

LOOK FOR GRAIN RATE WAR

Western Freight Officials Prepare for Sharp Conflict This Fall.
DUE TO HILL'S CUT IN SHIPPING PRICES

Missouri River-Chicago Lines Will Combine to Fight Northwesterners and Keep Grain from Going Through Duluth.

A lively fight among western railroads over grain rates between transmissour river territory and Chicago is likely to ensue as a result of the heavy cut made by the Hill line in grain rates from the northwest.

To head off such a scheme officials of western lines have been in conference for several days and a desperate effort is under way to check it. At a meeting of officials in Chicago Thursday night the satisfactory terms were agreed on and there is no restraining action now for fear that no restraining action can be devised.

Rates Now in Effect. At present there is a proportional rate of 8 cents on grain from Omaha to St. Louis and 9 cents to Chicago, and a proportional of 7 and 8 cents from Kansas City to St. Louis and Chicago, respectively.

General Freight Agent Crosby of the Burlington & Missouri River has gone to Chicago to endeavor through higher officials of the Burlington to bring about some action that will maintain the rates and prevent another slump.

The general impression is that before the western lines will submit to Hill's diverting the bulk of grain which usually goes into Chicago to Duluth, they will make a horizontal reduction in rates to Chicago.

On this point a stubborn battle is looked for, but it is believed that with all the western lines that do not enter the northwest arrayed together against the Northern Pacific and Great Northern and the Milwaukee meeting Hill's exact figures for the great Minnesota magnet may not have altogether smooth sailing.

We are engaged in the most extensive colonization scheme in the San Joaquin valley which that great homesteaders' country has ever seen.

SUSPENDS PATROLMAN FILIP

Sergeant Complains to Chief that Officer Goes Off Post Without Permission.

Patrolman V. Filip was suspended from the police force Thursday night by Sergeant Hudson, who said that Filip was absent from his post at the gate of the Union Pacific yards at Thirteenth and Webster streets for about thirty-five minutes, without permission.

SAYS PEARL IS A BAD BOY

J. T. Lyons Wants Deputy County Attorney to Prosecute Son for Incurability.

J. T. Lyons and his wife again attempted to get Deputy County Attorney Abbott to file a charge of incurability against their son, Pearl Lyons, and were again unsuccessful.

HEADACHE

Powders, Pills and Tablets may temporarily relieve the pain, but

PROSPECTS FOR SETTLEMENT

Report that President Burt is About Ready to End Strike.
STRIKERS PREPARING FOR COLD WEATHER

Although Men Would Not Be Surprised by Early Settlement of Trouble They Are Arranging for Long Siege.

The report from Cheyenne that President Burt had written to certain state officials of Wyoming signifying his willingness to enter into plans contemplating a settlement of the strike on the Union Pacific is received in local strike circles as authoritative, though no actual confirmation can be offered.

Strikers were made for a week that scarcely any additions would be made for a long time in connection with the reported intention of settling the strike. On the other hand, the officials treat all such reports with indifference, implying their ability to endure conditions for an indefinite period.

INSPECTING CUSTOMS OFFICE

Colonel Montgomery of St. Louis Looks Into Affairs of Port of Omaha.

The office of the collector of customs of the Omaha port is being examined by Colonel L. M. Montgomery of St. Louis, assisted by Colonel E. Polk Johnson of New Orleans. The port is in the district of St. Louis, which is one of the departments under the New Orleans office, and each year an inspector from the New Orleans office casts the inspector in charge of the St. Louis district in making the examination.

ARE ON AN EQUAL FOOTING

Omaha and Kansas City as to Excursion Rates for Fall Festivals.

Some controversy having arisen over the relative advantages between the excursion rates for the Ak-Sar-Ben festivities in Omaha and the Priest of Falias in Kansas City inquiry was made at local passenger offices which proves that Omaha and Nebraska are given equal favors with Kansas City and tributary points.

OBSERVES CITY CONDITIONS

City Engineer Rosewater Talks of His Trip to Canadian Municipalities.

City Engineer Andrew Rosewater returned home yesterday morning after a two weeks' trip with Mrs. Rosewater and their son Stanley to Canada by way of the lakes, and has much that is interesting to tell regarding his tour, particularly in the line of comparison between Omaha and some of the Canadian cities.

DOG FUND RUNNING SHORT

After First of September Unlicensed Canines May Wander at Will.

Present indications are that after September 1 dogs licensed and unlicensed will be permitted to wander at will through the streets of Omaha. The fund provided for carrying on the work of catching and killing unlicensed dogs is nearly exhausted and in the depleted condition of the general fund of the city treasury it is doubtful if any way can be found to replenish it.

MEN AND BIG BOYS

Buy your shoes of the exclusive men's shoe store.

CONTRACT FOR STREET SIGNS

As Soon as it is Executed Work of Marking Streets Will Begin.

City Attorney Council has drawn the form of contract to be executed between the city and the Western Anchor Fence company for the new street signs throughout the city.

MRS. POOR COMES TO OMAHA

Victim of Hallucination that Some One with Murderous Intent Follows Her.

Mrs. Charles S. Poor, formerly of this city, and who during the last year has attracted considerable newspaper notoriety by being the victim of a hallucination that someone was following her in order to take her life, is again in Omaha.

ROOSEVELT CLUB MEETING

Constitution and Bylaws to be Adopted and Preenact Committees Named.

The Roosevelt club will meet at Idlewild hall Saturday night and will adopt constitution and bylaws as well as form its working committee of two members from each voting precinct in the Sixth ward.

ST. CECILIA'S LAVA SOCIAL

All preparations are completed for the annual lava social of St. Cecilia's parish, which will be held this evening at the Lawn of Bishop Skene at Thirtieth and Cummins streets.

THE PERIL OF OUR TIME

Is lung disease. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds cures lung trouble on pay 50c, 75c, 1.00.

BEATS AUTOMOBILE RECORD

LONDON, Aug. 22.—C. Jarrot, the auto-mobilist, at Welford today did a kilometer (about 1,000 yards) with a flying start, in 13 1/2 seconds and beat the record. He is second, recently made by W. E. Vanderbilt, Jr., in France.

BRANDEIS BOSTON STORE & SONS Embroidery Sale. Still Another Mighty Embroidery Sale. Never before have we shown such remarkable values. 3,000 SAMPLE PIECES OF EMBROIDERY. At 3/4c, 5c, 10c, 15c and 25c a Yard.

Another Big Tumble. Saturday, all day, your choice will be unrestricted to any shirt waist in the house. All our \$2.50 Waists. All our \$2.00 Waists. All our \$1.45 Waists. Out they go at 90 cents. Shirts that sold for \$1.75 on sale Saturday 90c.

Special Sale for Special Occasion—School Opening. Lullabration Bazaar. NEW LOCATION—1516 DOUGLAS—NEW LOCATION.

Does Your Boy Wear Shoes? If he does and he is as lively as the average boy, it costs you many a dollar to keep his little toes covered up.

The Cooling Influence of a Glass of Beer. On a hot day cannot be overestimated, especially when it is a glass of pure and invigorating Metz beer.

Metz Bros. Brewing Co. Tel. 119, Omaha. Or Jacob Neumayer, Agt., care Neumayer Hotel, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

J.P. Those suffering from weakness which sap the pleasures of life should take a dollar bottle of J.P. One bottle will tell a story of marvelous results and create profound wonder.

Men and Big Boys. Buy your shoes of the exclusive men's shoe store. Price is the same always. \$3.50 and \$2.50. "ONIMOD" Regent Shoe Co. 205 South 15th St.

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