Action in Roosevelt "Hothed" Shows Leaders Which Way Breeze Is Blowing.

WAVERING ONES CHECKED

Colonel's Friends Now See That Rough-Rider Methods Threaten Cast Ridicule Upon Serious Movement.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Jan. 31.—Nothing has happened National Committee in December to advance Taft Presidential stock like the convention recently held in the Fourth Congressional district of Oklahoms. Usually little importance attaches to the result of a convention in so small a territory, but in this instance politicians seemed to regard the result as of great importance for following the convention of the convention o result as of great importance, for fol-lowing the action of that district con-vention Republican leaders who had been hanging in the balance, so to

been hanging in the balance, so to speak, came out with strong indorsements of President Taft.

Probably a district convention in almost any other state would have had little National effect, but Oklahoma, which was supposed to be a hotbed of Roosevelt enthusiasm, by displaying its loyalty to President Taft, led National leaders to believe the strength of the Roosevelt movement had been much overestimated, and they acted accordingly.

Schafer Penrose Convinced.

Just prior to the Oklahoma convention. Postmaster-General Hitchcock, who had been suspected of being disloyal to the President and favorable to Rooseveit, announced his purpose to support and work for the renomination of President Taft. Then came the Oklahoma convention, and following that were declarations from Senator Penrose, of Pennsylvania; Senator Crane, of Massachusetts, and Senator Smoot, of Utah, all voicing their conviction that President Taft would be renominated without serious difficulty. The declaration of Senator Smoot occasioned no surprise, for he has never faltered in his belief that President Taft would be renominated. Senator Penrose, on the other hand, had been talking frequently of the likelihood that Taft would be defeated for the numination, and at times he seemed disposed to foin the Roosevelt movement. Evidently he has become convinced that the Roosevelt movement will come to nothing.

to nothing.

Senator Crane has long occupied the same position in the minds of politicians as has the Postmaster-General. He has been under suspicion. Now, however, he is out with a flat declaration for Taft, and it is to be presumed he will "stand pat," for Crane is not shifty in his politics and he usually does not declare himself until he is satisfied he is on the winning state.

Hitchcock's Position Significant. But important as are the declarations

But important as are the declarations of these three Senators, the fact that the Postmaster-General has openly and publicly committed himself to Taft is coming to be regarded as deeply significant. There is no doubt in the minds of many men at Washington that Mr. Hitchcock was preparing to join the Roosevelt forces, not so much because of any animosity to wards the President but because he is believed to have held the opinion that the President could not be nominated again. The fact that he has lined up with the Administration forces is seain. The fact that he has lined up with the Administration forces is pointed out as showing conclusively that the Postmaster-General has satisfied himself the Roosevelt movement is not going to succeed, and accordingly has climbed upon what he believes to be the winning band-wagon.

There is no hiding the fact that the promoters of the Roosevelt movement.

promoters of the Roosevelt movement were greatly disheartened by the result of the Pourth Oklahoma District Convention, for they felt confident that convention would be overwhelmingly for Roosevelt. But the result is not all that discourages them. The meaner all that discourages them. The manner of fight put up by the Roosevelt fac-tion at that convention has had a tendency to turn the Roosevelt movement into a joke, because the circus-like per-formance of the Colonel's friends has laid the movement open to this crit-leism. The balloon ascension, the rough-rider by-play in the convention, and the boisterousness generally of the Roosevelt delegates has caused them much worriment, and they fear that if similar tactics are followed at other conventions the Roosevelt movement may ultimately be laughed out of court.

Tafe Supporters Take Heart. Of course, publicly those men who are back of the Roosevelt movement are back of the Roosevelt movement contend that no particular importance attaches to that one little Okiahoma convention, and to offset that result they assert that the St. Louis convention, which preceded the Okiahoma convention by only a few days, was of the utmost importance. That convention, according to press reports, stood 15 for Roosevelt and 16 for Taft The the utmost importance. That convention, according to press reports, stood 15 for Roosevelt and 10 for Taft. The assertion is made that that convention was unanimous for Roosevelt, but that some of the members who were personally friendly to the President decided to register their votes in his favor, and were permitted to do so, so long as the Roosevelt strength was allowed to appear much greater than that of Taft.

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From now on there will be little straws in various parts of the country showing how the political wind is blowing, but it is certainly true that the Taft supporters are going about today with a much more apparent air of confidence than they wore during the weeks immediately preceding the Oklahoma convention. They have taken much heart from that little assemblags, and the change of prominent Republicans to Taft, after that meeting, is regarded as a good sign.

Even the statement issued by Senator Kenyon, of Iowa, when he declared his purpose to support Senator Cumming, brought comfort to the Taft camp, for that statement showed clearof Taft

mins, brought comfort to the Taft camp, for that statement showed clearly that not only Kenyon, but other Iowa insurgents, are for Taft as second choice, and as no one seriously believes Cummins will be nominated, Iowa is regarded as as good as in the Taft column already. Prior to the announcement of the Cummins candidacy it was conceded that Taft would carry Iowa as against either Roceavelt. carry Iowa as against either Roosevelt

PRELATE, WHOM NEW ENGLAND WELCOMED YESTERDAY, AFTER SIGNAL HONOR CONFERRED BY POPE.



WILLIAM, CARDINAL O'CONNELL.

primaries, by a petition filed with the Secretary of State here today.

PRIMARY CALLED AS GUIDE

Jackson County, Missouri, Republi-

cans to Vote for Candidates. KANSAS CITY, Jan. 31.—Republicans

of Jackson County will have an oppor-tunity to declare their choice for Presi-dent. The Fifth District Congressional The Fifth District Congressional committee met here today and completed arrangements for a primary, setting the date for March 2. The Congressional convention will be held two days later to name delegates to the National convention and the two delegates will be instructed in accordance with the result of the primary.

It was announced today that the names of all announced Republican candidates for the Presidential nomi-

candidates for the Presidential nomi-nation, as well as the name of Theo-dore Roosevelt, would appear on the primary ballots.

Indiana District for Taft.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., Jan. 31.— Indorsement of President Taft was the principal feature of the Third District ssional Republican convention

CHICAGO, Jan. 31 .- Chicago Republicans who favor the renomination of President Taft made plans today for formally launching a movement to obtion pledged to support the President. The leadership of the proposed Taft lengue, it was announced, has been offered to a prominent merchant here.

REBELS OFFER TERMS, THRONE AGREEING TO RETIRE.

Premier Paves Way to Abdication by Making Further Additions to Garrison of Pekin.

PEKIN, Jan. St .- The Imperial Foreign Board announced that the Empress Dowager informed the members of the cabinet at their meeting in the palace today that the throne had decided on a solution of the situation which would insure peace. She instructed the ministers to arrange ac-

cordingly.
It is believed that Premier Yuan Shi Kai and the republicans are now in complete agreement. While he is en-deavoring to persuade the recalcitrant Manchu elements to accept abdication peaceably. Yuan Shi Kal- is taking measures to prevent any outbreak on their part from becoming serious. According to Chinese dispatches, the

According to Chinese dispatches, the revolutionaries proposed that Yuan Shi Kai be president of the republic; Sun Yat Sen, vice-president; Tang Shao Yl, premier, and Li Yuen Heng, minister of war.

That he may be able to maintain order before the abdication of the throne is announced. Yuan Shi Kai is bringing troops into Pekin, where there are now 11,000 at his disposal.

EX-GOVERNOR SAYS ST. LOUIS PRIMARY WILL BE FARCE.

Members of City Committee Are Declared to Be Committed in Advance to Clark.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 31 .- Ex-Governer Folk refused today to participate in the Democratic Presidential primary in St. Louis, because he held that virtually every member of the Democratic city committee, under whose auspices the contest is to be held, either filed delegations or was a member of the Champ

carry Iowa as against either Roossvelt or La Follette. Now it is conceded Taft will get the Iowa delegation, if he needs it, after the honorary vote has been given to Cummins. And this also, is listed as one of the significant political straws.

Clark's Name Filed in Nebraska.

LINCOLN. Neb., Jan. 31—Speaker Clark's name was placed on the list of Democratic candidates for President, to be voted on at the Nebraska Spring

Hundred Thousand Welcome O'Connell to New England.

PAPAL MESSAGE DELIVERED

Pontiff, Says Returning Prelate, Looks for Consolation to Amer-

BOSTON, Jan. \$1 .- Bringing expres-

non-Catholics here who were than some of the Catholics in

to his home by fraternal delegations.

Tomorrow, from his golden throne in the cathedral, the cardinal will witness the celebration of the solemn pontifical mass of thanksgiving, at which Bishop Nolan, of Hartford, will officiate and Bishop Anderson, of Bos-son, will deliver the sermon.

KEENE RULING REVERSED

Verdict of \$7000 for Libel.

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 31.-The Su preme Court reversed today a ruling by Judge Fewler in the Hite-Keene case, which attracted much attention because of the prominence of Francis Keene, American Consul at Geneva. By the action of the higher court, a verdict for \$7000 against Keene for

ica, Where Non-Catholics, Also, Have Won Esteem.

sions of papal affection and love for the American people, non-Catholics as well as Catholics, His Eminence, William, Cardinal O'Connell, returned from Rome today as the first prince of the church ever resident in New England. Despite severe Winter conditions, re than 100,000 persons lined the

streets to welcome him and he was escorted by a procession of many Catholic societies to his home in Back Bay district. When the steamer Canopic, which brought him back, pushed her way to quarantine at dawn today, a little dele-gation headed by Bishop Anderson, of Boston; Mayor Fitsgerald and Edwin

Boston; Mayor Fitsgerald and Edwin V. Curtis, collecter of the port, boarded the steamer and extended the first greetings. An informal reception was held in the library of the liner. It was in reply to the Mayor that the cardinal made known the feeling of the Pope toward America. To the people in this country, the cardinal said, the Roman pontiff looked for consolation, and for them he had such regard that he considered there were many non-Cajholics here who were

On landing, the cardinal was escorted

Wisconsin Supreme Court Upholds

verdict for \$7000 against Keene for libel is roinstated.

Louise Hite, a former resident of Louisville, who lived for some years in Geneva, Switzerland, was plaintiff in the case. When living in Switzerland he and his wife separated and later a divorce was granted.

Consul Keene sided with Mrs. Hite. He wrote two letter to William Stone Smith, Hite's friend, in which he is alleged to have assailed Hite's character.

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Amendment to Child Labor Measure Has Narrow Escape in Senate.

SENATOR THORNTON BITTER

Louisianan Declares That, "Law or No Law," No United States Official Will Enter His Home When Not Bidden.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 81.—After an amendment to the child labor bill so as to prohibit the invasion of private residences in quest of information had been adopted, that measure was passed today by the Senate, 54 to 29. The negative votes were cast by Senators Bailey, Bryan, Chilton, Culberson, O'Gorman, Overman, Paynter, Smith of Maryland, Stone, Thornton, Tillman and Watsen, Democrats, and by Senators Burnham, Clark of Wyoming, Gallinger, Heyburn, Nixon, Oliver, Wetmore and Works, Republicans.

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The bill authorizes the creation of a bureau in the Department of Commerce and Labor for the collection of information pertaining to the welfare of children and child-life.

Investigation Is Sought. Senator Gallinger offered an amend Senator Gallinger offered an amendment to investigate the birth rate "among all classes of people."

"If we have race suicide it does not apply to the poor classes, to which past investigations have been confined." said the Senator.

Senator Root declared they were no classes in the United States and protested against legislative recognition of any.

The Gallinger amendment was lost.

Privacy of Home Upheld.

Special authority is given to investigate questions of infant mortality, the birth rate, orphanage, juvenile courts, desertion, diseases, accidents, occupations, legislation and kindred subjects. The provision expressly forbidding the invasion of domestic privacy by agents of the bureau furnished the principal subjects of contention. The point was raised by Senator Thornton, of Louisiana, who offered an amendment prohibiting agents of the proposed bureau from entering private dwellings without the consent of the occupants. In presenting the modification, Mr. Thornton invelghed in strong language against the right of United States officials to enter private homes. Privacy of Home Upheld. ficials to enter private homes.

"Law or no law, it is not going to be done in my home," said he, vigorously.

Amendment Has Narrow Escape, The amendment was lost by the vote of 36 to 42, but its defeat was followed immediately by a similar provision offered by Senator Culberson, which failed by the close vote of 36 to 37.

This increase in the affirmative vote encouraged the supporters of the encouraged the supporters of the amendment, and while Mr. Culberson was framing the provision in different language, several brief speeches were made. In its new form the Culberson amendment prevailed, 39 to 34. It reads:

It reads:
"No official or agent or representative of said bureau shall, over the objection of the head of the family, enter any house used exclusively as a family residence."

ALLEGED ROBBER CAUGHT

Man Suspected of Postoffice Raid Here Is in Moberly, Mo.

MOBERLY, Mo., Jan 31 .- John Thomas, wanted on a charge of robbing the postoffice at Portland, Or. was arrested here today. He is being held for the arrival of a postoffice inspector from Portland.

John Thomas is said to be the fourth member of the party which broke into the safe of Station A of the postoffice department in Portland, the East Side branch, and after knocking the knob handle from the safe in the station, stole almost \$2000 in stamps

and coin, Frank Price, Frank Harrison and Frank Price, Frank Harrison and Edward Wilson, the other three alleged members of the party, were arrested in Sacramento a week ago, after they are said to have sold the stamps of odd denominations and special registry stamps in Redding, Cal.

The East Side postoffice robbery took place the night of December 20. The breaking into the old safe and extraction of its contents was not discovered until the next morning. Pos-

covered until the next morning. Pos-tal Inspectors Clement and Durand, of the Portland office, have been working on the case.

LIVESTOCK SHOW INDORSED Oregon State Hotel Men to Aid in

Publicity Work. At a meeting of the Portland mem-

At a meeting of the Portland members of the Oregon State Hotel Association at the Portland Hotel yesterday, a resolution was adopted indorsing the Second Annual Livestock Show to be held under the auspices of the Pacific Livestock Association, at the Portland Union Stockyards, March 18, 19, 20. The resolution made it plain that the indorsement was by the hotel men of Portland, as a majority of the association members live outside of the city, and were not present. The annual livestock show is not held for money-making purposes, and no entry money-making purposes, and no entry fees are charged. The hotel men take the position that these exhibits tend

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WABASH TO GET MILLIONS Federal Judge Will Approve Receivers' Form of Certificates.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 31 .- The form of certificates by which the receivers of the Wabash Railroad Company in the consolidated bankruptcy and bondholders' foreclosure suits will borrow \$10, 000,000 will be approved by Federal Judge Adams tomorrow. It was also decided at an informal meeting late today that bids for the loan will be opened tomorrow. It is thought that the money can be obtained at 5 per

The bids will call for the total

Of the total \$3,500,000 must be furnished forthwith and the remainder within six months. According to state-ments made by all interested in the receivership not more than \$15,000,000 ever will be borrowed.

ROOSEVELT MEN SANGUINE

New Jersey "Progressives" Hope to Have Delegation for T. R.

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—A conference of members of the Roosevelt National committee to determine the future course of that body today was set for February 10 here. At the Illinois Roosevelt headquarters today it was said postal card advice from about 600 down-state precipic committeemen down-state precinct committeemen showed a large majority in favor of Roosevelt.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Jan. 81.—The New Jersey "progressiven." led by ex-Governors Fort and Stokes, have per-fected an organization which they hope will be effective in capturing the New Jersey delegation for Colonel Roose-velt. Within the next fortnight Rooseveit headquarters will be opened here and in all the larger cities of the state.

Centralia's Power Plant Starts Soon Centralia's Power Plant Starts Soon,
CENTRALIA, Wash., Jan. \$1.—(Special.)—The power plant of the Centralia Light & Traction Company, a corporation recently formed entirely of Centralia capifal, will start up some time during the next two weeks, the building having been completed and the machinery installed. Work on the electric line which the company will build from Centralia to Rochester, will begin in the early Spring. The ties and rails have been ordered, and active construction on the right of way will begin as soon as good weather is assured, the right of way having been secured several months ago.

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