

P. R. L. & P. CO. OFFERS TO COOPERATE WITH ANY OTHER COMPANIES

Car Company Will Not Agree to Do Anything That Will Entail Loss or Expense.

Cooperation with other independent transportation companies to give relief to the thousands of shipyard workers of Portland was promised by Vice President Fuller of the P. R. L. & P. Co. at today's special meeting of the city council.

The P. R. L. & P. Co. will not, in co-operating with the steam and electric roads, do anything, however, that will mean a loss in its revenue or entail any expense for betterments or extensions. It was stated by Mr. Fuller that about \$35 a day is now being taken in from the patronage of the shipyard workers who take the long haul to St. Johns. To handle these passengers extra cars and help is required. Providing the O-W. R. & N. Co. will operate steam cars on its line reaching the Peninsula Industrial plants, and thus relieve the P. R. L. & P. from such service now taken care of the traction company will donate \$35 a day to the steam road.

Mr. Fuller stated that the company would not spend any money, however, in the plan to join with the steam roads. He took exception to the statements contained in a resolution proposed by Commissioner Kellaher that the service in Portland is better than that of most of the other shipbuilding communities. In Seattle, it was explained, the yards pay \$100 a day for a train to carry the workmen. This expense is allowed by the Emergency Fleet corporation to the credit of the shipbuilding firms. It was considered doubtful if the same solution could be applied to Portland.

Mayor Baker, chafing at the delay in coming to a head in the local street transportation question as affecting the shipyards, arranged to get from the shipbuilders full data regarding transportation needs. The plan is to submit a definite proposition for the use of the railroads on both sides of the river, to the proper federal authorities controlling these lines.

Kellaher's resolution, which emphasized the claim that the "P. R. L. & P. Co. was not giving adequate service," asked that the government officials be notified of conditions in order that 25 cars may be supplied the streetcar company by the government, was voted down.

LINTON ROAD DISCUSSED

Council Discusses Transportation Problems at Thursday Meeting.

Permanent means of solving the transportation question affecting the Linton district were discussed informally at Thursday's council meeting. The rehabilitation of the old United Railways electric line is being sought as the best solution of the problem. The company, however, according to Judge C. H. Carey, its attorney, is not in a position to operate passenger cars on the line, the present terminus of which is at Olton, three miles from Linton.

The company gave up its franchise some years ago, but it still has five miles of track and overhead wires. The valuation of the line, below the company's figure, Cousin estimated that the cost of putting the line in operation to Linton would be \$150,000 and that to Olton it would be \$50,000. He estimated that there would be 2000 passenger fares a day and that it would cost \$25 a day for power and \$40 a day for help to run the line. He said that Portland could buy several electric passenger cars in Spokane for \$8000 each. A meeting was scheduled for today to go over the valuation figures of the United Railways and represent the citizens of Linton are expected to be present. The plan urged is for the city to take over and operate the electric line, leasing public utility certificates, therefore, which would have the utility as security. Leading Linton citizens expressed their belief that the certificates would find a ready sale in Linton. Temporary transportation relief for shipyard workers on both sides of the river was also discussed. Use of steam cars on both the Southern Pacific and the O-W. R. & N. company lines, during the morning and evening rush hours was looked upon as the logical solution of this phase of the question.

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Visiting Nurses To Be Given Auto Trip

Two hundred nurses, from 28 different states, are to be given a trip over the Columbia river highway next Wednesday afternoon, if citizens of Portland donate the cars. These young women are studying reconstruction work for aiding the wounded soldiers upon their return from France and, working 10 hours a day, have little chance for recreation. Most of them are strangers here and only those who are here from outside points will be given the trip. Reed college is the only institution west of Michigan giving this reconstruction course.

COUNTY IS WARNED NOT TO TRESPASS ON RAILROAD LAND

O-W. R. & N. Objects to Work Being Done by Men Said to Be in Employ of Public.

A. C. Spencer, assistant secretary and general attorney for the O-W. R. & N. company, appeared before the county commissioners this morning and informed the board that persons claiming to be in the employ of the county were trespassing upon the property occupied by the railroad company at Multnomah falls, and that they were interfering and were removing certain improvements maintained there by the company. He notified the county to desist, claiming that although the ground belongs to the government the company has certain rights through the act of congress of 1875.

The statement of Mr. Spencer was the first knowledge the commissioners had of such work. However, during the discussion of the matter it came out that some weeks ago Mr. Yeon, then roadmaster, submitted plans for the erection of a comfort station for the convenience of the public at the falls at a cost of approximately \$7500.

At that time the plans were discussed but no definite action upon them was taken by the commission. After the meeting of the commissioners adjourned this morning, Commissioner Muck stated that in all probability the work being done at the falls was in connection with a comfort station, but that it was without authorization from the county.

The commission voted to request Mr. Yeon to appear before the commission on next Monday together with Mr. Spencer, that a conference be had in regard to the matter.

CRUELTY ALLEGED IN SUIT

Mrs. Ella Puckett Would Secure Divorce Decree.

Ella Puckett filed suit for divorce from her husband, Jesse Puckett, this morning.

SUNSET RASPUTIN The Modest Monk

He was called until he became the power in the Russian Empire

Rasputin was idolized by the ladies of the Russian court.

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Will Contest Filed

Julia M. Desmond filed a contest this morning against the will of Timothy Mahoney, deceased. The contestant states that the deceased died last fall, that he was mentally incompetent, and that two sons and two daughters of Mrs. Margaret Connor, a deceased sister of the testator, are living and should share in the estate. The will shows an estate of \$5000 and was bequeathed to Mrs. Shavell.

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- Bath Sprays, with Heavy Tubing—98c.
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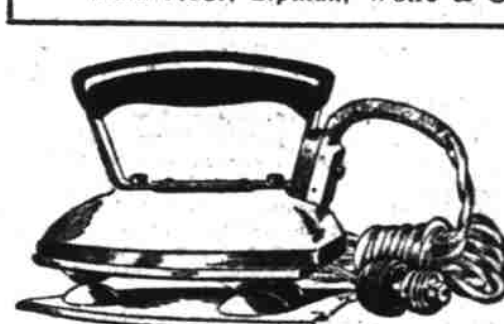
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