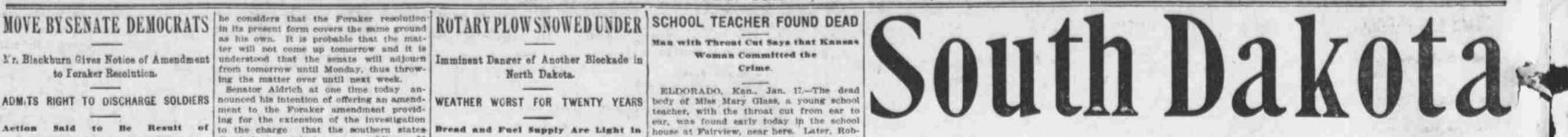
THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: FRIDAY, JANUARY 18, 1907.



Democratic Cancus-Republicans Will Make Attempt to Table It.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17 .- The legal phase of President Roosevelt's discharge of the aegro troops was again injected into the controversy in the senate today by notice of an amendment to the Foraker comwomise, which Senator Blackburn said he would press.

Mr. Blackburn's amendment states that be senate expressly disclaims any intenion "to question or deny the legal right of the president to discharge without honor enlisted men of the army of the United State#.

Senator Foraker, who concluded his ar gument, at once declared his opposition to the amendment. He discussed the power of the executive, holding that the affray at Brownsville ought to be investigated simply as to the facts and the question of power determined later if it should arise as the result of the inquiry. He reviewed his previous utterances, maintaining the same position in every respect. He replied to arguments which have been made since his first speeches, especially those of Senators Spooner and Knox. He defended the creased powers to enable that body to deal Twenty-fifth infantry, reviewing the "esca- with such emergencies as that now existpades" it is charged with, expressing his ing with regard to the car shortage quesastonishment that the record furnished the tion. The commission already has subsenate by the War department in this particular was not complete and stating that port of the investigations made by some in response to his request it had been sup- of its members in the northwest into this plemented by information considered favorable to the regiment.

Consideration of the resolution was deferred until Monday at the conclusion of Mr. Foraker's address.

The republican leaders accept the Blackburn amendment as a political move and Knapp, Clements, Harlan and Clarke of most of them express the opinion that it the Interstate Commerce commission and is the result of a democratic conference. four members of the executive committee This, Senator Blackburn denies, but he of the National Demurrage association consays with apparent confidence that it will have practically the unanimous support of included the following: J. Van Hoos, Birdemocratic senators. "The amendment is mingham, Ala., representing the Southern not the result of a caucus," he s.id, "but Wholesale Grocers' association: George H. it has general endorsement."

He says he will press it to a vote. The republicans are trying to get a unanimous agreement to lay the amendment on the table, but some republican senators express a disinclination to pursue that course because they fear it would be construed as a reflection on the president. There is talk of a caucus if later developments should make one advisable. Several deal with the question of car shortage senstors advocate an amendment along the lines suggested by Senator Aldrich, saying in the language of a western senator that it would have the effect of "denaturizing" the Blackburn provision. For the present the intention of the republican agers is to confine their efforts to holding back debate and to await developments. They express confidence in their ability to shape the matter so it will embarrass the democrats more than the republicans, Senator Tillman does not stand with the supporters of the Blackburn amendment. Eulogies on the life and character of the William B. Bate of Tenlate Senator nessee were delivered, after which the senate adjourned as a mark of respect to his memory.

REPUBLICAN SENATORS CONFER

Informal Agreement to Table Blackburn Amendment. WASHINGTON, Jan. 17,-After Senator concluded his speech the Foraker

to the charge that the southern states discriminate against negro soldiers. If such an amendment should prevail it would lead to an investigation of the entire race question, and before leaving for New York at 4 o'clock today the Rhode Island senator said that he had about changed his mind on the subject and probably would

not offer the amendment FOUR NEBRASKANS ARE NAMED

President Sends to Senate Names o Postmasters at Alliance, Bloomfield, Crawford and Fremont.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17 .- The president today sent to the senate the following nominations: Postmaster-Iowa: S. J. Robertson, Fort

Dodge. Nebraska: L E. Tash, Alliance; W. A. Needham, Bloomfield; L. Van Voorhis, Crawford; D. S. Swanson, Fremont.

DEALING WITH CAR SHORTAGE

President Will Send Special Message to Congress on Subject.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17 .- Congress will be asked by President Roosevelt to give tained. the Interstate Commerce commission Sixty-Five-Foot Stage Expected at mitted to the president a preliminary re-CINCINNATI, Jan. 17 .- Thousands of people along the Ohio river are homeless on account of the prevailing high water. Inmatter and it will submit recommendadications point to a stage of at least sixtytions very soon. When these are ready five feet for the river in this city, making the president will prepare a special mesthis the greatest flood since February, 1884. sage to congress, urging necessary legisla-The city authorities today began to care tion. The president made this announcefor the flood victims. School buildings and ment today at a conference with Messrs churches have been opened as temporary homes for the homeless. About 2.090 people on a hill known as Turkey Ridge have been isolated by the flood, which cut them off from the mainland. In Newport, Ky., vention recently held in Chicago. They the flood area covers eight blocks and 300 families have been compelled to vacate their homes. Traffic generally in the river district has been suspended. Emerson, Hoquiam, Wash., representing "Cincinnati should prepare for one of its the Pacific coast; Donald A. Sage, Chicago, ccasional floods." representing the coal shippers, and J. E This was the official announcement made Defenbaugh, secretary of the convention. by Forecast Official Bassler today, based The president took a deep interest in on the conditions that have maintained for the appeal presented to him by the dethe last few days and which seem to be murrage representatives asking that he likely to continue. The effect of the damommend federal legislation giving the age is already great. Interstate Commerce commission power to Said Mr. Bassler: "The river will reach sixty feet before Friday and will continue when such an emergency arose, and setting to rise Saturday and Sunday. It looks to

out the serious condition of affairs result me as though the river will reach the stage ing from the present situation. The presiof sixty-five feet at Cincinnati. Of course, dent's idea, as expressed by one of those it is not my business to be a calamity present, is that whatever amendments to howler, but I am telephoning the various the interstate commerce act on this subpeople affected every day as developments ject may be enacted they should not bearise. I do not think the river will pass mg operative until July 1, when the railthe seventy-one-foot mark, which it did in roads would have had ample opportunity the great flood of 1884, but a flood beyond to prepare for the change. Interstate commerce commissioners officially say their recommendation to the president will include some form of reciprocal demurrage so that the carrier may

be penalized for delay in moving as well as the consignce for delay in unloading cars and probably some suggestions for the interchange of cars by railroads to meet extraordinary demands in one section not existing in another. One of the demurrage representatives

told the president that because of a dis-pute between the railroad companies and the consignees 1,500 carloads of coal were held at Minneapolis and several hundred at Chicago. The president directed the Interstate Commerce commission to investi-gate. ROOSEVELT FOR BATTLESHIPS Devaldent Weiter to Challemann PITTSBURG, Jan. 17.-Eight dynamite Basis having failed to head the Alla. told the president that because of a dis- croaching water and many children in

ert Hall, with his throat cut, admitted at Some Districts and There is his home at Fairview, where he is be-Great Suffering Among lieved to be dying, that he and Miss Glass Farmers. had quarreled at the school house last night. He declared that she attacked him

and cut his throat. When asked who cut ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 17 .- After being Miss Glass' throat Hall refused to reply. delayed for ten days in Montana and North Hall was barely able to speak because of Dakota the Great Northern train, No. 4. the loss of blood. At the school house from Seattle, finally arrived in St. Paul there were evidences of a struggle. this evening. The coaches were covered The coroner's jury returned a verdict tonight which states that Mary Glass died from wounds inflicted by a razor in the with ice and snow. Four trains were scheduled to arrive today from the coast, all that were tied up on account of the hands of Robert Hall,

Cincinnati by Sunday.

OUTLAWS IN TRI-STATE LEAGUE

Few Men of Any Special Renown Are kota. It has been snowing for twenty-four hours to such an extent that the drifts in Them.

are piling over the rotary plows. The Canadian Pacific road is completely paralyzed and temporarily out of business in the west. The farmers are suffering more than any one else from the climatic conditions, which they say are the worst for twenty years. In some of the isolated points the bread supply is exhausted and famine is feared unless some communication with the outside world soon can be ob-GREAT FLOOD ALONG THE OHIO

Players who finised to report to the national agreement due, though under reservation, are:
M. J. O'Neill, York.....St. Louis Nat
H. E. McCormick, York.....Philadelphia Nat
Joseph Myers, York.....Philadelphia A. L.
Harry Gleason, Williamsport...St. Paul
Hobert Ungiaub, Williamsport..Boston A. L.
H. S. Wolverton, Williamsport..Boston A. L.
F. C. Raimer, Johnstown......Boston Nat
L. Durham, Lancaster.......Brookiyn
C. Weigund, York......Brookiyn
J. Calhoun, Harrisburg.......Kansas City Kansas City Bonner, Harrisburg.... Martin, Harrisburg....Seattle

the great flood of 1834, but a flood beyond the ordinary is certainly indicated." At 1 o'clock this afternoon the river was 57.1 feet and still rising. This is the high-est water since April 27, 1901, when 59.7 was recorded. The McKinley school in the cast end was vacated by the school children this after-noon and is being used to house thirty-six houseless families whose homes are under water. The Highland school in the east end had to be closed today on account of en-croaching water and many children in

Thousand Dollars the

Objective Amount.

Wealth

The

State

The total value of farm products, live stock and products of the mines in South Dakota in the past year amounted to \$146.000,000 -- an increase of \$20,000,000 over the previous year.

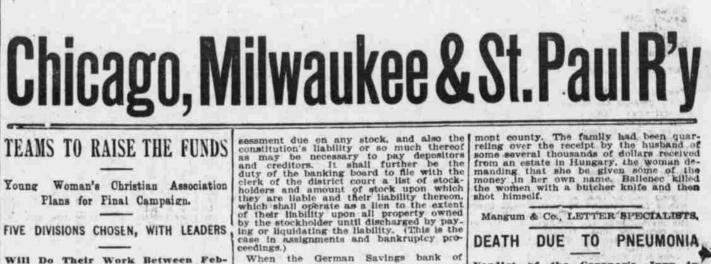
\$222,250,000 represented the amount of taxable property in the State--an 1 increase of two and one-half million over 1905.

The amount of money deposited in the various banks in the State in 1906 reached the total of \$45,000,000--an average of \$93 for each of the 485,000 inhabitants of the State,

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blockade. Now that the great blockade near Cut Bank, Mont., is opened, there is danger of another blockade in North Da-

Brownsville resolution tonight a number at Chicago. The president directed the o fthe republican senators met in informal Interstate Commerce commission to investiconference and made an effort to agree gate. upon the program with reference to that measure. So far as they could do so, they agreed that all republican senators should vote against the Blackburn amendment upholding the president's authority in the lischarge of the negro rtoops. Senator Lodge will withdraw his substitute for the Foraker resolution, announcing that



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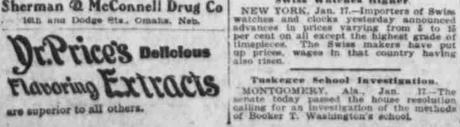
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President Writes Letter to Chairman blasts having failed to break the Alleof Naval Committee.

must rest primarily on our willingness to build and maintain a first-class fight

PROCEEDINGS OF THE HOUSE

President Authorized to Send Supply

Steamer Celtic to Kingston.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17 .- The house to

day resumed consideration of the District

of Columbia appropriation bill under the

five-minute rule. During the day an emer-

gency bill was passed for the relief of the

sufferers from the earthquake in Jamaica

clothing the president with power to send

the supply ship Celtic loaded with supplies

to the relief of the stricken inhabitants of

After completing forty pages of the dis

trict budget the house adjourned at 5

Swiss Watches Higher.

Tuskeges School Investigation.

the island.

o'clock.

ing fleet. Be it remembered, more that such a fleet is by far the most pe guaranty of peace which this nation or can ever have.

blasts having failed to break the Alle-sheny river dam at Springdale, where the current has already swept away ten houses and several buildings of the Heidenkamp Mirror works, one more attempt will be made tomorrow, and if that fails, a diver of California with Stockton. A few Sundays ago, at San Joae, an enthmasiastic admirer to a for the stand. He is made tomorrow, and if that fails, a diver of chance was sitting in the stand. He is made tomorrow, and if that fails, a diver of a huge wallet full of bills in his hig pocket-and he was there ready and invitous to bet all or part that Chance is playing with San Jose, an enthmasiastic admirer to a house a hour of a huge wallet full of bills in his hig pocket-and he was there ready and invitous to bet all or part that Chance is playing with San Jose, an enthmasiastic admirer to a depth of nearly thirty-five feet.
Major Charles Siebert, resident government engineer who is directing the work, declared tonight that unless a hole is dirven through the center of the dam within twenty-four hours it would be next to impossible to save the Heidenkamp Mirror company's plant, which is valued at tore company is plant, which is valued at tore company is plant, which is valued at tore company is plant. WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. - President Roosevelt has written a letter to Chair- and several buildings of the Heidenkamp man Foss of the naval affairs committee Mirror works, one more attempt will be urging that an appropriation should be made tomorrow, and if that fails, a diver made at once for two first-class battleships of the maximum speed and primary batteries, all of 12-inch guns. The letter | rectly under the concrete wall of the dam states that in addition to the battleship where its explosion will be effective. Unprovided for last year of the Dreadnaught class another should be provided for this year without fail. The president also urges the building of torpedo boat de- and machinery already destroyed is placed stroyers. The letter says in part:

<text> I feel so strongly that there should be

\$1,000,000

ferers owing to a lack of sufficient shelter.



Boid at all first class cafes and by jobiers WM LANABAN & SOS, Bultimore, Md.

ruary 5 and 19, with Fifteen

league also.

The directors and building committee of the Young Women's Christian association February 5 to 19, during which time \$15,000 will be the objective amount for the campaigners. The following five teams, with

chosen to lead in the campaign: Mrs. W. Will some concerted action be taken to P. Harford, Mrs. P. M. Garrett and Mrs. protect depositors now? J. P. Balley, lavender; Mrs. J. H. Dumont, Mrs. A. W. Bowman and Miss Hallie Hood.

pink; Mrs. Clement Chase, Mrs. J. P. Lord and Mrs. I. W. Carpenter, yellow; Mrs. Emma F. Byers, Mrs. H. F. Kellogg and Mrs. F. P. Loomis, red; Mrs. George Tilden, Mrs. J. M. Alkin and Mrs. Edward Johnson, blue. The first named of each team will act as captain.

The following financial report was issued by the association January 1: Pledged and collected for lot. \$15,000; needed for building, \$100,000; amount needed for equipment,

\$25,000; amount still needed for building, \$12,465, and for equipment \$25,000. The site selected is at the southwest

corner of Seventeenth and Howard streets. The building will be five stories and basement.

Paxton hotel several prominent business men encouraged the women in the work of completing their building fund and promised to raise subscriptions. Mayor Dahiman

W. F. Wappich Takes Exceptions to Some of the Proposed Amendments. Contributions on timery topics are invited from readers of The Bee. Communications should be written legibly on one side of the paper only and accompanied by the name and address of the writer. The name will not be used if the writer asks that it be withheld. Unused com-munications will not be returned. Correspondents are advised to limit munications will not be returned. Correspondents are advised to limit their letters to 300 words or they will be subject to being cut down to that limit at the discretion of the editor Publications of views of cor-respondents must not be taken to commit The Bee to their endorse-ment ment.

2,695 OMAHA, Jan. 17-To the Editor of The Bee: The secretary of the Nebraska State Banking board in his suggestions to the 548 490 δ15 state legislature recommends an increase of malaries and expenses (all public officials do this as soon as elected or appointed to 506 80 office). He also recommends that borrowers of money from savings banks be permitted 2,644 to receive, and the bank be authorized to loan to any one individual 20 per cent of its capital and surplus. At present a bank may loan to one in-

dividual 30 per cent of its capital. This, in my judgment, should not be permitted, and the law not amended. It is better to make many small loans than a few large loans, which will wipe the bank out in case of

hard times or a shrinkage on values. Asking the legislature to exempt the surplus in excess of 20 per cent of its capital from taxation is a wise and good suggestion to the legislature. This will increase the reserve and the depositors should have the greatest security.

I would suggest that the laws be amended something like the following: #

Whenever a savings bank fails or is placed in the hands of the State Banking board, said board shall have authority to at once make a levy upon the unpaid as-2,650

When the German Savings bank of Omaha failed in 1896 it had issued stock

positors, after waiting five years.

board of directors calling for the amount

Murder and Suicide.

W. F. WAPPICH.

Verdict of the Coroner's Jury in to the amount of \$1,000,000, upon which only Case of Edward Arnold 29 per cent had been paid. Instead of the

Bernhard.

due on stock-80 per cent-they let the An inquest and autopsy were held Thursbank fail. Had the banking board had the right to make the assessments there would day afternoon by Coroner Brailey over the body of Edward Arnold Bernhard, who have been liens upon \$1,800,000 of property met Thursday morning and planned for a and the depositors would have received died suddenly Wednesday evening in a room at the Ivy lodging house, 1317 Dougfund-raising campaign to be prosecuted their deposits in full (about \$350,000), as it las street. It was ascertained at the was, only about 63 per cent was paid deautopsy that Bernhard had an acute attack of penumonia, which was the cause

The State Banking board has never of his death, and the verdict of the cororespective designating colors, have been sought to remedy this defect in ten years. ner's jury was to that effect. The funeral will be held Saturday at 2

p. m. at the home of a brother, Julius F. Bernhard, 1817 South Sixth street, and will be in charge of Rev. John E. Hummon, COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 17.-Alex Ballanec, a Hungarian miner, today killed his wife and daughter Pearl, aged 16 years, and then committed suicide at Baton, in Belpastor of the Kountze Memorial Lutheran church. Burial will be at Forest Lawn cemetery.



to impossible to save the Heldenkamp Mir-ror company's plant, which is valued at \$1,000,000. PORTSMOUTH, O., Jan. 17.—Several hundred families have been forced from their homes by the rising river, which now exceeds the fifty-four feet siage. Mayor Hutchins will probably order the public schools dismissed tomorrow and the buildings will be given up to flood suf-terers eving to a lack of sufficient child. ror company's plant, which is valued at

artist.

One of the reasons why Manager Mo-Graw is said to desire to get rid of Joe McGinnity is the "iron man's penchant for getting into quarrels with other mem-bers of the team, whom he roasts unmer-cifully for any mistakes made. Seems strange Muggsy would want to get rid of a scramer.

a scrapper. Barney Dreyfus now admits that he has

been angling for Abbatticcho for several years. Two years ago he valnly offered Ritchey and five other players for "Abby," and last year again offered \$5,800 without

WITH THE BOWLERS.

The Krug Parks won two games from The Krug Parks won two games from the Hamiltons last night at the associa-tion alleys. The handicap saved the Bluffs boys from a shut-out and made all the games close enough to keep the fight up to the last frame. French carried off the honors for high game and total, with 214 and 682. Score: KRUG PARKS.

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Last night on the Metropolitan alleys the Colis won two out of three from the Faistaffs. The Colts had hard luck in iosing the last game on account of draw-ing so many splits. Klauck had high single game with 24, also high total, with 621. Tonight the Omaha Bicycle Company and Gold Tops how!. Score:

CARMAN'S COLTS.

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650 870 Totals 831 2.581 FALSTAFFS. Benelin Berger . Lavigne

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At a recent dinner and meeting at the

promised to assist.

CHANGES IN THE BANKING LAW