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## C.N. BLISS JR., ON THE STAND

About Standard Oil Contributions.

### TAFT AND ROOSEVELT LETTERS SUBMITTED

Senate Committee Given Epistles of a "Personal and More or Less Intimate Nature.

Washington, Sept. 30,-The senate executor of his father's estate. He guilty parties had been found out.

Taft, written May 6, 1964, urged Bliss A letter from Roosevelt of the same the books of the treasurer's office to he destroyed because he believed the dents will be given to the papers. records to be useless. They con-

W. H. Libby, foreign representative of the Standard Oil, was the next

The committee made public a letter from President Roosevelt to the elder Bliss, dated March 26, 1906, making specific denial that he had ever been influenced for or against any persons or interests as a result of contributions in the 1904 cam-

Committee Has Broad Powers invested the sub-committee with the broadest power to go into congressional and presidential campaign contributions. All the witnesses selected for the first week of the inquiry, however, have been called upon specific charges of John D. Archbold that the Quincy, III., Sept. 20.—Sensational of R. It will not do for the choice Standard Oil company gave \$100,000 developments are promised by the poquestions connected either with the

H. Hooker of the progressive national Robbery was not the motive, regarding the Roosevell campaign committeemen pect to extend their investigation with each witness, however, into any other

he may be familiar.

The investigating committee is a sub-committee of the senate privileges and elections committee. Senator Chapp, the chairman, is a progressive; Senators Oliver of Pennsylvania and near Payson, 16 miles southeast of Jones of Washington are republicans. Senator Jones probably will not be present. He is in the west.

### CHARLES WEBB

Son of Mrs. J. A. Webb of Asheville Dies at His Home in Fort

Information was received here last business and where he had lived for the past 15 years. After leaving Asia-wille the deceased resided for several years in Texas. The family was noticed of his illness Priday, and D. H. Webb, his brother, left Saturday for Fort Smith, where he arrived last night. He immediately telegraphed back that his brother was dead. The interment will be at Fort Smith.

Mr. Webb will be remembered by a Miss Pfanschmidt's face was badly

the son of Mrs. J. A. Webb of this city, by when he is survived. There has anytive the widow and one child; two brothers, D. H. Webb and W. A. Webb of this city; three sisters, Miss Estelle Webb of Asheville, Mrs. Robert Weaver of Weaverville and Mrs. J. A. Garrett of Newport, Tenn.

Lynn Strikers Attack Police.
Lynn, Mars., Sopt., 40.—A clash between the Lynn police and strikers occurred here when a man waving a regl and black flag was arrested and tim crowd attempted to rescue him. Several policionen were assunited and three arrests were made. Three hundred striking shoe operatives headed to three women, marshed through the hundred scriting shoe operatives headed to three women, marshed through the hundred scriting these at whick to incide opened argues these at whick to

## Could Not Remember Having REPORT ON HAZING MADETOTRUSTEES

Dr. Venable Says 12 Spectators of Rand Affair Were Suspended.

Raleigh, Sept., 30,-Dr. Francis P. Venable, president of the state university today told the executive committee of the trustees of the results of the investigation into hazing at the the Syracuse convention with the institution this fall and last spring, deepest interest because I realize its Rand made it easier for the faculty critical importance to the to secure evidence. The faculty committee devoted eight meetings and sub-committee today resumed its in- many hours to making use of every it very plain to every friend from vestigation of the presidential cam-paign contributions. Cornelius N. students, Dr. Venable said, but ad-Bliss, jr., the first witness, said he was ded that it was improbable all the

1904 campaign fund appeared in his sion took place before the opening of

The affair in which Rand was killed its own choice. to take the chairmanship, saying the was witnessed by 12 others, Dr. Ven- "I believe that it is ready to choose president was "most anxious" for it. able said, and these have been sus- a progressive man of a kind to be A letter from Roosevelt of the same pended, only three of the sophomores his own master and to adopt a plat-date also urged him to take the place, being active in the affair. Dr. Ven-form to which men of progressive Under cross-examination the witness able reiterated that the laws of the principles everywhere can heartly said: "Father told me he allowed university forbid hazing. Dr. Venable subscribe if only it be left free from said no list of names of suspended stu- personal control of any sort.

The executive committee is this aft- York are ready to serve the nation ernoon hearing appeals from the ac- and amounts of the various contributors."

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### FOUR PERSONS MURDERED AND HOUSE SET AFIRE

The LaFollette-Penrose resolution Evidence of Crime Found in where look to it to set an example Ruins of Remote Illinois Home.

to Colonel Reconvelt's campaign in lice investigating the quadruple murany less free than that which gave 1994; the allegations that E. H. Har. der en the Pfanschmidt farm. If no the third party Mr. Straus and the plant of the colone than the colone than that E. H. Har. der en the Pfanschmidt farm. If no the third party Mr. Straus and the party Mr. Straus and the colone than that E. M. arrests are made tought a regular regular regular regular. riman raised a \$249,000 fund at Mr. arrests are made tonight a reward regular republican party Roosevelt's request; or the financing will be offered for the morderers Hedges." Roosevelt's request; or the financing will be offered for the morderers. of Colonel Roosevelt's campaign this Bloodhounds have ben placed on the Despite the fact that thoutrail. The witnesses for Tuesday, William sands visited the scene Sunday, the Flinn of Pittsburgh, and Treasurer E. scent was fresh enough for the dogs. The witnesses for Tuesday, William gands visited the scene Sunday, the headquarters; Senator Dixon, who ap-pears Wednesday and Mr. Morgan wife, 16 years old daughter and a Thursday, and will be questioned first old school teacher, who were murdered, were not accustomed to have

money in the house. campaign fund matters with which that Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pfanschmidt, their 16 years old daughter, Blanche and Miss Emma Kaemper 21 years old, a teacher, whose charred bodies were found yesterday in the

Quincy, were murdered. One thing that led the state's atturney to investigate is the fact that the only stove on the premises was not in the residence, but in a small day. Charles F. Murphy is insisting come structure adjoining the main

Pfanschmidt was wealthy. Miss contractor.

night that Charles Webb, who left was set on fire to bide the crime-this city in 1885, died yesterday after- While the bodies of the victims were noon in Fort Smith, Ark., where he charred almost beyond recognition, was engaged in the wholesale grocer? the head of Miss Kaempen was pre-business and where he had lived for served. At the top of the skull was

ture of their death.

## WILSON OPENLY AGAINST GOV. DIX

Insists That Tammany Keep Hands off at Syracuse Convention.

Sea Girt, Sept. 20,-Governor Vilson issued a statement last night calling upon delegates to the New ork state democratic convention at Syracuse next Tuesday to choose a candidate for governor "a progressive man of the kind to be his own master." He likewise urged a progressive platform.

Governor Wilson's statement in full follows:

"I have been looking forward to throughout the nation and I have made my own opinion in regard to New York who has done me the hon or to consult me.

"I have not said anything in pub-He about it or through the newspathe university, in the South building, pers because I wanted to avoid even Bliss read his father's letter of A freshman was made to dance, but the appearance of doing what I conresignation as treasurer of the republican committee. The letter said the more, ran the hazers out. The second tate what a great party organization committee's receipts in 1900 had been instance was on Monday evening, dur-should do, what candidates it should a triffe below \$3,000,000, in 1896 \$3,- ing registration in the Carr building, choose, and what platforms it should 500,000, in 1892 \$1,500,000. The witness delivered to the committee three
other letters of "a personal and more or less intimate nature" from former
were afraid of the seniors and left, the whole country demands and ex-President Roosevelt and the then sec- The dancing was done the next even-retary of war, Mr. Taft. The one from ing.

delegates of the great state of New 10 serve it with intelligence. the affair. Most of the appellants are their action. No intelligent party accompanied by fathers or brothers. leader can justly or wisely or even

intelligently condemn or reject the pinion and honest organization by as power to keep them free and un-

a critical turning point in its his- he lenient with them." The whole country awaits its action at Syracuse with deep attenuion and concern. Democrats every and vindicate the fair name of the rest should be thoroughly and imparparty. They will feel the chill and t listues the judgment very keenly if the it should fall them and will be stirred eliminate," said he, "and one or the by added hope and enthusiasm if it other is needed," should accomplish what is expected

## UNDER MURPHY'S CONTROL

Quincy, Ill., Sept. 30.—It is believed Tammany Leader Can Control 400 Votes in the Syracuse Convention.

Syracuse, Sept. 30 .- Delegates are gathering here today for the democratic state convention, beginning Tueson the renomination of Governor Dix, although the other leaders are trying Kaempen was a daughter of a Quin- to persuade him that this would mean the loss of many county tickets. Mur Developments indicate that all four phy and his friends are said to conwere murdered and that the home irol 400 of the 450 votes in the con-

#### MEARES CHALLENGES CRAIG TO DEBATE

Progressive Candidate Also Invites Settle to Join in "Old Fashoined Political Drag-out."

Gazette-News Bureau, Daily News Building, Greensboro, Sept. 30.

Iredell Meares has challenged Locks Mr. Webb will be remembered by a burned but the back of her head was craig for a joint campaign of the large number of friends here. He was not touched by the fire. It bors a state in the campaign for the government of Mrs. J. A. Webb of this gash several inches across. The bodies or ship, in view of the refusal of Mr. of the two older persons had been Craig to accept the challenge of burned too hadly to indicate the naare of their death.

Indications are that the crime was writes at length setting forth reasons committed late Priday night. The why he shad Mr. Craig should take the telephone wires were cut and relatives of Miss Kasmpen in Quincy who tried to reach the Pfanschmidt home Saturday were unable to get the record of the democratic party has been at fault, Mr. Meares culls as been at fault, Mr. Meares culls as briefer. Bloodhounds are being used by the sheriff in an effort to trace the trace the trace the purposes. The resord of the democratic party has been at fault, Mr. Meares culls as brought to St. Leo's hospital here as knock-down and drag-out." He said that he was shot sated his willington, Sept. 36.—The treasury department today abolished four thermal revenue districts. Inclinding the South Carolina district, Micah J. Jenking, callector, which was marged with the Raleigh district.

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University Graduate Urges an Investigation of President's Handling of Student Body.

ASSERTS FAVORITISM IS DEMORALIZING

Wrongdoing of Youths Able to Bring Influence to Bear Condoned Says W. R. Edwards.

special to The Gazette-News,

High Point, Sept. 30,-W. R. Ed nonds, a young lawyer of this city and a graduate from the University of North Carolina, in a lengthy interview, has made an expose of interna conditions on the university campus in the last few years, and charged President F. P. Venable with the responsibility for an atmosphere of unrest and for the freedom from straint which obstreperous students have exhibited in recent days by hazing, one result being the death of Edmonds reviewed in incident that happened in February, 1910, at which time, he said, the spirit of unrest and

disorderly conduct originated. resident and his executive committee ommitted an act that discredited stu ient self-government and that placed the student body and the president at oggerheads, this act being named a the reinstatement of a student who had been tried by the student council and expelled for alleged cheating dur ing an examination. He said that since that incident there have been others of even more significance b their effect and of more concern to the welfare of the institution.

"There have been matinees," said Mr. Edmonds, "of 1 of the concern-in condemned habits and disorderly onduct being expelled by the faculty only to be reinstated immediately which parties can be led to concerted thereafter without rhyme, reason o action but the must do everything in regularity. It is common belief by those on the campus that the promi nence of these students and their so-"The democracy of New York is clai connections led the president to

At another time Mr. charges that somebody was "ecleep at the switch," He stated that the core of the trouble and of the internal untally investigated and be made pub-"Such action will exonerate or

## NAME COUNTY TICKET

T. P. A. of North Carolina Demand Betterment of Hotel Accommodations.

Gazette-News Bureau, Daily News Building, Greensboro, Sept. 30. The progressives of Guilford coun ty met here Saturday afternoon and after adopting a platform calling for reforms in state and county govern-ment, and especially calling attention to the present road law, nominated a full county and legislative ticket. Addresses were made during the convention which teemed with progressive oplimism and ridicule of the positions of both the democrats and republicans. There were about 20 delegates in attendance but what the conven tion lacked in members was appar ently made up in enthusiasm. following ticket was nominated with out discussion and by acclamation; D. J. Hendricks, sheriff; V. M. Kirkman, egister of deeds; J. G. Hodgin, treas urer; W. B. Trodgen, surveyor; Dr. S. Coe, coroner; J. A. Hoskins, W. L. Hustines, J. D. Hodgin, Charles E. Starr and Edwin Clodfeller, commissioners. W. C. Shaw was nominated for the state senate and E. E. Far-lowe and Edwin S. Wilson for the

ower house of the general assembly At a meeting here Saturday night of the executive board of the North arolina division of the Travelers Pro tective association a report was sub-mitted recommending demand for bet terment of hotel accommodations in North Carolina and requesting hote proprietors to co-operate with the as-sociation against the tipping evil. Th

# WELGOME TO T.B.

Indications That Auditorium Will Be Crowded to Hear Progressive Leader.

Special to The Gazette-News. Raleigh, Sept. 30 .- Col. Theodor. toosevelt will find a warm welcome in Raleigh when he arrives tomorrow night for a short speech in the auditorium, President Albert L. Cox of the chamber of commerce having named a committee to see that he is properly entertained. Colonel Roose velt will outline his platform to Raieigh people, and from the number of ersons who have indicated an inter est in his speech the auditorium will be crowded. The Christian soldiers candidate for governor. Hon, Iredell Meares, spoke here Saturday to an audience of 60 Hon. Thomas Settle will speak ne. . Saturday night.

The Boyler-Pearce company, one of state's largest dress goods stores, entered its new quarters today, a building three stories in height and erected by this company on Fayetteville street along the most modern plans For the present the company will continue to occupy its old stand, but as on as it moves all its goods, several charged other changes will be made by loca merchants.

There was much interest today in the report of Dr. F. P. Venable, president of the university, to the execu tive committee on the results of the William Rand. At some length Mr. Chapel Hill last year and this year As a result of this the four young men who hazed Isilly Rand were summa-rily dismissed and twelve others were spended for a year. From Chape He recalled that at this time the Hill come protests at the action of the faculty, the juniors and sophe mores saying that it was the duty of the faculty to investigate conditions as they arise, not to go back into ancient history and punish offenders.

Estimates received by a Raleigh pa per from every district in the state in dicate that the democrats will win it North Carolina by a majority of from 55,00 to 75,000. The most conservative estimates, and these are by politi cians who know the situation, say that Mr. Craig will be elected governor b at least 50,000 majority. Those per with the mountain mound for his ections have little conception of the cel that Mr. Craig is due a greaonor at the hands of his party an they will rally to him as they hav ever rallied to another individual cisitors from the west say. In many nstances the republicans; nountains, where the prohibition sen timent is strong, will give their suppor o the democratic candidate. Many believe that Chairman Webb's esti mate of 75,000 majority, made at the opening of the campaign, will not eturns will justify his prediction.

The football season in North Caro lina will begin next Saturday When the better teams of the state will have their first classez of consequence. Th rom the Training ship Franklin in Raleigh, the university will play Davidson in Charlotte and Wake Forst will meet a rival on its It is believed that Wake grounds. Rorest will be a strong team this year, and that the Baptists will give Davidon, Carelina and A. and M. something

o do when they meet. The Wake county grand jury today egan an investigation into the death of Dan Gallagher, a convict, who died at the Nipper camp August 19, It was reported that Gallagher was whipped a few hours before his death. Officers not connected with the road work department say that Supervision Nipper has the toughest lot of convicts in the county, ave or six of them be ing hoboes who decline to work on one pretense or other. Hiness is feign ed on many occasions and the lash has been resorted to, but Mr. Nipper denies that he whipped Gallagher who was sent to the roads for drinking and who, the county physician says. died from heart trouble caused by liquor.

#### SAILOR SLAYS MAN HE SAYS STOLE SAVINGS

In Crowded Street Plunges Knife into Jugular Vein of Robbery Suspect.

Chicago, Sept. 30,-Michael Cooper sailor, who had been robbed of his myings two hours previous, darted across the street in front of a railway station here and plunged his knife ato the jugular vein of David Weath ers, a clerk, today. Weathers died in Cooper told the police Weather rob

### ROBBERY FRAME UP?

Watchmen "Overpowered by Masked Safe Blowers" in Chicago are Put Under Arrest.

Chicago, Sept. 10 .- Three masked eafe-blowers today overpowered two watchmen in the Empire theater blew open the safe in the orchestra pit and secured \$846. The watchmen were arrested after an investigation.

### New Parcels Post Stamps

Washington, Sept. 36.—Arrange-ments have been made by Postmaster General Hitchcock for the engraving deneral littercock for the engraving and manufacturing of a series of the 12 stamps, unique in size and novel in design, for exclusive use in the forwarding of packages by the new parcula post. Under the law recently enacted by congress ordinary stamps cannot be used for this purpose.

## RALEIGH PREPARES SERIOUS RIOT AT LAWRENCE

TERMS MARSHALL TOM TAGGART MAN

Colonel Assails Vice Presidential Nominee as Creature of Machine.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Sept. 30 .- Col. Roosevelt today criticized Wilson for essuming a lofty position of morality" in connection with the New York governorship when he had not obected to the nomination of Marshall as his running mate. He called Marshall "a Tom Taggart man, of the Taggart machine in Indiana, not one whit better than the Tammany machine in New York."

Roosevelt said the bosses had delibcrately shut out the people from the republican party. He assailed Goverfor Hooper and Senator Sanders. He ended a meeting of a Wilson-Hooper "He is carrying water on both houlders and some is being spilled," sald, adding that Sanders was one of those implicated in "stealing from he people the right to nominate their

The colonel addressed two large

### THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY CLAIMING RUTHERFORD

Hold Enthusiastic Mass Convention-A Former Democrat on the Ticket.

crespondence of The Gazette-News, Rutherfordton, N. C., Sept. 28 .his has been a red letter day in this weather was bad and the roads leading to town in a fearful condition bety, and to the tune of "Dixle" and currence ther familiar airs the crowd at 1 eve a campaign guess, but that the which had been sent out several days members of the I. W. W., who had ago for a mass meeting of all the ditizens in the county, regardless of A. and M. cleven will meet the team was then elected county chairman of promptu parade was started, turning the progressive party. There were then enthusiastic addresses made by Hamrick and others.

when a platform and resolutions were operatives were marching, attempted introduced and read by D. F. Mor- to end the demonstration. A squad of row and it was adopted with a whoop. A full county ticket was put in the field and from the signs it would across Essex stret and awaited the seem that the progressives will carry arrival of the procession. the county, they assert. It is generally conceded now that there will be no ticket put out-in this county by the only justice-freedom for Ettor and Taftites, as there is not more than a baker's dozen of them in the county. One of the strongest men put out by the progressives today, E. L. White- When the head of sides, a democrat, or one who has been so all his life, but says it is time to call a half-that ring rule and exwill eventually bankrupt the state.

ravagance in the democratic party Many leading and prominent democall for the meeting, and are said to and the mill workers tried to pass the e enthusiastic for the new party and police. or T. R. The resolution and platform fol-

Whereas, In all forms of government it is necessary that there should the a controlling power to direct the the officers of their clubs and began to be action of both state and nation, and beat the police. The latter were forced whereas in this country of ours we to retreat into Lawrence street. It was ciaim to have a republican form of here that Tresca was seized by officers government, and whereas under a who started with him towards the democratic-republican form of gov-ernment the unit is the citizen, the Angered by the arrest of their leadower is the combination of those mits and each has a sovereign right to voice his sentiment and to dictate o those who are to guide in public affairs how and what should be done and no man or set of men, he he or them, either democrat or republican, have the right to usurp this right and Now, therefore, be it resolved,

1. That in this the good old counof Rutherford, we, the people, asombled in mass meeting, do believe in majority rule, in any and all maters pertaining to public affairs.

2. That we denounce the action of democratic party in its attempt by the increase of officeholders, the increase of salaries, the increase of axes, and extravagance made of the outlie funds, to extend their political lines and thereby control the vote of Not Operated. ines and thereby control the vote of the state and county,

Disorder Begins with Conflict Between I. W. W.'s and Operatives Who Refused to Strike.

POLICE WIELD CLUBS IN CHARGING PICKETS

Several Injured, One Seriously -Two Officers Stabbed in the Sunday Disturbance.

Lawrence, Mass., Sept. 30.—Serious rioting occurred when promoters of the 24 hour strike ordered by the Industrial Workers of the World attempted to compel textile operatives aid Hooper took part in the forma-ion of a Taft-Hooper club and at-day's demonstration this morning. A dozen arrests were made for attacks on women and men. Some prisoners were found to be armed with revolvers and knives. A crowd of pickets before the Everett mills was so threatoning that the police charged, wielding clubs. Several were injured, one In another affray a boy seriously. was struck over the head with a bottle and knocked unconscious. leaders attributed the disturbance to irresponsible youngsters.

The strike is a protest against the mprisonment of Joseph J. Etter and Arturo Giovannatti, labor leaders, whose trial for murder began at Salem today. Fifteen were injured in the rioting. Of 20,000 operatives em-ployed, 12,000 are idle.

Police and paraders fought with knives and clubs yesterday prior to a demonstration by members dustrial Workers of the World, Two demonstrators were clubbed and an I W. W. leader captured after a hard tight and then freed. Only two arrests were made. One shot was fired from the ranks of the paraders.

Carlo Tresca of Pittsburgh, Pa., an editor who is an organizer of the inown for the bull moose or progres- dustrial workers, was in custody but sive party. Notwithstanding the gained his freedom a minute or two later. Persons who saw arrest said he was rescued by comrades. Tresca with a smile said the cause of the recent rains, the crowds police let him go. All of the police came from every quarter of the coun- professed to be ignorant of the oc-

The clash was quite unexpected. More than 20,000 operatives met at o'clock filed into the court house. More than 20,000 operatives met at when W. C. McRorie read the call the railroad station to welcome 700 come from Boston to participate in a parade to the graves of Anna Lopizzo former affiliations in politics, and in and John Ramy, who were killed durvery appropriate talk explained the ing the strike riots last January. After object of the meeting. Mr. McRorie the visitors had detrained, an imfinally into Essex street, the main business thoroughfare of the city. The M. M. Martin, D. F. Morrow, Fred parade was informal and no application had been made for a parade per The crowd became enthusiastic mit. The police, notified that the

> 25 officers was sent to Essex and Lawrence streets, where they threw a line Two large banners were carried by Giovanitti." The other bore the words:

"Police and militia" and below: "who When the head of the parade reached the line of officers it halted and an argument began. notified the marchers that they must disperse because they had no permit. Those in the front rank were endeavoring to fall back when suddenly the rats are reported to have signed the marchers in the rear pressed forward,

They struck right and left at the officers, who responded by swinging their clubs. Many paraders were knocked bleeding to the ground. some instances the marchers robbed

er the crowd made a rush for the officers. The police appeared to be fighting to hold the prisoner, but a moment or two later Tresca was at

liberty. During the light two Italians were arrested and taken to the statio house. As they were being taken through the door of the station a revolver shot was heard. It appeared to have been fired by some one in the crowd, but the operatives cried out that the police were shooting.

Later the crowd was driven through Lawrence street and on to the com-mon, where the paraders dispersed.

### AUGUSTA QUIET

2. We denounce bossism, ring rule, and minority demination in any party and stand for the doctrine, "Equal rights to ad and special privilexes to none."

4. That we believe in local self-covernment.

5. That we favor good roads for the county and are against the practice had in the county herotofore of spending money for road purposes among (Continued on page 6.)

Augusta, Ga., Sept. 30.—An investigation into the killing of three citizans by militiamen in the street car strike was begun today. The city is quiet and the patrol has been reduced to one company. Marital law is expected to be declared off today. It is also expected to be known whicher the company will caree to orbitration. Care are not running, by Major Levy's orders, owing to abstructions on the tracks.