

OMAHA IN TOUCH WITH GULF

Direct Outlet by Harriman's Southern Extension. ENGINEERS NOW MAKING SURVEYS. Short Line from Omaha to Lincoln, to Topeka, and Then to Denison, Texas, on the Southern Sea.

Surveyors are in the field for the new line which the Union Pacific is to build from Topeka, Kan., to Denison, Tex., to give Nebraska a new outlet to the gulf for its grain product.

This new line is arousing great interest in railroad circles, as it will form a great connecting link for the Harriman system.

Harriman and Fish. Harriman has been fighting for some time with President Fish of the Illinois Central for control of that line which would give Harriman a line from Omaha to Chicago and then to the gulf.

Had the Union Pacific gained control of the Illinois Central combined in the west, would have been entirely upset, for Harriman would have been in a position to have broken his traffic agreements.

Importance to Omaha. The value of a direct outlet to the gulf cannot be overestimated, especially if it is owned and controlled by a road whose greatest interests are in Omaha.

From Chicago and from St. Louis over the Pennsylvania Short Lines, account homecoming and jubilee week.

Increase Your Income. Opportunities in all lines of business in new and growing towns in Iowa, Illinois, Missouri and Minnesota.

Pleasant Ways for Summer Days. Grand Trunk-Lehigh Valley Double-Track Route Chicago to New York via Niagara Falls.

Go to New York on the Lehigh. Double track scenic highway. Connects at Buffalo or Niagara Falls with all lines from the west.

Stickney as an Authority. The testimony of Mr. Stickney given Monday before the State Railroad and Warehouse commission at St. Paul.

Building Permits. The city has issued the following building permits: John H. Butler, two \$2,500 frame dwellings at Thirty-third and Charles, E. C. George, Fort Dodge, Ia.

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FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH FLOWS

Samson Receives a Host of Strangers at His Hospitable Den. ONLY FIVE MORE NIGHTS FOR INITIATION. Days of the Big Show Are Now Coming On Fast and the Brethren Are Making Necessary Haste.

The Fountain of Youth sparkled and splashed Monday night at An-Sar-Ben and many there were who drank of the rejuvenating elixir, listened to the words of wisdom and wit offered by the speakers and partook of the delicious and drinkables furnished by the royal stewardess in the royal caravansary.

There will be five more initiations at the den and then will come the big show, the parades and carnival. Names of horsemen and floatmen were received last evening by J. D. Weaver and things are going along merrily for the annual pageant and the entrance of the king.

Ehrenpfort Not Present. The only untoward incident of the season at the den occurred last evening when, about 8:15 o'clock, word was received by special messenger that Sir Henry Ehrenpfort would not attend the usual part in the initiation.

William Kennedy acted as grand nuffi for W. R. Bennett and called on A. B. Petcolias of Victoria, Tex., County Attorney. Trefz, M. A. Hill and Ralph W. Breckenridge for short talk.

Mr. Trefz declared that Omaha is not only a gateway, but a great location, where the citizens are inviting men and women of the earth to join in building up a great community. He urged everyone to love and believe in Omaha.

Mr. Hill, British vice consul, said a prominent St. Paul citizen recently told him Omaha was one of the best cities west of Chicago at the present time for investments.

Mr. Page paid a word of tribute to the men who broke ground here in the early days and showed the courage of their convictions and who saw beyond their day. Mr. Petcolias was enthusiastic over the Lone Star state, where he has lived forty years. He said Nebraska and Texas were the best ever.

County Attorney Sibaugh spoke of the city beautiful and urged a general civic pride among the citizens. He hoped everyone would try to make Omaha a good place in which to work live and raise a family.

Ralph Breckenridge spoke of Nebraska as occupying a first place in the sisterhood of states and commended to his hearers the idea of boosting and constructing. The total paid membership is 724.

Edward S. Thompson offered several humorous recitations last evening.

SCHOOLS OPEN ON TUESDAY. Term Begins After Labor Day, with Estimated Increase in All Attendances.

The public schools will open Tuesday, September 4, Monday being Labor Day. Superintendent Davidson estimates an enrollment of at least 100 pupils at the high school and an enrollment as great, if not greater, than last year.

General meetings for organization of the principals and teachers will be held Monday morning preceding the opening of school.

The superintendent has not yet decided upon the two schools that are to be equipped with manual training facilities in addition to the Cass and Pacific schools.

For the first time in this department the instructors are to come from Omaha, and will be chosen from among the forty young men who have been taking the manual training course at Cass school during summer.

Special Summer Tourist Rates. From Chicago to Canadian and New England points, via Nickel Plate Road. Tickets on sale August 5 to 22, at one fare plus \$4 for round trip, with thirty-day limit, and one fare plus \$2 for the round trip, with fifteen-day limit.

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WOMAN IN CLUB AND CHARITY.

There is considerable informal talk among club women of asking the coming annual convention of the Nebraska Federation of Women's Clubs to endorse a pure food bill to be brought before the next state legislature.

While rejoicing with Georgia in its child labor law, all those interested in the protection of the child laborer will be glad to hear of the decision of the New York court that its state law prohibiting women and children from working more than ten hours a day or sixty hours a week is unconstitutional.

The reception by the queen of Denmark of the delegates to the International Women's Suffrage conference at Copenhagen last week is in striking contrast to the treatment women received less than forty years ago when they gathered in the interest of their "rights."

The Nebraska Woman Suffrage association has opened headquarters at the Epworth assembly at the Auditorium and will hold daily sessions. Mrs. Amanda J. Marble, president of the organization, is in charge and a number of prominent speakers have assisted in the work of extension.

Mrs. Roosevelt has added her protest to that of Queen Alexandra of England to the president of the Audubon society, to the president of the Audubon society generally, but particularly in their effort to stop the sale and use of the so-called "bird" or "white" feathers.

Last March Queen Alexandra declared herself in like manner against the use of the egret, which she not only refused to wear herself, but urged other women not to use it.

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Card of Thanks. We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors, especially Judge No. 1, Danish Brotherhood, of which the deceased was a member, for kindness and sympathy shown us during the sickness and death of our husband and father, Peter Knudsen.

Creighton Souvenir. A beautiful souvenir of Creighton university has been prepared giving splendid half-toned pictures of all the various buildings and departments.

Seasonable Fashions. NO. 6385—LADIES' NIGHT DRESS. It is a trait truly feminine to find rare pleasure in the construction of dainty lingerie, and the woman who piles her needle in the creation of these bits of finery reaps the greatest satisfaction in their wearing.

LOW RATES BRING TRADE. Reduced Schedules on Railroads Draw Large Number of Country Merchants to Omaha.

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ROCK ISLAND GETS MEANER

Strengthens Discrimination Against Omaha in Favor of Kansas City. LOCAL MEN WAGE MORE BITTER FIGHT. Commercial Club and Grain Exchange, Representing Business Interests, Lead in Boycott Against This Railroad.

Stirred by the announcement of the road that it would not only maintain its discrimination against Omaha in favor of Kansas City, but that it contemplated a further cut in the minimum Kansas City-Memphis proportional on Nebraska grain, the commercial interests of Omaha have taken steps to wage even more bitter war than formerly against that railroad.

A joint meeting of the board of directors of the Grain Exchange and the executive committee of the Commercial Club, together with the transportation committee of the two bodies, was held Tuesday noon. After a report on the situation from Commissioner Guild and Secretary McVann, a resolution was passed instructing these two officials to use every effort to keep the public and the shippers thoroughly informed on every detail of the situation as it is and as it develops.

Mr. McVann was instructed to have printed and distributed among the shippers copies of a colored map which he has prepared, naming the grain rates from every town in the South Platte territory, and showing plainly the discrimination made by the Rock Island against the former.

Statement of Conditions. This statement was submitted as a joint report by Messrs. McVann and Guild, in response to the suggestion of Vice President W. B. Riddle of the Rock Island. Mr. McVann went to Chicago for a conference with Riddle at which conference Freight Traffic Manager Governor of the Rock Island Lines and J. A. Middleton, freight agent at Frisco, were both present.

Mr. Riddle was thoroughly convinced that the present situation was a result of the difference in the situation produced by the cutting out of the 1 1/2-cent elevation, it might be necessary to make a still further reduction in his minimum proportional from Kansas City from 5 cents to 3 1/2 cents.

Mr. Riddle justified his action by the specious argument about through rates being equal by way of Kansas City and by way of Omaha to Memphis, which sounds so fair on the face of it that it seems unreasonable to contend against it.

In order to make clear to the public the distinction between Mr. Riddle's position about through rates it is necessary that the basic principle be understood which is all of the rates to and from Omaha are equal to the rates to and from Missouri river an arbitrary line, Kansas City to Omaha, inclusive. The rates from Omaha to the west have been equalized as nearly as possible and the rates from the river to the west and from the west to the river have also been equalized.

Nebraska has always been considered as a Kansas territory and Kansas City territory. These conditions are the result of the conditions imposed upon Omaha by the railroads for many years. They have been changed only insofar as the rates to and from Omaha are gradually, until now, there is a wide zone in southern Nebraska which is not included in Omaha's share of the territory.

Mr. Riddle's plan had been applied to all the territory west of the Missouri river by all the roads, involving a readjustment of all the Kansas and Nebraska rates, so that in return for the territory of Kansas City to Omaha would receive a fair equivalent in territory that before belonged exclusively to Kansas City.

All of this was shown clearly to Mr. Riddle, but he refused to acknowledge it. Omaha had no exclusive right to any territory in which it was possible to put Kansas City upon an equality with her distance and feasibility of routes being the only factors to be considered.

Members are requested to attend the funeral of Neighbor C. J. Rita at St. Philomena cathedral Wednesday at 10 a. m. N. J. MARVIN, Clerk.

Mortality Statistics. The following births and deaths have been reported to the Board of Health during the twenty-four hours ending at noon Tuesday.

Deaths: Nellie R. Dufur, 60 North Eighteenth, 48; Edward McMichael, Thirty-fourth and Meredith, 22; Bruce N. Saline, Twentieth and Farnam, 18 months; John Crockett, county hospital, 23; Charles G. Kinsman, 1200 South Thirteenth, 1 day.

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Do you know you can buy any of these at a great discount? You will find thousands upon thousands of dollars' worth of housefurnishings at this REMOVAL SALE and no matter what you buy you will save from 10 to 50 per cent.

Is this worth considering? Come and see—it won't take long to convince you that everything you need in housefurnishings for a year to come should be bought during this removal sale.

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