Formal Incorporation of the Institution In Washington.

NO CONGRESS'ONAL INTERFERENCE.

Mr. Carnegle Will Not Give the Ten Mil-Hens to the Government, as Was Originally Intended, But to a Corporation Selected by Himself, Which Met and Adopted Articles of Incorporation.

Washington, D. C., (Special).-The first step toward accepting Mr. Andrew Carnegie's offer of \$10,000,000 to the United States Government as an endowment fund for the promotion of higher education was taken here, when articles of the District of Columbia for the Carnegie Institution

The incorporators are:
John Hay, Secretary of State.
Edward D. White, Justice of the
United States Supreme Court.
Daniel Coir Gilman, late President of
the Johns Hopkins University.
Charles D. Walcott, superintendent of
the Geological Survey.

the Geological Survey.

John S. Billings, ex-Surgeon-General
of the Navy.

Carroll D. Wright, Commissioner of

The articles fix the name and title of the institution as the "Carnegie Institution" and show that it is organized "for a perpetual term." Its objects are "the promotion of study and research, the power to acquire, hold and convey real estate and other property, and to estab-lish general and special funds; to as-sist investigations in science, literature or art; to co-operate with governments. universities, colleges, technical schools, learned societies and individuals; to appoint committees of experts to direct special lines of research, publish and distribute documents, conduct lectures and hold meetings, acquire and maintain a library, and in general to do and per-form all things necessary to promote the objects of said institution."

The affairs, funds and property of the

corporation will be in general charge of a board of trustees, to consist during the first year of 27, and thereafter not to exceed 30 members, except by a threeexceed 30 members, except by a three-quarter vote of the board.

The filing of the papers followed a meeting in the offce of Secretary Hay, which was attended by all of the incorporators and Mr. Baker. It is assumed from the legal action thus taken, arnegie has removed the cause of bjection raised to the securities in the \$10,000,000 endowment was made on December 10, it being hat United States Steel Corporations were the collateral. It was from the legal action thus taken, Mr. Carnegie has removed the cause of the objection raised to the securities in which the \$10,000,000 endowment was to be made on December 10, it being said that United States Steel Corporation bonds were the collateral. It was said that such securities in the possession of the United States, the income of which was used for the promotion of the United States, the income of the Everett-Moore syndicate, which controls many trolley and telephone lines in Michigan and Ohio.

The body of Robert Lee Johnson, of United States are the collaboration of the Everett-Moore syndicate, which controls many trolley and telephone lines in Michigan and Ohio. Department of Justice in the event of the legal action being taken against combi-nations or trusts. So Mr. Carnegie was Philippines, was brought to Harper's informed their acceptance was impossi- Ferry for interment.

A few days later. Mr. Carnegie appeared at the White House and dined with the President, after which it was announced Mr. Carnegie had decided to remove all grounds for objection. About the same time a sale of Steel Corporation securities amounting to about \$11,000,000 was reported in New York, and announced Mr. Carnegie had decided to this, in concetion with Mr. Carnegie's proposed donor was the seller. Whether the new offer is in cash or some undisputed bonds was not stated.

Ferry for interment.

Charges of periury and larceny were brought against William C. Wakefield, promoter of the international copper syndicate, in South Framingham, Mass.

Mrs. Bullock, the tunanger of the Searchlight Hotel, in Searchlight, Nev., was burned to death, with her two children, in a fire which broke out in the hotel.

By the explosion of a locomotive boiler in the shops of the Georgia Central Railway, at Macon, Ga., 5 men were killed and 12 injured.

Miss Lizzie Miller, a Wisconsin girl. puted bonds was not stated.

THREE TRAINS IN A WRECK.

Mail Collided With Freight and Another Freight Crashed Into Them.

Johnstown, Pa., (Special).—Because of a wrong signal at Nineveh tower, a county, N. J., jail and in the almshouse. fast east-bound Pennsylvania mail and express train ran into a slow freight ahead five miles west of this city, and a

The wreck occurred about to P. M. The passenger train got a "clear block" at the tower, and, running ahead at full speed, crashed into the rear of the extra freight, wrecking the engine and two passenger cars and the cab and two cars of the freight. The west-bound freight mediately piled into the debris, the engine and to cars tumbling into

The injured, it is thought, will recover. The wreck occurred on a sharp curve and the engineer of the mail train could not stop after coming in sight of the freight ahead, while the west-bound ran in before a flagman could be sent forward.

TO PRODUCE ITS OWN COAL.

Steel Corporation Plants Consume Over 3,500,000 Tons a Year. Pittsburg, Pa., (Special).-The United

States Steel Corporation has arranged to produce its own supply of coal in the 50,000 acres, worth approximately \$10,000,000. The work of development will be started at once by a subsidiary company, the National Mining Company, of which President Thos. Lyuch, of the H. C. Frick Coke Company, is the head.

The National Mining Company will open its first was a subsidiary will open its first was a subsidiary to the company will open its first was a subsidiary to the company will open its first was a subsidiary to the company will open its first was a subsidiary to the company will open its first was a subsidiary to the company will be a subsidiary to the company will be a subsidiary to the company to the company will be a subsidiary to the company to the

open its first mine in the Pan-Handle field, 14 miles from Pittsburg, in the Chartiers Valley, where 7,500 acres of coal property will be developed. Contracts have already been placed for the electric hauling and other modern and the infilitary has been ordered there to suppress them.

A philanthropist in London has placed for the electric hauling and other modern ward for a sanitarium for consumtives.

Syrian officials were sharply rebuked

Bethany, 111. (Special).—Pour men broke into the bank of A. R. Scott here, blew open the safe and secured \$2,000. A large quantity of gold and silver was left, as the robbers were driven off by residents, who were aroused by the expension before the end of the

Ex-Premier of Hawaii Weds.

San Francisco, (Special). - Samuel Parker, formerly Premier and Minister of Foreign Affairs of Flawaii, has been San Jose, widow of the millionaire plant-since December 27.
er, James Campbell, the engagement of Mr. Post, of National Sugar, denies The wedding was private, the ceremony being performed at the Occidental Hotel by Superior Court Judge Hubbard.

The marriage was followed by a dinner.

Talks By Wireless 'Phone.

Murray, Ky. (Special.)—Nathan Stub-Mefield, the local electrician, who has mickle mines in New Caledonia. invented a wireless telephone, gave a Steel Corporation December net earnings practical test of his system here.

s' last week,

SUMMARY OF THE LATEST NEWS. GENERAL BELL'S

Domestic

The St. Paul Trust Company, capital \$200,000, has voted to go into liquidation. The chief cause is a recent supreme court decision making the trust company liable for a judgment for \$100,000 in the estate of C. D. Strong, which had been in charge of the company

estate of C. D. Strong, which had been in charge of the company.

The circuit court of Toledo, Ohio, affirmed a decision of lower courts giving Mrs. Adelaide Smith, of Fremont, Ohio, judgment of \$5,400 against the estate of the late President Hayes. Mrs. Smith was blazen by a dog that belonged to Mr. Hayes.

Mr. Hayes.
Four robbers entered the town of St.
Joseph, Mo., and blew up the vault of
the Bank of Camden Point with dynamite. The explosion aroused the citt-zens and a pitched battle with the rob-bers ensued, the robbers getting away. The Chicago Northwestern University

proposes to abandon the woman's mediwere filed with the Recorder of Deeds a trustee of the university, declares that

The trials of the cases growing out of the postoffice emebazlements in Cuba are scheduled to begin in Havana today. The attorneys for Rathbone will ask for

land, and the bank officials took actual tage of the 60 days' notice rule.

Bernard Michael, aged 67 years, was found in his office, in St. Paul, Minn, with his throat cut. He was in the real estate business and wealthy.

Tohn G. Thomas, cashier of the Wells—

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The arrest of members of the wealthy the confiscation of the confis

Experiments are being made at Mem-phis Medical College with an embalming fluid said to be better than that used y the Egyptians.

ration of Labor, was sentenced to im-prisonment, as a law unworthy the American government. The Northern Pacific Railway Com-

pany has given notice that it has re-deemed all the preferred stock, and that it would require holders of 4 per cent, were somertible certificates to exchange them daring. r common stock.

The body of Robert Lee Johnson, of the Twenty-third Regiment, United

Miss Lizzie Miller, a Wisconsin girl, has sued Henry J. Huening, of Chicago, for \$5,000, alleging breach of promise of H. Murray Crane was sworn in to

serve his third term as Governor of Massachusetts. Small-pox broke out in the Hudson

Foreign.

few minutes later a west-bound freight crashed into the wreck, causing the death of four persons and the serious injury exuela are clearly defined and in which posse, they currounded the bank and time limit is set for a reply. Reports of the release of Miss Stone and her companion, Mme. Tsilka, con-tinue unconfirmed. The brigands are said to be hiding in Turkish territory.

John Murray, who recently surren-dered to the police in Ireland, is to be brought to Jefferson, Ohio, to answer the charge of wife murder. I wenty thousand men are on strike

n Barcelona, and large forces of troops ave been concentrated in and about the city to prevent trouble. Count de Turenne, of the French

liplomatic service, has suggested a basis or the settlement of the South African Baron Charles C. Boilleau, a French

nobleman, committed suicide in a railroad carriage near London.
The Dowager Empress of China is again showing anti-foreign tendencies General Yung Lu is organizing two anti-

foreign army corps. The Dowager Empress and Yung Lu fear the foreign officials will try to entrap them upon their arrival in Pekin. pittsburg district by the development of the employ of the Congo Free State government, says that the conditions pre-

railing in the Congo are a disgrace to An unconfirmed report was received in symptom of decay. London from Vienna that Miss Ellen Stone, the American missionary, had

been released by the brigands. Riotous strikers in the Bangor district,

naturalized American citizens.

The deposits of Eric Telephone stock

The New York Subtreasury statement married to Mrs. Abiguil Campbell, of shows the banks have gained \$1,405,000 year-old girl, from Whitman, Nebraska,

> Judge Gury says there is no truth in the report from London that negotia-

Steel Corporation December net earnings will approximate \$12,000,000. It is conservatively estimated that during the first year of the Steel Trust its net earnings will exceed \$135,000,000. At the annual meeting of Swift & Co. in Chicago, the stockholders voted manimously to increase the capital stock from \$20,000,000 to \$25,000,000 as recommended by the directors, the proceeds to be devoted to the extension of the business.

PEACE METHODS

Rigorous Warfare Until Insurrection

In Subdued.

The Arrests of Members of the Rich Lope: Family and of Members of Religious Corporations known to Be instigators of Insurrections Are Having a Good Effect-Driving Filipinos in All Directions.

Manlia (By Cable) -Gen I. Frank lin Bell is codnucting a vigorous campaign in Batangas province. Every avialable soldier is in the field. The columns under the command of Colonels Wint and Daugherty are doing excellent work, and driving the Filipinos in is impossible to make a doctor of a all directions. A number of the latter are fleeing to Tayabas province, where the native constabulary are rendering

The advocates of peace at Manila dep The advocates of peace at Manila deprecate the stern measures employed by General Bell. In reply, General Bell says that these peace advocates have had numerous opportunities to use their influence, as they have been given passes through the American lines almost for the asking, and that it has been afterward proved that they often only went through the lines for the purpose of Bernard Michael, aged 67 years, was

Fargo Express Company in Cincinnati. Lopez family and the confiscation of their steamers and rice, as well as the accounts are all straight. corporations who were known to be in stigators of the insurrection, has had an excellent effect upon the natives.

President Lynn, of the levy court, put an end to all difficulties by sending his resignation to Governor Hunn, of Delaware.

Governor Hunt, in his message to the Governor Hunt, in his message to the Lynn, of Company E. Conditions in the Island of Samar Porto Rico legislature, suggests the re-peal of the old law under which Iglesias, of his regiment, and a large force of the representative of the American Fede-bolomen, has practically recovered from bolomen, has practically recovered from the effects of his wound. In an official report of the encounter in which Cap-tain Schoeffel was hurt, it is said that Schoeffel killed three men before he re-ceived his wound, and that the remnants of the detachment of 18 men with him were saved by his personal courage and

MINISTER BURNED TO DEATH.

Daughter Cremated and Son Injured In the Burning of Their Home.

Bethany, Conn., (Special).-Rev. Edmund Peck, a retired Methodist clergyman, aged 80 years, and his daughter. Mary Peck, 35 years old, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their handsome homestead on the Bethany

The house was wrapped in flames when a neighbor awoke at 4 o'clock. His shouts aroused Charles Peck, who partly overcome by smoke, made his way to the roof and jumped, severely injuring himself. It was impossible to rescue the other inmates of the house, which was reduced to ashes in less than ar

Mr. Peck was active in the Methodist inistry for many years, but retired 20 years ago.

FIGHT WITH BANK BURGLARS.

Building Surrounded by Armed Men, But Three Robbers Escape. Camden Point, Mo. (Special.)-Four

masked robbers entered the Bank of Camden Point and wrecked the vault

A P. Sarrhurst, assistant cashier of the bank, and H. F. Rixey, a local mer-The German officials have handed passed the bank just as the explosion opened fire on the robbers.

After a fusilade lasting several min-utes, in which one of the robbers was shot in the shoulder, the bandits re-treated from the bank, ran to the rail road tracks and escaped on a hand car. They secured no booty. Several armed posses are searching for the robbers.

A FLUID TO PETRIFY THE DEAD. A Modern Memphian Says He Can Save Bodies Indefinitely.

Memphis, Tenn. (Special.) - The Memphis Medical College has for several weeks been experimenting with an embalming fluid declared by the inventor to be superior to the embalming prepa-

ration used by the Egyptians. The infusion, it is said, petrifies the body, and will preserve the subject for all time. The shriveling that was inseparable from the Egyptian embalming is

The principal experiment up to this time has been upon the body of a dog-which was treated so days ago. It ap-pears as natural as in life. It is rigid, but in a natural pose. There is no trace of odor about it, nor is there any visible

in operation before the end of the Syrian officials were sharply rebuked bers were at work two hours and fired of the Other properties will be started by the Ottoman government for arresting five charges of nitroglycerin before the residents got out.

A Double Tragedy.

Grafton, W. Va., (Special).-News the deposits of Eric Felephone very mader the reorganization plan are very reached here that Samuel Carochers, christen the German Kaiser's new yach large. er, James Campbell, the engagement of whose daughter Abbie to Prince Ka-wananakoa was recently announced. The wedding was private, the ceremony being performed at the Occidental Hotel by Superior Court Judge Hubbard. additional capital stock of the Rutland to t to visit his mother, to miles north of to visit his mother, to miles north of this place, had, shortly after arriving at his destination, deliberately shot and sador to the United States. tragedy.

Britain's ferrible Losses.

London, (By Cable).-The total reduction of Great Britain's military forces in South Africa from the beginning of the war to December, including deaths from disease, reported missing, etc., amounts to 24,290 men. Of this number 19,430 were actually killed or died. A total of 64,330 men were invalided home;

the majority of them recovered and re-joined their commands.

The Boers ambushed a party of the Scots Grays last Saturday near Brank-horst Spruit (about 40 miles east of Pretoria, on the railroad). The British casualties were six men killed and thir-tern wounded.

NATIONAL CAPITAL AFFAIRS.

Nation of Coffee Crinkers

The coffee importations of the United States will in the calendar year 1901 be the largest in the history of the coun-

try's import trade. Eleven months' figures of the Treasury Eleven months figures of the Treasury bureau of statistics show that these importations amounted to 967,059,585 pounds, against 707,496,152 in the corresponding months of 1800, 817,223,877 in the corresponding months of 1800, 744-910,179 in the corresponding months of 1803 and 567,029,817 in the 11 months of 1807 and 567,029,817 in the 11 months of 1806. CONDITIONS ARE UNSATISFACTORY.

These figures indicate not only that the coffee importations of 1001 will be larger than those of any preceding year, but that they will for the first time exceed 1,000,000,000 pounds. The value of these imports will reach about \$70,000,000. While the quantity imported will exceed by more than 200,000,000 pounds that of any preceding year, the cost will be less than the average during the years from 1890 to 1897, when the cost per pound was materially higher than at present. Brazil furnishes, of course, by far the largest proportion of the coffee impor-

tations of the United States. In the 11 months ended with November these imports amounted to 762,148,514 pounds hile the next quantity came from other South American countries, 91,297,714 Central America, 64,554,400; Mexico, 21,594.432.

In Need of More Room.

The first Cabinet meeting of the new year was devoted to the discussion of minor subjects relative to the various departments among them the over-crowded condition of some of the build-

Lack of space in the Navy and War Departments is especially evident and there was some discussion of the necessity for a new building. It was sug-gested that if the Department of Justice and State Department of Justice and State Department could be accommodated in a single building, thus leaving the present State, War and Navy Building for the use of the latter two departments, the situation would be greatly relieved. No conclusion, however, was reached

er, was reached. Secretary Gage talked for some time about the hardships imposed upon foreigners deported under the immigration laws. He instanced the case of a wife and child now being held in New York horaves efficiently with a contaction disbecause afflicted with a contagious dis-case of the eyes. They are Assyrians and the busband is now in this country. The case has excited sympathy in New York, but under the law the mother and child must be deported.

Ex-Governor Leslie M. Shaw, of Iowa. was in conference with Secretary Gage over affairs of the Treasury Department,

and then left with the Secretary for the White House. Mr. Shaw said he will take charge of the Treasury Department January 25. He said he has not contemplated any changes in the official force here, and did

not know that he would have any oc-casion to consider such changes. Ex-Governor Shaw and Secretary Ex-Governor Shaw and Secretary Gage remained with the President about half an hour. Mr. Shaw later lunched with the President.

Assistant Secretary of the Treasury H. A. Taylor will retain his position. This was agreed upon at a consultation between the President and members of the Wisconsin delegation.

Yield of Gold and Silver.

The preliminary estimate of Director of the Mint Roberts on the production of gold and silver in the United States during the calendar year 1901 indicates only a slight gain over the production of the preceding year. The yield of Alaska fell off by about \$1,000,000. Col-orado made a slight gain in gold and the other producers were nearly sta-

The yield of silver exceeded that of

gold produced is shown to have been 3,880,578 of the value of \$80,318,800. The number of fine ounces of silver produced was 50,653,788, having a commercial value of \$35,792,200. The coinage value of the silver is aproximately \$77. 000,000.

Clemency for Soldier.

army regulations have been amended so as to provide that the pow-er to pardon or mitigate punishment im-posed by a court-martial vested in the authority which confirms the proceedings, or the coresponding authority unwhose jurisdiction the sentence is being executed, extends only to the unexecuted portions of a sentence.

An aplication for elemency in the

case of a prisoner sentenced to confine ment in a penitentiary must be forwarded to the Secretary of War for the action of the President. General Miles says that the power to commute sen-tences imposed by military tribunals, not being vested in military commanders, only be exercised by the President.

At the King's Coronation.

It is understood that a way may b ound by which two naval officers of high rank will take part in the coron tion ceremonies of King Edward VII. The present indications are that the President will select a civilian representative and also one officer of the army and one officer of the navy to accompany this civilian. Quite apart from this, the navy will be represented by a squadron in English waters, with a rear-admiral in command. The effect of this arrange-Burglars Used Five Charges.

Bethany, Ill., (Special).—Four men with the coronation.

His Visit to Charleston.

Arrangements are being made for the President's trip to the Charleston, S. C. Exposition in February. The President probably will be accompanied by most of the members of the Cabinet and some of the Cabinet ladies. They will leave here probably on February 10 arriving in Charleston the following day.

To Christian Kaiser's Boat.

Miss Alice Roosevelt, the eldest daughter of President Roosevelt, will This announcement was made at the White House. The Kaiser's invitation to

Capital News in General. Through M. Boeufve, the Panama Canal Company offered to sell to the United States government the entire properties of the canal for \$40,000,000. The proposition was submitted to Admiral Walker, of the Isthmian Commission, who reported it to the President. The latter will submit it to Congress.

Robert S. Chilton, United States consul at Goderich, Canada, and Robert S. Chilton, Jr., chief of the consular bureau, have resigned.

Col. E. W. Ayres, at one time Washington correspondent of the Kansas City Times, dropped dead in the Citizens' Na-tional Bank.

CRASH AT SEA IN THE NIGHT

Twenty or More Lives Lost in

Terrible Disaster.

SOME OF CREW CRUSHED TO DEATH

Steamer Walla Walla, From San Francisco for Puget Sound, Collides With a Salling Ship on the Pacific Off the California Coast-With a Blg Hole in Her Side the Steamer Sinks in Half an Hour.

San Francisco (Special).-A collision t sea between the steamship Walla Walla and an unknown sailing vessel reulted in the sinking of the steamship. I wenty-seven persons are missing. Owng to confusion of the lists, their names annot be determined accurately. The Walla Walla, owned by the Pa-

Puget sound ports. She carried 36 first-class passengers, a8 second-cless and a crew of 80 men. When off Cape Mendocino, on the California coast, at 4.70 o'clock the next morning, an iron bark

his ship. He was picked up later by one of the boats uninjured, except for a few

small boats could not make a landing on the shore, a few miles distant. They drifted about all day, and finally 65 persons were picked up by the steamer Dispatch, which took them to Eureka. Another boat, under command of Fin-

the others were saved. When the Dispatch reached Eureka with the survivors tugs were sent out for the missing boats. The tug Ranger picked up one boat containing 11 pas-sengers and 3 of the Walla Walla's

Captain Hall, of the wrecked ship, gives a graphic account of the disaster. He says: "The weather thickened as Wednesday night advanced, and Thursday morning a heavy fog, accompanied by a light rain, set in. About 4.10 A. M. I was suddenly awakened by an awful crash on the port side, well forward. Second Officer Luke was on watch at the time. The shiely however especially in time. The ship's housing, especially in the vicinity of my cabin, was badly shat-

ors, rebounded and groped alongside. I called to her to stand by. She drifted away and was lost to view. I could not tell how badly she was injured, but I do not imagine she was severely as she struck us bow on. Though her forward rigging might have been bro-ken, it is not likely her hull suffered ma-

the previous year by about 2,000,000 fine ounces.

The total number of ounces of fine total number of ounces of fine at once. The vessel began to fill immediately and sank in as minutes. There diately and sank in 35 minutes. There was no confusion on board. The officers

Hit the Walla Walle.

San Francisco, (Special) .- The captain of the steamer collier Washtena, which has just arrived at Neah Bay, State of Washington, reports being in company with the French bark Max off Cape Mendocino, January 2. The Max had been in collision with a large passenger steamer at 4 o'clock that morning The bark had three holes stove in her bow and her stem was bent to port, but no lives were lost on board her.

The pasenger steamer in the collision was un loubtedly the Walla Walla. The Max was bound from Havre to San Francisco in ballast. It is not known yet how many per-

Great Week at Charleston. Charleston, S. C., (Special).-The week was a notable one at the exposi-tion. The stock show opened with 1,010 having murdered Elizabeth Shannon, tion. The stock show opened with 1,010 having murders near Blacksville. F. Weston, of Biltmore, N. C. On Thursday the Liberty Bell arrived from died at his home, in Gerardstown, W. Va. tiful structure specially built for it. On Friday the International League of Press Clubs, the Pen and Pencil Club. of Philadelphia, was assembled here, and the great musical festival, conducted wounded in a fight which broke up a watch party at Robbins, N. C. by Innes' Band, opened.

Protocol Not Yet Signed.

Santiago de Chili, (By Cable)-Argentina has not yet officially ratified the protocol signed by Senor Yanes, the Chilian minister of loreign affairs, and Canby, Washington. ment for further explanations,

Big Deal in Cost Land.

Clarksburg, W. Va., (Special) .-- A 4,000-acre coal tract in the Wallace disrict, Harrison county, W. Va., on the hort Line Railroad, is about to change ands. James R. Baines, of Uniontown, Pa, is making the sale, the purchasers being identified with the J. P. Morgan syndicate, of New York. The price to be paid is in the neighborhood of \$400,000. The National Congress of Mothers will hold its sixth annual reunion in The tract will be developed on an ex-

Beaten Till He Was Insaue. Chicago, (Special) -A coroner's jury

led to the death of Frank J. Schell here. The jury returned a report showng that Schell had been held up by two ing that Schell had been held up by two highwaymen and beaten so severely that he was rendered temporarily insane. While in this condition he walked some distance to the river and jumped or fell in. Schell and his brother recently came into possession of a \$100,000 estate. The footpads stole his overcoat, which is said to have contained valuable papers pertaining to the estate.

TWO KILLED, MANY INJURED.

Engine and Five Cars of Passenger Train Leave Track.

Glencoe, Pa. (Special.)-Baltimore and Ohio Railroad passenger train No. 6. drawn by engine 888 was wrecked while rounding a curve about one and one-half miles east of here. The engine and train were entirely destroyed by fire, leaving only the trucks and iron

The engineer and fireman of the train were killed and 21 injured.

A special train was hurried to the scene of the wreck, with Drs. Bree-Wiley, Spear, Claybrook and Twigg on board, and upon arrival it was found that Dr. G. B. Haggard, of Massilon, Ohio, and Dr. V. T. McGillieudy, of Los Angeles, Cal., who were on the wrecked train, had ministered as far as possible to the wants of the injured. Seven men whose injuries were most Seven men whose injuries were most severe were brought to the hospital here and are doing well. A number were taken to Myersdale, Pa.

itself in the mountain side, almost com-pletely clearing the tracks and flattening itself against the mountain. The front of the engine, including the cylinders o'clock the next morning, an iron bark, believed to be French, loomed up at the inze and crashed into the Walla Walla's of the engine, including the cylinders bow. Then the sailing vessel slid off and side roits, were completely driven into the mountain. The mail car struck into the mountain. bow. Then the saling vessel slid off into the darkness and was seen no more. All the passengers and crew of the Walla Walla, except the few on watch, were asleep, but were arcused by the crash. The steerage quarters were in the bow, and it is believed that some of the steerage passengers and crew were crushed to death. A big hole was made in the steamer's bow and she sank in a temporary of the train beyond the crash. The engine and postal car immediately caught fire, the gas lights in the latter

The officers and crew maintained strict scipline. Boats and life rafts were omptly lowered. All who were not led in the collision got off, except pt. L. A. Hall, who went down with the collision of the collision who were the collision who were the collision who were the collision with the collision who were the collision who were the collision who were the collision which with the collision which were careful the collision which were constraints and postal car immediately caught fire, the gas lights in the latter car causing the blaze, and the flames being communicated from there to the rear Pullman, spread through to the bagclilled in the collision got off, except gage car, the entire wreck burning like tinder. All the cars were more or less his ship. He was picked up later by one of the boats uninjured, except for a few in the Pullman being torn from their glaces and thrown around the cars. The tracks were badly torn up.

Mail Clerk Partello states that there we're about 80,000 pieces of mail in the mail car, and that the only thing saved was one registered letter and one reg-

Another boat, under command of Pargineer Brown, and containing 13 persons, attempted to land at Trinidad and was swamped. John Wilson, quartermaster; William Barton, fireman; L. Brule, passenger, and four unknown men were drowned from this boat, but of the government observatory, says that this is a world's record, but he discredits the report. From another district a fall of 10 inches in five hours is reported, and throughout the islands there were heavy rains. A few washouts occurred, but there was no serious dam age.

Collision of Two Freights.

Atlanta, Ga., (Special).-As the result of a head-on collision between two freight trains of the Southern Railway, near Rex. Ga., 14 miles from this place. three of the trains' crews were killed tered, the main force of the collision striking just forward of my stateroom. My bunk was struck and thrown across the room on my table.

"After the crash the strange vessel, which I think was a French bark, judgwing from the language used by her sail. and a number of freight cars destroyed

Anarchist Plots in Spa'n.

Madrid, (By Cable).-The police have discovered traces of anarchist plots in the towns of Jerez de la Frontera, Alcala de les Gazules and Arcas de la Frontera, in the Province of Cadiz. Forty-nine arrests were made and the prisoners conveyed to Barcelona, where they will be tried by the military

Party Ended in Fight. Augusta, Ga., (Special).-Three peowere killed and two wounded at Robbins, N. C., in a fight which occurred during a party given at the residence of Jesse Griffin. The participants in the fight were white people and well know-in this part of the country.

ODDS AND ENDS OF THE NEWS. Seth Low, the new Mayor of New York, and the other newly elected city officials, entered upon their duties, and Van Wyck and the other officials gave up their places.

The and of Samar is more unfriendly than ever before. Matters are progressing ever before. Matters are progressing favorably in Bantangas Province.

The Foraker faction corraled some members of the House for their candi-Walla. A conservative estimate puts the number of dead at 8 and the missing date for Speaker, but the Hanna people still claim a caucus majority.

General Wheaton reports that the Isl-

La., in which a number of valuable horses, en route from the New Orleans meeting, were killed.

David Hoge, of Greene county, West

still claim a caucus majority.

There was a collision near Keithville,

Thursday the Liberty Bell arrived from died at his home, in Gerardstown, W.Va. The independent Wilson & McCallay tobacco plant, at Hamilton, Ohio, has been sold to the Continental Tobacco

Three people were killed and two

The Porto Rican Legislature convened at San Juan. Governor Hunt gave a reception and ball to the mem-Lieut, James W. Bevan, of the Eighth

Senor Portela, the Argentina minister to Chili, and has asked the Chilian government for further explanations.

A freight train went through a bridge at Crescent, W. Va., and two bridgemen were buried.

Three persons were hurt in the first ice-yacht race on Lake Monona, in Michigan. indications are that the entire Palma ticket was elected in Cuba. President Castro, of Venezuela,

and the revolution crushed.

Emperor William has asked that Pres ident Roosevelt's daughter, Miss Alice, christen his yacht, now building at Staten Island. President Koch, of the German Reichsbank, thinks the new year brings better business prospects to Germany.

New Year's greetings were exchanged between President Loubet of France and the Czar of Russia. listened to evidence showing that a some-what remarkable series of occurrences ceived the Ambassadors.

Bank Laoted by Safe-Blowess. Bethany ,Ill., (Special).-Four me

broke into the bank of A. R. Scott here, blew the safe and secured \$2,000. A large quantity of gold and silver was left, as the robbers were driven off by citizens who were aroused by the explosion and began shooting. The robbers were at work two hours and fired live charges of nhro-glycerine before the citizens got out.

PENNSYLVANIA BRIEFLY TOLD.

Condensed Special Dispatches From

Pennsylvanians received these pensions: John Ludwig, Sizerville, \$12; Henry Harmon, Pittsburg, \$6; Vincent Amos, Scenery Hill, \$10; Frederick Berthel, Washington, \$12; William Morlock, McKeesport, \$12; George Coy, Den Run, \$10; Michael P. Dick, oaring Spring, \$8; Joseph B. Milburn, Bristol, \$12; Oliver Staley, Chaysville, \$12; Orion W. Miller, Tepleville, \$12; Alfred M. Gorley, Uniontown, \$10; Nancy Holmes, Millvillage, \$12; Alfred Walton, Dick-sonburg, \$12; William H. Robinson, Pittsburg, \$6; John H. Camp, South Oil City, \$6; Martin S. Potter, Altoona, \$10; Philip Johnson, Oil City, \$6; Hiram Davis, Saegertown, \$8,50; Johnson H. Crick, Rimersburg, \$8; Daniel Simmons, Braddock, \$12; Charles W. Smith, Dugall, \$12; Samuel A. Morse, Leroy, mons, Braddock, \$12; Charles W. Sman, Dugall, \$12; Samuel A. Morse, Leroy, \$24; John Kelly, Sandy Lake, \$10; Rhoda A. Adams, Russell, \$8; Rachel Hilty, Pittsburg, \$8; Mary H. West Vandergrift, \$8; Lydia A. Cox, Wells-boro, \$25; Sarah A. Fruit, Transfer, \$8; Julia A. Sourwine, Rockford, \$8.

Judge Harry White, who sat in the court appointed for the Barker-O'Con-nor judicial contest, in Blair county, has received three threatening letters. While attending the session of the court he received two letters saying that if Barker were seated, there would be trouble for him. A third letter was found by Judge White at his home. It was mailed at Jefferson and declared: "The people here are not going to take any fooling. You Judge, are safer at home. It has been remarked that a Yankee was as safe at Gettysburg as you are at Ebensburg. Barker will never be Judge—there will be some ore drop before it is over." The contest concluded a few days ago by the withdrawal of Barker.

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Charters were issued by the State Deparment to the following corporations: Steelton & New Cumberland Bridge Co., Harrisburg; capital, \$1,000.

The Farmers & Mechanics' Trust Co., Mercer; capital, \$125,000. The Scranton "Journal" Publishing Company, Scranton; capital, \$6,000. Davies Textile Company, Frankford; capital, \$100,000. Standard Connecting Rod Company, Beaver Falls; capital, \$30,000. Pittsburg & Brady's Bend Railroad Co., to build seven miles of road in Clarion, Armstrong and Butler counties; capital, Armstrong and Butler counties; capital, \$70,000; president, Edward Wilkins Dewey, New York.

Under the order sent out by officers of the American Steel & Wire Company of Pittsburg, a pension department has been created in that organization. Its provisions retire from active service and under pension all employees who attain a certain age or whose physical contain a certain age or whose physical condition necessitates a relief from duty. The new order went into effect January I. The company has about 20,000 employees. A fixed fund, the amount of which has not yet been announced, has been set aside by the Company. It will be placed in charge of a committee of disbursement. A board of arbitration, to be announced hereafter, will be appointed to frame regulations.

State Treasurer Barnatt excepts that

State Treasurer Barnett reports that at the close of business on December 31, there was \$4,390,631.57 in the general fund of the State Treasury. Philadelphia banks held the following sums: Farmers and Mechanics' National, \$156,460.11; Quaker City National, \$630,460.11; Quaker City National, \$25,460.11; Quaker City National, \$25,460.11; Quaker City National, \$25,460.11 50.11; Quaker City National, \$150,-150.92; Corn Exchange National. \$75,-200; National Bank, Germantown, \$30,-200; Ridge Avenue Bank, \$20,000; Sixth National, \$30,000; Southwark National,

\$30,000. Auditor General Hardenbergh will Auditor General Hardenbergh will proceed against a number of corporations which have not complied with the law passed by the last Legislature requiring them to pay to the State treasury a bonus on their authorized increase of capital stock. It is alleged that in many instances this increase has been made and not reported, and the law reported, and the law punishes such delinquents to the extent

Having read of the action of the May-or of McKeesport in offering to ne-knowledge total abstinence oaths on New Year's Day free of charge, Alderman Alexander M. Snyder, of Lebanon, announced that during this whole year he will administer swearing off oaths with-out price. He has added the stipulation that all violations of the oath are to be punishable with thirty days in jail. Already a large number of persons have

The lower public school building in the Second Ward. Allentown, was dam-aged by fire to the extent of \$2,000. The fire occurred before any of the pupils were in the building. The old part of the schoolhouse was one of the two buildings in which the first homeopathic medical college in the world was started, this being the institution out of which Hannemann College in Philadelphia grew. It has been used for public rehool purposes many years.

Charles Minnich, 13 years of age, of Danielsville, was burned to death. The boy was assisting in throwing hay from the loft of a stable when the lantern exploded and the building caught fire. Before the lad could escape he was roasted to death. The stable was destroyed, causing a loss of \$1,500. John Wilson was arrested at Media, charged with stealing a large quantity of wire from the line of the Postal Tel-egraph Company along the West Ches-ter Pike in Haverford Township. A man with Wilson succeeded in escap-

Dairy and Food Commissioner Cope has turned over to the State Treasury \$1,600 collected from violators of the "oleo" and pure food law. Of the sum \$7,35 was paid by dealers convicted in Westmoreland county.

Harold Brown, aged 16 years, was arrested in Lancaster, on the charge of holding up Roy Martin, an older boy, from whom a purse containing \$5 was taken. A charge of attempting to rob the home of Rev. Walter Whitley has also been preferred against Brown A sille flag has been presented to John Brown Circle, of the Ladies of the G. A. R., of Chester, by Mrs. Susan Shan-

Ida, the 5-year-old daughter of Henry Urban, of Lancaster, was burned to death, the result of playing with

"Coal is king, and will remain king for six months at least," says G. A. Hol-den, general sales agent of Lackawanna. "The demand has been considerably in excess of the supply and there is no in-dication for this condition changing." Fire in the big dry goods house of Todd, Burns & Co., in Dublin, caused a loss of £130,000.

The victory of the Nationalisi party was celebrated in various ways in San-

Prof. John Birrell, of St. Andrew's University, is dead,