

Under Him Republican Party Has Not Faltered in Determination To Meet Situation.

A GREAT MORAL AWAKENING.

Popular Demand That Law Breakers, No Matter How Wealthy, Shall be Punished.

Kancas City, Feb. 10.-Wm. H. Taft, secretary of war, was given a memorable ovation by 15,000 people in Convention hall tonight, when he was the guest of honor and principal speaker at the most elaborate banquet ever attempted in this city, given by the Association of Young Republicans of Missouri and attended by 1,200 persons many of whom came from Nebraska, many of whom came from Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma and distant Mis-souri cities. The demonstration ac-corded Secy. Taft when he entered the great banquet hall and again when he rose to speak has never been surpassed by the welcome given any public man in the history of this city. Each of the 1,200 banquetters paid \$2.50 for the privilege of attending, but the balconies of the hall were free to the public, and long before the spaking began standing room in the hall was at a premium.

a premium DEFENDS PARTY.

DEFENDS PARTY. Secy. Taft's speech was a gener-al defense of the Republican party and especially of the policies brought to the fore by the administration of Theodore Roosevelt. In eulogizing Lincoln the speaker said that Lincoin was a party man "as all men must be who expect to leave their individual impress upon the political character of the nation." Speaking of the recent panic and the prestient's late mossage to Congress, the secretary said: "The message contains an answer to the charges made that the administra-

"The message contains an answer to the charges made that the administra-tion is responsible for the industrial depression and the sharpness and em-phasis with which this unfounded at-tack is met, have heartened the great body of the people as a bugle call to renewed support of the policies of the administration." administration.

renewed support of the pencies of the administration." Secy. Taft referred to abuses practised by corporations and declared that a conviction had seized the people that there were many engaged in the management of corporate wealth who rgarded the statutes as dead letters and themselves as a privileged class. "We were passing into a regime of an irresponsible plutocracy," Maid he, "During the last four years there has been a great moral awakening to this danger among the people and a popu-lar demand that the law-breakers—no matter how wealthy or how high or lar demand that the beople and a popu-lar demand that the law-breakers-no matter how wealthy or how high or powerful their position-shall be made to suffer. Under the leadership of Theodore Roosevelt the Republican party has not faltered in its deter-mination to meet the requirements of this situation and to enact such legis-lation as may be necessary to bring to a close this period of illegitimate cor-porate immunity." "There are those who have been members of the Republican party who differ with Mr. Rooseveit in respect to the proper course to be taken in stamping out these abuses of corpor-ate wealth. The great bulk of the Re-publican party, however, stands solid-ly at his back in the work which he and the representatives of the party in Congress are doing."

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FOR CONSUMPTIVES Concentrated Oil of Pine from the Camps also Furnishes a Sure Cure for Coughs and Colds.

A remound Philadelphia doctor fam-ous for his pine forest cures has recent ly given to his fellow physicans a new and probaly the most valuable of pine products. It is known to the profes-sion as Concentrated oil of pine. In speaking of this oil a well known local physician declared it is without an equal for the speedy relief of acute colds and coughs and all manner of throat and lung trouble. The origin-al formula used and now generally prescribed is as follows: "One-half ounce of Concentrated oil of pine; two ounces of glycerine; half pint of good pure whiskey; mix thor-oroughly and use in doses of a tea spoonful to a tablespoonful every four hours, shaking the bottle well each thme." A renowned Philadelphia doctor fam us for his pine forest cures has recen

hours, shaking the bottle well taken three." On inquiring at one of the leading drug stores it was found that the Con-centrated oil of phe is put up only in one way and that is in half ounce bot-tles each enclosed in a tin screw top case which protects it from heat and light. The oils sold in bulk and pat-ent medicine imitations sold as oil off-pine frequently put out in wooden box-es are useless, on account of their im-purities they produce nausea and kid-ney trouble. ney trouble.

panic and of President Roosevelt's panic and of President Roosevents special message to Congress. "The message contains an answer to the charges made that the administration is responsible for the industrial de-pression which has followed," said the secretary, "and the sharpness and em-phasis with which this unfounded at-tack is met, have heartened the great body of the people as by a bugle cull to rewened support of the policies of th administration.

to rewened support of the policies of the administration. "From beginning to end the messare shows his earnest desire to protect the honest business man and the honest laborer, and to secure to them the pos-sibility of living under the equal ad-ministration of the law." In concluding Secy. Taft said: "Vigorous action and measures to stamp out existing abuses and effect reforms are necessary to vindicate so-ciety as at present constituted. Oth-erwise we must yield to those who seek to introduce a new order of things on a socialistic basis. "The Republican party follows the administration on this social and moral reform-approves its attitude in favor of vested rights of maintaining the power of the courts, of rendering more equal by legislation the basis of deal-ing between employer and employe, of strengthening the regulative power over railroads and other interstate corporations, and of prosecuting those law-breakers who continue to defy public opinion. Roosevelt leads his party as Lincoln led his--as McKinley ied his--to meet the new issues pre-

law-breakers who continue to defy public opinion. Roosevelt leads his party as Lincoln led his—as, McKinley led his—to meet the new issues pre-sented, to arm our present civilization and fit it with a bold front to resist the attacks of socialism, and to trans-mit to the confing generations un-harmed the great institution of civil liberty inherited from our fathers." Herbert S, Hadley, attorney-general of Missouri, responded to the toast, "We Have Put Our Hand to the Plow." ing the

bench Mr. Hadley said that in any great isis of American history there had en found a man equal to the demand the occasion and the necessities of the work. "William McKinley," he said, "gave us a return of prosperity, an era of good feeling and the successful prose-cution of two wars. But when in the

excavation caving in and breaking Son-nenberg's leg. Judge Morrow wrote the opinion of the appellate court and reversed the judgment of the circuit court, with in-structions to grant a new trial.

NO MONEY FOR BALLOONS.

good feeling and the successful prose-cution of two wars. But when in the mad rush for wealth and gain wrong standards of success were established in our commercial life, when men reck-oned only with the end and not with the means; when illegality, cunning, fraud and force were regarded as justi-flable measures to success; when, in short, we were in danger of becoming a people of barter and of sale, then it was that there came Theodore Roose-velt. Never before in the history of the world has one man so impressed the force of his personality and the force of his principles upon the life and thought of a great people as has this modern apostle and prophet of right-counces. No MONEY FOR BALLOONS. No MONEY FOR BALLOONS. No MONEY FOR BALLOONS. No MONEY FOR BALLOONS. Washington. Eeb. 10.—The desire of the signal corps of the army for an increased appropriation to be used in ballooning tests is not to be ful-filled this year, according to Chair-man Hull of the heuse committee on military affairs. President Roosevelt took this matter up with Mr. Hull to-day, his suggestion that the commit-tee make an increased appropriation into the subject of army ballooning with a view to an increased appropriation into the subject of army ballooning with a view to an increased appropriation into the subject of army ballooning with a view to an increased appropriation into the subject of army ballooning with a view to an increased appropriation into the subject of army ballooning with a view to an increased appropriation into the subject of army ballooning with a view to an increased appropriation on leaving the White House, Mr. Hull incidentally said that a new balloon had been invented by some wealthy

pathway along which we must travel, we need a leader who will continue his work because bis heart is in the work; who will have the courage to do tight when it is popular to be wrong; who is brave enough and strong enough to re-fuse to make terms with politicians, even to be president; who thinks be-fore he makes a decision and who knows the difference between a princi-ple and a precedent; a leader who knows the rights of labor and capital and the wrongs of each; who will add the conservatism and experience of the judge to the experience and aggressive-mess of the executive; who realizes that our trade and commerce should be large, but who also realizes that our trade and commerce must be homest and usful; who has shown that he can successfully direct the prosecution of

and lawful; who has shown that he can successfully direct the prosecution of the greatest public work of the country and negotiate with fairness and satis-faction treaties affecting the lives and happiness of millions of people; who knows, as no other man knows, the conditions and necessities of our de-pendent races and who has a heart that feels for their deficiencies and their hopes. One, in short, who is able and willing to successfully carry forward the great work and destiny of the Re-publican party. "Such a man and such a leader the

publican party. "Such a man and such a leader the Republicans of Missouri believe, and, believing, they should not hesitate to so say, the American people will find in the trusted friend of William McKinley and Theodore Roosevelt—the secretary of war and also the secretary of peace, our honored guest tonight, William H. Tart of Ohlo."

our honored guest tonight, William H. Taft of Ohlo." Mr. Hadley declared that with the ex-ception of 1864, uever before had there been greater need that the Republican party should stand firm and true to its principles and its policies than the pres-ent

ent. "For the present and the future." said he. "a continuation of the principles and policies of the Roosevelt adminis-tration is necessary, not only for party success, but also for the maintenance of our institutions and the protection of the liberties of the American people."

the liberties of the American people." He concluded: "We have started in on this work, and we must not fulter. We have started down the road and we must not stop. We have put our hands to the plow and we must not turn back, for unto us it is declared in holy writ, 'no man, having put his hand to the plow and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God."

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SAFETY OF EMPLOYES.

'San Francisco, Feb. 10 .- Again the theory of law that a railroad company must use reasonable diligence in secur ng the safety of its employes was nunciated by the United States circuit court of appeals today, with Circuit Judges Gilbert, Ross and Morrow on the

The case was that of George Sonnen berg, Jr., whose attorney appealed from the decision of the trial court, which held that the Southern Pacific company was not responsible for the bank of an xcavation caving in and breaking Son-



NEGRO LYNCHED.

Mob Overpowered Deputies and Com-

pany of Militia.

Brookhaven, Miss., Feb. 10 .- Eli Pig-Brookhaven, Mins., Feb. 10.—461 Fig-ot, a negro who criminally assaulted Miss Wells in this county a few weeks ngo, was taken from the custody of a Jackson military company and a posse of deputies and hanged early today. The military company was overpowered by a mob of over 2,000 citizens. A number of shots were fired and two members of the mob were wounded

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TWO ATTEMPTS TO WRECK OREGON SHORT LINE TRAIN

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Butte, Mont., Feb. 10.—After two at-tempts to wreck two Oregon Short Line express trains last night, -train wreckers succeeded in derailing a freight. Two suspects are in custody. All three attempts were made at a lonely spot near Silver Bow Junction. The dastards bungled, however, as the ties heaped upon the track were not braced and were easily swept aside. The northbound express from Salt Lake ,puiling out of Silver Bow last night, hit a pile of ties. The engine remained on the rails. A few moments later, the southbound train hit anoth-er bunch of beams. An hour later, a southbound freight was derailed by a switch flung while the train was pass-ing over it. Pat Gordon was caught in the vicinity and arrested. W. G. Wil-liams, who was stealing a ride, was also held. Either of these men might have swung the switch. They deny all knowledge of the crime, Williams says he is from Reno, Nev.

FRANCE AND AMERICA.

Arbitration 'Treaty for Settlement of

Disputes is Signed. Washington, Feb. 10 .- Secy. Root and Ambassador Jusserand today signed a treaty providing for the ar bitration of any issue that may arise between France and America.

The treaty will have to be submitted to the American senate, and to the French executive before it can become effective. Meanwhile its provisions are withheld from publication. It is un-derstood, however, that the treaty is drawn in accordance with the recommendation at the late Hague confer-ence, which, finding it impossible to draft a general arbitration treaty that







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Catarrh, like some other blood diseases, is worse at certain seasons of the year. During warm, pleasant weather, when an active, out-door life may be enjoyed, sufficient exercise indulged in, and when other favorable conditions exist, some of the impurities and catarrhal poisons which produce the trouble are removed from the system through the perspiration and other avenues of bodily drainage. But when Winter comes with its snow and ice, its slush and cold, the free working of the system is interfered with, the blood becomes thick and congested, and the catarrhal matter is left to disease and corrupt the body.

The entire inner portion of the body is lined with a delicate fibre known as mucous membrane-in other words the inner skin of our bodies. This membranous tissue is a perfect network of veins, arteries and capillaries, through which it is supplied with nourishment and healthful properties from the great source of life, the blood. So long as the circulation remains pure this mucous membrane will be healthy, but when the blood becomes infected with catarrhal impurities and poisons, the tissues become diseased, and Catarrh

with all its unpleasant symptoms gets a foothold in the system.

The polluted, impure condition of the blood causes irritation and inflammation of the different mucous surfaces, and the early stages of Catarrh are characterized by such symptoms as a tight, stuffy feeling in the head, watery eyes, ringing noises in the ears, constant "hawking and spitting," and often hoarseness and difficult breathing. The annoyance of

Gentlemen :--I suffered for a long time with a bad case of Catarrh. I had a continual headache, my cheeks grew purple, my nose was always stopped up, my breath had a sickening and disgusting odor, and I coughed incessantly. I heard of your S. S. S. and wrote to you. On your recommendation I commenced to use it, and after taking several bottles I was cured and have never since had the slightest symptoms of the disease. MRS, MARY L WESSERMAN. 2710 Caroline Street, St. Louis, Mo.

even these early symptoms, together with the filthy character of the disease, makes Catarrh a dreaded and disgusting trouble, but after the blood is more thoroughly steeped in the impurity it becomes a general systemic disease, and develops into a serious disorder.

Every fibrous tissue becomes involved, the bronchial tubes are attacked, producing a chronic cough, the soft bones and cartilages of the head are diseased and sometimes destroyed, the stomach is affected, resulting in dyspepsia, and gradually the entire system is upset. But Catarrh does still greater damage if allowed to remain in the system. Frequently the kidneys and bladder are attacked, and the continual passage of impure blood through the lungs affects these vital members, and then Catarrh terminates in Consumption.

Being a deep-seated blood disease Catarrh must be treated constitutionally, for it is beyond the reach of local or surface treatment. Washes, sprays, inhalations, etc., are



desired sent free.

perhaps cleanly, and in some cases antiseptic, and for this reason desirable; but such treatment does not reach the cause and can never cure the disease. S. S. S. cures Catarrh by cleansing the blood of all the impure catarrhal matter, and at the same time builds up the system by its unequalled tonic effects. It goes down into the circulation and attacks the disease at its head and removes every trace of the pollution that is causing the

trouble. In plain language, S. S. S. purifies the blood so that the mucous linings are all supplied with healthy, life-giving properties instead of being saturated with foul catarrhal matter. Then the inflamed and irritated membranes heal, the discharge is checked, the head noises disappear, the stomach is toned up, and all the symptoms of Catarrh pass away. If you are suffering with Catarrh begin the use of S. S. S., and by removing the cause and building up your system, rid yourself of this dangerous and far-reaching trouble. Literature about Catarrh and any medical advice THE SWIFT SPECIFIC COMPANY, ATLANTA, GA.

could receive the assent and support of all the great powers, adopted a resolu-tion recommending that all the powers undertake to make special arrange-ments between themselves for the set-tlement of disputes by arbitration. The present convention is believed to be in terms similar to that prepared by Secy. Oney and Lord Panneefote looking to the arbitration of possible disputes between America and Great Britain, which convention failed of ap-proval by the United States senate. ould receive the assent and support o

HAWAIIAN LAND LAWS.

Washington, Feb. 10.-Judge F. M. Hatch, of the territory of Hawall, spoke before the house committee on territor-ies today and urged a favorable report on the bill amending the Hawaiian land laws. He declared that his people great-ly desired that the public lands be dis-posed of to settlers instead of being lens-ed to sugar growers. He declared that some leases had been made covering 30 year of time.

NEW CABINET APPROVED.

The Hague, Feb. 10.—Queen Wil-helmina has approved the new cabinet under the premiership of Deputy Heemskerk. The last cabinet resigned Dec. 25, as a result of its defeat on the army estimates. Jonkher R. De-marces Van Swindereen minister of the Natherlands to Washington becomes Netherlands to Washington, becom-foreign minister in the new cabinet,

SNOW IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

Spartanburg, S. C., Feb. 10.--Spar-tanburg is buried under seven inches of snow, the heaviest snowfall in many years having occurred last night and today. The weather is the coldest of the winter, 22 degrees above zero.

KING EDWARD HAS COLD.

London, Feb. 10 .--- King Edward went London, Feo. 10.--King Edward went to Brighton today for a change of air. His matesty has suffered considerably from sore throat recently and this trouble has entailed sleepless nights. Sir Felix Semon, physician extraordi-nary to the king, has been in attend-ance on his majesty.

TO PUNISH AFRIDI TRIBE.

Calcutta, Feb. 10,—The Indian gov-ernment has decided to send immedi-ately two brigades of troops under Maj.-Gen. Sir James Willeres into the Bazaar valley on the northwestern frontier to punish the Zakkakhels, a powerful tribe of Afridis, who have been raiding villages in that territory and ambushing members of the mount-ed police.

ed police. At Rawal Findi, where the troops of the two brigades are mobilizing for the expedition, there is great activity. It is said the movement will be a surprise to the disorderly natives.

ALL COPPER REDUCED.

New York, Feb. 10.-At the metal exchange today all grades of copper were reduced ½ of a cent per pound in the bid and ½ cent in the ask price, making Lake 15% at 12";: Elec-trolytic, 13% at 13%, and casting 13%.

UNION PLUMBERS STRIKE.

St. Louis, Feb. 10.—About 560 union plumbers employed by members of the Master Plumbers' association, went on strike today because of a re-duction in wages.

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