

RETURN OF ROADS WOULD BRING HIGH RATES, PREDICTION

Robert W. Woolley of Interstate Commerce Commission Makes Address at Bankers' Meeting, ENDLESS CHAIN OF ADVANCES

Cost of Production Would Reach Point Where America Would Be Put to Serious Disadvantage

Old Point Comfort, Va., June 19.—(I. N. S.)—The return of the railroads to private ownership would inevitably start a rise in prices, "the apex of which no man could truthfully predict," Robert W. Woolley, of the Interstate Commerce Commission today told the Virginia Bankers' association, in convention here.

Woolley's assertion was based for the most part, he said, on statements of railroad heads, that immediately upon resumption of private ownership the carriers would have to ask for increased freight rates.

"The measure of this increase was not indicated," Woolley continued. "Some traffic men have expressed the view informally that it may have to be as much as 30 per cent."

NO CHOICE BUT INCREASE

"The interstate commerce commission, after due showing of loss easily made by the carriers, would have to grant a reasonable advance in rates. This advance would be briefly about four-fold, that is the usual ratio, in the finished products. Then the consumer, in the shape of labor, would complain that the purchasing power of the dollar, having been eroded, he cannot longer live on the wages he is receiving. Enter in due time more strikes; then an increase in raw materials, because of the higher cost of labor and, so, we are back again to the railroads.

"These would be forced to turn again to the interstate commerce commission, because not only would their labor have justly demanded more, but the 'vicious circle,' or 'mounting triangle' that started with the increase in the cost of raw materials, would have come to plague it in the shape of higher fuel, higher steel, higher everything, and the showing they would make of need for more revenue would be just as convincing as the first one.

TRADE WOULD BE DAMAGED

"If this course is to be pursued, it is inevitable that we shall get the cost of production so high, no matter how much invention may increase our productivity per man—Europe is preparing to install labor saving machinery on a scale never dreamed of before this war—that we would be estopped from competing beyond our shores once our allies, not to speak of our present enemies, are on their feet again."

1,300,000 Aliens To Leave America

Washington, June 19.—That 1,300,000 aliens are planning to return to their native countries as soon as they can secure their passage, following the signing of peace, is shown by an investigation conducted by the department of labor. It was announced this afternoon. They will take with them an average of \$2000 each, the statement added.

Politician Offered Mayor \$25,000 Bribe

Los Angeles, June 19.—George Henderson, negro politician, Wednesday was found guilty by a jury in the superior court of offering Mayor Frederic T. Woodman a \$25,000 bribe. Mayor Woodman recently was acquitted after trial on a charge of accepting the bribe.

Meyers of Montana Introduces Drastic Immigration Bills

Washington, June 19.—Four drastic bills aimed at radicals and "reds" were introduced in the senate Wednesday by Senator Meyers of Montana. One provides that any alien seeking naturalization would be required to have published for a period of four weeks his application and the date of hearing on the application and the names of five witnesses who were to testify for him. It would also require that two of the witnesses for the applicant must have known the applicant for five years and three of the witnesses must have known the applicant for three years.

The second would prohibit from the mails any newspaper printed in a foreign language. Another would prohibit from the mails any newspaper or periodical printed in the German language.

All immigration from Germany, Austria, Hungary, Russia, or Turkey would be prohibited for a period of 50 years by the provisions of the fourth bill.

Hood River Schools Vote to Consolidate

Parkdale, June 19.—At the annual meetings of Mt. Hood and Valley Crest school districts it was voted to consolidate. In the Mt. Hood district, H. P. Goodlander was elected director. Miss Violet Kelly was elected clerk. In Valley Crest district, Timothy Newell was elected a member of the board and Mrs. George Monroe was re-elected clerk of the district.

Portlanders Will Summer at Ashland

Ashland, June 19.—Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Vining of Portland arrived in Ashland Wednesday from an overland trip with President Otis Winters, his wife, bank and family. Mr. and Mrs. Vining will spend the summer at the cottage of Professor Irving Vining at Lake of the Woods. Professor Vining has returned from the East, where he gave a series of Y. M. C. A. lectures.

HOW THIS WOMAN GAINED STRENGTH AFTER INFLUENZA

Influenza sufferers who have been unable to regain their strength and have become depressed and melancholy because of their failure to respond to treatment will find the experience of Mrs. Dennis Cullen of No. 350 East Second street, Astoria, Ill., both interesting and beneficial.

"I had a severe attack of influenza," says Mrs. Cullen, "and it left me run down and very weak. I couldn't sleep and it seemed as though there was a heavy weight on my stomach. My appetite was poor. I suffered from severe headaches, dizziness, spells and ached from head to foot at times. Sometimes the pains in my head affected my eyes and I was so weak that I had to rest frequently. The attacks of weakness often came on while I was on the street and I was hardly able to get home.

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OLD INDIANS HIT SAWDUST TRAIL ON HIGH

WELLPIT, Wash., June 19.—Jim Eljah, Charley Bones and Joe Peters are among the old Indians who "hit the sawdust trail" Wednesday in the little church on the Spokane Indian reservation.

These primitive Indians joined with the younger aborigines in embracing Christianity. A delegation of 43 Nez Perce Indian missionaries, headed by the Rev. James Dickson and the Rev. Mark Arthur of Lapwai, Idaho, have closed an eight-day revival here.

Robbers Blow Open Safe; Make Getaway With \$500 in Money

Marshfield, June 19.—Robbers Tuesday night entered the big general store owned by Sweet brothers at Langlois, blew open the safe and got away with \$500. Langlois is 14 miles south of Seaside on a rich dairy district. The store is one which was formerly owned by E. D. Thrift and recently sold to the Sweet brothers.

Mercury Reaches High Point Marshfield, June 19.—Wednesday was the warmest day so far in 1919 on Coos Bay, according to the government weather observer. In fact, it was the first day when real warmth has been felt this month, June having been unusually chilly. The mercury reached 75 degrees. Last year many days the temperature was 10 degrees higher in June.

Massed Bolshevik Murder in Budapest

London, June 19.—(I. N. S.)—The Bolsheviks are murdering and plundering in Budapest with the tacit consent of the government of Hungary, according to advices reaching here today from Prague. Count Szapary, Count Almaray and Baron Ronssney are mentioned among the latest victims. The rights and property of prominent foreigners are being violated, the advices added.

Columbia Highway To Astoria Rapidly Being Hard Surfaced

Astoria, June 19.—Automobilists coming over the Columbia river highway from Portland say that rapid progress is being made by the Warren Construction company in laying the hard surface on the Rainier section but little has been done on the lower end of the highway. More than 800 feet per day is being laid near Rainier. Every foot of the highway in Columbia county will be

Election Held By Temperance Union Of Grays Harbor

Aberdeen, Wash., June 19.—Mrs. C. Belle French of Elma was elected president of the Grays Harbor W. C. T. U. for the thirteenth time at its annual meeting Wednesday. All other officers were reelected, as follows: Mrs. Flora Wartman, Montezano, vice president; Mrs. Nina Calder, Montezano, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Carrie E. Mills, Oakville, recording secretary; Mrs. Sarah E. Myers, Aberdeen, treasurer; Mrs. J. H. Harper, Aberdeen, delegate to the state convention to be held in Centralia.

Reedsport Weekly To Be Incorporated

Reedsport, June 19.—Application for incorporation has been made by the Port Umpqua Courier, the weekly newspaper published at Reedsport, owned and edited by J. H. Austin. The incorporation is for \$25,000 and the company will erect a building and install a modern newspaper and job printing plant. Mr. Austin will continue as editor. The incorporators are: Warren P. Reed, Clyde Chase and James Cavers of the Reedsport Fish company; L. E. Staples of Portland, George Johnson of the Reedsport bank, and Mr. Austin.

QUART OF MILK EACH DAY PER PERSON IS ADVICE OF CHEMIST

Ad Club Members Learn of Value of Dairy Products at Dairy Luncheon.

Fed veritably on the "fat of the land," Ad men vociferously approved Oregon dairy products as offered by the Oregon Dairy council, Wednesday afternoon at the Benson hotel. Milk, cream, ice cream, butter, cheese, cottage cheese, condensed milk and milk-fed veal were but a part of a menu which otherwise consisted of home grown vegetables and bread baked from home grown wheat. E. C. Calloway, city milk chemist, added to the convincing delicacy of the milk and cream by stating that no person can be truly well fed without drinking a quart of milk a day. The vitamins of milk, he said, are both strength builders and disease resistants.

Alkali In Soap Bad For the Hair

There are 20,000 dairymen in the state and investment in the industry is \$200,000,000, he said. Mayor Baker and W. J. Hofmann, members of the club, were cheered for their work in gaining the national Shrine meeting for Portland. Mayor Baker devoted himself to a plea for the Salvation Army and Boy Scout drives. Albert Gillette, accompanied by Miss Mamie Heisen Flynn, offered songs which were vigorously encored.

MAJOR GENERAL MARTIN SPEAKS

O. M. Pfummer, secretary of the Pacific International Livestock exposition, presided. Judge Jones spoke in behalf of the school bonds and Major General Charles H. Martin, recently returned from overseas, in support of the nation's great advertising campaign for military enlistment. Charles Young complained that the canteen girls have not received proper recognition for their work in the influenza epidemic, and he, J. P. Dunne and J. L. Etheridge were appointed to report on the facts.

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White and Colored Voile Waists \$1.59

Second Floor—Dainty sheer waists of white and colored voiles—also a number of models in fancy stripes with white organdie collars and cuffs, others of white lawn and dotted swiss. Special \$1.59

Dainty Waists At \$2.25

Second Floor—Fancy and tailored waists of white and colored voiles, batistes, lawns and linens. Many are in novelty striped effects with white pique collars and cuffs. All \$2.25

Tailored Waists At \$2.98

Second Floor—Voiles, organdie and batiste waists in plain colors, checks and stripes. All the wanted shades. Also white voile waists trimmed with laces and embroideries \$2.98

\$9 Oxfords \$5.95

Main Floor—Women's Laced Oxfords of black vici kid, brown kid and brown calf. Narrow or medium round toe last with high, low or military heels. Slightly imperfect inside of heel-seat. Footwear from a well known maker. Well worth \$8 and \$9. Friday special, a pair \$5.95

Women's \$12 White Boots \$8.45

Main Floor—Soft white leather boots in the famous John Kelly make. Perfect fitting last. Nine inches high. Laced pattern. Made with pointed tipless toe, high covered heel and white welting. Regular \$12.00 boots Friday priced at, a pair \$8.45

Street Dresses Afternoon Dresses Sport Dresses

Second Floor—To appreciate what excellent frocks these are you must see them, for no amount of description can give you an adequate idea of the winsomeness of the styles—the many delightful colorings and the high quality of the tailoring. Women who have need for new dresses will find this an exceptionally good opportunity to save considerable. In the sale are dresses of wool jersey, taffeta silk, wool serge and Georgette crepe—many in combinations of two or more materials. This season's \$19.98 best models. Priced special for Friday

Tub Skirts

For Beach, Outing and Sport Wear
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Second Floor—White Skirts of poplin, gabardine, plaie and bedford cord. Numerous smart styles—some with gathered waistline, fancy belt and patch pockets—others are trimmed with tucks, embroidered bands and flounce effects. Shown in all sizes. Prices range from \$2.50 to \$10.00

Women's Neckwear 50c

Sets, Collars and Vestees

Main Floor—Organdie Sets, Vestees and Collars—embroidered, ruffled, tucked and plain styles, in white and colors. Also new Pique Collars and Sets, Imitation Filet Collars, Georgette and Net Collars, Plaited Organdie Collars—beautiful 50c new neckwear—priced at \$1.00

—New Marabou Scarfs and Capes, also ostrich, velvet and crepe combinations — for Friday's selling—\$5.95 to \$27.50

"Hotpoint Week" in the Electric Store

—A factory expert who knows all there is to know about Hotpoint Electrical Goods is conducting a special demonstration of this famous line in our Housewares Section, Third Floor. She extends a cordial invitation to all women—particularly prospective brides and housekeepers—to come and get acquainted with "Hotpoint Helps for the Home."

Hotpoint Appliances

—Hotpoint Coffee Urn—Greelian design—9-cup size—at \$18.50
—Hotpoint Disc Stoves with 6-inch disc—priced at only \$7.50
—Hotpoint Electric Grill \$10.00

—Hotpoint Electric Toaster with toast rack and fitted with flat top for coffee pot, priced at \$6.50
—Hotpoint Electric Irons \$6.50
—Hotpoint Ovenette only \$5.00

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For Summer Comfort

—Make this season one of joy, restfulness, comfort and pleasure. Our Summer Goods Section on the Third Floor invites you to come and look over the new Lawn Swings, Porch Seats, Lawn Benches, Hammocks, Settees and Porch Chairs—the assortments are new at their best. Get the benefit of full season's service by making your selection early as possible.

Electric Sweeper-Vac.

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THE ELECTRIC SWEEPER-VAC is the only motor-driven brush cleaner that has instant switch control for stopping or starting the brush revolving. Contrast this with the cleaners where you have to stop the machine before you stop the brush—and before you can use hose attachments you have to run your hand up through the dirt to throw the belt off the pulley.

\$2 DOWN AND \$2 A WEEK

—puts an Electric Sweeper-Vac in your home. See Special Demonstration in the Rug Dept. on Third Floor.

Dainty Laces 6c Yd.

Main Floor—Val Laces and Cluny Laces in a large assortment of pretty patterns for summer lingerie. Various widths. Laces worth up to 10c a yard. 6c Friday specially priced at 6c

Embroideries 10c Yard

Main Floor—Embroidery Edges in assorted widths and many patterns. Well worked designs on fine cambric and Swiss material. Friday specially priced at 10c yard

Model Grocery Fourth Floor

—Experienced telephone clerks at your service 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

Canned Goods

—Monopole Tomatoes 18c
—Friday priced special, a can 18c
—Otter Minced Clams 35c
—Preferred Stock Peas 22c
—Friday priced special, a can 22c
—Snider's Catsup on sale Friday at the bottle 29c
—25c Crescent Sardines 19c
—Friday priced special, a can 19c
—Standard Canned Corn 15c
—Specialty priced Friday at 15c

Sale of Undermuslins

Center Circle Main Floor

—500 pieces dainty Undermuslins will go on the Center Circle Friday at a phenomenally low price. A sale of great importance to every woman needing such.

Skirts, Gowns, Envelope Chemise \$1.69

Center Circle, First Floor—Women's Night Gowns in many pretty styles trimmed with embroidery, laces, ribbons, etc.—white skirts of splendid quality materials with dainty flounces of laces and embroideries—envelope chemise in attractive styles trimmed with laces and embroideries. Undermuslins \$1.69 Extra quality. Special at \$1.69

Boys' 2-Pant Suits At \$12.50

Main Floor—DOUBLE-SERVICE SUITS on account of the extra pair of pants. Odd lines from our own regular stock—finest of tailoring and fabrics that will give best of wear. Light and dark mixtures. Ages 8 to 18 years. \$15.00 to \$18.00 suits—while they last \$12.50

Blue Serge Suits \$10 and \$13.50

Main Floor—High-class, dressy suits of dark blue serge. New waistline coats with loose belt and buckle, slash pockets. Pants full cut and lined. Ages 7 to 18 years. Friday priced at \$10 and \$13.50

Boys' \$1.25 Pants at 98c

Main Floor—Boys' Khaki Pants—a limited number—on sale Friday. Full cut knickers in olive-tan khaki material. Ages 6 to 17. \$1.25 grade only 98c

—Boys' Corduroy Pants for vacation days—priced \$2 to \$3.25
—Boys' Khaki Blouses—an odd line on sale at Friday special 89c
—Boys' Blue Serge Caps at 95c

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