Transportation East.

Seven Countles in Nebraska Show a Visible

Grain Supply-General Passenger Agent

Francis Talks of the Possibilities

of the New Burlington.

meet local demands. This obtains with corn and oats.

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FRANCIS BACK ACT HIS DESK.

Well Pleased with His Trip Over the Bur-

lington'r New Route.

General Passenger Agent John Francis of the Burlington has returned from his trip to

the Pacific coast .... His was at his desk

yesterday bright and early and com-menced the work sof catching up with his correspondence. Talke many general

passenger agents, Mr. Erancis does not have

a stenographer with thin on his tours of inspection, insisting upon the staff in the

office looking after the neutine mail and only

referring to him matters requiring official

but remark its farming possibilities.

you

While the climate is said to be

may expect

When it is opened to white settlement, as it undoubtedly will be in a

to see a greater rush than Oklahoma ever

grazing territories of the states and would

not take much to make it an ideal farming

very invigorating, our breakfast at Sheridan being taken under the pleasantest possible

winner and my trip from Portland to Sheri-dan was a series of surprises. The read has

make a railroad pay interest on its invest-

nents. The Burlington, however, has a mag

nificent country back of it to assist in pro

viding for its fixed charges and just as soo

as business begins to boom I look for our

road to do its share of transcontinental busi-

"People on the north Pacific coast complain

less of business depression than one hears in

the east. They seem to be less affected by

legislation and other causes to which we have

grown accustomed to attribute financial de

pression, and therefore are remarkable on that

Speaking of the differences between the Union Pacific and the Oregon Railway and

Navigation company, Mr. Francis said that if the differences were to be harmonized it

would have to come from sources higher than the general passenger agents of both roads.

He said that the Oregon Railway and Navi-gation company demanded a certain per

cent, higher than has heretofore been paid,

the ground that the Short Line was

given a certain proportion of transcontinental

the navigation company; that it had but few offices to maintain and no costly terminals, which was not true of the naviga-

tion company. Under existing conditions its demand of 29 per cent seemed to be emi-nently fair in view of the fact that the Great

Northern was paying the same percentage to the navigation company as the latter de

basis the roads have agreed to disagree and

until a new contract is made the old basis

of divisions continues in force. My impression is that Receiver McNeill is trying to

make money for his system, which accounts for his seemingly large demand in the division, but, under all the circumstances, is

not demanding any more than the Burling-ton pays on transcentificental business west

Speaking of the personally conducted ourist cars which the Burlington will put on

between Boston and Log Angeles, Mr. Francis

sary between the points named and that at

Foreclosing on an Ohto Road.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 16 .- The Knicker-

bocker Trust company of New York filed a

petition today in the United States circui-

court giving notice of foreclosure proceed

Canton & Southern road. The trust com

pany represents the fourth mortgage bond

holders of the road. The issue of bonds habeen 10,000 \$1,000 bonds, 660 of which hav

been issued and are outstanding. They as that the receiver be ordered to pay the inter

est on the first mortgage bonds, amounting to \$50,000, due in July, 1894.

Filling Atchison Vacancies.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16 .- The directors

the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe road met

today and elected T. A. Osborn, ex-gov

ernor of Kansas, and H. H. Daval, president

of the Florida Central railroad, directors to place of Edward Wilder and P. I. Bone

brake, resigned. An adjournment was taken until next week, when a chairman of the board of directors will probably be elected in

Lehigh Valley Reduces Wages.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 16 .- The officers of

the Lehigh Valley Railroad company are pre-

paring a notice, which will be sent out

the person of B. F. Cheney, jr.

Chicago, the rule of the Central Traffic ass ciation being that tourists would have to change at that point going east or west, traveling second class.45

stated that only one change would be

"Upon this

manded from the Union Pacific.

een splendidly built and passes through

historic spots. But history will no

The new line gives promise of being a

experienced. It is now one of the great

few years,

THE CHARL DARK VERN SALE WAY, MOVEMBER IT, 180.

From Small Beginnings the Society Has Grown to Immense Proportions.

TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF ACTIVE LIFE

Miss Frances Willard Recounts the Brilliant Achievements of the Progressive Society of Which She is the Head-Prosperous in Hard Times.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 16.—Under the national tion of home and the re-enforcement of that banner, "For God and Home and Native altruistic minority of men who seek to emdelegates representing every state in the union, and a following of thousands of wearers of the white ribbon assembled this morning in Music hall to open the Twentyfirst annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance union.

tion increased as the hour set for the convention to be called to order drew near, until It seemed to assume the proportion of a

The decorations of the big auditorium were artistic and profuse, with yellow and white predominating. The wall which formed a background for the platform was a mass of Temperance union, and the yellow bears the same relation to the woman suffragists,

The balconies are draped in white and yellow. The upper one is intertwined with the red, white and blue. The upper post supports a state or superintendent's banner.

"Seven raps for love, hope and gratitude."
said Mrs. Willard. "You will notice that we are a little behind time, but if you will get your seats as quickly as possible we will begin our opening exercises. I will ask Mother Thompson, Auntie Stewart and Mrs. Monroe to read.

with spectators, with the exception of the

upper gallery.

Rev. Frances Townsley of Nebraska next led the convention in a fervent prayer. She offered thanks for the twenty-first birthday of the Woman's Christian Temperance union movement, since guided and guarded by a love strong as fatherhood, true as brother-hood and tender and loving as motherhood. She referred touchingly to the death of Mrs. Mary A. Woodbridge, who died a month ago. to Miss Willard, the national president, and to Lady Henry Somerset, whose absence from the convention is so greatly deplored.

At the conclusion of the prayer Miss Wil-lard spoke feelingly upon the late Mary Woodbrige, after which Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens of Maine called the roll of officers, super ients and delegates.

Following this came the reading and adoption of the minutes of the executive com-mittee for two sessions. The appointment of a vice president at large was under con-sideration during the larger part of the morning session. After three ineffectual votes upon the subject the matter was finally laid over until tomorrow morning. The treasurer, Mrs. Bachers of South Dakota, was appointed chairman of the

MISS WILLARD'S ADDRESS. After the singing of the hymn entitled Welcome, Chieftain, Welcome!" Miss Willard stepped to the front of the platform and the first applause of the convention was Miss Willard thanked the convention for the appliance and then began the delivery of her annual address, a resume of which is

The child of the crusade has lived out its eager youth, and stands on the threshold of mature womanhood. On December 23, 1873, the first praying band of Ohio bridged with faithful feet the distance between church and dramshop. As if by magic similar processions began to move throughout the west, until in the fifty days of their unexampled faith and works the liquor traffic was ban-ished from 250 towns and villages. We date our origin from that red letter day, set like another Christmas in the drear December to show that dawn is sure to follow darkness In the bright summer following (August, 1874), at beautiful Chautauqua, that summer camp which is the paradise of women, a committee of the crusaders decreed that this evement should be systematized, and put forth to their comrades everywhere a call to ne to Cleveland in November and form a national society. Since we were in Cleveland twenty years ago the half-dozen state unions then organized have grown to fifty, and the single national union to over forty-nine nations and provinces."

The address begins with a review of the progress of the temperance, woman, purity and labor movements in the last two decades, and shows that they have all moved for-ward by leaps and bounds until the habit of total abstinence is thoroughly respected everywhere. The effects of the use of alcoeverywhere. The effects of the use of alco-holics and tobacco are being systematically taught from the standpoint of science to the children in the public schools of all the fifty states and territories, except five, thanks to the leadership of Mrs. Mary H. Hunt. Prohibition has gained ground in several north ern states and throughout the south by means of local option. The recent plebiscites in Canada prove the growth of a strong senti-ment in favor of prohibitory law. In Great Britain the prevailing sentiment is that the question of license or no license should be laced in the people's hands, and in New Zealand, Colorado and Kansas, where women have the ballot, the effect of their influence has been strongly detrimental to the legal as well as the social position of the saloo The age of consent has been raised in English-speaking countries until its average i now 16 years instead of 10. Forty years ago there were seven employments women; now hardly as many are closed The wageworkers are thoroughly organized: the principle of the living wage has been established, and the new testament has become the foremost textbook of the new politi-

Protestantism has forged forward toward prohibition; the Christian voter is less pur-blind and begins to perceive that the paramount duty of the hour is that every man should feel that he must be a good citizen in order to be a good Christian. The pope's representative in this country has endorsed the right of any bishop to exclude from the sacraments those who belong to the liquor

dealer's camp.

The "white life for two"—that equal standard of purity for men and women which alone can make home happy, is a cardina doctrine of the white ribbon women; but they also believe that we shall always have double standard of morals while we have double standard of voting.

The appointment of matronly women en every police force was urged as a sure method of minimizing the degradation of the night side of life in the municipality. The saloon, the gambling house, the haunt of shame are the gambling house, the haunt of shame are so closely related that no reformer who studies one can fall to see that all must be view of the financial stress of the year. Bestudies one can fall to see that an independent sides the receipts shown by treasured incorporated into the same general movement. Labor reform must be included, since assets to the amount of \$6,800 had been ment. Labor reform must be included, since donated in interest bearing notes and stocks, poverty, worklessness and a contracted cur-rency are prime causes of the misery which seeks to drown itself in drink. The earnest cash, had not entered into account. hope was expressed that reformers get to-gether and have faith in the single tax move-

WHATTHEW. C. T. U. HAS DONE evidently begin by the education of the continuous relations. IMPORTANCE OF THE NEWSPAPER.

The nationalization of all means of locome ion and communication was declared to less important than the ownership of the newspapers by the people. As a man readeth In his newspaper so is he, and in these days he reads what it is for the interest of great corporations to have him read. Opinion is manufactured by the newspaper just as scientifically as cloth is woven by the loom. The editorial "we" should be abolished and every writer stand on his own merits. The strongest thing that reformers could do would be
to buy space in the great papers of the country in which to put their ideas before the
great humanity that beats its life along the
stony streets. The word of the hour was
woman armed with the ballot for the proteclife the many Tiger, the applause was tremendous. The merit of the Tammany Tiger, the applause was tremendous. The merit of the plause was tremendous. The merit of Lady Henry Somerset evoked a storm of
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applause. blazon on the statute book the principle of

brotherhood. It was urged that a committee be ap-pointed by the convention to ascertain in how many capital buildings in the different states

covertly or openly.
"I have not turned populist, though I hope occur: 'Christ shall yet reign in custom and yellow and white bunting. The white is the in law, not ecclesiastically, but spiritually; recognized color of the Woman's Christian not in form, but in fact; not in substance, but in essence. And the organized love of the white ribbon women seeks to bring that day, for we believe that only the golden rule can

bring the golden age."

It was maintained that the call for compulsory arbitration resulting from the Pullman strike will, if it is but heeded, be worth The convention was called to order a few minutes before 10 o'clock. Miss Willard arbitration are watchwords of the white rib-

your seats as quickly as possible we will begin our opening exercises. I will ask Mother Thompson, Auntie Stewart and Mrs. Monroe to read the crusade psalm responsively with you."

The three ladies named rose, while the psalm was read a verse by the audience and a verse by those on the platform. Then followed the crusade by the audience and a verse by those on the platform. Then followed the crusade by the audience of the control of the crusade by the the original crusade hymn, "Rock of made that the Women's Christian Temperance tific temperance instruction, reported on that by the entire convention, led by Mrs. union has no fear of the working classes in subject, showing great progress along these Alice Harrison of Boston, national superintendent of music, and the grand notes of the organ pealed above the voice of the organ pealed above the voice of the audience. There were probably 500 delegates present, and the hall was well filled ter their condition of the recent strikers tion and the ballot box, the recent strikers themselves having frankly admitted that they made a mistake. As John Burns says, "We must revolutionize by reform, not seek to remust revolution." We make a great ado until 7:30 p. m.

This evening the music hall was again Ten minute addresse of welcome is the world's dynamite.

The practical method of relieving the labor

It was declared that the Boys Brigade, in so far as it fosters the military spirit and encourages the bearing of weapons, is a retro-gressive movement and should not be encour-

aged by the home people.

The National Women's Christian Temper ance union had made a better showing in its Kenny of Oregon. The day's proceedings aggregate membership and in the gifts reclosed with music and the benediction. aggregate membership and in the gifts re-ceived this year than the last, which was a remarkable token of the vitality of the move ment in a period of unequaled financial de

CHRISTIANITY OF CONDUCT. We have had the Christianity of sentiment, of theology, of ecclesiasticism, but the present age has the happiness to witness the Christianity of conduct. We are learning that real religion is not the acceptance of any dogma, but the recognition of Christ's life in the Beart and home, in society and the state.

A law is pending in Great Britain which ought to be duplicated here, by which industrial homes for "alcoholites" are to be

established by the government.

A special plea was made for the organizaance unions in all our educational institu-tions under the name of "Somerset Y." The gaps in our files must be filled up by young and well trained workers. A plea was also made that instead of giving Chrisimas presents the white ribboners everywhere in-vest the sum that they would have expended in this way in giving to those whom the stringency of the times has placed in

circumstances of special need. Half-way measures blur the straight line of ethical perception and set back movements that can only be carried to success by outand-out methods. The Women's Christian Temperance union is the old guard that never surrenders. It is not beguiled by high license nor tax; by the Iowa mulct law nor the South Carolina dispensary; by nonpartisanism nor the Scandinavian system. Any or all of these may serve the turn of politicians or dim the vision of well neaning but nonexpert workers, but we have learned by the logic of defeat and the argument of experience what not to do, which is a lesson no less important that what to do. It is idle to talk of personal liberty. The

is long gone by when that slogan could day is long gone by when that slogan could rally a corporal's guard among the intelligent and thoughtful. The tread of socialistic thought which makes the good of the community the prime factor in government has so far outranked the unbridled action of the to build a wooden house, nor is such per-mission granted in this country within the fire limits of our large cities. In Germany to cut down a tree is an offense against the state; permission must first be secured, be-cause the value of the trees as a whole is greater to the people than the interest of any one person in any one tree. In France so strong is the sense of beauty that no one is allowed to make an alteration in his house till the plan has been passed upon by the authorities appointed by the city. It is of more importance that Paris as a whole should be beautiful than that the personal whim of any individual concerning the sort of door or window that he prefers should be considered. On the principle that every member of the social compact must be protected from possible injury by any member is based the rationale of every law on any

statute book. In conclusion the president said: "The work of women is the most unique feature of the recent great elections. It is freely admitted that they had much to do with the downfall of the Tammany ring; it was largely a case of 'The Lady and the Tiger,' with no doubt as to which came out of the contest ahead. In Illinois the women voted by tens of thousands, in Colorado the prohibition party vote was raised from 1,700 at the last election to from 7,000 to 10,000; and it is the universal testimony that the presence of women at the poils led to a uch larger vote of men and secured the best order ever known. The republican party did itself damage by assisting the democrats to vote down the enfranchisement of women in Kansas, but illustrated its progressive tendencies by putting a plank in its platform in favor of woman's suffrage in the states of California, Idaho and Utah."

TREASURER'S REPORT. The annual report of Mrs. Helen Barker treasurer, showed receipts: Dues, \$14,704.93; other contributions, \$11,314.26; total, \$26,019,25; disbursements, \$20,338.17; halance in treasury, \$5,681.18. There are no outstand-

The receipts of the year were in excess of

The report of the corresponding secretary stated that while nearly all churches, mis-

of W's, and Y's, the honorary members and the Loyal Temperance legion, which is the pursery of our occasion, which is the

ursery of our organization."
In the course of her address, Miss Willard referred to the nonpartisan Women's Christian Temperance association and sent its greetings with the wish that the two great bodies may come together. This ex-pression was endorsed by the convention

with hearty appliance.
Again, when Miss Willard spoke of the denouncement of Breckinridge and the de-thronement of the Tammany Tiger, the ap-plause was tremendous. The mere mention of Lady Henry Somerset evoked a storm of

the chorus.

The numerous cablegrams and telegrams of greeting were read by the secretary. Mrs. L. M. Stevens, recording secretary, presented her a report, a resume of which

follows: The scene presented in the hall just before that populists and prohibitionists may be the convention was called to order was a most animated one. The hum of conversa- a tectotaller and expect to be one always. I

> Mrs. Barker was frequently interrupted by applause. After the singing of "Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow," a rising vote of thanks was tendered to Treasurer Helen M. Barker, and her report was unanimously adopted.

SUCCESSES OF THE YEAR. Rev. Dr. Joseph Cook of Boston was next introduced and spoke briefly on the successes of the past year and predicted that by the end of the twentieth century the liquor traffic would come to an end.

introduced, and Mrs. Leo Lake spoke briefly, expressing sympathy and co-operation with the movement. The department of prevention was next presented, Annette followed by an address by Mrs. Annette Shaw of Wisconsin upon "Health Heredi-

Mrs. Mary Hunt, superintendent of scien-

After a song service Mrs. Francis W. Zeiter spoke on the subject of physical cul-ture. The recording secretary then read numerous messages of greetings. Then all

were made as follows: For the Federated unions, by Mrs. S. M. Perkins; for the market of the competition of women is to city, by Mayor Blee; for the state make their wages the same as the wages of Woman's Chrictian Temperance union, Mrs. H. L. Monroe," and for the Cleveland Temperance alliance, by Mrs. H. E. Hammond. Ten minute responses were made by Mrs. Mary T. Burt of New York; Mrs. Emma A. Cranmer of South Dakota; Mrs. Frances E. Beauchamp of Kentucky; Mrs. Katherine Stevenson of Massachusetts tand Mrs. White

## WOMEN'S WORK.

Plans for the Uplifting of Men by the Dif-

ferent Associations. At the Woman's Christian Temperance union meeting Wednesday Mr. W. N. Nason was present and presented the needs of the drouth sufferers. A committee was appointed to take up this work in co-operation with the relief commission. One box had already been prepared and another will be

The union is very busy this year and is listic work at the railroad shops and elsewhere, is now in charge of the coffee house at 1101 Cass street. This, however, denands the daily attendance of three or four ther women to carry it on, so popular an

natitution has it already become The new noonday rest and reading room for women at 513 South Twelfth street is to be under the joint auspices of the union and the Young Women's Christian associa-tion, the latter taking charge at the noon hours and the Woman's Christian Temper union having care of the reading room The Ys are planning an entertainment to raise funds for this purpose, and contribuone toward the furnishing will be gladly re-

eived. In pushing these new features the old lines f activity are by no means being dropped Gospel temperance meetings and mothers Gospel temperance meetings and mothers meeting, are held in some part of the city nearly every week, and much interest is manifested. There were three Demorest contests last month and there will be two this month, and the children are very enthusiastic. A gold medal contest will be held next Tuesday evening in the Church of the Latter Day Saints, Twenty-first and of the Latter Day Saints, Twenty-first and Grace streets, to which all are invited.

The meetings of the union are well at ended and many new members have been received. Meetings are now held the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month, the second one being devoted to instruction con erning the work, and outsiders are very

The Ys also hold two meetings monthly of each month at the Young Men's Chris tian association, and a parlor meeting the third Tuesday evening at private houses, to which friends of the work are always in-

The "Rest," at 513 South Twelfth street, is to be opened for use next Monday. Sunday at 3:30 p. m., there will be a dedicatory gospel service at the rooms, to which ever is invited. This will take the place of the usual Sunday afternoon service at the Young Men's Christian association. Mrs. Harford will lead, and the members of both the Young Woman's Christian association and Woman's Christian Temperance union will take part.

The committee in charge wish to make one more appeal to the public for heip in furnishing the house. The following articles are still needed: A hard coal heater, writing deak, rugs, couch, easy chairs, reading lamps, two mirrors, wash bowl and pitcher towels, library table pictures bric-a-bac, waste library table, pictures, bric-a-bac, waste baskets, work basket and fittings, books periodicals, etc., etc. A piano is needed, and good care will be taken if one can be loaned or piaced there for storage. An upright is necessary because of lack of room. A subscription to the daily papers would be gladly received, and donations of money will be very welcome at any time. The house will be open all day, and articles may be sent at any time, or word may be left, either at the Young Woman's Christian association rooms or Mrs. Wood's, 1920 Wirt street. The noon-day rest will be open from 11 to 2, when tea, coffee and milk will be served at a low price for those wishing it. Women and girls who are employed in this vicinity are asked to bring their luncheon here to eat, and make use of the reading room during the noon hour. The reading room will be open day and evening, and any one wishing to interested is also invited to visit the rooms and, if possible, contribute to its support The Young Woman's Christian association Woman's Christian Temperance union and Young Woman's Christian Temperance union

are united in this work. The only way to cure catarrh is to purify the blood. Hood's Sarvaparilla purifies the blood and tones up the whole system.

The following marriage licenses were is Name and Address.

James M. Sterner, Des Mojnes, Is....
Ellen L. Olson, Omaha..... Robert W. Tigh, South Omaha...... Lela Anderson, Bouth Omaha..... Theowaldt Jacobson, Omaha..... Mary Peterson, Omaha......

be a reduction of 10 per cent in salaries over 11,000 per annum. This reduction is some-what of a surprise, not only to the cierks, but to the officers as well, as it was thought the improvement in business a few months Reasons Why an End Has Come to Its ago would obviate the necessity of such a Although the freight and passenger business gave some encouragement, business is now in such a state that it is being carried on at a loss. It is announced RAILROADS DOING VERY LITTLE BUSINESS that as soon as business picks up the old

salaries will be resumed. TROUBLE IN RAILROAD CIRCLES.

St. Louis-Kansas City and St. Paul Roads at Outs Over Rates. CHICAGO, Nov. 16 .- Chairman Caldwell an end and will continue so until a new crop handed down a decision that may have the dise in all our big deof the Western Passenger association has is harvested. Railroads, instead of transeffect of making an immense amount of trouble in the association and may result in porting grain to eastern markets, are hauling it into Nebraska, Kansas and other the Alton becoming an outsider as far as the association is concerned. The original western states, on account of the home supmany capital buildings in the different states strong drink is sold to our legislators either coverity or openly.

The report of the press department says:

"It is certain that never before have the great dailles given of their influence so liberally to furthering the cause of temper—with any visible supply of wheat, or, for with any visible supply of wheat, or, for tickets to Kansas City. The Alton conthat populists and prohibitionists may be agreed and walk together before long; I am a tectotaller and expect to be one always. I am opposed to lynching at any time and in labor papers. Especially noticeable is and place. It is my earnest desire and purpose to extend the work of organizing local pose to extend the work of organizing local work. I am not a Unitarian, but a loyal south. I am not a Unitarian, but a loyal Methodist, and so far from favoring a union of church and state as has been said I have hardly made a speech in twenty years in which this statement of my views does not occur: 'Christ shall yet reign in custom and in the convention then took a recess until that the cause of temperance unions in the subject, and so also to a great extent have many agricultural and labor papers. Especially noticeable is the Burlington, Union Pacific and Rock Island, and these counties are located in the eastern and southeastern portion of the eastern and s as cents per bushel, and during the entire fall, wheat has been worth from 53 to 55 cents per bushel to central Nebraska mills, where it has not to undergo classification, weighing, switching and other charges incledental to Chicago delivery. At the mills it has only to be subjected to a 10-cent freight trate, or 6 cents a bushel. This wheat has been worth 47 to 49 cents to the producer or shipper on the track in the territory indicated, or 10 cents a bushel more than would be realized from a shipment to Chicago.

Wheat, therefore, is held for future delivery the control of the association between the chicago Great Western and the Omaha roads. The roads in the Omaha-St. Paul soscienting to out a rate sheet showing considerable shading in the rates from Minneapolis and St. Paul to points in the east. The Great Western refused to be a party to the reductions, but announced that it would be realized from a shipment to Chicago. The Great Western refused to be a party to Wheat, therefore, is held for future delivery the reductions, but announced that it would or is being turned over to the local mills to meet the rates of the other lines when they This same condition went into effect. This announcement constituted a charge against the road whose competition the Great Western declared it would come to an end.

The reports of superintendents came next and Mrs. Francis J. Barker reported for the Young Woman's branch of the organization. Three delegations from the Catholic Total Abstinence union were then introduced, and Mrs. Leo Lake specially for corn and oats.

The reports of superintendents came next But the demand is not alone confined to Nebraska and Kansas. There is besides was meeting. This road was the Omaha, and Chairman Caldwell was appealed to, and total the conditions the states adjacent, for these the proper manner and all lines which were supplies, especially for corn and oats. Under the proper manner and all lines which were supplies, especially for corn and oats. Under the supplies, especially for corn and oats. greater than the supply and the railroads have virtually gone out of the business of BRANCH LINES IN COURT.

transporting grain, not a carload of wheat having been sent east by the Burlington for the past two months. Appeal from Judge Cornish's Recommendation for Annulment of Contract. The conditions which obtain in Nebraska are also true of Kansas, very little grain ST. PAUL, Nov. 16.-The matter of the Oregon Short Line and Utah Northern railgoing over the Missouri river out of the Sunflower state on account of the demand in way came on to be heard this afternoon bethe western portions of both commonwealths, fore Judge Sanborn of the United States there being about the same pressure of circuit court. Between October 3, 1893, and grain rate from the grain belt of Kansas July 1, 1894, the Oregon Short Line earned to western Nebraska as exists to Chicago, the high price of grain in western Nebraska \$3,882,580 and its operating expenses, interest and taxes amounted attracting Kansas grain as well as grain counties having the visible supply \$5,243,302, making a deficit indicated. Chicago markets are therefore not in evidence, nor will they be until a court was a new crop is harvested. \$1,358,327. The question raised in court was whether the receivers of the Union Pacific railway may be permitted to renounce and cease to comply with the terms of the While the railroads are short in eastern tonnage they are making up for the shortcontract between the Union Pacific and the age by transporting grain into the western Oregon Short Line and Utah Northern rail-states where better prices prevail than in way, by which the Union Pacific undertook states where better prices prevail than in

to pay the deficiency of the Oregon Short Line. Judge Cornish, the master in chancery, ecommended in his report that the contract be annulled, and an appeal was taken from Judge Kelly of Omaha appeared for the reeivers of the Union Pacific, and Winslow Pierce of New York for the appellants. After hearing the arguments Judge San-

born took the case under advisement and

### will announce his decision later. PRESIDENT CLARK RETURNS.

Comes Back from His Inspection of Union Pacific Lines Much Encouraged.

President S. H. H. Clark of the Union sanction or in cases where new policies are to be considered and acted upon.

"I came cast over the new Burlington line from Portland via Billings, and was much impressed with the country traversed by the impressed with the country traversed by the traversed by branches of the Union Pacific railway sys- and vests, at 80c the The union is very busy this year and is opening up new lines of work in various directions. Miss Miller, who has already then in the night time, still I was able to see the per in the employ of the union for evange-the general lay of the land and could not pleased with the railway outlook, consider the core board. pleased with the railway outlook, considering the condition of last season's crops. He found all of the lines in good shape and the gotten. Look at these than you ever dreamed rolling stock in excellent condition. Along prices and see what of. If you want dress the lines in Utah, Montana and Idaho Mr. Clark states that the crops have been good, and in fact this is true in all sections where farmers have irrigated. In those sections there are large quantities of grain to be transported, as well as fruits and vegetables. severe at times, I found the air balmy and Along the Kansas lines Mr. Clark found the crop situation about the same as in Nebraska, all kinds of grain having suffered for the want of rain. Owing to the short corn crop, little or no stock will be shipped into that state to be wintered. Speaking upon the subject of the reorgani-

> knew absolutely nothing aside from what he had read recently in the papers. Bondholders Consented to Wai . DENVER, Nov. 16 .- The holders of the bonds of the Colorado Midland railroad, who have been intending for some time to ask for the appointment of a separate receiver for that property, have been induced to wait until plans are completed for the reorganization of the entire Santa Fe system. organization committee promises to make a proposition that will probably be satisfactory to the bondholders. If it should prove not

zation of the Union Pacific, Mr. Clark said

it is likely they will then ask the court to appoint a separate receiver. Railway Notes. Homeseskers excursions from the Missour river and points east will be inaugurated November 20, December 4 and 18, to points in Kansas and Nebraska. The rate agreed upon is one fare plus \$2. This will be a upon is one fare plus \$2. This will be a favorable opportunity for farmers living in Iowa or Illinois to secure farms at very reasonable terms in Nebraska. business without having to enter into active competition to secure the business against

# KNOWLEDGE

Brings comfort and improvement and Brings comfort and improvement and tends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many, who live better than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attest the value to health of the pure liquid lexative principles embraced in the remedy, Byrup of Figs.

Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleas-

in the form most acceptable and pleas ant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect lax-ative, effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the Kidneys, ziver and Bowels without weak ening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all drug-gists in 50c and \$1 bottles, but it is man fractured by the California Fig Syro co. only, whose name is printed on ever package, also the name, Syrup of Fig. and being well informed, you will no recept any substitute if offered. MORSE.

16th and Farnam. Saturday, Nov. 17th.

Our sales are attended again and again because they have merit. We have what we advertise-no restrictions —no excuses — no ifs. Tomorrow we show an endless variety of seasonable merchanpartments, at prices that have made us a reputation, Don'tknow where to commenceand as there's so much to tell today, it's going to be hard to stop. We'll start on Blankets,

Left aisle-main entrance,

Like a ship under full sail, before a steady bargain breeze, they're going out of our store -such prices and values have never been seen on any previous occa-

10-4 white blankets, 67c.

11-4 white blankets, \$1.23.

10-4 gray blankets, \$3.0.

10-4 white blankets, \$1.98.

10-4 gray, large warm, wool filling on light cotton warp, 5 pounds, at \$2.33 the pair.

Others, gray, values at \$2.73, \$3.50 and up.

Whites, at \$2.98, \$3.43, \$3.98, \$4.47, and up-wards

## Scarlet Blankets.

A 10-4 strictly all wool, good weight, double bed size at \$3.23 the pair.
At \$4.25 the pair an elegant, luxurious 11-4, six-pound scarlet blanket, such as are sold at \$5.50.

Ladies' Underwear. We're as busy as bees at this counter selling such bargains as these:

Right of Main Entrance

Ladies' fine grade all wool ribbed vests. white and natural wool, at \$1.00 the garment. They've been \$1.80 through the season till now.

Ladies' two-thread wool vests and pants, finished seams, well made, at 48c the gar- speak the Nebraska ment. You've paid us language, thereforeher 75c before for these ideas are Parisian. She garments.

Ladies' fleece lined 10 to 12, 3 to 5, and heavy quality pants from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

they havn't been forwe've done for them:

black union suits \$2. , Children's fleece lined ests and pants 28c.

One lot of boys' extra fine quality all wool drawers to close at \$1. They've been \$285 a pair.

Ladies' Hosiery. Right of Main Entrance.

Here we pride ourselves on completeness and sterling values. Nowhere can you see so much hosiery goodness as here.

Ladies' fast black hose, all sizes, 121/2c the pair.
Ladies' heavy fleece lined hose, 25c.
Ladies' extra quality fleece lined hose, 35c.
Ladies fine black cashmere hose, 50c, 75c quality.

# Childrens' Hosiery.

Children's cashmere hose, all sizes, English makes, grades that have sold at 70c, tomorrow 35c.
Children's fine cotton hose, extra weight, white feet, our regular 50c and 65c grades, Children's heavy woolen hose, all sizes, 25c

Kid Gloves.

Right of 16th St. Entrance. Only the styles upon that price. which Dame Fashion has set her stamp of approval, and just such qualities, too, as have been pronounced perfect by competent glove judges. A beautiful lot of browns and tans, extra quality 8inch Suede gloves -regular \$1.78 value at

\$1.17 for the pair.

An odd lot, cheap because sizes are somewhat broken, fine French, 4-butten tans, browns and light colors, 37c the pair. We'll give you the mittenthe pair for 25c. Some have sold for 33c, others for 80c. They all go together, all sizes and styles for 23c.

Notions. End of Main Ables.

Several hints of our notion goodness

come and share the pleasure with us. Hints

that are broad-Ammonia, large bottles, He, Almond meal, 17c. Almond cream, 15c. Calder's Tooth Powder, 17c. Cream of Flowers, 15c. Castile soap, large bricks, 25c. Corset laces, 6 for 5c.
Crochet cetton, 3c.
English Tooth Powder, 17c.
Glycerine scap, per box, 15c.
Fine whisk brooms, 15c.
Jivenile scap, per box, 55c.
All French perfumes, per ounce, 25c.
Twin stays, 7c.
Hooks and eyes per card, 1c.
Velveteen facing, 19c.
Elegant music rells, 50c.
Fancy silk elastic, 15c, 25c.
Fancy such pins, 25c, 50c.
Hair pins, 1c ench.
Fancy stick pins, 10c each. Fancy stick pins, 10c each.

The Brownies -- they-'re all the rage. Every one wants 'em--we've got 'em, all styles, 3 for a quarter.

Mother Goose pins-they're the same price. The gents' furnishing man says there isn't a

weak spot in his underwear stock -- and you'll judge that he's right. Look at these 8 comprehensive ideas:

Left Main Entrance.

Men's royal ribbed shirts and drawers, in tan, and blue, at \$1.50 the suit.

Men's natural wool underwear in plain goods at \$1.50 the suit.

Men's heavy ribbed cotton garments for those who can't wear wool, \$1.00 the garments. ment.

Men's heavy ribbed scarlet underwean,
ine quality, medicated, at \$1.25 the garment.
Hoys' flannel shirts, 50c.
Men's heavy hose in tans and black, 1246.
Men's tan colored hose, 3 pairs for 25c.

Men's Teck Ties.

A beautiful assortment of them 23c. Gents' furnishing shops have to get BOc for 'em, Snug savings, these. Handkerchiefs.

Right Main Alsle.
Ladies' scallop embroidered handkerchiefs in white or colors, 8%c.
Ladies' printed border handkerchiefs, 5c.
Ladies' regular 25c fine embroidered of hemstitch, in white or colors, 19c.
Gents' colored border hemstitch handkerchiefs, at 8%c.
A nice assortment of gents' white of colored border handkerchiefs, 10c each. Right Main Aisle. Ladies scallop emi

Dress Trimmings. At Main Entrance.

Have you seen the French artist in one of our 16th windows? She makes all sorts of fancies in passamentaries. She's from Paris--can't may be seen Saturday,

On the inside all of the choice things in For the Children -- dress trimmings are offered at prices lower trimmings, don't put Children's white and the purchase off -- buy

now. Boys' Clothing.

Left Main Aisle.

We've some good news for you from this Dept. It's about overcoats. There are a nice selection of high grade goods that sold at \$10.00, \$12.00 and \$15.00; there are all sizes, colors, and styles -\$5.00 is the price Saturday -- come in the morning -- you won't find so many to select from later in the day. Special low prices on boys' suits, too. Take Off Dept.

Right Main Aisle.

Saturday, last day of the Dept. Everything that remains will be closed out at 18c-the goods are worth twothree--and four times

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