tion but sometimes inherited.

the gong sounded that set things going. It was not the sufficiency that appealed to these souls, for of boiled beef, potatoes bread and coffee they have their fill each Steamer Baras to the Water's Edge on day, but to see an elaborate Christmas feast spread without limitation before them struck with an awakening fervor a chord in the hearts of every one, in some of thankfulness merely, in others of a dim recollection of former times.

poor to partake of the feast, and at 2:30

Forty women were among the number. and these were given the place of honor and precedence at the tables. Next came the nine children, either born in pauperism or transferred to it because no one remained on earth on whom they might lay a claim for the means of a different life. Turkey, grapherry sauce, mashed potatoes, celery, fruit in profusion, ple, coffee, tea, cream, butter, sugar, milk, candy and nuts were their holiday portion.

SALVATION ARMY GIVES FREELY

Distributes One Hundred and Seventy-Five Good Dinners.

The Salvation army supplied Christmas dinners for 175 indigent families in Omaha. For a week or more members of the army had been investigating the condition of families in different parts of the city and In deserving cases cards had been issued calling for a dinner to be delivered to the bearer at the barracks.

At 9:30 o'clock there was a line of peo ple, numbering about 160, in front of the barracks and a moment or two later the doors were thrown open and the people admitted. Those who held cards were first supplied and then the dinners were given to those first applying. The last basket was given out at 10:30 o'clock. After that hour a few applications were received, but the applicants were disappointed,

The dinners were delivered in baskets, each basket containing sufficient for five persons. In the first place, there was in each basket a chicken-then came cranberries, potatoes and other vegetables, bread and butter, coffee and some sort of dessert. The provisions were not cooked, each family receiving them being permitted to prepare them in the way they desired. It was estimated that the cost of each banket was \$1.10, making the total expense of the Christmas dinners \$187.50.

Boys and Girls Made Happy by Gifts in Plenty.

AT THE TENTH STREET MISSION

There was but one thing to mar the perfect hapiness of the children of Tenth Street City mission vesterday and that was he absence of snow. As a general thing his feature of winter weather is hardly appreciated by the thinly-clad children, but inder the unusual circumstances, being warmly clothed and the possessors of thirty or more sleds, there seemed to be a feeling that Santa Claus had left something undone after all.

Nine o'clock was the hour set for the boys to return for the stockings they had hung the evening before, but Miss Magee and her assistants found the majority of them waiting outside when they arrived shortly before that hour. Notwithstanding the perfect system with which everything had been arranged for the distribution, it was not without some apprehension on the part of the teachers that the boys were admitted to the room where the Christmas stockings were hung and the larger things placed on chairs below them. This was soon dispelled, however, for the boys passed in in line, standing quietly as the presents were handed to each in turn, and then passing out. There was no lingering outside, the children running quickly home to inspect the contents of the mysterious cing packages and investigate the depth of the stockings, which presented a stuffed gine crossed the bridge, but the baggage

appearance. an hour, which admitted of a short rest distance, turned over into a ditch. The before the arrival of the girls at 10 o'clock, train behind the baggage car was left In the interval several of the boys, having standing on the track and caught fire from examined their gifts, returned and hung the burning bridge. The passengers were about the door, which occasioned the only trouble of the morning and necessitated a foot embankment. The contents of the little discipline. The girls accepted their mail, express and baggage cars was saved. gifts even more quietly than the boys and The Puliman was rolled out of danger by the building was soon cleared. In spite the crew and passengers, but the remainder of the weeks of effort on the part of the of the train, including a chair car, two mission workers, it is doubtful if even the coaches and a combination mail and bagsatisfaction of the children exceeded their own at the complete success of the work.

PRISONERS HAVE A GOOD FEED

County and City Do Not Forget Jail Inmates.

Forty inmates of the county jail were gladdened on Christmas day by a dinner than which no one of them had partaken of a better in all his life. If any table in Omaha bore a more profuse burden of foods and delicacies the difference was only in the modernized palate ticklers that cost

Nor were the prisoners allowed to lose sight; in their joy at the feast, of the real significance of the occasion. Appropriate religious and song services were held before the meal.

For the first-Christmas in many years, not a woman was in the county jail yesterday. And there was only one boy, he being an incorrigible of 11 years. All the rest were grown men, and the charges on which they were held ran the gamut of the criminal code. It happened that none of the forty was at the time in close confinement on bread and water for misdemeanor or other cause, but if there had been any such he would not have been barred from participation in the anniversary feast.

Many "extras," not seen nor tasted by some of the inmates in many a long month, were on the bill of fare. There was butter for the bread, real cream and sugar for the ples, mince pie, cider, oranges and candies. consideration.

The forty-two prisoners at the city jail had a roast turkey supper at 5 o'clock, with cranberries, prunes and mince pie as side dishes. The jall chef fairly outdid himself, roasting the bird to a rich nut brown and taking great pains as to the seasoning of the dressing, and the flavoring of the mincemeat from which the pie was made. The prisoners seemed to enjoy the repast. Many of them, perhaps, had a better dinner than would have been theirs had they not incurred the mishap of arrest.

It was very quiet at the jail all day, a few drunks and a few street fights, the results of a perverted kind of celebration, alone breaking in upon the monotony of feeding prisoners and answering telephone calls.

Happiness is but another name for per-fect health. Use Prickly Ash Bitters and be happy. It keeps the vital organs healthy and well regulated.

What are humors. They are vitiated or morbid fluids coursing the veins and affecting the tissues They are commonly due to defective diges-

· How do they manifest themselves? In many forms of cutaneous eruption salt rheum or eczema, pimples and boils and in weakness, languor and general

debility.

How are they expelled? By Hood's Sarsanarilla which also builds up the system that has suffered from them. It is the best of all medicines for all

FOUR LIVES LOST IN FIRE SOLDIERS POISONED IN FOOD

River.

FLAMES SPREAD WITH GREAT RAPIDITY

Singe Discovered at Early Hone and Passengers, Unable to Escape. Are Imprisoned and Cremated.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 25.-The steamer Sun, employed in the Memphis and Fulton trade, burned to the water's edge at an early hour this morning and four lives were able to be about. One old man, however,

Dead: D. H. RAINEY, Old River, Ark. MRS. D. H. RAINEY, Old River, Ark. MRS. G. M. TIMBS, Richardson Landing,

CHILD OF MRS. G. M. TIMBS. The fire was discovered at 4:10 a. m. as the steamer lay at her wharf here, and spread with such rapidity that the craft was a mass of flames when the department responded to the alarm.

When the Sun arrived in port last night this score. most of the passengers went ashore, but a dozen passengers decided to spend the night on the boat. Among these were Mr. and Mrs. Timbs and baby, Mrs. Timbs' sister, Miss Josie Hammers, and Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Rainey. Miss Hammers was sleeping with her sister and the baby in a stateroom, and when she was awakened by the smoke she aroused her stater and started toward an ext. Mrs. Timbs went back for he baby, and before she could return the hurricane deck gave way and escape was cut off. Miss Hammers got out without injury. Mr. Timbs was in another stateroom, and until the collapse of the room wife. Mr. and Mrs. Rainey had a stateroom, and although it was thought that until their charred remains were discovered. When the first body was taken out Mr. Timbs identified it as his wife by a ring executive accepted the tender made to worn on her finger. The body was horribly burned.

The body of the baby has not been found, The steamer Sun was the property of George W. Phillips, who was its captain. and John Brenner, who acted as clerk. The loss to steamer and cargo probably will reach \$20,000, partially insured.

Kansas & Texas Flyer Wrecked Near Dallas, Five Persons Being

Injured.

DALLAS, Tex., Dec. 25 .- The northbound Kansas & Texas flyer, due here at 1:15, ran into a burning bridge five miles south of this city just before midnight last night. There was no loss of life, but five persons were injured, four cars were destroyed, only the Pullman being saved. The injured:

J. S. Clark, engineer, Denison; shoulder and ankle broken. Fireman William Kenny, Denison; cut on nead and severely bruised.

Joel Howard, colored; internally, Mrs. Rose Lull, colored, Waco; slight. Unknown colored woman, slight. On rounding a curve at Five-Mile creek,

Engineer Clark saw a burning bridge ahead. He reversed his engine, applied the brakes nd jumped, as did the fireman. The encar went down. This derailed the engine, The distribution occupied less than half which, after tearing up the track for some able to escape by jumping down a twelvegage car, was consumed.

PASSENGER TRAIN IN DITCH Three People Injured and Most of the Cars Are Consumed by Fire.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 25.-The Missourl, Kansas & Texas northbound passenger train. due in Dallas at 11:20 o'clock last night. was wrecked and almost completely burned six miles south of here just before midnight. Three persons were injured, but no one killed. The baggage, express and mail cars were saved.

Injured: Jenks Clark, engineer, Dennison, Tex., njured about shoulders and legs. William Kevney, fireman, also of Denni-

on, Tex., injured about head and legs. Joseph Henry, colored, injured internally The engine and one Pullman are all that remain, five cars having been destroyed The engine is bottom up in the ditch.

MAKES NEW LAND RESERVE Interior Department Issues Order In-

volving Over Million Acre Tract.

KALISPELL, Mont., Dec. 25 .- The register and receiver of the Kalispell land office has received a letter from the Incoffee, and the potatoes were creamed, in- terior department instructing the withstead of being served boiled with Jackets drawal of all lands from settlement in on. Bosides these things there were tur- Montana, north and west of the Kootenai key, dressing, cranberry sauce, celery, ap- river. The order will involve over 1,000,000 neres of land in this country, besides tak- Wormers. All the prisoners are under 26 At 2 o'clock this spread was attacked and ing from the state of Idaho over 276,000 ample time was allowed the prisoners for its acres, which, when surveyed and completed, will be made into a new forest reserve, to be known as the Kootenai Forest reservation of Idaho and Montana.

ANXIETY IS NOT ABATED Friends of Miss Stone and Mme. Tallka Are Still Feeling

Uneasy.

NEW YORK, Dec. 25 .- Letters received in this city by natives contain the information that the people of the east are still greatly agitated over the abduction of Miss Stone and Mme. Tsilka. Throughout Armenia and the Turkish empire Christians have assembled daily in their places of worship since September 3 to pray for the deliverance of Miss Stone and her companion. Special services of prayer were held today in Bcy Rout and in every Christian church in the Orient in pursuance of a plan formulated several weeks ago.

NEGROES ENGAGE IN DUEL Quarrel Over a Land Sale Results in the Death of

Three. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 25 .- Three negroes were killed near Wilmot yesterday as the result of a quarrel over a land sale. Martin Davis and Jeff Davis, cousins, eugaged in a fatal duel. James Thompson, a friend of one of the dead men, was subsequently shot and killed by Arthur Davis, father of Martin Davis. Arthur Davis is

ence at Their Breakfast Tables.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 25 .- A special to the News from Chevenne, Wyo., says: Eighty members of Company F. Eighteenth infantry, were poisoned while

eating breakfast this morning, and for a time fully half of them were in danger of death. Before breakfast was over every man in the company had to leave the table, and soon all were prostrated and in great agony. The post surgeon was hurriedly summoned and administered an antidote. in very bad shape and vomited vigorously.

Forty of the men who sat down first were The antidote administered relieved all of them and this evening most of them were whose name was not ascertained, is critically ill. The surgeon examined the food served at breakfast and is of the opinion that the poison was in the beef.

(Continued from First Page.)

Heved the party can escape any trouble on

Settled in Washington. WASHINGTON, Dec. 25 .- It was announced authoritatively this evening that Governor Leslie M. Shaw of Iowa would be appointed secretary of the treasury to succeed Lyman J. Gage. There will be no change in the office of secretary of agri-

culture, Secretary Wilson, also of lowa, continuing to retain that portfolio. The date of transfer of the Treasury department will depend on the mutual conenience of the outgoing and incoming secretaries, Mr. Gage having signified an entire willingness to remain at the head of his department until such time as it may came tried by every means to reach his be agreeable to his successor to take hold. It is supposed that Governor Shaw will rein be inducted into his new office some time all the passengers on the boat had been in January. It has been known for two or aroused, nothing was ever heard from them three days that Governor Shaw was slated for appointment to succeed Secretary Gage,

Pleases Wilson and Dolliver.

but it was not until today that the lowa

The definite announcement of Governor Shaw's selection for the position of secretary of the treasury gave the greatest gratification to the Iowa residents here. They regard him as a man well equipped for the place and feel confident the ap-DASHES INTO BURNING BRIDGE pointment will give general satisfaction. Secretary Wilson voiced these senti-

Treasury department. His appointment will be especially gratifying to the people of lowa, and indeed the whole west, and I have no doubt satisfactory to the great business and commercial interests of the United States.

DUBUQUE, Ia., Dec. 25 .- Senator William B. Allison was seen tonight and authorized the Associated Press to say that in his opinion there was no doubt but that Governor Shaw would accept the socretaryship of the treasury when the formal tender is made to

SURRENDERS FALSE' STAMP Attorney Presents Official with Instrument Used in Making Fraudulent Tickets.

H. C. Townsend of St. Louis, general pas- spent. and intimates that arrests will follow.

Prisoners Suspected of the Murder of a Farmer Shot in His

HUDSON, N. Y., Dec. 25.-Peter A. Halenback, a farmer, was shot to death last night at his home near Greenport, Columbia county. Eleven shots were fired and all took effect. Three men were seen later supposed Hallenbeck had been shot by rob-

Home.

This afternoon four men were arrested at Kinderhook on suspicion. Three of them are nephews of the murdered man. They are Barton von Wormer, Willis von Worman is Harvey Bruce, a cousin of the von years of age.

MUST LEAVE INDIAN LANDS Miners Ordered to Vacate Claims

Klowa and Comanche Allotments.

GUTHRIE, Okla., Dec. 25.-United States Indian Agent Randlett of the Kiowa and Comanche tribes is sending out notices to all persons who have staked mining claims in Indian allotments that they must vacate the territory or they will be ejected from Fort Sill. The action is based on the opinion of the attorney general approved by Secretary Hitchcock and sent to the agent under recent date, prohibiting miners from filing on Indian allotments.

FARMER SHOT BY STRANGERS Three Men Kill Peter A. Hallenbeck at His Home.

HUDSON, N. Y., Dec. 25.-Peter A. Hal-HUDSON, N. Y., Dec. 25.—Peter A. Hallenbeck, a farmer in Columbia county, while alone in his house last night was shot to death by three strangers. The men were later seen driving toward Catekill station. Eleven shots were fired into Hallenbeck's body. The farmers have lately been annoyed by poultry theves and it is thought the murder was done by some of them.

West Union, \$12.
South Dakota: Increase, restoration, reliesue, etc.—John S. Harp, Hot Springs, \$12.
Colorado: Original (war with Spain)—Herman Stein Denver, \$6. Increase, restoration, reliesue, etc.—John S. Marp, Hot Springs, \$12.
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To Cure cold in time Day, take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each partment received a telegram today an-

ITALY IS NOT AFTER MONEY

Protection for Its Citizens Domiciled in United States End Desired.

LAWS INADEQUATE FOR THE PURPOSE

Authorities of that Country Appreciate the Difficulties Which Our System of Government Entalls in Such Matters.

government has renewed its efforts of late who died five years ago, left the whole of with the authorities in Washington to his vast fortune for the benefit of manhave our federal statutes so extended as to kind, and in his will directed that it be diprotect foreigners in cases arising within vided into prizes, without regard to nathe jurisdiction of states, thus giving a tionality, the worthiest to be awarded the federal remedy for lynchings and like af- prize, whether he be Scandinavian or not. frays directed against Italians, such as The awards were: In physics, to Wilhelm have occurred in Louisiana, Colorado and Conrad Roentgen, professor at the Univer-Mississippi. It is the exchange of views sity of Munich, the discoverer of the Roentin this connection which recently brought on the discussion in the Van T. Hoff, professor at the University of Italian senate when Baron Fava inter- Berlin; in medicine, to Emil von Behring. polated the Italian premier as to the progress of an adjustment. Immediately on the arrival of the new ambassador, Signor Mayor des Blances, he took up this question, which had arisen in connection with the lynching of several Italian citizens at economist of France, and Henri Dunant of Erwin, Miss. In this connection Signer Mayor said to-

Criticises the Treaty.

Under the treaty which exists between italy and the United States the citizens of each country are guaranteed the fullest protection while residing in the other country. In the case of Americans residing in Italy they had exactly the same rights, the same protection, the same recourse to the courts, that Italian subjects enjoy. The only exception is in connection with political rights. In the case of Italians residing in the United States the treaty assures them the same rights and protection given to American citizens. But unfortunately this expression of the treaty, so far as it relates to Italians in this country, is somewhat theoretical, for under the American system, which limits the federal authority over states, the central government is not able to give effect to the guarantee laid down by the treaty.

We fully recognize the difficulties of this situation, which has been as apparent to the statesmen of this country as they have to those of Italy. We have hoped this would bring about the enactment of a law which would permit the federal government. Criticises the Trenty.

which would permit the federal government to carry out the guarantees of treaties. This would be a genuine remedy for affairs similar to those which have occurred in Louislana and Mississippi and would prevent the periodical agitation over cases arising in the states. As these cases arose they would be assured of attention under the federal authority with careful regard for the execution of treaty obligations.

Since the recent lynchings at Erwin, Miss., there has been more or less discussion of the payment of a money indemnity. Since the recent lynchings at Erwin. Secretary Wilson voiced these sentiments when asked about Governor Shaw tonight, and he added that the governor was better known to the people east of the Mississippi river than any man in private life west of the Mississippi on questions of finance.

To Senator Dolliver of Iowa, whose relations with Governor Shaw have been close, his selection for the treasury portfolio gave the greatest pleasure.

The governor, he said, has demonstrated by speeches delivered before chambers of commerce and banking associations in every large city of the United States a successful banker. In selecting him the president undoubtedly acted in a great measure upon his personal familiarity with Governor Shaw's abilities in dealing with the special subjects that belong to the Treasury department. His appointment will be especially gratifying to the people of lowa, and indeed the whole west, and I

CHRISTMAS AT WHITE HOUSE xecutive Mansion Closed to Public -President's Children Recipi-

ents of Many Presents. WASHINGTON, Dec. 25 .- Washington has seldom celebrated Christmas more quietly than today. Owing to the police regulalons, there were no noisy demonstrations on the streets. The departments were all closed, the chief officials generally spending the day with their respective families. The White House was closed to the public and a large portion of the clerical force

was excused for the day. The president put in much of the time KANSAS CITY, Dec. 25 .- A fraudulent in the residence part of the building, giv- Hoosey, a 16-year-old girl, drank the constamp similar to that used at the Union ing his principal attention to the children tents of a bottle of strychnine today while lepot ticket office for the purpose of valid- of the lousehold, who were the recipients standing at a patrol box with an officer, ating the return portions of railway tickets of man, presents, both from their parents who had taken her out of a saloon a few has been voluntarily surrendered to George and from others. The smaller members minutes before and placed her under ar-H. Foote, secretary of the Kansas City hung their stockings up last night and all rest. She died a short time later at emer-Passenger association. The stamp was pre- found upon awakening at an early hour sented to Foote by a local attorney, who that "Santa Claus" had been astir ahead aid it was turned over to him by a client of them and had left liberal contributions. in this city, who begged that with its sur- Later in the day all assembled in the family render the investigation of recent whole- room, where the general exchange of pressale frauds in railway tickets started by ents occurred, and where a jolly hour was

senger agent of the Missouri Pacific, and The president, Mrs. Roosevelt and chil-Foote be dropped. The name of the owner dren of the household, Robert Ferguson of the stamp was not made public. Foote and another friend took luncheon with says the investigation will be continued Commander and Mrs. Cowles at the latter's residence on N street. The party was performed by Rev. Solem in the presthe Roosevelt boys, and joined by several sister of John Berdahl, deputy county audiother friends, among whom was Secretary Root, went for a horseback ride in the outskirts of the city.

Tonight there was quite a gathering at the family dinner, which included the presidential household, Commander and

Mrs. Cowles and other guests. After the dinner the entire party addriving toward Catskill station and it was tained with a medley of popular airs. The ton. They left this morning for a weddinner was followed by a musical prome- ding trip to Denver. nade, and afterward, in honor of Theodore Roosevelt, jr., the evening was closed in a dance, in which about twenty couples finished Christmas night.

mer and Fred von Wormer. The fourth HIS CONDITION PRECARIOUS eral passenger agent, with headquarters in Adjutant General Seamans of Cali-

fornia Fails to Improve

in Health.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25 .- The condition of Adjutant General Seamans of California, who is ill here, is reported precarious,

there having been no improvement during the past twenty-four hours. PENSIONS FOR WESTERN VETERANS Survivors Remembered by the

General Government. WASHINGTON, Dec. 25 .- (Special.)-The following western pensions have been granted:

granted:
 Issue of December 6:
 Nebraska: Original—George W. Greek.
 Wilcox, 36: Increase. restoration. reissue.
 etc.—Heverly A. Dean, Juniata, 34: Henry
 Tepner, Savage, 36:
 Iowa: Increase, restoration, reissue, etc.
 —John Rupp, Washington, 38: Franklin
 Carver, Blanchard, 38: Issae N. Butcher,
 Irving, 38: Robert S. Milliken, Ruthven,
 19: Mexican war, John F. Slippy, Clarion,
 19: Original widows, etc.—Elizabeth Mil iler, Morley, 38: special accrued December
 9. Electa A. Taylor, Clinton, 38: Louisa
 Truesdell, Sabula, 38; Johanna Mittelstedt,
 West Union, 312.
 South Dakota: Increase, restoration, re-

Training Ship Leaves Port. WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.-The Navy denouncing that the training ship Prairie

would leave Tompkinsville at daylight for Hampton Roads, whence it will proceed direct to Port of Spain, on Trinidad island, just off the north coast of Venezuela

AWARD THE NOBEL PRIZES

Roentgen and Others Recipients of Emoluments for Meritorious Discoveries.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.-United States Minister Thomas has reported to the State department that events of unusual importance and interest took place December 10 at Stockholm and Christiana in connection with the first award of the Nobel prizes. WASHINGTON, Dec. 25 .- The Italian Alfred Nobel, the discoverer of dynamite, gen rays; in chemistry, to Jacobus Henricus professor at Halle, the discoverer of the diphtheria scrum; in literature, to Sully-Prudhomme, member of the French academy. The Works of Peace prizes were divided between Frederick Passy, national Switzerland, the lending spirit in bringing about the Geneva convention and in instituting the societies of the Red Cross.

The prize diplomas were awarded by the crown prince in person at Stockholm, in the presence of a great gathering of distinguished people, and at Christiana, the award was made by the Norwegian Storthing, convened in solemn session. Sully-Prudhomme was unable to attend because of sickness.

CHILD IS BURNED TO DEATH Little One is Forgotten in Building from Which Others

Escape. PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 25 .- One child was injured and two other young children were slightly injured as a result of a fire at the was one of Chicago's wealthiest citizens home of James H. Connelly, 3976 Wyalusing during the '70s and '80s. Dunlap Smith in

avenue, at midnight tonight. Shortly after the family had retired fire was discovered on the first floor of the house. The flames had gained considerable headway and escape by the stairs was cut off. Connelly threw his 2-year-old son and 2-month-old baby out of a second story Many window into the arms of neighbors and the little ones escaped with slight injury. The parents then jumped and were both badly hurt by their heads striking the stone sidewalle.

In the excitement the 4-year-old daughter, Mary, was forgotten. When the parents realized that she had not escaped a frantic effort was made by the firemen to save her. in a second story rear room. It is not yet known whether the parents will recover from their injuries.

MACLAY WANTS TO HOLD JOB Announces He Will Make an Appeal to Civil Service Com-

mission.

his position in the naval yard by President | McAlester, I. T., until a schedule of val-Roosevelt, Edward Stanton Maclay said: thorities at Washington, asking for a formal schedule was found to be false and the opinion on this subject. I shall be guided in my actions by the advice received from this source."

Young Woman is Arrested and Commits Suicide While at the

Patrol Box.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 25.-Nettie gency hospital.

HYMENEAL.

Gesme-Neyhus.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Dec. 25 .- (Special.) -At the residence of Martin Monson, in this city, the wedding of Andrew Gesme of Mount Horeb, Wis., and Mrs. Carrie Nevhus of Dell Rapids took place. The ceremony remained at the house appeal hours, and ence of a few relatives and intimate friends FOUR MEN HELD FOR CRIME then the male members, including two of of the bride and groom. The bride is a tor, and has resided in this county for a number of years.

Bauserman-McCalley. GRAFTON, Neb., Dec. 25 .- (Special.)-Charles C. Bauserman and Miss Nellie Mc-Calley were married at 8 o'clock last night at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. journed to the East room, where the even- and Mrs. A. McCalley, by Rev. Losey, pasing was spent, the guests being enter- tor of the Congregational church of Sut-

Changes in Passenger Circles.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 25.-District Passenger Agent Gildersleeve of the Baltimore & Ohio Southern has been appointed assistant gen-St. Louis. The appointment is effective January 1. It is announced that J. E. Davenport, city passenger agent of the Louisville & Nashville, will succeed George B Horner, division passenger agent of that road, with headquarters in St. Louis, ef-

fective January 1.

INDIANS THREATEN TROUBLE

Pawnees Order White Tenants to Leave Their Premises.

INDULGE IN AN EXCITING WAR DANCE

Madly Devour One of Showman's

Buffalo and Declare Vant Native Herds Are Sure to Return.

GUTHRIE, Okl., Dec. 25 .- The Pawnee Indians are on the warpath. An immense buffalo bull was so injured in transferring from the Santa Fe stock yards to Pawnee Bill's ranch, south of town, that he had to be killed. The meat was given by Major Lillie to the Indians for a buffalo dance The Indians have been dancing and pow-

wowing ever since. They caim the vast herds of buffalo are oming back to this country and many of the Indians have notified the white lessees to vacate their ranches at once, as they wish to lay the fences low, so the buffalo will have full away of the country.

The white people in the remote parts of the reservation are coming into Pawnee and report that the Indians are acting in a threatening manner toward them. Pawnee Bill has placed mounted guards around his buffalo ranch, as the Indians are camping in the timber west of there, and in sight of the herd, and from their suspicious actions he thinks they intend to liberate the

herd and perhaps kill them. The United States Indian agent at that point has been notified and has made a report to the commissioner of Indian of fairs at Washington.

DUNLAP SMITH Leading Financier and Real Estate Dealer of Chicago Passes

Awny.

CHICAGO, Dec. 25 .- Dunlap Smith, leading financier and real estate dealer of surned to death, its parents were seriously this city, died today of pneumonia. He was the voungest son of Perry H. Smith, who herited a large fortune from his father and increased it largely through his rea estate operations.

FIFTEEN INJURED IN WRECK

Cars Derailed Near Silver Lake in Railroad Freight Smashup.

GRAND SALINE, Tex., Dec. 25,-In a freight wreck near Silver Lake today fifteen cars were detailed and fifteen persons more or less injured. The Texas "Cannonball" engine, which had been detached and The house by this time was badly damaged sent on with a wrecking crew, was deand after the flames had been extinguished railed while returning from the freight the little girl's charred body was found wreck and four men were injured, none fatally.

STOPS BUILDING OPERATIONS Secretary of Interior Orders Temporary Discontinuance of

GUTHRIE, Okt., Dec. 25.-Acting on an order received from the secretary of the NEW YORK, Dec. 25.-When seen at his interior, government officials have stopped ormed of his dismissal from all building and improvement operations a ues of all property has been prepared by "I have written to the civil service au- the townsite committee. A former survey

Improvements.

secretary of the interior took a hand. CELEBRATION ENDS FATALLY

DRINKS STRYCHNINE Crowd Discharges Pistols and Stray Bullet Kills Boy, Whose

> Father Returns Fire NACOGDOCHES, Tex., Dec. 25 .- White crowd of men were discharging pistols in celebrating Christmas, a stray bullet struck Mitch Bird, aged 15, inflicting a mortal wound. The boy's father then fired into the crowd with a shotgun, seriously wounding Ed Lee, Reuben Chandler and Edgar Moore, all negroes. The boy is dead and one of

the negroes is dying. STAMPS LEAD TO ARREST

C. A. Young Charged with Looting

a Postoffice in Texas.

GUTHRIE, Okl., Dec. 25.-C. A. Young has been arrested by federal authorities at Poteau, Indian Territory, on the charge of robbing a Texas postoffice last spring of \$500 in money and stamps. He paid \$140 in stamps to a jewelry firm for a diamond ring and this led to his arrest. He had over \$1,000 on him when arrested.

Objects to Being Called "Shoplifter." SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 25.—Waldo Kennard, a wealthy young business man from Colerade Springs, has had S. I. and C. K. Robeson, local business men, arrested for assault and battery. He has also commenced a damage suit for \$40,000, alleging that the Robesons accused him of being a shoullifter and assaulted him. that the Robesons accused hishoplifter and assaulted him.

Cleveland's Condition Improves. PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 25.—Former President Cleveland's condition is, if any-thing, more favorable today. He showed a greater disposition to move about, and while he did not attempt to come down-stairs and take part in his children's Christmas he showed considerable interest is the sitts.

in the gifts. Wolverines Reach the Coast. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 25.—The University of Michigan foot ball team, in charge of Coach Yost, has arrived in this city, enroute to Pasadena, where it will play the Leland Stanford, ir, university eleven on New Year's day. The men will leave for southern California this evening.

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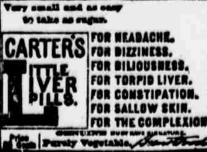
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