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TALK ABOUT WHAT HILL WILL DO

Houston Post.
It is stated in railroad circles to be practically a certainty that the James J. Hill interests will during the course of the next two years erect several large elevators on the banks of the Houston ship channel in the neighborhood of the turning basin, for the proper handling of the 20,000,000 bushels of wheat the Hill roads expect to ship annually through the port of Houston.
Back of the recent purchase of the Colorado and Southern railroad by the Burlington lies the apparent determination of James J. Hill to wrest from Edward H. Harriman between \$5,000,000 and \$8,000,000 worth of traffic which the Southern Pacific and its connections are now annually taking into and out of the Hill territory.
One of main items in this tremendous tonnage which the Hill combination of roads has been losing previous to the Colorado and Southern-Burlington deal, because of the gulf connection, is this enormous lot of wheat, the carrying of which alone would pay a substantial dividend upon the stock of the Hill road.
A party of Burlington officials are expected to visit Houston in the near future in making a tour of the newly acquired Colorado and Southern lines, including, of course, the Trinity and Brazos Valley, which runs from Dallas and Fort Worth to deep water at the port of Houston. During this visit, it is rumored, the officials will thoroughly investigate conditions in Houston with a view to making recommendations for the acquiring of certain property contiguous to the ship channel.
Burlington People Active.
Although the Burlington people have not formally taken over the property of the Colorado and Southern, Denver and Trinity and Brazos Valley railroads and will not do so until after another inspection of the lines is made, the Burlington people are behind the building of the Stamford and North-western from Stamford to a point in Dickens county, seventy-five miles northwest of Stamford, and through Aspermont.
The actual work of construction will be commenced in the near future and, although the ultimate destination of the line is not yet known, it looks as if it is the intention of the Burlington people to continue and open up a new country still further northwest of Dickens.

A visit from Frank Trumbull, president of the Colorado and Southern lines, is anticipated in the near future, and when that official comes it is expected that some interesting developments will take place in the railroad world in the Southwest. In all probability Mr. Trumbull's visit and that of the Burlington officials will occur at the same time.
'May Be Some Changes'
E. B. Keeler, vice president and traffic manager of the Denver road, who has returned to his Texas headquarters from New York, where he had gone on matters of business connected with the lines in Texas, stated that so far as he knew there would be no change in the affairs of Texas lines, but that since the Burlington people have purchased the controlling interest in the properties in Texas and Colorado, when the transfer is formally made something may happen.
Harriman Lines May Act.
Just what the effect of the latest Hill moves will have on the Harriman plans can hardly be conjectured, but it is



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- FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, close in. Bath, lights and phone. 811 Indiana avenue. Phone 145. 205-1fc
- FOR RENT—Four rooms over Shivers-White Drug Co. Apply to J. L. Powell Land Co. 205-61c
- FOR RENT—A good farm. One hundred acres in cultivation; house and barn. Apply to N. Henderson. 205-51c
- FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 1011 Indiana avenue. 203-61c
- WANTED—To rent 4 or 5 room house in suitable location. Must be modern. Address A. care Times. 208-41p
- FOR SALE—Tanworth sows, half-bred pigs, and pigs of other breeds. Lee Clark, Iowa Park, Tex. 208-1f
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- FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red eggs. \$1.50 per setting. R. P. Webb, 1621 10th street. Leave orders at room 1, Moore and Bateman building. 298-31c
- FOR SALE—Choice residence lots. Will build house on monthly payments where all cash is paid for lots. See K. H. Cowan, 507 Lamar ave. 206-61p
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- WANTED—Young business man of good address wants position as clerk, solicitor or collector. Able, industrious and sober. Address C. care Times. 205-31p
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- FOR SALE—All the notes and accounts of the Wichita Falls Implement Co. Anyone wishing to buy them can see them by calling at my office, or get particulars by calling me up at phone No. 590. Edgar Scurry, receiver. 204-4f
- FOR SALE—Twenty residence lots one block from High School building on Holliday avenue between 14th and 15th streets. \$25.00 cash and \$10 per month. Apply in person or by phone, for map and prices. N. Henderson, owner. 198-1f
- LOST—Or stolen, two bird dogs about six months old; white, with liver spots. Female has spots near hip and back and liver-colored ears. Male has spot near center of back, one near tail. Had collars on marked R. H. Allen, compass. Liberal reward for their return to compress. H. Bulbrook. 207-31c
- not unlikely that with the coming of the new Harriman line from Denton north to the wheat belt, the Harriman interests will also take an active part in the development of the Houston ship channel by erecting elevators on a scale fully as large as that planned by the rival lines.
Jackson Bros., undertakers and embalmers. Day phone No. 24; night phone No. 547. 96d&w-1f
- How About Paying Poll Tax.
Poll tax payments are coming in very slowly and if Wichita Falls and Wichita county is to roll anything like a full vote, the voters will have to get busy between now and February 1.
Deputy tax collector Bullard reports that up to noon today only \$1 poll had been paid from precinct No. 2, the court house box, and from the city hall box only 46 polls had been paid.
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Field of Usefulness in Roentgen Discovery in Medicine Widening.

New York, Jan. 8.—That repeated use of the X-Rays produces artificial old age, is the opinion expressed by H. Clyde Snook of Philadelphia, an expert in the practical knowledge of the X-rays, who is here attending the ninth annual meeting of the American Roentgen Ray Society, at the Academy of Medicine.

Mr. Snook's views were given at the manufacturers' exhibit which is being held in connection with the conference at the Engineering Society's building, in West Thirty-ninth street. He said: "The danger in the Roentgen ray work is to the operator and not to the patient, since the patient is exposed to the ray only a short time, while the operator is subjected daily to large amounts of the radiation. Many of the older Roentgen experts have been martyrs to science—some have actually given up their lives, the number at the present time being twelve, I believe.

"Many others have shortened their lives; some of them are old men at forty. Their general nutrition has been generally impaired and their vitality lessened. Just how this is brought about the physicians do not know; but that it is true is certain.

"The hands of most Roentgen experts look like those of old men. The skin becomes reddened and very sensitive and nodules or bunches appear near the joints. The rays break down the tissues and kill the skin, so that grafting has to be resorted to.

"Large, massive doses, directed to the scalp, often produce a falling out of the hair, but the hair usually returns in greater abundance.

"It is no longer necessary to burn a patient in securing an X-ray photograph. All of the experts who have been burned received their burns from experiments performed some years ago.

"At the beginning the Roentgen rays were used only in detecting foreign substances in the body, but today they are utilized in the diagnosis of fractures, in abdominal diagnosis of cancer, detecting obstructions of different

kinds and in cases of malformation and displacement of the abdominal organs."

Is it Just?

In the case of the State of Texas vs. Jim Flournoy tried last week on the charge of seduction, the jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

In this case a poor girl was forced to unfold her drama and tell her story in all its shameful detail, in the presence of a crowded house, deserted by every member of her sex, in the presence of old men, the jury the bar and the court. Eight or ten men without conscience, without the least instinct of pity, remorse, self respect, or a trace of the instinct of men, had caused themselves to be placed on the stand and then the self convicted, confessed villain told they had also kissed the victim of their treacherous perfidy. It is possible that a villain who would thus betray the confidence of a woman as those witnesses say they did, would also commit perjury?

Lawyers know, and courts know from a general knowledge of the character of such creatures they are capable of any crime especially the cowardly crime of perjury.

Should juries listen to the story of a self confessed villain? Is a man a villain who will secretly take liberties with women and then proclaim it from the house tops and get himself called to court as a witness. If these scoundrels swore the truth in the trial of the case, let them be chased where they belonged, and let every decent man and woman spurn them with withering scorn and contempt. The people in the western part of the country ought to know these fellows by name. Are you going to receive the vile scoundrels in your home, when they have followed a helpless girl to the court house and pitilessly added their personal blight, with brazen effrontery? How do decent people know but they would point with their lips or destroy with a perjurer's tongue the fame of some other helpless victim?

What of the victim? If you would follow the Master, speak a word of cheer, sooth the feelings of a bleeding heart. Let her "go and sin no more." Let that grief and repentance that woman alone can now appeal to us, let memory lapse, shed some ray of hope, and heal the wound of his awful crime.—Haskell Free Press.

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For instance, you can now furnish your home from kitchen to parlor at the W. F. Jourdan Furniture Co.'s with just as good goods and much cheaper than you could in Dallas or Fort Worth. And then you keep the money at home.

The family of children who were camped in a tent near the mill some time since have gone back to Lindsay, Oklahoma, where they came from. Bro. Bush and Judge Yeager took up the matter with the State orphan's home and they consented to take the three younger children, but the older one was above age, being 14 years old, and the father was not willing that they should be separated, so he took them this morning to Oklahoma. It is sad for a father to be left with a family of children and doubly sad to have no means of supporting them. He seemed grateful for the kindnesses and aid rendered him by the people of our city.

Judge Yeager will send two little boys to the orphan's home today. There is no better place for an orphan child than a well regulated orphanage. Our people are good to the worthy poor. I am proud of this.

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