

PLAN IS A GOOD ONE

Local Freight Officials Favor the Per Diem System of Charges

IT FACILITATES MATTERS

By Its Use a More Accurate Account of Cars Can Be Kept and Roads Will Release Foreign Equipment Earlier Than Before.

Freight agents and officials generally seem to believe that the per diem plan of charge on freight cars adopted by the American Railway association is a good thing in many ways.

The fact that a car is to be charged for by the day instead of the mile will have a tendency to induce roads to let go of foreign cars sooner than under the old scheme.

There is a possibility, however, that the system may not work out, as the roads may not accept the ruling in the spirit in which it is made. It would be an easy matter to delay the movement of cars to such an extent that a shortage would be inevitable under the per diem charge plan, if the roads saw fit to follow such a course.

WORK IS TO BEGIN SOON.

New Branch of the Oregon Railway & Navigation Company.

LEWISTON, Idaho, May 31.—According to reports from Riparian, work on the Riparian-Lewiston extension of the O. R. & N. Co. will commence not later than June 1. The company expects to have trains running into Lewiston by the latter part of September. Nothing could be learned of the company's plans of entrance into the town or whether the Snake or Clearwater will be bridged.

NEBRASKA CROPS ARE GOOD.

More Wheat and Less Corn is Planted in the State.

CHICAGO, May 31.—The "Corn Belt," published by the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad, in its issue Monday will say: "Corn planting in Nebraska was done mainly between April 15 and May 2, but some as late as May 10, and reports from ten localities put the end of planting at May 20. The condition of the ground at the time of planting was better than last year and the present condition of stand is excellent."

RAILROADS WITHIN THE LAW.

So Say Officials in Connection With Cotton Pooling.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 31.—Regarding the situation of the cotton pool, several officials and railroad men are reported to have said today that the cotton pooling agreement on the part of the railroads is within the law. There is no pooling agreement on the part of the railroads, said the Missouri Pacific, vice president of the Missouri Pacific, said he did not know of any pool. He said he thought the railroads were within the law.

FROM JOLIET TO WISCONSIN LINE.

Joliet & Webster Railroad Incorporated in Illinois.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 31.—Articles of incorporation were filed with the secretary of state today for the Joliet & Webster railroad with a capital stock of \$300,000, to be constructed from Joliet in a westerly and northerly direction to the Wisconsin state line.

Mayor Rowe, of Portland, Has General Charge in Northwest.

PORTLAND, Or., May 31.—H. S. Rowe, mayor of Portland, was today appointed general Northwestern agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul with headquarters in Portland.

Southern Railroad Man Ill.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, May 31.—The condition of W. J. Murphy, general manager of the Queen and Crescent route, is reported today as serious. He went to Louisville last Thursday to attend a freight traffic meeting and was stricken with paralysis yesterday afternoon. He was brought home last night.

Hair Brushes

With good stiff bristles—combs that do not break.

Razors

With keen edges—Razor Straps

Of good leather

Toilet Soaps

Made from good material

This is the class of goods we carry.

The best of Drugs, of course.

F. M. PARKER,

Fifth and Wabasha.

Standard Patterns.
They are the best and most economical—always right. We are sole St. Paul agents. All the latest patterns here.

Field, Schlick & Co.'s Latest Store News.

ST. PAUL, MINN., SUNDAY MORNING, JUNE 1, 1902.

Mail Orders.
We guarantee to serve you promptly and satisfactorily. Make a test of any item in this ad.

Our Great June Midsummer Sale of Muslin Underwear



starts Monday morning. Not the accumulation of odd sizes and unsalable styles from the stock of the past season—not a bit of it. Every garment in this sale is fresh from the best manufacturers in the land—perfection of Underwear—designed, put together and finished by the best skilled artists.

And what is of equal importance to our patrons is the fact that every garment in this mammoth gathering of Undermuslins is special-priced and under-price. Not a few scattering leaders to catch the eye, but absolutely every garment in stock at

Much Less Than Regular Price.

Hundreds of our patrons have been waiting for this sale. We are prepared for an enormous trade. Extra selling space and extra salespeople to make buying comfortable and expeditious. A few of the specials are told of below—and there are hundreds of others.

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| 100 dozen Corset Covers, good cambric round neck, tight fitting, felled seams, pearl button; only three to a customer—20c values, for..... | 8c | 100 dozen Drawers, best muslin, yoke bend, made with seven-inch cambric flounce, finished with two rows of hem-stitching—35c values for..... | 15c | Cambric Petticoats, extra wide, made with deep flounce of embroidery, with tucks and under-ruffle—\$1.50 values, for..... | 95c | Nainsook Chemise Gowns, short sleeve, finished with beading, ribbon and hem-stitched ruffle—\$1.25 values for..... | 75c |
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CORSET COVERS.

A complete line of French tight-fitting and shirtwaist Corset Covers.

Cambric Corset Covers, French shape, all well made, perfect fitting, trimmed with dainty lace edge. 40c values for.....

25c

10 styles of nainsook Corset Covers, French shape, trimmed with insertion, ribbon and lace, also with three rows of hemstitched tucks and wash ribbon. 65c values for.....

50c

6 styles of Corset Covers, French, and Shirtwaist Covers, with embroidery, insertion or lace trimmings. 85c values for.....

69c

New Shirtwaist Corset Covers, trimmed with insertion, lace and ribbon. \$1.25 values for.....

95c

French Corset Covers, with alternating rows of lace insertion, ribbon and lace edge. \$2.00 values for.....

\$1.40

A beautiful line of lace Corset Covers. \$3.00 and \$3.25 values for.....

\$2.50

DRAWERS.

50 dozen Drawers, best muslin, yoke band, extra wide, finished with cluster of tucks and hem. 40c values for.....

25c

Fine cambric Drawers, made with deep flounce of embroidery, or deep umbrella flounce edge, with neat embroidery edge. 75c values for.....

45c

Fine cambric and nainsook Drawers, finished with deep flounce of embroidery or lace. 95c values for.....

75c

Fine Nainsook Drawers, made with deep flounce of one insertion and lace edge. \$1.25 values for.....

95c

Extra size Drawers, fine cambric, for only.....

50c

Extra size Drawers, embroidery trimmed, for.....

75c

PETTICOATS.

All the latest novelties in circulars and demi-trains.

Fine cambric Petticoats, made with deep flounce of tucks and embroidery insertion. \$1.25 values for.....

75c

Cambric Petticoats, with deep flounce of tucks and French embroidery. \$2.00 values for.....

\$1.50

Cambric Petticoats, extra wide, deep flounce of tucks and two rows of insertion and deep lace edge, also of French embroidery and insertion. \$4.00 values for.....

\$2.00

Petticoats made with deep flounce of French embroidery or two lace insertions and lace edge—\$4.50 values for.....

\$3.00

\$5.00 Petticoats for.....

\$4.25

\$6.00 Petticoats for.....

\$6.00

\$15.00 Petticoats for.....

\$10.00

GOWNS.

All the new effects in Bishop, Cassock and Chemise styles.

Three styles of Gowns, good muslin, high neck with yoke of cluster of tucks, also square neck, yoke of insertion and tucks, good length and width, 75c values, for.....

48c

Cambric Gowns, square and high neck, finished with hemstitched tucks and hemstitched ruffles, three styles—\$1.25 values for.....

75c

Cambric Gowns, square yoke of insertion and tucks—\$1.50 values for.....

95c

Fine Nainsook Gowns, Chemise and Bishop style, short sleeve, finished with one lace insertion, beading lace edge and ribbon, also with wide band embroidery insertion—\$1.50 values for.....

95c

10 styles of Cambric and Nainsook Gowns, high and square neck, with yoke, three and four insertions, lace or embroidery edge—\$1.75 to \$2.00 values for.....

\$1.40

8 styles of Chemise and Cassock Gowns, short sleeves, fine Nainsook, daintily trimmed with two and three lace insertions, lace edge and French tucks—\$2.00 and \$2.25 values for.....

\$1.40

Chemise Gowns, fine Nainsook, short sleeves, trimmed with fine embroidery, insertion and edge—\$2.25 values for.....

\$1.75

Fine Nainsook Gowns, low Bishop style, short sleeves finished with beading, ribbon and fine French embroidery, or with lace insertion, ribbon and lace edge. \$3.25 values for.....

\$2.50

\$3.75 Gowns for.....

\$3.00

\$5.50 Gowns for.....

\$4.50

Extra size Gowns, low, round neck, short sleeve. \$1.25 values for.....

75c

Extra size Gowns, \$1.50 value.....

\$1.00

CHEMISE.

Chemise of fine Nainsook, yoke of three hemstitched tucks lace edge and ribbon. \$1.00 values for.....

75c

Chemise of fine Nainsook, trimmed with lace beading and ribbon, skirts finished with lace. \$1.75 values for.....

\$1.25

Chemise, trimmed with fine French insertion and embroidery, for only.....

\$1.50

A Sensation in Lace Curtains

A big lot of the best and richest Lace Curtains imported into this country—highest grade of hand-made Arabian and Saxony Brussels Curtains



At Less Than Half-Price.

They're the finest grades ever sold under price, and the prices will be much the lowest ever known in St. Paul. We got them in this way:

A leading importing jobber, happy over his wonderfully successful season's business, was willing to close out his entire remaining stock of the finest grades at a great sacrifice prior to taking inventory June 1. While our own stock was large, we accepted this offer, because the prices asked were the lowest we had ever known. And so you have an opportunity of getting fine Curtains in beautiful and desirable patterns at less than regular cost of importation. These three specials only tell the story in part:

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| Hand-made Arabian Lace Curtains and Saxony Brussels Curtains, worth from \$35.00 to \$50.00 a pair, for | Hand-made Arabian Lace Curtains and Saxony Brussels Curtains, worth from \$25.00 to \$35.00 a pair, for | Cheney, Arabian and Scotch Curtains, worth from \$9.00 to \$12.50 a pair, for |
| \$18.75 | \$14.75 | \$5.75 |

Many other good things in the lot at much lower prices.

Foulards—More New Foulards

Last week's silk values have never been equaled in any store that we know of. We have made a new silk record—and we thank you for your quick appreciation. You have bought from us twice as many Foulards this season as last season—and last season was a wonderful Foulard season. We have no hesitation in saying "Our Foulards are the very best made."

The same Foulards that are sold at other stores, here and elsewhere, at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 a yard, can be had at F. S. & Co.'s Monday at.....

68c

The choice of our complete and handsome stock—all except the polka dots. Why should you pay more elsewhere for identically the same qualities?

Another big lot of choicest colorings and patterns in full 24-inch wide best satin Foulards at the price—the regular \$1.00 a yard kind for.....

49c

Kid Glove Black Taffeta.

We make Special mention of the fact that our guaranteed Black Taffetas are made specially for us. They have that beautiful luster, good black, and best of all that much-wanted kid glove finish.

No more—no less—always the same. 54 inch; 1 1/2 yards wide. \$2.18 27-inch for..... 98c 30-inch wide..... \$1.38 19-inch for..... 69c

A Grenadine Special—Grenadines have been great favorites. Monday we will offer 600 yards of double width Black Grenadine in plain stripes and fancy weaves, actually worth \$1.25 to \$1.50 a yard, for.....

98c

Extra Special—A Clearance of Odds and Ends.

Sale starts Monday morning at 9:30—not before.

We know that you have confidence in our Silk Sales. The fact is demonstrated by the wonderful results. Every month we plan to have a clear-out sale of all short lengths and odd pieces left over from our tremendous business, so that we may not be burdened with them.

Two double tables loaded down with a thousand or so pieces from 1 yard to 20 yards in length—odd pieces and short lengths that would cost you in the piece three, four and five times the price—silks actually worth 60c to \$2.00 a yard, for.....

39c

They are all new and consist of the best and most fashionable silks of the season. Be on hand early, as they will go fast. Sale starts at 9:30 sharp.

Another Pointer—A little clearing of 560 lengths of Satin Foulards, Novelty Taffetas, Persians, figured Gros Grains, printed Warp Taffetas and many other styles—lengths from 1/4 to 3/4 yards, actually worth 25c, 35c, 50c and 60c each. Ready at 9:30—not before, at.....

9c

Stylish Suits at Nearly Half

Twenty Dollars for a Lady's Suit, distinctive in style, tailored in the top notch of artistic perfection, with that little something so different which is characteristic of F., S. & Co. goods, should be an incentive to draw us a crowd of buyers Monday.

The story is short but full of interest for those who appreciate big value at little money. A lot of Etamines, Canvas Cloths, Cheviots and Coverts, made in Gibson, blouse, Eton and jacket effect, many of them silk-lined throughout—skirts with full flare flounce—suits that were formerly priced to sell at \$27.50 to \$35.00. They are yours Monday for.....

\$20.00

A few more pointers to make this Monday Sale long-to-be-remembered:

All our finest Suits rearranged and repriced for quick and easy selling: \$45.00 Suits for..... \$30.00 \$50.00 Suits for..... \$32.50 \$65.00 Suits for..... \$45.00 \$80.00 Suits for..... \$50.00

These we consider the greatest bargains of the season.

Ladies' Wash Skirts. Hundreds of them, made with full flare flounce, stitched band at top of flounce—black and blues. The Monday price, only..... **\$2.50** Other styles, different materials, \$3.50, \$4.00, and up to \$6.50.

The Monday Rug Specials

The Rug selling season is drawing to a close, and we have some small lots of discontinued patterns and some that are slightly soiled from frequent handling and display. We are going to close them out Monday if we can at way below cost.

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| Six Wilton Rugs, 9 ft. x 12 ft., regular value \$35. Monday quick selling price..... | \$27.50 | Six Sarabund Rugs, regular price \$25.00. For this sale..... | \$20.00 |
| Six Wiltons, 8 ft. 6 in. x 10 ft. 6 in. regular value \$30. Monday special sale price..... | \$24.50 | Twenty Smyrna Rugs, size 30x60 inches. Of course they are a bit soiled. Regular price \$3.50 each. Your choice Monday for..... | \$2.00 |
| Five of our best quality Smyrna Rugs, 9x12 feet; the regular \$35.00 quality. The Monday special sale price..... | \$25.00 | Three 7 1/2 x 10 1/2 Smyrnas, regular price \$25.00. For this sale only..... | \$17.50 |

Pearl Buttons

An interesting item for the season of the year. Monday we will sell a lot of 500 gross of Pearl Shirt Buttons. They are all salt water or sea pearl, usually sold at 10c to 20c a dozen. Your choice, all sizes, per card of two dozen.....

10c

The Unique Belt

It is a new one of our own idea and creation and certainly the handsomest Belt on the market. We make them up specially to your order to fit and suit. Prices vary from..... 75c to \$1.25.

For the Men

There can be but one reason for the great volume of business we are doing in this department. Value received every time. That's the solution. Handsome silk-lisle blue Shirts and Drawers, extra fine quality. We buy them direct from the maker. That's why we can sell them at..... **\$1.00**

Monarch Negligee Shirts..... \$1.00 Cluett Shirts..... \$1.50 and \$2.00 Belts for men and boys, 25c, 50c and up.

Fashionable Waistings At Less Than Half-Price

Monday we will ask you to choose from many hundred patterns of lengths for Ladies' Waists. They are all fine foreign-made goods—the best styles of the season—Cheviots, Nainsooks, fine Percales, Madras, Cloths and French Novelties in white grounds with lines of black, blue and red, also darker grounds and all white.

These qualities are worth, in the regular way, 35c to 60c a yard. They are put up in waist lengths and marked Monday special, each (full waist lengths).....

50c

This is the chance of the season to get the very best Shirtings at less than half-price.

Another Special—25 pieces of Linon Batiste, light, sheer quality, linen color only, regular 35c a yard goods for.....

19c

Black Dress Goods Extra

We are going to close out Monday a lot of wide-wale all-wool Cheviot Suitings, 44-in. wide, suitable for skirts, at the littlest kind of prices. These goods should sell at 60c a yard, but the Monday price will be.....

29c

Can you afford to let this chance pass you?

Sorosis Shoes

The perfected Shoe for women. The standard of the world and acknowledged masterpiece of the shoemaker's art.

To keep up its reputation Sorosis Shoes must be better than any other shoe sold for \$3.50 and it must be equal to any \$5.00 shoe made. Sorosis shoes are hand-welted; that means that the outer and inner soles are fastened together by a welt that is hand-sewed. This renders the shoe pliable and comfortable.

Seventy-five styles. All leathers. Always.....

\$3.50

Wash Goods

A Monday special sale of American Wash Goods. All our 10c and 12c a yard Printed Lawns, Dimities and Batistes at.....

8c

This means a great collection of this season's newest and best styles of these popular medium-priced fabrics. All colorings are represented in a variety of styles extensive enough to suit all desires. Every piece is a production of 1902, and many of the printings rival in effect materials of several times the cost. A choice lot of seasonable Wash Goods, in which there is not a yard worth less than 10c—half the lot regular 12 1/2c qualities. Monday 8c a yard.

Stocking Special

We are showing a strong line of the very popular White and Black Stockings—white and black laces, too. Special, per pair.....

50c

Flue Black Stockings, by the quarter dozen, at extremely low prices. They are the fine mace yarn doubled, velvet finish, double soles and high spliced heels—three pairs for.....

68c