

AFFAIRS OF THE RAILWAYS.

The Ft. W., C. & L. Will Probably Be Extended to Cincinnati. General Manager Bradbury, of the Lake Erie & Western, has returned from his trip with President Brice and others. He admits that the Brice syndicate has purchased the Fort Wayne, Cincinnati & Louisville road, but declines to state what the programme is to be.

A Lower Rental for the Object in View. An impression prevails that all the discord and trouble between the Louisville, New Albany & Chicago and Louisville Southern companies is a sharp move on the part of the L. N. A. & C. to get control of the road on more favorable terms than the present lease gives.

Four Passenger Conductors Dismissed. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. FORT WAYNE, April 7.—A good-sized sensation was caused here this morning when it became known that four of the oldest and best-known passenger conductors of the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne & Chicago had been summarily discharged.

Personal, Local and General Notes. The stockholders of the Chicago, St. Louis & Pittsburgh road will hold their annual meeting in this city on Monday next.

The regular monthly meeting of the Indiana Car-service Association will be held at the office of General Manager Bacon tomorrow.

The Chicago & Alton shows a determination to carry out the notice given a few days ago reducing rates east-bound on packing-house products shipped from Kansas City.

The Vandalia has given the young men who operate the Indiana Car-service Association to understand that unless a little more leniency is shown in their ruling the road will withdraw from the organization.

Pittsburg has established a car-service association in operation on the 1st of April. Demurrage charges have been enforced for some time there, so the new association will have the way better prepared than it was at Western points.

The question of making the rate on corn products the same as on corn will come up before the Interstate Commission at Washington on the 10th of this month.

There are now 915 miles of main line in the Chesapeake & Ohio system, and in the month of March the earnings reached \$360,702.78, an increase over earnings in March, 1889, of \$120,695.97.

Four, whereas were the Big Four to use the terminals of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois its traffic would be handled much more promptly.

The track of the Louisville, New Albany & Chicago road, between Monon and Chicago, is first-class in every respect, and it is estimated that it will require \$300,000 to place the road-bed between Monon and Indianapolis in equal good condition.

An expert roadmaster, who has been acquainted with the history of the White-water Valley road since it was built, says that at no time in its history has the physical condition of the property been so good as at the present time.

The shipments of flour, grain and provisions from Chicago to the seaboard by the lines in the Central Traffic Association last week, aggregated 43,337 tons, against 59,629 for the week previous, a decrease of 18,292 tons, and against 19,566 for the corresponding week last year, an increase of 23,771 tons.

The report of W. E. Hackwood, general manager of the Lake Erie & Western, shows that in the year 1889 223 suits were begun against the company; thirty-six were dismissed at the plaintiff's cost; in twenty-six cases the verdict was for the plaintiff; in forty-three cases in favor of the plaintiff; on the part of the company five were appealed, on the part of the plaintiff three have been appealed.

Judge O'Brien, of the New York Supreme Court, yesterday in the argument of the complaint in the suit of James J. Belden against the Columbus, Hocking Valley & Cincinnati road, was presented with \$100,000. Belden claims that in 1881 the company fraudulently issued that amount in first-mortgage bonds.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Chicago & Alton Railroad Company and auxiliary lines was held at Chicago yesterday. There were 127,885 shares out of a possible vote of 175,945, resulting in the election of James C. McMillen, John A. Stewart and Albert A. Sprague to serve one year, the unexpired term of John Crerar, deceased.

Three years ago the management of the Vandalia took active steps to force every person who took passage on its trains to purchase a ticket. None were more zealous in pushing the reform than the passenger conductors, and the results have been very gratifying.

Supreme Court Decisions. 18291. Frank M. Millikin vs. Carrie M. Case. Cass C. C. Reversed. 18292. J. When a plaintiff seeking to enjoy the execution of a deed for land sold for delinquent taxes fails to aver that the amount tendered is brought into court for the benefit of the purchaser the complaint is bad.

18293. Martin Fosson vs. Ellen Landrey et al. Cass C. C. Affirmed. Coffey, J.—An action for damages cannot be maintained by a private citizen against one who obstructs a public highway, and a citizen, by reason of such obstruction, has sustained some damage peculiar to himself and not suffered by the public generally.

18294. Daniel Drew vs. State. Tippecanoe C. C. Reversed. Oids, J.—A defendant in a criminal case is not entitled to a new trial on account of the misconduct of a juror unless he shows that such misconduct was such as to be prejudicial to the rights of the defendant, or such a state of facts are shown from which it may fairly be presumed that the defendant's rights were prejudiced.

18295. James A. Shewalter vs. Priscilla A. Bergman. Jay C. C. 18296. Mary M. Begein et al. vs. Philip Berg et al. Madison C. C. 18297. Board, etc., vs. David T. Taylor et al. Jay C. C.

18298. Citizens Loan and Savings Association vs. Harmon H. Friedley et al. Lawrence C. C. Affirmed. Mitchell, C. J. When an attorney, prior to an adjudication by the Supreme Court of the merits, gave wrong advice to a client thereon, it must be regarded as an error into which any reasonably careful and prudent lawyer might have fallen, and he is not liable.

18299. Samuel B. Warren et al. vs. Susan W. Hall. Howard C. C. Affirmed. Elliott, J.—When money of a wife went into property she may follow it, and her rights are superior to those of a judgment creditor of her husband.

18300. Lewis Falley vs. Nicholas Gubins. Tippecanoe C. C. Rehearing granted. 18301. James A. Shewalter vs. Priscilla A. Bergman. Jay C. C. 18302. Mary M. Begein et al. vs. Philip Berg et al. Madison C. C. 18303. Board, etc., vs. David T. Taylor et al. Jay C. C.

cery house, on South Meridian street, last December, has sued him for \$5,000 damages.

Peter Schmidt brought suit in the Superior Court yesterday against the city for \$2,000 damages. He claims that during an overflow of Pogue's an last February his home on Market street was badly damaged.

Mary Burnett brought suit in the Superior Court yesterday against Harry Bates, jr., claiming that her youngest son was injured during his employment in the Indianapolis hominy mills. She asks for \$3,000.

AMUSEMENTS.

ENGLISH'S OPERA-HOUSE—GEO. C. STALEY. George C. Staley was greeted by a fair house at English's, last evening, in his comedy-drama, "A Royal Pass," in which he assumed the role of a Russian officer, who found it necessary during most of the play to wear the disguise of a Swiss guide.

"Bobolink," presented for the first time in Indianapolis at the Park Theater yesterday afternoon, and repeated again last night, by Miss Eunice Goodrich and her company, is a light comedy sketch with considerable dramatic merit. The two performances were very much enjoyed by large audiences. The principal part in the play is that of a boyish young woman, who, while attending a fashionable boarding school, plays all kinds of pranks and tricks on her friends.

"A PARLOR MATCH." Evans and Hoy, who will appear in Hoyt's comedy sketch, "A Parlor Match," at English's Opera-house, Thursday night, are two of the best comedians of their class on the stage. They are not like anybody in the business, and their success is largely due to this fact.

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