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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19

SOME RAILROAD FIGURES.

The Southern Pacific Company has complied with Governor Chamberlain's request and filed with the secretary of state a report covering its operations during the past year. The affairs of the company are gone into in detail and the figures are quite interesting. It is shown that the total net income of the Southern Pacific Company lines for the year ending June 30, 1916, was \$8,872,947.96; the total surplus up to the same date was \$16,701,033.57, and the total amount of dividends paid to stockholders was \$7,716,110.46, of which 2 1/2 per cent was on common and 7 per cent on preferred.

The report of the O. R. & N. Co. covering the same period shows that the net income for the year was \$5,197,152.59 and the total surplus \$24,404,673.05. The dividends paid amounted to \$44,900, or 4 per cent on \$11,000,000 preferred stock.

The report shows that the total miles of road operated by the O. R. & N. Co. in Oregon is 538.71, besides steamer lines on the Willamette, Columbia and Snake rivers.

The total par value of capital stock authorized is \$35,000,000, all outstanding, upon which a total of \$440,000 has been realized in dividend—4 per cent on \$11,000,000 worth of preferred stock. Of the total of \$30,500,000 funded indebtedness \$28,022,800 has been issued and \$22,025,800 outstanding; \$880,880 interest accrued during the year, of which amount \$864,580 was paid.

The total current assets of the company are \$21,438,017.28, and the total current liabilities \$1,345,895.46. The total cost of road, equipment and improvements amounts to \$53,316,156.19, or a total cost of \$59,969.82 per mile of line. The total income from operation and all other sources was \$6,855,534; amount of deductions, \$1,258,381.41; net income, \$5,597,152.59.

The company employs a total of 5483 employees, including general officers, numbering 18, at a total yearly compensation of \$3,389,973.02, or an average of \$221 per day. The annual salaries paid to the general officers aggregate \$76,887.79, or an average of \$11.70 per day.

The company handled 3,222,121 tons of freight during the year, and has consumed a total of 311,171.43 tons of fuel, including 17,399.81 barrels of oil, at an average cost of 66 cents a barrel; 305,785.87 tons of coal, average cost, \$3.41, and 2071.22 cords of wood, average cost, \$1.55 per cord.

The total number of train employees killed during the year was 9; injured, 39; passengers, postal clerks, etc., killed, 28; injured, 109; station men, shop men, track men, etc., injured, 30.

The company paid a total of \$317,421.12 in taxes during the year, of which \$162,844.47 was paid in Oregon.

The total miles of railway under control of the Southern Pacific Company is 5406.61, segregated as follows: South Pacific Coast Railway, 98.66 miles; Southern Pacific Railroad, 3077.10 miles; Oregon & California Railroad, 664.24 miles; Central Pacific Railway, 1447.07 miles; lines under lease, New Mexico & Arizona, 88.10 miles; Union Pacific (account Central Pacific Railway), 5 miles; Southern Pacific (account Central Pacific Railway), 5.64 miles; O. R. & N. Co. (account O. R. & N. Co.), 139 miles; and Northern Pacific Terminal Company (account O. R. & N. Co.), 41 miles; total, 5406.61 miles.

The total authorized capital stock

debt of \$69,819,000, \$63,018,500 has which \$200,000,000 is common and \$100,000,000 preferred, and of this amount \$237,419,998.64 has been issued and outstanding. A total of \$7,716,110.46 dividends have been declared during the year, of which 2 1/2 per cent, or \$4,346,231.46, is common, and 7 per cent, or \$2,769,879, preferred. Of the shares of stock outstanding 395,698 4-10 were issued for cash and 1,968,492 for stock of railroad companies.

Of the total funded authorized debt of \$69,819,000, \$63,018,500 has been issued and \$39,200,500 is outstanding. Interest to the amount of \$1,607,300 accrued during the year, and \$1,602,920 has been paid.

The total current assets of the company are \$21,629,871.47, and the total current liabilities \$17,089,916.05.

An additional six hundred "called" Dr. House to remain with his Portland congregation. He was getting \$3000 when another church offered \$3600. He was about to heed the call when his congregation "called" the "raise"—made it \$3600. If that pastor should happen to take the text "Sell all that thou hast and distribute to the poor and thou shalt have treasure in heaven," or "And he sent them (His disciples) to preach the kingdom of God. And He said unto them, 'Take nothing for your journey, neither staves nor scrip, neither bread, neither money; neither two coats apiece.'" If he should happen to take such texts—happen, we say—with full knowledge of that extra \$600 lifted from their pockets, what would be the thoughts of that congregation? But such texts are out of date in most of the city churches.

The big brothers of Ethel Strothers at Culpepper, Virginia, the other day had the pardonable opinion that the man who married their sister on her sick bed suffering from a questionable operation, should not desert her. So, when the newly married man announced his intention of leaving the girl and rushed for the window, the brothers got him with their pistols. The excitable Southerner is very liable to take short cuts in dealing with real or supposedly real wrongs.

There are going to be two factions in the United States senate this winter—those who will try to "suppress" Senator LaFollette, and those who are afraid of their constituents at home.

That was something of a blast in railroad construction north of Spokane Monday when 3500 kegs of powder set off simultaneously moved 80,000 yards of rock.

Sir Thomas Lipton declares that our prosperity is amazing. In view of everything we are doing to check it, it is almost beyond belief.

President Roosevelt is drifting gradually toward the simple, quiet life. He sent but one special message to congress yesterday.

Mr. Bingham, forest ranger, was a passenger to Hazel Dell one day last week.

A sick man from the railroad surveying camp passed here Monday last for Eugene under the impression that he had appendicitis.

There will be in Xmas tree at the Rush Island school house Christmas eve.

Burt Kelsay is now going on crutches on account of cutting his knee with an ax while chopping wood.

The river made a sudden rise of several feet last Sunday on account of the snow melting in the mountains.

Mae Crow and Mr. Fletcher started for the gold mines on the North Fork Monday evening. Mr. Fletcher will work in the mines all winter.

Nice rooms and beds for 25 cents at Courthouse Lodging House, just north of the courthouse. Quiet place and close to the business part of town. See transparency "Beds" from Beckwith corner.

Show Windows

Our south show window will contain silverware, cutlery and similar goods suitable for Christmas presents. Our north show window will be filled with new furniture, rugs, lace curtains, etc. It will extend back fifty feet.

CHAMBERS' HARDWARE

Grand X-Mas Ball

At Crow hall, December 25, '06.

Good music. Tickets, including supper, \$1.25. Everybody come.

It'd&itW.

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NEWS FROM THE COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE

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J. R. Randall to Andrew M. and Maggie J. Smith, lot 1, block 1, Perkins' addition to Cottage Grove; \$1. Minnie M. and J. M. Culp to Flinck Hinds, certain land near Cottage Grove; \$1.

M. L. and Jennie Tucker, to M. C. Willis, lots 5 and 6, block 3, D. G. McFarland's first addition to Cottage Grove; \$475.

Thomas Gordon to Martha Gordon, lot 7, block 2, Henderson's addition to Eugene; \$500.

Jasper B. and Florence E. Hills to the First National Bank of Eugene, 200 acres in section 14, township 20 south, range 1 west; \$1,000.

U. S. to Ole Hegaas, 160 acres in section 14, township 22 south, range 3 west; patent.

U. S. to Samuel H. McKernan, 160 acres in section 32, township 20 south, range 4 west; patent.

U. S. to Benjamin H. Dunlap, 40 acres in section 10, township 17 south, range 5 west; patent.

F. M. and Emma G. Wilkins to Marion G. Ira, lot 6, block 37, Glendale; \$100.

O. Q. and Mary E. Cartwright to Lorena E. Cornell, lot 2, block 6, original plat of Eugene; \$1,300.

O. & C. R. R. to F. A. Peplot, 40 acres in section 27, township 16 south, range 4 east; \$120.

Jacob H. Williams to Daniel B. Leathers, 10 acres in section 23, township 16 south, range 4 west; \$165.

Nettie G. Leathers to D. B. Leathers, 10 acres in section 23, township 16 south, range 4 west; \$300.

A DANDY FOR BURNS.

Dr. Bergin, Pana., Ill., writes: "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment; always recommended it to my friends, as I am confident there is no better made. 'It is a dandy for burns.' Those who live on farms are especially liable to many accidents, cuts, burns and bruises, which heal rapidly when Ballard's Snow Liniment is applied. It should always be kept in the house, for cases of emergency." 25c., 50c., and \$1. Sold by Linn Drug Co.

LOWELL ITEMS.

(Special Correspondence.)

Lowell, Dec. 19.—Wm. Kelsay took a load of the Oregon Central surveyors to Goshen and other points Monday, the 17th. They will take a holiday vacation and may not return until February or March.

Walter Sharpe has laid aside his backboard on the mail route between here and Hazel Dell on account of the condition of the roads and is carrying the mail on horseback.

Mrs. Maggie Cain made a trip to the county seat last week on business. She is figuring on the construction of a new residence early in the spring as she can get the lumber hauled. Clarence McBee is also building a new house and as soon as the roads are in good condition will erect a substantial residence near Rush Island.

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Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, C. H. Mathews, administrator of the estate of Thomas Bell, deceased, has filed his final account in the matter of said estate in the county court of Lane county, Oregon, and all persons interested in said estate are hereby notified that Monday, the 4th day of February, 1917, at the hour of 1 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, has been fixed by said court for the hearing of objections to said final account, and for the final settlement of said estate; and all objections must be made and filed in said court on or before the time fixed for said hearing and final settlement.

Dated this 18th day of December, 1916.
C. H. MATHEWS,
Administrator of Said Estate.
L. BILYEU, Attorney.

Sale Postponed.

Owing to the delay in the arrival of the goods the sale advertised by the Congregational Aid Society will not be held this month.

Notice for Bids.

Office of Clerk of School District No. 4.

Sealed bids for furnishing 200 cords each of 4 foot grub oak and body fir wood, to be delivered at the school buildings of the district on or before September 1, 1917, will be received at this office until January 15, 1917, at noon, when bids will be opened.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

A bond for the faithful performance of the contract will be required.

FRANK REISNER,

Clerk School District No. 4.

Eugene, Oregon, December 8, 1916.

Long Tennessee Fight.

For Twenty years W. L. Rawls, of Bells, Tenn., fought nasal catarrh. He writes: "The swelling and soreness inside my nose was fearful until I began applying Bucklen's Arnica Salve to the sore surface. This caused the soreness and swelling to disappear, never to return." Best salve in existence. 25c at Linn Drug Co.

EATON'S MESSENGER SERVICE.

Messages and small parcels delivered to all parts of the city by careful, courteous boys.

EATON'S BOOK STORE.

Phone 1601.

Art Needle Work.

Mrs. J. S. Luckey will have art needle work on display at her home, corner of East Tenth and Pearl streets, from December 15th till after the holidays.

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Caddie D. Berlin, deceased, has filed his final account for final settlement of said estate in the county court for Lane county, Oregon, and that Tuesday, the 15th day of January, 1917, has been set for the final hearing upon the same.

PAUL B. BERLIN,
Administrator of said Estate.

L. M. TRAVIS,
Attorney.

BEAUTIFUL DISHES ARE GIVEN AWAY.

That beautiful display of China salad and fruit dishes made by The Guard in the window of the Walton building, is attracting a great deal of attention. Hundreds of people have admired it, and wondered how this paper can afford to give away such valuable premiums. The explanation is that we secured the real "snaps" and are giving our patrons the benefit of it during the holiday season.

These dishes would cost from \$4 to \$5 at any store, but are given free to new or old subscribers of the Daily Guard who pay a year for the paper, \$3 in cash and \$3 at the rate of 50 cents per month.

When you pay your subscription the first of this month, bear in mind this offer. There are only a few of the dishes left, and you will have to hurry to get one.

These dishes will make beautiful Christmas presents.

SMOKERS KNOW

We have a reputation with lovers of tobacco for the fine smoking qualities our goods have. We carry many brands, plug cut, granulated and blends. Our five-cent cigars make a hit—nothing like them elsewhere in Eugene for less than ten cents.

Buy your candles, oranges, bananas, etc., from us. Quality guaranteed better than elsewhere.

HOSELTON'S CIGAR STORE.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. O Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

If you want accordion playing done neatly and at a reasonable price, call on Mrs. Bert Vincent, 637 Myard street, near East Ninth. dtf

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A small shingle mill cheap for cash. Call on or address T. C. Thomson, Vida, Or. dtf

FOR SALE—Full-blooded Brown Leghorn cockerels for sale, \$1.00 each. Address J. C. McElroy, Monroe, Oregon.

FOR SALE—At the lowest prices in this part of the state, our magnificent line of holiday goods. Hull's Drug Store.

FOR SALE—Full blooded White Leghorn roosters, \$1 each. H. L. Burt, West Seventeenth street, third house from Willamette st. d22

FOR SALE—High bred Angora goats, from 50 to 500 head. Call on or address J. C. McElroy, Monroe, Ore. t D19W1

FOR SALE—Carrots and beets for feed at \$6 per ton, delivered to any part of the city. Address R. A. Maltzan, P. O. Box 175, Eugene. d19

HOUSE FOR SALE—Six room residence in good repair with good roomy barn and within six blocks of postoffice for sale for \$1200. Two good wells. Time on part if desired. See or write J. R. Campbell, Eugene.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Fine stock ranch with plenty of spring water for irrigating purposes. See Lee Hoselton, Oregon Cigar Store. dtf

STORE FOR SALE—General merchandise store at Mapleton for sale. Good business and outlook excellent for increasing trade in future. Private reasons for selling. Address F. C. Bean, Mapleton, or see L. E. Bean, Eugene, as to price and terms. dtf

WANTED

HELP WANTED—Manager for branch office we wish to locate here in Eugene. Address, with references, The Morris Wholesale House, Cincinnati, Ohio.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One room for store down stairs and the whole upstairs of new building on Seventh street. F. A. Rankin. dtf

FOR RENT—Warm, pleasant rooms, with or without board. 453 High street, corner Tenth. d20

MISCELLANEOUS

AGENTS—Canvassers, mixers, peddlers, street men, solicitors, mail order people, etc., should buy Kramer's Book of Trade Secrets. Regular price, \$5.00, but balance of last edition is being sold for \$1.25 as long as they last. Every person who is out of employment can make more out of this book than a person in ordinary business can on a capital of \$10,000. Order quick. Sioux Pub. Co., Sutherland, Ia. D26.

REWARD OFFERED—To the person who took the black cravenette overcoat from the rack in the hall of the Underwood House—I will give him \$5.00 and no questions will be asked if he returns it. Otto D. Drain. D22

WANTED—Gentleman or lady with good references to travel by rail or with a rig for a firm of \$250,000.00 capital. Salary, \$1,072.00 per year and expenses; salary paid weekly and expenses advanced. Address, with stamp, Jos. A. Alexander, Eugene, Oregon. J1

Personal—The lady who was looking in our show window about 3 o'clock today expects you to give her one of those superb toilet sets for Christmas. Hull's Drug Store.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—a Chi Psi fraternity pin set with pearls. Finder please return to Dr. Johnson in the Gordon block and receive reward.

STRAYED—One large dark Jersey cow, with hole in left ear; missed about noon yesterday. • Finder please call up phone Black 1391. d19

LOST—On Oak street between Sixth and Ninth, a green wrist bag, containing brown leather purse. Finder please leave at this office. d20

New stock feed chairs just received.

CHAMBERS' HARDWARE.

PROFESSIONAL COLUMN.

MINING ENGINEERS

HERBERT LEIGH, mining engineer, expert metallurgist. Estimates, information furnished to intending investors. Examination and reports on mines and ore treatment. Eugene, Oregon.

UNDERTAKERS

J. W. KAYS & CO., undertakers & funeral directors, Eugene, Or.

DAY & HENDERSON, undertakers and embalmers, Corner Willamette and Seventh streets.

W. T. GORDON, funeral director, State Licensed embalmer. Office 625 Olive st. Phone Black Olive st.

CONTRACTORS

L. N. RONEY, contractor, dealer in cement, lime and had wall paper.

PHYSICIANS and SURGEONS

DR. McDOUGAL, physician and surgeon. In addition to general practice special attention given to diseases of women and children. Office over Preston & Hale. Phone Black 1631.

W. O. PROSSER, physician and surgeon. In addition to general practice of medicine and surgery special attention to all diseases of ear, nose, throat and eye. Residence, corner 13th and Pearl streets. Office, Beckwith building. Telephone 501. —Office, Black 1201; residence, Black 501.

DR. M. G. BENNETT, osteopathic physician. Acute and chronic diseases treated. Office over Chambers' store. Phone Black 1201. Residence, Red 462.

DR. GEO. WALL, surgery and general practice. Office and residence Roney building, over telephone exchange, Eighth street. Night day phone, Black 1661. Eugene, Oregon.

MRS. ANNA MAURER, osteopathic physician. All curable diseases treated. Women and children a specialty. Offices over F. E. Dunn's. Phone Red 1631.

VETERINARY SURGEONS

DR. J. CHRISTIE, veterinary surgeon. M. R. C. V. S., Edinburgh, Scotland. Secretary and treasurer of the board of veterinary medical examiners. Domestic animals of all kinds treated on scientific principles. Located at Bangs' stable. Eugene. Res. corner 10th and Olive. Phone Red 2611.

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

DORRIS & SKIPWORTH, Attorneys-at-law. Office in Hovey building over Chambers-Bristow bank.

LEON R. EDMUNDSON, attorney-at-law. Rooms 1 and 2, Eugene Land and Saving Bank.

WILLIAMS & BEAN, Attorneys-at-law. J. M. Williams, L. E. Bean. Practice in all the courts of the state and before the U. S. Land Office. Offices 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, Clung bldg.