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GEO. H. KELLY TELLS OF CAR SHORTAGE TROUBLES

Portland, Jan. 26.—Most important of the evidence given yesterday in the interstate commerce hearing was that of George H. Kelly, of the Booth-Kelly Lumber Company. By his sworn testimony it was shown that after the consolidation of the Southern Pacific and Union Pacific under the Harriman management the drift of distribution of the Booth-Kelly company's entire output was changed from inter-mountain and southwest territory to the Eastern states.

The attorney for the commission did not follow up the opening afforded for the government, but it was plainly shown that by the closing of the so-called Ogden gateway in 1901 the Booth-Kelly company lost a large and profitable business that it had carried on with the Denver & Rio Grande and the Colorado Midland railways, for materials, and that the lumber mill company had not been able to sell railroad ties to the Western Pacific at San Francisco bay points in competition with coast mills because ties under a new classification made by the Southern Pa-

cific company have taken a rate of \$5 as against \$3.50 for rough green common stuff to Stockton and bay points by the same railroad. In the language of the witness "there is nothing rougher, commoner nor greener than railroad ties, excepting mining timbers, and ties should not take a higher rate than other rough green common stuff."

Kelly's Evidence Convincing.

Mr. Kelly was the last witness on the stand prior to the noon adjournment and he was cross-examined for more than an hour, it being nearly 1 o'clock when he was dismissed. His evidence was clear and convincing, and at no time colored by passion or prejudice. He had command of facts and figures from personal knowledge of the vast business that has been carried on for years by the "four m's" of his company at Eugene, Springfield, Wendling and Eugene, all located on the Southern Pacific railroad about 140 miles south of Portland.

The annual cut of these mills in 1901 was about 60,000,000 feet, and a very large part of this product went to the states of Colorado, Utah, Nevada, Arizona, New Mexico and California. Today the mills will, when running full time, cut about 100,000,000 feet, and the larger part of their product is going to the Eastern states. The Nevada and Arizona territory is practically cut off, and a large tonnage that formerly went to the Denver & Rio Grande and the Colorado Midland roads via Sacramento and Ogden now goes entirely to the Union Pacific and east. The result of this is that the Booth-Kelly mills no longer sell materials to the Rio Grande roads as they formerly did in large quantities, for the reason that those railroads will not buy their construction material from mills that give them no business.

No Cars Furnished.

In the course of his examination Mr. Kelly made the startling statement that his company at the present time has orders for 1440 cars of lumber outside of any orders for railroad company materials, and that it has not received an empty car from the south on the Southern Pacific since last July. This statement, taken in connection with another made by him on the stand that prior to 1901 nearly the entire business of his mills was moved south via the Sacramento and Ogden gateway, is taken to be sweeping proof that the routing of tonnage out of Oregon territory has been radically affected by the joint ownership of the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific railroads.

Other Witnesses Examined.

Other witnesses examined this forenoon were Edward Newbegin, Herman Wittenburg, H. W. Goddard, Fletcher Linn, A. H. Breyman, all wholesalers, manufacturers or former railroad traffic men. The Central Oregon situation and the car shortage received much attention in the course of the examination.

Fletcher Linn testified that the Oregon Furniture Manufacturing Company had not had an empty car for loading for months, and that it is at the present time hauling its products three miles across the city to the terminal yards and shipping entirely in less than carload lots. This is one of the largest furniture manufacturing plants west of the Mississippi river.

Mr. Cotton showed by various witnesses that there is no limitation arbitrarily placed by the Harriman lines upon the routing of transcontinental business.

SOCIETY EVENTS OF THE WEEK

The entertainment of William Jennings Bryan and his wife has occupied a great amount of social attention this last week. Although they were in our town for less than a day their entertainment was the result of much preparation on the part of Eugene citizens. An informal reception was given soon after their arrival at the Commercial Club. Here the guests were introduced to Mr. and Mrs. Bryan by Dr. L. L. Whitson, president of the club, and were then welcomed by the Democratic central committee. A large throng was there to meet these distinguished visitors. Following the reception was the dinner given at the Smoed.

The guests, of which there were about thirty, assembled in the hotel parlors and promptly at six o'clock descended to the dining room. President P. L. Campbell led the way with Mrs. Bryan, and they were followed by Mr. Bryan escorting Mrs. L. L. Whitson, each couple taking their

year's work. Later the hostess served very dainty refreshments.

This afternoon the W. R. P. L. met with Mrs. J. B. Willoughby at her home, 349 East Ninth street. After the usual interesting program Mrs. Willoughby served an appetizing lunch.

After the basketball game at the armory on Friday evening between the Ashland Athletic Club and the Eugene Friendly team, a social dance was indulged in by the young people.

Helmet lodge, No. 22, Knights of Pythias, will celebrate the anniversary of the order, which is on February 15, by giving a stag social on the evening of February 21, the regular lodge meeting date. It is expected that Grand Chancellor Davis will be here at that time. A committee on arrangements as follows



MISS HELENA FREDERICK, WHO HAS WONDERFUL EYES.

Both as a singer and as an actress Miss Helena Frederick has achieved a reputation. She is best known as a singer, having appeared as prima donna in several well known productions. Recently she was with Mme. Lillian Blauvelt. Miss Frederick is an American woman who has studied voice culture in Europe. Among the admirers of feminine loveliness on the stage she is noted for her wonderful eyes.

places at the opposite ends of the table. An elaborate dinner was served and the hours were from six until eight. The other guests were Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Hendricks, F. W. Osburn, S. H. Friendly, Wm. Kuykendall, Milton Miller (Lebanon), F. L. Chambers, L. M. Travis, Leon Edmonson, Mrs. Roundbush (nee Miss Carrie Matlock), Mrs. Zelber, and Miss Kerns; the Messrs. Lark Bilyen, Judge Hamilton (Roseburg), Dr. Wall and Wayne Osburn.

On Tuesday evening occurred the opening of the new skating rink, known as "The Underwood Rink." A large number of invitations were issued to both the older and younger sets and duly accepted by both. Good music was furnished by a stringed orchestra and all seemed to have a fine time.

The Merchants' Protective Association held its regular meeting on last Monday evening. After an interesting business session the members adjourned to the Theatre Cafe, where they enjoyed an elaborate banquet. Geo. T. Hall, Jr., was toastmaster of the evening, and a number of good toasts were responded to.

A very enjoyable party, was given by the Married Folks' Amusement Club on Wednesday evening. The usual pastimes of cards and dancing were enjoyed.

Mrs. R. W. Dearborn was the charming hostess this week to the Thursday Afternoon Club. Whist was the game of the afternoon and this was played for several hours. Then the guests were ushered to the dining room, where Mrs. Dearborn served a very elaborate luncheon. The guests were Mrs. C. H. Park and Mrs. C. A. Burden.

On Tuesday afternoon the Ladies' Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church were delightfully entertained by Mrs. J. H. Glass and Mrs. Moore at the home of the former. An interesting program was given, consisting of a review of the

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For State Papers. Commencing Wednesday, February 13, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, February 16, at 4 p. m.

Wednesday—Penmanship, history, spelling, physical geography, reading, psychology.

Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, book-keeping, physics, civil government.

Friday—Physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, composition, algebra.

Saturday—Botany, plane geometry, general history, English, literature and school law.

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First, Second and Third Grade Certificates.

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Thursday—Written arithmetic, and school law, civil government.

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Wednesday—Penmanship, orthography, arithmetic, reading.

Thursday—Art of questioning, theory of teaching, physiology.

Yours truly,

W. B. DILLARD,

Supt. Lane County Schools.

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DUCK SHOOTING

SEASON SOON ENDS

Those who like to hunt ducks will be rather busy for the next few days in getting their last shooting.

at that game bird they will be able to get this season. The open season for ducks closes the 30th of the month, and stays closed all the first of September.

The shooting this season has been good, and many of the hunters have been able to get the limit of fifty ducks a week. Some have done so well as to get the limit of fifty in one day, but they have been few.

LOGAN ESTATE FOR SALE

Rev. E. A. Child, executor of the Logan estate, will be in Eugene the first part of February and will then sell off all the remaining property belonging to the late John Logan, deceased. See him at 733 Ferry street after January 30th. J31

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NOAH CHRISTNER, Administrator.
WILLIAMS & BEAN, Attorneys for Administrator.

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