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Reductions in  
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The Dress Goods Department  
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- Some which are 50, 60 and 65,  
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Amazing Sacrifice Sale  
of Jackets.

In this line we offer the great-  
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ly made, but reliable goods,  
made by the best makers in the  
country, and our prices are in  
most instances, less than buyers  
of cheap goods offer.

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I said one pair of Racine Hose  
would outwear four pairs of ordinary  
hose. This assertion I can prove by  
one thousand people living in Ashe-  
ville. The dye is guaranteed non-po-  
isonous, and although cotton has ad-  
vanced fifty per cent, the price of the  
price of the Racine Hosiery has not  
advanced one penny. I have fifty-  
seven different styles of samples, in  
all sizes, in Wool or Cotton, for Ladies,  
Gents and Children, Plain, Ribbed or  
Pleeced. Will be pleased to call at  
your home and show these goods and  
price the same.

**E. L. BROWN,**  
POSTAL CARD ADDRESS, 57 HILL-  
SIDE STREET.

## THE WAY OPEN TO BAYOMBONG

Panaque Occupied and the  
Railroad Found in Good  
Condition.

MacArthur Will Now Move  
North By Rail.

American Soldiers Welcomed  
By the Natives.

Weather Conditions Extremely Dis-  
agreeable in the North.

THE TROOPS FIND MUCH DIFFI-  
CULTY IN ADVANCING BECAUSE  
OF THE RAINS—SPECULATION  
REGARDING AGUINALDO.

Manila, Nov. 18.—Captain Slavans  
with MacArthur's scouts reached Pana-  
aque this morning. He found four lo-  
comotives partly wrecked and thirteen  
cars in good condition. The railroad  
was in good shape. MacArthur's troops  
occupied Panaque shortly afterwards.  
The general telegraphed that he is pre-  
paring to take five hundred men on  
trains on the railroad and will go as far  
as the track will enable him. He  
knows he can reach Bayombong and  
possibly Dagupan, and will only stop  
when compelled to.

MacArthur reports that the soldiers  
were received with marked cordiality  
by the inhabitants who were glad to  
see them.

MacArthur is now west of the Ango  
river near San Manuel, but high water  
in the river prevented him connecting  
with Wheaton.

SOME FIGHTING.

Major Balance's battalion occupied  
Rosales after a skirmish at Matablan  
bridge. The people welcomed the  
Americans and said they were tired of  
the insurgents.

Young reports from Santa Ana that  
Captain Wessel had a skirmish with  
rebels on the 16th near Manang. The  
rebels scattered leaving four dead.  
Fifteen insurgents were captured.  
The Americans suffered no loss.

Major Swigert, with two troops of  
cavalry, took the road to Pozorubio,  
twenty-five miles northeast of Lingayen  
on the 17th, and met with heavy re-  
sistance. He thinks Aguinaldo is at  
Pozorubio.

The weather has been clear and  
pleasant in Manila the past few days,  
but in the north country, where the  
troops are fighting, the conditions are  
extremely disagreeable, and officers  
find it difficult to push forward.

MacARTHUR STARTS NORTH

HE EXPECTS TO REACH BAYOM-  
BONG TONIGHT.

Manila, Sunday, Nov. 19.—General  
MacArthur with three battalions left  
Panaque on an improvised train last  
night and went to Moncada, eighteen  
miles from Tamlac, where they found  
the railroad track covered with the  
wreckage of four locomotives and fifty-  
four cars. They are clearing the track  
as rapidly as possible.

MacArthur has information that the  
railroad track is all right beyond Bay-  
ombong, except for a few wrecks. He  
thinks the majority of the rolling stock  
has been destroyed. He expects to  
reach Bayombong tonight.

So far he has encountered no armed  
resistance. The inhabitants seem to  
have been thoroughly terrified by the  
insurgents and were even afraid to cut  
rice.

There were two reconnaissances  
south of Imus yesterday in which six  
American soldiers were wounded in an  
encounter with the insurgents.

TO RECOVER BODIES  
FROM THE MAINE.

General Lee Suggests That All Bodies  
Be Brought to Arlington.

Washington, Nov. 18.—General Fitz-  
hugh Lee had an interview with Act-  
ing Secretary of the Navy Allen today  
about the removal to the United States  
of the bodies of the men who lost their  
lives in the destruction of the battle-  
ship Maine. The plot in which they  
were interested in the cemetery at Ha-  
vana has not been kept in good order  
and the navy department has decided  
it is advisable to disinter them and  
give them a last resting place in Ar-  
lington cemetery, Washington. Lee  
suggested that an effort be made to re-  
cover from the wreck of the Maine the  
bodies of the men known to be in the  
vessel. Only about half of the bodies  
were recovered and buried ashore.

"In winter's cold and summer's parch-  
ing heat," use Camphorine, for chapped  
hands and face, tan, sun burn, etc. 25c  
all druggists.

## ARRANGEMENTS FOR PARTITION OF SAMOA.

The Work Transferred to Washington  
—Chambers Resigns.

Washington, Nov. 18.—Negotiations  
for the perfection of the treaty arrange-  
ments providing for the geographical  
partition of Samoa have been transfer-  
red from London to Washington. Con-  
versational exchanges on the subject  
took place at the state department to-  
day between British Ambassador  
Paucafeote, German Ambassador Hol-  
leben and Secretary Hay.

The most interesting development of  
this transference is that the negotia-  
tions have not been completed, despite  
statements to that effect given out of-  
ficially in Berlin and confirmed in Lon-  
don.

It appears that while Ambassador  
Choate was a party to the negotia-  
tions in London they included actual-  
ly and formally only the surrender  
of England's interests in Samoa to  
Germany. The transfer by England  
and Germany to the United States of  
the island of Tutuila was not formerly  
arranged in treaty form, and the nego-  
tiations now going on here are being  
conducted with a view to that end.  
There is no dispute about the transfer  
of Tutuila and some of the smaller is-  
lands in the group and no difficulty is  
expected in perfecting the treaty.

JUSTICE CHAMBERS RESIGNS.

Washington, Nov. 18.—Chief Justice  
Chambers, of Samoa, has tendered his  
resignation and it has been accepted.  
His resignation has also been accepted  
by Germany and England. It has been  
sent to the other powers concerned and  
will doubtless be accepted. The resigna-  
tion is understood to be due to the  
belief on his part that no good could  
come of his return to Samoa in an of-  
ficial capacity and not to the fact that  
the tripartite powers have agreed on  
the partition of the island among them-  
selves.

DR. DEXTER ARRIVES  
AT HIS NYACK HOME

In Very Nervous Condition After His  
Strange Experiences.

Nyack, Nov. 18.—Dr. Dexter, the  
missing Nyack man, returned to his  
home this evening. His wife and  
daughter were not at home, having  
gone to North Wales, Penn., to meet  
him. He is in a very nervous condi-  
tion and his mind does not appear to  
be settled. He said he left Nyack on  
the morning of November 2 to see some  
men on business in New York city.  
He wrote his wife telling her he would  
go to Springfield. He said he intended  
going there, but when he arrived in  
New York he wandered about aimlessly  
for a time and then took the train to  
Washington. From there he went to  
Asheville, N. C., where he met a  
friend.

SCHLEY'S FLAG FLOATS  
OVER CRUISER CHICAGO

Admiral Assumes Command of South  
Atlantic Squadron.

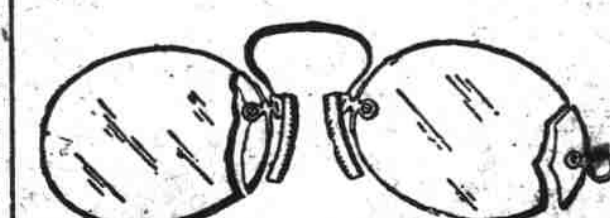
New York, Nov. 18.—Admiral Schley  
raised his flag on the cruiser Chicago  
off Tompkinsville, Staten Island, today,  
and assumed command of the South  
Atlantic squadron. When Schley went  
aboard the ship the officers lined up on  
the starboard side, and a guard of mar-  
ines presented arms. The admiral ac-  
knowledged the salute and before the  
ship's company read his orders from  
the navy department.

A BAD DAY FOR GOEBEL.

Louisville, Nov. 18.—Judge Jones to-  
day rendered a decision in the Nelson  
county case directing that the precinct  
election officers of the county make a  
true certificate of the votes for Wil-  
liam S. Taylor heretofore certified by  
them for William P. Taylor. Demo-  
cratic newspaper figures today for the  
first time show pluralities for Taylor  
on official returns from 118 counties.

Mrs. F. R. Darby says: "Camphor-  
line is not only good for chapped hands  
but for burns and inflamed surfaces also.  
My husband would have been badly  
burned the other day had I not used  
Camphor line quickly and freely."

Good night! Use Camphorline; hav-  
e soft white hands in the morning. 25c  
All druggists.



"OUT OF SIGHT"

A broken eye glass lens, figuratively  
speaking, puts many a person out of  
sight. "Out of sight, out of mind," as  
the old adage goes. One might as well  
be out of mind as out of sight, with-  
out good eyes or good glasses. We  
remedy all eye breaks, or should you  
prefer a new pair, we will fit your eyes  
accurately with the finest lens at right  
prices. Examination free.

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Scientific Refracting Opticians,  
45 Patton Ave.—Blair's Furn. Store.

## BOERS REPULSE AT COLENZO

Eight Hundred of the Trans-  
vaal's Soldiers Said to Have  
Been Killed.

The Enemy Closing in on the  
South of Lady Smith.

Bombardment of Kimberley  
in Progress On the 11th.

Large Numbers of Boers Moving About  
Estcourt.

A BRITISH NAVAL GUN SENDS A  
SHOT AMONG THEM—PREPAR-  
ING TO MOVE NEWLY ARRIVED  
TROOPS NORTHWARD.

London, Nov. 18.—The situation in  
South Africa, so far as is known, has  
not improved from the British point of  
view during the week, except in the ar-  
rival of troops. The Boers have coun-  
terbalanced this by closing in on the  
line of communication south of Lady  
Smith and it is evident the bloodiest  
work of the war will soon take place  
in these Natal passes.

The cable situation, so far as the  
Natal campaign is concerned is much  
improved. One despatch from a Laffan  
correspondent today reached London  
within twenty-four hours. The censor-  
ship at Cape Town is worse than ever.  
Despatches continue to be received in  
London after many days' delay, and  
the government does not promise to re-  
lent.

ENGAGEMENT NEAR COLENZO.

London, Nov. 18.—A despatch from  
Pietmaritzburg, dated November 18,  
to the Exchange News company, says  
that a runner brought the following  
from Lady Smith: "On November 14  
the enemy attacked the British near  
Colenzo. They were repulsed. The  
Boer loss is 300."

BOMBARDING KIMBERLY.

Kimberly, Nov. 11 (Delayed).—The  
town has been bombarded all day. A  
native woman was killed. Otherwise  
little damage was done. Two patrols  
engaged the enemy, six of whom were  
seen to fall. Two Englishmen were  
wounded.

FIRING ON A RAILWAY.

Estcourt, Nov. 18.—Early this morn-  
ing a large number of Boers were  
noticed coming from all directions in  
the north and making for the Ulundi  
road. They were seen from Gourton and  
Coneso and an alarm was sounded. The  
naval brigade stationed here from the  
British ship Tartar sent a twelve-pound  
shell at long range into their midst.  
The Boers immediately started on a  
wild retreat, which created much  
amusement in camp. The Boers have  
been firing on the railway at long range  
but no damage has been done.

Orange River Station, Nov. 15.—A  
brigade of the guards has arrived by  
rail from Cape Town. Lord Methuen  
is making preparations to push forward  
rapidly.

A TRANSPORT'S AWFUL TRIP.

350 Horses Killed on the Siam During  
a Typhoon.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 17.—Addi-  
tional particulars of the terrible trip of  
the transport Siam, from this port to  
Manila, have been received here. The  
Siam left here August 19 with 400 hor-  
ses for the army in the Philippines. All  
went well between here and Honolulu  
when a stop of 10 days gave the horses  
an opportunity to recover from the  
voyage. The vessel left Honolulu on  
September 6th, and on the 17th ran in-  
to a typhoon, losing three horses. Good  
weather followed until October 1 when  
a terrific typhoon was encountered  
near Guam Island, four days from Ma-  
nila. The storm broke at 1 o'clock in  
the morning, and at the first roll of  
the vessel the horses stampeded.

Wave after wave crashed over the  
decks of the steamer, throwing the  
animals about, breaking their legs and  
otherwise maiming them. The scene  
was frightful, and it was impossible for  
the men on the ship to do anything  
with the terrified horses.

The vessel was uncontrollable, and it  
was next to impossible for any one to  
stand on deck, as it was so slippery  
with blood and debris. Three hundred  
and fifty horses were killed, and their  
bodies remained on deck for four days  
before they could be disposed of.  
Thousands of sharks followed the ves-  
sel, being attracted by the stench and  
the possibilities of a feast. The trans-  
port was blown one thousand miles out  
of her course, and was off the Formo-  
sa coast when the storm blew itself  
out.

TARRED, FEATHERED AND WHIPPED.

West Liberty, Ohio, Nov. 18.—Nell  
Jackson, a white widow, and two male  
negroes were taken from jail last night  
by a mob and severely whipped, tarred  
and feathered and driven out of town.  
The mobbing grew out of the arrest of  
the trio on a charge of arson in firing  
a barn. One of the negroes is reported  
to have died of his injuries this even-  
ing.

## DEATH OF GEN. A. D. COWLES AT STATESVILLE.

Fatal Termination of the Illness of the  
Late Adjutant-General.

Special to the Gazette.  
Statesville, N. C., Nov. 18.—Andrew  
D. Cowles died about 2 o'clock this  
morning. General Cowles was one of  
the most widely known young men in  
the state. He had been prominent in  
business and political circles. At the  
beginning of Governor Russell's ad-  
ministration he was appointed adjutant  
general of the state guard, which po-  
sition he held until appointed Lieuten-  
ant colonel in the Second regiment  
North Carolina volunteer infantry,  
which position he held until that regi-  
ment was mustered out of service. He  
was then appointed a captain in the  
First regiment. After this regiment  
was mustered out of service he return-  
ed to Statesville, engaging in the prac-  
tice of law and in the insurance busi-  
ness. His death had been expected  
for some days. He was about forty-  
eight years old. The remains were in-  
terred this afternoon.

CARNEGIE IS STILL OWNER.

Sale of Steel Plant Fell Through—Pre-  
dicts Great Year in Iron.

Pittsburg, Nov. 18.—In an interview  
today Andrew Carnegie said that when  
he gave an option to his partners to  
buy his interests in the steel company  
some time ago he thought matters were  
settled, but circumstances arose which  
prevented it. Probably the sole  
thought was that the price was too  
high. He said he declined to give an  
extension of the option and declared  
that the next party that wants an op-  
tion will have to take it at greatly ad-  
vanced figures. He predicted that next  
year would be the banner year in iron  
profits for manufacturers in iron.

WAGES IN FALL RIVER

Fall River, Mass., Nov. 18.—The cot-  
ton manufacturers of the city are per-  
turbed over the attitude displayed over  
the Textile council yesterday, when it  
voted to make a second demand for a  
raise in wages, the request to be back-  
ed up by a threat of a general strike.  
They expected that the council would  
make the demand and knew that the  
increase asked would be ten per cent.,  
but they did not look for the threat of  
a strike. There is little reason to fear  
that the manufacturers will allow mat-  
ters to drift so far that a stoppage of  
the mills will be the result. While  
there would not be much profit in run-  
ning under a wage schedule higher  
than the present rate, it is generally  
agreed that there would be much less  
for some time to come if a strike of  
large proportions was brought about.  
They look upon the threat of the op-  
erators as an attempt to force a com-  
promise just when business is boom-  
ing. They must realize that if present  
conditions continue it is only a ques-  
tion of a few months when business  
would warrant an increase beyond any  
doubt.

DEATH OF MISS WEAVER

The death of Miss Annie E. Weaver  
occurred Friday night at Frank-  
lin. Miss Weaver has for the past  
year been at the home of her sister,  
Mrs. John Grey, at Franklin, and had  
been ill for some time.  
Miss Weaver was a sister of John H.  
Weaver and Frank M. Weaver, of  
Asheville and was a native of Bun-  
combe county.  
The news of Miss Weaver's death  
was not received here until late yester-  
day, too late for her brothers to go  
to Franklin to attend the funeral.

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plete stock of household furnishings a  
popular prices. Mrs. L. A. Johnson, 4  
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tional lot of gold and silver ar-  
ticles in more expensive goods  
than we have carried before in  
several years. We hope his change  
will meet with the approval of  
the public and desire the pleas-  
ure of showing you our holiday  
stock which will be ready about  
the first of December.

In the meantime we wish to  
again call your attention to the  
silver novelties we are closing  
out at a sacrifice.

Arthur M. Field Co.,

Corner Church Street and Patton  
Avenue,  
Asheville, N. C.

## GREAT GAMES OF FOOTBALL

Thirty-five Thousand Wit-  
nessed Wonderful Contest  
Between Yale and Harvard

Yale Won the Honors  
Though Neither Scored.

Superb Generalship and Con-  
summation Skill.

Georgetown and University of Virgin-  
ia's Scoreless Game.

FAILURE TO DECIDE THE CHAM-  
PIONSHIP OF THE SOUTH—SOME  
GREAT KICKING AND FINE ALL-  
ROUND PLAY.

Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 18.—Yale  
virtually triumphed over Harvard to-  
day, although neither scored. Yale  
proved a surprise. Thirty-five thousand  
persons witnessed the game. Superb  
generalship, consummate craftiness,  
wonderful strength, lightning activity  
combined to send Yale off the field  
with laurels well earned, although a  
decisive victory was not achieved.

Harvard failed to carry the day be-  
cause of blunders of headwork and nu-  
merous bungles. Captain McBride, of  
Yale, was the hero of the day. It was  
his headwork and superb punting that  
kept the ball out of the hands of Har-  
vard during the second half. Yale's  
rush line put up phenomenal runs.

Harvard began the game under a  
slight handicap. Boal, one of her best  
players, being unable to play, having  
wrenched his arm a few days ago.  
Harvard's half backs made numerous  
startling runs. Their interference,  
however, sufficed to clear the field.

SOUTHERN TEAMS PLAY.

Washington, Nov. 18.—Georgetown  
and the University of Virginia football  
teams met here today on the Georget-  
own field to decide the championship  
of the south before a crowd of 7,000  
people. Neither side scored, so the in-  
tercollegiate championship is still un-  
decided.

The features of the game were the  
great kicking of Coleman, the Virginia  
full back, and the all-round playing of  
Gerstle, Mallory, Summers and Gill,  
of the same team, and Green, Cummings  
and Grace, of the Georgetowns.

NEW SWEEPER ORDERED.

Old One Will be Repaired to Use Until  
it Arrives.

The special committee of the board  
of aldermen, appointed Friday evening,  
ordered a new street sweeper yesterday  
from Mr. Scott, the agent of the Good  
Roads Machinery company, who was  
recently in the city. This committee  
was composed of Alderman West,  
chairman of the street committee;  
Street Superintendent Bostic and Sani-  
tary Inspector Bird, who looked care-  
fully into the matter and decided on a  
\$340 machine to be used a week on  
trial. It is a durable sweeper, pulls  
light and has an equalizing bar to ad-  
just the broom to any inequality in the  
street, in addition to its other im-  
provements. It will be fitted with  
hickory brushes, which the company  
recommends more highly than any other  
kind, and a patent filler was also or-  
dered to put in the new brushes. With  
this the city can put in new brushes  
without expense, whereas before it was  
quite expensive.

The Good Roads Machinery company  
has sold a great deal of machinery all  
over this state and some to Buncombe  
county. Mr. Scott sold some machin-  
ery to Haywood county and while on  
this trip visited Asheville.

It is not known when the new sweep-  
er will be here, but the old one will be  
fitted up to use until it arrives.