PARK TO SUCCEED GRUBER

Superintendent of Wyoming Division of Union Pacific is Premoted.

APPOINTMENT EFFECTIVE AT ONCE

Coneral Manager Mohler Makes Annonncement of Choice of His Chief Assistant in Direction of the Road.

W. L. Park has been appointed general superintendent of the Union Pacific railroad, the appointment to be effective February 1. He succeeds J. M. Gruber, who resigned some time ago to accept the superintendency of the Burlington lines east of the Mississippi river.

Mr. Park has been with the Union Pacific for many years and has long been the superintendent of the Wyoming division of the road. He has an excellent record for service and is very popular among the men, as well as with the executive officers. The cement was made from the office of General Manager Mohler.

Burlington's Big Horn Line. Articles of incorporation of the Big Horn railroad were filed at Cheyenne Friday. This is the corporate name of the new line which is to be built into the Big Horn basin by the Burlington and it means that the first step preparatory to actual work on the line. It is expected that the road will be built from Frannie, on the Cody division of the line, to Thermopolis. The distance is about 150 miles, and for most of the distance the line will follow a natural basin which presents no expensive engineering problems. Thermopolis will also be the western terminal of the branch the Northwestern proposes to run out from Casper. Both will reach the same town, one building into the place from the north and the other from the south. Thermopolis has longed for a railroad, but it seems

The Big Horn Railroad company is capitalized at \$6,000,000. The incorporation papers show the line as running through counties in Wyoming. The names of the incorporators are J. E. Kelby, G. W. Holdrege, H. D. Allee, W. P. Durkee and Moffatt Sells His Road.

destined to get a bunch of them this trip.

It is reported that the Denver, Northwestern & Pacific will not be built to Salt Lake City. It is said that David H. Moffatt's interest in the property has been sold to the Denver & Rio Grande. and that the road will now be built to Hot Sulphur Springs, a few miles beyond Arrowhead, the present terminus. A railroad man, who recently returned from Denver, says the story is given considerable credence and has been the occasion considerable excitement. President Moffatt, Vice President Schlacks and directors of the Denver & Rio Grande, it is said, have been in conference in New York and that the merger of the two roads has been effected. It is said that as a result of the change A. C. Ridgway, the general manager of the road, is to have the place of manager with the Denver & Rie Grande, succeeding J. A. Edson, who recently resigned. It is believed the road is bought up to put out of the way a possible rival to the Gould coast line, the Western Pacific. A branch is to be constructed to Dotsero in Garfield county, which is on the main line of the Denver & Rio Grande about twenty miles east of Glenwood Springs. The branch, with the Moffatt road as far as built, would straighten out the Rio Grande considerably and would shorten the time of the road as a transcontinental proposition. Will Delay the Bureau.

It is probable that the bureau of information at the Union station will not be in ilte as soon as expected owing to the illness of J. G. McBride, who is to have charge. Telephones have been installed and the other paraphernalia will be in shape in a few days. All the folders and other data will be given out at this window Strangers will be informed as to what street cars to take and how to transfer when visiting Omaha for the first time and they will also be furnished the necessary information regarding train connec tions and other data they may need when traveling to other cities. The time of the arrival and departure of trains will be given out from this window.

Railway Notes and Personals. A Trainor, general baggage agent for the Union Pacific, goes to Chicago Wednesday.

C. B. Fletcher, superintendent of the Cherokee division of the Illinois Central is in Omaha. James O. Phillippi, assistant general freight agent for the Missouri Pacific, will visit Chicago Wednesday.

The Colorado Midiand has adopted a new trade mark and will be known as the Midland route. The trade mark is a circle with a solid background of black and white

Homeseeker return trip rates are announced by the Western Passenger association for February and March 7 and 21 from Missouri river points to Nebraska. Kansas, eastern Colorado and Wyoming. The rate will be one fare, plus \$2, with a maximum of \$15. A rate is made from Chicago for \$20.

WRECK NOW BEING REMOVED

Building Inspector Withnell Starts Work on Walls of Mercer Building Left by Fire.

Under the direction of Building Inspector Withnell the work of tearing down the walls of the burned Mercer building began Tuesday. The upper walls of the Kirkendall building will be removed later. Small mountains of ice on its east facade will be removed as soon as possible, as it is considered very dangerous to persons who cannot be kept on the safe side of the

Twenty-Five for Wachter. Twenty-Five for Wachter.

Herman Wachter has been fined \$25 and costs by Police Judge Berka. Wachter was arrested on the charge of procuring, but when an investigation of the case proved that charge could not be sustained, a complaint of being an inmate of a disorderly house and being interested in such a place was filed against Wachter by Acting City Prosecutor Ellick. It was charged Wachter induced Miss Mabel Kirby to leave the resort of Clara Gleason and establish herself at the bagnic managed by Ella Dyke at Ninth and Dodge streets.

Ladies' Collars

Hemstitched and Embroidered

Fresh new shipments of the latest styles ladies' collarsall prettiest effects in hemstitched and embroidered turnover collars and stocks-some with tabs-they are actually worth up to 35c each-at,

Laces at 5c and 10c

Torchons, French and English Vals and point d'esprit laces and insertings-the rarest plain and fancy wash lacesin all widths -worth up to 25c a yd., 5c

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ularly worth 15c a yard

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Extra fine embroideries-in fine cambric and nainsook, these are embroideries, insertings and galloons, in all the most desirable width, including extra wide -all fresh and new-actually worth up to 35c a yard, at yd.,

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Stunning new styles-long tourist coats in novelty cloths, coats in novelty cloths, kerseys, etc.—heavy satin linings—also many odd sample coats, that would regularly sell up to \$20, at.

Ladies' Golf Skirts at \$1.98 great assortment of new style golf skirts taht are actually worth as high as \$4 and \$5—just right weight for street wear 1.98

Ladies' Dress and Walking Skirts at \$2.98 The finest dress and walking skirts-made of the most popular materials, positively worth up to \$6 and \$7,

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Counsel for Wachter endeavored to show the defendant's chief business at the Dyke resort was in the capacity of a commission man.

WORK FOR A DOZEN MECHANICS

Remodeling Fort Omaha Buildings Will Commence and Re Pushed Vigorously.

The work of remodeling the interior of the buildings at Fort Omaha, which will begin Wednesday under the direction of Constructing Quartermaster Major M. Gray Zalinski, will give employment to ten or twelve Omaha artisans for the present, as what work is to be done must be performed indoors owing to the condition of the These men will be employed by weather. day's labor, the work comprising the removal of partitions in the buildings and a general remodeling of the interior of the structures in comformity with prepared The outside work, which will be done largely by contract, will give employment to a considerable number of men All of the work is to be pushed as rapidly as possible when favorable weather wil

Low Chicago Rates.

Via the Northwestern Line, February to 10, good until February 14, account meeting American Motor League. City offices, 1401-1403 Farnam street. The only doubletrack line to Chicago. Marriage Licenses. Following are the marriage licenses issued

up to noon January 31: Name and Residence. Frank Crawford, Omaha Louisa MacNair, Omaha Charles Hauptman, South Omaha..... Mary Josephine Adkins, South Omaha. Thomas S. O'Hara, Rock Island, Ill..... Isabella M. Doonan, Butte, Mont...... William Nissan, Cedar Creek, Neb. Tina Hansen, Cedar Creek, Neb.... Stephen Maas, Saline County, Neb.... Nora Veiraska, Omaha

Edholm, jeweler, 15tn and Harney.

Mortality Statistics.

The following births and death have been reported to the Board of Health during the twenty-four hours ending at noon Tuesday:

Births—LeRoy Spady, 2116 Laird, twin boys; Fred Adams, Fifty-fourth and Dodge, boy: Orrian Lannon, 1008 North Twenty-ninth, boy; Joe Leeder, 2213 South Thirteenth, boy. Death-Charles H. Ogburn, 1518 North

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kerchiefs at a hig reduction. Dress trimmings at just half former price.

MRS. J. BENSON

We have just received a handsome

METCALF WILL IS ON FILE Widow Asks to Be Named as Executor

Under Its Provisions. ESTATE AMOUNTS TO QUARTER MILLION

Wife Given the Home and All Its Contents and One-Half of the

Remainder of the Estate,

Real and Personal. Mrs. Anna V. Metcaif has filed for probate the last will and testament of her late husband, Joseph M. Metcalf, and asks to be formally appointed executor of the same. The property disposed of by the will consists of real estate in Nebraska to the value of \$154,000, real estate located else-

where valued at \$15,000 and \$100,000 of personal property. The will was written by Mr. Metcalf himself and is dated April 4, 1883. It was witnessed by H. P. Devalon and H. A. Smith. By it the widow is given the homestead. which means now the beautiful new home finished last year at 1234 South Tenth street, and all therein contained, which consists of furnishings of great value and artistic merit. Mrs. Metcalf is also to have onehalf of all the rest and residue of the es-

The remaining half of the estate is devised by the will to the three brothers and one sister of deceased. These are Thomas E., Los Angeles, Cal.; John W., Lewes, Del.; Alfred P., Omaha, and Annie E, Metcalf, share and share alike.

tate, real and personal.

Attached to the will is a codicil dated September 14, 1898, which is to this effect: It is directed that one-third of the share devised to John W. Metcalf shall go direct to Mrs. Mary H. Metcalf Johnson, a daughter of John W., if she is living at the time of testator's death.

The codicil also directs-but in the nature of a request—that any stock in the Lininger & Metcalf company which may come to Annie E. and Alfred P. Metcalf be retained by them. If any of said stock shall come to others of the heirs they are requested to give Mrs. Anna V. Metcalf and Alfred P. the first chance to purchase the same in the event they desire to sell. The price to be paid for the stock is named in the codicil as \$3 for every \$1 of stock so received. The witnesses to the codicil are H. P. Devalon

and W. H. Head. Besides the property named and devised in the will there is \$35,000 of life insurance, of which Mrs. Metcalf is the beneficiary. She is named as sole executor of the will

A. B. Hubermann, diamonds; own imp. WATER MAIN FLOODS CELLARS Six-Inch Pipe at Twelfth and Howard

Bursts and Does Small

Damage. The bursting of a six-inch water main at Twelfth and Howard streets Monday evening flooded the streets in the vicinity and added much ice and slush to that already created in the district by the fire of Saturday night. The stream was not turned off for about an hour and not before the cellar of the D. J. O'Brien Candy

company had been flooded and stocks of peanuts and chocolates badly damaged. Six feet of water in the boiler room did no particular harm beyond putting the fires out, as steam was low. Considerable water also went into the basement of the A. I. Root printing house and that of the Hayward Bros. Shoe company, but damage was small.

WEATHER FORECAST-Wednesday, Fair.

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