

AFFAIRS OF THE RAILWAYS.

The Vestibule Train Patents. CHICAGO, May 21.—The vestibule train case occupied the attention of Judge Graham and Biogdett in the United States Circuit Court, today, on a motion to modify the injunction restraining the Wagner Palace-car Company from infringing the Sessions patent for vestibule trains owned by the Pullman Palace-car company, by substituting therefor a bond for damages. Counsel for the Wagner company thought the court had misconceived some matters and misconstrued others. Mr. Payson said he had no doubt but the court had forgotten one of the most important facts which was that the chief claim of the Sessions patent was to prevent oscillation. The English patents of Garvey, Dyer and Childy all covered this identical point, whereas the Sessions patent had declared that none of the prior patents had embraced this feature. Sessions had appropriated his device from Garvey and Childy. Counsel next objected to the Sessions patent as being defective in not showing a powerful spring should be and in not showing definitely what his patent was for. He thought the Sessions patent was the greatest fraud upon a patent that was ever given. The Sessions patent Office, or ever upheld by a court. The present application would, he admitted, constitute a re-hearing of the case, partly on newly-found evidence. The Sessions patent in the advocacy of witnesses as to the use of the invention, then under the name of the Michigan Central Company, with top spiral springs, and a pressure of about seventy-five pounds to square inch. An expert witness called from a master-mechanic of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad, that these canopies were used by the Burlington road from 1863 to 1877. The admission of several expert witnesses on patent matters were read. Melville E. Fuller testified that the various points in the Sessions patent were covered by the prior patents of Mr. E. Thurston. The Pullman company, argued that all the points made by counsel for the Wagner company had been fully discussed in the first hearing, and were referred to in the briefs. Since the injunction had been entered the Wagner company, he said, had manufactured for the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad Company a fully equipped vestibule train. This, he said, was in direct violation of the injunction. The only change in that train or in the Wagner had been a spring of reduced strength. The objectionable features had been, however, retained. If it were known that the Wagner company had been manufacturing for the Pullman company, he said, ask for an attachment for contempt. The different patents referred to were discussed, and their absurdities exposed. The court took the matter under advisement.

No Dissension in the Board. Referring to an item in yesterday's Journal the following card will explain itself: To the Editor of the Indianapolis Journal: We, the undersigned board of directors of the Railway Office and Conductors Association, hereby state that there is no dissension in the board of management.

Personal, Local and State Notes. What is known as the Cotton-belt route leasing rates on cotton there territory, and an ugly rate war is imminent.

N. S. Hill, who for many years has been purchasing agent of the Baltimore & Ohio road, has tendered his resignation, to take effect June 1.

It is stated that the position of general manager of the Union Pacific road has been offered to Vice-president Oakes, of the Northern Pacific.

J. B. Flanders has been appointed superintendent of the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinac road, and W. T. Backus chief train-dispatcher.

Tourist tickets to Northern, Eastern and Western summer resorts are on sale at the Union Depot and outside ticket offices June 1.

J. H. Smith, for twenty years with the Pullman company, as private secretary to George Pullman, president, has been asked to engage in commercial pursuits for himself.

J. J. A. Murray, who, for some years, was agent of the Empire line at Indianapolis, now holding a much more important position in Buffalo, is spending the day here.

The Cincinnati, Hamilton & Indianapolis company has established a telegraph office at Blue River Park, and is doing all in its power to bring this pleasure resort into popularity.

C. S. Phillips, secretary of the Expressmen's Mutual Benefit Association, was elected as the coming annual election the president and several other officials of the road will be asked to give place to new men.

Trouble is brewing on the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinac, and it is predicted that at the coming annual election the president and several other officials of the road will be asked to give place to new men.

It is understood that Thomas Taggart, county auditor, has the best prospect of securing the restaurant at the new Union Station. The Union Railway Company could not well make a better selection.

H. C. Diehl, general manager of the Interstate Dispatch, John appointing John H. Boyle, his chief clerk, who has his chief clerk on the Ohio and Western, and he will leave in a day or two for Buffalo, to assume the duties of the position.

L. Laws, who on June 1 succeeds William Garstang as master mechanic of the Bee-line shops at Brightwood, four years ago left the Vandalla to take the foremanship of the Bee-line shops at Cleveland. He is said to be a mechanic of more than ordinary ability.

The monarch line of sleeping-coaches, which has been running for some years past between Indianapolis and Evansville, over the Terre Haute & Indianapolis and the Evansville & Terre Haute roads, has been taken over by Pullman arrangements will be made for putting on a line of combination Pullman cars.

The Lake Erie & Western people have abandoned the idea of putting on a through coach between Indianapolis and Evansville, and are making arrangements to make such an arrangement with the C. I. S. L. & C. to haul the coach from Indianapolis to Lafayette and then turn it over to the L. E. & W. This would give them the short line to Peoria.

With the opening of the new Union Station a number of things will be brought about. The ticket agent's title will be "general tickets agent of the Union Railway Company. There will be a station master, who is to have authority over the depot police, the baggage masters and other employes about the station and of the trains handled at the station.

At a meeting of the general passenger agents of the roads interested, held in Baltimore, Saturday last, the Baltimore & Ohio road agreed that it would no longer sell tickets to the Southwest via Pittsburgh. This relieves the Pennsylvania road from giving the local fares between Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and Indianapolis, which it has been compelled to do.

There seems to be but little room for growing about business on the part of railroad managers. Gross earnings are holding up grandly, as shown by an increase in April, on 106 roads, of \$742,236, or 3 per cent. The same roads show an increase the first week in May of 94 per cent, and the twenty-five roads which are reported for the second week in May show an increase of 91 per cent.

As evidence that the ticket-brokers have become quite a powerful body, it is stated that at the recent annual meeting of the association those present represented capital of several million dollars, and they are ready to expend quite a sum to protect their business against unfavorable legislation. There are now in this country but few roads which are not represented in the scalper's offices, and many in a manner which indicates that tickets are placed there under authority from the officers of such roads.

Miscellaneous Items. Rumor has it that a deal of some kind is on looking to a consolidation of interests between the Denver & Rio Grande and the Denver, Rio Grande & Western roads.

The Erie's floating debt, May 1, was \$3,671,000, an increase in the last twelve months of over \$1,000,000. The money has been expended in betterments to the property.

The Cleveland & Canton road begins this week laying new steel and widening its gauge. It is expected that the entire line will be standard gauge by Aug. 1.

The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe have determined to make a stubborn fight for the Southwest business which the Texas Pacific is trying to draw away from them by cutting rates.

S. M. Felton, first vice-president, has been elected as one of the directors of the Erie road, and the Chicago & Rock Island roads for building a piece of track, 125 miles in length, between Colby, Kan., and River Bend. Each company will construct tracks between those points independently.

A strong pressure is being brought to bear on one of the transcontinental lines to bear on the running time between the Missouri river and the Pacific coast. The speed across the continent is only twenty miles per hour, and that twenty-four days are required to go from Missouri river to San Francisco. The sluggish

pass is the result of an agreement between the nine roads that comprise what was known as the Transcontinental Association. An important meeting of the stockholders of the Ohio Southern railroad was held at Springfield, O., yesterday. All the stock was represented either in person or by proxy. It was decided to extend the road from its present southern terminus at Jackson, to Temporary a distance of thirty miles. In order to raise money to build the proposed extension the capital stock was increased to \$5,500,000. Provisions were also made for the funding of the road's floating debt.

CULLINGS FROM THE COURTS.

A Town Marshal Who Found His Office Excessive and Unremunerative. James Sylvester, the ex-marshal of West Indianapolis, has brought suit against the town corporation for \$600 salary and \$300 damages. He served the town as peace officer from May 1, 1887, to May 1, 1888. He says that it was always the custom of the town trustees to meet and fix the salary of the marshal soon after his election, but last year they deferred any action until six months of his term was gone. Then they met and allowed him the magnanimous sum of \$48 per annum. He also complains that the trustees refused to provide a jail for the keeping of the prisoners, and he had to keep them in the adjoining city of Indianapolis, all of which was very expensive to him. He thinks a reasonable salary for his services would be \$600.

Gave Him the Limit. The law-breaking saloon-keepers in the City Court yesterday morning did not fare well. August Brunell, the West Washington-street saloon-keeper who sold whisky to a nine-year-old boy until he became excessively drunk, was fined \$25 and costs, and the Mayor regretted that he could not make it more. Brunell appealed to the Criminal Court. C. A. Tipton, J. McPhee and John Bremer, charged with selling on Sunday, were each fined \$20 and costs.

On Trial for Robbery. In the Criminal Court, yesterday, Henry Parnell, charged with robbing a store in the market-house building, was tried and his punishment taken under advisement by the judge. John Miller was partially tried for assisting in the robbery of Harry Newman's clothing store, on West Washington street. John Shafer, who was partially tried for having a gun on him in a store, testified that Miller had nothing to do with it, but there is evidence tending to contradict his story.

Going Vigorously to Work. The new city meat inspector has entered upon his duties, and announces that he proposes to enforce the law vigorously. About his first official act was to make affidavit for the arrest of Edward Deitz, whom he charges with slaughtering animals inside the city limits.

Notes from the Courts. Rosalind M. Zollars has been given judgment against her step-father, Bernard J. Archibald, for \$25.

The friends of Charles Arnold, who was killed by John Heitkam, last week, are going to urge the vigorous prosecution of young Heitkam. They have employed Duncan, Smith & Wilson to prosecute Arnold in the prosecution.

Nelle Coup, wife of the diamond thief, will be placed on trial in the Criminal Court today. Her husband, who says he is alone responsible for the robbery, is anxious to have her acquitted. The trial of Willie Evans, charged with stealing, will begin to-morrow.

The Court Record. SUPREME COURT DECISIONS. Hon. J. A. Mitchell, Chief Justice.

13315. Robert P. Davis vs. John L. Rube, trustee, et al. Wayne C. Reversed. Mitchell, C. J.—Suit by the purchaser to recover the contract and profits of land, alleging the right of redemption when the sale took place in 1874.

13316. The same vs. the same. Reversed. Mitchell, C. J.—The same as in the preceding case. Judgment recovered in 1880 on simple debt—that is two-thirds of cash rents and profits; the creditor's wife being entitled to one-third thereof. The act of 1881, (R. S. 1881, Sec. 707), unlike the earlier act of 1879 on the subject of redemption, does not provide that the owner or occupant of the land during the time it is subject to redemption, shall be liable to the purchaser for the reasonable rents and profits thereof in case it is not redeemed. The act is declared void as to all sales made after May 22, 1881, in respect to contracts made while the act of 1879 was in force rents could be collected notwithstanding the provision in the act of 1881 in regard to sales, and the later act, therefore, an impairment of the obligation of contracts. A simple creditor, even though he may have reduced his claim to judgment, has no contractual interest in the debtor's land. To require a purchaser of such real estate to conform to the terms of the redemption of the property purchased as prescribed by the statute in force at the time of the purchase does not, in any legal sense, impair the obligation of the contract which forms the basis of the judgment upon which the sale was made.

13317. Nathan Mayer et al. vs. Jacob Feig et al. Elkhart C. C. Affirmed. Niblack, J.—An agreement between the mortgagee and mortgagor in a chattel mortgage that the latter should retain possession of the mortgaged property and sell and dispose of the same in the usual course of business, the net proceeds to be applied in discharge of the mortgage debt, does not create either a secret or an open trust in the property in favor of the mortgagor. When such an agreement has been entered into and the mortgagee fails, either in whole or in part, to apply the proceeds accordingly, the law will make the application when necessary for the protection of the interests of other creditors. It is only when the mortgagee is authorized to dispose of the property substantially for his own benefit that in such a case a trust is created for his own use.

14202. John R. Mercer vs. Rebecca Mercer. Rush C. C. Affirmed. Elliott, J.—Complaint against the defendant charging that she, twelve years, treated the plaintiff in a cruel and inhuman manner; that he has struck, kicked and choked her; and that he has neglected to secure for her medical attention in her illness, or to give her any attention himself. Held sufficient as charging cruel and inhuman treatment within the meaning of the statute.

14203. William Baughman et al. vs. John Baughman. Delaware C. C. Rehearing denied.—Elliott, J.

14204. Sotheranus McDonald vs. Caroline McDonald. Lagrange C. C. Dismissed.

14205. State ex rel. vs. Andrew J. Dillon. Fulton C. C. Motion to dismiss overruled.

SUPERIOR COURT. Room 1—Hon. N. B. Taylor, Judge.

John T. Malone vs. John R. Pohl; from Smoek, J. Dismissed by plea of the defendant.

John R. Pohl vs. Elizabeth Inlow et al.; to quiet title. Finding and judgment for plaintiff, quieting title.

August Richter vs. Annie M. Johnson et al.; to quiet title. Finding and judgment for plaintiff, quieting title.

Charles O. Terhune vs. Laura Terhune; divorce. Dismissed by plaintiff.

Room 2—Hon. D. W. Howe, Judge.

Wm. M. DeWitt vs. Charles E. Paul; contract. Tried by jury. Finding for defendant.

Silas H. Moxinger vs. Wm. M. Levy et al.; suit for wages. On trial by jury.

Room 3—Hon. Lewis G. Walker, Judge.

James P. Darnell et al. vs. Arthur L. Wright et al.; foreclosure. Judgment for \$1,637.04.

Rosalind M. Zollars vs. Bernard J. Archibald. Verdict for plaintiff for \$2,347.

NEW SUITS FILED.

James Sylvester vs. The Town of West Indianapolis; suit for damages. Demand, \$300.

Louisa Maria Isabella Rivers vs. Frederick William August Rentsch; suit to have real estate conveyance set aside.

CRIMINAL COURT. Hon. William Irvin, Judge.

State vs. Henry Parnell; petit larceny. On trial by court.

State vs. John Miller; petit larceny. On trial by court.

Coming Conventions. A convention of the county health officers of the State is to be held here on June 7. Drs. J. N. McCormack, J. H. Raueh and Henry B. Baker, secretaries, in the order named, of the State boards of Kentucky, Illinois and Michigan will be present. This evening a committee representing the Indiana Academy of Science and consisting of T. C. Mendenhall, J. C. Arthur, J. S. Kingsley, Daniel Kirkwood, P. S. Baker, H. W. Wiley and J. M. Coulter, acting with a college committee composed of Dr. J. P. D. Johnson, of DePue; President David Bloomington, and Amos W. Butler, Brookville, will meet at the New Denison to consider plans by which to secure the meeting in this city of the American Association for the Advancement of Science next year or in 1890. The association meets in Cleveland in September, and to bring it here the assistance of citizens is asked. On the afternoon of the 24th the National Brotherhood of Railway Telegraphers will hold its sessions in the I. O. O. F. Hall on Virginia avenue. During the afternoon of that date a parade will be given, after which a public meeting is to take place in Tomlinson Hall.

MEN WHO STUDY FIGURES.

How State Bureaus of Statistics Have Been Developed and a New Science Advanced.

Today the sixth national convention of Commissioners and Chiefs of Bureaus of Labor Statistics will begin in this city. The session will last three days. The first convention of the kind was held in Columbus, O., in September, 1883—eleven States being at that time represented. Massachusetts was the first in the Union to establish such a department. Being one of the chief manufacturing States, the importance of collecting some facts and figures concerning the labor question early impressed itself on the minds of her legislators. The meeting at Columbus brought about a permanent organization and an adjournment to St. Louis until the year following, where the membership was increased by representatives from two more States. During that year eight of the commissioners spent several days at Pullman, Ill., investigating and studying the industrial system there developed. The third convention was held at Boston in the following year, three more bureaus being added. It was followed by four at New York, N. J., and last year the fifth was held at Madison, Wis., where fifty new bureaus were admitted, making twenty-one in all, including that of the United States.

The whole of labor statistical work has developed in eighteen years, and during that time it is claimed much has been done by it to facilitate the study of a rational system of the social and industrial problems. By this means, it is said, data of all kinds are gathered, from which statements and political economists are able to draw a rational system of the social and industrial problems. This means, it is said, that data of all kinds are gathered, from which statements and political economists are able to draw a rational system of the social and industrial problems. This means, it is said, that data of all kinds are gathered, from which statements and political economists are able to draw a rational system of the social and industrial problems.

"The science of statistics," said one of the gentlemen connected with the bureau, yesterday, "is a new science. I mean by that it is a new science applied to the study of social and industrial problems—comparatively new I may say. In Europe they have had statistics in regard to their population for some time, but I regard that anything like a rational system of collection of facts and figures on the great questions of today is a new departure. The settlement of many of these problems, I think, will be to a large extent the result of the work of the statistician. There is undoubtedly an immense field here in this country for his work, and the man who writes on industrial questions in the future will first have to acquaint himself with statistics and then draw his conclusion, not sitting down in his study and evolving theories as economists have in the past, which have utterly no foundation in fact. I believe that the thorough organization of statistical departments in all the different States of the Union, with capable, honest, conscientious men at their head, means an immense benefit to this country."

The convention will assemble this morning in the office of State Statistician Peelle. It is expected that fifteen or twenty delegates will be present. Papers are to be read during the meeting by several prominent men identified with the work.

What an Optimist is Doing. Prof. Albert S. Bolles, of Pennsylvania, who is here attending the convention of statisticians, is at the head of the bureau in his State and is a man remarkably well posted in his line. At present he is editing the Bankers' Magazine, of New York. At one time he was professor in the University of Pennsylvania, teaching law and political economy. Mr. Bolles thinks that the statisticians have a great work to do in this country, and during the coming year he will investigate in his own State what manufacturers are doing for employees when discharged. He has already conducted an investigation to some extent and means to complete it as soon as possible. He wants to find out whether wages are continued, and aid given in the form of a gratuity, or whether the moral relations between employer and employee. He has so far, says, found this line of study a very interesting one. Prof. Bolles is a great student of all labor problems, and is an optimist in all his views. He believes that the condition of the laboring class is growing better daily in spite of the complicated statistics which are in that in the solution of all social and industrial questions there must be more moral fibre and no light. This has been his experience in all his investigations, and he has written a paper on a labor subject before the convention.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE INDIANAPOLIS BOARD OF TRADE will be held in the rooms of the board, Monday, June 1, 1898, at which election there will be voted for a president, one vice-president, a treasurer and twelve members of the governing committee. May 29, between 11 a. m. and 2 p. m., at rooms of the board, occurs the election of the nominating committee.

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