

MERELY COMMENT

They said prosperity would come if the railroads got a 5 per cent increase in freight rates.

All right—let 'er come. The roads have got the 5 per cent.

And that probably means 5 per cent increase in the high cost of living, with no increase in wages.

But come on with that prosperity. What's the Chicago Title & Trust Co. trying to do?

Put the county-owned abstract industry out of business?

Go at 'em, Recorder Connery. Stand by the publicly-owned business.

Any excuse is a good excuse for the loop press to spend that traction fund and build a subway for the department stores.

The latest excuse is unemployment.

But it's the same old thing they want—a subway for the stores and to blow in that city traction fund.

Is the Pennsylvania railroad going to start work on that new many million dollar union station?

Or was the agreement to start work within a year merely a corporation bluff?

"King" Benjamin of the "Holy

Rollers" may find out that religious liberty doesn't carry with it the right to run a harem.

"VERY IDEA," IS WAY ACTRESS ANSWERS WIFE'S CHARGE



Fanny Ward

Fanny Ward, an actress and a beauty, is defendant in a suit for the alleged alienation of the affections of "Handsome" Jack Dean, but why should she worry.

"Perfectly absurd," and "the very idea!" are the only answers Miss Ward so far condescended to make to the charges. The suit is brought in New York by Mrs. Sarah Jennie Gertrude Dean, wife of the husband in the case.

KI-YI! A HOWL AND A GROWL—BUT 'A PUP'S A PUP FOR 'A THAT."

