makers. THREE ARE SERIOUSLY HURT.

Frightful Accident on the Tracks of the Ontario and Western Near Nyack- tion officials. N. Y .- The Party Was Returning From a Basketball Game-All Were Members of Prominent Families.

Spring Valley, N. Y. (Special) .- A tween them a splintered wagon pole, families were either killed outright or frightfully injured.

before to take a party of men and has confessed to perjury.

Bishops Potter, Greer and Falkner part as follows: down at a West Nyack crossing by ing the Navy.

an Ontario and Western express William Randolph Hearst, in an all people are the cardinal objects of

Four of the party were instantly killed, two died while being removed to the Hudson County Hospital, at Hoboken, N. J., and the other three He in a serious condition at that institution tonight.

George Reith, aged 30, assistant superintendent of the telephone office Joseph Choate declared there is no and manager of the Spring Valley cause to apprehend war with Japan. basketball team.

Edith Singer, aged 20. George Shinn, aged 38, a basket-

Jeanette Palmer, aged 21.

The injured: Warren Palmer, 22 years, condi-Henry Dieteren, 23 years, basketball player; will probably recover. Mary Edith Bird, aged 18; condi-

tion critical. The responsibility for the accident is in dispute.

The survivors cannot be questioned as yet, and the only other witness was the crossing gate-tender. He claims that the team was driven through the lowered gates. The gate on the side of approach was broken down, but the opposite gate was intact, and if previously lowered must have been hurdled by the frightened horses after the wagon had been struck and torn from its The animals were uninjured.

BISHOP SATTERLEE DEAD. Died Repeating The Words, "Holy, Holy, Holy."

washington and a prominent figure in the Protestant Episcopal Church, died at his home, 1407 Massachusetts

Avenue Northwest, Saturday morning at 7.30 o'clock. Phasman, of South Bethlehem, last summer.

William Handy, a South Carolina of your worthy predecessor, I have to assure you of our good wishes in his behalf.

"I beg, Mr. Ambassador that mer. ing at 7.30 o'clock. Pheumonia, con-tracted in New York, is given as the line Mrs. E. L. Dodder and her sister, health, happiness and welfare, and cause of his death.

For several days the patient's condition had been serious, but not unthose at his bedside that the crisis was near. His death, therefore, came a great shock to his friends, his churchmen and co-workers.

Bishop Satterlee began to fail at The Authors' Club of New York midnight, and he told those about plans a memorial to Edgar Alian Poc. Fifty Per Cent. Increase In Fatalities him that he believed the end was gathered at his bedside

Murdered Man's Hoard.

for the will of David Heckert, who \$3,200 was found beneath a pile of herited \$50,000 from his parent.

old papers. This was undoubtedly Ng Poon Chew, editor of the Ch the money which the murderer was seeking when he entered the aged man's room. The money was in old bills and gold and was made up in several packages. In a cardboard box was a white duck bag with \$579 in gold coins, some of them stained. Upon one of the packages were the words "Saved by me from my earn-ings in Memphis."

Receivers For Insurance Company. New York (Special).—Temporary Railroad has been mortgaged tor receivers for the Mutual Reserve Life | \$50,000,000. Insurance Company were appointed by Justice Platzek in the New York State Supreme Court, on application of Attorney General Jackson. The company now is in the hands of reappointed by the United States Court on an application made by a committee of policyholders. The receivers appointed by Judge

the murder of his sweetheart, Grace Brown, is to die in the electric chair during the week beginning March 30. The court of appeals, which unani-mously sustained the judgment of modely solution of murder in the first deconviction of murder in the first degree, in a decision handed down last arranged for lite insurance with the deaths will be more than in Nobel Peace Prize.

King Peter of Servia is said to 1906. Counting in the big disasters. The Senate Committee on Foreign the deaths will be more than in Nobel Peace Prize.

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Secution of the death sentence.

Three Dead Of Chloroform. Denver (Special) .- Mrs. Mary E. serious Nixon, aged 60 years; her daughter, W. Canter, aged 35 years, sides. and the 12-year-old son of the latter were found dead in their home. Over the mouth and nose of each was a of chloroform or ether.

Canter was mentally de- cate reduction in armament. ranged, and the police believe she induced her mother to commit suicide with her, or chloroforming both States for the passage of another many who had voted for statutory her son and mother, administering American war vessel through the prohibition were against the amend-

her son and mother, administering the anaesthetic to herseif. Burglars Clean Out House. St. Louis (Special).-While Mrs. Jenuie Griffis was down town shop- ernment that precautionary measures

ping four burglars drove an unlet- in this country are less effective than tered moving van up to her home in France. 2206 Cherokee Street, and looted the house of everything excepting a canary bird, which escaped from its them, were taken. Neighbors who saw the four men industriously at work supposed Mrs. Griffis was moving out. Mrs. Griffis had left the door key under the doorstep, where the burgiars had found it.

Hand are proceeding to the frontier as a result of the border difficulty with Persia.

By the bursting of a steampipe on the French cruiser Descartes, off Casablanca, three men were killed and three injured. Even two stoves, with fire in

AT GRADE CROSSING LATEST NEWS

BY TELEGRAPH

Domestic Governor Hughes, in an address Chicago, says fining trust officials

putting the burden on the public He favors jall sentences for corpora-The corpse of Capt. Delos Hayden, who died in a lighthouse off Toledo, O., was recovered by friends, who

made a perilous trip across ice floes.
Announcement that Eastern railfoam-specked pair of horses that tore through the streets, dragging be-road officials and employes in New York.

Former Minister to Denmark Carr brought to the village the first news of a grade-crossing accident in which he compared the administrations of Lincoln and Roosevelt. A freight train ran into a trap set by trainwreckers for a fast passen-ger train on the Missouri Pacific.

The runaways brought up at the three men being injured.

Jerry M. Vrzal, upon whose evidence Herman Billik, of Chicago, is under sentence of death for murder.

Upon being presented Baron Taunder sentence of death for murder.

Returning in the early hours, the are among 250 New York clergymen wagonload of merrymakers was run who are protesting against increas-

James W. Turner, who died on an my power will be left undone in that Ohio farm, wants a monument of direction. whisky jugs to his memory.

junction granted to Stuyvesant Fish, that have so long, so happily and so by which 286.231 shares of stock were enjoined from being voted at the annual meeting of the Illinois Central Railroad Company.

that have so long, so happily and so beneficially existed between your company pursuant to what is regarded as an understanding that the Government Railroad Company.

The money was spent by the railroad company pursuant to what is regarded as an understanding that the Government Railroad Company. Central Railroad Company.

well-to-do bachelor, in his apart-ments in Chicago on January 12, was found guilty of murder in the first degree and his punishment fixed at death

Garfield H. Topping, owner of one of the first theatres in Chicago, and once owner of the Cotton and Wayne Minstrel Company, one of the first organizations of its kind, died at his home in Barrington, Ill.

Twenty-one policemen and foreign ers were shot or injured in a riot on Broad Street, Philadelphia, when the police charged a parade of 1,000 unemployed foreigners carrying red fings.

Joseph Hobbs, alias Joseph Kelley, is under arrest in New York as a result of the request made by the police of Boston. He is charged with robpathy, esteem and confidence of those

fatally burned in Omaha.

Three business blocks, a hotel and a livery stable in North Woodstock, N. H., were destroyed by fire.

Robbers smashed a store window and snatched 112 diamond rings from a jewelry store in New Orleans. rings The Authors' Club of New York that he believed the end was His immediate family at once Jersey declared a dividend of \$15 a for the quarter year ending

March 31. York, Pa. (Special).-When detec- undermined by the flood collapsed, deaths and injuries consequent upon tives and county officials searched the occupants escaping in their night accidents in coal mines were present-

clothes. Beech Hargis, who shot and killed was murdered shout one week ago, his father, the Kentucky feudist, in-

Ng Poon Chew, editor of the Chinese World, says China is raising an army of 1,000,000 men.

Iolerian Gribayedoff, the first news-

ratifa.

Baron Takahira, the new Japanese ambassador, arrived at New York, last December, and declared that war between the "From inform tory of the world.

Foreign

establishing a government monopoly. Siight earth shocks have been experlenced at Horta, Azores, for the last three days, but no damage has

Vice Admiral Philibert reports a serious battle with the Moors, in which there were casualties on both

It is said the British government will persist in the determination to submit increased naval estimates to tional prohibition was defeated in sponge, and death evidently resulted Prallament, despite the threatening the lower house, lacking two votes

> The Caradian government Canadian canals.

The commission sent by France to investigate mining disasters in the United States has reported to its gov-

Reports from Tiffis say that the Turkish army reserve forces of Asia Minor have been called to the colors and are proceeding to the frontier as a result of the border difficulty with

PROFESS TO BE TRUE FRIENDS

Baron Takahira Presented to the President.

THE EXPRESSIONS OF GOOD WILL.

Japanese Ambassador, in Presenting His Credentials, Declares That the designed to meet the objection raised Conservation of the Rights and In. terests of All People Is His Sov-

White House in President Roose-velt's private carriage, accompanied by Colonel Bromwell, the President's military aid. The suite of the Amin diplomatic, military

kabira addressed the President in

"The maintenance of lasting peace field, of Missouri, to be first assistant with all nations and the conserva- postmaster general. address at Chicago, announced the my august sovereign in his interna-principles of a proposed new national tional dealings, and I assure you, principles of a proposed new national political party.

After being saved from drowning J. W. Draper and F. B. Garrett were killed by a train near Pittsburg, Pa.

James W. Turner, who died on an Ohio farm, wants a proposest of direction.

The President said:
"In receiving from your hands the Nelson May, aged 19, who drove team.

Bertha Singer, aged 18 is rushing into debt for luxuries.

E. H. Harriman gained a complete viotory in the Illinois Central litigation, when Judge Ball rendered a and, if possible, still further strengthen the close bonds of amity strengthen the close bonds of amity and so Claude Brooks, a negro, who con-fessed to killing Sidney Herndon, a ances. On behalf of this government and of my countrymen I can most that may tend to increase and more firmly establish the good will we mutually bear and to foster the material advantages of the two nations to the paths of tranquil prosperity.

For yourself, Mr. Ambassador, our government and people have the \$1,610,123 over the total appropria-kindlest words of welcome, because tions made by the bill as it was we cherish very agreeable remem-passed by the House. brances of your former honored sojourn in this country as your nation's minister. You bring to your congen-ial task a knowledge of our life and ways such as few men not of our own race can bring, and you will be aided

Mrs. E. L. Dodder and ner sister.

Mrs. Hamilton, of Glade, Pa, were that through the appropriate chanfatally burned in Omaha.

nel, you will make known to your government and to your fellow-citi-zens the earnest wishes of the government and people of the United States for the properity and well being of the Japanese nation."

DISASTERS IN MINES.

Over Last Year. New York (Special) .- Some pretty are for the quarter year ending startling figures with reference to made by the Isthmian Canal Commission in the divisions of building the heavy recent increase in the construction and that of mechanics,

the institute at the New York En- to the House Committee on Judiciary, gineers' Club by J. A. Holmes, chief ogical Survey of the United States. Complete reports regarding the bank system. ecal mine accidents of 1907 have al-

paper illustrator in the United States. ready been received from dence Hospital following and 2 territories. Reports from dence Hospital following and 2 territories. The second following and 2 territories and 2 territories. Reports from dence Hospital following and 2 territories. The second following and 2 territories and 2 territories. Reports from dence Hospital following and 2 territories. The second following and 2 territories and 3 territories and 2 territories and 3 territories and 3 territories and 4 territories and 2 territories and 2 territories and 3 territories and 4 territories and 2 territories and 3 territories and 4 territories and 5 territories are too costly.

The police of Pennsylvania have figures. These show an increase of captured 270 men in 22 Black Hand about 20 per cent, in the number of were killed at the Darr mine Trust.

cent. in the number of fatal accidents by will be shown for the year 1907 over York, the figures for 1906, without taking Pro The receivers appointed by Judge Platzek are Joseph J. O'Donohue and Joseph P. Day.

New Date For Gillette's Execution.

Albany, N. Y. (Special).—Chester E. Gillette, of Cortland, convicted of the murder of his sweetheart, Grace the murder of his sweetheart, Grace the murder of his sweetheart, Grace to the receivers appointed by Judge Japan's reply to the American of last December, in which 694 men very killed. The figures from the railroads and their employes in view states and territories reporting show that 820 men were killed in the year that 820 men were killed in the year 1907, an Unqualified approval of the Fowler Currency Bill was given by former to the states and territories of 159 deaths for the year. If Gage before the House Committee on the total consideration the four disasters terstate Commerce Commission to into consideration the four disasters to late of last December, in which 694 men very killed. The figures from the railroads and their employes in view that 820 men were killed in the year 1907, an Unqualified approval of the Fowler Currency Secretary of the Treasury Lyman J. Gage before the House Committee on the states which have not yet reof fatalities for the year 1907, ex- ed Representative Bartholdt, of St. headquarters of the United States clusive of the four big disasters, will Louis, as their candidate for the Marine Hospital Corps was beseiged be 2,460, which is 400 more than in Nobel Peace Prize.

1906. Counting in the big disasters. The Senate Committee on Foreign

A Defeat For Prohibition.

Jackson, Miss. (Special). - The greatest surprise of the legislative session developed when an amendattitude of the Radicals, who advo- of a required majority of two-thirds. A singular feature was that all the members from open-saloon counties granted the request of the United favored the amendment, and that ment.

The Probibitiin Fight.

Washington (Special)-The House

Committee on the Judiciary heard Rev. E. C. Dinwiddie, formerly legislative superintendent of the Amercan Anti-Saloon League of this city, now of Oklahoma, in support of Littlefield bill, which provides that liquor in interstate transit which is billed to a point in local option or prohibition territory shall become scizable by state authorities at the state line. A delegation of members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was in attendance ships.

WASHINGTON BY TELEGRAPH

To Amend Sherman Law. Representative Hughes, of New ersey, introduced an amendment to the Sherman anti-trust act, which is by the Supreme Court of the United

States in a recent decision. The amendment is as follows: washington, D. C. (Special).—The formal reception of Baron Takahira, as ambassador of Japan to the United States, took place at the White House at 2.45 Thursday afternoon. The Ambassador was brought to the ticulture or agriculture made with agriculture or horticulture products. Mr. Hughes proposes to press his amendment before the Judiciary ommittee.

Presidential Nominations The President sent to the Senate the nomination of Charles P. Grand-

W. L. Day, the son of Associate was no possibility of war with Japan, Justice Day, of the Supreme Court of the United States, was nominated said, convinced him that the war to be United States Attorney for the northern district of Ohio. Mr. Day has just begun his second term as "Within recent years." city solicitor of Canton, Ohio.

To Reimburse Southern Pacific. President Roosevelt considered with Chairman Miller, of the House Committee on Claims, the question of reimbursing the Southern Pacific Railroad Company to the extent of \$1,600,000, the amount expended in repairing the break in the Colorado River. Hearings regarding the claim are to be begun by the committee. The money was spent by the railroad

Pure Oil And Paint Bill. Mr. Marshall, of North Dakota, inroduced a bill to prevent the manu-acture, sale or transportation of vinced me that there is not the slightfacture. adulterated or unlabeled turpentine, est danger of war. Jingoes in Japan paint or linseed oil.

More Money For Indians. The Indian Appropriation bill, which was reported to the Senate, carries \$9,825,820, an increase of

New Embassy In Paris. Senator Bacon introduced an amendment to the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill provid-ing for the purchase and repair of a building for an Embassy in Paris at a cost not exceeding \$400,000.

Some Interesting Happenings Briefly Told.

the House.

At the George Washington University convocation Senator Burkett read a paper vigorously opposing government ownership of railroads.

Resolutions of regret over the death of Crosby S. Noyes were adopted by various organizations of the District of Columbia. The Wabash Railroad Company, in

get enough operatives to enable it to comply with the nine-hour law.

also in the clerical force. Resolutions for the impeachment ed to the American Institute of Min-ing Engineers in a paper read before States Court for China, were referred of the United

A special Senate committee was of the technologic branch of the Geo-logical Survey of the United States. establishment of a postal savings of inquiry has been appointed to in-Senator Asbury C. Latimer, of

dence Hospital following a serious neiro, and arrived here four days ago poison.

ids. men killed over the number that met Weights and Measures agreed to reterritories in 1906. These figures do restoration to gold and silver coins not include Pennsylvania, where 950 of the national motto "In God We

A petition for the impeachment of ambassador, arrived at New York, last December.

A petition for the impeachment of and declared that war between the "From information at present at Judge L. R. Wilfley, of the United United States and Japan would be hand," Mr. Holmes said, "it seems States Circuit Court at Shanghai, the most inhuman event in the his-probable that an increase of 25 per China, was introduced in the House Representative Waldo, of New President Roosevelt asked the In

into consideration the four disasters terstate Commerce Commission to in-

ported keep up the present ratio of The American group of the Inter-increase in deaths the total number national Parliamentary Union select-

by applicants for work. Dr. Rucker stated that 8,235 rats were caught in

Representatives of the various railroads made arguments before the House committee against the Employer's Liability Bill. Senator Knox introduced a

for the establishment of postal sav-ings banks as planned by Postmaster General Meyer Senater Johnson made an argu ment in layor of keeping bank re- tions from the empire, serves in the vaults instead of in re- "But she will never

the bill classifying the consular serv A bill to remove the internal reve nue tax on unstemmed tobacco was favorably reported to the House.

Senator Stone discussed the finan cial bill in the Senate, declaring hanknotes. The Senate confirmed the nomi nation of Merrit O. Chance, of Illi-

as auditor for the Postoffice Admirals Converse and Capp will appear before the Senate committee which will consider the charges of defective construction in our war-

SECRETARY TAFT SAYS WAR IS IMPOSSIBLE

What Under Heaven is There to Fight Battle For Life By Survivors of the About? He Asks.

HE RIDICULES THE YELLOW PERIL.

Secretary Declares United States Would Be the Last Power With

a two-day visit to New Hampshire The men in the boat were; and Massachusetts and left Lowell at 6.45 for Boston, where he boarded the Federal Express at 8 o'clock for Washington. The Secretary deliv-Washington. The Secretary delivered two addresses. The first in Nashua was devoted to the work of the government in the Philippines and the progress being made on the Panama Canal. The second was to the members of the Lowell Board of Trade. He spoke about 25 minutes here, and, in the course of his remarks, referred to the relations be-tween Japan and the United States. He said that, in his opinion, there was no possibility of war with Japan.

"Within recent years the United States has advanced to the position of one of the world's powers, al-though this advancement has been the result, in part, of a war which was practically thrust upon us as a

The possession of the Philippines and Porto Rico wields a far greater influence among the world's nations than we at home suppose. There is a great deal in the influence of that which affects the eye. The visit of 16 battleships to the Pacific will have an excellent effect for peace rather than for war.

"We are not going about the world with a chip on our shoulders. are not hunting war. That is the last thing that this country wants.

"As between Japan and the United and in America are largely respon sible for the war rumors that are in circulation. We are the last government in the world with which Japan would seek war. Our historical relations and our trade relations have made Japan a very friendly nation.
What under heaven do we want to
fight Japan for? Should we go to
war with Japan, I look to the future
with alarm, because we would find it necessary to expend a vast amount of capital and become a war-like nation. And such a condition is bad for any country. Reports of war with Japan should be stamped upon at every opportunity, and that is

what I am trying to do.
"I apprehend no danger from the civilization of China, as some people profess. The argument has been The Indian Appropriation Bill, which was reported to the Senate, with us, we will be wiped out comparties \$9,825,820, an increase of \$1,610,123 over the bill as passed by will represent for United States.'

TRAGEDY ON A COLLIER.

George Dixon Kills Walter Weichert, The Chief Officer.

San Juan, Porto Rico (By Cable). George Dixon, a carpenter on the American collier Abarenda, killed a petition to the Interstate Com-merce Commission, declares it cannot Walter Weichert, Chief officer of the collier. The crime was committed on board the vessel. Dixon swung at Reductions in force are being severed his head. The attack was made by the Isthmian Canal Commade just as Welchert was walking made just as Welchert was walking banch. away from the carpenter where he had been talking Dixon. Weichert recently had Dixon placed in irons on account of dis-obedience of orders, and this probably was the motive for the crime. Dixon at once reported the murder, and asked the second officer to

The Abarenda accompanied the fleet of American battleships to Rio Jafrom that port.

SLAIN BY "CAR ROBBERS."

Southern Railway Special Agent Kills Two Of Them First. Birmingham, Ala. (Special) .-

Special Agent J. H. Crawford, of the Lead. Southern Railway, was shot and his body was placed on the tracks, where it was run over by an incoming train, The murder was committed 'car robbers," two of whom w whom were subsequently found dead, presuma-bly shot by Crawford, as two chambers in Crawford's revolver were

empty when it was found. The dead men are negroes and a third one is under arrest.

Cleaning San Francisco. San Francisco (Special). - With the announcement that several hunthe announcement that several hun-dred men in addition to the present the Illinois Central controversy stimforce would be employed in the sani-tary campaign in San Francisco, the erally favorable effect upon share

traps last week by the sanitary forces besides the large, but unknown, num-Lauds 'America's Integrity.

San Francisco (Special).—At a meeting in the Young Men's Christian Association headquarters Rev Ng Poon Chew, editor of the "Chinese World," told his audience the Christian Association headquarters Rev Ng Poon Chew, editor of the "Chinese World," told his audience the Christian Association headquarters Rev Ng Poon Chew, editor of the "Chinese Western refunding 4s. ber killed by poison.

cae World," told his audience that China was raising an army of 1,000. 000 men to drive the European naserves in the vaults instead of in reserve banks.

The Senate Committee on Foreign Relations voted to report favorably learned recently, is that the United States is the only nation on earth with a conscience."

Fears For A Bark. Savannah, Ga. (Special). - The

bark Baltimore, Capt. Noah David-son, salled from Cape Henry for Sa-vannah in January 22. She has not since been reported, and it is feared she has been lost at sea. Besides the captain there were eight men aboard. The Baltimore salled from Baltimore with a cargo of coal on December 31 for Savannah. She met a storm and was forced to seek shelter in Hampton Roads. She put to see again on January 22. Eight days should have sufficed for the voyage to Savannah.

WERE FOUR DAYS

WITHOUT WATER

Ship Emily Reed.

Neah Bay, Wash. (Special) .- The crew of the little six-ton sloop Teckla, lying at anchor here, was startled by a feeble hail from a steel life-Would Be the Last Power With Which Japan Would Seek a Conflict, and That War Is the Last Thing the United States Desire.

Lowell, Mass. (Special).—Secretary of War William H. Taft finished a two-day visit to New Hampshire.

The near in the boat were the forms of four men, three living and one dead, survivors of the American ship Emily Reed, wrecked off the mouth of Nehalem River, on the coast of Oregon, 200 miles from Neah Bay.

First Mate Fred Zube. Seaman Ewald Abildsted. Seaman Arthur Jahunke.

Ship's cook, name unknown. The dead man was the ship's cook. The three living survivors were in a pluful condition. Their tongues were swollen from thirst so that at first they could scarcely articulate They had had no food since Sunday night, nor any water since they left the wreck of the Reed, Friday morn-Mr. Zube said:

"Almost the instant the Reed struck the beach she began to break up. In a twinkling one of the life-boats was smashed by a big wave and the decks were so deep in the boiling water that there was no chance to get aft, where Captain Kersel and his wife, with some of the other members of the crew, were stationed. We jumped into the restationed. We jumped into the re-maining lifeboat and cut the lash-ings. Before we had completed the job a big sea broke over the wreck and carried us clear of the decks. "A strong current swept us toward the stern of the wreck, where we could see Captain Kersel and the rest of the ship's company clinging to the roof of the aft house. We yelled to them to throw us a line as we went

under the stern, and someone threw one, but it fell short of our boat. "My arm had been broken when the wreckage from the galley dropped onto us, and there was only one good oar, as the other had been broken and the spare oars washed away. We did our best to get back to the wreck, but the set of the undertow carried us away.

tried to head for Tillamook last night, but we had no compass to steer by. When morning broke I found we were standing far out to I thought it best to keep boat well out, hoping to fall into the path of steamships. With this hope I set the course northward along the coast. "The second night out we

lights, but it too dark to venture in. There was neither food nor water, and we suffered terribly from thirst during Saturday. Toward evening the cook declared he could stand it no longer and took a drink of sea water. He soon became delirious. "At about 2 o'clock Sunday morning we saw a big steamer. stopped near us and we all believed we would be saved. But the vessel

got under way again and left us. The cook gave up the fight then. He laid down in the water and in a few minutes he was dead.
"About 7 o'clock Sunday morning we made out for Tattoosh Island. We were all too tired to manage the boat very well, but along toward Sunday afternoon I got her headed

back toward Neah Bay, "Sunday seemed the worst day we were out. We kept seeing all sorts of vessels passing back and forth but none of them would answer our hails. We were generally too far off to be

made out plainly, I guess." CATCH 8235 RATS.

Sanitary Campaigners In 'Frisco Make War On Rodents.

San Francisco (Special) .- With with the announcement that several hundred men, in addition to the present force, would be employed in the sanitary campaign in San Francisco, the headquarters of the United States Marine Hospital Corps was beseiged

by applicants for work. Dr. Rucker stated that 8255 rats were caught in traps last week by the sanitary forces, besides the large but unknown number killed

Tuesday, the first in over a month.

FINANCIAL

Regular dividends on National New York banks apparently gained during the week \$5,700,000 cash.

A Pittsburg despatch says seven tinplate and sheet mills of the United States Steel will start up March Pennsylvania Rallroad coal and oke shipments, according to weekly

official reports, are steadily increas-

Salaries of Seaboard Air Line officials which exceed \$5,000 have been cut 10 per cent, and salaries of from \$3,000 to \$5,000 have been cut 8 per cent.

According to the American Railroad Association figures on February 5, the total number of idle cars on

railroad lines of the United States and Canada was 343,217, against 342,580 on January 22.

& Western refunding 4s.
Net earnings of the Washington.
Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway
in 1997 increased \$23,633, which is close to 19 per cent. gain over 1506. Wilkes-Barre Gas & Electric, which, like the other company, is controlled by Graham & Co., bankers, of Philadelphia, gained \$29,415, in net earnngs in 1907, or a little over 20 per

That Northern Central is conservatively managed is shown by Presiden McCrea's remarks in his annual state McCrea's remarks in his annual statement: "After payment of interest, taxes, the fixed rentals of leased roads and advances to lines in your system, there was a net income of \$2.624.192, out of which was paid the regular dividend of 8 per cent, and after deducting \$59.381 on secount of the principal of car trusts, there remained a balance of \$1.027, 56." A company that carns 14 per cent on its stock and gives the share-holders 8 and spends the balance on preperty. Is in a position to with-tand almost any kind of depression

COMMERCIAL, COLUMN.

Weekly Review of Trade and Latest Market Reports.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says:

Industrial plants stendily decrease the percentage of idle machinery, especially in the steel business, which increases the size of pay-rolls, and By raising the purchasing power of the wage-earner improves retail trade. Thus far progress is slow in wholesale and jobbing departments, but as retail stocks are depleted. but as retail stocks are depleted, there is more disposition to place orders for spring goods. Reports are still irregular, some sections of the country recovering much more rapidly than others, and a few interior cities record business even better than at this time last year.

Textile fabrics are not materially changed, either in point of demand or rate of production. Prices are practically unchanged, some produers claiming that quotations are now down to the cost of production, while others hold that concessions will not stimulate trade in the present attitude of buyers. In woolen goods there is a little better inquiry, wholesale clothiers exhibiting more interest, especially in staple lines. it is still evident that much uncerlainty exists as to the class of goods that will be most popular, and bus-iness is largely confined to sample

Hides pursue the usual downward tourse, as receipts show the seasonthie deterioration in quality. February and the late January saltings anding scarcely any buyers.

Wholesale Markets, Baltimore.—Flour—Dull and easer; winter extra, 3.85@4.05; winter clear, 4.05@4.20; winter straight, 1.30@4.45; winter patent, 4.60@ 4.75; spring clear, 4.35@4.65; spring straight, 4.95@5.25; spring patent, 5.30@5.60; receipts, 7.214 barrels; exports, 22.470 barrels.

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Wheat — Easier; spot, contract, 93½@93%; spot, No. 2 red Western, 95@95%; February, 93½@93%; March, 94½@94%; May, 97; steamer, No. 2 red, 89½@89%; receipts, 15,142 busheis; Southern,

ceelpts, 15,142 bushels; Southern, on grade, 89 ½ @ 93 ½.
Corn—Quiet; spot, mixed, 60 @ 60 ½; No. 2 white, 60 @ 60 ½; February, 60 @ 60 ½; March, 60 % @ 60 ½; April, 62 @ 62 ½; May, 63 @ 63 ½; steamer mixed, 56 @ 56 ½; receipts, 195,712 bushels; exports, 112,428 bushels; Southern white corn, 56@60; Southern yellow corn, Oats-Firm; No. 2 white, 56@ 571/2; No. 3 white, 531/2 @ 57; No.

bushels. Rye—Firm; No. 2 Western export, 88@89; No. 2 Western domese, 89@90; receipts, 3,753 bushels. Butter — Firm; fancy imitation, 24@25; fancy creamery, 36; fancy adle, 22@23; store packed, 17@

2 mixed, 54@541/2; receipts, 3,020

Eggs-Steady; 22@23. Cheese—Quiet, unchanged; large, 14%; flats, 14%; small, 15. New York. - Wheat - Receipts 57,000 bushels; exports, 104,886 bushels. Spot weak; No. 2 red, 98% elevator; No. 2 red, 99% f. o.

98% elevator; No. 2 red, 99% f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 1.12% f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 hard winter, 1.67% f. o. b., afloat.

Corn—Receipts, 122,556 bushels; exports, 119,055 bushels. Spot, easy; No. 2, 68 elevator and 61% f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 white, 62; No. 2 yellow, 62 f. o. b., afloat.

Oats—Receipts, 27,000 bushels; exports, 5,748 bushels. Spot, steady; mixed, 26 to 32 pounds, 573%; na.

mixed, 26 to 32 pounds, 57 1/2; namixed, 26 to 32 pounds, 57½; natural white, 26 to 32 pounds, 57½ @ 60½; clipped white, 32 to 40 pounds, 59½ @ 66.

Poultry — Alive, firm; Western chickens, 12; fowls, 14½; turkeys, 14½. Dressed, firm; Western chick-10@17: turkeys, 10@17;

fowls, 10@13%.

Butter—Steady and unchanged; receipts, 7.501. -Firm and unchanged; re ceipts, 1,029. Eggs — Easy; receipts, 12,565; Western and Southern firsts, 22.

Philadelphia.—Butter firm; tra Western creamery, 35c.; do., nearby prints, 37. Eggs weak and 1c. lower; Pennsylvania and other nearby firsts, free cases, 24c. at mark; do., current receipts, in returnable cases, 23, at mark; Western choice, free

cases, 24, at mark; do., fair to good, free cases, 21@23, at mark.

Cheese firm; New York, full creams, choice, 15%@16c.; do., fair to good, 14@15½. Live poultry steady; fowls, 13 1/2 @ 14 1/2 c.; old roosters, 10; chickens, 10 1/4 @ 14; ducks, 14 @ 15; geese, 12 @ 14. New York .- Beeves Receipts, 1,-

495; no trading; feeling steady,

Calves — Receipts, 357; feeling steady; common to choice yeal, 5.00 to 9.75 per 100 lbs.; barnyard calves, 3.50. Sheep and Lambs Receipts, 9,-

Live Stock

Chicago, Ill.—Cattle—Receipts estimated about 6,000; market steady;

139; sheep, nominal; lambs, quiet and steady; ordinary to prime lambs sold at 7.50@7.75 per 100 lbs.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,844; feeling about steady, at 5.00 per 100 lbs.

steers, 4.25 @ 6.16; cows, 3.00 @ 6.75; helfers, 2.50 @ 5.25; bulls, 8.25 @ 4.50; calves, 3.00 @ 7.00; stockers and feeders, 2.60@4.75. Hogs-Receipts estimated about 3,600; market 5c. lower; choice neavy shipping, 4.40@4.45; butchers, 4.40@4.45; light mixed, 4.30@

4.35; choice light, 4.35 @ 4.40; packing, 4.00 @ 4.40; pigs, 3.50 @ 4.30; bulk of sales, 4.35 @ 4.40. Sheep-Receipts estimated about 12,000; market steady; sheep, 4.25 @ 5.40; lambs, 6.00@ 5.90; yearlings, 6.00@6.30.

In 1769 a body of volunteers, consisting entirely of Jews, was formed in Charleston, S. C., and fought under General Moultrie.

By experiments recently made at the Institute of Technology one ton the Institute of Technology one ton the Institute of Technology one ton of peat taken from a bog within 20 miles of Boston produced 100,000 feet of gas, 15 gallons of tar and 5 gallons of paraffin, and it is claimed from the 6 per cent. of ash innumerable by-products could be obtained.—Boston Globe.

Vera Cruz has a resident popula-tion of 30,000, and is the chief port of entry of the Mexican republic, it has a good harbor, well protected, with a minimum depth of 33 feet of water throughout, and flanked by by fine stone docks.