GREAT DAY AT THE CAPITAL

Roosevelt and Fairbanks Take the Oath of Office.

us out as a subject for insolent aggression.

"Our relations with the other powers of the world are important; but still more important are our relations among ourselves. Such growth in wealth, in population and in power as this nation has been during the century and a quarter of its national life is inevitably accompanied by a like growth in the problems which are ever before every nation that rises to greatness. There is no good reason why we should fear the future, but there is every reason why we should face it seriously, neither hiding from ourselves the gravity of the problems before us nor fearing to approach these problems with the unbending, unflinching purpose to solve them aright.

"Yet, after all, though the problems are new, though the tasks set before us differ from the tasks set before our fathers, who founded and preserved this republic, the spirit in which these tasks must be undertaken and these problems faced, if our duty is to be well done, remains essentially unchanged. We know that self-government is difficult. We know that no people needs such high traits of character as that people which seeks to govern its affairs aright through the freely expressed will of the freemen who compose it. But we have faith that we shall not prove false to the memories of the men of the mighty past. They did their work, they left us the splendid heritage we now enjoy. Yet, after all, though the problems

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In the presence of as many as could be crowded into the Senate chamber, Charles Warren Fairbanks was inducted into the office of Vice President of the United States. The ceremony was quickly followed by the ceremony was quickly followed by the cremony followed by the cremony followed by the cremony followed by the cremony followed by the these official acts took place in the chamber just before the inauguration of the President.

The bodies of Mullins and Kirk were blown to atoms and that of Mariani was blown across the Big

Members of Family of Ex-Congressman Ikirt.

In connection with the \$500,000 fire cidence is related by the members of of the bituminous region of Pennain East Liverpool, O., a peculiar conthe family of Ex-Congressman George P. Ikirt, who owned one of the finest of the many buildings burned.

Early in the week William Jennings Bryan, who lectured there Monday night, was the guest of Dr. Ikirt, who served with him in Congress. Mr. Bryan did not leave town until Tuesmorning, but then he told the family of a dream which had greatly impressed him. In his slumbers he had visions of a great conflagration in which the Ikirts seemed to be great losers. He saw every one of the family in his dream, he said; and now it is recalled as being strangely like a prophecy.

The British claims as a result of the North sea incident as finally submitted to Russia total \$325,000. This amount, it is understood, will be paid in a few days without demurrer.

The senate passed the river and harbor bill after a bitter argument on the conferees' report in the house had been indulged in by Representatives Sibley and Burton.

FRIGHTFUL SLAUGHTER

Way to Mukden.

Reports from Japanese sources claim that the Russian right flank, southwest to south of Mukden, and contiguous territory has been completely turned by the Japanese forces, under the immediate command of Gen. Oku. To the eastward Gen. Kurold is directing a vigorous attack with heavy artillery against strongly fortified Russian positions.

New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, at Unionville, Conn., shot and killed one of a gang of burglars who had broken into the station. A complete burglars' kit was found on the body. His companions escaped after a running fight with the station agent during which several shots were exchanged. Nothing was stolen from the station, as the burglars were surtack with heavy artillery against strongly fortified Russian positions.

WANT TO OUST STANDARD

Suit Instituted by Attorney General to Keep Company Out.

It has developed that suit has bee brought by Attorney General Cole man for the appointment of a receiv

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1,000 ARE KILLED IN RIOTS Population of Baku Said to Be in a

Murderous Frenzy.

The Berlin Vorwaerts has a dispatch from Baku, Caucasian Russia, stating that up to February 23 the dead in the rioting there had reached 1,000. The whole population, says the paper, are in a murderous frenzy. The Armenian petroleum millionaire, Adamianz, stationed himself on the roof of his own house and shot 60 Mohammedans within two hours.

The Mohammedans finally drenched the house with the millionaire's own petroleum and set fire to it, burning Adamianz, his wife, six children and 10 servants to death. There have been many instances of barbarity. Murderous Frenzy.

FOUR DEAD; 10 INJURED

Two of Victims Blown to Atoms;

MR. BRYAN DREAMED OF FIRE

The damage done to the road-bed is costly, and will take weeks to repair. A good-sized building can be buried in the hole made by the expanse of Family of Fx-Con-

\$3,000,000 Coal Deal.

sylvania was consummated when the Westmoreland Coal company took over the Penn Gas Coal company, the purchase price being about \$3,500,000, or on a basis of \$490 an acre for coal land and \$1,500,000 for equipment. This will give the Westmoreland Coal company 20,000 acres of coal land and 10 working mines that have a capacity of 3,000,000 tons of coal per annum. The number of hands that will be under its employ will be 2,500, and the average pay roll is about \$70,000 every two weeks. Westmoreland Coal company took

Station Agent Kills Burglar.

TATAL REAR FIRE LOSS Six Fine Buildings in East Liverpoo

Ohio Organizations Going to the Inaugural Meet Disaster.

The Emperor has issued a rescript to the Minister of the Interior, stat-

to the Minister of the Interior, stating that he has decided to convene an assembly of elected representatives of the people to elaborate and consider legislative measures. The workmen's demands that the government pledge itself to release the 3,000 strikers who had been arrested since January 22 and engage that the members of the mixed commission should have absolute freedom of speech and immunity of arrest on account of expression of opinions and that the proceedings of the commission should be published uncensored have been rejected by the government.

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The Emporer issued a manifesto
calling upon all his subjects to rally
to the support of the government.
Serious disorders broke out at the
Poinanski cotton mill to-day while the
men were being paid off. Troops
were summoned to restore order and
three workmen were killed and 42 ininted

Dynamite Kills Six.

At the railroad camp of A. H. Calligan a Chesapeake & Ohio railway contractor at the mouth of Greasy Creek, 10 miles south of Pikeville, Ky., four workmen were instantly killed today, two were fatally hurt and four dangerously injured by an explosion

HITTING THE TRUSTS

Kansas Senate and Nebraska House

Pass Stringent Measures. The Kansas Senate unanimously enator Nofzinger's bill to prevent the operation of trusts within Kansas. The measure, patterned after the Texas law, provided \$20,000 Kansas. The largest coal deal in the history fine for each attempt to strifle competition in any business. Provision is made for the expulsion from Kansas of any firm presistently violating the

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The Nebraska House passed an anti-trust bill by a vote of 72 to 10. The bill has still to be considered by the Senate. The bill exempts domestic corporations. Its author, Representative Junkins, said it is aimed specifically at the beef trust and the Standard Oil Company. Publicity through complete reports to the Attorney General and prohibition of relates are leading features.

Will Enlarge Tube Works.

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LARGE FIRE LOSS

Destroyed.

The third destructive blaze this winter and by far the worst fire in the history of East Liverpool, O.,

drawn.

The firing began. Passengers peered from the car windows, and as they witnessed the spectacle women fainted in their seats. Capt. Eles wick proved the better marksman. He killed Waller and he himself escap ed with only a flesh wound. Capt Eleswick surrendered himself to the authorities. authorities.

SOLDIERS' SKELETONS FOUND Bodies of Twenty Supposed Union

Men Unearthed at Chattanooga. Men Unearthed at Chattanooga.

In removing a hill in the eastern part of the city of Chattanooga treatments of the city of Chattanooga treatments of the city of Chattanooga treatments of the constant of the constant of the constant of Union soldlers. Brass buttons bearing the insignia of the Union forces were found near the skeletons. It is believed that the remains are those of soldlers killed in the desper ate assaults on Missionary Ridge The indications are that many more skeletons will be removed before the work is finished.

Illinois May Fight Trust The method by which the twin rust has been fought in severa states is possibly to be utilized in States is possibly to be utilized if Illinois against the alleged meastrust. In the lower House of the Legislature a bill was introduced by Representative Canaday, of Monigomery to appropriate \$500,000 for the erection and maintenance of State packing houses in the peniter tiaries at Jollet and Chester.

Anti-Cigaret Bill Signed. Gov. F. W. Hanly, of Indiana, hasigned the Parks anti-cigaret bi which will go into effect in June. prohibits any person t sell, or keep for sale cigarets cigaret paper or cigaret wrappers. For the first offense a fine not exceeding \$50 may be imposed and for a second offense a fine of not ex ceeding \$500, or a jail sente six months may be imposed.

Ice Gorge Wrecks Boats.

The huge ice gorge extending more than 40 miles up the Ohio river from Cincinnati for several weeks past broke, carrying with it river steam ers, tugs and coal barges, valued a \$400,000. The damage done by the ice during the past week is estimated at \$200,000, making the total loss sus tained by river interests close to \$600,000.

Railroaders' Pay Increased.
The employes of the Delaware, Susquehanna and Schuylkill railroad which handles the coal output of the Coxe and other collieries have been granted a 10 per cent. increase in wages, effective February 1. No demand had been made for the advance

Southern Iron Merger.

The merger of the Schloss Sheffield Tennesse Coal and Iron Company and Tennesse Coal and Iron Company and minor companies has finally been ac complished. Mr. Hoadley, who has been the active head of the syndicate which has been buying up control of the companies that are to be included in the combination, when asked if the Republic Steel and Iron company would be a party to the merger, admitted that no formal offer had been made for the company's Southern properties. erp properties.

FIGHTING IN THE FAR EAST

B'g Guns Pouring Out Shot over Long Line of Battle.

COLOMBIA BACK IN LINE President Reyes Appoints a Minister

to the United States.

The state department has received a cablegram from Mr. Russell, the American minister to Bogota, announcing the appointment of Diego Mendoza as minister from Colombia to the United States. He will reach Washington in a few weeks. Mr. Mendoza is a politician and a warm supporter of President Reyes.

President Reyes' action is received here with satisfaction and as marking a full restoration of diplomatic relations between Washington and Bogota.

Wrs. Jane Lathrop Stanford widow of United States Senator Leland Stanford, died in Honolulu.

The anti-discrimination bill, directed at the Standard Oil Company, passed the Kansas legislature.

Government participation in the exposition was provided by the house today when by a vote of 192 to 91, the bill for that purpose being passed under a suspension of the rules.

Thirty-nine new national banks with \$2,300,000 capital were organized during last month, the largest total to the United States.

relations between washington and Bogota.

It is assumed also that President Reyes will accept our good offices in paving the way for the negotiation of a treaty of amity between Colombia and Panama that will provide for the adjustment not only of the matter of Colombia's national independence prior to the separation, but of some boundary disputes and other issues that might make trouble in the future.

JAPS CROSS THE SAHKE

engaged.
Russia is using every means in her power to keep her military railroad lines open despite labor troubles:
Maxim Gorky, the Russian novelist, will be deported. He was released and rearrested, and is now closely confined.

Plans for Extension and Completion of Building Reported.

After the Trusts.

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The Kansas House has passed a resolution providing for an investigation of the binding twine combination, and the Senate decided to look into the workings of the insurance companies doing business in this State. It is alleged the companies have made a combination in violation of the State anti-trust law.

Arabian Revolt Extending.

The insurrection in the province of Yemen, Arabia, is assuming alarming proportions. Almost the whole country southward of Sanaa is in revolt and the towns of Kataba and Tais have fallen into the hands of the insurgent Arabs, whose forces are constantly increasing.

GOV. DAWSON TAKES OATH

West Virginia's New Executive Takes His Seat.

Long Line of Battle.

JAP FORTIFICATIONS DESTROYED

Pussians Retake Bridge Across the Shakhe River and Claim Many Japs Were Killed.

A message from General Oku's headquarters says: The Japanese leave occupied a line from Shatzemun, two miles west of the Hun river, in a northwesterly direction to Kallia, on the east bank of the Liao river.

A heavy bombardment along the entire line west of the railroad is in progress night and day.

The Japanese remain in their position and make no serious response to the Russian infantry attacked Lantin, aided by a terrible artillery fire. After desperate hand-to-hand fighting, which lasted for an hour and a half, the Russian were repulsed, leaving 60 dead. Many trophies were taken, as well as some prisoners. The Japanese loss did not exceed 60. Small detachments of Russian slos attacked at many other points, but in every case they were repulsed.

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COLOMBIA 2606 In Managements.

Quash Indictments.

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Judge R. W. Tayler, of the United States District court at Cleveland, overruled the motion of Attorney J. P. Dawley, counsel for Mrs. Cassis remendous fire with field and siege transparent poutloff hill. Columns of white smoke envelop the hill on two sides. The bombardment of the right flank continues along the whole front of about 190 miles. The eastern detachment near Kondayu has repulsed the Japanese attack. The Japanese have also been driven in from Tunsilai pass and from the vicinity of Gauto pass.

COLOMBIA 2606 IN 1415 Mr. Dawley's motion

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Thirty-nine new national banks with \$2,300,000 capital were organized during last month, the largest total for any February in the history of the national banking system.

The sum of \$10,800 was found in the home of Mrs. Jacob Frank, lately deceased, of Cochran, Ind. The money was in gold and bills and represented the savings of 50 years.

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Baltimore and Ohio train No. 12,
struck four Wabash employes about
three-quarters of a mile east of Evitts
creek, Md., killing three and slightly
injuring the other.

Russians Are Driven Back—Polish
Revolution Spreading.

The Japanese have crossed the Sakhe river, driving back the Russian outposts, and are bombarding Mukden. Their entire line is said to be gragged.

Russia is using every means in her Russian over 1,800 cars, representing an outlay of about \$1,900,000.

The German steamer Nubia, according to the correspondent of the London Daily Mail at Hong Kong, reports having sighted two Japanese squadrons on Saturday 100 miles southeast of Hong Kong.

confined.

The revelt in Poland is spreading.
An outbreak of the peasantry is feared.

TO MOVE THE CAPITOL

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Plans for Extension and Completion of Building Reported.

Senator Wetmore presented to the Senate the report of the joint commission to report on plans for the extension and completion of the Capital building, in accordance with the ages were destroyed.

tension and completion of the Capitol building, in accordance with the original plans by the late Thomas U. Walter, with modifications.

The commission recommends the adoption of a scheme for moving the entire central east front forward 11 feet and 10 inches to bring the wall of the building at the center, under the extreme projection of the dome, and thus give the dome the apparent support it should have.

Change of else and registered letters and packages were destroyed.

Mrs. Chadwick has given up the idea of asking for a change of venue. The Reprolets for Wash Park bank, who held a package for Mrs. Chadwick containing securities to the alleged value of \$5,000,000 has been served with a subpoena as a witness for the government in the trial.

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The scheme provides also for refacing with white marble portions of the west front of sandstone. The cost is stimated at \$425,000. The commission recommends reproducing the west terrace steps in white marble at a cost of \$50,000, and the sculptural treatment of the east pedement thouse wing at a cost of \$55,000.

Arabian Revolt Extending.

The action of the senate killed legislation for the Panama canal at this session of congress.

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