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Miles maines Stun	DEUNION CLOSED	premacy of the more educated	the selection of a city for the reunion in 1900, Louisville, Ky., and Norfolk,	FRESH TROOPS	EX-GOV. ROSWELL P. FLOWER	
The Morning Star.	KEUNIUN CLUSED	stitutional and legal basis, thus	Va seemed to be the only active can-		Died After a Brief Illagss of Heart Fall-	
WILMINGTON, N. C.	THE EDGELONE	banishing the spectre of mis-	didates. It was soon evident that the Kentucky city was in the lead and the	TO THE FRONT.	ure Yesterday at Eastport, Long	
the second s	IIS SESSIUNS.	gaining progress." Continuing the	selection was made unanimous.	IV THE INUMI.	Island.	
SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 13.		report says: "The reception given our benevolent intentions in the Phil	A resolution of thanks to the city of Charleston was passed and at 2:15 the	and the second	Nut a far frank the strend and the	THE TRADET
	Louisville Selected As the Next	inpines is certainly, of a character likely	convention adjourned sine die.	Some of the Volunteers Played		
ADMIRAL DEWEY		to inspire a wholesome respect for the	Sons of Veterans.	Out and Are Petitioning	NEW YORK, May 12Former Gov-	
IS COMING HOME.	Place of Meeting of Confed-	matter of governing people of another blood who have started late in the	The United Sons of Confederate	for Relief.	ernor Roswell P. Flower died to night	
	erate Veterans.	race of civilization. We are not likely in the future to hear so much about	Veterans to day elected officers and adjourned the reunion of 1899.	the same work in the same state of the same state	at 10.30, at Eastport, Long Island. Mr. Flower was taken ill early in the day	
To Sail Direct for New York-Expected		the rights of men, who have not yet	Walter T. Colquitt. of Atlanta, Ga.	FROM DUTY AT THE FRONT.	with a severe attack of acute indiges.	The Hard Detect of
to Arrive in Time for a Demon-	OLD OFFICERS RE-ELECTED.	learned to govern themselves, to gov-	son of ex-Governor Colquitt, was chosen commander-in-chief; M. L.	TROM DOTT IN THE TROUT	tion. In the afternoon symptoms of heart failure supervened and he grew steadily worse until the time of his	Everyone Who Has Used Paine's Celery
stration July Fourth.		ern others by their votes. The doc- trine of the declaration of independ-	Bonham, of South Carolina, com-	The Situation in the Philippines-Soldiers	heart failure supervened and he grew	
	Resolution Adopted Concerning Federal	ence that governments derive their just powers from the consent of the	mander of the Division of Northern Virginia; W. B. Bankhead, of Ala-	Exhausted by the Campaign Against	I death.	Composing Prateog It
By Telegraph to the Morning Star.	Care of Confederate Graves-Report	governed had something of a shock	bama, commander of the Division of	Aguinaldo's Forces-Many Are	Mr. Flower had been a sufferer from	Combanna rianon it'
WASHINGTON, May 12.—"Send Olym- pia's mail to B. F. Stevens, No. 4,	on History Adopted — Meeting of Sons of Veterans.	in the war between the States, and the island subjects of the United States	Tennessee, and H. B. Kirk, of Texas, commander of the Trans-Mississippi	in Hospitals.	gastritis for a long time, with every now and then an acute attack. For a	
Trafalga Square, London, England,"	OI SOBS OF VEICLAUS.	will find little comfort in reading the	Division. The election was a spirited		month or two past he had been a regu- lar' visitor at the Eastport County	
was the notice given out at the Navy	By Telegraph to the Morning Star.	celebrated instrument by the light of subsequent history. The difficulties	one, and considerable feeling was man- ifested in the nominating speeches.	By Cable to the Morning Star.	Club, in the hope that he would had	AT AT A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A
Department to-day. This is the first	CHARLESTON, S. C., May 12 With	of the race problem abroad ought to bring a charitable judgment of the		MANILA, May 8, via Hong Kong	some relief in the outing. He ap-	
formal indication that the famous	a spirited and at times stormy ses-	bring a charitable judgment of the	Robert E. Lee, Jr., of Washington, D. C., who was solidly opposed by the	May 12The First regiment Nebraska	peared in the best health, and this moraing when he arrived at Eastport.	
flagship is coming home immediately.	sion, the ninth annual reunion of the	reasonably expect our morner d bieth	Virginia delegation, while his nomi-	volunteer infantry is taking the usual step of respectfully petitioning the di-	where he intended to remain until	
Upon inquiry it was ascertained that Secretary Long had last evening	Curica Courteactario Forenaus Has to	ren to meet us hereafter rather in a	nation was made by a Charleston dele- gate and supported by the solid- South	vision conmander, Major General	Monday, his health was apparently excellent. The attack from which he	
cabled Admiral Dewey permission to return to the United States at once.	day brought to a close: Gen. Jno. B. Gordon, commander-in chief, and all	spirit of inquiry than of rebuke. The committee recommends that an	Carolina contingent. Mr. Smyth, the	MacArthur, to temporarily relieve	suffered to-day came on suddenly and	Carlos and and a second s
He has been relieved of the obligation	the old officers were re-elected; Louis-	effort be made to banish from the	present commander, was nominated by Delegate Mann, of Virginia, and de-	them from duty at the front. The	was of a more severe type at the out set than any he had previously suf	A CAR I DAY THE CAR
of remaining at Manila until the Phil-	ville, Ky., was chosen as the next	schools auy books which teach false lessons, either of fact or sentiment,	veloped a strong backing, but he posi-	regiment is badly exhausted by the	fered from.	
ippine commission completes its work. He is not even required to await the	place of meeting, and the question of	and to this end suggests the appoint-	tively declined to again allow his name to go before the convention.	campaign in which it has taken an ac-	Frederick S. Flower, the deceased's nephew, took charge of the remains	
cessation of hostilities, but may start	rederal care of Confederate graves	ment of a committee of three mem bers in each State, whose duty it shall	This left the contest between Lee and	men of the organization are at present	after death, but no arrangement for	
homeward at once. The notice posted at the Navy Department indicates that	substitute resolution, which declines	be to examine school histories there in	Colquitt. The vote stood 144 to 119, and, on motion, Mr. Colquett's elec-		the funeral has yet been made. The body will probably be transferred to	
the Olympia will not remain long	the President's suggestion, except as	In discussing the report, Dr. J. L	tion was made unanimous. The op-	call.	Mauhattan to morrow morning.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
enough to receive the next outward- mail. The Mr. Stephens referred to	and reserving to the women of the	M. Curry, of Virginia, discussed the	position to Lee was based on the fact that he was not a member of the asso-	The men, in view of the facts, have prepared a respectful memorial to		
is the Navy Department's agent at	South the duty of caring for those in	right of secession and defended the course of the South as constitutional.	cistion until vesterday when he was	General MacArthur asking that their	TO MANAGE FINANCES.	
London, to distribute all of the mail for Unites States warships in European	The adoption of this resolution and	and then denounced mob rule and		regiment be withdrawn for a short time from the fighting line, in order		
waters, so he will see to it that the	the report that accompanied it pre-	lynchings in unmeasured terms. Gen. S. D. Lee's Resolution.	The session was a stormy one, and	that they may recuperate. The me	Treasurers Appointed by the War De-	
Olympa receives her's as soon as she passes the Suez canal.	the sensational, and at times much	An effort was then made to proceed	personal feeling ran high, and once when the vote of a State was an-	morial states that the men are willing to fight, but are in no condition to do	partment for the Islands of Cuba	
It is estimated at the Navy Depart-	confusion and disorder prevailed. The resolution adopted in place of the one	with the election of officers, but it	nounced as solidly for Lee. a hiss was	so, owing to the strain of long march-	and Porto Kico,	
ment that Dewey will reach the United States in time for a national demon-	offered by Gen. S. D. Lee is in full as	gave way to the Committee on Resolu- tions and the exciting feature of the	heard, followed by protests and cries of "shame, shame."	ing, continual fighting and outpost duty in which they have been engaged.	and the second	
stration on the Fourth of July next.		session began. The substitute for Gen.	Prior to the election the sons held	It is added that many of the men	By Telegraph to the Morning Star. WASHINGTON, May 12.—Orders	
The Olympia will not come under full steam, but neverthe less, she should	ferred the resolution introduced by	Lee's resolution was presented by Gen. Carwile, and when it had been	memorial exercises for Miss Winnie	have been unable to have their cloth- ing washed for months past, having	issued by the War Department to-day	
make the run to New York in about	Ceneral S. D. Lee, beg to report the	read Rev. S. T. Martin, of Virginia,	nounced by C. L. Cobb. of North Caro-	been compelled during all that time		
fifty-five days from Manila. That she is to come to New York is nearly cer-	mendations of the committee, that the	got the floor, and although the con- vention was in an uproar he secured	lina; W. F. Jones, of Georgia; H. B.	to sleep in their uniforms, to be in readiness for fighting. The memorial	Eugene F. Ladd, quartermaster, U. S.	
tain.	same be adopted.	recognition.	South Uarolina; B. H. Mills, of Ala-	adds that since February 22d, the regi-	V. (Captain Ninth U. S. cavalry) as	
Admiral Watson will sail from San Francisco next Tuesday as a passen-	ans, in their annual re-union	Mr. Martin said he regretted he could not vote for the resolution. His	bama; J. J. Stockton, of Florida;	ment has lost 225 men in killed and wounded and 59 since the battle of	treasurer of the island of Cuba and the appointment of Captain James A.	
ger on one of the regular Pacific Mail	assembled, desire to place upon record their sincere appreciation of the utter-	first objection was that it had no busi-	B. Meyers, of Mississippi.	Malolos. The officers of the regiment	Buchanan, Eleventh U.S. infantry, as	
steamships, but can not possibly reach Manila before the middle of June.	ances of the President of the United	ness before the convention. "We have," he said, "taken hold of an in-	The next reunion will be held at Louisville. A committee was ap-	propose to present a similar memorial on behalf of the men. The splendid	treasurer of Porto Rico. Captain Buchanan will act as treasurer in addi-	
In order to provide for the direction	States in Atlanta in December last, concerning the assumption of the care	cidental remark of Mr. McKinley's	pointed to consider the matter of erect-	record of the First Nebraska in the	tion to his duties as collector of cus-	
of naval affairs in Asiatic waters be- tween the date of Admiral Dewey's de-	of the graves of our Confederate dead	looking to his coming election. [Ap- plause.] There is no proposition from	ing a monument to the women of the	entire campaign, and the tone of the	toms at San Juan de Porto Rico. These offices are created by an ex-	The Alexander Al
parture and the arrival of Rear Admi-	by the National Government. "We appreciate every kindly senti-	the President of the United States or	Confederacy and report to the next convention.	such that no imputation of insubordi-	ecutive order of May 8th, which has	
ral Watson, orders have been issued placing Captain A. S. Barker in com-	ment expressed, and we shall welcome	from the Congress of the United States that they are going to do anything for	Reception at the Auditorium.	nation can be brought against them.	not been promulgated. The order creates a system for the management	
mand of the Asiatic squadron after	the care of the graves of our comrades	our Confederate States and recognize	To-night at the auditorium a recep-	Officers of the regiment said to the correspondent of the Associated Press	of the finances of the island, providing	
Admiral Dewey's departure, until he is relieved by Rear Admiral Watson.	in the Northern States by our govern	the principles for which we fought. There has been nothing said by the	tion to the veterans was held, the fea-	here to-day that they thought the men	for treasurers, auditors and other	
Captain Barker is now in command of	"In regard to our dead whose re-	United States government that looks	Colonel H. L. Turner of Chicago	had been worked beyond endurance, should be given a rest, and some of	necessary officers for keeping the ac- counts of the receipts and expendi-	
the battleship Oregon-the pride of the navy-and next to Admiral Dewey is	mains are resting in the States which	to the care of the graves of our soldiers in the Northern States. It puts us in	Colonel Turner has been a guest of the	the regular regiments which are now	tures of the islands.	Every nervous person drags down   spring remedy a hard-working person the health of the other members of the   can take."
the senior officer on the station. Cap-	were represented in the Confederacy,	the light of going before that govern-	city of Charleston during the reunion and his address was an eloquent allu-	Five volunteer regiments and the		family newsousness is contagious   Mrs. Osborn has always been distin-
tain Barker is an officer of ability and discretion and may be depended on to	final resting places is a sacred trust,	ment and asking for something from	sion to the re-united country. He was	Utah battery of artillery are at San	REV. DR. BRIGGS.	This season of the year finds women her costumes. No one knows the opin-
take good care of the interests of the		those who slew our men." [Here the	frequently applauded and the senti-	Fernando. They muster in all about		tired beyond belief.

it there remain.' **Vigorous** Opposition.

Several very vigorous speeches were

dear to the hearts of Southern women, and we believe that we can safely let

adopted.

the

name

carried

of Stonewall Jackson.'

**Election of Commanders.** 

Mr. Busbee's Remarks.

F. H. Busbee, of North Carolina,

defended the committee's report, say-

Other Resolutions.

proposition to change

those who slew our men." [Here the speaker was interrupted by cheers and applause from some of the members applause from the members applause from some of the members applause from the members applause from some of the members applause from the members applause from some of the members applause from the members applause from some of the members applause from the member applause from the members applause from and cries of "a men."] Continuing, Raleigh, was among the distinguished or other causes. The wounded were Mr. Martin said that the South had no guests who occupied seats on the stage all suffering acutely and showed the and on being introduced made a grace-ful little address. He sketched the graves to strangers. Could the voices of the dead be heard they would prebattle of Manila bay and paid a glowworked wonders. fer to lie in an unmarked grave rather ing tribute to Dewey, saying that where he led men must follow. than the most costly mausoleum, if

be Ordained by the Bishop of New

# York on the 14th of May. By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

DRY GOOD'S MARKET.

Sheetings and Drills Firm.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

This season of the year finds women | her costumes. No one knows the opinions and habits of women of ample tired beyond belief. Their nerves have suffered. They means and opportunities better than are neither good company for them. she. She says that her friends who selves nor for their friends. always insist on having the best, will Those who are wise are taking the have nothing to do with any remed most responsible of all spring reme-dies, are getting back their nervous this is not surprising when one stops vigor, their proper weight, and healthy color. Following the advice of emito consider the thousands of letters that are constantly being received by nent physicians everywhere, they are the proprietors of this great remedy, and by newspapers and medical jour "We are never without Paine's celnals, as well as from men and women in every walk of life, all telling our experience: the immediate relief and perfect cure effected by it. The best physicians openly inderse and recommend Paine's cele ry compound, authorizing the public use of their statements that Paine's celery compound, in case after case, cures rheumatism and kindred diseases, purifies the blood, regulates the stomach, liver, bowels and kidneys, yet many weeks of labor before their and rejuvenates the fagged-out or disvacations. I am convinced that Paine's | eased nervous system when every celery compound is by far the best | thing else fails.

## A FLYING MACHINE.

United States in all circumstances and

conditions.

## Test Made by the Inventor, Prof. Langley, of the Smithsonian Institution. It Was Not a Success.

### By Telegraph to the Merning Star.

WASHINGTON, May 12.-Professor S. P. Langley, secretary of the Smithsonian institution, the inventor of the Aeriodome, who was given \$25,000 by the Board of Ordnance, to experiment

with his flying machine for war pur-poses, made his first test at Quantico, Va., yesterday. Professor Langley with the amount of money placed at his disposal built a new and larger machine than that with which he experimented two years ago.

The machine was launched from the top of a house-boat anchored in a broad sweep of the Potomac about three-fourths of a mile from the island owned by the Quantico Reed and Gun Club. The result was not so successful as were Prof. Langley's former experiments with the smaller machine. The machine soared aloft to a height of 500 feet, but descended after a horizontal flight of 800 feet. His

former machine, which was propelled by a small steam engine, flew threequarters of a mile and only descended when the steam exhausted. It was understood that Prof. Langley was to overcome the limited power capacity of the former machine by the use of a condensing engine, which could repeatedly utilize the condensed steam rom the boiler.

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT

For the Week Ending Monday, May 12, 1899. By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, May 12.-The following is the comparative cotton statement for the week ending May 12: 1899. 1898. Net receipts at all U. Sports during the week..... 62,575 35,040 Total receipts to date .... 6,495,198 6,697,847 Stock in all U.S. 743,164 576,408

ports ..... Stock at all interior towns..... 392,325 250,695 Stock in Liverpool, 1,549,000 1,210,000 American afloat for Great Britain... 67,000 120,000

TORNADO AND HAIL.

Twenty-two Persons Killed and Over a Hundred Wounded. By Telegraph to the Morning Star. HOUSTON, TEXAS, May 12.-A special from Eagle Pass, Texas, says: News received to-day from the Hondo coal mines places the dead resulting from a tornado last night at twenty-two and over 'a hundred

wounded. The American killed was Lawrence McKinney. A tremendous fall of hail accom-

panied the tornado. Many were in-jured by the hail stones. The mine works were not much damaged and work will be begun again in a few

made in opposition to the whole principle involved in the matter, but the inal vote upon the resolution was practically unanimous and the anwe had to ask for it. Proceeding, he nouncement of its passage was cheered. Another incident was the mention of began a discussion of the right of selfthe Southern lynching question by Dr. J. L. M. Curry, one of the surviving members of the Confederate Congress, government and started to quote President McKinley, when he was called to order with cries of "no poliwho while denouncing mob law de-fended the South and declared her peo-ple should see to it that the record of tics." The confusion was terrific and his remarks were unintelligible at times. her future should be as unstained as

that of her past. The all-important report of the com-mittee on a school history was also presented and adopted unanimously as meeting all questions that had led to the agitation of the subject.

To night at the auditorium a grand eception to the veterans was held and an address delivered by Colonel Henry L. Turner, of Chicago, commanding the First Illinois regiment, who has been the guest of the city during the

reunion. A brilliant ball was given done to care for these graves? The United States' care of these graves at the Isle of Palms to the sponsors. was something, as people of a common country, they were entitled to. Though maids of honor and Daughters of the Confederacy. The veterans and visi-tors are rapidly departing, and the ninth reunion of the men who wore citizen of the United States and he was the gray is practically at an end. loyal to her flag.

#### **Convention** Proceedings,

The convention was opened at 10.30 o'clock with the singing of the Dox ology which was followed by prayer by the Rev. Dr. S. P. H. Ellwell, of South Carolina. General Gordon introduced General L. L. Bonham, of the South Carolina Sons of Veterans, who delivered an address. He was followed by Mr. matter that required a substitute.

Kirk, commander of the trans-Mississippi department. His remarks were of the nature of a eulogy of the Con federate soldier. General Gordon then presented Robert E. Lee, Jr., who was cheered to the echo by the assembly. General S. D. Lee presented the report of the committee on history,

which was unanimously adopted. This was one of the most important matters before the convention, and the reading of the report was listened to with close attention. The report alluded to the war with Spain as a fac-tor in obliterating the shadows of the war between the States, and refers to he prompt response of the Southern States to the call for troops as showing the whole country the depth and fervor of

Southern Patriotism.

Continuing, the report says: "President McKinley displayed the spirit of the American soldier when he chose from his former foes the gallant Wheeler, the steadfast Fitzhugh Lee, chivalrous Butler, and many others of our own brave comrades, to marshal the hosts of the Union. We are glad that General Wheeler had another opportunity to exhibit the fighting qualiportinity to exhibit the lighting quali-ties of the Confederate soldier, and that Ligutenants Hobson, Victor Blue, and Worth Bagley, in the navy, showed the country of what stuff our young men are made. Once more the blood of the North and South has been poured out together— no longer beneath contending standno longer beneath contending stand-ards in the bitterness of war between the States, but now beneath one flag,

to the glory of one country. These dead, at least, belong to us all. The last hateful memory that could divide our country is buried with them. About their graves kneels a new nation, loving all her children everywhere the same. Confederate Graves.

Alluding to the question of Con

INTER-STATE COMMERCE.

The Commission in Conference With Rail way Officials On the Rate Situation in the South.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. WASHINGTON, May 12.-A confer-

ing that the United States was now our government. They could not ence of railway officials with the Inafford to be discourteous and unapter-State Commerce Commission, bepreciative. He mentioned the grave of the Confederates at Elmira, N. Y. gan here to day, the subject this time and other points in the North. How being the rate situation in the South. About twenty-five roads were repre-sented, covering the territory south of the Ohio and east of the Mississippi, among the principal roads being the were Southern women to take care of those graves there. What had his comrade, who preceded him, Southern, the Louisville & Nashville, Atlantic Coast Line, Illinois Central, Beaboard Air Line, and the Plant sys he was an ex-Confederate he was a tem. The published rates in the South are stated here to be better maintained han in most sections, but there have General S. D. Lee spoke vigorously peen complaints of discriminations in and plainly. He thought the resolusome cases in favor of the larger cities tion had been misunderstood, and and towns, a discrimination practiced, said "it simply commended the senti-ment expressed by the President, and it is alleged, by many of the roads, as indicated by the published tariffs.

did not go one inch further. When The testimony of the officers to day was quite satisfactory to the Interthe President comes forward and says what he does, I commend the sentitate Commissioners, who announced ment." He wanted the resolution retheir conviction that the rates in the committed; there was nothing in the South were maintained better than anywhere else in the country except New England. There was, however, Several other speeches were made amid a general tumult, and calls for a complaint of secret rate practices on domestic traffic in certain quarters vote, which was finally had. There was a storm of ayes and but few nays, With this exception, there was gratiand the resolution was declared ication at the showing made. The instance of rate cutting cited, in the absence of direct proof or a specific naming of the road, is not re-Among other resolutions reported garded as an unusually disturbing and adopted was one urging the assoactor, though some cognizance ciation to assist in marking the battle ikely will be taken of it. The fields of the civil war with monuments practices of the various roads in to the Confederate dead; another apheir export traffic were threshed over. pointing a committee of three to con-The principal export business of these sider the question of uniformity of roads is in cotton and the rates cover pension legislation by the Southern ng it fluctuate from day to day. The states; and a resolution recognizing roads are not complying with the comthe Confederate Veterans' Association mission's requirement to file ten days advance notice of all tariff changes of the District of Columbia and according it all due rights and privileges. both because of the constant changes and because they claim the require-ment lacks legal justification; but they are understood to stand together on adverse report was made upon the of the organization to the Confederate Survivors' Associathe changes and file notices with the tion, the object being to use the initials C. S. A. An unfavorable commission as the changes are made. The chief executives of the more report was also made upon a resoluimportant lines were questioned each minutely about their com tion looking to a change in the nomenclature of the association, in petitors and whether or not they order to prevent the creation of too suspected any rate irregularities. many generals and other high titles Throughout the session, which lasted by various officers, A resoluuntil late this afternoon, the only imtion of thanks for the presence of the cruiser Raleigh was adopted; another looking to the selection of a suitable portant development was the complaint of non conformity with published tariffs on the part of a road. gray cloth for uniforms; thanking which, though not named, was so pointedly described as to call for a disthose citizens of Columbus, O., who have cared for the graves of Confed-erate dead there, and extending cor-dial thanks to Lieutenant Colonel claimer from its president. The latter said if the statements made were intended for his road they could be Henderson, of the British Staff Coleasily explained and his explanation lege, for his contributions to the his-tory of the Confederacy in his "Life was accepted as sufficient. He pledged himself that the published tarif should be rigidly adhered to. All the other lines represented made similar pledges, and the situation and the General Gordon, of Tennessee, moral effect of the conference was unmoved that the convention go into derstood to be eminently satisfactory, election of its commanders. He nom-inated the following for re-election: Commander-in-chief—J. B. Gordon. Commander Department of Army the export rate feature being the only discouraging factor.

effects of exposure to sun when they arrived Three days rest has already

Since the army entered Malolos the soldiers have had little water to drink, except that which was brought on railday: road trains from Manila, and that was of poor quality. The artesian wells at San Fernando are doing much toward making the men contented.

Fresh Troops to the Front.

Fresh troops are beginning to go to the front. Two battalions of the Seventeenth infantry (regulars) that had been holding the lines about the city present Mr. Snedeker. of Manila, will join Major General MacArthur's division at San Fernando to-morrow, and one battalion of the same regiment will reinforce Major there in future. General Lawton's division near Baco lor. These troops will be replaced here by the Twenty-first infantry regiment, which arrived from the United States on board the transport Hancock yes-terday. Captain Grant, of the Utah Further Advances in Bleached Cottons. battery. whose success in managing the army gunboats Laguna de Bay and Vadonga has won for him the sobriquet "the Dewey of the army," has been put in command of the recently purchased Spanish gunboats whose arms the insurgents captured. These vessels are now being prepared for operation on the rivers and along the coast. The refitting and arming of the gunboats is being pushed with all diligence.

The Filipino Congress.

LONDON, May 12.-A special dis-patch received here to-day from Manila says that the Filipino Congress now sitting at San Isidro is composed of fifty-six members, of whom twenty favor peace and an equal number are irreconcilables. The others, holding the balance of power, are ready to ad-mit that absolute independence is hopeless of attainment, but demand better terms at the hands of the United States than those offered.

SERIOUS RAILWAY WRECK.

Collision of Trains Near Reading, Pennsylvania-A Number of Persons

Killed and Many Wounded.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. READING, PA., May 12 .- Shortly before 10 o'clock to night a collision of passenger trains occurred on the Philadelphia & Reading, at Exeter station, six miles below Reading. A number of persons are reported to have been killed. At mid-night the railroad officials here had received no information as to the number of killed and injured,

or any list of the names. Shortly before mid-night a train bearing nurses and doctors was sent to the scene of the wreck. Exeter is a flag station and has no telephone communication. It is stated that the passengers on the second train were mostly from Norristown, and several

many injured. The number of dead is fully twentyfive and the injured fifty. The first train ploughed through three cars of the forward train, completely wreck-ing them. Eight dead were brought here at 1 A. M. A score are under the debris. A train load of wounded were brought to the hospitals here. The railroad officials offer no explanation of the accident. Returning passengers at 1.30 A. M. say the scenes

NEW YORK, May 12.-Bishop Potter gave out the following notice to-

The Rev. Dr. Briggs, and the Rev. Charles H. Snedeker will be ordained on the day officially appointed by the taking Paine's celery compound. Bishop of New York, May 14th, at the

ery compound in our home," says Mrs. Robert Osborn, who figures more pro-cathedral, Staunton street, N.Y. at 10:40 A. M. The Rev. George Wilprominently, perhaps, than any other woman in the social world of New liam Douglas will preach the ordina-tion sermon. The Rev. Dr. C. B. Smith will present Dr. Briggs and the Rev. Dr. George Francis Nelson will York City to day. "We believe it to be the most wonderful nerve invig-orator obtainable. I especially recommend it to society women, fatigued by the many demands of the social season Bishop Potter chose the pro-Cathedral as the place for the ordination beust closed, and to tired and nervous cause Dr. Briggs had asked to be asprofessional men and women who have signed to work there and will work



best fitting Clothing in the city. Our line of imported and Domestic Suitings are superb. They catch the eye of every one. Come in and let us show you our line. It will cost you nothing to look and little to buy. Our lines of Collars, Cuffs, Shirts, Handkerchiefs, Underwear, etc., etc., will interest. Neckwear of every description.

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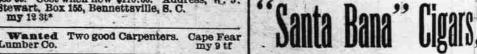
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goods quiet. Men's wear serges and clay worsted firm. Silks firm. Burlaps quiet and steady. Linens also quiet at unchanged prices. SOCIETY OF THE CINCINNATI. Applications for Revival in North Carolina and Other States. NEW YORK, May 11.-The Society of the Cincinnati continued its trien. nial sessions here to day with a business meeting. Applications were considered for the revival of the Society in three States where the charters have lapsed, name-ly, New Hampshire, Delaware and North Carolina. It was said that arrangements were made for the provisional revival of the Society in these three States. The claimants were: For New Hampshire, Rt. Rev. John Hazen White, Bishop of Indiana; for Delaware, Rt. Rev. Leighton Coleman, Bishop of Delaware; for North Caro-

lina, Maj. Charles L. Davis, United States Army. GEORGIA FARMER MURDERED.

Posse in Pursuit of the Murderer-Will be Lynched If Caught. By Telegraph to the Morning Star. ATLANTA, GA, May 12 .- Robert F. from that borough were killed and

Davis, a white farmer, living on the Stone Mountain road, about six miles from this city, was murdered in his home early this morning. The crime is believed to have been committed by Will Lucas, a negro, who was dis-charged yesterday by Mr. Davis. Lucas is missing and a posse of men with bloodhounds is on his trail. The farmers of that part of the country are greatly excited and if Lucas is caught he will be lynched.

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Kind You Have Always Bought ars the store of Content of the store	recent generous words of President McKinley, commending the Confed- erate dead to the nation's care, are the expression of a sentiment, growing everywhere, that the deeds of the Con- federate soldier are the glory of the whole country, and that his memory is worthy to be cherished wherever self sacrifice commands sympathy or brave actions strike a responsive chord in noble hearts." Coming down to the question for which it was appointed the committee says that its duty is now little more than to keep watch upon the histories of the day, and to stimulate historical research and publication and regards the prospect for fairness and candor in history as much improved by the Spanish war. The committee also al- ludes to <b>The Race Question</b> and expresses the opinion that the "race problem is not apt in the future to be so blinding to a true apprehen- tion of Southern history" and same.	Commander Department of Tennes- see—Stephen D. Lee. The rules were suspended and Gen. Gordon, of Tennessee, conducted the election, each of the nominees being unanimously elected. The Battle Abbey. At this juncture, General Clement A. Evans presented the report of the board of trustees on the "Battle Abbey." It dealt fully with the prog- ress of the work, bearing the usual re- port, in which it appears that satisfac- tory arrangements are being made for the location of the building. Only \$46,000 of the \$200,000 is still lacking to be raised during the coming year. General John C. Underwood was pre- sented as the man who had done so much in Chicago for the care of Con- federate graves and for the Battle Abbey. General Underwood present- ed to the convention six portraits of Confederate generals, mentioning his	Preparations Being Made for Celebration of Queen Victoria's Birthday. By Telegraph to the Morning Star. PORT TAMPA, FLA., May 12.—Im- portant preparations are being made here for celebrating the Queen's birth- day, May 24th. Stands are being erected, 2,000 feet apart, for prominent speakers from various States, who will address the assembly. Her Britannic Majesty's warships, Intrepid and Pearl, will arrive here on May 20th to participate in the cele- bration ceremonies. <u>WHEN NATURE</u> Needs assistance it may be best to ren- der it promptly, but one should re- member to use even the most perfect remedies only when needed. The best and most simple and gentle remedy is	Exeter, arrived here after midnight with four of the injured. The passengers could give no con- nected story of the wreck, and the number of dead and injured was not known to any of them. It was gen- erally believed that six passengers were killed. ANOTHER RAILROAD WRECK. Collision On the New York Central This Morning—Seven Conches Filled With Passengers Burning. By Telegraph to the Morning Star. UTICA, N. Y., May 13.—The fast mail on the New York Central was in collision here this morning, and seven passenger cars filled with passengers	The Franklin Land and Lumber Company was chartered at Norfolk, Va. All of the incorporators are from Columbus, Ohio. The company will deal in land and timber. The House of the Texas Legislature, by a vote of 101 to 3, finally passed the anti-trust bill as it came from the Sen- ate Tuesday. The bill as passed is de- cidedly more drastic than the Arkan- sas law. The total bank clearings in the United States for the week ending May 12th were \$1,984,155,183; per cent. increase, 13.7. Exclusive of New York, \$620,343,773; per cent. increase, 13.9. At Severn, N. C., yesterday, Rev. J. W. Hoggard, for forty years pas- tor of Patecusi and Meherren Baptist churches, died, aged 80 years. He was a man of great learning and was be-	For Sale-At Burgaw, in good order, one 15 horse-power Engine and Boller, one 50 saw Cotton Gin, one Brooks Press. 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