TAFT ADMITS HE'S NOT PERFECTION

President Indulges in Heartto-Heart Talk With Illinois Republicans.

AIM IS TO DO HIS BEST

Executive Declares He Has Not Made Business of Being Politician. Real Ambition Leads to Supreme Court Bench.

PEORIA. III. Sept. 22.—President Taft had a heart-to-heart talk here today with the leaders of the different Republican factions in Illinois; defined his status as to "progressiveness," admitted he was a poor politician, acknowledged again that his ambitton had iain in the direction of the office of Chief Justice, rather than the Presidency, admitted he had made many mistakes, but asserted that as President he had tried to do what he thought to be right. What the future held for him he did not know; he would go ahead doing the heat he could.

Mr. Taft declared he was not allied with the extremists of his party, either conservatives or progressives, but had tried to take a middle ground between the two. Taft has a heart-to-heart talk here

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The President still was downcast by the defeat of reciprocity in Canada, but his only reference to that subject had come earlier in the day when he addressed the workmen in a factory where farming implements were made. "I was sorry to hear that in Canada they do not care to have closer commercial relations with us." he said. "If reciprocity had been adopted, we could have got our agricultural implements into Canada at a substantial decrease. But I guess we can get along."

The President's political speech followed a luncheon given in his honor by the Hepublican State Central Committee Governor Denean was unable to be present because of a broken leg. The Lorimer Republican faction was not represented.

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Support Is Piedged. The leaders vied with each other in pledging their support to President Taft and predicted he would be renominated and re-elected. G. H. Williamson, of Quincy, said he had taken a poil on a train a few days ago, and that of \$2 woters interviewed, \$8 had declared for Taft, three for Rousevelt and one for La Foliette.

La Follette.

Senator Cullom said that with the Chicago convention not six weeks off in 1905. Mr. Taft had told him that if Chief Justice Fuller could be induced to resign, he would prefer that honor to all others.

"If I had not been advised otherwise," said the President, with a smile, "I should think that this was a political meeting."

Tuft Not Politician.

Mr. Taft then plead guilty to the indictment often laid against him that he knew nothing of politics.

But the truth is," he continued, "that my politics was limited to a very early stage of my career. Three or four years after I came to the bar, I was pretty active so that I knew something of ward politics. Since that time my fate has been such as to carry me out of politics. But as my dear friend, Senator Chilom says, my ambition lay in an entirely different direction and was not gratified.

"I am not giving you to understand

"Of course, I made a great many mis-takes. I shall continue during this term to make them. That is hardly to be avoided. But there are certain things, certain rules, that it is rather easy to follow. One is, that when you have made a promise it is your obliga-

I censidered with reference to those bills that I was as much under an obligation to veto every one of them as if I had said, when I was on the platform rouning for the Presidency, that I would veto just those bills, for the reason that the whole party had taken the position that it was necessary to maintain the industries of this country by protection sufficient to give with foreign manufactures; and the with foreign manufactures; and the whole party had also said if you could trust the resolutions of the conventions even in Iown and Kansas and Wisconeven in Iown and Wisconeven even in lows and Kansas and Wiscon-sin that they approved finding out the facts by a tariff board, before we passed legislation that might strike down our industries. I have vetoed those bills, even if it would have cost ma my life.

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"So far as the veto of the Arizona bill is concerned, I just vetoed that because I could not do anything else. I wrote my heart into that veto." Tatt Has Done Best.

"My friends, I have tried to follow what I thought to be right in the administration of my office," he continued. There has been a division in the party and I have been charged with not being progressive and therefore to be condemned. What one does, this man thinks is progressive, another thinks is retrograde. There are, how-ever, two great schools—one which be-lieves that the present is not perfect, series in the present is not perfect, two great schools—one which believes that the present is not perfect, perhaps, but that changes from it would be dangerous. They are the sirility conservative and perhaps are known as the reactionary. Then there is another class at the other and which is extreme in its view that the whole political condition is wrong and that there must be radical changes if we are to live at all.

Senator Miller is now serving his third term as a member of the State Senator to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House of Representatives from Linn County in the early served to the House from Linn County in the early served to the House from Linn County in the early served to the House from Linn County in the carry served to the House fr

"Now I think-perhaps I am wrong about it-but I think I am going along in the middle of the road between those two, at least that is what I am trying to do and I believe the legislation of this Administration has been along that

Law Must Be Obeyed,

With respect to the trusts we are in a transition period in this sense, the Supreme Court has decided what the law is and now business has got to square itself with that law. We might as well make up our minds to that,

gentlemen. "With respect to much of what has been discussed as to being progressive, the Federal Government has nothing to do. That is a matter for state govdo. That is a matter for state governments to settle, and sinte governments to settle, and sinte governments are making different experiments and I presume the conservative states will wait to see how these experiments work out; but occasionally, there crops out something extreme in was recovered.

Detectives Snow and Royle arrested Harry Smith and Oscar Rood, decknamed, on a charge of larceny last night. It is alleged that the men operated along the docks and stole four cases of whisky, several boxes of honey and other goods. Part of the honey was recovered.

stitution tendered to the Federal Government for approval.

"Under these conditions, when a proposition is made that seems to me to destroy all possibility of good government in the maintennee of an untrammeled judiciary, it is the function of the Executive, when his judgment is invoked under the Constitution, to say that he disapproves that feature, and to this end so far as he is concerned he will allow no state to come into the Union with any such radical heresy expressed in its constitution and with the sanction of the Federal Government upon it.

President Has Confidence. "What the future is I know not only know this, that I am going ahea to do the best I can and I am going through this country on this trip and try to explain some of the issues which have arisen and make them clear to those people whom I can reach with my voice or through the kindly press, if they report what I say, because I believe that the time has come for soher second thought.

"I have confidence that the American people can always be trusted, not only to exercise their soher second thought. But also a discriminating sense as to what is fact and what is fustian, after a time. to do the best I can and I am going

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"It won't happen at once and sometimes we have to wait until after we die and that is not quite so satisfact.

He had been in the air probably 10

CROSS-COUNTRY AVIATORS WHO ARE AGAIN IN FLIGHT.

One Perishes as Human Torch, Other Merely Falls.

RODGERS MAKES PROGRESS

Fowler Will Renew His Attempt to

Cross Continent Today-Toll of Breezes in One Day at Fairs Is Heavy.



Robert Fowler, Who Is Going East-ward From California (Above), and Rogers, Who Is Coming West-From New York.

BY USE, SAYS INSTRUCTOR.

University of Washington English Authority Declares it Refreshing

UNIVERSITY OF WASHANGTON, Seattle, Wash. Sept. 22—(Special.)—
"Same not gratified.
"I am not giving you to understand that I ran away from the nomination for the Presidency, but the fact is that it was not in the line which I had marked out. but being nominated and marked out. but being nominated and getting into the fight, I did the best I could, and being elected, I took up the discharge of the Presidency, with certain tendencies, perhaps. I ought to call them, that I had gathered from judical experience.

Mistakes Are Admitted.

UNIVERSITY OF WASHANGTON, Seattle, Wash., Sept. 22—(Special.)—
"Slang is no longer to be abhorred by the fairgrounds at a 60-mile clip. The aeroplane seemed perfectly responsive to his guidance and Miller was cheered repeatedly by the big crowd. While are being room of teachers in English at the University of Washington. It is in contrast with the attitude of "pure English at the University of Washington. It is in contrast with the attitude of "pure English at the University of Washington. It is in contrast with the attitude of "pure English at the University of Washington. It is in contrast with the attitude of "pure English at the University of Washington. It is in contrast with the attitude of "pure English at the University of Washington is fairly as the well and you may use it form. Use it

ly and forcibly that there is hardly ly and forcibly that there is hardly a personage, no matter what position he may occupy, who does not resort to it. It is much better for us, both morally and in other ways, to use siang in preference to swear words.

"Slang is the natural outcome of the tendency nowadays to say things with the most emphasis and the greatest brevity. It should not be used in essays and work in which the object is to use a better knowledge of Eng-

says and work in which the object is to get a better knowledge of Eng-lish, of course.
"This so-called vulgarity is a step

in the growth of our language which is changing for the botter all the time. When it is spontaneous it is refreshing. When it is forced it is like any other simile or metaphor, from which it takes Its form."

MILLER MAY ENTER RACE

Friends of Linn Man Mention Him for United States Senator.

ALBANY, Or., Sept. 22.—(Special)— That Milton A. Miller, of Lebanon, State Senator from Linn County, will be a candidots for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator nomination for United States Senator in the primaries neat April is the general belief of people in his home county. Senator Miller, while in Albany yesterday, refused to confirm the report that he will be a candidate, but his friends are authority for the statement that he is receiving many offers of support from various parts of the state and that he has the matter under consideration.

onsideration. Senator Miller is now serving his

Wheelwright to Make Address.

At an informal smoker to be held by At an informal smoker to be held by the Oregon Society, Sons of the American Revolution, tonight at \$1.5 in the University Club, William D. Wheelwright will deliver an address on "The Crime of Treason and Benedict Arnold." The committee in charge is composed of W. G. Oberteuffer, B. A. Thaxter, and J. R. Rogers. All Sons of the American Revolution of other State Societies are especially invited to attend, it is announced.

Deckhands Alleged Thieves. Detectives Snew and Royle arrested

AVIATOR RODGERS LOSES WAY

Transcontinental Flyer Goes 200 Miles to Reach Eimira, N. Y.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Sept. 22.-Aviator C. P. Rodgers who is competing in the Coast-to-Coast flight, landed in a farm outside of this city at 5:55 P. M. today after making his longest single day's flight thus far.

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Rodgers left Hancock, N. T., at 11:08, and because he lost his way when near Susquehanna, was forced to fly more than 200 miles in order to reach this city, a distance of but 118 miles from Hancock. Rodgers intended to follow the tracks of the Erie Railroad, but he mistock a branch line for the main tracks and did not discover his mistake until he reached Scranton. Pa. 61 miles until he reached Scranton, Pa., 53 miles out of his woy. Since starting Rodgers covered 362 miles. He planned to leave at 7 A. M. tomorrow and says he will make an effort to fly 400 miles before nightfail. He will continue to follow the Erie tracks.

FOWLER WILL START TODAY

Repaired Machine Found to Work All Right on Trial Flight.

COLPAX, Cal., Sept. 22.—After being detained here 10 days by the wrecking of his biplane, Robert G. Fowler got of his biplane, Robert G. Fowler got into the air again this morning and made a splendid flight, encircling the town and trying out all working parts of his machine. Everything was found to be in good order. The flight lasted about five minutes, the highest point reached being 500 feet.

On alighting Fowler said he would fly again this afternoon and that at 5 o'clock temorrow morning he would o'clock tomorrow morning he would resume his transcontinental journey.

WARD HAS FALL AND QUITS Aviator's Manager Announces He Is

Out of Coast Contest. HORNELL, N. Y., Sept. 22 - James J engine and the machine dropped to the earth, a distance of about 69 feet, near a distance of about 60 feet.

Ward escaped serious injury.

James P. Murphy, manager for James J. Ward, announced that Ward has withdrawn from the const-to-coast zero-plane race as a result of his fail.

Plane Carcens, Fall Fatal.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Sept. 22.—"Dare-Devil" Castellane, a Curtiss sviator, met instant death at the Masgiel, Pa., fair today. He had started in an exhifair today. He had started in an exhi-bition flight, and when three-quarters of a mile from the grounds his ma-chine careened, turned over and fell.

A Seasonable "Tip"

Royal Bread will be on the training tables of the winning teams this Autumn



If you covet the physical prowess of a star athlete-eat ROYAL BREAD

Beware of Inferior Imitations

Remember, "Royal" is on the bottom crust -- it is there for your protection!

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Sole Makers of Table Queen-the Perfect Bread

BROTHERS, CONSPIRATORS IN FRAUD, SENTENCED TODAY.

Two of Family May Be Fined Not to Exceed \$10,000 and Imprisonment Not to Exceed 5 Years.

BOISE, Idaho, Sept. 22 .- (Special.)-Following & sensational land trial in the Federal Court here, that lasted a week, the jury in the Bray land conspiracy case today returned a verdict of guilty as to Isaac and Nathaniel Bray, the two chief conspirators, and verdict of not guilty as to Horace Bray, a brother, and Walter Kyle. Kyle.

The passing of sentence was delayed ntil tomorrow. The statute provides a fine not to exceed \$10,000 and imprisonment not to exceed five years. The case came into unusual prominence in Southern Idaho owing to the fact that H. C. Hulser, a prominent attack of this city and star witness. fact that H. C. Hulser, a prominent attorney of this city, and star witness for the Government, was attacked by the counsel for the Braya, who are prominent real estate men of Boise, and the open charge made that he had violated a trust between attorney and client and conspired to railroad the defendants into the penitentiary by telling a false story.

It was upen Hulser's testimony that the defendants were found guilty. He

the defendants were found guilty. He defendants were found guilty. He declared that they looked him in a room in one of the leading hotels in this city and threatened to kill him if he did not acknowledge a forged relinquishment to a homestead entry of William Walter Selby. He was held in the room for five hours, but refused to make the acknowledgment. Later ne was formed to the paper by

TRAIN INVADER LOCKED UP

Lanatic, Who Instructs Southern Pacific Conductor, Thirsty.

OREGON CITY, Or., Sept 12.—(Special.)—David Lovett, a maniac who

New Era Thursday afternoon and was captured by Deputy Sheriff Statts and Chief of Police Shaw upon the arrival of the train in this city, was taken by the state insane asylum this afternoon. Soon after boarding the train Levett announced that he was in charge of it, and began to give instructions to the conductor and brakemen.

Later he gave the passengers in-

it, and began to give instructions to the conductor and brakemen.

Later he gave the passengers ininstructions, and was making a speech to them when the train reached this city. He refused to get off the train when asked to do so by the Deputy Sheriff and Chief of Police.

Finally someone suggested that

Finally someone suggested that Lovett accompany him to a saloon to get a drink, and he lost no time in alighting from the train.

FIRE CODE PLEA IS MADE

New York Expert Appeals to Medford Council to Adopt Laws.

MEDFORD, Or., Sept. 22.-F. H. Cowles, rancher, New York clubman and fire expert, made an impassioned

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Refuse substitutes.

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"We use Foley's Honey and Tar Compound as our best and only cough remedy. It never fails to cure any of my seven children of cough. My 2 months' old baby has had a mest severe cough which our Doctor said be could not cure and that Baby would surely die. Several of our relations and neighbors had gathered to witness the ending of the child's life. Two bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound cured the child and he is alive and well today."

For Sale by AH Druggists.

nance. In spite of the dramatic ap-peal of Mr. Cowles, Mayor Canon dis-missed the subject abruptly by refer-ring the code to the fire department.

Siskiyou Light & Power Company has sistlyou light & Power Company has just been completed from the company's new power plant at Prospect, on the upper Rogue, to the plant at Gold Ray. The line is 38 miles long. Thirty thousand horsepower will be developed at Prospect.

Pleas of not guilty were entered in Circuit Court yesterday by J. W. Fox and Mrs. E. M. Tuttle, indicted by the grand jury on a charge of passing a promissery note for \$750 bearing a GOLD HILL Or., Sept. 22.—(Special.) tional Bank, of Arlington, Or.



FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR INTO CENTRAL OREGON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1911.

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