

NEW PLAN OF DISSOLUTION

Harriman Lines Have New Scheme About Ready to Submit.

WILL GIVE TRACKAGE RIGHTS

Will Let the Santa Fe and the Western Pacific Use Rails of Central Pacific from Benicia to Oakland.

Word reaches Union Pacific headquarters that the new plan providing for the dissolution of the merger of the Pacific roads is about complete and that within the next two weeks it will be presented to the State Railroad commission of California.

The new plan of dissolution is being prepared in the offices of Chairman Lovett of the Union Pacific's executive committee, and when entirely complete will be laid before the California commission, with a demand that it be approved and accepted.

It is said that under the new plans Mr. Lovett agrees that the Santa Fe and the Western Pacific shall have trackage rights over the old Central Pacific, now a part of the Santa Fe system, from Benicia to Oakland, the charges to be agreed upon by the roads. This was one of the stumbling blocks of the plans formerly submitted in the attempt to secure a dissolution.

Under the terms of the old dissolution plans rejected by the California commission the Union Pacific sought to absolutely control the Benicia cut-off, shut out the other roads seeking an entrance into Oakland. The commission pointed out this attempt to control, and as the Union Pacific would not amend at that time the rejection by the commission followed.

While nothing positive is known here, there is a belief that with this change made in the dissolution plans they will be satisfactory to the commission, as the members will have a point for which they originally contended.

Whether or not the change will meet with the approval of Attorney General McReynolds is not known, but the opinion prevails that it will as it is in line with what was suggested by former Attorney General Wickersham as being ample protection of the government interests.

Having made the concession as to trackage rights over the Benicia cut-off, Mr. Lovett will insist and demand that the Union Pacific company become the absolute owner of the old Central Pacific from Promontory, Utah, west and that complete control pass to the company that he represents.

It is not thought that the California commission or the government will object to this, for this is looked upon as a matter that has to do entirely with the stockholders of the two railroad companies. There is one more point for which Mr. Lovett will contend. Under the old plans of dissolution, there was a provision that in taking over the old Central Pacific, the Union Pacific would pay \$20,000,000 as an upset price. By reason of having made concession as to trackage over a portion of the road and having agreed to let other roads into the Oakland terminals, Mr. Lovett takes the position that the property is not worth as much as it would have been if the Union Pacific could have secured an absolute and complete monopoly. On this theory, he will cut the price to be paid down to \$12,000,000.

It is thought that the California commission, nor the attorney general will not raise any objection to the reduction in the offer, the Union Pacific. It is thought that they will take the position that this logging off is something that is not an affair of the public, but instead, a matter to be agreed to among the holders of stock.

Autos Pay Twice as Much Toll to Cross Platte as Wagons

Automobiles have to pay twice as much toll to cross the Platte river bridge at Plattsmouth, Anland and Louville as do wagons. The toll over these bridges is 50 cents for an automobile and 25 cents for each passenger, besides the regular river bridges for years they have never made any organized complaint, and are not yet disposed to do so, although some of them feel there is no good reason why they should pay more than the driver of a team.

Some of the Platte bridges are owned by private individuals who fix the tolls to suit themselves. The Plattsmouth bridge is owned by Ralph Duff of Nebraska City, and Pollock of the bridge. The argument at the Plattsmouth bridges is that an auto should pay more toll because the bridge must be kept clear because the horse must be kept clear. The argument is that there is danger of scaring horses with the autos. Of recent years the auto drivers are disposed to smile at this argument in view of the fact that practically all horses now-a-days are as much familiar with automobiles as they are with wagons and bugles, and they no longer any danger of their shyne or to be bridled. Besides the bridge is well protected by good railings that would avoid any danger of their jumping into the river. Then again, there are sidings on the bridge where teams and autos may pass one another.

HEARING OF WHITE SLAVE CASE ON IN FEDERAL COURT

Case of the United States government against William Murray and Louis A. Grossman, charged with white slavery, will probably go to the jury some time today. Grace Addington, who it is alleged by the government, was transported to Memphis for immoral purposes was on the stand yesterday, as was Virginia Burkett. Their testimony was identical with that given in the preliminary hearing before Commissioner Herbert Daniels.

DUNDEE LAD WINS ORATORICAL CONTEST AT BELLEVUE.



PHILIP JOHNSTON.

Philip Johnston of Dundee was winner of first place in the Haskell oratorical contest, held at Bellevue college Friday evening. Johnston is a freshman in the arts department of the college and was the only member of the freshman class to make the college debating teams which competed in the intercollegiate debates with Cotner and Doane early in the spring. His oration Friday evening, "The Strength of Government," took first place in the annual freshman-sophomore oratorical, known as "the Haskell oratorical," after the donor of the prizes, Mr. J. D. Haskell, of Wakefield. Johnston was awarded the prize of \$10 provided for first, and Otto Brandt, a sophomore, was awarded the prize of \$10, provided for winner of second honors.

RELATIVES ANXIOUSLY SEEKING E. J. WILLIAMS

Relatives of Edward J. Williams, 4311 McRee avenue, St. Louis, Mo., are anxiously seeking his whereabouts. A letter reaching Omaha says that his mother is seriously ill over his absence and that his wife, children and father have all been looking for his return since he left. A reward is offered to anyone who locates the missing man and apprises his relatives at the above numbers.

Key to the Situation—See Advertising.

Advertisement for Washington Crisps, featuring an image of the product and text: "Doctors, Nurses Grocers and Housewives agree that for delicious flavor and nutritive value combined no other food quite equals Washington CRISPS 10c.—The BIG Package of Toasted Corn Flakes—10c."

Missouri Pacific Proves Its Superiority Through Service Rendered the Philadelphia-Chicago Grand Opera Company

IT IS doubtful if any passenger movement was ever handled on any line more successfully than was the Chicago-Philadelphia Grand Opera movement from Denver to St. Louis, via Wichita and Kansas City, on the Missouri Pacific during April. The fact that these Grand Opera stars, who have traveled extensively, praised Missouri Pacific service very highly, will serve to convey to the reader the quality of service the Missouri Pacific renders its patrons.

The management received letters complimenting the service from a number of those most prominently connected with this Opera Company. Space will permit us to reproduce the letter written by the General Manager, Mr. Andreas Dippel, only: PHILADELPHIA-CHICAGO GRAND OPERA COMPANY. Mr. Dippel: April 16th, 1913. Dear Sir:—The service given the Grand Opera Company by the Missouri Pacific in connection with the movement from Denver to Wichita to Kansas City was so good that I want to give you this word of appreciation. In every particular this was one of the most successful movements we have ever made. Your new track is certainly fine and your trainmen were exceptionally polite and accommodating. Every member of the company was especially pleased with your dining car service. In view of this splendid service we have arranged to use your line to St. Louis, where we will fill our next engagement. Yours very truly, J. H. Pippel, General Manager Chicago Grand Opera Co.

Advertisement for Drs. Mach & Mach, The Dentists, located at 34 Floor Paxton Block, Omaha, Neb.

FIREMEN MUST PASS TEST

Board of Examiners to Be Created and Licenses to Be Issued.

FIREMEN'S UNION FAVORS IT

Council Decides that City Officers Must Pay for Telephones in Use in Their Homes—No "Slow-Up" Signs.

C. H. Withnell, head of the city department of fire protection and water supply, has drafted and introduced before the council an ordinance creating a board of examiners for firemen and providing a license for firemen to operate plants where they are employed. The ordinance will be discussed at a meeting of the committee of the whole Monday.

If this ordinance passes it will obviate the necessity of janitors now running boiler plants applying for an engineer's license, being first required to take an examination. Withnell's ordinance amends the existing ordinances.

The ordinance is recommended and endorsed by the local union of firemen and will be of great value to them, they say. They will urge the council to pass it. The provisions of the ordinance were not discussed.

Notes of Council Meeting.

Protests against erection of a fire engine house at Nineteenth and Harney streets were placed on file.

An ordinance providing that bakers may sell bread in any size loaves if the weight of each loaf was stamped was placed on file.

Bids for a motorcycle for Officer Ford, who is detailed to Commissioner Kugel's department, were opened, read and referred.

J. L. Kohler's request for license to operate a pool hall at Twenty-fourth and Fort streets, was formally denied, after Mrs. C. W. Hayes of the Woman's club, asked the commission to appropriate money for the erection of "slow-up" signs near the public schools. The communication was placed on file.

Patron for the extension of the boulevard on Twenty-second street to the south city limits was placed on file upon recommendation of Commissioner Hummel of the department of parks.

Recommendation of the committee of the whole that the chief of police and the city electrician hereafter pay the rent of the telephones in their homes was adopted. Commissioner Withnell's request for a direct line telephone in his office was withdrawn.

BANQUET FOR JUDGE KENNEDY TO BE MAY 31

The banquet that will be given to Judge Kennedy will take place on the afternoon of May 31, and, while the Commercial club has not been definitely decided upon, it is thought that it will be held there. Seven judges of the district courts, the juvenile authorities and the Social Service board are the entertainers.

Holdup Foiled by Concealed Pocket

August Pfeiffer, living at the Oxford hotel, 1017 Farnam street, was held up at Eleventh and Dawson Tuesday morning and relieved of an open-faced watch. The thieves failed to secure \$13 which Pfeiffer had concealed in a specially constructed pocket of his vest. The watch was valued at \$15.

Persistent Advertising is the Road to Big Returns.

RESINOL CURED ITCHING ECZEMA

Too Terrible to Describe. Tortured by It Since Childhood.

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TO THE HOLDERS OF THE FIRST MORTGAGE SIX PER CENT TWENTY-YEAR GOLD BONDS OF THE IOWA-NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY MATURING OCT. 1, 1931. In view of the default in payment of the interest due April 1, 1913, on the above bonds, the undersigned holding a large amount of the bonds, believe it is of importance that prompt and concerted action shall be taken and, therefore, have consented to act as a committee for the protection of the interests of all bondholders.

Advertisement for Hamburg-American Ocean Steamships, featuring the ship "Imperator" and listing routes to London, Paris, and other European cities.

Advertisement for Hotel Kupper, located at Eleventh and McGee Sts., Kansas City, Mo., highlighting its location in the retail and shopping district.

Advertisement for French Line, Compagnie Generale Transatlantique, offering the 5 1/2 Day Route between New York, Havre, and Paris.

Advertisement for New Weston Hotel, located at Madison Avenue & 49th Street, New York, offering refined service and comfortable accommodations.

Advertisement for Beautiful Isle Royale on Lake Superior, offering a scenic retreat with comfortable rooms and a restaurant.

Advertisement for The Vanderbilt Hotel, located at 34th St. East at Park Ave., N.Y., offering a luxurious stay with excellent service.

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Tailored at \$25, \$30, \$35 and up.

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Dated Chicago, May 9th, 1913. R. U. LANING, Chairman; DAVID R. FORGAN, WILLIAM T. DRUCKNER, GEORGE B. CALDWELL, V. G. JONES, CHAS. H. SMITH, C. O. REYNOLDS, W. B. KOPF, Secretary, 129 So. Clark St. GEORGE L. AVIRE, Attorney.

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The VANDERBILT HOTEL, 34th St. East at Park Ave., N.Y. At the focal point of the terminal zone, on the crest of Murray Hill, cooled by Southern breezes from the sea, artfully cooled by chilled air, 600 sunlit rooms.

Advertisement for Hayden's Annual May Clearing Sales, featuring various dinner sets and corsets at reduced prices.

Advertisement for C. B. a la Spirite Corset, highlighting its quality and fit for outdoor activities.

Advertisement for Wednesday's White Goods Specials, listing various household items at discounted prices.

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