DECLARES CLIQUE MENACES N. E. A.

Miss Haley of Chicago Arraigns Educators, Including Harper and Butler.

New York Sun Special Service.

New York, July 10.—In explaining today her position in the recent convention of the National Educational association, Miss Margaret Haley of Chicago bitterly arraigns the leaders of the association. She says:

The National Educational association, which has steadily grown year after year through the efforts of the teachers in this country, is in immediate danger of being placed under absolute control of a small clique of men. The association is composed of eighteen departments; one, as it chooses to style itself, "the national council of education," is composed of such well-known educational leaders as Dr. Harper of Chicago University and Dr. Butler of Columbia University.

The new plan of corporation provides, among other things, to make the national council of education, originally a part of the association, absolutely independent. It further places the entire surplus fund of $130,000, which has been created by the teachers, in control of the council. The opponents of the teachers I represent wish to turn the association and its funds, which include the $10,000,000 given recently by J. D. Rockefeller, over to a small self-perpetuating, independent and self-governing organization, limited to sixty persons.

The control of the surplus of the association is of vital importance to the teachers. Unless they can use the money to urge reforms needed, which has been their function in the past, the teachers may as well disband their association.

For several years there has been a powerful conspiracy to make a despotism of our entire public-school system until at present there is as a general rule no such thoroughly terrorized and oppressed body of men and women as our public-school teachers. The whole policy of school administration in the United States is centralization; and that is now being forced on the National Educational association. It is to save the association from the de-mutualization scheme of the national council of education that I am fighting.

NAME IN PRINT TICKLES JOHNSON

Tom L. of Cleveland Almost Corners Supply of Magazine Praising Him.

New York Sun Special Service.

Cleveland, July 10.—Mayor Johnson came so near cornering the Cleveland supply of the last issue of the magazine in which Lincoln Steffens tells of political conditions in Ohio, how Tom L. Johnson is "the best mayor of the best-governed city in the United States," and how George B. Cox is vice versa, that the demand exceeded the supply for several days. A marked fluctuation occurred. The supply is still short and, according to all the rules of finance, frenzied or otherwise, the price should still be nervous. The mayor in accomplishing his designs on the magazine market didn't descend to mediocre means. What he did do was to follow the well-trodden path of the expert financier. He took but one man into his confidence, City Solicitor Baker, used him as a confidential agent, and all the rules of procedure in purchasing large supplies ahead of the market were employed.

RIVER CLAIMS TWO

Inexperienced Swimmers Are Drowned Near Madison.

Special to The Journal.

Madison, Minn., July 10.—Walter Tilbury, 18 years old, a son of Henry Tilbury of Marietta, Minn., was drowned while swimming in a creek two miles north of Marietta. Walter, with two brothers and two neighbor boys, walked to the creek from Marietta, and while still hot from the walk went in swimming. Two of the boys, Walter and Fred Yetter, were into the water and swimming down stream before the rest were undressed. They had gone not over fifty feet when Walter called for help and went under. Yetter caught hold of him when he came up, but Walter was much heavier and stronger and pulled him under with him when he went down again, and Yetter was just able to break away from him and save himself.

Tilbury's body was soon found and Dr. Duncan worked over it for two hours, but life was extinct.

Sunday afternoon, while learning to swim, John Sharle, a farm hand 25 years old, was drowned in the Lac qui Parle river five miles south of Madison. The body has not been found. He has a brother and sister living in Madison, Wis., and parents in Norway.

PAXINOSA INN BURNED.

Easton, Pa., July 10.—Paxinosa inn, a famous summer resort hotel on the summit of Weygadt mountain, near here, was destroyed by fire today. The loss is $150,000; insurance, $20,000. None of the guests or help was injured, but some lost their clothing and jewelry.

SIRE TO SON

Boy Can Sometimes Learn from His Father.

When you catch them young enough you can usually make your sons profit by your own experience.

Afterwards, it's different. A lady tells how her son was made to profit by what his father had learned:

"My husband was always fond of coffee, and after his business took him frequently into a German community he drank it more, with the result that his kidneys became affected, and he suffered greatly with pains and despondency, till, as he says, 'coffee nearly killed me!' So he stopped using it, and began to drink Postum Coffee. It cured him; and in a very short time his kidneys resumed their normal functions, his pains were allayed, and the despondency which had nearly driven him crazy ceased to trouble him.

"My little boy, a year old, had suffered ever since he was weaned, from stomach and bowel troubles. He could not properly digest the milk he drank. It passed out of his bowels in hard lumps, sometimes large and again small like pellets, frequently producing diarrhoea, and then we would have to call in the doctor. But the trouble returned, again and again.

"We used to give him a taste of Postum Coffee occasionally, and as I saw that he relished it and realized how much good it had done his father, I began to put a little in his bottle of milk. The effect was so salutary that I gradually increased the quantity, till at last I used only enough milk to give it color. He thrived wonderfully on it. He is over two years old now, and his digestion is all right. Postum has made him uncommonly large and strong and healthy. I give him a bottle full four times a day." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason.

Read the little book "The Road to Wellville," in each pkg.

MORAL AWAKENING IN BOODLE FIGHT

Folk Says St. Louis and Minneapolis Exposures Woke Up the Public Conscience.

New York Sun Special Service.

Jefferson City, Mo., July 10.—In response to a request as to his opinion of the significance of the boodling exposures so generally being made and as to whether it indicates a decadence in the moral tone of the American people, Governor Folk said today:

The hunt for boodlers and grafters now going on from one end of the land to the other is an evidence not of moral degeneration, but of a moral awakening. Up to three years ago there had only been thirty-four cases of bribery reported in the books in the preceding 100 years of our country's history.

This was not because the offense was uncommon, but for the reason it was unusual for anyone to be prosecuted for what was then termed a conventional crime. Men gave bribes and thought nothing of it. Men took bribes and boasted of the fact; legislatures became dens of thieves; the touch of the unclean dollar was over all and the public conscience was asleep. Then came the revelations in St. Louis, followed by Minneapolis and other cities, and the people awoke to how they were being plundered by their trusted officials, and to the fact that bribery, if allowed to go on unchecked, would mean a government not of the people, but of the few wealthy enough to purchase official favors. From city to city and state to state the idea went until now many states and cities are waging war against the things that dishonor.

This condition should encourage all lovers of good government, for the remedy for corruption in its last analysis lies in the hearts of the people. We have passed thru the commercial age when the chief end and aim was to acquire wealth; we are entering now into the age of high ideals. The question is now, not how to get rich, but how to get right. The rule of the dollar is not as potent as it was and the reign of law is becoming more accepted. We are passing from evil to good and from darkness into light.

New Elevator to Woman's Floor
At the Plymouth Corner Entrance.

RANCHMAN VICTIM OF ASSASSINS' CONSPIRACY

Cheyenne, Wyo., July 10.—According to information received from Thermopolis, Bob McCoy, a well-known ranchman on the Big Horn river, has been killed by assassins who decoyed him to a deserted cabin and shot him in the back as he was about to enter. His body was then weighted with stones and sunk in the river.

Several times during the past few months McCoy had received anonymous letters threatening his life. In each the statement was made that if it became necessary to kill him, one of his ears would be cut off in order that others who had been warned to leave might know how he came to his death. One of the ears of the corpse is missing.

ELK HERD IN BUFFALO

Nineteenth Reunion of Order Begins with Big Attendance.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 10.—The nineteenth annual reunion of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks began here today. The expectations for a large attendance are being realized.

It is conceded that there will be no opposition to the slated advance of last year's officers one notch higher than the places they are now holding. There are several candidates in the field for the two vacancies on the board of grand trustees. These are the only offices to furnish the semblance of a contest.

New Patents.

Washington, July 10.—(Special)—The following patents were issued this week to Minnesota and Dakota inventors, as reported by Williamson & Merchant, patent attorneys, 925-933 Guaranty Loan Building, Minneapolis, Minn. Leroy S. Buffington, Minneapolis, Minn., (4) gas generators and carbide holder; Carl A. Hadland, Bennington, Minn., reeling device; Elias T. Hanson, Garretson, S. D., train-pipe coupling; James A. Loomis, St. Lawrence, S. D., bracket lamp; Martin Mahlen, Osakis, Minn., cylinder wrench; Robert F. O'Hearn, Barnesville, Minn., boiler-stay; Maurice D. Pendergast, Minneapolis, Minn., wire fence; Henry G. Roth, Minneapolis, Minn., jar cover; Frank R. Stearns and A. D. Skinner, Grand Forks, N. D., traction engine; Ole G. Vold, Dawson, Minn., separators; Frank M. Wadsworth, Minneapolis, Minn., advertising device.

BOY BANDITS ROB WOMAN

Three Amateurs, the Eldest 13, Hold Up on Busy Street.

New York Sun Special Service.

Philadelphia, July 10.—Three amateur bandits, the oldest scarcely 13, today held up and robbed Mrs. Harris of Aspen street in broad daylight and in a busy thorofare. The thing was done at the pistol's point. The youngsters robbed her of a gold watch charm, a sapphire ring and a pocketbook containing $10. The boys were arrested.

WASHINGTON NOTES

Postmasters appointed: Iowa—Bangor, Marshall county, R. E. Whinery, vice S. Whinery, resigned. South Dakota—Fort Bennett, Stanley county, W. E. Lounsbury, vice H. Lounsbury, deceased.

Rural carriers appointed: Minnesota—Brainerd, route 2, E. W. Jenkins carrier, R. G. Jenkins substitute; Witoka, route 1, John W. Beach carrier, C. Beach substitute.

LONGSHOREMEN IN SESSION.

Detroit, Mich., July 10.—With nearly 200 delegates present from ports in all parts of the country and Cuba represented by two delegates, the fourteenth annual convention of the Longshoremen, Marine and Transport Workers' association opened here today. Evidence of the amicable relations between the longshoremen and their employers on the Great Lakes was given by President William Livingstone of the Lake Carriers' association.

PAPER TRUST DEED FOR MILLIONS.

Appleton, Wis., July 10.—A trust deed from Union Bag and Paper company to the Trust Company of America, New York, on all the former's property in Wisconsin, New York and Quebec, was filed here today to cover a loan of $5,000,000.

MEXICANS WANT COTTON DUTY.

Mexico City, July 10.—The cotton growers of Mexico are holding a meeting for the purpose of formulating petitions to be presented to President Diaz asking that he issue a decree increasing the duty on cotton. Mexico now imports about 40 per cent of the cotton used by the mills of this country. Practically all of this cotton comes from the United States.

AUTO RAMS COSTLY MARBLE.

New York, July 10.—By extraordinary antics of an unruly automobile, the costly Italian marble balustrade which surrounds the building of the appelate division of the supreme court, Madison avenue and Twenty-fifth street, has been badly damaged. A length of thirty feet of the fine marble was broken, and it was said that the damage exceeded $3,000.

LAWYER TO CELL FOR THEFT.

New York, July 10.—John W. Wooten, a lawyer, today was sentenced to Sing Sing prison for grand larceny in the first degree for stealing a $1,000 check from David Rothschild.

GIRL IS FEVER VICTIM.

Washington, July 10.—The Panama canal commission is advised that Miss Margaret Gillick, a stenographer in the employ of the commission at Colon, became sick with yellow fever July 2.

CASSINI, SNUBBED, LEAVES CAPITAL

Russia's Retiring Ambassador Receives No Honor Common to Such Occasions.

New York Sun Special Service.

Washington, July 10.—Count Cassini, the retiring Russian, ambassador, has said farewell to Washington and has gone to New York. He will sail Tuesday on the Kaiser Wilhelm II. and probably will go first to Paris, where he will rest for some time before going on to St. Petersburg.

Baron Rosen, the new ambassador, Baron Mayor de Planches, the Italian ambassador, the Mexican charge, the Danish minister and most of the other members of the diplomatic corps who are in the city were at the depot to say their goodbyes. The ambassador was deeply affected by his departure from Washington under conditions which practically amount to a rebuke.

Baron Rosen had expected to accompany Count Cassini to New York, but their relations became so badly strained during his short stay here that he concluded he would not go.

Baron Rosen came to Washington Friday. No one met him at the depot, and instead of being entertained at the embassy, he stayed at a hotel. Instead of coming directly to Washington after his arrival at New York, Rosen went to Manchester by the Sea to look after his summer home. This was interpreted as a snub to Cassini.

Rosen's attitude toward his predecessor strengthens previous indications that, instead of having been promoted to Madrid, as he had claimed, Cassini had really been recalled and left Washington in disgrace. This belief among the other diplomats is so strong that they paid the retiring ambassador none of the honors due his rank.

As an ambassador and dean of the diplomatic corps, Cassini was entitled by diplomatic etiquette to a formal farewell banquet, but none of that kind was arranged.

Cassini is an ardent champion of the war party in Russia, while Rosen belongs to the peace party. After all of his talk about war to the bitter end, it is particularly distasteful to Cassini to be succeeded by a member of the peace faction.

COURT TAKES REST IN KOCH'S CASE

Work of Securing a Jury Will Be Resumed Tomorrow Morning.

Mankato, Minn., July 10.—The court in the Koch case took a recess today. The adjournment Saturday was until Tuesday morning, when the work of securing a jury will be resumed.

Dr. George R. Koch and the three jurors so far selected passed a very quiet Sunday. The jurors are given as much liberty as possible and are allowed to take walks in the back streets in company with a bailiff. It is more difficult to get jurors at this trial than at the preceding one, and for this reason only one peremptory challenge has been used. If either side does not want a man under examination, it can easily develop the fact that he has an opinion regarding the defendant's guilt or innocence, or is opposed to capital punishment, for scarcelya person will refuse to take advantage of such an opening to get excused from service.

It is said that the state has made use of the appropriation by the Brown county commissioners by employing two detectives during the past few weeks. Whether they have developed any new evidence is known only to the state's attorneys, and the latter absolutely refuse to give out any information on the subject.

GIVES REHEARING

Hopkins Rate Case Up Again July 18.

The railroad and warehouse commission has reopened the Great Northern's lumber rate from Minneapolis to Hopkins. The railroad officials state that they understood the other hearing to be informal and did not present all their case. Another hearing was set for today and the railroad representatives appeared to ask for a postponement, so the hearing was adjourned to July 18.

E. T. Abbott, the complainant, was present today. The order of the commission compelled the railroad to grant the $5 rate enjoyed by the Minneapolis Threshing Machine company to the general public, which pays $18. The railroad company claims that as the factory ships the finished product out over its line, the special rate is justified as a "milling in transit" privilege.

STATE RECEIPTS

Annual Allowance for Agricultural Station Comes In.

The annual government appropriation of $25 on the state experiment station under the Morrill law was paid into the state treasury today. Receipts from state institutions for June were turned in as follows: State university, $1,660.04; St. Cloud normal, $170.35; Mankato normal, $127.70; Moorhead normal, $39.95; St. Peter hospital, $326.48; Rochester hospital, $420.15; Anoka asylum, $75; Faribault school for deaf, $284.93; school of feeble-minded, $694.03; Owatonna state school, $58.30; St. Cloud reformatory, $10,745.60; state prison twine plant, $11,705.10; state prison, miscellaneous, $7,398.72.

VAUDEVILLE ACTOR A SUICIDE.

New York, July 10.—John L. Merkle, a vaudeville actor, whose home was at Council Bluffs, Iowa, committed suicide at a hotel here today by shooting. He was 49 years old, and on the stage was known as John Howe.

KING OSCAR TO MEET KAISER.

Stockholm, Sweden, July 10.—King Oscar and Crown Prince Gustavus will leave Stockholm July 13 on the royal yacht to meet Emperor William at Gefle, on the east coast of Sweden.

ILLINOIS WINS EPWORTH PRIZE.

Denver, Col., July 10.—To the Epworth league of Illinois was awarded the banner for the largest registration of delegates to the international convention of the society in this city. Iowa was close second.

AGED ENGINEER DIES.

Special to The Journal.

La Crosse, Wis., July 10.—William Murphy, one of the oldest engineers on the La Crosse division of the Milwaukee road, dropped dead today a tthe home of his daughter-in-law. Heart disease was the cause. He was 63 years old and had been in the employ of the company thirty years.

SAWMILLS MAY CLOSE

High Water May Force Shutdown at Stillwater.

Stillwater, July 10.—The St. Croix river here registered 14.1 feet above low water mark today. If the rise continues tomorrow the sawmills will be obliged to close down. Basements along Water street are flooded and the city sewers are kept from being filled only by the use of steam pumps, working night and day.

Inventors
America's Best 10c Cigar.

CITY NEWS

CHUFFED HERE FROM BAY STATE

ARCHIE WALKER REACHES MINNEAPOLIS AFTER LONG RUN.

He and His Chum Came Over a Route that Traversed Many States and Was 3,000 Miles in Length—They Had Many Exciting Experiences but Little Grief.

Sliding down the Appalachian mountains with a telegraph pole for a brake; that was the way Archie Walker came thru West Virrginia and Pennsylvania in a Stevens-Duryea. Mr. Walker and his college friend Mr. Woodland arrived in Minneapolis this morning after covering 3,000 miles of all sorts and conditions of roads, and when they drew up at the Pence garage, the car was pulling as strongly as when it started.

"We started June 13 from Chicopee Falls, Mass.," said Mr. Walker. "The first stop was about five miles out of Springfield, and we had our first experience in camping out. From there we went thru Providence, R. I., New Haven, Conn., New Yor, thru West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, and from Chicago we followed the trail of the Chicago tourists. Altho we left Chicago July 4 we passed four or five cars and stopped to help rig one up and pull another out of the mud. I guess some the tourists are still on the road if they haven't shipped their cars back.

"With the exception of three or four night, we camped out all the time. We carried a small tent and cooked our meals over a wood fire. We found that when we stayed in the country hotells the over-curious were too anxious to see how the machine was put together.

"No, the roads from Chicago to Minneapolis were not the worst by a long ways. When we were going over the mountains it rained without a letup for five days, and the roads were stones and mud. Some of the hills were so steep that when we put on the brakes the car skidded down without slowing up. We hitched on posts and logs and finally took a telegraph pole. The telegraph company objected, but didn't make good their threat of arresting us.

"What bothered us the most was the trouble of getting state licenses. At one time we had nine state licenses bers and it worked all right. We finally hit upon the plan of borrowing numbers an dit worked all right. The first thing the constables do when you cross the ferry in New Jersey is to see if you have a license and if you have not they collect $50. We had no trouble with the car and came thru without a puncture. One spring broke, but that was fixed easily enough."

JETT MAY NEED JIU JITSU

MINNEAPOLIS CELESTIAL ABOUT TO START ON A JOURNEY WHEREIN DANGERS MAY LURK.

Chin M. Jett, Chinese interpreter of the local immigration bureau, is to have a chance to test the effect of President Roosevelt's new declaration concerning the Chinese exclusion act. He leaves tonight for a thirty-day leave of absence and will travel to Boston and New York over the Soo line. This is where the rub will come. The Soo line crosses the Canadian border on its way to the east. When Mr. Jett gets to the boundary returning to the United States, the test will come if the immigration officers are alert.

Jett comes clearly in the class to whom President Roosevelt would show favor. This includes the educated Chinese, merchants and officials of the Chinese government. Against the difficulty Jett may have, Inspector William D. Morse, under whom he works, has prepared a document that is expected to satisfy the officials and make it clear to them that they are obstructing the way of an employee of the United States government and that he is not subject to the operation of the exclusion act.

The credentials consist of a formidable paper on which Morse certifies that Jett is an employee of the Minneapolis immigration bureau, department of commerce and labor, and on it is pasted a photograph of the interpreter.

Should Jett really be held up where he crosses the border into the United States, a contingency will arise on which the officials may not be counting. Mrs. Jett will accompany her husband, and as she is German born, is not subject to exclusion. It is probable that she will not submit to even a temporary separation, and that the inspectors will not be able to stand up under the force of her arguments against the detention of her husband, should the contingency arise.

NEED A SPECIAL STAMP

Clubs Must Pay Extra to Maintain Bars at Picnics or Dances.

Clubs and other organizations will have to pay the regular retail liquor dealer's government tax of $25 if they wish to sell liquors, whether the proprietor of the grove or hall has a stamp for the tax or not. Virtually by selling under the proprietor's tax receipt a transfer of government license has taken place, and that is not allowable. Altho this phase of the liquor business is supposed to have been well understood, the commissioner of internal revenue has been called upon for a ruling which is contained in the decisions received today by Deputy Collector Samuel N. Nichols. It is as follows:

Where a club, giving a dance, a ball and a picnic every year, hires a hall or grove for this purpose and conducts a bar for sale of its own liquors, it must be required to pay special tax and take out the requisite stamps therefor. The stamp held by the proprietor of the hall or grove will not answer for the bar conducted by the club.

RETURNED TO SCOTLAND

Donald Mackerchar Traveled by Easy Stages to His Native Land.

Donald Mackerchar, assistant cashier of the First National bank, returned today after a ten weeks' vacation. All but eight days he spent in Scotland and on the way. Eight days were given to England.

It is six years since Mr. Mackerchar had visited the land of his birth and the occasion was enjoyable. He comes back hale, hearty, heavier and brown. The trip was taken easily. The journey to the seaport was leisurely. The ocean trip was on boats which made slow time and in Scotland the stops made at several different points were as long as suited the traveler's pleasure. Mr. Mackerchar declares that he had good weather all the time, which shows the Americans that they do not control world-wide conditions, speaking meteorologically.

BULLFIGHT FOR BRITISH TARS.

Barcelona, July 10.—A bullfight was given in honor of the visit of the British Mediterranean fleet, under the command of Lord Charles Beresford. Twenty thousand persons were present, including officers of the fleet and 500 sailors, who were cheered enthusiastically. The national anthems of Spain and Great Britain were played.

LET HARTMAN "FEATHER YOUR NEST"

Among Wage-Earners Hartman's Credit Plan is known as the most reliable, the most generous and the most helpful.

It is today giving the greatest assistance to families in moderate circumstances. The interests of those working on a small salary are particularly cared for. No payments are required here when you are sick or out of employment. We offer you Credit—and more. We offer you help—substantial help. And we'll give this help so willingly as to make you know that it is a pleasure for us to assist you whenever you need it.

Sideboards—Made of selected quarter-sawed oak, hand polish finish, superior workmanship; has large linen drawer and lined drawer for silverware; nicely carved; large French bevel mirror. Special price..... $13.75
$1.50 down, 50c weekly.

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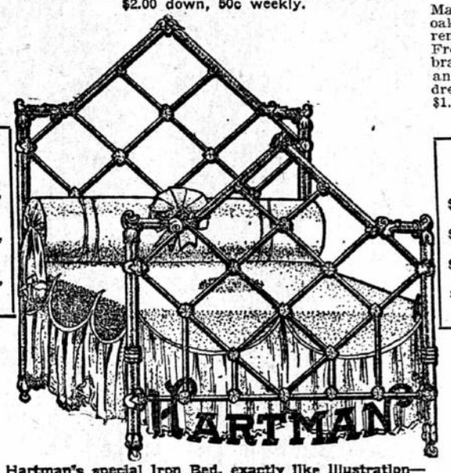
EXTENSION TABLES.
Hartman's Special Extension Tables. This table is made exclusively for the Hartman stores and is superior to anything being sold in the twin cities today. These tables have round tops, made of especially selected quarter sawed oak; beautifully flaked and highly polished; extra large bases with beautifully carved claw feet. These tables also have new patent extension slides, which work easily and smoothly. Hartman's special price..... $20.50
$2.00 down, 50c weekly.

Hartman's Dresser Specials.
Made of solid quarter-sawed oak or mahogany finish, has removable shelves, large French bevel mirror, cast brass trimmings, large roomy and convenient dresser; special... $12.50
$1.25 down and 25c weekly.

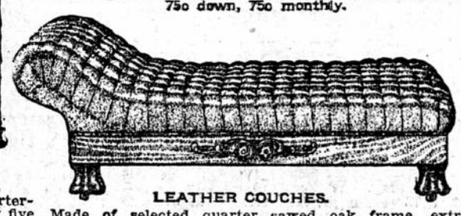
Terms:
$25 purchase, $2.50 down, $2.00 a month.
$50 purchase, $5.00 down, $4.00 a month.
$75 purchase, $7.60 down, $5.00 a month.



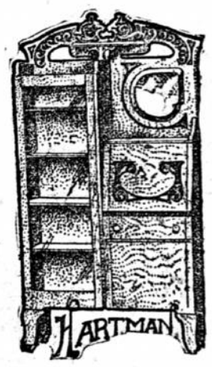
Terms:
$100 purchase, $10 down, $6.00 a month.
$150 purchase, $15 down, $8.00 a month.
$200 purchase, $20 down, $10.00 a month.
Special Terms on Larger Amounts.

CHIFFONIERES.
Made of solid quarter-sawed oak, containing five large, roomy drawers, large French shaped bevel mirror. Hartman's special price..... $11.50
Terms, $1.25 down and 50c weekly.

Hartman's special Iron Bed, exactly like illustration—This bed is made of extra heavy seamless tubing, it is a special design made for the Hartman chain of stores only. An entirely new and very ornamental bed, has heavy chills, is made in all colors, and combination of colors, easy rolling casters, all steel rails. Special price..... $6.75
75c down, 75c monthly.



LEATHER COUCHES.
Made of selected quarter sawed oak frame, extra heavy and durable, hand polished finish, nicely carved, upholstered in the best grade of genuine leather, full steel construction, canvas bottom, nicely tufted, filled throughout with hair and moss, full 32 inches wide, fitted with patent casters. Hartman's Special Price..... $26.50
Terms: $2.75 down and 50c weekly.



BOOK CASES.
Combination Book Case made of selected quarter-sawed oak, French bevel mirror, removable shelves, convenient writing desk; neatly carved. Hartman's special price..... $12.50
Terms—$1.50 cash; 50c a week.

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RAILROADS

TWIN CITY ROADS SHOWING UP BEST

SOO LINE HAS BEEN CONSPICUOUSLY SUCCESSFUL.

Great Northern Also Making Big Increase, but the Great Western's Record Is Disappointing—Volume of Traffic on All Northwestern Lines Expected to Increase This Summer.

Special to The Journal.

New York, July 10.—The group of railroads that centers at the twin cities is showing relatively the best results from the operations of the last six months of the fiscal year and from those of May and June. The Milwaukee and the Great Northern are conspicuous. The former shows an increase of nearly $900,000 for the eleven months in net and of $369,000 in gross for May, saving nearly the whole of it in net. The Hill railroad, always a consistent performer, shows the magnificent increase of $631,000 for the month of June. For the year this railroad shows the record increase of $3,031,000.

Soo line and Canadian Pacific are other good ones. The former, with its net increase of over $900,000, and its gross increase of over $1,700,000, or nearly 30 per cent, is better than the Hill railroad in percentage. The Soo line, in fact, is the wonder of the hour. The Canadian Pacific admits that the purchase of the Soo line was a gamble pure and simple. It was hoped at the time of the purchase that in time the road would earn its charges fairly well. The stock came cheap, so it was taken, more to keep other railroads from buying it than because the Canadian Pacific really wanted it. Now the Soo line is leading the rest of the country in percentage of increase in earnings.

The Great Western is a disappointment. Its gross for the whole year will show a decrease of nearly $600,000.

The Harriman lines northwest are making record earnings. The Union Pacific main line is said to be carrying today the heaviest tonnage in its history at lightest cost per ton per mile. In other words, the immense improvements made out of earnings in the past four years are showing direct results in both the volume of tonnage and in the cost of carrying it. The standardizing of the equipment begun last year has proved a successful experiment.

This summer the northwestern railroads will eclipse all transportation records on this continent. This is the judgment of Roswell Miller, Julius Kruttschnitt, James J. Hill and of Jacob Schiff, who, presumably, gets his information from good quarters.

TICKET MARKET DISTURBED

"Weak Lines" to Chicago May Grant a $4 Round Trip Rate.

"Strong line" railroad tickets are said to be so thick in the local market that a possibility exists that some of the weak lines will put in a $4 round-trip rate to Chicago, to stay in during the summer season. Some of the long lines to Chicago have done a good business all summer to Chicago. This traffic was discovered to have fallen off suddenly after the cheap round-trip rates from Chicago for the automobile carnival were put in. The fact is that the return coupons sold under the regular fare to Chicago caused business to drop off suddenly.

The cheap tickets to the carnival were offered in graded prices, rates increasing according to return limit. It was an easy matter for the brokers to buy in Chicago, ship the stubs up here to sell at from $3 up for the one-way trip from Minneapolis to Chicago. It was also possible for them to buy from persons who did not care to return within the limit. The result is that the market is said to be very much disturbed, with a prospect of a more severe upheaval.

N. P. OFFICIALS RETURN

They Expect to Negotiate with Telegraphers at Once.

High officials of the Northern Pacific road having returned from a four-week tour of the system, it is expected that the differences with the telegraphers, if any, will be adjusted quickly. General Manager H. J. Horn expects to have a conference at once with President H. B. Perham of the order. Mr. Horn said: "If their demands are tempered with justice, it should be an easy matter to settle the whole controversy. If, on the other hand, requests amount practically to a dictation of the policy of the road, I should think the difficulty would be a hard one to adjudicate along peaceable lines."

Canvas Footwear

Ladies' pure white Canvas Blucher Oxfords at $1.25
Men's Canvas Blucher Oxfords, several patterns; regular $1.50 value; now, pair 98c
Boys' Canvas Lace Shoes, with good leather soles and leather tips; sizes 11½ to 2, 69c; sizes 2½ to 5½ 79c
Children's and Misses' Gray Canvas Oxfords, with good leather soles; sizes 7 to 11, 50c; sizes 11½ to 2 ..... 65c

Home Trade Shoe Store
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RAILROAD NOTES.

A new line from Hoquiam, Wash., to Moclips has just been opened by the Northern Pacific. The line is about twenty-eight miles long. Moclips is destined to become one of the famous beaches of the Pacific coast. The railroad company has developed it into a park, with amusements and bathing facilities and it will become one of the show places of the west end.

The Northern Pacific road has issued a book on the lake country of Minnesota on the Minnesota & International road entitled "The Heart of the Lake Land." The book gives accommodations, rates, and other items of information interesting to sportsmen and tourists.

NO MACHINES READY.

The state voting machine commission will meet at the capitol Wednesday, but will have no work to do. The only company that signified a desire to have a machine examined has sent word that it cannot comply with the specifications on such short notice. Another date will be set for the examination.

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