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Northern Pacific Railroad company from interchanged business with all its branch developed. The Central Washington, Great River & Northern, Spokane & Palouse and Northern Pacific & Manitoba roads all were onstructed or their construction provided for under the Harris-lyes management. On the Spokane & Palouse the buziness last year exceeded \$360,000, the net revenue from which paid all the interest on the bonds day. ssued on account of the extension. The Green River & Northern was authorized by the Ives-Harris board of directors. DIRECTORS INTERESTED.

Overton was discharged on the charge of carrying burglar tools and was at once rerrested for carrying concealed weapons. He was fined \$13 and costs. The hearing of Clark and Button was continued until Mon-

fight. This witness was cross examined by the attorneys, but no new testimony ays: "Your petitioners, for the reasons herein before stated, represent to your honors that it is inequitable and unjust that the Joint

carnings aforesaid, which came into the possession of your receivers during such joint receivership, should be divided between the lines of the said companies in accordance

ures of the Union Pacific, Deover & Gulf company to carry out the provisions of the joint agreement the petition, continuing,

deavor movement.

At the Second Presbyterian church Rev. Ware will preach this morning to Christian Endeavorers on "Vows for Religious En-gagements." A special service will be given in the evening to celebrate the thirteenth anniversary of the Christian En-

and the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will

celebrated. In the evening the third

the series of "Illustrated Sermons" will be

delivered, the subject being "Mechanics." The revival meetings have increased in in

Everybody is invited.

terest and will be continued all this week.

GOOD WEEK'S WORK.

Ministrations of the Eighth Ward Emer

work, and the demands seem to be growing

ore than sixty families were relieved.

Citizens Relief Committee.

adopted.

years the evening was very pleasantly passed. "At the time of the readition of this bill

services for proposed superintendence had not been rendered, and was therefore not in-

poultry interests in this county, and is extending its influence throughout all of Nebraska and western Iowa.

Every breeder of thoroughbred poultry in this city or vicinity is invited to identify himself with this association, thereby not only supporting a worthy society, but re-

The answer shows that no director interested in the construction of the United railroads of Washington; that they cost the total amount of bonds issued thereon, and that no profits were made in their construc-

half of the entire revenue derived by the

The answer shows not a cent of money was paid the Oregon & Transcontinental com-pary for its services in purchasing the Scattle, Lake Shore & Eastern. Four disentre, take company were betrested in a syndicate which owned and controlled the Rocky Fork mines and railroad; that they purchased the stock of this company and made a contract with the Rocky Fork company for 500 tons of coal per day for 90 years at \$2.50 per ton. with certain rebates. The answer shows that for the fiscal year end ing June 30 last the company saved by vir-tue of said contract over \$1,000,000, or a sum

equal to about \$1,000 a day. As to the Northern Pacific & Manitoba, or as to the acquisition of the stock and bonds of that company, the answer shows that a syndicate was organized by Mr. Villard to construct this road, but that he had no per contail interest in it. The entire road, in-cluding terminal properties, costover \$5,000,-000, and the profit for the year ending June. 1892, was over \$300,000.

As to the Chicago terminals and the Wis consin Central lease, the answer shows that before the lease or any traffic contract was entered into the value of the properties was thoroughly and carefully examined by inde pendent experts, not only representing the company, but representing bankers who ex-pected to make large investments in the Chicago terminal bonds; that these experts uniformly placed the value of the leased proper-ties largely in excess of the value on which rental was paid under the leases; that the Ives Clews report of last year placed the of the Chicago terminals at about \$28,000,000, while they were acquired under louse by the Northern Pacific on a rental value of about \$18,000,000 and that he. Mr Oakes, had no interest, direct or indirect, in the acquisition and control of these proper

### WILL START WORK SOON.

In Forty Days Construction of the North & South Road Will Be Begun.

TOPEKA, Feb. 3 .- The projectors of the North & South railroad seem to have struck a bonanza in Texas. Chairman Close, who is also Governor Lewelling's private secretary, returned today from a two weeks tour in Galveston and southern Texas in behalf of the proposed anti-monopoly road. In a talk on the subject this afternoon Chairman Close said: "We will actually begin on the construction within forty days. The Port Boliver Townsite company has given us the half interest in 2,800 acres of land, providing we make that port the terminus of the road, which we have decided to do, and as soon as lifty miles shall have been built the citizens of Galveston will give us \$500,000, and we have had offers from towns all along the line of the proposed road.

"Port Boliver is across the harbor from Galveston. A town about forty miles north of Port Boliver has promised all the ties viding we run the road through that town, and in addition to this gift they will put up \$50,000 in cash. The fifty miles of road that will be built at once will connect our line with the Southern Pacific and will give us a with other lines until wo can push our line farther north."

#### Rumors of a Big Pool.

LONDON, Feb. 3 .- The report that a big pool had been formed on this side of the Atlantic by the different steamship lines was investigated today by the Associated press. In an interview by a reporter with one of be leading lines, the officials said he statement was incorrect so far a the Battish steamship lines were concerned. But, he added, the

# GRANDMOTHER TAKES IT.

Trouble Between Mr. and Mrs. Fox Over Their Child is Settled.

session of the county court, held yesterday afternoon, Judge Baxter demonstrated that as a pourer of oil upon troubled waters, and as a settler of domestic jars, he stood without a peer. During the forenoon both the county, the police and the district courts were nearly swamped with petitions, writs of habeas corpus and warrants in the Fox case. Some of these documents charged one thing and some charged another. Law yers saw fat fees in sight, while the hangers on around the respective court rooms smiled and grew fat while they thought of the sata cious testimony which they would hear when the cases to try the differences between George J. Fox and his wife, Jessie, were called.

The case instituted in the county court was on a writ of habeas corpus by the mother to gain and hold possession of Ethel, the 2-year-old child. In addition to this there was a criminal action in the police ourt and an injunction in the district court In the afternoon the habeas corpus case was called into the county court, where lot of dirty linen was aired until after 6 o'clock, with a prospect of the trial running into another day. Mrs. Fox had testified that she was willing to take the little child, which was the bone of contention, and give i a home with her and her husband on the farm near Herman, Washington county. The father had testified that such an arrange ment would be satisfactory to him, and Mrs. Rose, Mrs. Fox's mother, stated that she was ready to take the little girl. This brought matters to a climax. Judge Baxter stated that he had a mind to enter an order turning the child over to its grandmother Both husband and wife agreed and then the Pacific order was entered of record, with the further agreement that all proceedings would be dismissed, each side paying the costs which it had incurred.

# BY A BABY'S COUCH.

### Trivial Incident Which Saved a House from Destruction by Fire.

Yesterday at 3:15 a.m. a lamp exploded in the house of Alfred Jones, 815 South Twentysecond street, caused quite a lively blaze for a few minutes and it might have been a serious affair. The family retired at the usual time, leaving the lamp on the table in the dining room. The customary precau-tions were taken for its care and all was supposed to be in a safe condition.

About 3 o'clock Mr. Jones' baby started to cough, but as it had a cold, little attention was paid to it at first. Still the coughing was kept up and Mr. Jones went to get something to check it. The door to the di ing room was the first one he came to and smoke issuing therefrom was suffocating and he was nearly overcome by it. Then he felt the carpet burning under his feet, and upon closer search found that the lamp had exploded, had saturated carpet and was burning furiously. He at once turned in an alarm and the fire was ex-tinguished. All the furniture in the room where the explosion occurred was destroyed The loss will be \$200, without insurance.

## Diamond Thief Captured.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3 .- A telegram was received at the office of the Pinkerton Detective agency from Hot Springs this morning containing the information that Fritz Dhiem, a notorious diamond thief, had just been captured in that place by Pinkerton detectives

The news was sent to the office of the Jewelers' Protective bureau and there was great rejoicing over it throughout Maiden Lane. The Pinkertons do all the work for the Jewelers' Protective association and they have been hunting for Dhiem since Novem-ber, 1891, when he stole \$150,000 worth of diamonds in Dayton, O., from R. H. Kranig, a salesman for the Sherman-Keck Manufac-turing company of Cincinnatti,

with the unjust and inequitable constructive mileage divisions prevailing between the and evening. said two companies up to the said 13th day of October, 1893." be "The Purchase Price. In the evening the reasons assigned by young women for not attending church will be discussed. Judge Dundy, after examining the potition Strangers welcome and baying taken into consideration the im-possibility of the servants of the court to Rev. R. N. McKalg of Minnesota wil onduct revival services at Trinity Method-

fulfill all the contract obligations made. ist church this week. Rev, McKaig will preach this morning on "The Need of the Holy Spirit," and in the evening he will discontinue the terms and conditions of the said articles of agreement is ratified and discuss "Personal Responsibility." On Mon-day night he will preach to young peoapproved by the court. It was further or lered that the receivers cease from operat ing the said lines and transacting the busi ple on "Judge for Yourself." Immanuel Baptist church, Kountze Place ness thereof under or in accordance with iny of the said articles of agreement pro-rided the said receivers in their opinion Rev. Frank W. Foster, pastor. Sunday morning theme: "A great Light." At the find that the best interests of the parties re conclusion of the morning services the hand of fellowship will be given to new members

quire the same This is what has aroused the Denver receiver to apply to Judge Hallett for a re-straining order pending the hearing of the eiver to apply to Judge Hallett for case.

Pacific Coast Passenger Business The flat refusal of the Union Pacific to withdraw its rate of \$44,50 from the Missour

river to the Pacific coast was not unexpected in railroad circles, where the facts are known. This rate of \$44.50 from Council Bluffs was made on an agreement with the Santa Fe aud the Southern Pacific at the time the Midwinter fair rates went into effect. The Santa Fe put in a similar rate

from Kansas City and the Southern Pacific the furnishing of coal, clothing and provisthe same rate from New Orleans. A proposition was made in the Western ions. It has been found necessary to obtain Passenger association meeting on Wednes-day that the Union Pacific be requested to donated the use of the store room at the withdraw the rate in order that the \$45 rate might be applied on the flat rate of \$50 between St. Paul and Portland and between the Missouri river and San Francisco. But the Union Pacific could not see the justness of the request and flatly refused to with draw a rate as long as the same rate was maintained by the Santa Fe and Southern

Union Pacific Grain Rate Policy.

A freight official of the Union Pacific when asked about the grain situation, said that his road did not propose to put up money for the eastern roads to make a fight against the Santa Fe and other roads, re garding the reduced rate. "We will, ver," said he, "advance grain rates from Nebraska points and Council Bluffs 3 centr per 100 over Omaha rates, effective Febru rates by preventing added locals being attached."

### Rallway Notes. J. T. Hargis, agent of the Missouri Pacific

at Dunbar, died yesterday of brain fever. The district pass agreement committee, consisting of Mesars, Dickinson, Holdrego and Burt, had a meeting yesterday. The 'low pints' met yesterday and so much oratory was inculged in that the city ticket agents forgot what they had as-sembled for aud adjourned without doing

nuch as to righting rate matters affecting the local market. The Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis &

Ohio will take off trains Nos. 5 and 6, known as the Bancroft local, today, No. 9 will leave at 2:15 p. m. instead of 1:15; No. 1 will arrive at 12:20 p. m. instead of 1:2:40: No. 3 will arrive at 10:20 p. m. instead of 1:05 0

Mr. M. E. Hawley, for years past a clerk in the freight claim office at the Union Pa-clife headquarters, has been transferred to the office of the general agent of the same company at Denver. His fellow clerks in the freight claim office here made him the recipient of a very beautiful ink stand and sold pen on the eve of his departure, Thurs-day, as a token of regard. He was a gen-eral favorite here and no doubt will also prove himself the same in Denver.

As a Presidential Possibility. NEW YORK, Feb. 3 .- Hon. Thomas C Carter, chairman of the national republican committee, was asked if the northwest would present a candidate at the next republican presidential convention.

fund. It was decided to refer all requisi-"Well," replied the ex-congressman from Montana, "the friends of ex-Senator Spooner tions to the Associated Charities.

With respect to the third reason above At the First Presbyterian church Rev

given I would say that in addition to the failure of Mr. Beindorff to give the work the M. Patterson will preach morning i evening. The morning topic will personal supervision required, the city at its own expense employed a superintendent for considerable time during the construction of the building.

## PAID TOO MUCH ALREADY.

"The amount already received by Mr. Bein-dorff on account of architectural services is \$15,558,63. This amount, in my opinion, is considerably in excess of the amount he is entitled to receive, either under the terms of his bond or under quantum meruit. "Even on the theory that Mr. Beindorff

had rendered the full and satisfactory serv-ice required of him as superintendent of the work the limit of his charge under the schedule of the American Institute of Archi-tects on the cost of the building at \$350,000 would be \$17,500. If the provisions of the bond limiting the cost of building were to be ignored and the claim was to stand as one on a quantum meruit, the amount already received by Mr. Beindorff, in my opinion. as already stated, is considerably in excess of the amount he is entitled to receive. "He now claims a balance due of \$4,055.19

In order to make this balance he charges 5 per cent not only on the original contracts, but on all contracts subsequently made, in-cluding those for furnishings and decorations, as well as for changes made. For in gency (Relief Society. During the last week the Eighth Ward stance, he charges 5 per cent commission of \$601.05 for painting the east wall, which was done by the authority of the mayor and council, and with reference to which he did practically nothing. The case is true of a Emergency Relief society has provided relief for over sixty families. This includes number of other items for fixtures, etc. "I do not wish to do Mr. Beindorff an in-

larger quarters, and Major Furay has kindly justice, but on the contrary I would be inlined to favor him if 1 believed his bill to be just. Upon a careful examination and concorner of Twenty-fourth and Seward. The sideration of all the facts I am forced to the headquarters will continue as heretofore at conclusion that no amount whatever is now Gurney's drug store. Our telephone numdue Mr. Beindorff, and am of the opinion that before any other payment should be made him he should be required to estab-lish the correctness of his claim for \$4,055.19 ber, 1391. can be reached at any time, and we are indebted to President Yost of the Telephone company, for the contribution of after having received already the sum same. The R. McClelland company placed \$18,588,63. I am further of the opinion that a number of just items of set-off and counter chaims exist is favor of the city against any five tons of coal at our disposal, most of which was sent to needy families during the week. Other contributions were liberal. The treasurer, Mr.J. W. Furnace, with Mrs. Gurney and the secretary and a corps of ladies, are devoting all their time to the claim of Mr. Beindorff's,"

# HE WAS A MONSTER.

Stone, the Indiana Murderer, Confesses an Awful Crime.

quite rapidly. It is hoped at the Sunday meeting to per-WASHINGTON, Ind., Feb. 3.-It seems fect arrangements by which an employment department can be opened and means pro-vided by which those who have been aided that the sextuple murderer, Stone, who is now awaiting the day of his execution at in the last week can get employment and in the future maintain thmselves. Jeffersonville prison, is a deeper-dyed villain than was at first supposed, if such a thing Nearly every precinct has been visited by the corps of ladies, which clearly demon could be. His wife and children and age father visited him one day last week for the last time, and to his father, it is learned today, he went over the dotails of his fearful crime, relating an act of his that will mark him among the strates that relieving wants by a house-to ise visitation is the best plan that can be Secretary Laughlin of the Associated Charlties has rendered valuable assistance, bloodiest of human butchers. It will be re and the society is co-operating with the As-sociated Charities in all its movements. The Eighth Ward Emergency Relief socimembered that the little daughter, Ethel survived the fearful slaughter and was taken to a neighbor's house, and for several days hovered between life and death, and it The Eighth Ward Emergency Relief soci-ety will hold a meeting, at the Second Pres-byterian church, corcar of Twenty-fourth and Nicholas streets, this afternoon at 3:30. All members of the society and all others in-terested are cordially lavited. We particu-larly desire the presence of all the pastors in the ward, or near by, and also a represen-tation from all churches, ald societies. in-cluding a representation from any Knights was on her evidence that the authorities hoped to locate the fiend, but suddenly she died. Stone, it is now ascertained, has con fessed to his father that one day he went to his neighbor's house, and while they were at dinner in another room smothered the little girl Ethel to death, thus clearing himcluding a representation from any Knights of Labor organizations. During the week self of the living witness to his fearful crime.

### Agency Physician Appointed.

Secretary Laughland of the Associated Charities and Superintendent Clark of Rescue CHAMBERLAIN, S. D., Feb. 3 .- (Special hall and others are expected to be present There should be a general attendance of res Telegram to The Bee.)-The position of agency physician at Lower Brule agency has dents from all parts of the ward, as the labor is increasing so rapidly that it is nec essary to have the assistance of more beney been filled by the appointment of a Maryland man, who has just arrived and taken charge. It was the belief in some quarters that Dr. Eastman, formerly physician at olently inclined people to carry on the work. CADET TAYLOR, President. MRS. J. E. VANDERCOOK, Secretary. Pine Ridge agency, but now a resident St. Paul, would get this position. If he is again permitted to enter the Indian service The citizens reliaf committee met at the he may be sent to Santee agency. Commercial club yesterday and passed a

resolution urging the continuance of charita-ble bureaus and especially commending the relief work of the First Congregational church. The treasurer reported \$668 in ad-ditional cash subscriptions to the charity Desperate Horse Thief Arrested. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Feb. 2 .- (Special Felegram to The Bee.)-Dave Ducharme, church. The treasurer reported \$568 in ad-ditional cash subscriptions to the charity the Mexican cattle rustler who has been the terror of the Biack Hills for some years, is again taking his daylight in chunks. He

f Arthur D. Snoad for damages against Dr. Mary Walker, who caused his arrest on a charge that he murdered Christie Warden in New Hampshire and was interested in the bomb throwing in Russell Sage's office, resulted in a verdict in the plaintiff's favor for 6 cents damages.

Dr. Mary Walker Muleted.

SYRACUSE, Feb. 3 .- The trial of the ac-

ceiving many benefits in return. Several applications for membership have already been received by the secretary and more are known to be on the way for action at the next meeting. All interested are invited to be present at that time.

