Director of Mint Issues Statement Giving Total Production of Money Metals by States and Territories.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.- The director of the mint today made public his annual statement of the approximate distribution by producing states and territories of the product of gold and silver of the United States for the calendar years 1902 and 1903. That for 1903 is as follows:

		Billum
	Co	mmercial
State or Territory.	Gold.	Value
Alabame		8 00
		10 540
Alaska	6,921.157	16,540
Arizona	9,784,000	1,932,115
California	10,000,540	497,064
Colorado	22,000.000	7,517,812
Georgia	63,752	202
Idaho	2,067,193	3,915,000
Maryland	620	
Michigan	Sections.	29,902
Montana	4,134,367	5,400,000
		2,376,000
New Mexico	372 093	151,200
North Carolina	97.571	4.784
		87,500
Oregon	1,364,341	1.45
South Carolina		190
South Dakota	2,889,137	179,965
Tennessee	41	U-1107-115
Utah	5,064,599	8,100,000
Virginia	4,506	361
Washington	434,100	164,700
Wyoming	17,075	224
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Totals	974, 425, 340	\$30,520,688

Principal Variations.

The principal increases and decreases for

The principal increases and decreases for the year are shown as follows:

Alaska—Gold, decrease \$1.40,000; sliver, decrease \$12,000. These decreases are due to the season in which running water was available being about a month shorter than other recent years.

Colorado—Gold, decrease \$6,480,000; sliver, decrease \$751,000. These decreases were due to the miners' strike, which greatly interfered with production.

Idaho—Gold, increase \$592,000; sliver, increase \$192,000.

Nevada—Gold, increase \$681,000; sliver, increase \$191,000.

Montana—Gold, decrease \$245,000; sliver, increase \$23,900.00.

Utah—Gold, increase \$1,470,000; sliver, increase \$2,560,000.

Washington—Gold, increase \$162,000; sliver, decrease \$154,000.

rease \$2,360,000. Washington—Gold, increase \$162,000; silver, secrease \$164,000. South Dakota—Gold, decrease \$4,076,000. Oregon—Gold, decrease \$45,000. A total net decrease is shown in the gold production of \$5,575,000. and a net increase \$4,100,000 in the production of silver. Statement of December Business.

The monthly statement of the government's receipts and expeditures shows that for the month of December, 1903, the total receipts were \$42,747,502 and the expenditures \$32,255,804, leaving a surplus for the

month of \$19,401,788. The receipts for the six months of the present fiscal year amounted to \$277,837,472 and the expenditures to \$263,890,971, a decrease in receipts of nearly \$11,000,000 from the corresponding period last year and an increase in expenditures of slightly more than \$5,500,000. The receipts from the several sources of revenue during December, 1903, are given

as follows: Customs, \$19,815,880, a decrease of \$3,750,000; internal revenue, \$20,227,155, a decrease of \$750,000; miscellaneous, \$2,704,556. an increase of \$200,000. The total expenditures during December

decreased about \$4,200,000 as compared with December, 1902. The expenditures on account of the War department decreased during the month \$3,800,000 and the Navy department increased about \$1,265,000.

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the matter is made public would indicate that Harriman had decided to accept the resignation this time. It will be a guess for awhile as to the identity of the new sident, although Harriman may have made his selection already. Ed Dickinson is too well hooked up where he is to be tempted back to the Union Pacific except by a big offer. Some talk has been in dulged about Holdrege being taken by Harriman away from the Burlington, but that is not likely either after he has refused repeated offers of promotion on his own road. It seems likely to me that the new president will come from the Southern Pacific and fit in with Harriman's plan of harmonizing the two roads and operating them as closely together as possible."

Differences All Settled. On the very day when President Burt an- system, which he believed would prove bet-

nounces his resignation he and representa- ter than the old wage system. Mr. Harritives of the machinists finally and completely settle the old matter resultant from the strike last year, which was practically order for fear of too seriously disturbing stiled last June in a conference in which the financial status of the company. When M. H. Harriman participated at New York. The final meeting yesterday was held in President Burt's office and was participated by himself, W. R. McKeen, jr., superinendent of motive power, and Sam Grace, G. W. Smith, A. S. Mildred and other committeemen of district lodge No. 11 of the machinists. The settlement was along the line of the agreement proposed by Mr. Harriman, namely, that piecework should be entirely abolished from all the shops

THE VALUE OF CHARCOAL

ow People Know How Useful it is is Preserving Health and Beauty.

Nearly everybody knows that charcoal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant and purifler in nature, but few realise its mlue when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose.

Charcoal is a remedy that the more you take of it the better; it is not a drug at all, but simply absorbs the gases and imties always present in the stomach and intestines and carries them out of the

Charcoal sweetens the breath after smokng, drinking or after eating onlone and

other odorous vegetables. Chargoal effectually clears and improves the complexion, it whitens the teeth and further acts as a natural and eminently

safe carthartic. It absorbs the injurious gases which collect in the stomach and bowels; it disinfects the mouth and throat from the polson of catarrh.

All druggists sell charcoal in one form or another, but probably the best charcoal and the most for the money is in Stuart's Absorbent Losenges; they are composed of the finest powdered Willow charcoal and other harmless antiseptics in tablet form. or, rather, in the form of large, pleasant tasting lozenges, the charcoal being mixed

The daily use of these lozenges will soon tell in a much improved condition of the general health, better complexion, sweeter breath and purer blood, and the beauty of that no possible harm can result their continued use, but, on the

trary, great benefit. A Buffalo physician, in speaking of the of charcoal, says: Stuart's Absorbent Lozenges to all patients uffering from gas in the stomach and sowels, and to clear the complexion and urify the breath, mouth and throat: I in believe the liver is greatly benefited by the daily use of them; they cost but twenty-five cents a box at drug stores, and Ithough in some sense a patent preparan, yet I believe I get more and better in Stuart's Absorbent Loxenges

Dress Goods Dept

One Dollar for Fifty Cents In Our Cloak and Suit Department

WOMEN'S COATS AND CAPES—Over two hundred of them. The very cream of this season's styles at half off the regular prices.

WOMEN'S FUR COATS, CAPES AND NECK FURS-Every garment, every piece in our stock at one-third off regular prices.

WOMEN'S SUITS—Every suit in our stock marked less is called to our three sweeping lots ... 745-1145-1450 WOMEN'S SKIRTS-Walking Skirts and Dress Skirts, all marked down to our Blue Letter Sale prices.

WOMEN'S EIDERDOWN ROBES, SACKS AND KIMO-

Every dollar's worth of goods in the cloak room at reductions to close them before inventory.

January Sale of Muslin Underwear

NAS—All on sale at our fifth off regular prices.

We have just opened five cases of new muslin underwear. It is now displayed on the second floor. The values are startling. One of the leaders. One hundred dozen women's drawers, usually sold at from 35c to 45c. January Clearance Sale of Towels

00 dozen extra heavy linen huck towels, pretty red borders, 28x22, worth 20c-Special sale, each dozen extra fine damask towels, all white with white borders, 35x22. A regular 30c towel-Special Special Sale of Webb's Celebrated Irish

Linen Towels Huck with hemstitching, silver bleached, for this sale only, at 48c and ... O dozen 23x44 fine silver bleached huck towels with damask border, prettily hemstitched-a regular 50-cent towel-special for this

Extra in Huck Toweling. 5 pleces extra fine quality, silver bleached, huck toweling, a fine thick quality, very cheap at 15c per yard-special for this sale, at, per yard 50 pieces, extra heavy and fine medium weights, real Russia Barnsley and Irish crashes suitable for kitchen or glass use, worth to 20c per yard-all go at

Green Trading Stamps with Telephone Orders Ask for them

January Clearing sales in all departments are now on:

Your very special attention is directed to our gigantic sales in Dry Goods and Women's Suit Departments.

Green Trading Stamps in all departments all over the house.

Dublic interest in Green Trading Stamps is thoroughly aroused. Everybody has heard of them. Nothing affecting modern merchandising has stirred the people more these last few ing Sales while the goods weeks than the LITTLE GREEN STICKERS IN THE LITTLE last. GREEN BOOK.

Everybody is interested, and we are convinced that the people agree with us that GREEN TRADING STAMPS are a pronounced benefit for the people. If there is one individual, who spends a deliar now and again, who has to provide for himself the necessities of life, and who doesn't agree that GREEN TRADING STAMPS are a common sense discount to which all cash buyers are entitled, let him come to us, we will gladly give him our time and our attention, and if he is one of the convinceable kind we will speedily get him into our way of thinking.

GREEN TRADING STAMPS with all purchases in all departments, every tims and all the time.

Mail orders filled from these January Clear-

Send your order promptly and ask for Green Trading Stamps.

See that you get January "Money Saver."

Green Trading Stamp collection book mailed free.

January Clearance Sale of **Embroideries**

We will put on special sale Monday morning thousands of pieces of pretty embroideries in insertions and edges in Swiss, nainsook, cambric and Hamburg, widths 1 to 15 in., prices start at 4c, up to \$2 a yard.

All on special sales tables, dress goods aisle.

Grand clearance sale of all our high priced novelty suitings and cloakings. Goods that have sold up to \$3.50 per yard, yours while they last, at, per yard

Included in this lot are some of this season's choicest weaves and designs, such as silver flecked, zibelines, Scotch tweeds, English curl bourrette, melton, Venetian, covert broadcloth.

Specials

150 yards of extra heavy Panne Zibeline Cloakings, newest effects, cheap at \$3.00 per yard. To be closed out, yard.....1.00

Remnants!

Remnants!!

Short lengths from 1 to 6 yards, all qualities and colors, will be closed out at onethird the regular price.

January Clearance Sale of Muslins

36-in. fine bleached muslin, extra heavy. Special sale, at, per 62c yard.....

Extra Special Sale of Blankets and Comforts, every day this week, we will make special cut prices stles in this department. We will not carry any over.

SEE THE BARGAINS WE ARE GIVING.

Chafing Dishes Chafing Dishes

Just a few to close out. Prices disregarded. real warm bargain in Chafing Dishes.

Carvers-All kinds of fine handles-imitation ebony, real ebony, stag handles, etc., etc. Fine steel cutlery.

GOING CHEAP MONDAY Bargains in Galvanized Tubs.

Shoes! Shoes!



Ladies' Felt Shoes. Prices Cut in Two.

Ladies Fur Trimmed Julietts, Ladies' All Felt Slippers for............ 39c

Ladies' Felt Lined 1.48 Shoes, worth \$2....1.48 Men's \$2.50 and \$3 Felt Lined Shoes, felt or leather 1.98

Saturday we will sell Ladies' Welt Sole Shoes, high or medium heel, bright or dull fin-

Prescriptions

As the Doctor Orders.

In our prescription department we follow the doctors' instructions implicitly. We guarantee the absolute purity and genuineness of every ingredient used. The best physicians in the community recognize Bennett's Drug Department as a dependable outfit, where prescriptions are most carefully compounded at prices that always give the pleasant feeling of having secured a bargain.

SEND YOUR PRESCRIPTIONS TO BENNETT'S THEY WILL BE FILLED QUICKLY, PERFECTLY AND MONEY SAVINGLY, AND AS THE DOCTOR ORDERS.

away with within a few weeks.

The question of piecework was the bone

voring the fight to enforce the piecework

the strike was called off Mr. Burt's friends

professed to see in the result a distinct

victory for him and, indeed, if was far

from a flat defeat. But then arose that

with the outcome, which did not, he

thought, promise lasting peace between the

the shopmen that piecework would be abol-

ished absolutely. Current gossip all along

has insisted that this created strained re-

lations between Mr. Burt and Mr. Har-

riman, but the former's friends insist that

t did not and that Mr. Burt's resignation

Successor Not Considered.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.-Through a repre-

introls the Union Pacific, it was learned

this afternoon that President Burt's resig-

nation has been tendered, but has not yet

been accepted, and the question of a suc-

GENERAL LONGSTREET IS DEAD

Officer of Confederate Army Passes

Away Suddenly at Home in

Georgia.

ATLANT, Ga., Jan. 2.-General James

Longstreet, soldier, statesman and diplo-

nat, and the last lieutenant general of the

onfederate army, with the exception of

General Gordon, died in Gainesville, Ga., today from an attack of acute pneumonia.

General Longstreet was a sufferer from

had been good until Wednesday, when he

later into pneumonia of a violent nature.

be buried in Gainesville, which has been

Thomas Lowey Dies at St. Joseph

Hospital and Funeral Will

Be Monday.

Thomas Lowry, aged 90 years, died at St.

oseph's hospital Saturday afternoon and

will be buried Monday, morning from the

residence of T. J. Lowry, Seventh and Park

Wilde avenue, the services to be at St.

Mr. Lowry came to Omaha in 1868 from

Ireland, since which time he resided at

Tenth and Chicago streets. For thirty

years he was a watchman for the Union

Pacific rathroad. He is an uncle of T. J.

Lowry of Omaha, J. W. Lowry of Fort

Crook and Mrs. Ella T. Mullen of South

ncer of one eye, but his general health

He had been ill two days.

is home since the civil war.

Philomena church

was in no wise due to this.

essor has not been considered.

ompany and its men. He then promised

of Mr. Harriman's dissatisfaction

CIGARS

straight, Monday for 8C Helen Gould, 10c 3.50 Helen Gould,

50 for Joe Wright, conchas, 25c especial Monday 4 for conchas, 50 for 3.00

Know these cigars? You mightn't want to smoke a better if you tried them.

Chocolate Special .

Chocolate Creams for Monday.

So fresh, being made for us while this ad is being set up for us. Chocolate Creams!

Most delicious, vanilla flavored, Monday, per pound..

Crockery Crockery

The thousands on thousands of items crowding our Crockery Tables represent thousands on thousands of Crockery Bargains. Every item is either marked down or is subject to a substantial discount. This big section on our second floor is a bazaar of Crockery Snaps. There's everything in it. Everything short of the magnificent \$500 Vase (sold on Christmas eve) down to a baby's cup and saucer. Prices are in no way consistent with values, Prices are cut down to fractions to make room for new 1904 stock.

Green Trading Stamps with Mail Orders. Book Sent Free. Ask for Green Trading Stamps

on the system. During the last two DEATH FOR THE INSPECTORS time the first hole was blasted into the months the percent of piecework in the DEATH FOR THE INSPECTORS old workings of the Michael Davitt mine. shops was cut down from @ to 37 per cent and by degrees the remainder will be don

of contention of the strike which began in June, 1902, and continued until June, 1903, Mr. Burt was the prime advocate of this CRIME LAID AT DOOR OF LITIGANTS

man was placed in the attitude of not fa-

terfere with Order of Court.

vas killed and Fred Dryvel fatally injured by, an explosion in the Michael Davitt mine last night and it is alleged that the explo sion was caused by employes of the Rarus Dryvel died today. Later the corone

rania miner, testified that he had heard | celver. voice, which he thought was that of the foreman of the Rarus, say to the men at entative of the Harriman syndicate, which | way if you can; if not, blast." "That way." said Bonnell, "meant by bank

Monday the inquest over the bodies of Samhands of unknown persons in the Rarus

mpany will be questioned as to their side Evidence Implicates Harus Miners.

H. V. Wirchell, head geologist for the was seized with a sudden cold, developing He was 84 years old. He is survived by his the Amalgamated miners were working, wife, two sons and a daughter. He will and this, he declared, was burned, the stiffing smoke being forced in on the Amai-AGED PIONEER PASSES AWAY

> At one stage of the inquest County Attorney Breen and L. C. Evans, attorney

Two Miners Employed to Trace Vein of Ore | heavy material down the hole, besides set-Killed by Explosion.

Coroner's Investigation So Far Show that Attempt Was Made to In-

BUTTE, Mont., Jan. 2.-Samuel Oleson

dumping carloads of ore on us, throwing burning rags on us and exploding noxious

When the inquest is resumed on Monday employes of the Montana Ore Purchasing

of the alleged underground battle. All of the evidence adduced at today's bearing would seem to place the blame entirely on the men employed by the Rarus

Amalgamated Copper company, today teatified to discovering vast amounts of hay in the "raise" just above the place where gamated men to prevent them from carrying out the orders of the United States court in making an inspection of the Michael Davitt mine to determine how much ere has been illegally extracted from the Michael Davitt veins.

out the smoke. According to testimeny of miners who cough appears, will prevent the attack. It

IT WILL

STORM LAKE BANK IS CLOSED tion is Authorized to Begin

(From a Staff Correspondent. WASHINGTON, Jan. 2 .- (Special Tele he comptroller of the currency on evidence

The Stockmens National bank of Casper, Wyo., has been authorized to begin bustand Percy Shallenberger cashler of the new

Internal Revenue Agent Stevenson of the Omaha division has been appointed to succeed Revenue Agent C. H. Ingram, at pres-After examining fourteen witness this ent in charge of the Louisville division afternoon Coroner Egan continued until who has been transferred to Boston to assist Revenue Agent Kincaid. Revenue uel Oleson and Fred Dryvel, who, it is Agent Gavett, who has been relieved from alleged, were killed last night in the duty as traveling examining agent on ac-Michael Davitt mine by dynamite in the count of falling health, will be put in

Rural mail carriers appointed: Nebruska -Morna, regular, Ray Hicks, substitute, Edgar Francis. Iowa-Albia, regular Charles S. Hickman, substitute, Arthur N. Hickman: Dow City, regular, James G. Rule, substitute, Howard Rule; Fontanelle, regular, Archie A. Kirlin, Charles C. Sproul; Greenfield, regular, Alva R. Decker, substitute, William O. Decker; Shelby, regular, Charles S. Overturf, substitute, William A. Zimmerman; Sunderland, regular, George S. Butler; substitute,

Rural routes ordered established in Nebrasku, February 1: Alma, Harlan county, two routes; area covered, fifty-two squarmiles; population, 1.090. Dubols Pawnee county, two routes; area covered, fifty-two square miles; population, 1,685. Morse Bluff, Saunders county, one route; area covered, twenty-five square miles; population, 635.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Jan. 2 - (Special Telegram.)-While skating on Lake Minnehahn on the eastern edge of the city to night Harry Baker, a private in the Second

infantry, stationed at Fort Russell, was

drowned. The police are now dragging the

Not a minute should be lost when a child

PAY YOU TO STUDY The Want Ads

DID YOU WIN A PRIZE LAST WEEK?

STILL another mis-spelled word contest this week. The Bee's proof readers will get another vacation as far as the Want Ad pages are concerned. The

contest begins with Monday, January 4th, and ends with the issue of Jan-

You will find it interesting to see how much you know about spelling and there are good rewards for those who are best.

...THE CONDITIONS

The person finding the greatest number of mis-spelled words will be awarded the first prize. In case of a "tie," the person mailing answer first,

according to the postmark, will be given the preference, All answers must be sent by mail. Cut out the advertisements and paste them on a sheet of paper. Underline the mis-spelled words with a pencil or ink, and write your name and address at the top of each sheet. At the top of the first sheet state the number of mis-spelled words you claim to have found. No person connected with The Bee Publishing Company will be permitted

No abbreviations will be counted as mis-spelled words. The 1963 edition of Webster's dictionary will be taken as authority. Cut out the ads each day, mark the mis-spelled words, paste them all on a SINGLE sheet of paper and send the whole thing in complete after you have studied the Sunday, January 10th edition. Don't send in your answer until the end of the week or they won't be counted. If a mis-spelled word occurs in an advertisement which appears more than ence, put only one copy of the "ad" on your list.

THE PRIZES

2nd-1 Dinner Set.....\$10.00 200 PRIZES. You Ought 15th- 1 Copy "Mother Goose Paint Book" To 16th to 35th-New Books and Novels, worth \$1.25..... 36th to 50th-State Map, worth \$1.00......\$15.06 51st to 200th-Art Pictures, worth 50c..... \$75.00 Get 200 PRIZES......\$170.25

> Send all answers by MAIL address "Want Ad" Department, Omaha Daily Bee, Omaha.

for the Heinze interests, engaged in a dispute that threatened to develop into a free fight, but the matter was finally settled. According to the testimony of Super ntendent Adams of the Boston & Montana company and Foreman Moultrop of the Pennsylvania mine, on the day of the excalon the carpenters built a heavy door to prevent access to the Pennsylvania from the Rarus, and the two men who were killed were finishing the job by calking up the cracks in and around this door to keep Cough Remedy given as soon as the child

they were continually obstructed by men

account of the smoke sent down from above, blinding and choking them so that they could not stay in the raise.

from above who threw rocks and other

ting off powder and blank fuses to scare

On Same Day a New Wyoming Institu-Business,

gram.)-The First National bank of Storm Lake, Ia., has been closed by direction of ordered an inquest of the bodies of Dryvel of insolvency. National Bank Examiner and Oleson. William Bonnell, a Pennsyl- Shaw has been appointed temporary re-

work in the Rarus across a bulkhead from ness with \$50,000 capital. C. H. Townsend the Pennsylvania: "Drive them out that is president, Frank Wood vice president

charge of the Omaha division

Jessie L. Butler

Drowned While Skating.

lake with grappling hooks, but the body cannot be located. shows symptoms of croup. Chamberlain's becomes hoarse, or even after the croups

worked with Oleson and Dryvel from the never falls, and is pleasant and safe to take.

them from their work. Many times the men were compelled to leave their work on

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