

Omaha Board to Alleviate Car Shortage

New Body Formed Here as Adjunct to American Railroad Association; Has Jurisdiction Over Five States.

What is regarded as one of the most important moves ever made to relieve car shortage in the middlewest was completed Monday when a Central-western regional advisory board of the American Railroad association was formed. The board will have headquarters in Omaha.

Its formation is the result of a meeting in Kansas City, which was participated in by D. D. Conn of Washington, manager of the public relations section of the car service division of the American Railroad association, and shippers and their representatives from western states.

The Omaha board will have jurisdiction over Nebraska, Wyoming, Idaho, northern Colorado and northern Utah. Its purposes are: To analyze transportation needs; ascertain car requirements of the shipping public; cooperate with the railroads in obtaining cars; promote the maximum loading; insure the proper handling of cars by shippers and railroads; study production and markets; adjust disputes between shippers and carriers and to give the shipping public a direct voice in the activities of the car service division at Washington.

H. G. Taylor Chairman.

H. G. Taylor of Omaha has been appointed chairman of the board. J. W. Shorthill of Omaha, alternate chairman, and C. E. Child, manager of the Chamber of Commerce traffic bureau, secretary.

Standing committees and chairmen have been announced as follows: Grain and mill products, J. A. Kuhn, traffic manager of the Omaha grain exchange; live stock, A. F. Stryker, secretary of the Omaha Live Stock exchange; hay, H. A. Teypold of North Platte; potatoes, fruits and vegetables, H. A. Werner, Lincoln; road and building materials, Lloyd Hansen, Hastings; miscellaneous, W. S. Whitten, Lincoln; coal and petroleum, chairman to be selected by western producers.

"The prospect for a severe car shortage as soon as the crop movement begins is unavoidable unless extraordinary efforts are made for efficiency," said Mr. Child. "The railroads are now handling 975,000 cars of freight a week. This amount is in excess of any movement in the past for this time of year. The maximum number of cars ever handled by the railroads in one week was in October, 1929, when a total of 1,019,900 cars were handled. This was at the peak of the coal and grain business.

To Stretch Facilities.

"When the crop movement begins this year the railroads must be prepared to handle 1,200,000 cars weekly. The railroads have only 2,550,000 cars at their command. Hence it can be seen that facilities will be stretched to the limit."

Mr. Child explained that a national advisory board will be organized and meet at Washington. These meetings will be attended by representatives of the eight regional boards now formed. It is expected that Herbert Hoover will be one of the chairmen of the board.

Railway Commissioner of Nebraska Heads New Board.

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee.

Lincoln, May 29.—H. G. Taylor of the Nebraska Railway commission has been placed at the head of a new organization known as the central-western regional advisory board, formed at a conference held Monday at Kansas City. The duties of this board will be to act in conjunction with railroad operating officials and the American Railway association in all matters of freight car service and distribution. The first effort of the association will be to endeavor to facilitate placing of cars in middle western states in the next few weeks in preparation for the wheat harvest.

Fidelity Trust Receiver to Pay 10 Per Cent Dividend.

Fremont, Neb., May 29.—T. L. Matthews, receiver of the Fidelity Trust Company of Fremont, which closed its doors several months ago, announced today that a dividend of 10 per cent will be paid by the company June 10. Frank B. Knapp, president of the company at the time of the closing, was found guilty of violation of the state banking laws and is now serving a term in the penitentiary.

Half of 1 Per Cent Assessment Made for Guarantee Fund.

Lincoln, May 29.—At a meeting of the Bank Guarantee Fund commission today it was announced by Secretary Hart of the Department of Trade and Commerce that a special assessment of one-half of 1 per cent had been levied to enrich this guarantee fund. This assessment, it was said, is expected to raise a million dollars. There will be no special assessment in July, it was decided.

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SOCIETY

Lakoma Club Last to Open

A glance at the guest list for the opening dinner dance of the Lakoma club season, convinces that social Omaha has usurped this south side club for its own. Many reservations have already been made, among them a party given by Mr. and Mrs. Everett Buckingham, who will have as their guests the Messers, and Mesdames Jay D. Foster, Fred E. Pearce, George Kelly, Guy Pratt, Hal Buckingham, W. B. Tazewell, W. B. Wilkins, Mrs. B. L. Kemper, Miss Dunster and Miss Zabelle Smith of San Francisco.

With M. C. Peters will be the Frank Judsons, the Ralph Peters, the Douglas and the Clarence Peters, Miss Gladys and Miss Daphne Peters, Miss Dorothy Judson and Wallace Shephard.

At the president's table where Mr. and Mrs. Oakley C. Willis are hosts, will be the Messers, and Mesdames Guy Cramer, James Wrath, Charles Jewell, Charles Hazeltine, Tom Donahue, George Bichelmer, Miss Cantlin and Mrs. William Guy of Columbus, O., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis.

Two no-host parties include, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Whitehouse, the Penn Pedreas and the George Elmore, at one table, and at the other, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hart and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cheeks. Still another party of those "dining together" are the Messers, and Mesdames M. L. Schwab, W. A. Trueson, E. F. Dougherty, J. W. Skoglund, R. S. Breiling, A. R. Holmstrom, A. E. Rast, L. O. Moore, W. J. Claire, Cyrus Tyson, W. W. East, F. E. Marsh, William Jamison, W. H. Schellberg and Messrs. William Lovey and O. E. Harris.

Miss Josephine Reynolds will have as her guests the Misses Dorothy and Janet Nolan, Victor Hackler, Cedric Hornby and Howard Ahmanson. Others who have reservations are George S. Jones, J. W. K. Love, J. J. Regan, 15; Sol Degran, 7, and Fred Nesbitt, 2. Many of the cottagers will take advantage of the occasion to hold open house for their friends during the evening. Among those who have attractive homes there are Dr. and Mrs. F. J. Despecher, who will entertain eight guests at dinner; Mr. and Mrs. James Allan, Judge and Mrs. Woodrough, R. L. Reynolds, O. C. Willis, E. F. Dougherty and T. J. Donohue.

The Music Masters orchestra has been engaged for the season by the club and will play through dinner the opening night.

Personals

Mrs. Thomas Moonlight Murphy is visiting her sister, Miss Ruth Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Will T. Graham left Monday for a visit in Sioux City, Ia., and Laurel, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Huff, sr., will motor to Lake Okoboji Wednesday to start their new cottage there.

Florence Basler Palmer will leave July 5 for New York City for voice study with Frederick Haywood.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Judge announce the birth of a son, at the home of the grandmother, Mrs. W. C. L. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bartling leave Saturday for Fairbault, Minn., for the graduation of their son, Ralph, from Shattuck Military academy Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

Miss Elsie Simpson will return to her home at Alliance, Neb., June 15, having completed a year of voice study here. She will sing at Happy Hollow club at the dinner dance on June 12.

Miss Minnie Long spent the past week in Chicago, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Arnold and Mr. Arnold. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold will be at the St. George hotel, Blackstone avenue, in Chicago, for the summer. Mrs. Arnold is continuing her vocal work at the Kimball hall, and will give a radio concert at the Drake hotel in the near future.

Mrs. Summers, Hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Summers gave a dinner at their home Monday night, honoring Mr. and Mrs. E. S. West. Brook. The Westbrooks will leave Omaha for Chicago on June 17. Mrs. Westbrook will go in to Chicago Wednesday night but will return shortly to be here until their final departure.

Catholic Council to Banquet Friday

The following representatives of local organizations will attend the banquet at the Fontenelle hotel Friday evening, to be held in connection with the conference of the Council of Catholic Women Friday and Saturday of this week: Mrs. A. V. Kinsler, Christ Child society; Mrs. John McGowan, Extension society; Mrs. Margaret Moriarity, Mount St. Mary Alumnae; Mrs. C. R. Caughlin, Catholic Instruction league; Mrs. T. D. Foley, St. Francis Alumnae; Miss Mary Kennedy, Catholic Daughters of America; Mrs. J. B. Whittaker, St. Clara academy; Mrs. L. C. Nash, Duchesne alumnae; Miss Patricia Darrough, Mission society; Knights of Columbus, P. H. Johnson; William P. Lynch, St. Vincent DePaul society.

The reception committee includes: Mrs. Charles B. Dugdale, chairman; Mrs. T. J. Quinn, vice chairman; Mesdames C. W. Hamilton, Mrs. T. J. Dewyer, W. A. C. Johnson, T. F. Redmond, William Muller, O. Barnette, John O'Donnell, J. C. Hamilton, John William Jeffers, R. W. Connell, Maurice Husare, S. R. Doyle, T. Zimmer, F. M. Aldous, John Coak, M. Shirley, J. M. Nash, John Hopkins, T. J. O'Brien, D. J. Creedon, J. M. Natchal, Penn Pedreas, A. J. Tuna, Charles Knowles, William McKenna, E. T. Doe and Ann Murphy. Entertainment: Mrs. W. J. Foley, chairman; Mrs. F. A. Nash, vice chairman. Information: Mrs. Mary Kennedy, chairman. Registration: Mrs. J. B. Whittaker, chairman. Credentials: Miss Mamie Riley, dinner and arrangements; Mrs. W. J. Hotz, chairman; Mrs. Alban Sommer, vice chairman. Program: Mrs. A. V. Kinsler.

The Electric Percolator.

When washing your electric percolator, never immerse it in water or hang it up. The heating element, stand it on the drain board and carefully wipe inside and out, leaving the spigot turned on so all the parts are drained out. Scald finally with boiling water.

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36th Victim of Ax Killer Slain

Dead Man Robbed by Birmingham Slayer—19 Persons Killed in 42 Months.

Birmingham, Ala., May 29.—Birmingham police were today seeking to solve the murder of Charley Graffeo, the latest victim of a series of ax assaults which during the past 42 months has taken the lives of 19 persons and resulted in injuries to 17 others.

Graffeo was found dead last night with his skull crushed and his throat slashed. A blood-spattered ax stood behind the door. His handle was shortened, so that it could be carried beneath the coat, police believe.

Dead Man Robbed.

The dead man had been robbed, the investigating officers found.

The attack upon Graffeo was the 28th assault during the 42-month period, the first being on the night of November 23, 1919, when a merchant was killed and his store robbed. It was the fourth case of its kind this year. Costis Terlikis, a restaurant owner, was attacked and slightly injured at his place of business on January 25. Two days prior to that Mr. and Mrs. Luigi Vitellaro were victims of a similar assault, and both died.

Sent to Jail.

On January 10, Joseph Klein, grain dealer, and his daughter, Ethel, were assaulted, Klein dying. Earlier in the month, a man was found unconscious in an alley, apparently the victim of a blow by an ax. He died the following day.

Alleged perpetrators have been sent to jail in only three of the long list

Gray Wolf Shot in South Omaha

A big, gray timber wolf was shot near Twentieth and M streets, the heart of South Omaha, yesterday.

The animal chased three children on their way to school. The children ran into a house and someone called police. Officers John Jackman, Lee Fleming and Earl Risk rushed to the scene armed with their revolvers and expecting to find nothing more than a big dog.

The officers will get a bounty from the state. Where the animal came from no one knows, as there are no big timber wolves ordinarily near this part of the country.

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"Brains" of Mint Robbery Caught

Roy Sherrill, Believed Leader of Daring Holdup, Nabbed in Oklahoma.

By International News Service.

Denver, Colo., May 29.—Denver police officials this morning announced the capture Monday at McAlester, Okla., of Roy Sherrill, nationally known gunman, train robber and an escaped convict from the Leavenworth, Kan., federal penitentiary.

Sherrill was said to be one of the ringleaders of the famous Lewis-Jones gang of mail robbers and murderers which terrorized Colorado Springs and Denver for two days and nights in September, 1918.

In June, 1918, Sherrill was one of the gang that robbed the M. K. & T. train at Paola, Kan., for which crime he was convicted and sentenced to 25 years at Leavenworth. In June, 1922, he escaped and nothing was heard from him until the Denver mint robbery last winter, when it was claimed that he had been identified as a member and the "brains" of that gang. A nation-wide hunt for Sherrill was instituted, but no trace of him was found until his arrest Monday in Oklahoma. When arrested in 1918 with his alleged sweetheart, Eva Lewis, also a member of the Lewis-Jones gang, accurate plans of the Denver mint and several local banks were found in his possession.

Several murders are said to have been committed by Sherrill and police throughout the country credit him with being one of the brainiest crooks with which they have ever dealt. Sherrill will be returned to Leavenworth to complete his sentence of 25 years.

An inventor in San Francisco, Cal., has designed a fly trap to be mounted on a garbage can.

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