

RAILWAY FRANCHISE WAITS

Shimer & Chase Not Yet Given Decision by County.

BOARD WANTS TO KNOW BACKERS

Attorneys of Certain Land Owners Request Delay of Action in Building of Line to Seymour Park.

The request of Shimer & Chase for a franchise for a street railroad to run out West Q street to Seymour park met with another delay Wednesday morning when the county board took the matter under advisement for three weeks.

John C. Wharton, who said he appeared for some heavy party when he did not name, asked for the delay, because he said, he had not time to look over the new franchise resolution and because one of his clients is out of the city for his vacation.

Mr. Adams said the changes in the franchise had been made to conform to the opinion expressed by members of the board at the previous meeting.

Mr. Ure broke into the discussion which followed with a suggestion that the board ought to know who is backing Shimer & Chase and who Mr. Wharton's numerous clients are.

Dr. George L. Miller addressed the board in favor of the road and Mr. Adams stated they had secured the signatures of 90 per cent of the property owners along the property to a petition asking for the road.

Coal Company Protest Bill. The Central Coal and Coke company came before the board protesting against a deduction of \$14.91 in its bills for furnishing coal to the county hospital.

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The State Railway commission has ruled that the Nebraska Telephone company cannot give the county a special discount on the switchboard.

The Independent Telephone company has entered into the competition and has submitted an offer to install a switchboard with twenty-six connections and capacity for fifty for \$4,500 a month.

The Board will consider both propositions at a later date.

DOUGLAS NOT RAILROAD MAN

Rock County Statute Denies He is a Corporation Candidate for District Judge.

J. A. Douglas of Bassett, county attorney of Rock county, representative in the legislature of 1903 and 1906 and candidate for the republican nomination for judge of the Fifteenth district, was at the Merchants hotel Tuesday.

"I filed my petition for the nomination with the secretary of state under the new primary law at Lincoln Monday," said Mr. Douglas.

"I wish to deny the charge that I am in any sense a railroad candidate. The fact that I have been an attorney for a railroad company in my vicinity does not make me any more loyal to the railroad interests than to any other client that I have had in my long career as an attorney."

American Receive Honors. OXFORD, July 31.—American holders of the Rhodes scholarships are prominent in the honors that have been awarded in the finals of the school of modern history.

Persons whose diet is composed of most wholesome foods are comparatively free from disease and are active mentally and physically.

DR. PRICE'S WHEAT FLAKE CEREAL FOOD is wholesome, nourishing, and cleanly. Made from the whole wheat berry. 10 cents a package. For sale by all Grocers.

BRANDEIS BOSTON STORE & SONS Extra Big Bargains Daily

Great Clearance Women's Wash Summer SKIRTS

Actually Worth up to \$2 We've grouped several hundred of our very prettiest and most desirable summer skirts, in dotted and ringed ducks, blues and blacks, trimmed with straps, buttons and braids, gray and blue denims, white ducks, lawns and batistes, embroidery and lace trimmed; also plain pleated skirts—have been priced up to \$2 each; a Thursday special, each—



69c Ladies and misses' plaid, check and stripe novelty cloth skirts, just the thing for summer wear. Sold up to \$6.00, at 2.98

Women's Cool and Stylish Shirt Waist Suits at \$1.50 Cotton foulards, white and colored lawns, figured and flowered, many lace and embroidery trimmed suits, worth up to \$5, at each 1.50

Muslin Underwear Prettily tucked and pleated and lace trimmed gowns, chemises, drawers and corset covers, in two lots—worth up to \$1.00, at 49c-98c

Women's Summer Coats Lace Bolero Coats, worth \$7.50, at \$2.98 White Rep Coats, worth \$6.00, at \$2.98 White Wool Coats, worth \$10.00, at \$4.98

Three Extra Specials—Basement Cloak Dept. Women's Separate Lawn Skirts, in plain and dotted, worth \$1, at 25c

Women's White Waists—soiled and mused, worth up to 75c, at 19c

Women's Short Kimonos and c.o.m.bing Jackets, figured and flowered lawns, worth 50c and 75c, at 25c

If You Need Another Pair of Oxfords (And there's 3 months of oxford weather to come) choose from O'Donahoe-Redmond-Normile's

ENTIRE STOCK OF High and Low Shoes NOW ON SALE AT About Half Price



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ONE SURVIVOR TELLS STORY

J. C. Orr Gives Graphic Account of Columbia's Fate.

HIS OWN ESCAPE IS MARVELOUS

For One Hour and a Half He Floats Around in the Pacific Ocean, His Fate Entirely Uncertain.

The following letter was received by Mrs. J. C. Orr of Schuyler, sister of C. F. Scharmann, in the office of General Manager Mohler of the Union Pacific, from her husband who was on the ill-fated Columbia when it went down off the California coast July 31, and so many lives were lost:

Once on deck the awful truth revealed itself. The steamship San Pedro had rammed our ship on the right forward quarter—what seamen call the starboard side. Already the boat was so filled with this quarter that one could not stand upon the deck unsupported.

Persons whose diet is composed of most wholesome foods are comparatively free from disease and are active mentally and physically.

NEBRASKA DRAWS PRIESTS

Spalding Meets for Franciscans, Many of Whom Are Stopped by Bishop.

In order to stop the exodus of members of the Franciscan order from the eastern diocese to the Third Order of St. Francis at Spalding, Neb., drastic measures are said to have been taken by church officials.

The step is said to have been taken because of the tendency of members of the order in the east to migrate to Nebraska because of better conditions here.

For the Younger Folks—Misses' and Children's Oxfords at 25 Per Cent Discount.

A sale that is of interest for misses and children. Thursday we place on sale a line of Pat. Court Ties, welt and calfskin Oxfords, at 25 per cent less than regular prices.

- Misses' Pat. Court Ties, regular \$2.00, now \$1.50
Misses' Pat. Oxford London, regular \$2.25, now \$1.75
Misses' Pat. Tip Oxford, regular \$2.75, now \$2.06
Misses' Pat. Welt Oxfords, regular \$3.50, now \$2.62
Misses' Pat. Kid Strap, regular \$2.25, now \$1.75
Misses' Velour Calf Button, regular \$2.50, now \$1.87
Misses' Pat. Velour Calf Lace, regular \$2.50, now \$1.87
Misses' Pat. Welt Oxford, natural, regular \$2.50, now \$1.87
Misses' Pat. Christy Ties, regular \$2.00, now \$1.50
Child's Court Ties, regular \$2.00, now \$1.50
Child's Pat. Welt, regular \$2.00, now \$1.50
Child's Pat. Welt, regular \$1.50, now \$1.12
These are all good values and you would find it worth while to get one or more pair at these prices.

Drexel Shoe Co. 1419 Farnam St.

OMAHA WEATHER FORECAST—Thursday, Fair.

BENNETT'S THE ADVENT OF AUGUST

WE HAVE PLANNED SEVERAL GREAT BARGAIN SALES FOR AUGUST. EACH WILL BE PUT ON IN DUE SEASON AND EACH WILL BE A MONEY-MAKER FOR THE WATCHFUL AND ALERT HOUSEWIFE, THE WISE SPENDER, THE HOME LOVER AND THE VACATIONIST. WATCH OUT—READ OUR ADS.

TAILOR-MADE SUITS THURSDAY 2d FLOOR

A Sale of Vacation Wear Suits of Interest to Everybody EACH SUIT AT HALF PRICE
\$25.00 fine Chiffon Panama Suits, Prince Chap or Pony Coat Styles, newest ideas and cloth, Thursday, Choice. \$12.50
\$7.50 fine grey Panama Skirts, trimmed in folds, handsomely stitched. \$4.95
75c Long Lawn Kimonos, very genteel and pretty for. 39c
30c Drawers and Corset Covers, for. 19c

On second floor—watch latest styles on Women's Ready-to-Wear Garments in Windows.

BENNETT'S BIG GROCERY Second to None in Values and Fresh, New Goods—Thursday's Specials. LIPTON'S TEAS—lb. tin for .60c
GOLDEN SANTOS COFFEE, lb. for 26c
BENNETT'S CAPITOL BAKING POWDER 24c
DELATOUR'S GINGER ALE—bottle for 10c
STRING BEAN SPECIAL—Genesee Refugee Stringless Beans, hand picked— 45c
ROYAL MACARONI—lb. pkg. for .12 1/2c
PEARS IN SYRUP—large can for .15c
ASSORTED PICKLES—3 bottles for 25c
DUNBAR'S SHRIMPS—large can for 20c
BENNETT'S BARGAIN SOAP—nine bars for .25c

5c ICE CREAM SODA BIGGEST AND BEST IN STERILIZED GLASSES

Do you think a stranger in the city would have any difficulty in locating

An office in The Bee Building?

This building is seven stories high, most beautiful in construction. On the top of the building on Farnam street side is a big sign which reads, "The Bee Building." At night there is a large electric sign over the main entrance to the building, so that any stranger could easily find you.

We have for rent a few offices: Room No. 548, a large corner office, is a south and east exposure and has a vault. There is a space of 580 square feet. Room No. 607 is a good light room, 15x15 feet at \$15.00. Room No. 619, a pleasant office facing the court and rents for \$12.00. Room No. 214 is 27x14 1/2 feet, a large single office, \$25.00.

HARD COAL I am receiving fresh mined Anthracite Coal daily. Am selling at \$10.50 per ton for August delivery.

Tom Collins Havens Phone Douglas 630. 1507 Howard Street.

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Matchless Bargain Thursday

In Our Grand Mid-Summer Clearance Sale of Women's Ready-to-Wear Outer Garments. Beautiful Lingerie Swiss, Batiste and Lawn Dresses, regular values to \$12.00, most charming designs in princess or dress style, 100 to select from, choice \$3.95



Grand 5c Lace Clearance

Thursday we will clear up our Lace Stock, the largest in Omaha or the West. All Odd Pieces, Broken Sets, Slightly mused or soiled Laces: Torchon, Valenciennes, Platen, Zion City, Point Paris, Point Esprit

The "Fluffy Ruffles" Hat

A stunning new style, all the rage in the east. Comes in two sizes, made of pretty fall braids. A hat that can be worn all winter, Shown here at—

\$2.50 AND \$5.00

Extra Specials for Thursday

- 6 1/2c Standard Prints, fast color, for .2 1/2c
10c Zepheretts, fast colors .5c
15c Scotch Zepherets, fast colors, 7 1/2c
15c and 19c White Goods, 5 to 10 yds. for .5c
15c Turkish Towels for .7 1/2c
10c Turkish Towels for .5c
35c Turkey Red Table Damask 15c
Apron Checks for .3 1/2c
Amoskeag Checks for .6 1/2c
1 case heavy Unbleached Muslin, 8 grades, at 2:00 P. M. 4 1/2c
75c Unbleached Sheets for .55c
1.00 Bleached Sheets for .60c
19c fine Huck Towels for .10c
Union Toweling, good quality, 3 1/2c
15c Turkish Towels, good quality, 4 1/2c
All linen Toweling, fine grade, at 5c
Plain Silk Mulls, 19c quality, for 10c
39c Bleached Linen for .25c
15c Organdies for .7 1/2c
12c Organdies for .5c
15c Batiste for .7 1/2c

Important Notice, City Ordinance

GARBAGE REMOVED FREE The city ordinance says that on and after August 1st, every resident must have a garbage can with cover. Not less than 10 gallons capacity. Garbage removed free if you have a can.

YOU'LL NEED A GARBAGE CAN We secured 1,800 heavy galvanized cans, with cover and riveted iron handles at 1/2 their value, they go on sale August 1st. FOR ONE DAY ONLY—

REMEMBER—ON SALE ONLY ONE DAY 1 gallon red Gasoline Cans for .19c 2 gallon red Gasoline Cans for .22c 5 gallon red Gasoline Cans for .28c

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