

NEW RAILROAD LINE IS ASKED

Interstate Commerce Commission Hears Argument in Case

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—(AP)—The people of Oregon, through the state public service commission, laid before the interstate commerce commission, in oral argument, today the contention that northwestern railroads should be required to reconstruct an extension from Crane to a connection with the Southern Pacific near Crescent Lake.

Opposition was voiced by the railroads' counsel to the 185-mile project which complainants estimate would cost about \$9,000,000, on the grounds that necessities of the region do not justify the expenditure.

In taking the case under consideration prior to handing down its decision, the commission will have before it in addition to pleas of opposing attorneys, a report of Commissioner Frank McNamany sitting at examiner recommending that construction be ordered.

Railroads Claim Board Is Without Jurisdiction

Counsel for the defendant railroads, which include the Central Pacific, Southern Pacific, Oregon Washington Railroad and Navigation company, Deschutes, Ore., Short Line, and the Union Pacific, contended the commission is without jurisdiction to order construction. It was presented that if any part of the commerce act is construed as conferring authority to require extension and operation of the line, the provisions are unconstitutional in that they would operate to deprive them of their property without due process of law.

Replying, complainants held that the commission did have jurisdiction and that facts had been presented to show a need for the road. The public service commission holds that the development of central and western Oregon is being hampered due to the absence of an east and west line across the state.

Roads Assume Project But Don't Finish It

The commission was told that the state had considered constructing a similar road as that now asked in 1905 but that the project was taken over by the railroad and never completed.

Traffic now originating in western Oregon, counsel asserted, and destined to eastern points must move either south to Roseville, California or north to Portland. A similar movement, they said, is experienced on traffic originating in eastern Oregon and southwestern Idaho and destined to California and southwestern Oregon.

The resulting longer haul and greater time consumed was held to make it impossible to ship certain perishables.

EXILED NICARAGUAN SCRIBES ADMITTED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—(AP)—The immigration appeal board decided today to permit the entry into the United States of Adolfo Ortega Diaz and Salomon De La Selva, exiled Nicaraguan newspaper men at San Francisco, provided the state department would waive its visa requirement. The decision has been communicated to that department, where officials probably will decide tomorrow.

The two Nicaraguans are held by immigration officers at San Francisco because they have no passports. They reached by steamer from Nicaragua but had intended to land at a Mexican port. They fled from Nicaragua, where they are alleged to have conspired against the government.

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LEADERS TALK SENATE REST

Many Members Want Short Recess Before Beginning Next Meet

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—(AP)—Disagreement among republican leaders on whether the senate should proceed with debate on the tariff bill without a recess before the regular December session was in evidence at the Capitol today after informal conferences of factional chiefs.

Chairman Smoot of the finance committee, said he intended to go ahead with consideration of the revision measure tomorrow when the senate left off yesterday when it adjourned out of respect to the late Senator Burton. He said he had heard of no movement being afoot to take a recess about the middle of November.

Many of Old Guard Would Like Vacation

Other old guard republicans let it be known, however, that there was a growing disposition among their followers for a two weeks' rest before the regular session. They based this on their belief that the tariff bill is destined to carry over into the December session anyway and that there should be a brief interim in which to prepare for this meeting.

Senator Borah of Idaho, one of the Republican independent leaders, said the senate could complete action on the bill by November 29 if it confined debate to the items at issue and stopped

GRUNDY AVERS BINGHAM O. K.

King of Lobbyists Says Action of Senator Was Just Right

By FRANCIS M. STEPHENSON Associated Press Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—(AP)—Further details of his tariff making activities, his life and his views were related today by Joseph R. Grundy, president of the Pennsylvania Manufacturers' association, as the senate lobby committee concluded its three day spirited examination of him.

The Pennsylvania republican again readily accepted credit for helping to get rate increases in the pending tariff bill, told of his attendance at a conference of party leaders which determined upon Warren G. Harding as the republican presidential nominee at the 1920 convention, and disclosed that he was not at a luncheon of Pennsylvania leaders last April when patronage matters were discussed.

Views on Numerous Questions Are Aired

One more, the 70-year-old high tariff advocate sparred willingly with the senate inquirers, ready with figures and arguments to meet the questions. Again the committee members elicited his views on government and ethics as well as on tariff making.

After a little hesitation, Grundy said he believed he would approve the course followed by Senator Bingham, republican, Connecticut, in taking a salaried representative of the Connecticut Manufacturers' association into the secret sessions of the finance committee while the rates were being written by the republican members.

"The tariff bill is so complex," he argued, "that men who understand it would be called into consultation."

Qualifications Given To Explanation

"You believe members of the congressional committees should be believed by those interested in the tariff rates?" inquired Chairman Caraway.

"Oh, no. I think they should be consulted," explained Grundy.

Meanwhile Senator Norris, republican, Nebraska, who is prepared to propose a resolution of censure of Senator Bingham, said he was not sure whether he would act tomorrow in the absence of many senators attending the funeral of the late Senator Burton.

Democrats also favor continuing work on the tariff without a recess, but Senator Robinson, of Arkansas, the minority leader, has stated he would have no objection to a November 15th adjournment as long as it was sponsored from the Republican side.

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PROMINENT CLAIMS ATTORNEY PASSES

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—(AP)—Edwin B. Parker, who long had worked to settle the claims for damages by citizens of the United States, Germany, Austria and Hungary as a result of the war; died today after a lingering illness.

Born in September 7, 1868, in Helby county, Missouri, Judge Parker was graduated from the University of Texas in 1889 and spent his home in that state until the past few years which he spent in Washington. He practiced law in Houston over a long period and during the war began the work which was to occupy him until his death.

He first served as chairman of the United States liquidation commission, settling claims of the allies against the United States for war materials.

For this the United States gave him the distinguished service medal; France made him an officer of the Legion of honor and Poland, Belgium and Italy also decorated him. A further recognition of his work was seen when the mixed claims commission was set up in 1923 to settle claims for damages by Americans against Germany.

Flier Missing

Russell Merrill, Stillman pilot, who is reported lost in the Mount Spur district of Alaska after no word was received from him for three weeks. Joe Crosson, former mail pilot and brother of Marvel Crosson, famous aviatrix who was killed in the recent Air Derby, has already started in search of Merrill.

International Newsweek

HALLOWE'EN DANCE

Fraternal Temple TONIGHT

CLEMENTEL TO FORM CABINET

Slightly Radical Tendencies Seen as New Premier Leads France

PARIS, Oct. 30.—(AP)—After more than a week of political bargaining in the ministerial crisis brought on by the overthrow of the Briand government, France was looking forward tonight to a moderately radical but staunch republican government under a new premier.

Etienne Clementel, formerly minister of finances in the Herriot government and chairman of the finance committee of the senate, definitely informed President Doumergue late today that he was organizing a government. M. Clementel is new to the premiership, though he has been several times a cabinet minister. M. Clementel, who took up the business of forming a cabinet after M. Edouard Daladier, radical socialist leader, had failed, is just radical enough to enjoy the confidence of the orthodox French labor movement and sufficiently conservative to be acceptable to the bourgeoisie. He

This commission had before it claims filed by American citizens and the government for \$1,479,000,000 and Judge Parker was named umpire.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Katherine Blunt Parker, daughter of the late General James G. Blunt.

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Chiropractic Is Held Entitled to Extend Practice

A person licensed in Oregon to practice chiropractic may also practice physiotherapy, according to a legal opinion handed down by the attorney general here Wednesday.

The opinion was requested by Dr. Miles D. Warren, secretary of the state board of chiropractic examiners with headquarters in Portland.

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