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### HILL CROSS LINE IN WYOMING

Burlington is to Build South from Kirby Over State.

### NEW ROUTE JUST MAPPED OUT

Increasing Traffic Development of New Country Demand that Hill Build This Line of Track Soon.

Rumors are rife in railroad circles that the Burlington is preparing to build at once its new line across the central part of Wyoming, south from Kirby.

This line has been planned for some time, but the financial depression of two years ago put a stop to the work. In the meanwhile Astmas Boyesen built his huge dam in the Big Horn gorge, which shut out the best practical way of getting south from Kirby and Thermopolis. Large forces of engineers have been at work all spring trying to find a new water grade which the Burlington might use in getting from the Big Horn Basin to the country along the North Platte river. It is understood that a new route has been figured out by the engineers and that the road is preparing to build at once.

Hill for three years has been building a second line across Wyoming, but difficulties have been met which have delayed the work, and now it is almost a necessity. Traffic from the great northwest over the Burlington's northwest line is becoming heavier and heavier all the time and it is now expected to forge ahead by leaps and bounds, since the top has been built, connecting the Burlington with the second Hill line, the Great Northern.

Through passenger trains will be run to Seattle from Omaha over both the Northern Pacific and the Great Northern and extra local trains have made the single track between Omaha and Billings altogether too crowded and it is necessary for Mr. Hill to seek relief in a second line. It is thought the Burlington will build south through Thermopolis and use the Northwestern tracks east to Orion Junction where the Colorado & Southern rails will be used to Cheyenne and Denver.

### New Mails Go in Sunday

Becoming effective Sunday, Omaha will be somewhat benefited by the railway mail service over the Northwestern between Norfolk, northwest and Omaha, and Fremont, Lincoln, Hastings and Superior, west and southwest.

Train No. 5, a new local on and after Sunday, will leave Omaha at 2:15 p. m. instead of 3 p. m., as heretofore. This train will arrive at Fremont at 3:55, at Norfolk at 7 p. m. Mail service will be put on this train, which is exclusively a local, thus giving an advantage of one hour and forty minutes for the local mails to Fremont and Norfolk, Lincoln, Hastings and Superior.

Train No. 3, the through mail, known as the Deadwood train, will leave Omaha at 3:15, arriving at Fremont 5:25 and Norfolk 5:50. This train will also carry mail, but is not essentially a local train. All Omaha mail going to points between Omaha and Norfolk and Omaha and Superior should be sent out on the early local train.

Returning there will be a new train from Long Pine, leaving that point at 12:30 p. m., arriving in Omaha at 10:30 p. m. This new train will pick up the Dallas, S. D., mails, thus giving Omaha the advantage of three or four hours earlier mails from

South Dakota points served by way of Norfolk Junction. Thirteen dining cars will be needed to equip the Burlington trains west of the Missouri river when the changes are made in train service Sunday by which 60,000 train miles a month will be added west of Omaha. The Burlington system now has thirty-three dining cars in operation with five new cars in the shops, almost ready for delivery. In the commissary department of its road the Burlington road has over 600 men employed to see that patrons of the road get enough to eat.

### More Tracks at Union Depot

Union Pacific officials are considering the plan of enlarging the trackage facilities at Union station at once and a meeting of the depot company may be called to order the work to proceed at once. The plans for the new tracks and for the overhead aprons were drawn some time ago, but the work has been delayed until it is almost an absolute necessity. Not only are the trackage facilities inadequate, but the depot is a so most crowded because so many trains enter and leave the station within such a short space of time.

### Council Docks

Pete Elsasser

Takes Ten Dollars Out of His Pay Envelope for Missing One Meeting.

Peter E. Elsasser, retiring councilman from the Tenth ward, will receive \$115 for his last month's pay instead of \$125. This is because he was not present at Tuesday evening's meeting of the council, and he was excused. Under the charter a \$10 fine will be assessed.

"I'll tell you one thing," said Mr. Elsasser the next day when he found that his democratic brethren had failed to have him excused, "and that is that any absent councilman at any meeting which I have attended have been excused. I would even make a motion to excuse Harry Zimman, but Harry has never been absent, so I never had the chance."

### GETS IN ONE DOOR ALL RIGHT

Adolph Kirchhoff Kicks in Entrance of Detention Home and Lands in Jail.

Adolph Kirchhoff is languishing in the county jail, having been convicted of attempting to become an inmate of the new Detention Home, Fourth and Bancroft streets. It is asserted by that corraler of criminals, the county attorney, that Kirchhoff rammed down a door of the new building last week, but finding it unfinished, he put aside his desire to renew his youth in a reformatory, and also decided that reform was not a wise thing, after all. Acting along this line, it is said he walked away with a chest of tools belonging to Charles R. Thompson, a carpenter, and was arrested when he tried to sell them. A complaint charging him with breaking and entering was filed, and Kirchhoff was bound over to the district court Wednesday after a hearing.

### QUARTER MILLION IN PAVING

Immense Sum to Be Spent on Streets This Year.

### TWENTY CONTRACTS ARE LET

Thirteen Are for New Work and Seven for Repairs, the Whole Covering Eighty-Three Blocks, or Six Miles.

Nearly \$250,000 will be expended in paving in Omaha this year, this amount being represented in one lot of paving contracts let by the city council Tuesday evening. Twenty contracts were let, thirteen for new paving and seven for repaving, the total representing eighty-three blocks, or six miles.

Most of the paving will be brick, though several of the contracts let are for asphalt paving. Hugh Murphy and Charles E. Fanning secured the bulk of the contracts, which total \$241,045.

The contracts for repaving are as follows: Eighteenth street, between St. Mary's avenue and Leavenworth street, one block, asphalt paving, Hugh Murphy contractor, \$7,925.

Sixteenth street, between Farnam and Douglas streets, one block, asphalt paving, Bryant, Ford & McLaughlin contractor, \$2,850.

Grace street, between Sherman avenue and Twenty-fourth street, eight blocks, brick paving, Charles E. Fanning contractor, \$24,300.

Fourteenth street, between Howard and Leavenworth streets, four blocks, brick paving, Hugh Murphy contractor, \$15,450.

Leavenworth street, between Thirty-seventh and Fortieth streets, three blocks, brick paving, Hugh Murphy contractor, \$15,500.

Jackson street, between Sixteenth and Nineteenth streets, three blocks, brick paving, Charles E. Fanning contractor, \$3,925.

Fifteenth street, between Howard and Davenport streets, eight blocks, asphalt paving, Hugh Murphy contractor, \$2,300.

The contracts for new paving, all of which provide for curbing and guttering with either natural or Bedford stone, are as follows: Ames avenue, between Twenty-fifth and Thirty-fifth streets, eleven blocks, brick paving, Charles E. Fanning contractor, \$41,350.

Burdette street, between Twenty-first and Twenty-fourth streets, three blocks, brick paving, Charles E. Fanning contractor, \$7,375.

Twenty-seventh street, between Ames and Fowler avenues, two blocks, brick paving, Hugh Murphy contractor, \$5,000.

Powder street, between Twenty-fifth and Thirtieth streets, five blocks, brick paving, Hugh Murphy contractor, \$14,200.

Franklin street, between Parker and Franklin streets, two blocks, brick paving, Hugh Murphy contractor, \$5,375.

Nineteenth street, between Emmet and Pinkney streets, one block, brick paving, Hugh Murphy contractor, \$2,900.

Twenty-ninth street, between Cum and Hamilton streets, six blocks, brick paving, Charles E. Fanning contractor, \$11,900.

Fort street, between Twenty-fourth and Thirtieth streets, six blocks, brick paving, Hugh Murphy contractor, \$19,025.

Meredith avenue, between Twenty-fifth and Thirtieth streets, five blocks, brick paving, Charles E. Fanning contractor, \$14,525.

Jones street, between Thirty-sixth and Thirty-eighth streets, two blocks, asphalt paving, Hugh Murphy contractor, \$5,870.

Martha street, between Thirty-second and Thirty-fourth streets, two blocks, brick paving, Charles E. Fanning contractor, \$4,125.

In addition to the paving contracts, one good sized sewer contract was let by the council. This is for a main sewer to be laid on Leavenworth street, from Forty-second street to Forty-sixth street, at a cost of \$15,000. The contract was let to McKay & Cathroe.

### Bennett and Baum Object to Referee's Findings

Both File Exceptions Before Judge Estelle in the District Court.

Both side have filed exceptions to the findings of Referee William Baird in the Bennett-Baum case.

The plaintiffs ask Judge Estelle to approve the opinion except as regards the costs in the case urging that these be assessed not to the Bennett company but to J. E. and D. A. Baum. They also ask that the court nominate a reasonable sum as attorney fees for plaintiffs' lawyers to be paid by the Baums.

These exceptions are signed by E. D. Strode, W. S. Summers and Hall & Stout, attorneys for the Bennett interest.

The other exceptions ask the decision on the capital stock be set aside and also object to the finding with regard to the merger of the realty holding in the Bennett company. Baidrie & Dehorst signed these exceptions which number seventy-seven.

### Weather Gives Corn Good Start

Conditions Are Favorable Along the Burlington for Growing and Planting.

Weather has been especially favorable for giving the corn crop a good start in Nebraska, according to the Burlington's crop report. Planting is well along in all parts of the state where corn is raised and in many places the work of planting corn is completed. On the McCook division, with seasonable rains from now on there is no reason to think there should not be an average crop of corn. On the three eastern divisions of the Burlington the chances are fine for a big crop.

It is estimated there will be 6,000 acres of sugar beets in the vicinity of Brush and that the acreage of Nebraska will be about the same as last year. Indications now are for a better fruit crop in Nebraska than has been raised for several years. The present indications for the winter wheat crop are for about 85 per cent of an average crop.

Farmers around Lovell and Guesney are getting their ditches ready for irrigation. The high winds of the last week have made the soil of most of Wyoming very dry on top, but crops have not suffered and a rain within a short time will fix everything in splendid shape, especially on the line, Holdrege to Starling. All pastures and meadows are greatly in need of rain.

### GIFTS FOR CHILDREN SMALL

Additions to Child Saving Fund Not Large Recently and Time is Growing Short.

Only \$33 has been added to the building fund for the Child Saving Institute since the last report, and the balance to raise is \$4,899.82, with less than two weeks left in which to secure the balance.

G. D. Miller	5.00
G. F. Beavers	5.00
Mrs. G. F. Beavers	5.00
W. M. Van Arman	2.00
P. F. McDonald	2.00
Alex H. Breuel	1.00
Pearl Gardner	1.00
V. E. Ames	1.00
Laurice Hanson	1.00
W. M. Condon	1.00
E. E. Boone	1.00
Cash	1.00
H. A. M.	5.00
Miss Rose Dove	.50
M. Wilson	.50
Margaret Wilson	.50
Total	\$70,400.18
Balance to raise	\$4,899.82
Time limit, June 1.	

### BALLOON IS SAFE IN HOUSE

Big Airship May Not Be Inflated at Fort Omaha Before Monday.

United States dirigible balloon No. 1 has been safely taken from its special car that brought it from Fort Meyer to Fort Omaha, and is now in the big balloon house at Fort Omaha. The big airship arrived in excellent condition. It has not yet been inflated and may not be before Monday. It is not likely that any ballooning experiments will be undertaken during the present week.

The detail of officers from Fort Leavenworth assigned to Fort Omaha for instruction in ballooning has not yet arrived, though they are expected daily.

### NO SALOONS IN MY TOWN

Jim Brady of Schuyler Pleads Thus When Arraigned for Being Tipsy.

"There ain't no saloons in my town," said Jim Brady of Schuyler, when he tried to explain to Police Judge Crawford how he came to get into jail on a charge of drunkenness.

Officer Thornton arrested the man Tuesday night. The judge discharged him with a warning to go home.

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### DANES TO CELEBRATE FOURTH

Americoized Scandinavians Will Have Festival Abroad.

### TO TAKE PLACE IN ANCIENT CITY

Aarhus, Where Exposition is Now on Commemorating 1,100 Anniversary, Scene of Danish-American Celebration.

The Danish-American association has completed arrangements for a festival of a novel character to take place in Denmark in the old city of Aarhus on July 4 in connection with the national Danish exposition now in progress in that city. It is the first time that an attempt has ever been made to have a Fourth of July celebration in a foreign country, arranged by naturalized American citizens descended from that country.

The object is to afford Scandinavians an occasion to learn the truth about the country in which many of their nationality have made their home and love as their own country, and where they have availed of the opportunities offered them.

The program has just been approved by the authorities of the Aarhus exposition. The crown prince of Denmark and both the American ambassadors to Denmark and the Danish ambassador to the United States and other well known Danes will participate in the exercises.

The "Aarhus Day Committee," 327 Fullerton avenue, Chicago, will be pleased to furnish any further information to all Danish-American citizens who may apply, and will be pleased to hear from them.

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See Want Ads stimulate trade moves.

### Dying Man May Be Burglar Shot

Pete Kusder Identified by Police Captain Shields of South Omaha.

After lying wounded in St. Joseph's hospital for a week, after telling the police a story which they did not believe, Pete Kusder, a Rumanian, is now reported to be in such condition that he probably cannot recover, and it is said he has been identified by Police Captain Shields of South Omaha as the perpetrator of a burglary in the city.

Last Wednesday morning Kusder went to the police station in Omaha and told the officers that a bad wound he showed in his leg had been sustained in Council Bluffs at the time the negro Taylor shot Officer Horner. Further details he would not tell. It is now thought he may have been shot in South Omaha in connection with the burglary in which he is supposed to have participated.

### TRAIN CHANGES

**Burlington Route, May 24.**  
New train, No. 3, from Omaha 11:50 p. m. for Lincoln, Denver and principal intermediate points, also for Grand Island, Sheridan, Billings, Seattle and Great Northern destinations.

New train, No. 23, from Omaha 7:25 p. m. for Lincoln and intermediate points.  
No. 32 from Omaha at 12:20 p. m. for Plattsmouth and Pacific Junction.  
Ticket office, 1502 Farnam St.

### BUILDING PERMITS

C. D. Glover, hickory street and Georgia avenue, frame dwelling, \$2,500. W. F. Neumann, Twenty-seventh and Lake streets, double brick store dwelling, \$2,800. Mrs. Emma Sick, 1547 South Twenty-sixth street, frame dwelling, \$2,000. Oliver Crandall, Thirty-third and Gold streets, addition to dwelling, \$1,200. P. J. Baum, Fifteenth and Ohio streets, addition to dwelling, \$900. Alfred Wadum, 308 Decatur street, alteration to dwelling, \$500. N. F. Richardson, 425 Hamilton street, addition to dwelling, \$500.

### Ansel Briggs' Body to Be Moved to Andrews, Iowa

First Governor of Hawkeye State is Buried in Prospect Hill Cemetery.

J. W. Ellis of Maquoketa, Ia., arrived in Omaha last evening as chairman of the committee having charge of the disinterment of the body of the late Governor, Ansel Briggs, now buried in Prospect Hill cemetery and will superintend its transfer to Andrews, Ia., where the body will be reinterred.

Governor Briggs was the first governor of Iowa and a monument is being erected to his memory at Andrews, Ia., which will be unveiled during the latter part of June, with imposing ceremonies. Senators Cummins and Dolliver and other notable Iowans will be present to participate in the ceremonies.

The late John S. Briggs, a pioneer of Nebraska, and husband of Mrs. Briggs, now prominently associated with the Douglas county association of Nebraska Pioneers, was a son of Governor Briggs.

### BUD WEATHERFORD REJOICES THAT HIS BROTHER ESCAPES

Says He Has Wife and Children, While He Himself is More Accustomed to Durance.

"Well, if somebody's got to go to jail, I'm glad it is me," said Bud Weatherford, ungrammatically, but fraternally.

Weatherford was discussing the verdict of the jury which found him guilty and freed his brother, George Weatherford.

"George is married and I ain't. Besides I have been in jail before and he never was up to this time."

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