

TELEPOST WILL FIGHT TO END, SAYS SELLERS Will Struggle Against Capital to Protect 16,000 Small Investors.

SERVICE IN CITY REFUSED N. Y. Telephone Company Says Reasons for Action Will Surely Be Given.

The Telepost Company, which planned to organize the Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company in Delaware and a subsidiary company of the same name in New York, has stubbed its toe on the refusal of the New York Telephone Company to grant the other company telephone service.

"But we are in this fight to the finish," said H. Lee Sellers, president of the Telepost Company, director and voting trustee, whose name has been connected with it for the last six years. "We will stay on the firing line until all the shot and shell are exhausted, and then if any bricks are handy we'll still be fighting."

On Wednesday news came from Albany that the Public Service Commission of the Second District had sent an order to the New York Telephone Company either to install a telephone service for the Metropolitan company or to show why it should not.

Ten days ago the established company in which to give reasons. That night Howard F. Thurber, vice-president of the New York Telephone Company, told a S. N. man that if he would look up the men behind the Metropolitan company he would find some old friends.

Yesterday afternoon a reporter went to 135 East Sixteenth street, where the Metropolitan has its headquarters. On the sixth floor H. Lee Sellers was found. From Mr. Sellers came the story of the efforts of those in charge of the investments of 16,000 people to struggle against capital.

Last June most of the stock, which had a par value of \$3,000,000, had been disposed of, but still much capital was needed. Capitalists threatened to invest money in the company, so in order to keep that from happening the Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company of Delaware was organized, capital stock \$3,000,000, authorized bonds \$3,000,000.

A referendum brought the scheme before the stockholders, a vote was cast and the company was organized. Many of those bonds have been disposed of, said Mr. Sellers, and only in small amounts. Money has been raised to start in construction work on a line between New York and Chicago.

"The work is not being done here, nor is it being done in Chicago," said Mr. Sellers in reply to questions. "Somewhere in between."

"Is it near Detroit?" he was asked. "In that general vicinity," he said. "Going back to his narrative Mr. Sellers said that in order to operate in New York the Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company was organized under the name of the larger Delaware corporation."

"But the telegraph and the telephone companies see the excellence of the Telepost work," said Mr. Sellers, "and they are all against it. But we have allies, the independent telephone companies of the country, particularly the Independent Company of Chicago."

"Look at the character of the men who are associated with us. The other day I got a letter from Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst, who is a voting trustee. He says: 'I wish I had a peck of money to invest in the company. I speak a good word for it whenever possible.'"

Howard F. Thurber, vice-president of the New York Telephone Company, was asked about the order of the Public Service Commission to either give service to the Metropolitan or show cause why not.

"We'll show cause," he said. "Of course the nature of the company has nothing to do with our refusal to give it service, but we have reasons for objecting to the name."

"The old telephone company in New York was the Metropolitan Telephone Company, and we assumed all its assets and liabilities in 1888. Some of the old company's bonds are still outstanding."

The Telepost Company and the Sterling Debenture Company, its fiscal agents, have been written up in THE SUN many times. It has a method of transmitting telegraph messages which it says is forty times as fast as the method now generally used.

NO BRIDGES TO ELEVATED. McAneny Gets Power to Raise Those Connecting With Buildings.

The right of department stores and office buildings to make platform connections with elevated stations was denied yesterday in the Board of Estimate. The board passed a resolution by which Borough President McAneny received power to remove them as encroachments on the streets unless they are removed voluntarily before November 1. The Interborough Rapid Transit Company holds that it has the right under an old franchise to permit property owners to build such platforms to its stations.

Last May the franchise bureau reported that these connections had been made without authority of the Board of Estimate. Thereupon the board passed a resolution requiring the Interborough to make formal application for such permits before July 15, so that the city could be paid for the use of the area over the streets.

The company did not make the application. When the street was closed yesterday the company asked that it be postponed so that it could be brought up in court for friendly settlement. Mr. McAneny replied that the best way for it to be brought before the courts was for the board to pass the resolution empowering him to cut away the encroachments, and then the company could apply in the courts for an injunction restraining such action.

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new stock, in the latest shades of percale and madras. Styles pleated or plain, priced 94c to \$2.44. The new Japanese crepe Shirts from Yokohama have a soft, silky finish, price \$3.48. Gray and blue Flannel-collared shirts are 94c to \$3.29—fine for outing and hunting.

Pajamas

our Fall supply is now in, and we have a wide range in every desirable style, fabric and design, at prices beginning at 94c for a very valuable cotton Suit, to \$1.44, \$1.98, etc., up to \$12.74 for a luxurious Pajama Suit, custom finished, of the finest and richest quality of Japanese Silk.

Underwear

we have new Fall Underwear of every weave, weight and style, at the lowest prices consistent with fine quality. For instance, domestic ribbed medium weight cotton Shirts and Drawers are 49c a garment. Merino is 98c medium, \$1.24 heavy and \$1.94 double-breasted a garment. Saxony cottons imported, \$1.24 and \$1.49 apiece.

Collars

we carry the three leading makes of collars in all desirable styles and adapted to every purpose: for outing, street, business and evening wear. The manufacturers have standing orders to send us every style novelty that arrives in the collar world; therefore we can suit the most exacting taste and fill any and every need.

Neckwear

in the newest Fall colors and styles, is arriving daily. Prices start at 48c for bat, open-end and other styles, and reach \$2.44 for an example of the finest work of the French or English silk loom. Especially fine are the rich silks, beautifully designed, from Spitalfields, England.

Stud Sets

Consist of vest buttons, cuff links and studs, and are obtainable either singly or in set at \$3.77 to \$95.25 for the finest diamond, sapphire and other gem-studded examples of the jeweler's art.

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we have an exceptionally good assortment embodying smart tailoring and Custom attention to finish and detail at prices ranging from \$14.75 to \$38.50.

Raincoats

are both American and English, and embrace rubberized Slip-ons, Burberry Gabardines and Cravenette Coats. Prices run from \$12.75 to \$38.50.

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such as silk-lined Chesterfields, S.11 p-ons, Raglans, Guard Coats, etc., warm, comfortable, weather-proof, yet distinguished and graceful in line and cut. Priced from \$14.75 to \$44.50.

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