

Everybody Reads  
the day's happenings every day.  
If folks don't read your store  
news every day, it's your fault.

# THE OMAHA DAILY BEE

THE WEATHER.  
Cloudy; Warmer

VOL. XLIII—NO. 179.

OMAHA, TUESDAY MORNING, JANUARY 13, 1914—TWELVE PAGES.

On Trains and at  
Hotel News Stands, 5c.

SINGLE COPY TWO CENTS.

## DYNAMITERS WILL BE SHOT AT SIGHT IN RAIL WAR BELT

Martial Law Will Be Proclaimed  
Through the Transvaal and  
Orange Colonies.

MANIFESTO TO BE DRASTIC  
Government Will Attempt to Oper-  
ate Trains Today.

MEASURES TO SAFEGUARD ALL  
Regulations Imposed During a State  
of Siege to Be Introduced.

FIRST BREAK IN CAPE COLONY  
Shopmen at Salt River Quit and  
Fear is Expressed that Strike  
May Spread—Attempt to  
Wreck Bridge.

PRETORIA, Union of South Africa,  
Jan. 12.—The shooting of dynamiters at  
sight is to be a feature of the martial  
law to be proclaimed throughout the  
Transvaal and the Orange River colony.  
The proclamation will be of a drastic  
character.

The government will attempt to re-  
sume the full service of trains on all  
the railroads tomorrow. In order to safe-  
guard crews and passengers regulations  
usually imposed only during a state of  
siege are to be introduced.

May Spread to Cape Colony.

CAPETOWN, Union of South Africa,  
Jan. 12.—The first break in the ranks of  
the nonstriking railroad employes in  
Cape colony occurred today at Salt  
River, about two miles from Capetown.  
Half of the men employed in the railroad  
shops ceased work. They formed a pro-  
cession and marched in the direction of  
Capetown to hold a mass meeting. On  
the way they made an unsuccessful at-  
tempt to induce the street car motormen  
and conductors to join them.

At the railroad employes in Cape colony  
are regarded as holding the key to the  
strike situation, today's incident is con-  
sidered most important, and the govern-  
ment immediately ordered the mobiliza-  
tion of the citizens' defense force.

Attempt to Wreck Great Bridge.

KIMBERLEY, Union of South Africa,  
Jan. 12.—A desperate attempt was made  
early today to wreck with dynamite the  
great railroad bridge at Fourteen  
Streets, about fifty miles north of here,  
on the border of the Transvaal. The  
rails were torn up by the explosion and  
portions of the approach were damaged,  
but the bridge itself withstood the shock.  
Had the attempt succeeded main line  
communication would have been cut be-  
tween Capetown and the northern cities,  
including Johannesburg, Pretoria and  
Mafeking.

## FRANCIS KOSSUTH MARRIES WIDOW OF HIS FRIEND

BUDAPEST, Hungary, Jan. 12.—  
Francis Kossuth, the Hungarian patriot,  
was married on his sick bed today to  
the Countess Benyorky, widow of Alex-  
ander Benyorky, who was a close friend  
of Kossuth. Kossuth is 63 years old.  
Benyorky, during a long and painful ill-  
ness was nursed by Kossuth and the  
countess. Shortly after Benyorky's  
death Kossuth became dangerously ill.  
He was attended by the Countess Benyorky  
and their engagement follows.  
The marriage was to have taken place  
next March, but Kossuth suffered a re-  
lapse and it was decided that the wed-  
ding should take place at once.

## TWENTY PERSONS HURT BY SEWER GAS EXPLOSION

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 12.—Twenty  
persons were injured and fifteen build-  
ings badly damaged here this afternoon  
by an explosion of sewer gas in a tele-  
phone conduit. A manhole cover was  
blown 100 feet in the air and the explosion  
knocked down horses and felled peo-  
ple in streets, stores and homes. A three-  
story building at 43 Central avenue was  
partially wrecked. Samuel Miller was  
hurled through a plate glass window into  
a store.

## The Weather

For Omaha, Council Bluffs and Vicinity  
—Fair; rising temperature.  
Temperature at Omaha Yesterday.  
Hours. Deg.  
5 a. m. 32  
6 a. m. 32  
7 a. m. 32  
8 a. m. 32  
9 a. m. 32  
10 a. m. 32  
11 a. m. 32  
12 m. 32  
1 p. m. 32  
2 p. m. 32  
3 p. m. 32  
4 p. m. 32  
5 p. m. 32  
6 p. m. 32  
7 p. m. 32  
8 p. m. 32  
9 p. m. 32  
10 p. m. 32  
11 p. m. 32  
12 m. 32

Comparative Local Record.  
Highest yesterday 32  
Lowest yesterday 32  
Mean temperature 32  
Precipitation 0.00

Temperature and precipitation depar-  
tures from the normal:  
Normal temperature 32  
Deficiency for the day 0  
Total excess since March 1 1006  
Normal precipitation .45 inch  
Deficiency for the day 0  
Total rainfall since March 1 .257 inches  
Deficiency since March 1 .45 inches  
Deficiency for one period .257 inches  
Deficiency for one period .257 inches  
Deficiency for one period .257 inches

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M.  
Station and State Temp. Rain-  
fall. Wind. Clouds.  
Omaha, clear 32 0 0  
Davenport, clear 34 0 0  
Des Moines, clear 34 0 0  
Dodge City, pt. cloudy 28 0 0  
Lander, cloudy 28 0 0  
Omaha, clear 32 0 0  
Pueblo, clear 28 0 0  
Rapid City, clear 28 0 0  
Salt Lake City, clear 28 0 0  
Santa Fe, pt. cloudy 30 0 0  
Sheridan, clear 28 0 0  
Sioux City, clear 32 0 0  
Valentine, clear 32 0 0  
—Indicates below zero.  
A. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

## Cashier Felt Does Not Explain Share in Work of the Bank

SUPERIOR, Neb., Jan. 12.—(Special.)—  
Efforts are being made to locate Cashier  
A. C. Felt of the failed First National  
bank of Superior, but so far they have  
not met with success. A number of tele-  
grams have been sent to surrounding  
towns in Nebraska with the purpose of  
inducing him to come to Superior to ex-  
plain duplicate notes that have appeared,  
but he has not yet arrived in town.  
It is said that bankers from surround-  
ing cities in Kansas, Missouri and Ne-  
braska, when they got to comparing  
notes, discovered they hold paper that  
was evidently intended for only one  
transaction, but was made to do for two.  
This is a state, absolutely does not af-  
fect the condition of the failed bank,  
but is a personal transaction on the part  
of a person and the bank is not in-  
volved. So far less than \$5,000 has been  
discovered in paper of this character.  
It is authoritatively stated, however,  
that a group of men possessing ample  
capital stand ready to take over all good  
paper with a view of permitting realiza-  
tion of as much as possible from the as-  
sets.

A number of bankers from surrounding  
cities arrived here today. Among them  
were the ex-Governor Bailey of Atchison,  
Mr. Wallace of Exeter, Mr. Well of Lincoln,  
Judge Stubbs and Mr. Bunker of Kansas  
City.  
The State Savings bank is running alone  
as usual and caring for its greatly in-  
creased patronage. A partition has been  
made between the two banks. Both banks  
were formerly in the same room.  
Examiner Scott will get his reports  
ready for the comptroller of currency  
some time this week.

## Thaw to Be Immune from Arrest on Old Charges if Given Bail

CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 12.—Harry K.  
Thaw, elated by report of the federal  
court commission, that his release on  
bail would not endanger public safety,  
remained in his apartments at a local  
hotel today, receiving messages of con-  
gratulations and planning a series of  
visits within the state in the event that  
federal Judge Aldrich allows him his  
freedom under bonds.  
The next move in the case will be the  
filing by Thaw's counsel of a petition  
asking that the amount of bail be fixed,  
and a date for a hearing on the question  
will be set by court.

By order of his attorneys are still at  
work preparing a brief ordered by Judge  
Aldrich last month in the matter of  
extradition and to which William T.  
Jerome, special deputy attorney general  
of New York, will reply before the final  
court hearing is held.  
Several attorneys conversant with fed-  
eral court procedure agreed today that  
Thaw, if released under bonds, would be  
immune in every part of the federal  
jurisdiction from arrest by state authori-  
ties in connection with the murder of  
Standford White or his escape from Mat-  
tawson, pending the final disposition of  
the habeas corpus proceedings in the  
federal court. It was suggested by one  
of the lawyers that it might be advisable  
for the prisoner to keep out of New  
York as he might be detained there on  
some technicality, though he probably  
would be able later to obtain his release  
by a writ of habeas corpus.  
By order of Judge Aldrich copies of the  
commission's report were forwarded to  
counsel in the case today.

## Pink Shirt Twins Break Out of Jail

BRIDGETON, N. J., Jan. 12.—Two  
prisoners, known in police circles as the  
"Pink Shirt Twins," escaped today from  
their way out of the Cumberland county  
jail here early today. They cut away  
two bars of their cell and, using them  
as weapons, beat a guard and a trusty  
into unconsciousness. They then walked  
out of the jail.  
The escaped prisoners are Harry Jordan  
and Edward Haight. They were re-  
cently paroled from the penitentiary in  
Philadelphia and were arrested here sev-  
eral months ago charged with burglary.

## Fourth Trial of Dr. Hyde Postponed

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 12.—The fourth  
trial of Dr. R. Clarke Hyde, charged  
with the murder of Colonel Thomas H.  
"Pink Shirt" Neenan, was postponed today.  
The county prosecutor set forth that  
evidence could not go to trial today as  
because of a suit filed in the circuit court  
last Saturday by two Jackson county tax-  
payers to enjoin the county court from  
paying the expenses of further prosecu-  
tion of the physician. Judge Porterfield  
then set the case for January 19.

## Kaiser Takes Course in Manual Labor

POTS DAM, Germany, June 12.—Emperor  
William for several days past has joined  
his day laborers in saving and splitting  
wood on the imperial estate surrounding  
Sans Souci palace. He was advised by  
his physicians to take a course of manual  
labor. Accordingly he spends every fore-  
noon on the grounds working zealously  
with the laborers.  
His majesty is said to take great pride  
in filling the fuel into neat piles for use  
of the laborers in their homes.

## WOMAN KILLED IN AUTO UPSET NEAR CARROLL

CARROLL, Ia., Jan. 12.—(Special Tele-  
gram.)—Mrs. Adelle B. Davis, colored,  
was instantly killed yesterday about 5:30  
p. m. when an automobile in which she  
was riding upset. The accident occurred  
on the road between Carroll and Glidden  
east of Storm Creek bridge. The car,  
which was driven by the dead woman's  
son, Arthur, is said to have been travel-  
ing at a high speed, when a rut was  
struck. Another son, David, who was sit-  
ting with his mother at the time, was  
injured.

## MORE UNION HEADS LEAVE COPPER BELT

Chief of Counsel for Western Fed-  
eration Latest to Take His  
Departure.

LEADVILLE HIS DESTINATION

Cold Weather Causes Activity  
the Relief Work

REFUSE AID FROM OUTSIDE

Strikers Inclined to Accept Only  
Union Offers of Aid.

OPERATORS ARE OPTIMISTIC

One Official Estimates that One  
Thousand Men Will Be Added  
to Payroll Before End  
of Week.

HOUGHTON, Mich., Jan. 12.—Further  
depletion of the executive forces of the  
Western Federation of Miners was ap-  
parent today in the copper strike dis-  
trict. The latest departure was that of  
O. N. Hilton, chief of counsel for the  
federation, who boarded a train early  
today, giving Leadville, Colo., as his  
destination, and fact that he had some  
cases coming to trial there as the reason  
for his going. It also became known  
that Charles Tanner, auditor of the  
federation, who was deported and re-  
turned with Charles H. Moyer, had gone  
to Ishpeming and Negaunee, in the iron  
district of the upper peninsula. It was  
announced by R. S. Mackenzie, who  
alone represents the executive council of  
the federation here now, that both Tanner  
and Hilton are to return.

Below zero temperature, accompanied  
by snow flurries, caused some increased  
activity among union relief committees  
here today. It was said however, that  
except for additional requisitions for coal  
and firewood there would be no greatly  
increased demands on union funds.

A different story came from the office  
of Miss Clarice Jones, in charge of the  
Associated Charities in Calumet. Some  
appeals for aid came as soon as the of-  
fice opened, and preparations were made  
to handle a rush of applications if the  
storm continued. Miss Jones acknowl-  
edged that one of her difficulties was to  
persuade strikers to accept relief from  
any source other than the union. In this  
connection she recalled her testimony  
before Governor Ferris, that during her  
Christmas campaign she had found many  
homes in which the big heating stoves  
stood dismantled because there was not  
enough fuel available to keep it and the  
kitchen ranges in use.

Operators Are Optimistic.  
Among the mining companies there was  
an optimistic note, based on the daily  
arrival of "volunteer" workmen and the  
fact that 600 more picked men are to be  
imported this week. One mine official  
estimated that 1,000 men would be added  
to the payroll before the end of the  
week. Others, however, said they would  
consider themselves lucky if half that

(Continued on Page Two.)

## Mother Jones Goes Back to Trinidad and is Rearrested

TRINIDAD, Colo., Jan. 12.—"Mother"  
Mary Jones, strike leader, who was de-  
ported from the southern Colorado coal  
fields January 4 by the militia, returned  
to Trinidad this morning from Denver.  
As soon as her presence here was learned  
by the military authorities she was ar-  
rested and taken to the San Rafael hos-  
pital, where she was held incommunicado.  
"Mother" Jones left the train at the  
outskirts of Trinidad and later appeared  
at a local hotel. She was arrested shortly  
before noon by a detail of state troops,  
hurried out of the hotel, placed in an  
automobile and whirled through the  
streets with a cavalry escort galloping  
at full speed in front and behind the  
machine.  
Several hundred coal mine strikers  
lined the streets on either side and  
cheered wildly, while "Mother" Jones  
waved her hand in response.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 12.—"It is  
an outrage against the constitutional lib-  
erty of our people," declared John P.  
White, president of the United Mine  
Workers of America, when told of the  
arrest by the militia of "Mother" Mary  
Jones at Trinidad, Colo., this afternoon.  
Mr. White said he had telegraphed pro-  
tests against "Mother" Jones' arrest to  
President Wilson, Secretary of Labor  
Wilson and Governor Ammons of Colo-  
rado.

## HISTORICAL SOCIETIES TO HOLD JOINT MEETING

A joint meeting of the Nebraska State  
Historical society, the Nebraska Terri-  
torial Pioneers' association and the Ne-  
braska Memorial association will be held  
at Lincoln from January 20 to 22, inclu-  
sive. For the first it is the thirty-sev-  
enth annual meeting; for the second the  
twenty-second and for the third its third  
annual meeting. On the evening of Jan-  
uary 21 the Nebraska State Historical so-  
ciety will give a reception and banquet  
in honor of Rogers Clark Ballard Thur-  
ston, president general of the National  
Society of the Sons of the American Revo-  
lution. The festivities are under the  
patronage of the Nebraska Society of the  
Sons of the American Revolution and the  
Nebraska Society of the Daughters of  
the American Revolution.

## MR. AND MRS. SAYRE WILL START HOME WEDNESDAY

PARIS, Jan. 12.—Francis Bowes Sayre  
and his wife, formerly Miss Jessie Wood-  
row Wilson, were the guests of honor to-  
day at a luncheon given by Ambassador  
and Mrs. Myron T. Herrick. Mrs. Anna  
Wilson Howe of Philadelphia, a sister of  
the president, was among the guests.  
Mr. and Mrs. Sayre, according to their  
present plans, will sail for New York  
on Wednesday on board the Majestic  
from Cherbourg.

## The Performance Starts Again



## CONGRESS IS BACK ON JOB

Hundreds of Bills on Minor Topics  
Introduced in House.

## TRUST MEASURES ARE WAITING

Administration Bills Will Not Ap-  
pear Until After President Reads  
His Message—Copper Strike  
Inquiry is Proposed.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Congress got  
back to work today fresh from the holiday  
vacation, to be greeted by the usual  
avalanche of bills and resolutions.

Bills to conserve radium on the public  
lands of the United States, for the regu-  
lation of trusts, for various inquiries and  
the usual array of special measures poured  
through the hopper of the house when  
Speaker Clark brought down his gavel.  
None of the so-called administration trust  
bills, which have been in the making in  
the judiciary committee, made their ap-  
pearance, however, and probably will not  
until after President Wilson delivers his  
special message after he returns here.

In the senate a congressional investiga-  
tion of the Michigan mine strike proposed  
in a resolution by Senator Ashurst, was  
one of the features of the reassembling.  
Both houses got down to work promptly,  
with the leaders determined to run the  
machinery at high speed and get away  
probably in June.

PRETORIA, Union of South Africa,  
Jan. 12.—The shooting of dynamiters at  
sight is to be a feature of the martial  
law to be proclaimed throughout the  
Transvaal and the Orange River colony.  
The proclamation will be of a drastic  
character.

The government will attempt to re-  
sume the full service of trains on all the  
railroads tomorrow. In order to safe-  
guard crews and passengers regulations  
usually imposed only during a state of  
siege are to be introduced.

May Spread to Cape Colony.  
CAPETOWN, Union of South Africa,  
Jan. 12.—The first break in the ranks of  
the nonstriking railroad employes in Cape  
colony occurred today at Salt River,  
about two miles from Capetown. Half  
of the men employed in the railroad shops

(Continued on Page Two.)

## The National Capital

Monday, January 12, 1914.

The Senate.  
Met at noon.  
Senator Ashurst introduced a resolution  
for a congressional investigation of the  
Michigan copper strike.

Judiciary committee voted down the  
"open gate" resolution by Senator Cum-  
mings for amending the constitution with-  
out initiative in congress.  
Chairman Overman of the lobby com-  
mittee introduced a bill to regulate lob-  
bysts. It was not a committee measure.  
Senator Works introduced a bill for a  
partial commission of nine members.  
Senator Owen introduced a bill to regu-  
late stock exchanges.  
Senate adjourned at 4:15 p. m. until noon  
Tuesday.

The House.  
Met at noon.  
Speaker Clark introduced a bill to  
pay a minimum wage of \$1 a day to every  
federal civil service employe.  
Representative McCoy introduced a bill  
to prohibit interfering directors of  
national banks and trust companies and  
Representative Webb introduced his bill  
to strengthen the Sherman law.  
Senator Owen introduced a bill to re-  
serve all radium lands to the govern-  
ment.  
Representative Elliott and the common council  
of Seabright, N. J., petitioned for a fed-  
eral breaker to protect the city  
against coastal storms.  
Postoffice appropriation bill carrying  
\$26,500 reported.

Representative Levy of New York intro-  
duced a bill to revise the grade of vice  
admiral, with three on the active list.  
Representative Tibbles of Florida intro-  
duced a bill to repeal the federal bank-  
ruptcy law.  
Passed District of Columbia appropria-  
tion bill carrying \$11,675,000.  
Adjourned at 4:45 p. m. until noon Tues-  
day.

## Colonel Bowen Blames Enemies for Retirement

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 12.—"My en-  
emies have reached me at last."  
This is the comment of Colonel W. H.  
C. Bowen, commander of the Twelfth In-  
fantry and commandant of the Presidio  
of San Francisco on orders for his re-  
tirement which reached here yesterday  
from Washington. Retirement was under  
the regulation providing for an optional  
age limit for active service at 62 years—  
the age reached by Colonel Bowen last Wed-  
nesday.

"I incurred the enmity of men of high  
rank in 1901," Colonel Bowen said, "when  
I criticized a departmental plan relating  
to army promotions. I have known ever  
since that there was a bitter personal  
feeling against me and in the last two  
years, particularly, things have been done  
to make me uncomfortable."  
Colonel Bowen detailed what he holds to  
be a systematic persecution extending  
over ten years and including two court  
martials.  
Before the second one, he said, he was  
offered the privilege of retiring and re-  
fused it. Both trials resulted in acquit-  
tals.

"With my retirement," he added, "they  
are able to get rid of a man who once  
had the temerity to speak his mind and  
is therefore nervous in objection and  
they are able to bring promotion to some  
of their friends."

Colonel Bowen was ordered here from  
Monterey a month ago with his regiment.  
"The crates in which our furniture  
was brought are still in the yards," he  
said. "They did not lose much time."

## Horse Coming Back, Motor Car is Losing Popularity is Claim

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 12.—The horse is  
"coming back" and the motor car is di-  
minishing in popularity, speakers asserted  
at the annual convention of the Western  
Harness Manufacturers' and Dealers'  
association, which opened here today.

The speakers charged the wane of the  
motor car was due to the fact that men  
purchased cars who could not afford  
them, often mortgaging their homes to  
do so, and that the cost of upkeep was  
too high.  
Frank Jackson of Chicago, editor of a  
trade journal, who delivered the principal  
address, said the outlook in the harness  
business "never was better."

"The people are not forsaking the horse  
for the motor car," Jackson said, "but  
are leaving the motor car for the horse.  
The number of horses is steadily increas-  
ing. More buggies were made and sold  
last year than in any previous twelve  
months for fifteen years. On the other  
hand, the motor car business dropped off  
last year compared with the year be-  
fore."

## Boy Will Be Hanged for Murder of Girl

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—The supreme  
court today refused to set aside a death  
sentence of Texas courts on Leon Gar-  
denas Martinez, a 16-year-old Mexican  
convicted of murdering Miss Emma  
Brown near Saragosa, Tex. Martinez  
asked the supreme court to release him  
because he dared not appeal from the  
death sentence because of the fear of  
mob violence.

## Secretary Bryan is Back in Washington

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Secretary  
Bryan returned today from a ten days'  
speaking tour through the middle west.

## OIL BOOM IS ON IN BASIN

Oklahoma and California Parties  
Are Leasing Lands.

GUSHERS ABOVE GREYBULL  
Contracts Provide that the Drilling  
Must Begin Within Eight Months  
—Discovery of Natural Gas  
is Important.

RABIN, Wyo., Jan. 12.—(Special.)—Con-  
siderable excitement has developed in  
this vicinity during the last few days  
because of the activity of representatives  
of oil companies in securing leases on  
deeded land which is believed to lie  
within the oil and gas area.

While this movement has been antici-  
pated by those who have been in touch  
with what has been going on in this  
part of the basin for several months past,  
no move was made in this direction until  
last week, when representatives of the  
oil company of which Roy Schenck of  
Cheyenne is manager began their efforts  
to get leases on lands lying in what is  
known as the Basin Gardens, which lies  
within a mile or so of the land upon  
which the Greybull oil company has  
found oil in fair quantities.

Noting the activity of this representa-  
tive, others began to get busy and there  
was at once an element of competition  
which was pleasing to those holding  
lands in that vicinity. Charles Orchard,  
representing a California oil company,  
looked carefully over the field and left  
with instructions that certain lands were  
to be leased if he should wire authority  
to do so. If that authority was not forth-  
coming it might mean that the com-  
pany's geologist was coming to look over  
the field before action is taken.

Oklahoma Men Busy.  
Mr. Severson, who is the representative  
of an Oklahoma oil company, has been  
located at Manderson for several weeks  
past keeping an eye on the situation. He  
returned last week after a trip to Denver  
and then stated that he would act on

(Continued on Page Two.)

## Six Chinese Spend Hot Time in Boiler Room

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—After a search  
lasting fifteen hours H. R. Sison, in-  
spector in charge of the Chinese bureau  
of immigration service, today found six  
Chinese stowaways who had spent ten  
days in the boiler valve room of the  
freight steamer Massapequa. They had  
subsisted during the trip from Puerto  
Mox, on a few handfuls of rice and the  
dripping of condensed steam. Confinement  
in the room, which has an atmos-  
phere of never less than 135 degrees Fah-  
renheit and no ventilation, had brought  
all of the stowaways to the verge of  
physical collapse. None of the Chinamen  
had partaken of food during the three  
days the steamer had been tied up here.

## Two Buildings Are Buried by Volcano

TOKYO, Jan. 12.—A series of 26 slight  
earthquakes shook the town of Kagosh-  
ima at the southern end of the island  
of Kjusiu today. They were followed  
by the eruption of a volcano on Sakura,  
a small island in the gulf of Kagoshima,  
where two buildings were buried in ashes.  
The earthquakes continue incessantly and  
the work of rescuing the inhabitants of  
Sakura by boats across the intervening  
three miles of water from Kagoshima is  
extremely difficult.

Ashes have fallen all day in Kagoshima  
itself and telegraphic communication  
with the capital is interrupted.

Work for Five Thousand.  
WHEELING, W. Va., Jan. 12.—The  
Riverdale plant of the United States Steel  
corporation resumed operations in full  
today after an idleness of four months.  
Approximately 5,000 men are affected.

## MEXICAN FEDERALS WHO STRIKE FOR PAY ARE SHOT TO DEATH

Twelve Men Are Killed During Up-  
rising of Part of the Garrison  
of Ensenada.

MUTINY NEAR MEXICO CITY

Band of Federalists Blow Up Track  
and Loot Train.

SENDS REFUGEES TO MARFA

Problem of Handling Fugitive Fed-  
erals Up to General Bliss.

NO CHANGE MADE IN POLICY

General Manilla is Released on  
Certificate of General Mercado  
—Salazar and Orozco  
Make Their Escape.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 12.—Twelve re-  
bellious Mexican soldiers were killed at  
Ensenada yesterday as the result of a  
quickly suppressed revolt, due, it is said,  
to the failure of the Mexican government  
to pay off the troops in Ensenada garri-  
son. The report of the revolt and the  
death of the twelve men was confirmed  
in San Diego today at the Mexican con-  
sulate. It was also stated that conditions  
in Ensenada now are quiet. Upon receipt  
of a telegram stating what had happened  
the British sloop of war Shearwater  
hastily put to sea yesterday and arrived  
at Ensenada last night. The following  
telegram was received from Francisco  
Vasquez, military governor of the north-  
ern district of Lower California.

"A small part of the garrison, consist-  
ing of fourteen men, were in arms but  
did no damage, as fortunately the re-  
mainder of the troops repudied the act  
of arresting all of the insurgents. The  
town of Ensenada is now perfectly tran-  
quil."  
"To anticipate alarming and exaggerat-  
ing reports please inform the press of  
the true condition of affairs."

Mutiny Near Capital.  
VERA CRUZ, Jan. 12.—Today's reports  
show that the cutting of the Mexican  
railway between Esperanza and Maltrata  
on the line from Vera Cruz to the capi-  
tal during the night of January 10 was  
not done by rebels, but by part of a  
battalion of regular troops garrisoned  
Orizaba under the command of Colonel  
De La Llave. The federal troops mutinied  
and some of them attacked a general  
freight train from which they obtained  
a quantity of provisions and other sup-  
plies. They then fled to the mountains,  
after burning the freight train and a  
number of oil cars. This was the reason  
for the detention at Orizaba of Nelson  
O'Shaughnessy, American charge d'aff-  
aires, who was on his way to the federal  
capital.

The remainder of the men of the bat-  
talion which mutinied at Orizaba, have  
been sent to Mexico City, as the federal  
government fears there may be further  
disaffection among them.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Disposition  
of the 2,000 defeated Mexican federal troops  
and refugees who fled to Presidio, Tex.,  
from Ojinaga will be entirely in the  
hands of Brigadier General Tasker H.  
Biles, commanding the American border  
force. The War department so announced  
today. General Biles reported he had  
authorized Major McNamee to move the  
prisoners to Marfa.

Secretary Garrison said there would be  
no change in the policy toward escaping  
Mexicans, despite the fact that the feed-  
ing and care of so great a number will  
be a problem. The prisoners will be de-  
tained under guard. General Biles' re-  
port contained this summary of the border  
situation from Major McNamee:  
"Still impossible to obtain the number  
of federalists here. Am organizing them  
into their companies and regiments; will  
report exact number as soon as known. On  
account of the great distance from rail-  
road, great difficulty in securing supplies,  
together with the fact that they are in  
immediate vicinity of their enemy. I  
recommend that all prisoners be for-  
warded to Marfa for movement to such  
place as may be designated. Great num-  
ber federalists' horses here; am purchasing  
supplies necessary immediately.

"General Mercado has furnished cer-  
tificate in case of General