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WHOLE No 11721

## ULTIMATUM REFUSED.

Diplomacy Cut Off—Passport Given Him.

Special from the Charlotte Observer to THE STANDARD at 11:25.

Woodford given passport this morning. Was not permitted to present ultimatum. He left Madrid. All diplomatic relations severed.

## POSTMASTER GEN. RESIGNS.

Another Appointed at Once—Spanish Fleet Has Left Cape Verde Islands.

Special from the Charlotte News by telephone at 3:20.

Postmaster General Gary has resigned from the Cabinet on account of not being in harmony with the war movement. In his stead Mr. Chas. Emery Smith, of Philadelphia, has been appointed.

It is reported, though not authenticated, that Havana will be bombarded at once.

The Spanish fleet has left the Cape Verde Islands. It is thought that it is coming this way.

President McKinley has expressed to Congress his desire for a declaration of war.

## PASSED THROUGH.

Soldiers Passing All Night From 2 O'Clock—Running Near Each Other But at a Slow Rate of Speed—The Soldiers All Gay.

As had been reported, the soldiers were taken through Wednesday night after midnight. Unlike many would think, the trains were running at a slow rate of speed on account of their load of ammunition that they were carrying.

The first train passed through at 2:16 o'clock, and from that time on they were running very near to each other, one having to wait here on account of close time.

The cars which contained the soldiers had guards on the outside of each door, and the officer of the day and his sentinel were just inside of the door. After saluting the guard and officer the writer was admitted and engaged in conversation.

The soldiers all had off their coats. They wore the regulation hat and each one wore a belt which contained a pistol on each side and his belt contained about three hundred cartridges. Their rifles were at their side and also their haversacks and canteens. They informed us that their haversacks contained victuals enough to last them three days.

The first train arrived at 2:16 this morning and contained 9 cars—4 containing ammunition, 2 cars of horses, 2 flat cars with 4 Gatling guns on each one, also one ambulance wagon and one passenger car with no men in it. This train did not stop.

The second train passed at 3:27, containing 9 coaches running very slow but did not stop. All were asleep.

The third one came at 3:40 and stayed until 3:45. This train had the Ninth Infantry of New York. This train the writer went through. There were 8 coaches and contained

240 men and officers. All were awake and were feeling very gay. One of the guards at the door asked the writer if this wasn't the "hot State," to which we at once answered that it was. We were then asked by him if we would be with them in the conflict, to which we answered emphatically in the affirmative.

The fourth train passed at 4:44. This train had 9 carloads of horses, 2 flat cars with four guns on each and one passenger coach. This train did not stop and was running faster than Nos. 1, 2 and 3. There were 12 cars on this train.

The fifth train arrived at 5:05, but did not stop. It had 8 coaches and all contained soldiers. All were awake and were eating breakfast. The coaches all were white. This train was going so slow that one could easily have gotten on and off anywhere. It was about daylight.

The sixth and last train arrived at 5:23, which contained 9 coaches and all were full of soldiers, but the train did not stop. All of the soldiers were awake and were eating their breakfast. The steps of the cars even were full, and many of them were standing on the platform.

As a salute to the liberty-loving soldiers Messrs. Garah Caldwell, the express manager, and Policeman Bost fired their pistols ten times. This brought a multitude of cheers from the companies and as an answering salute the whistle on the engine was used.

A little boy asked for a bottle of "get up in the morning as fast as you can," the druggist recognized a household name for "De Witt's Little Early Risers," and gave him a bottle of those famous little pills for constipation, sick headache, liver and stomach troubles.—Gibson's Drug Store.

## ARRESTED BUT RELEASED.

Two Young Men Taken Off of the Northbound Vestibule—Paid Out by the Citizens.

A few minutes before No. 36, the northbound fast mail arrived this (Thursday) morning a telegram was received by Policeman Bost to catch two young men that were beating on that train.

The train came and so did the young men. The train went on but the young men didn't. Mr. Bost brought the gentlemen up town and they were tried before Mag. Pitts.

Of course they were found guilty and were sentenced to the chain gang for thirty days. They having no friends, they had prepared to be taken to the chain gang but the people that attended the trial made up the costs among themselves and paid them out.

Their names were given as J G Posey, of Danville, Va., and W J Coffield, of Newcastle, Delaware. Coffield had a letter in his pocket, and the writer read it, in which the captain of Company "H" of Newcastle, Del., says for him to come home as he is expecting their company to be called out. Coffield says he is a druggist by profession. Posey is a cotton mill operative and says he knows a man named Bob Brown, who formerly worked here. Coffield, we think, gained the sympathy of the people much more than Posey but one could not pay one out without the other.

## PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Detective Shaw, of Charlotte, has been in our city several days on business.

—Capt. Mabrey, telegraph operator at Glass's, was seen in our city today.

—Mrs. Dr. Crowwell and Mrs. W J Swink, both of China Grove, were in our city today.

—Mrs. T B Beall, of Salisbury, is in our city for a few days' visit to Mrs. J P Allison and Mrs. A B Young.

—Miss Laura Ramseur and her niece, Miss Annie Hoover are visiting at the home of Dr. Ramseur in China Grove for a day or two.

## The Newest Thing in Town

now is CHICKEN TAMALES and IT'S MELLOW.

They are both great.

## Ervin & Morrison GROCERS

## Mrs. Reuben Cress Dead.

Mr. Alfred Klutz, of Cannonville, has returned from near China Grove, where he attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Reuben Cress, who died on the morning of Tuesday, the 19th, and was buried on the following day. Mrs. Cress had reached the ripe old age of 74 years.

Mr. Klutz's father, who now lives in Rowan county, is the only one left of the family of six.

Thousands of sufferers from grippe have been restored to health by One Minute Cough Cure. It quickly cures cough, colds bronchitis, pneumonia, Gripp, asthma, and all throat and lung diseases.—Gibson's Drug Store.

## The Monument Accepted.

The monument committee yesterday accepted the monument, and Mr. Gault left last night for Baltimore. The committee was pleased, he was pleased, and everybody was pleased. The monument is in perfect taste. It is a beauty.—Charlotte Observer of 21.

## STATE OF OHIO.

CITY OF TOLEDO, }  
LUCAS COUNTY, }

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F J Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, the 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

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