

LOWER TELEPHONE RATES TO BE IN TECHNICAL FORCE

Technically the order of the public service commission lowering party line telephone rates in Oregon is effective at midnight tonight, regardless of the temporary injunction allowed against the order last Monday by the federal court.

Woman Finds Her Nickel, but Flames Eat Up \$600 Roll

Jersey City, N. J., Nov. 30.—(U. P.)—Thanksgiving day for some folks but just plain Thursday for Mrs. Mary Cypora.

She dropped a nickel under her bed, lit a match to find it and set fire to the mattress. Six hundred dollars in bills banked in the feathers went up in smoke.

But she found the nickel. Of Bronx county said he would seek Becker's indictment on a charge of first degree murder.

Premiers to Confer in Early December

Paris, Nov. 30.—(U. P.)—A joint conference of premiers of Great Britain, France, Italy and Belgium will convene in London early in December, it was learned semi-officially today.

Jack Johnson to Play Othello Role

New York, Nov. 30.—(U. P.)—Jack Johnson has decided to give up pugilism and become a Shakespearean actor, he stated just before leaving for Detroit.

Says Prince Lives On Farm in U. S.

London, Nov. 30.—(The Daily Telegraph)—Copenhagen correspondent in a dispatch to his paper, states that Prince Erik of Denmark, who is traveling incognito, is living on a ranch in the United States. The prince has decided to stay in America for several years and is selling his estates in Kongsdal in Juland.

EIGHT SCHOOLS REPRESENTED AT SOCIETY MEETING

Representatives from eight Western colleges and universities were present when the Far Western Conference of the Intercollegiate Menorah society convened this morning under the auspices of the Portland Menorah society.

Delegates registering at the opening session of the meeting in Temple Beth Israel this morning were: Miss Jennette Kahn, intercollegiate secretary; Sam L. Fendel, intercollegiate vice president; I. Arnold Perstein and Sol Silverman, University of California; Samuel Cohen, University of Southern California; Nathan Elshorn, University of Colorado; Samuel Goldberg, University of Denver; Harry Weinstein, Miss Esther Wiss, Jeffrey Elmes, Lawrence Seltzer, Harry Bergman and Leon Lewis, University of Washington; Miss Pearl Barron of Portland, Rubin Ratner of North Pacific, and the University of Oregon extension and Max Gordon and Jacob Weinstein of Reed college.

No U. S. Warships Will Be Scrapped Until Pact Signed

Washington, Nov. 30.—Holding the view that the naval disarmament treaty does not become effective until all five signatories have ratified it, this government is postponing steps to scrap ships specified other than the obsolete craft which would have been dismantled in the normal course.

24 Buildings Are Wrecked as Fire Menace, in Month

The last monthly report of Fire Marshal Grenfell's office shows that 18 buildings were condemned and 24 were wrecked as fire hazards. The wrecked structures were located as follows: Three-story building at 304-310 Second street, Front and Flinders streets and 22-25 North Fifth street; two-story structures at 270 Grant street, 286 East Morrison street, 291 Third street, 186 Russell street, foot of Dakota street, 160-165 Union avenue, 295 First street, one-story structures at 288 Main street, 90 North 11th street, 341 East Alder street, 290-294 First street, 23-25 North P.O. street, 447 North 21st street, 360 East Eighth street and 415 Union avenue.

Changes in School Law Recommended By Lane Teachers

Eugene, Nov. 30.—The report of the legislative committee, which recommended six important changes in text books and their management, was adopted by the Lane county teachers' institute, which closed Wednesday. About 400 teachers attended.

Recommendations: That the state legislature enact a law authorizing the school districts of the state of Oregon to furnish free text-books to all pupils in the public schools below the ninth grade, that school laws of Oregon be amended to strike out any or all property qualifications for legal voters in any school elections; that the section in the school law pertaining to the 85 per cent of funds to be used for teachers' salaries be amended to include 85 per cent of the 2 mill elementary school tax; that school districts of the first class be authorized to establish as a part of the regular public school system kindergarten schools for children between the ages of 4 and 6; that only one-third of the text books be changed each year, instances of this change start November 1932, with adoption in September of the following year, instances of this change start in 1935 and adoption in September of that same year, as is now provided.

Court Orders Girl To Wear Silk Hose 24 Hours, as Test

San Francisco, Nov. 30.—(U. P.)—If Miss Ruby Adams' stockings don't get torn today, Salvatore Bonen, No. 93 Fifth avenue, New York, will have cause to be thankful.

18 of Fastest Auto Drivers Lined Up for Race

Speedway, Los Angeles, Nov. 30.—(U. P.)—Eighteen of America's fastest automobile drivers were lined up here this afternoon "to do their stuff" in the national championship 200-mile contest. The entry list of 20 drivers was cut down to 18 at the last minute when Louis Hansen Jr. and Bobby Dunn were taken out of the running because they were unable to make the 100 mile an hour pace required to qualify.

SCHOOL BOARD TO BACK LEGISLATION FOR FREE BOOKS

Members of the school board of District No. 1 will support the proposed legislation for free text books and permitting all electors, regardless of property qualifications, to vote on school bond measures. This support was assured William F. Woodward, member of the board and legislator-elect at a meeting of the board Wednesday evening.

Woodward had placed before the school board a letter in which he outlined features of a bill which he proposed to introduce in the next legislature. Besides free text books and the extension of voting privileges, the bill will provide for holding of the school elections at the same time as general elections and with the same polling places. It also would make the term of members of the school board four years, the same as that for other public officials.

Firemen Overcome In Theatre Fire

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 30.—(U. P.)—Fire broke out in the cellar of the Pearl theatre on Fifth avenue here this afternoon, while hundreds were viewing a motion picture performance. There was no disorder and the audience fled into the street to safety. Five firemen were overcome by smoke.

Gunners Hit Plane Target Going at Rate of 80 Miles

Washington, Nov. 30.—The war department today announced the success of perhaps the most dangerous military maneuver ever attempted—the firing of long range anti-aircraft guns at a target towed through the air by a naval plane.

Rum Ship Wrecked; Beachcombers Get Thanksgiving Cheer

New York, Nov. 30.—A cock rya baby and a rum ship on the rocks have helped to put a kick into Thanksgiving for residents hereabouts.

Woman and Son Ill From Poison Candy

Washington, Nov. 30.—(U. P.)—An investigation was begun by the police today into the mysterious circulation of poisoned candy among a local hotel and the family of Paul Schweitzer here, resulting in serious illness to two. Mrs. Schweitzer and her 12-year-old son became violently ill after having eaten chocolate coated candy which was found in a box in their apartment several days ago.

Russ and Balkans to Talk Disarmament

Moscow, Nov. 30.—(I. N. S.)—Russia and the Baltic states will discuss disarmament here tomorrow. Finland, Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania have been invited to participate. Naval experts have been sent to Vladivostok to attempt to raise the Russian fleet that was sunk there.

Woodrow Wilson Sees Big Victory Ahead for Party

North Baltimore, Ohio, Nov. 30.—A "glorious victory" for the Democratic party is seen by former President Woodrow Wilson as all party workers keep steadily at it.

The prediction of success for his party was made in a little note sent to Mrs. J. W. Borough, prominent Democratic woman party worker, who revealed the contents of the note at a meeting of women's club here today. The text of the message was as follows: "Mr. Wilson asks me to say that the brief letter from the little woman who took an active part in the just closed campaign gave me a great deal of pleasure. It is his belief that if all party workers keep steadily at it for the next two years the fight, so well begun last Tuesday, will end in a glorious victory in 1934."

Bliss Carmen, Dean Of Minor Poets, Is Jacob Kamm Guest

Bliss Carmen, dean of the minor poets, naturalist and novelist, was the guest of Jacob G. Kamm at the University club this week while on his way to spend the winter in California after several months in British Columbia. The poet attended the David Thompson celebration at Windermere lake in memory of the discovery of the headwaters of the Columbia river by David Thompson. Since August he has been camping in the Canadian forests and exploring the headwaters of numerous streams in British Columbia. Kamm and Carmen were friends in New Canaan, Conn., which is the poet's home. Carmen is the author of "Songs of Yagabonda," "The Pipes of Pan" and numerous other volumes of light verse and several novels.

De Valera in Hiding; To Flee to America

Belfast, Nov. 30.—(U. P.)—Eamon de Valera is hiding in Carlingford mountains, waiting a chance to escape to America, it was reported here today. Free State troops are hunting him. Meanwhile a large force of insurgents is planning a new attack in both North and South Ireland to facilitate his escape.

Sid Grauman Is Ill; Fear Appendicitis

Los Angeles, Nov. 30.—(I. N. S.)—Sid Grauman, well known motion picture theatre owner, is seriously ill and has been confined to his suite in a local hotel. The illness is believed to be appendicitis and his physicians are despatching to ward off a major operation.

Alleged Violator Of Mann Act Freed

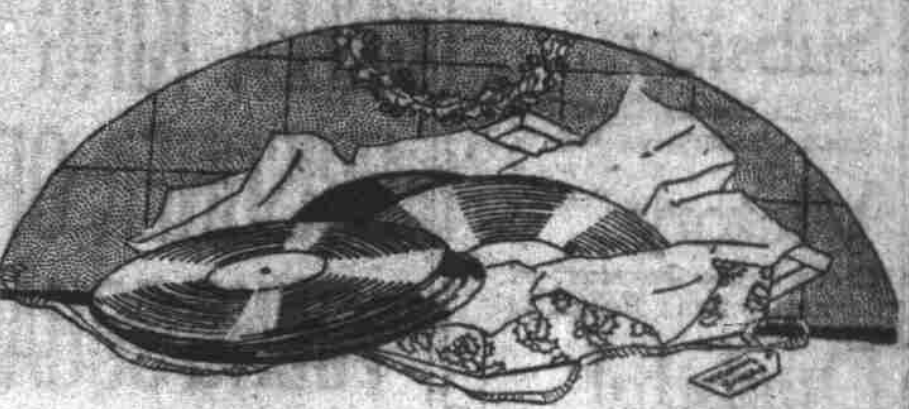
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Smokers' Carelessness Caused Five Fires, According to Report

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MATHEW WING HANDICAP BEATERS TRACK 25.1. Nov. 30.—(U. P.)—G. L. Blackford's MatheW wing was the handicapper by a bit over a length from Hephastus Rock Minister favorite, was a well beaten third, a couple of lengths behind, while Nestor was fourth.

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Community Hospital Is Gift to Ashland Ashland, Nov. 30.—The Granite City hospital, recently purchased by Jesse Winburn and which he has renovated and improved, has been opened to all physicians and dentists with equal privileges and service. When finished this hospital will be the most complete and modern in Southern Oregon. It will be called the Community hospital. At a meeting of the physicians and dentists Tuesday appreciation for this gift to Ashland and the medical profession was voiced and a plan to buy a community ambulance was launched. Winburn, while a patient in this hospital, conceived the plan. Alleged Violator Of Mann Act Freed Thanksgiving was made brighter for Albert Tanner late Wednesday afternoon by a federal court jury when they freed him of a charge of white slavery by returning a verdict of not guilty after about two hours' deliberations. Tanner was charged with transporting Mrs. Margaret Wilkins and her two children from Los Angeles to Falls City, Or. Both Tanner and the woman denied any improper conduct, the woman contending she came to Oregon upon the invitation of her sister, and not upon solicitation from Tanner. REPORTS ON FIRES Smokers' carelessness caused five fires, according to the last monthly report of the fire marshal's office, and carelessness with matches resulted in six fires. Five fires were of incendiary origin. One fire in a dwelling house was caused by a burglar, and two were from overheated furnaces. Food boiled dry was the cause of one house fire. HILLSBORO HAS SNOW Hillsboro, Nov. 30.—Thanksgiving brought winter to Hillsboro and vicinity this morning for at 7 o'clock snow began falling heavily.

WHEN KNIGHTHOOD WAS IN FLOWN Making Photoplay History from Coast to Coast San Fran. Examiner Shows at 10:45, 12:50, 2:55, 5:00, 7:05, 9:10. Prices 55c to \$1.50 (more than 30% lower than in California or the East). No seats reserved. Augmented Orchestra playing specially composed score. Attendants costumed in the same manner as in Marion Davies in this photograph from the play. GREATER MOVIE SEASON OTIE THE 9th

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