LIKENED TO HOG PEN ALSO

Sheriff and His Porce Blameless, the Responsibility Palling on the Size and Inadequacy of the Building.

Jeolaring if the people of Douglas county and Omaha knew the condition existing at the county jail they would rise up and demand that the authorities do something relieve the situation, the county jury handed Judge Sears a special report in which they advocate agitation until a new jail building is erected. The present structure is likened in the report to a "hog pen," a "stock car" and "Libby prison."

The report is signed by all sixteen of the jurors and is the result of a visit the grand jury made to the jail last week. It says that Sher'ff Brailey and his assistants are in no way to blame for the conditions as they are doing the best they can.

After telling of the visit to the jall the report continues: In view of the frightful conditions found there we deem it our duty to report them

it once. It is with shame and regret that we find ssary to report that everything per-to the jail and the prisoners therein most deplorable, miserable and dis-

gusting condition.

The jail is in all respects unsasitary.
Upon entering we were greeted with a
nauseous, stifling odor that was positively
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We found that it is necessary to require six men to sleep in a smail cell scarcely large snough for one. We found that there are 125 prisoners confined in the jail at this time and that this is far below the average, and yet there is not room for the proper accommodation of more than one-fifth that it may be an another than the are as many as 185 men, women and children crowded into these miserable quarters, reminding one of a stock car loaded with cattle or hogs.

We find that it is frequently necessary to confine in one room 100 men and boys of all ages, conditions and color. Here are prisoners charged with all the various crimes from vagrancy to murder; here vile and wretched criminals, old sind hardened in the business, are huddled together with young men and boys, who are often the victims of misfortune rather than crime. The result can scarcely be imagined, much less described. In this room, without ventilation, the air so foul as to be nauseating in the extrems, these prisoners are compelled to live and eat and sleep. One who would crowd his hogs together and compel them to live in air so inpure would be arrested for cruelty to animals. Libby prison in its paimiest days could not have been worse than the Douglas county jall, except perhaps in the item of food.

Prisoners Sickly and Pale.

The result of all this is that prisoners confined here a short time appear sickly and pale. Young men and boys, comparatively ignorant of the ways of the criminal, huddled together with dope fiends, vicious and hardened criminals, learn lessons in vice and crime that they never dreamed of before.

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We desire to assett, however, that the sheriff and his assistants are in no wise at fault for the conditions as they now exist. They are doing the best they can with the means at hand.

This jall was erected many years ago, at a time when the needs of Douglas county were not one-fifth what they are today. In our judgment the alterations now contemplated by the county commissioners are only a makeshift, and while they may relieve the situation in some respects for the time being, will do but little good.

The only remedy is a new, modern jail building, one that is santiary and can be ventilated, one that is large enough so that the old and victous criminals can be separated from those young men and boys who have taken their first step in wrong-doing.

The members of this grand jury feel

doing.

The members of this grand jury feel confident that whenever the citizens of Douglas county become familiar with the conditions herein faintly described they will

conditions herein faintly described they will not only sanction the erection of a new jail, but will demand of those in authority that immediate steps be taken to bring this about. We find that similar recommendations have been made by every grand jury called within the last ten years and yet nothing has been done.

We therefore suggest that if this report falls to move those in authority snother grand jury be called soon and this matter be still further agitated and these conditions be continuously proclaimed from the housetope until the good people of Omaha and Douglas county rise up and demand that this foul blot be removed from their midst. Dynamite Wrecks Buildings

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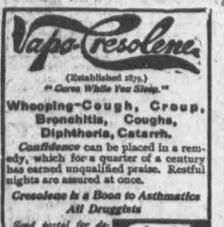
"The Making of a Millenium." Read it. POLICE DO SPLENDID JOB

Omaka Force Praised by Wyoming Man for Great Piece of Work.

After Walter Woodall heard the evidence the state could produce to prove he picked the pocket of J. E. Amos of DuBois, Wyo., he decided to plead guilty to the charge and Judge Sears of the district court sentenced him to three years in the penitentiary. Woodall at first demanded a trial and the jury was selected Monday morning. After Amos had testified he changed his mind and admitted his guilt. He took a pocketpook containing between \$600 and \$700 worth of diamonds from Amos' pocket. Woodall wept as Judge Sears pronounced

Mr. Amos passed through Omaha October saloon on Douglas street a box of jewelry was taken from his pocket. Though the indictment said it was worth \$700, Mr. was in Omaha Monday and appeared Amos paid a tribute to the skill of the Omaha police force.

"As there were six or seven implicated get all the Jewelry," said Mr. Amos, "but within three days after the robbery the the jewelry in the case. It was in the posion of half a doson different fellows, but they collected it and the conviction of Woodall today shows they had the right



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LAW ON SALE OF FIRE ARMS

Ordinance by Brucker Contemplates Drawing Tighter Lines.

SPOT MAN WHO BUYS THE WEAPON Springfield, Galva and Canton on the same

Compel Dealer to Hold License and Take Name and Address of Purchaser So as to

Keep Watch.

Providing for a system of permits and certificates to be signed by both the seller and the purchaser of small firearms, 17, 1807, and as he came out of the Turf the iron is hot. The new ordinance will water for delegate-at-large to the national

Amos says it was worth more than \$1,000 ordinance which the councilman from the Secretary Taft for the presidential nomina-and consisted of forty different pieces. He Fifth ward is working on, every dealer tion in the national convention. The polis against Woodsli. After the pickpocket from the city before he can dispose of his o'clock, there being one polling place in had confessed and been sentenced Mr. wares. In addition to this he must keep a each ward of the city, one in South Omaha register and whenever a small firearm and one in each country precinct. is sold must take the name of the purchaser, the character of the article sold and in the robbery, it would seem impossible to the number of the article. This information must then at once be transmitted to the police and the peace officers can then Omaha police had secured every piece of keep watch of any person in the possession of a weapon whom they believe to be unsafe.

Pawnshops Too Free. "The principal trouble with concealed weapons-and it was a concealed weapon with which Officer Drummy was shotrests primarily with the pawnshops," says Mr. Brucker. "Anyone can go to a pawnshop and buy any kind of a weapon he wishes and no record is kept. Under the nope to pass, the police will be able to

trace crimes and the perpetrators of them more readily." Under the ordinance now in force it is unlawful for any person to wear under his clothes, or concealed about his person, any pistol or revolver, colt, billy, slungshot, brass knuckles or knuckles of lead. dirk, dagger, or any knife resembling a bowie knife, or any other dirk, dagger, or any knife resembling a bowie knife, or any dangerous or deadly weapon within the corporate limits of the city of Omaha." Mr. Brucker's ordinance will incorporate

CUT RATES ON IMPLEMENTS Better Turiffs May Be Secured from

Peoria to Omaha Through Avery's. Better rates may be secured on farm mplements from Peoria to Omaha and other Missouri river cities, as a result of a complaint filed by the Avery Manufac-

turing company before the Interstate Com-

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Notice has been received by the Omaha Commercial club that the Avery company will demand a reduction of 4 cents per 100 pounds. The rate from Peoria to Omaha is 26% cents. The company holds that it is a discrimination because the rate from class is 221/2 cents.

PRIMARY OF REPUBLICANS Only One Set of Delegates for Each Convention Makes it Formal.

Only two sets of delegates, one for each convention, having filed there will be no excitement at the republican primaries Councilman G. F. Brucker is working on a more stringent provision governing the Douglas county to the state and congresscarrying of concealed weapons. The wan- sional conventions which will be held in ton murder of Officer Drummy by the Omaha on Thursday, March 12. One hunnegro Jones brings Councilman Brucker's dred and two delegates will be elected to proposal more forcibly to the attention of each convention, the delegates to the state the public and he proposes to strike while convention being to vote for Victor Rosebe presented to the council Tuesday even- conention and for Myron T. Learned and Arthur C. Smith as district delegates. According to the provisions of the new These three, in turn, are pledged to support in small firearms must procure a license will be open Tuesday evening from 7 to 9

COAL BURNS OF OWN ACCORD Just Starts Up and One Hundred Dollars Worth of Damage is

Done. The coal in a large shed of the Benson Lumber and Coal company, Forty-first and Grant streets, began to burn "of its own accord" about 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon and by the time it was discovered and extinguished the fire had damaged the shed to the extent of \$100.

Fire starting during the absence of the family did \$100 damage to the house at provisions of the new ordinance, which I 1818 Nicholas street occupied by Mrs. Delia

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Beautiful fancy Silk of various colors, 19 inches and 27 inches wide, pretty neat effects as well as plaids, etc., especially desirable for dresses, waists, etc., worth 85c, Tuesday,

Beautiful new Silks, mostly 27 inches widechecks, stripes, neat figures-the colorings are the very choicest, the most wanted rough silks in browns, blues, tans or greens are

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