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News or . e Railroads and of Railroad Men

SAYS RAHLEDADS ARE VIOLATING THE LAWS

The following letter was read to members of both houses of the state duties as operator at Halsey. legislature, petitioning for an investigation of corporations that are running the railroads of the state:

A LETTER OR COMMUNICATION COMPANY TO THE STATE LEGISLATURE VIOLATING THE STATE LAWS AND CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES Y THEB COR-PORATIONS THAT ARE RUN-NING THE RAILROADS FOR THE STATE OF NEBRASKA.

The railroads belong to the state week. and the corporations that were sreated by the state are running the railroads for the state, as agents. And they are allowed to tax and collect their pay from the persons that use the railroads, under the rules and laws of this state, based on the constitution of the United States, on equal terms and without discrimina-

The corporations that are running the railroads for this state, as agents are charging persons for traveling on said state roads 2 4-10 and 3 cents per mile, which is in direct violation ness. It is understood he will not of the rules and laws of this state, be able to report for work for some and the constitution of the United time.

Therefore, I ask that the state legislature appoint a committeee to been enjoying a visit with his parents investigate the corporations that are at Omaha, the past week running the railroads for the state, as agents, and that they require the board of directors of said corporations to appear before them to show day. cause why the state should not take over the corporations that are running the railroads in direct violation of the laws of the state and the constitution of the United States. Respectfully submitted,

L. H. LAWTON. Palisade, Nebr.

BURLINGTON COMPANY IS AFTER THE CASH.

made leases which they should not have made and now wish to recover ture the money which they thus lost is the substance of two suits filed by the Chicago Burlington and Quincy Rail-

The Chicago Burlington & Quincy Railway company, it is declared, while leasing the railroad company's lines on October 5, 1903, gave the Duff Grain company of Nebraska City, a lease on certain premises there for twenty-five years for a consideration of \$5. The leasing company, it is further declared, on Feb. 27, 1917, gave the Dierks Lumber company of Lincoln a lease on property in Lincoln in consideration of \$5. the leacse to terminate within one year of notification by the railroad.

The railway company is declared to have turned back the railroad to the railroad company July 1, 1907. The railroad company points out that both in Dierks and Duff leases were not legal at all and that the firms should pay for the advantages which the railroad granted them. It is admitted that the railroad granted the leases in order to gain advantage over competitors in obtaining business; that special freight rates were granted the leasing firms altho the interstate commerce commission later ruled that a railroad cannot charge any shipper rates below the published tariffs.

The Burlington wants the Duff lease which was to run for twentyfive years, terminated and the Duff company forced to pay \$645, which sum, it is declared represents a just rental for the land at \$50 a year, up to October 5, 1916. It asks judgment against the Dierks company for \$5,548.34 with interest at 7 per cent from May 29,1916, when the Dierks lease was terminaeted upon proper notice. It is declared that \$650 was a just rental for the land used by the week. Dierks company

MIRACLE_THAT THERE ARE NOT MORE ACCCIDENTS

Several railroad accidents have occurred on the Burlington the past week, two being on the Sheridan division. Old railroad heads say that it is almost a miracle that accidents are not more frequent as the company is compelled to hire many new and inexperienced men to help handle the heavy business they are now emjoying - Edgement Enterprise.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

J. A. Holliett, round house foreman has been enjoying a vacation on a homestead in Wyoming. During his absence R. E. Driscoll has been acting foreman.

C. F. Triplett who has been on a two months vacation most of the

agent at Crawford.

weeks vacation, has returned to his

E. V. Arnold was at Omaha the last of the week on business for the

E. Person, foreman, has been enjoying a short vacation the past week which he spent at Dunning,

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hoag, who spent a week at Omaha, returned last

R. E. Spencer, engineer, has been off duty on account of illness.

E. N. Thomas, conductor, arrived is now working out of here.

C. H. Fleming has been transferred from Bingham to Marsland and is now station agent at the last

A. J. Hill, fireman, has been off duty for some time on account of ill-

F. B. Campbell, conductor, has

J. E. Johnson, trainmaster, home from Iowa. He returned Fri-

C. L. Whitman, engineer, has been

J. G. Davis has been transferred

F. W. Koch is now station agent

W. P. Wagner has resigned as That Burlington railroad interests agent at Seneca. He will make his traffic, which was pushing its way to

E. Bronson, fireman, was at Grand Island a part of last week where his road company in federal court in Lin- presence was desired in court as wit-

> L. M. Davis, Crawford operator. was off duty several days on account of illness but returned to work last

H. E. Cochram has been transfered to Seneca where he is now a first trick operator. He has been acting eashier at Crawford.

S. E. Stewart, operator at Ellisworth, has been granted a thirty day layoff and is now visiting in Ohio.

W. B. Truitt, brakeman, has been off duty on account of illness.

NO TRAIN ON ACCOUNT OF THE SEVERE STORM

No train was run over the Belle Fourthe line of the Northwestern on Sunday, a week ago, on account of the severe storm

FINISHED Y. M. C. A.

Will Hennessy has finished the course in the telegraph school at the Y. M. C. A. , at Chadron and has been given a job with the Northwestern at Hay Springs. He is the first operator to be turned out of this school.

NEWSY RAILROAD NOTES FROM EDGEMONT EXPRESS

Car inspector Joe Cahill left Edgemont Thursday, Feb. 8, for a business trip to Evans, Colorado.

George Roof of the Edgemont rip track force was on the sick list last

Conductor H. G. Miles of the Alliance division has resigned from the Andy Anderson still remains on

the sick list much to the regret of his many friends.

Feb. 3 to take another medical treat-

Operator C. Biggerstaff who had been working at Crawford for a week returned to Edgement Feb. 5.

Robert Evans has been put back to work as conductor much to the satisfaction of his friends.

to Wymore, Neb., Feb. 2, by the serious illness of his mother.

Frank Miller was at Hot Springs time in California, has returned and Tuesday of last week. He spent the is now back on the job as station day there with his wife who is still

taking treatments there

Alex Richmond was at Hot Springs Sunday, Feb. 4, and spent the day there with his wife who is still in the hospital there.

Jake Kerns left Wednesday, Feb. 7, for Culbertson, Nebr., called there by the serious illness of his father who is 85 years old.

Carl Wens and wife went to New-C. T. Anderson, following a two cantle on Feb. 2, called there by the serious illness of Carl's mother. They returned home on Sunday as she was some better.

Car inspector foreman Hubert Hahe illness of his wife.

work in the passenger service between Edgemont and Billings, but who is now working for the North-orn Pacific in Montana, spent the week end in Edgemont with friends offer, send us this ad which is worth and relatives.

Bert Hansen of Sioux Falls, who is attending school at Vermillion, S. Friday morning from Ravenna. He Dak., was in Edgemont Monday and Is now working out of here.

Dak., was in Edgemont Monday and Tuesday, on business. Bert worked in the round house in Edgemont last summer and will make Edgemont his home as he has a homestead near Edgemont.

> D. Bush and family departed Wedesday for Wendover, Wyoming for visit after which they will go to freeley, Colorado where they expect to reside in the future. The best wishes of their many friends, espec-

NEW BURLINGTON BRIDGE IN USE AT KANSAS CITY

The Burlington's new bridge has which characterized the opening of state last summer. from Hoffland to Bingham, as station the original bridge, although of equal commercial importance.

A few of the old timers of the cenand western states recall the memorial day nearly fifty years ago when the old "Hannnibal" bridge was thrown open to the growing great undeveloped territory beyond the Missouri river. This bridge was the first to overcome the natural barrier formed by the great river. Trans Missouri traffic thus naturally gravitated to Kansas City which immediately became the principal outfitting point and supply center for the great southwest

The old bridge was projected as a part of the plans of the Hannibal & St. Joseph railroad to reach Kansas City. A branch line was constructed from Cameron, Mo., under the name of the Kansas City & Cameron railroad to a point opposite Kansas City on the Missouri river over which the old Hannibal bridge was built and afterwards opened concurrently with the railroad on July 3, 1869. These properties were later acquired by, and for many years have been operated as integral parts of the Burlington railroad.

The new structure is located near by and on the up stream side of the old bridge. Bed rock supported concrete piers carry the three double decked main spans over the stream. The lower deck supports a double track railroad. Urivisions are made fore putting more food into the stomon the upper deck for wagon traffic, ach TELEGRAPHY COURSE which on the old single track bridge was handled on the floored over railroad ties. Until recent years the old river communication from the east inative organs. and north to Kansas City

> During its half century period of active usefulness, the old Hannnibal bridge has carried thousands of settlers on their way to the land of opportunity, and after them their necessiteies of life, and then from them, the ever growing golden stream of products, which has brought wealth and independence to a new empire. And now, like the early pioneers that it carried, the old bridge after having served a long period of usefulness has given way to the natural and inevitable change which marks progress

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GUARDSMAN RETURNS TO FIND NEW SON AT HOME

John L. Ward, private in Company I, Fifth Nebraska regiment, which is now quartered at Fort Crook to be ally among the railroad men, go mustered out, is to be welcomed at his home in Ord by a prominent member of his family who did not tell him good-by when he left seven months ago. This member is a son, born December 21.

This "war baby" is Mr. and Mrs een opened for traffic across the Ward's fourth child. The lad's fath-Missouri river at Kansas City. The er has held temporarily every nonopening was conducted with consid- commissioned office in the regiment erable less ostentation than that but first sergeant, since he left the

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Just as soap and but water cleanse and freshen the skin, to hot water and limestone phosphate act on the elim-

Those who wake up with bad breath, coated tongue, nasty taste or have a dull, aching head, sallow complexion acid stomach; others who are subject to bilious attacks or constipation. should obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store. This will cost very little but is sufficient to demonstrate the value of inside bathing. Those who continue it each morning are assured of pro-nounced results, both in regard to health and appearance.

MAN FOUND UNCONSCIOUS DIED: IDENTITY UNKNOWN

An unidentified man, found unonse ous about 10:50 p. m. Saturday at Railroad evenue and Washcton streets, near the Union Pacifie tracks, Omaha, died at 11:30 p. m. Monday in the South Omaha hospital. He was found by Charles Windey of Twenty-second and Monroe streets. His left les was broken and his skull fractured. Apparently he had been struck by a train, or had been endeavoring to board a moving

He was a laborer, about 35, weighing about 185, and 5 feet 10 inches He had a black mustache and wore black clothes. On his tie clasp were initials, "J. E. F. F." On his hat band and ring were the initials, "P. S." On his handkerchief were the initials, "J. W."

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