MORE DOTS AND MORE PRIZES

Over 1500 Prizes for the Nearest Correct Guesses

SPECIAL NOTICE TO OUT-OF-TOWN SUBSCRIBERS—Any of the contestants who wish can turn in guesses on "The Dots" to the local agent in their own town, all of whom have been authorized and instructed to mark the time on the coupon that the guess is received be them—thus giving all contestants the same advantage as to time as those living in Omaha.

CONDITIONS

Every subscriber, new or old, will be entitled to one guess on the number of dots with every fifteen cents paid on his subscription account.

You can guess as many times as you wish. The more guesses you turn in the better your chance of winning. The subscription price of the Daily and Sunday Bee is 15c a week by carrier, or \$2.00 for three months by mail.

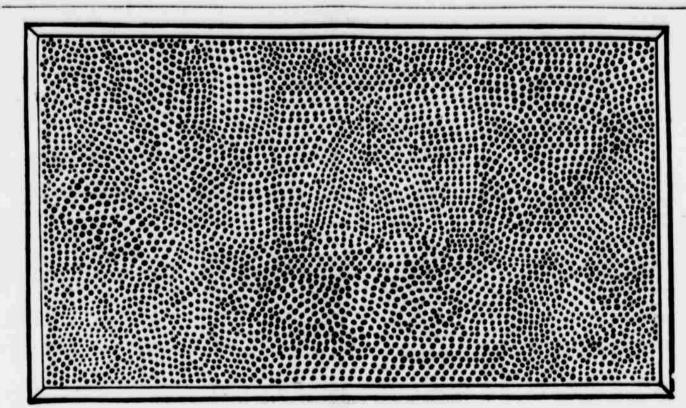
All payments and guesses must be made direct to The Bee office, personally or by mail, UNLESS you are taking The Bee from an authorized agent, in which case you will pay the agent and he will send your guess and remittance to us

No guess will be recorded unless accompanied by cash. NOTICE TO AGENTS: Remit full amount with all guesses and this amount will be placed to your credit and deducted from your regular menthly bill for papers.

Pay a 4 Weeks' Subscription and get 4 guesses. A 3 months' Subscription and get 13 guesses.

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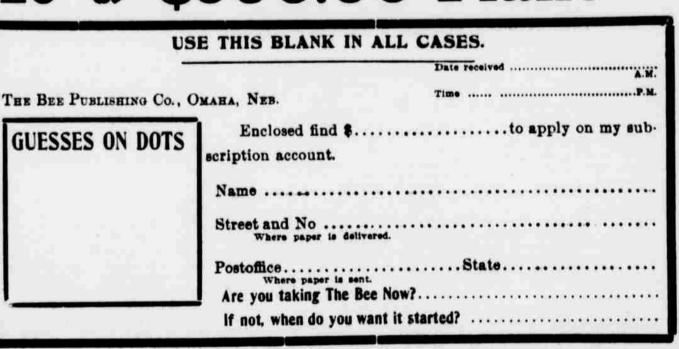
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There is no trick about the puzzle. It is absolutely a matter of skill and ingenuity

To Contestants-No one connected with The Bee directly or indirectly will be allowed to enter this contest.

> This Contest Closes at 5 p. m. Wednesday, May 1.



ing prizes:

THE PRIZES

To those guessing the correct or nearest cor-rect number of dots The Bee will give the follow-

Jst prize-A \$500.00 Emerson Piano-value......\$500.00 2nd prize-1 "Densmore" Typewriter, value......\$100.00

3rd prize-1 lot in Council Bluffs, value\$100.00

4th prize-1 Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine, value \$60.00

5th prize-1 Business College Scholarship, value \$60.00

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7th Prize-1 Ladies' Tailor-made Suit, value......\$40.00

8th prize-3 ladies' Custom-made Shirt Waists, value \$10.00 9th prize-1 Standard Dictionary, value\$12.00

10th prize-1 Standard Dictionary, value\$12.00

12th prize 1 box "Kirk's" White Russian Soap, value. . . \$3.00

15th to 24th-10 bottles Cramer's Kidney Cure, value \$10.00

25th to 35th-10 pair Orpheum Seats, value......\$10.00 36th to 50th-14 volumes recent fiction, value\$18.75 Also Art Pictures and Books, value\$510.75

Total \$1.500 and a Pig.

13th prize—ONE PIG, value? 14th prize-1 Sack Golden Sheaf Flour\$1.00

Address All Answers to PUZZLE DEPARTMENT, THE OMAHA BEE, OMAHA, NEB.

Defendant Repeats Account of Interview with Governor Taylor.

Statements is Misleading, Perhaps He Was Misunderstood.

FRANKFORT, Ky., April 15 .- The Ripley trial was resumed this afternoon and the defendant went on the stand. Ripley did not deny that he made the statement attributed to him by ex-Governor Bradley and Judge Yost concerning ex-Governor Tay lor's remarks to him, but said that while they were substantially correct in their evidence, they had misunderstood him or pression on them at the time. The crossexamination was not completed and Rip-

ley will be on the stand again tomorrow. Ex-Governor Bradley and Judge You will not be recalled as witnesses and the jury will have to decide as to whether they or the defendant is correct as to Ripley's statement of the Taylor incident.

On direct examination Ripley stated that he had been talking with the boys in his neighborhood for several years about getting up a company of cavalry. He came Frankfort first on January 16, the day of the Colson-Scott tragedy, selecting this day in order to see Bryan, who was to be banqueted here that night. He had never known Governor Taylor till that day and never saw him but once after that, January 25, till after his company was called out. He said he never knew Powers or Youtsey till some days after the shooting. Jim Howard only since they had been in jail together here and never knew either Culton or Wharton Golden.

on January 25 Ripley came here and secured equipment for it. This was the day pensation to be \$150. on which he had the conversation with materially from that stated by Mesara. Bradley and Yost, was:

Taylor Looks Had.

went into the governor's office and found Governor Taylor looking very badly. I told him I was sorry to see him looking badly, to which he replied: 'In these horrible times anybody would look bad. Some irresponsible or fool or crank is liable to kill me or kill Goebel and cause a riot around here in which there will be many lives sacrificed,' or that in substance. Then I told him I did not think this would

company, which I was getting equipment for. 'My God,' said he, 'haven't you got that company ready yet?" That was what was trying to tell Governor Bradley and Judge Yost, but I may not have stated it

to them as clearly as I intended to."

He denied that he ever said to Ferguson and Crawford that Goebel would be CORRECTS BRADLEY AND JUDGE YOST killed, and admitted that he warned W. P. Thorn on January 29 to keep his son away from Frankfort, but said he did so Says the Report They Give of His because of the disturbed conditions here and not from any knowledge of what was going to occur the next day. He maintained that there was no secreey about the organization and equipment of his company and said that Governor Taylor told him that it was not necessary to apply to the county judge for authority to or-

> ganized for pleasure. Cross-examined, the witness said that he received a special delivery fetter from Governor Taylor late in the afternoon of January 30, ordering his company out. The letter did not state that Goebel had been shot and did not give the reason for calling adjourned meetings may be held at any

ganize it. The company, he said, was or-

Indigestion is the direct cause of disease Stop the trouble at the start with a little Prickly Ash Bitters; it strengthens the stomach and aids digestion.

10 49000 0000 DOCO 00000 South Omaha News.

Mayor Kelly and the four members of the city council played to a fairly good house last night, as it was expected that the chief executive would name two members of the council. In this the house was disapspecial meeting is called the matter of apnever saw Berry Howard at all; had seen pointments will go over until Monday night, when an adjourned meeting will be held. All members were present when Clerk of the building, the construction of new Shrigley called the roll and Mayor Kelly foundations, outbuildings and sidewalks. Taylor gave him the order January 16 cocupied the chair. J. M. Buchanan was

Taylor, and his version of it, which varies munication stating that he had complaint Roob thirty feet north of the Polsley prop-After some discussion the matter was laid offers. confirmed.

Next in importance came the furnishing of bonds. Tax Commissioner Fitzgerald furnished a

occur, and went on to tell him about my bond in the sum of \$10,000 in a surety company and Clerk Shrigley one for \$2,000 in the same company. Councilmen Dvorak, Miller, Martin and Adkins followed with

surety bonds in the sum of \$3,000 each. Inasmuch as all city officials, elective and appointive, are required to give bonds in a surety company, the council, in order to avoid confusion, selected one surety company. Upon motion of Martin, the American Bond and Trust company of Baitimore was selected as the official company. This will go with the exception of the city treasurer, who is required to give \$100 .-000 bonds. In his case the bond is to be divided between two surety companies. An ordinance was passed creating the office of bailiff of the police court and fixing the compensation at \$60 a month. Charles Allen, the present incumbent, was appointed and the appointment was con-

The ordinance relating to the dates of holding council meetings was passed. Regular meetings will be held on the first and third Monday of each month. Special or

Mayor Kelly called the attention of the council to the squatters occupying streets that kills thousands of persons annually, and alleys and he said that something ought to be done. There was some little discussion on this point and it was agreed that the mayor take the matter up with the city attorney and make a report at the next meeting.

Considerable routine business, relating mostly to street repairs and sidewalk improvements, was transacted, and from this

Adjourned for one week.

At a meeting of the Board of Education pointed, as no mention was made during the held last night it was decided to move the South Omaha for over twelve years and meeting of any appointments. Unless a old Corrigan school building to a site in was respected by all who knew him. At Melia's addition. George Parks & Co. se- the time of his death he was in charge cured the contract for \$595. This sum, it is of the offices of the Western Weighing asstated, will pay the expenses of the removal

In connection with purchasing more land for the organisation of the company, and employed as an expert accountant to check for a high school site, E. E. Polsley and the books of the city ireasurer, the com- D. G. Roob submitted bids. Mr. Polsley offered ninety feet on Twenty-eighth street, Plumbing Inspector Cock sent in a com- north of the Hoctor site, for \$5,000 and to make against a local plumbing firm for erty for \$1,500, making a total of \$6,500. not securing permits for work to be done. No action was taken by the board on the

on the table and the mayor suggested that | Dr. Wolfe submitted quite a lengthy conference between the inspector and monthly report in which he recommended the plumbers be held. This was agreed to. that teachers in the public schools be re-Treasurer Koutsky named as his quired to attend summer schools-that is, deputy E. L. Gustafson and Clerk Shrigley all teachers of less than three years' exnamed J. B. Ashe. Both appointments were perience. No action was taken on this uggestion. After some routine business had been transacted the board adjourned until the next regular meeting, which will structed at one end of the hall and lights be held the first Monday in May. At this were being installed yesterday. Arrangemeeting the members elected on April 2 ments are being made for a seating ca-

> Ancient Ordinance Disregarded Plumbing Inspector Cook has discovered that an ordinance was passed by the city council on March 19, 1888, and signed by E. P. Savage as mayor calling for annual bonds from water and gas companies. The ordinance provides that all water and gas companies operating in South

> Omaha must give bonds annually in the sum of \$15,000 to secure the city against damages by reason of negligence in the execution of work, defective material, etc., or

ment that this ordinance has never been street, between A and D streets, while the repealed and he further says that it has grading for the permanent steel structure

never been complied with. Of course, the is being done. Quite a force is at work water and gas companies gave bonds at the grading the approaches for the 800-foot time of securing their franchises, but these bonds have not, it is stated, been renewed the tracks. It is understood that the

each year, as is provided by this ordinance. Pitzgerald Appoints Deputies. Last evening Tax Commissioner J. Fitzgerald announced the appointment of the eight deputies allowed him by the city council. The deputies are: F. J. Persons, John Gillan, William Rawley, A. F. Martens, John Sexton, James Krecek, J. M. Fitzgerald, Con Donovan.

In making the assessment ward boundaries will be disregarded and streets taken straight through. Three of the deputies appointed will make the personal assessment. Work will commence as soon as the bonds of the deputies are fixed by ordinance and approved.

Spring Cleaning Up.

Sanitary Inspector Jones has started in on his spring cleaning up. Yesterday he spent the entire day in the Sixth ward serving notices on property owners to clean up back yards and alleys. Unless the notices served are complied with in fortyeight hours property owners or occupants are subject to arrest. The minimum fine is \$2 and the maximum fine is \$20. Today the inspector and his assistant will work the First ward. A close watch will be kept on the places where notices have been served, and if not complied with arrests will surely follow.

Lon R. Pinnell Dead. Lon R. Pinnell, one of the best known young men in the city, died at his home,

time on the street commissioner will be a Twenty-third and H streets, yesterday afternoon. Services will be held at the family residence at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Interment will be at Laurel Hill cemetery. The deceased has been a resident of

sociation at this place.

Fire Wagon Coming.

City Clerk Shrigley received a bill yes-terday from the Racine Fire Engine company of Racine, Wis., for the fire wagon ordered for the Second ward fire ball a couple of months ago. The new wagor was shipped on April 12, and will reach here in a day or two. The bill calls for \$467. There is sufficient money in the 'special fire fund" to pay for the wagon when it arrived. The next thing will be for the council to purchase a team, harness and equip the new fire hall.

Modern Woodmen Opera House, Modern Woodman lodge No. 1095 is fitting up its old quarters in the hall over the city hall building to rent to gatherings of various kinds. A stage is being conpacity of 500. This hall has been vacant since the Woodmen moved to the hall over the South Omaha National bank a few months ago.

streets, tonight there will be a twentyround boxing contest between Halch and Ole Oleson. Smith is the colored wonder of Cmaha, while Oleson is a prominent boxer of Chicago. This contest is attracting a great deal of attention and no doubt the attendance will be large.

steel viaduct which is to be erected across viaduct will first be erected before any attempt at tracklaying is made, in order to insure safe travel for vehicles and

pedestrians. Plans for Street Fair.

The committees in charge of the street fair, which it is proposed to hold in July, are rapidly perfecting the details, and indications point to the fact that the fair will be a hummer. The suggestion has been made that N street between Twentyfourth and Twenty-seventh streets fenced and that the fair be held in the enclosure. Attractions are now being arranged for and the details will soon be made public.

Counting the Dots.

South Omaha people are taking a great deal of interest in the second dot-counting contest. Before uoon yesterday three dozen guesses had been filed at The Bee branch office in the city hall There is a wide variance in the guesses. The exact time of filing a guess is placed on each slip as soon as accepted in order that all may be fairly trated.

Fred Melcher was reported somewhat The friends of Major J. W. Davis will baving quietly left Pekin for Sian Fu in be pained to learn that he is ill.

Rumor has it that Prof. W. J. Taylor will be elected superintendent of public instruc-tion to succeed Dr. H. K. Wolfe. Considerable interest is being taken in the revival services now being held in the First Methodist Episcopal church. All druggists will be compelled by the council to secure permits for liquor licenses this year. The city needs the money.

Amelia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Baker. Thirtieth and R streets, died Sunday and was buried yesterday in Laurel Hill cemetery.

Hill cemetery.

Under the provisions of the new charter ordinances and notices are now posted on a public bulletin board. This is a great convenience to the public in general.

The Woman's Relief Corps of Phil Kearney post will meet at the home of Mrs. J. W. Cress. Nineteenth and M. streets.

Wednesday afternoon at 2 o clock. The meeting of the Ladies guild of the Epistopal church called for Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Colonel A. L. Lott, has been postponed on account of the death of Leo Pinnell.

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office Chicago & Northwestern railway 1401-1403 Farnam street.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. Fred L. Josters of Grant is a Millard

H. J. Caulfield of Narfolk is at the Her Grand. E. G. Yates of Lincoln is at the Her Grand. At Bium's hail, Twenty-sixth and N lard Monday.

Letter tonight there will be a twenty-ound boxing contest between Haich and lie Oleson. Smith is the colored wonder of guests at the Murray. Charles E. Young of the B. & M. pas-senger department left last night for his home in Camden, N. J., called there by the news that his father is very low and not expected to recover.

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Brightof 'Ur. Nebraska City.'

Waldersee Sends a Considerable Ferce to Disperse Mountaineers.

COURT MAY MOVE, BUT NOT TO PEKIN

Advices from Sian Fu Are that Hains Yang is Soon to Become Headquarters of Imperial Chinese.

BERLIN, April 15 .- The German War office has received the following dispatch

from Count von Waldersee: "PEKIN, Saturday, April 13.-Major von Schoenberg, with companies of infantry, mounted infantry, cavalry and artillery, has been sent from here to disperse robbers in the mountains northeast of Chang Ping Chau, thirty kilometers north of Pekin. A company of troops from Chang Ping Chau will intercept the retreat of the robbers.' SHANGHAL April 18 .- Advices from Sian Fu to the local mandarine assert that the court is preparing to go to Helan Yang. a charge of highway robbery and was given in the province of Hu Let. The permanent officials of the six boards are described as anticipation of the selection of a new cap-

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EXONERATION FOR COOLEY

Hearing in the Police Court Ends It Dismissal of the Charge Against Ilim.

Julius S. Cooley was given a hearing in colice court yesterday afternoon, on charge of having obtained a fee under false pre-building operations can commence. The tense from a client. After hearing all the Bennett building on the west side of the attorney.

stances. Justice Baldwin was present at builders are at work.

TROOPS STALKING ROBBERS the hearing with his docket to show the

WANTS PAY FOR HIS TIME

Nels Samuelson Asks County to Reimburse Him for Jail

Nels Samuelson, who was held up and rebbed on the street March 22 by Charles E. Bennett and who has been detained in the county fail since that time as a witness for the state, has applied to the county commissioners for \$58 indemnity for the time lost. This is at the rate of \$2 a day for the time he was in jail. He is a farm laborer from Iowa and says he could have made that much if he had not been

locked up. Samuelson says that Bennett, whom he met by chance upon the street, gave him a drugged cigar and after he had partially succumbed to its effects thrust his (Samuelson's) head in a snowdrfft and rifled his pockets of \$34 in money and a gold watch. The next day detectives found the pawnshop wherein Bennett had pawned the watch. The money was never recovered.

Last Saturday Bennett pleaded guilty to one year in the penitentiary.

The United States excel in champagne. Cook's Imperial Extra Dry takes the lead.

BENNETT MEETS ARCHITECTS Discussion of Plans for New Business

House is to Be Taken Up. The announcement of the three big deals

looking to the erection of large retail business houses on South Sixteenth street bas aroused intense interest in the city. Real estate men especially are well pleased that the negotiations which have been conducted in a quiet way for so many weeks have reached a successful result.

Some weeks yet may clapse before actual testimony Judge Crawford discharged the street will be built first, and W. R. Bennett met the architects of the city last eyen-It was shown that Mr. Cooley acted in ing at the office of George & Co. to discuss good faith throughout, and did only what an details. It is expected that it will not be attorney should have done under the circum- long before the plans are ready and the

READ

What the Editor of the Texas Citizen says of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin:

HONEY GROVE, Tan., June 7, 1900. To Whom It May Concern :

I have during the past two years been sertously affected with stomach trouble, and in February, 1900, saw an ad which advocated the use of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for such trouble. I endeavored to secure the remedy in Texas, but failed, and while at Guthrie, O. T., purchased several bottles,

which I kept in my house. As to my own trouble, the first bottle did the work, and I am taking my three square meals per day without any of the bad results which had heretofore been bothering me. I can cheerfully recommend to the public Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for stomach trouble. Respectfully, ED. H. LOVE.

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