

Havana, Oct. 1 .- Gov. Taft's acts today have gone far to win him a home place in the hearts of the people whose destinies have been placed in his hands. Presiding this morning at the opening exercises of the University of Havana, he declared his mission here was solely for the purpose of uplifting the fallen republic and restoring it to the path of prosperity, an announcer mut which was received with demonstrations of delight by an audience representative of the highest society in Ha-

vana. SECY. TAFT'S ADDRESS.

Following is Secy. Taft's address be-

fore the Havana university: "I, count it a peculiar honor, in my temporary representation of the executemporary representation to the ex-tive of Cuba, to participate in the ex-treises of this great university. This creases of this greating to me because especially interesting to me when exercising the executive function in the Philippines I took part in a similar ceremony in a university founded by the same order, but more than a century before this university was founded.

"Those of us who have come close to Spanish civilization have been impress-ed with the consciousness that the Angle-Saxons have much to learn from the intellectual refinement, artistic tem perament, poetic imagination, high deals and courtesy of the Latin-Span-ish races. Spain has exerted a treish races. udous force in civilization and promendous force in civilization and po-gress, but nations, like men, suffer re-action. The civilization of Spain and all her institutions were founded on the idea of the control of the state by one man or a few men. That idea has ceased to have force. The Anglo-Saxus have brought to the front the idea that a people who are sufficiently edu-cated to know what their rights were could more safely be trusted to deter-mine how these interests should be preserved than one man or a few men, and because in the development of that idea we have the advantage of 200 years' education in self-government, we unreasonably plume ourselves with superiority in the knowledge of govern-ment, which only circumstances have given us.

TASK OF UNITED STATES.

"It has recently fallen to the lot of the people of the United States, who have struggled along the road to pop-ular government and fallen down and picked themselves up again, to ald some countries who have not had that ex-perience in coming to the enjoyment of the benefits of popular government, The republic of Cuba has progressed so rapidiy in the last four years as almost to intoxicate the believers in popular government. It was like the growth of a tropical plant, which needed cutting in order that the stalk might gain strength. It is perhaps necessary that the Cubans should be warned that the foundations of self-go be broad and solid rather than high and conspicuous. It is saddening to me to be called to Cuba, and still sadder to be called to Cuba, and still sadder to the president, who is so identified with her liberation, that we are here at the time of a stumble in Cuba's pro-gress toward popular government, but it has given us an opportunity to as-sure you in the name of the president and the American people, that we are here only to help you. With our arm under your arm, we are lifting you again on the path of that wonderful progress you have traveled. We shall, I am certain, be able to point with pride to the fact that the United States is not an exploiting nation, but that she has such deep sympathy with the progress for popular government as to be willing to expend her blood and to be willing to expend her blood and treasure in making the spread of such government in the world successful. CUBA'S DIFFICULTY.



brought up under the fifteenth and six brought up under the integral and six-teenth centuries' ideas of government and were taught to look to others for the responsibility of government. You exercised only the function of criticism. You and most of your people, especially the educated and wealthy classes, trgined themselves not only to indifference but to inactivity in the field of political and governmental matters. I find that law is committed to one class of people, medicine to another, commerce to a third and political matters to a fourth, and that the first classes lean back, through the influence of past association, and watch with intense interest, but I fear not with such influence which is being done by their government. I venture the suggestion that if the other classes do not take a more active part and insist upon exercising their influence in politics, the question naturally arises: What was the necessity of changing your form of govern-ment at all? The theory of popular government is that every class shall exercise a decided political influence, but it seems to me that your ideals have been too high. An ideal so high that it is beyond the reach of realiza-

tion is not very useful. Soaring too high is dangerous, and the higher you get the more disastrous the fall.

THE HOPE OF CUBA.

"The hope of this country is in its educated youth. While I do not want to jar or make uncomfortable those youths who are entering active life, I must speak the truth. There are one or two traditions still persisting in this initiation. civilization. The first of them is that the learned professions are the only pursuits worthy the graduates of this university. This is a great mistake. University education is not an obstacle to success in commercial life. I am afraid that young Cubans are not suf-ficiently infused with that mercantile spirit of which we have too much in the United States.

"What you need is the desire to make money, to found great institutions and carry on the country's prosperity and oung Cubans or rather most of them ought to begin in business. There would be no trouble in forcing yourself ahead in the next generaliton, so that the banks, commercial houses and shipping interests of Cuba would be in Cuban hands instead of in the hands of for-

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when 25 years hence a sympathetic stranger comes here, he may not find a political class; a commercial class and the sciences and professions all divided; so that you do not lack the benefit of a mixture of all to form that combination without which a success-ful republic is absolutely impossible. "Nobody ever achieved a high ideal without failing two or three times, and failures must be made vehicles to ste-cess. Each failure ought to teach avoidance of that particular danger. When everything goes smoothly and you see on the high road to success, then is the most dangerous time. Hum-bled by the lessons of disappointment

bled by the lessons of disappointment you are in a proper spirit to win suc-

cess. "Viva the Republic of Cuba." Following this it became known that Gov. Taft and Asst. Secy. of State Ba-con had cabled for their wives to join them here, a given which cannot but be most agreeable to the Cuban people, and which will strongly cement the porte of affection between them and bonds of affection between them and the American provisional administra-

Still another act of Gov. Taft's is warmly commended as illustrative of his thoughtful consideration of the humbler classes. Learning that many poor families occupying the temporarily disused barracks at Camp Columbia were about to be summarily evicted by order of the Cuban authorities in preparation of the occupation of the quar-ters by the brigade of marines, Gov. Taft directed that these people remain undisturbed in their homes for a period of 15 days. In the meanwhile a portion of the marines will remain under can-vas. The order for the eviction had been issued in the name of the pro-visional government. Upon hearing of the plight of the present tenants of the barracks, Gov. Taft went to Camp Columbia in an automobile, explained that he had not been aware of the conditions, and rescinded the order. He left the camp amid cheers and warm expressions of gratitude from the peo-

The news of this act of humanity spread rapidly and received the highest praise. These evidences of American praise. These evidences of American good will have earned such general favorable comment that the landing of the battalion of marines which will

Automatical and the matrices which will constitute the garrison here causes hardly a ripple of excitement. Much of the governor's time today was occupied in receiving officials of the various departments, and judges of the courts. With the members of the increase of the courts of the supreme court Gov. Taft held a pro-longed conference concerning the drafting of a proclamation of general amnesty. This decree is of the utmost importance, in view of the fact that al

many points on the island, notably Cienfuegos, many persons are in jai awaiting the disposition of political charges. The governor today appointed Maj.

The governor today appointed Maj. Eugene F. Ladd and Alexander Gon-zales a committee to audit the accounts of the treasury. Joseph J. Monteaguedo and Carlos Hernandez, members of the disarma-ment commission, left here tonight to receive arms from rebels at Santa Clara, Sugua la Grande, Esperanza, Cruces Clentuegos and other points Cruces. Clentheres and other points in the center of the island. The laying down of arms by the rebels in the vi-cinity of Hayana will begin tomorrow, when the men will be entrained for their homes.

exhibits an increase of 41,102,943 short tons, or 11.7 per cent in quantity and of \$22,325,742 or 7.3 per cent in value. The total production of this country last year was nearly 50 per cent larger than that of Great Britain, which, un-til 1899, was the leading coal-producing country of the world. The largest part of the increased production in 1905 was due to the great activity in the iron due to the great activity in the iron industry.

TO SAVE THE FORESTS FROM DESTRUCTION.

San Bernardino, Cal.,Oct. 1.—The peo-ple of San Bernardino, through the board of trade, have appealed to Pres-tident Roosevelt to save the big forests of this country from destruction at the hands of timber cutters. A resolution has been adopted and forwarded to the president, asking him to incorporate in his next message to Congress recom-mendation of a law to conserve the forests. It is urged that the govern-ment should exercise the right of do-main and acquire all private and cor-porate holdings of land that are now being dehuded of timber. Nothing short of government ownership, says the language of the petition, will serve to stop the timber cutting. It is pointed out that the destruction of the tim-ber hus already seriously affected the rainfall, and consequently the water supply of the region. The uselessness of government expenditures for forest propagation while wholesale destruction of timber lands is going on by private parties is alluded /to

THE NEW BULLET.

Army Will Soon Adopt the Long Pointed One.

Washington. Oct. 1 .- The army will washington. Oct, 1.—The army will shortly adopt the new 'ullet which was recently tested by several of the target experis at the national rife meet at Seagirt and found to be satisfactory by them. Instead of the rounded point of the bullet it has a long straight ta-pering point and is also about one-third lighter, weighing about 160 grains hird lighter, weighing about 159 grains. The new bullet has a greater velocity up to 2,000 yards, a greater energy up to up to 2,000 yards, a greater energy up to 1,400 yards, a flatter tragectory up to 2,000 yards, and a little better accura-cy up to 2,000 yards. The new bullet will require a slightly different firing chamber in the riffe, but this can be readily effected in pieces now under manufacture, and the necessary chang-es can be made in the pieces now in use with but commarcatively small exuse with but comparatively small expense.

THE U. S. TRANSPORT SHERIDAN FLOATED.

Honolulu, Oct. 1.-The United States army transport Sheridan, which ran aground on Earber's Point at the south-west extremity of the island of Oahu, was floated today with the assistance of the transport Buford. Both vessels

are on the way to this port. The Sheridan has been beached on her way here to prevent her from sinking. The transport now is in a worse posi-tion than before.

AMBASSADOR LEISHMAN.

His Official Reception by the Sultan Has Again Been Postponed.

Constantinople, Oct. 1.-Ambassador Constantinople, Oct. 1.—Ambassador Leishman's audience of the sultan, which was to have taken place Oct. 2, after a number of postponements has again been postponed. The ambassa-dor has been informed that, in view of the fact that the sultan's birthday is celebrated Oct. 2 and is always suc-ceeded by a religious festival, his re-ception must be put off until Oct. 5. The audience, however, is a mere for-mality and in no wise affects the rela-tions between the embassy and the tions between the embassy and the government, which are normal and friendly.



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ADVICE TO YOUNG CUBANS. "Therefore I urge the recipients of these diplomas, if they have Cuban estates, to devote themselves to the bet-terment of these estates, and that othDANISH PARLIAMENT OPENS

Copenhagen, Oct. 1.—The Danish parliament was opened today by King Frederick in person. His first speech from the throne was almost entirely devoted to the civil affairs of the king-dom. The king announced that with the object of further strengthening the foreign velations of Denmark he pro-posed to visit the sovereigns of vari-ous computes. ous countries.

COAL PRODUCTION.

Washington, Oct. 1.—The geograph-ical survey made public statistics on the production of coal in the United States in 1965; from these it appears that is unwrite and value the states that in quantity and value the produc-tion surpassed all previous records in this country. The output amounted to 393,919,431 short tons, which had a value at the mines of \$476,756,953, comers enter commercial pursuits, so that. | pared with 1904, the output in 1905

THE MEAT DEALERS.

Many Are Without the Pale of the Inspection Law.

Fifty others, many of them in New York, have notified the department that they have just heard of the extent of the law and asked for inspection.

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dealers and packers throughout the United States are without the pale of the new meat inspection law, which be-came effective today, according to a statement by Secy. Wilson today. Twenty-five of these already have had inspections but it was found that their plants were not in shape to permit them to engage in interstate business. Fifty others many of them in New DAVIS COUNTY FAIR AT LAGOON, OCT 3, 4, 5, 6. Trains 1:30, 4:30, 6:30, 7:30 p. m. Fare 50 cents, including admission to gounds.

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St. Louis, Oct. 1.—The trial of an in-teresting insurance case was begun to-day in the United States circuit court to determine whether George A. Kim-mel, former president of the Farmers' State Bank of Arkansas City, Kas., is dead or is a maniac confined in the Mattewan asylum in New York. The

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