

has new ideas and wants to press those ideas until dissatisfaction is created in the republican party. With words of praise for the framers of the constitution, Mr. Foraker came to the matter of "this king business," so entitled by Joe Hedges of New York. "Those men," he said, "did not like the thought of placing power in the hands of one man. They did not want a king. They had come from lands over the sea to escape kings and they settled the question forever by deciding to confer the powers of government on three departments, the legislative, executive and the judicial. The framers of the constitution made every effort to avoid the centralization of power and the voters should be warned against following any doctrine of centralization, no matter by whom expounded."

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The census returns for Memphis, Tenn., will be announced in a short time. When given out the figures will show not only the total population, but will indicate the division of the races, the number of whites and the number of negroes separately. It is expected that the population of San Francisco and Los Angeles will be announced very shortly. After those announcements, there will be only two or three large cities remaining to be heard from.

Assistant postmasters who hope to be transferred into the permanent service of the government under the civil service order recently issued by President Taft must first stand a rigid examination as to their efficiency. The postmaster general does not intend that any drones or favored relatives who are not up to the standard of efficiency that should be required of assistant postmasters shall be transferred to the permanent rolls by the blanket process. Each man must prove his worth before he goes into the classified service.

A long line of detailed questions to answer in connection with the investigation of the general increases in railroad rates has been forwarded by the interstate commerce commission to all the railroads in the official classification, western trunk line, trans-Missouri and Illinois freight territories. The roads are required to furnish the commission with this detailed information on or before December 5 for use in the investigations and for the general information of the committee. Where the records of the companies do not contain the matters called for, the returns are required to be rendered as completely as possible and companies encountering this difficulty must appear before the commission on November 21 to explain why they are unable to make the full returns.

President Taft has announced the personnel of the new endowment fund of the National Red Cross. The Red Cross at present is without any endowment in this country, but it is hoped that through the efforts of the committee named by the president an ample fund will be obtained. President Taft, as president of the National Red Cross is the ex-officio head. Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh is named as chairman and Secretary Morton is vice president. The entire membership of the committee is nearly 200. Among the most prominent members are Robert Bacon and Lloyd C. Griscom of New York; George W. Simmons, James C. Butler, W. K. Bixby, David R. Francis and Rolla Wells, of St. Louis; Charles R. Taft, J. C. Schmidlapp, M. E. Ingalls and Julius Fleischman of Cincinnati; John Hays Hammond, Thomas Nelson Page and Rear Admiral Brownson, of Washington; Judge Henry Stockbridge, Bernard N. Baker and General James A. Garry, of Baltimore; Charles A. Otis, of Cleveland; Senator George T. Oliver of Pittsburg; former Vice President Fairbanks, Governor Thomas R. Maschall and Noble C. Butler, of Indianapolis.

A Washington dispatch under date of November 3 states that indictments have been returned by the federal grand jury against nine ranchmen of western Nebraska. The indictments charge conspiracy to drive from their claims at the point of the gun homesteaders who took sections

of semi-arid lands under the Kinkaid homestead law by the defendants. Those indicted were Perry A. Yeast of Hyannis, Neb.; his son, Frank W. Yeast, Leslie B. Ballinger, M. C. Hubbell, Emil Anderson, Willmot Z. Emerson, Harry Sutton, Boone B. Hawthorne and Dr. Harry K. Hough. Dr. Hough, who is a prominent physician, and Sutton, who is a ranchman, are both members of the county insanity board. There are four counts in the indictment and the specific overt acts mentioned indicate an unusual frontier condition. According to the charges made in the indictment Yeast and his associates carried their efforts so far as to secure the incarceration in the insane asylum at Hastings, Neb., one of their alleged victims.

The New Mexico constitutional convention has decided that the governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, state treasurer, state auditor, attorney general, commissioner of public lands and superintendent of public instruction should be elective and that their terms should be four years. Except in the case of the commissioner of public lands and superintendent of public instruction they shall not be eligible to re-election. The convention also decided that the governor, the secretary of state and chief justice would constitute the state election board. The governor's salary will be \$5,000 a year; the attorney general's \$4,000 and other officers \$3,000.

M. Briand has organized the new French cabinet as follows: Premier and minister of the interior, Aristide Briand; minister of justice, Theodore Girard; minister of foreign affairs, Stephen Pichon; minister of war, General Brun; minister of marine, Boue de Lapeyriere; minister of public instruction, Maurice Faure; minister of finance, M. Klotz; minister of commerce, Jean Dupuy; minister of colonies, M. Morel; minister of labor, Louis Laferre; minister of public works, M. Purch.

An effort to restrict the use of the injunction by the courts of Arizona, especially in industrial disputes was defeated in the constitutional convention after a heated debate. The vote stood 18 to 32.

An Associated Press dispatch from Washington, under date of November 3, says: "Denunciation of the Delaware, Lackawana and Western Railroad company, in which it is charged with repeatedly trying to drive a competing company out of business, and an arraignment of the so-called 'anthracite coal trust' are contained in a complaint filed with the interstate commerce commission by the Marian Coal company of Wilmington, Del. Reparation in the sum of \$55,239, because of alleged excess charges, is demanded. The statement sets forth allegations of one of the most remarkable series of business harrassments ever figuring before the commission. It not only attacks the alleged unjust and discriminative rates to which the Marian company has been subjected as 'based on a monopoly maintained through the device of the Temple Iron company, the directors of which are the presidents of the railroads constituting the anthracite coal trust,' but charges attempted dictation of production, interference with prospective purchasers of the plant, diversion of the water supply and heaping of fuel on a fire that threatened destruction of the Marian company's washer at Taylor. The Marian washer, on a Lackawana division switch, also serves three collieries alleged to belong to the Lackawana interests. The complaint sets forth various acts as preventing equality

of conditions as between the Marian and alleged favored competitors 'who constitute the trust.'"

#### THE "NEW NATIONALISM"

Mr. Bryan asked in his speech at Indianapolis yesterday if it is to be part of the new nationalism "to drag newspaper editors to Washington charged with libel whenever anything is printed that may not be pleasing to the new government." Why not? Under the new nationalism the president is to be "the steward of the public welfare." A steward of the public welfare must not permit "a libel upon the United States government," and anything is a libel upon the United States government which criticises the official conduct of the steward of the public welfare and his associates. Newspaper editors must be dragged to Washington for trial in order that the steward of the public welfare may personally supervise the administration of justice and see that sedition is properly punished.—New York World.

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