

CALIFORNIA GETS POSTPONEMENT OF OREGON RATE CUT

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—San Francisco, Oakland and Sacramento shippers were the first skirmish in a contest to prevent an increase in freight rates to northern California and southern Oregon points today when the interstate commerce commission telegraphed to the state railroad commission a postponement until April 24 of the recent interstate commission order raising rates February 24. The order was directed against the Southern Pacific railroad and was made as the result of a request of the railroad commission for a postponement of the effective date.

By enforcement of the terms of the order, San Francisco, Oakland and Sacramento shippers would lose the trade advantage they now hold in rates to California mountain points north of Red Bluff and would be placed upon the same competitive basis as Portland, Ore.

Representatives of California merchants assert the haul from San Francisco to California mountain points costs the railroads less than the haul from Portland to the same territory. Upon this point the state railroad commission will ask for a rescinding of the rate order of the interstate commerce commission.

HOUSE PASSES BILL FOR DOG L. REPEAL

HALEM, Ore., Jan. 18.—The house this morning passed the House bill, introduced at the request of the county clerk of the state, to repeal the state license fee on dogs.

The senate passed by unanimous vote the bill introduced by Senator Moser of Multnomah county to require the teaching of the constitution of the United States in the public schools.

ASKS FRANCE TO SLOW DOWN

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time last night that the French were to take over the mines this morning, found themselves still in possession of their properties today and learned that only coal mined and above ground came under the revised requisitioning order of the French.

The magnates also learned they face court martial instead of actual arrest as the result of their refusal to deliver coal to France.

The economic commission, in reaching its final decision in the policy to be followed, concluded that because of the shortage of technical experts, it would be better to restrict only the coal ready for shipment and to re-route to France, all shipments intended for German domestic consumption.

It was also said that certain nations, notably the United States and Great Britain looked with disfavor upon the term "confiscation" as it had been applied to the French Ruhr policy by the Paris press.

The control commission does not contemplate the occupation of Munster, it was officially announced. Seizure by the French of a number of coal barges intended for German domestic use is reported today. Measures have been taken to prevent the loading of similar cargoes.

ASTORIA COMPANY GETS U. S. CONTRACT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The Gilpin Construction company of Astoria, Ore., submitted the lowest bids for construction and dredging work at the Tongue river, Oregon naval base. It was announced today at the navy department.

Congress recently appropriated \$150,000 for the work.

The Gilpin company agreed to do the construction work exclusive of dredging in 104 days for \$128,500. On the dredging projects, the company fixed a price of 20 cents per cubic yard for 1,000,000 cubic yards and submitted an alternative proposition of 25 cents per cubic yard for dredging channels, provided it might locate them. The 20 cents rate applied to dredging in locations selected by the navy.

BALANCE IN CITY TREASURY, \$117,577

The annual report of the city treasurer which was submitted to the city council last Tuesday night shows that the city's finances are in fairly good shape. By this report the city was shown to have a total balance in all funds on December 31, 1922, of \$117,577.57, and that in addition to the above cash has invested in various bonds the sum of \$51,742.91.

During the past year the city redeemed \$59,669 worth of bonds, of which there were \$15,650 worth of gravity water bonds, and the sum of \$13,919.32 was transferred to sinking funds.

RUM SCHOONER BURNS AT SEA

HIGHLANDS, N. J., Jan. 18.—(By the Associated Press)—A steam trawler, believed to be a unit of the rum fleet hovering off the New Jersey coast, caught fire this afternoon and burned to the water's edge. Another small steamer was seen to break away from the fleet and rescue the crew.

The trawler sank in thirteen fathoms off the Ambrose channel. The coast guard cutter Seneca placed a red lighted buoy on the position.

COAST SUGAR PRICE REDUCED AGAIN

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—A reduction in the price of refined cane sugar of ten cents per hundred pounds to \$7.20, effective today was announced today by the Western Sugar Refinery and the California Hawaiian Refinery. A ten cent reduction in the price of refined beet sugar per hundred pounds to \$7.00 was announced by the Spreckles Sugar company also effective today.

LOCAL SPEEDER GETS A STIFF SENTENCE

L. L. Brophy of Jacksonville was given a stiff jail yesterday by Justice Glenn O. Taylor when he pleaded guilty to a charge of speeding. Brophy's driver's license was suspended for a period of 30 days and he was fined \$15.

It was his second offense and deputy state motor vehicle inspector J. J. McMahon informed the court that he was driving at a rate of 40 miles per hour past the schoolhouse north of the city on the Pacific highway at a time when children were out of school playing in the school yard and liable to cross the highway at any time.

'FRIEND' SPRAYER IS NOW ON DISPLAY

Tom Temple, well known dealer in farm implements and machinery, has just received a new "Friend" sprayer of the very latest type. This high pressure sprayer has many features to recommend it for orchard work such as no visible moving parts, reservoir oiling system and no grease cups. It is built low to the ground although it allows plenty of clearance, is durable in construction and has an even distribution of weight.

This "Friend" sprayer is but one of the many lines which Mr. Temple handles. Moline farm machinery, DeLco lights and pumps, wood pipe for irrigation, Simplex silos, Simplex separators and Papec cutters. A cordial invitation has been extended to all who are interested to call and see this sprayer at Mr. Temple's showroom at 221 North Fir street. It will soon be delivered to the well known Central Point orchardist, Mr. E. W. Carlton, so the time for its display is limited.

Court News (Furnished by the Jackson County Abstract Co.)

Marriage License.
John Wm. Douglas and Elizabeth Mabel Roach.

Circuit Court.

Tom P. Benodinos vs. Daniel E. Flory, et ux. Reversion of contract.
I. A. Snider vs. R. D. Hines. Petition, motion.
L. M. Langley vs. William C. Kiser, Jr., et al. Default, findings and Conclusion. Decree.
E. E. Phipps vs. L. Davis, et al. Confirmation of sale.
E. H. Sheringhausen vs. Gen. Wesley Tarr, et ux. Cost bill.
Tillamook County Bank vs. D. Berford, et ux. Order. Statement. Notice.
John F. Rocho vs. W. A. Burns, et al. Demurrer.
The Beaver Company (Inc) vs. J. T. Gagnon or Gagnon Box Factory. Transcript of judgment.
The Vulcanite Roofing Co., Inc. vs. J. T. Gagnon or Gagnon Box Factory. Transcript of judgment.
Leonie D. Schmitt vs. Jackson Co. Creamery. Notice of appeal. Undertaking.
W. H. Lattimer vs. Jackson county. Default. Decree.
Abigail Ripley Smith vs. Joseph Gillespie. Affidavit. Order.
First National Bank vs. J. T. Gagnon. Summons. Writ of attachment.
Hattie Flory vs. Daniel E. Flory. Motion. Notice. Order.
Maagie J. Drumhill vs. W. J. Drumhill. Answer.
East Side Mill & Lumber Co., Inc. vs. J. T. Gagnon. Summons.
E. V. Carter vs. Ray A. Carter. Summons.
Pago-Dressler Co., vs. H. F. Meader, et al. Notice.
J. H. Drew vs. James P. Hansen, et al. Answer.
State vs. Elmer Simmons. Order revoking parole.
Lee Phipps vs. Thos L. Allen, et al. Notice.
Medford National Bank vs. Van R. Gilbert. Summons.
Alice Hensley vs. W. H. Lewis. Writ of attachment. Return on summons. Default. Judgment.

Probate Court.

Estate of Ernest S. Wolgamott. Proof of debt.
Estate of Cornelia L. Kingsbury. Final report. Order.
Estate of M. M. Hodges. Fourth report.
Estate of Henry Hart. Inventory and appraisal.
Estate of Thos. Jefferson Greive. Notice.
Estate of Rebecca D. Grieve. Notice.
Estate of Robert E. Grieve. Notice.
Estate of Geo. N. Smith. Paid Vouchers. Order.
Estate of Daws, Vawter and Howard. Petition. Order.
Estate of P. K. Deuel. Receipt.
Estate of Henry B. Stephenson. Oath, consent, order.
Estate of Elvira E. Wilder. Oath.
Estate of Emily J. Bingham. Inventory and appraisal.
Estate of Virginia Fales. Final account. Order. Vouchers.
Estate of Benton Bowers. Final account. Order. Voucher.
Estate of James Boyd. Final report. Order.
Estate of Raymond Doran, et al (minors). Admitted to probate.

Real Estate Transfers.
Clarence C. Pierce, et ux. to W. E. Buchanan, et ux. W. D. to part block 17, Imperial Add. to Medford 10
Theodore A. Glass, et ux. to Christie Martin, W. D. to land in sec. 23, twp. 35, S. R. 2, West 10
J. C. Williams vs. William Dennis, W. D. to 24 acres in sec. 15 and 16, twp. 36 S., R. 2 West 4000
Mary E. Merriman to Regue

River Valley Cannery Company, W. D. to lot 11, blk. 1, Esplanade's Addition to Medford 10
J. M. Wagner, et ux. to Robert A. Wagner, deed to E. G. of W. D. of SW. E. 1/4 of SW. 1/4 NW. sec. 28, twp. 33 S., R. 1 East 10
Louie Colver, et al. to Hanson H. Depp, et ux. deed to land in D.L.C. 42, twp. 34 S., R. 1 West 10
Helen Moore to John H. Moore, G. C. D. to blocks 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, Amy & Harbaugh Add. to Central Point 10
City of Ashland to D. Roy, et ux. W. D. to lot on N. side Ashland street 10
William L. Moore to Robert Casey, et ux. W. D. to lots 7 and 8, in section 8, twp. 49 S., R. 2 East 10
Jackson County Bldg. & Loan Association to F. C. Edmeades, et ux. deed to lots 7 and 8, blk. 16, Medford 10
Maggie Starbuck to Ethel W. Rogers, W. D. to lot 6, blk. 2, Gray's Add. to Medford 10
C. I. Hutchison, et ux. to the California Oregon Power company, W. D. to lot in Davis First Add. to Medford 10
Femina Winifred Henselman et vir. to Clara Oliver Clark, W. D. to lot 14, blk. 1, Summit Avenue Heights Add. to Medford 10
John A. Gammill, et ux. to W. E. Crockett, et ux. W. D. to S. 20 feet lot 7, N. 20 feet lot 8, blk. 26, Medford 100

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