

PASSING OF NEWS BUTCHER

Alleged and Pastiferous Railway Character Goes Down in History.

WAY IS FOUND TO DO WITHOUT HIM

Management of the Burlington Route Make Other Arrangements for News Supply and Train Boys' Ship Sails Wednesday.

Beginning next Wednesday, August 1, the harsh, nasal twang of the newscaster will be heard no more on Burlington trains.

This idea is not new with this line, though the adoption has just been accomplished.

On investigation, however, the railroad company found itself enmeshed in a network of contracts connected with the business of the traveling news agencies and an immediate inauguration of the change was not feasible.

So now the newscaster nuisance will be excluded from the entire system, but in doing this the road has been careful not to deprive its patrons of an opportunity to secure the city newspapers at the earliest possible moment.

Another scheme will provide for supplying the morning papers at the earliest possible hour. Arrangements have been made with Omaha papers that they may be sent out on the western division of the Burlington.

The same thing will be done on the other branches. Out on the northern and Wyoming divisions toward Billings papers will meet the eastbound trains at Crawford.

At the places where these papers are put on board the trains they will be in the hands of the newscasters, who will be permitted to ride fifty miles or so while distributing them.

The Kansas City and Chicago line will have an extra arrangement of its own. Agents will be allowed to leave Kansas City at 7:30 in the morning and return on the Chicago train, arriving in Kansas City again at 4:40 the same night.

Along only a few sections of the road will newscasters be allowed to offer anything in the way of fruit or tobacco.

It is thought that this change will meet with high favor on the part of the traveling public. To anyone who has experienced the dull pain of being pestered by the insistence and the vocalizing of a newscaster the anticipation alone of such a relief is a happiness.

Former Omaha man injured. A. B. Roeder, Colorado wreck victim, is well known here.

A. B. Roeder, whose injury in a wreck of a Pullman street car in Rio Grande road near Marshall Pass in Colorado is reported in the press dispatches, is a brother of M. L. Roeder, who was formerly in the insurance business in this city.

First argument succeeds. Judge Estelle hears a plea and enters a blanket order of court.

When Judge Lee Estelle walked into the courtroom yesterday morning he had a box of cigars under his arm and an expansive smile under his judicial brow.

"Well," replied the judge, with an air of extreme satisfaction, "it's the kind you put on the bench when they get old enough."

Half-Sick. If you feel run down, are easily tired, if your nerves are weak and your blood is thin, then begin to take the good old standard family medicine, Ayer's Sarsaparilla. A splendid tonic.

POETRY IN MIDSUMMER

Harry P. Van Arsdale of the Union Pacific Sings a Song of the Polar Bear.

"Most anybody can write poetry in the gentle springtime, when all nature is in a budding, bursting mood and when melody literally springs from innumerable sources."

Writing poetry when the glare of an infuriated midsummer sun lies hot and yellow on the streets!

H. P. Van Arsdale of the Union Pacific headquarters is the man who hasn't yet sweltered to the extent of poetical exhaustion.

EDITOR HARVEY CHECKS OUT

His Departure from Valley and Fremont Attended by Peculiar Circumstances.

Dan Harvey, who was the editor and publisher of a newspaper at Valley for one short week, has gone to parts unknown and several merchants of Fremont are holding the sack.

OVERESTIMATES HIS SKILL

Former Expert Swimmer Undertakes to Give Exhibition and is Drowned in River.

Albert Zahrupsky tried to show his friends how he swam when he was a soldier in the old country and sank to the bottom of the Missouri.

Building Goes Right On

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Night Air Hideous

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Fears of Fire Fighters

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AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

City Government to Investigate Special Assessment Districts.

BONDS TO TAKE UP INDEBTEDNESS

Nobody Bids to Become Depository of City Money-Building Operations Continue Brisk-Prayers for Rain.

The city council will, at its next meeting, appoint a committee to investigate the number and description of the certain special assessment districts which have been held illegal by the district court and not appeal taken to the supreme court.

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Cool Retreats REACHED VIA THE Union Pacific. Lowest Rates Ever Made Now Placed in Effect Via This Line. Round Trip Rates Between Omaha and Denver \$15.00, Colorado Springs 15.00, Pueblo 15.00, Glenwood Springs 25.00, Ogden 30.00, Salt Lake City 30.00.

Burlington Route Suggestions for Summer Trips. 5. SALT LAKE CITY. The Mormon capital is one of the most interesting cities in America. Its great summer attraction is Saltair Beach, on Salt Lake-one of the GREAT bathing resorts of the world.

PAN-AMERICAN LIMITED TO CHICAGO VIA Great Rock Island Route. CHEAP EXCURSION RATES ALL SEASON. ONLY ONE NIGHT OUT TO BUFFALO, NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA. CITY TICKET OFFICE: 1323 FARNAM STREET.

FAST-DAY TRAIN DAILY via "Northwestern Line" Between Omaha and St. Paul and Minneapolis. Ticket Office - 1401-1403 FARNAM ST. DEPOT-UNION PASSENGER STATION.