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ASHEVILLE, N. C., FRIDAY MORNING, JULY 28, 1899.

Price 5 Cents

OESTREICHER'S

51 Patton Ave.

We will put on sale an elegant
assortment of Icewool and Shet-
land

SHOULDER SHAWLS

In all the leading shades. These
are the very things needed for
evening wear and for the piazza.
They will be sold at our usual
quick selling prices, viz.: 25c.,
50c., 75c., 89c., \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50,
\$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50.
All millinery on hand, will be
offered at less than half usual
prices to close out—\$1.00 and \$1.50
sailor hats at 50c.; \$2.00 and \$2.50
walking hats at 75c.

OESTREICHER AND CO.,

51 Patton Avenue

We have a blended Tea that
we are selling for

50c Per Lb.

Splendid value for the price.
We believe this tea is equal
to what you pay sixty cents
for at other places.

G. A. GREER,

53 Patton Avenue.

DOCTOR RAUB'S CU- TANEOUS SOAP

For the toilet, bath, nursery,
shaving and all skin affections.
Last year over 900,000 ladies used
Doctor Raub's Cutaneous Soap.
As a beautifier and preserver of
the skin it is excellent. Price, 15
cents. A free sample for the ask-
ing.

GRANT'S PHARMACY,

24 S. Main Street,
Asheville North Carolina

FIGHTING RESUMED

Lawton Defeats the Filipino General Malabars.

The Battle Was on the Out- skirts of Town of Calamba.

Cavalry and Infantry Made a Sudden Assault on the City.

Gunboats Manoeuvre in a Manner to Deceive the Insurgents and Veil the Attack.

Manila, July 27.—General Hall de-
feated General Malabars and three
hundred Filipinos at Calamba yester-
day afternoon in a sharp, running fight,
cutting through the north and south
avenue of the city. The expedition was
under the supervision of General Lawton.

Four hundred Washington troops of
the Hamilton mountain battery left
Paig at 3 o'clock this morning and
joined Captain Ellenhead with 450 of
the Twenty-first infantry and 150 cav-
alry on the gunboats Napidan and
Oeste. The gunboats manoeuvred in a
manner to lead the Filipinos to believe
that they intended attacking Santa
Cruz. They finally landed detachments
of cavalry and men of the Twenty-first
infantry near Calamba. The insurgents
fired on the American troops.

The cavalry advanced on the town
while the Twenty-first ploughed
through the marshes to the west of the
town preventing the retreat of the en-
emy on three sides. The enemy retired
within the town and after a brief en-
gagement there escaped to Santa Tom-
as.

The Washington troops, under cover
of the Napidan's guns, landed in water
neck-deep and got stuck in the marshes
south of the town, and were unable to
co-operate. The enemy removed twenty-
five of their killed and wounded and
took with them forty Spanish prisoners.
Thirty of the latter were rescued by
the Americans and taken to Manila.
Calamba is of strategic importance
and is to be held.

Lawton, his wife and son were inter-
ested spectators of the engagement
from a launch, and were under fire.
The American loss was four killed and
eleven wounded.

Today Lawton, on board the Napidan,
visited Las Banas, south of Calamba.
He found there a deserted Spanish hos-
pital for rheumatics, which he recom-
mends to be utilized for troops.

TROOPS LEAVE FOR MANILLA

San Francisco, July 27.—The trans-
ports Ohio, Newport and Tacoma
sailed for Manila at midnight, having
on board four companies of the Nine-
teenth infantry, several hundred re-
cruits and 300 horses for the Fourth
cavalry.

AN EXTRA SESSION THREATENING TO GOEBEL

Its Object Will be to Repeal Elec- tion Law.

Louisville, July 27.—An extra session
of the legislature to repeal the Goebel
election law will probably be called very
shortly.

Governor Bradley, in an interview
this afternoon, says that he will call
the session if a majority of the mem-
bers of each house request it.
If the bill is repealed Goebel's fate is
certainly sealed.

Richmond, July 25.—Colonel Peyton,
manager of the Interment hotel of Cov-
ington, died today.

BEAUTIFUL

Our fresh North Carolina water-
melons received today. Peaches,
Pears, Grapes, etc., received daily
from the growers at

KEELING'S,

PHONE 118. OPP. POSTOFFICE

CUBANS WORRIED ABOUT CITIZENSHIP

A Decision That Excites Great Interest on the Island.

Havana, July 27.—A Cuban who, dur-
ing the war, became a Mexican citizen
in order to save his property, wrote
General Brooke asking if he could not
regain his Cuban citizenship. Brooke
referred the matter to Inspector Gen-
eral Dudley, who announced that Cubans
naturalized by other countries must re-
main citizens of those countries.

Acting Secretary of State Despaigne
has written Brooke protesting against
this decision, and will prepare an argu-
ment against it. It is a question of
great interest because thousands of
Cubans became American citizens dur-
ing the war, most of whom have re-
turned to the island. Secretary Capote
is credited with a plan to compel them
to renounce American citizenship. The
plan, it is said, contemplates Cuban-
Americans holding office. The Cuban-
Americans desire to retain their present
citizenship, while at the same time
they want to participate in the affairs
of the intervening government. They
hope Brooke won't reverse Dudley's de-
cision.

LYNCHED AN INNOCENT NEGRO LUNATIC

Mistake of a Crowd of Self-Appointed Executors.

New Orleans, July 27.—A negro was
discovered today at Liney, in East Fe-
liciana. He was suspected of being Val
Bease, who is charged with outrages. He
was chased by armed men and took re-
fuge in a tree while the crowd worked
for the rope. The negro climbed down
and was shot dead. Investigation dis-
closed the fact that the negro was not a
rape fiend, but an innocent lunatic who
had escaped from the state insane asy-
lum at Jackson.

LOW FREIGHT RATE FIXED FOR COTTON

Reductions Made by South Carolina Railroad Commission.

Columbia, S. C., July 27.—The new
tariff cotton freight rate, fixed by the
railroad commission, is the lowest in
the country, making reductions in
former rates from 25 to 35 per cent.
For ten miles and under it is six cents,
increasing by additional cent each mile
to one hundred, then one cent each ten
miles to two hundred. The railroads
rose heavily and made a vain appeal for
more profit.

M'KINLEY'S VACATION.

Hotel Champlan, N. Y., July 27.—
President McKinley took several short
walks around the hotel grounds today.
During the day he received a notice of
President Heurdaux's death and sent a
message of condolence. This was the
only business transacted. Mrs. McKin-
ley, fatigued by the journey, remained
in her rooms.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

With a view to possible war in Korea,
Russia and Japan are reported by the
Politique Coloniale to be arming.

Supervisors who were to have charge
of taking the census in Cuba, Puerto
Rico, and Hawaii will be named soon.

The total enrollment of recruits for
the volunteer army, not including yester-
day's recruiting amounts to 4,792 men.

During the last fiscal year the secret
service division employs made 679 ar-
rests, and the acquittals were less than
24 percent.

The Tammany society of Chicago, Ill.,
has pledged itself to advance Mayor
Carter H. Harrison in whatever political
race he may enter.

In the past ten days the Bethlehem
steel company has finished and shipped
to the several navy yards armor for bat-
tle ships and large guns aggregating
\$800,000 in value.

The report of the health department
for the quarter of 1899, ending March 31,
city's population on July 1, 1899, at 3,
650,953.

We have a very large stock of bed
room suits on hand, and will give you
very close figures if you will call at 57
North Mainstreet. Phone 166.
MRS. L. A. JOHNSON.



There is nothing so annoying to glass wearers as to have a "break" and not get it repaired quickly, or after one gets it to find it improperly done. We make a specialty of "hurry up" repair jobs. We know instantly just how to go at every break or kink in a frame or to duplicate a broken lense quickly and properly. Experience and "the know-how" enable us to make everything as good as new. Examination free.

**Eye-glass
Repairing**

S. L. McKEE,
Scientific Optician,
45 Patton Ave.

REPORTED DISASTER ON THE VOLGA RIVER

Collision of Steamships—115 Lives Lost.

Berlin, July 27.—A story is published
here today that the steamers Kormillee
and Dimitri collided in the Volga river
near the Nijni Novgorod, Russia. The
Dimitri went to the bottom and 115 lives
were lost.

AN ENOCH ARDEN RETURNS TO HIS HOME

Had Been Mourned as Dead for Thirty- eight Years.

Columbia, July 27.—Elijah Bowen,
mourned as dead, drove into Anderson,
S. C., today, coming from New Jersey.
He was last seen on the firing line at
Petersburg thirty-eight years ago,
when he was a member of Company G,
Twenty-second South Carolina. He was
taken prisoner and released in New
York, where he spent three years. He
has since lived on a New Jersey farm.
A son forty years old recognized him
from an old likeness. Bowen's wife,
who married again, is dead.

A DESTRUCTIVE GALE STRIKES GALVESTON

Buildings Unroofed and Low Parts of the City Flooded.

Galveston, Tex., July 27.—A gale last
night accompanied by a heavy rain
prostrated wires, trees uprooted, un-
roofed buildings and flooded low
places in the city. Peter Balsam's house
was wrecked and his wife and two
children buried in the ruins. They
were rescued slightly injured. The tents
of the United States artillery company
at Camp Hawley were prostrated.

TENNESSEE MINERS THREATENING TO STRIKE

Have Demanded a Ten Per Cent Ad- vance in Wages.

Knoxville, July 27.—An adjourned
meeting of the operators and miners
for the Coal Creek and Jellico districts,
including 35 mines and 2,500 miners, is
in session at Coal Creek. A ten per
cent advance in wages is asked, but
no conclusion was reached today. Un-
less the increase is granted the miners
will strike on July 31.

LEUTGERT DEAD.

Joliet, Ill., July 27.—Adolph L. Luet-
gert, the Chicago sausage manufac-
turer, who is serving a life sentence in
the penitentiary for the murder of his
wife, was found dead in his cell today.
The authorities are unable to ascer-
tain the cause of death. It will require
an inquest to determine whether he
killed himself or died of disease.

BASEBALL GAMES YESTERDAY

At Baltimore— R. H. E.
Baltimore 8 14 2
Cleveland 5 14 3
Batteries: Howell and Robinson;
Knepper and Schreckengost.

Second game— R. H. E.
Baltimore 9 12 2
Cleveland 4 8 2
Batteries: Hall and Robinson; Colli-
flower and Schreckengost.

At Louisville— R. H. E.
Louisville 4 12 1
Boston 3 10 3
Batteries: Philippi and Powers;
Nichols and Clarke.

Second— R. H. E.
Louisville 6 12 0
Boston 5 15 2
Called in the eighth inning on account
of darkness. Batteries: Cunningham
and Zimmer; Lewis and Clarke.

At Cincinnati— R. H. E.
Cincinnati 9 12 2
New York 2 7 2
Batteries: Hahn and Peitz; Meekin
and Warner.

At St. Louis— R. H. E.
St. Louis 3 7 3
Brooklyn 12 16 2
Batteries: Powell and Criger; Mc-
James and McGuire.

At Chicago— R. H. E.
Chicago 9 12 3
Philadelphia 1 7 4
Batteries: Callahan and Chance;
Magee and Donohue.

The Pittsburg-Washington game was
called in the first inning on account
of rain.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

Washington at Pittsburg.
Boston at Louisville.
Philadelphia at Chicago.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pc.
Brooklyn	58	26	690
Boston	52	33	607
St. Louis	49	34	591
Philadelphia	49	35	583
Baltimore	48	38	575
Chicago	48	38	566
Cincinnati	41	41	500
Pittsburg	42	42	500
Louisville	38	47	443
New York	35	47	427
Washington	31	55	360
Cleveland	19	70	167

SOLDIERS IN CONTROL AT CLEVELAND

Strikers Not Allowed to Hold Meetings.—One Car Wrecked.

Cleveland, July 27.—Effective club-
bing and prodding with bayonets by
soldiers of loiterers is having the effect
of preventing gatherings. The sol-
diers are going about their work with an
earnestness that leaves no room to
doubt that they mean business. They
make persons loitering in hallways and
doorways move on.

The strikers announced a mass meet-
ing tonight but the mayor prohibited it.
Those who came to attend were com-
pelled to move on. Tonight compara-
tively quiet prevails. Little or no rioting
was reported, but the strikers say they
are only waiting for the withdrawal of
the soldiers to renew violence. Some
cars were stoned but the throwers were
scattered on the appearance of the sol-
diers.

Strikers blocked the Euclid beach line
tonight, cutting the feed and trolley
wires. One car was surrounded and
wrecked by the crowd and the crew
maltreated.

BIG OIL STRIKE IN TEXAS.

Austin, Texas, July 27.—Oil in paying
quantities has been struck in Lavaca
county. There is no limit to the area of
wealth-producing fields. Many fortunes
have already been made. Ex-Senator
Mills is one of the biggest oil operators
in the district.

FOR THE TWENTY-NINTH.

Three Yancey Men Accepted Yester- day at the Recruiting Station.

Yancey county was well represented
at the recruiting station yesterday, de-
spite the unfavorable weather.

Those accepted were Melvin A.
Blankenship, John E. Bankus and Carl
Jayner, all of Yancey. They will leave
this morning for their regiment, the
Twenty-ninth, at Fort McPherson, Ga.
Walter Lesenbee, also of Yancey,
passed the examinations, but the final
papers will not be signed until his
father's agreement is received.

Lieutenant Collett, who has been re-
cruiting men for his regiment, received
orders yesterday to join his regiment,
as it was nearly full. He left for
Camp Meade during the afternoon.

CRIMINAL COURT.

The Case of M. Mouser Occupied Both Sessions Yesterday.

The entire time of the county circuit
court was consumed yesterday in hear-
ing the case of M. Moore, charged
with being implicated in the theft of
some pieces of copper which a number
of negroes took from a bath tub in a
house belonging to T. W. Sharpless.
Colonel Lusk and Jesse R. Starnes
made speeches in behalf of the defend-
ant yesterday and Solicitor Webb will
conclude his speech this morning.

During the trial of this case there
was a sharp "spat" between the sol-
licitor and the counsel for the defense.
The court intervened and stopped the
verbal fusillade.

Janie Bailey, colored, was tried on a
charge of false pretense. She had, it
was declared, purchased goods at the
store of A. F. Cook, in North Asheville,
having told the storekeeper that Mrs.
J. F. Graves had sent her for them.
The jury gave a verdict of guilty.

MISSIONS.

The Subject of Mr. Moore's Address Last Evening.

Rev. J. R. Moore addressed the Epis-
talian Young People's Union last evening
on "Missions." He said: "The one sub-
ject the church had to deal with is mis-
sions. The gospel has already been
preached to all nations, but there are
many millions of precious souls—three
out of four—who have not heard the
name of Christ. Eighteen hundred years
have elapsed since Christ commissioned
the church to preach his name and still
only one-fourth of the people of the
world have heard it. From thousands
of voices come the call to 'come over and
help us.' Will we heed this call? The
calls are coming from every nation un-
der the heavens, as they stand with out-
stretched arms, saying, 'will you come?'
We must all go or send, until all the
world has had the gospel of Jesus Christ.
We plead that we are doing the best we
can, but we are not doing one thousandth
part what we ought. There are thou-
sands of young people ready to go to any
heathen land, if the mission boards had
the money. If the church would do her
duty, within ten years every man, wo-
man and child in the world could hear
the gospel."

In support of his argument Rev.
Moore gave a number of conclusive sta-
tistics in regard to the amounts spent
for missions, and other expenses. He
said as much is spent each year for os-
trich plumes as for missions.

THE SONG OF THE HUSTLER

Orange Observer.
Tell us not in mournful numbers that
the town is full of gloom, for the man's
a crank who slumbers in these bursting
days of boom. Life is real, life is earn-
est, and the grave is not its goal, for ev-
ery dollar that thou turnest helps to
make the old town roll. But enjoyment
and not sorrow is our destined end or
way; if you have no money earn it—
work still harder every day. Lives of
great men all remind us, we can win
immortal fame; let us leave the chumps
behind us and we'll get there all the
same. In the work's broad field of bat-
tle, in the bivouac of life, let us make
the best we can. Buy a new lot for
our wife. Let us then be up and doing,
with a heart for any fate; still achieving,
still pursuing, booming early and boom-
ing late.

KENTUCKY POPULISTS

A Full State Ticket Nominated Last Night.

The Goebel Election Law Denounced in Plat- form.

A Slap at Bryan for His En- dorsement of Goebel.

Wharton Barker Endorsed as People's Party Candidate for President.

Frankfort, Ky., July 27.—The popu-
list state convention tonight nominated
a full state ticket headed by Dr. Blair
for governor; W. R. Browder, lieuten-
ant governor. The resolutions reaffirm
all previous populist state national
platforms, denounce the Goebel elec-
tion law and say they regret to see Bry-
an, by his public endorsement of the
ticket nominated at Louisville, backing
the criminal attempt of the corrupt el-
ement of Kentucky to subvert the bal-
lot. The resolutions also endorse What-
ton Barker and Ignatius Donnelly as
candidates of the people's party for
president and vice president in 1900.

BRYAN MAKES AN ADDRESS AT GREENFIELD, IND.

Talked Against Trusts and Territorial Expansion.

Indianapolis, July 27.—William
Bryan addressed a large crowd at
Greenfield today. He devoted the
greater part of his speech to trusts and
the acquisition of foreign territory. He
declared himself opposed to both, and
compared Lincoln and Hanna, the first
as building up the republican party by
putting man above the dollar, and the
second as destroying the party by put-
ting the dollar above the man.

LOUIS TALLY-HO CLUB.

Gave a Ride in Honor of Miss Rives and Miss Mayes.

The "Louis" Tally Ho club had the
pleasure of honoring Miss Nellie Rives
of Philadelphia and Miss Nellie Mayes
of Chattanooga with one of the famed rides
Tuesday.

The merry party started at 5.30 for
Skyland. After a two hour's pleasant
ride, full of the joy and gaiety, which
bountiful wit and gorgeous nature in-
spired, the bugle called a halt at Bon-
nycrest Inn, where an elaborate luncheon
seasoned with post-prandial oratory was
much enjoyed.

An informal dance followed. The lad-
ies whom the club delighted to honor,
Mr. Montimer, and Mr. Metzger, con-
tributed much toward making the occa-
sion enjoyable.

Col. M. J. O'Brien says the New
York Commercial Advertiser, "who has
succeeded the late Henry B. Plant as
president of the Southern Express com-
pany, has had a most remarkable career.
He began life as a driver in the service
of the Adams Express company, and
thence went to the Southern in a like
position. Thirty years ago Mr. Plant
took a fancy to him and made him his
private secretary, and since then his
progress has been rapid and continual.
Col. O'Brien served in the confederate
navy during the war, but his title is
doubtless a brevet bestowed on him by
appreciative fellow citizens.

To secure a good seat in the grand
stand and avoid the rush start early for
the bicycle races at Baltimore this even-
ing. Races begin promptly at 5 o'clock.

Sash and Neck

..Buckles..

We are showing a new
line of Sterling Silver
Sash and Neck Buckles

—IN—
French Gray, Rose

and the newest finish
in imitation of

Old Brass

Arthur M. Field,

Cor. Church St and Patton Ave.