cessive, and talked it over with Dr. Knapp.

we thought that something was wrong."

"What did Knaup say!"
Mr. Webster objected, as it was immaterial what Dr. Knapp said.
Mr. Lambertson urged that it was material, as Dr. Knapp was the nead of the institution, and held witness responsible.

The objection was sustained, and the court adjourned until 2 cook.

Suspicious of the Coal Vouchers.

At the opening of the afternoon session Major Post again went upon the stand and was asked by Mr. Lambertson: "Who made out the coal vouchers which The coal company, I suppose," answered the witness.

It was the same with the flour, was it About the same way.

You don't know when the daily bills came with the goods!" "Only as the report showed."
"You commenced weighing the coal in

January, 1802 "Yes, sir; the superintendent was dissatisfied with the mine weights. Was there anything to arouse your sus-

"The large amounts; possibly had some-thing to do with the matter."
"Have you any knowledge of the amount

of coal charged during July, 1891?"
"Only what the vouchers show."
"Why were you suspicious of the April,
1891, bills?"

"The large amounts."
"What did you do in the matter?" "It was not in my province to do any-"Lon't you know that 791 tons of coal for

December, 1890, was excessive?"
"I don't know as that was the amount." "Did you see these vouchers before they went to the board?"

"When did you enter the amounts on your books?" "After they were approved."
"Were they received from month to month!"

"Yes, sir."
"What did you do with them?"

We discussed them. You thought there was a steal in them. never said so.

"Did you not say that you had sus-picions"
"I testified that they aroused my curiosity."
"Before dinner did you not testify that

they aroused your suspicions?"
"I don't remember," answered the major
Mr. Webster entered a very vigorous protest to the line of examination. What suspicions the witness had did not count.
"After your suspicions were aroused, why did you not weigh the coal instead of waiting until 1892?"

That was the business of the superintendent,"
"Did not the fact that there were 741 tons of coal used in November arouse your suspi-'I do not know as that was the amount,

"Do you know of any flour having been weighed twice!" "I don't know as any flour was ever weighed."

Then, as I understand it, all that you know about any flour or coal having been de-livered is from what information you gained by checking what you saw delivered?"
"Yes, sir; that's the case as I remember it

Taken from the State's Books, The second witness of the day was C. C. Caldwell, a deputy from the office of the secretary of state. What he brought with him was a tabulated statement showing the amount of coal used at the asylum. The statement was made up from the vouchers sent in by the coal companies.

"Does this show the price of the coal?"
asked Mr. Webster.
"We don't know the price, as that does
not appear on the books."
"Did you check this with the vouchers?"

"No, I just copied from the books." The list shows that in 1887 the state paid \$11,502; 1888, 89,835; 1889, \$12,284; 1890, \$14,-290; 1891, \$13,375; 1892, \$10,225. Mr. Webster said that the list showed that

when the extra large amount of coal was being used, the facts were that the amount was less than during the same months of the receding year.

Judge Doane suggested that with the state the fiscal year did not begin on January 1 and end with December 31. This was admitted, and Mr. Webster replied that he would have his man make the changes.

The bill showing that the legislature of 1801 respectively 1801 1891 provided \$12,000 to cover the deficiency for supplies at the hospital was offered in

evidence and admitted. This was to show that the members of the legislature knew of the shortage. Hopkins Tells of the Convicts' Labor.

Dan H. Hopkins, when he went on the stand, was asked if he heard the testimony of George Coy, who testified regarding the cell house. The witness had not heard the testimony. This brought the cell house matter before the court. Hopkins was war-den at the penitentiary at the time when Dorgan was building that cell house. "How much work would the convicts do in a day?" asked Mr. Webster.

About two-thirds as much as a citizen " "Would these men stand around and watch visitors?"

'No, sir; they would not; they were not allowed to do so."
"What kind of men were selected to work

on the cell house!"
"Good, strong, able bodied men, so far as I know; we got as many stone masons as we could find; there was nothing in the story that men who could not stand the work were turned over to Dorgan. "You were there on behalf of the state, were you not?" asked Mr. Lambertson, on cross-examination

Yes, sir; that is true." Does not the contract allow the contractor to select his own men!"

How many stone cutters did Dorgan start with?"
"Ten or twelve." "Give me their names."

"I think there was Bogy, Duncan, Jones, McGuire, McNinch, White, Morgan; the other fellows I don't remember; I think there was a man named Moore, but don't remem 'Do you think there were any others?"

"Yes, Shields."
"How many learned that trade in the penre was Jones, Duncan and McGuire.

You think a convict will do two-thirds as much work as a citizen; do they work as well for the state as for a contractor?" "I think so."

"You had no interest in seeing this work?"
"No more than to keep them from loading."
"Where were the window grates for the new cell house taken from?"
"From the old building which was formerly

Then Mr. Hopkins was allowed to go his Duties of the Respondents.

Mr. Webster here offered the record book

of the Board of Public Lands and Buildings. of the Board of Public Lands and Buildings.

He said that his purpose was to show the impracticability of the board going into the detail of examining every thing that was presented at their meetings.

Several pages of the record were read touching upon June, 1891, meetings. This, Mr. Webster said, was to show the magnitude of the work imposed upon the result.

tude of the work imposed upon the respond-After listening to the reading for half a hour Justice Maxwell suggested that the

attorneys agree upon some month which would represent a fair average of the business transacted.

R. H. Townley, the clerk of the State Banking Board, was sworn and asked: "Can

It is understood that the army officers of Fort Omaha will attend in a body the lecture to be given by Father Sherman at Exposition hall on Thursday evening, May 25. President W. F. Bechel presided at last night's meeting of the council for the first time in several weeks. He has just returned with his family from an extended sojourn at Hot Springs, Ark.

There was a small configuration at the

you state how many meetings the board held since January 8, 1891?"
"Yes, sir; sixty-two."
"Were all respondents members of this board!" asked Mr. Lambertson.
"No; the attorney general is the only one who is a member."
"Have you examined these records to ascertain how many meetings Mr. Hastings attended!"
"I have not."

'I have not." "Here's a meeting of January 28, 1891, at which I see Mr. Hill was the only member present; do you count that a meeting?"
"Yes, sir."

The first of two readings for the benefit of St. James' orphanage occurs at the house of Mrs. Joseph Garneau, ir., this afternoon. Mrs. Elia W. Peattie will read one of her sketches, "How Jacques Came to Arden Forest," and there will be music. "Here's another meeting where the records show that all you did was to adopt a resolu-There will be a regular meeting of the Omaha Veteran Firemen's association this evening at 8 o'clock at the office of Chief Galligan. The advisability of going to the World's fair this summer in a body will be discussed at this meeting, and all members are requested to be present. "Yes, sir."

Were there not meetings at which there were investigations held that were conducted by Mr. Hastings?" asked Mr. Web

Judge Doane objected, stating that the record was the best evidence of such fact, provided it existed.

Witness was handed the book and made his

examination, but could find no record of any such investigation. He explained that some things happened which were not shown

ecord of one of the meetings.
"How often are the meetings held?"

are the respondents the members!

"Once every three months."
"Have you charge of the records of the Board of Educational Lands and Funds, and

"Yes, sir."
"How many meetings were held in 1801?

"I don't know, but a great many."
"Mr. Cook, are you the clerk of these boards:" asked Mr. Lambertson.
"There is no clerk; I usually write up the meetings," answered the witness; "it don't

take long to dispose of the business of any

The work of the Board of Purchase and

Supplies consists principally of letting the contracts to the hignest bidder, does it

"No, it don't," replied the witness, slightly miffed.

"The members of this board don't ask for

"No, all the board has to do is to award the contract; the clerk does the checking."
"How many men are in the office of com-

missioner of public lands and buildings?"
"Ten, besides the commissioner and the

leputy."
"That's all," remarked Mr. Lambertson.
"No it's not," answered Mr. Webster, "for

With this he went into an inquiry of what were the duties of the clerks.

"How many hours daily do these cierks work!" asked Mr. Lambertson as the wit-

"Six hours each day, three in the morning and three in the afternoon.

While Managing Railroads.

Board of Transportation, was called as an-

other witness to show that the respondents were three overworked men. Witness thought that in August, 1891, the members

were meeting about twice each week, most

of getting the grain law in shape, but after

that the meetings were not so frequent, though they were held at least once each

"I will call your attention to a meeting in September, 1891," said Mr. Lambertson, "is that the meeting when the board decided not to increase the freight rate in the state?"

"Yes, sir."
"Yhes, sir."
"Who wrote that report?"
"Mr. Johnson and myself."
"It is a matter of fact that the secretaries

"We make the findings, look up the evidence and make the report; they sit there to hear that report and then decide the mat-

What is the principal work of the board?"

"We have not assumed jurisdiction of rates, so you see that one question does not bob up very often. The most of the work is

Mr. Webster wanted to keep right on showing that his clients were worked to death, and with that end he read several chapters from the record on the Board of

State Printing. Going through the book he found that five meetings were held during

When the reading was completed Mr. Lambertson suggested that Mr. Allen was

the only one of the respondents who was a

Where They Take it Easy.

board of canvassers which was introduced

to show that the respondents were com-pelled to do a great deal of work in discharging the duties of that board.
"This book," said Mr. Webster, addressing

the court, "shows how much detail the respondents paid to the work."
"Who did the work!" asked Mr. Lambert-

"I did the figuring and the state officers looked the figures over to see that they were

"What is the clerical force of the office?"
"Three clerks."

On redirect examination by Mr. Webster

Has not the work of that office been in-

reased during the past five years?".
"Yes sir, but I cannot say how much."
"You are not behind with your work, and

you commence work at 9 o'clock in the morn

ing, work until noon, rest an hour and work

three hours in the afternoon?" asked Mr.

"That's correct," answered the witness.
"Mr. Webster stated that he had had pre-

pared a statement showing that during the past five years the duties of the board had

been doubled, but that no provision had been

made for additional help in any of the

What the Baker Knew of the Flour.

"Yes, sir."
"Did the flour always come with the bills?"

"O, no; sometimes Lauer checked it; some-imes Davis' boy, and sometimes I

"How long were you at the asylum?"

"What did you do with the onis;"
"After the flour was unloaded and put into
the flour bin I would count the sacks and
then take the bill up to the office."
The witness then entered into a general
denial, saying that he never went before the

legislative committee, and swore that he re-turned bills without having checked the sacks, notwithstanding the fact that the

printed testimony was read to him. He said

that none of the questions were ever put to him, and that he made none of the answers

"You thought these people with whom you were dealing were all honest?"

"Did Lauer do some of the checking?"
"Yes; after he took it away from me."
"Did you ever notice any shortage?"

Did that not leave a shortage on the sec

"Was flour ever put into the bin, before you certified to the bill?"

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Carpenters Brotherhood No. 427 met last night and initiated seven new members.

Minor permits to the amount of \$2,600 were issued yesterday by the inspector of

Mrs. J. Bauer, who was found drowned in

Mrs. J. Bauer, who was bound drowned in a cistern at her home at 1710 Williams street Monday, will be buried at 2 o'clock today from Maul's undertaking establishment.

There was a small conflagration at the

High school Saturday and another one yesterday, caused by the new motor re-cently put into the building to replace the

The damage was insignificant.

Nervous headaches promptly cured by Bromo-Seltzer-trial bottle 10 cts.

reported by the stenographer.

"What would you do then?"

"I thought so.

ond load?"
"I don't know."

"Did they deliver the bills to you?"

"Yes, sir."
"What did you do with the bills!"

"Did you always see the flour unloaded? asked Mr. Lambertson.

"Yes, sir."
"You did not always check it?"

Judge Hayward.

Five years.

"Did you O. K. the bills?"

Nelson McDowell had the record of the

member of that particular board.

of which meetings were held for the purpos

W. A. Dilworth, secretary of the State

ness was leaving the chair.

all of the work?"

settling local disputes.'

Brad Cook, an employe in the land com-missioner's office, was called. The witness was the keeper of the record of the Board of Bishop Worthington's Reception to the Clergy and Laity of the Church. Work in Hamphrey's Office.

To show the amount of business which the board transacted, Mr. Webster read the SOCIAL GATHERING A GREAT SUCCESS

> Features of the Function-Representative Episcopalians Present-Woman's Auxiltary and Alumnie Association Elect Officers.

Brownell hall was in gala attire last night. Flowers and palms stood in the deep embrasures of the windows and the corners of the rooms that had been thrown ensuite in honor of Bishop Worthington's reception to the clergy and lasty of the diocese of Nebraska and the visiting bishops here to assist in celebrating the silver anni-versary of the Episcopal church in this state. Feathery fronds from innumerable places nodded a welcome to the hosts of people who crowded the Lall yes-terday from 3 until 11 o'clock, and added their tender green to a pretty and inspiring scene of social light and life. In addition to the representative citizen-

ship of the city, members of the Episcopal church, there were hosts of pretty young girls, members of Brownell hall, and the reception of last night was an event deserving distinguished consideration in their young lives. Prettily grouped on the stairways or about the corridors of the seminary, they added greatly to the joy of the occasion, and quite divided the honors with the cloth. Bisnop and Mrs. Worthington received in

the south parlor, assisted by Bishop Perry of Iowa, Bishop Garrett, Bishop Walker of North Dakota, Miss Kohlsaat, Dr. and Mrs. Doherty, with several of the ciergy to assist in the presentation of their parishioners to the body of right reverends.

Light refreshments were served in the dining room below stairs, while an orchestra

stationed in the south hallway played throughout the evening, now and then yielding the place to some vocalist from the choirs of the city, Mr. Jules Lumbard singing during the function "I Fear no Foe." Among the hundreds of people present the following were noticed: Dean and Mrs. Gardner, Rev. and Mrs. John Williams, Rev. and Mrs. T. J. Mackay, Rev. and Mrs. J. P. D. Llwyd, Rev. and Mrs. Rev. and Mrs. J. P. D. Llwyd, Rev. and Mrs. Macnab, Dr. and Mrs. Doherty, Rev. and Mrs. Goodal of Columbus, Rev. and Mrs. Burgess of Plattsmouth, Rev. and Mrs. Quian of Fremont, Rev. Mr. Hewitt of Lincoln, Revs. Flowers, James A. Williams, Paul Matthews, Blue, Cornell of Sioux City; Mrs. C. S. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Yates, Miss Yates, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Barkalow, Mr. and Mrs. Nowt Mrs. H. W. Yates, Miss Yates, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Barkalow, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Barkalow, General and Mrs. Cowin, Mr. and Mrs. Coles, Mr. and Mrs. A. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Chambers, Judge and Mrs. Strawn, Mrs. O. M. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Drake, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wells, Miss Reece, Dr. and Mrs. Moore, Miss Moore, Mr. White, Mr. Heth, Mr. and Mrs. George Barker, Miss Amy Barker, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Williams, Mrs. B. F. Crummer, Miss Crummer, Miss Susanne Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Fonda, Captain and Mrs. J. R. Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haller, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Fuller of Ashland, Mrs. J. W. Cotton, B. Fuller of Ashland, Mrs. J. W. Cotton, Mrs. Byron Reed, Miss Kountze, Mrs. Meikle, Mr. Arthur East, Mr. George Smith, Mrs. Heth, Miss Davenport, Miss Wallace, Mr. Funkhouser, Rev. F. D. Jaudon of Col-umbus, Rev. Dr. H. W. Oliver of Kearney, Rev. A. E. Marsh of Central City, Mrs. Harry Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. Flemon Drake, Miss Drake, Judge and Mrs. Wakeley, Charcellor J. M. Woolworth.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY ANNUAL.

Reports Show Satis'actory Success of the Work-New Officers Elected. The seventh annual meeting of the

Woman's Auxiliary of the Episcopal church in Nebraska was held at Trinity cathedral yesterday afternoon and was attended by several hundred ladies and gentlemen, in cluding many of the leading clergy of the

Bishop Worthington presided and Mrs. Woolworth, president tof the auxiliary, di-rected the deliberations of the meeting. Reports of the secretary, Miss Mathews, and the treasurer, Mrs. Ringwalt, read and adopted, showed the work to be in a satis factory condition.

Mrs. Woolworth read an able paper on the

general work of the Auxiliary, touching par-ticularly upon the convention of the Woman's auxiliary held at Baltimore. Bishop Worthington delivered a short ad-dress urging the need of greater effort along Switching back to the asylum feature of the case, the respondents put J. J. Burrell, the baker, upon the stand. missionary lines.

The annual election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Woolworth; first "Did the bulls come with the flour!" asked vice president, Mrs. J. Smith of Beatrice; second vice president, Mrs. J. C. Kier of Lincoln; third vice president, Mrs. Van Ostrand of Omaha; secretary, Miss Mathews of Omaha; treasurer, Mrs. Dr. Moore.

Representatives of each parish announced the amounts they would pledge for mission work for the coming year. The pledges were quite liberal and inspired the meeting with much hope for success during the year. Bishop Worthington asked the ladies to consider the expediency of making prepara-tions for the support of one more general missionary from the contributions of the diocese. He said that it would cost just \$1,200, to support a missionary and if the organization felt able to undertake it the funds could not be put to a better use.

Bishop Perry of Iowa was present and responded to an invitation to address the responded to an invitation to address the auxiliary. His address was full of hopeful ness and good cheer and was received with

Alumna Association Elects Officers. The annual meeting of the Alumnæ associ ation of Brownell hall was held in the li brary of the hall yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, and, as one lady expressed it,"it was the best business meeting ever held by the

association."

After hearing the reports of the various officers the election of new officials resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Phillip Potter; vice president, Miss Jean Morton: secretary, Miss M. Butterfield: treas-

Morton: secretary, Miss M. Butterfield: treasurer, Miss Yates. The executive committee is composed of Mrs. Denise Barkalow, Mrs. Richard Hall and Miss Davenport.

The desire of the association to raise money enough to endow a scholarship in Brownell seems likely of fulfillment, as \$500 was raised at the meeting of yesterday, \$3,000 being desired by the association before they will stop in the good work of giving some deserving girl an opportunity to acquire a liberal education at one of the noted schools for girls in the west. "Why, I would make them bring you more flour the next day, and then O. K. the first "Yes; always; sometimes there was flour in the bin, but I most always knew how much flour was there." schools for girls in the west.

Programs for Tomorrow. Wednesday, May 17-7 a. m., celebration 9 a. m., morning prayer; 10:30 a. m., high celebration, with sermon by Bishop Garrett, followed by the convening of the council; I p. m., lunch; 2 p. m., business session of the council; 4 p. m., choral evensong, with historical discourse by Hon. J. M. Woolworth, Li. D., chancelior of the diocese; 8 p.sm., annual missionary meeting; addresses by

hishops present.

Thursday, May 18—7 a. m., celebration; 9
a. m., morning prayer; 9:30 a. m., business
session of council; 1 p. m., lunch. In the Hands of the Police.

Will Smythe, an employe of the Bijou theater, is in custody on complaint of his wife, whom he has been beating regwhe, whom he has been beating reg-ularly for a month past, and who has sundry bruises to show in evidence against him. Smythe-is also ac cused of taking possession of his wife's sal ary check received from the Bijou and ap' propriating it to his own uses. The Smythes board at the Grand Central hotel. Burleigh Johnson and Will Robinson were arrested last night and locked up on a charge of petit larceny for stealing a \$30 set of pool balls from D. O'Neill, Sigteenth and Cum-

Sioux Braves Anxious to See the Fair. Lieutenant David P. Cordray of the Eighth infantry, U. S. A., arrived from Fort Robinson yesterday and registered at the Paxton. He reports that the Sioux Indians are the personification of peace and good behavior at present. There has been no

BEAUTY AT BROWNELL HALL

ghost dances or any desire to gyrate before the mythical Messiah at Pine
Ridge agency this spring. Lieutenant Cordray says that many
of the Sioux warriors, particularly the
young braves, have an ambition to attend
the World's fair.

The lieutenant was officer of the day at
the garrison at the time of the Middleton
affair. He says that Middleton, the colored
cavairyman who is said to be implicated in
the trouble with Ballinger at Fort Robinson, is at present in the guard house, awaiting disposition of his case.

LEADING THE RACE.

Nebraska's World's Fair Building Nearer Completed than Any Others.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 16 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-About 100 residents and former Nebraska citizens were at the state building today. Commissioner General Garneau and Mesdames Bock and McDonald of the womon's auxiliary board have been freely congratulated upon the progress made in the furnishing of the Nebraska headin few days more the furnishing will be

complete and the unique exhibits from the various counties will be in place. There are very few states so far along as Nebraska.

Commissioner Garneau today decided that no photographs shall be hung in the build-ing and a number of portraits, including a large group composing the executive com-mittee of the Women's Temperance union, sent here especially to be hung in the Ne-heastle here. sent here especially to be hung in the Ke-braska house, was stacked away in a corner along with several others. A large number of paintings by Nebraska artists have reached here and were framed today. From present appearances Nebraska will have a present appearance and attractive as a

building as hardsome and attractive as a majority of the others. majority of the others.

Omaha people registered at the building with their Chicago addresses are as follows: W. A. Corson, John W. Paul, E. A. Lambeth and wife, Great Northern; John T. Clarke, 4146 Beckley avenue; J. O. Phillipi and wife, George N. Foresman, 3714 Lake avenue; Chris Frahm and wife 78 Fore Felt Philipi Land wife. and wife, 78 East Fifty-third street; Mrs. Fred E. Hill, 443 Oakenwald avenue; R. Fred E. Hill, 443 Oakenwald avenue; R. B. Richardson, 2523 Capitol avenue; Mrs. John Clarke Jones, 2616 Harney street; C. W. Reed, James Renscow, Gores hotel; C. W. Reed, James Renscow, Gores hotel; B. Rowley and wife, Bunton house.

Among other Nebraska arrivals were:
George J. Coddington, Fremont; E. A. Lambeth and wife, Nebraska City, and J. N. Bowman, Lincoln.

Enroute for E rope.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., May 16.-James S. Ewing, minister to Belgium, and family left today, enroute for Europe. He will sail from New York on June 7.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. G. W. Clafbaugh left last evening for Morris Fitch, agent of the Hoosac Tunnel

freight line at Quincy. Ill., is among the guests at the Murray. Hon. Frank P. Ireland, ex-mayor of Nebraska City, arrived in the city last evening, accompanied by his wife.

Mr. Richard Hall left for New York last evening, where he will meet his sister, who is expected to arrive on the Britannic or Chicago, Ill., May 16.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—K. C. Morehouse, M. H. Hall, Miss Wintel and Miss Clement of Omaha

are at the Victoria hotel. Rev. J. M. Patterson, recently called to pastorate of First Presbyterian church, will arrive in Omaha tomorrow evening and will probably fill the pulpit on next Sunday.

W. B. Musser, president of the Central Labor union, is seriously ill at his home, 1315 Capitol avenue. He has been gradually sinking since Monday of last week, and his condition is now precarious. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Reynolds of Norfolk

Neb., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira B. Mapes at 113 North Thirty-second street. Mr. Reynolds is superintendent for the Fremont, Eikhorn & Missouri Valley railroad at Mr. J. H. Shunk, the Chicago theatrical magnate and proprietor of the Calhoun Opera company, is in town paying them a visit and incidencedly arranging his company's repertoire for next season. Mr. Shunk predicts a great future for opera com-

panies of the better class. A. B. Roeder of Denver, who is in town and several Colorado capitalists, have just filed articles of incorporation with a capital stock of \$1,000,000 to build a railway from Florence to Cripple Creek in the silver state.

large reduction works at Cripple Creek to treat the ores of that mining camp. Hon. W. M. Root of Madison, Wis., insurance commissioner of the state, has been in

the city for several days examining the books of the Woodmen of the World which has applied for the privilege of doing busi-res in that state. The work was com-pleted yesterday to the complete satisfaction of Mr. Root, who telegraphed his deputy issue the required certificate to the We men officers. State Senator Erwin of Tomah Wis., was with Commissioner Root and took an active part in the examination of the books. The Omaha officials of the order will establish camps in Wisconsin soon.

At the Mercer: Charles Zollinger, Karsas City; Major A. Kramer, U. S. A., wife and Misses Kramer; H. P. Lytle, Salt Lake; B. C. Hawley, Chicago; H. J. Neely, wife and baby, Wilber, Wash.; W. S. Billings, New York; B. S. Paddock, C. E. Winston, J. H. Ballinger, Fort Niobrara; George R. Scott, Beatrice; C. L. Burke, Stromsburg; H. G. Mason, Norfolk; R. C. Howard and wife, Lincoln.

New York, May 16.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—Omaha: W. Walker, St. Denis; W. H. Hall, Westminster; W. B. Taylor, Waldorf, Seward, Neb. C. S. Langworthy, D. B. Palmer, Broadway Central. Nebraka: A. D. Bitchi, St. Denis.

# A Friend

Wishes to speak through the Register of the beneficial results he has received from a regular use of Ayer's Pills, He says: "I was feeling sick and tired and my stemach seemed all out of order. I tried a number of remedies, but none seemed to give me relief until I was induced to try the old reliable Ayer's Pills. I have taken only one box, but I feel like a new man. I think they are the most pleasant and easy to take of anything I ever used, being so finely sugar-coated that even a child will take them. I urge upon all who are

In Need of a laxative to try Ayer's Pills." -Boothbay (Me.), Register.

"Between the ages of five and fifteen I was troubled with a kind of saltrheum, or eruption, chiefly confined to the legs, and especially to the bend of the knee above the calf. Here, running sores formed which would scab over, but would break immediately on moving the leg. My mother tried every-thing she could think of, but all was without avail. Although a child, I read in the papers about the beneficial effects of Ayer's Pills, and persuaded my mother to let me try them. With no great faith in the result, she procured

Ayer's Pills and I began to use them, and soon

noticed an improvement. Encouraged by this, I kept on till I took two boxes, when the sores disappeared and have never troubled me since."-H. Chipman, Real Estate Agent, Roanoke, Va. "I suffered for years from stomach and kidney troubles, causing very severe pains in various parts of the body. None of the remedies I tried afforded me any

relief until I began taking Ayer's Pills, and was cured."—Wm. Goddard, Notary Public, Five Lakes, Mich. Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass Sold by Druggists Everywhere. Every Dose Effective

GOT AWAY FROM THE CITY JAIL. The "Johnstown Kid" Slips the Officers

Right at His Cell Door. Frank Blair, otherwise known as the Johnstown Kid," is wanted by the police of Omaha and South Omaha. He made one of the neatest and most daring escapes from custody last night recorded in Omaha police

annals.

Together with a man calling himself Ed Balley, Blair was caught by Detectives Savage and Dempsey at the corner of Fourteenth and Dodge streets about half past 9 last evening. Balley gave Dempsey quite a struggle, and Blair offered to draw a weapon, but was speedily suppressed. The detectives arrested the men for connection with the Brayton, publishers at South Chapter. with the Brayton robbery at South Omaha on Monday night.

Arrived at the station, Blair and Bailey Arrived at the station, Blair and Bailey were both searched, and Officer Keysor had started to take the latter below and had called to Blair to follow, when the "Kid" made a sudden break, got through the door and outside the grating, and in a flash was out of the building and was making good time up Jackson street. When he bolted through the door of the grating he slammed it shut, and thereby gained several seconds on the officers.

Sergeant Shoup and Officer Keysor were

Sergeant Shoup and Officer Keysor were after the fugitive in an instant, the former going down to Fourteenth street to head him off in that direction, and Keysor follow ing Blair up Jackson street. Unfortunately ing Blair up Jackson street. Unfortunately there was a crowd of people at the corner of Fifteenth and Jackson, through which Blair broke his way, no one making any attempt to impede his progress, and Officer Keysor was thereby prevented from shooting while his man was in range. He took a shot at him as he flew down Fifteenth street, but did not hit his mark, said mark being at the time in the act of said mark being at the time in the act of making sprinting speed which the officer was unable to match, and the last seen of him was the fleeting glimpse that Sergeant Shoup caught of him as he flitted across

Leavenworth street.

On Bailey's person were found the waten stolen in South Omaha and 88.75 in cash, but a search of Blair's clothing developed nothing in the way of money or valuables. The "Kid" is being hotly pursued and is not likely to get far away. likely to get far away.

Railroad Directors Elected.

FORT DODGE, Ia., May 16 .- [Special Tele gram to THE BEE. |-The stockholders of the Mason City & Fort Dodge Railway held their annual meeting in this city this morning. The board of directors was elected as follows: W. W. Stephens, J. J. Hill, D. C. Shepard, Hamilton Brown and Samuel A. Breed. The directors will hold a meeting it St. Paul early in June

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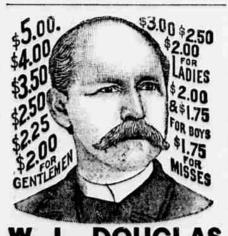
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