Administration.

tack Upon the President, Charg-

ing Him with Dishonor-

able Motives.

ganization of the army. It was caused by

friend of the president gave him no mercy.

Cook and others.

The debate on the army bill today devel-

oped more and more opposition. Mr. Hull tried to save the bill by trying to strike

Mr. Lentz in the course of his remarks

the end recommitted by 150 to 61.

The house adjourned until Monday.

the "existing differences with Spain."

DISAPPOINTS THE PEOPLE.

might lead to war. But figully in the after-

moon came word that a message had been received from Consul General Lee in Ha-

vana, indicating that he wanted time, and

the message was delayed on that account.

ity for the statement from the administra-tion, or any other official, that justified the

rumor that prevailed here yesterday. A telegram by the Associated Press yesterday said that all was quiet in Havina and that

General Lee told a correspondent that he had not been requested to leave. The other

ontrol the administration fear more than

war. They care nothing for the 266 assus-

lay in the message helped stock jobbers and

from the various stock reports to show that

GROSVENOR IS IRRITATED.

Mr. Lentz's remarks brought Mr. Grosvenor of Obio, generally regarded as the admin-

The gentleman from Ohio (Mr. Lentz) has

purpose by the president to affect the stock market. Every part of this statement is, without qualification, absolutely false, (Applause on the republican side.)

I call upon the distinguished gentleman from Kentucky (Mr. Berry), a member of the foreign affairs committee, to say whether I tell the truth or not, when I say that such a dispatch was received from

that such a dispatch was received from General Lee and was read by him. There

the the character of the sort of assaults that are being made on American honor and tae integrity of the president. Not only did the dispatch come yesterday, but it came the day before, and appealed

to the president of the United States for

at that time.

I say again, on yesterday that a most urgent telegram came from General Lee. Is General Lee at one of the tickers? (Laughter on the republican side). Some

men can ascribe corrupt methods to other men. How they ever became educated to the idea that all men are corrupt I leave to your imagination.

LENTZ DIDN'T KNOW IT

Mr. Lentz-If you knew this day before yesterday why did you let the house and

galleries fill up with people and sit here and

speculating upon it?

some startling statements which

not go to congress vesterday.

which Spain must account for."

bonds would prevail."

Wall street.

THE PERSON OF THE PARTY STREET, AND

Before Easter Offerings.

Shirt Waists-Some new and sensible patterns now shown.



Easter Sunday has now become cognized as the correct time to throw off the sombre garments of winter and change to the livelier colors of spring— Our new shirt waists are ready for your adornment, in silk and other fabrics. One of our new Easter offerings is a white pique or white marseilles walsts at \$1.50 each.

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Bright new patterns in plain string, bows, knotted fringe end ribbon ties, etc. String ties, light and dark colors, stripes, plaids and polka dots, 25e each. Knotted fringe end ribbon ties in narrow and wide widths, 25c, 50c, \$1.00 and

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Art Needlework-Free lessons in artneedlework every Wednesday and Saturday mornings.

Porch pillows in all the newest designs, ready for use, at \$1.25 and \$1.50each. New designs in stamped linen sofa pil-low covers at 50c, 75c and \$1.25.

Muslin Underwear-Such dainties as you

There is not a want in dainty lingerie that is not best met here. From the plainest gament to the most elaboratetrimmed-every taste can be grati-

Easter Veils-They make a useful as well as

pretty present. Veils with bordered edges, black ones, white ones, white with black dots, and cream wash veile; veilings by the yard in all black, black and white, all white, brown, tan, gray and navy.

then had a private conference with Judge Day. At its conclusion the French ambas-nador and his secretary in turn had a con-terence with Mr. Day.

These conferences lasted for about half an

department, declining to say more to in-

QUESADA BEFORE THE COMMITTEE.

of Cubn.

upon bim.

WASHINGTON, April 7 .- The house com

Mr. Quesada was asked as to the govern

statement. He described the territory in

possession of the insurgents, the government

in Paerto Principe and Santiago provinces.

In the former province, he said, there were

250,000 people who acknowledged allegiance to the Cuban government. Four hundred thousand dollars, he said, had been collected

in taxes. The capitol of the republic, he said, had been twice dislodged, but it was in work-

ing order. He explained the functions of the

government. If the United States should intervene without recognizing the independ-

ence of the republic, he said, it would be a virtual declaration of war against the in-

Mr. Quesada denied emphatically that the

said, has ever been issued, and loss than

\$100,000 of these had been sold. Mr. Quesada sald a declaration of war against Spain

by the United States would be a declara-tion against all Spanish subjects, and if not

coupled with the recognition of Cuba cr recognition of belligerent rights would in-

clude the insurgents, now regarded as sub

of Spain, in such declarations,

would be against Spain and all its colonies

case needed careful scrutiny.

General Flagier of the Bureau of Ord-

the fortifications and the preparations which

had been going on. His statement also was in the main satisfactory. He said that much

had been done. While the situation was not what it should be, he said matters would improve daily. The ammunition was in-

creading daily. Up to the last few days most of this had gone to the days, but now

the fortifications were getting their share The telegraph connections between the forti-

fications would enable any port when at

tacked to receive reinforcements of men and ammunition from the nearest fortification in

the shortest possible time. The fortification

TEXAS JOINS FLYING SQUADRON

Its Commander Thinks it the Best

FORT MONROE, April 7 .- The "flying

The battleship Texas signaled its arrival

by the usual salute to Commodore Schley of

ven guns, answered by prine guns from

The Minneapolis, with the assistance of

ing (ts painting.
"The Texas," said Captain Phillips, "is

ready for sea at an hour's notice, and ready to fight, and, all rumors to the contrary, I

pelieve it will show itself to be the worthlest

The improvement to the turrets of the

ormerly, only once in every eight minutes. The Massachusetts will finish cleaning to-

morrow. All the ships are practically cleared

CAPE HENRY, Va., April 7 .- The Italian

man-of-war Amerigo Vespucci passed in at

proceeding as rapidly as possible.

hospital boat.

Quesada thought this feature of th

was called to state the condition of

Quesada did not firish his statement He will appear before the committee again

republic had issued \$50,000,000 of

orgents, as well as the Spanlards.

Gloves for A magnificent Easter Time-showing to choose | fifts from.

Every sort, every style, every shade, for men or women, boys or girls. The very best gathering of good gloves that "May Queen" world's best makers could supply. These hints:

For Women—The new pearls, grays, modes, tans, browns, reds, greene, navy and cadet blues in Foster lace or Trefousse clasp giove, jeweled hooks and fancy clasps and fancy stitchings to match.

Men-Tans, browns and English

reds, two clasp, pique seame,

bonnet in white, pink, blue, yellow and green.

for Baby-



Or little French cap, corded or tucked with fine inserting or hemstitched. Cream silk crochet cap. Cream silk embroidered cap.

White kid bootees. Beautifully embroidered flannel shawl or

Dainty white or tinted cashmere sucque. All these and many more. Infints' long slips of long cloth, neatly trimmed with narrow embroidery and

hemstitching, at 65c and 70c each. Infants' long skirts, Gertrude waist, hemstitching, at 50c each. Infants' short dresses, Bishop style, very

Gold plated buttons in sets of three with chain, for infants' dresses, at 25c, 50c Gold wire safety plns, 5c and 10c each.

Hosiery—Easter hose for children.

In plaids and stripes, plain and ribbed, from 50c to \$1.00 pair. Also a medium weight black ribbed hose just the thing for spring wear, 25c pair.

Lidles' tan hose, in the newest shades,

in drop stitch or plain lisle, 35c and 50c pair. Black cotton hose with maco soles, extra good quality, 35c, 3 pair \$1.00.

These new and Easter Handkerchiefs-- dainty ones.

Pretty for you. Pretty for giving. Pure linen, hand embroidered, scalloped and hemstitched edges, 25c each. At 50c, 75c and \$1.00 each. Beautiful patterns in pure linen, hand embroid-ered, in scalloped, plain and bem-

some time ago, just before the time this trouble broke out, that a party in the city of New York sold short on the market to an extent that if the condition things were in prior to the breaking out of this Cuban trouble had prevailed, it would absolutely have ruined him, although his estate is a very wealthy one.

I have been told that from that day to this any proposition to provoke Spain to war, any motion that would cause war in this country, between Spain and the United States, has been promoted by that party, because the moment war is declared the short side of the market will put \$1,000,000 into his pocket. Makes a Vigorous Defense of National

CORRECTS SOME SENSATIONAL RUMORS Speech is Called Out by a litter At-

side of the market will put \$1,000,000 into his pocket.

A charge no more serious than he has preferred has brought the head of many a man to the block. A charge more infamous than that could not be borne by any man in this country—to make it appear that the president has used the power that congress has given him to operate upon the stock markets of this country. Prove that and you would have a vacancy in the presidency just as quick as you can establish it. The charges have no truth.

INSULT TO SPAIN. WASHINGTON, April 7.-There was a scene of great excitement this afternoon during the consideration of the bill for the roor-

INSULT TO SPAIN.

I for one have felt that it was a terrible assault upon the honor and integrity of Spain, what we did yesterday, for it must be remembered that there was put upon one hand the choice of insult to Spain, insolently delivered by the persident, an instimation to the whole world that there was danger of murder to American representatives in Cubar or there was put on the Mr. Lentz, an Chio democrat, who made a victous assault on the administration, charging that the delay of the president's message was in the interest of stock jobbers in Mr. Lentz's speech created a profound sensation and was met with an emphatic reply from General Gresvenor, now generally regarded as the administration spokesman on the floor.

Mr. Grosvenor not only indignantly denied that there was justification for the reports, but held Mr. Lentz up to scorn for alleging corrupt motives against the president.

Mr. Lentz disclaimed this, but the irate friend of the president gave him no mercy. Mr. Lentz's speech created a profound sen-

Suppose the message would have gone to He was thoroughly aroused and laid about him with a vertable bludgeon, charging that the democrats were seeking political advantage, and paying tils respects to John J. Me-Cook and others.

Suppose the message would have gone to congress, and suppose that last night the blood of finat distinguished and chivalrous tage, and paying tils respects to John J. Me-Cook and others.

out some of its provisions, even the three battalion formation features, but it was in

of the American people against the administration?

If there is a man in the house so far forgetful of his dignity as an American citizen, of the humblest character, to intimate that the president has been guilty of juggling a thing like that I will not answer it. Mr. Speaker, I did not suppose that in this American congress it was necessary that I should make an explanation in order to defend the president of the United States from an insinuation like that.

I am glad the purpose of the opposition is now fully and clearly disclosed. I am delighted that because of a little change in the program, wholly unimportant except as it strengthens the daily augmenting powers of the United States—a change made under stress of circumstances that would have controlled any civilized nation—I am delighted that the gentleman from Ohlo has given us notice that every occurrence now and hereafter is to be taken advantage of for party purposes; and I am delighted that the gentleman from Texas (Mr. Bailey) has two or three times now, on each succeeding day, pointed out with great delight that there are differences of opinion on the republican side of the house.

FIGHTING THE ADMINISTRATION. in opposition to the army bill, declared that there would be no war, "that the peace which was speculating in stocks and Mr. Lentz referred to the note presented by the powers. He read from it the words about hope for peace in the settlement of "We have no differences with Spain," he led, "We have 166 assassinated Americans "Yesterday," he said, "we had this house filled, the galleries overflowed and the copitol grounds were covered with people, all expecting the president's message which

FIGHTING THE ADMINISTRATION.

publican side of the house.

FIGHTING THE ADMINISTRATION.

I suggest to the gentleman that when he opens a recruiting office to get volunteers to pass under his banner to fight the administration he had better make a contract for the rent of his quarters from day to day, as he will probably not need them very long in the future.

Now, gentlemen, let me tell you another thing. This war will be fought under the banner of the republican administration of this government, or it will never be fought to be inaugurated, and honestly. Some of you may have an opinion different from mine, and I honor you for that. But when the time comes the commander-in-chief of the army of the United States will command the column that will crush the power of Spain, or it never will be crushed.

I have no more doubt that we are going to war than I have that we will live until next week. I may be mistaken. I pray to God that I may be mistaken. But I believe, Mr. Speaker, that we will go to war on a declaration substantially of congress. My influence will be given for peace for whatever it is worth. My influence will be given to avert war, but the time is up in my humble judgment when we can avert it, and if peace shall prevail it must come frem the action of another country rather than our own.

Our pesition is taken and we cannot re-Continuing he charged that congress was being overwhelmed by telegrams, "dictated by commercial greed," ell of which he declared emanated principally from Wall street and Lombard street. "It is the old question of the almighty dollar," said he. "It is the fall of stocks the gentlemen who sinated Americans who went down in Ha-vana harbor, but they care everything for

"I say, my foods, we owe an apology to Judas Iscarioi. I say he ought to be brought back and deified. If Judas lived in this oge he would not have gone to the potters' field and hanged himself. He would have been sent to the United States are

diamond was not rolled exactly level the first time and the contractor will be obliged to run over it with the harrow and roller again, but in the meantime it answers the purpose for practice. The fence is nearly completed and the workmen are laying the foundations for the grandstand. As the im-provements progress the natural adaptability of the grounds is emphasized and it is apwill have the finest ball park in the west.

Fair and Speed Association Director The board of directors of the Fair and Speed association last night decided upor a number of additional preliminaries to the June light harness meet. Among other things, a committee was appointed to see if the street car company will not run cars to the track by May I to accommodate the trainers and stable followers who will be at the grounds at that time.

Sceretary Solomon reported that a stable from South Dakota and another from Leften and the stable from the stable for the stable for

I read the telegram and there are twenty men on this floor now that read the tele-gram, both democrats and republicans. It was read to the distinguished members of Clinton N. Briggs and A. S. Patrick elected to represent the association at the piennial congress of the American Trotting the foreign committee of the senate and each and every one of them without qual-ification coincided with the policy of the president not to send the message in here Curling Club Election.

Curling club was held last night to consi'er matters of interest to those who hav regard for the national Scottish pastime regard for the national Scottish pastime. It was determined to have a "beef and greens" supper, an occasion of especial pleazure to Scots, on some date in the near future. A committee was appointed to look after the details of this ceremony. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: Guy C. Barton, patron; A. C. Troup, president; P. L. Forgan, vice president; James E. Lindsay, secretary and freasurer; Rev. Thomas Anderson, chaplain; committee on management, George Anderson, J. W. Dodd, William Agnew, Thomas Meldrum and R. S. Melvin.

Big Entry List at Memphis. MEMPHIS, April 7.—The city is filling up with turfmen, and the Montgomery handicap is the all-absorbing topic on the streets and in the hotels. The most probable starters are Ornament Ulysses, Good Times, Buckvidere, Salvable, Marquise, Performance, Belle of Memphis, Opaque and possibly one or two more. All of the candidates are in the best possible shape. Enthusiasm runs nigh about the city, and the best meeting ever held here will begin next Saturday. There are already ten bookmakers on hand and others are coming from New York, Chicago, San Francisco and other places.

BALTIMORE, April 7 .- The preliminary base ball season was opened here today

upward.

I hold in my hand the statement that immediately on the publication of this statement in the city of New York the market became very weak and ran clear down incinnati was knocked out tonight by Oscar Gardner, the "Omaha Kid," in twelverounds. It was a not fight from start to finish. The knockout blow was a short right arm swing on the jaw. It was some time before Stout recovered consciousness and his condition was such that a physician ordered his removal to a nospital.

Raid a Feminine Pool Room CHICAGO, April 7.-A pool room in the open Board of Trade building, which is

CARR SURPRISES A BURGLAR

Engineer at the Garceau Cracker Iaclory

Interrupts a Robber.

POOR REVOLVER SPCILS THE KILLING Shots from a Defective Weapon

Fall to Take Effect_Nothing

of Value Secured by

the Thief.

At 1 o'clock this morning Engineer George Carr, at the Garneau cracker factory, corner of Twelfth and Jackson streets, heard someone moving about in the office. He himself was in the bakery underneath regulating the fire under the ovens. Carr stole softly upstairs, and was quite near to the burgiar before the latter knew of his presence. The office is separated from the factory with a series of partitions, and the robber sprang through a narrow window into the main love. Gioria Tonic is not a cure-all, but a specific for rheumatism only and in many hundreds of cases has never been a fallure. No one can afford to doubt the wonderful success of this great remedy. Testimonials and explanatory circular will be sent to those who write. Gloria Tonic accomplishes these great cures by its peculiar action on the blood, driving out all poisonous acids and calculous deposits. For sale by the following druggists: Kuhn series of partitions, and the robber sprang through a narrow window into the main through a narrow window into the main box.

Frepared by John. A. Smith, 212 Summerand around the building, where he came face to face with the burglar, who had crawled through a window on the west. The watchman raised his revolver and fired wide of the mack. The weapon was in poor condition and the effort to discharge it spoiled his aim in each of the four following shots The firing was heard at the police station

two blocks away, and a number of officers furried to the scene.

The burglar had escaped around the south front of the building and no trace was found of him. An examination of the office showed that the drawers of several desks had been drawn out and deposited on the floor. Sample cases had been wrecked, broken open and their contents scattered about the office in the vain effort to find available booty. The safe had not been tampered with and nothing of value was missed from the office furnishings.

Charles Ross of 311 North Thirteenth street reported last night that a burglar had entered his house during his absence and taken away everything of value. Mr. Ross lost a valuable banjo and several other articles, and a lodger missed \$10 in money and considerable wearing apparel from a trunk, which had been broken open.

SOME RECENT WORK OF THIEVES. Purglars Loot McKenna's Saloon and Black's House and Steal a Buggy.

Burglars and thieves are still occupying hemselves profitably with the residents of the northern part of the city. A successful burglary, which has just come to light, was accomplished a few nights ago at the calcon of William McKenna at the northeast coner of Sherman avenue and Corby street. Little money is usually left overnight in the cash drawer, but the bartender on the day shift has been in the habit of secreting a sufficient sum in some convenient place to make change with the early morning trade. About \$20 was left for this purpose by Bartender Swift in a small recess under the bar. During the night someone broke open a rear window with a chizel and set for himself a feast on the bar. He did con-siderable damage to the stock of beer and experimented with several bottles of choices goods on the suclyes. His investigations led underneath the bar where he located the money. Provided with this and all bottled goods he could carry he made his escape through the window. From his ap-parent familiarity with the saloon and the biding place of the money, which was con-sidered a cunning one, the suspicion cross that the burglar was some frequenter of the saloon and no report of the matter was made

to the police.

One day recently burglars visited the real dence of James Black, 3520 North Twenty-ceventh street. The family was visiting friends in another portion of the city, and the robbers were given all the time necessity. sary to pillage the house in a workmanlike way. A considerable amount of silverware was secured from the eideboard, and other articles of value were taken. Several dol-lars had been left in a bureau drawer, which of all the property stolen amounted to The occurrence was not reported at police

headquarters. James Martin of West Seward street com plained yesterday that thieves had visited his premises during Monday night. He trace used his buggy during the day and had neglected to run it into the barn on his return home. In the morning he found that someone had brought a horse into his yacd and attaching it to his buggy had driven

away without arousing the family. Indians Offer Their Services DENVER, Colo., April 7 .- Governor Adam oday received a letter from Robert Mitchell

Cortez, saying: I have the honor to inform you that 500 Navajo Indians have offered their services to defend the United States against Spain. Having had experience of twenty years as scout with the army in the west, and with all tribes, I pronounce them the best scout

Movements of Ocean Vessels, April 7.
At New York—Arrived—Island, from
Copenhagen, Salled—Auguste Victoria, for
Hamburg; Friedrich der Grosse, for Bremen; Cufic, for Liverpool.
At Genoa—Sailed—Werra, for New York.
At Bremen—Arrived—Dresden, from Baltimore; Trave, from New York.
At Glasgow—Arrived—Anchoria, from New
York. Movements of Ocean Vessels, April 7

Liverpool-Arrived-Waesland, from At Queenstown-Salled-Majestic, for New York. Philadelphia - Arrived - Nederland Antwerp, Havre-Arrived-La Bourgogne, from York.

London-Sailed-Mohawk, for Hamburg — Arrived — Pennsylvania, New York. Botterdam—Sailed—Amsterdam, for

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hour, the several diplomatists leaving sepa-Shortly afterward Judge Day left the State All Steamship Firms at Valencia Offer

Their Vessels as Privateers and Apply for Letters of Details the Condition of Government Marque.

mittee on foreign affairs had Mr. Querada of the Cuban junta before them for an hour today. Mr. Quesada said when he came out

explanation. ment of the republic of Cuba, which the The excitement in Spain has reached the United States is asked to recognize, and bolling point, but there are no demonstramembers say he gave a full and satisfactory

All the steamship firms of Valencia have offered all their vessels as privateers and a number of ship captains have called upon the naval commander at Barcelona, asking for letters of marque. Similar requests have been received from abroad, and especially from France. The offers of money from the provinces toward the fund to increase the men believe that a conflict is a question of strength of the navy are said to be en-

Press at Medrid. has issued the following statement to the

of seaconst ports was arranged for and was

squadron" is ready for action except for the possible addition of a dispatch boat and a and the practical completion of the squadron,

pleasant weather, has succeeded in complet-

GETTING AMERICANS OUT OF CUBA

to Care for All. WASHINGTON, April 7.- The arrange nents for the protection of American citizens from violence include both the islands of Cuba and Porto Rico. While the majority of our people in Cuba are at Havana there is also a comparatively large number congregated at Matanzas, Sagua La Grande and other Cuban ports. The arrangements for the care of the people at these latter Havana. An official of the State department said today that the arrangements for the pleted an home-coming of all Americans in Cuba were ing the ing the made in the limited time permissible under existing conditions. Consul General Lee had been clothed with ample authority to take

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Excitement at Madrid Much Greater Than Heretofere Witnessed.

meet immediately. The session has created more pegsimistic impressions. The ministers refuse to furnish any

tions recorded anywhere yet.

Biscay alone has offered over 25,000,000 11 p. m.-The cabinet council terminated at 8:30. No official stote has been issued and all the ministers maintain absolute reserve, declining to give any information. United States Minister Woodford, in a note sent to the council, declared that when he sent the confidential note yesterday he had not received a dispatch from President Mc-Kinley, aunouncing the postponement of the presentation of the message to congress and "as that changes the aspect of affairs he withdraws the statements made in the pre-

WOODFORD PUBLISHES A LETTER

MADRID, April 7 .- Minister Woodford

Spanish press:

The Madrid newspapers of this morning are filled with statements concerning the American minister which are so inaccurate that he asks the courtesy of the press to correct them. He does this in the interests of friendship and peace.

The proprieties of his diplomatic position forbid his making any statement with regard to his diplomatic action with the Spanish government. But last September the Spanish foreign office received written permission to publish the text of any official correspondence which he should have at any time with the Spanish government, and this permission is effective today. The Spanish government is at complete liberty to publish every word he has ever addressed to the foreign office, by letter, memorandum or statement.

The second secretary of the American legation has sailed for New York to resume the practice of his profession. He has resigned from the diplomatic service.

The American minister's wife left with her nicee for Patis Wednesday. She is in poor health and the excitement of the last fortnight has conspelled her to seek absence and rest.

The daughter of the American minister remains and will remain with him at Madrid. He has not given up his residence, where he expects to reside so long as he shall remain accredited to the Spanish court.

court.

The American minister has received nothing but courtesy from the people of Madrid. He has never had the slightest apprehension as to his own personal security, or that of his family. He is working for peace, and despite all rumors to the contrary, he hopes friendly relations will be kept between Spain and the United States and that peace will be soon established in Cuba, based upon absolute justice, with protection for the great American inferests in that Island and the maintenance of the honor of Spain, Texas allows its twelve-inch guns to be fired once in every three minutes, instead of as

ports have been nearly as complete as those made for the relief of the Americana at Havana. An official of the State department

dater, and the Italian charge were the first to retire, coming away together. The Russian charge was the next to leave.

The German ambiassador and his secretary

The German ambiassador and his secretary and such other vessels as may be available in making the trip to Florida. The naval vessels Fern, Mangrove and Bache are in the harbor of liavana and will be utilized to Key West. made with the steamship line connection

> There is no recent information at the State department showing the exact number of Americans now in Cuba, but latest estimates fix it at between 2,000 and 5,000. There is no doubt in the minds of officia's who have had charge of this matter that

GREAT EXCITEMENT AT KEY WEST

appointment and chagein that followed yesterday's pacific advices from Madrid.

The latest news has aroused the bellicos spirit to a greater degree than ever. Naval a few days only, and the long delay has merely increased the arder of the men, who

The enthusiaem is cepecially marked or fident it meant hostilities unless there should The most significant development is the

Oquendo, the first two lines would retire leaving the attacking vessels to be engaged by the battleships. While it is accepted here as a foregone conclusion that this plan will be expeuted should necessity arise, it comes from the department more as a suggestion than as an order, and Captain Sampson has full authority to vary the plan or ignore it at

dispatch boat. SENATORS INDULGE IN WAR TALK

Mr. Allison, in charge of the bill, made a point of order against the amendment.

This called out a bitter speech by Mr.
Morgan, who charged the appropriations
committee with discriminating against per measured, and threatened to assist dissolving the committee. He followed dissolving the committee. with an argument showing the necessity for the improvement proposed, holding that it would open to the government in time of war the coal fields of the south, and enable it successfully to fight the treasonable monopoly that had been formed to control the coal supply of the country in the even the coal supply of the country in the even

The amendment was lost.

At 2 o'clock the bill had not been completed and was laid acide, the senate devoting the remainder of the afternoon to culogies of the late Senator George of Missis-At 4 o'clock the senate adjourned until

newspapers have similar dispatches. If there statements are true there was nothing to justify the statement sent to the capital yesterday. I say there will be no wir." the transportation of resident Americans Arrangements have been EXTRAORDINARY CABINET COUNCIL CALLED with Kingston, Jamaica, to have its vessels touch at the various Cuben ports other

who have had charge of this hatter that all the American citizens in Cuba who may desire to take advantage of the opportunity have been sent to the United States sent to the United States sent to the United States sent ate in due time, such a speculator was he."

(Laughter and applause on the democratic side.)

Working on the Home Grounds, Which Are Nearly Ready.

KEY WEST, April 7 .- Conditions here have undergone a decided change within the news was received that the message would lest twelve hours, in consequence of the Washington advices as to Consul General Lee's approaching departure, and the firm attitude of the administration, from the dis

istration's spokesman, to his feet, with an indignant reply, in the course of which he caused u great sensation in the house. He predicated a long speech here upon a state-ment of facts made by himself. He de-clares that no message came from General Lee yesterday; that it was a fake report; that it was false, given out for a corrupt purpose by the president to affect the stock couraging to the government. It is said that are constantly in readiness for a call to quarters.

board the flagship New York. When the news was conveyed there this afternoon Cap-tain Sampson maintained his customary reticence, but the other officers were conbe a complete surrender on the part of Spain, which is now regarded as remote. orders just received from the Navy depart-ment on the plen of action. These provide that in the event of a blockade of Havara or Matanzas the first line of battle nearest the shore would be composed of torpedo boats and tugs; the second of cruisers, such as the Marblehead, Detroit, Cincinnati and

third of the battleshire Indiana and Iowa, In case of an attack on the American fleet by any small vessels these will be engaged by the first two lines, the pain being to afford the greatest protection to the enemy. Should the attack he by a super'or force such as the Vizcaya or the Almirante

will. The receipt of the suggestions, how-ever, is taken as the best indications of the The Mallory line steamer Conal hes ar rived from New York with a cargo of pro visions and 800 cases of ammunition for the fleet, which have been in process of trans-fer throughout the day. It brought also several six-pounders which will be mounted in the Mangrove. The latter is expected from Havana tooight or tomorrow and in the event of war probably will serve as a

Late Senator George. WASHINGTON, April 7 .- Some sharp war talk was indulged in by the senate today. When consideration of the sundry civil appropriation bill was resumed the question proding was the amendment of Mr. Pettus (Ala.), providing for such improvement of the harbor at Mobile as would enable war

ket became very weak and rail to the upon every one of the leading stocks of the upon every one of the leading stocks of the market.

The gentleman is greatly worried about bonds, and he read the name of John J. Mc-Cook in one of his raids this afternoon. Who is John J. McCook? Whom does he represent? What is he here for? How does he and the gentleman from Ohio stand with reference to this? I will show you that they are parties in a great conspiracy, one one withingly so, the other, I trust, ignorantly so.

WHERE BONDS COME IN.

WHERE BOXDS COME IN.
Who is John J. McCook? He is the legal representative of the Cuban junta of New York, behind which stands \$40,000,000, more or less, of bonds, that can be validated by the recognition of the independence of Cuba by the United States, and they will be destroyed by a policy that drives Spain out of Cuba in the interest of the American people. (Applause.)

PLANS FOR THE JUNE MEETING. number of additional preliminaries to the

mars, Ia., sent horses to the track for training purposes last week. A stable from Kansas City will have another string here during the coming week. The track is being put in excellent condition for training pur-C. Pettus of New York was present spoke favorably of the running meet is proposed for August, He believes a thirty days' meet can be made suc-

The first annual meeting of the Omaha

Mr. Grosvenor—Wall street was not speculating on it. That every is as false as the other. I say to the gentleman that the president intended to disregard Lee's message of Tuesday, and had his message signed and scaled and ready to be transmitted to both houses, and yesterday morning when the final protest, in the name of humanity, came as I have said, it was read before the committees of the two houses, and without a dissenting vote they advised the president against sending it here.

Now the fentleman is arraigning the president of the United States. He is sending a message to the enemy showing that here in the midst of this house is a man who will charge the president of the United States with a corrupt purpose, with a corrupt intention, with attempting to stop the progress of the great march of patriotism. There is no word of delay in all the language which has been used in this connection. illing up with turfmen, and the Mont-

I call the attention of the gentleman and of the house to the statement he made that this was another stock jobbing per-formance, so that Wall street would run

patronized by women exclusively, was raided by the police this afternoon and twenty women who were betting on the races were taken into custody. Many of them were richly dressed and two had babes in their arms. They were all re-leased on ball later in the day.

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They did, however, and you

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