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This the One Overshadowing Issue in the Present Campaign, Declares the Secretary.

COMPARES RECORDS

OF THE CANDIDATES

Occupied Republican Candidate Has Displayed Judicial, Executive and Legielative Ability of Highest Order,

New York, Oct. 29—That the one overabadowing issue in the present campaign, important as are the other questions, is which of the two candidates, William H. Taft or William J. Bryan, to best fitted to carry forward the work of the government, was the declaration of George B. Cortelyou, secretary of the trassury, in an address at Murray Hill Lyoeum tonight. Mr. Cortelyou, asked which of the two candidates will carry forward the work which the government has undertaken particularly with regard to the regulation of great corporate enterprises; which more likely to rally round him the elements which will make his administration a success, whether it round him the elements which will make his administration a success, whether it be in dealing with labor or capital, with white man or black man, with rich or poor, with high or low? "Granting sincerity of purpose and worthiness of motives to each is not a candidate whose life has been given to solving great problems, and to large accomplishments more likely to deal forcefully and successfully with the manifold questions of government than one who, however lofty his aim, however attractive his personality, has given no evidence of capacity or training for such work?"

Asked Secretary Cortelyon.

A correspondent of the News interviewed Gay Green, one of the directors and one of the largest stockholders of this company today, and among other this company today, and emong of the decretary of the Republican state executive comittees, spoken yesterday

BUSINESS CONDITIONS

IN SOUTH IMPROVING

Cotton Mill Will Start Up on So Declares T. J. Harkins, Start - Full Time If Taft Wins.

CONCERN EMPLOYS SOME TWO HUNDRED PEOPLE

Declares That in Every Position He Has Industrial Enterprise Views Bryan's Fifth, Eighth and Tenth Congressional Election With Alarm, and Places Large Orders Conditional on Taft's Success. Buncombe Republicans Are Confident.

THE LAST REPUBLICAN PRESIDENT FINLEY SAYS

BETTER THAN FOR 12 MONTHS HITCHCOCK'S GUESS TODAY is very popular and his friends, irrespec-

Washington, D. C., Oct. 29.-President Finley, of the Southern Railway Com- Henry C. Loudenslager, of New Jersey, pany, who has just returned to Washing- secretary of the national Republican weeks over the lines of the system, found evidences of improvement in business conditions and of a general disposition on the part of business men throughout the south to take a hopeful view of the future. Speaking of the information he had gathered on his trip, formation he had gathered on his trip, plexion of the national House is that it will show 227 Republicans and 164 Dem.

Mr. Finley said:

"Prices for pig iron are firmer. Southern furnaces, as a rule, have sold their
product up to the end of the year, and
the increasing number of inquiries for
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will soon be placed for business during national committee, said late today that the coming year.

"Lumber is more active than for some of the electoral vote tomorrow. He "Lumber is more active than for some months past. Especially is this true of the grades shipped in box cars. The present demand will be augmented by increased requirements from railways, principally for car repairs, as some of the railways are contracting with car companies for some of their heavier recompanies for some of the statement would include the state

companies for some of their heavier repair work.

"One of the most encouraging signs of reviving industrial activity is the interesting movement of steam coal to interest the interest of the coal to interest the interest of the coal to interest in the coal to the coal to interest in the coal to the coal to the coal to interest in the coal to the coal t dustrial centers. The unusually warm there,

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SECRETARY OF MANCHESTER, VA., COLONIAL DAMES MAKE REPAIRS OKLAHOMA ASSOCIATION WILL TO LAST RESTING PLACE OF NATION'S ANCESTORS.

Richmond, Va., Qct. 28.—Matthew Morton, secretary of the Manchester water department, across the river, committed suicide today by stabbing himmalf to the heart wish a knife. There had been a seanglal in the water department, consument and the superintendent, Charles H. Sharpe, is under indictment for misappropriation of funds.

Muskogee, Okla., Oct. 29.—The Texas and Oklahoma Horse Thief Association, or the American Federation of the old Washing himmalf to the heart wish a knife. There had been a seanglal in the water department, across the river, committed suicide today by stabbing himmalf to the heart wish a knife. There had been a seanglal in the water department, across the river, committed suicide today by stabbing himmalf to the heart wish a knife. There had been a seanglal in the water department, across the river, committed suicide today by stabbing himmalful to the heart wish a knife. There had been a seanglal in the water department, across the river, committed suicide today by stabbing himmalful to the heart wish a knife. There had been a seanglal in the water department, across the river, committed suicide today by stabbing himmalful to the heart wish a knife. There had been a seanglal in the water department, across the river, committed suicide today by stabbing himmalful to the heart wish a knife. There had been a seanglal in the water department, caross the river, committed suicide today by stabbing himmalful to the heart wish a knife. There had been a seanglal in the water department, caross the river, committed suicide today by stabbing himmalful to the heart wish a knife. There are not the state of Virginis, held today the organized to reveal the restriction of the old Washington graveyard at Watefield, in West and the numerical time of the restriction of the same than the mister of general transmitted to the part of the American Federation of the care water to the mister the mister of general transmitted to the mister of the American Federation of the care water to mister the mister of the S

Letter Family Secrets Are Bared at Hearing in Court

tary Republican State E tive Committer

REASONABLE CEPS ATY FOR THP JONGRESSMEN

Districts Are Out of the Doubtful Columns-Excellent Chance for a Republican Majority in Legislature.

These are the words of T. J. Harkins, secretary of the Republican state execu-

personality, has given no evidence of capacity or training for such work?"

Asked Secretary Corteiyou.

Mr. Cortelyou then reviewed at some length the records of Judge Taft and length the records of Judge Taft and

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Continued on Page Three. dgment, not merely talking for effect "Take the Tenth Congressional dis-

rict, for instance. Grant, the Repubican candidate, has Crawford on the run and the latter is becoming decidedly uneasy. He has reason to be. On the other hand, Grant says he is morally certain of election. He is making an individual canvass of the entire district, and, it is safe to say, has done some very effective work. He makes himself personally acquainted with the voters, talks directly to them and with them Southern Rallway Head Finds Indicasions of Betterment on Last
Inspection Tour.

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Italks directly to them and with them and with them and with them and has been over nearly every foot of and wherever they have spoken they have spoken they and wherever they have been greeted with large crowds.

As an orator Mr. Settle probably has no equal in the state. He belongs to the grave. This much came to light:

When she and Lord Curzon returned to the grave. This much came to light:

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Inspection Tour.

"Cowles, in the Eighth, has even a better chance than Grant in the Tenth. He tive of party, are working in his interest with a concentrated zeal that cannot fail to produce the expected results. New York, Oct. 29 .- Representative

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the opposition, as parliament was adjourning tonight. While the House was

bills fluttered down from the stran-

gers' gallery at the opposite end of the



JOE LEITER.

AT AUDITORIUM BINK

Address People on Political Issues.

Tonight the Republicans of Guilford county will pull off the biggest event of the campaign in this county. Hon. J. Elward Cox, candidate for governor; Hon. John Motley Morehead, candidate for Congress, and Hon, Thomas Settle, candidate for elector at large, will hold forth at the Auditorium skating rink, and a large crowd will probably attend due him for back salary.

and people of this city are always anxious to hear him speak, even though many of them differ with him in poli-

FORMER EMPLOYE WINS PLUNGER "JOE" LEITER

Settle, Cox and Morehead Will Forces Young Millionaire to Pay Him \$416.66 Alleged to Be Due As Jack Salary.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 29.-Hugh Crabbe, formerly confidential secretary of Levi Z. Leiter, has been awarded a judg-Z. Leiker, has been awarded a judg-ment of \$416.66 by a jury in Judge Eber-hardt's court, against the Zeigler Coal Company, controlled by Joe Leiter, (realby eart the full amount for which

has been the admiration of the people of nificent London house, Carlton House North Carolina, Democrats and Repub. licans alike, for nearly twenty years. in a hotel and live inexpensively while Mr. Settle formerly lived in Greensboro waiting for funds to arrive from Amer-

Revelations showing the poverty of (Continued on Page Two.)

FOURTEENTH NATIONAL BULGARIAN ASSEMBLY OPENS AUTUMN SESSION

Emperor Ferdinand's Speech car was in the station when the Taft From the Throne Eminently Pacitic in Its Nature.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Oct. 28.—The fourteenth national Bulgarian assembly was convened for its autumn session this ernment.

A typical passage of the message is

the meeting.

Mr. Settle and Mr. Cox have can had discharged him because he feared wassed the greater portion of the state Crabbe would reveal secrets of the introvo October 5, and I count upon my limit to back salary.

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government. He mentioned his recent reception by Emperor Francis Joseph as proof of the benevolent attitude of Aus-

tria Hungary.

He closed by expressing the hope that Russia would not desert this new Slavish empire which was her own offspring. His majesty drove from the palace

to the parliament, and this was made the occasion of a brilliant military dis-A salute of twenty-one guns was fired

as the royal procession issued from the palace grounds. His majesty was everywhere greeted with enthusiastic cheers. The Empress had arrived twenty min-utes earlier and had taken her seat in sion in court today. the royal box.

awaited his majesty on the terrace fronting the Sobranje and led the way were delivered to a third party to be into the chamber, taking their places paid to Blake immediately after he was Cincinnati, O., Oct. 29.-Word has been around the foot of the throne. The King received by the police of Covington, Ky., read his speech. He then arose and unthat Ferris Simpson, a barber, was arrested at Haroldsburg today charged Bulgarian czardom and people," to which those gathered within the building heartily responded.

The Bulgarian national assembly is urday with the head severed is thought one of the most democratic legislatures to be that of Noble, of Jackson, Ky., in Europe. It is composed of a single who had served three years in the Unit- chamber and its members are elected di

REGEIVES

Cities and Towns Through New York Vie With Each Other in Honoring Candidate.

CLIMAX OF THE DAY REACHED AT SYRACUSE

Great Parade, Two Meetings and Overflow Constitute the Evening's Demonstrations-Continues His Bombardment of Bryan and His Policies.

Syracuse, N. Y., Oct. 29.-Republican cheers have sounded in the wake of the Taft train which today visited Lyons, Canandaigua, Geneva, Seneca Falls and Auburn. The climax was reached to-night in this city with a big parade, two meetings and an overflow, furnishing audiences of thousands which Judge Taft addressed.

There has been no lack of auditors and enthusiastic demonstration whereover the Ohian has tarried. Despite the heavy campaigning required of him yes-terday in Greater New York, he showed little effect of the strain. He has hit at the roots of what he calls the Democratic fallacies in every speech and has been free in expressing his optimism of what the result will be next Tuesday. Governor Hughes has been commended in strong language, likewise the remainder of the New York state ticket and the vice-presidential candidate.

Here tonight Judge Taft had the rival attraction of Mr. Bryan, whose special train arrived.

Judge Taft was resting when his train reached this city and was not disturbed until eight o'clock, the hour for his first BIGGEST EVENT IN COUNTY FAMILY SECRETS ARE BARED DEFENDS RECENT COURSE on automobile through the streets, escorted by several big marching clubs in

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BRIBER OF RUEF JUROR \$10,000 NOT TO TELL

Sensation Sprung in San Francisco Courtroom in Boodler Trial.

WIFE WEEPS AT CONFESSION

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 29 .- Standing in the shadow of the penitentiary, with sentence about to be passed upon him, and having seen his young wife just led from the courtroom hysterically crying "No, no," E. A. S. Blake, a contractor, convicted of attempting to bribe John M. Kelly to qualify on the jury to try Abraham Ruef, and vote for Ruef's acquittal, made a full confes-

Blake said that after he was arrest In his trip to the parliament building, the Emperor was escorted by platons of horse guards in bright red tunies with white plumes. The cabinet keep quiet. He said that notes for \$10,sentenced, if he were convicted of brib-ery. Besides this amount, Blake declared, his wife was to receive \$100 a month while he was in the penitentiary.

When Blake was called on today to and receive sentence his wife cried, "No. not that," and began to sob hysterically. She was led from the room. After motions for a new trial and a

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FEARING DISCLOSURES TOOK HIS OWN LIFE

WATER DEPARTMENT STABS HIMSELF TO DEATH.

HORSE THIEF CATCHERS IN VIRGINIA RESTORE AFTER NIGHT RIDERS

WAGE WAR ON MARAUDERS-AF-TER WHISKY PEOPLE.

House of Commons.

unusual course of temporarily closing and the male offender was unceremonious the strangers' and ladies' galleries in the ly ejected, but from the ladies' gallery nds were heard of a desperate strug-This was announced by the speaker

London, Oct. 28.—Suffragette distur- chamber, and a man shouted protests bances have driven the government to the against "injustice to women."

gle. Two suffragettes had firmly chainin response to a question from Premier for a time all efforts at removal, crying with the murder of Scipio Noble.

Asquith and Mr. Balfour, the leader of continuously in shrill tones their de A body found near Covington last mands for votes. Ten minutes later there was another discussing the licensing bill a sensation dramatic scene, a man in the strangers'

gallery flinging another bundle of bills

carry him bodily from the gallery. After a desperate struggle the attendants succeeded in ejecting the man: About the

liament building and fifteen of them were arrested. According to their companions, the whole thing was planned before hand ALABAMA NIGHT RIDER with great secrecy. One band was to demonstrate outside the building, an-other in the lobby of the House and a other in the lobby of the House and a Montgomery, Ala., Oct. 29. Deputy third in the gallery. The gallery contin- Insurance Commissioner A. C. Sexton.

HELD FOR MURDER OF MISSING SOLDIER

KENTUCKY BARBER ARRESTED ON SUSPICION OF BEING IMPLI-CATED IN CRIME.

ed themselves to the grille and resisted rested at Haroldsburg today charged A body found near Covington last Sat-

ed States army, and left home three rectly by the people. down upon the House and shouting: ed States army, and left home three down upon the House and shouting: weeks ago saying he would recenlist. When he left home he carried \$400 in relieve the unemployed?"

Attendants rushed upon him but he resisted fiercely the attempts made to near toxington. It was believed that he near Covington. It was believed that he had committed suicide, but later devel-

opments indicated murder. same time a large body of suffragettes learned that Simpson was with Noble made a demonstration outside the particle last time he was seen alive. This fact and that no money was found on the body led to Simpson's arrest.

STORIES FAKES, SAYS PROBER

gent numbered four, but it was attended after an investigation of some dozen or by many passive sympathizers. more cotton gin firms in the state, has

HEARING COMPLETE IN BUCKS STOVE CASE

ALL TESTIMONY AGAINST GOM-PERS, MITCHELL AND MORRISON IS NOW IN HAND.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 29 .- The taking of testimony in the case of Samuel tion of \$3,000 worth of plate glass was Compers, president; John Mitchell, vice- a feature of the damage done by the president, and Frank Morrison, secre- blowing up of the magazine of the Hamtary, of the American Federation of mond Mining Company at Gadsden, Ala., Labor, for alleged contempt of court last night. Property damage to the

DYNAMITE SMASHED \$3,000 WORTH OF GLASS

DESTRUCTION A FEATURE OF THE EXPLOSION OF MAGAZINE AT GADSDEN, ALA.

Birmingham, Ala., Oct. 29.-Destruc-

growing of a suit for injunction brought mining company was \$6,000. Arthur by the Bucks Stove and Range Company of St. Louis. Mo., was concluded today before the examiner.

The privilege of submitting testimony little frame powder magazine building. Eight cases of dynamite blew up, the crowd around the fire scattering in all

directions. It was thought for a few hours that the fatality list would be large, but thus far but one death has occurred, that of Henry Kiel, a foundry-man.