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THE MESSAGE

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urged congress to renewed action during the few remaining days of the session, and outlines legislation which he believes should be pushed through before adjournment.

The document is free from denunciations or radicalisms, and in it the president confines himself strictly to the recommendations of the legislative committee.

He urges: The abolition of child labor throughout the country.

A model child labor law for the District of Columbia.

An employers' liability law.

An amendment of the interstate commerce law.

Legal sanction for legitimate business combination.

Government liability for injuries to employees.

Legislation to limit injunctions.

A postal savings bank.

Institution of arbitration for labor disputes.

Legal recognition of right of employees to unite to form labor agreements, and of employees to strike.

Outlawing of blacklist and boycott.

Financial legislation.

Collection of facts and data to be presented to next congress to reform the tariff.

Food preservation.

Food pulp on the free list.

Right of the government to regulate water rights.

Following is the message in part: To the United States senate and to the house of representatives:

I wish to call your attention to the matters on which I think action should be taken before congress closes its present session.

Child labor should be prohibited throughout the nation. At least, a child labor bill should be

passed for the District of Columbia. I renew my recommendation for legislation on the question of the employers' liability and again call your attention to the urgent need of amending the interstate commerce law, especially the anti-trust law, along lines indicated in my last message.

"The interstate commerce law should be amended to give railroads the right to make tariff agreements subject to approval by the interstate commerce commission. The commission should be given power to make public and pass upon the issuance of all security hereafter issued by railroads doing an interstate commerce business. In the modern industrial world combinations are absolutely necessary. It's mischievous and unwholesome to keep upon the statute books unmodified laws, like the anti-trust law, which, while in practice is only partially effective against the vicious combinations, has nevertheless in theory been construed to prohibit every combination in the transaction of modern business.

"Every combination in the transaction of modern business. "It has become uncertain just how far this law involves all labor organizations in conflict with law. A bill has been presented to congress to remedy this. Some such measure as this bill is needed in the interests of all engaged in industries essential to the country's well being."

Here the President outlined his views on the subject, which are for the most part contained in the provisions of the Hepburn bill, introduced last Monday, modifying the Sherman anti-trust law. He said that the suggestions here offered are tentative to conform with the recent supreme court decisions.

"The government should show good faith," the message continues, "by enacting further laws giving compensation to its own employes

for injury and death incurred in its service.

"I also urge action along the line already made concerning injunctions in labor disputes. No temporary restraining order should be issued by any court without due notice. A petition for a permanent injunction should be heard within a reasonable time, say not to exceed a week, or thereabouts.

"It is important that trade agreements should exist between employer and employe, where they are just and fair. A strike is a clumsy weapon used in adjusting the wrongs done labor. We should extend, as far as possible, a process of conciliation and arbitration as a substitute for strikes.

"But strikes themselves are and should be recognized as entirely legal. The right of employers to combine and contract with one another and with their employes should be explicitly recognized. So it should be right for employes to combine and contract with one another and with their employes and seek peaceably to persuade others to accept their view on striking for the purpose of obtaining from their employers satisfactory terms for labor.

"Nothing should be done to legalize the blacklist or boycott that would be legal under the common law.

"We have the right to expect action on financial legislation before the close of congress, from the attention that both houses is giving the matter. It is urgently necessary there should be such legislation.

"Action should be taken to establish postal savings banks, as they are imperatively needed as a benefit to the wage earners and men of small means. They would be a valuable adjunct to the whole financial system.

"The time has come when we should prepare for a revision of the tariff. It seems to me that before the present session closes some provision should be made for the collection of material which would enable the congress elected next fall to act immediately on the matter after it comes into existence. This necessitates some action by the present congress, as this congress is in shape for directing the proper committees to gather the necessary information.

"Our forests need every protection. One method of protecting them would be to put on the free list wood pulp, with a corresponding reduction in paper made from wood pulp.

"Ample provision should be made for the establishment of a permanent waterway commission. Congress should recognize in the fullest fashion the subject of the conservation of our natural resources which are literally vital to the future of the nation. Numerous bills granting water power rights on navigable streams have been introduced, but none of them gives the government the right to make reasonable charge for the valuable privileges granted, nor do they set a definite limit. I shall be obliged hereafter, in accordance with my policy, stated in a recent message, to veto any water power bill that does not provide a time limit, and does not give the President or any secretary concerned the right to fix and collect such a charge that is found to be just and reasonable in each case."

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MARKET REPORTS BY WIRE

BAY CITY MARKET

(United Press Leased Wire.)

QUOTATIONS ON PRODUCE AT SAN FRANCISCO AND PORTLAND—LOCAL MARKET CORRECTED UP TO DATE—RECEIPTS OF LIVE STOCK AND CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, March 25.—Wheat No. 1 California club, per cental, \$1.57 1/2 @ 1.65; white milling club, \$1.62 1/2 @ 1.67 1/2; white Australian, \$1.70 @ 1.72 1/2; Northern bluestem, \$1.62 1/2 @ 1.67 1/2; Northern club, \$1.57 1/2 @ 1.62 1/2; inferior grades of wheat, \$1.35 @ 1.50.

Barley—No. 1 feed, \$1.35 @ 1.40, with some fancy at \$1.38 1/2; common to fair, \$1.27 1/2 @ 1.32 1/2; brewing at San Francisco, \$1.40 @ 1.45; brewing and shipping at Port Costa, \$1.40 @ 1.45; Chevalier, \$1.65 @ 1.85, according to quality.

Butter—Fresh California, extras, 23c; firsts, 22c; seconds, 20 1/2c; fresh packing stock, No. 1, 18 1/2c; No. 2, 18c.

Fresh eggs, per dozen—Extras, 15c; firsts, 17c; seconds, 15 1/2c; thirds, 14 1/2c; dirties, No. 1, 14 1/2c; do. No. 2, 14c.

New cheese, per pound—California flats, fancy, 12c; firsts, 11 1/2c; seconds, 10c; California Young America, fancy, 14c; firsts, 12c.

Storage—Eastern, fancy New York, 17 1/2c; Oregon, 13c.

Potatoes, per cental—Lompoc, \$1.10 @ 1.30; Oregon Burbanks, 85 @ 91; River Whites, fancy, 50 @ 75c; Early Rose, \$1.25 @ 1.35; River Reds, \$1.55 @ 1.40; sweet potatoes, 3c per pound; new potatoes, 2 1/2 @ 3c per pound.

Onions—Oregon yellow, \$4 flat; Masters, \$3.75 @ 4.

Oranges, per box—Navels, fancy, \$2 @ 2.25; choice, \$1.75 @ 2; standards, \$1.50 @ 1.75; Tangerines, \$1.75 @ 2.

Cattle Market Steady. Chicago, March 25.—Hogs, receipts, 25,000; cattle, 17,000; sheep, 14,000. Hogs opened strong. Left

over yesterday 4900. Mixed, \$4.85 @ 5.15; good heavy, \$5.05 @ 5.15; rough heavy, \$4.85 @ 4.90; light, \$4.80 @ 5.12 1/2; cattle steady; sheep, strong.

Kansas City, Mo., March 25.—Hogs, receipts, 10,000; cattle, 6500; sheep, 7000.

Omaha, Neb., March 25.—Hogs, receipts, 7000; cattle, 4200; sheep, 10,000.

POLICY WELL RECEIVED

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aganda having for its three-fold object the heading off of the nomination of W. H. Taft, that of William J. Bryan, and the restoration of good times was launched here today by an organization incorporated under the name of "The Better Times Association."

Offices have been opened here and Henry G. King, the president is today superintending the mailing of thousands of postal cards, bearing among other quotations the following:

"We love a square deal, but not everything so labeled."

"We believe the country is all right, but slowly convalescing from indigestion caused by overfeeding and fright, caused by the chief surgeon's threat to remove the patient's liver."

"We regard 'Me' as too strenuous."

"My policies' are too drastic to be continued, either by 'Me,' or the proxy appointee of 'Me.'"

Another bunch of the postal cards condemn Bryan as an undesirable presidential candidate because of his "isms."

President King stated today that thousands of postal cards with the belief that when the hundreds of thousands of postal cards being sent out today containing a protest against Taft's nomination and to be signed and remailed, began to pour in on Secretary New, of the Republican national committee, it would cause the Chicago convention to go slow with the nomination of Taft.

Railroads Feel Better.

Chicago, March 25.—Officials of the railroads generally felt that the turning point has come in the attacks on the railroads by the public and that the recent decision of the supreme court in the matter of state regulation will have a powerful effect on for good in their future.

It is also expected to have a beneficial effect upon business in general as the decisions will go far toward restoring confidence in railway securities.

It is not expected, however, that they will be an immediate change on the policy of retrenchment which the railroads have inaugurated.

IMPORTANT FOREIGN AFFAIRS

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P. Cynn, a Korean student at the University of Southern California, has been appointed a committee to explain to the American public why Stevens deserves killing. Today Cynn said:

"Stevens must be shot and killed. He is not only an enemy to my poor country, he is an enemy to the civilized world. He has not only been the means of crushing my country, but he has been false to his own country. Stevens is the author of every repressive law against American industries and American enterprise in Korea.

"Stevens knows who stole the official seal of our prime minister, and, by virtual forgery, affixed it to a fake treaty, which our emperor never signed. By this false treaty the Japanese aggressions have been accomplished.

"Then comes this man and tells San Francisco deporters that our poor country is happy under Japanese rule. It is too much. I am glad they shot him, and I hope he will die."

TEDDY MAY NOT REFUSE

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Whether Hill gave offense to the prince or the Kaiser on that occasion could not be learned today, but it is certain that Emperor William bases his objection on some act of Hill at that time. The latter was then closely in touch with foreign affairs.

The action of the Kaiser places the administration in an embarrassing position, inasmuch as the German government last November announced that Hill would be cordially received as Ambassador Tower's successor. On the strength of this announcement the latter reached the decision to retire from the position and insisted upon the acceptance of his resignation.

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