

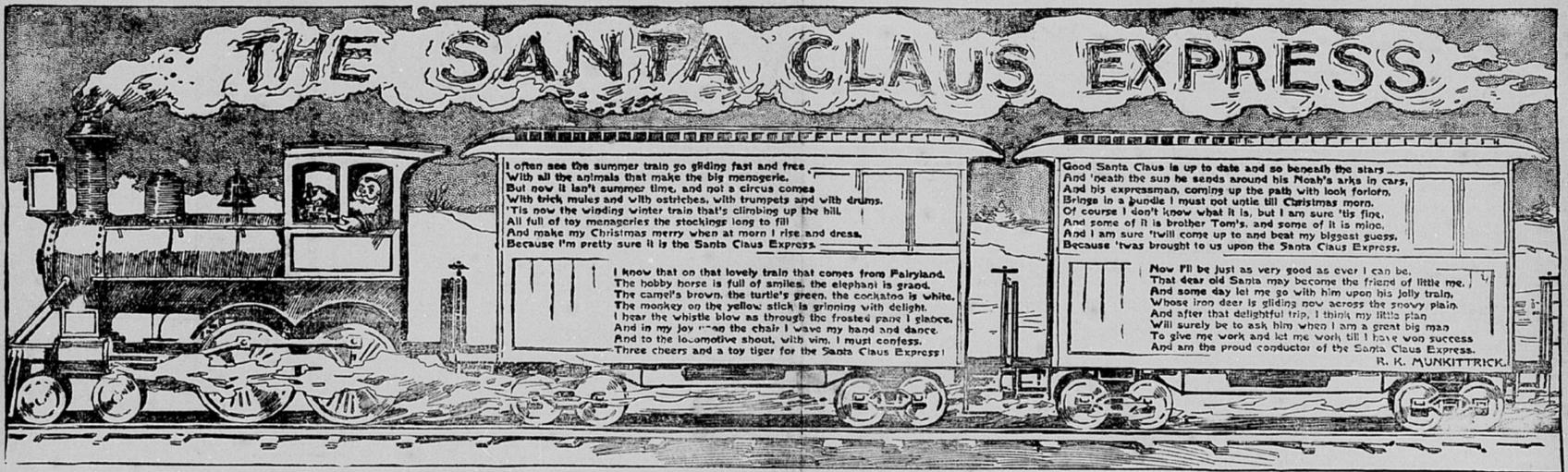
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## For the Little Fellows.

A nice Christmas gift—a Child's suit. Three piece suits for the little folks \$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 \$3.00, and still finer if you want them.

## Boys' Short Pants Suits.

A large variety and all colors. The latest the market produces. Prices range from \$1.00 to \$5.00.

## Boys' Overcoats.

Ulsters and Cape Coats at the Hub at the lowest price.

## Our Hat Department.

We have more than 25 styles of Caps for men, boys and children, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

## Our Pants Department.

The largest stock of mens pants ever seen in Denison. A good pants for 57c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00.

## Our Jewelry Department.

Cuff Buttons, Scarf Pins make a nice Christmas Present. The finest selection can be found at The Hub.

## Underwear.

Underwear at Close Quick prices at The Hub.

The Christmas Express has just arrived at THE HUB. It is loaded with Beautiful and Useful Christmas Gifts at prices which are in themselves a Holiday treat. Don't "blow yourself" for a tin horn when the boy needs something to keep him warm.

## The Hub Has Everything the Man or Boy Needs.

Our stock is of newest, latest and best made goods. Once our customer, always our customer. We sell no shoddy, cheap goods. We are not tramps expecting to "sell" the people and then skip out over night. Look at our prices—they have a regular Christmas Chime to them.



E. C. PETERSEN, Proprietor.

## Men's Suits.

Men's Suits at a figure that will astonish you, strictly all-wool suit, Hub Price **\$4.95.**

## Our Neckwear Department.

Our neckwear surpasses anything ever seen in Crawford county. New Puffs, New Graduated Four-in-Hands, New Tecks, New Bows and other up-to-date styles. Hub Prices 25c and 50c.

## A New Thing.

The Oxford Muffler. They are padded silk on both sides, 59c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25. The old kind 25c, 50c.

## Our Glove Department.

We have purchased the latest line of Gloves and Mittens. Mocha Gloves and Mittens, Silk Lined Gloves, Dogskins, Buckskins and other styles and makes, prices ranging from 50c to \$1.00.

## Overcoat Department.

A nobby dress overcoat, brown or blue beaver, Hub price \$4.95. **Fur Overcoats.**—We are running them at very low prices. Raccoon, Russian Calf, Wolf, Dog, Womdat, Goat and other makes at the Hub.

## BULLER'S LIST GROWS

### Total Casualties Now Given as Over Eleven Hundred.

### GEN. WHITE ABLE TO HOLD OUT.

Says Ladysmith Is Well Supplied With Food and Ammunition—No Soldiers to Be Taken From India for the South African Campaign.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—There is still no definite news regarding the military operations in South Africa. Probably this is on account of the fact that the only cable working is choked by official telegrams.

General Buller's official list shows that 146 were killed and 756 wounded at the Tugela River battle. Two hundred and twenty-seven are missing, and of these 40 are known to be prisoners in the hands of the Boers. This makes the total larger than General Buller's original estimate.

The admiralty has decided to dispatch another naval brigade of 700 men to South Africa. It is believed that in mobilizing the Eighth division the war office will have recourse to some extent to the militia, it being deemed inadvisable to denude the home garrisons overmuch of regulars.

The chancellor of the exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, has issued a formal denial that any differences exist in the cabinet regarding war expenditures.

There is no official confirmation that Roberts asks for a force of Indian cavalry for South Africa and the rumor is entirely discredited.

According to a dispatch from Cape Town, there is a good deal of distress in the Orange Free State, owing to a scarcity of grain.

Marlborough a Volunteer.  
LONDON, Dec. 22.—The Duke of Marl-

borough was in London in the Oxfordshire army and who has volunteered for service in South Africa, will take with him 150 men and horses of his troop. He will personally furnish the equipment for these men. The Earl of Warwick, the Earl of Dudley, the Earl of Lonsdale and Viscount Galway are among the other members of the aristocracy who have volunteered for service in the campaign against the Boers.

Ladysmith Is Well Supplied.  
LONDON, Dec. 22.—The Daily Mail says: "We understand that news has arrived from General White to the effect that Ladysmith is well supplied with food and ammunition and can hold out much longer than has been estimated. The troops are described as in good spirits and anxious to fight."

Held as a Spy.  
CAPE TOWN, Dec. 22.—Methuen wires that he has received a rude reply from General Cronje respecting his representations to Lieutenant Chandos Pole-Gell, saying that this officer is regarded as a spy. General Cronje states he will hold no further communication with Methuen.

### IOWA SPEAKERSHIP FIGHT.

Members of the Legislature Gathering in Force at Des Moines.

DES MOINES, Dec. 20.—The largest delegation of members of the legislature which has ever gathered in this city in anticipation of the opening of the session is here today. The speakership fight, the preliminary of the United States senate race, absorbs all attention. The Gear men claim they have more than enough signed pledges to elect Bowen speaker, and the Cummins people make a like claim in behalf of Eaton for speaker. The Gear people charge that Cummins men plot the overthrow of Allison as well as Gear, which the Cummins men deny. Allison will be a candidate for re-election two years hence.

## RATE WAR IN SIGHT.

### Hopes for Amicable Settlement of Trouble Growing Dim.

### MEETING TO BE HELD IN BOSTON.

Committee Appointed to Go East—Passenger Rates From Chicago Westward Likely to Be Slashed—Boston and Maine In Deal With Southern Routes to Coast.

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—Hopes for an amicable settlement of the difficulties that have arisen from differential squabbles down east are dimmer now than ever before. The situation has taken another turn for the worse and it is not impossible that the second class rate from this city to San Francisco soon will be slashed, if not actually slashed. Local passenger men have discovered Boston-San Francisco tickets in the market, which are being offered at rates lower than the regular Chicago-San Francisco rate.

For the first time since the trouble took on its present phase the Vanderbilts and their western connections have openly expressed their determination to secure the same rate from New England points to Pacific coast points as that offered by the differential lines.

At a meeting held by representatives of the transcontinental lines a committee was appointed to meet with representatives of the New England lines Jan. 4 in Boston and report the result of the meeting to the transcontinental men's meeting in this city five days later. The chief object of the Boston meeting is to determine the strength of those who want to settle the trouble amicably.

In yesterday's meeting the Burlington, Rock Island, St. Paul and Northwestern, the lines that are boycotted by the Boston and Maine and the Fishburg roads, give all other roads to understand that they would stand by the Boston and Albany if the Santa Fe, Alton and Missouri Pacific continued to give their support west of Chicago to the Boston and Maine.

### Interstate Commerce Hearing.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—A meeting was held last night at which 31 shippers, some of them holding proxies as representatives of commercial organizations, were present, and it was decided to introduce several witnesses today before the interstate commerce commission for the purpose of showing the injurious effects of the new classification and advance in rates.

## TWO DIE IN SMELTER FIRE.

Zinc Company's Plant at LeHarb, Kan., Destroyed, With Loss of \$50,000.

IOLA, Kan., Dec. 22.—At LeHarb, five miles southeast of Iola, fire destroyed two-thirds of the Lanyon Zinc company's plant, causing a loss estimated at \$50,000; fully insured. Two workmen, Jesse Matthews and J. J. Schaub, both married, were crushed to death by a falling smokestack. The town is almost entirely without water supply. The plant, which is one of the most extensive of its kind in the world, will be rebuilt at once. The works employ about 200 men.

### Rich Copper Mine Under Writ.

BUTTE, Mont., Dec. 22.—Alex Tarbet, a Salt Lake mining man, closed a deal with the owners of the mineral rights to the Destroying Angel and Copper Bottom claim, by which he secured control of an interest of \$300,000. The veins run through the business portion of the city and the Destroying Angel was uncovered recently by parties who were excavating for the foundation of a hotel. It has developed into the richest copper vein in this district and the new owners intend to tunnel under the city. As soon as the deal was closed yesterday they started to sink a shaft, which will be put down 1,000 feet, at the corner of Broadway and Arizona streets, within half a block of the two principal hotels and the city hall.

### Kansas Banker Is Acquitted.

MCPHERSON, Kan., Dec. 22.—Royal Matthews, president of the First State bank of this city, which failed in 1897, has been acquitted by a jury in the circuit court of the charge of receiving deposits when the bank was insolvent. Since the failure 19 per cent has been realized from the bank's assets. Matthews, who was arrested in Texas last August, is state senator from this district.

### Another Advance In Furniture.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 22.—The Eastern Furniture Manufacturers' association met here yesterday and advanced prices on certain lines of furniture 10 per cent. The advance will go into effect Jan. 1. The association held a meeting at Williamsport, Pa., a short time ago and put up prices 10 per cent, but it was found another advance was necessary, because of the increase in the prices of lumber and other materials.

### Fireman a Bad Firebug.

CHEYENNE, Dec. 22.—Frank Cooper, a member of the Cheyenne fire department, charged with arson, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to six years in the state penitentiary. During the past five years Cheyenne has had no less than 100 incendiary fires annually.

## IOWA HAPPENINGS.

### Death of J. G. Jackson.

MUSCATINE, Ia., Dec. 20.—J. G. Jackson, a well known clothing merchant of this city, was stricken with paralysis yesterday and died last night.

### Votes For Municipal Ownership.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Dec. 19.—Cedar Rapids yesterday voted for municipal ownership of the waterworks plant, the proposition carrying by about 1,500 votes.

### Old Man Killed by Train.

AVOCA, Ia., Dec. 20.—Last night as Hans Engel, a German, aged 65 years, attempted to step from a train he was thrown beneath the wheels and instantly killed.

### Workmen Laid Off.

BOONE, Ia., Dec. 19.—A reduction of 25 per cent of the working force of the Northwestern shops took effect yesterday. Fifty-two men were laid off. The reason given is decrease of business on the road.

### Car Shops at Dubuque Burn.

DUBUQUE, Dec. 21.—The car shops of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad, the largest plant here, was completely destroyed by fire shortly after midnight. Loss \$100,000, and 300 men will be thrown out of employment.

### One Century Old.

DES MOINES, Dec. 20.—Noah Brockway Bacon, a prominent pioneer citizen of the city, celebrated his 100th birthday yesterday. The Octogenarian society, admitting no one under 80 years of age, called on Father Bacon in a body.

### Restraining Order Is Refused.

DUBUQUE, Dec. 20.—Judge Shiras, in the federal court, yesterday, denied the application of the Oxygnor Manufacturing company of Detroit for an injunction restraining the Oxygnor company of Chicago from manufacturing medical appliances.

### Lawton Fund Is Growing.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Adjutant General Corbin, the head of the committee charged with the collection of funds for the benefit of the family of the late General Lawton, is in receipt of expressions of sympathy and of willingness to co-operate from all quarters of the country. Some of these are accompanied by contributions of money, and altogether there is promise of a generous response to the committee's appeal.

### Kitchener Sails for Malta.

ALEXANDRIA, Dec. 22.—Lord Kitchener arrived last evening from Cairo and went on board the Isis, which sailed immediately for Malta.

### Oldest Traveling Man in Iowa Dead.

DUBUQUE, Dec. 21.—News was received here today of the death at Nashua, Ia., of A. W. Fleming, the oldest traveling man in Iowa, if not in the United States. He was 88 years of age and was a member of the Dubuque Traveling and Business Men's association.

### New Fast Mail Service.

DES MOINES, Dec. 21.—It is announced the Illinois Central, whose new line to Omaha has just been opened, will on Jan. 1 inaugurate a new fast mail service to Sioux City and Omaha out of Chicago. The train will leave Chicago about 2:30 a. m., run solid to Fort Dodge and then split, one division going to Sioux City and the other to Omaha.

### Smallpox at Independence.

DES MOINES, Dec. 20.—Dr. Joseph McCready of Independence reports one case of smallpox in Independence. No details are given except that the victim is a man and a nurse is asked for. There is another case in Alford, Lyon county, and an official report from H. M. Henderson, clerk of Silver Lake township, Worth county, states that there are 11 cases in the township.

### Lindquist Wins.

FORT DODGE, Ia., Dec. 21.—The existing election contest between J. A. Lindquist, Republican, and E. H. Cox, Democrat, for the office of county treasurer, was settled yesterday. Lindquist and Cox had tied for the office and Lindquist was later declared elected upon a narrow margin. The election was contested and the board which has been at work on the case finished yesterday, giving the election to Lindquist by 31 votes.

### Train Wrecker Convicted.

MASON CITY, Ia., Dec. 20.—Frank Fay was convicted yesterday of attempting to wreck the flyer on the Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Northern on the night of Oct. 31. A large sum of money was in custody of the express messenger and 100 passengers were aboard. Two weeks later the second attempt was made, but Fay and his accomplice were scared away. J. P. Brockett turned state's evidence and Fay was convicted on this and circumstantial evidence.

### Mulauphy Loan Association Falls.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 22.—The Mulauphy Building and Loan association assigned today to C. F. A. Muller for the benefit of creditors. The liabilities, represented in loans, amount to \$40,000. The resources aggregate \$84,500. The operation of the association was impeded by the condition of the real estate market and it was thought best to assign.

## SPECIAL GIFT SUGGESTION

If your wife needs a first class Mackintosh, our stock can supply this need. We sell mackintoshes for ladies and gents and have made special efforts to place before the trade many good values in this line. What would make a more useful gift.

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