

# STREET RAILWAY MEN TO EXPLAIN TO WAR BOARD

## Washington Officials Call for Explanation of Conditions Existing in Omaha: Less Strike Talk Heard.

Washington, D. C., July 11.—(Special Telegram).—Omaha street railway officials have been asked to present their reasons for refusing to accede to the demands of their employes, to the war labor board of which ex-President Taft and Frank P. Walsh of Kansas City are prominent members, according to a statement of Secretary Louck today, but the time for this conference has not been fixed and will not be fixed until the present session of the board is concluded. Mr. Louck said that employes of the Omaha street railway made certain demands on the company which the company did not see fit to grant. When the employes were asked if they were willing to submit their grievances to the war labor board they said they were, but the officials declined to do likewise.

Matters became serious and Mayor Smith intervened by putting the case before the war labor board as things were threatening to interfere with war enterprises.

### Views of Taft

Apropos of the present situation on the Omaha street railway ex-President Taft has a signed editorial in today's Philadelphia Public Ledger in which he says among other things: "The national war labor board is often misunderstood because of the nature of its functions and the rules of decision by which it is guided are not clearly kept in mind. The purpose of its appointment was to aid maximum war production by furnishing a means of settling industrial disputes without strikes or lockouts."

The president appointed the board and described its functions and the rules to govern its action in accord with a constitution, so to speak, that had been agreed upon in advance by the representatives of workers and employes. Each side agreed not to use weapons in their controversies which by law they had a right to use. Each side agreed to submit to the conciliation of the board and if need be to ultimate arbitration under the machinery provided.

"One of the rules for determining the issue of wages was that every worker should be allowed a living wage which will insure the subsistence of the worker and his family in reasonable comfort."

### Questions in Cleveland.

"In a hearing between the street car companies of Cleveland and Detroit and their men the companies pleaded that they should not be required to raise wages because they had no income out of which to pay the increase. They said 'we are working under a franchise by which we receive only 3 and 4 cents for a passenger carried many miles and if a substantial increase of wages be granted bankruptcy and a receivership must follow.'"

"The joint chairmen of the board of arbitrators in these cases held that the financial condition of the company could not affect the issue which they must decide."

### Exigencies of War.

"It is impossible to escape this conclusion. The rights of the people to low fares secured by the local franchise of street railways may be waived for them by the city or the state in time of peace. In time of war, when congress becomes supreme in matters of defense and offense, congress may waive those rights and suspend them for the war."

"Whether the president has under existing federal legislation the authority to exercise this power is much more doubtful. If he concludes upon consulting his legal advisers that he does not have it congress should at once give it to him."

### Strike Talk Dies Out.

Talk of a strike has subsided for the present, at least, says General Manager Smith of the Omaha street railway lines, adding that all of the old employes fully understand the situation. Some of the more recently employed men are still discussing a strike in an effort to bring about an increase in working hours and an increase in pay. However, according to the officials, there is an inclination upon the part of all interested parties to let matters remain as they are until after the war board has investigated conditions, in the event it decides to do so.

### Wanted to Kill Self With Razor, Not With Gun

Charles Brehm, living at Twenty-first and Webster, was threatening to commit suicide with a razor and in other ways disturbing the peace, Detective Danbaum testified in police court Thursday. Questioned as to his reason for interfering he stated: "I was afraid he would not do a good job with the razor. I offered to allow him to use my gun and make sure of success, but he refused."

### No Medicine Shortage

Washington, July 11.—Rumors of a shortage of medical supplies on navy ships were vigorously denied today by Secretary Daniels.

## In the Silent Drama

### Biallo—In "Her Final Reckoning" here today and tomorrow, Pauline Frederick, to give an opportunity to display rare artistic powers in delineating the part of Marra, the natural daughter of a Russian nobleman and a gypsy girl in Paris in the scenes of the play. The play portrays in sensational scenes how the girl has been wronged in her youth by a racially Russian count, and when she finds true love in the person of Prince Zilah her old affair haunts her and causes infinite trouble in its disclosure. Miss Frederick depicts these stirring scenes in a vivid manner and in the end love is triumphant and in the reckoning she finds that she is far ahead of those who care to harm her.

### Muse—George Walsh, the marines and the American flag share honors in "The Kid Is Clever," the attraction for today and Saturday. Fans will no doubt derive much fun out of this offering. It tells of a fictitious South American republic and how our hero, as always, is the case in pictures, got the best of the natives. The United States marines come to the rescue as usual with a liberal display of the American flag. "The Eagle's Eye" and News weekly complete the bill.

### Strand—In "Viviette" the feature film for the last half of this week at the Strand theater, Vivian Martin portrays the role of a young, English girl, whose charms attract men to her as the flame attracts the moth. When Dick Ware, a primitive Englishman, strong and masterful, declares his love for her, she coquettes with him and then devotes her attention to Dick's brother, Austin, and later to Lord Bantock. She dashes the love from her fingers, sporting with them, loving each in greater or less measure, but in her heart of hearts, she is true to Dick. After many scenes of intense interest and not a few serious complications, Dick's strong primitive nature wins her love and both find happiness in their mutual affection.

### Sun—William B. Hart in "The Return of Draw Egan" put a muzzle on the bad man of "Yellow Dog," a western town with plenty of whiskey and noted for its high mortality rate. "Draw Egan" himself is an ex-convict man who has been separated from his partner when the two of them flee from a prison after a stage coach robbery, but when he is invited into Yellow Dog as the semblance of law and order he accepts and soon reduces the bad men to mild-mannered citizens by the power of his gun play. Then Egan meets Margery Wilson, a dark-eyed, pretty girl and a romance follows which bids fair to become broken up when Oregon Joe, Egan's former partner in holdups, returns and threatens to expose him. A thrilling fight follows and Oregon Joe goes into the desert to die, while Egan is appointed an honest-to-goodness sheriff and his past, which is now known, forgiven. It is a stirring story and a pretty love plot.

### Burgess—Fifteen minutes of solid laughter is offered by Murphy and Lookmar at the Empress theater in their burlesque opera, "The Laughing Fruit." Their repertoire shows a great number of songs new to this country. Connors and Edna, a well-matched team, have a skit they call "Shopping," in which comedy, dancing and singing are all intermingled. Mrs. Edna's comedy, "The Laughing Fruit" and stars of Metro-Drew comedies, surprise admirers in their special Metro novelty production, "The Laughing Fruit." Mrs. Edna Brentwood, a very bad man, and Mrs. Drew plays Doris Fenton, a poor working girl.

### Lothrop—The great Drury Lane spectacle, "The Whip," will be the heading of the bill here today and Saturday. "The Whip" is one of the great plays of the year in the matter of production besides being a drama of unusual force and merit. One of the largest scenes shows the wrecking of an entire railroad train carrying the valuable racer on whose efforts in the coming meet much depends to the life of his owner. It is a stirring play and love story and has been produced in a style hard to believe possible.

### Officer Makes End Run And Wins Foot Ball Game

"I'm playing foot ball with the watchman," Stella Berry greeted Officer Lundeen early Thursday morning when he made his rounds of the city market, he alleges. Cabbage was being used for a foot ball by Stella and the score was in her favor until Lundeen was substituted for the watchman.

Lundeen entered the game with pep and soon had Stella subdued. He made a touchdown at the central station and entered a charge of drunkenness against his opponent. Judge Fitzgerald who will officiate at referee postponed the case until Friday in order that Stella may recover. She refused to tell police where she lived.

### Sewing Circle With Much Whispering

We Are All Greatly Indebted to Those Who Tell Their Experiences.



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Metal thread for embroidering in bright gold, silver and antique gold and silver, 15c card.

Card Floss, soft finish for dress-makers, all colors, 15c card.

Bone Stilettes, 5c each.

Filet Braid, 19c bolt.

Chinese Coins, 2 for 5c.

Stilettes with knife, 35c.

Beads, 20c bunch.

Emeries at 10c.

Yarn Ball Holders, 25c each.

Bone Crochet Hooks, 5c each.

Hair Pin Needles, 10c.

Filet Sticks, at 10c.

Oval Embroidery Hoops, 15c.

Round Embroidery Hoops, 10c.

Carpet Warp, white, ecru and colors, 60c.

Inside Baby Pillows, pink and blue, \$1.25.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Third Floor.

# FRIDAY IN THE DOWN STAIRS STORE

## Here's a Remarkable Clearaway of MEN'S SHIRTS

### In the Down Stairs Store Friday Offering Values Extraordinary in the Extreme at 95c



ASSEMBLED for this big event is an enormous collection of Men's Shirts, strictly summer, just what is most wanted for hot weather service.

Various fortunate circumstances entered into the planning of this sale, and coupled with our big distributing and purchasing power, accounts for the truly extraordinary values offered.

Included are soft negligee shirts with French turnback cuffs, laundered negligee shirts with stiff cuffs also soft shirts with collars attached.

The shirts are cut large and roomy, extra well made and finished throughout. All sizes, 14 to 17 represented in the lot.

You'll agree that it is a merchandising feature under present market conditions to provide shirt values such as this sale presents.

The sale begins Friday morning at 8:30 and men who look ahead will buy enough to carry them six months or a year.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

### Smartly Trimmed Milans \$2.50

YOU really wouldn't believe how pretty and smart these hats look if we were to tell you, but we know you will agree, when you see them, that the values are most extraordinary.

Big variety of styles and shapes all prettily trimmed and offered very special for Friday at \$2.50.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

### Remnants of Wash Goods, Lengths 1-8 to 8 Yards, at 1c to \$2.50 Each

HERE is certainly great picking—one big bargain table piled high with remnants of wash goods, including gingham, percales, crepes, poplins, voiles, batistes, satens, etc.—lengths one-eighth to eight yards in a piece. Many very desirable dress patterns in the lot, and a remarkable variety of colorings and patterns. All offered to you Friday at 1c to \$2.50 each piece.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

### Pretty New Lingerie Blouses \$1.25

HERE'S indeed an extreme special and unusual value that will bring hundreds of women for the opening of the store Friday morning, eager to share in the offering.

The blouses are made of organdie or voiles, embroidered and lace trimmed, also colored Sport Blouses, with square or roll collar, lace trimmed, high or low necks, at \$1.25.

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### Wash Goods, 11c

Including batistes, organdies, voiles, etc., in striped, dotted, floral and checked designs, 26 to 36 inches wide at 11c yard.

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### Wash Goods, 15c

Including voiles, organdies, etc., 36 to 40 inches wide, in floral, stripe and dot designs, at less than mill cost at 15c yd.

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### Ginghams, at 19c

26-inch Gingham and large broken plaid calicoes. Very special Friday at 19c yard.

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### Kimono Crepe, 29c

Imported Jap Kimono Crepe, in a large assortment of pretty patterns; also full line of plain shades, 29c yard.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

### MEN'S Summer Trousers \$3.50

For men and young men made of cassimeres, koolcloth and palm beach summer weight, extra well tailored. English cut with cuff bottom. Very special for Friday at \$3.50.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

### SOAPS, Washing Powders, Drugs

Sloan's Liniment, bottle 16c.

Putnam's Dry Cleanser, 18c.

Lysol, medium package, 18c.

Peroxide Soap, cake 10c.

Golden Rod Washing powder, 5c.

White Borax Naptha Soap, cake 4 1/2c.

Pearl White laundry soap, cake 4 1/2c.

Diamond C laundry soap, 6 cakes for 27c.

Softone, package 8c.

Kleantone, package 8c.

Victoria Cleanser, pkg., 5c.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

### Union Suits, 59c

Women's Union Suits, "Set-slug" white cotton, open mesh, low neck and sleeveless, knee lengths at 59c.

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### Union Suits, 50c

Women's fine cotton union Suits, low neck and sleeveless, knee length, regular or extra sizes, 50c.

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### Ball Floss, 2 for 5c

Royal Society Ball Floss, for crocheting or embroidering, blue, gray, tan, yellow, green, brown at 2 for 5c.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

### Stamped Dresses, 75c

Children's Dresses, ready made of pebble cloth, excellent quality. Sizes 2, 4 and 6 stamped in four styles for 75c.

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### Cretonne Articles, 10c

Lot of stamped and finished cretonne articles, including scarfs, centers, shoe bags, pin cushions, aprons, etc., 10c.

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### Men's Union Suits, 59c

Athletic style checked nainsook with elastic back, excellent quality, sizes 34 to 44, at 59c.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

### Boys' Wash Pants, 75c

Knickerbocker style, gunmetal gray, the materials are crash and fancy stripe effects sizes 8 to 17 years, 75c.

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### Girls' Dresses, \$6.50

Little Girls' Plain Silk Dresses, high waisted style, fancy cuffs, white silk collar and pockets, ages 6 to 14 years, at \$6.50.

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### Cotton Hose, 25c

Women's and Children's Cotton Hose, white or black, seamless, special for Friday at 25c pair.

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### Burson Hose, 29c

Women's Hose, black or white cotton "Burson" made and known as "Seconds", special at 29c pair.

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### Women's Hose, 15c

Odd end pairs of women's and children's hose. Special Friday while they last at 15c the pair.

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### Union Suits, 50c

Boys' Union Suits, nainsook or porous knit, short sleeves or athletic style, knee length, 50c.

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## Remarkable Clearaway of Women's and Misses' Footwear, Down Stairs Store Friday

### Women's White Canvas Shoes at \$1.95

One lot of low heel white canvas shoes, nubuck trimming, white leather soles and heels. Just the shoe for vacation wear, here Friday at \$1.95 pair.



### Women's White Canvas Shoes \$2.85

Women's white canvas lace boots with high canvas covered heel and white leather soles. Specially priced for Friday, \$2.85 pair.

### Women's Pumps \$3.95

Big lot of Women's Pumps and Strap Slippers in dull kid, patent and calfskin, Goodyear welt and hand turned soles. All sizes at \$3.95 pair.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Down Stairs Store

### Children's Pumps \$1.85

Table of Children's and Misses' Strap Pumps, consisting of white canvas, leather soles, patent colt and dull calf for Friday, at \$1.85 pair.

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