

MRS. NATION ON WARPATH

Uses Her Hatchet on Finest Joint in Topeka.

DAY OF NUMEROUS FIGHTS.

Saloon Element and Temperance People Clash Over Merits of the Case—Mrs. Nation Arrested But Promptly Released. Gains First Police Protection.

Topeka, Feb. 6.—Mrs. Nation yesterday retrieved Monday's set back when she and three followers wrought damage to the extent of \$1,500 in the "Senate," the finest equipped joint in Topeka. She did more, for she gained the first police protection given her since she started out on her saloon smashing career at Wichita a month ago. The police followed up her raid and arrested the proprietor of the Senate and two men who were guarding the place. Mrs. Nation was arrested but promptly released.

Mrs. Nation and her wreckers, each armed with a hatchet, sallied forth at daybreak, and caught the jointman napping. They forced their way past a negro who guarded the door and in less than ten minutes had strewn the floor with broken mirrors, bottles, slot machines and splintered bar fixtures. The negro fired a shot of warning into the ceiling but it had no effect.

Presently a policeman stalked leisurely into the room and said: "Well, Sister Nation, I guess we'll have to arrest you again." Mrs. Nation had just smashed the last bottle and was ready to go. "All right," she responded cheerily, "you just came when I wanted you to."

She turned back as she reached the door and inquired: "Everything cleaned up, ladies?"

The police judge was glad to release her when she appeared for trial and administered a tongue lashing to that effect, and Mrs. Nation soon walked proudly down Kansas avenue, free again to smash and preach.

Michael Wagner, supposed to be the owner of the Senate, made the best of his opportunity and promptly secured a quantity of liquor to supply the thirst of the crowds that poured into his place to view the wreckage that the Nationists had wrought.

During the afternoon two deputies from Sheriff Cooke's office raided the place and arrested Wagner, Shap Lytle and two guards, and took charge of the stock of liquors. Warrants had been sworn out only for Wagner and Lytle, but one of the deputies was so angry when a guard struck him that he arrested both guards.

Later Chief of Police Stahl, in an interview with a reporter, said: "I do not care if Mrs. Nation smashes every joint in Topeka. I sympathize with her. I hope she will close up the saloons of the city. As an officer of the law, though, it is my duty to arrest her every time she creates a disturbance or destroys property. If we had the right kind of state officers it would be necessary for Mrs. Nation to do what she is doing."

There is a great deal of talk of plans to hurt Mrs. Nation. It was learned yesterday that several saloon men have charred thick glass bottles with tremendous pressure so that an explosion will follow their being broken. She is not at all disturbed by these stories. Numerous girls have occurred over merits of Mrs. Nation's case.

Comments Mrs. Nation's Course. Burlington, Ia., Feb. 6.—Mrs. Marlon H. Dunham, president of the Iowa state Women's Christian Temperance union, gives her unqualified approval to the methods adopted by Mrs. Nation in fighting the unlawful saloon. She expresses herself as heartily in favor of any plan that will tend to bring the saloon keepers to a realization of the laws of the land.

Troops Sent to Restore Order. Lima, Peru, Feb. 6.—Advices from Bolivia report serious disturbances near Challana, about 21 miles from La Paz. The Bolivian government has sent troops to restore order. The origin of the trouble is not political, but concerns the management of the India rubber plants of the district.

Sioux City Warns Mrs. Nation. Sioux City, Feb. 6.—The city council last night passed a strong resolution declaring that if Mrs. Nation comes to Sioux City, as it has been announced is her intention, none of her saloon work will be tolerated, but that she will be arrested and punished.

State Penitentiary Quarantined. Lincoln, Feb. 6.—Because of the existence of smallpox in the vicinity Warden Hopkins and Physician Edwards last night quarantined the state penitentiary. No convicts will be received at the prison until the quarantine is raised.

Red Hat for Martinelli. Paris, Feb. 6.—The Rome correspondent of the Temps says a letter from the Vatican has been posted to Archbishop Martinelli, the apostolic delegate in United States, notifying him that he will be created a cardinal.

State Against Union Pacific. Lincoln, Feb. 6.—On motion of Attorney General Prout the supreme court yesterday continued the case of the state against the Union Pacific Railroad company, for hearing at the first sitting in April.

Apprehensive for Mrs. Platt. New York, Feb. 6.—Mrs. T. C. Platt, wife of Senator Platt, was reported at the Fifth Avenue hotel as not so well as she was yesterday and there was some apprehension felt about her condition.

WADE FUND HARD TO RAISE.

Iowa Women Find It Difficult to Secure Money for Monument.

Des Moines, Feb. 7.—The movement among Iowa women for the raising of a fund with which to erect a monument to Jennie Wade on the Gettysburg battlefield, is not bearing fruit as expected, and thus far but \$150 has been contributed for that purpose. It was the intention to raise about \$1,000 during the winter months so that work on the monument could be commenced in the spring. The work is in charge of Mrs. Margaret F. Hinman, Belmont, Ia. She has sent out circulars to all the corps of the state and has solicited contributions from old soldiers and others and is disappointed at results. It is probable that the monument will not be begun this year, but further time will be taken to consider the matter.

PONS AND ROEBER DRAW

American Champion More Than Holds His Own With the French Wrestler. Police Stop the Bout.

New York, Feb. 7.—For one hour and seventeen minutes, Ernest Roeber, the American wrestler, and the French champion, Paul Pons, struggled for supremacy in a roped ring in Madison Square Garden last night. They might have gone on for another hour, but the arbitrary order of Police Inspector Thompson, who declared that he would not allow the bout to go on after midnight, stopped the match in a most unsatisfactory manner at midnight.

Pons held the upper hand at nearly every stage of the contest, but he lacked the cleverness of the smaller man, who was never caught unawares at any moment, and Roeber, though by many years the older and in stature far inferior to the big foreigner, more than held his own. That the bout was "on the level," there can be no question, and the 7,000 people who left the big building had only the warmest praise for the athletes.

RESEEDING OF RANGES.

South Dakota Cattle Growers Will Discuss Important Question.

Rapid City, S. D., Feb. 7.—At the coming Western South Dakota Cattle Growers' association in this city one of the most important questions to come up for discussion will be the re-seeding of Black Hills and eastern Wyoming ranges. In many parts of the ranges the native grass has been killed off by overcrowding of cattle. An experiment made by the Oregon Navigation company in Oregon has proved a success and will probably be adopted in this section. The company employed an industrial agent, who said that there were five grasses and two alfalfa that will grow on the range without irrigation.

War Among Colored Baptists.

Osage City, Kan., Feb. 7.—The members of the colored Baptist church here are engaged in a war to see which is the stronger, and as a result a partly finished church is in ruins. Some time ago some members left the church and immediately started to build another worshiping place. This did not suit the other members, and yesterday they went there in full force with their axes and hatchets and demolished the building. The carpenters arrived by this time, and many of the negroes were seriously hurt for their pains.

Governors to Be Elected by Direct Vote.

Havana, Feb. 6.—In the Cuban constitutional convention yesterday the question of provincial government came up for discussion and it was voted that the governors of the provinces should be elected by the direct vote of the people, a motion to have the president appoint them being defeated.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Will Wright and Sam Williams, negroes, charged with murder, were killed in the county jail at Dade City, Fla., by a mob.

Robert Swab, a resident of Springfield, Ills., was Wednesday arrested on a warrant charging him with the murder of his wife.

Lon Burns killed his wife by cutting her throat in her room at Hill's boarding house in Nevada, Mo., Wednesday. Burns was drunk.

Former Congressman Tom L. Johnson Wednesday formally announced his candidacy for the Democratic majority nomination for the city of Cleveland.

Fourteen men are quarantined in a passenger coach in Merrill, Wis. A man supposed to have the smallpox was removed from the train at Tomahawk.

The Confederate Veterans' association of Savannah passed resolutions against the invitation to President McKinley to attend the reunion of Confederate veterans in Memphis.

Concordia, Kan., is dry again. The six jointists who have been paying monthly fines of \$100 each to the city refused to pay Wednesday and all closed their saloons as a result.

Harry Arron, while delivering bakers' supplies in Kansas City Wednesday night, was brutally assaulted and robbed by a footpad. His skull was fractured and he may die. The robber secured \$15.

Dr. Homer Stuntz, Mt. Vernon, Ia., has been appointed presiding elder of the Methodist Episcopal church in the Philippine islands and will sail from San Francisco for Manila to take up his new official duties April 1.

Arbitration committees from the Chicago carpenters and builders' association and the carpenters' executive council have practically reached an agreement which all concede will mean the end of the building trades labor war that has existed in Chicago for over a year.

FINAL RITES AT WINDSOR.

Queen's Body Placed at Rest in Frogmore Mausoleum.

SERVICES AT THE TOMB.

Only Members of the Royal Family Attended Obsequies at Burial Place—Body Laid to Rest Near That of the Prince Consort.

Windsor, Feb. 5.—The last honors have been paid to Queen Victoria. Her body now rests peacefully near that of her husband, in the mausoleum at Frogmore. The final ceremonies were more of a pathetic character than of the obsequies, which preceded them. Shortly before 3 o'clock, in the presence of the royal mourners, the Grenadier guards lifted the coffin from its temporary resting place in the Albert Memorial chapel and placed it on a gun carriage. In the meanwhile, the Queen's company of Grenadiers, drawn up in the quadrangle, presented arms and wheeled into line, their rifles at the reverse, and with slow measured steps marched toward the castle gate. At the head of the procession was a band playing Chopin's funeral march. Slowly the cortege passed under the massive archway into the long walk, which was a mass of black brilliantly edged with scarlet. Guardsmen kept the crowds back. In place on the gun carriage was the same regalia which attracted the eyes of millions since the funeral march began at Osborne. Behind them walked the king, Emperor William and the Duke of Connaught wearing dark, military overcoats and plumed cocked hats and looking pale and weary. In similar attitude were the kings of Portugal and Belgium. All heads were bent. The blue and gray of the German princes redeemed the royal group from perfect somberness of color. Behind these walked Queen Alexandra and the royal princesses deeply veiled.

As the last trio of these veiled women passed out from the castle there came two boys dressed in bright kilts and velvet jackets. Between them was a young girl, her fair, loose hair glittering against the crepe of her mourning. Two of these were children of Princess Henry of Battenberg and the other was the little Prince Edward of York.

At the lodge gates the strain of the band died away and the pipers commenced their lament. There between the broad avenue of stately trees, the crowds were the thickest, forming dense black banks. By 3:30 p. m. the crowned bier had passed into the other lodge, which leads to the Frogmore enclosure, where none but the family and servants were admitted. The choir met them and the royal family and their relatives entered the burial place close to the late queen, ranging themselves on each side of the coffin. The bishop of Winchester read the last part of the burial service. After further singing by the choir the benediction was given, and amid the privacy of this family tomb the last farewells were said, the funeral came to an end, the mourners drove to the castle, and the crowds dispersed.

WANTS ONLY AN OUTLET.

Union Pacific Seeks Control for Central Line, Not Whole System.

New York, Feb. 5.—The Harriman syndicate is not giving out freely information regarding the Union Pacific deal, but it is leaking out gradually. Prominent members of the Stock exchange discussed the situation yesterday. A suggestion was made for a plan by which the Union Pacific would be able to assume absolute and permanent control of the Central Pacific without assuming any liability for the whole Southern Pacific system. One member of the Union Pacific interests freely admitted that the fundamental interest of the company in the Southern Pacific is in its control of the natural and only possible outlet for the Union Pacific to San Francisco.

Miss Titmore Back From Manila.

Marshalltown, Feb. 5.—Miss Margaret Titmore, sister of General Traffic Manager Titmore of the Iowa Central railroad, has arrived in her home in this city, after a six months' journey through China, Japan, and the Philippines. She denies emphatically the press dispatches to the effect that she boarded the United States battleship Indiana as a stowaway, but admits having sailed from Nagasaki to Tokyo on the battleship Indiana, unknown to the commanding officer of the vessel. Miss Titmore left America with the intention of marrying Lieutenant Warren Dean of the Fifth cavalry, but the engagement was broken at Nagasaki.

Snow of Great Value.

Topeka, Feb. 5.—Snowbound trains were released yesterday. Although schedules have not been restored entirely, no more serious delay is expected. Missouri Pacific trains stalled on the Central branch were released with the aid of snow plows or forced their way through the banks of snow with double-enders. In central Kansas a slight thaw set in and as the ground was not frozen hard the water will all be absorbed and result in great good to wheat.

A Perfect Gentleman.

"So you proposed to Miss De Vere?" exclaimed Miss Cayenne. "Yes," answered Willie Washington, "yesterday evening."

"What did she say?" "I don't remember. I heard her tell a friend she was going to see how many proposals she could get this season, and I thought it would only be polite of me to help out."—Washington Star.

CHEERS FOR THE BOERS.

Vijoen and Wessels Hold Enthusiastic Meeting in Chicago. Hisses for England.

Chicago, Feb. 6.—Wild waves of enthusiasm for everything that was Boer with storms of hisses and howls of derision for Britain, her soldiers and her rulers, swept over a Central Music hall audience last night. Thundering cheers for Kruger, Steyn, Dewet and Botha rang out with cries of "shame" for Kitchener and Lord Roberts among the audience which had assembled to hear the Boer envoys, Hercules B. Vijoen and F. Louter Wessels plead their cause. The mention of the name of Queen Victoria called forth hisses and denunciations from the crowd.

Mr. Vijoen, who comes direct from the seat of war in South Africa, where he acted as field cornet, told of scenes which he had lived, "of wives torn from their husbands, children left without mothers, and homes pillaged, destroyed and ruined."

YOUTSEY SENTENCED.

Taken to Frankfurt to Enter Upon His Term of Life Imprisonment—Protests His Innocence.

Georgetown, Ky., Feb. 6.—Henry E. Youtsey will be taken to Frankfurt today to enter upon his term of life imprisonment. Youtsey was pale and weak when he stood up to receive the sentence of the court yesterday. His wife sat nearby and heard the stern sentence of the law consigning her husband to the penitentiary for life, but bore up under the ordeal bravely.

Briefly, Judge Cantrill outlined the progress of the case from the time of the indictment until the returning of the verdict.

"Now," continued the judge, "have you any reason to give why sentence should not be pronounced upon you?" Youtsey shifted his position slightly and cleared his throat. One hand clutched the lapel of his coat, the other rested on the table. The court room was perfectly quiet. In a low but audible tone, Youtsey spoke these words: "I have nothing to say except that I am innocent and that my conviction was accomplished only by base and infamous subornation of perjury."

BOERS THREATEN MARQUEZ.

Rumor That a Request Has Been Made of England for Assistance.

London, Feb. 6.—It is reported in London that the Boers, commanded by Blake, are threatening Lourenzo Marquez and that Portugal has requested British assistance. It is further asserted that a British squadron has been ordered to Lourenzo Marquez. No official confirmation of the report is obtainable. The Boers captured 200 British when they rushed Medderfontein Jan. 30. The prisoners were subsequently released. Thirty British were killed or wounded. The newly formed guard for the Rand mines left Stellingsbosch for Johannesburg Wednesday.

An order has been gazetted permitting the importation of goods into the Transvaal subject to a military permit.

Ask England to Stop the War.

Frankfort, Feb. 6.—At a meeting of Boer sympathizers here yesterday, attended by some 5,000 people, a resolution was adopted, appealing to Great Britain to stop the war in South Africa. Christian Dewet, a nephew of the Boer commander, who was present, was carried around the hall on the shoulders of the promoters of the meeting.

Dewet to Do Some Annexing.

London, Feb. 6.—A special dispatch from Cape Town says that General Dewet, according to Cape Town reports, intends to annex various districts of Cape Colony, although he is now urging the colonists not to join him. According to a dispatch from Cape Town a case of what is suspected to be the bubonic plague has developed there.

Heavy Casualty List.

London, Feb. 6.—The war office received a very heavy South Africa casualty list yesterday, showing in addition to 13 killed and 77 wounded in action, 82 deaths from disease during the present month. The total death list from the beginning of the war shows 12,980 victims.

Charges Dennis With Murder.

Sioux City, Feb. 4.—The coroner's jury yesterday found a verdict in the mysterious death of John Worrell, charging Frank Dennis with murder. Dennis was arrested.

Resign Their Commissions.

Lincoln, Feb. 6.—Rev. D. W. Morlan, chaplain of the First regiment, and First Lieutenant Srydenham, company A, Second regiment, have resigned their commissions.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

The queen of Sweden and Norway is suffering from a dangerous affection of the throat.

President Zelaya has suppressed the Nicaraguan legation in London, Paris and Madrid.

Clarence Forbes of Chicago won from Kid Garfield of Chicago in the fourth round at Memphis Tuesday.

A \$175,000 fire visited Evansville Tuesday night. The department store of the Lahr-Bacon company was destroyed.

President Hickey of the Western league has named R. L. Carruthers of Chicago as one of the league umpires for the coming season.

Reports are current that the freight pool maintained by western lines has gone to pieces, as the result of rebellious actions taken by the Chicago Great Western.

BRITISH POST IS TAKEN.

Boers Capture Garrison at Medderfontein.

RELIEF COLUMN FOLLED.

Officers and Men Carried Off as Prisoners of War Are Arriving at Vereeniging. Petersburg Recaptured by the Britons. Boers on Portuguese Territory.

London, Feb. 4.—The war office has received the following from Lord Kitchener, commander-in-chief in South Africa:

Pretoria, Feb. 2.—Our post at Medderfontein, on the Gatterrand, southwest of Krugersdorp, was attacked by 1,000 Boers. The relief column sent out from Krugersdorp failed to prevent the fall of the post. No details yet at hand, but officers and men captured at the post are arriving at Vereeniging.

Lourenzo Marquez, Feb. 4.—There is a commando of 2,000 Boers on Portuguese territory. It is supposed that their intention is to rescue the Boers here. The Portuguese authorities have decided to remove to Madeira such Boer refugees as decline to surrender to the British.

DEWET HAS 3,000.

British Generals, In Touch With Each Other, Are Moving East.

Pretoria, Feb. 4.—General Dewet had 3,000 men in his command when he crossed the Thaba N'Chu line going southward. The Boers have collected in force in the eastern Transvaal in order to facilitate their escape. The horse sickness now prevails in several districts and is making communication more difficult.

Organized attacks have been made along the eastern line and a large combined movement has been arranged against those taking part in them with the object of clearing the whole region of the Boers and of supplies.

Columns commanded by Smith-Dorrien from Medderfontein, Campbell from Middelburg, Anderson from Eersterfabriek, Knox from Koolfontein, Aileenby from Zuurfontein, Darrnell from Spring, and Colville from Greylingstad, all in touch with each other, are moving in an easterly direction.

Says Boers Will Never Be Conquered.

New York, Feb. 4.—G. B. Clark, an ex-member of parliament and a Boer sympathizer, arrived here yesterday on the steamship Minneapolis. Mr. Clark showed himself to be wholly in sympathy with the Boers, as he said they were making a very brave struggle and would never be conquered. Said he: "If the English should be victorious and establish their rule over the Boers the latter will never acknowledge that rule. If England should conquer she will have another Ireland on her hand. The disposition of the people preclude their ever giving up the struggle."

PRESIDENT BURT TALKS.

Recent Transaction Will Not Affect Present Traffic Arrangement.

New York, Feb. 4.—Horace G. Burt, president of the Union Pacific railroad, is at the Waldorf-Astoria, accompanied by his wife and several friends, including J. H. Millard, president of the Omaha National bank, and Judge W. R. Kelly, general solicitor of the Union Pacific. The party will spend a week or ten days in this city.

President Burt in an interview explained at length the present conditions of the Union Pacific, which has just acquired the Southern Pacific. He said that the great transaction would not affect present traffic arrangements. In conclusion Mr. Burt outlined the improvements of the Union Pacific roadbed and important changes which are being made on the main line in Wyoming, where are the heaviest gradients and curvatures. About 200 miles of this section have been practically rebuilt, materially reducing the grades. In another two years still more changes on the divide and the Salt Lake section in western Utah will be completed. The road will be shortened about 34 miles, making the distance between Council Bluffs and Ogden practically 1,000 miles.

Boers Cherish Victoria's Memory.

Chicago, Feb. 4.—Phillip Louter Wessels, one of the three Boer envoys now in this country to enlist sympathy and aid for the struggling republic, in an address at McVicker's theater yesterday declared the Boers cherished the memory of Queen Victoria; that she would have tried to end the South African war had she lived, and that her death was hastened by that war.

Plot to Kill King Victor Emmanuel.

Rome, Feb. 4.—Agents of the Italian detective department in the United States report that Calzagano, the anarchist, has left for Europe to make an attempt on the life of King Victor Emmanuel, and that he is acting under the orders of the Paterson anarchists. The Italian police are watching the ports and frontier stations.

To Admit Russian Sugar Free.

London, Feb. 4.—"It is asserted in this city," says the Berlin correspondent of the Daily Mail, "that Russia and the United States have concluded a secret agreement admitting Russian sugar free of differential duties to the United States. Russia in turn makes certain concessions to America."

Hotel Burns at Binghamton.

Binghamton, N. Y., Feb. 6.—The Exposition hotel here was burned yesterday. One man, Tom Cook, a noted jockey, perished. Several persons were fatally injured in jumping from the windows of the burning hotel.

ABSORBS CARNEGIE PLANT.

Morgan Syndicate Secures Controlling Interest in Big Steel Company.

New York, Feb. 6.—The Tribune says: Negotiations for the sale of Andrew Carnegie's controlling interest in the stock of the Carnegie company were brought to a successful conclusion yesterday. J. Pierpont Morgan and his associates being the purchasers. The terms cannot be at present announced, but the deal is a colossal one, rivaling the recent change of control of the Southern Pacific, when that property passed into the hands of the Union Pacific interests. Mr. Carnegie had nearly 51 per cent of the \$100,000,000 of the Carnegie company. This stock has not been listed on any stock exchange, but \$1,500 was recently paid for a \$1,000 share in the Carnegie company.

Assuming that Mr. Carnegie has disposed of his holdings at par he will receive fully \$85,000,000 for his interest, while at the same time he will retain his 53 or 54 per cent in the \$100,000,000 bond issue of the Carnegie company. The object aimed at by Mr. Morgan and the interests allied with him when treating with Mr. Carnegie was the assurance of an enduring peace in the steel industry in the United States and this condition is now believed to have been obtained.

FIGHT CASE IN COURT.

Hearing Begun on Application for an Injunction Against Jeffries-Rubilla Contest at Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, Feb. 6.—Arguments and testimony were heard yesterday before Judge Hollister of the common pleas court on an application for an injunction against the Jeffries-Rubilla prize fight in this city Feb. 15.

After considerable sparring among the attorneys, it was decided that the case would proceed on its merits for a permanent injunction rather than for a temporary restraining order, but the defense reserved the right of appeal to higher courts. Judging from the slow progress made and the long list of witnesses, it is thought now that the hearing will not be completed this week and that the decision of Judge Hollister may not be had before next week. After submitting the contracts and other documents only four witnesses were examined.

GREAT WESTERN CIRCUIT.

Dates Arranged for the Meeting During the Coming Summer.

Chicago, Feb. 6.—Delegates from the various trotting associations composing the Great Western circuit met here yesterday and arranged dates for the meetings during the coming summer. The season opens in July, with a double meeting, and closes in October with one. The dates arranged for Iowa follow:

Davenport, July 16 to 19; purse, \$67,000. Des Moines, July 23 to 26; purse, \$67,000. Independence, July 30 to Aug. 2; purse, \$12,800. Dubuque, Aug. 27 to 30; purse, \$20,000. Columbus Junction, Aug. 27 to 30; purse, \$5,000.

FIGHTERS EVADE GOVERNOR.

Cronke-Jackson Contingents Slip to Gilbert on Special Train.

Elgin, Ills., Feb. 6.—The Cronke-Jackson prize fight, prohibited at Bellevue by Governor Yates, was pulled off at Gilbert, Kane county.

A special train with 500 on board reached that little village soon after midnight and adjourned to a hall, where a ring was formed and the fight commenced. There are no police save the village marshal and there was no interference. Cronke was knocked out in the 12th round.

To Suppress Ticket Scampering.

Chicago, Feb. 7.—Chairmen of all the passenger associations in the United States held a conference at the Auditorium hotel yesterday for the purpose of organizing from their own membership a protective association for the prevention of frauds of all kinds upon the passenger departments of the roads. The efforts of the new association will be directed especially against manipulation of tickets by scalpers in such a way as to deprive the roads of a large amount of revenue.

Merriam Denies Report.

Denver, Feb. 7.—Referring to sensational dispatches which have been sent from Denver containing what purported to be an interview with him, expressing disappointment at the action of President McKinley in omitting his name from the list of promotions under the new army law, General H. C. Merriam denies the Associated Press to say that he denies absolutely having given any interview or having made any criticism of the president.

Girl Kidnaped for Ransom.

St. Joseph, Mich., Feb. 4.—Vina Mills, the 14-year-old daughter of George A. Mills of Benton Harbor, was kidnaped from here Friday evening. It was supposed the divorced wife of Mills came from Chicago and took the child away, but telegraph messages and searching parties have failed to reveal her whereabouts. Mr. Mills had the custody of Vina, and as he is well-to-do some think the child is kidnaped for ransom.

Hold Memorial Services.

Lincoln, Feb. 4.—Former subjects of Queen Victoria, with others, held elaborate memorial services last evening at Holy Trinity Episcopal church, which was crowded to the doors. The principal addresses were delivered by Chancellor E. Benjamin Andrews of the University of Nebraska and Hon. Albert Watkins.

Manuwriter Is Bound Over.

Omaha, Feb. 7.—Henry Manuwriter, an employment agent, was bound over to the district court under \$1,000 bonds for the alleged decoying of Miss Bertie Moore out of the state.