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Sale Begins Wednesday Morning

See Tuesday paper for full particulars.

PLAN NEW ROUTE FROM HERE

Great Western Wants to Handle Grain to the South.

TO USE THE WABASH TRACKS

May Enter into Wheelage Arrangement to Give Omaha Another Line Between This City and Kansas City.

The heavy movement of grain from Nebraska and Iowa to the south during the last few months has convinced the Great Western Railroad company of the necessity of securing a gulf port outlet for the business from Omaha and a traffic deal that is likely to be consummated within the next few weeks is being arranged. If the deal goes through the Great Western will have a direct line between Omaha and Kansas City, using the Wabash tracks from Omaha to Conception, Mo., where trains will get onto its own line.

The new move of the Great Western will give Omaha another through connection with Kansas City for both freight and passenger business. The Burlington's line between Omaha and Kansas City is 156 miles, the Missouri Pacific's 206 and the Great Western's will be 200 miles in length. The distance between here and Conception by the Wabash is 100 miles and from there to Kansas City 100 miles.

As outlined, the proposed arrangement between the Great Western and the Wabash provides for business on a wheelage basis. The new route will give the Great Western the shortest line between St. Paul and Minneapolis and Kansas City and will enable the road to get into the passenger hauling business. It is proposed to make this the main line between the two points and route all of the business through Omaha, with the understanding, however, that the Great Western will not do a local business between Council Bluffs and Conception.

With the Kansas City gateway open to the Great Western this road figures that it will get into the southern business good and hard and will be able to get its share of the thousands of cars going out of Omaha monthly and being taken to New Orleans and Galveston for export and to the cities and farming purposes south for milling and feeding purposes.

The trend of the movement of the grain of Nebraska and the central west during the last season has convinced the Great Western people that Minneapolis and Chicago are not to be considered the future grain markets and if they are to get into the game they must give the Omaha elevator men a southern outlet.

At Kansas City the company is in position to handle grain going south, having close traffic arrangements with the Kansas City Southern to Port Arthur and Galveston and with one line into New Orleans.

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THE SOCIETY OF THE BEE-HIVE

By MELLIFICIA. Monday, February 10, 1913.

SOCIETY listened with untiring interest to Dr. Shaw at the Brandeis theater Sunday afternoon.

Before the doors of the theater were opened for the suffrage mass meeting which was scheduled for 3 o'clock, the lobby was packed with stunningly dressed women and men, intent on hearing Dr. Anna Shaw, president of the National Woman's Suffrage association.

Long before the hour appointed, touring cars, electric and many handsome limousines were lined up before the theater and standing room was at a premium.

When Dr. Anna Shaw was introduced, although it was difficult for those on the stage to hear, the intense interest of her audience was most noticeable. Not only were the society matrons there, but their husbands accompanied them and listened to the words of this distinguished woman with keenest interest. Nods of approval and appreciation were seen.

Seats were not reserved, and many prominent people had difficulty finding places. The stage entrance was the fashionable one, for invitations were issued for the platform.

Two well known society women, who came late and forgot their invitation cards, had considerable difficulty. First they went to the main entrance, where they found the doors closed, for there was not even standing room. So they made their initial trip to the top balcony, only to find it packed. They then went to the stage entrance and sat in the "flies." But here again was some difficulty. The manager of the Kitty Gordon company, not knowing that Dr. Shaw had the theater, had called a special rehearsal for the same hour. Not until a well known society leader requested him to please be quiet, did he give up the idea of the rehearsal, and the "company" turned audience for a while.

rendered in the afternoon, followed by an elaborate dinner and cards in the evening. Miss Garnett Nelson gave two recitations, "The Yale and Harvard Boat Race" and "In Fourteen-Ninety-Two."

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In and Out of the Bee Hive. Mr. and Mrs. H. J. McCarthy are spending the month at the Arlington hotel at Hot Springs, Ark.

Miss selections by Miss Edith Hodges and Mrs. John C. Drexel were enjoyed.

The rooms were decorated in ferns and American Beauty roses. The hostess received many beautiful gifts. The dinner was served in four courses. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Drexel, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kugel, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. E. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lorenzen, Mr. and Mrs. Peter E. Elmasser, Mr. and Mrs. J. Brandt, Dr. and Mrs. H. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. W. Brandt, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Groth, Mrs. Clarence Sweet, Mrs. Bussy.

Entertains in New York. Mrs. Herbert H. Gates of Omaha is spending the winter at the Park Avenue hotel in New York and is doing much entertaining. The New York Sun states that Mrs. Gates was hostess at a large dinner party Saturday evening, which was followed by a theater party at the Lyric, where the attraction is "All for the Ladies."

N. N. Card Club Entertained. The N. N. Card club was entertained by Miss Hattie Carberry at her home, 344 South Twenty-fifth avenue, Friday evening. Prizes were won by Miss Margaret Pritchard and Agnes Pritchard. Those present were:

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Councilman McGovern of the department of public improvements has written the city legal department for information as to the legality of the Water board's action in assessing property for private mains. He cites section 246 of chapter 12a of the statutes, which provides that the board may demand \$100,000 for the cost of operation, extension and maintenance of the plant.

McGovern cites sections 12 to 15 of chapter 14, which provides that the controlling authority shall not take advantage of the 50 cents per front foot provision until it has elected to proceed under its provisions. McGovern then raises these points:

"Your advice is requested as to whether or not the Water board, after demanding and receiving the \$100,000, has a right to then proceed under the second method, or, in other words, if the Water board elects to proceed under the second method, does it not relieve the council from certifying the levy of \$100,000 as provided by section 246 as above mentioned? "If the sum of \$100,000 is levied and raised by general taxation would not a special tax upon property within a certain district for the same purpose be double taxation?"

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