

COOLIDGE WILL TRAVEL SPECIAL ON FUTURE TRIPS

Washington, June 1.—Stressing the necessity of adequate safety precautions and for facility in operation, railroad operators have persuaded President Coolidge to travel in special trains or rather in private cars rather than share the regular accommodations with other passengers.

Complying the request of the railroads, the president will travel in a private train to St. Paul, Minn., where June 8 he is to speak at the Noro-American centennial.

When the president and Mrs. Coolidge went to Chicago several months ago, they rode a regular train. It was pointed out at the time that considerable saving in traveling expenses was effected, but railroad officials emphasized difficulties in assuring complete protection for the distinguished passengers and also in operation of the train.

ONLY 17 CITIES REJECT COMPENSATION FOR COPS

Of 156 cities and towns in Oregon only 17, including Portland, have rejected the opportunity for their police officers to come under the protection of the workmen's compensation act, and of 39 counties, only nine have filed rejections with the commission. The 1925 legislature amended the act so that the salaried police officers of all cities, towns and counties come under the act automatically unless the municipalities formally reject the act by notifying the commission.

The cities and towns that have rejected the act are: Portland, Beaver Hill, Milwaukie, Corvallis, Springfield, Rainier, Jacksonville, Athena, Banks, Pilot Rock, Elgin Burns, Halsey, Island City, Lakeview, Enterprise, Nyssa.



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ESPEE ASKS PERMIT TO TAKE OVER LINE

Washington, June 1.—(A. P.)—The Southern Pacific railroad asked permission from the Interstate commerce commission today to take over under lease the narrow gauge railroad now operated by the Lake Tahoe Railway & Transportation company in California. The Southern Pacific, the application said, will reconstruct the line on a standard gauge base and operate it as a part of its system.

FREE LOT GRAFT BRINGS KICKS

Will Moore, state real estate commissioner, sees P. T. Barnum one better and remarks that instead of one there are two born every minute, at least as far as Oregon is concerned.

Mr. Moore has particular reference to the "free lot" fad which is said to be going on in Portland at the present time. With the alleged chance to get a lot for only the cost of an abstract people are induced to sign a blank. In a few days some signers are informed that they have won a free lot, and sign a contract to accept it. Later it is discovered that they are bound by the agreement to pay street assessments, back taxes and other costs sometimes running up to hundreds of dollars.

Several complaints have been received by Mr. Moore from the victims.

TANK OF CHLORINE BURSTS; 50 GASSED

Annemasse, France, June 1.—(A. P.)—Fifty persons were gassed in the streets here yesterday as a thick screen of yellowish fumes from a tank of liquid chlorine swept over the town. The container exploded from heat. Twelve of the victims were in a serious condition. One of the minor cases of injury was an American, Ernest Steinworth, who lives in Geneva.

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39 GRADUATED AT WOODBURN

Woodburn, Or., June 2.—The commencement exercises of Woodburn high school were held Thursday night. Thirty-nine graduates entered and took their places on the stage as the girls' glee club sang as the professional Offenberg's "Barcarolle," Alfred Mathieson playing the violin obligato.

The class was represented on the program by Margaret Knapp, first honor student, and Gladys Brauchmann, second honor student, who gave the valedictory and salutatory, respectively, and by Harold Mosherberger, who gave an interpretation of school life and ideals. The musical numbers were all given by members of the school. Jean Campbell, instructor in public speaking, sang a group of three very charming selections; three of graduates, the Misses Wava Sims, Audrey Stewart and Hilda Tautou, sang "Daffodils," and Alfred Mathieson played "Chanson Triste," a violin composition by Tolhurst. The accompanists of the evening were the Misses Fern Treadle, Lucile Gegenheimer and Viola Somolinsky.

J. T. Brumbaugh, of the department of psychology at the Oregon Agricultural college, gave the commencement address on the subject, "The Half-educated Man."

The personnel of the class in: Mary Allen, Earl Barnes, Ivelia Belknap, Gladys Brauchmann, Margaret Brantner, Samuel Cairnes, Clyde Commack, Gerald Cone, Ralph David, Harold Ewelt, Cecilia Gant, Donald Gillanders, Eva Grazer, Zeta Hammond, Frances Hawley, Earl Hite, Margaret Knapp, Mary Leek, Norma Livingston, Elfa Lytle, Ethel Martin, Patricia Martin, Mildred Morgan, Harold Mosherberger, Violet Saunders, Audrey Sealey, Clarence Schrock, Wava Sims, Opal Smith.

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"I have 17 acres of this," said Bettencourt, "and there is no reason why more could not be grown in almost any amount." The flax is not coarse, but of the type that produces strong, fine, silky flax. It grows on his land to a heavy stand, says Bettencourt.

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