials Is Likely to Influence Greatly Closing of \$7,000,000 Purchase.

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to Vancouver Barracks.

(Special.)—Colonel W. H. Jordan, for-

ment to the existing laws.

Mr. Stipp's opinion is contradictory to the conclusions drawn by "the man in the street."

The federal law, Mr. Stipp explains, does not qualify the state statute, which prohibits the manufacture of alcoholic liquors for beverage purposes.

Obituary.



ould have left Roseburg unobserved, ing rescued a Boy Scout of the troop Then, according to pre-arranged of which he was scoutmaster.

DISCUSS ECONOMY

Board, However, Stands by Teacher Wage Increase.

lail in an automobile.

It was District Attorney Neuner's HEATING BIDS ARGUED feet; export shipments, 5,348,650 feet.

Economy formed the motive for long discussions touching teachers' salaries, plumbing and heating bids and general school expenses at the school board meeting last night.

The board decided not to rescind a previous motion which authorized an increase in pay of \$100 a year to each elementary teacher having a bachslor's degree and to each high school teacher having a master's degree. teacher having a master's degree.

Bids for heating and plumbing at the Marysville school brought forth argument between board members and heating and plumbing men of the city, who waited upon the board in a large delegation last night.

investigation Is Asked. Estimates made by Captain George Edmondstone, superintendent of properties for the schools, were found to be several thousand dollars under that

\$3000 Saving Proposed. DRY LAW IS UNCHANGED REGIMENT MOVES AFOOT Rescinding of the action granting Colonel Jordan to March Command learning was suggested by the committee on education, in order to save the district about \$3000.

"It was my suggestion last December that this \$100 a year be granted in order to encourage teachers to get higher degrees," said Frank L. Shaft. director, "but I feel now that, in view of our straitened circumstances, we

"If we should decide not to grant the \$100 which we had promised such action would be taken as a revocation of that which the teachers have counted on," said Director Woodward. "I think the moral effect would be worse than the siles saving of money."

Edwin B. Andrews.

OREGON CITY, Or., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—Funeral services for the late Edwin B. Andrews, councilman of Oregon City who died suddenly of heart disease at his home in Falls View addition, last Thursday morning at 11 o'clock, were held at the Baptist

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The board decided unanimously to let the \$100 increase stand. Only \$1 to the public. The latter refused to do this and the new company was formed, according to O. T. Clark, president of the council.

Murder Premonition Proved.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Aug. 18.—Datid Reese, restaurant man, had according to D. A. Grout, city superintendent of schools.

Restriction Is Urged.

Case is Discussed.

ALEM, Or., Aug. 18.—(Special)—
District Attorney Neuer of Doughast convergence of the property of the prop

for the week ending August 13, according to the report of the West Coast Lumbermen's association. The total production amounted to 55,908,-400 feet. The new business in this section during that time was totaled at 58,404,876 feet, while the shipments amounted to 61,827,379 feet.

For delivery by rail the new business included 1374 cars, with the total of the rail shipments made during

ness included 1374 cars, with the total of the rail shipments made during the period amounting to 1248 cars. The unshipped balance in the rail trade amounted to 2876 cars. The estimate of the local business amounted to 4,981,947 feet.

In the cargo trade domestic orders totaled 5,542,786 feet; export, 7,560.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 18.—William A. Hightower, who is charged with the murder of Rev. Patrick Heslin.

TOBACCO TO BE FOUGHT

NATION - WIDE CRUSADE IS PLANNED BY W. C. T. U.

"Our expanded programme calls for I. W. W. CAUGHT IN RAID meet our 20th century obligations and opportunities. After-the-war conditions and after-the-amendment requirements constantly open before us wider avenues of service, necessitat-ing greater community and nationwide co-operation," Miss Gordon de-The delegates bowed their heads in

mourning for Rosalind, countess of Carlisle, and Lady Henry Somerset, departed heads of the world organi-zation, when the convention opened today.

News of the death of the countess of Carlisle was received yesterday by Miss Gordon. The passing of the titled English leader makes Miss Gor-

don temporary head of the world Speaking of Lady Carlisle, Miss Gordon said today:
"She was one of England's and the world's noblest women, self-sacrificing and devoting her wealth, her position and her wonderful talent for organization for the betterment of human conditions, particularly in the temperance cause."

Mrs. Margaret J. Mott, 88, New Au-

burn, Wis., is in attendance as the oldest delegate.

Washington Growers' Packing Cor poration Fixes Scale.

PRUNE PRICES ARE SET

VANCOUVER, Wash., Aug. 18.— Special.)—The Washington Growers' Packing corporation today in special meeting set the opening 1921 f. o. b coast price on Italian prunes. The following represent the bulk basis price plus the differential and the baxing costs: boxing coats:
Thirty-forties at 12% cents, 40-50s at 10% cents, 50-60s at 8% cents. 60-70s at 7% cents. 70-80s at 6% cents, 80-90s at 6% cents, 90-100s at

meeting to finance the farmers to a certain extent by paying them 2 cents a pound when each grower's entire crop is in the corporation warehouse. The prices were telegraphed to the corporation's brokers all over the could be compared to the corporation's brokers all over the could be considered to delight and entertain every

should save the \$3000."

"I believe that resolution was one of the most progressive steps we have ever taken," said A. C. Newill, chairman of the board. "At the present time, when we are reputed to be out of harmony with the teachers, I believe any action rescinding the resolution would be greatly misunders their first job, have applied for \$2000 in bonds and in the future will operate a plumbing business themselves, it was announced at a meeting of the central labor council last night.

The action followed voluntary reduction of the dally wage scale from duction of the dally wage scale from duction of the dally wage scale from asked t The master plumbers were asked to reduce their rates in the same degree to the public. The latter refused to do this and the new company was

LUMBER CUT TAKES DROP

Production in 107 Mills 28 Per

Cent Below Normal.

Lumber production in 107 mills in western Oregon and western Washington was 28 per cent below normal.

ALLEGED SLAYER OF PRIEST TO EXPEDITE CASE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 18.—William A. Hightower, who is charged with the murder of Rev. Patrick Heslin, Colma priest, will enter a plea of not guilty and will not take the stand in his own defense, when brought up his own defense, when brought up he is guilty and will not take the stand in his own defense, when brought up for preliminary examination, he is plays the title role. Mr. Randall is quoted as saying, and he is said to have waived his legal right to delay have waived his legal right to delay arranged as the wife, with Kelcey Conboy as the third angle in the control of the lines and the statch where the standard of the lines and the statch where the standard of the lines and the statch where the standard of the lines and the statch where the standard of the lines and the lines are lines are lines and the lines are lines are lines and the lines are lines a proceedings and expressed a willing-ness to have his case expedited. The district attorney plans, it is said, to combine Hightower's arraignment and preliminary examination.

Hightower continues to manifest deep interest in Doria Shirley, his for-

Million Workers and Million Dollars Declared Needed to Meet

Union's New Obligations.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 18.—A million Workers are needed to aid in the anti-tobacco educational programme for the youth of America, and other projects, Miss Anna A. Gordon of Evanston, Ill. national president of the Woman's Christian Temperance union, declared in her address which featured the opening of the 48th national convention of the organization here today. Fifteen hundred delegates are in attendance.

"Our expanded programme calls for 141 at 162 and 162 and 163 and 164 and 165 a

Omaha Police Make 100 Arrests in

Drive Against Idlers. OMAHA, Neb. Aug. 18.—I. W. W. headquarters in Omaha was raided by a squad of detectives today. At the same time a general drive against "wobblies" in the city was inaugurated by police. Five men were ar-rested at the hall and the city-wide drive had resulted in 100 arrests this

beginning to flock to the city for the wither and that he plans to keep them away if possible. Charges of the work in Portland, described the methods of distribution and purchase of supplies.

of TRACKLESS CARS WANTED Seattle Mayor Advises Purchase for

Municipal System. SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 18 .- Purchase of trackless trolley cars for use on municipal street-car lines operat-ing along First avenue here, thus obing along First avenue here, thus obviating the necessity of replacing worn-out rails, was recommended by Mayor Caldwell in a letter to the city council today. The mayor said he had, already requested the general superintendent of municipal railways to produce data on the operation of The Voiga society members are extracted Germans who moved to Russian and the colonian superintendent of municipal railways to produce data on the operation of

At the Theaters.

Hoppodrome.

Arrangements were made at the A Madame Verobell, halling from and Stanton streets. follower of vaudeville. Madam Verobell's voice is big and rich and Vancouver Plumbers Say They Will talented young dancer, Virginia, hospital, suffering from injuries re-

A Fact

Corbett Bldg.

Worth Considering

Clothes, like people,

are judged by the company they keep. Mathis clothes are not better because

the better class of

men wear them-

—the better class

of men wear them

because they are

Style Tip—

A handkerchief worn

in your breast pocket

adds a considerable touch of smartness.

Fifth and Morrison

Furnishings and Hats, First Floor

Clothing, Second Floor

better clothes.

billied as a Buddha maid, adds to the carm of the act by her own delightful and unique dance specialties.

A big favorite on the new bill is Frank Rogers, an abon edition of comedy ventrilloquism in its best form. Rogers has hewed out a path of original ideas for his act and is clear and away from the usual and hackneyed which make up most ventriloquial acts. His big effect is gained when he turns into a speller for a sideshow and imitates the cries and accents of the barker without moving his lips. He has a pair of dummies, but it is his own skillful maneuvers of voice that compel attention.

comedy triangle. The lines and the acting combine to make the sketch memorable.

George Reed and Alice Lucy offer a delightful agrangement of melody and clever character songs and smart hatter, which holds and pleases.
Opening the bill are the Stutz brothers, spectacular gymnasts, who present daring achievements in bal-ancing and sensational gymnastics. The photo-play features the Call-fornia beauty, Carmel Myers, in a love story set to intrigue called "Emi-grant 92." This bill will change on Sunday.

VOLGA RELIEF SOCIETY HOLDS PORTLAND MEETING.

Funds to Be Used to Provide Help for Stricken German Colonies in Russian District.

Contributions amounting to \$6075 were made by 250 persons attending he first regular meeting of the Volga tellef society, an organization formed week ago to conduct relief work in the stricken German colonies in Eighteen of the men arrested were holders of I. W. W. cards. According to Chief of Police Dempsey, a relentiess campaign against loafers in Omaha will be continued indefinitely. The chief add that many men are the chief add that men are the chief add that many men are the chief add that men are the chief add that

> The money pledged probably will be turned over to the American Relief society, with directions as to its use. Communication has already been use. Communication has already been had with the New York office of that organization. It is possible that the Volga society may send a representative to Russia to make the distribution, but final arrangements depend upon the advice of the American Relief society, President Miller said.
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> The contributions were made by colonies, each donor designating which willage or community is to receive his

The Volga society members are expatriated Germans who moved to Russim to escape Prussianism, Mr. Miller raid, locating along the Volga river. The work of the Volga society in Fortland is to be extended to other cities throughout the west.

A quota of \$15,000 has been set for the Portland society and a second meeting has been scheduled for next Thursday night at the First Congressional German church at Seventh

CABLE PARTS; 3 INJURED Embarrassed in Company by Bitters which have been chronic for Crown-Willamette Workers Badly

Bruised in Night Accident. OREGON CITY, Or., Aug. 18.—(Spe-rial.)—Three men, employes of the to take my hat off in company," eczema and leave the scalp in a nor-mal, healthy state.

Condition.

slighest sign of eczema or dandruff." vents baldness, premature grayness Mr. Raymer, who was on a visit or other unnatural condition. experience is similar to that of hun- adjunct of the dressing table.

Condition of Hair and Scalp. years and where the scalp was in a Hair-Bitters Restores "Perfect most loathesome condition. Without

ka, telling of the condition of his edy for dandruff, falling hair and scalp a short time ago. "I believe other scalp allments, Hair-Bitters is I have used everything on earth also a valuable dressing for the hair, but with no results until I got Berl. leaving it soft and pliant, without ault's Hair-Bitters. It sure did clean excess of oil or any stickiness. Its me up in perfect condition. I can continued use keeps the scalp and truthfully say I haven't got the hair in perfect condition and pre-

he cannot praise it too highly. His trous and silky, and it is a favorite



Low Fares

Astoria, Seaside

War Tax Included SPOKANE, PORTLAND & SEATTLE RY.

> ONE WAY \$1.00 to Astoria

On and after Saturday, August 20.

and all points, St. Helen's to Astoria. \$1.60 to Seaside and proportional fares to other points west of Astoria

ROUND TRIP

\$3.00 to Seaside and other Clatsop Beach points. Return limit thirty days.

Fares will be in effect daily, and apply in both directions. Trains use North Bank station. Tickets, parlor car seats and details at CONSOLIDATED TICKET OFFICE, THIRD AND WASHINGTON STS. NORTH BANK STATION, TENTH AND HOYT STS.





A clean-up sale of 300 tailored tub blouses

-the majority of which formerly sold for 5.95

at \$1.95

Smart checked ginghams-crisp colored organdies-dimities-voiles trimmed with Irish crochet. Truly this is an astonishing array

The departing school girl might take half a dozen and find a use for each—the matron will find them chic for wear with her new fall suit!

If you live out of town, let Harriet Lee select your blouse!



ceived Wednesday night, when a will be able to leave the hospital. cable broke and hit them.

Four other men were working at
The men are C. F. Morrell, C. M. the same place when the cable parted Rawlings and Peter Shecland, and They were M. Shafer, G. A. Davis, their bodies are badly bruised. No F. C. Mighells and John Rayl, None bones are broken and the men soon was badly hurt.

TO REMOVE HIS HAT

states Dan Raymer, a prominent merchandise broker of Lincoln, Nebras-

exception a few applications of Hair "It was very embarrassing for me Bitters have served to clear up the While intended primarily as a rem

to Seattle when a friend induced him Women and children find it equally to try this marvelous remedy, says efficacious in keeping their hair lus-

dreds who have used Hair-Bitters Hair Bitters can be purchased at in their homes, had it applied by leading drug stores and used in their barber or hair dresser, or have your own home. Barbers and hair been treated in the free clinic con- dressers apply it. Be sure you ask for Beriault's,-Advertisement.)



