### SPIRIT OF LINCOLN

Tributes to the Savior of the Union.

BANQUETS IN VARIOUS CITIES

Address in New York by Judge Baldwin, of Nebraska-Hanna Spoke on Business and Polities.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.-The Republican NEW YORK, Feb. 11-The Republicant Club, of the City of New York, gave a banquet tonight at the Waldorf-Astoria in honor of Abraham Lincoln's memory. General Henry E. Tremain presided. Among those at the guests' table were: Cornellus N. Bilss, Whitelaw Reld, Sena-tor J. M. Thurston, Senator Depew, Senator Joseph R. Burton, of Kansas; Judge John N. Baldwin, Senator Hanna, Attor-ney-General John W. Griggs, Senator N. Scott and Senator Edmund T. Bart-

While the dinner was served in the large froom, another dinner was being served in the Astor gailery, to about 5 women, invited guests of members of the club. When the speechmaking began, the women filed into the lower tier of boxes. Senators Depew, Thurston and Hanna were given an evation on entering the hall. A letter of regret from Robert T. Lincoln was received, and General Tremain intro duced Judge John N. Baldwin, of Ne-braska, as the orator of the evening. Judge Baldwin said in part:

"It is said that there is no longer a government fashioned after the precepts and principles of Abraham Lincoln; that the declaration that all men are created equal is unheeded; that capital and labor are opposed and uncommunicating; that manufacturers are gorged with the larder of a plundering tariff; that it is an age of mammon and machinery; that the existing financial system is a complete. mammon and machinery, that the cam-ing financial system is a conspiracy against the human race; that imperialism and militarism are the spirit of the times; and that forts are conveniently located so that a standing army can suppress by force discontent among laboring people.
"If these conditions do really exist, they put the state in danger, and if not amend-

practices, prophecies and platforms are made so to appear to 6,000,000 of voters peril to the state." Judge Baldwin referred to the last National campaign, and ridiculed the Demo, cratic party for its part in it. Continu-

ed, will destroy it. If these conditions do not really exist, but by certain peculiar

That such a party, with such a leader and with just simplicity enough to pre-tend, and just truth enough to deceive, could thus be sanctioned by so large a proportion of the American people almost

The poor, the discontented and distressed can safely leave their cause in the hands of those who would endeavor at least to determine it according to the principles of Abraham Lincoln. The same spirit of civil liberty that animated Wash-ington in his struggle to make this land free, and Lincoln to make every man free, is today moving over the waters of our governmental life. It recognizes no limitations and has no frontiers. It will move as easily and as surely over an ocean as it has over state, treaty and

Senator Hanna received a tremendous evation as he arose to respond to the toast "The Business Man in Politics." He said

Politics is business, and very severe business at that. The influence of the business man in politics is more farreaching than one would at first imagine. The great mass of workingmen, who are the employes of capital, and, therefore, the partners of capital, wield a great influence either for good or evil as they are made to see things. It is the duty of the business man of America to show that great class-the most powerful because of its numbers—that we do not discrimi-nate between classes; but that we have fear, when it comes to an issue, between

republicanism and socialism."

Senator Depew spoke informally, saying

can thank God and take courage for the solution of the problems that are before us; that in dealing with Cuba, Porto Rico, Hawaii and the Philippines, in extending the advantages of our institutions and increasing our National power and opportunities for our people, we had four years and have now in the Presiden-tial chair a disciple of Marshall, and of the purty of Lincoln, an equally great statesman, thoroughly imbued with the principles which have made our country great and strong and prosperous.

Whitelaw Reld spoke to the toast, "Our New Possessions." He said, speaking of

There is no eagerness to annex the a connection, lest it lead to statehood and so prove the entering wedge for a trans-formation of our continental republic formation of our continental republic, which would inevitably work its ruin. But the duty of protection remains, "As to the other islands, people will disagree, but it makes no difference. The

one thing on which intelligent and conibility of its own acts. Count the cost and danger of our present position as enormous as you please, it will all be cheap to us still, and fortunate if only to teach us benceforth to distrust the swash. buckler and the talitwister in interna-tional politics, to avoid meddling in other people's affaire and becoming heated partisans on either side in other people's

quarets."
Hugh Gordon Miller responded to the
toast. "The New South." He paid a tribute
to President McKinley, and said that
young America was with him in unbroken

Senstor-elect J. R. Burton, of Kansas, o the toast. The Republican He became ill on his way here from Washington, and had to retire to his room at the Waldorf-Astoria. His remarks were very brief.

Senator Thurston, who spoke briefly, said he believed America would follow in the footsteps of Abraham Lincoln until freedom would be established all over the

### BRYAN TALKED OF JEFFERSON. The Leading Speaker at the Columbus Dollar Dinner.

COLUMBUS. O., Feb. 12.—Lincoln day was celebrated here tonight by the Jeffer-ron, Jackson and Lincoln League with a dollar dinner at the Columbus Auditorium There were fully 1500 persons scated at the tables, which occupied the floor of the immense hall, and 1000 more were seated in the galieries, thrown open to spectators. Many ladies were among those at the tables. There were no cigars and no beverages stronger than coffee.

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The feature of the evening was the demonstration in honor of W. J. Bryan. The Nebraskan was received with loud applause when he entered the half, but the crowd fairly went wild when Mr. Bryan introduced to speak. Men climbed was introduced to speak. Men climbed upon chairs and cheered again and again

of introducing Mr. Bryan to you, I in-troduced him as the next President of the United States. I again introduce him as I did then. Following is an abstract of Mr. Bryan'

Never has this Nation been more in need than it is today of an earnest and thorough revival of Jeffersonian princi-ples. While other statesmen, appearing at different crises and meeting the responsibilities of their respective times have made partial application of Demo cratic principles, Jefferson is the only on who formulated a Democratic code appli cable to all times, all situations and all people. At this time, when the money-changers are in absolute control of the Government, and are shaping the Nation's financial policy in their own interests, without regard for the welfare of the people at large, we need to recall Jefferson's scathing arraignment of those who demand the surrender into their hands

demand the surrender into their hands of the sovereign functions of government. He pointed out that the aafety of the people lay in a policy that would drive the banks out of the governing business.

"At this time, when corporation monopoly is fast extinguishing industrial independence, we need a revival of the Jeffersonian spirit, which demands a Government administered according to the doctrine of course rights to all and special trine of equal rights to all and special privileges to none. At this time, when commercialism is searing the conscience of the Nation; when the worship of Mammon is leading the people to ignore in allenable rights; when the ideals bought with blood and sacrifice are to be bartered away for the specious and delusive prom-ises of empire—at this time, I repeat, we seed to have our faith in man as man and our love for man as brother, rekindled by the memory of this mighty patriot, philosopher and Democrat, whose brain comprehended the height and depth and

breadth of government, and whose heart embraced the human race." Senators Pettigrew and Carmack falled to respond to toasts set for them. The latter's speech on Jefferson and Lincoln was read by Congressman Shafroth, of Colorado. Other speakers and their toasts were: "Our Duty," Hon. David A. De Ar-mond, of Missouri; "Jackson," Hon John P. Altgeld, and "Lincoln," Hon. Charles

BEST-LOVED OF AMERICANS. Postmaster-General Smith's Address

on Lincoln. NEW YORK, Feb. 12.-The third annual NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—The third annual Lincoin day dinner of the Republican Club of East Orange, N. J., was given today. Postmaster-General Smith spoke on "Abraham Lincoin," and 'Congressman Charles B. Landis, of Indiana, responded to the toast, "The Republic Today." "Log-Cabin Days" was the toast to which the control of t Franklin Murphy responded, and Congressman Richard Wayne Parker responded to 'The New Jersey Responded publicans."

Postmaster-General Smith said that the place of Lincoln among the elect was fixed, and he would be recognized as the best-loved of Americans. Continuing, he

"The Titanic struggle of the Civil War ushered in an era of great National pros-perity at home, and the more recent Span ish war has ushered in an epoch of expunsion of territory and trade. The more recent war has demonstrated that the great American Republic was not destined to isolation, but must play its part in the history of the world. Abraham Lincoln was the savior of the Nation and the prophet of its great home development, and President McKinley, the champion of protection, was destined to lead our great Nation to industrial supremacy among the sations of the earth."

SPOKE FOR THE SUBSIDY BILL, Specch by Congressman Long, of

Kansas, at Portland, Me. PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 12.-The annual banquet of the Lincoln Club, of Portland, was attended by over 200 prominent Re-publicans from all parts of the state. The principal speaker was Congressman Chesprincipal speaker was Congressman Ches-ter I. Long, of Kansas, who was given an enthusiastic reception. He spoke atrong-ly in favor of the subsidy bill, and said: "Legislation that will help to enlarge our foreign commerce, that will assist in the transportation of our products to

other lands, ought to receive the support of the people of the interior of our counthe seaboard. The shipping bill now pending in Congress will increase our foreign trade. The people of this generation have tried free trade and protection, and If the shipthey know the difference. ping bill is part of the great protective system, they will cheerfully favor it, for free trade and hard times have always gone hand in hand in this country." He paid an eloquent tribute to Lincoln.

Celebrated in Chicago. CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—Banks, the Beard of Trade, the Stock Exchange, the courts and other public institutions were closed here today in honor of Lincoln's ninetyecond birthday. The chief event of th day's exercises was the public memorial meeting in the G. A R. Memorial Hall, under the auspices of the Grand Army

Memorial Hall Association. Nearly 50 pupils of the senior grades at the North Division High School, in-censed because Principal Wescot would allow no holiday or hold Lincoln Day exercises in the school, refused to attend ared to get the rest of the students to join them. They were unsuccessful, but obeyed the order of Principal Wescot to leave the grounds,

An Address by Senator Hoar, BOSTON, Feb. 11.—The celebration of Lincoln Day at the State House was made notable by the joint assembling of both Houses and an eloquent and interesting ddress on the life of Lincoln by Senator George Frisble Hoar, of Worcester, who

recently received a re-election from Mas-sachusette for the fifth time. The memory of Lincoln was honored by a feast of song, wit and sentiment at the celebration of the Middlesex Club, at the Hotel Brunswis tonight. The speakers were: Hon. Joseph Quaries. United States Senator from Wisconsin; Hon. E. Burnham, United States Senator-elect from New Hampshire; Hon. C. F. Warwick, of New Hampshire; Hon. C. F. Warwick, of Philadelphia; Hon. H. J. Hoge, of Virginia, and Hon. D. J. Foster, of Vermont.

Minister Wu on Lilcoln NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—The Union League Club, of Brooklyn, this evening held its annual Lincoln dinner principal guest was Minister Wu, who held a formal reception before the din-Three hundred and nine guests sat at the table. Assistant Secretary of State Cridler spoke on "Lincoln, the Typical In his address Wu Ting

I do not look upon Lincoln as belonging to America alone. The world claims him as a benefactor of mankind, and his noble deeds as the achievements of the human

Two Banquets in Denver. DENVER, Feb. 12.-Lincoln Day was celebrated in Denver tonight by two banquets, one by Colorado Commandery of the Loyal Legion, at the Windsor Hotel, and the other under the auspices of the Republican State Central Committee, at

the Brown Palace Hotel. Dr. Thomas A. Green, of Cedar Rapids, Ia., was the principal speaker at the former banquet and those at the latter included Brigadier-General Irving Hale and Hon, John W. Springer, of Denver; Charles E. Gast, of Pueblo, and Henry McAllister, of Cole rado Springs.

Observed in Philadelphia PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 11-The ninetysecond anniversary of the hirthday Abraham Lincoln was observed today and it was some minutes before the noise this city with appropriate orremonies. All bubsided. Congressman Lehtz, as tonat-master, introduced Mr. Bryan. "The last time," said Mr. Lentz, "I had the pleasure propriately decorated.

GREETED BY A DIMINUTIVE AU-DIENCE YESTERDAY.

ers to Smash Every Joint They Could Find.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12-Mrs. Carrie Nation ived in Chicago today and within 15 nutes after reaching the city she was facing a somewhat diminutive audience gathered under the auspices of local members of the W. C. T. U., in Willard Hall. On her trip toward Chicago, Mrs. Nation delivered a number of short addresses from the rear end of the car.

declaring she would be in danger from the mob that would be at the depot. The Chief tried to laugh the matter of, but the women were persistent and he finally officer. Only a very small crowd was at

MRS. NATION IN CHICAGO sons, mostly women, made a raid on the "blind pigs" at Dawson, Minn., last night smashing and cleaning them all out. They also gave warning to the two drug store proprietors that if they did not be more careful about giving liquor as prescrip-tions that they would be dealt with in Carrie Nation order. The wife of one of the druggists was one of the most en-thusiastic crusaders. The spokesman o Gave the Usual Advice to Her Hear- the crowd was a woman teacher of the

W. C. T. U. Takes Hold. HUTCHINSON, Kan., Feb. 12.-The W. C. T. U., of Kansas, will attack the saloon element at the opening made by Mrs. Nation. Mrs. E. P. Hutchinson, the state president, and other state officers, draft-ed a manifesto here today to be sent to W. C. T. U.s all over the state, urging a general uprising against the saloon.
Mass meetings to adopt resolutions urging Governor Stanley to enforce the prohibition law and "to stir up the people" During the day a committee called upon Chief of Police Kipley and asked him to detail a strong force of detectives to detail a strong force of detection of that adopted by the Kansas State Temperance Union, will, it is believed, respectively. John P. St. John, the Prohibition Gov-

> Senator Burton's Opinion. NEW YORK, Feb. 12.-Senator-elect Jo-



-St. Paul Pioneer Press.

the depot and the arrival of Mrs. Nation produced no excitement whatever. She entered her carriage at once and was driven to Willard Hall, five squares disto Willard Hall, five squares dis-Here a small crowd awaited her, She talked strongly against the saloons and much enthusiasm was worked up. Mrs. Nation denounced the sale of liquor in Chicago and asked all those who were

in Chicago and asked all those who were in sympathy with her to go out and destroy the saloons, as they were illegal, no matter under what sort of laws they were allowed to exist.

"While in Chicago I will not attempt to amash any saloens," said Mrs. Nation, "but tomerrow, in company with two policemen, I intend to visit as many of these places as possible, and I will invite the saloon-keepers to come to Wilvite the saloon-keepers to come to Wiliard Hall tomorrow night and hear what I have to say about the wekedness of selling liquor. I will also visit Mayor Har-rison and Chief of Police Kipley tomorrow morning and tell them what I think of city officials who will allow so many dives and low resorts to run as prevail in Chicago. If you can't get rid of those crime-breeding places by peaceable means, why, I say, use force. All you women and men who believe in God and our cause, arm yourselves and go out and amash every one of those 'hell holes' that you can find. Don't be afraid, the Lord is on our side and will take care of you, no matter whether you get

rested or not."

Mrs. Nation will leave here tomorrow hight for Topeka, to stand trial for 'joint smashing."

NO CHANGE AT TOPEKA.

Saloon Men Keeping Their Heads ( Under Cover. TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 12. — The local iquor situation is practically unchanged oday. The saloon men are keeping their neads under cover and their doors are securely locked. They apparently mean to keep them closed and preparations are being made to remove the bars and other fixtures. Last night a few bars were moved from the "joints" and stored away. All the bartenders are out of work, and "lointists" are standing around talklog it over The majority have been closed since Thursday, and the beer wagons

have stopped their usual rounds, have stopped their usual rounds.
"I think that all the 'joints' were closed
last night." said Chief Stahl today. "All
I visited were quiet. I did not go across
the river. There was talk that one or two were running, but if they were, they were upstairs and not where they could be easily found. The committee seems to be well pleased and thinks that the 'joints are thoroughly cowed and will stop. The people do not let me in on all of the news, and I don't get anything definite, but I think I have a better chance to know what is going on than some people, and I believe there is an organization of from 300 to 1000 persons, with offices from Colonel down to Corporals, ready to move on the 'joints' if they don't close up. What that organization will do I

mnnot say. Secretary Stevens, of the State Temperance Union, issued a manifesto today urg ing immediate energetic and persisten law enforcement action in every part of the state, following the example of the citizens of Topeka, Holton and other cities, it says:
"The hour for action has come. Let it

be at once and in most orderly and debe at once and in most druerly and de-termined manner, without riot, bleodshed or destruction of lawful property. Nulli-fication has defiantly trampled the laws of the state under foot until patience has ceased to be a virtue. If, under existing ircumstances, the people now act, no ashly, but vigorously and simultaneous iy, every 'joint' and questionable resort can be banished from Kansas."

It calls upon ministerial alliances and temperance committees to send out res-cuing committees, call mass meetings and totify lawbreakers that all violations must immediately cease, and that their illicit fixtures and goods must be removed from

Representative Green, of Cowey Coun ty, introduced a state dispensary bill in the House today. The bill provides for the establishment of dispensaries in num-erous precincts throughout the state to perate under an injunction with the prohibitory provision of the state const The bill includes the repeal of the whereby Probate Judges issue permits to druggists to sell liquors. Mr. Green differentiated his bill from the South Carolina statute by eliminating profits en-tirely. Daylight business hours only and usual provisions against selling to minors or habitual drunkards with adequate bonds to hold the agent are also included.

Raid on "Blind Pigs," REVILLO, S. D., Feb. 12.-A Mrs. Carrie

seph R. Burton, of Kansas, when asked about Mrs. Nation's saloon-smashing, said:

"It is a matter of surprise to the people of Kansas that so much notice is paid to Carrie Nation by the Eastern papers. She is a molehill in Kansas and a tower ing peak in New York. We have put the hadge of illegality on the saloons, in Kan-sas, and when the people get tired of having them can close them up. When it comes to smashing them, however, Mrs. Nation has no more legal right to attack them with an ax than she has to constinte herself judge and jury and attack anything else. It is quite likely that her so-called crusads will awaken people in many parts of the state to the undesir-ableness of the saloon as a feature of town

Raid at Arkanasa City Expected. KANSAS CITY, Kan., Feb. 12.-Mayor ess refused the request made by a com mittee of ministers last week to close the local "joints" and a raid by the tem-perance people is expected to result. The Mayor says it is as much in the ministers' power as in his to close the places.

many of them up.'

Mrs. Nation Wanted.

INDEPENDENCE, Kan., Feb. 12-A crusade against the "joints" and gambling places of Independence was launched at a mass meeting here. A fund may be raised to bring Mrs. Nation here to start a raid.

IRRIGATION IN WASHINGTON If Funds Can Be Secured, Sites for Reservoirs Will Be Selected.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8 .- Representative Cushman has been interesting himself of late in the proposition to have different localities in Eastern Washington examined with a view to determining where feasible sites for irrigating reservoirs may be found, in case, in the future, the Government, state or private interests may undertake to irrigate the semiarid regions of that portion of the state. The work of selecting such sites is being carried or quite extensively in some of the Western States, but very little has been done in Washington; and, in fact, less irrigation is needed to develop that state than al-most any other west of the Mississippi

However, in order that his state might not be neglected, Mr. Cushman called on F. H. Newell, hydrographer of the Geological Survey, and talked the proposition over with him. Mr. Newell said that for eral years the force under his office has been measuring the discharge of important streams, notably the Yakima River and its tributaries, in order to ring together data concerning the amount of flow at high and low water This being well in hand, they have next taken up the consideration of storage reserwoirs, and have examined a few of the ut have as yet hardly started upon sys-

Reconnoisances have also been made to determine whether water can be diverted from large streams in the Cascade Range, around the divides, to swell the volumes in some of the smaller streams of imporance in irrigation; but, unfortunately, the topography is such that most of these projects have been found impracticable A considerable number of petitions and requests have been received from the State of Washington to extend this work,

and an estimate has been prepared, the matter now being before the committee on appropriations. If sufficient funds are available, the survey will be able to take up this work energetically. Many urgent requests of this kind are already on file, and it is thought that \$250,000 will be quired to make the surveys. With a less it is, of course, a question of which the reservoir surveys can be taken up, and naturally those for which there is the most pressure will receive first atten-

Mr. Cushman is very anxious that the people who will be directly benefited by the construction of reservoirs, should take an active interest in this matter, and petition the Geological Survey for these surveys. In this bureau of the Govern-ment more is accomplished by the direct applications of the people than in any other, and on this account it is very es-sential that the people should make them-selves heard. Mr. Cushman will do what he can to have an ample appropriation will insist upon having Washington recognized, but one man alone cannot ac REVILLO, S. D., Feb. 12.—A Mrs. Carrie plish the desired end. The people must Nation Club, consisting of about 150 per-co-operate.

WHETHER THE CINCINNATI FIGHT WILL BE PULLED OFF FRIDAY.

If His Decision is Adverse and an Appeal Is Taken, the Contest Will Be Postponed.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 11.-Preparations for Friday's fights have proceeded today the same as usual, and the promoters expect the events to come off on schedule time. Over \$1000 was taken in for tickets today. If the application for an injunc-tion is refused Thursday morning, the promoters expect orders to roll in that day and Friday. While there has been much talk about postponing the contest, no action will be taken before Friday afternoon. If Judge Holliater hands down a decision against the contest, an appeal to a higher court will be taken imme-diately, and in that event there is no doubt that the date will be postponed for two or three weeks.

Meantime, there is much comment over
the active preparations of Governor Nash

in having two or three regiments militia awaiting orders to proceed to Cincinnati. The promoters say that they would, in no event, attempt to pull off the event if an injunction should be issued against them. They would await a decision on appeal first. There was the usual activity today around the training quarters. The numaround the training quarters. The number of visitors is increasing daily. The members of the company that will support Jeffries on the road arrived from New York today and prooceeded with rehearsala. If the contest is not postponed, this company will appear with Jeffries Saturday night at Columbus and be here next week Bublin is scheduled.

Troops in Rendiness.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 12.—It is understood that General McMaken has been ordered by Governor Nash to report here with Colonel Moulton Houk and other members of his staff for service. This makes it appear as if General McMakin would be in command of the troops when called into service to stop the Cincinnati, fight. The statement is made that secret orders have gone forth to two regiments of the Ohio National Guard to hold themselves in readiness. The state officials professed ignorance when asked about the matter today, but it is known that Colonel Joseph Potter, of Columbus, commanding the Fourth Regiment, and Colonel Standbury, of the Sixth, have issued orders almost identical to company commanders. Governor Nash has intimated that if it became necessary he would use troops, and it is possible that the orders which have gone forth may have been taken by the regimental commanders on their own responsibility anticipation of the call being made.

Turf Congress Reorganized. CINCINNATI Feb. 12.—War was de-clared here today by the owners of six tracks against the New Western Jockey The six members of the Western Jockey Club, who were not allotted dates when the new jockey club was recently organized in Chicago, held a meeting here day and reorganized the old American Turf Congress, perfecting their plans for the circuit during the coming season and alloting the dates. The contest now will be for recognition by the Eastern Jockey Club. The reorganized American Turf Congress feels confident that Belmoni and others in New York will recognize it as against a Western jockey club. As there are eight members in the latter, as compared with six members in the form-er, there was some question as to the power of the minority, but legal advisers held the action of the eight members in Chicago to be illegal and the proceed-ings here today to be in accordance with-law. and country life, and will close a good

Plating the Defender BRISTOL, Feb. 12.-Several more bronze plates have been set to the frames of the cup defender on the third strake from the garboard. The plan of plating is practically the same that was followed when the Columbia was bull. There are seven strakes of plating to be riveted from the keel to the waterways. To completely plate the boat and furnish every

rivet, it is said, will take six weeks Prize Fighters Indicted. CHICAGO, Feb. 12.-The grand jury of Cane County today returned indictments against Eddle Croak, lightweight cham-pion of Iowa; "Young Peter" Jackson, of Chicago, and Referee George Siler, of Chi-The indictment charges a violation

of the state law against prize fighting and against aiding and abetting the same Boxing Tournament Postnoned SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.-The cham onship foxing tournament, which was mounted to be held in the gymnasium of the Olympic Club next month between the winners of the Eastern championship boxing tournament of Pittsburg, Pa., and the winners of the late tournament h here, has been indefinitely postponed.

Navnl Academy Hazing.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The Navy De-partment has received from Commander Richard Walnwright, superintendent of the Naval Academy at Annapolis, the report of the investigation made by him into the circumstances attending the death of Hobart Green, a young marine of Vir-ginia, aboard the Santee. It was charged his death was due to neglect of proper attention during his illness. The report completely exonerates the officials from the charges made. It says that young Green had every care which his case demanded, that there was no exposure, that he was buried with the usual cereminies, with a proper escort accompanying the remains and the firing of a volley and taps over his grave. The Navy De-partment officials say there is no further action to be taken in the case.

Errancy of Mark Twain.

Nebraska State Journal. Mark Twain as a good judge of the ridiculous ought to have been a sound solitician, but there has been a screw toose in his head from the beginning, and he has always been on the wrong side of National questions from the day he en listed, as a Hannibal Missourian, in the Confederate Army, until now when he is an anti-expansionist. It is due to Mark. however, to say that none of the heroes ild have done it. Tom Sawyer or his aunt, or Huck Finn or Puddenhead Wilson, or the Connecticut Yankee that wandered in the Middle Ages over in England, or Joan of Arc, or even Colonel Mulberry Sellers would have been soft enough to Join Aguinaldo were they now in the land of the living.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Feb. 12.—Word has seen received from Ensenada that Salva-lor Saloria was arrested there Saturday. charged with having emberzied \$2650 of the Mexican Government's money. He was municipal treasurer for the northern dis-trict of Lower Galifornia, a post be had held for the past three years, and the money he is alleged to have embezzled was in his custody in that capacity. Sa-loria is said to have enjoyed the utmost confidence of his government and all who knew him.

JOPLIN, Mo., Feb. 11. - Johnson and O'Neal, who have been held in this city several days, suspected of complicity in the Cudahy kidnaping case, were today identified as the men who killed the Mar-shai while robbing a bank at Bronaugh,

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Verne County, Mo., several months ago. At the time of the robbery the Marshal's daughter saw the two men through a win-dow. She today positively identified

Johnson and O'Neal as the men who killed her father. Powers Went to Pennsylvania.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 12 .- The Courier-Journal says:
"One of the best lawyers in the Eleventh District, who was in Louisvill yesterday, stated as a positive fact that John L. Powers, who is under indictment for com-plicity in the murder of Governor Goebel. left Knox County last September, and went to Harrisburg, Ps., where, through the influence of Kentucky Republicans, he secured an appointment to office under the administration of Governor Stone."

Rebate on Vanderbilt Taxes. Department today drew a warrant

3102,722 in favor of Alice C, Vanderbilt, W. K. Vanderbilt, Alfred C. Vanderbilt, Chauncey M. Depew and E. V. Rossiter, executors of the will of the late Corneilus Vanderbilt, being the amount of legacy taxes illegally collected from the estate according to a ruling of the Su-preme Court handed down some months

Pere Food Law Constitutional. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Feb. 12.-The Supreme Court today in affirming the judgment of a lower court, decided that the pure food law, enacted two years ago, is constitutional. This law probli its the use of alum in baking powders and kindred combinations.

Toneka Arrives at Barbadoes. WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.-The Navy De partment has received a cablegram from Commander Delano, of the training-ship Topeka, announcing his arrival at Bar-The Topeka recently sailed from Cape Verde, and apprehension was felt in some quarters as to her safety.

Approved the Sale of Islands. LONDON, Feb. 12 .- "With only one dissenting voice," says the Copenhagen cor-respondent of the Dally Mail, "the financial committee of the Langsthing has approved the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States."

Response by Senator Carter. NEW YORK, Feb. 12.-Senator Carter, of Montana, tonight, at the banquet of the Lincoin Club of Jersey City, respond-ed to the toast, "Abraham Lincoln, the

At La Grande 712 school pupils are en-

The La Grande city election will take

place March II.

The January receipts of the La Grande
Treasurer were \$1850 is.

Presbyterians of Prineville expect to
build a church this coming year. The tax levy of Klamath County will be 22 mills and of Klamath Falls 37. Louis Gerber started with 935 mutton sheep Wednesday from Kiamath Falls for Montague. They will be shipped to Sac-

Work has been begun on a new bridge

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across the Rushnell Slough, north of Eu gene, to replace the one washed out by the recent freshet.

Fred Melhase, of Fort Kiamath, has old 200 steers to a Roseburg rancher, at 14. They will be driven to Ashland about the 20th of this month, and from there

shipped to Portland. E. G. Wolfard, a Southern Pacific fireman, was seriously injured Friday evening at Snowden, a station south of Ash-land. A car left the track and struck the infortunate young man. was a peculiar one, a dozen cars or more having passed the switch, when the inst one jumped and struck him before he could get out of the way. Both his legs were broken, and his head and back were

R. C. Edwards, of Lowell, has a con-tract with the Harrisburg sawmill for fur-nishing 4,000,000 feet of logs this Spring. A large force of men is at work banking logs on Fall Creek, and a large drive will start down stream between April 1 and 15, It usually takes 40 or 50 days to make the un from Fall Creek to Harrisburg if the water is at a good stage, but if it is low it will take a much longer time, as many of the larger logs have to be dragged over the numerous gravel bars and shallow places.

Odessa is to have a bank.

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