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MORALES RUNS AWAY

President of Dominican Republic Reported Fleeing from Insurgents.

REVOLUTION SAID TO BE SPREADING

Rumor from Turks' Island Says Executive is Under Arrest.

OPPOSITION DUE TO FISCAL CONVENTION

Treaty for American Centrol of Custon Provokes Uprising.

REPORT TO THE SECRETARY OF WI

Consul Edwards Says Morales Mr. Attempt to Join Jiminez and Establish New Capital and New Cabinet.

SAN DOMINGO, Santo Domingo, Monday, Dec. 25,-Following the announcement today that the president of the republic, General Carlos F. Morales, had left the capitol for an unknown destination, troops were sent in pursuit of the chief magistrate. What took place after that cannot be definitely

ment troops. coast and board a sloop with the object of this state. reaching Puerto Plata, on the north coast of Santo Donningo, and there join Governor referring to the statement by Assembly-Peres, who has been dismissed by the government from the post of Governor of Roosevelt is trying to secure control of Puerto Plata, but who refuses to surrender the republican organization in Ohio, said

On the other hand, there are those who about it and cannot therefore discuss the believe that the president is endeavoring matter. to cross San Domingo by land and reach Monte Criste, on the north coast and west of Puerto Plata, from which port it is not

far distant. Juan F. Sanchez, former foreign minister of San Domingo, has also left the city. Dawson and Frederico Velasquez, minister of finance, on January 20 last signed the San Domingo providing for the fiscal pro-Domingo.

Revolution Growing.

TURKS ISLAND, Bahamas, Dec. 26-Mail dvices received here from Monte Christe. Santo Domingo, yesterday say that Guayubin. Dajabon and Sabeneta have taken up arms against the government and the Dominican-American fiscal convention. Generals Demetrio Rodriguez, Joaquin Barba, Navarro Martinez and Pedro Alvarez have gone with 600 men to attack Santiago and General Perico Lasala has marched on Lavega with a force of about 100 men.

General Deschamps, former vice president board a sailing vessel to operate against Puerto Plata.

It is rumored here that President Morales ts a prisoner in irons at the capitol, San Domingo.

State Department Watching.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.-Advices received by cable at the State and Navy departments from Santo Domingo indicate that a serious condition of affairs exists there. The captain of the port of Pureto Plata has been shot and killed during an insurrectionary movement and the governor of that province has defied the general government and barricaded the town. The Dominion government has issued a decree removing the government. The State department has determined that this is an internal difficulty and will not intervene at this

The secretary of war today received the following cablegram from Acting Comptroller and Receiver of the Dominican customs Edwards, date at San Domingo.

Carlos F. Morales dissatisfied with cabinet Carlos F. Morales dissatisfied with cabinet support; left capital last night with few followers. His intention is said to be to join the followers of Jiminez in opposition to those of Horacio. Conflicts between the two forces are imminent, probably vicinity of San Juan or vicinity of Puerto Plata. Carlos F. Morales may make attempt to establish new capital and create a new cabinet. Political excitement, but without disturbances here. Receivership is not affected yet. George R. Colton should be at Monte Christe Tuesday. George R. Colton, referred to in the above,

is the receiver of Dominican customs. No Action at Present.

For the present there will not be any interference by the United States in the difficulty which has arisen in San Dominge. The trouble is regarded by the State Department officials as entirely an internal one, and so long as outside interests are not menaced this attitude of onintervention will be maintained. If, however, conditions should change materially and lawless acts should be committed against Americans and American interests and involving the collection of the Dominion customs by this government or other acts of violence which occur, which in the opinion of the officials here would make it possible for this government to interfers, this step will be taken and measures taken to quell the disturbance. This decision was reached by the State Department officials during the day and was confirmed at a conference at the day received a cablegram from Constanti- which he will depart for a tour of inspec-White House late this afternoon at which the president, Secretaries Root, Taft and

Bonaparte participated. The cabinet officers remained at the White House until hearly 6 p. m. The tute. The dispatch added that relief is gathering, however, was not called spe-needed. cifically for the purpose of discussing San Domingo, but to talk over a number of in Virginia.

HORSES DIE IN THE STREETS Serious Epidemic of Spinal Meningitis Among Animals at Williams-

burg, New York.

NEW YORK Dec. 26.-Afflicted with spinal meningitis, more than a score of horses dropped in the streets of Williamsburg today, and at least half of them succumbed to the disease before a veterinary

ould reach them. Every veterinary surgeon in Williamshave only a slight chance of recovery from

MERRITT SAYS HE IS IN FIGHT AMBASSADOR FROM JAPAN SPEAKER / CANNON

andidate for Speaker of State As sembly Will Open Headquarters at Albany.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.-Assemblyman E. A. Merritt, jr., candidate for speakership LONG PROMINENT IN AFFAIRS OF STATE of the state assembly, said today that he expects to go to Albany tomorrow and

will open his headquarters there. "I shall be in this fight until the finish," said Mr. Merritt. "I do not know of any compromise. They cannot compromise

speaking of the endorsement by Presint Roosevelt and Governor Higgins of e speakership, Mr. Merritt said:

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1 · m receiving letters from up the state, and of which say that Charles the First's rad was cut off for less. The sentiment p there against interference by the governor and president is pronounced and rowing. They have lost sight of Odell and Higgins in this matter and are giving their attention to the right of the assembly to elect its speaker.

This interference is a part of President goosevelts plan to seaure control of the party organization in other states as well as in New York. They want to get control of New York first, but the president is trying it also in Connecticut and Obio. They are trying to get the two senators out in Connecticut, but i think they will have a fight before they get through with Frank Brandegee. I don't know whether the president's action comes from his matural desire to run things or to advance his rate legislation, which I am inclined to favor.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 26.-Governor Hig- as minister. It is expected that as soon gins was asked about the assertion of Mr. as the formal approval of his selection is determined, but it is known that a fight Merritt that President Roosevelt was strivoccurred about ten miles from here and it ing to secure control of the republican oris supposed that General Pimentel, the ganization in several states, especially in rebel commander, was attacked by govern- New York, Connecticut and Ohio. He said: "I do not believe President Roosevelt needs The whereabouts of the fugitive president, any defense at my hands, but I am free is unknown to officials at the capital. It is to say that I have seen no indication of any the privy council he was twice minister

> CLEVELAND, Dec. N.-Governor Herrick minister. man Merritt to the effect that President today: "If that is true I know nothing

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 26.-United States Senator Charles F. Dick, who was in this city today, said that he had seen no evidence that President Roosevelt was trying to get control of the party management in Ohlo. He said he could understand why Senor Sanchez, with the American special Mr. Merritt could make such a statement, missioners, Commander Albert C. Dil- but he expected to see no attempt by the lingham and former Minister Thomas C. president to control republican politics in the different states. Senator Dick intimated that the Merritt statement was not agreement between the United States and to be taken seriously. Congressman Theodore E. Burton made a similar statement tectorate of the United States over San to that made by Senator Dick, and added: organization, but I do not believe the has been made.

president desires to do so." HARTFORD, Conn., Dec. 26.-Morgan G. Bulkeley, senior senator from Connecticut, when shown the statement by Mr. Merritt. which the allegation was made that problems now are: President Roosevelt was anxious to secure political control in this state, said:

"I don't know anything about any such talk. I am not interested in the fight in New York state and will not be drawn Mr. Bulkeley said that he had soil fertility. into it." not seen the president.

Trustees Holds Brief Session

in New York. NEW YORK, Dec. 26 .- The investigating committee of the New York Life trustees held a meeting today at which were present Thomas P. Fowler, Clarence H. Mackay, August H. Paine, Norman B. Ream and Hiram A. Steele, members of the committee, their counsel, John G. Milburn: A. Keenan and John A. McCall, president of the New York Life. The report sent from Paris by Andrew C. Hamilton was considered and referred to the counsel. At the close of the meeting Mr. Fowler said nothing could be given out. Mr. McCall said that the report was favorable to himself. The World will say tomorrow that the main features of Hamilton's report are: Hamilton admits that he may owe the New York Life money, and that his account with the company is "open" because of his failure to render a statement heretofore of all the moneys he has received. He offers to place in trust \$190,000 cash from his own private funds pending a final adjustment of his accounts. Any sum which it may be decided he owes the company is to be paid to the New York Life

out of the \$100,000 fund. Hamilton does not give the name or reyeal the identity of the persons to whom he made payments.

Hamilton asserts that in connection with investigation of the Interest of the New York Life it was necessary for him to ing." in Albertaric county, Virginia. make payments to persons who were not lawyers, and under no circumstances would he reveal the names of those persons The report consists chiefly of a presents tion of the reasons for the immense payments which Hamilton alleges he made out of the funds given him by President

EARTHQUAKE IN HARPOOT American Board Notified of Destruc tion of Many Houses Near Its

East Turkey Mission.

BOSTON, Dec. 31.-The American board of commissioners for foreign missions tonople announcing a severe earthquake in tion over the entire Frisco system, the Harpoot villaget in its eastern Turkey mission, which destroyed many houses and made many people homeless and desti-

populated, largely by Armenians. It is one not purchased or contemplated purchasing questions which the president was anxious of the sections of Asiatic Turkey devas- any line from Hirmingham to the gulf, to dispose of preliminary to his departure tated at the time of the Armenian mas- he said. "You may say that the 'Frisco tomorrow for an outing of several days sacres in 1895. Harpoot is the center of will not be extended in that direction. As one of the largest mission stations of the to the talk of an attempt to acquire the of Euphrates college, with nearly 1,000 even to discuss so buseless a report. of a large evangelistic work covering that have had." entire district.

POISON IN THE PUNCH BOWL Xine Persons Die as Result of Political Plot at Torreon.

Mexico.

EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 26.-At Torreon, burg was called into service, and they Mexico, nine citizens who were poisoned were busy from before daylight until late at a banquet Saturday night, have died onight trying to check the spread of the and many others are ill. It is alleged that disease. Up to 6 o'clock one veterinary the poisoning was part of a political plot. had been called to attend eighteen cases. Strychnine was put into a bowl of punch. nine of which were fatal. All the animal All the dead are said to have been of one reply, which was sent from Guantanamo hospitals are crowded with horses which political faction. The members of the by Commander Rodgers, had traveled 1.700 were not affected by the punch they drank. | tion here

Viscount Siuzo Aski Appointed by Mikado to Represent Him at Washington.

New Official Was Educated in Germany and Has Held Many Important Diplomatic Offices.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.-Viscount Stuze e candidacy of J. W. Wadsworth, jr., for Aoki has been appointed Japanese ambassador to this country. Information to this effect was conveyed to Secretary Root today by Mr. Hiroki, the Japanese charge Viscount Aoki is a member of the privy council and of the first-class order of the Rising Sun. He is of the highest diplomatic rank.

Viscount Aoki comes as the first ambas sador from Japan to the United States after a distinguished career in the diplomatic service, from which he retired about six years ago, when he was called by the emperor to be one of the privy councillors the highest honor that can be hoped for by the nobility. When yet a young man the new ambassador went to Germany as a student and received training in the large universities. Twice he was returned ther received from this government and accepted by the viscountess, who is of German birth, the viscount having met and married her while serving his country in Germany, will come to this country. Count Aoki is about 60 years old. Before entering supposed that he endeavored to reach the disposition on his part to control things in for foreign affairs, and M. Takahira, whom he succeeds here, served under him as vice

Fair Hearing for Americans.

Consul Generi Mills at Chihunhua, the this country is better today than it ever day recommended Dr. H. W. Orr, on owner of the ranch where the trouble ocbrigands, and Mr. Mills will see that they political map. And how quickly the people day, have a fair hearing.

Work on Soil Survey.

The soil survey of the Department of Agriculture has mapped 15.752,320 acres of land during the past fiscal year, according to the annual report of the soils bureau. The surveys were made in twenty-eight "Possibly it would be good for the state states. Rhode Island is the first state If the president would control the party in the union of which a complete survey

The maps show the different kinds of soil which occur in each area. The report says that the work during the past three years shows the three great agricultural

LOOKING INTO NEW YORK LIFE live experiments have been carried on Committee Appointed by Board of the result that new varieties of filler 26 to 40 cents per pound, with an average price of 30 cents." In this manner a new industry is being developed in a region where the staple crop (cotton) is being seriously threatened by the ravages of boll weevil. In the Connecticut valley work on the production of a high grade of tobacco grown under cloth tents has been continued. In Ohio the new method of "bulk" fermentation has been thoroughly introduced and has resulted in the saying of thousands of dollars to the toginia the improvement of the plug wrapper tobaccos has been undertaken through better methods of production and handling. Under the methods introduced by the bureau of soils profits have been increased from \$5 per acre under the old system to nearly \$30 per acre under the new sys-

> Mrs. Roosevelt Gives Box Party. Mrs. Roosevelt entertained a box party decline the duties. at the Columbia theater tonight to witness the performance of the "College The party included Commis-Widow." sioner of Corp rations and Mrs. James R. Garfield, Miss Carow, Mrs. Roosevelt's

sister, and Ethel and Kermit Roosevelt, President Takes Vacation President and Mrs. Roosevelt, accompanied by several of their younger children, will leave Washington tomorrow for

The president and the members of his

YOAKUM IS GOING ON TOUR Head of 'Frisco System Not After Line from Birmingham to

Gulf. ST. LOUIS, Dec. 26 .- B. F. Yoakum, the executive head of the Rock Island and

Frisco systems, arrived from Chicago last sight and will remain in St. Louis several days to confer with President Davidson of the St. Louis & San Francisco road, after

Youkum said today that his intended inspection trip was solely for the purpose of ascertaining the condition of the road. He denied the recent report that the 'Frisco is seeking an outlet to the This region is said to be very densely South Atlantic seaboard. "The 'Frisco has American board in Turkey. It is the seat Missouri, Kansas & Texas road, I dislike pupils, of a theological seminary, of a Frisco and Rock Island have no designs medical institution and the headquarters on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas and never

WIRELESS DISTANT Message Sent from Cuba to Washington Read by the Operator at Boston.

BOSTON, Dec. 26.-The Charleston naval station notified the bureau of equipment at Washington today that Admiral Dewey's wireless Christmas greeting from Washingington to Cuba and the reply from Cuba to Washington had been read by the wireless telegraph operator at the station here. The opposing faction who attended the banquet | miles before it was read at the naval sta-

TALKS

Veteran Congressman Says Counter and Lawmakers Are Better Now Than Formerly.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.-Speaker Can non was one of the callers at the White House today. He desired simply to pay his Christmas greetings to the president but was obliged to defer them as the president had gone to the country for a long horseback ride. The speaker was i excellent spirits and talked with his newspaper friends in a characteristic way.

"They say things are not now like they were in the old days; that we are becoming astocrats; that there is no longer honest) in legislative bodies; that there is no ability at the bar; that we are liable to become a monarchy; that some strong man is liable to rise up and dominate everybody. But I say there is no fairminded man who studies the history of this country from the days of its foundation down to the present time and who deduces the difference between \$,000,-000 people and 80,000,000, who considers the telegraph, the telephone and the railroads. who will not say that we are markedly better physically and mentally than our grandfathers or even our fathers."

Then you believe the house of repre sentatives is just as representative as it

was in years gone by?" "Yes; yes, indeed," the speaker replied

the house is just as representative a body now as it was when this country had only 10,000,000 people. If you listen to all that is said you might believe the country is fast going to the devil, is fast becoming monarchy and will cease soon to be a re public. Why, I heard that same kind o talk when I was a boy, when we used to tell us that things were not what they Drs. Anderson and Bullard, resigned. dishonest, and that there is wholesale im- winter in Mexico, on the request of do it, too. They settle a man so quickly that he is soon forgotten. I venture the William J. Brown, who put through the ing at Las Guasimas, June 24, 1898. and Baltimore. He did the world an im- explanation of the award: First.—The western farmer is chiefly con-serned with the presence of alkali and its by "lightning" and beat Brown thousands

with the farmers, the report adds, "with FOLK ANSWERS PRISON BOARD tobaccos are being grown that sell from Governor Says Duties of Inspectors Are Clearly Defined by Law and

They Must Perform Them.

ST. LOUIS. Mo., Dec. 26-When asked today about the letter from the state board of prison inspectors, claiming they the engagement of June 24, 1898, at Las have no power to govern the penitentiary. Gunsimas, and there, with courage and Governor Joseph W. Folk, who was in the during, coolly and repeatedly went to the visit to Tennessee, said:

bacco producers of the state. In Vir. prison inspectors printed in the papers, places of safety. it. The remarkable thing about the report ular army, with the rank of first lieu and letter is that the inspectors seem to be tenant, in December, 1898, and was made so calmly oblivious of the duties imposed a captain in 1902.

"The law puts a responsibility on them which they cannot decline. They are the at Red Oak, la., January 13, for positions governing board of the prison and are paid of clerk and carrier in the postoffice ser \$250 a year each by the state for their services. They accept the compensation and

"They say they have no powers. Their powers are defined by statute, and all I insist upon is that they do the things the law requires them to do.

"In fact, under the statutes the warder can do practically nothing without the approval of the inspectors. Their authority is clearly defined. "They insist, though, that they should

make the warden's appointments for him. a visit to their country place, "Flaindeal- although the law contemplates that they are merely to approve or reject the appointments made by the warden. If the family will return to Washington Sunday board can evade responsibility unless the warden lets them make his appointments, were the warden to delegate to them this power could be not then with much greater force claim that he is not responsible, as he does not appoint the men under him? it is easy to see that such a policy would be destructive of discipline, for the warden could not control men who owe their positions, not to him but to the board."

PLANS FOR TRACTION DEAL Belmont and Ryan Issue Statement

mitted to Stockholders. NEW YORK. Dec. 26.-The following statement relative to the consolidation of

Outlining Proposition to Be Sub-

the Interborough and Metropolitan interests was given out today at the office of August Belmont:

Mr. Belmont and Mr. Ryan, after consultation with their respective associates, have approved a plan for the union of the Interborough and Metropolitan interests which will be formally submitted to the stockholders of the corporations inolved as soon as the lawyers have olved the necessary papers. The ntemplates the organization anpany, which shall issue acquiring the shares of the inte-gh, Metropolitan Street Railway, etropolitan Securities companies Metropolitan Securi

the following terms:

For every share of Interborough stock:
New collateral trust \$\text{this}\$ per cent bonds, secured by the deposit of interborough stock, \$250; new common stock, \$50.

For every share of Metropolitan street railway stock: New 5 per cent comulative stocks preferred, \$100; new common stocks, \$50. For every share of Metropolitan Securi-ties stock (with \$75 per share paid), new

common stock, \$85.

It is confidently believed that the proposed arrangement will not only be beneficial to the stockholders of the corporations involved, but that it will be advantageous to the city and to the public. Railroads Paying Taxes.

MADISON. Wis., Dec. 26.—Under a assed at his special session requiring

nterest for 1904 and 1906. It is expected hat all the smaller roads will follow.

BAXTER'S SHOES IN DEMAND

illard Has Applications from Four and Time Enough for Others to Get In.

SENATORS NOT INFORMED OF VACANCY

Expect to Be Notified Some Time During the Week and Then Will Get Together and Recommend Baxter's Successor.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Dec. 26 .- (Special Telegram.)-There are said to be a number of candidates in the field for the United States district attorneyship. Though 1 has been generally known for some days that Baxter must go, his retirement from the office of district attorney is not ever known officially tonight to Senators Millard and Burkett, who will practically have the naming of his successor. Under the circumstances they naturally are loath to discuss the situation, but probably before the week closes they will have gotten together and agreed upon someone whom he will recommend for the vacant attorneyship.

From the Millard camp it is learned that these names have been presented to him for consideration: Churchill, Kinsler. Kaley and Slabaugh. These men are understood to be avowed candidates. Senator Millard said he did not know officially

that Baldridge is a candidate. Names Pension Examiners.

Congressman Pollard today recommended for pension examiners at Pawnee City Dr. gather at camp meetings. They used to G. W. Collins and Dr. W. R. Boyer, vice were in the 'good old days.' You hear the Owing to the absence of Dr. H. J. Winsame thing now, that the country is nett, member of the Board of Pension Exretrogading; that everybody is corrupt and aminers at Lincoln, who is spending the The State department today telegraphed | morality. I do not hestate to assert that | commissioner of pensions, Mr. Polland nearest consulate to Diaz, the scene of the was in its history; that the people are the leading physicians of Lincoln and recent killing of Rutherford and McMur- better - more honest, more moral and less nephew of Dr. Winnett, Dr. M. J. Beachly, ray, to proceed immediately to that point disposed to yield to temptations that are who has been a member of the Lincoln and investigate the case. Firsted, the put in front of honest men at every turn. Pension board for a number of years. "The people are just as mighty now in but who is now nearly 75 years of age curred, and "Shorty," a cowboy, are being the matter of elections as ever before and and has grown so feeble that he cannot mitted the crime, notwithstanding their has done his duty. A man never is so big succeeded by Dr. E. B. Pinney, whom owner of the schooner, and his son. protest that it was the work of Mexican that he can not easily be wiped off the Representative Pollard recommended to-

Medal for Captain Church.

A congressional medal of honor has been prediction that few of the best read men in hestowed upon Captain James Robb the country could sit down today and give, Church, assistant surgeon, now on duty at off hand, the names of 100 men who have Fort Robinson, Neb., who was one of the helped to make history in the house of rep- medical officers attrached to the First forgotten and that was the end. There was known as the Rough Riders, in the fighthouse the appropriation of \$30,000 to build following letter from Assistant Secretary

mense service, yet at the next election afterward he received hardly enough votes to count. The opposition put up a man who ridiculed the idea of sending messages by lightning and beat Brown thousands of votes. So it is today. A man's services are not so easily condenned.

"Undoubtedly, we are better off than our forget there. The collection and the condenned of the award:

Captanation of the award:

On this occasion Captain Church, who was then serving as absistant surgeon. First United States Volunteer cavalry, in addition to performing carefully the duties proportation, voluntarily and unalded, carried several seriously wounded men from the firing line to a secure position in the rear, in each instance being subjected to a very heavy fire and exposure to danger.

Upon the organization of the award:

Report of Board of Canvassers Gives West there were the control of the serious of votes cast in New York county for mayor at the last election was issued today.

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"Undoubtedly, we are better off than our forefathers. The millenium isn't here, it is true, and things will put by bit interesting soil fertility.

Third—The maintenance or restoration of soil forefathers. The millenium isn't here, it is true, and things will put by bit interesting when everything becomes perfect. We are soil for the stay tenant. During the greater part of the stay tenant are the tast election.

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The official returns from the other thr Thurch, by reason of the enforced absence of the senior medical officer, served as the regimental surgeon and was in charge of the hospital during the trying days after the fighting ceased, and the dread Cuban fever was making its appearance. Captain Church was not content to remain in the rear while his comrades were en gaged with the enemy. He was on the firing line constantly, especially during city en route to the state capitol from a rescue of wounded soldlers, and under the heavy and carefully directed fire of the 'I have not received the letter of the enemy, unaided, carried them bodily to but when I do I shall, of course, answer appointed an assistant surgeon in the reg-

Postal Matters.

A civil service examination will be held

George N. Henderson has been appointed regular and Peter O'Malley substitute rural carrier for route 2 at Mechanicsville, la. Harry Haulman has been appointed postmaster at Ankeny, Polk county, Ia., vice George Coffin. resigned.

REWARD FOR A LABORER Man Who Defended Postoffice from Burglars is Given Promotion

by President.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26 .- As a reward for defending the postoffice at Emma, N. C. four years ago against four burglars. Pres ident Roosevelt has waived the civil service regulations upon the recommendation of Postmaster General Cortelyou and S. H. Alexander's Christmas gift was a promotion from a laborer to a clerkship in the on it.

Not only has the brave North Carolinian been promoted, but to accentuate the honor which gives a full account of the deed. The of February 6, 1901. All the burglars were arrested; two of them, together with two accomplices, after trial were given the extreme penalty of the law, which, for the offense committed in North Carolina, is

death. Afterward the sentence was commuted in the case of two of the burglars to life imprisonment. The other two were hanged February 26, 1902. Alexander himself was shot in the abdomen in his fight with the

FIGHT ON THEATER SCALPERS

Mayor Dunne Will Oppose System of Men Who Buy Tickets on Speculation.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.-The energetic work of Mayor Dunne in suppressing the scalping of tickets to the Thanksgiving foot ball game between the universities of Michigan and Chicago bore such satisfactory fruit that he has now entered upon a campaign against the scalpers, who, he alleges, have made a practice of buying up theater tickets and selling them to the public at an exharbitant advance.

Ever since the foot ball game on Thanks giving day the mayor has been deluged with requests that he suppress the realping of theater tickets, and today he called a meeting of the theatrical managers of the city to devise a way to keep the Northwestern today paid \$275.534 taxes for and to make arrangements for the punishment of any person charging excessive minion, from prices for theater tickets,

Partly Cloudy Wednesday, with Rain or Snow and Colder in West Por tion. Thursday Fair and Colder.

Temperature at Omaha Yesterday: Hour. Deg. .. 33 Hour. d a. m 31 2 p. m..... 45 3 p. m..... 48 S a. m..... 32 9 a. m..... 31 4 p. m..... 40 5 p. m..... 47 10 a. m..... 32 6 p. m 7 p. m..... 44 8 p. m..... 42 12 m..... 40

STORK WORKING OVERTIME

Bird Makes Two Visits to Albany (New York) Home Within Four Months.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 26.-Mrs. Affred Wiltse of \$15 Central avenue, this city, is the mother of a three days' old daughter They which she insists was born 116 days, or less than four months after she had given birth to a son. Her story is partially vouched for by Dr. George T. Moston, a reputable physician who attended her. Both parents are a few months over 20 years of age. Dr. Moston said to the Associated Press tonight that he believed the woman's story. "The child is normal," he said, "and I saw the other child, who is not apparently more than four months old, showing no saying that the revolt there had failed; no physician attended the other birth. though one was sent for and her only at- existed among the troops had been overtendant was a woman with whom she boarded, but whose present address she does not know. Mrs. Wiltse's mother and lected from the windows and roofs of family youch for the truth of her story. and share in the surprise occasioned by the that they could harrily be restrained. Al-

CLINGS TO MAST FOUR DAYS Schooner Sakata Wrecked in Gulf of Mexico and All Members of Crew Drowned Except One.

TAMPA, Fig., Dec. 3.-The three-masted the present demonstrations of the lengths chooner Sakata of Petersburg, N. S., has to which the 'reds' are willing to go he been wrecked and its entire crew of at least has hopes that the moderates of all classes seven men drowned, except Second Mate will come to their senses and aid in coun-John F. Williams of St. John, N. B. The selling of order and in accelerating the held in jail on the charge of having com- just as discriminating as to whether a man perform the work of the board. He will be drowned include John Colon, managing convocation of the douma, the law gov-

The wreck was reported by Captain Ler- day mond of the schooner Helen Thomas, which arrived in port tonight from Galveston, Captain Larmond first sighted the capsized schooper on December 23. He sent a boat to the wreck. The men found Mate Wilhams clinging to the vessel and he had been without food or drink for four days. resentatives. The others were defeated and United States Volunteer cavalry, commonly Hunger had forced him to eat a portion of his oil coat. The wrecked schooner was formation regarding the revolutionary The bound for Havana

the first telegraph line between Washington Oliver of the War department makes this OFFICIAL VOTE IN NEW YORK

follows: Kings-McClellan, 68,778; Hearst, 84,835;

Queens-McClellan, 13,228; Hearst, 13,706; Ivins, 7,213. Richmond-McClellan, 6.127; Hearst, 3.636; The total vote was: McClellan, 228,377;

Henrst, 224,929; Ivins, 137,198.

HILL AND HARRIMAN FIGHT Northern Magnate Enjoioned from Attempting to Cross Oregon Short Line Tracks.

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 26.-The granting an injunction by the state circuit court ordering the Portland & Seattle railroad and Simms & Shields, contractors, to discontinue the work of railroad construction in the vicinity of a proposed crossing by the new line of the Oregon Railroad and Navigation company's track between here and the Columbia river, marks the first actual legal clash between the principals themselves in the alleged fight between the panies for some time have been striving to gain the vantage at the point of crossing, other company would have to conform

AUSTEN'S WORK ON EXHIBITION Photo of Bird's-Eye View of Omahi May He Seen in Milwaukee's

Big Show Window

A fine large photograph of the painting of Omaha by the celebrated artist. E. J. Austen, was placed on exhibition at the Milwaukee's uptown office yesterday afternoon. It attracted much attention and favorable comments were passed

This is the painting which is to be reproduced by The Bee and furnished with each paper delivered on New Year's day an official statement was issued today The reproduction will be 17x25 inches in size, handsomely lithographed, and a perattempted robbery took place on the night feet reproduction of what all admit is the finest panoramic painting ever made of the town

MAIDEN TRIP FOR NEBRASKA Battleship Named After Antelope State Towed from Builders' Whart to Navy Yard

was a short one and was not made with

to the navy yard dry dock. commencing to arrive, the first one being by the revolutionaries with the army, Moran's shippard, where the installation bered forty-seven members. of the guns will be commenced some time

San Francisco Broker Patts SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.-B. B. Mitch-il. a stock broker, with offices at 28 New fontgomery street, under the Palace hotel, as closed his doors. Liabilities, \$100,000.

London; Oscar II. Nordham, from Bren Amsterdam-Arrived: Amsteldyke.

NEBRASKA WEATHER FORECAST REVOLT ON THE WANE

General Doubassoff Reports that He Has Situation in Band.

INSURGENTS STILL HOLD QUADRANGLE

It Must Fall, However, as Soon as an Assault is Made.

LEADERS OF THE REDS CAPTURED

Police Arrest Men in Charge of Strike in St. Petersburg.

IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS ALSO TAKEN

Disclose the Hiding Places of Bombs and Arms and Weak Spots in the Army

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 21.-11.55 p. m. -Emperor Nicholas and Count Witte received tonight a report from General Doubasseff, governor general of Moscow, sign of a tooth. Mrs. Wiltse told me that that the military had the situation in hand and that whatever defection may have come by attacks on them by bombs and revolvers to which they had been subhouses and which had so enraged them hough rebellion may flare up immediately elsewhere, and although there is an indiention of another upheaval at Odessa, if he attempt at armed rebellion in Moscow should be crushed, the leaders of the 'reds' will receive a blow from which they cannot quickly recover. Count Witte is not so blind to believe that the revolution can be stamped out, but with erning elections which was published to-

Leaders of "Reds" Captured. Among the developments here today the nost important was the capture of the leaders of the "Fighting legions," which, t is believed, ends the danger of an attempted armed uprising in St. Petersburg. This capture, it is understood, places in the hands of the government complete inplans and places where arms are concealed, as well as disclosing the weak spots

in the army. Shortly before 9 o'clock the correspondent of the Associated Press at Moscow telephoned that there seemed to be no longer doubt that the insurrection was collapsing. The insurgents still held the quadrangle in which the workmen's council was sit-

efforts and the fighting was rapidly de-

generating into guerrilla warfare. The insurgents were defending themselves with revolvers and bombs as they were being bunted down from house to house. The correspondent says that the entire population of the city is terrorstricken and that after dark the back streets present a weird and uncanny apstation be saw only a few civilians, who were slinking along by the side of the walls so as to avoid the police and cavalry patrols, who fire without challenging. The windows of the houses are stuffed with mattresses and blankets and no lights

bayonets fixed. Martial Law in Moscow. General Doubassoff is enforcing the most rigid martial law and no person is allowed on the etreets after 9 o'clock at

are showing. The police carry rifles with

night. About one-third of the workmen have teft the city and aux traveling on foot to the villages, some of which are hundreds of miles distant. With some of the lower Hill and Harriman interests. Both com- classes which do not sympathize with the desire to overthrow the emperor the feeling is becoming intense and strikers have in order to establish a grade to which the been beaten to death. The correspondent predicts that the crushing of the rebelon is likely to be followed by the most horrible atrocities if the "black hunfreds" are let loose. General Doubassoff, unknown to the public, is directing matters from his headquarters in the Metropolitan hotel, which is barricaded and defended

by machine guns. The concentration of the troops in the city to fight the insurgents allowed the strikers and revolutionaries a free hand in neighboring industrial towns, like Perovo and Lubertzi. In the former place 300 armed men were sent to reinforce the insurgents and at Lubertzi the situation became so threatening that Mr. Purdy, vice president of the New York Air Brake company, the works of which in that town are valued at \$1,000,000, sent an urgent message to the governor general appealing for the protection of the property and for the protection of the 100 Americans there. General Doubassoff promptly dispatched a company of dragoons and this is considered as the best proof that he is confident he

has the situation in hand. Strike Leaders Captured.

Police and students in St. Petersburg today surrounded and captured all members of the executive committee of the fighting organization while they were discussing SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 26.-(Special Tel. plans for an uprising here. They capegram.)-The battleship Nebraska took its tured also the detailed plans for the upnalden trip today. The trip, however, rising as well as large quantities of arms, hombs, etc. It is understood that as a the vessel's own motive power, being towed result of these captures the government has obtained extremely important infor-The guns for the new battleship are mation concerning the connections formed a twelve-inch gun. After going into dry man named Schoolman was at the head dock the ship will be towed back to of the executive committee, which num-

The government is confident that these captures practically put an end for the present to any attempt to repeat in St.

Petersburg the uprising at Moscow. Will Try to Continue Strike. ST PETERSBURG, Dec. 26.-1:40 p. m --

The revolutionary leaders in St. Fetersburg Movements of Ocean Vessels Dec. 26, who on Sunday decided that it was abso-As New York—Arrived: Mesaba, from lutely necessary to precipitate an imme-ondon; Oscar II. from Christiansand; diate conflict here as a diversion in favor diate conflict here as a diversion in favor of the revolutionaries at Moscow reconsidered their decision last night on the s-Arrived: Nord America, from ground that it would be alreer tourder to Boulogne-Sailed: Statendam for New | send the problement into the streets. At Liverpool-Arrived: Laufentian, from Philadelphia; Tunisian, from Halifax; Dundrum, from Boston, Salied; Cestrian, for Boston,