

NEWS

NEW YEAR'S TURKEYS.—W. W. Gammage, the local florist, has presented the city of Columbus with a large

NO ENGINEERS DRILL.—On orders of Major F. W. Farncomb, officer in charge of the 1st Cavalry, the drilling of the new Flamingo Comb, by the Engineers, this evening.

TIES UP STREET CAR TRAFFIC.—The street car was tied up by the traffic in the vicinity of Rectory street and Hamilton road for a short period during the noon hour rush.

ROCKING CHAIR.—The Ladies' Guild of the Consumers Co-operative Society presented a rocking chair to the manager, with a rocking chair as a surprise party last evening.

IS SLIGHTLY BETTER.—Governor Jackson, who has been ill for some time, has been seriously ill at his home, Horn street, for some time, was reported to be slightly better.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR D. R. O'S.—meeting of deputy returning officers receive instructions in the forthcoming elections will be held tomorrow night at the city hall. A similar meeting scheduled for tonight is called off.

BOOTS CAUSE FIRE.—A pair of boots, placed on top of a furnace dry, caught fire and ignited the joists and flooring, with the result that the fire brigade had a run to R. W. Kingwood's residence, 335 Princess avenue at noon today.

A SLANDER WRIT.—Miss Julia Gallagher, a former waitress of

City Hotel, has issued a writ against the proprietor's wife, Mrs. Annie Lashbrook, asking damages for slander. The writ was issued by W. G. Earlam.

of reservists from the Western States passed through here today en route to their homes in Europe, where they have been notified to report by the military authorities. The first party consisted of...

second of eight Italian **PROVISIONS GOING TO ENGLAND**—the provisions which gained wide circulation in the city of London, and were sent to the effect that the Dominions Abolition Company is sending large quantities of provisions to Denmark. It was stated at the time that the company today that not since the war has the company sent anything to Denmark. The provisions are being made to the agent in London.

ORGAN RECITAL AND CONCERT—On New Year's night, A. D. J. Jordan, organist and choir leader of the First Presbyterian church, gave a recital on the magnificent new organ that has recently been installed in the church. In this he will be assisted by the church choir and soloists. A program of music arranged, and a musical treat is in store for the audience. It is a very fine opportunity to avail themselves of this opportunity.

FAMILY THROWN FROM CUTTY—Sunday afternoon, between 3 and 4 o'clock, a horse driven by Allan McCurdy, of South Portland, was unmanageable, kicked viciously, and seriously damaged the Cutty. The occupants, Mr. and Mrs. McCurdy and their children, were thrown out, but were unhurt. John Jones, at whose home they had been visiting, ran to their assistance, and passengers also volunteered help, and to the

PHILLIPS INQUEST TONIGHT.
The inquest into the death of C. Phillips, the young man who

the second crossing east of Crumlin December 6, will be resumed by Conductor Dr. A. MacLaren tonight. The account of Miss Nettie Smith told her confined to St. Joseph's Hospital suffering from the injuries she received in the accident. Coroner A. MacLaren has arranged to have the evidence read to the jurors and with testimony it will return its verdict.

SAYS HE FOUND GOOD

Man Accused of Box Car Robbery Pleads This as Excuse.

Evidence in the case of Henry Johnston, of 354 York street, charged with the robbery of a box car on the Erie road, was heard by the jury today. Johnston pleaded that he found good

the theft of cases of candy and tobacco from a Pere Marquette box car on December 16, was heard in police court today. Johnston was bailed for a week when he will appear before Magistrate Judd for judgment.

Johnston was arrested on Decem-
ber 11 by Detectives Egelton and D-
who went to the prisoner's home
York street and found there the b

In police court, Johnston said he found the goods in a lane behind the house on the night of the theft, but

open. He said he was walking through the lane when he came three men, who walked away as he approached them. Near where they

Johnston's defence, as argued by R. Meredith, his counsel, brings to a nice point in law, which Magistrate Judd will have to settle for himself. He gives judgment in the case a week from today. Johnston was in a police court before, and has no recommendations of good character.

NO ORDERS YET

There were no further developments today with regard to mobilizing 2,500 men wanted in this division the third contingent. Military headquarters was without instructions

who expected that orders would be received at any minute to start recruiting. Capt. J. I. Carling, of the Seventh, has been attached to the staff of

son Everything is in readiness to recruiting as soon as the order is

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.					
[Reported by J. M. Young, Broker, Chicago, Dec. 19, 1906.]					
Open. High. Low. Close.					
Wheat—					
Dec.	126	127½	124½	127½	
May	128½	130½	127½	129¾	
July	119¼	120½	118½	120½	
Corn—					
Dec.	65½	67½	66	67½	
May	72¼	73½	72½	73½	
July	74½	75	73½	75	
Oats—					
Dec.	49½	49½	49½	49½	
May	51½	51½	50½	51½	

		Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Pork—					
Jan.	\$18 55	18 60	18 55	18 55	
May	19 30	19 30	19 07	19 15	
Lard—					
Jan.	10 40	10 42	10 40	10 40	
May	10 65	10 67	10 60	10 60	
Ribs—					
Jan.	10 22	10 22	10 12	10 15	

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WHEAT OPTIONS.

[Reported by Logan & Bryan by special wire to H. C. Becker.]

Winnipeg, Dec. 29.—Wheat—C
December, \$1 22½; May, \$1 27½;
\$1 28½.

Minneapolis, Dec. 29.—Wheat—C
December, \$1 22; May, \$1 25½.
