

RESIGNATION OF COLONEL DODGE.

Speculation as to What He Will Do After July 1.

CONNECTION WITH MIDLAND

As Vice President of Colorado Road, Some Important Anti-Harriman and Gould Moves May be Anticipated.

Now that the announcement has been authoritatively made that Colonel D. C. Dodge has severed all connections with the Rio Grande Western and that he will practically retire from railroad life on July 1st, there is considerable speculation as to what the veteran official will do in the future.

With the receipt of the news of the retirement of Colonel Dodge comes the question of what will he do next? It has been generally overlooked in the recent railroad earthquake that has been in progress in the West that Colonel Dodge occupies one of the most important positions in the Colorado Midland and a very aggressive and influential one at that.

Under the present Gould-Harriman tie-up of the Midland is to all intents and purposes a road tacked away in the mountainous west, aside from local traffic, will have to rely upon "the crumbs that fall from the rich man's table," as far as any trans-continental business is concerned.

Vice President Dodge of the Colorado Midland is the man to whom those who are acquainted with his attributes to see startling changes in the railroad map of Utah in the near future.

The oft repeated rumor regarding the San Pedro and Colorado Midland joining hands may prove to be founded on fact after the meeting which will be held in this city within the next two weeks. Stranger things have happened in the history of railroads. It would be a mean trick to serve the Harriman-Gould interests after selling out to them at a good figure, but then it is business.

D. & R. G. MEETING.

Dividend Declared, but No News regarding R. G. W. Consolidation.

New York, June 6.—The directors of the Denver & Rio Grande road today have declared a semi-annual dividend of 2 1/2 per cent on the preferred stock. No other business of public interest was transacted, it was said.

Northwestern Annual Meeting.

Chicago, June 6.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad company was held here today and the usual semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent on the common and the quarterly dividend of 1 1/4 per cent on the preferred stock were declared.

Union Pacific Business.

Omaha, Neb., June 6.—The April report for the business transacted during that period by the Union Pacific Short Line and Navigation companies is just out, and shows a gratifying increase. The gross receipts from all three lines for April were \$3,413,737, an increase over the same period in 1900 of \$352,173.

Immigrant Business to California.

Chicago, June 7.—The advisory committee of the immigration bureau of the Western Passenger association held a meeting here and took action in regard to a number of questions relating to immigrant business. The most important action was a rearrangement of the distribution of immigrant business to California.

SPIKE AND RAIL.

Senator Clark arrived in New York on the Deutschland last evening.

Donald Rose of the Illinois Central returned from Butte this morning.

No. 5 Rio Grande Western, came in from the East today in two sections.

L. L. Downing of the C. M. & St. P. is in Wyoming on a wool hunting expedition.

Mechanical Superintendent Dunn of the Oregon Short Line is in Pocatello on business.

General Agent Neslen of the Burlington is expected to return from San Francisco tomorrow morning.

W. K. Vanderbilt has been directed to accept election as a director in the Northern Pacific board of directors.

The San Pedro company now has closed up 250 men employed in the Meadow Valley wash, at a point about eighteen miles from Clover Valley Junction. A half mile of grade has already been constructed.

The Opal club will give an excursion to Ogden canyon on Sunday. A special consideration was also given to a proposition to appoint a European representative to keep the roads advised as regards the immigrant situation in Europe.

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H. DINWOODEY FURNITURE CO. Attention, Investors! The choice property now occupied by the F. Auerbach & Bro. Dry Goods store, will be sold to the highest bidder for cash, at 12 o'clock noon, June 11, 1901, at the West Front Door of the City and County Bldg. Frontage on Main street, 53 1/2 feet by depth of 214 1/2 feet and additional ground in rear. Improvements consist of store Bldg. and Steam Heating Plant. Property open for inspection. Sale will be made by Mr. E. B. Wicks, referee.

THE CHAMBERS' ESTATE. Administrator Hood Authorized to Pay Debts Amounting to \$150,000. On motion of Attorney Waldemar Van Cott Judge Stewart in chambers this morning ordered the administrator of the estate of the late R. C. Chambers to pay debts of the estate amounting to \$150,000. The court appointed Jacob H. Wolcott, George A. Herry and Frank Veed appraisers for Tooele county, and John Forgie Sr., Patrick S. Martin and W. D. Williams for Beaver county.

BINGHAM CANYON SUIT. Garland Who Was Convicted of Slaughter One of the Defendants. T. R. Jones and S. Hays today commenced suit against E. B. Quinn, Giovanni Cerogin, G. M. Goddington, Frank De Lamar, P. C. Garland and Mrs. F. C. Garland to recover possession of a portion of forty acres in Bingham canyon, which they claim the defendants wrongfully entered upon and with possession of the same. They also asked for \$100 damages. Garland is the man who was convicted on last Saturday of voluntary manslaughter.

PEOPLE WHO ARE PASSING. M. M. Dolphin, president of the Order of Railway Telegraphers and of the Brotherhood of Commercial Telegraphers, and H. B. Perham, grand secretary and treasurer of the Order of Railway Telegraphers and Editor of the Railway Telegraph, both of St. Louis are guests at the Knutsford. They are en route to San Francisco to attend the annual meeting of the representatives of the telegraphers employed by the Southern Pacific railroad company. When seen today Mr. Dolphin stated that the order has 25,000 members, and has associations in many countries. There are associations in Manila and Havana. The gentlemen leave this afternoon for California.

George C. Whitmore of Nephi, is in the city on a business trip. He says that many people have located land in southeastern Utah and expect to get oil in quantities. Dr. and Mrs. Charles P. Hough of Jefferson city, Missouri, are guests at the Kenyon. Dr. Hough was formerly a resident of Salt Lake, but left here a year or so ago. He and Mrs. Hough are en route to the coast.

PERSONALS. Manager George T. Odell of the Cop wagon and Machine company has returned from a business trip to Montana and Idaho. John P. Meakin has returned home after a nine months' lecturing tour in Oregon, Washington and California. He is head camp lecturer of the Woodmen of the World, and has been traveling and lecturing in the interests of that organization. He spoke many times to large audiences and met with excellent success.

John Grover, of the local weather bureau, has returned from Modena, where he has been for the past two weeks instructing the observer at that place in the duties of his position. M. K. Parsons left today for Ontario, Oregon, to attend to the delivery and the shipment of 1,600 yearling cattle to Bitterling, Foss and Montgomery of Meeker, Colorado.

G. Herman Schettler, son of Banker B. H. Schettler, left today for New York en route to Germany to perform a mission. Perry Heath and Senator Kearns left this morning for Park City to visit the Silver King mine. They will remain at the mine until tomorrow or Sunday.

HOTEL ARRIVALS. The following guests were the arrivals at the hotels up to 3 o'clock today: Knutsford—Geo. L. Shoup, Boise; J. Jay Nestell, Edward Valpy, New York; Miss Mollie T. Holland, San Francisco; A. A. Uffendill, New York; B. K. Coffman, San Francisco; C. H. Sembower, Guy L. H. Focht, Reading, Pa.; J. H. Duffield and wife, Jerseyville, Ill.; C. Child, St. Louis; Mrs. C. H. Reimer, Buffalo; Douglas Dyrenforth and wife, Chicago; Mrs. M. L. Dickinson, New York City; Mrs. G. E. Ebbs, A. Just, New York; Ludwig Eisenman, Boston.

OPAL CLUB EXCURSION. To Ogden, Sunday, June 10th, via Oregon Short Line. Special train leaves going at 9:30 a. m. and leaves Ogden coming back at 8:30 p. m. Only \$1.00 round trip.

EXCURSION TO PORTLAND. June 11th and 12th. Via the Oregon Short Line. Only \$1.00 round trip. Tickets good returning up to Sept. 9th.

POUND NOTICE. ONE BROWN MARE, ABOUT 8 YEARS OLD, SORREL LIKE COLORED, WITH BLIND EYES, DESCRIBED AS ABOVE, NOT CLAIMED, AND TAKEN AWAY ON OR BEFORE JUNE 10, 1901, WILL BE SOLD AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M. AT THE MORTON CITY POUNDKEEPER. ALSO ONE PAIR OF HORSES WILL BE SOLD AT SAME PLACE AND TIME.

CHURCH NEWS. RELIEF SOCIETY. The Salt Lake Stake Relief Society officers' meeting will be held in the Fourteenth ward hall Saturday, June 9, 1901, at 2 o'clock. A representative from each society is requested to be present. All are invited.

RELIEF SOCIETY. The annual conference of the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A. of Granite Stake convenes at Taylorville ward on Sunday, June 10, at 10 o'clock. A meeting of the ward officers will be held in the school rooms, and public meetings convene in the meeting houses at 2 and 7 o'clock p. m. respectively. Members of the Granite Stake Board will be in attendance and a good time is assured. All Stake and ward M. I. officers and workers are requested to attend our meetings and the same and public in general are cordially invited to meet with us.

AMERICAN... ENGLISH... Various small advertisements and notices on the far right edge of the page.