

ALLOW FREIGHT RATE INCREASE OF 25 PER CENT

Commission Finds That This Raise Is Sufficient to Meet Increased Operating Costs.

Lincoln, Aug. 24.—(Special.)—Twenty-five per cent increase in freight rates within Nebraska, effective August 26, or as near thereafter as the railroad companies can prepare and publish them, is allowed by the State Railway commission in its order disposing of their application for advanced rates.

The carriers had asked authority to raise their hauling charges 35 per cent, paralleling the increase granted a month ago by the Interstate Commerce commission on traffic crossing state lines, to take effect August 26, but the railway commission finds that a 25 per cent raise on Nebraska business will be sufficient to assure them of a reasonable return upon their property investment.

Brick and Tile Excepted. Brick and hollow building tile, carload rates, are excepted from the rate increases for the reason that the rates on those commodities were raised in greater proportion by Director General McAdoo in June, 1918, than other kinds of freight. On crushed rock, sand and gravel, the increase is limited to 60 per cent above rates existing prior to that date, which is the estimated average increase already realized on brick and tile.

Tariffs heretofore in effect on switching, and other special service, such as transit privileges, weighing, diversion, consignment, storage and car rental are boosted uniformly 25 per cent.

In deciding the request of the railroads for a 20 per cent increase in passenger rates within Nebraska to match the raise granted by the federal commission, the state body holds that it is without jurisdiction to change the terms of the state law fixing 2 cents a mile as the maximum fare.

Increased Passenger Rates. Relative to certain kinds of passenger service, however, the commission says it has jurisdiction and allows the increase the railroads asked for. The order provides for these things: Increase of 20 per cent on "extra fare" trains and for special trains. Increase of 50 per cent in pullman and parlor car fares, the additional revenue to go to the railroads. Increase of 20 per cent in excess baggage rates.

Increase of 20 per cent in rates for milk and cream carried on passenger trains. September 1 is the date specified when the railroads may be collecting the increased charges for pullman and parlor car service. The other advanced passenger charges will be in force August 26, or soon thereafter.

Rates Temporary. The new rates authorized by the Nebraska commission are promulgated as temporary ones, to run for an indefinite time. On October 25 a hearing will be held at which time either the carriers or shippers may appear and ask to have any rates modified. A special hearing is announced for October 26 on rates for straight and mixed carload shipments of brick and hollow building tile, and the proper carload minimum weights. Minimum class rates are to remain the same as now. The same reservation is made as to minimum car-

COMMON SENSE

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Sometimes when you think about your life and compare it with the lives of other men you think you have nearly always been pulling upstream against a strong current. Don't you sometimes think you are fighting a battle which is no going to bring you much success in the end because you cannot see, with your present earning capacity, how you are going to accumulate very much and keep living expenses paid in full? You have almost a mind to ease in effort, not to so saving and stop carrying yourself the little pleasures you forego because they are really beyond your income. Then the thought comes that if you must wind up your life in a charitable institution you might as well go ahead and spend your money, have a good time and get there a little earlier perhaps. Dangerous line of thought—the thought of a weakling—stop it. You are losing pride and ambition. Don't be a disgrace to your parents, a disappointment to your friends, just because you have not the real manhood to continue a good fight.

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AURORA BANKER REMANDED TO JAIL ON EMBEZZLEMENT

Charles W. Wentz Held Without Bond After Arrest In Detroit.

Aurora, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special.)—Charles W. Wentz, former vice president of the American State bank here, waived preliminary examination today and was bound over to trial in district court for embezzlement by County Judge Fred Jeffers.

Trial was set for September 20. Wentz requested no bond be fixed, and he was remanded to the county jail.

Four Counts in Complaint.

The complaint comprises four counts and charges embezzlement and violation of the state banking laws. Wentz was arrested last week in Detroit and has been in the county jail since his return here.

The particular charge in the present complaint has to do with a certificate of deposit now held by the American National Fire Insurance company of Omaha.

This certificate is numbered far in advance of any certificates shown to have been issued by the bank and recorded on the regular record of certificates. It was dated for September 19, 1919, and purports to run for a year.

No Record Found.

Claim was filed for this certificate by the insurance company and Receiver A. F. Ackerman of the bank found no record of it in the bank's books. The other officers of the

bank had not knowledge of its issuance. Last March 5 a report of the bank was made to the department of trade and commerce signed by Wentz as a director. In listing the liabilities this certificate was not named.

Citizens Attempt to Stop Consolidation of Schools at Inavale

Red Cloud, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—Quo warranto proceedings were instituted in district court Saturday by F. J. Munday as attorney for Harry Chaplin and others residing in consolidated school district R against members of the school board of this district, asking that the defendants be ousted from office and restrained from acting in this capacity.

The purpose of the action is to nullify the consolidation of eight districts in and around the village of Inavale, in this county. These districts were consolidated by a special election held last March, under the new law passed by the last legislature and recently held constitutional by the Nebraska supreme court.

As grounds for the proceedings the petition alleges that no notice was given to the electors in some of the districts that the officers provided by law were not in charge of the election and that on account of bad roads and weather and distance from the school house consolidation would deprive some pupils of school privileges.

Must Build More Pens to Accommodate Fair Entries

Pierce, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special.)—Entries for the Pierce County fair, to be held at Pierce next week, are being made in such large num-

bers that the association finds it necessary to build additional pens and sheds. Gov. S. R. McKelvie, ex-Gov. Morehead and A. J. Weaver will make addresses at the fair.

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