

ONLY LOOKS FOR ONE SIDE

Investigation Into Postoffice Appointments Not Impartially Through.

EFFORTS TO BULLDOZE WITNESSES FAIL

Testimony that Would Discredit Fake Stories is Not Allowed to Go Before the Federal Grand Jury.

One of the star witnesses before the federal grand jury in connection with the Alma postoffice case has been O. E. Beddoe of Alma and Orleans. It is understood that he has testified positively that he acted as a go-between or broker in connection with certain federal appointments in that district.

Beddoe, talking with Dr. Banwell of Orleans, who was a candidate for the postoffice appointment and has been cited to appear before the United States grand jury, wanted the doctor to corroborate his own testimony to the effect that about Christmas, 1901, Dr. Banwell, Beddoe and Lowe had taken a trip together to Denver and that on the way they talked over the Orleans postoffice appointment, and that Lowe told them that he would take \$500 to get his (Lowe's) endorsement for Dr. Banwell's appointment as postmaster, and that \$500 must be cash, because Lowe would have to give it to Senator Dietrich.

It appears now that Dr. Banwell had been before the grand jury twice, and in spite of all cross-questioning to lead up to the corroboration of Beddoe's story, he could not be induced to do so. After he had testified the last time Dr. Banwell was called into District Attorney Summers' office and Summers tried to bulldoze him and frighten him into giving the testimony given by Billings.

Doesn't Want Lowe's Testimony. Lowe was subpoenaed to appear in Omaha when the grand jury met and then allowed to go back home without testifying. He came back to Omaha last week and presented himself to Mr. Summers. Summers advised him to go home quietly and if he wanted him he would send for him.

That Trip to Denver. When questioned about his trip to Denver and the alleged deal with Billings, and his connection with the Alma and Orleans postoffices, Mr. Lowe made the following answers to questions which were asked by a representative of The Bee.

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Costs Nothing if it Fails. Any honest person who suffers from rheumatism is welcome to the fact that I have searched everywhere to find a specific for Rheumatism. For nearly 20 years I worked to this end. At last, in Germany, my search was rewarded. I found a costly chemical that did not disappoint me. Dr. Shop's Rheumatic Cure had disappointed physicians everywhere.

BODY OF BARRETT IS FOUND

Charred Remains of Fireman at Luggage from the Debris.

ONLY FRAGMENTS LEFT BY THE FLAMES

Father of Dead Here There Soon After and Coroner is at Once Summoned to the Scene.

The charred and partly incinerated remains of William Barrett, the fireman whose body a wrecking crew has been delving into the debris of the Allen Bros. warehouse for nearly two weeks, was discovered by Edward Martin, an employe of the Merchants Express company, at 1:40 Tuesday afternoon.

Martin was digging in a pile of partially burned boxes some forty feet south of the rear wall and about eight feet west of the spot where Leroy Lester's body was disinterred, when he uncovered the skull of Barrett. A little more digging on the shoulders of the body had been uncovered, and here work was stopped to await the arrival of the coroner.

The body appears to be lying on its side, with the face to the west. The depth at which it was uncovered corresponds with that of the other three bodies. The father of the unfortunate young fireman was on the ground shortly after the report was sent out. All he could say was, "What shall I do now?"

Architect Thomas L. Kimball was the third witness. He was called to testify as to the construction of the buildings, having drawn the plans for the same, and also to the number of times he had inspected them since construction. This information was most desired by County Attorney English, who is desirous of bringing out facts regarding the probability of the building in which the fire occurred being over-occupied at the time of the fire, this question having been raised by inference by Attorney Abbott, who appears for certain relatives of deceased.

Secretary Shaw's Report. (Continued from Fifth Page.) listed which of necessity could not last. Within a year the market value of stocks and bonds, the prices of commodities and the value of the people, has depreciated in an amount estimated at \$10,000,000,000.

CHARLES A. UHL IS DEAD

Old Resident of Omaha Passes Away When Death is Least Expected.

Charles A. Uhl died at 2:30 Tuesday morning after an illness of only about two weeks. During the last three days he was much worse, but he was not known to be in such serious condition. He was feeling better Monday evening, but awoke about 2 o'clock in the morning. He did not seem to be in any pain, but passed away in about a half hour. He was 73 years old and leaves two sons—M. S. Uhl, manager of the Daily News, with whom he resided, and Milton R. Uhl, who is representative for The Bee in Chicago. The funeral will be held from the residence at 2909 Pacific street probably Thursday with interment in Forest Lawn.

FORD IS VERY WELL KNOWN

Humorous Burglar is Identified by Eight Persons and Still Pleads Innocent.

Frank H. Ford, alias Frank R. Henderson, humorous burglar, has up to date been positively identified by eight different parties who he held up in their own homes during the two years he operated here.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The case of A. C. Foster et al against John M. Harding, suit on the sale of mining stock in the Joplin lead and zinc mines, is circuit court before a jury in the United States circuit court.

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SECRETARY SHAW'S REPORT

(Continued from Fifth Page.) The installation of a comprehensive pneumatic tube system between the Treasury department and the various branches and bureaus and the several divisions of the department, would be a very profitable investment.

MORE FIGURES GO UPWARD

Assessments of Several Firms Advanced by the Board of Review. Increases in assessments over voluntary returns made by the Board of Review Monday afternoon and yesterday morning were as follows:

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. Fred F. McCormick of Los Angeles is the guest of Mrs. Charles C. Fairclough, Robert Oberfelder, formerly of Swift's at South Omaha, has gone to New York, where he will go into business with his wife.

TABLE AND KITCHEN

Menu. BREAKFAST. Fruit. Cream. Liver Rolls. Brown Gravy. German Fried Potatoes. Griddle Cakes. Coffee. Quince Honey. LUNCH. Lyonnaise Eggs. Baked Sweet Potatoes. Butter Cakes. Tea. DINNER. Roast of Beef. Stuffed Potatoes. Beet and Celery Salad. Apple Sauce. Coffee. Recipes. Christmas Mince Meat.—Here is a recipe that has always given satisfaction, and on account of the materials used need not be made so early, as it does not require so long a time to ripen unless one desires a still richer mixture.

THE ROCK OF GIBRALTAR

Is a back number towards a declares a British engineering officer, discussing the comparative merits of the great fortresses of the world. Gibraltar could be easily raked with guns from Ceuta or from the Spanish mainland. The Spanish fortress of Kronstadt is stronger, as is also the British fortress at Halifax, but the strongest fortress in the world is Dr. Burckhardt's Vegetable Compound, against which disease can make no headway. It fills the veins with pure, rich and healthy blood, heals the diseased organs and restores them to a healthy condition.

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