



The Great Northern Railway's New Electrified Line in the
Cascade Mountains of Washington

DES MOINES
PASSENGER CLUB

Monday Evening, February 18

1929

AT 9:30 P. M. the Des Moines Passenger Club will present to those in attendance at the dinner the Great Northern Railway "Empire Builder's" program broadcast by the National Broadcasting Company over their coast-to-coast chain, depicting in dramatic and musical form the Lewis and Clark Expedition into the American Northwest in 1805-6.

Students of the history of the American Northwest will recall that President Jefferson, through his representatives in Paris, concluded negotiations with Napoleon Bonaparte for the purchase from France of the great area known as Louisiana, which lay west of the Mississippi River. This region was purchased for \$15,000,000. It extended from Canada to the Gulf of Mexico and included the areas now occupied by Louisiana, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, Iowa, the Dakotas, Montana, most of Minnesota, and portions of Colorado and Wyoming.

Lewis and Clark began their expedition in the spring of 1804 and traversed the area in North Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Washington and Oregon in 1805-6 now served by the line of the Great Northern Railway and its subsidiaries.

The story of their thrilling adventures and the wilderness region they made known to civilization is a most interesting one and millions of Americans will follow the presentation over the air every Monday night with pleasure.

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Des Moines Passenger Club

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at six-thirty o'clock

Shrimp Cocktail

Celery

Olives

Radishes

Vegetable Soup

Small Steak

French Fried Potatoes

Head Lettuce

Thousand Island Dressing

Apple Pie

Coffee

Rolls

MR. A. J. DICKINSON, Speaker

Passenger Traffic Manager

Great Northern Ry.

Officers

Des Moines Passenger Club

E. J. McCrary, President

W. H. Weik, 1st Vice President

T. M. McDonnell, 2nd Vice President

N. E. Black, 3rd Vice President

C. E. Bachman, Secy. and Treas.

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