Warehouse is Destroyed

Union Stock Yards Threatened by Fire-Originated in Nelson, Morris and Co.'s Plant and Fanned by High Wind Spread Rapidly to Adjoining Buildings.

Chicago, Dec. 22.-Twenty-five firemen are supposed to be dead and Fire tion is to come, the authorities Chief Moran and Fire Marshalls Bur- charged to enact it be vasted with tain prospect that a dozen more deaths roughs and Lacy are missing in a full power to enforce it. fire which early this morning destroywere stringing hose when the wall hoped to be delivered.

control again increased in fury and a sort of callroad securities the public neath them. They were caught under call for ten additional engines was 'meght. In 25 years' experience be the red hot crumbling debris. Unable flames were not soon subdued the which rates had been changed to the doomed structure, the firemen bodies of the dead buried in the ruins ends. He doubted if there were a climbed to roofs of three small dwellwould be consumed. Lieutenant Ryan dozen traffic men in the country who issued a statement that both Horan sew the capitalization of the continue accident occurred. The men or and Burroughs had perlahed with lanies the, represented. more than 30 fremen. Marshall Lacy. was later located.

With the call for extra assistance the fire swept by a high southeast wind spread to the great four story tallow bouse adjoining the beef house GREENSROREAN WATERED HER and threatened to destroy the entire plant. Late this afternoon the firemen were making a desperate effort to prevent the fire from spreading to other nearby plants. The entire untim stock yard is in danger. All of the fire fighting apparatus in the city care for them like she would a baby. is on the scene.

TREMENDOUS WORK.

of Christmas giving and sending of held water, and taking it she poured Durham postoffice, and then see the noticed what it was. inxes their strength to carry the her Christmas as yet, packages and mail matter. The endaily rush to meet the demands of a IN THE CARCASS OF A MULE prompt delivery, and serve the publie to the best of their ability. Ye good people, remember that the car- BART BROWN SEWED UP INSIDE prisoned two days in the upper part riers and clerks are human beings, not pack horses, and have patience if every package and letter is not delivered according to your ideas. about this time.

Rev. Trott to Preach.

services at the county home Sunday much moonshine whiskey, were morning at 11 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Basketball Team Cone to Charlotte. Those who left were: Hedrick, Paul Kiker, J. E. Brinn, C. E. Brinn, Edwin Jones, L. A. Pur-Manager C. H. West, and Director Charlotte for their homes and spend with strings. their Christmas there, will return

ELRS HAVE NOT CLOSED DEAL

the W. J. Christian property on the frightened. corner of Chapel Hill and Orange Brown is now on the water wagon. streets, has not been taken up yet but awears vengeance. He compared by the lodge, although it is expected his experience with Jonah's but said that a site for the new building will the sailing was not quite as fast. he definitely decided upon within the next few days.

Gets License to Wed.

today issued a marriage license to now keeping house and are in all of brother, Mr. Charles Cash. The wed-Mr. Horace Bibb, of Charlottesville, the pleasureable delights of hiring ding music was a distinct feature, R. O. Seoggin. The young man, when make housekeeping a busy task march, "Oh Promise Me" and "Just public is cordially invited to attend. seen, was unable to give the exact these days. They are residing in Because I Love You", having place on time the ceremony would be perform- the bouse on the Parrish place, the program. After the ceremony the before Christmas.

Small Fire This Afternoon.

slightly damaged by fire this afternoon, the flames being extinguished before much of the house was burn-The house was occupied by a

at Commerce Hearing

New York, Dec. 22.-Robert S. Lovett, successor to Edward H. Harriman as president of the Southern Pacific and the Union Pacific railroads, told the railroad securities commission yesterday that he was heartily in favor of federal supervision of rates, both intra-state and interstate, but that personally he questioned the wisdom of or the necessity for federal laws to govern the issue of railroad securities. As a railroad executive he did not oppose government regulation of stock issues, but did insist that if regula-

The present status of the rail- destroyed D. Friedlander's factory cargest in the southern states. roads, pricked on all sides by a presented early this morning a traged the large meat warehouse of Nel- thicket of conflicting state laws, was son. Morris and company in the stock bad, he said, but a further conflict edy such as the city has seldom seen yard district. Under one of the walls of state laws and the federal laws, Most of the dead are policemen, and of the building, a force of 25 firemen was a probability from which he fireman, who gave their lives in an ef-

fell, and all were killed. A later ex- Rates and capitalization, their replanation is that it is probable that lation to each other, and the relation the death of the firemen was due to of the public to both of them were ed about the fire plugs made the fight the explosion of a tank of ammonia, the glat of Judge Lovett's testimony, thus rendering all helpless from its He did not see that rates had anyfumes and preventing them from es- thing to do with dividends in actual The walls collapsed at 2:45 this practice, or that the government morning, when it is believed 30 policeshould have any concern for what men and firemen were working besent out. It was feared that if the had not met with an instance in to fight the flames from the roof of

FLOWERS WITH SWEET MILK.

A woman will work forever over her flowers. When cold weather comes she will watch over them and

Joe Reece tells it in the Record that yesterday morning a woman, hitherto RUSH AT THE POSTOFFICE habits, sent a servant after a half galhabits, sent a servant after a half galured it and set it on a shelf in the ack porch, the porch being inclosed THE EMPLOYES HARD PUT WITH with glass. In a minute or two the the Anhui Province of China, affect- will sell for one cent each. woman came out, concluded to water ing two and a half million persons. ner Howers, which If any one wishes to see the effects seeing a pitcher handy, concluded it missionary from North Anhui, said: gifts they have only to peep into the half of it on her flowers before she thousands banded together, robbing

carriers as they go out on their Then she abused the servant for for weeks scarcely a night passed rounds. They are loaded down like placing the milk where she found it, without many murders. the pictures of Santa Claus, and it And yet she says she is not feeling

BY DRUNKEN COMPANIONS.

Young Harris, Ga., Dec. 22 .- Bart Uncle Sam's postoffice employes are Brown, of Gumlon, this county, has mighty hardworked folks along just emerged from the unusual experience of sleeping hours while sewed up on the inside of a mule's carcass. Yesterday Brown and other Rev. Thomas Trott will conduct bibulous companions, after imbibling MISS NAOMI CASH NOW WIFE wending wobbly ways homeward down the country road. The "going" was too heavy for Brown and he collapsed by the roadside near the ing at 10:30 o'clock of a pretty wed-The Trinity basketball team left carcass of "old hump back" who has ding when Miss Naomi Cash became this morning for Charlotte, where to- been carrying the mail to and from the bride of Mr. A. J. Honeycutt, Rev. night and tomorrow night they will Brasstown for lo, these many years, play the Charlotte Y. M. C. A. team. but who left the government service Captain several hours before Brown and his event and the marrflage was witnesscompanions came along.

The practical jokers, seeing Brown year, V. E. Moore, B. H. Houston, helpless, hastily transformed the ded couple. Miss Mamie Cash was mule into a lower borth and stowed maid of honor and Mr. Owen Honey-W. W. Card. These who do not have Brown away, stitching up the hide cutt was best man, the first being a troi of said uncle until his majority."

The sleeping man finally awoke and began yelling. After several pedestrains had been badly fright-FOR NEW BUILDING SITE YET ened two men came up and hearing shricks, cut the stitches and let The option which the Elks held on Brown out, cold sober and badly

Keeping House Now.

of the Public Hardware company, of Jones. Register of Deeds M. G. Markham this city, and his charming wife, are Va., and Miss Lein, daughter of Mr. servants and other incidents that Schubert's serenade, Mendelssohn's 11 o'clock Sunday morning, and the ed, although he felt sure it would be formerly occupied by Judge J. Craw-couple took the train for points east, ford Biggs. Their friends wish They will live in Granville. them a good, old-fashioned Christmas in their new quarters.

number of adjoining buildings today, embarked at Naples for Tripon as a Calais some time later and headed The remains will be taken to Knap He was an uncle of Recorder Sykes, presents are unpurchased, and guests had narrow escapes.

OF CHICAGO FIRE TO BAILROADS IN FACTORY FIRE TRAINING SCHOOL TO THE PARENTS A SPEEDY TRIAL MUSIC

Twenty Five Firemen Dead When Unnecessary Says Judge Lovett Firemen and Policemen Caught Judge Priichard and Ex-Gover- Dr. Mann Will Vaccinate Pupils Under Falling Wall

Twenty Bodies Have Been Bemoved and the Death List May Reach 30. Result of Injuries While Fight-

> ing Serious Fire in Philadelphia.

ies removed and with an almost cerfort to fight the flames. The freezing wind and the ice which was pack most difficult. Several firemen were overcome and rushed to hospitals. ings adjoining, where they were when the houses saw the danger first and yelled a warning to comrades on ladders but so sudden was the collapse of the wall that not one of them was able to escape the fall of bricks and twisted beam girders. With a terrific

carrying death and injury its way.

roar the five story mass crumbled,

WHICH CAUSED FAMINE.

Victoria, B. C. Dec. 22.-News was brought by the steamship Aymeric yesterday of floods that have caused loss of life and of a severe famine in were there, and | Rev. E. C. Lobenstein, a returning

"So desperate were the people that any one who had food supplies, and

"The floods caused great loss of life. The rapid rise of wate: swept away scores of villages; thousands of persons being drowned. A railroad engineer reported that one of the bridges near there had been choked up with bodies and he had been imof a temple before being rescued by a boatman.

"The situation during the winter will be terriifo-far worse than during the famine three years ago. The of thousands, and relief committees should be organized at once."

OF MR. A. J. HONEYCUTT.

The Tallyho church in Granville county was the scene yesterday morn-J. L. Martin officiating.

The church was decorated for the ed by a large circle of friends, Seldom does a larger aprty attend a wedsister of the bride and the second brother of the groom. Other attend-Ants were Miss Cornella Bowling and Mr. Eddie Washington, Miss Maggie Hester and Mr. James Dean, Miss Werta Cash and Mr. Walter Benbow Miss Willie Lee Washington and Mr Bernard Bragg. Miss Mary Wrenn and Mr. Engene Mangum, Miss Jessie Phipps and Mr. Boat Currin, Miss Ola Cash and Mr. Engene Whitaker, Miss Christine Carden and Mr. Graham Thempson, Miss Annie Crews and Mr.

The bride was given away by her

Italian Corps Goes to Tripoli, Turkey and Italy.

nor Gleun Make Trip

Judge Jeter C. Pritchard and ex-Governor R. B. Glenn will leave next menth to visit a number of northern cities in the interest of the National Religious Training School and Chaauqua, located in Durham. A meeting of the trustees of this institution has been called for on January F. which will be preliminary to the tour of the above two gentlemen. President Dr. Shepard will accompany Judge Pritchard on this trip.

The work that is being done at this chool will be fully presented when Philadelphia, Dec. 22.-With 20 bcd- this trip is made and an effort will be put forward to have one of the largest endowment foundations in the count- of the Durham public schools, has which gave Sheriff Wheeler the tip. will be added to the list, the fire which Religious Training School one of the

DURHAM COMMETTEE ASK PEO-PLE TO BUY STAMPS FOR CAUSE.

Keep in mind the Red Cross Stamps, and don't fail to use them on your letters and packages during the holidays. The Public Health commit- have not been successfully vaccitee of the Durham Civic association nated within the past three years. is sending out to our citizens the subjoined letter and it is an appeal that every one should take well to heart tife depended upon it. Read and heed: hope that you may give the matter Dear Friend:

We are writing to ask your co-operation in the sale of the Red Cross seals. It is our desire to collect \$500 seals. This will mean \$437.50 for our local work.

When we stop to consider the financial loss from tuberculosis in any in the city. community of 25,000 people, \$437.50 is

RESULT OF RECENT FLOODS unity between now and the New Year to speak to any audience that opportunity permits. Our success will depend on creating a desire on the part of the public to help.

The seals will be on sale in all of the principle stores of the city and

Yours very respectfully. JOHN M. MANNING, Ch'm. T. A. MANN Secretary.

WAS CONVICTED AT AUG. TERM OF LARCENY OF COW.

ally, the reasons for pardon being:

an uncle in Arkansas who would take course in the matter. him, employ him on a farm and under-Both the judge and the solicitor rein prison. I therefore pardon prisoner drens' welfare. on condition that he remain of good behavior and on the further condition that he go forthwith to his uncle, H. Baldwin, Hickory Ridge, Ark., and there submit to the service and con-

WILL DELIVER CHRISTMAS SER-MON SUNDAY MORNING.

Dr. W. R. L. Smith, who delivered pastor of a leading Baptist church in Richmond and is one of the strongest ministers in this section. He will preach in the First Baptist church at

TRYING TO MAKE A NEW

Dover, Eng., Dec. 22.-In an for the past ten days.

Free of Charge

Superintendent Carmichael, of Durham Public Schools, Sends Letter to Parents of All Sudents Stating That Vaccination Must Be Given Immediate Attention.

to vaccination, in which it is an-nounced that Dr .T. A. Mann will destroyed the house. He further said that he had known cial pride as this is the final concert. THE GREAT WHITE PLAGUE nounced that Dr .T. A. Mann will He further said that he had known cial pride as this Nathan Montague for years and that of the fall term. the public schols of Durham who he had a good reputation as a negro will cal atl his office. The letter in the past,

as a personal matter, as if your own action, and we wish to express the your immediate attention.

The board of health of the city WIRELESS WORKER recommends that we put into operathis season from the sale of these tion our vaccination rule, passed or March 20th, 1904, which has not R. M. JONES HOME FOR CHRISTbeen in operation since September, 1908, because we had no smallpox

After considering the matter thorevery pupil will be required to fur- in a contest. nish a certificate, stating that he or she has been successfully vaccinated within the past three years, or has

any pupil of the school who will call at his office. He will also give certificates free of charge to all who

have already been vaccinated. While certificates will not be re quired until January 4, we shall be a report to the New York office twice day from now until the close of the school for the holidays.

This acion has been taken by the Raleigh, Dec. 22.-Governor Kitchin school authorities on the advice of yesterday granted five pardons, among the physicians of the city, the board which was that of Beeman Pickard, of health of the city, and of the state, be could have easily worked 2,500 Wilkinson, of Durham county, convicted at Aug- and the leading physicians of this miles had the steamer gone that of Durham county, convicted at Aug- and the leading physicians of this ust term, 1910, for the crime of lar- country. The schools of all the leadceny, and sentenced to 12 months in ing cities have such a vaccipation the state prison. Pardoned condition- rule. We feel that under all the circumstances our responsibility for "At the trial of this boy, who is 18 the welfare of all the children canyears old, it was stated that he had not be discharged by any other

take his reform. The court intimated the schools will appreciate this posithat if that could be assured he would tion, and will cooperate with us in not pronounce sentence. Positive as- our efforts to deal wisely with all surance could not then be given. Since the problems of the training and dethen his kinspeople in Arkansas have velopment of all the children of our written offering to take him and try city. The superintendent will be to make a good citizen out of him, giad to see at his office at any time Mauretania Makes any patron of the school who wishes commend a conditional pardon. He to confer with him about this, or any has served three and a half months other matter pertaining to the chil With best wishes, I am,

Cordially yours, W. D. CARMICHAEL. Superintendent.

SHOE MERCHANT PASSED AWAY LATE YESTERDAY EVENING.

suffering for some time with tubertwo strong sermons at the First Fap- culosis, and several weeks ago went

the shoe business here. Surviving are three brothers and Christmas time. one sister: Mr. Hugh Wood, of this city; Dr. T. W. Wood and Mr. William Wood, both of Texas, and Miss Milmington, Dec. 22.—C. D. Sykes, Vigorating and bracing. It has made Maggie Wood, of Hickory, who has a Confederate veteran, aged 75 years. liam Wood, both of Texas, and Miss

land the flight record of 173 miles ness man, although he had not been this morning, he was in his usual good the Christmas season would not be a London Dec. 22.—A Naples dis- in an English built aeroplane, flown well for years. He made many health. Mr. Sykes is survived by his success unless there was cold weathpatch today to the Pall Mall Gazette by an Englishman, Cecil Grace as friends in this city who will sym- wife, two brothers, T. P. and A. V.

of Reds tomorrow for burial.

Son of Mr. Lade Saunders Will Conservatory Students Will Give Interview the Governor

Mr. W. B. Saunders, who went to he scene of the terrible tragedy near Hester Tuesday from his home in Wilon, stopped in this city last night on his way to Raleigh to ask Governor Kitchin for a speedy trial for the murderer, Nathan Montague. While here Mr. Saunders in a pathetic manner told of the terrible deed as he heard it from his relatives. He stated that the first person to find a clue as to the guilty party was young Overton,

Superintendent W. D. Carmichael, uncle of the little girl that was killed, he having found the bloody knife.

A quiet funeral was held yesterday The school authorities think it Laden Saunders, his daughter, Miss over the remains of the three, Mr. importance of the immediate vacci- Christine Overton, the interment he- ondo: memorial service will be held some-

Mrs. Saunders, wife of the murder-- The best advice obtainable con- ed father will likely go to Wilson to vinces us that we should take this reside with her son, so that she will be away from the scene where the terrible tragedy occurred.

MAS HOLIDAYS.

Mr. R. M. Jones, former postal Alex Abelhopf. a small amount, but it will be a big help in our efforts to awaken the public to our actual needs. It will enathe Atlantic ocean and Gulf of Mex- Scoggins; secondo: A. Dinwiddie, ble Durham also to re-establish the ly, if they have not been vaccinated the Atlantic ocean and Gulf of Mex-scongins; secondo: A. Dinwiddie, tuberculosis dispensive.

We hope you will take every oppor- apply our vaccination rule on the baying won a vaccination by defeating the Atlantic ocean and Gulf of Mex-scongins; secondo: A. Dinwiddie, within the past three years, and to Mrs. M. I. Jones, of South street. having won a vacation by defeating opening of school after the holidays. Accordingly, on January 4, 1911, Several hundred wireless operators Joeelyn"—Godard—Violin, Miss

The contest was that the operator The city health officer, Dr. T. A. any steamer that sailed out of New Wilson. York for any part of the world. Piano Young Jones worked so near 2,000 la-Mr. W. H. Powers. miles that the United Wireless Telegraph company, of New York, gave linger-Miss Bessie Holt. him the prize.

For five days young Jones sent in Comes"-Sawyer-Gerald Bryant. distance.

Ouella, South America, where he ton-Miss Ethel Wayde. went as wireless inspector on the Prinz Eitel Friederich.

less operator, now business manager Miss Kinne; 'cello, Max Bryant. We feel sure that the patrons of of the United Wireless Telegraph Piano duet-'Oberon'-Webercompany, of New York and London, Leybach-Primo: Misses C. Kearns, and Mr. W. K. Jones, foreman of the B. Riley, M. Jones, B. Holt, J. Har-Chicago, brothers, are also in the secondo: Misses E. Ayers, R. Taycity.

steamer Mauretania which is completing her record breaking trip across the Atlantic and return is expected to reach Fish Guard at 10 o'clock to- is not far distant. The merchants and night. If she gets in by that hour it children a e happiest of all; the chil-will mean a round trip to New York because Santa Claus is coming and in 11 days, 14 hours and seven minu- the merchants because he has already

President Taft as Santa Claus.

Washington, Dec. 22.-President

Veteran Drops Dead.

ENGLISH CHANNEL RECORD been at the bedside of her brother dropped dead yesterday at his farm near Watha, where he had gone to it has been very cold. The thermoeffort to beat across the channel and Mr. Wood was a successful busi- spend the day. When he left home meter this morning registered 20, of Durham.

Recital Tonight

Final Concert of Fall Term Will Be Given at Southern Conservatory of Music This Evening Beginning at 8.30-Excellent Program

Has Been Prepared.

Music lovers of Durham will be given the annual treat by the students of the Southern Conservatory issued the following letter to the The mother of the little girl was at of Music, who will present their midparents of schol children in reference her home not five hundred yards dis-

> The program for tonight's concert s as follows:

Piano quartet-"Lustspiel Overture"-hela Bela-First primo: Misses Herbert, wise to urge upon the parents the Mattie and the little granddaughter, Riley, Cheatham; first piano, sec-Misses Wayde, Powell, White; nation of all school children who ing made in the Hunt graveyard. A Thompson; second piano primo; Misses R. Taylor, Gienn, Messrs. Betts, Hudson; second plano secondo: Misses Ayers, Hamlin, Allen, Beverly Snow.

Violin -- "Historitte" -- Block Jacob Nurkin.

Chorus-"Nazareth"-Gounod. Violin - "Waltz" - Jacoby - Joe Dave.

Piano solo-"Bag Pipe Waltz"-G. W. Bryant. Violin - "Barcarole" - Schill -

Edna Constable. Vocal solo-"Danny Deever"-Damrosch-Edgar M. Howerton. Violin-"Spinning Song"-Frey-

Ethel Wayde; 'cello, Max Bryant. Piano duet-"Over Hill and who worked over 1,000 miles direct Dale"-Engleman-Primos: M. Erwithout a relay would be awarded win, A. Cobb, A. Mahler, J. Smith, been vaccinated within the ten days with a prize, and the one working B. Snow; secondo: E. Erwin, S. preceding the date of the certificate. 2,000 miles would have the pick of Erwin, M. Snider, C. Timberlake, M.

Barcarole

Vocal solo-"The Gardner-Neid-Violin solo-"When

Piano duet-"Les Chasseurs a pleased to have them brought in any a day without a relay, and did the Cheval"-W. A. Smith-Primo: R. same thing coming back to New Barber, L. Newton, E. Merton, S. York. "The distance I worked," said Warren, E. Boddie, G. Palmer, L. young Jones, "was 1,853 miles with-Wilkinson, E. Howerton; seconde: out a relay, from New York city to L. Duke, M. Moore, E. Ross, F. Galveston, Texas." Mr. Jones says Frink, G. Allgood, L. White, K.

Vocal solo-"Song of the Almine"-Delibes-Miss Lola Jenkins. Mr. Jones recently visited Barren Violin solo-"Carita" - Ather-

Chorus-"Calm on the List'ning Ear of Night"-Harker-Baritone Mr. George O. Jones, former wire- solo, Mr. E. M. Howerton; violin,

Illinois Central machine shops, of ris, B. Baxter, M. Womack, L. Riley; lor, G. Williams, E. Green, A. Maan, L. Hunter, L. Jenkins, A. Taylor.

"Merry Christmas to all. Record Breaking Trip ONLY TWO DAYS DISTANT

London, Dec. 22.—The big Cunard DURHAM HAPPY IN ANTICIPATION OF CHRISTMAS. The world is happy for Christmas

Never has such a universal story of good cheer gone up from the store Mr. A. W. Wood, who has been Taft will play Santa Claus as usual Reepers of the Bull City. Business this year in giving away Christmas has surpassed all expectations. The turkeys to all of the married employes shopping has been going on for about the white house and executive weeks. It was thought that it was two strong sermons at the First Fapto Asheville in search of health, died
offices, including the policemen on
being done exceptionally early, and
duty in the white house grounds. It Keeping House Now.

Keeping House Soundary In the weather has been with the weight home cast of this city, aged 56 years.

Mr. Wood came to this city four to the Now.

Keeping House Now. outlay will be in the neighborhood of Christmas day, and as a result the until recently had been engaged in State the heighborhood of streets and the shops have been presidents to distribute turkeys at crowded. For two solid weeks there has been only one morning so disagreeable that shoppers did not want to venture forth. The air has been in-

Hagerstown, Md., Dec. 22.—Fire patch today to the Pall Mall Gazette by an Englishman, Cerl Oracle by an Englishman and C

beavens has made them happy. Today

one great day is not yet at hand.