

IN THE NAME OF JUSTICE

Recently the Supreme Court of the State of Washington rendered an epochal decision.

Washington and Oregon passed a law a year or two ago whereby the state utility regulatory commissions were empowered to assess against utility companies the costs of investigations for rate-making purposes.

Now the Supreme Court has decided, in a biting decision, that the act is unconstitutional. The decision pointed out that the act made it possible for regulatory authorities to initiate and conduct one investigation after another against a utility company "until" a particular utility is destroyed.

This decision is important because it is in the interest of justice, of the American spirit of fair play. Rate-making investigations initiated by the state, are primarily designed to benefit consumers.

During the past year, there have been a number of decisions, by state and federal courts alike, of exceptional importance. These decisions have affirmed and reaffirmed American principles and constitutional rights.

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

In about a month, Fire Prevention Week will be observed again. Starting on October 6, the week will run through the 12th.

The week is usually inaugurated by Presidential proclamation. Governors of states and mayors of cities follow suit. Fire marshals, fire departments, insurance organizations and other public and private groups cooperate in seeking to spread the ABC's of fire prevention and control to the general public.

To learn this, the citizen will have to contribute a little of his time. He will have to look at exhibits, read editorials, news reports and pamphlets.

In return for this small expenditure of time, he will receive knowledge that may be the means of saving his property from destruction and his loved ones from violent and horrible deaths.

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Taxes Methodist In Confab At Dallas

Dallas, Texas, Sept. 21—Visiting dignitaries of the Afro-American Methodist church who attended the Sunday School Congress at Waco, Texas, this week gave endorsement to the Texas Centennial Exposition which opens here next June.

The fact that the Exposition will feature a Negro Building and that several special days have been set aside for Negro participation caused their favorable comment at the Waco meeting.

"The Texas Centennial will have a full representation from all parts of my district," said Bishop M. H. Davis of Baltimore whose authority extends over Washington, D. C., Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South America and the West Indies.

Others endorsing the Texas Centennial Exposition and stating that they would visit the big Texas show include Professor John R. Hawkins of Washington, D. C., Secretary and Treasurer, Department of Finance; L. L. Berry of New York, Secretary of Missions; Dr. S. S. Morris of Nashville, Secretary of the Allen League of the Young Peoples Department; Professor L. B. Kinchion of Belton, Texas, Supreme Vice Chancellor of the Knights of Pythias; Professor A. S. Jackson, President of Paul Quinn College and Commissioner of Education of the A. M. E. Church.

STRANGLING INITIATIVE

Will Rogers, by his native ability and thrift, left an estate valued at between two and one-half and five million dollars. It has been announced that state and federal inheritance taxes will claim some \$650,000 if the estate totals two and one-half million, or \$1,716,000 if the estate totals five millions.

Proposals to "soak the rich" through new and greater inheritance taxes, which Mr. Roger's family escaped, would go far toward destroying the savings of his lifetime.

On the savings and wealth-destroying path we are traveling, there is less and less incentive for American citizens to exercise there is less and less incentive for in the past on projects which create employment and prosperity.

FREE MAGIC INCENSE

Have money and love magic. Send your name and address and receive the mystic incense free. Just write Keystone Lab., Memphis, Tenn.

TIRED, ACHING, SWOLLEN FEET

Moone's Emerald Oil Guaranteed to Stop All Pain and Swelling and Banish Offensive Odors

In just one minute after an application of Emerald Oil you'll get the surprise of your life. Your tired, tender, smarting, burning feet will literally jump for joy.

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Advertisement for Butter-Nut Coffee Family products including Butter-Nut Coffee, Pancake Flour, Pure Vanilla, and Spices. Includes an image of the product tins and a coupon for a free sample.

A "HIDDEN" CAUSE OF ACCIDENTS

The more traffic experts study the accident toll, the more they become convinced that there is an important "hidden" cause of many automobile accidents—This lurking agent of death and injury is carbon monoxide poisoning.

Carbon monoxide develops when any fuel—coal, wood, gasoline, or illuminating gas—does not burn properly or completely. It cannot be seen, smelled or tasted. Its only warnings are headache and drowsiness.

Statistics show, according to the National Bureau of Casualty and Surety Underwriters, that carbon monoxide from auto exhaust gases is the direct cause given in at least 700 deaths annually. No one knows nor can guess how many lives are lost indirectly through its influence.

All motorists are familiar with the headache and lassitude which often come upon them while driving. These signs, coupled with the odors of exhaust fumes in a moving vehicle, are final warnings that carbon monoxide is present in lethal quantities.

Housholders should also consider that carbon monoxide poisoning is a possibility whenever fuel is burned in the home. Coal, gas, stove, furnace and oil burner companies can give advice on precautions that will afford safety from this invisible death.

Advertisement for '7700 SECRET OF DREAMS' featuring a coupon for a free trial of a dream interpretation service.

GROWS HAIR

Let Your Mirror Prove The Results. Your hair need not be short, scraggly, kinky nor need it be dried out, faded and lifeless. For there is a way to overcome this poor condition that destroys the natural beauty of the hair.

Coupon for a free trial of hair growth treatment from Lou Fay Company.

SOMEBODY ELSE'S WHITE ELEPHANT

At the twenty-fifth annual session of the Oregon Reclamation Congress, complaint was made that more automobiles than farms are owned by Oregon farmers—that only 35% of the farms in the state have electricity—that there was insufficient electrical pumping and irrigation for farm prosperity.

Practical farm electrification is a good thing and has been proceeding at a normal rate in Oregon as the high average of 35% farm electrification proves. But anyone acquainted with Oregon farming, for which irrigation and pumping are probably as little needed as in any state in the

Advertisement for 'COULD NOT DO HER HOUSEWORK' featuring a testimonial from Mrs. Charles L. Cadmus of Trenton, New Jersey, and a coupon for a free trial of a cleaning product.

Advertisement for 'FREE LUCK BAG' featuring a coupon for a free trial of a good luck charm.

union, will not be surprised if Oregon farmers also decide that they would rather have an automobile in which to go to town, or which enables them to enjoy the mountains, the coast, the streams and the lakes, then they would a lot of unnecessary electrical equipment.

How to Get Rid of GRAY HAIR Look Years Younger

When you can change your gray, faded, or streaked hair to its natural youthful soft color in less than half an hour—

Go to any Beaton Drug Store today and choose the shade you need—you'll be a happy woman if you do—for a long time to come.

Large advertisement for Godefroy's L'arieuse hair coloring, featuring a couple's portrait and a testimonial about the product's effectiveness.

Advertisement for 'LOOK! BIG MONEY FOR YOU!' featuring a man with money and a coupon for a free trial of a money-making service.

Large advertisement for 'COMPLIMENTS OF OMAHA BUSINESS FIRMS' listing various local businesses and their addresses, including Alamito Dairy, John W. Yeager, Arthur C. Thomson, Kemp Service Co., Dixie Club, Mike Colton, Thull Pharmacy, Friedman's Shoe Store, Chas. 'Mojo' Essex, J.P. Crouse & Son, J.P. Crouse & Son, and Roberts Milk.