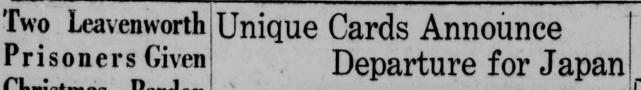
# Prisoners Given

Sees End of 12-Hour Day. Chicago, Dec. 23.—Eventual abelishment of the 12-hour day in the steel ndustry is hoped for by Judge Elbert the United States Steel corporation, but Germany and France are going of board. back to the two shifts a day system and there is agitation to the same end in England in order to compete with American steel, he said today in an nterview authorized by him. The steel corporation did reduce its 12our workers to 14 per cent, but and inspect the connections. to adopt generally the eight-hour day be pitted.

4. Rub the antennea switch blades lightly and see that the clamps are





3. If using crystal detector, clear by immersing in bisulphide of carbon.
4. Clean spark-gap and transmitting apparatus. Inspect all transmis-

Weekly.

1. Rub all moving parts lightly with vaseline. Blow out variable condensers to remove particles of dust 2. Clean transmitting condenser

3. Clean key contacts and dress down with a light filing, if found to

lightly and see that making good contact.

Monthly.

1. Test and charge storage batteries. See that the solution is clean by 2. Make note of any deviation in

License to Wed Returned.

Steubenville, O., Dec. 23.—"We had fight." This terse explanation was made by Tony Gizzi when he returned, unused, the marriage license issued in the Jefferson county probate court here to Tony Gizzi and Nellie Montperry of DO. Nellie Montperry of Dillonvale.

Grain Steamers Caught

in Lake's Ice Released

Cleveland, Dec. 23.—The grain car-

Foreign Exchange Rates.

New York, Dec. 23.—Foreign Exchanges

Steady: quotations (in cents):
Great Britain—Demand. 464%; cables,
65; 60-day bills on banks, 462%;
France—Demand, 7.42; cables, 7.42%.
Italy—Demand, 5.11%; cables, 5.12.
Belgium—Demand, 6.30%; cables, 6.81.
Germany—Demand, 0.145; cables, 0.146.
Holland—Demand, 39.44; cables, 39.88.
Norway—Demand, 18.05.
Swden—Demand, 26.92.
Denmark—Demand, 20.77.
Switzerland—Demand, 18.99.
Spain—Demand, 15.77.
Greece—Demand, 12.3.
Poland—Demand, .0056.
Czecho-Slovakia—Demand, .38.10.
Brazil—Demand, .11.90.
Montreal—99 3-16 rying steamers C. B. Neinaber, City of Bangor, and Benmaple, which have been caught in the ice at the head of Lake Erie for several days were cleared yesterday, it was announced here last night upon the arrival of the tugs Harding and Oregon, which were working with the boats.

Harley—61 @74c.

Clover Seed—Nominal.
Timothy Seed—Nominal.
Lard—\$10.67.
Ribs—\$10.00@11.25.

St. Louis Liyestock.
East St. Louis, Ill., Dec. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 500 head; for the week beef steers were mostly strong to 25c higher, some up considerably more; fat helfers weak; stock cows strong to 25c higher, bulk steady to strong; canners mostly 25c higher; calves steady to 50c higher; stock helfers strong to 25c higher; stock helfers strong to 25c higher; calves steady to 50c higher; stock helfers strong to 25c higher; at higher; color in strong; canners mostly 25c higher; calves steady to 50c higher; stock helfers strong to 25c higher; at higher; to but higher; to pleads beef steers, \$5.50c a few yearlings at \$11.00.
Hogs—Receipts, 500 head; compared with week steers, \$4.50 @5.50c; canners, \$2.35 @2.50; belogna bulls, \$4.00 mostly fair; packer top 58c. 25c; canners, \$2.35 @2.50; belogna bulls, \$4.00 mostly 10c higher on light and light weak killing classes were steady to 25c higher; atock calves steady to 2

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Chirago. Des. 23.—Demand for rheaper grades of butter tended to support an otherwise unsettled market, accrding to the United States bureau of markets report of the butter market for the week ending today.

The Chicago market continued weak, showing the effect of surplus supplies and a light demand prevalent during the previous week's trading. Storage butter was in active demand here and likewise in the east. Few changes were recorded in quotations during the week. Imports were light, but prospective ships were reported larger. Principal markets closed this week as

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 23.—Flaxseed—Closing prices: December, \$2.62½ bid;
January, \$2.56; May, \$2.41½; July, \$2.40

Market, Financial and Industrial News of the Day



Principal markets closed this week as follows:

On 92 score butter, Chicago, 51½c, 1½ points loss; New York, 55c, ½ point gain; Boaton, 54c, ½ point gain and Philadelphia, 55½c, unchanged.

New York Dry Geods.

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New York, Dec. 23.—Cetton goods closed very firm today. Gray goods have been selling well to printers and bag manufacturers. Yarns were firm. Linens were irregular on some of the sheer goods, but household articles were steady.

Knit goods were selling steadily in moderate quantities for fall and spring. theater when 10 such ponies were given away by the Brandels Store.

Ellsworth sent a snapshot like this 6%c.

1. 1126; No. 2, 7%c; No. 2, 6%c. picture to George Brandels, head of

POULTRY.

Receipts continue heavy and the market is weak. This condition is said to prevail in practically all the large markets of the country at this time. The receipts of turkeys, especially, have been very heavy and buyers are heavily stocked. Under this condition few buyers are quoting prices prices, and so, temporarily, our quotations are omitted from this column.

RABBITS.

Buyers are quoting the following prices:
Cotton talls, per doz., \$2.40; jacks, per doz., \$1.50.

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BEEF CUTS.

The wholesale prices of beef cuts in effect today are as follows.

Ribs—No. 1, 26c; No. 2, 24c; No. 3, 16c.
Loins—No. 1, 32c; No. 2, 28c; No. 3, 18c.
Rounds—No. 1, 15c; No. 2, 14c; No. 2, 11c;
Chucks—No. 1, 11½c; No. 2, 11c; No. 3,

CHEESE. CHEESE.

Local jobbers are selling American cheese, fancy grade, at about the following prices: Twins, 29 ½c; single dasies, 30c; double dasies, 29 ½c; Young Americas, 30 ½c; longhorn, 30c; square prints, 31c; brick, 29c

HONEY

HONEY . Jobbers are selling at prices listed below: New extracted, 24, 16-05., 2 dozen to case, per case, \$5.00; new comb, 24 sec-



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