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### CONCORD, N. C. FRIDAY, MARCH 25 1898

Daily Concord Standard.

#### IT GETS THERE.

The President's Opinions and Course he Spanish Flotilla Not Welcome.

The great document from the committee arrived in Washington Thursday at 9:35 p. m. It was scheduled to be opened in Cabinet meeting this (Friday) morning at 11 o'clock. It is said that the President will transmit it with a brief message to Congress on Monday and will also cable it to Spain.

The President is reported to be. lieve that he Maine was blown up from external force, but in the absence of testimony of design will t eat it as an accident. But from humanitarian reasons he will recommend intervention for Cuban relief.

The most serious aspect in the situation is that the Spanish flotilla is on its way to American waters and grave questions arise as to whether the United States should not look upon this as an unfriendly act and interpose objections, yet our fleet lies at Key West.

The government has bought eight

#### His Death Occurred Suddenly in Augusta, Ga., Yesterday.

MR. FRED GRAHAM DEAD.

Mr. Fred Graham, formerly of Charlotte, died suddenly of heart failure, in Augusta, Ga., yesterday morning at 10 minutes before 12 o'clock. He was taken sick Saturs day night, bat his illness was not pronounced serious, and his relatives in Charlotte knew nothing of it

until the telegram came yesterday announcing his death. The immediate cause of Mr. Graham's death was a fatty substance growing over the heart. The full particulars of his death could not be learned.

Mr. Graham's remains were brought to Chester, S. C, last night, where they will be interred in the family burying ground today.

Mr. Graham was employed a few years ago as chief operator in the Western Union Telegraph office in this city. He is a brother of Mrs. Zeb Johnston, of Charlotte. He was about 30 years of age, and was kind, considerate and popular

PERSONAL POINTERS. -Mr. J W Ould, of Lynchburg,

came into the city last night.

-Mr, Horace Barrier, of Mt. Pleasant, was in the city today.

-Mr. Walter Cook, of Mt. Pleasant, passed , through our city this morning on his way to Mt. Holly where he will visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. W J Boger.

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new steam yachts and in every way the work of preparation for the worst goes on.

#### Beats the Klondike.

Mr. A C Thomas, of Marysville, Tex., has found a more valuable discovery than has yet been made in the Klondike. For years he suffered untold agony from consumption, accompanied by hemorrhages; and was absolutely cured by Dr. the el clion time]. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. He declares that gold is of little value in comparison with this marvelous cure; would have it, even if it cost a hundred dollars a bottle. Asthma, Bronchitis and all throat and lung affections are positively cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Trial bottles free at home of Mr. and Mrs. M U Walter, P B Fetzer's drug store. Regular of Cannonville, Mr. Foley Harris, size 50 cents and \$100. Guaranteed son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. F Harris, to cure or price refunded.

#### Old People Dead.

Mr. Jacob Shoe, one of the oldest citizens of Rowan, died yesterday at the ripe old age of 96. Mr. Shoe was born in Cabarrus county and had lived in Rowan for thirty-two years. He has lived some time on Mr. Bernhardt's place, near Capt. Fisher's. Death was caused mainly by a general wearing away of the body by time.

Mrs. Shive, widow of Reuben Shive died of -heart trouble last Sunday and was buried at Poanuel church on Monday. Rev. Pau Barringer, of the Reformed church assisted by Rev. George H. Cox. conducted the funeral services. Mrs. Shive was about 82 years old, and was a member of New Gilead Reformed church.-Salisbury Sun. Mrs. Shive was the mother of Mrs. J C Lippard, of our town ]

wherever he was known.-Charlotte Observer of March 25th.

[This gentleman will probably be remembered by quite a number of our people, having stayed in our town occasionally, and was a brother of Mrs. Tom Effiot, who lived out at Poplar Tent, in No. 2 township. The last time Mr Graham was here was in 1896 and conducted the telegraph office at the Odell store dur.ng

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#### Harris-Bost Wedding.

Thursday night at the elegant and Miss Maude Bost, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tinsley Bost, were united in marriage by Rev. H A Mc-Cullough.

Miss Bost is known by quite a number of people, both in Concord and in our county, and bears a good name by all who know her. Mr. Harris is a printer and one of the swiftest type-setters in our city. He has been employed on THE STAND-ARD for a long while, and is known by our people.

Only a few invited friends, together with a STANDARD reporter witnessed the ceremony, which took place at 8 o'c'ock. An elegant cinner was served to a few relatives and friends today (Friday) at the home of the groom's father.

To this newly married couple THE STANDARD extends its most

THURSTON'S SPEECH.

For Cows

FOR SALE BY

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GROCERS.

He Speaks for Cuban Sufferers at the Command of His Wife's Sileut Lips.

Senator Thurston on Thursday delivered a most powerful speech in the Sena e Chamber in harmony with Senator Proctor and corroborating the most graphic pictures in the newspapers of the sufferings on the island of Cuba. Ordinarily a Senator would not appear so conspicuoasly to so soon after the death of his wife but the Senator made it clear when he said he spoke at the command of silent lips. The last admonations of his dying wife were that on his return from that region of misery he should use his influence without delay for the removal of the scenes of horror which bore so heavily on her and every other witness to the indescribable wretchedness of the reconcentrados. The Senator's emotions almost overcome him in the effort, but probably lent effect to his words. He said he had counselled moderation all the while but now feels that the time has come for the United States to de mand of Spain to withdraw her troops from Cubs. This he said would not be a declaration of war but would probably lead to it. But

it would be a war of Spain in resistence of liberty and independence of a people she has devastated and out rage1.



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The Meeting Postponed.

As noted in THE STANDARD SOME time ago, an order was issued by the town commissioners that Mr. Clay Poole, who is conducting a bowling alley in our town make his appearance before the commissioners on Monday night, March 28th. On account of Mr. Poole's attorney, W G Means, being absent that night, the meeting is postponed until Monday night, April 4th. Mr. Early Risers," and gave him a bot-Poole at that meeting is called upon the of those famous little pills for to show just cause why his license constipation, sick headache, liver for running this alley should not and stomach troubles -Gibson's be revoked.

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