

MIDLAND ROAD OF COLORADO IS TO GO TO JUNK PILE

Coal Line Loses Too Much Money and Is Not Taken Over by the Government.

The Colorado Midland, a railroad 376 miles in length, operating between Colorado Springs, Colo., and Grand Junction, Utah, is going to the junk pile. Local railroad offices have received circulars from the Denver headquarters of the Colorado Midland that all tariffs, both freight and passenger, are withdrawn and after August 5 the road will cease operation.

Railroad men assert that the passing of the Colorado Midland marks the beginning of the passing of the roads that have not been paying operating expenses and a fair return on the money invested. It is said that for many months the Colorado Midland has been operated at a net loss of \$1,500 a day.

The Colorado Midland was one of the roads that was not taken over by Director General McAuliffe. Having been a losing proposition, it is said that it was not wanted by the government. Not being in a position to take any of the government routing, it is contended that it had to succumb and go out of business.

Owned by Copper Company. At the present time the Colorado Midland is owned by the Utah Copper company. The story goes that some months ago it was bought by this corporation and that an attempt was made to put it into the government pool of railroads at a largely inflated valuation. Mr. McAuliffe would not accept it on this basis, after which the owners applied to the courts in Denver for an order to junk the property. The order was granted, but subsequently people in the towns along the line protested to the State Utility commission and the order of the court was reversed. Owners of the property appealed, with the result that the original court order becomes effective.

The Midland serves a number of small mining camps, but over the greater portion of the distance between Colorado Springs and Grand Junction the territory is served by the Denver & Rio Grande that parallels the Midland tracks. The Colorado Midland was built some 35 years ago, and while it was a scenic route, owing to the heavy grades, it was never a popular freight line. Its Omaha offices were discontinued some months ago.

War Savings Societies Increasing in Number

Little was heard of war savings societies before the big drive in July, but in spite of that fact, there were nearly 200 such societies in Omaha prior to the drive.

Among the first societies to be formed in Omaha were those at the Iben Biscuit company's plant. They were formed in February.

"These thrift stamp societies put us 'over the top' in the last Liberty loan drive," said P. P. Podrea, advertising manager of the company. "It looked for a while as if we were going to fall a long way short, until the stamp societies took hold of it, and then we were considerably beyond our hopes."

In recognition of the services rendered by these societies the company presented them with a piano, which is placed in the cafeteria. At noon the employees gather to hold their meetings and have music and dancing.

Any war savings societies who want to hold meetings and have speakers to encourage them in their work may get the services of such speakers by applying to C. E. Corey at headquarters.

Mr. Corey practices what he preaches. He has two little daughters to whom he has promised to duplicate all amounts they may invest in stamps. The little girls are most enthusiastic about their stamp investments and spend all the money they can get in this way. Recently an aunt gave each one of them \$3, so father has to dig up \$6 now to match the gift, every cent of which went into stamps.

The Morris Packing company is one of the newest firms to enter the war savings work. Cards came in August 1 showing a total of 45 societies formed among their employees.

C. E. Wray, state secretary of the savings societies, says there are just about 10,000 societies in the state. "You have no idea what a lot of work it is to get the cards entered and the information tabulated," says Mr. Wray. "We are getting this work done as quickly as possible, but new societies keep coming in until we are swamped with work. Nebraska stood 14th on the government report in July, but we began late." Mr. Wray expects to see Nebraska heading the list with a doubled quota by the end of this month.

Miller Park Resident. Make War on Useless Canines

Residents living north of Miller park have organized an association with a view to conserving food by getting rid of the numerous dogs that infest that vicinity.

It is not the purpose of the members of the Miller Park Anti-Dog association to kill the dogs of their neighbors, but instead, their purpose is to inaugurate an education campaign. They intend to convince dog owners that they should get rid of the animals, if for no other reason than as a war measure. They contend that in these times of costly living, the food eaten by a well-fed dog is sufficient to feed at least one human being.

Army Camp Death Rate 2.12.

Washington, Aug. 2.—The health of troops in the training camps and cantonments of the United States during the week ending July 26 was characterized as good in the weekly report issued today by the War department. The death rate for the week was 2.12, the lowest recorded since last October. Deaths numbered 104.

These Offerings for SATURDAY

Brandeis Stores

Shop Early, As the Store Closes at 6



Girls' Frocks Lowest Prices

Some Are Slightly Soiled.

Every frock here has been reduced for quick clearance. When you see them, you will want to buy two or three for your girl or girls, because they are some of the best values of the season. The slight soil that some of them have is quickly removed with one tubbing, and you will have a spick and span frock at the lowest price you have paid for some time.

**\$3.95, \$5.00, \$5.95
\$6.95, \$7.50-\$12.50**

Frocks are shown in the Specialty Shops on Fifth Avenue, New York.

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| <i>Good Gingham</i> | <i>Georgette Crepe</i> |
| <i>Excellent Madras</i> | <i>Crepe de Chine</i> |
| <i>Imported Jap Crepe</i> | <i>Sheer Organdies</i> |
| <i>Prettiest Linen</i> | <i>Daintiest Nets</i> |
| <i>Daintiest Voile</i> | <i>Fine Chiffon</i> |

Girls' Lovely Silk Frocks, \$9.75

Made in all very newest styles, dark shades, just right for traveling and dress wear. Worth \$15.00 to \$17.50.

Children's Bathing Suits, \$1.00 to \$4.00

Knit Bathing Suits for children from 2 to 14 years of age. Trimmed with "high" shades.

Second Floor.



Women's Summer Shoes-Clearance At \$3.95

Worth Up to \$7.50 a Pair

Several hundred pairs of Women's Oxfords and Pumps, formerly priced up to \$7.50.

Included in the assortment are Silver Gray, Buck, Silver Gray Kid, Patent Kid, Bright Kid and Dull Kid, with welted and turned soles.

Sizes are broken in every style, but there is nearly every size in the lot.

Main Floor, front.

Parasols--Half Price

A Surprising Saturday Sale

Choice of any Parasol in the house on Saturday, at EXACTLY HALF PRICE. This is a very remarkable offering—take full advantage of it.

Main Floor, front.

Boys' Knickerbockers

\$1.25

For Vacation and Outing.

Very dressy, light weight wool mixtures, cut big and roomy, with small waist lines, belt loop and all. Easily worth \$2.00. All sizes.



Wash Pants at 69c

Straight leg style or Knickerbocker. Plain colors, stripes or checks. Values from 85c to \$1.00.

\$1.00 "Quality" Blouses, 75c

Here are sport styles, Eton style or regular collar styles. Extra quality Percales, Madras, Chambrays; light colors or dark colors; sizes 3 to 16 years.

Boys' Bathing Suits

Suits, much underpriced; a big table of them, in various colors and styles; plain colors and fancy stripes.

75c Bathing Suits, now 55c.

\$1.00 Bathing Suits, now \$1.00.

\$2.50 Bathing Suits, now \$1.50.

\$3.00 Bathing Suits, now \$2.00.

Boys' Overalls, \$1.25

Blue Denim Overalls, with double seat and knees; sizes 3 to 16 years.

Children's Koveralls, \$1.25

Khakis, Blue Denims and Stripes; all with fancy trimming. Sizes 1 to 8 years.

Boys' 2 Pants Suits, \$6.50 Upward

The biggest selection by far in the Middle West; and the prices are extremely moderate.

Second Floor, Men's Bldg.



Georgette Crepe Blouses \$4.95 to \$6.95

This is a most charming lot of styles, at prices that are extremely reasonable.

Beautifully beaded and embroidered styles.

Large collars, fichus, collarless and lace trimmed models.

These Blouses are styles brought direct from New York, and represent the latest dictates of Fashion.

Second Floor.

Drugs and Toilet Needs At Astonishingly Low Prices.

The things that you need right now, at prices that will save you considerable money.

- Java Rice Powder, special, at.....33c
- Williams' Talcum Powder, special, at.....12c
- Woodbury's Facial Soap, special, at.....18c
- Abonita Vanishing Cream, 3 1/2 size, at.....19c
- Wanona's Shampoo Bags, special, at.....7c
- Sloans' Liniment, 2 1/2 size, at.....16c
- Hay's Hair Health, \$1.00 size, at.....59c
- Waneta Foot Tablets, 2 1/2 size, at.....16c
- Lustrite Nail Polish, 3 1/2 size, at.....19c
- Williams' Toilet Water, 7 1/2 size, at.....59c
- Trailing Arbutus or Corylopsis Talcum Powder, 2 1/2 size, special, at.....10c
- Rubber Sheeting, yard wide, special, at.....49c
- 2-Quart Maroon Fountain Syringe, regular \$1.19, at.....79c
- Bath Sprays, regularly 98c, special, at.....59c
- Mme. Isabel's Exquisite Face Powder, 5 1/2 size, at.....29c
- Jap Rose Soap, 12c cake, at.....8c
- Elemite Castile Soap, 1 1/2 size, at.....8c
- Oatmeal Soap, special, at.....8c
- Essex Peroxide Soap, special, at.....8c
- Aspirin Tablets, 100 in a bottle.....69c

Main Floor, rear.

Be Sure to Take Your Kodak On Your Summer Vacation

Have a permanent record of the things you saw—have them in pictures so that you can show your friends the fine beauties of nature that you witnessed on your vacation.

We have Kodaks in all sizes and at all prices. **IMPORTANT**—When you have prints made here, we develop your films FREE.

Main Floor.

1,500 Samples Pure Thread Silk Hosiery Worth from \$2.50 to \$3.50, a pair. . . . \$1.95

This is one of the best offerings we have made in months.

Samples From Lehigh Silk Hosiery Mills Of Pure Thread and Italian Silk Right to the End.

Women's Pure Thread Silk Hosiery, silk to the top, including garter tops; some silk to the knee with lisle garter tops; lisle soles, reinforced heels and toes. Silk embroidered clocks, fancy silk embroidered designs in flowers and birds, butterflies, etc.; also pretty lace effects.

In black, white and shoe shades, in good heavy thread silk. This is an extremely remarkable offering.

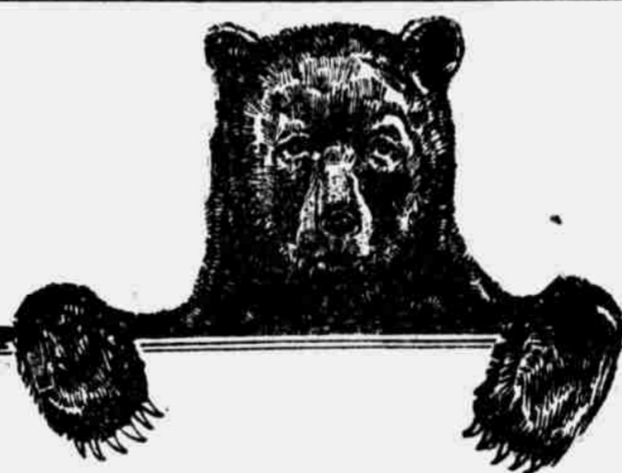
Main Floor.

Saturday Sale of Italian Silk Underwear Two Good Sized Lots---Wonderful Values

They are all well made and of excellent quality Glove Silk. The prices are exceptionally low for Underwear of this quality.

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| \$1.95 and \$2.95 | At \$4.50 | At \$1.00 |
| Vests and Bloomers of charming Italian silk, in very generous assortment at these low prices. | These are fine Italian Silk Union Suits and Envelope Chemise, plain and handsomely lace trimmed. About 50 styles. Garments that sell up to \$6.50 suit. | One big bargain table of Women's Silk Lisle Union Suits, in plain and lace trimmed styles, pink and white. All sizes. Regularly up to \$1.75. |

Third Floor.



BEAR IN MIND

that our annual

August Fur Sale

BEGINS MONDAY

And that the most extensive as well as the most beautiful showing of Furs we have ever made will be exhibited here, beginning on August 5th.

The Fur Department has been enlarged and beautified and we particularly invite your inspection.

Details in Sunday Papers

Second Floor.



Dainty Summer Dresses \$10.75

Styles That Have Sold to \$22.50.

A timely purchase enables us to offer a special group of Voile Dresses, so much in demand on account of their dressy, cool appearance.

Smart Dresses for morning shoppers, afternoon wear and Red Cross workers.

Navy with figures of white; dainty collars and cuffs. Plain colors in dainty shades.

Second Floor.



Bathing Caps--Clearance

Here's a chance to get in on a good thing.

- All 49c Bathing Caps, at 29c
- All 59c Bathing Caps, at 39c
- All 69c Bathing Caps, at 49c
- All 89c Bathing Caps, at 59c
- All 98c Bathing Caps, at 79c

Main Floor, rear.

Children's Hosiery

Children's Socks, in fiber silk, a few all silk, double soles, heels and toes, in white with fancy colored striped rolled tops, special, a pair.....49c

Children's Fine Lisle "Cuties" Socks, with double soles, heels and toes, in white with black, tan, pink and blue stripes; rolled tops, 3 for \$1.00 or each, at.....35c

Main Floor.

"Breezy Music"

Will Help You Keep Cool

With a Victrola on your porch and some happy hearted, light footed music playing, it is quite possible to forget all about the heat.

Victrolas, \$22.50 to \$395

Sold on very easy terms. The new records are here.

Main Floor—Pompeian Room.

