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Sway to and fro in the twillight gray,
In salls away at the end of the day,
Rent, uttle hand, on my shoulder-ho
A aleepy kiss is the only
Drifing away from the world we
Baby and I to the rocklne chatr
see where the firelogn glow and spark;
Glitter the light of shadow land
The raining drope on the window-hark,
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Bossoms are wavering o'er the brim-
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public ofticlal to return to the state treasurer $\$ 100,000$ that was tak In the form of feen, pergulaties and emoluments.
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What will the courta do with lt? What is the prens


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TAKEN.
It may never be collected back. But some day the abuse will ston
It will only stop by keeplag up the laght for righteous adminatration So let no one be discouraged. The nood hight must go on.
Take the state printigg graff. It is notorious. The people amended the constitution at the last election for the purpose of enabiling the tegistature to carry out the lonk-promised reform.
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The greatest newspapers of the state defend and excuse this graf
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By the same token, Mr. U'Ren has amended the Inltiative law so that
it is almost IMPOSSIBLE FOR THE PEOPLE TO TAKE ANY STEPS it is almost impossible for
FOR THEIR OWN RELIEF.

| A NEW ERA OF RESPONSIBILITY. |  |
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| Prosident Roosevelt's administration marked a new departureera of direct responsibility to the people. <br> McKinley's administration was the high-water mark of machine r -responsibility to the party managers. <br> Roosevelt's example of dealing with problems from the standpolnt the masses of the people is the reverse of Clevelandism, McKinleyl Governor Hughes in New York, Governor Folk in Missourl, Gover La Folette in Wisconsin, and Governor Chamberlain in Oregon are the. <br> They are dealling with public problems from the standpoint of the I ple, not of private machine graft in THE interest of specia interests. <br> The Oregon railroad commistion keems to be prosecuting public b sess from the public standpoint. So is Hency. <br> The new era of rasponsibility is ushered in. It cannot be stopp The Interests and rights of the masses are greater than those of |  |
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