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ROCK ISLAND MAN ASKS FOR MORE TIME

Union Pacific Representative Unable to Separate Stock Values of Main Line from that of Subsidi-

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, May 31 - (Special.) Questions propounded to Tax Commissioner J. T. Maher of the Rock Island railroad by the members of the State Board of Equalization this morning brought forth the information that the Rock Island, incorporated under the laws of New Jorsey, was in the nature of a corporation not unlike the Northern Securities company. The question was asked Mr. Maher direct by Treas urer Mortensen, and the evasive answer was that "It is a corporation organized to hold the stock of some other corporations and its three corporations." By questioning the tax commissioner further learned

Island roads, together with the

The board sent for Mr. Maher because the Rock Island is incorporated as the Rock Island in New Jersey, Chicago, Rock Island Railroad company, and the Chicago, Rock Island Railway company, incorporated under the lowa-lilinois laws, and it desired to know under what road the returns were made to Nebraska. At the beginning of the nearing Governor Mickey administered to Mr. Muher the oath that he would "tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth." Whether the Maher was very undecided about most of the questions put to him and asked that he be given time to look up the answers. This time was granted and he agreed to come Pacific on a stock and bond basis would be back to Lincoln next Saturday with the information wanted. The questions to be

Frisco and the Rock Island in Texas.

What is the value of the \$74,000,000 can Italization" and "How much was the capital stock of the company increased when it Northern road?" Mr. Maher said he could board and report next Saturday.

Maher in Sweatbox. The board assumed the nature of a real board of inquisition this morning, and after Mr. Maher had taken the oath he was put through an examination equal to the sweat box. He told that the Rock Island in Texas

ASTHMA CAN BE CURED Br. L. D. Enost, Lebauon, Ky.; Dr. F. E. Brown. Primghar. Iowa, Br. J. C. Curryer, St. Paul, Minn. Br. M. L. Craffey, St. Louis, Mo.; Dr. C. F. Beard, So. Framingham, Mass. bear witness to the efficacy of his treatment and the permanency of the curo in their own cases. Dr. Whetrel's new method is a radical departure from the old fashloned own cases. Dr. Whetrel's new method is i radical departure from the old fashioned smoke powders, sprays, etc., which relieve but do not cure.

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Nebraska. It was the same way with the road's business done in Oklahoma and Inconcerned, for Mr. Maher stated that none of the business done in those territories came through Nebrasks, and therefore it was not within the jurisdiction of Nebraska to consider it in making up the assessment. Then Mr. Maker explained the three different organizations of his system, and in answer to questions stated that since the New Jersey corporation had been formed no stock had been on the market. Mr. Maher was then asked if he would take Clews' reports for the valuation of the capitalization, and he said he would not,

This afternoon Mr. Scribner and Mr. Stebbens of the Union Pacific were put on the rack by the board in an endeavor to find the value of the stocks and bonds that apply to the Union Pacific proper. The capitalization of the company, as shown in the report, refers to the Union Pacific and its auxiliary lines, and Mr. Scribner told the board that inasmuch as the stocks were interchangeable and Union Pacific stock of the other companies he did not see how the capitalization could be divided up. that the Rock Island, incorporated in New Most of the afternoon was taken up with a comparison of the report of the company and Poor's manual, Mr. Mortensen holding the manual and asking the questions.

but would find the value for the board, and

Mr. Scribner will conclude his examina tion tomorrow and the session in all probability will result in a split in the board on the matter of the value of the stocks and bonds of the Union Pacific proper. Mr. Scribner argued, and he undoubtedly has a portion of the board with him, that the mileage of the Oregon Short Line and the Oregon Navigation company be divided into the capitalization of the company to find the valuation per mile, instead of dividing the amount by the mileage of the Union oath had anything to do with it or not Mr. Pacific proper, 2,963 miles. The mileage, including the other lines, amounts to some 6,000 miles. Using the lesser mileage, as advocated by Mr. Mortensen, the Union

University Fair Train. A special train will leave Lincoln at 7 : m. for St. Louis over the Burlington and return over the Missouri Pacific July 2 for the benefit of the University faculty, students and their friends. The train will not answer those questions, but that he fly the university colors and the university would gladly look the matter up for the people are making preparations to have it a long one well filed. The entire cost of transportation, board and admittance to the exposition grounds to those who register at the university summer school will be 315, the cost to the promoters.

valued at \$51,046 a mile.

Governor Mickey returned this morning from Kearney, where he went to spend Sunday at the Industrial school. He reported everything there in shipshape order and the inmates doing well.

Eight students in science at the State iniversity have been elected to the society of Sigma XI. They are: L. W. Chase, J. B. Davidson, Alvin Keyser, R. E. Noyes, W. D. Pierce, F. J. Prichard, E. L. Thomas of university work.

Bankers' Convention. At the meeting of group 1 of the Ne-branka Bankers' association, to be held in Nebraska City Wednesday, May 35, a number of Lincoln men will be represented in the program. S. H. Burnham, president of pending further examination. the First National bank, is on the list of speakers at the banquet to be given in the evening and W. B. Byons, assistant cashier of the Columbia National, will read his business meeting of the Nebraska confer-

McGrew, formerly a resident of Lincoln, while he was bank examiner, is on the dian Territory insofar as Nebraska was program for a paper, and many of the other bankers are well known in this city.

> Memorial Day Order. Department Commander Bross of the Grand Army of the Republic has issued the following Memorial Day order: The special attention of all posts within the department is called to General Order the department is called to General Order No. 11 of my predecessor in regard to proper observance of Memorial Day, and of united worship on Memorial Sunday, All posts are enjoined to do their utmost to discourage all desecration of Memorial Day, and make it in deed and truth memorial to our patriotic dead.
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> Post chaplains are again reminded of the necessity of making prompt and full returns in regard to their observance.

Spoils an Elopement, By the interference of the police tonigh at the instance of Mrs. George Miller of Council Bluffs, an elopement, in which her husband was to be the star participant, was frustrated and Miller and Mrs. Babe Smith, the woman in the case, are in jail. Miller came to Lincoln some weeks ago. after having left his wife in Council Bluffs. the followed him and the two made up ler learned her husband was spending his time with Mrs. Smith, a woman of the bottoms. Tonight she tracked him there and then called the police. Miller had taken his clothes to the Smith house and the had been packed in Mrs. Smith's trunk. which was locked, according to the police, preparatory to the elopement of the couple. Miller is held under a charge of wife desertion.

Shirt-Tail Parade of Students.

Tonight was the annual shirt-tail parade participated in by the university students Numbering about 300 they marched through the streets and hotels. The only damage done was at the Oliver theater, where they compelled a minstrel troupe to ring down the curtain and quit business. No serious got on the street car track and for a mo ment refused to allow the cars to move Sergeant McWilliams happened along and the whole line made way, doubtless remembering their experience with the Collins Carnival company last year.

TECUMSEH, Neb., May 28.-(Special.)-Sheriff W. H. Cummings was this morning in the freight yards waiting to take a train to Table Rock when a couple of fellows approached him, not knowing that he was an officer, and asked him if he wanted to buy a knife. The sheriff dis-

played a desire to buy, but said the knife offered did not just suit him. Accordingly the fellows produced a number of knives in an endeavor to close a sale. The sheriff placed the men under arrest and escorted them to the county jail. Upon being searched they had a dozen pocket knives, all new, some razors, one or two watches and a great number of keys on their persons. The sheriff is of the opinion they have robbed some store and is holding them on suspicion. The men did not give their names.

The men were put in the sweat box before County Attorney J. C. Moore tonight and Murtin Ware. The society is devoted and gave their names as Charles Williams to' scientific inquiry and its members are and Frank Klein, and said they were carchosen for distinction in some such branch riage painters and came from Des Molnes later from Kansas City. They said they found the goods, which consisted of nine new pocket knives, a razor, two watches. pockethook, keys, etc., under a pile of ties at Fulls City yesterday. The officers do not believe their stories. They are beld

Omaha Men as Officers WAUSA, Neb., May 23 - (Special)-At the paper on "Diligence," that created such ence of the Swedish Lutheran church held

Rev. P. M. Lindberg of Omaha; vice president, A. G. Becklund of St. Edwards; secretary, E. G. Chindlund of Lincoln; treasurer, J. S. Halgrin of Omaha. The conference April next year.

LABORER SHOT BY BRAKEMAN

Men Show Fight When Trainmen Order Them Out of Car. SIDNEY, Neb., May 23.-(Special Tele gram.)-Peter Liaels of Kansas City, a Greek, formerly employed on the Union Pacific railroad, was shot in the stomach at poon today one mile west of Lodge Pole by F. D. Curan, a brakeman running between North Platte and Bidney.

A Union Pacific freight train in charge of Conductor George Smith was pulling out of Lodge Pole, when a small boy standing near the train informed the conductor that a large crowd of Greeks had boarded one car, stealing a ride. Brakemen C. McNeal and Curan went forward and ordered them off, but the five Greeks run the brakemen off the train at the point of a pistol, at the same time firing pistol at McNeal. The bullet lodged in the forward end of the car. Then Curan pulled his pistol and endeavored to shoot one of the Greeks in the leg, but instead the builet lodged in the stomach

The wounded man was taken to Lodge Pole and placed in care of the Union Pacific surgeon, Dr. Yarletz. The bullet was extracted, but the chances are the shot will prove fatal. One of the Greeks being interviewed says that they boarded the train for the purpose of going to Cheyenne and that they offered the brakeman 50 cents to take them as far as Sidney, but the brakeman demanded \$1. They were then ordered off by the brakeman, but refused to go until Curan shot brought their wounded comrade to Lodge

Deputy County Attorney Gapen left here this evening to take the ante-mortem deposition of the wounded man. Curan and children are hers. McNeal are both here and will remain here until a full investigation is held. They are not yet under arrest.

Polk County Democratic Meet. OSCEOLA, Neb., May 21 .- (Special.) -- The democrats met in mass convention at the court house here Saturday afternoon. They had thoroughly advertised the meeting, but when it came to counting noses there were all told sixteen of them. They were as enthusiastic in their convention and passed the usual democratic resolutions, as though they were the only persons in the county. They called to the chair Gurley Green, and Conrad Thelan of Shelby was secretary The following were selected to the state

Cured to Stay Cured. Mrs. S. T. Roberts. Clinton. La., sent a postal card request for a trial bottle of Drake's Palmetto Wine to Drake Formula Company. Drake Hlock. Chicago, Ili. and received it promptly by return mail without expense to her. Mrs. Roberts writes that the trial bottle of this wanderful Palmetto Medicine proved quite sufficient to completely cure her. She says: "One trial bottle of Drake's Palmetto Wine has cured me after months of intense suffering. My trouble was Inflammation of Bladder and serious condition of Urinary organs. Drake's Palmetto Wine gave me quick and entire relief and I have had no trouble since using the one trial bottle."

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QUIZZING THE TAX ACENTS operated exclusive of the corporation and favorable comment at the meeting of group here today the following officers were convention, which meets in Omaha on June that it was not necessary to report it to 2, held in Lincoln two weeks ago. C. F. chosen for the ensuing year; President, I: Colonel George W. West. W. S. Austin an appreciative audience to listen to the George Brophy, Charles Riesdorph, Charles Krumbach, Conrad Thelan, G. W. Green, Henry Burritt, G. R. McCoy, Dr. J. C. Woodward, Hubert Thelan and Ed Thompwill meet at Oakland the latter part of son. The same were selected to the congressional convention for the Fourth dis-

Arrests Men for Violating Game Law and is Himself Arrested. PENDER, Neb., May 23.-(Special Telegram.)-At Wakefield lake, nine miles northwest of here, yesterday the game warden, James Reed, from Wakefield, discovered a seine in the lake near where Dick Bintgen, H. Groswode and John Petershogen were fishing. Reed approached them, demanding their arrest and drew a gun on Petershogen and compelled him to give up all the money on his person, amounting to \$15, when they agreed to come to Pender this morning, each paying fines and costs amounting to \$81.

Warden Reed was arrested today by William Meyer of this place, charged with indecent language and threatening to shoot. Mr. Meyer, William Cordes, Ben Bucklon and wife were a party out riding, looking at some horses in a pasture near the lake when Reed came upon them, insulting the party, it is alleged. Another warrant will be sworn out, charging Reed with highway robbery. These parties all claim innocence involving the game laws.

Mother Gets Children. PAPILLION, Neb., May 23 .- (Special.)-Mrs. George Smith has through the finding ; of the Omaha district court regained possession of her two daughters, Grace and Smith obtained a divorce from her husband, T. T. Oliver, and received the two children, but her former husband, ques-Liacis, when they all jumped off and tioning the legality of the divorce, made an appearance here about two years ago and secured the children. Proceedings were commenced in court with the result that Mrs. Smith has at last won out and the

> NORTH PLATTE, May 23 .- (Special.)-Last night the people in this vicinity. where he lives, were alarmed at the cries and acreams which proceeded from the residence of J. D. Cotton, one of our oldest citizens. Investigation showed that the old gentleman, while temporarily inattempt on the life of his aged wife. Only for the interference of their son the result might have been serious. Mrs. Cotton is low suffering from nervous prostration. Means have been adopted to have the old man safely guarded.

> Funeral of J. J. Bishop. The burial of J. J. Hishop occurred yesterday at Springfield, services being held by the Masons and Modern Woodmen. The Masonic lodge of Papillion, accompanied by the Modern Woodmen, were in attendance and participated in the services. Mr. Bishop was a prominent Sarpy county man. 50 years of age, and had resided in this ounty for nearly thirty years.

BEATRICE May I .- The executive com-nities of the lieutrice volunteer fire de-sartment met Saturday and arranged for nemorial services in Firemen's hall the econd Sunday in June. second Sunday in June.

BEATRICE, May 22—Hon. Elmer J. Burkett, republican nominee for United States senator, will deliver the address at the commencement exercises to be held at Wymore next Thursday evening, May 25.

TECUMBEH, May 21—Rev. H. E. Waters preached the baccalaurence address to the members of the graduating class of the Tecumseh High school at the Presbyterian church Sunday. The church was crowded and the sermon was a very fine one.

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baccalaureate sermon delivered by Rev. Charles H. Coons of this place. The gradu-ating class consists of five young women and one young man.

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TECUMSEH, May 23.—The members of the local lodge of Highlanders decorated the graves of their departed members in the Tecumseh cemetery Sunday. The column marched from the lodge hall to the cemetery and was accompanied by the Tecumseh Military band. Tecumseh Military band.

TABLE ROCK, May 23.—Miss Maggie Engbery, one of the teachers in the schools, and Mrs. Rena Williams were thrown from a buggy and seriously injured Saturday night in a runaway accident. The latter was unconscious for several hours, but both are able to be out again.

CLAY CENTER, May 23.—Clay Center lodge No. 139. Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, elected the following officers at their regular meeting last Saturday evening: W. B. Smith, W. M.; J. G. Jessup, S. W.; F. E. Dickson, J. W.; J. E. Wheeler, treasurer; C. C. Blanchard, secretary.

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FALLS CITY, May 23.—The remains of Grandma Hollebaugh, who died in Omaha, were brought here for burial Sunday afternoon and interred in the Steele cemetery beside her nusband. The deceased was one of the early settlers of Falls City. Rev. Smith of the Episcopal church conducted services at the grave. services at the grave.

BEATRICE, May 23.—The case of John A. Forbes, who prought suit against the city of Beatrice some time ago for \$10,000 damages for injuries sustained by failing on an icy alley crossing, has been appealed to the supreme court. Plaintiff secured a judgment of \$750 against the city in district court last winter. FALLS CITY, May 3.—At the last meeting the following officers were installed in the Knights Templar commandery: D. D. Heaves, E. C. W. S. Fast, G.; A. Maust, C. G.; G. W. Holland, S. W.; D. W. Sowies, J. W.; E. E. Metz, T.; A. E. Gantt, R.; F. C. Wish, W.; R. Horricks, S. B.; J. L. Slecum, Sw. B.; W. E. Derrington, S.

TABLE ROCK, May 23.—The baccalaurate sermon was preached here last night at the Methodist Episcopal church by Rev. J. D. Murphy, the Presbyterian pastor. The school board, teachers and graduates marched to the church in a body, occupying reserved seats. The church was beautifully decorated with the choicest of floral offerings.

o the Rev. F. Leavitt, pastor. There was a large audi-radu-ence and the sermon was a fine one. Music was furnished by a mixed quartet. Com-mencement exercises will be held at the Methodist church on Thursday evening,

May 26.

FALLS CITY, May 23.—The "best kept lawn," originated by one of our real estate dealers, is fast growing in favor. The contest begins June 1 and closes September 1. The number of prizes have not yet been decided on, but it is given out that the first prize will be cash and will be sufficient to pay all expenses to the St. Louis fair. All owners and renters of property up to the value of \$3,000 can enter.

DIATTSMOUTH May 28.—Judge Paul

value of \$3,900 can enter.

PLATTEMOUTH, May & Judge Paul Jessen arrived in this city from Nebraska City on the noon train. This afternoon the May term of cistrict court was convened, but very little business was transacted except the calling of the docket, hearing motions and demurrers and entering defaults. The bar docket shows there are for trial this term eighteen law, seventeen equity and two criminal cases. reasurer; C. C. Blanchard, secretary.

FALLS CITY, May 23.—The baccalaureate sermon to the senior class was delivered at the Methodist church Sunday evening by Rev. W. B. Alexander, As is usual on this occasion the other churches had no evening services, but all joined in this service. The class numbered eleven girls and four boys.

TABLE ROCK, May 23.—The house of Hon. C. I. Norris was robbed last night and in the neighborhood of \$5 secured. Mr. Norris knew nothing of the matter until this morning, when he arose and missed his pants from his sleeping room. He found the pants in a lower room, with the pockets rifled.

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unior: Mrs. J. R. Pickett, Burt Simonton, master of ceremonies; Miss Hossack, Inside sentinel; Frank C. Wylie, outside sentinel; J. C. Morehead, J. E. outside sentinel; J. C. Morehe. Leyda and O. Wachtel, trustees.

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DAVID CITY, May 23.—The annual commencement exercises of the Lavid City High school will attract the attention of our citizens this week Last night the baccalaureate sermon was preached at Et Luke's church by Rev. G. A. Smith, paster of the Baptist church. Thursday night the class play will be rendered by the graduates, assisted by the members of the freshman class. Friday night the graduating exercises will be held at the operahouse. Rev. Frank E. R. Miller, D. D., will deliver the address. There are nine graduates.

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LEIGH, May 72.—The baccalaureate sermon to the class of 1904 of the Leigh High school was delivered last evening by Rev. H. C. Langley at the Congresational church. The house was crowded with relatives and friends of the graduates. The class is composed of four girls and four boys. Commencement exercises will be held next Friday evening in the opera house.

SEWARD, May 23.—The baccalsureate address to the class of 1904 of the Seward dress to the class of 1904 of the Seward dress to the class of 1904 of the Seward dress to the class of 1904 of the Seward dress to the class of 1904 of the Seward dress to the class of 1904 of the Seward dress to the class of 1904 of the Seward dress to the class of 1904 of the Seward dress to the class of 1904 of the Seward dress to the class of 1904 of the Seward dress to the drection of the dress There are nine graduates.

HARVARD, May 22. — The Christian church was well filled last evening by representative citizens of our community, who listened attentively to a most excellent baccalaureate sermon by the pastor, Rev. V. E. Shirley, delivered in the interest of a class of nine young people who will graduate from the public schools with the close of this year's work. Excellent nearly by the combined choirs of the city under the drevening by representative citizens of our community, who listened attentively to a most excellent baccalaureate sermon by the pastor, Rev. V. E. Shirley, delivered in the interest of a class of nine young people who will graduate from the public schools with the class of the protection of Mrs. Clara Rockhill, was no small part of the efforts put forth in behalf of this class. On Thursday evening, May 25, the graduating exercises will be a class of the city under the city of the protection of the publ

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