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STATE LOSES ITS PASS CASE

Judge Thomas of Columbus Directs Verdict for Union Pacific.

DR. MARTIN'S CASE IN POINT

Court Holds that Contract Pass Given by the Railroad to Physician is Not Free Transportation.

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SISTERS OF CHARITY IN LIST

Railroad Commission Adversely Cites Pacific They Must Be Prosecuted.

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The commission has advised General Manager Miller of the Union Pacific that it has no desire to prosecute the sisters, but that it can find nothing in the law excepting them, and that he must see that they are given no more passes, as the statutes do not provide for such procedure. The names of the sisters are included in the list for February, which the Union Pacific has just filed. In the list also are the names of a dozen more newspapers with which the road has made contracts.

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Union Pacific officials say the sisters of charity referred to are sisters in the St. Francis hospital at Grand Island, which hospital does the work for the Union Pacific.

STATE CAMP OF ROYAL NEIGHBORS Largely Attended Meeting Held at York.

YORK, Neb., March 13.—(Special.)—Incoming trains from all directions brought delegates from every county and many towns in the state of Nebraska to the Royal Neighbors state camp, which met at York yesterday and adjourned today. Although hundreds came, York, noted for its hospitality and entertainment, furnished state organizations, opened its homes and welcomed the delegates. They were met at the depot by carriages and reception committees who escorted them to convention halls, hotels and homes, and every attention was given to comfort and entertainment of every delegate.

The state meeting was called to order at 10:30 a. m. On behalf of the city, Dr. Meredith, councilman from the Fourth ward, addressed the camp, and Hon. George M. Spurlock, on behalf of the York Commercial club, bid them welcome to the city and offered them the free use of the large, commodious Commercial club rooms in which a number of meetings were held. The response to addresses of welcome was made by Mrs. J. Johnson of Aurora, which was followed by a humorous selection recited by Miss Shiner of Strumburg, entitled, "The Jokers." After appointment of officers to fill a few vacant chairs and adjournment of various committees, adjournment was taken until 1:30 p. m., at which time the regular state camp work was commenced, taking up a greater part of the afternoon, adjourning to the York Opera house, where thirteen candidates were waiting to be initiated into the mysteries of the order.

The initiation work was put on by the Tamora camp, which was congratulated on the nice work done by their team. Miss Martha Dayton, York's well known violinist, played a solo, and Mrs. Jane Marrow Franco rendered a vocal solo, after which a fancy drill, in which most difficult evolutions were presented, was given by York and Waco teams.

The women delegates appreciated the entertainment furnished and the royal welcome of the women of York and the York Commercial club, and unanimously passed a resolution of thanks.

F. J. Vaughn Has Two Wives. FAIRBURY, Neb., March 13.—(Special.)—Sheriff Chalmers returned this afternoon from Oklahoma, having in custody Frederick Jack Vaughn, who was married at this place January 7 to Goldie Updegraff. The couple had eloped, but returned and were married at the home of the bride's parents. Vaughn is a developer that in February, 1906, Vaughn was married to Miss Hazel M. Hall in South Dakota. Vaughn was arrested on complaint of the father of his late victim, and the examination will be held as soon as the South Dakota wife arrives here, which probably will be tomorrow. Vaughn is a bricklayer and worked at his trade here last season.

Warrant Out for Hoppers. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., March 13.—(Special.)—W. O. Baylor, owner of the buggy taken by the young men of the elopement party from the vicinity of Aida, has sworn out a complaint against the young man Curry, charging him with the larceny of the vehicle, and Hall county has offered a reward of \$50 for the arrest and conviction of Curry. The four young people who left their homes, as previously reported, have since been traced to this city on the night of the disappearance from Aida and seem to have departed in the vehicle about 1 o'clock Monday morning, but no further trace of the young men and women is available.

Unidentified Man Killed. CENTRAL CITY, Neb., March 13.—(Special.)—Fearfully mangled and literally cut to pieces the body of an unidentified man was picked up on the Union Pacific tracks by the section hands as they were going to work this morning about eight miles west of this city. It was apparent that the man had been ground up by the train, but whether he was stealing a ride and fell off, or whether he was walking on the track when the train ran him down will probably never be known. Coroner Tooley was at once notified and in company with Frank Kimbark went out and gathered up the remains and brought them to town. No inquest was deemed necessary. All of—

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INQUIRIES ABOUT HEARING

Indications Many Will Desire to Be Heard on Freight Rates.

DISCREPANCY IN THE REPORTS

W. J. Bryan to Take a Hand in Meeting of Democratic Editors—Halleck P. Rose Joins the Burlington Staff.

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LINCOLN, March 13.—(Special.)—The State Railroad commission is receiving numerous letters regarding the hearing to be started March 28 in the matter of the promulgation of a schedule of rates to apply to all classes of shipments in the state. In answer to the notices to the railroads the railroads have said present rates are so low now that they are not compensatory and that any further reduction would be a confiscation of property and unjust. In the matter of figures, however, only the Missouri Pacific has said, and the earnings it reported do not agree with the figures of the Railway commission compiled from the various Missouri Pacific reports. The commercial clubs of Norfolk, Fremont, Beatrice and Superior have already written that such experts to

have a representative at the hearing.

Superior will ask that it be given a jobbing rate. It is expected that the Commercial club of Lincoln will be on hand, as well as the Commercial club of Omaha. Some will come advocating the promulgation of a distance tariff rate, while others will contend that the present system of rates should not be disturbed, though rates should be reduced.

Some time ago P. A. Caldwell filed a petition with the commission asking that a hearing be granted on the proposition to promulgate a distance tariff rate. When the petition was filed the commission had under consideration the question of ordering a hearing to fix rates, and at this hearing set for the 28th Mr. Caldwell will be given an opportunity to be heard on his proposition. Every railroad doing business in Nebraska will have representatives present to protest against a reduction in rates.

Reports on Normal Schools.

The State Board of Education met in regular session in the office of Superintendent McBrion this afternoon and transacted routine business and heard the report of Principal Thomas of the Kearney normal school and Principal Crabtree of the Peru normal. In his report Principal Thomas said he wanted plans for laying out the grounds and planting trees and locating future buildings. J. H. Hadkinson of Omaha, he reported, would do the work for \$50. The school, he said, had the right time to last throughout the biennium; the laboratory fund was inadequate, but there would be no deficiency there; the fund for printing and office supplies is more than half used up, but there are plenty of supplies on hand; the freight and express fund is not sufficient to last through the biennium. The school needs badly \$1,200 worth of seats and blackboards and other furniture, but these cannot be bought without a deficiency. Mr. Crabtree said his teachers had been instructed to ask for nothing not absolutely necessary.

Bryan to Meet with Editors.

William J. Bryan is going to take a hand in the meeting of the Democratic Editorial association, and has suggested that the editors get in time to attend a business session March 21. At this meeting a representative of the Bryan Volunteers will be on hand to make suggestions which will be of advantage to democratic and populist officers—whether financially cannot be learned yet. This information was secured from the following letter, sent out by J. B. Donovan, president of the association:

MADISON, Neb., March 13, Dear Sir: I desire to extend to you, on behalf of the Nebraska Democratic Editorial association, an earnest and most cordial invitation to be present at a business meeting of the association, to be held in Lincoln on Tuesday, March 21, at 2 p. m. The meeting will be held at the Laddell hotel. This meeting is called at the suggestion of the Hon. William Jennings Bryan, and is for the purpose of perfecting plans of carrying on a general and systematic campaign. Representatives of the Bryan Volunteers will be present at the meeting and submit a proposition which will be of great importance to the success of the campaign and be of mutual advantage to all democratic and populist editors.

The letter closes by urging the editors to be in attendance at the meeting, and tells them Mr. Bryan wants them to be his guests at a dinner at which a program will be carried out.

H. F. Rose Goes to Burlington.

Halleck P. Rose of Lincoln has been tendered and has accepted the position of assistant general solicitor for the Burlington railroad west of the Missouri river. In that position, he will succeed J. E. Kelley, who was recently advanced to the position of general solicitor in place of Charles F. Manderson. The appointment will necessitate Mr. Rose's removal to Omaha about

April 1. The salary attached to the place is in the neighborhood of \$3,000 a year.

When he goes to Omaha Mr. Rose will give up his active connection with the Lincoln Gas and Electric Light company, the Farmers and Merchants bank, the Farmers and Merchants Insurance company, the Columbia Fire Insurance company, the Thompson fire company and other enterprises of D. E. Thompson. His law partner, W. B. Comstock, will succeed to the local practice. Mr. Rose will arrange to carry on the St. Louis litigation and other important cases for his present clients who may wish him to continue in charge, but will not be permanently retained by any Lincoln corporation after he leaves the city.

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