

ES APPROPRIATIONS REACHED BILLION DOLLARS

man Tawney Disputes Charge Points to Record of Constructive Legislation.

Washington, June 28.—Republican Actual probable fixed charge at the revenues during the fiscal of 1911, \$893,120,761.

Democratic claim—Congress at the on just closed again passed the a dollar high water mark.

Parties Agree—Appropriations expenses of the government made the past session aggregate \$1,133,446.

These contentions epitomize the an review of national appropriations expenditures, made public by man Tawney of the appropri committee of the house and ing Democratic member of that esentative Livingston of Georgia nittee.

Tawney's fixed-charge statement sed on deducting from the aggre the authorizations which carry no appropriations.

Tawney asserted that a sum y of the constructive legislation the first regular session of the y-first congress constitutes a rec of accomplishments surpassing in rtance any previous session in history of congress. Mr. Liv ton denounced what he called a e increase on account of public iditures, an increase of the public —"half a billion dollars spent for arism and the treasury drained army and navy."

WHY SHOULD CHECK GREED

orney General at Harvard Law School Talks on the Control of Public Utilities.

Cambridge, Mass., June 29.—Attor ney General Wickersham, in an ad sse before the Harvard Law School ocation reviewed in brief the de velopment of the last few years to ward the control of public utilities, d compared it to the growth of the chinery of trade, now comes to a ntrol of great lines of industry by orporations or individuals.

Never before has it been possible lay so direct a toll upon the pub through the concentration of indus rial power," he said. "The full sig nificance of the attempt to check the owth and power of great combina ons though the commerce clause of e constitution was scarcely per ived at the time of the enactment the Sherman law, nor until succee ve interpretations of it had been ven by the Supreme court.

"The history of nations indicates at a certain period of national de velopment becomes necessary to in pose by legislation between the ra ciality of individual greed and jus ce and fairness to the whole people.

"The right of every community to legislate respecting property affec ed by a public use was early recog nized."

Mr. Wickersham referred to the standard Oil and tobacco cases now pending decision of the Supreme court.

MAKE WAR ON GREAT HATS

Millinery Salesmen Attack Carwheel Headgear and Explain Why the Prices Are High.

Cincinnati, June 29.—An appeal for smaller and cheaper millinery was made by Vice Mayor Galvin in wel coming the Millinery Traveling Men's association at its convention.

"Can you not do this?" said the mayor.

"Yes, we can—not," responded the salesmen chorus, in whispers.

"The large hat has aggravated the congested street car problem," continued the mayor. "It is crowding the fans out of the ball parks, and need I say anything about the price?"

One thing the millinery salesmen are to talk about is the carwheel hat. They don't want it. It makes the selling of millinery by samples a cumbersome job. Millinery has gone up 50 per cent. in the last year, and a large part of the increased price, they contend, consists of the extra freight expenses big hats entail.

Springfield.—Thirty-one graduates of Concordia Theological seminary received their diplomas at the commencement exercises held in the school chapel.

Mattoon.—A two months' dead lock of the Mattoon city council was ended in a special session, when 11 saloon licenses were granted at \$1,000 each. Ten applications were turned down, the majority of the aldermen refusing licenses to all who have been indicted during the local option law. A special grand jury has returned indictments against 13 men for bootlegging, one indictment carrying 83 counts.

Streator.—John Dutke and John Strajha were drowned here by the capsizing of a boat in the river.

Table with columns: Assessed Value Personal Property, Assessed Value Real Estate, and names of property owners.

Professional Cards: DR. B. A. HAMILTON DENTIST; Miscellaneous: Want Ads. None less than 25 cents; WANTED: Socialists and sympathizers; WANTED: girl immediately for general work; WANTED: Unmarried man wants work taking care of lawns; FOR SALE: FOR SALE or exchange, common plastered house; FOR SALE: 8 room house, east side; Family horse 9 yrs weight 1250 lbs; FOR SALE: Two fresh Jersey cows; FOR RENT: 9-room cottage; FOR RENT: Choice offices in the Erskine Bank building; FOR RENT: 6 room flat; FOR RENT: modern furnished rooms; FOUND: A good place for HAIRDRESSING, MANICURING, SHAMPOING, MARCEL WAVING, SCALP TREATMENT, FACE BLEACHING, ELECTROLYSIS, FACIAL MASSAGE, HAIR GOODS; EDWARD COULSON & SONS ROOM 1 ERSKINE BANK.