

park at 4:30, 25,000 people had assem-bled there to witness the laying of the cornerstone of the Lewis and Clark monument. The spot where the monument is to be erected is an elevamonument is to be erected is an eleva-tion 200 feet above the city, from which point a fine view of the Columbia and Williamette rivers, Mount Hood, Mount St. Helens, Mount Adams, and other snow-capped peaks of the Cascade ranes can be had. Mayor Williams delivered an address

Mayor Williams delivered an address of welcome, to which the president re-sponded briefly. He spoke as follows:

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

"We come here today to lay a corner-stone that is to call to mind the greatstone that is to call to mind the great-est single pioneering feat on this con-tinent, the voyage across the continent by Lewis and Clark, which rounded out the ripe statesmanship of Jefferson and his fellows by giving to the United States all of the domain between the Mississippi and the Pacific. Following their event dwart came the reign of the flux Mississippi and the Pacine. Following their advent came the reign of the fur trader, and then some 60 years ago those entered in whose children and children's children were to possess the iand. Across the continent in the early '40s came the white-topped wagons bearing the pioneers, the stalwart, stur-der subserve new with their wives and dy, sunburnt men, with their wives and little ones, who entered into this country to possess it. You have built up here this wonderful commonwealth, a

here this wonderful commonwealth, a commonwealth great in its past and in-finitely greater in its future. "It was a pleasure to me today to have as part of my escort the men of the Second Oregon regiment, who cat-ried on expansion of our people beyond the Pacific, as your fathers had carried it on to the Pacific. I speak to the men of the Pacific slope, to the men whose predecessors gave us this region be-cause they were not afraid, because they did not seek the life of ease and safety, because their life training was not to shrink from obstacles, but to meet and overcome them, and now I ask that this nation go forward as it ask that this nation go forward as it has gone forward in the past; I ask that it shape its life in accordance with the highest ideals; I ask that we govern th Philippines primarily in the interest of the people of the islands and just so long as men like Taft and Luke Wright are there they will be so governed. I ask that our name be a synonym for truthful and fair dealing with all the nations of the world, and I ask two things in connection with our foreign policy-that we never wrong the weak and that we never flinch from the

Today the secretary of the navy spok of the great pride we take in the leats of the mighty battleship which bears of the mighty battleship which bears the name of this state—the Oregon. It is a good thing to cheer her, but it is a better thing to see that we keep on building ships like her and even better. That is the right way to cheer our Ora-gon, to see our senators and representa-tives in Congress go on with the build-ing of the United States navy. Wheth-er we wish it or not we have to be a great power; we have to play a great part. All we can decide is whether we will play that pact well or th, and if 1 will play that pact well or il, and if I know my countrymon there is scant doubt as to how the decision will come doubt as to how the decision will come out. We can glory now in the decis of Manila and of Santiago because for the dozen years before our people were builing up the navy. The navy which in '98 won because for a dozen years be-fore our people had been building ships and speing that the officers and men were trained in their use." "It is too late to improvise a navy

"It is too late to improvise a n vy when the need comes. Not one ship which counted effectively in the war of which counted effectively in the war of '98 was built in that year or even the year before. They were all built from two to 15 years in advance, and the men of Manila and Santiago, do you think they learned their trade after it became evident that war could not be averted? Not a bit of it. They were trained through years of practise to handle the ships and the guns and the engines, and we won with such small loss of life and so decisively because

After the exercises were concluded at the park the president was driven to, the Hotel Portland, where he resed un-till 8 p. m., at which time he attended a banquet given in his honor by the citizens of Portland. The grill room of the hotel where the banquet was held presented a hand-some appearance, having been decor-ated with a profusion of roses, lifles of the which a post of the soft of the soft of the soft. nt of the slight shower of rain

the valley, potted plants and hundreds of electric lights of various colors. Mayor Williams presided and intro-duced the president. Long before the president arrived in this city, the Hotel Portland, where he

this city, the Hotel Portland, where he spent the night, was surrounded by a company of national guard, while a secret service man stood at every en-trance, no one being admitted except by card.

DECORATION DAY. Kansas G. A. R. Objects to its Des-

ecration at Fort Riley. McPherson, Kan., May 21.-The Kan sas encampment of the G. A. R. tonight sent a dispatch to the president and secretary of war, protesting against the proposed memorial day program at Fort Riley this year. The old soldiers object to the day being 'desecrated by baseball, races and similar sport. The encampment decided to try to get better rates to the national encamp-

ment at San Francisco. Indignation was expressed that the G. A. R. is being given only one-half rates to Sar Francisco, while the Cofederate veterans are getting one-third rates to their gathering in New Orleans.

F. M. Tucker & Co., Boston, Fail. Boston, May 21 .-- At the close of business

Boston, May 21.—At the close of business in the speculative markets today the situ-ation indicated that the flurry of the past two days on the Boston stock exchange was at an end. Tellewing yesterday's tremendous de-cline in Canadian securities, there was heavy selling in them when the market opened today, but after the first violent bunge, stocks steadied, and at the close today's losses had been regulard. The interest in the excited cotion mar ket was great all see. Partly as a re-sult of the wide fluctuations in cotton. The failure of F. M. Tucker & Company, bankers and brokers of this city, was an-nounced on the floer of the stock ex-change this aftermoon. It is understood that the concern has labilities approach-ing a quarter of a million.



"I have, therefore, to request

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you will investigate the situation promptly and curtail the expenditures to that if it be possible we will not have a deficit at the end of the fiscal In doing this, however, it is advisable that care should be taken not to suspend the actual investigation of proposed rural free delivery routes more than is absolutely necessary. I before the smash. should think it entirely practical to bring about economies in other bring about economies in other branches of the bureau, which would accomplish the result desiredd,"

Mr. Bristow subsequently reported to the postmaster-general with a detailed statement showing that the amount in the summer cruise. When the tugboats and the yacht arumbers aggregated \$227,000. Mr Payne said that it was not feasible to the three to go in abreast. The big Kearsarge lay alongside the entrance on the mainland Cob dock side and the cripple the service by suspending any of the service now maintained, and that a deficiency appropriation would be asked from Congress.

Postmaster-General Payne tonight, in liecussing the big deficiency in the free astern.

discussing the big deficiency in the free delivery gervice, sold: "It is very reprehensible for a bureau officer to have a deficit of \$200,000 rolled up on the 1st of May. It was bad, very bad administration. A bureau officer should not incur a deficit without con-sulting his superior officer, the postmas-Mayflower began to forge ahead it be-came evident that she had too much impetus. She came on at a speed greater than that of the Powhattan suring his superior oncer, the postmas-ter-general. I cannot stand that kind of administration and do not approve of it. An official must be held to a more strict accounting. I do not say that there was anything criminal or any-thing wrong in Mr. Machen's action, but it was cartainly hose administraand struck the Kearsarge a glanci

to the Brooklyn, the Powhattan making futile efforts to hold her. She hit the Brooklyn a smart tap, and made bewthing wrong in Mr. Machen's action, but it was certainly loose administra-tion, and he should have had his busi-ness more in hand. I believe, however, that Congress will quickly vote the money to cover the deficiency." Mr. Payne said that A. W. Machen, the general superintendent, would be given an opportunity to be heard on the eublicet. on for the coal barge. Under the blow the lashings of the barge parted, and the yacht buffeted her down the chan-nel until they both landed up against the little feryboat.

Bulgaria to the Porte. Sofia, May 22 .- The new ministry has The entire map work of the rural free made representation to the ports on the severities practised in Macedonia, urging their cessation as a means of bringing about more cordial relations delivery service has been suspended and no more maps will be made before the beginning of the next fiscal year, funds for this purpose being exhausted. Supt. Machen, when told tonight of between Turkey and Bulgaria. The Bulgarian government will also appea criticism about the free delivery deficit, said there had been no intention on his part to the powers for the mediation.

England Will be Easy on China.

to deceive his departmental superiors. He said: Pekin, May 22 .- Great Britain, al He said: "I forwarded to Mr. Wayne at the close of April a statement of the deficit then existing. Those figures were on routes already established. The figures for routes to be established Moy 1 and May 15 and June 1 and June 16 had not then been put on the books by the book-keeper. Therefore the deficit of \$20,000 was not a misrepresentation of the ac-tual condition of the accounting of the approximation at though willing to accept payment of her indemnity on a silver basis for nine years and in gold thereafter leaving the queetion open whether China shall ultimately pay the difference, has not mide definite proposals to China. Great Britain is endeavoring to enlist the co. operation of the other powers in the compromise owing to the bardship Chicondition of the appropriation at na has incurred by the deprecation h the value of silver.

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which fails of perfect digestion ferments and swells the stomach, putting it up against th heart. This interferes with the action of the heart, and in the course of time that

the nearl, and in the course of time that islicate but vital organ becomes diseased. Mr. D. Kauble, of Nevoda, O., says: I had storach trouble and was is a bad state as I had heart trouble with it. I took Kodol Dyspepsia Care for about four months and it cured me.

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hat time. that time. "I should have asked Congress," add-ed the free delivery superintendent, "for a larger sum than \$500,000, which was voted at the last sension for the present facely year. The pressure for more tural routes was very strong, and I vielded to it beyond what the appropriation best beyond what the appropriation really provided. The same thing has been done in years gone by, and Con-gress has always readily voted the money necessary to make up the dc-ficit."

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Confederates Re-elect Gordon,

New Orleans, May 21.-The actual business of the Confederate reunion business of the Confederate reunion was brought to an end today and the delegates adjourned sine die at noon. Gen. Gordon was re-elected command-er-in-chief, and all the department commanders. Gens. Lee Walker and Ca-beil, were re-elected. All the elections were unanimous. The place of holding the next reunion was left to the execu-tive committee. It will be held in Louisville, Nashville or St. Louis.

G. F. Train Has Smallpox.

and relieves the stomach of all nervous strain and the heart of all pressure. Stamford, Conn., May 21.-George Fran-cls Train is quarentified at the home of his sister. Helen M. L. Gulader, in this city, suffering from a mild case of small-pox. Mr. Train came here yesterialy from New York. His physicians assert that he has been ill for at least a week. Bottles only. \$1.00 Size holding 216 times the trial size, which sells for Soc.

were several women. Fortunately ferryboat had just reached her dock the mainland side, and although e Not Intoxicating. erybody saw the Mayflower and the coal barge of which she had made football, crashing toward them, the apprentices preserved perfect discipline and held back to allow the women and Berliner the other visitors to make a landing Weiss The Mayflower had been at White-ston, and the Narkeeta and the Powhat-

tan, the two navyyard tugs were sent afer her. She was to be prepared for

have been serious. There were half a hundred apprentice lads on the ferry

rived at the entrance to the navyyard it was seen that there was not room for

Brooklyn on the other side. The pilot in command of the Powhat-tan cast off his lashings and went ahead, with a hawser for the Mayflow. er's bow. The Narkeeta backed out

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NESTLER & CO., That sent her off and she swung over No. 323 North First 'Phone 1370 y.

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