

NEW LINE TO MINNEAPOLIS

Gossip Has the Burlington Buying Hawley System.

TO ANNEX TO THE HILL SYSTEM

Should It Be Taken Over a New Line Probably Will Be Built Between Storm Lake, Iowa, and Omaha.

While officials at headquarters will not confirm the report, they will not deny the story from New York that in the near future the Minneapolis & St. Louis road is soon to become a part of the Burlington system...

According to railroad men who claim to know, only two courses are open to the Minneapolis & St. Louis. One is to soon go into the hands of a receiver and the other is to sell.

Should the Hill system take over the Minneapolis & St. Louis, the gap between Storm Lake and Omaha, a distance of 115 miles, would be built early next spring.

Railroad men who have looked into the situation say that with the road owned by the Burlington, or under its control, it would at once become one of the best paying railroad propositions in the country.

Mayor Asks that City Be Heard on the Gas Ordinance

Mayor James C. Pahlman has requested improvement clubs and other civic bodies interested in public questions to give the city a hearing whenever the gas franchise ordinance is under discussion.

Believing the administration has acted in behalf of the people in submitting this gas ordinance the mayor has arranged with the other commissioners and the city legal department to discuss the ordinance favorably before any improvement club.

If the mayor himself cannot take up the case before the improvement clubs, Police Commissioner J. J. Ryder or one of the city attorneys will argue for the adoption of the gas franchise ordinance.

Fortune Tellers Fined for Touching Their Visitors

Rachel Adams and Lena Ewan, gipsy fortune tellers who have quarters at Eleventh and Douglas streets, were arrested Monday afternoon for touching John Paeg for \$5 and Bernard Paeg for \$5. Both men are from Tryon, Ga. Frank Thimnee of Maine, Ark., was relieved of \$5 and a scarf pin while patronizing the gypsies.

COMMERCE SCHOOL HAS A LARGER ENROLLMENT

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PENSIONS FOR THE SOUTH

Gumshoe Movement for that Purpose Started in Congress.

PLAN FOR MODERATE START

Amount Limited to Sum Now Paid by States to Confederate Veterans—Equalizing the Rate.

A subtle effort to secure United States pensions for confederate veterans is afoot in congress. It appears in the form of several resolutions, notably one offered by Richmond Pearson Hobson of Alabama, which aims to "equalize" pensions of confederate and union veterans.

Captain Hobson's Resolution. Captain Hobson's resolution, which has been referred to the committee on invalid pensions, is as follows: "That the secretary of the interior is hereby authorized and directed to establish and maintain a roll of all confederate veterans pensioned by the several states with the amount of the pension received by each veteran and with the amount each veteran would receive were he a veteran of the union, and to pay to each confederate veteran out of such moneys in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the difference between the two amounts, provided that no case shall exceed the amount paid by the state."

This proposition means, in plain English, that the United States shall pay about 50 per cent of the pensions confederate veterans would receive if the Hobson resolution were law.

Pensions in Southern States. The table showing these expenditures in detail is as follows:

Table with columns for State, Confederate Pensions, and Federal Pensions. Includes Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and a Total row.

In the foregoing table of federal pensions are included sums paid on account of the war with Mexico and the various Indian wars. To make a fair comparison, pensions other than civil war pensions should be omitted.

More Careful in the South. But the southern states do not pension their veterans with the careless liberality, not to say extravagance, of congress. They pay pensions only to survivors of the war who need aid and only to the widows of men who were killed or died by the result of wounds.

United States broadly speaking, passes out a pension to every "veteran" that asks for one. Should the federal government be made to pay confederate pensions, it would be against human nature for the confederate veterans to demand less or to ask aid only upon greater merit than their union brothers.

The membership in the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben has almost gone over the 2,000 mark. At the meeting of the hustling committee at noon another 100 members were reported.

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