

HOLDING COMPANY PAINTED BLACK BY THOMAS FINDINGS

PORTLAND, Dec. 15.—(AP)—The conclusion that the Pacific Northwest Public Service company of Portland was "exploited and despoiled" through what he described as a series of fraudulent and unlawful transactions by its Chicago parent and holding company system, was announced here last night by Charles M. Thomas, state public utilities commissioner, following an investigation of the case.

Attorney-General I. H. VanWinkle was given a copy of the findings "for such action as you may wish to take." Thomas said thousands of Oregon residents were deprived of their life savings through "a practical, ruthless campaign for the marketing of questionable securities, shot through with reprehensible practices, misrepresentation and deceit."

VAN HOEVENBURG WINS CRASH SUIT

Decision in the suit of Ivan Nealon vs. H. VanHoevenburg, tried in federal court at the October term here, was announced today by Federal Judge James Alger Fee in favor of VanHoevenburg.

SEEK REMOVAL ALL LIQUOR BARS

SALEM, Dec. 15.—(AP)—A preliminary copy of an initiative petition was filed in the state department here today seeking repeal of the existing laws prohibiting the manufacture of sale of intoxicating liquor within the state and making importations illegal. Repeal of these laws would wipe out all prohibition enforcement statutes in the state.

THIRTEENTH VOYAGE AROUND WORLD LUCKY

CHARLESTON, S. C.—(AP)—The number "13" holds no fears for Julius Brittlebank, Charleston globe trotter. He has returned to his home here after completing his thirteenth world tour and says it was the cheapest, quickest and most comfortable journey of them all.

Metz Takes Lead In Pasadena Open

PASADENA, Cal., Dec. 15.—(AP)—Dick Metz, 23-year-old professional of San Antonio, Texas, jumped into the lead in the first round of the \$4,000 Pasadena open golf tourney today by clipping par by three strokes, finishing with 34-34-68.

3000 TURKEYS TO PETALUMA TRADE

Herbert Meusel of the Rogue River Meat company announced today that an order had been received by the company for a shipment of 3000 turkeys to Petaluma, Calif. Birds were being bought up today, Mr. Meusel said, and shipments will start Sunday.

Concerning the turkey market, a bulletin issued by the U. S. department of agriculture, the Federal-State Market News Service, states that in San Francisco there is no activity. "Movement is very light, and trade appears reluctant to take hold. Prices on both here and some range from 14 to 16 cents."

Enright Taken To Portland Hospital

T. J. Enright, local attorney, left by motor last evening for Portland, where he will undergo a medical examination. Attorney Enright, who has not been well for some time, be-

came seriously ill a few days ago and was last night taken to a northern hospital. He was accompanied by Mrs. Enright.

PENDLETON ENJOYS LIGHT SNOW COVER

PENDLETON, Dec. 15.—(AP)—The promised weather break arrived last night with a light skiff of snow and a minimum temperature of 8 degrees above zero. Today was cloudy and more snow seemed in prospect. Ranchers would like more snow covering for their wheat, but are not yet sure whether fall seeding has been ruined by the extreme cold.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—(AP)—Joseph Rinella, 30, pal of "Machine Gun Jack" McGurn, was killed by 20 machine gun bullets today in a roadhouse he operated northwest of Chicago. Police said they believed trouble over liquor or gambling concessions was responsible.

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