DISACREE ON VALUATIONS

State Board of Assessment Divided on Railroad Assessment-

FINALLY ADJOURN UNTIL THURSDAY

Mortensen and Polimer Have One View of Method of Arriving at Result and Other Members Have Another.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, May 17 .- (Special.)-The State Board of Equalization adjourned this morning until Thursday morning and therefore will not report its findings on the valuation of railroad property until after the state convention. The adjournment came about after a lengthy debate between Treasurer Mortensen and Auditor Weston about a method to arrive at the value of the roads, Governor Mickey and Secretary of State Marsh voting with Weston and Land Commissioner Folmer voting with

Mortensen. This morning Treasurer Mortensen moved the adoption of a resolution in substance that the board value the property of a certain railroad, including the franchise and all the items specified in the statutes at a certain figure. The figures are not made public for the reason that Mr. Mortensen held the records, in his opinion, were not public property, and therefore I would be out of place for him to make public the figures. Secretary Bennett has made a ruling that when the board coneludes its work the facts will be made public and not before.

This resolution was moved as an amendment to the motion of Auditor Weston that the board proceed to find the value of the tangible property of the roads by placing a value on each item. This the board voted to do.

In support of his resolution Mr. Mortensen argued that he had done that, and so had the secretary of the board, the figures having been before the board for some days, and that therefore there was nothing to do but find the result. While he advocated taking every piece of tangible property, as well as the stocks and bonds and the income, into consideration in arriving at the valuation, and did so, Mr. Mortensen was opposed to making a record of the value of every item for the reason that if an acre of ground was valued too high or any item seemed to be valued too high it would give the roads just that much more ground upon which to base a lawsuit. He also called the attention of the board to the supreme court decision filed by the railroads that it was illegal for a state to tax the franchise a railroad whose charter had been granted by the federal government. His argument, however, had no effect, and Mr. Weston carried with him a majority of

Though voting against Mr. Mortensen's proposition, Governor Mickey said this afternoon that he intended to use his best judgment in arriving at a conclusion and that he intended to take the value of the stocks and bonds or the net earnings, capitalized at a per cent yet to be figured out, and from that subtract the value of the tangible property to find the value of the franchise. The governor stated that he wanted to go on record with a value for every item and if the roads didn't like it then have the courts settle the matter.

School Fund Apportionment. The apportionment of school money made by Treasurer Mortensen is divided among the various counties as follows:

	No. of	Am
County. Agams	7.980	1 9.34
Aptelope	4,722	_ 5,24
Blaine	171	10
Boone	4,484	5,22 7,96
Box Butte	1,663	3,94
Brown	1,258	1.47
Brown Buffalo' Burt	7,923	9,33
Butler	5,629	6,63
Cass	7,478	8,80
Butler Cass Cedar Chase	5,068	1,00
Cherry Cheyenne	1,815	2,13
(19 a st	E-510	1,88
	4 994	5,10
Corrax Cuming Custer Dakota Dawes Dawes Dawnon Deuei Dixon	7,849	6,60 9,24
Dakota	2,829	2,74
Dawes	1,835	5,16
Deuel	696	. 81
Dixon	7,685	9,06
Douglas	42,002	49,47
Dundy	869	1,02
Douglas Douglas Dundy Filimore Franklin Frontier Furnas Gage Garneld	3,480	6,42
Frontier	3,919	3,43
Gage	10.542	12,41
Gurfield	873	1,02
Gent	1,805	2,12
Gosper Grant Greeley	2,580	3,03
Hall Hamilton	5,938	6,99
Harlan	8,195	5,82
Hayes	1,694	1.05
Holt	4.797	1.87 5,65
Harian Hayes Hitchcock Holt Hooker Howard Jeffersen Johnson Kearney	158	18
Jefferson	4,233 6,333	4,98 6,28
Johnson	4,686	4.81
Kearney	3,581	4,21
Keith Keya Paha Elmbali	1,168	1,76
Rnox	287 5,862	6,90
Lancaster	22,072	26,00
Lincoln	3,963 345	4,63
Loup	. 582	- 68
Madison	6,290	7,40
McPherson	2,127 2,914	3,68
Nance	2.914	3,43
Nemaha Nuckolis Otoe	4,363	5,94 5,12
Otoe	7,188	B, 46
Pawnes Perkins	6.221	6,97
Perkins	3,645	4,17
Platte	3,444 6,538	4,66
Polk Red Willow	4,027	7,70 4,74
Richardson	6,690	7,87
Rock	1,146	1,34
Barpy	8,679	7,86
Manndors	B 007	9,51
Scott's Bluff	1,141 5,643	1.34
Sheridan	1.553	2,18
Bherman	2,681	2,18 3,18
Stanton	2.734	8,23
Thayer Thomas	5,291	6,23
Thomas Thurston	2.106	2,48
Valley Washington	3,896	3,41
Washington	4,602	6,41
Webster	4,025	4.74
Wheeler		7.40

Total . Mickey Names Delegates. Governor Mickey today named these dele gates from Nebraska to the thirty-first



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annual meeting of the National Conference of Charities and Corrections, to be held in Portland, Me., from June 15 to 22:

Portland, Me., from June 15 to 22:

Rev. Joseph Ruesing. West Point; Dr.
J. L. Greene, Asylum; Rev. A. W. Clark,
Omaba; Dr. A. Johnson, Beatrice; Mrs.
E. C. Johnston, Lincoln; Mrs. S. B. Sohns,
Lincoln; Rev. E. P. Quivey, Omaha; B. D.
Hayward, Kearney; Hon. E. B. Andrews,
Lincoln; R. E. Stewart, Omaha; J. P.
Conley, Omaha; Hon. George A. Adams,
Lincoln; J. E. Miller, Lincoln; H. V. Hoagland, Lincoln; John Davis, Lincoln: Dr.
W. B. Kern, Hastings; Rev. J. W. Seabrook, University Place; Mrs. Emma P.
Davis, Lincoln; Miss. M. Kealy, Milford;
Rev. H. Heiner, Lincoln; A. D. Beemer,
Lincoln; C. E. Prevey, Lincoln; Prof. J. T.
Morey, Nebraska City; Rev. G. W. Martin,
Lincoln; O. M. Routzahn, Lincoln; Mrs.
A. Johnson, Beatrice; H. M. Clark, Geneva.

Allow Franchise to Lapse. LEIGH, Neb., May 17 .- (Special.)-On the 15th of last January the village board granted a franchise to J. H. Pieper of this place to build and operate a telephone Mr. Pieper sold the franchise to F. E. Bell and Mr. Hamilton B. Blackledge of Wayne, By the terms of the sale, a company was to be organized with an authorized capital of \$10,000, \$5,000 of which was to be paid One half of the stock was to be sold in Leigh and the other half was to be taken by the Wayne gentlemen. All the Leigh stock with the exception of \$150 was sold at once and the Wayne men went away, agreeing that the building would be commenced within one week. They did not even walt to effect an organization and have the company incorporated, but began shipping material for construction, among which was two carloads of poles, which are still on the sidetrack, with about \$50 demurrage taxed against them. Things went on this way and Saturday the franchise became void on account of time.

'Phone System for Arapahoe. ARAPAHOE, Neb., May 17 .- (Special.)-Local capitalists, incorporated as the Arapahoe Independent Telephone company, with an authorized capital of \$20,000, although but \$3,000 has so far been expended. opened today for business one of the most complete plants in the state, with sixtyfour 'phones connected by separate wire with a central switchboard. Twenty more drops will be added at once, its full capacity, together with six drops for party lines, reserved for the country connections, three of which are spoken for. One line is to run southeast eight miles, one north ten miles and one to Holbrook, six miles, to connect with the Cambridge independent 'phone line from the west. It is the intention of the incorporators to extend country lines in every direction front Arapahoe where desired and to furnish 'phone at a nominal price in the interests of the town rather than for profit. There is now \$2,000 cash on hand to extend the system. and as much more as may be necessary to make it complete in every particular. The phone company also assures our citizens

that electric lights may be an adjunct of

nights of the winter are at hand.

The Leigh parties have now withdrawn

their support from the project.

Two Hold a Convention DAKOTA CITY, Neb., May 17 .- (Special.) -Dakota county democrats seem to be afraid of water, judging from the attendance at the delegate county convention held at this place yesterday to select delegates to attend the state convention which is to be held at Omaha June 6. Yesterday was a very rainy day, which might account for the small attendance at the convention. There were only two persons present, Thomas Ashford, ir., of Homer, and Thomas Sullivan, ir., of Jackson, who represented Omadi and St. John's precincts, respectively. The democrats of this precinct were not aware that a convention had been called, consequently had no delegation present and they did not know anything about the convention until it was over. Messrs, Ashford and Sullivan met together in the court house hall, but as they both left for their respective homes as soon as the meeting was over it was impossible to get a report of the proceedings.

Harmony is Lincein County.

NORTH PLATTE, Neb., May 17.—(Special.)—The republican county convention.

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BEATRICE, May 17.—The young men of the Fourth ward held a meeting last night for the purpose of organization was perfected and twenty-eight signed the roll to become members of the organization. Which is very much needed in the eastern part of the city. The meeting adjourned until Wednesday evening, May 26, at which time a permanent organization will be perfected. The new hose cart has arrived and is now ready for use by the company. A Peter two Union Pacific fire. There were only two persons present. Thomas Ashford, jr., of Homer, and

cial.)-The republican county convention held here Saturday was well attended and of a very harmonious character. Prior to the meeting there were indications of bad blood in the contest for the nomination of county judge, made necessary by the death of the late Judge Baldwin, but after the convention had declared its preference for W. C. Elder, the defeated candidate in a short statement declared himself a repub-lican in defeat as well as in victory and gave emphatic assurance that he would support the nominee. Roach was nominated for county attorney over T. C. Patterson, an old republican wheel horse, who is too old a republican to be disgruntled by defeat. In fact, republicans here realize this is not the year for factional differences and will be found working harmoniously to give a large majority for every name on their ticket.

Improvements at North Bend. NORTH BEND, Neb., May 17 .- (Special.) This year is marked by great improve ments here, both public and private. Every street in the city is being graded, plank crossings being replaced by flagging and cement. New wells are being sunk at the stand-pipe to a depth of 140 feet and fresh paint adds much to the appearance of the city hall and stand-pipe. The firemen's hall has been thoroughly renovated and is said to be one of the most commodious and tasty in the state. A number of new residences are under course of erection Gas and water are being introduced into many of the old residences and all of the

New Burlington Agent in Beatrice. BEATRICE, Neb., May 17.—(Special.)— Henry V. Lewis, for the past six or eight years general agent of the Burlington road at Atchison, Kan., arrived in the city last evening with his family and will at once assume charge of the office of division freight and passenger agent at this point, made vacant recently by the promotion of W. W. Johnston, who became second assistant general freight agent of the Burlington at Omaha. H. B. Segur, who was to have succeeded Mr. Johnson at this point, will be Mr. Lewis' auccessor at Atchison

Maim Escapes from Reformatory. BEATRICE, Neb., May 17.-(Special.)-Chief Ashenfelter yesterday received word from the city marshal of Topeka that the young man giving the name of E. C. Malm, who was locked up for stealing a small amount of money and articles of more or less valus from the office of Black Brothers, millers, of this city, had escaped from a reformatory at that place and that the officers would be here after him in a day or two. The Topeka officer stated that the young man's right name is Albert Deere. He will be held awaiting the arrival of the Kansas authorities.

Destente Cutholie Church. M'COOK, Neb., May 17 .- (Special Telegram.)-St. Patrick's Catholic church of this city was formally dedicated this morning, Rt. Rev. Thomas Bonacum of Lincoln officiating, assisted by Rev. D. preached the sermon on the occasion. Father Fitzgerald conducted high mass.

class of eighty-four was confirmed by the START ON SIGNAL SCHOOL bishop. It was a great day for the Catholics of McCook and vicinity.

News of Nebraska. M'COOK, May II.—The remains of Brake-man George R. Snyder, who was injured in the McCook yards Saturday morning, were taken to Lincoln this morning for inferment.

interment.

NORTH PLATTE, May 17.—Contrary to first expectations Jack Monroe, who attempted suicide, as reported, is improving and the physicians now express the opinion that he will recover.

PAPILLION, May 17.—This county has been soaked during the past twenty-four hours by a slow, steady rain, of great value to small grain. Frost so far has not injured the gruit.

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PLATTSMOUTH, May 17.—In police court Judge Weber fined Hattie Harkins 250 and costs for selling liquor without a license. Ida Glitner and Margaret Sanford were each fined \$1 and costs for being inmates

FREMONT, May 17 .- Over an inch of rais

fell here yesterday, which, with the rain of the day before, left the roads in a heavy condition. The ground is so wet that it will be several days before farmers can resume corn planting. Small grain is looking well and the prospects are good for fruit. and the prospects are good for fruit.

NORTH PLATTE, May 17.—This fown appears to be the dumping ground for all the hoboes in the country, no less than fifty putting in an appearance this morning. Such a nuisance are they becoming that the citizens are advocating the establishment of a rock pile for their benefit.

NORTH PLATTE May 17.—The frost ishment of a rock pile for their benefit.

NORTH PLATTE, May 17.—The frost which has visited this section two or three nights lately did but slight damage. Fortunately the night of the heaviest freeze there was a slight wind blowing, which prevented "Old Jack" from nipping so seriously as he would have done under other conditions.

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NORTH BEND, May 17.—A cold rain has fallen almost continuously since Sunday noon, which will prove disastrous to the fruit yield, as all the trees are at present in full blossom. Corn is about nine-tenths planted and many have been replanting, owing to the seed falling to germinate. Small grains are in excellent condition and look promising.

FREMONT, May 17.—Lysle Gregory, the Denver officer who was murdered in that city Saturday, was formerly a resident of Saunders county and quite well known in this city. He had many friends and stood exceptionally well in the community. His parents visited friends here a few weeks age, and on account of the condition of affairs in Colorado felt very anxious about their son.

their son.

BEATRICE. May 17.—Robert Davis has returned from Oregon, bringing with him two bear cubs about 7 weeks old, which he captured thirty-five miles west of Albany. He was attucked by the mother bear and after a desperate encounter with the animal he succeeded in killing it with an ax. The little animals are on exhibition here and are beautiful specimens of the black bear family.

bear family.

WEST POINT, May 17.—Frank Rowe, a man of 35 years of age, was arraigned before County Judge Louis Dewald yesterday on the charge of statutory assault on the person of the 18-year-old daughter of Fred Eggert, a farmer living three miles east of the city. The defendant offered no defense and was bound over to the district court. Bond was placed at 11,000, which the prisoner was unable to furnish.

FAVID CITY May 12

court. Bond was placed at \$1,000, which the prisoner was unable to furnish.

DAVID CITY, May 17.—A heavy rain commenced falling Sunday afternoon, continuing all night and most of the day Monday; also Monday night. Nearly two inches of rain fell. The farmers are all done planting corn and the rain was needed to start the corn to growing. Wheat, oats, pastures and meadows never looked more promising at this time of year. The late frost did not injure the fruit in the least.

COLUMBUS, May 17.—The jury in the case against Carl Smith returned a verdict this evening of guilty, after being out less thas an hour. Smith was convicted of stealing a team and buggy belonging to F. J. Seines on March 16. He was arrested about a month later at Exeter, Neb. Had he been acquitted he would have been at once rearrested by the sheriff of Gregory county, South Dakota, who wanted Smith on a more serious charge.

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NORTH PLATTE. May 17.—Hugh Gaunt
and J. A. Peters, two Union Pacific firemen, just returned from a trip to the
metropolis looking as though they had
been run through, a threshing machine.
While enroute to Omaha they undertook
to keep in subjection a gang of drunken
rowdles who were maitreating and assaulting the passengers on the train, and, while
they succeeded in saving the passengers,
they received terrible punishment. The
company gives them great credit for their
manly conduct.

FREMONT May 17.—A house at the

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FREMONT. May 17.—A house at the corner of Sixth and I streets, which was at the time it was built. In 1888, the most pretentious residence in the city, was torn down today to make room for a modern dwelling. The house was originally plastered with ordinary gumbo mud, which was thought at the time to be an improved substitute for the higher priced article. The original owner was a carpenter and contractor and his expectations that gumbo would take the place of lime and sand for plastering were not realized.

DAVID CITY, May 17.—The fourth annual session of the David City Chautauqua assembly will be held at Chautauqua park, July 30 to August 7. Superintendent Harmon promises a program far superior to that of any previous session. A part of the taient has been secured as follows: Toyokichi Iyenaga, Ph. D., of Japan, lecturer in political science. University of Chicago; Rev. Father Vaughan of Minnesota, Alton Packard, cartoonist, Frank R. Roberson. Illustrated lectures; General Z. T. Sweeney of Columbus, Ind., and Thomas McClary. Negotiations are now being made for musical taient and within a few days contracts will be closed with four or five strong musical organizations. Managers Williams and Gates announce that the detailed programs will be ready for distribution one month earlier than usual.

War Department Will Put Present Buildings in Shape This Year.

LOOKS TO CONGRESS FOR APPROPRIATION

Land Department is Busy Preparing the Detail for the Opening of the Indian Lands in Gregory

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, May 17 .- (Special Telegram.)-The establishment of a school of instruction for the signal corps of the army at Fort Omaha, which has been decided upon by the general staff, must necessarily be slow, as there is no considerable amount of money available at this time to erect the necessary buildings for officers and men, but Fort Omaha will be made an important adjunct to the signal corps and already Quartermaster General Humphrey has commenced inquiries as to what may be done with the brick buildings at the fort, so as to put them in habitable condition. While the matter is still in the air, sufficient is known, however, of the plans of the War department so far as the establishment of the signal corps at Fort Omaha is concerned nothing will be done until after July I, when the new appropriation for the army becomes avail-Immediately after that date the brick administration building will be put in condition for occupancy by a company of the signal corps, with mess hall and a hospital fitted probably with a dozen beds. The commandant's house, which was built by General Crook, will also be put in repair for the occupancy of the commandant, while the other brick buildings will

he used for storage purposes. It is probable General Chaffee will set aside for the rehabitation of Fort Omaha \$20,000, to be spent during the summer, so that a company of the signal corps may occupy the fort in the fall. Then the War department will look to the Nebraska delegation and its friends on the military committee of the two houses to secure a direct appropriation of \$200,000 or upward for the onstruction of additional buildings and whatever may be needed to make the post habitable.

The chief signal officer, General A. W Greeley, insists upon this, in view of the fact that he is leaving a post in Virginia where \$100,000 has been spent for signal corps purposes, to establish a school and depot for the signal service at Fort Omaha.

Preparing for Rosebud Opening. Officials of the general land office are now engaged in preparing details to carry out the proclamation of the president which opens to settlement some 2,400 homesteads in Gregory county, South Dakota, Commissioner Richards is not giving the least attention to the objections of Chamberlain against the proposed action of the depart nent in removing temporarily the land office from Chamberlain to Bonesteel. In reality, Commissioner Richards said today that he had received no formal protest against his action, but he has had called to his attention through marked copies of newspapers published in the vicinity of Chamberlain hints that the temporary transfer of the land office from Chamberlain to Bonesteel would be extremely dis tasteful to residents of that city.

"However," said Commissioner Richards today, "I will proceed upon the lines I have mapped out as to the opening of the Rosebud country.

"During the early rush the land offices will be located at Bonesteel. After the rush is over the land offices will be returned to Chamberlain, but it is my confident belief that the best interests of all concerned will be best conserved by establishing a temporary land office at Bone-

steel and I shall adhere to this program." Inspecting Indian Schools. The annual inspection of the Omaha and Winnebago Indian schools will be made this reservations and begin his inquiry. The investigation this year will be of particular interest in view of the fact that these reservations have recently been placed under the control of bonded school superintendents. For many years the Omahas and Winnebagos were under the control of an agent. Then came the change. The agent was made school superintendent, but retired, however, after a few months' service and then it was decided by the commis sioner of Indian affairs to divide the reservation, placing a bonded school superintendent in charge of each. Inspector Jen-

kins goes to these reservations to ascertain how the new plan is working. Not Charmed with Choice.

The selection of Becretary Cortelyou as chairman of the republican national committee is not received with enthusiasm by republican leaders from New York. There are several of these gentlemen in Washington today and one of them, commenting upon the selection, said:

"Mr. Cortelyou is an admirable gentle man in every respect. He is accredited to New York, but he has never been identified with the politics of the state. He is practically unknown to the great business interests of New York City and that fact will handicap him. It is essential that money should be obtained and it would have been infinitely easier to secure the sinews of war for the national committee, If some one in closer touch with the people

Mr. Cortelyou will not be expected to conduct the campaign alone. He will have the advice and help of at least four vicchairmen and one of these will be James W Blythe of Burlington, Ia., who has been urged for chairman by the people of the west generally. Blythe understands the practical side of political methods infinitely better than Mr. Cortelyou possibly can, be cause he has been in politics for years.

Senator Scott will without, doubt have charge of affairs in the southwest and Murray Crane in New England. The fourth man is still to be chosen, probably he will be Harry S. New of Indiana.

The vice chairmen will act as an advisory committee and with the aid of Cornellus N. Bliss, who will continue as treasurer there is no reason to believe that the campaign will be devoid of interest. The sec retary of the national committee is said to be selected. The "old timers" are in sisting upon the election of Elmer Dover who was private secretary of the late Senator Hanna, Mr. Dover, in view of his association with the "man who made Mc Kinley" is better qualified than any other who has been mentioned for the place and he will have the strongest sort of backing among Mr. Hanna's friends, although there are a number of other candidates in the

DEATH RECORD.

Captain W. C. Henry FAIRMONT, Neb., May 17.—(Special.)— The funeral of Captain W. C. Henry was held at the Methodist church, the pastors of the Congregational, Presbyterian and Methodist churches taking part in the services The building was crowded to its utmost capacity. The Grand Army of the Republic, the Ancient Order of United Workmen, the Women's Relief Corps and the county officials attended as well as the members of the bar at Geneva, thus testifying by their presence the respect they felt for the deceased. Mr. Henry leaves a widow, three sons and two daughters to mourn his loss.

Edgar Brown. BEATRICE, Neb., May 17 .- (Special.)-Edgar Brown, for the past thirty years a resident of Blue Springs, died Sunday of tuberculosis of the bowels, aged 65 years Mr. Brown was quite prominent in political circles, having served on the county board of supervisors for eight years, be ing chairman last year. He was a native of New York and was a member of the Masonic lodge of Blue Springs, which order will have charge of the funeral services He is survived by his wife and three daughters.

Ephriam Cook PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., May 17,-(Special.) -Ephriam Cook, who has been an inmate of the Nebraska Masonic Home for some time, has passed away. He was 86 years of age. The remains were taken to York Neb., for burial.

HYMENEAL.

AUBURN, Neb., May 17 .- (Special.)-Married at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bryant, Miss Harriet Bryant to William D. Culwell. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. L. Petit of the Christian church.

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Book Agent Gets New Trial. STURGIS, S. D., May 17 -- (Special.)county district court held in this city Saturday. This was for the purpose of hearing a motion for a new trial for P. D. Paganetti, a salesman for F. P. Collier & Son, who was convicted at the April term of forging a book order. After a full hearing the motion was granted on the grounds that the instrument as set out in year by Inspector James E. Jenkins of the information was not the subject of Iowa. He will in a few days reach the forgery; that it had no capacity to injure anyone; that the defendant under the evidence could not profit in any manner by this transaction, and hence that there was

a lack of fraudulent intent. Heaviest Rainfall of Season. HURON, S. D., May 16 .- (Special.)-Rain fell here continuously from early Sunday evening till 9 o'clock Monday morning. It was the heaviest rainfall so far this season and covered the entire Jim river valley. All crops, which were making fair growth, will be greatly benefited and pasturage given a much needed soaking. The ground is in fine condition for corn planting and that work will now be pushed rapidly to completion. The estimated acreage to corn in this locality is about equal to that of

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Convicted of Picking Pocket. BEATRICE, Neb., May 17 .- (Special Telegram.)-The jury in the case of Charles Gray, charged with picking the pocket of Mr. Simpson, a traveling man, last September, brought in a verdict of guilty, after being out about an hour. A previous jury disagreed in the case of King, another of the gang accused of being implicated in the robbery, and his case will be retried later. The hearing of George F. Bears, another of the party, will be taken up to-

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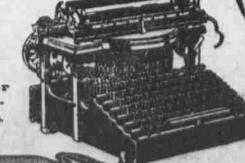
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