

PLANS FOR RETRENCHMENT

Economy is Now the Paramount Issue Among Big Railroads.

AUDITOR GEORGE T. KLINK EXPLAINS

Community of Interests Shows How it is Possible to Lop Off Numerous Heads and Still Keep Business Going.

George T. Klink, general auditor of the Southern Pacific railway, who is now in Omaha attending a conference of auditors, gives considerable credence to the reported reduction of expenses in all departments of railroading, which, it is said, will be the chief result of the recent and universal establishment of "community of interest" in these properties.

This idea is the latest version of the "probable results" stories which have appeared so frequently and in such quantities since the general pooling of railroads throughout this country became an acknowledged fact. That the heads of the combinations are timing straight in reduction of expenses all along the line through definite channels of procedure is the theory which is now being widely agitated.

The system is completely mapped out by the prognosticators and the exact course which the pruning will take is cut and dried in advance. It is asserted that four departments of railroading will be operated upon in this manner. They are the traffic department, the executive department, the operating department and the business office section. Economy will be visited upon these different divisions in different degrees, but tending in all to the same end, the lessening of the staff of officials and employees and the abolition of separate operations for the different member lines of the same system in all departments named.

Will Move Slowly.

That the movement will be slow is admitted, but none the less certain. Many other complications and phases resulting from the new conditions of operation of the lines will occupy the major portion of the attention of the men who are behind the consolidations for a time, and have done so during the period of almost two years since the time the pooling began. But the economical features have been always in sight and the magnates are devoting more and more of their time to a study of ways and means that will accomplish results along this line.

It is said that on the traffic side the change will come in the nature of whole-sale removal of traveling freight agents, of all fast freight service and of the expensive freight associations which now watch over this division of the business. In the operating and executive departments the merging of the powers and duties of several high officials holding similar positions on different roads of the same pool into the hands of one is asserted to be imminent. Here also a large reduction of the working staffs would result. The last change forecasted is the bunching of agents in big cities and a certain combination in other, thus eliminating a large part of a vast item of expenditure. It is said that eventually the four separate offices of the Hill-Morgan lines in Chicago and six of the Vanderbilt roads will be found consolidated, all business being done from the one head.

Mr. Klink is Nonguine.

Mr. Klink is sanguine that a portion of these alterations so confidently promised will come to pass. He thinks it the most reasonable thing in the world that the big centered interests should look toward economy. But he will not admit that any such move will be carried to the extent of doing away with any important offices or officers now extant, or increasing the business burdens of others.

"I think it very probable that some expenses will be cut," said Mr. Klink. "There is every opportunity for doing so. But this saving will be accomplished in the traffic department. That would be a most logical and feasible place in which to set such principles in operation, and for this reason: Before the establishment of the community of interests and ownership the roads were competing, one against the other. They had many men out representing their traffic departments and fighting for the business. Now these same lines are pooled and it would be obviously inconsistent and useless for them to solicit business competitively, especially at an extra expense to themselves.

"In the traffic department, then, it will be easy to economize, but I do not believe that the operating or executive divisions of the work will be affected. Before the consolidations every head and high official in those lines had practically all the work he could well handle and I do not see how he could be expected to do more now.

No Change in Heads.

"Nor will the roads ask him to. Of course I do not mean to say that such a merging would be impossible, for it could be done. But railroads think too much of their presidents and managers and are too glad to have their services to make any such change as that. These men work hard enough now and their lines know they do."

The amount of responsibility and labor

"Go West,

Ranch it and rough it and you'll soon get rid of that weak chest and that hacking cough. That is what the doctor said to a young married man with a wife and child to care for and a modest salary to support them. He couldn't go west. Love and duty tied him to his dead in the city.

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which would be upon the shoulders of a man at the head of several roads in such a capacity can hardly be overestimated. When one considers what a vast territory is covered by even two roads this can be understood. They may extend through entirely different parts of the country and in a score of different states, all with different laws, etc. The diversity alone would be a difficult obstacle for one man to overcome.

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Seasonable Fashions



Woman's Fancy Blouse, No. 3868. To Be Made With Full Length or Elbow Sleeves—The fancy blouse with accessories of lace and the like is essential to correct formal dress and fills an important place in the well-kept wardrobe. This charming and stylish model has the merit of suiting both the entire costume and the odd fabric. As shown, it is of white basiste, with cream glossy lace and black velvet ribbon, held by small jeweled buttons, but the design lends itself to silk and soft wool fabrics as well as to all the dainty cottons and linens with equal success.

The foundation is a fitted lining that closes at the center front. On it are arranged the round yoke, the full under-proportion and the graceful bertha. The yoke closing at the left shoulder extends to form a narrow vest that closes under the left front. The sleeves are in elbow length, terminating with flaring cuffs, but can be extended to the hands, as shown in the small sketch.

To cut this blouse for a woman of medium size, 1 1/2 yards of material 21 inches wide, 1 1/2 yards 27 inches wide, 1 1/2 yards 32 inches wide or 1 1/2 yards 44 inches wide will be required, with 3/4 yard of allover lace and 10 yards of velvet ribbon to trim as illustrated.

The pattern 3868 is cut in sizes for a 32, 34, 36, 38 and 40-inch bust measure. For the accommodation of The Bee's readers these patterns, which usually retail at from 25 to 40 cents, will be furnished at a nominal price, 10 cents, which covers all expense. In order to get any pattern enclosed 10 cents, give number and name of pattern wanted and bust measure. Allow about ten days from date of your letter before beginning to look for the pattern. Address Pattern Department, Omaha Bee.

GOLD MEDAL FOR DAN DAVIS

Humane Society Awards Badge of Honor to Police Sergeant.

ACTIVITY IN FINDING VIOLATIONS

Humane Society Encounters Difficulty in Securing Convictions and Sergeant Davis Renders Material Assistance—Offer Renewed.

H. S. Mann, secretary of the Forest Law Cemetery association, has in his possession a fine gold medal, designed for presentation by the Nebraska Humane society to Sergeant Daniel E. Davis of the police force. During the year 1900 the society had suspended at the police station an announcement that it would bestow a gold medal upon the officer who should do something about the greatest number of convictions for offenses against the humane laws of the state, which laws are designed for the discouragement of cruelty to animals, women and children.

The society experienced some difficulty in securing the data upon which to make the bestowal, and out of its effort in that direction arose the troubles of Oscar Karbach, late Bertillon officer at the headquarters of the chief of police. When the society applied to Chief Donahue for a statement of the number of arrests under the humane law, the chief requested Karbach to compile the desired information. His failure to comply with this request was one of the causes which resulted in his suspension.

It has been ascertained that Sergeant Davis was entitled to the trophy, which will be presented in a day or two, probably by Dr. George L. Miller, president of the humane society. It is a medallion encircled by a heavy band, and is suspended from a bar pin which bears the name of the recipient. Upon the face of the medal is engraved the monogram of the society, encircled by the name in full, "Nebraska Humane Society for the Prevention of Cruelty." On the reverse side of the medal is the inscription, "Awarded to Daniel E. Davis, sergeant of police, Omaha, Neb., for making the largest number of arrests resulting in convictions during the year ending July 1, 1901."

HORSES WEAR STRAW HATS

Equines Seek Shelter from Sun's Fierce Rays in Chicago—More Warm Weather in Store.

"It is so hot in Chicago that many of the dray horses are wearing straw hats," said F. E. Kingsbury, who returned Wednesday from the Illinois city. "Drivers have provided their horses with a straw hat covering, which looks something like a hat. It has holes in it for the ears and is fastened on by a strap underneath the throat. The heat in Chicago is unbearable. Among the high buildings the air is stilling and coming in the parks the heat is oppressive. Women and children through the parks during the entire day. Breezes from the lake are the only salvation for the people who live in the heart of the city and these can be had only where there are breathing places."

The evidence gathered at the weather office yesterday morning gave no hope of immediate relief. There is less of the potent element of humidity mixed up in the atmosphere, however, and, although the temperature is considerably higher than yesterday, there is no greater suffering. The

temperature at 2 o'clock, 92 degrees, was not as appreciable to those who could walk on the shady side as the score of 85 degrees on the day before.

The continued deaths and prostrations in the east bid fair to continue for several days, as the decrease in temperature this morning was only about three degrees. The conditions are such that as high a score as yesterday is expected during the afternoon.

FIELDS RIPE FOR HARVEST

Small Grain is Safe in Northeast Nebraska—Prospects Better Than Ever Before Known.

State Senator W. W. Young of Stanton, Neb., is in the city and will leave in a few days, accompanied by his wife, for the Buffalo exposition, following with a tour of the St. Lawrence and southward to Boston. Senator Young has one of the best farms in northeastern Nebraska. "If it farmers had complete control over sun and rain," said Senator Young, "they could not have made an adjustment more favorable for crops. Moisture has succeeded heat in a way to bring about ideal crop conditions. I have never seen more fair prospects anywhere for an abundant harvest."

"We regard wheat and other small grain beyond the reach of harm, but there is still a chance for damage to corn. The only crop failure we ever had in northeast Nebraska was in 1891, when the outlook in July 15 was as good as it is today. I had 300 acres in corn that year and I gathered just 300 bushels. There is very little chance for hot winds in our section, however, as the rivers are running full. When a hot wind strikes the inverted cone of vapor which arises from the Platte, for example, it is modified into a salubrious breeze. Our vicinity has protection of this sort from the Missouri, the Platte and the Elkhorn."

Other state politicians, among whom were State Chairman Harry Lindsay and Vice Chairman Frank H. Young, rallied upon Senator Millard. The legislative officials are engaged in routine business of party organization.

WILL TALK OF IRELAND

Rev. Eugene Sheehy of Limerick Will Deliver an Illustrated Lecture in Omaha.

Rev. Eugene Sheehy of Limerick, Ireland, is visiting friends in this city on his return from a western trip. Father Sheehy will deliver his illustrated lecture on "A Tour Through Ireland" at the Creighton Orpheum on July 21. The affair will occur under the auspices of the Irish society for the benefit of Father Sheehy's parish. The scenic and historical points of interest will be displayed.

TO REPRESENT NEBRASKA

Teachers from Omaha and Other Points Will Go to Detroit.

Several hundred Nebraska educators will leave Omaha July 6 for Detroit, where the National Educational association meets this year. County Superintendent E. J. Bodwell, Superintendent Pearce of the city schools and Principal A. A. Waterhouse of the High school, the Misses Neva Shipperd, Maud Shipperd, Cordelia Johnson and Ella Thornage are among the Omaha people who will attend. Many teachers in the city schools who are now at eastern resorts will go to Detroit to attend the meeting.

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their mines of jewels and gold? We answer with the exhaustless bonanzas of California, Colorado, Dakota and New Mexico, where mountains of gold and silver ore challenge the skies and where the ceaseless thunder of the Japanese greatest bullion mine with its shafts in the yam wai near the Rocky mountain grizzly bear. Do they rave of the harvest fields of Germany and Britain and the vine-clad hills of France? We answer them with the heat in the soil and climate as varied as the tastes of men and with capacities for production as boundless as the needs of men, yielding everything cereal, vegetable, animal, textile and mineral, agricultural, horticultural, geological, zoological, anatomical, pictorial and ornithological, ovine, bovine, caprine, equine and asinine (the last including most of our alleged statesmen), that all the wants of all the races, tribes, creeds and languages of earth can ever require. The sun in heaven, in all the morning rounds since the evening and all the night, never looked down upon a more magnificent domain—a field, an arid, glorious half-world, grand in all its properties and endlessly diversified, rich and gorgeous in all its adornments, resting like a vast emerald breast upon the bosom of the four great oceans. It is the broadest land ever given to any people, the greatest and the most varied in its productions and the most unlimited in its capabilities and its future.

"Where is all this gigantic growth and development to end? Will not the close of our century see all North America, from Bering strait to the Isthmus of Panama, under our glorious free government and tri-colored flag? Will not the mystical figures, 'A. D. 1900, find us all Canadians, United States, Mexicans, Guatemalans and Nicaraguans brothers and friends and fellow citizens marching beneath the stately banner of the free and the brave, to a grand common destiny of illimitable wealth and power and renown? Then shall Columbia proudly proclaim, withering no doubt, 'The world is ours, and we are here to stay.'"

"Do other lands boast of their great rivers? We could take up all their Nile and Thames, their yellow Tibers, castled Rhines and beautiful blue Danubes, by their banks and shores, and empty them into our majestic Mississippi, Missouri, Amazon, Saskatchewan and De la Platas, without making rise enough to lift an Indian nation off a sandbar. Do they brag of their seas and lakes? We could spill all their puny Caspian and Azov, their Dead Sea, Nyanzas and Maggiores, into our mighty Superior, Michigan, Erie and Ontario, and scarce produce a ripple on their pebbled banks to wash away the eighteen-inch 'footprints on the sands of time' left by the fairy-like slippers of St. Louis or Chicago girls. Do they prate of their romantic scenery? We have a thousand jewel-like lakes that would make all their vaunted Somos, Geneva and Killarney hide their faces in a veil of friendly fog. The thunder of our Niagara cataracts, boundless oceans of billow verdure, verdant to insipidity the most famous scenes of Switzerland and Italy, eclipse the wonders and glories of the Arabian Nights and defy all the skill of poet's pen and artist's pencil to depict the varied atoms of their sublimity and their loveliness. Do they prate about their Astnas and Vesuviuses? With our noses turning somersaults of ineffable contempt clear over our heads, we thunder forth our Cotopaxi, Popocatepetis, Chimborazos and a score of other jaw-breakers which alone are ever too huge for common tongues.

"Do other lands and nations talk of

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MAYOR ASKED TO INTERFERE

Board of Street Fair Protests Against Gambling Resorts and Fake Shows.

The Board of Control of the South Omaha street fair waited upon Mayor Kelly yesterday to protest against the mushroom settlement of gambling resorts and freak shows which has sprung up under the stimulus of the fair. The management pointed out that the multitude of skin games was throwing discredit upon the fair and in addition upon the city at large. Mayor Kelly was unwilling to promise that the objectionable resorts would be entirely dispensed with, but gave assurance that they would be "modified." George Parks, speaking for the fair management, replied that such an arrangement was not satisfactory. He said that unless the joints were closed front and rear legal action would be taken to bring about the desired result. The management has given the mayor a few hours grace in which to carry out its request.

The chief feature of yesterday's program was a parade by the concessionaires, who showed up with gaudy raiment and tinkling cymbals.

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HENNINGS' TAX SUGGESTION

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