

FREIGHT EMBARGO INTO CHICAGO IS ON

Shipments Already Choke All Traffic Arteries—May Hit Omaha in Ten Days.

CONGESTION HERE IS BAD

For the first time in history an embargo has been laid on shipments of freight into Chicago. This embargo applies to every classification, with the exception of meats and perishable stuff. It became effective Friday, when local railroad offices received their notices. How long it will continue, no railroad man will venture an opinion, though it may be raised within a few days.

Railroad men assert that the placing of a freight embargo had been anticipated. For weeks the carrying capacity across the Atlantic has been insufficient to handle the great quantities of freight dumped into the seaboard terminals. The result has been that terminals and sidings have been filled with cars, there not having been anywhere near enough warehouse capacity.

Now, it is explained, practically all trackage between New York and Chicago has been filled and nothing remained but to apply the embargo.

Boats Removed.
For several weeks a number of big boats have been carrying grain and other freight to the Canadian side of Lakes Michigan and Huron, but they have been taken out of the service, thus removing another outlet.

Railroad men here assert that in Chicago the freight congestion is almost as bad as around the Atlantic terminals. The inner belt line filled up several days ago and now the outer line is so filled with cars that it is nearly impossible to get freight through.

Should the Chicago embargo continue ten days, railroad freight men assert that they would not be surprised to see it applied to Omaha and other Missouri river cities. This they say will come as soon as the railroad sidings between here and Chicago become choked.

Many Apartments Planned by Drake For Coming Year

The Drake Realty Construction company has more buildings planned for the year 1917 than during any year previous, since they have been operating in Omaha. William B. Drake, president of this concern, feels that the continually increasing demand for apartment houses will make their 1917 ventures profitable even in the face of the advanced cost of construction.

The Drake company has foundations in for a three-story, twenty-four apartment building at 701 South Eighteenth street, and is starting this week on the Elwood apartments, Forty-ninth avenue and Dodge. These two buildings represent an outlay of about \$150,000.

Besides these the company intends to erect four more of the Drake Court buildings located on the old Caldwell estate, which together will represent about \$400,000 in actual cost of construction. Aside from these there will be a six-story building valued at about \$80,000 erected at Park avenue and Mason street. Work on this will commence in about sixty days.

All of these buildings are to be constructed of reinforced concrete, and with the exception of the Dundee apartment, will be rented at popular prices. The Elwood apartment in Dundee, however, is scheduled to be one of Omaha's most beautiful apartment house buildings, and is to be rented to the more discriminating class of tenants.

Coast Ad Men Are Peeved Because East Gets Meet

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 8.—The Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, which will convene in a gigantic conclave in St. Louis, Mo., with an attendance of 15,000 members, will be confronted with a proposition by an enthusiastic group of Pacific coast representatives determined to bring the 1918 convention of the clubs west to San Francisco.

The fact that there has never been a convention of the ad men west of the Rockies is one which is irrefutable, and energetic advertising men of the coast feel that they have been neglected by the national association.

The San Francisco delegates backed with the indorsement of every Pacific coast city, and many others throughout the country, will enter St. Louis prepared to show the most skeptical why the Golden Gate city is the natural place for the next meeting.

San Francisco has the finest municipal auditorium in the United States for the convention to use, with a seating capacity of 22,000. This auditorium which was built for use during the exposition, has numerous smaller chambers which are available for the committee meetings and the gathering of the various departments.

Neighbors Rescue Sick Couple from Burning House

The timely help of neighbors probably saved the lives of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Beniceto, 2404 South Seventeenth street, when their home caught on fire shortly after 3 o'clock Saturday morning from an overheated oil furnace. Mr. and Mrs. Beniceto were sick in bed and neighbors who had been awakened by the fire rushed to their rescue. The damage to the house was slight.

City Sued for Death of Daniels at Mury Beach

The city is named defendant in a damage suit for \$10,000 brought in district court by the heirs of the late Samuel H. Daniels, who was killed at municipal beach, Carter Lake, on July 31, 1916, in a dive from a spring board. Daniels struck on his head and died shortly afterwards. The petition alleges that the city was negligent in that it was 33 years old at the time of his death, survived by a widow and three children.

Sunday, February 11, 1917

BURGESS-NASH STORE NEWS FOR MONDAY

Telephone Douglas 137.

Second Week of Burgess-Nash Annual February Sale of Furniture

Involving the Entire Regular Stock At Reductions Ranging From 10% to 50%

JUST as we predicted, the sale to date has been by long odds the most successful of any like event—assuring us that not only is the quality and range of selection everything that the public expected, but that the saving possibilities are most unusual.

Furniture Suitable for Every Purpose and Room in the House

Gathered together by careful selection, and we cannot say too much in praise of the quality and workmanship, for only the best was selected, to be consistent with our standards of quality, dependability and economy.

It's one of the season's most important contributing features toward the making of better homes, for it points the way to better furniture at lesser cost.

Wood Rocker, at \$8.95

Splendidly constructed high back rocker, of solid oak and upholstered with genuine leather seat, specially priced for the February sale at, each, \$8.95.

Other wood rockers in the sale, from \$1.95 to \$35.00.

Dining Table, at \$9.85

Round dining table, is substantially built of solid oak, with fumed finish; 6-foot extension, specially reduced for the February sale, \$9.85.

Other dining tables in the sale, from \$9.85 to \$100.00.

Dresser, Monday, at \$20.00

Adam designed dresser in ivory enamel finish, mahogany or American walnut; well constructed throughout, specially priced for the February sale, at \$20.00.

Other dressers in the sale, at \$10.75 to \$175.00.

Library Table, for \$20.50

Library tables, in William and Mary design, constructed of solid mahogany; specially priced in the February sale, Monday, at \$20.50.

Other library tables in the sale, at \$6.85 to \$110.00.



Brass Bedstead, at \$8.25

Brass bedstead, with two-inch posts and five spindles in head and foot, well constructed and specially priced in this sale, at \$8.25.

Other brass beds in the sale, at \$8.25 to \$65.00.

Overstuffed Davenport, \$59.50

Davenports, upholstered with best quality tapestry, in a variety of patterns and colors; spring cushion seat, specially priced in the sale, at \$59.50.

Other davenports in the sale, at \$25.00 to \$125.00.

Two Quotations And An Application

"Yes, that's the truth, 'Tilda, but it's not the whole truth. Tell the whole truth, 'Tilda, and trust your good mother for the rest."

(Lincoln to his step-sister, Matilda.)

"If you once forfeit the confidence of your fellow citizens you can never regain their respect and esteem."

(Lincoln to a visitor to the White House.)

The forty years that lay between these two utterances of Abraham Lincoln, whose birthday the nation celebrates Monday, had seen him grow from the untutored, ambitious, rough-and-tumble but sympathetic boy on his father's "farm" in Indiana to the uncomplaining, heroic figure in the president's chair, bearing the burden of the nation's distress.

The passing years had never seen him waver for an instant in his loyalty to truth, honesty and sincerity.

This store is heaving to the same principle in quality of its merchandise, the fairness of its prices and its high standards of service.

You'll find infinite satisfaction in dealing with such a store.



WEDNESDAY Is Valentine Day

You'll find here a splendid collection of the new ideas in a wide variety of selection and at a price range of 1c to 25c.

Everybody enjoys receiving a valentine, and don't, by all means, forget the kiddies. Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor

BLEACHED Huck Towels at 17c

Every one an unusual value; large size, with borders in blue and pink; good weight; special, 17c each.

Bath Towels, 35c

Extra large and heavy weight bath towels, full bleached, with heavy double-ply warp yarn, 35c each.

Absorbent Crash, 12 1/2c

Heavy unbleached absorbent crash, with blue borders, good every-day wearing quality, 12 1/2c yard.

Table Damask, 89c

Large and varied assortment of table damask, extra good weight, at 89c yard.

Bed Spreads, \$1.98

Extra size heavy crocheted bed spreads, plain hem, with marcellis pattern; special, at \$1.98 Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor

There's an Oriental Influence in the Millinery for Spring at \$5.00 to \$35.00



THE Japanese, Chinese and Indians' influence is seen in the new millinery creations for spring, especially in this true in the trimmings, which lean toward oriental ornaments.

The favored material is Lisere straw, made in the new close-fitting chin-chin model or large sailors with rolling brim.

We invite you to come and see the splendid showing of these new, distinctive and individual creations for spring.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor

The Price of Women's House Robes Has Been Clipped One-Half

THAT means remarkable saving advantages. The offering embraces corduroy robes, crepe de chene negligees, albatross, kimonas and negligees, good colors, styles and sizes, at exactly half price.

Women's Crepe Kimonas, \$1.25

Another special value, women's crepe kimonas, empire style, all good colors, ribbon trimmed.

Women's House Dresses, \$1.25 to \$3.50

A big, generous showing of the new styles for spring and summer, sizes 34 to 50.

Children's Dresses, Reduced One-Third

White and colored dresses for small children, white wool sweaters, infants' white coats, carriage robes, etc., reduced one-third in price for Monday.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor

We Want to Tell You More About

These New Spring Suits We Are Showing at \$29.50



IF you could have seen them as we did when they came tumbling out of their tissue wrappings, you would be just as enthusiastic about them as we are.

This means, their style, individuality and distinctiveness are such as will appeal to the woman who gives a thought for the new.

The style trend is a decided change from the past season—some are strictly tailored, with smart, close collar, snug shoulders and straight silhouette, that so many discriminating women prefer.

The coats are box pleated from belt down, odd shaped pockets, silk collars that can be detached, knife-pleated skirts, that are slightly longer than last season.

The materials are Poivet twills, poplins, gaberdines, burella cloth, English tweeds, in apple green, gold, mustard gray, copen, tan, navy, as well as black.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor

Thousands of Yards of Glorious New Silks Underpriced Here For Monday

IT'S the awakening of spring in the silk section Monday—presenting a gorgeous array of the newest weaves, colorings and patterns that Dame Fashion has set her seal upon as correct for the coming season.

New Effects in Chiffon Taffetas, \$1.49

36-inch chiffon taffeta in plaids and sports stripes, the very smartest color combination, now being used for skirts, suits and dresses; also a full color range of plain shades for evening, afternoon and street wear. Monday, \$1.49 yard.

Sports Stripe Pongee, at 69c

Tan grounds with pretty colored stripes; on sale, Monday, at 69c the yard.

Plain Shade Pongee Silk, \$1.19

The wanted plain shades for the coming season, very smart for sports suits; 27 inches wide; special, at \$1.19 yard.

36-Inch Wash Silks, at \$1.25

White grounds with pretty colored stripes, for waists, dresses and skirts; a very pretty line to select from; full 1 yard wide; at \$1.25 yard.

Black Chiffon Taffeta, at \$1.69

Very popular for suits, skirts and dresses; rich, raven black; 40 inches wide; special, Monday, at \$1.69 yard.

Black Chiffon Taffeta, at \$1.10

Soft, with a very high luster, and beautiful quality; 36 inches wide; special, Monday, at \$1.10 yard.

Black Peau de Soie, at \$1.49

Excellent heavy quality for dresses, suits and coats; full 36 inches wide; special, at \$1.49 yard.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor

Monday in the Down Stairs Store

IT'S a good habit to acquire—to visit this big underprice store, every time you're down-town—there's always something special in merchandise you want and need every day.

Here's an Underwear Sensation For Monday

A SALE of women's and children's summer underwear at prices that positively represent the greatest bargain saving event. There are not all sizes in the different lots, but most likely your size will be there. No mail or phone orders accepted.

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| Misses' and Infants' Underwear, 5c | |
| Infants' cotton vests..... | Choice |
| Infants' wool vests..... | 5c |
| Misses' high neck, long sleeves cotton vests..... | |
| Misses' lace bottom pants..... | |
| Misses' cuff knee pants..... | |
| Boys' and Misses' Underwear, 15c | |
| Boys' knee length, short sleeves, ribbed union suits..... | Choice |
| Boys' knee length, short sleeves, white cotton union suits..... | 15c |
| Boys' knee length nainsook union suits..... | |
| Boys' porous knit shirts and drawers..... | |
| Misses' low neck and sleeveless union suits..... | |
| Women's and Boys' Underwear at 10c | |
| Women's white cotton ankle length pants..... | Choice |
| Women's white cotton ankle lace bottom knee pants..... | 10c |
| Women's low neck, sleeveless vests, shield under arm..... | |
| Women's low neck and sleeveless cumfy cut cotton vests..... | |
| Women's low neck and sleeveless silk lisle vests..... | |
| Boys' plain balbriggan shirts and drawers..... | |
| Boys' ribbed balbriggan shirts and drawers..... | |

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

Men's Underwear at Prices That's Almost Giving it Away

IT'S the result of a fortunate clean-up of one of the big distributors—all of their broken lines and odd lots of Spring and Summer weight underwear at a tremendous sacrifice. No mail or phone orders accepted.

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| Men's Underwear, 19c | |
| Men's 2-piece Balbriggan Underwear..... | 19c |
| Men's 2-piece Poros Knit Underwear..... | |
| Men's Underwear, 29c | |
| Men's 2-piece Balbriggan Underwear..... | 29c |
| Men's 2-piece Poros Knit Underwear..... | |
| Men's Athletic Union Suits..... | |
| Men's Ribbed Union Suits..... | |
| Men's Union Suits, 39c | |
| Men's Athletic Union Suits..... | 39c |
| Men's Ribbed Union Suits..... | |
| Men's Union Suits, 49c | |
| Extra fine quality "Conde" and lisle union suits—white and ecru; specially priced Monday, at..... | 49c |



Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

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"EVERYBODY'S STORE"