Prospect for Combined Headquarters of Entire Union Pacific System.

GOOD RESULT OF THE CONSOLIDATION

Seemingly Well Authenticated Story is that Newly Acquired Central Pacific is to Be Directed from This City.

Omaha railroad circles are inclined to give oredence to the story sent out from Chicago that Omaha is to be the headquarters for the entire Union Pacific system. It now becomes evident that New York is the destination of President Charles M. Hays of the Southern Pacific, who passed through this city Wednesday evening, and that President Burt of the Union Pacific is waiting in New York for a conference

The reported advance of President Burt to the place of chairman of the board of the combined system is received with considerable enthusiasm here, though nobody will confirm the rumor. In that place he would control the affairs of the combination, succeeding in office E. H. Harriman, the principally interested party in the new

There is Reason for Believing.

But the additional report that the headquarters of the combination is to be in Omaha is strengthened by the recently an- out of Galesburg twenty-five minutes behind nounced intention of spending upward of the freight and the difference was the same \$1,000,000 in rebuilding the shops in this city and equipping them with all of the the latter had been delayed twenty-two latest improved machinery. In the same connection is the other rumor which has been floating around for some time and now to Oitumwa was three hours and forty-five comes from a semi-authoritative source that the Union Pacific will have new headquarters in this city. This rumor is strengthened by the others and is practically ac cepted as a fact. The absence from the city, however, of President Burt, Chief Engineer Berry and J. H. McConnell, superintendent of motive power and construction. prevents a confirmation of these reports. These men are in New York and these plans will be considered in the conference in progress. Other Roads Are Alert.

The other roads are watching the movements of the new combination very closely and talk of other deals is in the air. The current press dispatches claim that a combination of the Pennsylvania, the Milwaukee and the Northern Pacific is in progress of formation. That would give another transcontinental system. The Burlington has very close interests with the Pennsylvania and at the same time is rapidly opening up new fields in the west, the line already having reached Guernsey, Wyo. Speculation is rife as to the further route, for it is almost an accepted fact that the intention of the officials is to push the road on through to the coast. The through trains are now sent over the Central Pacific, which has come in on the Union Pacific combination.

The local officials of the roads concerned are not in a position to give out any news on any of the deals and say that everything is in the air yet.

#### UNION PACIFIC BOND ISSUE Southern Pacific Stock Purchase to Be Accomplished by Issuing \$40,000,000 Worth.

NEW YORK, Feb. 8 .- It was learned today on good authority that the Union Pacific company's purchase of Southern Pacific stock is to be financed by an issue of \$40,-000,000 of Union Pacific 4 per cent ten-year convertible gold bonds underwritten by Kubn, Loeb & Co. They can be converted at the option of the holder into the common stock of the railroad company at any time before May 1, 1906, and are redeemable on any interest day after that date at the p tion of the company at a premium of 21/2 per cent. The bonds will be offered to stockholders for subscription at par.

As chairman of the board of directors of the Union Pacific railroad E. H. Harriman has made public a letter addressed to Kuhn, Loeb & Co., in which he stated that the Union Pacific bonds are to bear interest from May, 1991, payable semi-annually, and are to form part of a total authorized issue of \$100,000,000 of bonds, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding 4 per cent. and not less than 3 per cent yearly. The honds will be secured by certain collateral in the company's treasury, as well as by a first mortgage on about 1,300 miles of road forming a part of the Union Pacific company's system not now mortgaged.

#### TAKING IN THE GRAND ISLAND Conference of Burlington Officials Said to Have that Object

in View. ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Feb. 8.-It is said upon good authority that the real object of approximately 100 manufacturers have anthe conference of Chicago, Burlington & Quincy head officials in St. Joseph during the last two days was to perfect plans for the absorption by that road of the St. Joseph & Grand Island. It has been known for several months that stock in the Grand Island was being bought up by the Burlington and the announcement that the road will pass under the control of the officials of the Burlington system is expected at an



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LOOKS BRIGHT FOR OMAHA early date. The Kansas City and Omaha branch of the Grand Island has been in the hands of the Burlington for nearly a year The conference was attended by General Manager Dupuy of the Grand Island.

Officials of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad in Chicago refuse to either cenfirm or deny the report telegraphed from t. Joseph, Mo., that plans were being per fected for the absorption of the St. Joseph & Grand Island road by the Burlington. The announcement to that effect, they say,

TO IMPROVE WESTERN SERVICE Burlington Officials Hold a Confer-

Colorado train service was the main topic officials in St. Joseph Thursday and the re-June I. G. W. Holdrege, general manager its railroad facilities Omaha reaches meeting, but nothing is being given out as city and the recent extensions of the Bur-

Proud of Its Run.

The Burlington officials are proud of a run, that was made the other day on the west Illinois and the east Iowa divisions. First, 77, one of the fast freights, left Galesburg at 4:10 and arrived in Burlington at 5:13, making the fast mail's till for the fortyseven miles. Train No. 5. e of the passengers running on a good schedule, came when the freight re\_ched Ottumwa, although minutes at Burlington and ten minutes in Mount Pleasant. The time from Galesburg minutes, while it usually takes freight trains six hours to come that distance.

Colorado Roads Not Wanted. NEW YORK, Feb. 8.-Reports from Denver to the effect that the interests now in control of the Union Pacific railroad are to acquire possession of the leading roads in Colorado could not be confirmed here today. One of the members of the Harriman syndicate said that to the best of his knowledge there is no effort on the part of the syndicate to absorb the Colorado roads.

Maitland, Coppel & Co., who control the Denver & Rio Grande line, said they knew nothing of the report that that company had acquired control or seeks control of the Rio Grande Western.

Railway Notes.

The Burlington will add a tourist car to its present service between Kansas City and San Francisco. The car is to be placed on train No. 15 Wednesday of each week, between Febraary 15 and May 1.

A new commutation rate has been established between Omaha and Fort Crook and South Omaha and Fort Crook. In the first instance ten rides with a thirty-day limit are sold for \$1.25 and the rate from South Omaha is 75 cents. The tickets are to be honored in the hands of the holder and the signature of the passenger is not necessary.

#### LESS THAN HALF RATES

Vin Omnhn & St. Louis R. R. On sale February 19 to Port Arthur Beaumont, San Antonio, Lake Charles Houston and Galveston, Tex. Call at city office, 1415 Farnam street (Paxton hote block), or write Harry E. Moores, C. P

and T. A., Omaha, Neb Announcements of the Theaters. "Old Jed Prouty," the great-hearted Yankee tavernkeeper of Buckston, Me., and his simple, honest neighbors, character creations of the talented Richard Golden. will be at Boyd's theater Sunday night to renew old acquaintances in Cmaha. There will be a special matinee Monday aftersoon and the engagement will close Monday night.

Sam'l Burns, 1318 Farnam. Reduction sale on everything now going on. St. Paul and Return \$10.65.

On February 18 and 19 the Illinois Central railroad will sell tickets to St. Paul at rate of \$10.65 for the round trip. The short line and only line from Omahi with buffet-library smoking car. Particulars at City Ticket Office, 1402 Farnam street, or address W. H. Brill, D. P. A.,

## **EXHIBITS TO BE NUMEROUS**

Nearly Everything in Factory Products Will Be Displayed at Auditorium Exposition.

The Omaha Auditorium company at the close of the coming industrial exposition will be the possessor of a large and varied stock of merchandise. Under the rules of the exhibition all articles displayed are to become the property of the company, and when the exhibition closes the managers will decide upon some method of disposing of the goods to raise the greatest amount of money for the auditorium. At this time nounced their intention of making displays of their products. Among the novel features California sends a consignment of antiseptic toothpicks. If pestiferous animais exist in Nebraska after the Auditerium company has closed its exhibition it will not be the fault of an Illinois com pany, which writes that it will display traps which are warranted to capture "coons" and all other "varmints" having the habit of preying upon chickens and products of

Nebraska farms. Really, there is nothing in the way of manufactured goods capable of being placed under the roof of a house which will not be shown in the exhibit. The auditorium committee is now considering the way in which they are to be disposed of. Some of the members of the organization favor an auction, others are inclined to believe that a drawing would bring in a greater amount of money, and some recommend that the goods be offered as premiums to the purchasers of auditorium stock.

## WOMAN'S HAT TO BLAME

Specimen Lends Arrest of Frank Delbridge.

Because Frank Delbridge carried woman's hat under his arm he is now in the hands of the United States authorities, charged with passing counterfeit money. Thursday night Delbridge, with two others, bought a lunch at Noland's restaurant, Sixteenth and Cass streets, paying for his refreshment with an alleged counterfeit

dollar. A few moments later Officer Renfrew found him carrying a woman's hat and because he could not give a satisfactory account of its possession arrested him. Noland, in reporting the receipt of the counterfeit to the police, stated that the man who passed it carried a woman's hat under his arm. He later identified Delbridge, who will be given a preliminary examination before Judge Auderson, United States commissioner today.

## SUNDGREN'S SHOP IS CLEAN

Farnam Street Baker Makes Peace with the Sanitary Officers.

Albert G. Sundgren, the baker at 2016 Farnam street, who has had trouble with he sanitary officers, has complied with the regulations and his shop has been pronounced in a sanitary condition by the Board of Health. The case brought against him by the sanitary officers was continued in police court Friday.

## REASONS FOR OMAHA MINT SMITES HIS HELPING HAND

ecretary of Commercial Club Points Out Why Money Ought to Be Man Who Warmed the Coined in This City. Snake.

The proposed establishment of a mint in Omaha came rather as a surprise to the members of the Commercial club, but when to get the worst of it. The distinction beit was talked over by them several good reasons for the location of such an institution in this city were found. J. E. Utt. secretary of the club, expressed the idea of a majority of the members when he said: While there is little reason to believe that the bill now pending in congress will

that at an early session of congress such a of discussion at a meeting of the Burlington bill will prevail. When you look at the matter it is seen that there are few towns ports from there indicate that there may in the United States where a mint could be be some radical changes in the service about placed with better results. By reason of of the Burlington & Missouri River lines in greater mining region than any other point Nebraska, was in attendance on the meet- in the country. Denver is nearer the ing. Others at the conference were: Vice mining region of Colorado, but has no in-President Harris and General Manager fluence on the mining country outside of Brown of Chicago and the superintendents that state. Omaha really handles a larger of the Iowa and Nebraska divisions of the portion of the wholesale trade of Colorado system. Mr. Holdrege is home from the than Denver. Wyoming is tributary to this lington bring the mining region of Montana right to our doors. The Black Hills country, since the day gold was discovered there, has depended upon this city for all of its great annoyance. Chamberlain's Cough supplies and two railroads are now carrying ore from there to this city.

"The reason that the Omaha smelter is one of the largest in the world is because of the situation of the city with reference to the mining districts of the country. A mint was established at San Francisco to coin into money the product of the California mines, but today Omaha draws precious metals from a larger and richer

territory than San Francisco ever reached. "In addition to its proximity to the mines, Omaha is the center of a rich agricultural country which every year requires millions of dollars for the handling of its crops. The location of the mint at Omaha would enable the farmers and merchants to reach the source of supply of money easier than at present and they would then be using the metal mined in the territory contiguous to Omaha.'

CAUSE OF FALLING HAIR. Dandruff, Which is a Germ Disease-

Kill the Germ. Falling hair is caused by dandruff, which a germ disease. The germ in burrowing into the root of the hair, where it destroys the vitality of the hair, causing the hair to fall out, digs up the cuticle in little scales, called dandruff or scurf. You can't stop the you can't cure the dandruff without killing the dandruff germ. "Destroy the cause, you remove the effect." Newbro's Herpicide is the only halr preparation that kills the dandruff germ. Herpicide is also a delightful hair dressing.

#### UNCOMMONLY LOW RATES

To California, Mentana and Puge Sound, via the Burlington. On February 12, 19 and 26 the Burlinton will sell tickets from Omaha at the follow-

ing low rates: San Francisco and Los Angeles, \$25. Ogden and Salt Lake City, \$23. Butte and Helena, \$23. Portland and Spokane, \$28. Tacoma and Seattle, \$28. Victoria and Vancouver, \$28. Greatly reduced rates to hundreds

other points, west and northwest. Tickets and information at 1502 Farnam are always cheaper here. street, and at Burlington station, Tenth and Mason streets.

Free Homes.

If you desire full information in regard to the Kiowa, Comanche, Apache, Wichita and Caddo reservations in the Indian Territory, which are soon to be opened for set tlement, send 50 cents for book with quarter-sectional illustrated map and full description of the lands to D. P. BROWN,

1323 Farnam St., Omaha, Neb.

Special Rates to Washington. Excursion tickets to Washington, D. will be sold via Pennsylvania Short Lines from Chicago March 1, 2 and 3, account inauguration. No change from Chicago to the national capital over this route. For tickets and sleeping car reservations address H. R. Dering, A. G. P. agent, 248 South Clark street, Chicago.

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"Charity suffereth long and is kind," but when you steal from charity you are liable tween such a theft and the ordinary run of larceny was brought out in police court yesterday when August Rolle was sentenced to spend thirty days in the city jail for the theft of a second-hand jacket from the store of the Associated Charities at 1810 St Mary's avenue. Rolle had called for assistbecome a law, there is every reason to hope ance and the attendant had given him a

pair of shoes. Rolle was arraigned Thursday and entered a plea of not guilty. The case was then continued until yesterday and witnesses were on hand, but Rolle changed his plea to guilty. Judge Learn did not pass over the matter lightly, but impressed upon Rolle the gravity of his offense in stealing from an institution which is doing so much good in the city. Because of this circumstance he made the sentence thirty days in fall and suggested that some work be mixed

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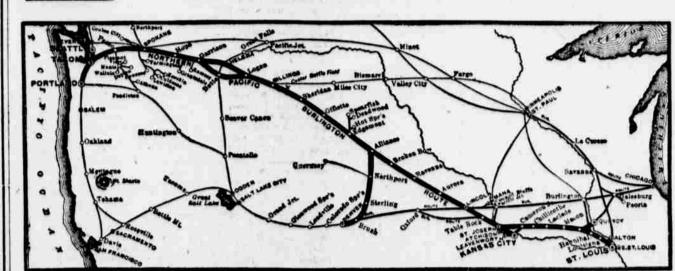
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