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PRESIDENT AT NEW ORLEANS

A Banquet in His Honor Last
Night Accompanied by a
Great Ovation.

Sixty Thousand People lined
the Streets Along the Route
of the Parade.

VICKSBURG RECEIVED
HIM ENTHUSIASTICALLY

HIS SPEECH AT MEMPHIS RE-
GARDED AS AN IMPORTANT UT-
TERANCE THAT WILL RIVET
THE ATTENTION OF THE COUN-
TRY.

New Orleans, May 1.—The third day
of President McKinley's tour ended
here tonight with a banquet at the St.
Charles in his honor. After brief stops
at Vicksburg and Jackson, Miss., the
train bearing the presidential party
rolled into the station here this after-
noon. The streets in the immediate
vicinity were packed with people. The
governor, the state congressional dele-
gation, the mayor and a large commit-
tee of citizens greeted the president as
he alighted. The party was driven
through the city to the St. Charles
hotel. The mayor delivered a brief and
cordial welcome at the railroad station
but there were no formal exercises un-
til the banquet at the St. Charles.

All the military organizations of the
city participated in the parade which
escorted Mr. McKinley to the hotel.
At least 60,000 people filled the streets
along the line of march. There was no
demonstrative of welcome, but the
great outpouring of the people attested
their hospitality.

The banquet tonight was most elab-
orate and the president and members
of the cabinet were tendered an ova-
tion. When the president arose to
speak he was greeted with tremendous
applause. His remarks were on a line
with his utterances at Memphis and
other points at which he delivered ad-
dresses. He was enthusiastically ap-
plauded throughout.

Vicksburg, Miss., May 1.—Through
the low, rich valley of the Yazoo the
presidential special sped southward
to New Orleans today. Although the
president and his party did not reach
the train after the big demonstration
at the Memphis banquet last night un-
til after 1 o'clock, the president was up
early this morning.

Several times he appeared on the rear
platform and acknowledged the cheers
of the crowds at the small stations
with a wave of his hand.

Among the members of the cabinet,
the president's speech last night, with
its pointed allusion to the principle of
subsidies as a means of enlarging the
transportation facilities for the ex-
panding trade of greater America, with
the shining picture he drew of the
commercial possibilities in the Orient
under the "open door" policy in China
to which his administration has se-
cured the adherence of the other pow-
ers, is regarded as an exceedingly im-
portant utterance and one which will
instantly rivet the attention of the
country. His reference to the action
of the Tennessee legislature which half
a century ago claimed that the cotton
trade of the Orient belonged legiti-
mately to the south, is considered par-
ticularly forcible.

Vicksburg, with its smarming mem-
ories of the civil war, was reached at
8:30 o'clock.

In reply to the welcome extended by
the mayor and citizens the president
spoke as follows:

"It gives me very great pleasure to
receive the official greeting of the
mayor and the warm heart touch of
the people as they give us greeting to
this historic city. The highest expres-
sion of satisfaction at this most cordial
reception is in the single word that
you make me feel at home (great
applause). Nowhere in my native
state of Ohio could I receive warmer
or more sincere welcome than I have
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(cheers) and in the moment that I have
to leave with you I can only make my
acknowledgments and congratulate
you, one and all, that you share in that
universal prosperity and contentment
so characteristic at this time of every
part of our common country (great
applause).

"We know that whatever others may
say or think this to us and for us is
the best country in the world (ap-
plause). It is the land we love: it is
the land of possibilities and of op-
portunities to every child that dwells
beneath the folds of our flag (ap-
plause). I have been glad not only to
be greeted by the veterans of the
Grand Army of the Republic, but by
the Confederate Veterans, by the peo-
ple at large, but no welcome could be
so sweet to me as that of the fresh
young school children of the city of
Vicksburg (great applause). To one
and all I return my sincere and heart-
felt thanks and leave you the wish
for your happiness and your prosper-
ity." (Great applause.)

This was the first time a president
had visited Vicksburg since the days
of Zachary Taylor and the inhabi-
tants made it one of the greatest
events in their life's history. The party
disembarked just outside of the city
at the National cemetery, which is
located on the site of the place where
Pemberton surrendered to Grant, at
the end of the memorable forty days'
siege. It is a beautiful, well kept park
of 80 acres, on the side of a bluff under
the ruins of old Fort Nogales. Six-
teen thousand union dead are buried
here. The party drove through the
cemetery and from the Grant-Pem-
berton monument obtained a fine view
of the Mississippi and here was pointed
out to the president the projected Yazoo
canal, by which the people of
Vicksburg expect to divert the flow
of the Yazoo into the Mississippi at
this point and restore the harbor lost
in 1878, when the river changed its
course and almost stranded the city.
From here the party moved into the
crowded flag-festooned city. President
and Mrs. McKinley were in an open
barouche, which was swathed even
to the wheels in the national colors.
The procession passed under a pic-
turesque arch of cotton bales sur-
mounted by Spanish daggers, on which
was the word "Expansion."

At the court house square, which
was also elaborately decorated, the
president was introduced by Mayor
Trowbridge, and addressed July 10,
1898 people. His remarks created much
enthusiasm.

Jackson, Miss., May 1.—The presi-
dential train arrived here at 11 o'clock
sharp, fifteen minutes ahead of time.
Acres of people, democrats, republicans,
white and black, had congregated
at the depot and gave the president a
royal welcome to Mississippi's capital.
Governor Longino welcomed the presi-
dent on behalf of the people of the
state. McKinley expressed delight at
the cordial reception and the fifteen
minutes' stop here was heartily en-
joyed.

WILL CONSIDER BOER PETITION

To Find Out if England is Running a
War Supply Department Here.

Washington, May 1.—The petition
Gen. Pearson, formerly of the Boer
army, requesting the president to in-
quire into the allegations in connection
with the shipment of horses and mules
from New Orleans to the British in
South Africa, has been received at the
state department. Pearson maintains
that the shipments are contrary to the
neutrality features of the treaty of
Washington for the settlement of the
Alabama claims.

While the administration endorses
the action of the New Orleans court in
declining to enjoin the shipments,
it has recognized that the establish-
ment of a war supply depot by Eng-
land at New Orleans might be con-
trary to the treaty of Washington and
the petition will, therefore, be given
the most careful consideration.

FRENCH CONSUL HONORED BY CHINESE SOLDIERS

Paris May 1.—The foreign office has
received a despatch from Meng Tse an-
nouncing the arrival there of M. Fran-
cois, French consul on his return to
his post. Francois says according to
the demands of the French government
he was met by Chinese troops ten kilo-
meters from Meng Tse, who rendered
him honors and high mandarin pro-
fessed official apologies and regrets.

A French government party under
Francois, consul at Yung Nan Fu, was
attacked June 10 on leaving Yung Nan
Fu and forced to return to town. All
baggage was rifled and the railroads and
railroad building burned.

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CANNOT TRUST THE CHINESE

Generals Insist on Continuation
of Strong Military Force in Chin.

Walderssee Submits His Views
in Opposition to Plan of
Evacuation.

12,000 SOLDIERS TO
REMAIN IN EMPIRE

QUESTION OF REMOVING TROOPS
A DIFFICULT ONE OWING TO
APPROACH OF THE HOT SEA-
SON.

Pekin, May 1.—Field Marshal Von
Walderssee, in the letter which he sent
to the ministers today, as the reply of
the generals to the views of the min-
isters regarding the military questions
discussed by the generals in conference
says a garrison of 6,000 men should be
left at Tien Tsin and the adjoining
district, Great Britain, France, Ger-
many and Japan to contribute 1,400 men
each and Italy to contribute 400 men.
To garrison Shan Hai Kwan, France,
Russia, Great Britain and Germany
are to contribute 300 men each and
Italy one company until the forts are
razed. So long as any forces occupy
Chinese territory the foreign military
commanders must exercise the full au-
thority of a civil administration accord-
ing to the principle established at The
Hague, in 1899. The Chinese may re-
main in office as in the case of Pao
Ting Fu, and party Tien Tsin.

Besides the 6,000 men in the Tien
Tsin district warships, which must be
in the Pe Ho, will preserve communi-
cation with the international fleet at
Taku.

To allow this administration to de-
pend in any respect on the mandarines
would be an utter impossibility. Fric-
tions would arise immediately which
would lead to difficult conflicts which
will be better avoided. The placing
of the civil administration under the
military has a further great advan-
tage. It would be inconvenient to the
Chinese government which would
therefore endeavor to get rid of it
speedily by the settlement of peace
conditions.

When the troops at Tien Tsin are re-
duced to two thousand by the granting
of possibly a quarter of the conces-
sions, the question of absolute Chinese
administration may be considered.

The creation of a chief command is
desirable for purely military reasons,
as in cases of disorder or troubles of
any kind military measures must take
place where these troubles occur and
the authority of the commander-in-
chief must also extend to the legation
guard at Peking.

Count Von Walderssee thinks the min-
ister's statement that there had never
been a military organization in Peking,
as troops with banners could not be
considered as such, to be incorrect as
his investigation showed that a strong
garrison of troops was at Peking, with
the latest modern arms.

Concerning the question of evacua-
tion, opinions were divided. The British,
Japanese and German commanders
were of the opinion that the evacuation
would not commence until China had
accepted the prescribed conditions and
paid the total indemnities. The French
commander would commence by with-
drawing 9,000 in a fortnight and com-
pleting the withdrawal of the troops in
six weeks, leaving only colonial troops
here, on account of the climatic condi-
tions. The Italian and Austrian com-
manders had no instructions and Gen.
Chaffee, the American commander,
abstained from expressing an opinion.
Gen. Wogack, the Russian commander,
was not present at the recent meetings
of the generals and Russia was not
represented.

The question of evacuation is most
difficult, on account of the approach-
ing hot season, which is very injurious
to the health of troops and which, also,

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will increase the costs of the war in-
demnity immensely, result in the loss
of hundreds of soldiers, and probably
mean the retention of the troops for
the winter. The generals were unani-
mously of the opinion that the ques-
tion would be more speedily solved if
the ministers would treat separately
regarding the amount of indemnity and
the method of raising it. The second
part of this question must take many
months before solution can be found,
on account of the difficulty of the mat-
ter. If the question of indemnity is
considered first and China expresses
her willingness and ability to pay, the
moment will have arrived to commence
the evacuation, the execution of which
will require several months, so the re-
duction will be very gradual. The gen-
erals are convinced that two thousand
men at Peking, 1,500 at Shan Tai Wwan
and 3,000 men on the railroad and alto-
gether, 12,500 men, with the fleets at
Taku and Shanghai will be a fully suf-
ficient force to compel China to accept
the demand for and manner of pay-
ment of the indemnity. Count Von
Walderssee and party of officers left Pe-
kin this morning to visit the Great
Wall and the Ming tombs.

CONGER WILL ACCEPT

If Offered the Nomination for Iowa
Governorship.

Omaha, May 1.—Minister Conger and
party arrived here this morning, es-
corted home, and were met by a group
of relatives from Des Moines and a
reception committee.

Questioned with regard to the Iowa
government, Mr. Conger said:
"If the nomination for governor is of-
fered me I shall probably accept it.
After consultation with my friends in
Des Moines, I may be willing to strength-
en the statement I have already made
or may change it altogether. Until I
have opportunity, however, to advise
with my friends, I can say nothing fur-
ther."

Crossing the river to Council Bluffs
government, Mr. Conger was met with a pa-
rade of veteran soldiers and this after-
noon he will be given a banquet.

DEWEY AND OFFICERS CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Washington, May 1.—Admiral Dewey,
23 officers and three civilians who were
with him in the battle of Manila cele-
brated the third anniversary of that
engagement with a dinner tonight at
the Raleigh hotel. There was nothing
formal about the affair. Among those
present were Wildes, of Boston, and
Capt. Lambertson, Dewey's chief staff.
The stars and stripes floated over
Dewey's residence today. The admiral's
Chinese servant who was with him
in the battle of Manila had put it there
without instructions and the admiral
let it stay.

LARGEST FLOATING DRY DOCK

Washington, May 1.—The big float-
ing dock to be located at Algiers, near
New Orleans, is practically completed
and Admiral Endicott, who designed the
structure, went to Baltimore today to
inspect it.

It is the largest floating dry dock in
the world, and now that it is complete
quite a problem arises as to how it is
to be floated down the Atlantic coast
and into the gulf of Mexico up to Al-
giers. As it is more than half sub-
merged the towing of such a vast and
unwieldy bulk is a formidable under-
taking. The start will be made some
time in September, a number of power-
ful tugs being utilized.

The dock is 525 feet long, 100 feet
across the entrance, with a depth of
28 feet over the sill. Its lifting capacity
is 15,000 tons.

YESTERDAY'S LEAGUE GAMES.

The following scores were made yester-
day by the National league teams:

	R	H	E
At Philadelphia—Phila.	6	9	1
New York	1	9	2
Batteries—Donohue and McFarland; Batteries—Donohue and McFarland;	R <td>H <td>E </td></td>	H <td>E </td>	E
At Pittsburg—Pittsburg	3	7	4
Chicago	8	10	2
Batteries—Waddell and Donohue; Taylor and Chance.	R <td>H <td>E </td></td>	H <td>E </td>	E
At St. Louis—St. Louis	3	5	3
Cincinnati	7	8	1
Batteries—Jones and Nichols; Hahn and Piets.	R <td>H <td>E </td></td>	H <td>E </td>	E
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SOME RIOTING ON MAY DAY

Less Serious Than Was An-
ticipated in European
Towns.

Mob Raids a Spanish Convent
and Pillages the Chapel of
the Monks.

GENDARMES CHARGE
RIOTERS AT GRENOBLE

A SLIGHT DISTURBANCE AT LY-
ONS—A GREAT EIGHT-HOUR
DEMONSTRATION AT COPEN-
HAGEN.

Harve, May 1.—A thousand persons
participated in the revolutionary meet-
ing here today. Subsequently they at-
tacked the house of the mayor and
other dwellings, smashing the win-
dows. Troops were called out to help
the police quell the disturbance. Many
rioters were wounded and a large num-
ber arrested.

London, May 1.—Despatches from
various European capitals show that
the May day celebration passed with-
out any serious disturbances, although
some rioting is reported from several
places. A despatch from Paris says
there was some rioting at Grenoble but
the rioters were soon quelled by a
charge of the gendarmes. Some rioters
(Continued on the fifth page.)

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