FROM THE CAPITAL CITY.

A Cruise to be Made in Search of Missionary Cudney.

A PRISONERS'S INGENIOUS ESCAPE.

Developments in the Turner Will Case -A Gambler Who Rues His Smartness-Lecher Richard's Flight -Lincoln Notes.

LINCOLN, Neb., Oct. 16 .- [Special to THE But.] -A. R. Henry, a prominent member of the Adventist's colony, was seen by a representative of THE BEE this morning, and gave some additional facts relative to the disappearance of Elder A. J. Cudney. He states that the older left Lincoln in the spring of 1888, and the objective point of his party was the Pitcairn Islands. The population of these islands is between one hundred and two hundred persons, and something over three years since they embraced the Adventist faith. The inhabitants are the descendants of the mutineers of the British man-of-war Bounty, who sought refuge there over a hundred years ago. Elder Camey, who was one of the leading ministers, was sent in 1888 by the general conference to do missionary work there and in adjoining islands. The last heard of the elder was in July, 1888, when he chartered the Phebe Chapman at Honolulu, and sailed with his crew, expecting to complete the voyage in three months.

Funds have been appropriated for a relief expedition, and a vessel, appropriately named the Pitcairn, built at San Francisco, will sail next Monday from that point, in charge of Elder E. H. Gates of Denver, and a long cruise is the South Pacific will be made in search of the missing missionary, expecting to touch at all the Islands where he could possibly have been ship wrecked. If he cannot be found Elder Gates will stay at Pitto carry out the work assigned to Elder BROKE JAIL

John Cox, a somewhat noted tough, who was sentenced about three weeks ago by Judge field to thirty days in the county jail, escaped from that institution some time Tues-day night and is still at large. Cox is a sort of partner of the notorious Squint O'Connor, and with him was implicated in the theft of a gold watch from Eva Ensworth, a member of the deminionae.

Cox has been confined in the big room on the second floor by himself, a number of other risoners being confined in the large cage adding. By some means Cox obtained possession of a pair of shears, the points of which had been broken off, leaving only short stubs. He also secured the big iron hasp of a door. Both of these instruments show signs of re-cent use in prying. The ceiling of the room is composed of a sheet of heavy tin or thin galvanized iron. Above this are inch boards and a common tin roof. Cox bored and pried through these, and after he reached the roof It was easy work to knot his bedelothing and swing himself to the ground.

A. C. Langdon, the jailor, is naturally much chagrined over Cox's unceremonious disappearance, but it is one of those things which could not be guarded against. Mr. Langdon has been in charge of the jail for six years, and this is the first time any one escaped from the place although dozens have attempted to get out. The authorities are not Very anxious to recapture Cox, as he was simply an expense to the county and his time nearly out. It is probably a good thing for the county as Cox will undoubtedly keep out of it. There is a charge of hog stealing in Case county against Cox and O'Comor, but the evidence against Cox is very slim.

It is said that Squint O'Connor, Cox's part-

per, attempted to get out through the same hele, but he was too large, and got nothing but his head out. FIGHTING THE HEIRS.

The interested persons doubting the truthfulness of the stories told by Robert and William Turner concerning the disappear-ance of their father's will have filed another petition in the county court. The document is signed by William Clark, Nathum S. Scott, the board of missions for freedmen and the Prespyterian board of foreign missions. The petitioners declare that John J. Turner had actually made a will, but that it had been either stolen or lost. A copy of the will was presented which the petitioners said, while presented which the perturbers said, while not an exact representation in language, preserved the purport and intention of the original document. They assert that in the will left by the decased \$4,500 was bequeathed to the missions for freedman and \$7,700 for the Presbyterian board of foreign missions. Kerren Roothan, the old house-keeper, is to have the use of the double house on North Tweifth street, near the university the remainder of her natural life. On her death it is to go to the sons. The son, R. M. Turner, is to have the house and furniture where the father died, while all that William gets is his father's medical outfit and accounts. The reason for this is that the old gentleman started the former son in the grain business and gave the latter a splengid drug store.
It is claimed that the will was made some

time in 1888 and was witnessed by George A. lagensick and Fred Smith.
The story told by the sons is that some burglars entered the house, stealing nothing but satchel, and, after cutting it open, taking

WILLIAMS WAS TOO SMART. Frank Williams, the tin-horn gambler, re-grets the day he get smart and had himself released from serving a thirty-five days' sen-

tence in the county jail through a writ of habeas corpus. Williams claimed that there was a mistake in the indictment under which he was sentenced, as it had merely charged him with being a gambler. Although he had picaled guilty to the charge, still the upper court a knowledged that the lack of a more specific charge was vital and Williams was released. Detective Malone, however, was not discouraged and he rearrested the fellow on the charge of having on September 25 run a roulette wheel in the gambling denover the Ivy Leaf saloon. This morning Williams was tried for violating the state statutes against gambling, was found guilty and held under \$30 bonds to appear before the district court. In default he went to jail. Williams deeply regrets now that he did not keep still finish his previous sentence of only thirty-five days.

RICKARD TAKES PRENCH LEAVE. The bondsmen of W. H. Rickard at DeWitt are becoming very much alarmed at his sud-den disappearance and the fact that the deputy sheriffs cannot get any clue to his whereabouts makes them believe that he has taken French leave and gone to a more congenial place. Ever since little fourteen-year-old Maud Ross, his latest victim, attempted to follow in the suicidal footsteps of Mollie Morford, an earlier victim of his sensuality, public scutiment has again risen against him and the fear of two consecutive terms in the penitentiary is supposed to have prompted him to leave his bondsmen in the lurch.

MAT ELEVEN THOUSAND AHEAD. The long drawn out case of Edward Cerf vs Aaron May, in an action brought to recover \$11,000 on an account which May claimed was outlawed, was ended this afternoon in the district court and resulted in a victory for the defendant, May. Cerf's claim that it was not outlawed was based on the fact that he had gone to Hastings where May was in business and had sent about \$25 worth of goods to his Lincoln stere towards liquidat-ing the debt and claimed that this credit made the account a running one and there-fore did not come under the statute of limita-tions. May has never denied the debt and consequently is \$11,000 ahead.

THE MULE POWER MUST GO. Between 11 and 12 o'clock last night, as the members of the cits council, wearied with the cares and squabbles of statesmanship, were on the point of adjourning, they wer suddenly revivified by an unexpected pet tion from the Lincoln street railway asking permission to use electricity on all its lines in the city. The petition created an outburst of enthusiasm, as the commercial im-portance of such a move dawned upon them, portance of such a move dawned upon and the ordinance asked for passed, with the understanding that the proposed substitution of electricing that the proposed substitution of ity for mule power is to be made inside of six

This unexpected awakening in the street taliway company developed the fact that the stock of the company had been increased by the addition of \$1,000,000 from eastern capitalists, and it is partly due to this that the proposed change is to be made. In neys.

addition to this the enlarged company has been making arrangements to absorb all the been making arrangements to absorb all the other street railways in the city and already

hold options on most of them.

The change from horse to electrical locomotion is to be most radical. Even all the old rails are to be discarded and forsy-pound mils to be put down instead. As soon as the new stockholders from the east arrive ar-rangements will be made immediately for the

rangements will be made immediately for the proposed change.

Mr. C. J. Ernst, who has so capably filled the position of superintendent of the road, will still retain stock in the company, but has resigned his position, to take effect the first of next month. At that time he will enter into the more desirable position of local land commissioner for the B. & M. He owes his appointment to Mr. W. W. Baldwin, recently local commissioner for the road at Burlington, but now promoted to the position of general land commissioner for the B. & M. Mr. Ernst was previously engaged in the Mr. Ernst was previously engaged in the business and is thoroughly conversant with it. The importance of his new position will be understood from the fact that there re-mains yet 0,000 acres to be sold, beside sev-

ral hundred accounts to be closed. THREE OR FIVE COMMISSIONERS. Some of the voters of Lancaster county are very anxious to know if the county is not entitled immediately to five county commissioners instead of three. According to the report of Census Supervisor Cooke the county has over seventy-five thousand inhabitants and consequently is entitled to five commissioners. This moraing two petitions were handed to the county commissioners signed with 145 names, requesting the county legislators to ask Superintendent Porter for the official report of the population of Lanthe official report of the population of Lan-caster county, so as to satisfy the numerous questions asked by voters of the county con-cerning the number of commissioners to which the county is entitled.

MAS. WEDER GOES ON THE STAGE The people of Lincoln are surprised to earn that Madame Weber, a singer of considerable local reputation, has gone on the stage. She made her debut with the Andrews opera company at Beatrice Tuesday evening and the newspapers credit her with scoring a brilliant success. Mrs. Weber made her appearance as Josephine in "Pinafore."

CASE V COMES TO LINCOLN. Daniel Casey, the Butler county farmer who shot and killed Mrs. Riordan and was acquitted at David City yesterday after a trial lasting two weeks, immediately after his release took the train and came to Lin-coln last night. Fears of his safety is said to have caused his coming here. ODDS AND ENDS.

The will of Joel N. Converse was read in the county court yesterciay. The deceased bequeathed all his mining interests in California to his wife and children. His wife also gets a valuable lot, a fine farm, fiv horses, five cows, a buggy, and all the jewals and household effects left by the deceased. Mrs. Ann Converse of Chicago gets \$1,000. Two grandsons divide with the daughters f the deceased several quarter sections of

Some thief sneaked into Otto Nichols' room at 1128 P street yesterday and stole a full suit of clothes, including an overcoat and pair of gaters. Bert Nicksons room, four doors away, was also entered and \$30 worth of clothes taken.

Frank A. Garlock claims that Frank Kauffman is wrongfully keeping in his possession three miles cows which the former claims be-longs to him. Today he caused the issuance of a replevin in Justice Cochran's court for the recovery of the cattle. Notarial commissions were issued today by

Governor Thayer to the following gentlemen: James P. Holland, Omaha; H. L. Williams, Omaha; A. N. Matthewson, Lincoln; John Sherrill, Crete.

Miss Effle Leese, daughter of the attorney general, left this afternoon for a visit with r.ends at Seward. A mad dog was discovered at 1934 F street

this morning, but was dispatched with a bullet from Officer Barnes revolver before he could do any harm. William Woods and Lewis Webber, the silk thieves who were sentenced to the peni-tentiary for five and three years respectively

were taken to their future home this morning by County Jailor Langdon. Mr. H. G. Clarke of Omaha was in the city today and discredits the rumor about the Lin-coln hotel being leased to Messrs. Shears & Markell of the Gate City. The proprietors of the hotel have not yet decided to which of the numerous applicants the hotel is to be

Burglars broke into C. Zackrison's house at 2430 South Eighteenth street last night and were mean enough to steal Mrs. Zackri-son's wedding ring, which she had left on the

The suit of Mrs. Elizabeth Cox against the city for \$1,500 damages on account of the deep cut made in grading before her premises, has resulted in only a partial victory as she was granted only \$236.

MORE CAMPAIGN THUNDER. Mone campaign trunder.

Arrangements have been made for speeches by the following republican orators at the places mentioned: General L. W. Colby at Wymere, Saturday, October 18; Pawnee City, Tuesday, October 25; Liberty, Saturday, October 25; Holmesville, Monday, October 27; Sterling, Wednesday, October 29; Nebraska City, Friday, October 31.

Hon. W. M. Robertson and Hon. N. D. Jackson at Bartlett, Saturday, October 25; afternoon; Tilden, Tuesday, October 28; Stuart, Wednesday, October 29.

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SENATOR ALLISON. A Brief Expression of His Views on

the New Tariff Law.

Senator W. B. Allison and Congressman J. R. Reed of lows, accompanied by Hon. T. J. Evans and Col. D. B. Dailey of Council Bluffs, constituted a genial party which drove over from the Bluffs yesterday morning, and risited some of the principal points of inter-

est in this city.

They inspected THE BEE building from top to bottom, and took a bird's-eye view of the city from the roof. It was a visit replete with interest for the distinguished senator who complimented the structure very highly Their stay in Omaha was cut short, as the senator had an engagement to lunch with Hon, W. H. M. Pusey, ex-congressman from the Bluffs.

Senator Allison was seen by a BEE reporte resterday afternoon in Council Bluffs just a he was about to take the trainfor Shenan doah, where he was to deliver a politica

doah, where he was to deliver a political address tast evening.

"How about the tariff and the McKinley bill!" asked the reporter.

"The tariff will be satisfactorily adjusted, and the McKinley bill is practically all right. We had to change it a great deal, and it would be hard to recognize much of the original bill in it as it stands now. I am in favor of it as it passed. It possibly will need some more it passed. It possibly will need some more changes yet, but that can be told better after we have tried it a while and know what its deficiencies and weak features are. It is im-possible to draft a bill that will cover the whole ground and satisfy everybody from the

start.
"I am devoting most of my time to discussing the tariff, although I also review the work of the last congress, the silver coinage question, etc. But the tariff is the princi-parthing. Our bill will win in the end, and the people will say so, for the principle of it is right.

"I am speaking every day, and there are but two days before election that I am not booked for a speech. I am feeling very well, and am not suffering because of it. "The outlook is very good in Iowa. I think "The outlook is very good in Iowa. I think we will carry every district but the Second. That is Judge Hayes' district, and takes in Davenport. It is made up largely of democratic counties. It looks to meas if Judge Reed would go back from here. He is an able man and represents his district well. He isn't much of a politician, but he has many of the representative men of the district as his warm friends, and he will make a hard the but man and representative men of the district as his warm friends, and he will make a hard the but man and he will make a hard the but man and he will make a hard the but man and he will make a hard the but man and he will make a hard the but man and he will make a hard the but man and but make a hard the but man and but make a hard the but make a hard the but make a hard the but man and but make a hard the but man and but man and

warm friends, and he will make a hard fight. This district is rather close anyway, at least

the republican majority is nothing to boast of, yet I believe Reed will defeat Bowman. Bowman is a pretty sharp sort of a fellow, bright and a good worker, but I don't think he will make it, from what I can see.

"It is two years since I was in the Bluffs before, and it has changed greatly in that time, The building of that motor line was a great thing, and it has made Omaha help the Bluffs. That is a great city on the other side of the river, and I have great faith in its future. Its strides of the past few years a most surpass belief, and I can truly wonder at its growth."

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DICK TURPINS ON THE TRAIN.

Pacific Passengers.

SEVERAL DEPRIVED OF VALUABLES.

The Raiders Areat Length Driven Off at the Point of the Revolver in Courageous Hands.

Passengers who arrived in Omaha vesterday morning at 6:30 on the Missouri Pacific express from Kansas City, were prepared to relate a story of their experiences with a daringgang of thieves. The affair occurred is the suburbs of Wyandotte.

Shortly after the train left Kansas City Wednesday evening a small boy passed through the Omaha chair car with papers for sale. It was noticed that those passengers who exhibited well-filled pocketbooks in paying for papers, were immediately addressed by a man who followed the boy and requested by a man who followed the boy and requested to take the rear coach, if en route for Omaha. Supposing the fellow to be connected with the train crew, a number of passengers started for the coach designated. When they reached the platform a gang of five roughly dressed men who were in readiness sprang forward and began to snatch baggage, watches, recketbacks and anything they could catch pocketbooks and anything they could catch hold of.

The train was moving slowly and the

noise of the struggle on the platform aroused the passengers in the coach.

J. W. Dalby, superintendent of terminals of the Missouri Pacific at Kansas (hty, was aboard, and taking in the situation instantly, drew a revolver and rushed on the thieves. Charles M. Hall of Caucus, Kan., one of the passengers caught in the trap, also succeeded in drawing his gun, and the thieves observ-ing the weapons, jumped from the train be-fore a shot could be fired.

When the passengers examined their pockets J. A. Howard, an old gentleman en route to Blair, missed a pocketbook containing \$25. He had \$600 more on his person which the thieves failed to secure. L. L. Combs of Nebraska lost \$30 and a watch, while several passengers lost numer-

ous pieces of baggage. The news boy is supposed to have been em-ployed by the gang in order to discover those passengers who had money while purchasing papers. He sprang from the train after the thieves escaped. Conductor Welchwas in charge of the train and assisted in putting the thieves to flight.

Go where eyon will, you will find people using Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup and unanimous Ia its praise. during winter. After using Salvation Oil two days the pain entirely subsided, and now

I am a well man SOUTH OMAHA NEWS.

To the Pen for Horse-Stealing. About two months ago George L. Smith of

David City came to this city with fire in his eve and a revolver in his hand, and meeting John Blanchner on the street, leveled his revolver at his head and made him throw up his hands. Mr. Smith had a team of fine horses stolen by Blanchner, and the sheriff of Butler county came and took the horse thief back for trial. Wednesday Blanchner pleaded guilty in the dis-trict court at David City and was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years.

Injured by the Cars.

Charles Elkins, a switchman on stockyards engine No. 3, while at work yesterday in the upper varis, was struck by a car and thrown upon the cinders along the track, cutting and bruising his face and shoulder.
A train of cars was being pushed in the yard and in attempting to run around the front end Elkins met with his accident.

Two Days' Registration. The registration for the November election 15 as follows: arth ward

Total......893 About People. Robert T. Maxwell is in Chicago. The Rev. W. D. Luther has removed to

Neligh. E. S. Healey, of Chicago. is the guest of Dr. Kelley.

Mrs. S. W. Francis has gone to Elgin, Ill., on a visit with friends.

Misses Jessie and Lillian Savage have gone to Council Bluffs to enter St Francis'

academy. Henry Carpenter, of Chane's Crossing, O., is visiting his brother, B. F. Carpenter, of

the Exchange. Mrs. Martha Luddington and Mrs. Mary Baldwin of Davenport, Ia., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Carpenter. Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Wyman of Albright have returned after a trip to St. Louis, Chicago and intermediate points.

Notes About the City. A daughter has been born unto Mr. and

George W. Shawgo. A. Yawger has accepted a position in How-land & Bradford's office. James Murphy is sick and Charles Foster is down with typhoid fever.
R. A. Merriman is building a residence on Twenty-third between I and J streets.

Mrs. Sloane, wife of Mayor William G. Sloane, is much better and is recovering from her illness. About thirty Omaha Masons came down Wednesday evening to meet with Bee Hive

A houseful of friends gave Mrs. W. M. Post of Albright a pleasant birthday surprise Wednesday evening.

Risey E. Briggs, aged fifteen years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Briggs, Thirty-second and K streets, died yesterday morning and will be buried in Laural Hill cemetery at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Mr. John Kearney and Miss Josephine Glasgow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Glasgow, were married Wednesday morning at 8:15 o'clock in St. Agnes church, the Rev Father D. W. Moriarty officiating.

Union Pacific Extension. The Union Pacific is building or planning the construction of a great deal of work in the west. Speaking on this subject Chief

Engineer V. G. Bogue said: "The Union Pacific has made surveys into both northern and southern California, but so far as I know extensions into the state have not been decided upon. If anything has been done since the surveys I am not aware of it. The surveys into northern California, were completed some months ago, but those into southern California, were made but a short time acc. Three surveys were made all from Pioche, Nev., south. One runs to Homer and another to Ludiow points on the Atlantic & Pacific road, and the third runs to the Southern Pacific road. These surveys were made to furnish the di-rectors of the company information about the

"The company is building about five hundred and fifty-five miles of new roads. One piece is an extension from Milford to Pieche, a distance of 145 miles, and will be completed by February 1, next. Another new road is the line from Portland to Seat-tle. We have 3,000 men at work on the line new and could furnish work for nearly as now, and could furnish work for nearly as

many more.

We are also building a branch of twenty miles in Oregon, between La Grande and Elgin; also an extension in Wyoming to our Cheyenne & Northern road for a distance our Cheyenne & Northern road for a distance of thirty miles. It will go as far as Fisher where a connection will be made with the Chicago & Northwestern.

"A short extension in Idabo is also being made and one in New Mexico, starting from Trinidad and running fifteen miles through the Maxwell and gracet."

the Maxwell land grant." Notes and Personals.

D. McDill of Chadron has been appointed chief clerk to General Superintend-ent Hughes of the Elikhorn, succeeding C. S. Sherwin who has gone to St. Louis to be chief clerk to E. T. Horn of the Missouri Pacific.

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GREAT REPUBLICAN RALLY.

Preparations for Thousands at the Collseum Monday Night.

On next Monday night one of the grandest political demonstrations ever held in this city will take place in the Coliseam, Preparations on an elaborate scale are being made so that all who attend will be able to find accommodation. The great auditorium will be brilliantly illuminated with a dozen electric lights and hundred of gas jets. The great stage will be beautifully decorated and filled

Every republican ward club in the city has signified its willingness to attend and will be on hand with flying banners and bands of

There will be accommodations for \$,000 people. Every husband is requested to bring his wife and every young republican his Excursions are to be run on all lines leading to Omaka, and only half fare will be

The following will be the orators of the occasion:

Hon. L. D. Richarda republican candidate
for governor; Hon. Tom Majors, candidate
for lieutenant governor, and Hon. John M. Thurston.

The music will be supplied with a great band of forty pieces. Second Ward Torchighters.

The Second ward democratic club will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at Mies' hall corner of Sixteenth and Williams for the purpose of holding a torchlight parade through the ward, meeting delegations from the other wards en mute, and proceeding back to the club headquarters, where ad dresses will be made by Hon. J. E. Boyd and Hon. W.J. Bryan, candidates for governor and congressman from the First district. All of the democratic clubs in the city are invited to attend and participate in the parade that will be made immediately after the speeches are concluded.

Seventh Ward Republicans. A meeting of the Seventh ward republican club will be held at No. 1212 Park avenue, this evening at 8 o'clock, to arrange to attend the republican rally on October 30, at the Coliscum building.

Will Attend in a Body.

The Seventh ward republican club will definite arrangements for the occasion. Chairman Lee was instructed to engage the Chairman Lee was instructed to engage the services of the Seventh ward band to accompany the club and secure the flag of the organization. All republicans of the ward are requested to be present at the club's quarters at 7 o'clock Monday evening to take part in the parade to the scene of the rally. Carriages will be in readiness to convey all there who design to attend who desire to attend.

> A fact that all men with gray and many shaded whiskers should know: that Buck-ingham Dyealways colors as even brown or black at will.

District Court.

When court openedy esterday morning Judge Clarkson an nounced that he wouldhold court in Sarpy county for two weeks, beginning Monday next. John Cherrett of South Omaha was ar-

raigned on the charge of stealing \$15 in money and a gold watch valued at \$11. He pleaded not guilty and was released on ball pending

The case of the state against Larry Kin ney of the Casino sarden was commenced be-fore Judge Clarkson yesterday afternoon. Kin-ney is charged with having ejected W. R. Gamble, a colored citizen, from the Casino on

July 28.

The case of Sarah J. Seiden against the city of Omaha, a suit brought to recover \$1,500 damages, alleged to have resulted from an overflow caused by the grading of Leaven-worth street near Thirty-fifth, came to a sudden termination in Judge Doane's court yes-terday afternoon. After the plaintiff had introduced all her testimony the city attorney moved for a dismissal of the case, on the ground that there was no cause of action. The motion was granted and the jury in-structed to return a verdict for the defend-

The trial of the case of E. R. Overall against the city was begun in Judge Doane's court yesterday afternoon. Overall owns some property on West Hamilton street and arleges that two years ago, on account of the grade and the improper construction of a cult vert, his premises were flooded and damaged to the extent of \$1,500. Hebrings suit for

MORTUARY.

J. E. Eaton, a well known carpen ter, died at his residence, 1615 Emmet street, at 3 o'clock yesterday morning. The remains will be interred at Forest Lawn cemetery at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Some weeks ago Mr. Eaton made a trip to the mountains, and while their contracted mountain fever, which developed into ty-phoid, causing death. The deceased was forty-five years of age, and leaves a wife and

Is it Company Property? County Commissioner O' Keeffe received a telegram yesterday from W. G. Whitmore and the wagons.

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of Valley to the effect that the Union Pacific railway company was fencing in the county road in that neighborhood. Mr. O'Keeffe was of the opinion that the railroad at the point in question ran through a school section, in which case, under a recent railing of the supreme court, the railway company was entitled to a right-of way of 200 feet wide through the section. This would include the county road and it would be necessary to do the same as had been done in a similar case, namely, rent the ground from the railroad company at a nominalrent Mr. O'Keeffe started for the some of action at noon to take whatever steps might be

necessary.

A Light in Every Berth. To the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway belongs the credit of being the first in the country to reduce the matter of electric lighting of trains to scientific perfection. One of the novel features introduced in the sleeping cars is a patent electric reading lamp in each section. With this luxurious provision reading at night before and after "retiring becomes as comfortable as by day, and when retiring the toilet may be made in comfort and seclusion. The berth reading lamp in the Pullman sleeping cars run on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, between Omaha and Chicago, is patented, and cannot be used by any other railroad company. It is the greatest improve-

ment of the age. Try it and be convinced. Sleeping cars leave the Union Pacific depot, Omaha, at 6:10 p. m. daily, arriving at Chicago at 9:30 a.m. tickets and sleeping car berths at Union Ticket office, 1501 Farnam street (Barker Block), Omaha.

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office 1602, Sixteenth and Farnam. "SWIPING" POTATOES.

Commission Men and Grocers Annoyed by Petty Thieves. Commission men and wholesale merchants who handle potatoes in Omaha have been troubled a great deal of late by petty thieves about the wagons and the cars while the vegetables are in the railroad 'yards or being hauled to the storehouses. Some of these petty pilferers have a unique method of getting possession of the potatoes. They slip along between the cars in the freight yard and punch out a potatoe here and there, or make a grabin an open car door for a few large ones. Usually they do not attempt to carry them away at the time, but simply

they come along with a basket and gather them up. But they have better success even in get-But they have better success even in get-ting the potatoes out of wagons as they are hauled away from the cars. The boys and women who are engaged in this sort of busi-ness have long sticks with nails driven through them near one end. They follow be-hind the wagons, and when the drivers are not looking they strike at the load, driving the nail into spotato or two and then deftly jerk them out of the wagon. These are dropped on the ground and the jabbing process is repeated as many times as possible be-fore the driver notices the thief. Passing over the route with a basket or bucket they

rate them out upon the ground. Afterwards

can gather up the booty.
Bates & Co. had a woman and two boys arrested yesterday for stealing potatoes in this manner. The positive proof was confined, however, to the taking of only three potatoes, and Judge Helsiey discharged the prisoners with a little wholesome advice. A Bohemian lad who lives down near the Union Pacific bridge said that his folks had filled tw boxes with potatoes in the last week, and they were beginning to fill the wash tubs. He said they "swiped" them from the cars

Dr. McGrew



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