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Internal Commerce

Londing internal commerce move-, larly heavy in the cases of sheep and ments for the month of January, as hogs

reported by the bureau of statistics of named cities for the month aggregated the department of commerce and labor, 18,299,092 bushels, compared with 21,show that the grain movements for the 541,991 and 32,830,494 bushels received month were slightly larger than a year) at these cities during January of 1907 and that live-stock receipts at and 1906. Of the total given, Boston is credited with 2,032,810 bushels. New York with 7,833,580 bushels, Philadelfron, coal and lumber show a material phia with 3,340,330 bushels, and Baitireduction.

Receipts of live stock at 7 interior more with 5,002,372 bushels, all the markets during January, 4. showing considerably smaller receipts AT INCOMENTS 20,838 head, show a considerable inthan a year ago. crease over the figures for the preceding month, as well as the correspondhowever, being due exclusively to the a quarter of a million bales in excess) cess of January shipments of earlier larger receipts of hogs, the receipts of of the corresponding 1905-5 season fig- years except those during January, other classes of animals being lower ures. Port receipts during the same 1963, when 5,964,950 gross ions were Penn. Labor than a year ago. Of the total receipts period were 6,252,826 bales, compared shipped. The estimated coke producfor the month, cattle constituted 7d1, with 7,318,599 and 5,702,805 bales re- tion at Connellsville, including the lowsa5 head, calves 48,830, hegs 2,998,260, ceived during the 1906-7 and 1905-6 er district, during the first five weeks sheep 691,958, and horses and mules seasons. American spinners' takings of the year, 893,346 net tons, was about 28.955 head.

Grain receipts during January at 14 Interior primary markets, 66,441,132 56 per cent are credited to southern having increased from an average of mshels, were slightly in excess of the mills. Total American stocks at the 1,893 for the first five weeks of 1907 bushels, though below the January, creased receipts as compaced with the ary, 1907, and 1906. ers, for Chicago, Minneapolis, Duluth, Mississippi and Wisconsin valleys for the same period in 1907. grand total stated above.

Shipments of packing house products cess of the unusually low December ports a production of 305,575 gross tons from Chicago during the month, 213,- figures, were almost 100 million feet for January, as compared with 258,412 the convention. 298,123 pounds, while larger than the below the January 1907, shipments, gross tons for December. December, 1907, figures, mark, howev- Coastwise receipts of southern pine at The number of cars handled during corresponding January, 1907, and 1906 January 25, 22,916,790 feet, were con- associations was 2,161,127, against 2,shipments of 229,174,790 pounds and siderably below the corresponding 1907 715,436 in January, 1907, and 2,704,386 257,534,955 pounds, the main decreases and 1906 figures of 31,546,021 and 47,- in January, 1906. While the operations occurring under the heads of fresh and 108,506 feet.

pickled beef, tallow and stearin, while Shipments of redwood lumber from were uniformly smaller than for Janshipments of canned beef, 7,360,200 Upper California during the month ag- uary, 1907, the decrease appears to bounds, were about 1 1-3 million pounds gregated 16,928,635 feet, compared with have been especially heavy in the terin excess of the January, 1907, ship- 33,411,576 feet shipped during January, titory covered by the Pittsburg Carments though less than half of the 1907. Arrivals of pine and fir at Cali- Service Association, which reports the January, 1906, movements. Shipments fornia points likewise show a con- number of cars handled during the of cured meats and hides were also siderable decrease, from 131,614,238 month as 122,130, or 45 per cent below larger than a year ago.

Live-steck receipts at four principal in January, 1908. The arrivals of pine large decrease is reported from Philaand fir st San Francisco Bay during the Idelphia, the Japuary 1908, figures, 12

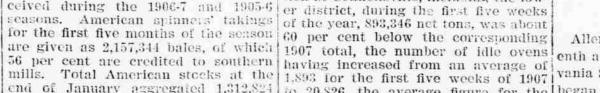
12,515,569 feet. a similar situation. According to the Politics And Politicians Building operations during the month latest bulletin of the committee, the in 47 leading cities likewise show a number of idle cars of all classes, on

During Month of Jan. considerable reduction, the total value 153 reporting roads, was 339,053 on January 22 of the present year, compaign are counting on having the votes of the eight delegates from Vercities being \$16,870,910, against \$30, pared with 3.946 idle cars reported at votes of the eight delegates from Verthe end of October, 1907. As against mant at the national convention. 729,162 during January, 1907. January figures of coal and coke this surplus, a shortage was reported

W. S. U'Ren, the father of the Ore traffic for 7 leading eastern coal-carry- of 90,757 cars under that date while ing roads, 8,554,969 tons, show a 29 the shortages under date of January gon initiative and referendum law. has announced his candidacy for the per cent decrease as compared with 22 totaled only 738 cars. The largest seat of the United States Senator Fullike figures for January, 1907. The ship- number of idle cars for the latter date ments of bituminous coal during the is reported by roads in the eastern ton.

month, 6,864,577 tons, were about 24 and middle states, and over 46 per cent Senator Isaac Stephenson, of Mariper cent below those for January, 1907, of the surplus cars reported from these netto, Col. William C. Brunder, of while the coke shipments, 1,146,688 two sections were of the coal, gondola Milwaukee; Congressman Henry Altons, show a decrease of over 53 per land hopper type-i. e., such as are used len Cooper, of Racine, and Atley Petercent. The anthracite coal traffic over mainly in the transportation of coal, son, of Soldiers Grove, are slated as the Baltimore and Ohio and the Penn- coke, cre and pig iron. The situation the La Follette delegates-at-large from sylvania Railroads, 534,704 tons, being in the central and western sections of Wisconsin to the Republican national cities, with the exception of Baltimore, less subject to the vicissitudes of indus- the country, to judge by the decrease convention. trial demands, shows the relatively in the number of idle cars since Jan-

small decrease of 9 per cent, as com- uary 8, shows a slight improvement, It is reported that Joseph Ralph Bur-Sight receipts of cotton for the five pared with the January, 1997, figures. though for the more industrial sections ton, fromerly United States senator ing 1907 and 1906 deceipts of 3,864,445 months of the season beginning Sep- Total anthracite coal shipments from of the country, including New England, from Kansas, and a life-long republiand 3.886,358 head. All the markets in tember, 8,230,354 bales, were 16 per castern producing territory for the New York and Pennsylvania, there are an, is about to renounce his allegiance question show larger receipts for the cent below the corresponding figures month, 5,613,330 tons, were heavier as yet no signs of increasing activity to the old party and join the democrat month than a year ago, the increase, for the preceding season, though about than during December, 1907, and in ex- in the transportation field.



kee and Omeha. The total grain re- as compared with the shipments for gross tons, show a further decrease els of wheat, 25,321,125 bushels of much below the corresponding January sion set in, the corresponding 1907 and of the initial session, corn, 16,259,225 bushels of cats, 6,458,-11907 and 1906, figures of 108,647,648 1906 figures being 2,205,607 gross tons 789 bushels of barley, and 949,997 (and 117,941,373 feet. The shipments and 2,068,893 gross tons. The only bushels of rye, besides 2,066,696 bush- of yellow pine lumber from 8 southern district which shows an improvement,

reported, in all cases except two, were

feet in January, 1907, to 84,708,107 feet the January, 1907, operations. Another

camp. The report has been strength ned by the fact that Mr. Burton atended the recent Democratic state convention at Hutchinson and was also present for the Bryan banquet at Federation opeka.

No president of the United States

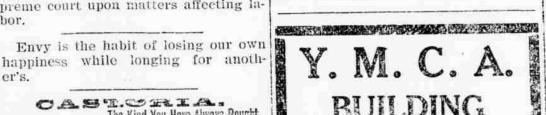
has ever attended the national conven-Allentown, Pa., March 10 .- The sev- tion of his party. Garfield and Bryenth annual convention of the Pennsyl- an were delegates in the convention vania State Federation of Labor, which of their respective parties when nominated for the presidency, and Roose-January, 1907, receipts of 63,877,975 end of January aggregated 1,312,824 to 20,826, the average figure for the began its session in this city today, bales, compared with 1.815,657 bales first five weeks of the present year. is the largest meeting in point of atvelt was a delegate-at-large from New 1506, figure of 70,855,886 bushels. In- and 1,589,024 bales at the end of Janu- The number of cars used in shipping tendance ever held by that organiza-York when he was nominated for vicepresident. Arthur Sewall, Bryan's runthe product during this period was 29,- tion. Delegates representing nearly 1907 figures are reported, among oth- Shipments of pine lumber from the 473, compared with 73,682 reported for all the large labor bodies of the state or at the Chicago convention which ning mate in 1896, was an active work-

faced Fresident E. E. Greenwalt, of nominated him, although not a deleand Kansas City, while smaller arriv- the month are reported as 47,296,924 Production of anthracite and coke Lancaster, when he called the gathgate. als are reported by St Louis, Milwau- feet and mark a slight improvement pig iron during the month, 1,045,525 ering to order. The address of the

president and the annual reports of the | William C. Bradley, the new United ceipts were made up of 17,451,996 bush- the preceding month, though being of operations since the recent depres- other officers were the chief features States senator from Kentucky, was born in that state in 1847 and admitted The address of President Green- to the bar by special act of the legisla walt contained a brief summary of the ture in 1865, being under 21 years of progress made by organized labor in age. In 1870 he was elected prosecut els of flaxseed which did not enter the and southwestern states during the as compared with the December out, Pennsylvania during the past year, as ing attorney, and after having been month, 208,789,682 feet, while in ex- put is the Pittsburg district, which re- well as numerous suggestions and rec- many times delegate to republican naomendations for the consideration of tional conventions he received 100 votes for vice-president in the conc

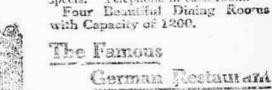
The convention will remain in ses-tion of 1888. His election to the sion three or four days, and many sub- governorship of Kentucky occurred in er, a decrease as compared with the New York during the month ending the month by 36 reporting car-service jects of importance to labor will be 1895, when he broke all records and considered. The advisability of or- turned a registered democratic majoriganized labor taking part in the com- ty, estimated at 40,000 into a repubing political campaign will be discussed. lican plurality of 8,212. In 1896 he was Another matter that will receive atten- indorsed for president by the republi-

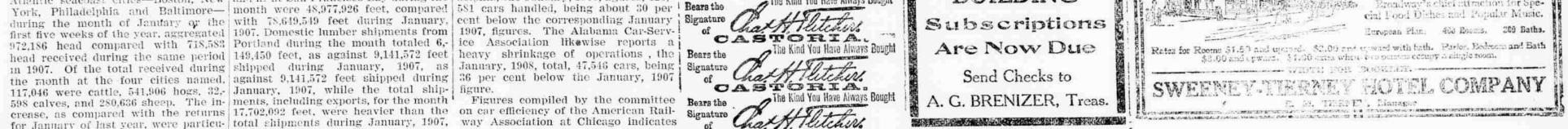
tion is the recent decision of the su- can convention of Kentucky. preme court upon matters affecting la-











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