

HEARING BEFORE ADVANCES

Let Shippers Speak Prior to Raising Railroad Rates.

SUCH IS TRAFFIC LEAGUE'S WISH

McVann Says It Insists on Giving Commission Right to Hold On Schedules Until Shippers Are Heard.

It is highly improbable that any amendments will be made to the Interstate Commerce law, such as has been discussed by the National Industrial Traffic League...

Bankers' Bill Endorsed.

Now the National Industrial Traffic League, representing thousands of shippers, has endorsed the bill of lading drawn by the American Bankers' association...

At present the eastern and western roads are using a form of bill of lading prescribed by the Interstate Commerce commission.

HITCHCOCK WILL FIND OUT

When He Comes Up for Election, Mayor Says, "We Will Show Him."

"When we declared that 'home rule' meant an appetitive fire and police board we did not know what the bees would take on the question, neither did we care."

ELMER CALLS IT RESIGNING

Thomas, Who Demanded Sheldon on Anti-Saloon Stationary, is Out of Office.

Elmer E. Thomas is no longer attorney for or president of the local Anti-Saloon league.

Naturally enough the impression went abroad that since the letter was written on Anti-Saloon league stationery the letter represented the league and its attitude toward the governor.

But scarcely had the letter been shown up in the Bee than the editor of the Anti-Saloon league at its state political headquarters in Lincoln, called on The Bee by long distance telephone and denounced the action of Thomas, declaring it did not represent the league.

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Servant Problem Arises.

"Did you hear that Mrs. Skidds caught her husband flirting with that pretty cook she engaged a month ago?"

"It is, indeed. She was terribly upset by it."

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OMAHA WANTS GLIDDEN TOUR

Commercial and Auto Clubs Will Make United Effort.

STRONG HOPES OF GAINING OBJECT

Ak-Sar-Ben Will Be Asked to Provide Special Night at the Den if the Tour Comes This Way.

The Omaha Commercial club and the Omaha Automobile club will make a united effort to induce the managers of the Glidden tour to have the race pass through Omaha.

The interest of some of the other cities are taking in the race is shown by the way Minneapolis stormed the committee of arrangement to induce the managers to have the tour scheduled through Minneapolis.

Lee McShane, secretary of the Omaha Automobile club, has been quite active in his efforts to have Omaha put on the route of the race and has high hopes of success.

The directors of the Omaha Automobile club will meet at the Commercial club rooms Monday noon to formulate plans to try to get the tour.

Mr. McShane has written Frank R.

NELLIE PECK IS LOCATED

Runaway Missouri Girl is Seeking Rest on Her Way to California.

Miss Nellie G. Peck, daughter of State Senator J. W. Peck of Westboro, Mo., has written to her parents, calmly announcing that she has been a hermit.

Senator Peck received a telegram from his home Saturday morning, stating that a letter to him from his daughter, dated February 17 and postmarked Lincoln, February 18, 1909 a. m., had been forwarded to his home at Westboro from Jefferson City.

Another letter from the missing young woman to her mother has been forwarded to Senator Peck and received by him.

"I am sure the girl is all right," said the father Saturday morning, as he heaved a sigh of relief and told Captain Savage of the local detective department about the letter and telegram received.

CAUGHT BY LAW HE ENFORCED

Pennsylvania Sabbath Observance Worker Fined for Gathering Evidence on Sunday.

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 20.—John G. Ward, an official of the Sabbath Observance association of Uniontown, Pa., was found guilty of working on Sunday and fined \$4 and costs today.

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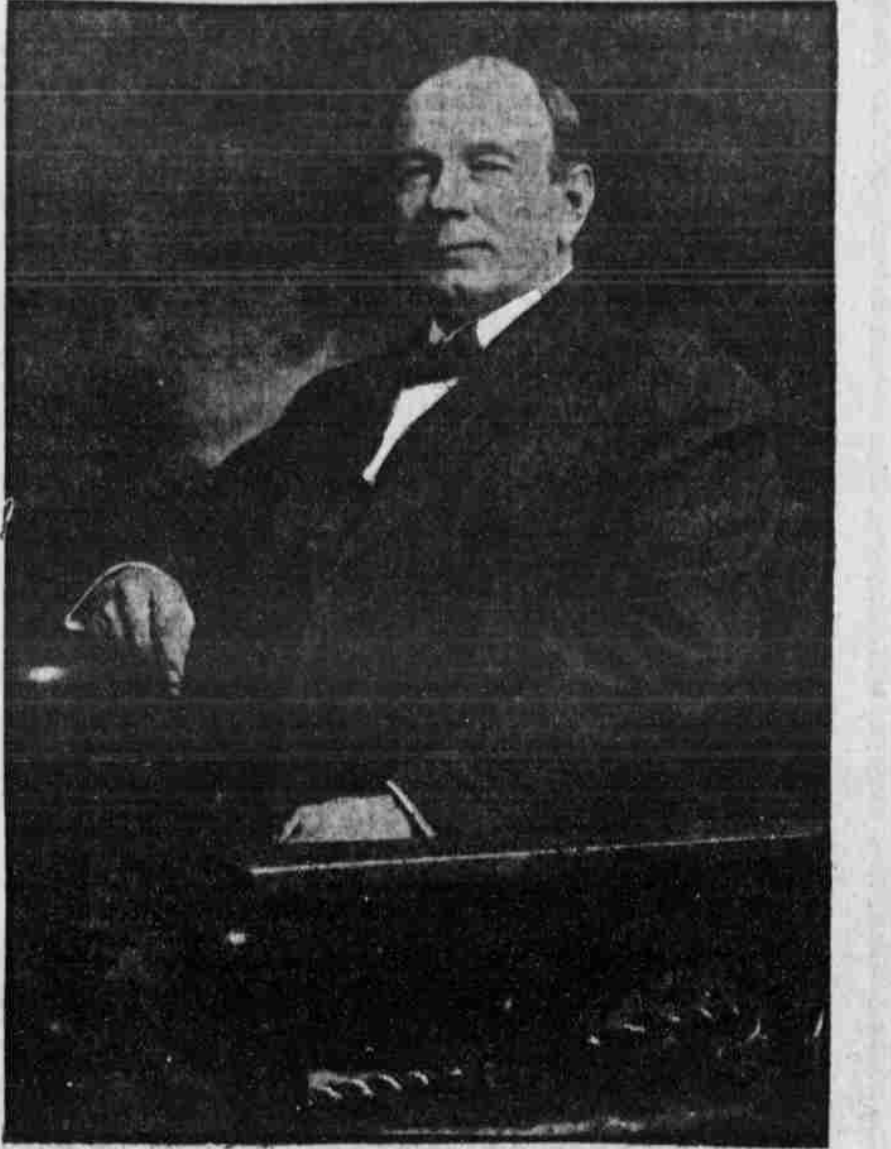
MRS. EARLYWINE WRITES

Lady at Woodbine, Ia., Thanks The Austro-American Doctors for Helping Her.

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DANGER LURKS IN THE TELEPHONE

People in every state of health use the telephone everywhere. They may be infected with the most dreadful contagious diseases...

About Music, Musicians and Musical Events

IN THE JANUARY number of Scribner's magazine there appeared a splendid article on "The Use of English in Singing," by Francis Rogers, the well known baritone, an article which should be read by every student and all thinking teachers of singing.

Another blow from Mr. Rogers' trusty weapon brings this: "Again, it is asserted that the sound of English is unmelodious because of its many consonants, but we are no richer in consonants than the Germans, and German is accepted as a suitable vehicle for song."

Here again Mr. Rogers is eminently correct, with respect not only to the allegation, but also to the defence. It is too often asserted that the Italian language, for example, is so superior to the English because of the consonants in the latter, but for that same reason, as Mr. Rogers says elsewhere, "it is the most limited in its range."

Whoever hears nowadays of Italian songs in any number to be compared with the great German Lieder? We have some rare gems, some exquisite examples of the old Italian songs, but a recital of even those might prove monotonous.

The vital center of the whole question, to be found in the following lines which should be laid to heart—and which will be, by the discerning hearer. Mr. Rogers says: "If our singers would devote to the study of their own language one-half of the time which they give to the study of foreign tongues, their hearers would all be justifiably proud of the more sound of English, American singers feel that because they have always spoken English, they need not study its theoretic side at all, and may safely take for granted their own ability to use it sufficiently well."

The actual fact is, Mr. Rogers' insinuation that Americans feel no need for studying the English language in singing, is based on positive fact.

When one undertakes the study of a song in foreign language he must get down to the study of the construction of each word. In the English language the same study will give the same result, and words will be vitalized and revived, and made to glow with a new meaning, which previously had meant only a combination of letters.

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