

HEAVY PASSENGER TRAFFIC

Local Railroads Size Up the Situation Just as it Stands.

STILL WAITING WORD FROM CHICAGO

No News Yet from the Western Passenger Association Meeting—Double-Header Trains the Usual Thing Out of Omaha.

While the passenger men in Omaha are waiting to learn the results of the conference of the Western Passenger Association in Chicago on the proposition to grant reasonable rates to this city during the remainder of the exposition, they have an opportunity to present conditions and speculate on the future. Omaha is represented at the meeting by General Passenger Agents Francis of the B. & M. and Buchanan of the Elkhorn, and the latter is also representing the Union Pacific.

The conference was called to order on Thursday morning and has been in session since then, except on Thursday evening. From time spent in conference without results, so far as is known here, it is presumed that the effort to secure better rates for Omaha is playing havoc with the association. Omaha passenger men still profess confidence that their present rates will be put into effect on or before September 1, no matter what action the association may take.

The splendid amount of travel that is coming in here every day now is sufficient to prove to many that the attendance at the exposition would be enormous if lower rates were named. Regular travel is very heavy, and it is hard work to secure a lower berth on any of the afternoon trains to Chicago on the same day that one is to travel.

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NO NEW FAST FREIGHT LINE.

Touted Combination Has Been in Active Operation Several Years. The report that there is to be a new fast freight line formed between Omaha and Chicago next month is pronounced a mistake by freight officials most competent to speak.

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Births—William Ambrust, 1841 Vinton, girl; Frank Lindberg, 2725 Seward, girl; Joseph Brown, 2322 Boulevard, girl; Bert Bush, 2031 Pinkney, boy; Martin Anderson, 3219 California, boy; J. H. Shields, 2888 Burdette, girl.

Deaths—Ellis, 4325 Charles, 20 months.

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Western and the Port Arthur route is a new thing is amply refuted by the statement that over 1,000 cars of hard coal alone were shipped in here last season over the combination of these two roads.

Editors Remember the Railroaders. ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Aug. 26.—All the principal officers of the Burlington's Missouri Lines have been present at the annual meeting of the Missouri Press association.

Railroad Notes and Personalities. E. S. Smith, contracting freight agent of the Memphis route in Kansas City, is visiting on the exposition for a few days.

Read every word of Hayden Bros' ad on page 5.

SIXTEENTH STREET VIADUCT

City Attorney and City Engineer Working on Plans for the Structure. At the next meeting of the city council City Attorney Connel will be prepared to introduce an ordinance declaring the necessity of constructing a viaduct across the railroad tracks on South Sixteenth street.

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Two Trains Daily for Denver. In addition to the magnificently equipped "City Special" leaving Omaha at 11:35 p. m. for Denver and Colorado Springs, the Union Pacific will run through Pullman Palace sleepers and chair cars to Denver via Julesburg on the "Fast Mail" which leaves Omaha at 4:35 p. m.

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MAN FROM IOWA HELD UP

Confidence Men and Footpads Combine to Rob One Exposition Visitor.

POLICE TRY TO SUPPRESS THE OCCURRENCE

Robbery Early in the Evening at Twenty-Seventh and Manderson—Other Thieves' Work Last Night.

W. H. Stuart Thursday was the victim of a holdup in the morning confidence game, about 8:30 p. m. Mr. Stuart was robbed of \$39.50, the entire amount which he had brought to view the exposition, on Twenty-seventh and Manderson streets.

He had never been in the city until Thursday morning, when he arrived from Moorhead, Minn. He spent the day at the exposition grounds, and at 8 o'clock was satisfied with the day's sight-seeing and started to look up a lodging.

The men walked west on Manderson street several minutes, and the landlord announced that they were on the point of reaching their destination when they encountered two men approaching from the opposite direction.

An effort was made at the station to suppress the news of the robbery, which was successful until the patrolman near the scene of the occurrence appeared at the station a few hours later.

A young man visiting in the city, was robbed of his watch in a wine room at a saloon at Fifteenth and Chicago streets by a woman who had coaxed him to enter it with her.

PLANS FOR MASK CARNIVAL

Executive Committee Issues a Public Invitation to All Who Wish to Join in the Occasion. From the preliminary plans for the Grand Carnival to be held upon the Grand Court of the exposition on Friday evening, September 2, it is believed the occasion will be one of the most enjoyable that has yet been provided.

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MORE OF POLICE STUPIDITY

Mrs. Morgan, Who Was Robbed by a Stanchpuser, is Sent to the Station Under Arrest. The lack of discrimination shown by the average police officer in making an arrest was seen in the arrest Thursday on the charge of drunkenness of Mrs. C. Morgan.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Trocadero opens the coming week with a matinee tomorrow, presenting another excellent array of vaudeville talent, made up of the following: Hewitz and Bowers, in a new act; Nilson's naval ballet; Sponeh and Gervall; classico musical artists; Kittle Leslie, singing soprano; Louise, sensational artist; Mile, Adele, shadowgraphist; Shafer and Govinal, operatic stars.

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A Final Word on Hot Weather Goods.

The daily arrival of great quantities of fall merchandise is here to induce the carrying away by fortunate buyers of the last remnants of summer fabrics.

White goods (checked muslins) 4 1/2 cents—nothing in the lot sold regularly under 12 1/2 cents.

MRS. MOLZAHN GETS BABY

Judge Baxter Decides the Habeas Corpus Case in Favor of the De Facto Mother.

In deciding who was the proper person to have the custody of the Molzahn baby Judge Baxter had to be something of a Solomon. The baby, Edward, is a 9 months old lad, with weakly constitution and a robust vocal apparatus, and its mother, Mary Molzahn of Council Bluffs, and its prospective father, George Lebo, of 415 South Fifteenth street, a little woman of much feeling, fought a battle of sobs and tears for its future possession.

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Grand Congress of FALL HATS.

Today The Nebraska offers for your criticism the most complete and comprehensive showing of fall hats ever exhibited at any one time in any one store. Tens of thousands of hats. No such hat stock has ever gathered together under any one roof before now.

Nebraska Clothing Co.

THE SEASON FOR PANTS

To piece out your coat and vest is here, and the place to buy them is where your money does just double service—Hayden Bros? You'll see below just what we promise and a visit to the store will demonstrate to you that all promises are fulfilled to the very letter.

You can buy a well made, good wearing, neat appearing pants for \$1.25 in this clearing sale. The same pants would regularly cost you \$2.50.

At \$1.95 you can select a pair of pants worth \$4, finely tailored, in fashionable fabrics—a genuine bargain.

Crash Suits and Pants, At One-Half Price—and Less. Crash suits at these prices are better investments than government bonds.

HAYDEN BROTHERS. Selling the Most Clothing in Omaha. Educational. Wentworth Military Academy. Oldest, largest and best equipped in central west.

Wentworth Military Academy. Government supervision. New buildings being erected. Students rejected last year for want of room.

SCOFIELD is selling \$1.50 shirt waists for 50 Cents. Linen Dress Skirts, 98c, \$1.95, \$2.95. Wrappers, 75c and Better. Just received—New Tailor-made Suits, New Black Taffeta Skirts, New Winter Wraps.

St. John's Military School. Col. Wm Verbeck Manlius, N. Y. DR. GREW, SPECIALIST. Treats all forms of DISEASES AND DISORDERS OF MEN ONLY.

