

MEN IN BREWERY STRIKE

Employers of Fremont Beer Vaults Want More Money.

DEMAND RECOGNITION OF THE UNION

Manager Gumb Refuses Demands and Says the Plant Will Keep on Running—Omaha Workers Behind the Movement.

FREMONT, Neb., Aug. 31.—(Special.)—The men employed in the Fremont brewery, the engineer and the fireman excepted, went on strike this morning. A month ago a brewers' union was organized and this is claimed by the management to be reasonable for the strike, though the men say things have not been satisfactory for some time. Last night the men demanded of Manager Gumb an increase of wages from \$5 to \$7 a month, extra pay for overtime, no men to be discharged in slack times, but laid off in rotation and a recognition of the rights of the union in the taking in of new men.

Mr. Gumb said he had no authority to accede to their demands and gave them their pay to date, at the same time notifying them that all but four could go to work again this morning on the same rates of pay if they wished. The men said they would not go back. This morning four of them reported for duty, making six in the brewery proper and several new men were secured. The nine men in the bottling department did not strike.

The brewery was running as usual this afternoon and the management says it will be able to get new men in a day or two in case the old ones will not come back. The men claim to have the backing of the Omaha unions and say they will not go back until their demands are granted. The principal trouble is on wages. Manager Gumb is willing to pay the amount demanded to some of the men, but thinks some of the others can not earn it.

NIORRARA POWER CANAL

Engineer Koenig Gives Estimate of Survey—Says the Plan is Practicable.

NIORRARA, Neb., Aug. 31.—(Special.)—Engineer Koenig, who completed the survey of the Niobrara river at this point early this summer, has just submitted an exhaustive report to Secretary Fry of the Irrigation and Water Power company. In substance he estimates the cost of constructing a plant to deliver 1,200 net electrical horsepower, including dam and headgate complete, turbine installation, electrical installation, four bridges, flumes, culverts, spillways, 260,000 cubic yards of excavation, 100 acres right of way, buildings and incidentals, at \$125,000, or \$103.33 per horsepower, \$14,500 total cost of one horsepower per year. The cost of 3,000 net electrical horsepower, with canal nine feet in depth and fifty-two foot head, is estimated to cost, complete, \$185,000, or \$61.66 per horsepower, and operating expense of one horsepower per year to be \$10.75.

In his report the engineer says: "The topography along the route of the canal is very favorable to inexpensive construction. The route as surveyed and planned follows the tableland, where the possible damage to land holders is reduced to a minimum and the site selected for the power station offers every natural topographical advantage that could be desired for economical construction."

Flumes may be avoided entirely at a very small additional expense for permanent culverts and economy would suggest the construction of permanent structures on every portion of the plant except the dam, which on account of its extreme length would preferably be of cheaper and less permanent nature, so constructed that it may be easily repaired or partly renewed from time to time at comparatively small expense."

Tuesday of this week Prof. O. V. P. Stout of the State university and United States hydrographical engineer, was here to take measurements of the Niobrara river at the present time, which will be included in Engineer Koenig's supplemental report on this branch of the details. Capital is assured for the development of this power.

ON DESTRUCTION OF FORESTS

C. S. Harrison, President of Nebraska Association, Gives Scientists Report.

YORK, Neb., Aug. 31.—(To the Editor of The Bee.)—If a man wants to get his whole soul stirred within him and have his blood rise to boiling heat, let him attend a national forestry meeting and hear the story of wrong, carelessness, recklessness and greed which comes in from the north and west.

One of the most graphic descriptions and the most vivid word paintings was given by Prof. R. H. Forbes of Tucson, Ariz. He first gave an account of the mountains and valleys before they were touched with the blight of the white man.

The summits were crowned with forests, the surface of the mountain side was covered with grass and brush, and the valleys were filled with grass and plants whose mission was to retain the moisture. The

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STATE LIBRARY DEADLOCK

State Commission Fails to Elect Secretary of Traveling Branch.

IMPORTANT CASES IN SUPREME COURT

Standard Oil, Railroads and City of Omaha Figure in Fall Sittings—Forestry Association Concludes Session.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Aug. 31.—(Special.)—The Nebraska State Library Commission is in a deadlock over the election of a permanent secretary to manage the traveling library, for which an appropriation of \$4,000 was made by the last legislature. Miss Edna D. Bullock of Washington, D. C., a graduate of the University of Nebraska, is said to have mustered three of the five votes, but all efforts to make an election have failed because there has never been a full attendance at any meeting of the commission. There are about ten applicants for the position.

The permanent secretary will be paid a stipulated salary and the person who secures the appointment will be required to look after all details of the library and its circulation, as well as assist in its selection. The commission estimates that half of the appropriation will be needed to pay for the services and other current expenses, leaving \$2,000 for books and shipping cases. The books will be purchased immediately after the organization is completed.

Superintendent Fowler, who is a member of the commission, said today that the public will be asked to donate books for the library. Each traveling case will be made to hold about forty volumes of average size, and all individual contributions will be enough to fill a case will be named after the donor and kept separate from the books that are purchased.

Notable Cases in Supreme Court.

The call assigned for the first sitting of the supreme court for the fall term includes several cases of unusual public interest, namely, the cases of the state against the Standard Oil company and of the Argo Manufacturing company for violation of the anti-trust law; the state against the Missouri Pacific, Chicago and North Western and Union Pacific railroads, to recover penalties for violation of the maximum freight rate law, and Redell against Moores, arising from the discharge of Chief Redell of the Omaha fire department. The case of the state against the Grain Growers' Mutual Hall association is also named on the call, but it is understood that the action will be dismissed by general consent, the defendant having shown a disposition to confess judgment. In addition there are several important criminal cases and a long list of equity cases.

All told there are ninety-five cases on the call for consideration at the one sitting of the court. The court will meet September 17, and Clerk Herdman requests attorneys interested in the litigation to have all records, papers and briefs in their cases on file in his office not later than Monday, September 16. Following is a complete list of the cases, showing the order in which they will be taken up by the court: Peters, administrator, against Huff, Lancaster. Parker against Connell, Douglas. Gardner Accident Association against Pratt, Saline. South Omaha Water Works Company against Vozasek, Bladog, Lincoln. Buck against Hogeboom, Douglas. Close against Swanson, Burt. Dills against Kelly, Lincoln. Cully against Taylor, Sherman. Darrah against Juel, Nemaha. Langen against Shurt, Hall. Meyer & Raapke against Klabunde, Douglas. Kothler against Reed, Furnas. Adkins against Andrews, Custer. Home Insurance Company against Clark, Buffalo. Lincoln against Hamer, Buffalo. Pardee against Nelson, Gage. First National Bank, Wymore, against Murray, Gage. Marcellis Manufacturing Company against Perry, Clay. Doughty against Hubbell, Buffalo. Fourth National Bank, Cadiz, O., against Craig, Colfax. Coddington Savings Bank against Anderson, Harlan. Keeble, Lemon & Co. against Willy, Thayer. Farmers' and Merchants' Insurance Company against Ensey, Lancaster. Lincoln County against Clark, Lincoln. Nebraska City B. and L. Association against Clary, Otoe. Brown against Bartholomew, Douglas. Preston against Northwestern Cereal Company, Douglas. Williams against Turner, Lancaster. Collier against Gavin, Douglas. Chadron L. and B. Association against Simmons, Dawes. Chadron L. and B. Association against Hayes, Dawes. Meeker against Waldron, Cass. Leavitt against Bartholomew, Douglas. Morris against Winton, Douglas. Walsh against Walsh, Pawnee. Concordia Trust and Loan Company against Douglas County, Douglas. Goddard against Clarke, Douglas. Ferry Valley Mutual Life Insurance Company against Stiefen, Douglas. Fish against Clark, Douglas. Iowa Loan and Trust Company, against Whistler, Buffalo. Klingensfeld against Houghton, Dawes. Case against Elliott, Custer. McCord-Brady Company against Tessier, Clay. Lexington M. and E. Company against Dawson County, Dawson. Tre against Reichenburg, Douglas. Trenner against Reichenburg, Douglas. Holcombe against Dawson County, Dawson. State against Standard Oil Company, original. German National Bank against Beatrice National Bank, Gage. State against Missouri Pacific Railroad Company, original. State against Missouri Pacific Railroad Company, original. Connor against Becker, Douglas. State ex rel. Smyth, attorney general, against Argo Manufacturing Company, original. State ex rel. Smyth against Grain Growers' Mutual Hall Association, original. Dodge County against Dodge. Westinghouse Company against Tilden, York. In re Estate of Davidson against Davidson, Phelps. Strong against State, Buffalo. In re Thomson against Odey, Burt. Pisk against Osgood, Johnson. Reineck against State, Boone. Likens against State, Rock. Peterson against State, Phelps. Kerr against State, Phelps. State against Kuhlman, Nemaha. First National Bank of Hastings against Farmers' and Merchants' National Bank of Platte Center, Platte. West against State, Kearney. White against State, Boone. Redell against Moores, Douglas. The Nebraska Park and Forestry asso-

A NEW PLAN

New Plan of Selling Furniture

On September 1st we adopt a new plan of selling fine furniture, whereby our prices will be about 30 per-cent lower than the regular retail price.

Later on we will explain why and how we are able to sell goods at these prices. Our August sales were something wonderful, taking about half of our former stock. The new fall furniture is now being received and together with the goods remaining unsold from our August stock are being marked in PLAIN FIGURES under the NEW PLAN.

You are practically allowed to buy furniture at retail at WHOLESALE PRICES.

This store will be the store of PRICE. A complete stock of \$100,000 under the "new plan!"

Shiverick Furniture Co.

Catalogue to Out-of-Town Customers.

The following list will give an idea of the reduction under the "new plan!"

Table with columns for Brass Beds, Enamel Beds, Bedroom Furniture, Curtains, Book Cases, Morris Chairs, Folding Beds, Couches, Buffets, Desks, Rockers, Music Cabinets, Dining Tables, and Parlor Pieces. Each item has a 'Regular Price' and a 'New Price' listed.

Advertisement for Shiverick Furniture Co. featuring a large headline 'A NEW PLAN' and 'New Plan of Selling Furniture'. It details a 30% price reduction starting September 1st. The ad includes a list of furniture items with their regular and new prices, such as Brass Beds, Enamel Beds, and various types of furniture. It also features a testimonial from Miss Bartlett Davis, who claims her hair grew three feet longer after using Danderine.

Advertisement for Danderine hair tonic. The headline reads 'DANDERINE FREE THE MOST INVIGORATING HAIR TONIC IN THE WORLD. FREE'. It includes several testimonials from women, such as 'Miss Bartlett Davis, the sweet singer' and 'Miss Mary Densmore, 39 Delaware St., Chicago, Ill.', who claim to have grown their hair significantly longer. The ad also mentions 'Miss Madelle Crawford' and 'Mrs. De Bucky'. At the bottom, it states 'Miss Adams in Charge of Campaign' and provides information about the product's benefits and where to purchase it.