

LANDSEEKERS GO THROUGH

Movement of Colonists Makes Omaha Western Gateway.

EXCURSION CARS FROM NORTH

Settlers from Twin Cities Come Here on Way to Projects Under Development—Buckley at St. Paul.

Movement of colonists is demonstrating the importance of Omaha as the gateway to the great territories of the west under development. Colonial routes of 25 to 30 points in the west and northwest are now in effect. A tide of land seekers is sweeping through the gateway. So advantageous is the position and railway service of Omaha that cars from even as far north as St. Paul are being routed through this city for the benefit of the homeseekers. Not less than six private cars held by land companies in the Twin City and several others in charge of land agents will pass through Omaha in the next two days.

The Lane Land and Development company, with offices in St. Paul, will send two cars. These cars are under the charge of Howard Everett, secretary-treasurer of the company. A third car will probably be added by this company at Omaha. Two cars have been put in service for this excursion by the United States Farm Land company of St. Paul. The cars will be under the charge of C. L. Barnes, general excursion agent. John E. Burchard, vice president and general manager, will probably accompany the party to the west. This company is more generally known in Omaha territory through W. P. Davidson. The company has recently been put in charge of the work of development of a tract of 50,000 acres of the Hill lands in the west. This company also controls the Sacramento valley projects.

The Roebuck Land company will send a party out of Omaha under the charge of Sam Cousins, who conducted an exhibit at First Omaha Land show. A party will be taken up to Utah by Clinton D. Ray of Salt Lake City.

Buckley Visits St. Paul. L. W. Buckley, managing director of the Omaha Land show, Friday returned from a trip to St. Paul, where he met many of the land agents doing business in that territory.

There was general discussion in St. Paul and Minneapolis of the benefits to be derived from the promised extensive development of the northwest by settlers, said Mr. Buckley. "Preparations were being made at Union station for handling hundreds of prospective buyers of land. The low colonial routes of 25 to 30 points in the west went into effect the same as it did in Omaha today, and the various passenger and emigration officials of the Northern Pacific and Great Northern railways anticipated an extremely large tourist business. The big real estate firms of St. Paul, Minneapolis and St. Paul, and a host of business of national character, were arranging to have representative escort parties of colonists to the west through Omaha, the natural gateway to a large portion of the west and northwest.

"Another topic of great importance seemed to be the consolidation in St. Paul of the Chamber of Commerce, the Commercial club, the Merchants' association, the St. Paul Jobbers' and Manufacturers' association and other lesser commercial organizations into one big body to be known as the St. Paul Association of Commerce. Among the prime movers in this big movement are Louis W. Hill, president of the Chamber of Commerce; Walter J. Driscoll, W. H. Hunter, managing editor of the Pioneer Press, and Joseph H. Beck, secretary of the Jobbers' and Manufacturers' association. Mr. Beck is slated for the position of secretary of the new association.

Interested in Elliott. "Why did he do it?" "This was everybody's question on the action of Howard Elliott, president of the Northern Pacific, in refusing a salary of \$60,000 a year as president of the Missouri Pacific system. "In discussing a St. Paul land show, Hill, Randall, Gray, Higelow, Hunter, Beck and others, gave me an opportunity to put before them a few ideas based on the success of the Omaha Land show. "I imagine that if they had a land show it will be given the first part of November, a week following the close of the Omaha Land show. This time seemed to be most in favor with those interested. There was great interest in the recently formed organization, the Western Development association, and it is probable that several from St. Paul and Minneapolis will attend the meeting at Salt Lake City on March 25.

Speaking once again of the fact that Omaha forms naturally a gateway to the west, I was more and more impressed with this idea after visiting the general offices of some of the largest and influential land project companies of St. Paul and Minneapolis.

Planning for Exhibits Here. "In the course of a conversation Howard Everett of the Lane Land Development company said that they were considering the necessity of opening a land office in Omaha. This will be settled in the next twenty days. He spoke for one of the best exhibit spaces, covering an area of more than 200 square feet, in the second Omaha Land show.

"At the offices of the United States Farm Land company, also sales agents for the Sacramento Valley Colonization company and the Oregon & Western Colonization company's lands, G. D. Eyegbrood and John E. Burchard declared that they were greatly interested in the next Omaha Land show. They said that the extent and scope of their exhibit would be settled by the officers of the company soon.

"E. M. Wilson, president of the Bitter Root Valley Land company in St. Paul, stated that they had about 1,000 acres of apple land near Hamilton, Mont., that was going at a rate that convinced them that this would be the banner year in the colonist settlement business. In the Fairbairn Land and Investment company's offices in St. Paul a similar feeling of optimism over the Montana lands existed. The O. W. Kerr company of Minneapolis, exhibitors at the Omaha corn shows, will take out a large party to the Hamilton, Mont. district today.

"S. H. Drury, general agent of the Burlington at Denver, was in Omaha Friday, talking over colonist traffic plans with the headquarters officials here. Mr. Drury declared that the part of Colorado of which Denver is the center is expecting large movement of homeseekers this year, and that a number of these are to come as a direct result of the Omaha Land show recently held here.

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James R. Wade Commits Suicide. ST. LOUIS, March 10.—James R. Wade, president of the National Vacuum Steam Heating company and representative of a Chicago Engineering company, was found dead with a bullet wound in his head in his office today. A brother, Foster J. Wade, president of the Mercantile National bank, said that his brother undoubtedly committed suicide.

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CUT FLOWER SALE SATURDAY Another big bargain on Home Grown Carnations, 39c at, dozen Fresh Sweet Violets, bunch, Blooming Hyacinths, each at..... 19c 20c Also a large variety of spring flowers at special prices Saturday.

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Kansas City Lad Runs Away to Get His First Long Pants Comes to Omaha to Invest in a Suit with Long Trousers—Works as Bellboy.

Possessed of his first suit of clothes with long trousers and having pleasant memories of the Omaha police station, Woodward Townsend, aged 16, departed for his home in Kansas City Thursday night. Woodward left home last week without giving his mother any information as to his departure. One of the first things the lad did upon reaching Omaha, was to be measured for suit with long trousers. The natty little knickerbocker suit, cap and general appearance of careful grooming, lent ample attractiveness to the boy as he was when Detective Eddie Fleming found him. Fleming picked the lad up on a description of him which had been whred here from Kansas City. Woodward apparently capable of taking care of himself, had a job as bell boy at a hotel at the time of his arrest. He displayed a goodly sum of money to the detective, as the results in "tips" of three days' work. "I didn't exactly run away," declared Woodward. "I just wanted to make a little money, get a suit of clothes and go back home again." Fleming eyed the lad's knickerbockers

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and then asked him what kind of trousers he now suit had. "They're long," he said. "Folks didn't want you in 'em so soon, so you just blew out to buy 'em yourself, eh?" The lad denied this. Meta Famous Buck Beer in bottles on and after March 2. Order a case of this delicious beer sent to your home. Wm. J. Bookhoff, Retail Dealer, Phones Douglas 119, Ind. A-2118.

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