

SUSPEND RATE REDUCTION TO FLORIDA AREA

WASHINGTON, May 15.—(AP)—A series of transcontinental freight rate revisions applying to and from Florida territory south of Jacksonville on the one hand, and Pacific coast points on the other, which railroads proposed to make effective tomorrow, was suspended today by the interstate commerce commission until December 16.

An inquiry will be conducted during the suspension.

Practically all of the rate changes proposed would have resulted in increases on traffic.

Railroads participating in the trans-continental movement described, proposed by the new schedules to abolish the commodity and combination through rates from the Pacific coast to Florida territory, leaving the sum of intermediate rates as the legal charge to apply on such shipments.

By the order today the present schedules will be kept in force until further notice.

SITE ARGUMENTS ON RADIO TONIGHT

Proponents of the Army site for the new Jackson county court house will be heard this evening over station KMED from 8 to 8:30, and those backing the Washington school site will speak from 8:30 to 9 o'clock.

Arguments will be given concerning the sites, the suitability, and desirability of one over the other.

WILLAMETTE DEFEATS PUGET COLLEGE, 18-0

SALEM, Ore., May 15.—(AP)—Willamette University defeated the College of Puget Sound baseball team here yesterday afternoon, 18 to 0. The Loggers used three pitchers in an effort to stop the Bearcat sluggers. Cardinal and Peterson drove out home-runs for the winners.

Score:	R. H. E.
Willamette	18 12 4
Pettibond, Plummer, Spadafora and Baker; Wilson and Cardinal.	

Glenna Finalist

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ARMY AVIATORS RESCUED FROM HAWAIIAN SEAS

HONOLULU, May 15.—(AP)—Staff Sergeant Joe Becker, stationed at Luke field, near here, lost his life in the forced landing of an army bombing plane in the ocean channel the islands of Maui and Hawaii yesterday.

Ten other men of the army and navy air services were saved by other planes and surface vessels.

The ten rescued by army and navy planes and by surface vessels were member of an army bombing plane forced down yesterday upon the ocean between the island of Maui and Hawaii and of two army amphibian planes and one navy seaplane which flew to their aid.

Twelve men were reported to have been the total number carried by the four planes. Whether the one unaccounted for lost his life was not immediately known.

The ten rescued fliers arrived at Honolulu early today on the inter-island steamer Waialeale after being transferred from the rescue steamer Hawaii.

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for the courthouse Wednesday distributed handbills in the rural districts, making a house-to-house canvass.

It is estimated that with fair weather, a 33 per cent vote will be cast in this county, with a registration of 15,422 votes. Rain and showers will cut down the percentage. A heavy vote on the courthouse questions will be polled in this city, Ashland, Jacksonville, Central Point and Gold Hill.

The polls will be open from 8 o'clock in the morning until 8 at night.

Double boards will be established in practically all of the large precincts to speed up the counting.

The Mail Tribune will broadcast the election returns, state and county, over station KMED, beginning about 8 o'clock. Bulletins will also be read and posted at this office on North Fir street. Update returns will be furnished over the leased wire of the Associated Press.

Polling places outside of Medford for the primary tomorrow are:

- Ashland, Boulevard, Public Library.
- Ashland, East Central, City hall.
- Ashland, West Central, McCarty Bldg., Main and Granite.
- Ashland, Oak, Whittle Transfer.
- North Ashland, J. O. Riggs Paint Shop.
- Ashland, East, Fourth St., Engine Room.
- Ashland, Southeast, 356 Avery Arant Residence.

championship today but her young compatriot, Helen Hicks, was eliminated.

Miss Collett found a worthy rival in the person of Hilda Compton of Scotland, but won a hard-fought and close match, one up.

Miss Hicks, however, never could get going against Enid Wilson, 16-year-old British player, and was eliminated by the convincing margin of five up and four to play.

Miss Wilson and Miss Collett were to clash in the semi-finals this afternoon in what is expected to be the deciding match of the championship. The survivor was expected to have a comparatively easy time of it with the finalist from the lower half of the draw.

EUREKA, Cal., May 15.—(AP)—Mrs. Eunice Pardee King, wife of Clarence L. King, charged with murdering Minnie McCoy near here Feb. 20, arrived today from Corvallis, Ore., to be with her husband during the murder trial which opens May 26. A jury list numbering 125 names was drawn in superior court today.

Ashland, Northwest, Junior High School.

Ashland, West, Valley View School.

Antioch, Antioch School House.

Applegate, Community Hall.

Barron, Nell Creek School.

Bellview, Bellview School House.

Butte Falls, Town Hall.

Central Point, North, G. E. Fox Building.

Central Point, South, City Hall.

Clatsop, Kershaw Ranch House.

Derby, School House.

Deter, Summit Ranch.

Eagle Point, Town Hall.

Florence Rock, School House, Prospect.

Frost, Creek, Riverside Store.

Griffin Hill, Hulbert Building.

Griffin Creek, Griffin Creek School House.

Howard, Howard School.

Jacksonville, North, Cratt House.

Jacksonville, South, City Hall.

Mound, Agate School House.

Orchard Home, Luke's Residence.

Berrydale, Oak Grove School House.

Phoenix, East, Clyde Hall.

Phoenix, West, Woodman Hall.

Pinehurst, DeCarlow's Store.

Rogue River, Sam Mathis' Store.

Roxy Ann, Chanticleer Service Station.

Sams Valley, Wilhite Hall.

Sterling, School House.

Talent, East, City Hall.

Talent, West, High School.

Trail, E. A. Ash's Hall.

Union, Buch Hall.

Watkins, Ed Finley's Residence.

Willow Springs, Willow Springs School House.

Wimer, Store.

MONROE, Wash., May 15.—(AP)—A cordon of guards from the state reformatory here were maintaining a vigilant watch today over a patch of dense brush about a mile from the reformatory hills, confident that they had cut off the escape of two prisoners who with seven others made a daring dash for freedom through a temporary breach in the outer wall late yesterday. The other seven were captured within an hour after their break for liberty.

which sounded much like a very sharp explosion he knew that a tree had been struck and riding quickly ahead came upon the incipient fire, which he extinguished with his emergency tool equipment—such as all forestry men carry when in the forest.

Although the most of the forest lookouts will not be assigned to duty until June 15, two lookouts will go on duty the first of next week, according to present plans—one in the Applegate section and the other in the Dead Indian district.

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Amber Harvey, well known local artist, are members of the cast. Hector Fox, who recently came to this city from Portland, where he played a prominent part in amateur theatricals, will make his debut in Medford on this occasion.

Special features of the show will be the dance numbers presented by two former members of the Panchon and Marco troop, LaNore DeLara and Douglas Fox. The curtain will rise on the prologue of the comedy at 8:30 p. m.

Luncheon Tomorrow.

The luncheon at Lathia Springs hotel, Ashland, tomorrow noon, will be the first important social affair of the convention. Miss Marion McClench, president of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's clubs, will stop in that city en route to Medford, and be greeted by Mrs. Jacques Lonnax and Mrs. Winnie Weisbar of the local club, who will accompany her to the luncheon.

At the close of the luncheon, which will be attended by members of all clubs who make the scenic drive to Ashland tomorrow morning, the party will motor to Medford.

Miss McClench will deliver her main address at the National Federation banquet at Hotel Medford tomorrow evening.

Registration of delegates and visitors will start at an early hour at convention headquarters, Hotel Medford, under the leadership of Mrs. Beiva Alken, registration chairman. Leading club sessions will be held in the Elks' temple.

APPLEGATE SCENE OF FIRST FOREST BLAZE OF SEASON

The first forest fire of the year in the Applegate section is reported by the Crater National forest office as having occurred last Monday afternoon near the new housing being struck by lightning, owing to the fact that Norman White, assistant supervisor of the forest happened to be in the vicinity at the time, he was able to extinguish the blaze after it had burned over a plot of grass and brush around the tree, 50 square feet in extent.

Mr. White who was in that section on official business was riding along on horseback about 4:29 p. m. when he heard a distant rumble of thunder and heard a sharp crash as the lightning struck the tree a half mile away.

A peculiar fact about this lightning bolt is that although Mr. White was looking straight ahead in the direction of the fire he saw no flash of the lightning. However, when the sharp crash came,

STORY 3 (Continued from Page 1)

1. That Laura Alming, E. E. Kelly's sister, owns property across the street and directly adjacent to his proposed courthouse site, and that Mrs. Ed Trowbridge owns Lot 1 and the south half of Lot 2 in Block 9, which is the proposed Army site. This lot and a half would have to be purchased by the city if the Army site was selected. These two estimable ladies circulated the petition that placed this Army site on the ballot.

2. That the title to the Army site lots now claimed by the city are tax titles, and no County Court now or hereafter will erect an expensive courthouse on a tax title foundation.

3. That the prevailing winds during the summer months are from the northwest and for 50 years we hope (for the sawmills mean much to us) fine cinders and sawdust ashes would sift through the windows, the crevices and even the keyholes of the courthouse, covering tables, desks and chairs and soiling the records, files, maps, plates, etc.

4. That this Army site is in a semi-industrial district, just across Central avenue one block from the Southern Pacific railroad tracks, where the snorting and clanging trains are passing and the voice of the obstreperous switch engine pierces the murky atmosphere, and where the heavily loaded lumber and fruit trucks go pounding by on Central avenue. (Ask the county officials who were housed for several months in the Army if these are not facts.)

5. That the maps and costs of the six principal courthouse sites submitted to the County Court by the City Council show that the Washington school site would cost less than any of the other five.

6. That the Washington school site is entirely out of the zone of parking restrictions and the investigations of the County Court show that there is a larger present and potential parking area immediately adjacent to the Washington school than there is at any of the other sites submitted. Furthermore, the Washington school site, after all buildings were erected as planned by the County Court, would have ample grounds to park the machines of all the county officials and their employees.

7. The lives of children who attend the Washington school, located as it is on the corner of Main and Oakdale, are constantly menaced by passing automobiles. The Washington school building is old and unsanitary and whether we acquire it for a courthouse site or not, it will shortly be abandoned and put on the market and sold for other than school purposes. And in spite of what these technical ad-

CONVICTS ESCAPE WASHINGTON PEN

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DRY AGENTS WILL STAND TRIAL FOR POSSESSING RUM

PORTLAND, Ore., May 15.—(AP) Although W. K. Newell, assistant district prohibition administrator, issued a statement saying Earl Moon of Ashland and Frank Grant had been working as federal prohibition agents out of his office, the deputy city attorney said today the two agents would be given a trial Tuesday on charges of possessing liquor.

Moon and Grant were arrested a week ago by city police with another man who Newell said the agents had been trailing. Police said Moon and Grant had in their possession some liquor and ridiculed Newell's statement that Moon and Grant were "working on a big case."

Bobby Is Banker

ATLANTA, Ga.—(AP)—A banker of these parts will be engaged in combat with John Bull, Bobby Jones, captain of the Walker cup team, has been elected a director of the First National.

Sentinel Saves Son of King By Prompt Action

HELEGRADE, Jugoslavia, May 15.—(AP)—Prompt action today of a sentinel outside the king's summer palace saved the life of his second son, Tomislav.

The sentinel on duty below the nursery window saw the child playing on the balcony, climb to the rail and fall. He dropped his rifle and dashed forward just in time to catch the infant in his arms.

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