

THE NEW ELKINS LAW

PROVIDES PENALTIES FOR SHIPPERS AS WELL AS CARRIERS. Under This Act Proceedings May Be Begun in Court Without Previous Hearing by Commission.

The new Elkins law hits directly at the practice of favoritism and discrimination in the matter of transportation, providing penalties for the shipper who solicits or accepts illegal favors as well as for the carrier who offers or grants them.

Improvement League here, and we think that every fair-minded man recognizes it. The Willamette Valley is passing from its infancy, and the Southern Pacific should do its best to help the growth of the valley.

Canadian Pacific Land Decision. WINNIPEG, Man., March 14.—A full court today delivered judgment in the Canadian Pacific Railroad land taxation case.

Old Railroad Man Dead. CHICAGO, March 14.—Richard S. Charles, for nearly half a century treasurer of the Illinois Central Railroad, is dead at his home in New Orleans.

Case Against Reading Is Set. WASHINGTON, March 14.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today designated April 21 for the hearing to be held in New York City in the case of William R. Hearst against the Reading and other railroads.

O. & C. R. R. Gets Patent. WASHINGTON, March 14.—The Secretary of the Interior has ordered patented to the Oregon & California Railroad Company.

ENGINES BUT TOGETHER. One Man Killed and Many Injured in Resultant Wreck.

KANSAS CITY, March 14.—The Golden State Limited on the Rock Island system, dead on Kansas City this morning, collided head-on just outside of Dwight, 90 miles west of Topeka.

Dangerously Injured: O. W. Blood, express guard, No. 3, Topeka; both legs broken and body bruised.

Four Killed on Locomotive. LYNCHBURG, Va., March 14.—A local engine collided with a freight train in the Chesapeake & Ohio yards this morning.

Dug Out and Buried Again. DENVER, March 14.—About ten days ago snow slid on the branch of the Rio Grande running from Durango to Silverton.

Four Drowned in Millie Mine. IRON MOUNTAIN, Mich., March 14.—All the miners in the Millie mine disaster of yesterday have been accounted for.

MOODY VISITS CUBA. Secretary of Navy Will Inspect Proposed Naval Stations.

HAVANA, March 14.—The United States steamship Dolphin, with Secretary Moody and the Congressional party on board, arrived here from Key West today.

Wright's Career in Philadelphia. PHILADELPHIA, March 14.—Whittaker Wright, the Director of the Lorton & Globe Finance Corporation, who is alleged to have absconded from London, had a brief career in financial circles in this city about 15 years ago.

THE INQUEST ON BURDICK

(Continued from Page 9.) "Then I said we had better send for Dr. Marcy."

"Why did you not go to the den that morning?" "I was too nervous."

Looks Calmly at Pictures. Previous to Dr. Marcy's arrival, Mrs. Hull said she just stepped over the threshold and looked in.

No Quarrel With Burdick. Witness said she and Burdick had never quarreled. In response to a question from Attorney Hubbell, Mrs. Hull said Burdick had always treated her kindly.

Telegraphic Briefs. Fred J. Pray, a student of Cornell University, is dead at Sherburne, N. Y., of typhoid fever.

Condition of Beriah Wilkins. The Washington Post, was much improved yesterday. The editorial here is good reason to hope for his recovery.

Professor Devis, while giving exhibitions of "shooting the chutes" down an incline plank on bicycle skates, at the St. Nicholas rink, New York, suffered a fall which may result in death.

Funeral of the Krauss family of eight—father, mother and six children—was held yesterday at Bellefontaine, Mo. August Krauss killed his wife and children with a hammer and then cut his own throat.

A bill was passed in the Missouri House yesterday appropriating \$500 for a sword to be presented to Lieutenant Arthur Lee Millard, in honor of his having planted the first American flag on Cuban soil in the Spanish-American War.

A Louisville & Nashville train was wrecked by the splitting of a switch while entering the Corbin, Ky., yards yesterday.

Arizona has exchanged 3 per cent 50-year funding bonds for 4 per cent bonds issued in Pima County 20 years ago for the construction of a railroad that was never built.

Secretary Moody returned on board to-day evening. He said to the representative of the Associated Press that it was his intention to remain in Havana and its vicinity for two days, paying visits of courtesy to the government officials before proceeding to Guantanamo and Bahia Honda to inspect the sites proposed for the establishment of naval stations.

Secretary Moody inquired with interest concerning the attitude of Cuban Senators toward the naval bases now being proposed. He anticipated no serious difficulty, he said, in securing private lands for the establishment of the stations.

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Light rain, and in some instances light snow, has occurred during the last 24 hours in Northern California, Oregon, Washington, Western Montana and Northwestern Idaho.

Great Removal Sale. Entire stock at greatly reduced prices. Some goods which we desire to close out are being offered at less than cost price.

Entire stock of Ladies' Winter Jackets to be closed out at less than wholesale cost. All jackets 23, 25 and 27 inches long, in black, tan, castor, navy and red.

Dress Goods. 15c Plaids, being snappy styles, per yard 11c. 60c snowflake and mixed Cheviots, at 46c.

Domestic Goods. 8 1-2c Dress Gingham, 50 different styles at 6c. 15c Fast Black Sateen, 30 inches wide, at 11c.

Blankets and Comforters. Housekeepers will do well to take advantage of the low prices now asked for Bedding.

Corsets. Latest models of R. & G. Corsets at removal sale prices. About 10 dozen Warner's Corsets, all sizes except 21, 22, 23 or 24, regular price 75c.

New Lace Trimmings. The latest designs for Spring in Point Venice, Cluny and Point de Paree Lace, in wave and straight effects.

Men's Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, 50c. Linen collars, "Ideal Brand," all styles three for 25c.

Women's Union Suits. All-Wool Union Suits, medium weight, button across the bust, in gray or white, our regular \$2.25 grade, removal price \$1.89.

Men's Wear. Men's ribbed shirts and drawers, 50c. Men's vici kid, calf and patent calf, lace, all new styles Goodyear Welt Soles, regular price \$3.50, removal sale price \$2.95.

Robert's Nurseries. PORTLAND'S FASTEST GROWING STORE. Fifth and Yamhill Streets, Temporary.

MEETING NOTICES. GEORGE WRIGHT W. R. C. meets every Friday evening at G. A. R. Hall, corner First and Taylor streets.

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT. PORTLAND, March 14.—8 P. M.—Maximum temperature, 41; minimum temperature, 24.

CLASSIFIED AD. RATES. "Rooms," "Rooms and Board," "Housekeeping Rooms," "Situation Wanted," 15 words or less, 15 cents; 16 to 20 words, 20 cents; 21 to 25 words, 25 cents, etc.

NEW TODAY. A. J. FARMER, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. "Booms," "Rooms and Board," "Housekeeping Rooms," "Situation Wanted," 15 words or less, 15 cents.

MORTGAGE LOANS. On Portland real estate at lowest rates. THE PHENIX INSURANCE COMPANY, OF HARTFORD, CONN., will protect you from loss by FIRE and WATER.

66 Goodsell Avenue. Good 7-room house and barn, full 100x100-foot lot. WAKEFIELD, FRIES & CO., 229 Stark Street.

5% MORTGAGE LOANS. \$5000 and over. William Denholm, Falling Building. Business Premises. A quarter block for sale comparatively cheap.

FOR RENT. Stoveroom, 146 Front st., 20x20, between Front and Commercial, in good location. For rent, to river, with basement and lower dock.

\$26,000—Washington St. Real estate. F. V. Andrews & Co., Hamilton Bldg.

RESIDENCES. \$5500 For a very modern home with quarter block, good barn, cement driveway, fine beds surrounding.

12—New Homes—12. On the East Side, complete in every detail, within one block of 10-minute service car line.

Wanted. Quarter-block between 6th and 10th streets, north of Washington. Also lot on quarter-block between 6th and 10th streets, between Yamhill and Clay.

Seven Houses. Within a few blocks of the O. R. & N. cars, for sale for cash or on installments.

Hartman, Thompson & Powers. 3 Chamber of Commerce.

Heidel & Wall Co. (Established 1891).

Washington Co. Farms. On the beautiful "Upland Plains." Our farms are all within 10 to 20 miles from Portland and at prices that talk.

For Sale by W. H. Mall & Co. \$1200 Cor. lot on E. 15th and E. Davis. \$650 Ingle lot on 26th, near Davis.

Special Bargains. Several fine lots on Alameda ave., Highland Park. A large two-story building on Russell and Mississippi.

Best Buy We Have. \$3600 Full lot and modern 7-room cottage on Northrup near 24th street.

SOMETHING GOOD. \$6000—100x100 on Twelfth and Harrison. Best buy on market for residence purposes.

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4000 FARMS. For sale in the Willamette Valley. From Portland to Ashland, at prices ranging from \$2 to \$2000 per acre.

Remunerative Property. First-class private hotel, with stores below, on quarter block, in good location. For rent, to river, with basement and lower dock.

Decided Bargain. On a Nob Hill block, in the best residence there, a lot at only \$1750, for any one who will build well. F. V. Andrews & Co., Hamilton Bldg.

GOOD SAFE INVESTMENTS. For \$7000, \$27,000, \$29,000, \$40,000, in improved property paying net monthly from 8 to 11 per cent.

MORTGAGE LOANS. On improved city and farm property. Building loans. Installment loans. Wm. MacMaster, 311 Worcester block.

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