# THE OMAHA DAILY BEE

SINGLE COPY TWO CENTS. OMAHA, THURSDAY MORNING, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1907. VOL. XXXVII-NO. 164. GOOD CHEER FOR ALL SUMMARY OF THE BEE LEMIEUX HURRIES TO CANADA SHIP SINKS FROM COLLISION NEW YORK WATER SCANDAL BRYAN TO SUCCEED MALLORY Man with Name Similar to Ne-Norwegian Bark Sinks Off Cape Hori braskan's is Appointed United Thursday, December 26, 1907. and Capitaln and Wife Board Lets Contract for Big Dam at His Mission Not Complete Until He States Senator. Drewn. Happiness Beams in the Face of Christmas Holiday is Generally 1907 DECEMBER 1907 Graft Prices. Reports to Government. JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 25 -- Gov-SUN . MON THE WED THU PRI SAT SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3%-The Ameri Observed in New York. ernor Broward today appointed William an ship Atlas dropped anchor here las 2.3 4 5 6 7 MAYOR WILL REMOVE MEMBERS James Bryan of this city to be United O'BRIEN HAS BEEN DISKEGARDED night. 25 days out from Baltimore. It States senator, vice Stephen Russell Mal- SANTA COMES TO EVERYONE ended a voyage made tragic by collision SPIRIT OF DEPRESSION ory, deceased, for the balance of the 9 10 11 12 13 14 off Cape Horn, attended by the sinking of 8 Cauada Disposed to Negotiate with Charge is Incompetency and Misterm, expiring March 4, 1909. Mr. Bryan another vessel, the drowing of the fated Gifts and Food Distributed Every- 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 conduct Based on Alleged is a prominent young attorney, only 21 Rich and Poor, High and Low Glory Japan Upon Own Account craft's captain and th captain's wife, mutyears of age, and now holds the position 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 iny on its own decks and death among its Waste of Public Entirely-Treaty Rights where with Lavish Hand. of county solicitor for this (Duval) Funda. Preserved. county. He was born in Orange county 29 30 31 🖗 🤰 On June 6 at 6 p. m., the Atlas struck the Florida, October 10, 1876. He is the Norwegian hark Viking, Captain Peterson WEATHER OUT OF HARMONY HALLS FILLED CAFES son of John M. Bryan, who served four-TOKIO, Dec. 15 .- Rudelph Lemieux bound from Hamburg to Callao. Both were NEW YORK, Dec. 3.-As a result of THE WEATHER. FORECAST FOR NEBRASKA AND IOWA-Fair Thursday. teen years as state senator and after-Canadian minister of labor, who con- badly damaged by the contact, but the the investigation made by the commiswards as member of the State Railroad Mrs. Russ. Gives \$5 Gold Pieces Employes. luded his negotiations today with the bark' fared worst. In the terror of the sioners of accounts into the award of the So Mild that Some Traditions of Day commission. Mr. Bryan was reared in Temperature at Omaha yesterday: Japanese government regarding the res- night thirteen of the crew of the Norwegian contract for the construction of Ashokan the vicinity of his birthplace and at-Hour ulation of immigration to Canada, said to bark boarded the American ship, crawling dam, a part of the city's new water supply tended the local schools. Later he ut the Associated Press: over tangled shrouds and dangling booms, system, the Board of Water Commission tended Emory college, where he graduated "My lips are scaled on the subject. Any but Captain Peterson and his wife were with the degree of bachelor of art in GAME OF BASE BALL PLAYED MANY CHEL ers will be removed by Mayor McClellan PACKAGES statement I have to make belongs first not among those who made the dangerunless his action is forestalled by their 1896. Three years later he graduated to the Dominion government. My mis- ous transit. It was too dark to render aid, resignations. This was made known toprofessionally at Washington and Lee Nearly Four Mil. sion will be completed only after my re-turn to Ottawa. My colleagues there and next morning the Viking had disapat Out of day following the receipt by the mayor university and at once began to practice of the report of the commissioners of ac City by Mail a law in Jacksonville. arcas will be in a position to fully discuss and peared. ounts, John Purrey Mitchell and Phillip In 1903 he was nominated for county consider the whole question in its vari- The Atlas put into Rio de Janeiro for re- B. Gaynor. Thousands of .em Go soclicitor of the criminal court of record ous phases. I have every reason to be- pairs, leaking hadly. On the way to this Abroad. The water commissioners, Edward Sim-Duval county and still holds that lieve that a solution of the difficulty will port a mutiny took place among the crew mons. Charles N. Chadwick and Charles NTH. soon be reached and am pleased to say over some trouble with the mate, but it was N. Shaw, awarded the Ashokan contract NEW YORK, Dec. 2.-There was no that my negotiations with the Japanese easily quelled. of Bryan & Bryan, his partner being been taken of the hearts of the people of o MacArthur Brothers' company, whose spirit of depression in this city this Christforeign office were conducted in the Before the collision off Cape Horn three bid was \$12,009,775, against \$10,315,530 bid Hon. Nathan P. Bryan, chairman of the Omaha yesterday the predominant features mas day. From the Bronx to the Battery of the ship's company met death. On May for the work by the John Peirce company. State Educational Board of Control. He would have been joy and happiness. friendliest spirit. DOMESTIC. "I return with nothing but the most 23, J. Schumacher and Charles Nolan, seanad over into Brooklyn to the point where Protests were immediately filed and an has always been active in politics and Whether each succeeding Christmas is inquiry was ordered by the mayor. Charges at present is a member of the democratic really more joyful or whether it only seems of New York Water board on charges of pleasant recollections." Mayor McClellan will remove members Coney Island points its nose into the sea men, fell from the jib, boom and were there was merry-making that must have The Associated Press is in a position drowned. On June 15 John Hook, sailof incompetency and misconduct, based incompetency and waste of public funds. to state that the situation is identical maker, died and was buried at sea. When satisfied the jolliest soul, and those who Page 1 upon an alleged waste of public funds, can U. Fletcher is chairman. with its previous forecast. Mr. Lemieux the ship arrived resterday the captain's and Sir Claude M. MacDonald, the Brit- son and the third officer were ill and the the star based had no cheer of their own were bountifully Eric railroad has started a passenger supplied by these who had enough and to rate war to the Atlantic coast. Page 1 the water board. spare. Those in a position to know, say ish ambassador, fully agreed with the vessel was ordered into quarantine. Official circles of Washington will not terms of the memorandum, whereby the The Atlas had a cargo of coal for the MANY MILES OF NEW TRACK that never before have the good things Mallory. He is not related to William forgetfulness of care was present everydiscuss the resignation of Rear Admiral been distributed with so lavish a hand or Page 1 Jennings Bryan of Nebraska. Brownson. for the future control of immigration, been 150 days out from Rio Janeiro and was so many of the less fortunate made happy Mission of Special Attorney Heney at with gratuities. The Baivationists, Volunthe announcement of which will probably overdue. Reinsurance had been offered at Hailroad Construction in 1907 Nearly the White House officially stated not to TELEGRAPH COMPANY MEETS mas does, in spite of the fact that the be made when a similar arrangement is 10 per cent. teers, Young Men's Christian association. Equal to Largest Year in have been with the idea of reinstating W. History.

and a hundred other public and private C. Bristol as district attorney for Oregon. humanitarian organizations vied with each sther in supplying to all who would accept, bountiful repasts, surprise gifts of slothing and toys, with music and bright holidays. lights and well wishes thrown in. In fact A burglar in New York, frightened from the good cheer could not be dispensed with his work, left a valuable Christmas presin the traditional twenty-four hours, and ent in loot. beginning at noon yesterday. Christmas Norwegian bark Viking was sunk in festivities were in full swing. Even at the Stock exchange, the scene of recent collision with the American ship Atlas off financial disaster for many, the walls Cape Horn last June. were hung with bolly and mistletoe, and The Dutch cabinet has resigned be-the brokers proved they were not broke by making a pool of \$12,000 for the 300 army expenses. Minister Lemieux of Canada has con-Exchange employers. Nearly every public school had its Christmas program. Sec- cluded negotiations with Japan regardtarian differences did not appear and the less of the American ambassador's posi-cutest Santa on the East Side, it is said. tion. Page 1 Christmas was observed to an unusual was a properly gutten up little Hebrew degree in London and the United Kinggirl.

# Cafes and Halls Filled.

Christmas eve filled the restaurants and cafes, as always, but it also filled every available hall in the city where the throngs were made up of every element found in the body of little Lillie Olson. Page 2 the metropolis. Band concerts, chorus singing, Christmas trees and vaudeville turns made up the program. The opera houses and high class theaters were crowdede, as usual on a holiday, but a score of places were given up to free entertainments for the crippled children, the newshoys and thousands of others without the "price."

Christmas day, though without snow, was as brautiful as the sentiment it engendered. Clear crisp and cool, the weather filled the parks and invited the ever-350 spectacular parade on Fifth avenue.

It lifted the fog that had hung over the NEW YORK harbor and rivers and the craft that frished

Page 1 ences with Lemieux consistently declined BEBRASEA. to sacrifice any treaty rights or to set monthly. LOCAL. Mr. Lemleux and party will sail for Christmas observed on a large scale home on the Empress of China tomorrow, cember 26, the Cauadian government

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in Omaha churches and special attention is paid to unfortunates in public institu- tions. Page 1 Christmas observance at School for the	nome on the Empress of China tomorrow December 26, the Cauadian governmen having instructed him to report at the earliest possible moment.
Deaf a unique affair. Page 2 State Teachers' association meets with	ERIE STARTING RATE WAR
large attendance. First event on the pro- gram is a concert by the choir of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Omaha, under the direction of Thomas J. Kelly Page 3	Dissatisfaction with Michigan Cen tral Award of Bate May Cause Passenger Fight. CHICAGO, Dec. 2Eastern roads ar

FOREIGN.

Fincida.

Oregon, Page 1 stood he substitued to Thomas J. O'Brien, the Amer-ican ambassador, with whom it is under-stood he substitued to make a mew bark of 2.541 tons. Nothing had been beard of it after CHICAGO, Dec. 25 .- According to the

stood he submitted a number of sugges- It began its last voyage until the Atlas New York has given more than it re-ceived in Christmas goods during the the consideration of the foreign office. statistics compiled by the Railway Age.

railroad construction in the United States Page 1 The suggestions, it is believed, largely FLOUR SHIPMENTS DECREASE has been nearly as heavy in 1967, as in

> Off Nearly Million Barrels.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. M. - Flour shipments from Minneapolis for 1907 will fall the same time, 723 miles were built, and short of the totals shipped during 1995 349 in Mexico.

apparently has not been entirely due to laid before the financial stringency, only cago represented the Postal Telegraph the financial flurry, as the figures for each a small amount of mileage being conmonth show that only in three months structed after September.

derstood that the foreign minister, Vis- for 1907 exceeded those for the same and locomotives in 1907 were smaller than on hand," said Mr. Tuttle today, at any time during the last seven years. The number of barrels of flour sent out The volume of orders for this part of BIG from Minneapolis by the various mills so railroad equipment was about 55 per cent

The year has been notable for the in-14.57.12 barrels shipped, a difference of crease in the number of block signals installed, the increase having been 2,721 for

was generally expected. The shipments for October this year were 1,490,081 bar-

In November this year the greatest failing barrels, against 1,318,648 barrels a year ago. For the trading days in December up to the present, 679,271 barrels have

coal mining town, thirty miles southwest

the northwest corner of Lasalle and ages carried. Negro Who Murdered Liveryman at Madison streets, will be, when completed. Everybody seen on the streets seemed Henrietts, Okl., Hanged by MUSKOGEE, Okl., Dec. 25 .- Riddled with 000. The project is being financed by the papers to people who scorned to wait for builets, the body of James Garden, a Hotel Lasalle company, of which George their change, THICAGO, Dec. 25.—Easters roads are been sent out, as against 979,694 barrels for the verge of what promises to be a the corresponding days last year. The verge of what promises to be a the corresponding days last year.

Two Amateur Teams Put to Rout Good Saint Nick After He Has Brought His Fine Cheer. Mr. Bryan is a member of the law firm If a composite photograph could have

Omaha on Christmas.

in the Yuletide.

Are Perverted.

executive committee, of which Hon. Dun- so is a matter of individual opinion. But it is certain that reports from all quarters, About two months ago Mr. Bryan an- from homes, churches and charitable instinounced his candidacy for the United tutions indicated that the Christmas spirit States senatorship to sudered Senator of giving and of peace and good will and

where. The day started early as every Christcalendar makes it one of the shortest days North American Elects Officers and of the year. Crowds attended the solemn high masses which took place in the Catholle churches at 5 a. m.

Early morning services were also held in some of the evangelical churches. In served to guide the arrangement sub-mitted to Canada through Mr. Lemieux, Output of Minnempolis Mills Falls 188. The total number of miles of new regular 3 per cent semi-annual dividend ginning at 5 a. m. The church was lighted meeting of the North American Tele- the Immanuel Swedish Lutheran church track laid this year has been 5,750, of regular 3 per cent semi-annual dividend ginning at 5 a. m. The church was lighted by hundreds of candles.

Unensy Lay Many Heads.

Uneasy lay thousands of juvenile heads during the night with thoughts of Santa Claus and the wondrous possibilities of his bag and in many a home parents were awakened in the wee small hours by the happy shouts of their offspring, who had stolen from their beds to see what Santa Claus had brought.

The day dawned beautifully clear. The imperature was somewhat lower than the extremely high temperature of Tuesday, but the sun shone bright and by noon the weather was warm enough to warrant the base ball game, which was scheduled to take place in the afternoon.

Banks and the large stores were closed CHICAGO, Dec. 25.-Excavation for 8 all day. Some of the other stores were wenty-two-story hotel, to be known as open until noon. Mail carriers made one he Lasalle, will be begun on March 1. trip, a trip that was equal to half a dozen The building, which is to be located on ordinary trips, judged by the load of pack-

the largest hotel in the west. It is to happy, coming from the atmosphere of cost \$2,500,000 exclusive of furnishings, homes surcharged with the joy of Christ-The latter will cost approximately \$1,000.- mas morning. Newsboys sold the morning

# Busy Day at Home.

Busy housewives in the homes and busy disastrous passenger race war. Yesterday the Erie gave notice of a cancellation of DUTCH CABINET STEPS DOWN of here, as the result of the first lynching SEARCH FOR OLSON CHILD FUTILE cooks in the charitable institutions and hospitals and jails began early in the shown in the Chicago rais sheet. Notice Failure of Army Estimates to Receive shot and killed Albert Bates, a while man, Christmas Day Pat in by Many in the morning, their tasks of creating the BANCROFT, Neb., Dec. 15-(Special Tel- went without breakfast in order to do full Garden said Bates was discriminating egram.)-The searching party that left here justice to the big meal of the day. Not this noon to hunt for the lost child of even the poorest were without a dinner. cabinet, or council of ministers, com- across the street for a pistol, Garden re- Olaf Olson has returned with no further not if the good people knew it. Organizaclue as to the whereabouts of little Lillie. tions and individuals had sent hundreds of ecutive authority of the government is lodged in jail and tonight a mob of 100 The minutest of obstacles and bunches of pounds of edibles to the several institugrass where the body might be hid were tions and hundreds of baskets containing all searched carefully but without avail, the raw material of Christmas dinners The country for from six to eight miles were handed out to people who applied erly directions from the home of the child The matinee performances of the theaters was gone over carefully, and systematically were well patronized and the remarkable by about forty of the most tried searchers, innovation of a base ball game at Dietz rshalled by A. M. Daniels of Bancroft park drew a large crowd. In the evening and by Jack Farley and Dave Lyndall, many of the churches held their entertwo Omaha Indian scouts. Now that all tainments for the Sunday school children. the country surrounding the Olson place The theaters provided amusement for big has been gone over carefully by these par- houses also in the evening.

by nearly 1,000,000 burrels. This decrease The greater part of the new track was for the entire year have the shipments The orders for freight and passenger cars months in 1986. Large number of men put in another day in fruitiess search near Rosalie for which will be nerroticated to lead to Conside a corresponding period in 1906 there were the period in 1906 the period in 1906 there were the period in 1906 the period in 1906 there were the period in 1906 the perio which will be permitted to land in Canada a corresponding period in 1906 there were 747.748 barrels.

Despite the recent financial stringency the twelve months ending December IL the sales of flour for use in the country ing instructed him to report at the or for export did not suffer so much as FIRST LYNCHING IN NEW STATE

NE STARTING RATE WAR rels. against 1,580,697 barrels last year.

matisfaction with Michigan Cen- off is shown with shipments of 1.067.970

was declared, payable January 1. which 422 miles were in Louislana, 341 in The former officers were elected as fol-Florida, 385 in South Dakota, 314 in Texas lows; President, Clinton Morrison; vice. and 311 in Washington. In Canada during president and general manager, H.

Tuttle; secretary, A. S. Harris; treasurer, Elbridge C. Cooke. W. I. Capen of Chi-COMPARY.

"We are gratified with the showing we have made with the strike we have had

Twenty-Two-Story Structure is to Be

Erected at Lasalle and Mad-

ison Streets.

HOTEL FOR CHICAGO

Declares Usual Semi-Annual

Dividend of 3 Per Cent.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 25.-At the annual

and wigwagged good will to each other. Even the stately trans-Atlantic liners unbent their dignity and accepted the goodnatured challenge from the most disreputable tramp.

# Toys and Carnations.

Down the battery Captain Davey Roach of the light tug E. T. Timmons made his annual distribution to his employes of \$5 LOOK OUT FOR BAD TENNERS gold pieces of the same weight and fineness of thuse that the employes of Central park eccived from the hand of Mrs. Russell Sage. On Ellis island 1,600 immigrants in a habel of tongues thanked Miss Helen Gould for their first merry Christmas in America. There was a toy for every child Christmas spirit invaded the penal institutions, where real "home" dinners were served. It found its way into the Tombs, where Harry Thaw furnished cigars for distinct, but probably 188. Serial number the keepers, handkerchiefs for the matrons 4678111. W. T. Vernon, register; Chas. and smokes and chocolates for his fellow prisoners. It blocked the streets at a hundred points, where left-over stock of millinery and toys were given away and big policemen nearly lost their minds in frantic efforts to keep the blissfully indifferent tots from getting before the wheels of streat cars and automobiles. The police were lenient, too, and the push cart man, with everything from the paper Christmas bells to Toddy bears for sale, sushed their wares with impunity even into the sacred precincts of Fifth avenue.

Many Christmes Packages.

It is estimated that during the Christmas rush there bave been 3,840,000 par cels shipped out of the city by mail and express. Exact figures are, of course, unobtainable, but these figures, based on estimates made at the postoffice and the express offices, are thought to be approximately correct. The value of packages sent by express, where values were given, in said to be about \$7,400 .soo. The number of packages sent out of the city this year is about 5 per cent greater than last year, while it is estimated that the value is 15 per cent less. This decrease in value is said to be due to the fact that goods are cheaper this year and that people are more careful in the expenditure of money. New York always gives more than it receives. it is estimated that not more than 1.900,000 parcels have been received in the eny.

Next to the postoffice and the express offices the busiest place in the city ducing the last few days has been the customs appraisers' warehouse. Here all the sentence. packages received by parcels post from England and Germany are examined for futiable articles. Up to last night 20,000 patkages were examined, and when the fired examiners were forced to stop work last night nearly 4,000 packages were left on the tables unopened. Many of these fer by the contractors to the Huron Gas erty among the numerous classes of peowill be days late when they are delivered the persons to whom they are ad, and the plant was formally furned over dressed in various parts of the United to Campbell Brothers, who hold the fran- families and nearly all were without money States

Christmas is being celebrated in great style on board the stramers in the harbor. solly and other Christmas greens from stem to storn, and a great feast was set. "or the crew, at which each saflor or other suppose had a bottle of heer as an extra. for illuminating and cooking purposes. The are than 900 bottles of beer in all. The Baltic of the White Star Line and the Now York of the American line, also in port, were decked with holiday wreaths and other decorations, and special dinners ware served the crews.

The families of more than 200 men who are serving terms in prison ate Christmas dinner furnished by Mrs. Ballington Booth's

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Europia Cretie Sicilian Prince NAPLES Sannle. Campania Louistana NAPLES Citta di Palermo. BREMEN . Rhein Minnehehz. PLYMOUTH .... Oceanic .

Counterfelt Treasury Note of Baffalo Series in Circulation.

of the note.

A new \$10 counterfeit treasury note of the "Buffalo" series has appeared in the lines to keep the agreement not to pay and a pink carnation for each adult. The east, with some prospect of its getting steamship commissions are said to be the into circulation in the west. The counterfeit is of the series of 1901 check letter "C." face plate 464, back plate in-H. Treat. treasurer: portraits of Lewis and Clarke. The bill is printed on two

pieces of paper, between which are long the general appearance of the note is deceptive, the lathe work and ruling is crude and broken and the denominational design and seal are of very good color. The treasury numbers are heavier and of

lighter color than in the genuine. The green on the back of the note is good, celebration at the White house today was but the lathe work is broken, as in face interrupted long enough for the issuance

South Dakota Pardons. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Dec. .-(Special.) special attorney for the government under Otto Erickson and H. C. Edmunds, as a the Department of Justice. Certain state-Christmas present were today released from ments have been published which it was the Sioux Falls penitentiary, under pardons said did not correctly state the facts. It shot at, Distler made a great noise in his NEWCASTLE, Pa., Dec. 25 - Ten of the granted by the State Board of Pardons, was authoritatively announced today that The pardons were based upon good Mr. Heney had not, as alleged, recomgrounds, notwithsainding that both men mended to the president the nomination of were serving terms for manshaughter. W. C. Bristol as United States attorney

Erickson owes his release to his presence for Oregon. of mind in giving the alarm when Steward The fact "is stated" that Mr. Heney's Gill of the penitentiary was attacked some errand here was on no such mission. Mr. of silverware which he had never seen largest tin plant in the world, has been weeks ago by a desperate prisoner and Heney acquiesced in the removal of Mr. narrowly escaped death as the result of Bristol and said that Mr. Bristol's constab, wounds inflicted by the desperate duct left no other alternative for the govconvict. That Gill was not killed was ernment." due to the fact that Erickson gave the "It was further denied that Mr. Heney

Gill some of the guards, who arrived just which in any way involved a United States in time to prevent the convict giving the senator with the subject of alleged railfinal death-blow to the prostrate and se- road land frauds in Oregon. susly wounded steward.

Edmunds, who was a prominent farmer. SUFFERING AMONG MEXICANS was tried, convicted of manslaughter in the first degree and given the minimum

# Gas Plant Changes Hands.

HURON, S. D., Dec. 25.-(Special.)-H. R. Hunt of Chicago, a gas expert, who has ing Mexican or part Mexican laborers been here for several days examining the during the week preceding Christmas has Huron gas plant, preparatory to its trans- given rise to a pitisble condition of povcompany, concluded his labors yesterday chine. The plant is one of the best in this when discharged. It is estimated that

section of the country and is of sufficient capacity to meet the demands of the city The giant Mauretania was wreathed with for many years to come. More than seven An effort will be made to charter a freight miles of mains have been laid and patrons train and send them to Mexico, as many to the number of nearly 300 husiness of them as desire to go. Those who rehouses and residences now are using gas main will have to be looked after by local company is pushing the work of extending the mains as rapidly as possible and many additions will be made.

# California Pustmaster Short.

SAN FRANCISCO. Dec. 25.-Postmas-ter C. E. Lovely of the Ocean Park, Cal. postoffice was arrested yesterday by pos-tal authorifices on a warrant charging him with stealing \$1,800 from the paverament. Lovely's accounts were found to be \$1,800 short, and as he could not make satia-factory explanation he was arrested.

all of its -eastbound passenger tariffs was also given by that road that after February 1, 1908, it would no longer abide by the differential arbitration award of President Lucius Tuttle of the Boston and Maine, whereby the Michigan Cen-

the consideration of the foreign office

Japanese government will soon submit

to Ambassador O'Brien the details of the

plan to control immigration to America,

tion of all labor immigration. The atti-

tude of Mr. Lemieux toward the American

ambassador has caused much comment in

deplomatic circles. Lemieux entirely

ignored the American embassy and evi-

dently preferred not to discuss the mat-

count Hayashi throughout his confer-

Page 1 which practically amount to the preven-

tween Chicago and New York. It is expected that when the independ No. 1. is made public the first class rates to New York and all points east of Chicago will have suffered a material reduc-

Dissatisfaction over the Michigan Central award and over the failure of the causes of the Erie's action. Since November 20, when the Erie's \$10 second class rate to New York went into effect, 25,000 steamship passengers have

been carried east and of these the Erie has carried about 11,000. pieces of very fine slik threads. While DENIAL FROM WHITE HOUSE

Sensational Reports About President's Conference with Mr. Heney Declared False.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25 .- The Christmas

of a statement regarding the subject matter of a conversation Monday night between the president and Francis J. Heney,

alarm and summoned to the assistance of had any conversation with the president THRILLING RESCUE IN FIRE white House Officials Not Disposed to

Discharge of Foreign Laborers by **Hailroads** in Southwest Causes

Great Distress.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 35-The action of ple. It is estimated that about \$60 men in all were let out. Most of them have

amout 500 able bodied Mexicans with their families are destitute in this city now. charitable institutions.

# Insult to the Uniform.

**Consideration** of **Parliament** is Canse.

THE HAGUE, Dec. 25 -The Dutch against him because of his color, and going tral road was accorded a rate of \$19 be- prising nine members, by whom the ex- turned and killed Bates. Garden was administered, today presented its resig- men battered down the doors of the jail, ent Erie tariff, to be known as Erie tariff nation. It is thought that the dissolution and in spite of the efforts of the officers of the Parilament is likely to follow. secured Garden and hanged him to a The resignation of the cabinet is due to nearby pole. They then riddled the body the defeat of the army estimates in the with bullets. All the negroes in Henrietta

> to its cost. The clericals, who are opposed to the government's plan for universal suffrage, are pleased over the situation created by the cabinet's resignation, as they prefer that the expected general election which is to follow should be fought out on the military issue rather than on universal suffrage.

BURGLAR TURNS SANTA CLAUS New Yorker Frightens Him Away and Finds Rich Loot as

# Present.

a peculiar guise, paid a visit to John eral weeks will return to work. It is also Distler. In the night Distler was aroused said that other mills in the district will by a noise in the dining room on the floor also resume in full after the first of the beneath his room and he at once decided year, practically doubling the number of that there was a burglar in the house. workmen employed within fifty miles of Rather than take any chance of being Pittsburg during the last few days. room for the purpose of scaring the burg- thirty hot mills of the Shenango tin mills lar away. Ho was successful in this, and here will resume operations January 6, next. none of the family sliver had been after, and it is expected that the entire stolen. On the contrary, he found on the plant will be running full force before the table in the dining room a large quantity | end of January. The mill, said to be the before. He believes that the burgiar had idle since July 21. Fully 1,099 men are obtained it from some other houses, and affected. being scared by the noise he made, fied,

leaving it behind. Captain Peter J. Visser of Boer Army Saves Blind Man and invalid.

the transcontinental railroads in discharg- nessed last night during a fire in an apartment building at 3607 Indiana avenue. The aged invalid is William Glaipe. They had been left behind in the rush from the building when the fire was discovered. Viger and McGrath were both singed in muking their way through the flames. The property loss is \$50,000.



Regulars Are Needed on Pacific Const.

Woodburn, acting commander of the De-Install to the Caliform. SAN FRANCISCO. Dec. 25.—W. Anger, a machinat on the armored cruiser Penn-sylvania, claims to have been barred while in unform and sober from a place of public annusement in San Francisco According to Anger's story, he was re-fused admittance hast night to a dancing academy. Shortly afterward several of his companions were barred from the same place. It is said that the affair will be the same barred from a place of 20.00 and the formation of the De-partment of the Columbia. U. S. A., in a statement today, said that the Pacific coast would prove unable to prevent a force of 20.00 and the coast he said there are not 2,000 regulars on the coast to resing an attack by land, while 100,000 infantrymen are a infantrymen are a

in the new state. Garden at noon today because Bates, who is a well known liveryman, refused to rent a rig to the negro.

Mob.

second chamber of Parliament. The op- are terrorized and more than 100 came position in the discussion of these esti- from there to Muskogee tonight. There is mates contended that the efficiency of another negro in the Henrietta jail, who it the Dutch army was not proportionate is feared will be lynched before morning.

> WORK FOR FORTY THOUSAND Many Mills in Vicinity of Pittsburg

Will Resume Operation on January G.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 25 .- Christmas in Pittsburg and vicinity was made doubly tery. joyful today by the announcement that by January, 6 all of the thousands of wheels of industry in the mills of McKeesport, Glassport, Duquesne and allied plants in the Monongahela valley would be in operation. NEW YORK, Dec. 25 .- Santa Claus, in Over 40,000 men who have been idle for sev-

when he went down stairs he found that Ten additional mills will resume shortly to be commenced December 26. Mr. Ker- The music was as follows:

# SECRECY IN BROWNSON CASE. Talk of Leave Taking of

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25 .- Surgeon Gen eral Rixey of the navy returned home toprominently in the episode, While disclaiming any knowledge as to the exact the surgeon general's statement leaves scarcely a doubt that friction between the bureau of navigation and the medical department of the navy was a potent factor The controversy had its origin in the mat

ter of sending a hospital ship with the battleship fleet on its voyage to the Pacific, over which there aross a conflict of an thority as to whether the medical officer or an officer of the line should be assigned to the command.

### Men Fight Duel with Knives.

CHICAGO, Dec. 25 .-- Two m conscious and each suffering is ser of knife wounds, were f both un a few feet of each other today at Gram avenue and Desplaines street. The me-had evidently slashed each other unti-both fell weak from loss of blood. Th both feil weak from loss of blood. The pair were placed in an anbulance and to-gether taken to a hospital. When they recovered consciousness they refused to tak beyond giving their names. The names are Nicholas Cescerous and Mich-ael Homtadian. Cescerous is dying from a manual in the broas

Fruitless Effort.

in the northeasterly, east and southeast- for them.

ties the only way that remains to find the

searched, is to have each farmer in the neighborhod of the missing child's home make a through search of his own premises

in a last great effort to unravel this mys-Prospecting for Coal at Dorchester. DORCHESTER, Neb., Dec. 25 -- (Special.) Mr. J. H. Kersenbrock, formerly of Crete and now residing at Columbus, this state, has leased for mineral purposes a tract of land located about four miles north of Durchester on the West Blue river, in with land owned by him, about 2,709 acres, the day were held. He proposes to prospect this land for coal,

various places on the tract. The necessary machinery has already been ordered

# Will Case Nearly Ended.

PAPILLION, Dec. 3.-(Special)-The long drawn out contest of the will of Ky Paul Boop, which has been on trial six i days, was finished yesterday afternoon. Judge Kenedy would not let it go to the jury until Thursday morning. Mr. Boop. left \$133,000 in lands and money.

# Court Adjourned at Huron.

HURON, S. D., Dec. 25.-(Special.)-Tuesday morning Judge Whiting adjourned circuit court here until January 29, having CATHEDRAL MISSED AT CHRISTMAS been in measion for two weeks. The grand jury returned twelve indictments and hear- Star Does Not Shine Over the Altar, ings have been had on three of them. Hearing of the criminal calendar will be resumed at the opening of court. Of the fifty cases or more on the civil calendar. only shout one-third have been disposed to conclude the calendar."

### Trains Are Running on Time

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 25 .- In refutation f the report that the line was tied up a general strike, the Lo by a general strike, the Louisiana Nav-igation company sent westward its morn-ing passenger train for Shreveport and announced that the train from Shreveport would arrive on time this evening. The strike has so far been confined to a score or more of cierks in the freigh office, who struck because they declares of the cert decrease in wares had been 10 per cent decrease in wages had been

# Human Hair Workers' Union

NEW YORK, Deel 26 .- The wigmakers New York have organized the Human

body, if it lies in the scope of land SERVICE AT EPISCOPAL CHURCHES

# First Communion Begins at Midnight at St. Philip the Descon's.

At the Episcopal churches services were held three times Christmas morning. The first celebration of the day was held at the church of St. Philip the Deacon, where , Rev. John Albert Williams held midnight celebration and communion. This is somewhat of an innovation in Omaha, but the service was well attended. Generally the services began af 6 o'clock with communion services which were again held at Saline and Seward counties, comprising. S. At 19 o'clock the principal services of

In every case the churches were beautioil and gas and has engaged an expert fully decorated with green foliage and cut drillman to sink a number of holes in flowers. At Trinity cathedral at the 10 o'clock service at which Dean Beecher was celebrant new music was presented and J? shipped to Dorchester and actual work is work of the choir received commends an.

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Pleyel Sursum Cords Mendels Sanctus Gound Hynn, "Bread of the World," Gioria in Excelsis, Plain Chant Nune Dimits, Plain Chant Recessional, Hynn, Bishop Williams celebrated communion

services at St. Andrew's church on Walnut Hill at 10 o'clock, preaching a sermon.

# Nor Bishop Celebrate Mass.

For the first time in a generation the star failed to shine over the high altar in the cathedral and no bishop of Omaha celebrated public mass on Christmas mora-Two weeks or more will be required ing. Bishop Scannell cetebrated mass privately at the chapel of the Bacred Heart convent in Park place. Former parishioners of the cathedral parish are now members of the pariables of St. Mary Magdalene, St. Peter, St. Patrick or St. John and at these churches three masses were celebrated in the morning from 5 o'clock to 11. While the new cathedral is building this probably will be the rule in Omaha, but the faithful are looking forward to the day when mass will be colsbrated in the finest cathedral west of the Missouri river.

At St. Mary Magdalene's church solemn high mass was celebrated at 19 o'clock with Pather Sinne celebrant, Father Dowd as a of New Fork have optimized the Human Hair Workers' union and threaten a strike. It is said that as soon as the organization is complete a demand will be made for shorter hours and more pay. The wignumkers state that there are hundreds of wig weaters in the city whom they know and who will be asked to help the strike along

Admiral. CHICAGO, Dec. 25-The rescue of a blind day and tonight, in response to many inman by Captain Peter J. Visser, formerly quiries in regard to the resignation of Adof the Boer army, and another thrilling miral Brownson as chief of the bureau of rescue-that of a 70-year-old invalid by navigation, he gave out a statement as to Policeman Michael McGrath were with the nospital ship Relief, which has figured

blind man is W. A. Weinstock and the cause of Admiral Brownson's resignation.



Colonel Woodburn Says 150,000

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 25-Colonel