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PART TWO. **OUR READERS AS WRITERS**

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n of idolat e think of these who are so ad blinded by the worship cal party that they reject , and declare that they will dministration whether it be

Poynter did not discuss the question with me prior to the publication of the veto. I knew nothing of the passage of the resolution until I read the veto message in the néwspapers. I approve of the governor's action, however, and believe that he did right in thwarting a partisan attempt to make political capital out of the bravery of Nebraska soldiers. The governor's official conduct has shown him to be a friend of the volunteers, and in his yeto message he declares himself makes no difference as to his guilt. The srime of murder is the same whether it be committed in an effort to rob a man of his money, or a nation of its liberty. That being true, the wholesale slaughter of the Filipinos by the direction of Me Kinley. with the intention and purpose of taking from them their liberties and possesions, it seems to me, can be noth-ing less than murder. It also seems to me that any sort of logic or reasoning that would whitewash that crime, which McKi nley bimsolf has termed "criminal aggression," would free every oriminal in the world, courrovert our world-famed declaration of independence as to human its, and render meaningless the con-usion and render meaningless the con-state and render meaningless

so near price of the senate that it required the vote of the vice-president to defeat it. That resolution read as fol-

Almighty, and declars that they will lows: hold the administration whother it be ht or wrong. It is simply saying t as between their party leaders and d, they will uphold the former. I have thin a week heard republicans who ofees to be Christians, say that they when a stable and independent governands, and independent government is a stable and independent government is the United States to recognition ment of the United States to recognition as such, to transfer to said government is and just, all rights secured under the and just, all rights secured under the cossion of Spain, and to thereupon leave of the government and control of the islands to their people."
This resolution was afterwards in dorsed by a caucus of the democrate of the house of representatives.
Tou will see that the opponents of imperialism desire the government to extend to the Filipinos the same treatment that the president has promised to the government to extend to the Filipinos the same treatment ated that the president has promised to the government. that the president has promised to the people of Cuba, namely: Establish a sta-ble government and then turn the gov-erument over to the people. As you have made the same criticism against me, I am justified in calling your attention to the interview given out at Savannah, and published in your paper on the 14th of December last. In that interview I referred to the promise made by the president to the people of Cuba, and suggested that congress re-affirm this purpose in regard to Cuba, and assert the same purpose in regard to the Philippines. In an article published by the World-Heraid and the Lincoln Post in January, I gave several reasons in support of a resolution "declaring it to be the na-tion's purpose to establish a stable gov-ernment in Cuba and the Philippines, and then give to the inhabitants inde-pendence under an American protector-ate which will guard them against mo-lestation from without." I favored the ratification of the treaty, not because I thought the treaty wind the magainst mo-lestation of the treaty, not because I thought the treaty wind the magainst mo-lestation of the treaty, not because I thought the treaty wind the magainst mo-lestation of the treaty, not because I thought the treaty wind the magainst mo-lestation of the treaty wind the magainst mo-lestation from without." I favored the reatification of the treaty wind because I thought the treaty wind the magainst mo-lestation from without." I favored the reatification of the treaty wind the magainst mo-lestation from without." I favored the reatification of the treaty wind the magainst mo-lestation from without." I favored the reatification of the treaty wind the the reaty wind the the treaty wind the the reaty wind the there the reaty wind the the reaty w Because That Tired Peiling is not the factor of the measure of control of the measure of the measure of control of the measure of th

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mittee whitewash it as is generally done which is limited." There is no such Mrs. Mann for their hospitality. The with all such cases? It is hard to con thing as too kinds of value -one called next meeting will be held with Mr. L. We consistent of the states that has the purpose has not declared with the latent to forcibly take power, the working of the passage of the states to forcibly take power, the working of the passage of the states to forcibly take power, the working of the passage of the states to forcibly take power, the working of the passage of the states to forcibly take power, the working of the passage of the states to forcibly take power, the working of the passage of the states to forcibly take power, the working of the passage of the states to forcibly take power, the working of the passage of the states to forcibly take power, the working of the passage of the states to forcibly take power, the working of the passage of the states to forcibly take power, the working of the passage of the states to forcibly take power, the working of the passage of the states to forcibly take power, the working of the passage of the states to forcibly take power, the working of the passage of the take policies to make political expitial control the liberty of another, without lawful right, is murder. The states to forcibly take power, the working of partial control the liberty of another, without lawful right, is murder. The states political expitial control the political expitial control the political expitial control the take political expitial control the political expitial contrel to the political expitial contro mixed two terms, namely, utility and value. Paper money has no utility- The Independent has

value.

That Bonaparte was a queer chap when he said that England was a nation when he said that England was a nation of shopkeepers, what would he say if he was living today; that we were a nation of millionaires and tramps? What with McKinley's war of expansion and with Wall and Lombard streets saying "he is the man for us." Oh! those bondholders, they have got an everlasting grip on this patio

If McKinley would only send some of the bireling ministry to those beathens that they talk so much about, to teach them the gospel of repentance for rebel-ling against him it would be more appropriate at the present time for this cruel war of expansion. It is not always war of expansion. It is not always agreable that every truth should be told, but you that have eyes to see cannot be inded to that mockery called chris-t anity what is being done to them which is called brotherly love. How

Pierce, two miles west and half a mil-north of Woodlawn, May 13th. "representative value." Anything that anyons can name either has value or it has no value. It is worth something or it is worth nothing. It can be exchanged for some other desirable object or it can not. One might as well talk of repre-sentative power as of representative value. We would like to find out some CAN COUNT ON HIM

The Independent has come into my home for one year, first sent by a friend cause wheat has utility and paper mon- in Lincoln. I like the style of your paper ey has none, Senator Stewart calls one and your shoulder hits on the trusts, value and the other representative monopolies, expansionists and cussed-

ness generally. We need more papers Now this term "representative value," like it to call them down. As long as which is in itself unthinkable, always your paper bears the name of Indepenplays a prominent part in every gold standard argument and is the very basis of the theory upon which the bankers rely when they demand the right to issue bank paper as money. They say that it represents value which lies back of it somewhere or somehow. Their paper, however, has value, for men will ex-change wheat, labor, and other valuable things for it. If it had no value men would not give anything for it. "Now a word about "fairnees." Take the sentence: "From the fact that you are supporting the 'coin redemption' platform made A. Chicago and your replays a prominent part in every gold dent and you continue to uphold right

ou agree with them." There is no man in this state who knows better than Senator Stewart that the editor of this paper has been, for more than twenty-Editor Independent: five years, an advocate of full legal tender paper money, and has never written ply to Brother G. L. Todd's letter of April 27. In the first place we did not

seek this trouble with the Filipinos. We FOR SALE—1 or 2 seated trap, Colum-bus make, cost \$140, for \$55; one rub-ber tire buggy, cost \$140 for \$75; both as good as new; one second hand top buggy, \$55; 2 at \$25 each; 2 leather top phaetons, \$40 each; 1 at \$50; 1 at \$60; 3 at \$15 each; 2 each; 2 leather top phaetons, \$40 each; 1 at \$50; 1 at \$60; 3 at \$15 each; 1 extension top cut under carriage for \$60; 1 for \$75; 1 extension top surrey, \$75; all three as good as new; 1 Buckeye Columbus Rockaway, new, coat \$350; for \$200; 1 Bud d_uble speeding wagon, new, \$ Rockaway, new, cost \$350; for \$200; 1 Bud double speeding wagon, new, % axie, cost 90, for \$60; we have a Parry road wagon for \$25, and a top buggy, new, for \$35, delivered; we have 5 sec-ond hand spring wagons, \$10, \$15, \$25, and one for \$35; we have just un-loaded a car load of rubber tire phae-tons, carriages, buggies and road wagons; our stock is larger than ever; 4 floors loaded with vehicles of all de-scriptions: the most complete stock in scriptions; the most complete stock in the state; we are agents for the cele-brated Wilson Moline carriages and buggies and phaetons; all goods war-ranted as represented at any price from the finest to the cheapest; will trade new work for old at ' their cash value; repository open every Saturday night, power elevator. Corner 9th and 0 streets Humphrey Bros. HardVOL. X, NO. 52. Pagges 9 and 10.

EAST AND WEST.

Eastern People Have Been Treated a Little Too Well In Colorado.

Every now and then we hear some easterner talking about his "losses in the west" and that "the west has done up the east." and all that sort of thing. It makes us lose our patience every time we hear any one of these fellows croak. Let us analyze this question a little. In the first place, we are willing to grant that cases exist where individuals have got the worst of their western investments, but as a whole the east is ahead of the west by a large and very decided majority. Take Colorado, for instance. During the past ten years we have mined about \$300,000,-000 worth of gold and silver. Who has that gold and silver? Is it in Colorado? Not much! It is all back east. We have sent over \$200,000,000 back east in the shape of other natural resources and \$500,000,000 won't cover the interest we have paid to the east in the shape of insurance and loans. Last year in Gilpin county \$2,300,000 worth of gold and silver was mined, and, strange to say, only \$200,000 in dividends was declared upon all the mining properties of that county, and those dividends, most of them, found their way out of the state. Here is something to think about. If Colorado wasn't the richest state on earth in natural resources, it wouldn't be on the map today. Colorsdo people prosper in spite of the bleed-ing visited upon them through trusts, railway corporations, monopolies, in-icrest, taxis, etc. So far as the east, as a whole, is concerned, it has no kick

homes and railways, under foreclosurs of mortgages. Colorado people are not whining; that they hate to be dubbed "robbers and thieves." If every part of the world did as well by the nonproducing classes as Colorado, then there would be no occasion for any kicking. -George's Weekly (Denver).

within a week heard republicans who profess to be Christians, say that they believe in upholding the administration whether it be right or wrong. I read as editorial in last waek's issue of a repub-lican paper in which it boldly proclaimed that the slogges of the republican party should be "our country (meaning the administration) right or wrong, and un-der all circumstances." If that is not evidence of idolatry gone crasy, what is it? As further evidence showing how partisas idolatry sears the conscience, and affects the judgment by unbalancing the faculties of discrimination, we have but to notice some of the choice names names applied to those who condemn the wholesale murder being perpetrated upon a people because they are defend-ing their natural rights of "life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. Copper-heads, traitors, aud knights of the gold-en circle, are some of their pet names for us. There is neither argument, sense nor truth even suggested in the application of such terms to us. Let us see. The sole object of the confederacy in begin-ning the war of the rebeilion was the perpetuation of the slavery of a race, and the work of the copperheads, trait-ors and knights of the golden circle was to encourage, uphold and assist Jeff Davis in his efforts for such perpetua-tios. The present conflict with the Fili-pinos was begun by Mr. McKinley for the sole object of perpetuating the slav-ery of that race which Spain was no longer able to maintain. Now, who are the copper heads, traitors, etc., at the present time? They are those who sup-port McKinley in his war to continue the slavery instituted by Spain. The only theory upon which McKinley's supportpresent time? They are those who sup-port McKinley in his war to continue the slavery instituted by Spain. The only theory upon which McKinley's support-ers can justify themselves by logical reasoning therefrom, is that which is contained in the words "the king can do no wrong." It is an old rolle of bar-barism, used to whitewash tyrannical kings. To say that it is treason to con-dems as act which the president or any other man does in violation of our con-stitution and declaration of indepen-dence and in disregard of the settled pol-icies under which God has seen fit to make this a greet nation, indicates an idolatry as deep sented and blind as that of the worshipers of Moloch. I freely en-dured the hardships of a soldier in the war of the rebellion three years, believing and realizing that it was a war for hu-manity on the part of my country, as well as to keep its domain intact. And I cannot now see our beloved ispain by the inhuman greed of a com-bisation of skylocks without entering a loyal Americas protes.

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LOYAL AMERICAN.

BRYAN VS. THE JOURNAL

Two Faleshands Constantly Bollerated by the Lincoln Organ are Most Strongly

The constant reiteration of a certain set of faischoods which have been printed and reprinted for the last six weeks in the State Journal were authoritatively ied over his own signature in that spor inst Saturday by Mr. Bryar. The in full is as follows:

LINCOLN, Nob., May 3.-To the Editor of the State Journal I shall not attention to them.

filitor Independents Frederich the tirent had a good joke attempt to correct all the misrepresenta-tions which appear in the Journal from come to an undeartanding which satis-time to time, but two have been repeated fies us both. They are to say what they attempt to classify Senator Stewart's so often that I feel justified in calling please and I ain to do what I please." First-As to the essertion that I ad- country today. Look at the investiga- We still insist that "value" is power in vised travernor Poynter to voto the res. tion of that ment deal and other deals aschange, or, as Heastor John P. Jones clutice, which, under cover of a vote of which have been a disgrace to this coun- defines it, "Juman setimation placed up- thanks to the soldiers, commended the try, a national disgrace. Will the com- on desirable objects the quantity of

Realise H. G. STEWART.

The editor of the Independent did not attempt to classify Senator Stawart's arguments at all. It simply criticised his psculiar use of two connemic terms. We atili insist that "ralus" is power in anchange, or, as Senator John P. Jones Mr. J. L. Hather and Mrs. C. Deitch Mr. J. L. Hather and Mrs. C. Deitch of the secretary of state, who is That is about how things are run in this his peculiar use of two connemic terms.

Mr. Byford could not attend the meet-ing, but sent greatings in verse. This was an improvement on his last contri-bution, and we may capeet real postry

were welcomed as new members. A vote of thanks was given Mr. and

small dictator whose power only extended over the island of Luzon, one of the 150 islands in the Philippine group, so that we could not enter into a treaty with such a person. J am aware we are a nation of different races but it becomes to to stand together in war and be loyal us the glorious stars and stripes. Those few Germans who have been airing their eloquence lately must know that by this time the fatherland was only playing a bluff in acting in the way they did at Manilla as they are too shrewd not to be aware that France is waiting with bated breatb to see them embroiled in some squabble in order to regain poses-sion of Alsace and Loraine and again

THE OTHER SIDE

Will you allow me a small space to re-

some squabble in order to regain poss-sion of Alsace and Loraine and again raise their beloved tri color over it. No Mr. Editor we believe it is the mission of the great English speaking people of this nation and of the world to spread civilization, law and liberty to all the dark places of the earth. Look at the dark continent of Africa, see how the curse of slavery and canibalism has been eliminated mainly by Great Britain, how the building of railroads, thriving towns and schools of learning are taking the place of man eating orgies. Do you not know that the immense dam they are building across the Nile to irright the Nile valley will be a greater blessing to humanity and a greater tribute to pro-greas than those great sphinzes and pyr-amids which the ancient pharoahs built. Seeing we could not get out of the Phil-ippines let us teach them how to govern themselves, adopt the motto of the Ep-worth League, "Lift up, Look up," and with our scientific progress and inven-tions introduced there will show them we are moving on impelled by a higher pwer. power.

Yours for humanity and progress, C. E. Bullock, Bostwick, Neb.

Brother Todd is perfectly able to defend his position, but the editor of the Independent cannot resist the temptation of saying that the United States has, for many years been by the greatest world power on the globe. We have taught the other nations "how to govera themselves," not by trying to shoot self government into them with Gatlin guns and magazine rifles, but by an example that has shone like a pillar of cloud by day and a pillar of fire by night. Mexico has seen it, Japan has seen it, the South American republies have seen it, Australia, Canada and New Zonland have seen it and all the world has been influenced by it. Now it is proposed to abandon the course that has resulted in the uplifting of the whole world and adopt the policies which were thrown overboard when Jefferson wroto the delaration of independence.

bank commissioner.

Despite the fact that some of the Republican organs are claiming in a vague way that their party will smash trusts by and by, it is no secret that all the G. O. P. leaders, with hardly an exception, hold stock in trusts and corporations. But it appears that the Democ-racy is pretty well tarred by the same stick. All the eastern leaders, such as Croker, Flower, Gorman and Hill, are identified with trusts, and now it turns out that National Chairman Jones, who always had a warm side for the money lords, and in 1895 introduced a bill to retire the greenbacks and make room for bank notes, is one of the largest stockholders of the Cotton Compress trust. Harrison, Stone, Clark, Daniel and other western and southern leaders are also reported as having some of their spare coin invested in trust certificates. Oh, yes, there will be a fine old sham battle when these magnates proceed to smash the trusts and destroy the goose that lays the golden eggs! How they will laugh as they watch the chump voters fight each other at the polls, only to have the bosses and magnates and their stool pigeons come out on top as usual !- Cleveland Citizen.

What Trusts Have Done.

The demand for effective state and national legislation against trusts is already so strong that no great party in the coming presidential contest will dare to resist it. Trusts in America have nearly run their course. They have given impetus to the movement for municipal ownership of monopolies. and either through these or the operation of effective laws they will be rendered powerless -- Chicago Inter Ocean.



FEW POINTS wherein the "JULIA MARLOW" styles differ from other Shoen

THEY fit like a glove THEY fit like a glore, THEY never pinch the foot, THEY never pinch the foot, THEY are benatiful in design. THEY fit high or low instep. THEY field to every action of the foot THEY yield to every action of the foot shape of the wearer's foot instead of pressing the foot into the shape of the shos. Try a pair, THEY are sure to piscas you. Bold only by-

