

FRIENDS WILL RUN COLONEL

FORMER LA FOLLETTE SUPPORTERS WILL GUID ETEDDY

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CANDIDACY TO COME FROM LIEUTENANTS

Colonel Is Not to Admit He Is Candidate but May Stipulate His Principles for Public's Benefit—La Follette May Disregard His Deserving Friends and Run Lone-Handed.

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♦ **VIRGINIA FOR TAFT.** ♦
♦ Norfolk, Va., Feb. 7.—Norfolk ♦
♦ county republicans today en- ♦
♦ dorsed President Taft. ♦
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New York, Feb. 7.—Theodore Roosevelt's candidacy for the republican presidential nomination will be announced soon. Definite statements that he is in the race will not come from Roosevelt but from progressive leaders who until now have been supporting La Follette. A formal announcement will be signed by George Breckard of New Jersey, Gifford and Ame Pinchot, former United States Senator Beveridge, Medill McCormick of Chicago and possibly Governor Johnson of California. All had a series of conferences here today during which they were continuously in communication with Roosevelt. It is understood Roosevelt has agreed to run "if drafted."

It is unknown what La Follette will do. He may be angry at the withdrawal of his support and make the race alone.

Give Principles, Not Candidacy.

It is stated that Roosevelt will not make a personal announcement of his candidacy but that he likely will make a public announcement outlining his principles as La Follette demands.

Florida Republicans Split.

Jacksonville, Florida, Feb. 7.—Two delegations from Florida, one for Col Roosevelt, and the other for W. H. Taft, will go to the Chicago convention. This is the result of the state convention at Palatka, when the state organization supposedly solid for Taft bolted and named a complete state ticket with Roosevelt at its head. The commander of the convention endorsed Taft.

Oregon Has Taft Papers.

Portland, Feb. 7.—Petitions to get

ROCK ISLAND'S TRAIN LOOTED

SEVEN MASKED MEN MAKE GET- AWAY.

Concussion From Explosion Shakes Buildings in Vicinity.

Memphis, Feb. 7.—Seven masked men held up the Rock Island passenger, No. 43, according to late reports and escaped with \$60,000 and two bags of registered mail were taken. Advices say they looted the safe in the express car and rifled the mails. The express company is withholding the amount of booty secured.

The Rock Island officials at Chicago insist that the robbers got one pouch and that the dynamite started a fire which destroyed the safe and its contents.

The robbers succeeded after two futile attempts to secure one package of registered mail after dynamiting the express car safe. The explosions were so heavy they shook houses here. A posse is pursuing.

Mail Clerk Beadle escaped from the car and ran two miles to Hulbert and gave the alarm.

W. H. Taft's name as nominee on the Oregon presidential primary ballot began circulating here today by the Taft campaign committee. Other petitions will be in other parts of the state soon. The election is April 19.

HAL SOLE NOMINATED.

President Taft Makes Appointment of Spokane Register.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 7.—President nominated Hal Cole as register of the land office at Spokane today.

TWO NOTES IN COURT PUZZLE

JURY HAS TAKEN CASE UNDER CONSIDERATION.

Action Against Mr. and Mrs. Child, and Mrs. Zuber Comes to End.

After three days of stirring interest in the Flora McDonald, administratrix, action against Jack Childs, Mrs. Childs and Mrs. S. C. Zuber, the case went to the jury late this afternoon. The trial has been replete with excitement and a big audience has been present to hear the evidence throughout. The action involves a \$8,000 note in which the original note was lost, but recovered, while a duplicate note was issued when the original was believed lost. The late John McClain was the one who held the old note and lost it, and took the duplicate note in return. Both notes are in court as evidence, however, and the settlement of the issue is attracting considerable attention.

The Evans wheat stealing case is the next up for trial.

Grand Jury Still Out.

The grand jury is still grinding away and probably will not report until tomorrow night, if it will then.

County Court in Session.

County court is in session today, auditing and allowing bills. Tomorrow some more road supervisors will be appointed and the bids for county physician opened and a bid accepted.

MANCHUS WANT MUCH.

Complete Armistice Is Expected at Pekin Shortly.

Pekin, Feb. 7.—Negotiations between the throne and the revolutionists for a completed armistice are arranged. It is expected that at least two weeks will elapse before the capitulation agreement is arranged. The Manchus want a perpetuation of their titles, retention of the imperial family in Pekin palaces, continuation of the imperial guard at the government expense, and the right of court to exact homage from the nation.

BOUCK WHITE.

Who Has Written a Book on Jesus as a Workingman.



ARREST ACCUSED MEN AT ONCE

THIRTY - ONE INDICT- MENTS WILL BE AN- SWERED MAR. 2

AGGREGATE BONDS WILL REACH OVER \$250,000

If Men Resist, Which Is Not Anticipated, Identity of Each Will Have to Be Established—Impressions Out That No Highup Officials Are Involved in This Batch.

Indianapolis, Feb. 7.—Simultaneous with the arrest of men indicted in the 33 indictments to be served next week formal pleas of the accused men will be made in the United States court here March 2.

The government has not announced the names of those indicted.

United States District Attorney Miller allowed the impression to spread that none of the union officials higher than those with headquarters in this city will be arrested.

The aggregate bonds to be required by the labor men when they are arrested will likely be more than \$250,000. No serious resistance of the indicted against their removal to Indianapolis is expected by the federal authorities. If they resist at all, it will be necessary to prove their identity to remove them.

Darrow Defense Planned.

Los Angeles, Feb. 7.—More than a score of prominent Chicago barristers and other public men may be called as witnesses to testify as to the character of Clarence Darrow, according to his counsel, Earle Rogers. Several of them will be brought direct to Los Angeles and depositions of others will be taken there and read here.

How a Train Destroyed a Missouri Railroad Station



Photos by American Press Association.

A RAILROAD wreck with some remarkable features occurred recently at St. Peters, Mo. The engine and three cars of a Wabash express train left the track while running at full speed past the station and toppled over on one side of the track, while a fourth car, hurled to the other side, plowed through the concrete wall of the station, entirely demolishing it. This car and a part of the wall are seen in the lower of the two pictures. The upper is a view of the heap of wreckage after the fire which followed the accident. This heap was all that was left of the train and station. The rails were torn up for 200 feet. Thirty-two people were injured, but none killed.

OROZCO TRAITOR AFFIRM RUMORS

MADERO'S GENERAL IS FIRM IN DENYING STATEMENTS

MEXICAN DETACHMENTS AR- RESTED ON U. S. SOIL

Generally Believed that Gomez, Accredited Insurrecto General, and Orozco, Supposedly Madero Adherent, Will Join Forces and Overthrow President Madero's Regime.

El Paso, Feb. 7.—That Emilio Vasquez Gomez is the active head of the present Mexican insurrection is regarded here as almost certain today, following the arrival of Paslin Martinez, his former secretary, to establish a revolutionary junta here. Other Gomez followers are arriving.

General May Join Forces.

It is believed here that Orozco and Gomez will join in an effort to overthrow the Madero governorship of Chihuahua. Reports say several of the bridges on the Mexican Northwestern railroad below Casas Grandes have been dynamited. Abram Gonzales has been imprisoned at Torreón and the states of Chihuahua and Coahuila are reported to be in open revolt.

Orozco Denies Charges.

General Orozco has issued a statement declaring that the state of Chihuahua will not secede and that he is loyal to Madero. Orozco is now leading President Madero's forces against the insurrectos.

YANKES ARREST MEXICANS.

Small Detachment of Armed Men Arrested on American Side.

Washington, Feb. 7.—Thirteen ar-

rested Mexicans have been captured on the American side of the border today by troops of the American cavalry, acting on war department advices from El Paso, signed by Colonel Steever, commanding the forces. They were captured 35 miles northeast of El Paso.

Despite General Orozco's announcement of loyalty to Madero, United States officials are watching him closely.

Department officials admit Orozco has a large following in Chihuahua and any uprising headed by him could be serious. It is not known if disposition is to be made of theicans now under arrest.

"HAZZARD" LEARNS HER FATE

FROM TWO TO TWENTY YEARS IS HER SENTENCE.

Starvation Doctor Sentenced for Man slaughter Affair.

Port Orchard, Feb. 7.—Mrs. Dr. Linda Hazzard, the fast cure specialist, was sentenced to from two to 20 years in the penitentiary by Judge Yakey today. She was found guilty of manslaughter, and had been on trial on a charge of murdering Miss Claire Williamson, a wealthy English woman who died at her sanitarium under the fasting cure.

Before sentence was imposed the defense had made a motion for a new trial which was denied.

Notice of appeal was given and the woman allowed her liberty on \$10,000 bonds.

Dickens' Centenary in London.

London, Feb. 7.—All England joined today in a suitable observance of the 100th anniversary of the birth of Charles Dickens. In London the most notable feature of the celebration was the annual dinner of the "Boz" club, at which Lord Rosebery presided. A great many magnificent floral offerings, some of them from distant parts of the world, were deposited at the grave of the famous novelist in Westminster Abbey.

Lutheran Laymen of the South.

Salisbury, N. C., Feb. 7.—The first general convention of the Laymen's Missionary movement of the Lutheran church in the south met in this city today and will continue in session until Saturday. Several hundred delegates and visitors are in attendance from the states of Mississippi, Tennessee, Florida, Alabama, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia and West Virginia.

CHASE S. OSBORN.

Michigan Governor Asks Taft and La Follette to Quit.



CITY BEAUTIFUL MOVEMENT ON

HAND IN HAND WITH CHILD WELFARE MOVEMENT

NEIGHBORHOOD CLUB SPO- SOR FOR BOTH CAMPAIGNS

Committees Appointed and They Will Report Shortly as to What Is Expected of the General Public in Carrying Out the City Beautiful Scheme—Educate the Public Is First Aim.

DEPARTMENT HEADS AND TABLOID OF CLUB'S AMBITIONS.

♦ The city beautiful committee— ♦
♦ Mrs. Fred Schilke, Mrs. H. L. ♦
♦ Love, Mrs. M. K. Hall, ♦
♦ Child Welfare Committee— ♦
♦ Mrs. E. E. Bragg, Mrs. Vincent ♦
♦ Palmer, Mrs. N. Molitor. ♦
♦ General cleanup of city streets ♦
♦ and alleys, uniform parking, sup- ♦
♦ port every move to enhance the ♦
♦ general appearance of La Grande ♦
♦ To ferret out and aid needy ♦
♦ children in school and out, to ob- ♦
♦ tain surgical and medical assist- ♦
♦ ance to children whose parents ♦
♦ cannot afford proper attention. ♦
♦ To aid schools in maintaining the ♦
♦ best sanitary conditions. ♦
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City beautiful and child welfare movements—both of them splendid and much-needed campaigns—were set in motion yesterday afternoon by the Neighborhood club when that organization appointed a series of committees for that work and guaranteed the support of the club to that end. While the committees were named, no meetings have been held yet and the precise method of advancing the two movements have not been outlined but the general purposes of such organizations are well known.

Local Situations Differ.

In some respects the work before the committees differ slightly in La Grande from other communities. One of the first movements to be fostered is to educate the pedestrian public that parkings and lawns are not to be walked upon. Anyone who has tried to beautify his property with parking has also found that the public in La Grande has about as little regard for lawns as a group of Co-

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BELFAST CRISIS NOW HEATED

CHURCHILL IS ON HIS WAY TO BELFAST.

Disregards Advice of Friends Who Fear Violence.

London, Feb. 7.—Disregarding the advice of friends, Winston Churchill, first Lord of the Admiralty, started today for Belfast where he is scheduled to speak in behalf of home rule for Ireland. Belfast dispatches say that rioting is almost sure to result.

The authorities have taken extraordinary precautions but it is believed they will not be able to cope with 30,000 Ulsterites, who will be on the scene armed with clubs to start a demonstration if the home rulers try to carry out their program.

Money Trust Plans Mature.

Washington, Feb. 7.—The house democrats will hold a caucus tonight to decide on a method of conducting the proposed investigation of the "money trust."