

ernment officials the policies of rehabilitation

"We are now using 5,000 schools throughout the country for training ex-service men for placement train-ing," said Colonel Forbes. "We have approximately 101,000 men receiving vocational training and about 32,000 St. Paul, Dec. 30 .- A credit system that would give relief to the farmer with a small acreage as well as to the farmer with large hold-ings of land was urged by A. J. Gronna of Lakota, N. D., former United States senator, in an address yesterday before the joint congres-sional committee, investigating, short vocational training and about 32,000 were awaiting assignment; 425,000 men awaiting assignment; 425,000 men have registered for vocational education. So you will understand that rehabilitation and education will be our greatest problem having to do with the future of the ex-service sional committee investigating short time rural credits.

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## **Prosecution of 131 Cases**

Under "Dry" Law Abandoned Pittsburgh, Dec. 30 .- Prosecu-tions of 131 persons charged with violation of wartime prohibition and the national prohibition act were abandoned in federal court yester-

District Attorney Lyon stated that during the early stages of prohibition many violations occurred, a number of them through ignorance and that the court dockets had become clogged with its cases, there being about 200 still pending. Government witnesses had disappeared in some cases and in had disappeared in some cases and in others arrests had been made without the necessary search warrants.

San Francisco, Dec. 25 .- Empire State, ongkong, Shanghai, Honolulu; Lehigh, Hongkouz, Shanghal, Honstein, Portland, Me. Naples, Dec. 22.—Caronia, New Tork, Antwerp, Dec. 22.—Kroonland, N ork. Genoa, Dec. 23.—Kifuku Maru, Port-and, Orc. Fallmouth, Dec. 25.—Iolcos, Portland.

Uro, Shanghal, Dec. 25.—Empress of Asia, Vancouver: December 26. Arabia Maru, Tacoma: Mont Eagle, Vancouver, De-cember 27. Pine Tree State, Tacoma, 'Hongkong, Dec. 28.—West Jena, San Francisco, Dec. 28.—West Jena, San

Dec. 29.—Ryndam, Rotter-Hamburg. Dec. 27.—Kashima Maro. Hongh Maulia. Dec. 28 .- Tobama Maru, San 28 .- Seine Maru, Port-

Scientists Now Able to Predict Earthquakes as Well as Storms

Oakland. Cal., Dec. 30.—The Uni-versity of California announced res-state that carthquakes may be pre-be used in the work. Dakland. Cal., Dec. 30.—The Uni-state of the university have granted "You didn't spread your tail," Turkey Proudfoot explained, "And that's half of strutting." "I-I didn't know it," Master Mea-

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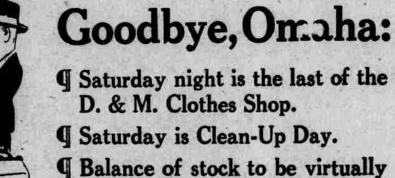
"Ah yes!" said Turkey Proudfoot, "But you forgot one thing." "What was that?" Master Meadow Mouse demanded. "You didn't spread your tail," Turkey Proudfoot explained, "And

motor, calling to Bess even as I Today turned into the driveway: "Get out quick and start for the store door. He'll think we stopped The I ahead of me or put it behind me." alarmed!" "Don't be alarmed!" Turkey Proudfoot said, "I never frighten here on purpose

"That's the ticket!" folks of your size. You're too little for me to pay much attention to. I must say, however, that you have a very odd way of walking."

Today's color is pale blue, the present session of congress," de cared congressman Fordney, chair man of the ways and means com

The lily-of-the-valley is today's flower. Significant of purity and the beauty of youth, it is especially des-its promise and passes the bonus She was out of the car as she ignated for weddings and all festivi-spoke, but her manner was leisurely tics given for young people. bill, the veterans will reprove the party because it has been insincere, spoke, but her manner was leisurely tics given for young people. party because it has been insincere, as she sauntered toward the steps of (Copyright, 1521, by Wheeler Syndicate.) he added.



given away.

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dow Mouse stammered. And then he darted away, to hide in the grass beyond the fence. He felt much-ashamed to have made such a mistake.

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Strike Asked in Oklahoma Oklahoma City, Okl., Dec. 30.---Mayor John Walton, last night in a message to the White House, asked President Harding for federal arbi-tration in the local packing house strike here.

By this time Master Meadow Mouse had recovered from his sur-prise and wasn't afraid in the least. Now he laughed heartily. Steamships "I was walking the way you walk," he cried. "Oh, no" Turkey Proudfoot ex-Arricals.

claimed. "No, indeed! You cer-tainly weren't." He didn't ask Master Meadow Mouse's pardon for contradicting.

"I'd like to know why I wasn't," Master Meadow Mouse replied somewhat hotly. "I was strutting right behind you, all the way across the yard. That's why everybody

was giggling." "It's no wonder they were poking fun at you," Turkey Proudfoot told him. "You amused the neighbors because you thought you were strut-

ting, while you really weren't." Master Meadow Mouse put his foot down on the ground. He was puzzled.

"I don't know why I wasn't strut-ting," he retorted. "I was raising my feet just as high as I could lift