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## Dewey's Report In.

A Grand Victory. No Americans Killed and Only Six Wounded. Three Hundred Spaniards Killed, Four Hundred Spaniards Wounded.

Dewey's Report Word for Word. Thanks Extended by President McKinley in the Name of the American People.

(By Cablegram and Telegram to DAILY STANDARD.)

Hong Kong, May 7, 1:30—Thomas M Brumby, Dewey's flag Lieutenant, arrived on the McCullough this morning and brings Commodore Dewey's official report of the Manila victory. Casualties as follows: Americans killed, none; slightly wounded, six; Spaniards killed, 300; Spaniards wounded, 400.

The Spanish fleet of eleven war ships were annihilated. The American fleet was unhurt by any large projectiles. The battle began at day break Sunday morning, Dewey having passed the Corregidor mine fields without disaster during the night.

The Reina Christena flung challenge to battle and the Olympia replied. Both fleets fired in unison. Cavit raked the Americans with a murderous fire. The Spanish flag ship was soon found to be on fire. The Montijo transferred its flag to transports Isla de Cubap. In ten minutes the Spanish cruiser Castilla was also aflame. Dewey's gunnery drove the artillerists of Cavit from the guns repeatedly. The Olympia and the Raleigh lead the American's battle line. The Baltimore, the Boston, the Concord, the Petrel and the McCullough followed.

The Spanish in two lines flanked the American cruisers. Our warships constantly maneuvering sunk or grounded the Christena and the steel cruiser Castilla and the wooden cruiser Valasco, the Don Antonio, the DeUlloa, the Don Juan Austria, the iron cruisers Isla de Cuba, Ila de Luzon and the steel protected cruisers and the Queros, Valclobaz, the Elcano and the Monoleno steel gunboats.

### Dewey's Report Verbatim.

Washington, May 7, 1:30 p. m.—Comodore Dewey's official report reads as follows:

"Manila, by way of Hong Kong, squadron arrived at daybreak Sunday and immediately engaged the enemy, destroying the following ships: The cruisers Reina, Christena, Isla de Cuba, Castilla, Don Antonio, De Ulloa, Don Juan, De Austria, the gun boats General Lezo, Marquis, Del Suer and the armed transport Isla de Mindeno. The American squadron is uninjured. A few men were slightly wounded. The only means of telegraphing is through the American Consul at Hong Kong. I shall communicate to him immediately.

(Signed) Dewey."

**Dewey Cut the Cable.**  
Washington, May 7, 1:30 p. m.—Dewey reports that he cut the cable himself, having insufficient troops to occupy Manila.

**The President Thanks Dewey.**  
Washington, May 7, 2:30 p. m.—Secretary Long sent the following this afternoon:

"Admiral Dewey  
Manila, Philippine Islands.  
The President in the name of the American people thanks you and your officers and men for your splendid achievement in your overwhelming victory. In recognition thereof you are appointed Acting Admiral. He also recommends a vote of thanks to you by the American Congress.  
(Signed) Long"

**Infantry to Embark.**  
Tampa, May 7, 2:17 p. m.—The first infantry ordered to embark for Cuba immediately. Others will follow today.

**Spanish Atlantic Fleet Sighted.**  
Kingston, May 7, 1:25 p. m.—The Spanish Atlantic fleet is near Martinique.

**Sampson Due.**  
Washington, May 7, 1:25 p. m.—Sampson was due at Porto Rico this morning.

**A Denial.**  
Rome, May 7, 1:25 p. m.—The Vatican denies that the Pope advised the Queen Regent to stop fighting.

**Another Prize.**  
Key West, May 7.—The Montgomery brought in the Spanish brig Frasquita today.

**The Queen Will Not Abdicate.**  
London, May 6.—The Spanish embassy denies that the Queen regent will abdicate the throne.

**Spaniards Surrender.**  
Rochester, May 7, 2:17 p. m.—Consul General Williams telegraphs to his wife from Hong Kong the following: "The Spaniards have surrendered, and all is well."

**Manila at Dewey's Mercy.**  
Washington, May 7, 2:15 p. m.—Second message from Dewey announces that fortifications taken and marines landed at Cavit. He holds 256 wounded Spanish prisoners. Manila is at his mercy. He needs nothing at present.

**Notice.**  
Stokes Lodge No. 32, A. F. & A. M. Special communication Monday evening, May the 9th at 8 o'clock. Work on F. O degree. M. M's take due notice.  
By order of W. M.  
R. A. BROWER, Sec.

Dr. Miles' Pain Pills are guaranteed to stop Headache in 20 minutes. One cent a dose.

### PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Mr. Gus Sells, of Salisbury, formerly of the firm of Sells & Hartman, is in our city today.

—Miss Ella Walter, of Mont Amena, spent today at her home here. She was accompanied by her friend, Miss Gertrude Sieber.

## Fancy Cakes

Jam Up Fresh,

—AT—

## Ervin & Morrison GROCERS.

### A Native Zulu.

Gipsy Prince will exhibit tonight in the court house under the management of Dr. Scruggs, for the benefit of the Pickford Sanatorium. Pince is a native Zulu and is an interesting character. He is certainly of enviable physique and withal seems a jolly fellow. He almost danced at our photo of Mille-Christine and claims quite an acquaintance. We want to see what our Zulu friend can do tonight. See his circular.

### Public Debate.

On next Friday there will be a debate in their hall over Swink & White's by the Lyceum. The programme will be given later. Each member of the Lyceum is allowed the privilege of inviting five of his friends.

The Australians either make better butter than American dairymen do, or they manage to get it into London market in better shape. Last year they shipped 23,000,000 pounds to 31,350,000 pounds shipped from this country, and they got 19 cents a pound for it to 14 cents for the American. They had to ship 13,000 miles, while ours goes little over a fourth of that distance.—Wilmington Star.

It is said that William L. Knap, naval constructor at San Francisco, with a force of hands and all supplies thought to be needed has been ordered on chartered vessel to Manila to repair any damage done to Commodore Dewey's fleet and also to raise such of the sunken Spanish ships as can be raised to advantage.

Children like it, it saves their lives. We mean One Minute Cough Cure, the infallible remedy for cough, colds, croup, bronchitis, grippe, and all throat and lung troubles.—Gibson's Drug Store.

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 farmer, the mechanic and the bicycle rider are liable to unexpected cuts and bruises. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the best thing to keep on hand. It heals quickly, and is a well known cure for piles.—Gibson's Drug Store.

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## Big Lot

of 34 inch Organdie worth 12½ cents per yard. We are going to let them go at 6½ cents—  
Black Satin Duchess,  
" Taffeta Silks,  
" Armure Silks.  
Brocaded Silks for Skirts.  
See our 25 and 35 cent Shirt Waists.  
Pretty fine Scotch Lawns, 2½ cents yard.

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We have everything in Oxfords except your feet.

An ounce of satisfaction is worth a ton of talk. Satisfaction goes with every pair of shoes we sell.

Respectfully,

Dry & Miller,  
Shoe Furnishers.

## All a Mistake.

Our "War Car, City of Knoxville," is safe in port, loaded with the finest cargo of Golden Oak Suits ever shown in this part of North Carolina. She was not captured by the Spanish Fleet of high prices as reported.

She was safely guarded into port by our Gunboat, "High Price Exploder," with 100 'mattress' aboard, at prices ranging from \$1.25 to \$15.00. Hearing is believing, seeing is the naked truth. You can hear from anyone that has ever been in our store that we have the "stuff" and we make the prices.

What we say unto one we say unto all. Come and see.

Bell, Harris & Company.

P.S. We are still in the undertaking business at the old stand. See Bell.

Residence Phone 90.

Store Phone 12.