

Mythical Miles Used by U. P. in Taxing Shippers

Livestock Owners of Western Nebraska Overcharged, Rate Investigators Here Are Told.

Though livestock shipments from western Nebraska points on the Union Pacific railroad to Kansas City are sent by way of the St. Joseph & Grand Island cut off, the freight bills are figured by the mileage of the Maryville route which, from Kearney to Kansas City, for instance, is 81 miles longer than the St. Joseph & Grand Island route, C. Frankenberg of the Union Pacific freight department admitted yesterday afternoon in the hearing before the interstate and the state commerce commissions in the federal building.

Frankenberg declared he did not know "of his own knowledge" that the Union Pacific owns the St. Joseph & Grand Island road. The hearing will probably last all this week. It seeks to adjust the old dispute regarding livestock freight rates from Nebraska points to Missouri river points. The Burlington road at present enjoys higher rates than the Northwestern and the Union Pacific roads, due to a ruling of the Interstate Commerce commission in 1919.

The Burlington wants the rates of the other two roads advanced. Shippers and livestock centers want the Burlington's rates reduced.

Chicagoan Is Witness.
A. F. Cleveland of Chicago, assistant freight traffic manager of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, was a witness yesterday afternoon as was also H. A. Mentz, assistant general freight agent of the Minneapolis & Omaha road.

J. H. Tetlow is representing the Kansas City livestock exchange; W. J. C. Kenyon, the St. Joseph livestock exchange; R. Zwemer and W. H. Benn the Sioux City livestock exchange; C. E. Child, A. F. Stryker and H. Shackelford, the Omaha livestock exchange. D. P. Stough of Grand Island is present for the stock shippers.

Special Train to Carry Rotarians to Convention

A special train will be run by the Union Pacific railroad to carry Rotarians of the Sixteenth district to Los Angeles next month for the annual convention. The special will leave here June 2.

Among those who have already signed for the trip are Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Frank G. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. M. Dow, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rosen, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Brown, D. C. Buell, George Lee, Ray Kingsley and D. C. Buell.

Brief City News

Files for Sheriff—John C. Donahoe, 2923 Maple street, filed yesterday for the democratic nomination for sheriff of Douglas county.

Nurses to Graduate—Nineteen nurses will graduate from the Nebraska Methodist Episcopal hospital training school Wednesday evening, May 24, at commencement exercises at the First Methodist church.

Granted Divorce—Gertrude H. Mattson was granted a divorce yesterday from Dr. Alfred S. Mattson by District Judge Sears. She testified that her husband had been cruel and indifferent the last four years.

Bankrupt—A voluntary petition in bankruptcy was filed by Jerry O'Connor, proprietor of the Koolshansa cafe, 2033 Farnam street, in the federal court yesterday. He is in debt \$18,231.45 and has assets of only \$135. Among the creditors are a dozen waitresses.

Has Cure for Speeders—Out of 24 violators of the traffic laws, Judge W. F. Wappich ordered seven not to drive again for varying terms in police court yesterday. He proposed putting a yellow cross on the windshield of the car of every convicted speeder and branding him "a yellow dog among motorists" as a cure for speeding.

Father Reilly to Lecture—The fifth of a series of lectures in the moot court room of the Crediton law department, Twenty-sixth and California streets, under the direction of Rev. Father Reilly, S. J., for the political education of women will be given tonight. Charles Bongardt will lecture on "The Commission Form of Government." The course, which is under the auspices of the Daughters of America, has been well patronized by Omaha women.

600 Fremont Children Participate in Pageant

Fremont, Neb., May 16.—(Special Telegram.)—Over 600 grade school pupils will participate in the pageant, "America, Yesterday and Today," to be staged at City park Wednesday afternoon under the direction of Prof. Reese Solomon, director of music at Fremont schools.

This phone number omitted from new directory. Please paste in your book—

Atlantic 2916

NASH SALES AND SERVICE

Nash Vriesema Auto Co
10th & Howard

Grocers Open on Sunday Are Fined

Five Pay \$5 Each for Violating Closing Law; One Appeals.

Once more the district court will be called upon to decide just what constitutes a grocery.

Attorneys and Judge W. F. Wappich could not agree on the question in central police court yesterday and after J. L. Thomas, grocer, 2523 St. Mary's avenue, had been fined \$5 for violating the Sunday closing laws he announced he would appeal from the decision.

Thomas contended he sold delicatessen wares on Sundays and kept his grocery stock partitioned from the prepared food counter.

"It obviously is not a grocery under those circumstances," Frank Dieneu, city prosecutor, declared. "If it were, a soda fountain in a grocery could not be operated on the Sabbath."

Arthur Rosenblum, attorney for the Omaha Retail Grocers' association, told Judge W. F. Wappich that the Sunday closing law defines a grocery as a store in which groceries are kept in stock and that the district court had confirmed that view.

"I'm not wise enough to know what the Sunday closing law means," Judge Wappich said, "but I'll find Mr. Thomas \$5; he can't keep open both Saturday and Sunday, as I understand the law."

Five others were fined \$5 each on similar charges. They were A. M. Grant, 4304 Ames avenue; C. H. Jensen, 3119 Ames; J. G. Hutzfeld, 4001 Ames; Harry Resnick, 801 North Twentieth, and John Bowers, 1719 Leavenworth.

G. Sessman, 4438 Ames, was found guilty, but sentence was suspended.

Rev. F. H. Anderson Church Moderator

Fremont, Neb., May 16.—(Special Telegram.)—Rev. Frank H. Anderson of Plymouth church, Omaha, was elected moderator of the Omaha Association of Congregational Churches at the annual convention which comes to a close at Arlington, Neb. this afternoon. Rev. G. R. Birch, Scribner, was chosen registrar.

Dr. O. O. Smith, Fremont, delivered an address on "Roger Babson and His Message," while his brother, Dr. Frank G. Smith of Omaha made the closing address this afternoon.

Reports from various churches made up the program of the two-day conference, interspersed with bits of entertainment and musical offerings.

To Erect Building—The Bankers Reserve Life company has decided to erect an office building at Nineteenth and Douglas streets. The height of the new structure will depend on the bids of contractors.



The Widow — a shining mark for the mining shark.

—Elbert Hubbard

Executor
Guardian
Trustee

The Omaha Trust Company
Omaha National Bank Building

BURGESS-NASH COMPANY.

"EVERYBODY'S STORE"

Many Unusual Values Wednesday

Wednesday--A Truly Wonderful Sale of Rompers : Creepers : Bloomer Dresses

\$1.00



Sturdy little outfits for general or for play-time wear are these kiddies' suits made of chambray, linene, suiting and gingham. Bunnies, chickens or flowers embroider peckets, collar or yoke front; smocking makes tiny shoulders fit snugly.

Pink, Blue, Lavender, Green, Tan, Yellow, Brown, White and Combinations.

Every mother will be delighted to find that black sateen rompers are included at this low pricing. Made with flare peckets and collar and cuffs of a light color. Truly practical little garments.

Four Are Illustrated
Sizes 2 to 6.

Burgess-Nash Infants' Shop—Third Floor

BURGESS-NASH COMPANY.

"EVERYBODY'S STORE"

Mina Taylor Dress Sale

The crowds that attended our Mina Taylor Dress Sale Monday and Tuesday completely exhausted our stock of styles and sizes—so we bought an additional

4,000 Mina Taylor Dresses

to be placed on Sale Wednesday

In Four Groups

\$1.95 **\$2.95** **\$3.95** **\$4.95**

If you were disappointed Monday or Tuesday— this is your opportunity to purchase the style you prefer. Sale starts 9 a. m. Wednesday

No C. O. D's No Exchanges. No Will Calls

Burgess-Nash Mina Taylor Shop—Second Floor

Hand Made Blouses \$2.50

200 blouses, odd lots that you will readily recognize as much higher priced blouses. They are entirely hand made of batiste and dimity. Drawnwork, tiny embroidered dots, and narrow lace edging trim them. Flapper and Tuxedo collars and turn-back cuffs are made to fit over suit or sweater. Special, \$2.50.

Burgess-Nash Blouse Shop—Third Floor

One Minute Washer

The greatest recommendation we can give the "One-Minute" Washer is the endorsement of women who own one. Only through actual use can an article prove itself. That is what the "One-Minute" has done. It gives untrifling service day in and day out, bringing many hours of rest and leisure to its owner.

Now, during the warm weather, you will appreciate this electrical servant more than ever. Not only does it save in time and labor, but its method of washing saves the clothes by reducing the wear to the minimum and by removing all the dirt without the customary hard rubbing and the use of strong soaps.

Sold on Convenient Terms

We have arranged the most convenient terms. Come in today or tomorrow and ask about them; also see a demonstration. No obligation to buy.

Priced at \$79.50 to \$128.50

Burgess-Nash—Fourth Floor

Lawn Mowers "Dundee" Lawn Mowers



Ball bearing, four-blade lawn mower. Self sharpening. Easy to run. All sizes. Priced at—

\$8.25 to \$14.85

Garden Hose

Best quality moulded hose. Priced, a foot—

1/2-in. hose, 13¢
3/4-in. hose, 14¢
1-in. hose, 16¢

Burgess-Nash—Fourth Floor

For Picnics

Picnics are often disappointing because there is nothing cool to drink, or because the salad has become warm. Thermos bottles and kits keep food and drink at the temperature they are packed.

Lunch Kits
Black enamel kit—fitted with pint Thermos bottle. Complete, \$2.00

Thermos Sets
Quart Thermos of green enamel, with nickel rim and cup. \$2.50

Pint Thermos bottle of corrugated nickel. Priced at—
\$1.50

Burgess-Nash—Main Floor

Hanging Baskets

Green pottery hanging baskets that can be brought into breakfast room or conservatory during the winter. Fitted with wire hangers. Priced at 50¢.

Cemetery Vases

Attractive pottery vases of adequate dimensions for decorative purposes. Each, 50¢.

Burgess-Nash—Fourth Floor

Notion Needs

O. N. T. and Silks Crochet Cotton, in white, ecru, linen. Three balls, 25¢.

Pearl Cotton, in all colors. Large ball, 10¢.

Organdy Bias Tape, all colors, 6-yard bolts, each, 35¢.

Rick Rack Braid, in white, all sizes, bolt, 10¢.

Burgess-Nash—Main Floor

Dress Forms \$2.00

These are black jersey covered forms that may be adjusted to any height—
Sizes 32 to 44.

Burgess-Nash—Main Floor

Men's Knit Ties, 75c

The right kind of tie for summer wear with soft shirts. Silk knit in plain colors or in fancy patterns of stripes or embroidered dots. Well made ties with slip band. There are plenty of black and dark colors. You will want to select several from this assortment.

Burgess-Nash Men's Shop—Main Floor

Girls' Kiltie Skirts \$2.00

Pleated skirts for little girls. These are full pleated and made of fine cotton Rajah. The suspender-straps are cut with the skirt to prevent slipping. Metal buckles and reinforced eyelets adjust the length of the straps. Blue, rose, and pongee colors. Sizes 8 to 14.

Burgess-Nash Junior Shop—Third Floor

Cedar Chest Week

With the storage of winter garments an immediate necessity now, this selling comes very opportunely.

Our Special Feature
38-inch Chest of cabinet construction finished in brass trimmings, with dust-proof covers. All are mounted on casters and fitted with lock and key.

\$18.95

Ruffled Curtains, \$1.95
More of those same pretty tieback curtains that we had a short time ago. Made of nice quality marquette in white and ivory.

Marquette, yard, 49c
This is a fine quality mercerized cloth in dainty check or barred patterns. 40-inch width in white or ivory is low priced at, yard, 49c.

Burgess-Nash—Fourth Floor

Refrigerators All Sizes—All Prices



Oftentimes, the old "ice box" consumes too much ice, causes the food to spoil, often causes illness when food becomes tainted.

The modern construction of our new refrigerators lessens the possibility of such conditions.

Special Feature
70-pound side icer, with oak finish case, white enamel provision chamber, and retinned wire shelves, in three-door style. The kind of a box that is absolutely an ice saver; strictly sanitary.

Priced at \$29.50

Burgess-Nash—Fourth Floor

RED ARROW BOOTH

1,500 Yards

White Goods Yard 12 1/2c

This is an excellent quality 36-inch madras. Woven of a fine, well-twisted yarn—it assures splendid wearing service. A value not to be overlooked. Limit of 10 yards to a customer.

No C. O. D.'s No Exchanges
No Refunds No Phone Orders

Burgess-Nash Red Arrow Booth—Downstairs Store