

BERRY'S NEW JURISDICTION

Chief Engineer of the Union Pacific Given Charge of Short Line.

LATEST ANNOUNCEMENT FROM SALT LAKE

Process of Assuming Control Begins to Assume More Definite Form and the Old Branch is Becoming Assimilated.

That the Union Pacific railroad is gradually securing control of the Oregon Short Line appears to be made more certain every day. The latest announcement along this line is the appointment of John B. Berry, chief engineer of the Union Pacific, as consulting engineer of the Oregon Short Line.

The appointment will be effective on November 15, but it has already been announced by General Manager Bancroft of the Oregon Short Line. Mr. Berry left here for the west in his private car on Friday, and it is thought he will be in Salt Lake City within a few days to assume formal charge of the engineering department of the Oregon Short Line.

ROCK ISLAND PASSENGER MEN.

J. L. DeLoe to Retire from the Service on December 1.

Further changes in the passenger department of the Rock Island road are announced. J. L. DeLoe, formerly stationed here and now general agent at Portland, Ore., will retire from the service on December 1. So will Phil Hupp, traveling passenger agent out of Chicago, also well known in Omaha.

The latter will be succeeded by Frank L. Miller, now city passenger and ticket agent at Lincoln, Neb. A. E. Cooper, now district passenger agent at Wichita, Kan., will go to Portland to succeed DeLoe.

Charles Kennedy, general eastern agent and formerly stationed in Omaha as general agent, will remain at his present position. It is a source of gratification to the Omaha patrons of the Rock Island that Charles A. Rutherford will remain here as general agent of the passenger department.

Will Discuss Redemption Now. SIOUX CITY, Nov. 12.—(Special.)—D. L. Plumer of Wausau, Wis., president of the Credits Commutation company, is in the city conferring with F. L. Eaton, general manager, on railroad matters. He will remain in the city several days, going over the affairs of the Sioux City, O'Neil & Western and Sioux City & Northern roads.

Iowa Central Doing Well. MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Nov. 12.—(Special.)—The statement of approximate earnings of the Iowa Central railway for the first week of November as issued by General Auditor Watson shows the earnings to have been \$49,965.56, as against \$38,587.69 for the same period last year, an increase of \$11,377.87.

QUEER CONDUCT OF CARROLL

Awkward Facts Regarding Official's Connection with Fight.

FATAL RING CONTEST BEING INVESTIGATED

Chief of Police Said to Have Taken Price for His Consent and to Have Acted as Sergeant-at-Arms.

The hearing of John C. Carroll, chief of police of South Omaha, who was charged with having aided in pulling off the Dupont-Walker prize fight in that city on the evening of October 22, was begun before Judge Baxter yesterday morning. Only three witnesses were examined and these contributed little in addition to evidence that has been previously made public.

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Eastbound Freight Shipments. CHICAGO, Nov. 12.—Eastbound shipments for the week ending November 10 were 97,505 tons, against 91,008 tons for the previous week, and 50,665 tons for the corresponding week last year, divided among the different roads as follows: Port Wayne, 15,000 tons; Michigan Central, 5,799; Washba, 3,367; Erie, 10,773; Panhandle, 17,357; Lake Shore, 14,720; Baltimore & Ohio, 11,385; Grand Trunk, 9,012; Nickel Plate, 3,769; Big Four, 1,684.

Railroad Notes. It is announced that the Burlington will build a brick freight depot at Kearney, Neb., to replace the frame structure that was burned last month.

Charles A. Rutherford, general agent of the Rock Island passenger department in this city, has returned from the conference of that line at Chicago headquarters.

M. P. Benton, general agent of the Burlington route at Seattle, and Mrs. Benton, who performed the post mortem examination that disclosed the cause of Walker's death. He testified that the dead man was badly bruised about the eyes, forehead and lips and had a severe contusion over the right ear.

O. B. Piper, the carpenter who put up the ring, testified in a general way to the circumstances of the fight, and that in his judgment Walker remained unconscious after it was over.

Several additional witnesses were called by the state at the afternoon-session, but their evidence merely related to the general features of the fight, which had been covered during the morning. The last witness was Andy Dupont, but as a question was raised in regard to his liability to incriminate himself he was excused.

OKLAHOMA GETS ITS REWARD

Exposition Starts a Great Influx of People to the Territory—Opinion of an Agent.

Edward Whitehead, who was connected with the Oklahoma exhibit during the exposition and who was subsequently appointed immigration agent for the Santa Fe road, came in from the south yesterday to remain in the city for several days.

FOR THE THIRD NEBRASKA Grand Army Men Plan to Give the Volunteers a Thanksgiving Dinner in Georgia.

Major Furay and other Grand Army men of the city have taken the matter in hand and have started a movement in Omaha that will enable the boys of the Third Nebraska regiment now stationed in the south to feel thankful on Thanksgiving day.

Commercial Club's Share. The Omaha Commercial club will hold its next meeting next Tuesday noon, at which time lunch will be served and the question of continuing the exposition over next year will come up for consideration.

OUR EASY TERMS

On a bill of \$200.00—\$1.00 per week or \$4.00 per month. On a bill of \$300.00—\$1.50 per week or \$6.00 per month. On a bill of \$400.00—\$2.00 per week or \$8.00 per month.

CROCKERY AND HOUSE-FURNISHING GOODS SALE

Beautiful Empire Toilet Sets—worth \$5.00—this week 2 10. 5-piece Dinner Sets, worth \$7.50—this week 4 85. Beautiful China—worth \$10.00—this week 4 9c. Barquet Lamps—worth \$2.50—this week 1 69. Blue Maslin Preserve Kettles—worth \$1.00—this week 5 9c. Blue Lava Tea Kettles—worth \$1.50—this week 5 5c. Lava Enamel Bread Raisers—worth \$1.50—this week 9 5c. Beautiful China Dish—worth \$0.75—this week 3 50. Handsome Pudding Dishes—worth \$0.50—this week 1 75.

STOVE DEPT

Laundry Stoves, worth \$5.00—this week 3 75. Parlor Cook Stoves, worth \$10.00—this week 5 75. All-Tight Heaters, worth \$5.00—this week 2 98. Base Burners, worth \$2.00—this week 1 75. Celebrated Star Steel Ranges, worth \$6.00—this week 2 97. Gasoline Stoves, worth \$4.00—this week 3 45. Oil Heaters, worth \$7.00—this week 4 25. Big Cook Stoves, worth \$25.00—this week 1 750.

SEWING MACHINE SALE

In this department we offer our high-grade Drop Head Sewing Machine called The Grand. It is a perfect machine in every respect, with which we give a 5-year written guarantee to do the work of any \$65 machine in the United States—this week 29 50.

TOYS WATCH FOR BIG OPENING IN OUR TOY DEPARTMENT

Blanket and Bedding Sale

Large size Comforts, good covering, well made—worth \$3.00—this week 1 75. Cotta Beds—worth \$2.00—this week 75c. Six-poum Pillows, well filled, with good ticking—worth \$2.00—this week 1 10.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEET

Settlement with the Iowa Brick Company the Main Feature of the Last Session.

Outside the allowance of a number of claims on reports of standing committees and the paying of the customary appropriation ahead of the meeting of the county board yesterday was not prolific of anything of importance. The appropriation sheets amounted to \$6,844.21 and included an estimate of \$2,548.90 to the Iowa brick company.

MATTERS IN DISTRICT COURT

Exposition Contempt Case Brings Out Interesting Information in Regard to an Attorney's Opinion.

The testimony of Marceus Zitoun was the main incident of the hearing of the exposition contempt case yesterday morning. Judge Scott did a little interrogating himself. He brought out of the witness a statement to the effect that the attorney, the general counsel of the exposition, had told him to not mind any orders from Judge Scott, as "Judge Scott was a fool," and to swear that the camels belonged to him, though they did not.

Hears of His Sister's Death.

Moses Sturman of this city received notice yesterday of the death of his sister, Mrs. Louis Gans of Brookline, Mass. Death was caused by hemorrhage of the brain. The deceased was a native of New York City, but had resided in the vicinity of Boston for the last twenty-three years, where she had endeavored herself to the community by reason of her many acts of kindness and charity. She was a well-to-do work among the poor people of the eastern cities and was instrumental in relieving the sufferings of many.

Lane's Victim May Die.

The case against Matthew Lane, the colored man who stabbed James Callahan, is still pending in the district court. Lane was indicted on the night of August 10 last, and was confined for the fifth time yesterday. Since the stabbing Callahan has been confined to his bed and is still there. There is a possibility that Lane may yet have to answer for his murder.

Big Carpet Sale

Door Mats, worth \$5.00—this week 2 5c. Lace Curtain Stretchers, worth \$2.00—this week 1 49. Handsome Velvet Carpets, with borders, worth \$1.50—this week 8 9c. Elegant Ingrain Carpets, worth \$5.00—this week 3 9c. Good Stair Carpets, worth 40c per yard, this week 1 2c. Heavy Linoleum, worth \$1.00—this week 4 9c. 7-foot Window Shades, worth \$1.00—this week 2 4c. 75 rolls China Matting, worth 40c—this week 1 5c. Carpet Sweepers, worth \$2.50—this week 2 24. Large Art Squares, worth \$2.00—this week 3 75. 100 Mosaic Brussels Carpets (100 Mosaic Brussels Carpets) at one-half regular price. This week 1 49.

Big Cloak Cape and Skirt Sale

Ladies' extra heavy saten undershirts thoroughly lined with deep corded rounee, lined throughout with flannel worth \$2.50—this week 1 47. Ladies' fine saten skirts, deep metallic flounce, cloth in all colors actually worth \$5.00—this week 1 93. Ladies' imported saten undershirts, deep roue of silk in stripe and plain effect in all colors, velvet bound and faced with seals, worth \$3.50—this week 4 49.

Furniture Dept.

Wardrobe, worth \$17.50—this week 9 25. Large book cabinet, worth \$15.00—this week 8 50. Baby carriages, worth \$12.00—this week 6 75. \$14 boards, worth \$5.00—this week 2 125. Extension table, worth \$17.00—this week 9 90. Mantel folding beds, worth \$12.00—this week 12 25. Polished oak center table, worth \$5.00—this week 3 50. Antique dressers, worth \$12.00—this week 6 75. Iron beds, brass trimmed, worth \$15.00—this week 4 80. Handsome chiffoniers, worth \$15.00—this week 9 65. Mahogany chamber suites, worth \$25.00—this week 49 00. Mahogany parlor suites, worth \$30.00—this week 32 50. Bed lounges, worth \$17.50—this week 9 65.

Trunks

Embossed metal corner trunks—fully equipped with rollers, good lock and strong handles—worth \$1.50—this week 2 25.

Valise Sale

Telescopes, worth \$6.00—this week 3 9c. Telescopes, worth \$1.00—this week 5 9c. Telescopes, worth \$1.50—this week 9 5c. Valises, worth \$1.50—this week 1 25. Valises, worth \$2.00—this week 1 25.

Cut Glass

Cut Glass Spoon, Trays, very heavy—worth \$2.00—this week 2 45. Cut Glass Sugar and Creamers—worth \$1.50—this week 6 75. Cut Glass Oil Bottles, worth \$5.00—this week 2 75. Cut Glass Water Bottles, worth \$5.00—this week 4 75.

Picture Frames and Mounting

6 1/2 feet imitation birdseye maple moulding, something new, worth 6c per foot—this week 8c. 20 feet large 4-inch gold furnished moulding, worth 25c per foot—this week 3c. 1 1/2 foot gold moulding in oak or mahogany—per foot—this week 5c. We make the above moulding up in any size frame desired—free of charge.

Grand Lace Curtain Sale

Beautiful muslin curtains, worth \$1.75 pair—this week 95c. Beautiful muslin curtains, worth \$2.50 pair—this week 1 29. Beautiful Nottingham lace curtains, worth \$3.50 pair—this week 1 49. Beautiful Nottingham lace curtains, worth \$3.50 pair—this week 1 65. Beautiful Nottingham lace curtains, worth \$3.50 pair—this week 1 69. Beautiful Nottingham lace curtains, worth \$3.50 pair—this week 1 95.

Big Book Sale

Presidential cook books, 400 pages, worth \$1.00—this week 2 9c. White House cook books, 475 pages, worth \$2.00—this week 95c. Americanized Encyclopedia, Britannica revised and amended, a dictionary of art, science and literature, to which is added biographies of living subjects, 26 colored maps and numerous illustrations, edited by W. H. DeFries, D. L. D., and a large corps of eminent writers, consisting of ten volumes nicely bound; these books have never sold less than \$5.00 a set; offer for this sale, complete set for \$12.50—\$1.00 down and \$1.00 set for 12 50.

Big Collarette Sale

Ladies' collarettes, without tails, worth \$1.50—this week 1 45. Ladies' collarettes, stone marten, all lined, with tails, worth \$1.50—this week 7 45. Ladies' fine electric seal collarettes, lined with Skinner's satin, in all shades, long in front, 14 inches long, trimmed with four clusters of marten tails and beads, very high storm collar, worth \$1.50—this week 7 75. Beautiful line of marten collars and stolls, worth \$1.50—this week 6 95, 9 87, 12 50 and 15 00 worth double.

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When the entire Sosnowski collection of RUSSIAN FURS is now offered—valuable Wild Beast Skins, RUSSIAN SABLES, SEAL SKINS and the skins of all rare animals can be found. Latest styles Jackets, Capes, Collarettes, Muffs, etc., are being sold at reasonable prices to dispose of this immense stock.

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