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HIS MESSAGE AFTER OFFICERS SWORN IN

Democratic Executive of Nebraska Makes Recommendations as to Conduct of State's Business During Biennium.

NEW CHIEF JUSTICE GIVES OATH

Joint Session Held to Witness Inauguration and Listen to Advice from State Leader.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL MONDAY

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 7.—(Special Tele-gram.)—New officers of the state were inaugurated today at 2 o'clock before a oint session of the two houses and Governor Morehead delivered his inaugural address. The officers were sworn by the chief justice, Conrad Hollenbeck, who was sworn in last night and sat for the first time in the court session this marning. The state officers, with Governor Morehead, were also sworn in as follows:

New State Officers. Governor John H. Morehead, Lieutenant Governor James Pearson, Secretary of State Charles W. Pool, Auditor William H. Smith, Treasures George E. Hall, Superintendent A. O. Thomas, Atforney General Willis E Reed, Land Commissionerr Fred Beckman, Railway Commissioner Thomas L. Hall.

The house was well filled and the galeries crowded when Lieutenant Governor McKelvie stepped to the chair and called the joint accasion together, the last act of the outgoing lieutenant governor. Marchead about an hour took Gover to read his ... stage, which was listened to attentively. Many of his recommendations seemed to meet with hearty approval by the legislators.

Adjourns Till Monday. Members who had not far to go began leaving this evening for their homes. Both houses have agreed on adjournment until 2 o'clock Monday.

During the intermission the members of the committee on committees and the committee on employes are expected to endeavor to reach an agreement for sub-mission when the two houses meet on IMPLEMENT MEN

Members of the committees, however, say that vital differences will have to be

German Official Denies Arrest of Cardinal Mercier officers elected for YEAR ADMIRALTY ACTION CRITICISED

LONDON, Jan. 7 .- The German milltary government of Belgium has issued an official denial of the report that Car- the 1915 meeting, providing the Audi- today that it was the definite opinion of the sacred college, has been arrested by January 19 to 21. 1915, which is the date Formidable had been sunk by two torthe German authorities.

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(From a Staff Correspondent:) WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—(Special Tele-gram.)—Representative Lobeck, after a re-elected secretary of the association at conference with Chairman Hay of the the meeting of the executive board in the of the battleships Formidable and Buimilitary committee of the house, said to- afternoon. day that the chairman would agree to an amendment proposed by Mr. Lebeck appropriating \$6,000 to be used for the paving of Thirtieth street, leading to Fort Omaha. This amount is taken from a flat appropriation of \$600,000 for the use of the War department in looking C. A. Wagner of Omaha was re-elected after just such cases as the paving of treasurer. Thirtieth street, and will not increase the total carried by the bill one cent. It E. Morse of Turin, Ia., were elected that the captain of the Formidable had aims only to fix an amount for a given members of the board of directors. To sent signals to the other ships not the

Chicago Bakers May Raise Bread Price with the Mid-West association and what

CHICAGO, Jan. 7 .- Sakers are considering raising the price of bread to 5 although nothing definite was asked for cents a loaf, an increase of 1 cent, it be- in the way of state legislation. came known today, as the result of the advance in wheat and flour. Wholesale Thour is quoted at \$6.50 to \$7.50 a barrel, an advance of 50 cents during the last dorsed the Hinebaugh bill, which seeks at San Francisco March 24 and continue

to impose a tax on interstate mail-order three days, according to the official call Several leading bakers said that either the prices would be advanced or the size of the loaf would be decreased.

The Weather

Temperature at Dunaha Yesterday, that they become members of the asse



Comparative Local Record. Mean temperature Precipitation Temperature and precipitation depar-ies from the normal: Tormal temperature

Excess for the day

otal excess since March 1.

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M. Station and State
of Weather. 7
heyenne, clear
Dayenport, cloudy
Denver, clear
Dayenport, cloudy
Omaha, cloudy
Omaha, cloudy
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clear
cloux City, snow
Valentine, clear
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L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

have suspended grinding.

GOVERNOR DELIVERS What Governor Morehead Recommends in a Nutshell EXEMPTING BELGIANS

Counties instead of state to pay for conveying prisoners and return of

Rigid ins spoisos peopolisis orais dealing in habit-forming drugs. III.

Consolidation of all state live stock departments.

A bacteriological laboratory for the State Board of Health. No appropriations "except where

absolute necessity exists." VI. Consolidated blue book in place of

separate department reports. VII.

A state printing plant conducted by convict labor.

More power to banking board, including discretion to deny bank charters.

IX. Four-year terms for state officers with federal legislation. and no re-election.

Preliminary nomination by party elected on a nonpartisan ballot. committees for candidates seeking primary nominations.

XI. A supreme court commission. XII.

Election of supreme fourt judges by districts. XIII.

Intermediate courts of appeal. -XIV. State road building by convict labor.

MAY COME AGAIN

Next Year Providing Auditorium

is Available for Exhibiting.

The Midwest Implement Dealers' as-

the Auditorium is the only readily avail-

The implements on exhibit at the show

Officers Are Elected.

president, J. B. Morrissey of Shenan-

doah, Ia., was made vice president and

Oscar Rystrom of Stromsburg and E.

the directors it is left to choose a secre-

braska and Iowa might be made familiar

it stands for, it was decided copies of

the resolutions should be sent to all mem-

bers of the legislatures of the two states,

Urge New Federal Law.

The association endorsed the work of

business, and decided to urge the men-

Nebraska in congress to support the

stand in favor of the uitimate standardi-

would reduce the cost to the producer and therefore reduce the cost of the

product, which would be of benefit to

the manufacturer, dealer and consumer.

They recommended to all implement men

They recommended that all dealers as

far as possible make their purchases

by some thirty farm papers in the coun-

within a few months. The implement

HAVANA Jan. 7 .- The heavy, unsea

men applauded the idea.

TOBACCO AND SUGAR

ciation and their local clubs.

most economic dealer.

ators and representatives of Iowa and linson

zation of implements, as they believe it tion day.

In order that the legislatures of

tary for the ensuing year.

Ed Lehmkuhl of Wahoo was re-elected

will be removed some time Friday.

able place for such a show in Omaha.

(Condensed text of Governor More-Game and fish laws to conform head's message on Page Two.)

Will Hold Convention in Omaha Marquis Announces Battleship De-

All school officers nominated and

XVII.

XVII.

during first forty days of session.

power survey and development.

ployes on per dium wages.

Enactment of appropriation bills

XIX.

XX.

No extra pay for legislative em-

BRITAIN ADMITS FOE

SUNK FORMIDABLE

stroyed by Two Torpedoes

from Submarine.

for the task assigned to it-to destroy the

wark and data about other naval opera-

Can't Add Anything.

The Marquis of Crewe said he could no

add anything to what Winston Spencer

Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, had

said in the House of Commons. Before

adjournment, however, the marquis said

that in the opinion of the admirafty the

Formidable had been struck by two tor-

Live Stock Men to

tanued today by Secretary T. W. Tom-

Officials of the Panama-Pacific ax-

Federal aid to state for water

A public warehouse law.

HOUSE KILLS CLAUSE FROM LETTER TEST

Alien Measure Sent to Conference Minus Provision Waiving ABC Rule in Refugees' Case.

NEGRO EXCLUSION DEFEATED

Latter Amendment is Overwhelmingly Rejected by 252 to 75 Vote.

HEATED AND LONG DEBATE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 .- The immigration bill prescribing a test of literacy for aliens coming into this country was sent to a conference committee of the house and senate today by the house after a rigorous debate over the amendments written into the measure by the senate. Before sending the bill to conference, the house registered its disagreement to the senate amendments excluding "mem pers of the African or black race," and exempting from the literacy test and the contract immigration provisions of the law, Belgian agricultural immigrants coming to this country because of conditions caused by the European war.

Cause Long Debate.

Both of these amendments caused protracted discussion, which kept the house busy throughout the day's session. The, negro exclusion amendment was defeated, 252 to 75, and the Belgian exemption without a division. Representative Cullop of Indiana sought unsuccessfully to broaden the exception in order to admit not only farmers but industrial workers from Belgium, and Representative Gallagher of Illinois proposed to extend the exemption to farmers from Poland.

The house concurred in one amendment. that to exclude all persons of "constitutional psychopathic inferiority, and persons with chronic alcoholism

Sentiment Against Test. Much of the debate was against the literacy test provision, despite the fact that this already had been agreed upon by both houses. Representative Gallivan of Massachusetts made an effort to se cure another vote on the proposition, but vas ruled out of order.

Wilson Leaves for Hoosier Capital to Make Speech Tonight

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 .- President Wilson left at 7 o'clock tonight for Indianapolis, where he will speak tomorrow at LONDON, Jan. 7 .- The Marquis of a Jackson day celebration under the aussociation will come back to Omaha for Crewe announced in the House of Lords pices of the Indiana Democratic club. He will be introduced by Governor Raitorium is still available for the purpose, the British admiralty that the battleship ston of Indiana and his speech will be entirely of political character.

cote for the next meeting. This was decided at the meeting of the executive board of the association in the afternoon of the admiralty, in an address in the of the last day's session. They want a House of Lords, had described the dispatch squadron, he said, was wholly inadequate tomobile ride. He will start back to Washington at 6:65 o'clock tomorrow the statement says, were repulsed. German warships there. He then asked

Accompanying the president in his private car are Secretary Tumulty, Dr. Grayson and several members of the White House staff.

Greeks Observe Orthodox Yuletide

Greek orthodox church, was observed in Argonne we made further progress. The Omaha yesterday at the St. John's Greek attacks which were delivered January & stand by, which was taken to mean that Catholic church. Sixteenth and Martha in the castern part of the Argonne, no submarines were in the vicinity and that (Continued on Page Two, Column Four.) which the pastor, Rev. Gust Harvalin, far as our trenches, but the enemy was presided. There was a Christmas tree driven back from our positions all alons for the youngsters and a program was the line, with heavy losses. Our casualgiven after the regular church ceremony, ties were comparatively slight. The Greek holiday always comes thirteen Meet Next at 'Frisco days after the Christian festival.

U. S. CAN SHIP NAVAL DENVER, Jan. 7 .- The eighteenth annual convention of the American Na-STORES TO DUTCH AND ITALY cost education now being carried on; en- tional Live Stock association will meet

WASHINGTON, Jan. - 7. -- Secretary Bryan received word from the British ambassador today that arrangements were being completed for the shipment measure. They reaffirmed their former position have designated March 26 as without molestation of naval stores from American National Live Stock associa- the United States to the Netherlands and

Pillage, Rapine, Arson, Murder, French Charges Against Foes

from such manufacturers only as recog-PARIS, Jan. 7 .- The commission ap-1 "Attacks of women and girls were so nize the local dealer as the logical and They recommended also to the dealers T. F. Sturgess, editor of the Twentleth Century Farmer, was called upon for

"We must conclude that there never discussion of some of the topics, and has been a war between civilized nations urged a cash basis for business as far as of so savage and ferocious a character possible as the soundest economic principle. He also explained the Buy It placable adversary. Pillage, ravishing, Now" campaign which is being taken up burning, murder are ordinary practices of our enemies, and facts collected in try and most of the leading dallies, seekmany cases prove that the German claims that the killing of civilians was due to ing to put money into circulation and revive business by urging persons to buy at firing of the population are unfounded. once what they are sure they must buy "We found proof of the existence in

the possession of claborate material for this purpose, including torches, gronades, fuses, oil sprayers, sticks of inflammable matter and sacks of tablets composed of very inflammable composed powder."

The commission says, were established under the usual form witnesses examined under the usual form of judicial procedure.

The commission supplies with great detail the testimony on which its conclusions are based. These depositions will be published later as a government deal.

The commission affine that the following statement in the immigration of claborate material for oath from witnesses examined under the gration bill were discussed. The senate's amendments to the immigration of the immigration of claborate material for oath from witnesses examined under the usual form of judicial procedure.

The commission supplies with great details the testimony on which its conclusion and Beigian examples are the immigration of the immigr CROP OF CUBA DAMAGED ades, fuses, oil sprayers, eticks of in-

sonable rains of the last week, which pressed powder." culminated in a torrential downpour last. The commission affine that it was ument. hight, completed the destruction of the distinguished carefully between fires. The members of the commission are tobacco crop in almost all sections of the caused by bombardments and those suit Georges Payelle, president of the court Island. The sugar cane also was injured to have been set by hand when no fight- of accounts, chairman: Edmond Paillot, seriously. In many locations it is yield-ing was in progress. It is stated that councillor of the court of cassation; Aring omly about half the normal proper. the object was to intimidate the popula- mand Molised, one of the ministers attion of saccharine. Many sugar mills tion, thus spreading terror and panic tached to the Foreign office, and G. ahead of the invaders.

pointed on September 2 to inquire into frequent that the number of cases esaccusations that German officers had tablished was only a small part of those acted "savagely and inhumanly" against which might have been investigated." the advisability of taking either cash or French civilians and soldiers says in its the commission says. "The victims of note settlement at the time of delivery. report, made public today by the French these odious acts generally refused to take

public feeling. It was only upon the demand of Georges Clemenceau, the former prenier, and others that the cablnet decided to make public the report.

Considered nominations in executive seanet decided to make public the report.

The conclusions of the commission form about twenty newspaper columns. They

Marringer, councilior of state,

WHERE WAR'S BLOWS FALL HARDEST-Women of Bukowina, compelled by the operations of the armies on the eastern border of the war to find new homes.



TEUTONS TELL OF GAINS IN THE WEST

Berlin War Office Says Further Advances Have Been Made in the Forest of Argonne.

FRENCH DESTROY OWN TOWNS

BERLIN, Jan. 7-(By Wireless to London)-The German official communica tion on the progress of the war given out in Berlin this afternoon reports that On reaching Indianapolis at 1:46 o'clock further advances have been made by the tomorrow afternoon, the president will go Germans in the western part of the forimmediately to the home of Senator Kern est of Argonne, and that desperate make his address in Tomlinson hall and fighting is going on to the north of Arlater will attend a reception in the In- ras. French attacks in the eastern pordiana Democratic club and take an au- tion of the Argonne forest and to the west of Sennhelm (Cernay), in Alsace, In their operations against the Russians the Germans claim to be making progress in spite of the unfavorable weather

conditions. The statement says: Activity in the West. "In the western aronn of the war the English and French continue to destroy Belgian and French villages behind ou front; this they do by bombardment. "North of Arras severe fighting is still going on for the possession of trenches

we took by storm yesterday. "Christyuna," the Christmas of the "In the western part of the forest of Special services were held, at far from Courte Chaussee, advanced as

> "To the west of Sennheim (Cerny) the French again attempted last night to obtain possession of the height called 'Hill 425.' Their attack broke down under our fire and the height remained in our possession. In the eastern arena of the war there

have been no changes. The continuation of our operations has been affected by the most unfavorable weather conditions Nevertheless our attacks are progressing alowly.

Railroad Man Killed. NORFOLK, Neb., Jan. 7,-(Special Tel egram.)-Charles Lyons, aged 21, night car checker of the Northwestern rail road, died today from the effects of being run over at midnight last night. The cause of the accident is a mystery.

The National Capital

Thursday, January 7, 1915.

The Senate.

Met at 11 a. m. Philippines committee continued hear gs on the pending bill and decided to the testimony on the military import these odious acts generally refused to take testimony on the military importance of the islands.

The treasury department order suspending publication of manifests of versels for thirty days was debated.

Hearings on the mineral land leasing bill were begun before the lands committee.

Began debate on government ship pur

Adjourned at 5:34 p. m. to noon Friday. The House.

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For further information about this opportunity, say the Want Ad section of today's Bee.

The Day's War News

The French war office asserts that the eastern end of the German line is being pushed backward in varius places. In the day's official statement mention is made of an important advance in the Woevre district, resulting in the capture of a portion of the German first line.

In upper Alsace also the forward movement of the French is said to have continued. The German war office, however, asserts that French attacks in Alsace were re-

Beyond the German statement that the advance in Poland is being continued slowly, there were few details of the eastern campaign.

The German military government of Belgium denied officially the report of the arrest at Brussels of Cardinal Mercier.

England's reply to Washington's remonstrance against Britishe interference with American shipping will be altogether conciliatory, according to London dispatches, which says that apparently all danger of friction between the two nations has disappeared.

An official Turkish announcement makes no mention of the disastrous defeat Russia states was inflicted on the Turkish forces which invaded the Caucasus. The report speaks of minor victories over the Russians by Turkish forces which penetrated northern Persia, and of an indecisive naval battle between Turkish and Russian warships in the Black sea.

Germans Must Not Fraternize with Foe

BERLIN, Jan. 1 -(Via London.)-The German army authorities have issued a general order prohibiting in future troops in the field from fraternising with forces in the Western theater of the war at

To such an extent was this fraternizing carried out that at one place where the Germans and British played foot ball Christmas day they agreed to suspend hostilities for two days more.

Dawes Will Erect More Shelter Hotels

CHICAGO, Jan 7 .- Stimulated by the success of the Rufus F. Dawes hotel in its first year as a shelter for men who rooms for rent in Greater can pay only a nominal sum for bed and Omaha. lodging it was announced today that similar hotels are to be built in other cities. The hotel was erected by Charles G. Dawes as a monument to the memory of nished Rooms, 'you will find his son. It stands in West Madison listed the rooms you are lookstreet, a crowded district, and in its first your housed 179,000 men and served ing for at the price you want to 50,000 meals. The regular hotel charge pay. for a bed is a cents a night. On its bil of fare meat hash and beaus can be had for 3 cents, coffee for 2 cents, soup and bread for 2 cents and pie for 3 cents.

The annual reports showed that the first year net loss was only \$422.81.

CONCEDE DEFEAT IN CAUGASUS

Turkish and German Official Re ports Make No Mention of Disaster Suffered by Army in Mountain Passes.

EAST BATTLE LINE UNCHANGED

Russia Seems to Be Concentrating Its Main Efforts to Galicia and Bukowina.

FLANK ATTACKS IN THE WEST

BULLETIN.

BERLIN, Jan. 7 .- (By Wireless to Skyville, L. I.) - The Turkish official bulletin received here today reports that Ottoman troops have occupied Urumiah, whih has been an important basal position of the Russians. Urumiah is a town of Persian Armenia, in Azerbaijan,, with a population of from 30,000 to 50,000.

LONDON, Jan. 7,-Neither Turkey nor Germany has conceded the defeat of Turkish armies in the Caucasus, as claimed officially in Petrograd. As further details of this fighting are received in London, it would appear that this reported Turkish disaster has been as complete as that suffered by any forces since the outbreak of the war. In spite of this, however, the latest official communication from Turkey altogether ignores the fighting in the Caucasus and dwells upon the struggle which has spread over the Persian frontier to Urumiah, an important town, where the Turks say that, aided by Persians, they have defeated the Russians.

Germans No Nearer Warsaw. In Poland the Germans apparently are no nearer Warsaw, and there is little alteration in the battle front extending from the Baltic to the Carpathians. The Russians seem to be still concentrating their main effort in the Carpathian passes. At the same time they are continuing a vigorous offensive in Bukowina. The occupation of this Austrian territory, populated, as it is, largely by Roumanians, may soon exert, in the opinion of British observers, a powerful influence throughout Europe in bringing the Balkan situation to a head.

To the western arena of military activ ties the allies have yaried their flank attacks, which recently brought them success in the sand dunes of Flanders and in Alsace, by intensitying the pressure from Rheims to the Lorraine

The Gormans, meanwhile, have sought to repair the damage done to their wings. This has resulted in the recovery of ome ground for them near Steinbach, in Upper Alsace, but their attacks in Planders were repulsed.

Turkish Official Report. LONDON, Jan. L-An official Turkish tatement received in London from Constantinople, by way of Amsterdam, reads un follows:

"Our troops advanced from Samol and Ballons and occupied Ursa, an important Russian point of support.

*"After an indecisive battle Tuesday be tween Russian and Turkish fleets the

Russians sank an Italian merchant ship, although it was flying the Italian flag. "Four thousand Russians have been completely vanquished near Miandcab, losing 200 men killed, while the Turks, who were aided by Persians, lost six

"In fighting near Urumiah, Azerbaijan province, Perzia, two detachments of Russian troops were taken prisoner and 100 men were killed. As a result of the reverse of Urumiah the Russian morale has been broken."

N. P. FEIL PAYS VISIT TO NATIONAL CAPITAL

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 .- (Special Telegram.)-N. P. Fell, business manager of matters in which his paper is interested. He plans to leave for Omaha tomorrow

"Homey" Rooms

Rooms differ. Some are of the enemy, as they did at several points cheery and inviting and 'homey," and others are just

> To find the former is simply a matter of knowing where to look - knowing where such quarters find most frequent of-

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