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To Pa, Ma and John, and the Entire Family, The Herald Wishes You a Merry Christmas

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JNO. S. TEMPLE
"THE" RETAIL GROCER.

Buried In One Large Grave

(Herald Special.)
Manchester, Eng., Dec. 24.—One common grave will hold the bodies of more than two hundred of the three hundred and forty-one victims of the Pretoria mine disaster at Leigh. One hundred and eighty-six bodies have now been recovered, but of these only fifty have been identified.

Drunken Carousal Ended In Death

(Herald Special.)
Kenton, Ohio, Dec. 24.—Six persons were killed by gas fumes early today, as the result of a secret carousal of several men and women in a room. The victims are: Clark Latham and wife, Harry Newcomb, Miss Bailey, Wm. Kennedy and son, Pearl. The tragedy was discovered today. A pipe to a gas stove was found disconnected and the room was littered with empty bottles.

Postal Clerks Paper Criticises Hitchcock

(Herald Special.)
Denver, Colo., Dec. 24.—That as a result of the attempt of Postmaster General Hitchcock to save \$11,500,000 in the department this year, all lines are completely swamped with Christmas mail and the service which the public pays millions in postal fees to support, is absolutely unsatisfactory, is the statement here today of Urban A. Walter, editor of the "Harpoon," the Railway Clerks' publication. He says the clerks are overworked and that an actual revolt is imminent among them. He asserts that Hitchcock has failed to collect fines from railroads, which have heretofore netted the government \$750,000 annually.

FIREMEN BURIED TODAY

\$130,000 Also Subscribed to Relief Fund For Families of Men.
\$500,000 Pledged.

Chicago, Dec. 24.—The funerals of Assistant Fire Chief Burroughs and Captain Patrick E. Collins, who with twenty-one comrades and three others met their deaths in the Nelson Morris fire, were held today. \$130,000 has been subscribed for the benefit of the firemen's widows and orphans, and it is believed it will be easy to raise the \$500,000 pledged.

AEROPLANE WAS FOUND

Supposed to Be Machine of Cecil Grace, Reported Lost at Sea in Airship Thursday.

Amsterdam, Dec. 24.—It is reported here today that an aeroplane, supposed to be that of Cecil Grace, who was lost Thursday while attempting to fly from Calais to Dover, was picked up in the North Sea near Texel. Grace was last seen at about 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

California Law Excludes Asiatics

(Herald Special.)
San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 24.—It is stated on good authority today that the labor element in this state will demand that the next legislature, which convenes in January, pass a law prohibiting the ownership of land in the state by Asiatics, and excluding the children of the Japanese and Chinese from the schools attended by white children. Three years ago the intervention of Roosevelt prevented the legislature enacting these laws. A protest from the Japanese government is expected, but it is thought President Taft will hardly interfere. The union labor party and the farmers and fruit growers of the state are actively behind this movement.

The assistant state librarian is now gathering data on the commission form of government.

Trains Collide Several Dead

(Herald Special.)
Upper Sandusky, Ohio, Dec. 24.—Four trainmen and two passengers were killed, another passenger was fatally hurt, and ten others more or less injured in a collision between two fast passenger trains at Nevada, Ohio, today. Both trains were running at a high speed when the crash came. The west bound engine telescoped the east bound engine and ploughed through the baggage car.

Following is a list of the dead:
Wm. A. Dowler of Chicago, passenger.
D. C. Beebe, baggageman of Fort Wayne.
G. E. Horton, baggageman.
H. C. Crain and C. C. Miller, engineers.

Railroad officials are investigating whether or not the tower man gave the signals to stop. The east bound train was running through a snow storm at a speed of fifty-five miles per hour when through the drifting snowflakes the fireman saw the headlight of another locomotive. The engineers tried to stop their trains, but were too late.

Four Men Fell to Sudden Death

Berkley, W. Va., Dec. 24.—Four men are dead as a result of an accident in the New Haven collieries at Eccles. A bucket in which they were ascending overturned, throwing them five hundred feet to the bottom of the shaft. All met instant death.

STRIKE OF ENGINEERS

On Western Railroads May Come at Any Time Now.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 23.—Hope of peace in the western railroad situation has virtually been abandoned, and the biggest strike in the railroad history of the country appears imminent. Within forty-eight hours an order may be issued which will tie up more than half the railroad mileage and isolate more than two-thirds of the territory of the United States. Exasperated at the attitude of the general managers' committee, which has refused to take the strike threats seriously, the engineers have reached a point where they are ready to go out on a moment's notice. If the order is issued it will involve every railroad west of Chicago at the same hour. Only the yielding of the railroads and a further increase in the wages of the engineers can prevent the clash. Since December 17 Commissioner of Labor Neill has worked day and night to avert the strike, and neither side has yielded an inch.

Number of railroads involved, 61; miles of track, 136,000; railroad mileage in United States, 53 per cent; number of engineers involved, 34,000; demands of men, 12 to 15 per cent wage increase; increase offered by railroads, 9 1/2 per cent; annual increase offered by railroads, \$3,600,000.

Returned With Prisoner.

Sheriff Lee Boyd came home last night from Indiana, having in charge a white man, wanted here on a grand jury indictment charging him with the theft of a mule. The sheriff made a quick trip.

SUMMARY OF NEWS

LOCAL.

Woodmen Circle elects officers for the new year.
Rev. J. B. Turreline gives interesting Christmas history.
Christmas services will be held in all the churches tomorrow.
Chapter of the Southern Benevolent League of Houston organized here.

GENERAL.

Four miners killed at Eccles, W. Va., today.
Gas fumes caused the death of six persons at Kenton, Ohio.
Six persons killed in railroad smash-up at Nevada, Ohio, today.
Tunnel to cost \$25,000,000 will be built under Manhattan, N. Y.
Aeroplane believed to be property of Cecil Grace found in North Sea.
Editor of postal clerks' paper criticises the conduct of postoffice department.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

That are Practical and Useful

Men's Bath Robes, Smoking Jackets, Fancy Vests, Silk Reefer Mufflers, Alaska Mufflers, Silk and Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, Silk Suspenders in fancy boxes, Ties and Sox to match in fancy boxes, Pure Silk Sox, Holeproof Sox, Silk Umbrellas, Laundry Bags, Traveling Sets, Tie Rings, Kid Gloves, Fine Silk Neckwear in boxes, Cuff Buttons, Stick Pins, etc.

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