

BUS CONCERNS JOIN HANDS TO PUT UP FIGHT

Speed War of Railroads Induces Companies to Merge

DENVER, Colo., May 7. (UP)—Three of the country's large motor bus transportation companies have consolidated, presumably to fight off the competitive effects of the railroad speed war.

With the railroads offering faster service, airplane flights, special vacation trains, and eliminating extra fares in efforts to capture each other's business, and to recapture the revenues lost during the last several years to bus lines, Yelloway, Inc., The Pickwick Lines, and the Greyhound Lines have formed a \$12,000,000 combine.

Yelloway, the first company to establish transcontinental bus service, loses its identity in the merger. In the middle west the new company will be known as Pickwick-Greyhound Lines, in the east as the Greyhound Lines, on the Pacific Coast as the Pickwick Lines.

The Pennsylvania and Great Northern railroads are stockholders in the new company, which will offer three optional routes to the Pacific Coast. One is by the way of the Santa Fe trail, in New Mexico; one by the way of the Arrowhead trail through Las Vegas, Nev.; and one direct through Reno to San Francisco.

CHAMBER FOR C. N. EXTENSION

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The board a short time later. The chamber of commerce mailed out 317 ballots last Tuesday afternoon. Seventy-eight were not returned.

The vote of the chamber follows a series of railroad meetings held before the chamber of commerce forum luncheons at which the proposed extensions were discussed pro and con. Among the speakers were Harry Adams, president of the Western Pacific, Paul Shoup, president of the Southern Pacific, and L. C. Gilman, vice-president of the Great Northern.

Following the announcement of the result, R. C. Groesbeck, president of the chamber of commerce, instructed the railroad committee of the chamber to proceed with the work of preparing evidence to present before the I. C. C. hearing on behalf of the Great Northern and Western Pacific railroads.

STATE IS FOR NEW RAILROAD

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during the past seven years because of limited railroad transportation.

"The proposed construction of the Great Northern extension," the petition states, "will afford to the Pacific coast area a competitive service which will encourage development and eventually result in benefit, not only to communities, the shippers and the applicant, but to the carrier now enjoying a monopoly on this north and south Pacific traffic."

The petition continues to argue that in case of war, another direct north and south rail line would be of untold advantage.

The Southern Pacific company has filed an answer with the Interstate Commerce Commission objecting to the proposed extension. It was alleged in the answer that the territory to be tapped by the Great Northern extension is already adequately served.

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HOGS WILL RECEIVE MARKS OF TATTOO
WASHINGTON, May 7. (AP)—The art of tattooing hereafter will not be confined to its very human devotees.

The department of agriculture has announced that it "is particularly valuable in identifying the ownership of hogs in mixed shipments."

The department is so convinced of the value of such marking methods that it has published a circular describing the instruments of tattooing and discussing its "numerous possible applications."

"A tattoo mark," the department officials said, "is as permanent as the skin itself."

Spouse Beats Up Woman to Keep Husband

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 7. (UP)—Nursing her swollen and bandaged face at her home here yesterday, Mrs. Thelma Hugo, handsome 26-year old wife of William E. Hugo, theatre pianist and radio entertainer, told of the manner in which she "avenge" herself against a girl she described as a rival for her husband's affections.

Mrs. Mercedes Hanks, 20, with whom Mrs. Hugo struggled Sunday in a music studio adjoining that of her husband, was in a hospital where it was said she suffered from possible fracture of the skull. Miss Hanks denied any association with Hugo, who also contradicted his wife's charges and attributed her actions to "extreme jealousy for which there was no reason."

Mrs. Hugo was charged with disturbing the peace and assault with intent to kill and Miss Hanks was booked as suspected of attack with intent to kill.

"I know there are a lot of husbands cheating on their wives," Mrs. Hugo said today. "If this scares them so much that they stop what they're doing, I'm satisfied."

CONCERN URGES RETAIL PROFIT OF FOUR CENTS

SAN FRANCISCO, May 7. (AP)—The Richfield Oil company yesterday asked all its retail dealers to subscribe to an agreement whereby the retailers would be guaranteed a margin of 4 cents a gallon profit under all competitive conditions.

Under the proposal, the Richfield company would fix wholesale prices of gasoline to permit its dealers to meet any prevailing competitive retail prices and still have a 4 cent operating margin.

The proposal, signed by C. M. Fuller, president of the Richfield company, expressed the hope that such a course would result in the stabilization of gasoline prices throughout the industry in California.

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RASKOB PLANS ORGANIZATION TO HELP NEEDY

Calvin Coolidge and Al Smith May Be Directors

NEW YORK, May 7. (UP)—The proposed organization of a corporation of unlimited capital which would have as its object the investment and making of money for persons of limited resources was discussed here today by John J. Raskob, chairman of the democratic national committee and former financial genius of General Motors.

The corporation still is in process of formation and may not become a fact for several months. It will be headed by Raskob, who originated the idea, and it was reported that ex-president Coolidge and ex-governor Al Smith might become directors.

The plan would combine the best features of an investment trust and an insurance company, and would function with the definite purpose of making American workers independent in old age.

Investors in the corporation could buy its shares on the installment plan if they desired, according to Raskob's plans. The corporation in turn would invest the client's money in common stocks from which profits would be realized.

CHAMBER INVITED TO ATTEND ANNUAL BANQUET

An invitation to attend the annual banquet of the Medford chamber of commerce, Thursday evening at Elks Temple in Medford, was accepted by the local chamber of commerce at the noon luncheon of directors today.

Several members of the chamber of commerce plan to attend the annual dinner, scheduled for 6:30 o'clock Thursday night.

Earl C. Reynolds, executive secretary, plans to attend.

NAUTICAL TOUCH

A white flat crepe blouse, of the tuck-in variety, has navy blue touches in much the manner of a sailor blouse. Its collar is cut with blue, and stripes of blue adorn the sleeves.

Most Popular



Dorothy Robinson of Spokane was adjudged the most popular co-ed at Washington State college. And just for that, she resigned as queen at the annual junior prom.

WHEAT PRICES DROP SUDDENLY

WINNIPEG, May 7. (AP)—Proposed grain rate reductions by United States railway lines threw the wheat market here today in a turmoil. May wheat dropped 5 3/4 to \$1.14, July fell back 6 7/8 to \$1.13 and October 7 1/8 to \$1.13 1/2. These figures are all new lows for the season. Slumps at Chicago and Liverpool were also recorded and the Winnipeg market quickly fell in line with drastic declines.

SEEK ARCTIC COLONY

MOSCOW, May 7. (AP)—An expedition is shortly to set forth to look for a lost colony in the frozen interior of northeast Siberia. Recently a man named Aronov arrived here with a tale of a Russian tribe living in the interior of Siberia whose life and thought had not progressed beyond the sixteenth century. It is thought that this tribe is composed of descendants of the Russian Revolution who fled to escape political persecution.

NEW FIGHT ON CANCER WAGED

SAN DIEGO, Cal., May 7. (A. P.)—The medical profession's fight against cancer today is being waged on an entirely different front than yesterday. Dr. William J. Mayo, famous surgeon of the Rochester, Minn., clinic and guest speaker at the 58th annual convention of the California Medical Association conducted yesterday.

"The old trend of investigation," Dr. Mayo said, "was aimed at the cause of cancer. Although this has not been entirely abandoned, a totally different side is being taken up. The investigation is through deductive logic."

"The old theory was that the 90 per cent of people who do not have cancer didn't come in contact with the disease and that the 10 per cent did."

"We are not so sure of that now. The burden of the proof shows that the 90 per cent were better protected by natural resistance."

It is the building up of this resistance, rather than attempting alone to find the cause of cancer, that physicians are working on now, he said.

"All evidence shows that persons vary in susceptibility to cancer as they do to tuberculosis. The new trend is to try, by bio-chemical examinations, to raise the resistance against cancer."

Approximately 1500 delegates are in attendance at the convention, which is to last four days. Many Arizona physicians and surgeons are attending as special guests.

Dr. William H. Kiger, of Los Angeles, president, spoke at the morning session on "Public health education as the outstanding need of the hour." He said that in the United States last year there were 34,000 cases of smallpox—more than any other nation of the world, except India. This record he attributed to laxity in enforcement of preventive measures, such as vaccination. Dr. Kiger also deplored the use of the radio by capitalists to solicit public patronage and advocated state control of the situation.

The smart new sports outfits move their decorative stripes from the sweater to the skirt. A plain yellow jumper and cardigan top a yellow skirt with deep border of yellow, orange and dark brown stripes.

Severe Quakes Will Continue Claims Expert

PAENZA, Italy, May 7. (UP)—Violent earthquakes such as have been felt in South America, Europe and Persia during the last two weeks will continue the rest of this week at least, Prof. Rafael Bendandi, quoted seismograph expert, predicted today.

Discussing the quake which was reported to have taken possibly 2,000 lives in Persia last week Bendandi said the activity would be renewed Tuesday night. He forecasted in a statement to the United Press more than a week ago, the quakes felt in South America and Europe last week.

"According to my forecast," Bendandi said, "The quakes moved from Europe towards Persia where they caused heavy damage. The seismic storm has not abated and new violent earthquakes will occur in America, Europe and Asia."

The great seismic storm will start tomorrow and Wednesday, when shocks will be recorded in observatories. These will be followed by minor repetitions on Thursday, May 9, and stronger tremors will be felt Saturday.

"The regions which will be affected are the Central Andes range in South America and southern Europe, not far from Italy. The Balkan Peninsula also will feel the quakes."

ASCENSION DAY TO BE MARKED AT ST. PAUL'S

Ascension Day will be celebrated at St. Paul's Episcopal church, Thursday afternoon, promptly at 2:30 o'clock.

The service is for women only, at which Bishop W. P. Hemington will preside and speak. Women of the city are cordially invited to attend the service whether they are members of the Episcopal church or not. Ascension Day is celebrated

with a movable feast to commemorate Christ's ascension into heaven, celebrated on the Thursday which falls on, or follows, the fortieth day after Easter.

NOTED TWO-GUN MAN DIES IN OKLAHOMA
ARDMORE, Okla., May 7. (UP)—Buck Garrett, 53, the last of Oklahoma's two-gun peace officers and a prominent figure in the murder trial of Jake Hamon, died at his home here. He had been confined to his bed with paralysis for six weeks—a period of inactivity contrasting with his life of man-hunting.

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An Appreciation

TO MY MANY FRIENDS IN KLAMATH FALLS WHO AGAIN DEMONSTRATED by their presence in our Pelican Theatre on Saturday, Sunday and Monday their interest in and approval of the magic achievement of the present day, the talking screen, I wish to express my appreciation and gratitude.

IT IS AN IMMENSE SATISFACTION TO US TO KNOW THAT WE CAN NOW give Klamath Falls everything that San Francisco or Portland can offer in entertainment, and in a theatre that ranks second to none in these cities. We have heretofore been able to take this position in our musical offerings to you; as you all know it has been a matter of real pride with us to know that Mr. Borel and his musicians and our organist, Mr. Rex Stratton, have few equals on the Pacific Coast. We are now in the same position in every form of entertainment.

WE WISH TO ANNOUNCE THAT BEGINNING WITH THURSDAY, MAY 9th, every program in the Pelican Theatre will be all or in part talking pictures. We will present practically the whole show on "the living screen," blending drama, comedy, spectacle, music and dance into a symphony of action and diversity.

"THE CANARY MURDER CASE," OUR PRESENTATION WHICH OPENS NEXT Thursday, is 100 PER CENT TALKING. This famous detective story, which, as a novel, swept the country, is even more enjoyable as a talking picture. The story moves, swiftly, surely, logically from the finding of the body of the slain "Canary" in her apartment throughout the mystifying details of the murder to the discovery of the perpetrator of the crime. The work of William Powell as Philo Vance, the detective, is nothing short of marvelous; you will be entranced by the speaking voice.

AS A SHOWMAN, I AM CRITICAL OF PICTURES; BUT WHEN I SAW "THE CANARY MURDER CASE" in San Francisco I said, "If this picture thrills Klamath Falls as it did me, I will be more than satisfied."

H. W. POOLE