

ESPEE APPLIES FOR PERMISSION FOR NEW LINE

Washington, Oct. 7.—The Southern Pacific railroad through the Central Pacific company, which it owns, has applied to the Interstate Commerce commission for permission to build 61 miles of new line from Cornell to Alturas in California.

The line to Alturas, the application of the Central Pacific said, would connect up its main system with the extensive new construction that has been undertaken in Oregon. It would result in linking Klamath Falls in Oregon through to San Francisco on one side and to Ogden in Utah. No estimates of cost were filed with the application.

Portland, Or., Oct. 7.—Ben C. Day, attorney for the Southern Pacific, said today that application of the Southern Pacific system for permission to extend from Cornell to Alturas, Cal., was filed with the Interstate Commerce commission October 2.

This application covers the construction of 62 miles and will, if allowed, provide a connection with the Nevada-California-Oregon railway at Alturas.

President William Sprule of the Southern Pacific previously had announced the decision of the company to have its main line from Klamath Falls to the east run through Tule lake to a connection with the Nevada-California-Oregon system.

JEFFERSON TO PLAY "LIGHTNIN" AT THE HEILIG

"The great characters live the longest," declares Thomas Jefferson, star in "Lightnin," coming to the Heilig theater October 14. Behind the fact that five generations of Jeffersons have specialized in the portrayal of older types on the stage lies an interesting revelation of their persistence in clinging to a belief that such endeavor lies the shortest and surest route to fame. Mail orders are being filled now, so get your orders in early as they are being filled according to order.

Since 1717, when London playgoers witnessed the debut of Thomas Jefferson, great, great grand, father of the player who portrays the character of Lightnin', the family has been identified almost exclusively with autumnal characters. Probably the zenith of fame was reached by Joseph Jefferson, father of the present portrayal of Lightnin' III, in "Rip Van Winkle."

"The managers say the public isn't interested in the character of an old man on the stage," says Mr. Jefferson, but, "insists on romance and young love. The plays that really last are the character plays. A great character will be remembered long after the name of the play is forgotten. There is Warfield's Von Barwig in "The Music Master." It was a great character, ringing head and shoulders above the play. This was proven when

the piece was reviewed several seasons ago. Von Barwig exerted the same appeal, but the play, despite the fact that it swept the country when first produced in 1904, appeared hopelessly old-fashioned and out of date when it was revived.

"Also, there were such character actors as Denman Thompson in the "Old Homestead," my father as Rip, and Ben Acres in "The Rivets," Sol Smith Russell in "A Poor Relation," James Herne in "Shore Acres," and many others whom I can't recall just at present.

"Today the theater going public still hears from the older generation how John E. Owens played Solon Shingle; how the elder Solon, an entranced them with his Lord Dundreary; how John T. Raymond made the playhouse ring with laughter at his Colonel Captain Cuttle in "Dombey and Son." There were all distinctive and individual character creations, where young love took a back seat, while wit, character, maturity and quality were the outstanding features."

COOLIDGE TALK ANGERS BERLIN

Berlin, Oct. 7.—(A. P.)—The German newspapers comment in rather bitter spirit on President Coolidge's address before the American Legion convention in Omaha. All the morning editions contain lengthy extracts from the speech.

The Deutsches Allgemeines Zeitung, using the caption: "A queer peace sermon," says:

"In this high-sounding peace speech Mr. Coolidge might have omitted the hackneyed phrases about civilization having been saved, and his insulting words against the German people."

The Tagelich: Rundschau says: "We regret that Mr. Coolidge still sticks to the assertion that the World war was despotism versus liberty. Isn't it time to stop belittling Germany?"

CLARK'S PALACE PUT ON MARKET

New York, Oct. 7.—(A. P.)—The \$7,000,000 Fifth avenue palace of the late Senator William A. Clark of Butte, Mont., with 121 rooms and 31 baths, is going begging at \$2,000,000. Real estate brokers regard the land on which it stands as more valuable than the building and says the house depreciates the site because of the cost of raising it.

The offer of the mansion for sale marks another step in the speedy passing of the famous avenue as the home of fashion and wealth and its development for retail trade and apartment houses. The white marble mansion of Vincent Astor and the chateau of Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt both have been sold recently.

Mrs. Clark does not care for her mansion because she prefers to live in Santa Barbara, Cal.

Grecian Civil War.

Paris, Oct. 6.—(A. P.)—A dispatch from the Athens correspondent of the L'Information says the Pangalos government has proclaimed a siege throughout Greece.

ZOO VISITED BY PRESIDENT

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 7.—(A. P.)—President and Mrs. Coolidge on their way to Washington from the American Legion convention at Omaha, left their train here today for a morning automobile ride and a visit to the zoo.

At the zoo, the president and Mrs. Coolidge left their automobile for a look at the animals, none of whom seemed to know what it was all about.

The air was cool and crisp and both the president and Mrs. Coolidge seemed greatly refreshed by the ride.

When the presidential train, after an overnight run from Omaha drew into the yards here at 9:30 a. m., the president and Mrs. Coolidge had finished an early breakfast. Twenty minutes were required to back the train into the station. Then they started on their eight-seeing tour, through almost deserted streets.

Shortly after 8 o'clock, the presidential train continued on its way to Washington which will be reached tomorrow morning.

Navy's Personnel Cut.

Washington, Oct. 6.—(A. P.)—Lack of funds has forced a reduction of the navy's enlisted personnel from 86,000 to 81,700, Rear Admiral W. R. Shoemaker today told the president's airboard.

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