COLDEST OF ALI

Blizzard in Southwest Beats the Record.

MANY PEOPLE ARE FROZEN

Snow Blocks Traffic, Causing Famine of Fuel.

STORM'S INFLUENCE IS WIDE

From Great Lakes to Texas, From and some of the through trains from Cal-Atlantic to Rockies, All Tell of Snow, Ice and Blockades on Raliroads.

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CHICAGO, Feb. 18 .- Not during the last six years has the equal of the present cold weather been experienced in the West, and in many places no such low temperatures have been recorded since the establishment of the Weather

The cold wave extends from Canada to the Gulf of Mexico and from the Rocky Mountains to the Atlantic. In the North the mercury has registered all the way from zero to & degrees below zero, the latter mark being scored at Richland Center, Wis.

Trains everywhere from the West and Northwest are anywhere from 2 to 12 hours late and from the packing of the snow in the cuts it is expected that it will be several days before the roads are able to revive the schedule time of Several people have lost their lives, the majority of the fatalities being

The loss of cattle on the ranges, particularly on those lying in the northern part of the states, will be very heavy. In obraska and the Dakotas and Montana cattle are being sheltered from the cold and it is not expected their losses will be nearly so heavy as those on the ranges fall occurred Saturday and Sunday. further to the south.

grees below zero, which stands as the ecord for cold weather in the local Weather Bureau. In the opinion of pedestriaus on the street and according to the showing of unofficial thermometers. the Government thermometer was any where from four to 12 degrees too warm. The official record was 19 below, while all over the city temperatures of from 30 to 25 were common, and in some of the suburbs as low as III below zero was reported. At 10 o'clock tonight the Weather Bureau issued a statement to the effect that it was six below, while on the street it was 12 below.

All through the day the bitter cold was intensified by a wind that blew from the northwest at 30 miles an hour, There were no deaths reported in the city, but the police were compelled to care for numberless frostbites throughout the day.

At the water kribs in Lake Michigan the workmen who are engaged in keeping the intakes clear from ice, had a des perate time of it. The mercury was 30 clow, and the men were compelled to work in shifts of 15 minutes,

The severe cold has brought upon the South a renewal of all the troubles visited upon it by the recent storm of sleet which has demoralized railroad traffic and almost destroyed telegraphic communication in some parts. The cold spread with great speed all over the South. Railroad traffic is seriously him dered by the snow all through the central part of Georgia and in the central and northern parts of Mississippi. The Baitimore & Ohio Road is the greatest sufferer and it is reported that there have been no trains between Meridian, Miss., and New Orleans, for a week. The only news from the entire South came today from Western and Southern Texas, where a slight moderation in temperature was reorted. From Western Montana and Nebraska come reports of 20 to 25 below zero. All through these states the month January was the coldest known, and the month of February has so far shown equal severity. All through Minnesota, Wisconsin and Northern Michigan the mercury ranged from 20 to 45 below, the coldest place on the map being Richland Center, Wis., which announced the low mark of 45 below.

A general warming up is noticeable tonight in the Northwest. St. Paul shows ten below tonight, as compared with 25 below 24 hours earlier. The rise in temperature is accompanied by some snow. Temperatures tonight in the principal cities of the West and Northwest were

reported as follows: Cheyenne, 24 above; Cleveland, six above; Denver, 22 above; Detroit, two below: Indianapolis, ten below: Kansas City, Cincinnati, St. Louis, zero; Duluth. four below; Milwaukee, eight below; New Orleans, M above; Omaha, two above.

SOUTHWEST IS MASS OF ICE Coldest Day of Coldest February in

Six Years. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 13.-The citus of the severe cold spell which began Jenuary I, since which time the temrature has never risen above the freespoint, was reached at 8 o'clock this ST. PAUL. Feb. 12.—It was 20 degrees ground.

St. Paul today. In the One other phase of the plot is said to point; was reached at 6 o'clock this

Others registered 25 degrees, the official instrument being affected by dense smoke from chimneys nearby. The weather forecaster concedes that the low record of 22 below on February 12, 1899, has been broken. Pifteen inches of snow lie on the ground, and the sky is clear. The coldest January on record is being followed by

an unprecedented February. This statement of conditions in Kansas City may be extended to Western Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Oklahoma and Indian Territory, all points reporting the oldest weather of the Winter, and most of them the coldest ever known.

A dozen persons have been reported frozen to death in the Southwest in the past two days. Winter wheat is covered by snow, and is not affected by the cold. Stock losses are not heavy, because owners had ample warning. Trains on all railroads are delayed by snowdrifts, the wind carrying the dry snow into the cuts. The temperature throughout the South-

west has moderated today, but zero temperature is general tonight. Practically no snow has fallen in the past 24 hours, but the snow of the three days previous was blown into huge drifts that effectually blocked railway traffic. All trains on the Santa Fe, Missouri Pacific, Rock Island and Union Pacific west of Kansas City were many hours late.

ifornia were annulled. On the plains of Western Kansas hundreds of herds of cattle were stampeded by the fierce gale.

In Oklahoma and Indian Territory the supply of coal is short, and fear is expressed that many of the poorer Indiana will succumb. Cattlemen in the Chicks saw Nation report many cattle frozen to

death. In Kansas City there was intense suffering among the poor, and a negro woman was found frozen to death in her

hovel near the river. Charles C. Friese, a shoemaker of Flor ence, Colo., was found dead near the Arkansas River. He went out to hunt rabbits and froze to death.

Near Walsenburg, Colo., William Petrie, negro, lost his way and froze to death. The lowest temperature reported from Missouri was 25 below, at Butler. Mrs. Elizabeth Woehner was found dead in her home at Leavenworth, Kan., today. It is believed the cold caused

TRAIN IMPRISONED IN SNOW Missouri Pacific Sends Relief to

her death

Blockaded Passengers. NEVADA, Mo., Feb. 13,-The Missouri Pacific sent a relief train from its Nevada headquarters today to Butler, sup plied with provisions. It goes to relieve a passenger train on the interstate line that has been blocked in eight feet of snow since Friday night, between Madison and Gridley, Kan, Nothing has been heard from the crew to nearly 29 hours. There is no telegraphic communication on account of broken wires.

COLD SNAP BROKEN IN ROCKIES The Southwest Is Suffering From

Snow Blockades. DENVER, Fcb. 13.-The local Weather Bureau reports show that the backbone of the cold snan is broken so far as the section east of the mountains in Colorado, Wyoming and New Mexico is concerned, although it is colder tonight on the western slope in Colorado. The fact that no reports were received from Yellowstone Park led to the belief that weather conditions there were interfering with communication from Northern Wy-

the continental divide in Colorade and Northern New Mexico, a heavy snow-

Dispatches from Trinidad and points officially speaking, this was the coldinate of the San Luts Valley in Southern set day in Chicago since February 9, Colorado tell of tremendous losses to livestockmen living in that region, due to the almost unparalleled and cold recently. It is freely predicted that 50 per cent of the cattle and sheep there have perished. In Norther New Mexico the losses to stockmen have been great.

PUEBLO, Colo., Feb. 13.-The official temperature in this city was 36 below zero at 4 o'clock this morning, equaling the lowest record. Missouri Pacific trains from the East, due here last Saturday, are snowbound, and on the other roads trains are many hours late.

weather prevailed throughout Northern New Mexico today, the coldest in many years. Trains on other New Mexico railroads are 18 to 24 hours late

TOPEKA Kan. Feb. 12.-The tempera ure today was 22 degrees below and is slowly rising.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Feb. 12.-The merregistered 17 degrees below. It is the coldest in 12 years.

WICHITA, Kan., Feb. 13.-Weather Ob server Todd reports that the temperature during the early morning hours was 18 below zero. This is the coldest it has been here for six years, and with a single exception the coldest it has been since the Weather Bureau was established in

SNOW ABOUNDS, COAL SCARCE Zero Weather and Deep Snow Prevail Through All Middle West.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Feb. 12.-With the temperature 30 below zero, this city s facing a coal famine, owing to a sno blockade. Two large factories closed to-day for want of coal. At the lowa Soldiers' Home, where there are 800 inmates, beat in the main building and in the old eople's building was diminished today to help out the hospital building.

OMAHA, Feb. 12.-There was a contin ed fall in the temperature during the early hours of the morning. Twenty-two degrees below was registered at the Weather Bureau early today.

Norfolk reports 29 below zero with no indications of abatement. Much suffering and some loss is reported among live-stock throughout the state, while flocks f small game are said to be in a halfstarved condition.

The condition of freight traffic remains

unchanged. Hundreds of cars of meremaha, with no prospect of immediate C. W. Gray, 86 years old, living alone on his ranch near Callaway, was frozen to death on the prairie while trying to

each the house of a neighbor. DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 12.—The mer-cury here today broke all records, going to 25 helow zero. Much suffering is ex-

perienced throughout the state. LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 12.-The mercury registered % degrees below zero early to-day, the coldest since 1897. On account of bad train service, interrupted by the recent drifting snows, there is a scarcity of steam coal here. In Central Nebraska the thermometer showed as low as 32 de-

JANESVILLE, Wis., Peb. 13.-The mercury registered 34 below zero today, the coldest this Winter.

Northwest it ranged from 25 to 28

BLOOMINGTON, III., Feb. 12.-Last night was the coldest in Central Illinois for many years, 26 below. SIOUX FAULS, S. D., Feb. 12-Un-precedented cold continues. The mercury

today registered 30 below.

BURLINGTON, Ia., Feb. 12.-Today was the coldest ever known here, 22 below. MANY HAVE BROKEN BONES

Gothamites Slide on the Ice-Covered Streets and Snowbanks.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.-Report by the police and returns from the various hos-pitals show that zeores of persons were severely injured by falls in various sec-tions of the city owing to water-covered loc and hardened snow, with which the the streets became filled during the storm, More than 20 persons were so severely burt that they were removed to hospitals, some of them with broken limbs.

Traffic was paralyzed all over Greater New York. Hundreds of horses fell and many had to be shot because of their injuries. The society which attends to these matters said it was the worst day for ac-cidents that the city has known for 15 years. Thousands of persons experienced falls and many were injured of whom the police have no record.

At Long Acre Square and Columbia Cir-cle, busy Sunday centers in the uptown section, police had a busy time picking up women and carrying them to a place of safety. Hundreds who were forced to change cars at these points alighted only to find their heels in the air and their clothes ruined. At times there were more people floundering about than there were policemen to help them.

ICE GORGES BLOCK THE RIVERS Many Craft Caught in the Ohio,

Heavy Loss Resulting. CINCINNATI, Feb. 18.-The sudden drop in temperature brought the river ice to a standstill, gorges forming at a number of points. The ice moved slowly all day Sunday, crushing everything be-fore it and the new freeze only postpones what river men believe, will be the worst break-up of the river in many years. The damage siready is estimated at from \$1-0,000 to \$200,000, the amount depending on the possibility of saving some of the barges and steamers which are caught in the ice pack or pushed upon the shore. In addition to the loss already incurred, vesels and other property valued at more than \$500,000 are in us danger of total restruction.

FROZEN TO DEATH IN MONTANA

Shepherd Found Dead, and Merchant Nearly Meets Same Fate. HELENA, Mont., Feb. 13 .- A special to the Record from Lewistown, Mont., says Jack White, a sheepherder, employed

near Utica, was frozen to drath Saturday night. Warren Draper, a well-known Lewis-

BLIZZARD REACHES FAR SOUTH

Zero Temperature Extends Through Kentucky to Arkansas and Texas.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 12.-A remark-South today, temperatures in the Mississippl and Missouri Valleys ranging from 6 degrees to 26 degrees below zero. The degrees to 25 degrees below 2010. The series into Arkansas and Northern Texas and east to Ohio. In Texas the severe cold is causing losses to cial cases to prevent agrees to prevent agree to prevent agrees to prevent agreement agrees to prevent agrees to prevent agrees to prevent agreement agrees to prevent agrees to prevent agrees to prevent agreement agrees to prevent agreement agreement

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. Il.-Train service

m all the Kansas roads is badly demoralized as a result of the severe cold of yes-terday and last night. Tonight the weather is moderating. Intense Cold on Great Lakes.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 18.-Milwaukee is experiencing its coldest weather of the Winter today, the thermomet

reaching 18 below: SUPERIOR, Wis., Feb. 12.-The mer. cury today dropped to 28 below zero.

DETROIT, Feb. 15.-This is the coldest day of the Winter in Detroit. Following the heavy snowfall, the temperature dropped steadily until today it was below zero in this city. At Saginaw it was 5 below and at Grand Rapids 5 below.

PLOT IS CHARGED.

(Continued from First Page.) ment is in possession of the letters and other correspondence passed between Sen-ator Mitchell and Judge A. H. Tanner, in regard to the Fred A. Kribs land transac-tions which were exerted on through the firm of Mitchell & Tanner.

The Mitchell letter, which was printed Sunday morning in fac simile in The Ore-gonian, showed, to those who read, an underlying desire to lead Judge Tanner in certain paths of procedure, or such seems to be the current opinion gleaned from its perusal. But it is hinted that the letters which have since come into the hands of the Government attorneys the part of Senator Mitchell.

The letters were secured from Judge Tanner under a subpena of "duces teinto the presence of the court or jury.

CONSFIRACY IS THE CHARGE John H. Hall, Henry Ford, Harry L. Pags and Othera Indicted.

The grand jury expressed its disapproval of the conspiracy formed some time ago to blacken the character of District Attorney Heney by returning an indictment yesterday afternoon against those who are alleged to have been behind the plot.

Those who are named in the indictment are John H. Hall, ex-United States At-torney; Henry Ford, a private detective; Harry L. Rees, formerly Major in the United States Army, A. P. Cayler, a grain merchant of Portland; John Corano, Deputy Sheriff; J. H. Hitchings, the ttorney who was thrice whipped by a coman a short time ago; John Northrop, e of the men who hung the jury in e Sorenson bribery trial, and Charles Lord, a Portland attorney.

These men are accused of having, by conspiracy to blacken the name of Heney and secure his removal from office, attempted to impede the course of justice by hindering an officer of the United States in the discharge of his duties. To this end the defendants are accused of attempting to connect the name of Mr. Heney and Marie Ware in a criminal the purpose of causing the moval of the District Attorney from his

Witnesses were secured by the principals in the plot, so it is alleged, who would at the right time, swear to having seen Mr. Hency and Miss Ware to-

This case was taken before John Manning, so it is said, by John Hall, who, asked Mr. Manning to make an investigation of the charges and return an in-dictment upon them. This Mr. Manning refused to do and the case fell to the

CHOPIN MUSIC AT EILERS

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It is seldom Portland is favored with so great an occasion as the all-Chopin recitial to be given at the Marquam on Wednesday afternoon by the great planist and greatest of Chopin interpreters. Visidimir de Pachmann.

Through the kindness of Miss Steers and Miss Coman, we have secured a copy of the programme for Wednesday afternoon and we are happy to announce that we have a number of the Chopin Compositions, and any one who desires is welcome to call at our store and go over them at any time between now and the time of the recital.

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be that Miss Ware was asked to entire

would compromise him and thus secure

Heney into places with her which

the object of the conspirators. This Miss Ware refused to do, and acquainted the Government officers with the plot. defendants, upon the request Mr. Heney, were placed under \$1000 bonds each, and bench warrants were ordered to lesue for each with the excep-

Resolutions of Grand Jury.

As an expression of their appreciajury prepared the resolutions printed herewith and presented them to United States District Attorney Francis J. Heney yesterday afternoon at the hour

The following is the text of the resoutions and the signatures attached, being the roll of the jury:

"Resolved, By the Federal grand jury, that we extend our sincere thanks to District Attorney Heney for the uniform kindness and courtesy shown this body and commend him for his faithful and efficient work on behalf of the Resolved. That a copy of these reso-

Warren Draper, a well-known Lewistown merchant, was nearly frozen to
death on the road from Kendall to Lewistown. He was walking ahead of the stage
to keep warm when he became confused
by the intense cold, lost his way and was
nearly dead when found, his hands, face
and feet being frozen.

Resolved. That a copy of these resolutions be presented to Mr. Hency with
the compliments of this grand jury—
W. H. Wade, foreman; John W.
Jory, secretary; L. A. Vogal, W. P. Durton. Joseph Fetzner, George Giustin,
Poster Adams, A. Bettingar, A. H. Parsons, George D. Peebler, L. P. Hercel sons, George D. Peebler, L. R. Herren, F. G. Buffum, L. N. Edwards, William Shepherd, John Shaw, J. R. Hays, C. Christensen, Joseph Essner, V. W. Rob-

SEE THE FANGS.

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aggregate for the transportation of like kind of property or passengers for a shorter than for a longer distance over the same line; prothorised by the commission to charge less for longer than for shorter distances for tran tent to which such designated railroads or exoperation of this provision, provided that a manifest injury shall be imposed upon an citizen at intermediate points,

The penalty for a violation of these pr visions is from \$100 to \$2000. Rebating of any character is punishable by a fine of from \$100 to \$1000.

Guard Against Any Opening. To plug up any possible hole which

might be left open for the railroads, ecction 18 reads as follows: If any railroad or express company as afore said shall wilifully violete any other previ-sions of this act, or shall do any other act beenin prohibited, or shall fail or refuse to comply with any and all lawful orders emanating from said railroad commission or any other duty enjoined upon it for which a pen-alty has not herein been provided, for every such act of violation it shall pay to the State of Washington a penalty of not more than

Section 27 provides that if any section sentence or subdivision of the act, should from any cause be declared unconstitutional, such decision will not affect the validity of the remaining portions of the An appropriation of \$75,000 is provided to carry out the provisions of the

bill. There were so many errors in the typewritten copy which was returned to the subcommittee this evening, that when the loint committee met to consider the measure it was decided to give the subcommittee another day to correct errors, and are much stronger in tone and show a the bill will accordingly not be presented full knowledge of the Kribs matter on until tomorrow evening. There was no discussion as to the merits of the measure at the brief session of the joint committee, but from the opinions of individcum." being a subpena in which it is mittee, but from the opinions of individ-ordered that a certain thing desired be usl members the bill will fail to satisfy brought by the witness when he comes the railroad men and there will need be some radical concessions made before it can be passed.

Subject to One Man's Whim.

The objection commonly heard this evening is to the remarkable power conferred on the Governor. As one of the

Here. The bill, so far as fairness is concerned, is a wast improvement over the Kennedy bill, but it will still fall so far short of the views of the railroad men area has been searched. If discovered sarlier,

Demand Reform in Macedonia.

LONDON, Feb. 13 .- A conference on the Balkan situation took place today at Westminster Palace, Lord Stanmore presiding. Among those present were the Bishop of Hereford, James Bryce, Herbert Gladstone and many members of Parliament. A resolution was passed urging the government to take imme-diate steps to secure adequate reforms asserting that a continuance of misrule in Armenia and Macedonia would be a disgrace to civilized Europe and affirming the direct responsibility of Great Britain for the establishment of re-

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PRESIDENT RECOMMENDS CON-GRESS TO TAKE ACTION.

Ambassador Porter Has Located Cemetery in Paris Where It Lies and Secured the Right to Dig.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.-President Rossevelt, in transmitting to Congress the report of Ambassador Porter con-cerning the efforts to locate the re-mains of Admiral John Paul Jones, has urged the erection of monuments for both Paul Jones and John Harry, "to emphasize the value set by our people upon the schlevement of the naval com-manders in our War of Independence." The President indorses the work of Ambassador Porter and asks Congress to appropriate the \$35,000 needed ct the search for John Paul Jones body in the abandoned cemetery of St. Louis, where it is believed to have been buried in 1792. The President's com-munication follows:

munication follows:

For a number of years efforts have been made to confirm the historic statement that the remains of Admiral John Paul Jones were interred in a certain piece of ground in the City of Paris then owned by the government and used at the time as a burial place for foreign Protestants. These efforts have at that resulted in documentary proof that John Tank Jones was buried on July 29, 1792, beiast resulted in documentary proof that John Paul Jones was buried on July 20, 1792, between S and 9 o'clock P. M. In the now abandoned cemetery of St. Louis, in the northeastern section of Paris. About 369 bodies were interred there, and the body of the Admiral probably was among the last hundred buried. In was incased in a leaden coffin calculated to withstand the ravages of time. The cemetary was about 210 feet long by 120 feet wide. Since its disuse as a burist place, the soil has been filled to a level and covered almost completely by buildings, most of them of an inferior class.

ferred on the Governor. As one of the most conservative railroad men expressed it:

"No man with a spark of independence would serve on such a committee, where he would be ever subject to the whim of a Governor from whose order of removal there is no appeal."

Chairman Van de Vanter of the Senate railroad committee has been sick for the past ten days and is at the point of death with typhold fever. This has thrown a large share of the work of making this bill on the shoulders of Chairman Dickson, of the House committee, and his associates, Representatives Reiter and Dr. Hare. The bill, so far as fairness is continued to the son interest contents of the most committee and because of the work. The actual search is to subterrance works, at a cost which has been subterrance of the work including the options. that a fight is almost certain, unless some of the most severe provisions can be cut out before it reaches the floor of the House.

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der direction of the Secretary of State. In addition to the foregoing recommenda-tion, I urge that Congress emphasize the value set by our people upon the achievements of th



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