

WANT BETTER MAIL SERVICE

Changes in Railroad Time Schedules Cause a Grievous Discrimination.

BUSINESS MEN UNITE IN A VIGOROUS KICK

As Canal Omaha Gets the Worst of It—Demand Made that the Burlington Meet the Northwestern in Fast Mail Time—Railway Doing.

Since the inauguration of the fast mail and express train on the Northwestern which leaves Chicago at 3 o'clock in the morning and arrives at Missouri Valley at 1:15 p. m., the business men of Omaha recognize that they are woefully getting left and a mighty protest has gone up.

Omaha someone has been playing second fiddle to the whole territory of Nebraska, so far as the arrangement of train service is concerned, and the business men of the metropolis, having been stirred up over the political situation, are now turning their attention to abuses which the railroads have from time immemorial heaped upon them.

ARGUING FOR A CUMULATIVE VOTE

Eugene Ware Making His Plea on Behalf of Santa Fe Directors.

TOPEKA, Oct. 31.—In the Santa Fe hearing before the United States district court, Eugene Ware, counsel for the district court, made his plea on behalf of the directors of the Santa Fe railway company, who are fighting for the right to a cumulative vote in the election of directors.

Robert Dunlap, representing the Santa Fe company, began the second argument in the defense yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. He devoted considerable time to an attack on the authorities cited by General Tracey, and contended that the law of 1859, which authorized the charter of the Santa Fe, was not intended to give the directors a cumulative vote.

General Tracey then arose to answer for the plaintiff. He said that up to this time counsel for the plaintiff had not intended to impair the charter of the company, and had not intended to refer to a law that existed at the time the charter was granted, but that it had been called up by opposing counsel.

Mr. Ware protested that the defense had not used this fact in argument, and it had only been referred to incidentally.

General Tracey insisted, however, the point had been opened for answer. He then claimed that when the Santa Fe charter was granted, there existed a law of 1855 which provided that all charters issued without limit should run for five years, and further, that they should be subject to repeal or modification by the state legislature.

More Burlington Changes. The Burlington, which has been in the county court for a number of days is at an end.

acceptable to the public. No. 3, the Denver, Deadwood, Hot Springs and Billings train, will leave at 1:30 p. m., instead of 4:55 p. m., arriving at Billings at the same hour, 9:45 p. m., of the following night. The train will arrive at Hot Springs at 10:10 a. m., and Deadwood at 11:30 a. m., and will arrive at all Black Hills points fifteen minutes. No. 11, which arrives from the east at 5:55 p. m., will, after the late mentioned, arrive at 6:05 p. m. From the west, No. 12, which heretofore arrived at 6:50 p. m., will arrive at 7:15 p. m., and instead of leaving at 7:02 p. m., will leave at 7:20 p. m., arriving in Chicago at the same hour, 2:15 p. m. No. 11, which has heretofore left at 6:50 p. m., will leave at 6:45 p. m.

STOCKHOLDERS VERY MUCH DISAPPOINTED WITH THE CONDITION OF AFFAIRS

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The long expected and much discussed meeting of the stockholders of the Grand Trunk railway of Canada has taken place and a large number of angry stockholders were present to make things lively. Sir Henry Tyler, president of the road, and the directors, as they appeared, were received with loud cheers from their supporters, and with equally strong manifestations of displeasure in the shape of groans and hisses from those who were displeased with their policy.

The business of the meeting began with a protest against the re-election of Lord Claude Hamilton as a director. Sir Henry Tyler answered this protest by saying the objection to Lord Claude Hamilton came too late. Referring to the affairs of the railway, the president said that they had met with a succession of disasters in Canada and in the United States. The serious business depression in the United States during the past two years, the question as to the currency of silver and the tariff question had delayed the meeting for several times. There was the coal strike, which was followed by the sympathy strike at the Pullman works and its serious consequences. The Grand Trunk suffered seriously in the delay of its traffic and from low rates, and especially on the Chicago division, which, under the circumstances, was now surprisingly bad. Continuing, President Tyler said that the board employed experts in Canada in order to examine the books, and his words were welcomed to make the fullest inquiry into the affairs of the company. The directors had nothing to conceal and welcomed the investigation, but the matter was too serious to admit of discussion among the stockholders, therefore he asked them to support the directors.

MORE TROUBLE FOR WESTERN LINES

Missouri, Kansas & Texas Puts Cheap Excursion Tickets on Sale.

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—More trouble has been created among the western lines by the action of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas. That line has announced excursions from its terminals at St. Louis, Omaha and St. Joseph, and has moreover tendered the reduced scale at which the excursions are to be run to the lines of the Central Traffic Association, as basing rates from eastern territory to points beyond St. Louis. In order to meet this action, the Missouri, Kansas & Texas, the Atchafalpa has declared that it will bring its rate up to Chicago and make it apply from there. This will leave the other lines in the Missouri, Kansas & Texas and the Chicago and North Western in a very tight place. The rate for the excursions which will be in effect on November 29 and December 18, will be one fare for the round trip, plus 25.

RECEIVERS ADVISED TO PAY INTEREST

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—In the United States circuit court today Judge Lacombe gave the receivers of the Chicago and North Western railway company a ruling which was cumulative vote a property right which cannot be taken away. In summarizing, Mr. Ware took this position: The charter of 1859 declares how the voting shall be done. The custom of the railroad for thirty years has become an unwritten law, the method of voting so granted and adopted had become a property right and cannot be impaired by legislation.

SNOW SHED ON THE UNION PACIFIC BURNED

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Oct. 31.—No. 8 snow shed, 300 feet long, on the Union Pacific at Sherman, Wyo., was burned at an early hour today. It is supposed the fire was started by a spark from a locomotive. All the wires are down. A special train with linemen and material has been sent out from here to repair the damage. It is expected that telegraphic communication will be restored by noon. All trains are held at Cheyenne for the present.

HAZZLETON PA. OCT. 31.—A notice was posted by the Lehigh Valley at Westport this morning informing the men that commencing tomorrow, November 1, a reduction of 20 per cent in their wages would be made. This is the third cut within a year at this shop.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC TRAIN EXHIBITED

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 31.—The Southern Pacific railway had an exhibition in front of the Sugar exchange its new vestibuled dining and sleeping car train that will run between New Orleans and San Francisco. The train will make the run in seventy-seven hours. J. O. Philippi has gone to Kansas City. T. K. Sudborough of the Pacific Express went to Chicago yesterday.

A. Goodnow, general superintendent of the Milwaukee, was in town yesterday. A meeting of Missouri river and Colorado lines has been called at Kansas City Friday to consider rates for the next meeting of the National Educational association, which will be held at Denver if rates are satisfactory.

Thomas M. Schumacher left yesterday for Salt Lake. From there he will go to Portland and will assume the duties of general agent of the freight department of the Union Pacific at San Francisco November 10. A number of the passengers on the train to see him off, among them Freight Traffic Manager Munroe.

To Helena and Butte. There's only one (best) route—the Burlington. Leave here at 4:50 this afternoon and you are in Helena or Butte a few minutes after 9:00 a. m., day after tomorrow.

Tickets and full information at 1324 Farnam street. M. J. DOWLING, City Passenger Agent.

Both Lost the Baby.

The legal fight for the possession of little Neva Brown, the daughter of Mollie Brown, which has been waged in the county court for a number of days is at an end.

pus. After hearing the testimony, which was of a highly sensational nature, Judge Baxter concluded that neither of the women were fit persons to rear a female child, and as a result the little one was given into the custody of Rev. John Williams, secretary of the Board of Christian Missions, the object of which is to find homes for deserted children.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Farces-comedy with numerous excellent specialties introduced is without any exception the most popular form of amusement theater-goers enjoy. "Oh! What a Night," in this, its revised version, is one of the most successful of this form of entertainment. It is described as being in three acts, and the first a smile, the second a laugh, and the third a roar. Although this comedy has been seen here several times, it is always new, for it is one of those comedies that can be changed at will, having nothing left but the title, which is, indeed, an appropriate one. It expresses the real idea of the whole performance—"Oh! What a Night." Mr. Charles A. Leder, the bright, peculiar star of this attraction, is a whole show in himself, not saying anything of the many other artists who will support the efforts of the Street theater next Sunday matinee and night, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday matinee and night.

The public seem to be heartily tired of the modern farces comedy, and again turned their patronage to "society drama," so called—plays whose component parts are high class comedy, pathos, well written dialogue and interesting dramatic situations, and whose characters are ladies and gentlemen of the present day. That the high class comedy drama is meeting with popular approval is proven by the attendance of an large crowd in the upper portion of the theater as in the dress circle. No attraction traveling has more reason to know that this is true than Edwin Milton Boyer's "Friends." Produced under the most discouraging auspices, it scored a hit at its first production, and to play or players ever received more brilliant criticism in the United States throughout the country than this original play. The criticism must have been honest, else the play could not have survived two dramatic seasons. "Friends" is now on its third annual tour and meeting with even greater success than its former ventures. When the play was last produced here we criticized it most favorably, and can only repeat now what we said then in its favor. "Friends" will play another engagement here November 2, 3 and 4, with the same strong cast that characterized its former presentation. There will be a special matinee Saturday, November 3. The hour of seats for the entire engagement will open at 9 o'clock this morning.

Oregon Kidney Tea cures all kidney troubles. Trial size, 25 cents. All druggists.

Fastest Train to Hot Springs and Deadwood. The F. E. & M. V. R. R. new time schedule is a drawing card. Note the time and greater success than its former ventures.

Leave Omaha 2:10 p. m. daily; arrive Hot Springs, 9:05 a. m.; Deadwood, 11 a. m. Wagner Palace Express, Missouri Valley to Deadwood. Free reclining chair cars Omaha to Deadwood.

Berth reserved and further information given at city ticket office, 1401 Farnam street. Depot, 15th and Webster streets. J. B. BUCHANAN, General Passenger Agent.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

D. C. McKee of Rapid City is at the Merchants.

Henry Keets, Spearfish, S. D., is at the Arcade.

W. B. Humphrey of Lincoln is at the Paxton.

John D. Hopkins, Buffalo, Wyo., is at the Arcade.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Johnson of Kearney are at the Paxton.

J. H. Williams and wife of Blair are at the Merchants.

Milo Burke, Big Horn basin, Wyo., is a Merchants guest.

Ned Carpenter and wife of Caspar, Wyo., are at the Arcade.

J. J. McIntosh and H. F. Etcha of Sidney were in Omaha yesterday.

Charles H. Edwards of Iron Mountain, Wyo., is a Merchants guest.

A. A. Piper of Alma and H. M. Bushnell of Lincoln are at the Millard.

J. Davis and H. Dickinson, Soudance, Wyo., are guests at the Arcade.

Mrs. F. R. Crocker and Mrs. D. J. Thayer, Chariton, Ia., are at the Paxton.

W. W. Andron, G. B. Wilson, J. B. White and A. M. Lathrop, all of Lincoln, D. are at the Arcade, having come to South Omaha with stock.

Nebraska at the Hotels.

At the Dellone—J. A. Thomas, Oakland; F. Currie, Whiteside; W. Paul, Lincoln; W. R. Moore, Clark; D. W. Fisher, Lincoln; J. E. Jenkins, Schuyler.

At the Millard—W. P. Flaherty, DeWitt; J. G. Pollock, Columbus; W. W. Roper, Pawnee City; J. B. Swinburne and Miss Swinburne, Marrs; M. Stanley, Aurora; W. H. Barstow, Crete; R. B. Claypool, Oregon; Edward Updike and wife, Harwood.

At the Arcade—A. E. Kerns, Burr; O. E. Hall, E. F. Brackett, Pawnee City; Ed Thompson, Ottumwa; R. W. Smith, Lincoln; W. E. Jones, E. P. Mickel, Lincoln; V. W. Hahn and wife, DeWitt; J. W. Curay, Alexander, Nebr.; W. H. Love, E. A. Hunt, Tekamah.

At the Merchants—G. M. Mullins, Papiilon; W. O. Ludlow, J. Rowley, Lincoln; C. Campbell, York; M. C. Lindsay, North Platte; M. N. Conner, Kearney; R. H. Hight, Lincoln; E. R. Sadler, Wayne; C. M. Hight, Lincoln; E. H. Galbraith, Albion; H. Carnahan, Ogallala; J. H. Wilson, Papiilon.

SHEKERY SHOOT ON SHEKELS

Iowa Rival with Plenty of Money Promised Him Trouble for a Time.

BUT THE SYRIAN MAIDEN LOVED HIM

Papa Abian's Wishes and Joseph Kalafey's Gold Spurred by the Girl Who Loved Her Peddler Knight—Stormy Wedding and Happy Wedding.

The proverb that the course of true love never does run smooth was again proved true Tuesday. There was a romance of the first magnitude and trouble in the Syrian district which required the intervention of the burly copper on that beat.

Abian Abian is one of the foremost men among the Syrians who reside about his residence at Twelfth and Pierce streets. He is a peddler and has climbed so many rounds of the ladder of success that he is able to pay several hired hands to assist him in rolling up his pile. About four years ago Shekery Dep decided to try his hand, or rather voice, in the peddler business and signed with Abian. At that time Abian had a buxom daughter, Boby, who was 14 years old.

Boby was already making her mark as a belle in the Syrian society and when Shekery cast his eyes upon her the well springs of his soul opened and great streams of love and passion flowed forth. He stated his case to the old man and the latter incorporated in his contract with Shekery a clause which provided that Shekery should have his bride in marriage in the course of time.

Shekery lived in the United States for about four years. He had given Abian an engagement ring of gold and a half dozen beautiful dresses, but the matter was not settled. Shekery had a great admiration for Boby and he thought he had a sure catch on his lady love.

But his dreams of bliss were rudely shattered a short time ago by the arrival of a countryman, Joseph Kalafey, on the stage. Joseph came from Fort Dodge, Ia., and with him he brought \$3,000 of the coin of the realm. He saw Boby and was conquered. Boby's father saw Joseph's gold and he was conquered. Abian immediately began to look over his books and he discovered that he did not have \$3,000, and he vowed that Shekery should never have Boby and that Joseph would be the lucky man.

Up to this time Boby had not said a word, because she was in love with Shekery and things were coming her way. But she would not marry Shekery and she would not marry anyone. Abian was just as set in the other way, and as a consequence, the peace of the household was shattered and there was no peace left.

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Blinded His Lawyer.

Some days ago George and Walter Stilling were arrested for operating a game of chance in conducting the co-operative suit club company in Omaha. Several persons claimed that they had paid in \$38, and that no suits were forthcoming.

ing. They went to trial on the 29th, and were defended by Attorney B. N. Robertson. At the request of Robertson the case was continued until yesterday, the attorney signing a \$500 bond for the appearance of his clients. The Stillings, so it is stated, have skipped out, leaving their lawyer in the lurch.

Mrs. S. A. Kell of Pomona, Cal., had the bad luck to sprain her ankle. "I tried several liniments," she says, "but was not cured until I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm. That remedy cured me for I take pleasure in recommending it and testifying to its efficacy." This medicine is also of great value for rheumatism, lame back, pains in the chest, pleurisy and all deep-seated and muscular pains. For sale by druggists.

Hayden Brothers'. Thursday from 8 to 11 o'clock fine quality India silk, width 32 inches, 65c quality for 25c, cream, light blue, navy, pink, olive, rose, 3 yards will make a waist, 9 yards a dress.

Dress Patterns 87c. Thursday from 8 to 11 silk and wool novelty pattern dresses, whole pattern 87c, that cost \$3.50 to import. This is the greatest bargain of the year in any class of merchandise; full dress pattern silk and wool mixed novelty, 100 for 87c.

Dress goods, 12 1/2c. New lot of dress goods, stylish effects, 25c quality from 1 to 4 o'clock Thursday, 12 1/2c.

About 150 dozen bleached and silver bleached full 5-8 and 3-4 breakfast and dinner napkins, worth \$2.25 and \$2.50, tomorrow \$1.50.

Sample bed spreads. 63 samples white crochet and Marcellise bed spread in bright colors and muslin, bought by us at half value, we sell them the same way tomorrow.

Good dark color 20c; twilled cotton crash 2 1/2c; unbleached cotton flannel 2 1/2c; apron check gingham 2 1/2c; 15c and 20c dress satines 5c; 15c and 12c towels 4c; 1 L. muslin 4c.

Table Damask 76c. Full bleached satin damask 2 yards wide \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.35 and \$1.50 quality tomorrow 75c.

HAYDEN BROTHERS.

The Municipal League.

The one object of the League is "The Best Possible City Government for Omaha," and to secure this it knows no party or sect, and aims to unite those in sympathy with its object in the support of capable and honest men for the city offices.

To carry on this purpose the League has endorsed the following candidates after careful consideration of their fitness. For the CITY COUNCIL:

First Ward—S. I. Gordon, republican. Third Ward—J. R. Getty, republican (by petition).

Fourth Ward—Dr. James H. Peabody, democrat and populist; F. B. Kennard, republican (by petition).

Fifth Ward—Allen T. Rector, republican (by petition).

Sixth Ward—G. P. Deitz, republican (by petition).

Seventh Ward—N. H. Hicks, democrat. Eighth Ward—Cadet Taylor, republican; J. H. Schmidt, democrat.

SCHOOL BOARD. R. B. Kennedy, J. R. Mackay, C. B. Wilson, C. R. Gilmore, Rev. T. E. Cramblet, Jonathan Edwards, Mrs. Ella W. Peattie.

G. W. DOANE, President. GREGORY J. FOWLER, Secretary.

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The Burlington's Black Hills, Montana and Pueblo Sound Express, which leaves Omaha at 4:50 p. m. daily, is the fastest train, via the shortest line, to Helena, Butte, Spokane, Seattle and Tacoma.

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Shiverick's October Sale.

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O'COATS. More from force of habit than from any other cause, we speak of overcoats on a chilly and drizzling day. However, it might prove interesting to you. There are more buyers this year in search of bargains than ever known from the days of the Pilgrims down.

The Nebraska approves of this. Buy cheaply but be sure it is cheap. To know where to buy is an important item. Scan all newspapers, clip all miraculous incidents of purchasers or other wonderful tales of daring advantages required to secure a dozen or so overcoats, and of some ha'rbreath escapes some experienced while making a daring plunge of an offer for a whole manufacturer—some 17 overcoats in all.—Go by all means and investigate—examine prices and quality—a most eloquent salesman—will, no doubt, help you to get the best of the bargain.

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