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 all his time inspecting Harriman properties, and none other. He looked the steel bridge over with greatest care, commented on the inconvenient approach from the East Side; looked through the Union Depot from roof to basement, strolled through the Northern Pacific Terminal Company's yards for an hour or so, accompanied by C. A. Goodnow, the man who supervised the construction of the Pacific Coast extension of the Milwaukee.
 These facts, together with the failure of United States Express Company, the Wells-Fargo people and the Milwaukee officials to deny the absorption of the latter system by the Wells-Fargo, adds strength to the theory that the Milwaukee holdings in the Puget Sound country, the Oregon & Washington (Union Pacific) extension to the Sound, and the Grays Harbor projects of both systems are to be owned and operated in common by the Harriman and Rockefeller systems.

DINNER FOR TAFT.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Plans are being completed for a dinner under the auspices of the Yale Club of New York to be held at the Waldorf-Astoria on March 19 at which W. H. Taft will be the guest of honor. This will be Mr. Taft's first visit to New York after his inauguration and it is in accordance with an arrangement made more than a year ago when he agreed to attend a Yale dinner in New York some time during the Winter of 1908. Because of press of business the time was extended. A thousand or more Yale alumni will be present.

MOVEMENT OF ALIENS.

More Have Gone Out Than Have Come In.
 WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 18.—The inward and outward movement of aliens for the 12 months ending with November, 1908, the figures of which were made public today by the Department of Commerce and Labor, indicate that the emigration has been greater than the immigration.



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WILL EXTEND ITS INFLUENCE TO EVERY STATE IN THE UNION.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 18.—The national tariff commission adjourned today after a session which the officials and delegates assert has marked a new epoch in the tariff making in this country. The convention resolved by unanimous vote that their laborers shall not end with merely a demand for a tariff commission. A permanent organization was formed to continue the work and will extend its influence to every state and particularly to Washington. The chairman of the permanent organization selected by Chairman Van Cleave are: J. E. Miles, Racine, Wis.; one of the executive committee, and John Herbert of Dayton, Ohio. Van Cleave was chosen by the convention as permanent chairman of the organization. The principal speaker today was D. A. Tompkins of North Carolina, who addressed the convention as follows:
 Asserting that the present method of making the tariff is a sort of scramble about once every ten years and advocating the commission plan under which the tariff might be in process of revision all the time, D. A. Tompkins, of Charlotte, N. C., delivered a notable address here today before the tariff conference.

Mr. Tompkins discussed the general subject of revenue, analyzing in round figures the cost of running the various departments of the Federal government and defining the three principal ways provided by the constitution for raising revenue.
 "It may be said that the federal government of the United States of America," said Mr. Tompkins, "requires about one thousand million dollars per year of revenue to pay the expense of conducting the Government, divided principally as follows: the army, \$100,000,000; the navy, \$125,000,000; pensions, \$150,000,000; public works \$125,000,000."

"Separate from this expense of the general Government," he continued, "the state governments also cost money.
 We may assume that the state governments cost in the aggregate another thousand million dollars a year. It is provided in the Federal Constitution that the Federal Government may raise revenue principally in three ways:

- (1) By internal revenues on whiskeys and tobacco and a few other items and by revenue stamps on documents when necessary.
- (2) By tariffs on imports.
- (3) By direct tax upon the States in proportion to their population.

"The States all raise revenue by direct tax upon the people and the property of the state by license fees, etc. The revenues of the Federal Government have always been raised by means of internal revenues and tariffs on imports. With the burden of State and County taxes already upon them, it would be difficult to persuade the people to submit to another direct tax at the hands of the Federal Government.
 "Therefore, it may be assumed that a tariff on imports is now and will continue to be one of the most important methods of raising the Federal revenues. Therefore, if this be true, we can have no free trade and if we must have an import duty, it is simply a question of how it should be laid. We might put a uniform percentage tax upon all imports. Let us say that 10 per cent might be enough to raise the revenues required. Under this plan everything coming into the United States would be taxed. Tea, coffee, sugar, silks, steel rails, plate glass,—everything would pay the 10 per cent duty.
 "We all know that it would be a better plan to have tea and coffee on the free list and make some other things pay a higher tariff. We all know that in some lines of industry a higher tariff would not only benefit the industries in the United States but would make indirect benefits sometimes almost incalculable. Therefore we perceive that a tariff may be laid so as to benefit the American people and it may be laid in ways that submit the American people to an unfair price.
 "Let us take the cases of the tariff on coarse cotton goods," continued the speaker, "Fifteen years ago there was over production of cotton; the price was 5 cents per pound. Wages throughout the cotton growing district were very low and work difficult

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THE SUBLIME TRAIT.

Mother and Twins Give an Illustration of the Great Passion.
 NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Standing on the grating of a fire escape with a four-story tenement burning behind her, Mrs. Mary Colt, an East Side mother, held a twin in each arm and was unable to descend to safety last night. A hysterical crowd of men and women looked up from the street below, expecting to see all three perish or perhaps the more terrible sight of the mother in a frenzy throwing her children to the pavement. A policeman, quick to realize the situation, climbed up the fire escape and stood on the grating one floor below the woman and children. Then in response to his cries, the mother was persuaded to drop the little ones one after the other, through the opening in the fire escape platform. The little tots landed safely in the policeman's arms. They are but three months old. The mother was then assisted down.

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