Santa Claus Soon to Go to Homestead Loaded Down With Good Things.

CHILDREN'S FUND FILLED.

Touching Requests From Poor Little Ones Fill the Cornucopia.

THEY DID NOT APPEAL IN VAIN.

Over Seven Hundred Pollars Already in Hand, and More Coming

A LONG LIST OF KIND CONTRIBUTORS

The strong appeal made by THE DIS-PATCH for assistance to gladden the hearts of fully 1,500 Homestead children has met with prompt and hearty response. These children will have such a Christmas as they never expected, as all moneys and necessities required have been generously tendered THE DISPATCH fund for distribution. Success is assured, and the pleasure in this announcement will certainly be telt equally by the thankful children and the many

In just the proper time, several contributions came in that made the fund what it should be. The following telegram of a most pleasing rature was yesterday re-Washington Post: WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 22.

The Pust has received nearly \$300 for Homestead children. Will you receive and disburse it with your fund?

FRANK HATTON.

The Thanks of Homestead Children. An answer was at once given that the sum would be added to the fund, at the same time conveying the thanks of the needy children in advance for the generous act. It is interesting to note in this connection that the Homestead children themselves were instrumental in securing the

THE DISPATCH has been printing from time to time some of the most pathetic letters from these poor children. Many made some cute requests, while many more bravely asked only for necessities and thought they might do without toys this Christmas The Washington Post repreduced most of these letters, thus attracting nttention and resulting in a fund for the honest, little hearts that made such pleading requests

A Hundred Pairs of Shoes.

Among other donations yesterday might be acknowled that from W. M. Laird, the Wood street shoe dealer, who kindly turned over to the grand total 100 pairs of children's shoes amounting to over \$100 in value. This gift was in addition to another 200 pairs he had already donated to another fund. J. W. Haney, owner of family. many transfer wagons and a pioneer in that business, has volunteered free service and the transportation necessary to take the goods to Homestead.

The Edgewood Presbyterian Sabbath school has given two boxes of toys, clothing and books. The Eintracht Singing Soas a place of distribution, and, in fact, all to the chord of human sympathy touched by the little ones' need. The distribution will take place in the

hall mentioned Saturday afternoon between the hours of 3 and 6 when a joyous scene People Who Have Already Responded.

Contributions received Mrs. W. E. Schmertz, Jr. ... The Personal Disparch.

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MINERS' SAD CHRISTMAS.

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Much Distress Among the Strikers' Fagi ides at Dravosburg. In Dravosburg there are 175 heads of families idle this Christmas on account of the miners' strike. The apparent fact that they were making almost none of the usual preparations for celebrating the holiday vas a pathetic showing in itself of the straitened conditions in which these amilies find themselves, and there is still another sad feature of the situation. The men are so close-mouthed and determined in this fight that they have made to complaint of being in need, but personal avestigations quietly made indicate that he struggle is pinching many of them for he necessaries of life, and that the present affering among them would be much greater ere not those who have a little something o spare dividing it with those who have othing in order to carry on the con est for but they grimly contend are their rights. here will be less merry-making in Dravos-urg this year than ever before in the later

istory of the place.

Making a Christmas at Homestead. Through the efforts of Lodge No. 14, of be Amalgamated Association, at Youngslown, \$120 has been raised among the fron orkers there and forwarded to the needy nes at Homestead as a Christmas contribu-Probably as much more will be sent rrow. The rollers of the several mills constitute the relief committee engaged in

A SUSPENSION OF MINING

In the Hocking Valley, Owing to the Executive Board's Action.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 22-[Special.]-The circular preparedby the Executive Board of the Ohio miners with reference to the recent attempt and failure to arbitrate the price of double-shift entry-driving in machine mines, was promulgated to-day. The miners asked for 50 cents per cubic yard extra, the same, as they claimed, is paid for the double-shift entry-driving in pick mines. The operators offered to give 25 cents a ton extra, and then agreed to sub-mit it to arbitration. Afterward they claimed the basis of prbitration was wrong

and retused to allow more than 121/4 cents extra. The Executive Board in its circular As to what action you should take in this matter, we would advise that all entry work in machine mines cease at once, until there is a proper adjustment of the entry question in machine mines, both single and double shift, knowing that present prices paid in machine mines are not equivalent to that paid in pick mines, thereby giving the machine operator a decided advantage in entry work; and that you insist before you resume driving those entries that one-half the regular yardage price paid in pick mines be paid in machine mines, knowing that on December 2s, in the city of Shawnee, a convention of the miners both pick and machine, of the counties of Athens, Hocking and Perry, will be held to consider the best interests of both pick and machine miners. Upon receipt of this you will call meetings and consider carefully the best policy to pursue, so that at said convention we may be enabled to take such action as will bring to the mines who has performed his labor in good faith that which is justly due.

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This practically amounts to a suspension of mining in the Hocking Valley for the

SUNE IN NEW YORK HARBOR, An American Schooner Run Down by

Big British Steamship. NEW YORK, Dec. 22.-There was a chap was strange that there was not a great loss ous and enterprising proprietor of the of life. The most serious was the sinking of the American schooner Wild Pigeon by the English steamship Energia in Swash Channel, just west of Romer Beacon. Coming down the Swash Channel Captain Lust, of the Wild Pigeon, saw the big steamship Energia taking the same course. The Wild Pigeon lind the right of way, and to continue on his course Captain Lust. and to continue on his course Captain Lust had to cross the bow of the steamship. The Energia kept on her course and struck the Wild Pigeon a glancing blow. Without stopping the Energia headed back to New York, according to Captain Lust. The ord-nance steamer General Wool picked up the

schooner's crew. The Energia was badly damaged about the bows.

Blume Hearing To-Day. August Blume, of Uniontown, will have a hearing here to-morrow on the charge of selling liquor without a Government license. Blume is the man who alleged that P. A. Johns, the Government agent at Uniontown, had received money for a tax, which Johns denied. Colonel Grimeson investigated the case and fully exonerated Johns, and Blume was then arrested by order of Commissioner Mason.

William E. Black Instantly Killed. William E. Black, a freight conductor on the Panhandle Railroad, fell off his train ears Temperanceville station, and the wheels passed over his body, killing him instantly. He was removed to Semmelrock's undertaking rooms in No. 8 patrol wagon. Black was 34 years of age, married and lives at Nimick station. He leaves a

GREAT CHRISTMAS SALE

Of Overcoats, Ulsters and Suits for Men, Boys and Children-P. C. C. C., Cor. Grant and Diamond Streets-Open Even-

Men's all-wool overcoats, nisters and suits, line of men's imported Irish trieze, A fine line of men's imported Irian trieze, also melton and kersev overcoats, in five shades, elegantly lined, and we guarantee them worth \$22; our price. \$12.00

Boys' cape overcoats and suits. \$12.02 to 14.

at. \$1.40, \$2.68 and \$3

Boys' overcoats and ulsters, sizes 13 to 19, at. \$2.45 and \$3

Free! Elegant presents for the boy-! Five French music boxes, instructive books and chimes. Free!

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Hundreds of other useful and substantial gitts can be found at our stores. Fancy yests and the newest patterns in pants. Element neckwear, scarfs, gloves and muffine

Elegant neckwear, scarfs, gloves and muff-lers-comfortable smoking jackets, besides fancy silk and satin suspenders, one pair in a box, price, @c-an elegant line of silk um-brellas with odd designs in handles, and various other articles for men and boys' wear, just right Christmas gifts.

Xtra-special-For this week only we will allow you to select any overcoat, dister or suit, the best in the house, for \$18, even if it be marked \$30 or \$40. P. C. C. C., Cor. Grant and Diamond streets.

KLEBERS' CHRISTMAS PIANOS.

Steinway, Conover, Opera. The three best and most popular pianos in America. All others must take a back seat in their pre-ence. H. Kleber & Bro., 506 Wood street, are selling nearly half a dozen of them every day for Christmas presents.

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TWENTY-FOUR pages in THE DIS-PATCH Sunday. It will have the best Christmas and literary matter money can

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New planes at \$20. New organs at \$50. Fully warranted. Easy terms. Store open every night until Christmas. LECHNER & SCHOENBERGER,

Make Merry With Gifts Useful and Orna

Our special display for December is worthy of your inspection. SCHOENECK & Sox, 711 Liberty street, opp. Wood. China Cupid Plates,

For two days we will sell fine china plates, with Capid decorations in six colors, for 12c bach.

CHAS. REIESPEIN,
150 to 156 Federal street, Allegheny.

ORIENTAL, Turkish and Persian rugs that we have on hand must be disposed of by Xmss, therefore a bargain awaits you at Lautenslager, Dilim & Young's Oriental Rug Bezaar, No. 58 and 60 Sixth street, secon floor, Entrance Liberty street.

Our Prices on Gultura Are a source of delight to our customers. Think of it! Fine guitars, fully warranted, from \$5 50 up. ALEX ROSS' Music House. from \$6 50 up. ALEX Ross' Music House, 143 Federal street, Allegheny, Pa.

W. S. Bell & Co., 431 Wood street, have a splendid assortment of kodaks, premier cameras, photographs, etchings, etc., suit-able for holiday gifts. Store open evenings.

Dewitt's Little Early Risers. No gariping no pain, no nausea: easy pill to take. ROOM and boarding-house keepers, who have vacancies? A few small ads in the cent-a-word columns of THE DISPATCH

will send you tenants. SEE the fluest and best fitting kid gloves in the murket at James H. Alken & Co.'s, 100 Fifth avenue.

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WANT AN AMENDMENT

A Local Committee Can Improve on the River Commission Bill.

NOT ENOUGH MEMBERS ON IT NOW.

Pittsburg listrict Most Important and Must Pe Represented.

EXPENDING \$1,000,000 EACH YEAR

The River and Harbor Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, with other business and river men interested, will heartily cooperate in the work of pushing the bill presented to Congress from Indiana for the appointment of an Ohio river commission. They will, however, ask for one or two amendments necessary to Pittsburg's interests. The Chamber of Commerce had appointed a committee to assist in drawing up and presenting a bill for deepening the Ohio, but has now rather been forestalled by the action of Congressman Parrett, of Indiana.

The Parrett bill only asks that five members constitute the commission, and it is here the change will be asked by local bust-

A Government Majority. In all bodies of this kind it is necessary

that the Government have a majority, and if only five men constitute the commission, three must of necessity be United States engineers; while the remaining two will be drawn from civil life. It is argued that a clash will occur in the apppointment of these two members of the commission, as each district will desire ter of accidents in the harbor to-day, and it a representative in that body who will work for its own interests. The river length to be covered is 967 miles long, and it is pro-posed to divide it into three separate dis-tricts.

The Pittsburg, or upper district, will ex-tend to the mouth of the Big Kannwha, 263 miles away. The middle, or Cincinnati, district extends to Louisville, and covers a district extends to Louisville, and covers a distance of 337 miles. Then the lower, or Louisville-Evansville, district, extending to Cairo, is 367 miles long. Should the bill go through in its present state, but two of these three districts can secure civil representation on the commission, and it is argued some difference is certain to arise in their appointment. their appointment.

To Change the Number. For this reason local men interested are making preparations to propose an amend-ment increasing the number of commission-ers from five to seven. This will give the United States representatives four members, or a majority of one, while each of the three districts will also have a civil representative in the body. Pittsburg, being the upper and more shallow district, is the most important of the three. That reason alone, and not counting her tre-mendous tonnage, will cause the men hav-ing the affair in charge to insist that she be represented. Cincinnati and the lower district will also demand that they be recognized, and in order to avoid all differences it is altogether likely that these districts will heartily combine with Pittsburg in asking an increase in the number of com-

A Mississippi river commission has been in existence ever since 1879, while a similar body was appointed to oversee Missouri river improvements in 1884. The commercial interests of the Onio are far greater than the Missouri; yet her improvements have been in the hands of really no author-

\$1,000,000 a Year. In speaking of the necessity of such a commission, Colonel T. P. Roberts yesterday said the importance of water as a means of transportation is just being realized. "Over \$1,000,000 is being spent each year on the Ohio river," said he, "yet the Silk Mufflers. work is so slipshod and patchworky that work is so slipshod and patchworky that the benefits do not compare with similar work when done systematically. Water transportation in the United States is going to engage national attention more and more, and the Government must take more care of her island navigation. As affairs have been on the Ohio every Congressman puts in his ittle plea for appropriations for improvements. He is interested only in pleasing his constituency in securing certain local improvements, and pays no at-tention to the general good. Under a com-mission everything will be done system-atically, and a wonderful stride will be made

no doubt.
"It is said that Congressman Parrett, of Indiana, has secured strong assistance to push his bill, and if it goes through with our amendment this city will be benefited more than any other. Senator Quay is quoted as favoring the bill, as are also Congressmen Dalzell and Stone, and petitions are being sent to Washington from all Ohio river points asking that there-be no delay in its passage."

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Chickering & Sons, Hardman. Vose & Sons, Krakauer. Kimball and other makes.

United States, Chicago Cottage, and many other makes. Self-Playing "Æolians," in the richest woods and Æolian music. Church Organs.

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Music cabinets, fine stools, duet benches in mahogany, oak and other woods.

In our line we carry absolutely the largest and finest in this section of the country. Everything we sell we guarantee to be as absolutely perfect as can be made. Our policy of the finest instruments and honest prices brings us the trade. Write us for catalogues of anything you want in our line. Open evenings until the 25th.

MELLOR & HORNE, Founded 1831.

Warerooms, 77 Fifth avenue.

WE are eclipsing all of our previous efforts by offering the public the greatest of all pargains, namely the choice of any merchant tailor made suit or overcoat for \$15 %. The same garments were previously quoted at \$25 and originally made up to order for double the amount. Take heed and wend your footsteps at once to the greatest clothing bargain carnival in the city at the Misfit Clothing Parlors, 516 Smithfield street. Open every evening this week till 8:30. Saturday night till Il o'clock.

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Cabinet photos \$1.50 per doz. Panel picture given with every doz. Qetter grade. Crayons from \$2.50 up. Large assortment of frames. Lies' Portrait Studio, 10 and 13 Sixth street.

FOR Quality, Variety and Beauty of Goods

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Henry Terheyden, \$30 Smithfield street,
cannot be excelled. He makes to order
Diamond studs,
Diamond rings,
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Or any other fine piece of jewelry that may
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H. Transvorm,
\$60 Smithfield street.

Store Open Every Evening To accommodate the crowds of late Christ-mas buyers. It doesn't take long to choose a lovely Ring.

DU BARRY'S TEMPORARY SUCCESSOR. NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Roberts Promotes Third Vice President Green Till the March Election. PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 22. - President Rob-

erts, of the Pennsylvania Railroad, in a special circular, makes the following announcements:

Until further orders, the duties performed by J. N. Du Barry, late Second Vice President, in connection with the treasury and insurance departments, will be performed by John P. Green, Third Vice President. The duties of the Second Vice President, in connection with the construction department of the company, will, until further notice, be performed by Samuel Rea, assistant to the President.

This distribution of the duties is construed to mean that the vacancy in the office will not be filled permanently until the annual meeting of the company next March.

37 Roads in the Reading Combine. HARRISBURG, Dec. 22.-The Philadelphia and Reading Railroad has sent in its report to the Secretary of International Affairs, which shows that they operate 37 railroads, and of these 14 are directly under its control. The gross earnings for the past fiscal year were \$32,934,316, and a sum of \$18,853,188 was required to operate it.

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Silk Mufflers,

This Week.

510, 512, 514, 516, 518 Market St de21-wthra

THAT SMOKE.

Parties really wishing to see the city free | ness, from smoke go and see what is being done in the boiler room of the Fidelity Title & Trust Co.'s building, Fourth Ave. Take no man's word for it, but see it yourselves. Or you can get all the information neces

WALKER SMOKELESS FURNACE CO., Room 317, Lewis Block, Pittsburg.

STORE OPEN EVERY EVENING. ONLY A SHORT TIME

Here are ideas that may help you

to decide (if you haven't already

Rings,

Pendants, Bracelets, Brooches, Pins, Watches, Lockets, Etc.,

Silver

Gold or

Jeweled,

All Diamonds, Pearls and Diamonds. Opals and Diamonds, Emeralds and Diamonds, Rubies and Diamonds, Etc., Etc.

Then, little jewelry for men's wear: Shirt Studs, Collar Buttons, Cuff Links, Watch Fobs, etc. You can see them up to 10 P. M. STORE OPEN EVERY EVENING.

529 Smithfield St. Jewelers,

LAMPS.

Medium and fine ones-have no other kind. We are going out of the Lamp business. Commencing to-morrow morn, ing at 8 o'clock and before Friday evening we expect to be sold out of Lamps. One hundred

VASE LAMPS

With decorated Porcelain Bowls and Domes; Silver and Gilt Bowls with decorated Domes, with the best (Pittsburg Brass Co.) Burners,

this Lamp business and that will do it at once are as follows: \$3, \$4, \$5, \$6.50, \$7 and \$9. Fine Banquet Lamps go

The prices that are to do

\$13 and \$15. Artistic Onyx Banquet Lamps, with shade and all complete, \$5.

same way, same time, at \$10,

A few fine high-cost

With ONYX TABLE, reduced to \$25, and that ends the lamp business.

This Lamp Sale is on Second Floor in Holiday Art Room, where you can see thousands of rare and beautiful pieces of Art Pottery, Satin Art Prints, Remarque Proof Etchings, Turkish Inlaid Pearl Tables, Cut Glass, Humidors -a moist box for cigars, Tokonabi Umbrella Stands, etc. Range of prices on this extensive collection in this second floor Art Room is

And every article the best of its kind. Hence you can get what you want, and get it good and nice for little money, or you can spend as much as you wish; but everything sold on the small profit basis, and that's what gives us this large busi-

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Friday, Dec. 23, 1893.

TABLE LINENS For Christmas.

You can't name a gift more acceptable. Our stock is still full and

complete and you can't go amiss in picking here for a choice, elegant pattern and a quality away above what the same prices ever stood for before.

Good, Scotch, Irish and French Bleached Damask Sets,

Plain, \$2.75 to \$25. Fringed, \$3 to \$9. Hemstitched, \$5 to \$50.

Come to our big Linen Department to-day or to-

Everything laid out for quick buying, because the time's short and those who are out Christmas shopping now are in a hurry. We can serve you well, any time, day or evening. Lots of goods. Lots of help.

All departments open until 9 P. M.

609-621 Penn Ave.



SHOPPING

During the holiday season has its trials to be sure, but when you call at facksons' and find what you are looking for at once and go home happy, like the old couple above, you will feel repaid for your trouble. Now Jacksons' is not a general storeit's strictly Clothing, Hats and Men's Furnishings; but in these lines we are not excelled by any other house in this city. Our Suits and Overcoats have a universal our own and we guarantee them. For Hats there's no house like ours in Pittsburg. The grandest selection of standard makes at the lowest

popular prices. In fine fixings for men we are in the lead and can assure you a saving of from 25 to 30 percent on every dollar's worth of furnishings. Give us a call. We will make shopping easy for you.

Store open every evening until 8:30.



954 and 956 Liberty St.,

Star Corner.



THE ONLY REASON For the continued increase of THE DISPATCH Want Ads is that they give satisfactory returns.

"ONE CAN'T MOST ALWAYS SOMETIMES TELL."

In making his calculations for the Christmas trade, the merchant is bound to make some mistakes. He will buy too little of some goods, too much of others. He will generally cry after the goods of which he has too little and will cry over the goods of which he has too much. We do not intend to cry over the goods of which we have bought too many, but intend to sell them quickly.

You won't catch us waiting until after Christmas to begin unloading our surplus stock. Most emphatically not

THE SLAUGHTER OF PRICES BEGINS TO-DAY.

WE OFFER

Air Rifles reduced from \$1 to Tricycles reduced from \$6.50 duced from \$7.50 to \$5.88 Iron Wheelbarrows reduced

from 75c to..... Small Wagons reduced from 25C to..... Large Wagons reduced from \$1 to.....

World's Fair Game reduced

Large Sets of Tenpins reduced

from \$1.25 to.....

Disco Game (new) reduced from \$3 to...... \$2.00 Baseball Games reduced to 50 and 75 Patent High Chairs reduced from \$5 to...... \$3.00

FANCY PLUSH AND WOODEN BOXES. Work Boxes reduced from \$3 to..... \$2.00

Shaving Sets reduced to 2.75 Toilet Sets reduced from \$3 to 2.00 ALBUMS.

We offer a magnificent line of ex-

tra fine Albums, ranging in price from \$2 to \$10, all of which will be reduced fully one-third.

We shall close out a lot of 75c Albums at,.... TOILET MIRRORS.

Fine Mirrors trimmed in silver, reduced from \$2.50 to.. \$ 1.75 Fancy Mirrors with silver trimming reduced from \$1.50 to Extra large Toilet Mirrors, trimmed with silver, reduced from \$3.50 to...... Fancy Shaving Mirrors re-

duced from \$3 to 2.25

Toilet Articles. Juvenile Toilet Sets, consisting of two bottles of perfumery and a cake of soap put up in a neat little wooden box. reduced from 25c to... reputation. We make mostly This is a very great bargain and will please the children. Celluloid Puff Boxes, mounted in silver, reduced from \$2.50 and \$2.75 to...\$175 and \$2 Fine Violet Perfumery, put up in pretty glass bottles, re-

Brush and Mirror, reduced from \$1.50 to.....\$ 1.15 Housefurnishing Department.

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Sets, consisting of Comb,

German China Cups and Saucers, elegantly decorated, at..... Thin Blown Water Tumblers, with initia's engraved, each German China Preserve Dishes nicely decorated, each..... English Porcelain Tea Sets of 56 pieces, underglazed decoration.....\$2.75 Bohemian Vases, good size, elegantly painted

Carpet Sweeper, "Our Leader," Bissel's best make, warranted to last for years..... Medicine Cabinets, solid oak, worth \$2, at Cloth Wringers, extra good quality, worth \$2.50...... Shoe Sets, comprising blacking brush, dauber and shoe duced from \$1 to

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Five Cents. We have a great and pleasing variety of these books-they are so placed that you can examine them conveniently. Mrs. Ewing's Stories for Boys and Girls-comprising "Jan of the Windmill," "Jackanapes and Other Stories," "We and the World," "Six to Sixteen," "A Flat Iron for a Farthing," "A Great Emergency," "Lob-lie-by-the-Fire," "Melchoir's Dream and Other Stories," "Mrs. Over-the-Way's Remembrances and Other Tales"-q vols., cloth bound, \$2.85 per set; 350

St. Christopher, containing many short stories for the little ones, bound in cloth, illustrated, 45c.

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Under the Open Sky-True Williams, reduced from \$1.75 to..\$1.00 Summerland, by M. M. Pullman, reduced from \$1.95 to 1.25

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