

RAILROADS THROW UP.

Chicago Shipping to Pacific Coast Ports Via New York.

THE CLIPPER LINES ARE FIXED.

The Anomaly of Starting Eastward to Reach the Far West.

THE DOLLAR PER HUNDRED RATE

Secrets of Business no Longer Hidden by the Transcontinental Association.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14.—A Chicago dispatch says more traffic from that point to this starts east than west. Even before the present demoralized rates were begun by the Clipper ship competition, it was cheaper to ship via New York and the ocean than directly west via the all-rail lines. Since the Clipper ship competition, ocean rates have tumbled to a point where the elements of time and possible damage to the high class of goods are the only reasons which impel the merchants to patronize the all-rail routes. The rates have been so reduced by the Clipper ships that almost all heavy items of freight, such as canned goods, can be shipped from San Francisco, via Cape Horn and New York, to Chicago for less than \$1 per 100 pounds. The western lines refuse to take any traffic at less than \$1, as it will not pay expenses, consequently they are barred out of the traffic unless there is a pressing need of haste in shipment. Within the past month the amount of traffic taking this round-about route has grown enormously. Officials of the eastern lines have noticed the increase, but have kept quiet about it owing to a fear of its being discovered by the western lines; but the western lines have thrown up their hands, and now the Chicago merchants are making demands on the east-bound railroads that they issue through bills of lading to San Francisco. It is thought that will be done before the week closes, and the anomaly will then be presented of a route eastward carrying freight to San Francisco cheaper than any leading westward.

Time Enough in The Future.

Kettle Falls Pioneer. When all our resources are developed, when our water powers are utilized to their full capacity and transportation facilities are better, that it is time to talk about free trade. Our country is too new yet; we need more factories and other industries here, which will fast spring up and be protected under the present tariff system. Washington being a new state is more benefited by the McKinley law than the older states even.

A Splendid Welcome.

CHATANOOGA, Tenn., Sept. 15.—The army of the Columbia will camp on the old battle-field of Chickamauga today. The re-union is one of the largest held in years. The brigade of General Wilder is well represented, and will lay the cornerstone of its monument in the Chickamauga National park. Acting secretary of war Grant has sent his approval of the location of the monument, just south of General Rosecrans' old headquarters on the battle-field. It is 110 feet high, and cost \$35,000. It is estimated that there are 20,000 surviving members of the Army of the Cumberland, and a good proportion of these were present to-day at the splendid welcome accorded them by the citizens of Chattanooga. Among the notable characters here is "Little Johnny Clem," the famous drummer boy of Chickamauga. The annual address will be delivered by General H. V. Boynton, General Alger being unable to attend. The reunion will close Saturday, giving the boys an opportunity to reach Washington in time for the G. A. R. encampment. General Rosecrans is president of the society.

Mrs. Harrison's Illness.

New York, Sept. 14.—Dispatches from Loon Lake house intimate that the illness of Mrs. Harrison is serious. Drs. Truedale, Gardner and Doughy are in consultation. The president yesterday advised the state republican committee that it would be impossible for him to make the contemplated tour through the northern and central parts of the state, owing to the complications which have developed in Mrs. Harrison's condition, which is now such as to excite much solicitude.

Heading for Portland.

Spokane, Sept. 15.—The Portland committee of Odd Fellows, here to meet the delegations of the Sovereign Grand lodge, over the Northern, will reach the consolidated city tomorrow morning. Spokane members of the fraternity interested themselves to make the occasion notably pleasant to all.

Eastern Star Meeting.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Sept. 15.—The Grand Chapel of the Eastern Star meets in annual convention here today.

New York, Sept. 15.—Prof. Hermann Biggs, who is in charge of the division of pathology and bacteriology, has been making bacteriological examinations of intestinal fluids taken from five bodies of suspected cases. He reported to the department yesterday afternoon the result of his examinations, and announced unhesitatingly that the cases were Asiatic cholera without a doubt. The names of those who died are: Charles McAvoy, died September 6 at 879 Tenth avenue; Mrs. Sophia Wigman, died September 10 at 768 Elyventh avenue; William Wigman, husband of Sophia Wigman, died at the same address the following day; Minnie Levinger, child, died September 11 at 411 East Forty-sixth street; Charlotta Beck, 30 years old, died yesterday forenoon at 1764 Second avenue.

All these cases were originally reported to the officer as suspected cholera, and have been under investigation by physicians connected with the department. The physicians have been unable to find out how the cholera was contracted in either of these cases. So far as they have been able to learn, none of the dead persons came in contact with cholera germs. Every precaution has been taken to prevent the spread of cholera in these different houses. The bedding has been burned and the houses placed under observation.

Hereafter no more steerage passengers will be taken on steamships in Europe bound for this port. There has been a suspicion that steerage passengers were being booked for this country as second-cabin passengers since the president's proclamation. If such has been the case, which the agents of the steamship companies deny, there will be no more such evasions. The Hamburg-American packet company, are paying a heavy penalty for their carelessness with their steerage passengers, as may be seen from the fact that the North German Lloyd steamship Spree left yesterday for Bremen with only ten first-cabin and twenty-three second-cabin passengers. She carried no steerage passengers. The Hamburg-American liner Columbia will sail for Southampton today without a single passenger, cabin or steerage, and also without a single ounce of freight.

Special to The Chronicle.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 15.—The National League of republican clubs, is holding its great quadrennial meeting here today. The have come from all parts of the country, from all the large cities and from the colleges, and they are opening the campaign with a good deal of a rush and a hurrah. All night long the trains poured the delegations into Buffalo, and this morning the stream of arrivals continues incessantly. General Clarkson, president of the League, is holding a reception at headquarters and the prominent men of the party are among his numerous visitors. Among the clubs are fully one thousand uniformed men from western cities and the near by places, such as Detroit, Erie, Pittsburgh, Rochester, Syracuse and Utica. The Women's republican association is represented by Mrs. J. Ellen Foster and others. The mass meeting under the auspices of the woman's association will be held in one of the large halls here tonight. Mrs. Foster will be the principal speaker. Whitelaw Reid is expected. President Harrison will not be here in consequence of the serious illness of Mrs. Harrison. C. F. Rice heads the Massachusetts delegation, which is exceedingly large, and which arrived today by the special train that left Boston at 5 p. m. yesterday. Ex-Speaker Thomas B. Reed, Governor McKinley, Congressman John Dolliver and John M. Thurston, who are to speak, are all either here or expected during the morning hours. James L. Burke, president of the College league of republican clubs, has brought a large delegation to the city. The convention will be composed of 1,019 delegates from the states and territories, exclusive of the fifteen delegates from the college clubs. The address of General Clarkson will be today, and later this afternoon, three hours will be devoted to five minute speeches by delegates. In the mass meeting tonight, Senator Wolcott and J. Sloat Fassett, are expected to speak in addition to those already mentioned. The great parade takes place tomorrow, and on Saturday, the Buffalo republicans will give the delegates an excursion to Niagara falls.

A Clever Forger.

A few days ago, says a San Francisco dispatch, Col. Guenther, in command at Alcatraz island, received from Washington papers calling for the release of Joseph Trumppower and Clarence Arnold, who were privates of the Fourth cavalry, and who assisted in the lynching of Nathan Hunt at Walla Walla in April of last year. The papers appeared to be all right, but Col. G. happened to notice that two figures in one place did not correspond with two figures in another place. He at once telegraphed to Washington to inquire how such a mistake could have occurred, when he was surprised to hear from the war department that no such papers had ever been issued. The signature of the judge advocate-general, Col. G. N. Lieber, had been forged, also that of Gen. T. H. Rager. Evidently somebody quite familiar with the routine of the war department had done the work for the release of Arnold and Trumppower.

WINE AND BRANDY.

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Professor G. Lorient, the French chemist, who is engaged by the Wasco county fruit growers in preparing fruit for the world's fair and Portland industrial exposition, has visited many of the best vineyards and orchards in the vicinity of The Dalles and has already prepared a fine display of fruit, and will probably visit Hood River when through here. He has become specially interested in the particularly fine character of the grapes in this vicinity, and while at Mr. Sandoz ranch on Mill creek yesterday he tasted some wine that had been made one year ago from grapes raised by Mr. Sandoz, on his ranch, and said, notwithstanding the imperfect method in which it had been made, it was excellent wine. He gave Mr. Sandoz some rules, which, if followed, will enable him to make an article of wine and brandy superior to any that is made in California. The reason assigned for the superior character of the wine being the greater amount of saccharine matter and the peculiar richness of flavor to the grapes of this section.

The professor claims that many varieties of peaches, pears and apples of this section possess a like peculiar richness of flavor over the fruits of the coast climate. No doubt owing to the large number of warm nights, as well as continuous days of sunshine and freedom from fogs.

We have been fully convinced of this opinion before, and the reputation that has been obtained by the fruit of Wasco county all over the coast is further evidence of this fact; but we are pleased to have the opinion of one so well informed as is Professor Lorient. He believes that there could be immense fortunes made by any person who would engage in the manufacture of wine in this section, as the California grapes and climate would not begin to make as good quality of wine or brandy as can be made at The Dalles.

After the Robbers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 15.—A posse in the mountains on the trail of the train robbers, Sontag and Evans, were fired upon and two of them killed, McGinnis and Wilson. The remains of both men were completely riddled with shot and they must have died instantly. The Indian trailers now in Visalia, say that Evans was not wounded, as reported. From their position they could see him running away after the shooting. Al Witly, who is also in Visalia, was not badly hurt, having only a slight wound on the neck. Nothing has been heard of the robbers or the posse that went after them.



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Martha Collier, Plaintiff, vs. W. B. Collier, defendant.
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