BIGGEST PASSENGER TRAFFIC EVER IS REPORTED.

Through Business to California Especially Increased and Local Trains All Crowded.

In the opinion of railroad traffic officials the holiday rush of travel which reached the peak last night has been the heaviest California passenger bus-Iness ever handled at this season. Local holiday travel is just beginning to set in heavily. Southern Pacific train No. 53, the Oregonian, left this morning in two sections, in which were omprised 13 standard sleepers, three tourist cars, three chair cars, besides the usual number of baggage and express cars. No. 15 yesterday morning carried three standard sleepers, two tourists and four chair cars. No. 13, leaving at 8 o'clock last night, was run in two sections, the first carrying six standard and two tourist sleepers and five chair cars, and the second 16 cars. five chair cars, and the second 10 cars

of express, parcel post and mail.

Passengers are moving in all directions. Eastbound trains yesterday generally carried extra cars, and the rallroads are taxed to find sufficient equipment. All trains between Portland and Purel Scarne cities have been land and Puget Sound cities have been yery heavy for several days past and were especially so yesterday. The Great were especially so yesterday. The Great Northern train due at 10:39 last night came in two sections of 12 care and eight cars, respectively. Interchange of rolling stock proved convenient. One Southern Pacific train for the South was made up chiefly of Oregon-Washington cars, while Seattle passenger of the Union Pacific system con-sisted of Spokane, Portland & Seattle

DESTROYER KALK FLOATED

Lieutenant Victim of German Submarine Honored.

QUINCY, Mass., Dec. 21.-The United States destroyer Kalk, named for Lieutenant Stanton E. Kalk, of Omaha, Neb, who lost his life when the destroyer Jacob Jones was sunk by a German submarine, was launched at the Fore River yard of the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corporation here today.

Mrs. Florence Stanton Kalk, mother of the Lieutenant christened the vessel.

of the Lieutenant, christened the vessel. She had been engaged in naval Y. M. C. A. work at Brest and returned to this country to act as sponsor at the request of Secretary of the Navy Daniels.

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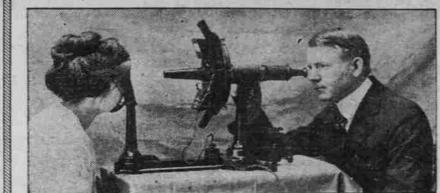
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Colorado Woman Bandit Sentenced.

DENVER, Dec. 21.—Eva Lewis, member of the bandit gang which terrorized the Colorado Springs and Denver districts in September, was today sentenced to serve from five to seven years in the state penitentiary. The sentence is the minimum for one convicted of robbery with a gun. Miss Lewis was convicted on a charge of robbing Miss Mildred Gates, of Dallas, Texas, and W. D. Otter, of Chicago, she having aided two other members of the gang in holding up Miss Gates and Otter near the Denver Country Club.

January 1 the American Railway Express Association, to be held horseraisers' Association Heres and Irvine Horse Horse Horse Horse Horse Hor

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Livestock Raisers to Meet.

BEND, Or., Dec. 21.—(Special.)—Plans for the entertainment of visiting delegates to the Oregon Cattle and Horseraisers' Association, to be held here April 23, 24 and 25, will be completed January 8, when George P. Russell, Prineville cattleman, will appear

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