

RAILROADS

RATE CUTTING ON COLONIST FARES TO NORTH PACIFIC COAST POINTS

Representatives of Chicago-Missouri River Lines Meet, but Fail to Accomplish Anything—The Question of Rebates on Montana Points Has Been Practically Settled—Commissions to Be Abolished.

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—Representatives of the Chicago-St. Louis-Missouri River lines met to consider and seek a solution to the disturbing rate cutting on colonist fares from St. Louis to North Pacific coast points. It was hoped that an amicable settlement of existing differences might be reached, but the meeting adjourned without taking decisive action.

Will Put on the Double March 1, It Is Said.

It was given out yesterday that the new double service to the coast of the Northern Pacific will be inaugurated March 1. The new service will consist of new trains throughout, the coaches, baggage cars, engines and all being of the most approved pattern, and new from the builders shops.

MYSTERIOUS ROAD.

Tacoma Papers in the Dark About a Certain Line. The Tacoma Ledger has the following concerning a line which, from its location in the territory now in dispute between the Oregon Railway & Navigation company and the Northern Pacific, possesses considerable interest to road men.

UNLOCKED BAGGAGE.

Roads May Cease to Handle It Altogether. General baggage agents now are voting upon the proposition recently made at a meeting of executive officers of roads in the Western Passenger association to cease the checking of unlocked articles of baggage.

North-Western Plans.

SIoux CITY, Io., Jan. 16.—Judge H. A. Hubbard, general counsel in Iowa for the North-Western railway who was in Chicago in the interest of the bill providing for the settlement of the debt of the Sioux City & Pacific railway, now owned by the North-Western, writes that the bill will be reported favorably from the committee next month as soon as the decision of the government on the Sioux City & Pacific is removed, the road will be sold, and the North-Western will of it and extend its line from Merville, Io., to Sioux City, and to Centerville, S. D., and beyond.

Trunk Line Freight Rates.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The freight rate committee of the Trunk Line association met today to receive reports on the effect of the new advance freight rates on general business. One report reported a steady increase in general merchandise business and in the West-bound freight movement, while a falling off was reported in export business, because of the unwillingness of farmers to sell their grain.

Lehigh Annual.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 16.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lehigh Valley railway company was held here today. The only change of directors is that of Mr. Galloway, president of the Lehigh Valley, who has been elected in place of Justice Strawbridge.

RAILWAY NOTES.

The Northern Pacific has secured further concessions from the common council of Tacoma, and has been granted the right of using and operating tracks on Dock street, giving an entrance to the location of its new warehouse. This, when constructed, will be the largest in the West.

VIN MARIANI

Mariani Wine—World Famous Tonic

"It is unequalled in cases of Nervous Depression, Melancholy, Brain Exhaustion, Fatigue and Sleeplessness." "Vin Mariani strengthens, sustains, refreshes." Sold by all Druggists. Refuse Substitutes.

reject business offered them on advantageous terms, will come up before the railroad and warehouse commission to see where it is shown that no loss would ensue. The case was brought by a Minneapolis coal and wood merchant to compel the Milwaukee railroad cars.

BIG TELEPHONE DEAL.

It Involves Control of Thousands of Miles of Service. DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 16.—Through purchase of a majority of stock of both companies, the Michigan Telephone company today closed a deal for control of the two independent companies in this part of Michigan, namely, the Detroit Telephone company and the Michigan Telephone company, which has taken control of what was formerly its exclusive field.

PUERTO RICANS HERE.

Came to United States in Interest of the Island. NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The steamer Philadelphia, which arrived today from Puerto Rican ports, brought a delegation of merchants from that island, who are going to Washington to advocate closer relations with the United States.

WHAT MINERS WANT.

Outline of Demands to Be Formulated at Indianapolis. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 16.—The sessions and executive conferences of the miners show that the demands will include: General eight-hour day; check weights in all mines; the abolition of use of "scrip" in payment of wages; enforcement of weekly paydays in states where the national order of the Federation has laws to this effect; the extension of the national order in Pennsylvania and several other states; a permanent strike fund, secured by levying per capita tax on members of all local unions; the continuance of the strike in Pennsylvania and Indiana; war on the coal companies operated by the Gould railroad companies; concentrated efforts in congress to prevent "government by injunction" through the federal courts; the enactment of a law providing that labor leaders cited for contempt of the United States courts shall be entitled to trial by a jury of twelve men; a general strike in wages at least 10 to 20 cents per ton; a flat differential of 70 cents between machines and hand-mined coal; a better understanding of the regulations relating to the "red" of the "mines" of the Federation.

BRISTLES WITH BAYONETS.

Nest into Which Doves Express Has Dropped Li Hung Chang. Correspondence of the Associated Press. SHANGHAI, Dec. 23, 1899.—Li Hung Chang, Chinese minister to the United States, in 1888 at the demand of Great Britain, but he was degraded. He continued to hold a higher position as a member of the grand secretariat. Within a few days he was removed from office and pushed her favorite forward from time to time. In December, 1898, he issued an edict appointing Li a high commissioner to personally investigate the course of the Yellow River and report on its construction. The edict, on Nov. 24, 1899, reworded Li in a special edict, making him "high commissioner on commercial affairs," and on Dec. 15 last the emperor issued a special decree making Li Hung Chang viceroy of Kwang Tung and Lwangs provinces, with his capital at Canton. He is therefore again vested with viceregal powers, but his task is a difficult one. He succeeds Viceroy Kan, whom the French have forced out. It has on his hands the vexatious situation due to the aggression of the French on the Southern frontier of China. They have occupied an extent of Chinese territory of ten counties or more and have been using a fine harbor in the Southern Gulf. Several hundreds of Chinese have been killed in engagements resulting the French. Marshal Su, who was sent to Canton as a special commissioner to settle matters, has been removed by the emperor for conceding too much territory. Li Hung Chang therefore steps into a nest up-holstered with bayonets.

UNLOCKED BAGGAGE.

Roads May Cease to Handle It Altogether. General baggage agents now are voting upon the proposition recently made at a meeting of executive officers of roads in the Western Passenger association to cease the checking of unlocked articles of baggage. The general impression is that the Western roads will adopt the proposition. Said a passenger official yesterday: "I have seen many persons who complain against a rule disqualifying telescopes and other lockless things that the roads should agree not to check unlocked articles in justice to themselves. If telescopes were thrown out of the list there would be fewer claims for the value of articles presumably lost in transit."

North-Western Plans.

SIoux CITY, Io., Jan. 16.—Judge H. A. Hubbard, general counsel in Iowa for the North-Western railway who was in Chicago in the interest of the bill providing for the settlement of the debt of the Sioux City & Pacific railway, now owned by the North-Western, writes that the bill will be reported favorably from the committee next month as soon as the decision of the government on the Sioux City & Pacific is removed, the road will be sold, and the North-Western will of it and extend its line from Merville, Io., to Sioux City, and to Centerville, S. D., and beyond.

Trunk Line Freight Rates.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The freight rate committee of the Trunk Line association met today to receive reports on the effect of the new advance freight rates on general business. One report reported a steady increase in general merchandise business and in the West-bound freight movement, while a falling off was reported in export business, because of the unwillingness of farmers to sell their grain.

Lehigh Annual.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 16.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lehigh Valley railway company was held here today. The only change of directors is that of Mr. Galloway, president of the Lehigh Valley, who has been elected in place of Justice Strawbridge.

RAILWAY NOTES.

The Northern Pacific has secured further concessions from the common council of Tacoma, and has been granted the right of using and operating tracks on Dock street, giving an entrance to the location of its new warehouse. This, when constructed, will be the largest in the West.

BOXELL FAMILY JRS

THEY ARE AGAIN BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF THE SUPREME COURT

Joseph Boxell Relates to the Court That He Has Not Been Allowed to Visit the Children as the Court Directed, and Asks That His Wife Be Adjudged in Contempt.

Mrs. Lizette M. Boxell, wife of Joseph Boxell, of Buffalo, has been ordered by the state supreme court to appear before the bar of the court tomorrow and show cause why she should not be punished for contempt of court. The order is an echo of the Boxell murder case tried last fall at Buffalo, Minn., in which Joseph Boxell, the complainant, was accused of murdering his father and mother, but was not convicted.

DAYTON'S BLUFF.

S. Westby, Druggist, Third and Maria. P. O. Box 100, Dayton, Ohio. Dr. J. R. Marellus, Druggist, Bedford and Erie. J. H. S. Co., Druggists, 565 Payne avenue. A. J. Johnson, News Dealer, 548 Lafayette. H. G. Schumacher, Druggists, 564 Payne. H. W. Dickman, Druggist, Faulkner and East Seventh.

WEST ST. PAUL.

Hall & Kraft, Druggists, South Wabasha and Isabel. Pharmacy, South Wabasha and Fairfeld. Hans Madison, State and Concord. Eclipse Drug Company, 113 South Robert.

SOUTH ST. PAUL.

J. P. Munna, Druggist and News Dealer, 411 East Third. J. C. Grover, 1663 Grand Ave.

AGENTS AND AGENCIES.

SOLICITORS wanted for the "Memors of Dwight L. Moody," written by his daughter, Mrs. Moody, and published by the authority of Mrs. Moody and family; only book authorized by the author; demand enormous; best time for agents. Large profits. Credit given; freight paid. Address The Dominion Company, Dept. L, Chicago.

HELP WANTED—MALES.

CLEAN bed, refreshing bath, free laundry for 10c; healthy food at 1 penny per dish and up. Helping Hand Mission, 612 East Third.

FUEL CHEAP—MILL WOOD.

gas, coke, \$5 ton; hard coal, \$6.75; soft coal, \$4.75. Tampa, 55. Pittsburg & South Hill Coal Co., Inc., 121 East Sixth St.

MOLIER BARBER COLLEGE.

202 Washington Ave., Minneapolis, has a complete and up-to-date list of books. Special this month, 600 positions at \$9 monthly open book; new field, signs and school supplies. Complete outfit of tools presented each student. Our graduates success increases the demand for their services. Complete list of books and illustrated catalogue free. Address D. R. 130.

PORTER—Wanted, porter in saloon.

at 483 St. Peter st.; one who understands cooking. Address D. R. 130.

WANTED—One hundred citizens of St. Paul.

to buy 100 coupon books; good at the Helping Hand Mission, 145 East Third St. For terms, see list of names in paper or out of city. Address M. M., 874 Duke st.

BOOKKEEPER or clerk.

A young man, 23 years of age, with six years' experience; best of references; speaks American, German and French. Address Ernest Foster, 200 Jackson st.

BAKER—A young man of eighteen.

would like position in baker shop; one and a half years' experience; can furnish first-class reference. Address 562 Gaillard st.

COOK—Situation wanted by first-class.

meat cook; years of hotel experience; references. Address A. A., 416 Wabasha st., St. Paul.

CLERK—A high school graduate.

wants a place as clerk or any office work. Address 90 North Snelling av., city.

DETECTIVE work of watchman.

wanted by a married man, who has had five years' experience. References furnished. 383 Louis st.

EMPLOYMENT wanted by a boy.

of eighteen, willing to work hard. Address E. E. Taylor, 1000 Broadway.

HOTEL clerk, aged twenty-seven.

with good references, desires position of any kind; no objection to leaving city. B. of bed room suits, iron beds, dressers, commodes, wardrobes, center tables, etc., extension tables, dining room chairs, easy chairs, divans, parlor suit, bedding, pillows, mattresses, pictures, dishes and silver. Parties looking for cheap furniture should attend this sale. Johnson, Auctioneer, 41-43 Jackson st.

CLAIRVOYANTS.

DON'T FAIL TO CALL and consult the Clairvoyant Hungry. The Clairvoyant who reads your life only from the gypsy cards, without asking questions. She is what you called for, gives never-failing advice on business speculation, mines, investments, journeys, marriage, tells you if you marry and gives name of person; if in trouble or in doubt, in sickness or in sorrow, call and see her. What are you fitted for? Don't you know? She will tell you what trade, business or profession you are adapted for, through phrenology. Call early at her gypsy camp at 14 East Seventh st., from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Sunday included.

ALICE M'PAIN, clairvoyant.

present and future. 63 East Seventh st., second floor, room 10.

MRS. ALICE AUSTIN—Clairvoyant.

and reader; ladies, 25 cents and 50 cents. 484 Cedar st., near Ninth.

WATCHES.

PAID for Old Gold Watches and Diamonds. Fine Watch Repairing. F. H. Harnum, 41 & 7th St.

POPULAR WANTS

ST. PAUL BRANCH OFFICES.

Advertisements for the want columns may be left at any drug store in the city at the same rates as charged at the main office. Below is a partial list:

ST. ANTHONY HILL.

Conger Bros., Druggists, 400 Selby av. Campbell Bros., Druggists, 583 Selby av. Emil Bull, Druggist, Grand and St. Albans. Conger Bros., Druggists, Selby and St. Albans. A. T. Guernsey & Son, Druggists, Selby and Dale. Retzke Bros., Druggists, Selby and Western. W. A. Frost & Co., Druggists, Selby and Western. Conger Bros., Druggists, Selby and Macdonald. Straits Bros., Druggists, Grotto and Rondoc. E. J. Collins, Druggist, 205 West Seventh. R. C. Trudgen & Co., 1023 West Seventh. Lyons Pharmacy, Dale and University. J. C. Sprague, Druggist, University and Rice.

LOWER TOWN.

The Buckinghams, Smith av. and Ninth. W. K. Collier, Druggist, Sibley and East Seventh. C. Heller, Druggist, Tenth and St. Peter. M. D. Merrill, News Dealer, 442 Broadway. Conger Bros., Druggists, 284 University. Schumaker, Druggist, 490 West Seventh. R. C. Trudgen & Co., 1023 West Seventh. A. A. Campbell, Druggist, Louis and Rondoc. R. C. Trudgen, Third and Seventh. M. S. Courtney, 468 Wabasha st. W. E. Lowe, Druggist, Twelfth and Robert.

DAYTON'S BLUFF.

S. Westby, Druggist, Third and Maria. P. O. Box 100, Dayton, Ohio. Dr. J. R. Marellus, Druggist, Bedford and Erie. J. H. S. Co., Druggists, 565 Payne avenue. A. J. Johnson, News Dealer, 548 Lafayette. H. G. Schumacher, Druggists, 564 Payne. H. W. Dickman, Druggist, Faulkner and East Seventh.

WEST ST. PAUL.

Hall & Kraft, Druggists, South Wabasha and Isabel. Pharmacy, South Wabasha and Fairfeld. Hans Madison, State and Concord. Eclipse Drug Company, 113 South Robert.

SOUTH ST. PAUL.

J. P. Munna, Druggist and News Dealer, 411 East Third. J. C. Grover, 1663 Grand Ave.

AGENTS AND AGENCIES.

SOLICITORS wanted for the "Memors of Dwight L. Moody," written by his daughter, Mrs. Moody, and published by the authority of Mrs. Moody and family; only book authorized by the author; demand enormous; best time for agents. Large profits. Credit given; freight paid. Address The Dominion Company, Dept. L, Chicago.

HELP WANTED—MALES.

CLEAN bed, refreshing bath, free laundry for 10c; healthy food at 1 penny per dish and up. Helping Hand Mission, 612 East Third.

FUEL CHEAP—MILL WOOD.

gas, coke, \$5 ton; hard coal, \$6.75; soft coal, \$4.75. Tampa, 55. Pittsburg & South Hill Coal Co., Inc., 121 East Sixth St.

MOLIER BARBER COLLEGE.

202 Washington Ave., Minneapolis, has a complete and up-to-date list of books. Special this month, 600 positions at \$9 monthly open book; new field, signs and school supplies. Complete outfit of tools presented each student. Our graduates success increases the demand for their services. Complete list of books and illustrated catalogue free. Address D. R. 130.

PORTER—Wanted, porter in saloon.

at 483 St. Peter st.; one who understands cooking. Address D. R. 130.

WANTED—One hundred citizens of St. Paul.

to buy 100 coupon books; good at the Helping Hand Mission, 145 East Third St. For terms, see list of names in paper or out of city. Address M. M., 874 Duke st.

BOOKKEEPER or clerk.

A young man, 23 years of age, with six years' experience; best of references; speaks American, German and French. Address Ernest Foster, 200 Jackson st.

BAKER—A young man of eighteen.

would like position in baker shop; one and a half years' experience; can furnish first-class reference. Address 562 Gaillard st.

COOK—Situation wanted by first-class.

meat cook; years of hotel experience; references. Address A. A., 416 Wabasha st., St. Paul.

CLERK—A high school graduate.

wants a place as clerk or any office work. Address 90 North Snelling av., city.

DETECTIVE work of watchman.

wanted by a married man, who has had five years' experience. References furnished. 383 Louis st.

EMPLOYMENT wanted by a boy.

of eighteen, willing to work hard. Address E. E. Taylor, 1000 Broadway.

HOTEL clerk, aged twenty-seven.

with good references, desires position of any kind; no objection to leaving city. B. of bed room suits, iron beds, dressers, commodes, wardrobes, center tables, etc., extension tables, dining room chairs, easy chairs, divans, parlor suit, bedding, pillows, mattresses, pictures, dishes and silver. Parties looking for cheap furniture should attend this sale. Johnson, Auctioneer, 41-43 Jackson st.

POPULAR WANTS

HELP WANTED—FEMALES.

HOUSEKEEPER—Wanted, a competent woman as housekeeper on a stock farm in Minnesota; no objection to one child. Apply at 53 Gilliland Block, St. Paul.

COOK—Competent cook and a second girl.

with good references, wanted. Apply at Arundel st., corner Portland av.

STENOGRAPHER wanted, in a country bank.

light work; moderate wages; steady right party; references required. Address X 100, Globe.

WANTED—Lady assistants at water color painting.

earn large salaries; new and elegant suit experience; home work furnished by house of excellent standing. Gravure Illustration Company, Chicago.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

Anybody out of work in St. Paul or Minneapolis may insert an advertisement under this heading free of charge.

A WOMAN would like work in private families.

who understands washing and ironing. Call at 411 East Fifth st., St. Paul, Minn.

A YOUNG lady wants position in doctor's or dentist's office.

Address 713 Tusculum st., St. Paul, Minn.

CLERK—Young girl of very good education.

desires position as clerk or office work; has taught school. H 100, Globe.

COOK—A girl wants a place to do plain cooking.

would like to go home nights sometimes. Call 171 St. Anthony av., up stairs.

COOK—First-class cook wants position in private family.

S 180, Globe.

DRESSMAKER—An experienced dressmaker.

wants sewing by the day in families. Call or address 412 Louis st., St. Paul, Minn.

DRESSMAKER—Wanted, work by first-class dressmaker.

perfect fit guaranteed; terms reasonable. Address 461 Selby av., near 283.

DRESSMAKER—Wanted, work by first-class dressmaker.

fit guaranteed; terms reasonable. Apply 278 West Seventh st.

HOUSEWORK—Girl wanted, one who can do housework.

Call at night, 132 West Fourth st., St. Paul, Minn.

LAUNDRESS—A competent laundress.

wants work by the day in private family. Address A., 406 Marshall av.

NURSE—Wanted, by experienced nurse.

to take washing and ironing. Call or address 531 Charles.

OFFICE WORK—American lady, with references.

desired position of washing, ironing, and staking wages, M. Mulvey, 518 Forest St., St. Paul, Minn.

NURSE—Situation wanted by trained nurse.

best of references. 227 East Tenth.

STENOGRAPHER—Experienced lady stenographer.

and compositor wishes work; will accept very moderate salary; willing to leave the city; can assist on week. Address J. C., 209 New York Life Bldg.

SEAMSTRESS would like sewing in private families.

will work for 50 cents a day at present. Address C. E. Globe, Sixth st., room 47.

SITUATION by colored woman as cook and housework.

Address 100 West Third st., St. Paul, Minn.

WAITRESS—Situation wanted by experienced girl.

to wait on table or work in baker shop. Address G 161, Globe.

WANTED—Situation as housekeeper or to care for invalids.

561 Payne av.

WANTED—By a middle-aged lady, responsible, or to travel with an invalid or family going abroad.

Address 812 East Third st.

WANTED to take care of furnished rooms.

by a respectable woman. Address C., 128 West Fifth st., room 47.

WANTED—Work by reliable young man.

two or three days a week, washing, ironing or tending furnaces; references given. Edward Reed, 702 Grand block.

WASHING—A German lady would like to take washing.

Address M. W., 308 Mississippi st.

WAITRESS—Situation wanted by experienced girl.

to wait on table or work in baker shop. Address G 161, Globe.

WIDOW, refined and accomplished.

in affluence seeks companionship for elderly people (without incumbrance); fine musician and entertainer. D 130, Globe.

RELIEF SOCIETY.

Employment Register. Office, 141 East Ninth St., Telephone 183.

MAN—We can furnish a good, strong, handy man for household work, or other such work.

BOY—A bright, willing boy for office or errand boy. Address C. E. Globe, Sixth st., room 47.

REPAIRING of trunks and valises.

wanted by a man who understands the work thoroughly.

NURSES—We can furnish efficient women for the sick.

WOMEN—To do plain sewing, washing, ironing and housecleaning. Can be had for the office; no men to do odd jobs, wood sawing, etc.

BUSINESS CHANCES.