### BALTIMORE STORM LOSS TREMENDOUS

Quarter of Million Will Not Cover Extent of Damage to Electric Systems.

100 MILES OF WIRE DOWN

Traffic on Seaboard Railroads I Badly Tangled and Trains Run Many Hours Late-Passengers Suffer Hunger.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 5 .- Though thousands of men have been laboring all day in an effort to clear the mass of tangled wires and fallen poles that blocked the city's streets after the In-auguration Day storm. Baltimore was to-day still in the shambles of disorder. It is estimated that over 100 miles of wires are down in the city alone, while damage in the surrounding country is still worse. In the surrounding country is still worse. At a late hour this evening Baltimore had but one or two slender and oftenfailing wires connecting it with the out-side world, and much of its telegraphic business was being done by wireless.

Latest and careful estimates based information obtained today and night place the damage by yesterday's storm to public service corp tions at from \$700,000 to \$1,000,000

Frozen to Death.

Harry Granger, a brother-in-law of George R. Gaither, who at the last election was the Republican candidate election was the Republican candidate for Governor, was found dead today, a victim of the storm. Granger attempted to walk from the home of friends in Mount Washington, a suburb, to his home in Forest Park, a distance of several miles, and was overcome by the cold.

Trains on the coastwise lines were run-

and many of the regular trains were canciled allogother. One train successeded, after ten hours of effort, in making 40 miles. During the first three hours of this time the engine was able to drag the crawded coaches but seven miles, each run of a hundred wards are because the seven miles, each run of a hundred wards are because the coaches and the coaches are the seven miles, each run of a hundred wards are because the coaches and the coaches are the coaches and the coaches are the coache each rum of a hundred yards or so being followed by a iong stop, while the
train crew got out and cleared the tracks
of fallen wires, broken telegraph poles
and other like obstructions.

But few of the trains carried dining
cars, and on those that did symplies had

cars, and on those that did supplies had run low and food was at fabulous prices. Trains that carried no dining cars were mostly filled with hungry and tired peo-ple returning from the inauguration.

No Relief for 24 Hours.

Little parties of those who went from this city to attend the inauguration strangled in with stories of hardships. Traffic out of Washington, they reported, was seriously muddled and there was little hope of relief for at least 24 hours.

Reports received here from Annapolis say that the city is a mass of tangled telephone and telegraph wires, and that local traffic is practically paralyzed. Reports from other coast cities are in the same vein the storm having covered the same vein, the storm baving covered the entire seaboard in its extent.

RAILROADS STILL BLOCKED

Absence of Signals Makes Running of Trains Difficult.

PHILADELPHIA, March 5.-The Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio railroad oficials say tonight that the train service between this city and Washington is still considerably hampered. Conditions grew worse at nightfall, owing to the inability of the engineers to guage the distance they are from the trains preceding them.
The continued delay is largely due to

the unusual congestion of trafic between Baltimore and Washington.

EASTERN CANADA SNOWED IN Thirty-six-Hour Blizzard Ties Up

Railway Traffic. MONTREAL, March 5 .- A thirty-six hour blizzard has demoralized traffic be-tween Montreal and the Eastern sea-board. Trains are 24 hours behind time.

Blizzard in Central New York. SYRACUSE, N. Y., March 5 .- A bilz-

zard, beginning yesterday, continues in Central New York with 14 inches of snow, the heaviest of the Winter.

STANTON GETS RESOLUTION

California Solons Devise Unique Way to Kill Exclusion.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 5 .- Senator Lester G. Burnett's resolution asking Congress to pass an Asiatic exclusion law which would place Japanese on the same footing as Chinese in this country, was referred this morning in the Assembly to a select committee of one, consist-ing of Speaker Philip A. Stanton. The Speaker heretofore has opposed all such

legislation.
Assemblyman Nathan C. Coghlan's joint resolution, asking Congress to keep a large war fleet in Pacific waters, was favorably reported by the Senate commit-tee on Federal relations today.

DISEASED MILK KILLS PIGS

Cows of Berkeley Dairymen Proven to Have Tuberculosis.

BERKELEY, Cal., March 5 .- (Special.) That much of the milk sold by dairy-men of this vicinity contains tuberculosis bacteria was conclusively proven by a recent experiment in the medical depart-ment of the University of California, During the latter part of December last a guinea pig was inoculated with the sediment from two quarts of milk which had been collected from several localities. A few days ago the pig died with tuberculosis, its lungs being almost com-pletely destroyed by the disease.

#### BEARS SEND WHEAT DOWN

(Concluded from First Page.) both at home and abroad, gave no indi-cation of the coming era of scarcity fore-casted by the believers in higher prices. Argentine and Australia together shipped just a little more wheat than a year ago, despite the phenomenal record that the former country was making at that time.

vances from the lowest price reached.

"In my opinion it will be a long time before we will see low-priced wheat again," said J. A. Patten, who was tonight apparently unruffled by the day's big wheat slump. "I believe it would take an enormous crop to put wheat back to \$1 per bushel in Chicago, and it would take a phenomenal crop, say 750,000,000 bushels, to depress the price to \$0 cents. Moreover, provisions are in for an advance. Lard will sell at 12 cents per pound before September 1."

Mr. Patten positively denied the rumors current all day on the curb the preceding evening that large private settlements of May contracts had been made. The rumors crystallized the story down to names and figures, the statement being that the settlement of \$6,00,000 bushels had been made with Shearson-Hamill. H. D. Sturdevant, resident partner of the Shearson-Hamill house, refused to make any statement, but said:

"You can safely take Mr. Patten's word for the whole thing and I will "You can safely take Mr. Patten's word for the whole thing, and I will indorse all he says."

ARGENTINE OATS ARRIVE

Three Thousand Tons of Grain Are Poured Into New York.

NEW YORK, March 5-An unusual shipment to this great grain-producing country arrived today in the shape of a cargo of oats grown in the Argentine Republic. There was 3000 tons of the grain, the im-portation of which is due to its present scarcity and high price here.

BUT NEW GAPS MAY BE MADE IN CALHOUN'S DOZEN.

One Man Escapes Because Business Would Be Ruined, but New One Takes Place.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 5 .- For the third time during a period of four weeks. 12 men have been accepted by the attorneys in the case of Patrick Calhoun, president of the United Railroads, whose trial upon an indictment charging bribery is now in its eighth week. During a period of two hours today the opposing attorneys accomplished more in the way of actual progress than her resulted in attorneys accomplished more in the way of actual progress than has resulted in the preceding fortnight. John R. Allen, a dry goods salesman, was the thirteenth talesman subjected to examination during the day, and he was accepted by both the day, and he was accepted by both sides after a comparatively brief interro-gation by either side.

Just after he had been passed to occupy the twelfth seat in the Jury-box, John T. Costello, an insurance broker, addressed the court and declared that his business the court and declared that his business interests would be altogether destroyed if he ahould be required to attend the sessions of the court for a period of two months or more. When an examination by Judge Lawior disclosed that the juror was already worrying about his personal affairs, to the exclusion of the proceedings of the court, the judge ordered him excused and again there was

dered him excused, and again there was a place to be filled in the panel.

Just at the hour of adjournment the place vacated but a few moments before was again filled. James L. Arthur, a builder, who was examined at considerable length in the last trial of Abraham Ruef and who was peremptorily chal-Ruef and who was peremptorily chal-lenged in that case, was accepted by both

sides.

Judge Lawlor, by agreement, fixed next
Monday afternoon as the time for exercise of peremptory challenges. It is generally agreed by those in constant attendance upon the trial that an effort will be
made on Monday to dislodge one or more
of the 12 men already passed upon challenges for cause, and that peremptory
challenges will be deferred for the third
time.

#### CONDENSED NEWS BY WIRE

New York.—Protest against the proposed closing of canals in this state on Sunday, as suggested by a recent bill at Albany, is made by the American Power Boat Association. Havana.—The general amnesty bill passed the Senate Friday. The measure provides for the release of practically all prisoners sentenced since January 28, except mur-derers.

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New York.—A score of more of Broadway theatrical stars contributed the 12 numbers of a benefit performance Friday for the widow of the late Lester Wallack. comedian and manager.

Norfolk, Va.—The Navy Department has issued orders detaching the flagship Maine, the New Hampshire, Idaho, Mississippi, Montana and North Carolina, from further duty with the Atlantic fleet

San Francisco.—Plunging down the steep gade on Twenty-minth street, a runaway streetcar leaped from the rails and crashed into a saloon, seriously injuring five of its passengers and causing a wreck which blocked treffic for several hours.

New York.—Automobite coach service was inaugurated between New Tork and Philadelphia Friday, not because of the bluraird yesterday, but because of an innovation and a reminder of days gone, which, it is believed, will prove popular.

Kansas City.—After a series of reverses covering a period of three weeks, and in-

Kansas City.—After a series of reverses overing a period of three weeks, and in-olving losses estimated at \$190,000 to \$150,-00, the Christie Grain Company closed its eadquarters in the Board of Trade building i Kansas City, Kan., Friday ufternoon. Madison, Wis.—The bill prohibiting free lunches in saloons was killed in the Assembly Friday and the bill prohibiting treating in saloons was refused engrossment. The Assembly also killed the bill providing for an appropriation to have Wisconsin represented at the A.-Y.-P. Exposition at Seattle.

St. Johns, N. F.—Sir Robert Bond, Premier of Newfoundland, announces that his
government has agreed upon a contract with
the Commercial Cable Company by which the
latter will extend one of its cables into Newfoundland and thence direct to New York.
This will give quicker and more accurate servtee to European points via Ireland.

Chicaro.—Bure milk is receiled better.

Chicago.—Pure milk in sterilized bottles, to be sold in the public achools at I cent a bottle, is the proposal minde by the Chicago Women's Club and the Chicago Permanent School Extension Committee to the committee on school management. If the Board of Education acts favorably, a number of schools will be supplied at once.

Chicago.—Edwin A Brown of Desert

schools will be supplied at once.

Chicago.—Edwin A. Brown, of Denver, who is devoting his time and fortune to the investigation of the conditions of the poor, says Washington shelters the worst municipal lodging-house in the United States. He spent a day at the municipal lodging-house and came to the conclusion that it is even worse than that of Chicago, which he had formerly considered as bad as could possibly exist.

exist.

Flushing, N. Y. Efforts made by the District Attorney of Queens County to have an early date set for the trial of Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., accused of the murder of William E. Annis, were brought to naught by a decision of the Supreme Court postponing indefinitely the naming of the date for the Hains trial. Justice Garretson said that as there were two men in the Queens County iall who had been awaiting trial there for murder in the first degree for more than a year, he believed their cases should first be disposed of.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Dr. Horn, the optician, 3d floor Swet-land blug, guarantees satisfaction or money refunded. No fancy prices.

Flood Does \$800 Damage.

VANCOUVER, Wash., March 5 .- (Special.)—The main sewer on Main street is choked up and as a consequence the cellars of some of the business houses are partially filled with water. Hamilton's grocery has suffered a loss of about Shipments from Australia were nearly four times as large as a year ago.

May wheat at one time today was 3% cents below the resting spot of last night, and the July showed a loss of 2% been brought into use, but the obstruction is still in the way.

We Show More Exclusive Patterns in Silks Than All the Other Portland Stores Combined =Victor Talking Machines Bring Music Into the Home, \$1.00 Week=

Portland's largest and best Neckwear Section. Exclusive novelties in Veils and Handkerchiefs.

Novelties New Parisian Novelties in Hair Ornaments at Jewelry and Notion Sections

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See the Hundreds of New Suits and Hats Just Arrived--The Largest Showing in Portland



### Reg. \$5 Jetted Turbans \$3.45 Reg. \$6.50, \$7.50 Millinery \$4.95

The first great sale value of the season - the latest styles of jetted turbans just in by express. Compare these, our regular \$5 models, with the \$10 hats of other stores. Sale price ......

50 new horsehair and maline jetted Russian Turbans-Regular \$6.50 to \$7.50 values ......

Superb showing of new imported Pattern Hats, as well as all kinds of Hats at popular prices.



# Lace Curtains Seconds 59cea

500 full-length Nottingham Lace Curtains, 21/2 and 3 yards long, 36 to 60 inches wide. Some have a slight misweave or a drop stitch here and there. Curtains that would sell up to \$3 pair. Sale price EACH 59c

50c Stationery 21c lb.

Pound paper in light blue linen fabric, very best quality. The envelopes are a trifle darker. Hence the envelopes are 6c 21c

## Notions

Darning Cotton, any color, per spool. 2c Saginaw Toothpicks, 3 boxes. 10c Ironing Wax, with handles, 4 for 5c Large cube black - headed Pins. 5c X-Ray Stove Polish. 8c 24-inch all around Hair Roll, net covered. 33c Boys' Jersey Knee Protectors, pair. 19c pair. Good Gas Mantles, fit any sors, 6 to 9-inch length, per pair. 236 Stikpatch, the best thing for mending children's hose, 20 patches. 10c
Hook Top Coat Hangers, made
from heavy copper wire, three
for. 10c

Cape Gloves.

\$1.50 Val. 87c

Sale Gingham Aprons, 45c

Ladies' Gingham Coverall \$3, \$3.50 Bags \$1.48 \$4 Hand Bags \$1.98 Real Seal and Walrus Bags, fitted with coin purse; colors, brown, black, tan and green; leather lined; regular \$4.00 value, today.....\$1.98

\$1.50 Leath'r Belts 48c 

### Hat Pins, Values to \$1 for 11c Jewelry Sale, Vals. to \$2 at 48c

A remarkable sale of fancy Hat Pins, in large assortment of varied and choice patterns. Pending the arrival of new Spring goods, we are anxious to clear out our stock to make room for our new styles -many to select from, in pearl head, signet, monogram, crystal in all colors, large fancy ball head, turquoise, rhinestone; all 11c with extra long stems, values to \$1.00, special today ....

\$1.50 Barrettes 48c Hair Barrettes, in Roman and green gold finish, very neat patterns, 48c vals, to \$1.50.

\$1.00 Pin Sets at 48c Gold plated Baby Pin Sets, with hains, very neat and dainty dedigns, vals. to \$1.00. Special ..... 48c

scale pearl head Necklaces, for hen and children, values to 48c 3. Special. \$1 Whisk Brooms 48c Sterling sliver handle Whisk Brooms good quality, values to 486

\$1 Bead Necklaces 48c

\$1.00 Child's Set 48c Child's silver plated Table Set, with knife, fork, spoon and napkin 48c

each, it is a physical in

him to answer one-tenth of them. He added that he would have nothing to say on any subject nor would he at-tend any public functions before depart-

ing on his hunting trip. Except for a few trips to New York City, Mr. Roosevelt said he would spend the time at Oyster

WASHINGTON, March 5 .- Final prep

arations are now being made at th Smithsonian Institution for Mr. Roose

veit's scientific expedition to Africa. The work of preparing and packing the collecting apparatus is now well advanced, superintended by Major Edgar A. Mearns, who is to manage the expedition for the Smithsonian Institution.

J. Aden. Loring and Edgard Heller

J. Alden Loring and Edmund Heller,

\$2.00 Belt Buckles 48c

Belt Buckles and Sash Pins, in cut steel, pearl, silver, oxidized, green gold, Roman and rose finish, 48c vals, to \$2.00

\$1.00 Beauty Pins 48c Beauty Pins, in bright or Roman fin-lah, chased and engraved bar pins, in sets of three pins, values 48c

\$1.25 Jet Combs 48c

\$2 Clothes Brush 48c

Less than I per cent of the public has

See Big Ad, in

The Oregonian

Tomorrow.

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### Tailor-made Rajahine Waists \$2.98 Blouse Style Rajahine Waists \$2.38

The newest, most popular, most serviceable and yet stylish Waist of the season is the "Rajahine" Waist-made of a material entirely new this season, looks like rough-weave silk, wears better than silk-made in the popular new

tailor-made and blouse styles. \$2.38 The colors are black, navy, brown, wine, olive, \$2.98

French Papers Praise Inaugural Address.

SEE CENTRALIZATION PLAN

Temps Thinks New President Will Assert Federal Control of Many Questions and Stop State Wrangling.

> PARIS, March 5,-The French press mments today in frank and vigorous ne on President Taft's inaugural adtone on President Taft's inaugural address, and thinks it shows the new President's policies will, in a general way, be a continuance of those of Mr. Rooseyelt. The Temps characterizes the address as pre-eminently "Republican," and says it shows that Mr. Taft purposes to make a fight for greater Federal authority on truly Pederal approximately the traly Federal questions, especially the procuring of National corporation laws to counteract the existing legal anarchy arising from diversified state regula-

TARIFF INTERESTS GERMANY

Kaiser's People Watching New Administration Hopefully.

BERLIN, March 5.—The German For-eign Office views William H. Taft's assumption of the duties of President of the United States as likely to lead to still closer relations between America and Germany and calls attention to the prog-ress made in this direction during the ad-ministration of President Roosevelt. The peaceful tone of President Taft's inaugural address has created a most favorable impression in government circles and the Ministry of the Interior is awaiting tariff revision with the keenest interest. The newspapers allude to the orderly ascent of Mr. Taft to the rulership of 100,000,000 peo-ple and the retirement of Mr. Roosevelt to private life as an impressive political spectacle.

ENOUGH TO MAKE ANGELS CRY

Taft's Approval of Big Navy Displeases Mr. Birrell. BRISTOL, England, March 5 .- Address

ing a political meeting here tonight, Mr. Birrell, Chief Secretary of Ireland, expressed the belief that President Taft in his inaugural address pronounced the doom of the hope of the disarmament of There was universal feeling abroad,

which the United States now joined, Mr. Birrell said, for increased armaments. It was enough to make angles weep, but in face of it, he declared, "It is our duty to maintain our navy strong enough to keep Great Britain's shores inviolate."

JAPANESE PRESS DELIGHTED

Rejoice at Taft's Utterances on Immigration and Tariff.

TOKIO March 5.-The inaugural address of President Taft, published here yesterday, is evoking appreciative comments. The press of Japan unites in eulogizing Taft's inaugural utter-

ances. The leading papers praise editorially the new President's proved qualifications as an administrator. The Kokumin makes the following editorial comment: "The address testifles to the statesmanlike character of President Taft's ideas. Regarding immigration his views are ideal and exceedingly satisfactory to the government and people of Japan."

The Nichi Nichi prints the following opinion: "There are two things in

opinion: "There are two things in Taft's address which demand our at-tention. These are tariff reform and immigration. Respecting the former, the foreboded reduction of rates pro ises trade expansion for both countries. In regard to the latter we are satisfied that he has prepared steps to suppre anti-Japanism in America."

ROME SEES HIGHER DUTIES.

Thinks That Under Taft Europe Will Have to Pay Up Deficit.

ROME, March 5.-Although absorbed by the electoral campaign for the Federal elections which begin Sunday, the press clections which begin Sunday, the press today devotes much space to Mr. Taft's assumption of the Presidency. The Trib-una says that along general lines, his programme will be similar to that of President Roosevelt, and it trusts that Mr. Taft will be assisted by the confidence of the American people in his work which will be strongly imperialistic. Europe, the Tribuna adds, must pay to America under the form of duties the deficit of the crisis of 1908.

Mr. Roosevelt Will Depart on Steamer Hamburg.

DENIES ALL INTERVIEWERS

Spends First Day of Return to Private Life Quietly at Oyster Bay Home and Tramping in Woods.

President Roosevelt's first day as a private citizen since relinquishing his place at the head of the Nation was passed in a decidedly quiet manner at his home at Sagamore Hill. Notwithstanding the cold wind, Mr. Roosevelt was out early and took his daily exercise in the woods. His deficit of the crisis of 1908.

An ecore of newspaper reporters to secure interviews. Finally he consented to say a few words, and announced that he

## In the Spring Those Little Soldiers

In your blood are as weak as your blood is impure. They are the millions of white blood corpuscles, whose duty is to protect the red blood corpuscles and bodily tissues from disease germs, to which you are more exposed at this season than at any other.

Make them strong by taking Hood's Sarsaparillathe medicine that purifies the blood as no other medicine does. Do this without delay.

Thoroughly Exhausted. - "I A New Man. - "Three years ago without bread in my house as without Hood's Sarsaparilla. Many years ago I learned what a good medicine it is. When spring came on I was thoroughly exhausted and obliged to take my bed. I thought I would rather die than be so tired. I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, soon noticed a change for the better, and before long was perfectly well. Since then spring has never come without my having Hood's Sarsaparilla." Mrs. A. HOPKINS, 225 E. Ragle St., East Boston, Mass.

would just as soon think of going I was in very poor health. My entire system was run down. I was so poorly that it was almost a bur-den to live. About that time a friend who had taken Hood's Sarsaparilla with great success advised me to try it and I did. Two bottles made a new man of me, and I shall not let a spring go by without taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, as I really believe that its equal as a spring medicine, blood purifier and general tonic does not exist." A. DEVEREAUX, 305 2d St. N. E., Minneapolis, Minn.

15 Hood's Sarsaparilla effects its wonderful cures, not simply because it contains sarsaparilla, but because it combines the utmost remedial values of more than 20 different ingredients, each greatly strengthened and enriched by this peculiar combination. These ingredients are the very remedies that successful physicians prescribe for the same diseases and ailments. There is no real substitute for Hood's Sarsaparilla. If urged to buy any preparation said to be "just as good," you may be sure it is inferior, costs less to make, and yields the dealer a larger profit.

Begin taking Hood's Sarsaparilla today. Get it in the usual liquid form or in chocolated tablets known as Sarsatabs. 100 Doses One Dollar.

# would leave for Africa March 22, on the steamer Hamburg. Mr. Roosevelt is enjoying an uninter-rupted democratic life, and intends to continue to enjoy it until starting on his hunter trip. continue to enjoy it until starting on his hunting trip. A deluge of letters, telegrams and cablegrams poured into Sagamore Hill today, bringing to the recent President the kindly sentiment from friends in all parts of the world. So great is the number of these messages that he asked the press today to announce that while he appreciated these and would like to reply the each. It is a physical impossibility for

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., March 5 .- Ex-

#### SEE SUNDAY'S BIG AD. tion, have been in Washington several We Would Like to Have \$500 TODAY-SATURDAY

We are going to install new fixtures in our store in the next few days both for Cloaks and Suits and Millinery, and we would like to have the money and also close out a lot of goods.

### These Bargains We Think Will Do It

On our sales floor we have about 30 racks holding garments. Now to clean these out and get the money today, you can take your choice of any Suit for \$10.00 on any rack (except the first two racks on either side as you enter).

Choice of Coats \$7.00

as follows: You can also have your choice of any Coat on any rack for \$7.00 (except Coats on the first two racks on either side as you enter).

Silk Petticoats, \$7.50 Values \$4.15

ELEGANT TAILORED WAISTS, HALF PRICE. YOU WILL SEE BARGAINS HERE TODAY.

You'll want to buy several Suits and Coats when you see them. Spring Suits at great values on sale today.

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