

# NEWS OF THE RAILROADS.

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The St. Paul Road Announces that It  
Will Withdraw from the West-  
ern Passenger Association.

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Road to-day gave notice of its intention to withdraw from the Western Passenger Association. Its officers allege that by reason of the actions of the roads not members of this organization it cannot adhere to the rules of the association and at the same time protect itself against the outside lines.

The notice was sprung on the General Passenger Agents at a meeting here to-day, and it created a sensation, as it was not thought that any road was contemplating a severance of relations.

The St. Paul's withdrawal will probably cause a temporary disorganization of the association.

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