

# RAIL DATA FOR RATES NOT JUNKED

### I. C. C. Feels Value of Inventory Not Impaired by Supreme Court O'Fallon Decision — \$34,000,000 Spent in Work Over Many Years—Will Go Ahead With Work.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—(AP)—Principles of railroad valuation as developed by the interstate commerce commission for the purpose of recapturing excess income from the St. Louis & O'Fallon railroad, are seriously questioned by the supreme court decision in the opinion of members of that body.

They feel however, that the value of its engineering inventory of the property investment in transportation is not impaired.

Over many years, and at a cost of \$34,000,000, the commission has gathered the data on value of railroad property for the entire country, to use as directed by law for rate-making and other purposes, and after study of the O'Fallon decision its members are convinced that the validity of this basic data has not been questioned by the supreme court.

"This does not junk all the valuation work done under the act," Chairman Lewis of the commission said today. "So far as I can see, the decision entails very little disturbance to that body of data. The inventories of railroad property are being perpetuated and can be used as a foundation for finding total figures by any method or theory of law. The only thing that it does disturb is the O'Fallon theory as set up for the purpose of recapturing excess earnings of this particular railroad."

"We are just now beginning the work of bringing valuation up to date and the basic work in that is not disturbed," Lewis said. "We have been waiting for the decision in this case before proceeding with other recapture cases."

It is now the commission's purpose to go forward immediately with its work of enforcing the recapture clause of the law, estimating railroad liability, however, under the supreme court's O'Fallon ruling.

CORVALLIS—Installation of underground telephone cable on Monroe street completed.

# VICTOR CONCERT ON MAY 24 OVER BIG AIR HOOKUP

Millions of people in every part of the United States will hear the big Victor concert of May 24th. Twenty great Victor stars will be on the air, every number will be a red-hot hit and every type of music and entertainment will be offered. These artists have always been available through the Victor records but now they will be heard on the radio.

The Victor Talking Machine company has leased 36 of the largest stations in the United States for an hour and a half Friday evening, May 24th, 6:30 to 8 p. m., Pacific time. Stations KOA, Denver; KPO, San Francisco; KFI, Los Angeles; KGW, Portland; KOMO, Seattle; KHQ, Spokane; will furnish the Pacific coast this gigantic concert.

Such stars as Gene Austin, Jesse Crawford, Mischa Elman, Hilda Lashanska, Frank Crumit, The Revelers, George Olson, Nat Shilkret and the Victor Symphony orchestra will be heard in the Victor review.

Every number will be recorded on records and it will be possible to have the same concert later on the Victrola.

The Victor company is anxious to know just how well the program pleases, and requests listeners to write the Palmer Music House and give criticism.

More of these programs will no doubt be given this summer. With the powerful new broadcasting stations, electric radios and Victor concerts in the summer months, radio has reached a greater usefulness for the entire calendar year.

# "Speakeasy" Now at Hunt's Craterian

Just as the Fox Movietone production, "In Old Arizona," brought the "wide open spaces" to the screen with such startlingly real effects, so will the latest all-dialectic Fox Movietone spectacle, "Speakeasy," bring the life of the city to the screen.

There is no doubt but that the pictureization of this theme will set a new mark of perfection in the production of talking pictures. There is no subject so enthralling, so full of drama, pathos and humor as the city. There is no method of reproducing those qualities in a manner so realistic as Fox Movietone.

"Speakeasy," now at Hunt's Craterian, is held entirely in New York City, and Benjamin Stoloff, director, with his company of actors and technicians spent several months in New York filming the exact locations described in the story.

In "Speakeasy" one sees and hears the inner workings of that class of people generally referred to as "the underworld." One sees and hears them as they are, shorn of all the theatrical "pooh-bah" that in the past has characterized the gangster.

White spots on furniture may be removed by rubbing them rather briskly with a bit of alcohol. The spots are then rubbed with furniture polish.

# 30,000-MILE CRUISE OF GOODRICH SILVER FLEET GIVES THE PILOTS A LESSON IN HISTORY



At Mobile the Silver Fleet was entertained at a lawn party at the historic Bragg Mansion, formerly the home of General Bragg, one of the most brilliant of the Confederate military leaders in the Civil War. The historic old mansion, one of the finest examples of colonial architecture in the South, is but one of the interesting sights encountered by the Fleet in the first stages of the 30,000-mile tour of the United States.

The Fleet left New York January 25, taking a course down the Atlantic Coast, circling Florida and then turning west towards Los Angeles. Fourteen passenger cars and a truck are in the Fleet, which is making a demonstration of tire cars. The cars are equipped with Goodrich Silvertown tires, and all other rubber in the cars, including fan belts, running board pads, etc., are manufactured by the Goodrich Company.

This remarkable fleet arrived in Medford at 3:45 p. m. today and will remain all night at Lewis Super Service Station, local dealers, where everyone is invited to call and inspect them.

# COMMENCEMENT IN JACKSONVILLE THURSDAY NIGHT

JACKSONVILLE, Ore., May 22.—(Special)—The ninth annual commencement of the Jacksonville high school will be held Thursday evening, May 23. The program follows:

Invocation, Rev. S. H. Jones; vocal solo, Mrs. John R. Knight; Salutory, "Knowledge, Power and Honor," Miss Minnie Huener; class prophecy, John Cooke; class will, Dorothy Whitwood; valedictory, "To Be Rather Than to Seem," Miss Clara May; piano solo, Mrs. Milton E. Coe; address, "Qualities That Make for Success," Irving Vining.

Prizing of awards; presentation of diplomas. The four students graduating are Minnie Huener, Clara May, Dorothy Whitwood and John Cooke.

Emil Britt and sister Miss Mollie Britt and John Miller made a trip to Roseburg Sunday.

Miss Wilma Sheley spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sheley at Central Point.

Rev. Elmer MacVicker delivered the benediction sermon Sunday to the high school class of 1929. The fine sermon was very much appreciated by all present. The floral decorations for the occasion deserved special mention, with Miss Virginia Fick as chairman of the decorating committee.

Lynn Rumley spent Sunday at his home in Jacksonville. Mr. Rumley is employed by the Forest Protective association at Klamath Falls.

Oliver Dewa of Klamath Falls and Mrs. T. A. Dewa visited Mr. Dewa's niece, Mrs. William Lewis, beyond Central Point Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Simpson and son Don from San Fernando, Calif. spent the week-end visiting at the G. O. Sanden home. They left Tuesday by auto for the central part of North Dakota where they have an interest in a large ranch. Preston Card accompanied them and expects to spend the summer there. They went the northern route and will visit at Spokane and other points on the way.

Mrs. Amy Richardson from Myrtle Creek was a visitor of Mrs. Barney Cody Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Richardson are attending the I. O. O. F. convention in Medford, Mr. Richardson being a delegate from Myrtle Creek. The Richardsons were neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur when they all lived at Myrtle Creek.

Mrs. Rittings from Applegate was in our city Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Sanden and family were luncheon guests Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. Sanden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Vial at Phoenix.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boyer, newlyweds from Ashland, are making their home in Jacksonville for a time.

S. K. Oyle left Tuesday morning for Klamath Falls where he will resume his work for the Forest Protective association.

Oliver Dewa from Klamath Falls spent the week end at the home of Mrs. T. A. Dewa here. He is attending the I. O. O. F. convention in Medford.

Veteran Editor Dead. NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 21.—(AP)—Walter Cain, 66, veteran newspaperman and editor emeritus of the Nashville Banner, died at his home here last night.

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# KLAMATH HERALD LAUDS CRAWFORD, REGRETS LEAVING

The following editorial which appeared in a recent issue of the Klamath Daily Herald indicates the attitude of the Klamath section in regard to the loss of P. O. Crawford, head of the Copeco organization, who leaves soon to take the presidency of a large utility in the east.

Sorry to Lose Mr. Crawford. The announcement appearing today from head of the Byllesby organization stating that Perry Crawford, general manager of the California Oregon Power company, is to be transferred to Chicago, where he has been chosen president of a new institution, will be received with considerable regret by the people of southern Oregon.

Mr. Crawford and his excellent family, belong to this section. They fit into the general scheme of life of the southern Oregon country, and the hope existed that they would remain here permanently. His connection with the company did not detract from his constant endeavor to assist in every worth while undertaking in this territory. Possessed of exceptional energy, Mr. Crawford always placed his untiring effort to the support of those who are working constantly to build this wonderful empire. His new assignment is one of promotion and advancement, and in this his friends rejoice because it is recognition of his ability. We say to Mr. and Mrs. Crawford, now that they are leaving to make their home in Chicago, the old southern Oregon country will miss them, and when opportunity permits, to return occasionally on a visit, the hospitality of a loyal people will be demonstrated by the "latchstring hanging on the outer side of the door."

# BELLVIEW P. T. A. NAMES OFFICERS FOR NEXT TERM

(Special)—The last meeting of the Bellview Parent Teachers was held at the school house on Friday evening at 8 o'clock with Mrs. Ralph Clapp, president of the organization, present.

A short business session was held, at which time officers for the ensuing year were elected, as follows: President, Mrs. Oscar Martain; vice-president, Mrs. Bertha McKinney; secretary, A. L. Peachey; treasurer, Mrs. Willis Byrd.

The camp cooking club and the home cooking club had some of their choice cooking on display during the evening, which was sampled at the close of the meeting.

Mrs. Ralph Clapp presented Mrs. McKinney and Mrs. Reeder, teachers of the school, with a beautiful cake. Mrs. Reeder's cake was topped with beautiful decorations and 8 candles which represented the number of years she has been teacher of the primary department. Mrs. McKinney's cake was also decorated and held three candles.

Neva and Pauline Byrd demonstrated the making of sandwiches and Llewellyn Peachey exhibited his camp reflector and showed the process by which camp bread was cooked.

The boys' and girls' club members gave the club yells, pledges sang their club songs.

Louise Martain gave a piano selection. Wayne Harris played a piece on his harmonica. Mildred Martain gave a piano selection. Mrs. W. L. Moore and Molly Holmes played a piano duet.

Thelma Lyman also favored with a piano selection. This marked also the closing of the Bellview school year.

Seven pupils in Mrs. McKinney's room took the 8th grade examination and will know in a short time whether they passed their examination successfully.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Peachey, parents of Mrs. Edwin Dunn, left Sunday for the Applegate district, where they will again take charge of a lookout station. The Peachey's have spent their summer at this same lookout for the past 10 years.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Tucker, Mrs. Claire Scott and son, Stephen, Mr. and Mrs. S. Patton, enjoyed a picnic dinner on the lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark True on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus King were dinner guests on Sunday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Barron of Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cook and daughter, Emma of Ashland, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Barnes at their home in Bellview on Sunday.

Miss C. A. Whittingham, sister of Mrs. Arthur Tepper, arrived on Sunday from New York. Miss Whittingham will visit the Teppers a few days before going to her home on Morton street, which she recently purchased.

Among the Bellview ladies who took advantage of the home study tour on Friday were Mrs. Wade Wallis, Mrs. C. A. Brown, Mrs. L. D. Meservey, Mrs. W. G. Tucker, Mrs. Fred Homes, Mrs. A. C. Joy, Mrs. J. Gyger and Mrs. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Renton, who recently erected a service station and restaurant, served their first meal on Sunday.

Mrs. Yaster spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cole of Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Halbert, who recently sold their service station on the Green Spring mountain, have purchased the Sands place on the Pacific highway in Bellview.

Mrs. James Boyd of Ashland was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Merryman on Sunday.

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day, May 22, to decide when they will advertise their \$16,000 bonds, recently voted for the erection of a new school building. An extra teacher will also be hired for the ensuing year, as with the new school building three rooms will be used instead of two as has been the custom. The third annual senior sport games was held on Friday night at the Upper Valley Community club house, with the Normal faculty and Humboldt State college debate and basketball teams as honor guests.

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Leading medical authorities are emphatic in stating that over-emphasis on slimness frequently results in permanent injury to the tissues. This is especially true with women and young girls.

"What is a normal weight for one person is an abnormal weight for another," one famous authority stated recently. "The proper weight for anyone is that at which he or she is most capable and productive."

The reduction of fat in the tissues, brought about by foolish dieting, increases the danger of numerous diseases. It lowers the vitality and general well-being of the individual to a point which may be lastingly harmful.

One mistaken idea connected with, which is being rapidly corrected, is that sugar is largely to blame for overweight. Intelligent use of sugar as a flavoring for making almost all other foods more enjoyable is one of the most necessary steps in arranging a healthful balanced diet.

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