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## PROGRESSIVES ARE ASSAILED BY TAF

President in Speech Refers to Them as Emotionalists or Neurotics.

"HONEST BILL" CHEERED

Shows Much Viger in Denouncing Insurgents in Party at Republican Club Dinner.

New York, Feb. 12.-President Taft

New Teek. Feb. II.—President Taft speaking at the annual Lincoln dinner of the Republican Chab in the Walderf Astoria, te-night regreed his attack upon the "peogressive faction" of the Republican party. He referred to the Inaders of the progressives as "emotionalists or neurotics," and characterized them as "extremists who would hirry us litto a condition which would find me parallel except in the French projection or the bubbling anarchy that eace characterized the South American regulation. The President them entered into a vig-cross defense of his own administration and included all of the Republican administration since President Lincoln. Speaking of his own efforts he referred to the enerteen of the "postal savings benils law, the parcel post, corporation tax law and the revision of the tariff. He criticised the Democratic majority in the House for recommending reductions in the array and for returning appropriations for two additional battle ships.

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Mr. Bannard then proposed his toast "Honest Bill Taft." There was pro-nged cheering, and the audience to "Houset Bill Taft." There was prolonged cheering, sind the audience
drank the least standing.

President Taft read his speech. He
displayed counsiderable vigor in reading, however, using his right arm and
raising his voice frequently to emplaaise his points. After reference to
Lincoin, he began his sticks upon the
progressives of his party. "There are
those who look upon the present situnation as one full of evil and certuption and as tyrainly of concentrated
wealth," he said.

After speaking at the Republican Club, resident Taft addressed the National total Dry Goode Association at the Ho-el Astor, where he spoke of the neces-tly of securing proper information be-ore proceeding with any revision of the

In the adversion President Taff was testained at lumbeon by former Gev, umphy, of New Jersey, at his home in wark. Several of the Frace political aders were present. Following the inchoon, there was a brief reception, there was a brief reception, there was a brief reception, there was a brief reception. From the Box, jum atsuius of Lincoln. From the proceeded to West Grauge, here he appeared at a feecetion farmed by the East Country Chinacel in the Country Chinacel in the East C

## NORDICA STRICKEN ON EVE OF OPERA

Stellar Role of Wagner

Classic in Boston.

Besion, Mass., Feb. 12.—Stricken, with acutte neuritis and recked with pain, Mms. Lillian Nordica lies in her hotel in-night in a serious condition. This revent gabe was in a bave superated by the serious condition. This revent gabe was in a bave superated by the serious condition. This revent gabe was in a bave superated as Isolde in the opening performance of a great Wagnerian, Isolies arranged by Forector Russell, of the Boston, or the Boston of the serious condition. This revent gabe was in a bave superated as Isolde in the opening performance of a great Wagnerian, Isolies arranged by Forector Russell, of the Boston opening the best of the second was in 190 at the old lifets the second was in 190 at the old l

any fath now work and the chal-kenge of Mins Adelade Pablem, of Chi-cago, the bareness said:
"I haven't heard from Miss Pablem, and if I do receive a challenge from her

and if I do receive a challenge from her I will prebably decline it.

'I am very much disappointed with American feeding regulations and I will not meet another American woman inless there are foreign judges present. All of my fencing has been done abroad. I was ignoreant of American regulations, and that is why I lost. A foreign femere has no opportunity to show her ability in America.

Philadelphia, Feb. 12-Mrs. W. M. Dewar, the Philadelphia femior, took emphatic insue to-night with the Baronem de Meyer, and asserted that the baronem can be suffly informed on all the points of the game as known in the United States, and that she had been fairly defeated.

### WOMAN HYSTERICAL IN AN AEROPLANE

New York, Pcb. 12.—Struggling with an hysterical woman 1,000 feet above the earth, and with his engine out of order because the gasoline had frozen in the carbureter, George W. Healty, the aviator, brought his aeroplane and passenger, Mrs. William A. Dunlap, nafely to the ground to-day, after: perhaps, the most earling iru of his career. Mrs. Dunlap had been anatous for a long time to make a fight and Reatty seread in is arch, and with his engine cut of order to because the gasoline had frozen in the carbureter, George W. Bentty, the aviation of the carbureter, George W. Bentty, the aviation of the ground to-day, after, perhaps, the ger, Mra. William' A. Dundap, safely to it aground to-day, after, perhaps, the most exciting true of his carper. Mra. Dundap had been analous for a long time to make a flight, and Beatty agreed to take her up this afternoon. They had been in the air ten minutes and were at an elevation of 1,000 feet when Beatty moticed that his engine was minsing. As he started on a long side for the field, Mrs. Dundap in period that something was wrong and began to seream at the top of her voice, and was with difficulty restrained in her east. By alternately watching his passenger and steering gear and holding Mrs. Dundap is steed after recovering from her hysteria that nather gold nor precious atones would ever notice her existing that that nather gold nor precious atones would ever notice her exist. By alternately watching his passenger and steering gear and holding Mrs. Dundap is her east to the cart in a flying machine.

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reat of the dynamiters manued in the in-diampoils grand fory indictments is plan-ued by the government to-morrow, ne-cording to a rumor emanating from high official quarters to-day. It is now said that the number of the indicted mea-will reach fire-four.

will reach fitte four.

No list of those indicted has been made public, but it is rumored that the flet will include a labor leader in Boston, several each in New York, Cleveland, can Detroit, five in Chicago: one each in Peoria, Nr. Louis, Kansas City, New Orleans, Publiadelphia, Milwaukee, Hartford, Buffalo, Cincinnati, and about five in Indianapolia.

### BROKER SELIGMAN COMMITS SUICIDE

New York, Feb. 15.-Estranged fro

# BARONESS DE MEYER, HILL IN ROLE OF

Magnate Tells of Turning Ore Lands Over to Railroad for Shareholders.

HIS PROFIT MODEST

Proves Best Drawing Card of All Witnesses Before Stanley Steel Committee.

James J. Hill yesterday entertained the Stanley Steel committee and an audience composed of 5,000 or 4,000 persons with a story of philanthropy that caused every one present to set up in open-cycle wonderment. In a matter of fact tone, as if he were discossing the weather or the signs of the times. In Northwest railiness builder told the story of how he acquired ore lands in the Messha region that he now values at 500,000,000 for a more bagatelle of \$4,500,000. These or lands, Mr. Hill testified under oath, counting an area of 30,000 acres, were formerly the property of Wright & Davis, mee'ty the property of Wright & Davis.

Is Fifteen Minutes Early. Is Fifteen Minutes Early.

Mr. Hill was summoned by the committee to tell about the relations between the Fill sud the Steel roads in the Mreabs country, and also to narrate the circumstances under which the United States Steel Corperation, represented by J. P. Morgan, acquired the Hill erroperties under leave. Mr. Hill summones was returnable at 1820 o'cluck yes-

## UNWISE TO REFUND ANY CANAL TOLLS

Secretary Stimson Concludes Not to Show Partiality to United States Shippers.

It became know here last night that Secretary of War Stimson has reached the conclusion that it will be unnocessary and unwise, as a matter of policy, for the United States to refund tolls to be paid by American vessels passing through the Panama Canal. The Secretary reserves with this conclusion his strong conviction that the United States has both legal and moral right, despite the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, to remit to American vessels the amount of tolls paid, either in whole or in part. Both President Taft and Secretary Stimson have repeatedly asserted the right of the government to refund tolls paid by American ships, and it has been the general impression that the administration would strongly insist upon the exercise of this right. The definite announcement of Mr. Stimson's views materially alters the aimation. Investigations made by Prof. Entory R. Johnson, the trade expert who has been for years delving this the facilities and conclusions. Prof. Johnson has reported that he, finds that the advintages of the canal to American construices will be so great that thers will be so made to such vensels. He finds that the single will be in a position to compete with the transcontinents rationals in the matter of rates, and that to give the stipowners the admittional bounty of a refund of earnal tolk would not require the rates, but only put additional profits in their packets.

FERRONITION CORES TRUE

Less significant properties of the subject of the subject

## **ENGLISH LORD NOT** WORRIED OVER WAR VALET TO APPEAR

same, 'said Lord Stattace. 'I have been away on leave for a few months, and most of my time I spent in the country. All this German war scars is merely newspaper talk, and affects only a very small contingent of the English people. In the country I do not think there is I ber cent of the population that either inows or care about Germina,' 'The British mobileman's higgage included eighteen transk, two boxes of saiddles, and several guns and other sportman's equipment.

# ENGLAND SNEERS

AT GRMAN NOTE

Agreement Between America and Berlin Regarding China Given's commonth, spent in a John's cell. He may have present the spent of the first the covered on his beart that he between China by Press.

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# IN MEXICAN REVOLT GOMPERS AGAIN

hay.

The federal troops are all occupied in Maceios and Chinuabus and are unable to handle to thination in Oaxaca and Vera Cruz.

Army officials admit that the conscription beginning March 1 will fail to gain more men for the army.

### G. VON L. MEYER JR. BREAKS HIS LEG

F. E. Brandt, Former Schiff Servant, Leaves Dannemora Jail Guarded by Keeper.

EXPECT MORE SURPRISES

Grand Jury Will Start Searching Investigation to Sift Conspiracy Charge.

AT GERMAN NOTE

New York, Feb. 12.—Fooths ff. Brands will return to New York early to-moreover mentage after five years, lacking two minuths, spent in a felon's cell. He will come handcurfor to a prison supper, but practically assured of his day in count. The former Schill valet will return with the conviction in his heart that Tally Jedgment will be massed upon his case.

Mexico City, Feb. 12.—One incumants

Zapatists, all moncombatant suspects,
were hilled in the state of Morelos this
week, according to figures on record in
the war department.

Twelve thousand Gazaca Indians of the
same tribe to which Dian's mother belonged rose in arms to-day. Their leader,
Hellodoro Dian Glintas, has demanded

Haled Before the "Narren
Sitzung."

letitoduro Diaz Qlintas, resulteridad policies de la companya de l upon it by some authorities, at the an-nual fools' session, or Narres Sitzung, of the Saengerbund last night. This event attracted to that temple of muse Narren or "fools" of all ages, sizes, and sexes. "Go to" was an appeariate term, be-cause the surreinplings suggested it. The bund half represented the kingdom of his stante majesty. Mophisophelian masks and the everlasting fames form-ther the feederation, into which the

## Events Leading to Republic.

First shot in the Chinese revo-lution fired at Wu Chang, Octo-ber 11, 1911. Revolutionists prociaim a re-

ber 11, 1811.

Revolutionists proclaim a republic October 14.

Yuan Shih Kai made premier of the empire in order to crush out the anti-Manshua, November 1.

Dr. Wu Ting-lang appeals to the world in behalf of the Chinese republic, November 16.

Dr. Sun Tat Sen elected President of the Republic of China, December 12.

Edict announcing abdication as

Edict announcing abdication of imperial family promulgated, February 12, 1912.

## END MANCHU RULE; REPUBLIC IS BORN

Numerous Edicts Are Issued as China's Royal Family Abdicates

of his salanic majesty, Mephistophedian masks and the everienting fines from the peaceful hond of harming and song had been transformed for the occasion. The portsetts of the grand old masters of music and song bore the red mask and the intensiferation of the farm of the description. One of the Narre cifed-before the fools tribunal, with Albert Lepper products of the "Ga to" champion.

One of the Narre cifed-before the fools tribunal, with Albert Lepper products as the champion fool judge, was a farmed Compert, president of the American Federation of Labra and an old member of the bind. He meskly obeyed the summons and, goards by the prempted rataff of the imps, Ohja Leessu and Bertha Nils, made his way hastily to the cabirest, which was suspended over the Nalls, made his way hastily to the cabirest, which was suspended over fames of suppure and brimatone, and explained his conduct for the pase year.

"My life," said My. Gompers, "has been occured with work of a serious nature, and yet it has not been hereful."

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## TAFT DELEGATES IN ALL SECTIONS

Messages to White House Report Accessions to President's Cause.

ENCOURAGED BY NEWS

Meanwhile the La Follette Headquarters Gives Indication of Renewed Activity.

President Taft's managers are still

No provides has yet been made for Dr. Sun Tat Son. For the present legations will deal unofficially with Yuan Shih Kal's government until the republic recognition in expected as soon as the cabinet is formed. Official confirmation of the press dispatches of yesterday, stating that the Chinese Emperor had abdicated the Chinese Emperor had abdicated the Chinese Emperor had abdicated the Sixts Department, but officials there are giving utmeat credence to the published accounts of the abdication.

The issuance of the edicts of abdication will be compared to the published accounts of the abdication.

The issuance of the edicts of abdication will relieve the stituation in China very consulderably, department officials believe. In fact, they regard the news of this afternoon as marking the end of the craise in China, at least for the present.

It is pointed out that the way is now at the confinite trumo for the republican covernment. The position of the republicant to account to get the properties of their interests, as they have wen practically everything they sought from the throne.

NEW PROCESS MAKES

BODY TRANSPARENT

Berlin, Peb. 12.—Prof. Shaleholz bas after death, owing to the echonicals used the form and entering a new process by which the human body can be reedered transparent. As yet it is only possible to treat bodies after death, owing to the chemicals used to the first of the control of the control of the progressive designation.

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a declar's method in to impregnate body with figuids that refract with the sometime of the process to the manner of the previous system of them. It is Senator Chap and Senator in the figuids that refract with exception of the previous system of them. It is Senator to find the manner of the previous system of them. It is senator to induce him mine visible. Two contiplented organic micels are used, and the mixture it to be varied with the age of the by the senator of the previous system of the progressive came here two days ago, direct from a contenence with Col. Roosevelt, and spent forty-eight hours quietly trying to bring the contenence went conditions, the military and Mrs. Knox Start on