COLD THIEVES RAID DENTISTS

Robbers, Evidently Organized, Plun- party was at work during the night. der Number of Places Sunday.

GET \$1,000 OF GOLD IN A NIGHT

Sten! Several Thousand Dollars Worth of Filing in Last Few Months-Detectives Are on the A Treated

Gold, nothing but gold, to the amount nicely calculated." of several thousand dollars, has been stolen

loss from the work involved puts the figure weeks without result. much higher. The robberies have in several instances been reported to detectives who have for weeks been persistently but Commits Crime of unsuccessfully, seeking the accomplished

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facile skill of much experience. In no hall and paused before a door instance was anything disturbed but the Sah, not a word, apartments in the dental cabinets of each office, which are designed as receptacles pheus. for gold. The dexterous turn of a siender there the cabinets with special locks had to be cut, but the work was done neatly and expeditiously. Valuable instruments, revolvers, watches and other articles of value were passed up. The thieves seem ingly wanted only the gold.

Three weeks ago they were operating I the city a few days, but apparently did bed of No. 36. little beyond one or two robberies to lay the plans for the sweeping raid Sunday

In an attempt to rob the establishmen of H. Eisele, 303 Newille block, a refiner of gold, who supplies the dentists the thieves falled where there was \$3,000 of raw gold almost within their reach. The door was marked with the touch of their tools. but the safes which held the precious yellow metal were not disturbed. Found It Out On Inventory.

Many of the dentists robbed were not aware of their loss until they learned of the genetral raid and took inventory of

The greatest of the sobberies yet reported was that at the offices of Whinnery & Wallace, 21-2 Brown block, where \$300 worth of materials were stolen in the earlier robbery.

A complete bit of work was the robbing of all the dentists on the fourth floor of the Brandels building.

The victims there included Dr. Schneider also did nicely in the Continental block. where Dr. Novak and Dr. Foster were robbed by practically the same operation. Traces of the presence of the thieves !

lishments where thefts have not yet been discovered. At the Taft dental rooms, 1817 Douglas street, tracks on a snow-covered of adjoining show that a reconnollering "Just looking us over for next on the wait list," smilingly remarked Dr. J. F. Anson, patting a big safe affectionately,

Robbers Are Organised. "It is a fact that these robbers are well organized for purpose of working among the dentists," declared Dr. A. Anson. "The dentists are well aware of it. The traces are unmistakable. They have some place where they are able to dispose of the loot with safety. Other towns are, of course, on their route and the work is

The gold in the form in which it is obfrom the Omaha dentists in the last few tained is easily melted and poured into beef from South Omaha to Chicago and ingots by thieves experienced in the work- eastern points. A series of expertly executed robberies ing of plunder and in that form cannot be Sunday night marks the latest of the long identified. It is readily saleable to as- the packers depended to break the plan of \$1 and costs." series of depredations. On this last ex- sayists and at many pawn shops. Steps the other roads to raise the rates, has pedition the robbers obtained close to \$1,000 have been taken to have all such possible given notice that its contract will not be worth of gold in amaigam, fillings and markets watched and they have been undental work under construction. The actual der the surveilance of detectives for

P. S. Vissilie is Knocked Out by Mr. Morpheus, Who Certainly Hit Him Hard.

Deep in the stilly night P. S. Vissilie. traveler at large, representing all trunk lines, clambered up the fire escape with In each of the robberles perpetrated Sun- gingery step, into the Aetna house. His day night the work was done with the shoes in his pocket, he tip-toed down the

There in the hallway be met Mr. Mor-

"You are my prisoner," softly whispered blade and the locks gave way. Here and that airy personage of classic cognomen. Yawning wearily Vissille allowed himself be led into the room beyond the door. Then all was dark.

"Get out of here, you tramp," roared the chambermaid, Monday moring, finding an unknown and unexpected guest snoring the west. rythmical praises of the 'sand man' in the

"Kindly vanish, fair maiden. I would sleep," urged the dreamy-eyed Vissille. Officer Lickert testified in police court that he had pulled Vissilie out of the preempted bed in the Aetna house and was barely able to keep him awake until they

reached the station. "Five days," said Judge Crawford, "Is that satisfactory?" he added, with an inquiring glance at the prisoner, but he not, for he was asleep before the

FINE OF HUNDRED DOLLARS That's the Price One Man Pays for

Being Caught in Raid on Resort.

Charles Fulton, charged with disorderly conduct following his arrest in a raid on a Two Gentlemen, One Poker Game and resort at 1008 Capitol avenue Sunday, when Detectives Heitfelt, Donahue and Ring captured a stock of beer in his possession, was Dr. Conner and Dr. Johnson. The thieves fined \$100 and costs in police court. Six inmates of the place were fined \$1 each. The case against C. Montalbano and Joe Soicaro, charged with violating the Slocumb law by operating a blind tiger at 623

to be found at a large number of estab- Pacific street, was continued.

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GREAT WESTERN RAISES, TOO Knew He Was

Joins Other Omaha-Chicago Lines on Advancing Beef Rates.

THIS MEANS A FIGHT TO FINISH

Some Packers and Railroad Men Had Expressed the Belief that There Was More Bark Than Bite in It.

Packers and the railroads are now scheduled for a finish fight over rates on dressed | Monday morning.

The Chicago Great Western, upon which renewed at the old rate of 1814 cents, virtually meaning that the old Maple Leaf has been won over to the side of the other

The present contract with the Chicago Great Western does not expire until May 20, a month later than the contracts with Going to Sleep the other roads. Representatives of other roads state that a new tariff has not yet been filed with the Interstate Commerce nission, but will, all roads favoring the increase. The new schedule will be submitted to authorities at Washington for approval.

That the increase in the rates will never ecome a reality was the belief expressed by big packers and an official of the Burlington railroad before word of the Great

"There's more bark than bite to th

proposition," is the way one packer expressed his sentiment in the matter. According to the present status all the roads operating between Omaha and Chicago bave under consideration a plan to raise the through charges from Omaha to the east from 18% to 38% cents and the local charge from 20 to 25 cents. The move ment is apparently championed by the GEORGE I. HAM OCCUPIES Burlington and the Northwestern, which have an eye on the long hauls from the

C. E. Spens, general freight agent of the Burlington route, says that his office has not yet been advised of any increase in fain repose. Please go way and let me the existing rates. Mr. Spens, George H. Crosby, the freight traffic manager, and Charles G. Burnham, the vice president of the Burlington, have just returned from an Interstate commerce hearing at Billings,

"The increase has been under consideration," said Mr. Spens, "but has not been adopted. If the new tariff is filed with the Interstate Commerce commission we would be advised of the matter here. However, with even one road refusing to enter into the plan it would not be adopted."

Raglan Still On Lil' Arthur's Back

Smart Coat Cause Rough House.

"He 'lowed as how he'd cut off my hald if I didn't pawn my overcoat and give him de change," testified Richard Corbin, negro, in the prosecution of Arthur B. Davis, also a negro, arrested for an alleged holdup. The testimony was corroborated by Fred Boyd, a third negro. Mistah Davis, resplendent in a black and

changed the aspect of the pending case. and get into dat poker game, an' I remarks trance to the north and as how if he had any available cash he'd than 150 bodies remain. just as well pay me. Then he starts a rough house." 'Discharged.'

SQUABBLE OVER FENCE ON NEW COURT HOUSE SITE

Protest Made to City Council About Amount of Space Squatted Upon by Contractors.

Trouble is brewing over the fence. This has no reference to the stereotyped backyard fence, but concerns the fence or fences new enclosing all of the sidewalk Kansas City and will supply Nebraska, and half of the street on the east, west and south sides of the new county build-

Protest has been raised against the intrusiveness of these board structures to such an extent that members of the city council and the county board have taken the matter up with the contractors. Merchants on Seventeenth, between Farnam and Harney, point out that they are now shut in much more than is necessary, and assert that when construction is begun on the new building at the corner of Harney and Seventeenth they will be isolated, except, possibly, from the Farnam street

The Caldwell & Drake company, contractors for the court house, who have thus acquired a material yard of large dimensions, say they have a permit from the building inspector, and pay \$1 a month for the privilege. The permit was issued by direction of the city council, which sent a resolution to the building inspector telling

When interviewed by some of the city officials who have interested themselves, the contractors say they are willing to move the fence, or to permit its removal back to the sidewalk line, if the city and county jointly will bear the expense.

There's where the city and the county officials balk, but in private conversation, they almost admit that they are caught holding the sack.

The fence sticks out in front of the mair entrance to the fire house at Eighteenth and Harney, and also encloses within its bounds a fire plug on the Seventeenth street side, opposite the alley running from the east side of that thoroughfare. Practical men among the city rulers, who have looked over the material within the enclosure, say it can very readily be put in one-quarter the space now taken up by the

ALFRED BLOOM GETS DAY OF **GRACE TO CLEAN STREET**

Given Until Friday to Remove Refuse Where He is Building an Apartment.

Alfred Bicom, contractor and builder, has been given until Friday to put the premises at 1502 California street, where he is erecting an apartment house, into order in conformity with the city's building ordinances. through the leniency of the police court. Bloom was arrested by Officer Harry Wooldridge Monday morning and brought into court to answer a charge of obstruct-

ing the street. "He's got one carload of lumber piled eight feet high on the walk and a lot of timbers in the alley," said the arresting

Bloom's attorney exhibited a building permit and declared that it gave his client the privilege of using the atreet by an implied assent of the city.

"Straighten up the place as it should be," said Judge Crawford. "If this is not done by Friday, bring Mr Bloom into court."

Hit, All Right Helpless Boarding Mistress Sur-

Young Man Who Oggles at Women on Street Comes to Grief in Police Court.

Because Ed Anderson got gay with flippant remarks addressed to women passing along the street, some unidentified may with a mighty right faid him to sleep on the walk. When Anderson woke up he was looking across the bench in police court

"Somebody, bit me," he remarked abstractedly "I see," said the judge. "It will be worth

STRIKE LEADERS HUNT JOBS

Former President of Street Carmen's Union Claims He Has Been BlackHated.

Men prominent in the management of the strikers' end of the street car strike are finding it a long and cold winter. Charles Leer, who was president of the local of the Amaigamated Association of Street Railway Employes, is still out of a job and has sought one in vain. Leer as serts that he and others have been black-

listed and that others than the street rail-

Board of County Commissioners several times in search of work of work. Patrick Lenehan, secretary of the union, also found doors closed to him and was furnace. Now he want's \$1 a day for the without work until he recently secured a fourteen days he's been loafing here." place as driver of a dirt wagon for the The defiant personage in the basement city. Ed Gillan, another man active in at 524 North Twentieth street is known to the leadership of the strike, has found a the household only as John. The police place hard to obtain and is about to go to when apprised of the situation, searched

work on a farm.

Seventy-Two Hours Will Elapse Before Banker May Communicate with Friends.

MEICO CITY, Feb. 21.—George 1. Ham, president of the defunct United States Banking company, arrested yesterday on ment and the fireman will remain in stat serious charges connected with the alleged disappearance of certain stocks, today was removed to Belem prison, in which he occuples a cell. Mr. Ham spent last night in a room at the secret service depart-

Not until Tuesday afternoon will anyone be allowed to see the prisoner, since according to Mexican law, persons arrested on charges are not allowed to communicate with anyone for seventy-two hours following arrest

INSPECTOR DEPARTS Illinois Official Says Fire is Out and

There is No Further Work for Him.

PEORIA, Ill., Feb. 21.—With his duties virtually completed, Mine Inspector Richard Newsam returned today from Cherry, where for the last three weeks he has superintended the rescue work in the St. unless it is absolutely necessary, and then be dismissed Monday morning. only on call from Governor Deneen.

Mr. Newsam says the fire is definitely BEST IS NOT GOOD ENOUGH known to have been extinguished and for the first time since the accident he believes white checked ragian, gave answer that the mine is safe from further ravages by the flames. The huge cement fire stop-"He says I'm goin' to pawn dis heah coat pings have been placed in the main en-

LATE CITY BRIEFS

Jay D. Poster Buys T. A. Thompson Home Jay D. Foster has bought a new nome at Thirty-third and Dodge streets, buying the house occupied by T. A. Thomp-

on for \$11,000 cash, Hughes-Purcell in New Quarters-The Hughes-Purcell Paint company of Kansas stock valued at \$10,000. This will be a disparagement and received ninety days wholesale branch of the parent house at South Dakota, Iowa and the entire northwest. The capital stock of the company is \$100,000. The officers are C. H. Hughes, president; F. S. Groves, secretary, and E. E. Hughes, treasurer.

HOT FIREMAN, COLD HOUSE

rounded by Shivering Boarders.

STRIKING MAN HOLDS BASEMENT

Mrs. E. M. Woodworth of 524 North Twentieth Explains Predicament She is In Through Being of Kindly Nature.

Two degrees below zero, no fire, the plumbing frozen, the furnace room bat ricaded by an trate fireman within, who says, "No pay, no heat"-this is the situation that the roomers at Mrs. E. M. Wood worth's boarding house, 524 North Twentieth street found Monday morning.

Through the day the fireman held the fort against all comers. Armed with a shovel and lumps of coal, entrenched in the basement he held the fort, and 100 per cent of the visible source of physical heat. At noon the roomers held a mass meeting about the gas range in the kitchen and laid plans for a combined attack on the

"G'wan youse. It's a cold day when don't get mine. Dat goes, see." It was with this gem of clearness that he set forth his side of the situation to a cautious interviewer.

"That man came here two weeks ago and asked if I'd let him sleep in the baseway company are responsible for his inabilment; said he was cold and starving," exity to obtain work. He has visited the plained Mrs. Woodworth, as she stood shivering in the hallway. "I let him stay and gave him his meals, good meals, too, or condition that he would take care of the

> the records and have arrived at the conclusion that he must be John Dos, of whose record there are many chapters. "Just. now, however," remarked Captain CELL IN BELEM PRISON Mostyn, "he seems to be Johnny-on-the

A consignment of gas stoves was received and connected with the illuminating fixtures about the house in the afternoon

and the household has set down in overcoats to stand the seige. No food will be States allowed to cross the lines into the base-

Actor Knocks a Cab Driver Down

William Wainwright Swats Al Sutley Over the Head with His Nice Umbrella.

"I'll trouble you for the value," said William Wainwright of the "Little Home stead" company, alighting from a carriage full of actor folk at the Lange hotel. "No baggage goes until I'm paid," an swered Al Sutley, the driver of the cab.

An argument ensued, which was terminated when Wainwright laid the cal driver low with a blow from the heavy Paul mine, the grave of more than 300 silver-headed umbrella. He was arrested miners. He will not return to the mine but the prosecution permitted the case to

Plen of James Dolan Does Not Make a Big Hit with the Police Judge.

The stern, unfeeling hand of the law came between them and tore away the beauteous young dream of love. Now they are joined on the anniversary of their wedding day. Sounds rather romantic, melodramatic

tc., does it not? James Dolan was robbed of the company of his wife when that lady went to jail a few days ago on general charges. Monday which happens to have been the fifth anniversary of their marriage, James himself City is moving into its new quarters at got inextricably mixed up with a set of 914 Farnam street, where it will install a serious and painful facts contributing to his sentence to the company of his wife in the city jail. James is repentant.

"We've been caring for the poor little haby." he pleaded to the police judge We've been doing the best we could." The court expressed the opinion that th best was not good enough.

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