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Not True.

There is no truth in the charges persistently being made in Republican papers that Democratic Senators are responsible for the delay on the war revenue bill passed by the House. The fact is the bill as passed by the House was a very crude and imperfect measure, and the Senate committee on Finance has been trying to whip it into a more satisfactory shape by amending it. More amendments have so far been offered by republican Senators than by Democrats. The Democrats are too anxious to see this war fought to a speedy and successful close to refuse to do their part towards furnishing the government all the money it needs, but there is money enough on hand for all present needs and they do not intend being stampeded into supporting obnoxious methods of raising money just because the bill is labeled "war measure."—Durham Sun.

Dewey at Manila seems to have shown no fear and not much caution. He was for fight. He won and the world applauds. We join in with the whole heart. But was it not reckless valor, and did not Dewey's coming out so well depend largely upon the fact that no heavy projectiles from the enemy's guns were well aimed? The Winslow was ventured, the enemy's aim was perfect and bored her through. A shell exploded and the nation mourns the first bloody sacrifice in this cause of humanity. Now censure is ready to be piled thick and heavy for allowing this feeble craft to go into the fight. Had the enemy's aim been wide of the mark, had the forts of Cardenas been quickly demolished and all the Spanish craft been destroyed or captured, who would think of censure for recklessness? How we would have applauded. Censure and applause are both cheap with too many of us, and are perfectly interchangeable and are determined by success or failure even if such depend entirely upon external forces.

Webster's Weekly has a pet phrase that his opponent "gives his whole case away." We see he applies it to the Greensboro Telegram in the fusion discussion. It seems to be in the Weekly's eye.

We acknowledge with pleasure the receipt of an invitation to attend the commencement exercises of Davidson College. The card of Mr. Robert A. Love, a member of the Senior Class, indicates to whom our tendered thanks are due.

Commencement at Davidson.

Sixty-first Commencement of Davidson College, June 5th-June 9th. Sunday 11 a. m. Baccalaureate Sermon, President J B Shearer, D D LL D.

8:30 p. m sermon, before Y. M. C. A., Rev. Alex. Sprunt, D. D., S. C. Monday, 10 a. m., Class Day, Arbor ceremonies.

Monday, 8:30 p. m., entertainment by Senior Class.

Tuesday, 8 p. m., reunion of Library Societies.

Philanthropic Alumni Orator, Prof. D H Hill, N. C.

Eumenean Alumni Orator, Rev. C L Stewart, S. C.

Wednesday 11 a. m., Annual Oration, Hon. Theo. F Klattz, N. C.

Alumni Oration, 6 p. m., Alumni Banquet.

8:30 p. m., Oratorical Contest. Society Representatives, Phi: L G Beall, N. C., J A M. Queen, N. C., J E Ward, N. C. Psi: R L Douglass, S. C., T F Haney, S. C., J M McConnell, S. C.

Thursday, 10 a. m., graduating exercises.

8:30 p. m. Grand Concert and Receptions by Societies and Fraternities.

We were led at first to believe that Ensign Bagley's face was much mutilated and disfigured, but are glad to know that it was not. It is said that even a smile appeared. The honors paid were by order of Secretary of War Alger, equal to those for a brigadier general.

Queen Victoria objects to electric light and gas—that is, as far as her own personal use is concerned. Oil is permitted very slightly, but candles of an extra special make are still her favorite illuminant.—Ex.

Closed Business in New London.

We learn from Mr. P R Motley that he has closed his business in New London by selling his store property to Mr. H T Sawyer. The stock of goods Mr. Motley is moving to his store at Springville.

Troops Passing Through.

Two train loads of troops passed through this (Wednesday) morning. The first train contained the 16th Infantry from Baltimore, and are bound for Atlanta, Ga., where, they say, they will join the 16th cavalry. They were not dressed in uniforms but were very gay. They numbered 29 men. The 11th Infantry from Wilkesbarre, Pa., was also on, and numbered 36 men.

Phyllis Given Up.

On account of lack of enthusiasm of some of the participants in Phyllis, the operetta, which was being gotten up for the benefit of the Episcopal church, has been given up. It is with much regret on the part of some that it was given up, but such was the outlook, so we are informed.

The Small Pox Scare.

The report was all over our streets this (Wednesday) morning that a man was in our town who had been exposed to small pox at Columbia, S. C. The supposed case has been investigated by an officer, and there is no foundation for the alarm.

News From Sampson

Says nowhere has he seen so great an offer as the one dollar and thirty-nine cent chairs just received at Craven Brothers' Furniture Store.

Our Soldier Boys Got the Box

And we have thirty-three chairs worth \$3.50 for \$1.39, cash. They won't last long.—Craven Brothers.

NO SPECIAL CHANGE.

The Spanish Fleet Went Right It Out—Preparations Go On—92,550 Troops Mustered in—What Ship Was Blown Up?—Aid For Dewey—The Wilmington Sent the Suspicious Boat to the Bottom.

As was to be expected from the situation Tuesday there is little to report this (Wednesday) morning on the war situation. It is probably apparent enough that the Spanish fleet is not to be drawn into a fight to the finish. It is probably dodging about somewhere in the Caribbean Sea and will only strike when forced to do so, or can strike us at a weak point. Thus with that one fleet Spain is delaying our movement to Cuba. How long this movement is to be delayed is not well known. It is liable to be made on the shortest kind of notice.

The Spanish fleet cannot be allowed to baffle us indefinitely. Every day's delay probably is put to good account by our government. Our troops are drilling and will be all the better when they do go.

There are 13,000 troops now in the Chickamauga Camp, and there have been mustered into service now 92,580 men in response to the call for 125,000.

Dispatches from Madrid indicate that a crew of 17 men was blown up by a premature explosion of a torpedo somewhere about Havana, but it does not say whose ship it was, and nothing is known at Key West of any such calamity to any vessel.

Preparations are being made for aid to Dewey at Manila, and it is hoped to get the Charleston off by Thursday at least. It is expected that the Insurgents will attack the city. They have promised Dewey to refrain from excesses.

The resignation of the Spanish cabinet and the formation of a new cabinet is receiving a good bit of attention by the newspapers, but to our mind it signifies little. Spain means to do us all the harm possible with a foolish war, and a new cabinet means war all the same.

The Wilmington on Monday saw an old Spanish schooner drifting 30 miles east of Havana. It seemed loaded with old iron and had a suspicious appearance. Taking a safe distance the Wilmington sent the thing to the bottom with four shots.

TO COMPANY "L."

Four Fine Boxes of Provisions Sent To the Boys at Camp Grimes.

Tuesday afternoon about 5 o'clock it was something to gaze upon the amount of eating that had been sent to the St. Cloud hotel by friends and parents to be sent to Captain Hill and his company at Camp Grimes.

If there is anything that will remind the boys at Raleigh that the people of Concord have a warm place in their hearts for them, it was signaled Tuesday when they brought in such an amount of good things to eat for them.

Instead of there being a box, there were boxes for them—four heavy ones, too. The largest one, which weighed three hundred pounds, contained boxes for different individuals of the company—another contained 13 large hams, some of which were country hams and some were sugar cured, and also between 30 and 40 chickens. In another box there was nothing but large cakes, about 26 in number. In the last box packed was the canned goods, such as cat-sup, peaches, olives, etc. In the box was also some jellies and jams, and pickles and biscuits were in abundance, besides a large lot of tea cakes.

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The Racket Store.

Gents' Furnishing Department,
White Shirts at 25c.

Laundried Colored Shirts, 24c. up.

White Shirts with colored bosoms at 42c.

Colored Shirts with two turn down collars for 50c.

Balbriggan Underwear from 25 to 50c. per garment.

Gents' Linen collars, either standing or turn down at 6c.

Large line of Silk Club Ties at 10 to 15c.

Socks 5 to 40c.

Good Suspenders at 10c.

Straw Hats 8 to 60c.

Stationary.

Note Paper at 10c. per lb.

Colored French Crepon Paper and Envelopes at 15c. per qr., and 24 envelopes, worth 25c.

Box Paper 10 to 50c. per box.

Good White Envelopes 3c. up.

Square Linen ones at 5c.

DRY GOODS.

Remnants of White Lawns at 40c. per lb.

Printed Laqpets 7c. yd.

Printed Organdie 10c. yd.

Percale 25c. per lb.

8c. Staple Ginghams at 5c.

Remnants of Ficking 7c.

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Muslin Underwear made in all sizes and of good material as cheap as the common run of the North.

ern made garments.

Shirt Waists with white collars, 42c.

Printed Lapette Waists without collars only 49c., worth 75c.

Percale Shirt Waists at 45 to 85c.

Shirt Waist Buttons at 5c. per doz.

Percale and White Lawn Sun Bonnets at 25c.

Gauze Vests 4c. up.

Hose, assorted, up to Opera length at 45c. See our 7-1-2 and 10c. seamless Hose.

RIBBONS.

Double faced Black Satin Sash Ribbon at 25c. per yard.

Nice assortment of Tafferty, Moire and Satin Ribbon in staple colors.

Also a nice line of Stripes and Plaid Ribbon will be in by Saturday.

Also 15 styles of Shirt Waist Silks to come in Saturday.

Very Respectfully,

D. J. BOSTIAN.

SPANISH FLEET DEMOLISHED

And the fight continues to wax warm. News comes in by telegram and every mail brings us glorious news of Victory. The latest news is with our immense stock of Dry Goods and Notions. We are prepared to offer them at prices to money saving custom, that will do you as much good as to hear of Spain being wiped off the face of the earth.

For the latest Novelties in thin Summer Dress Goods, Organdies, Lawns, etc., we have them.

For the prettiest line of Shirt Waist Goods in Silk and Cotton we cannot be excelled.

For the latest and most popular Skirt Goods we are strictly in it.

See our Canvas Cloth.

" " Black Mohair 50 inch.

" " Satin Duchess 27in.

" " Brocade Silks 24in.

You can save money by seeing us.

For the best fitting Corset buy Thompsons Glove fitting; we have them.

For Sash Ribbon see us.

For the prettiest and cheapest line of Millinery don't fail to see our line.

For a real good Suit of Clothes at correct prices we can suit the most fastidious.

HATS. Hats: Now in this line we are headquarters.

For a No. 1 Umbrella or Parasol we are up-to-date in style and prices.

For the handsomest line of Neckwear you cannot afford to miss seeing our line.

For daintiest and prettiest line of Fans just come and feast your eyes.

Now don't forget that we have the goods to offer you at BOTTOM PRICES and all we ask of you is come and see us and we will please you.

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Late to bed and early to rise prepares a man for his home in the skies. Early to bed and a Little Early Riser, the pill that makes life longer and better and wiser.—J P Gibson.

All persons indebted to me will please call upon W G Means, Esq, and settle. I have left all accounts and notes in his hands for collection.
L. M. ARCHEY, M. D.
May 2, 1898.

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