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## ON TO CUBA.

### THIRTY TRANSPORTS LOADING AT TAMPA, FLA.

A Spy Arrested On the Panama With Quite a Number of Valuable Charts and Traces of Our Harbors.

By Cablegram and Telegram to the Daily Standard.

#### Off for Cuba

Tampa, 10 30 a. m.—Thirty transports are being loaded for Cuba this morning

#### Another Spy Caught.

Key West, 1 25 p. m.—Lieutenant Jimenez, a passenger on the Panama, was arrested here last night as a spy, and on him were found fifty-nine charts of American harbors, and tracings of forts, mines and torpedo beds at the Port of New York.

#### 75,000 More Volunteers.

Washington, 2 30 p. m.—President McKinley this afternoon called for seventy five thousand more volunteers.

#### DISAPPOINTING NEWS

Of a Great Battle—Troops Now Putting Out for Cuba

It is disappointing this (Wednesday) to find that our hopes were vain that the great battle had already been fought. It seems there is no certainty of the whereabouts of the fleets, and especially of the Spanish fleet. It now seems that the Americans failed to cut the right wire and Blanco is still in communication with Spain.

The suspense of waiting to hear of a decisive action of the fleets is painful, especially among the troops who expect to embark for Cuba.

No movement seems probable till the decisive battle by the fleets or till Cervera is gone.

The situation in Manila is unchanged. Dewey is master of the bay. The German consul wished to land a boat load of supplies, but was refused permission. A proposal to land by force was met by Dewey with the warning that he would fire on the ships trying to do so. It was abandoned.

Since penning the above a dispatch says that thirty transports are loading at Tampa. This seems to settle the suspense of the government's plans and shows that a landing on Cuba is no longer to be delayed on account of the Spanish fleet. It is clear enough that if Cervera can delay action by his manœuvres he will be accomplishing the desired end.

Stirring events are doubtless near.

#### The Business Sold Out.

The stock of goods formerly belonging to the firm of Lesly & Watson have been sold out and are being shipped away from here. Nothing more as to business in this store room is definitely fixed, though it is not probable that this store will be opened up soon.

#### Souvenirs from Jacksonville.

Mr. Quint Smith has already sent home some Florida souvenirs to his folks. They are rare and very beautiful. Among them was a small stuffed alligator, a nice scarf pin made from fish scales, etc.

## GETTING READY

For Commencement Over at Mt. Pleasant—Visiting News—Baseball News—College News.

The final examinations at the College are being held this week. Look out boys.

The band boys tell us that they are ready to furnish music for the Commencement exercises.

We learn that Dr. Miller has changed the program of his Commencement exercises. The annual concert will be held on Wednesday night instead of Tuesday night. The drama which was to have been played on Wednesday night will be played on Tuesday night.

The Pi. Sigma Phi Literary Society will not have their orators contest commencement.

There will be a game of ball here next Saturday evening. The Freshman class at the College will cross bats with the rest of the college. It promises to be an interesting game.

We had quite a thunder storm here last Monday night. The phone in Cook & Foil's store was burned out.

Mr. H G Ritz, of Concord, is hanging paper in the hotel. We are always glad to have Mr. Ritz in our town because he is ever ready to crack his jokes and keep the crowd in a fit of laughter.

Mr. Press Ludwig, of Georgia, brother of Prof. H T J Ludwig, is expected to be in town in a few days.

The news that admiral Sampson had met the Spanish fleet and destroyed it reached us today (though we learn since that it is incorrect). This was welcome news indeed. Let the good work go on. Did we say good work? May be a war can never be called good work, but it is the very best we could do in this case. Whilst we are into it, may the God of Justice take our army and navy into His protecting arms and let us teach the treacherous Spaniard a lesson which they will never forget, and if need be let us wipe the Spanish government out of existence and rid the world of such a hot-headed blood thirsty people.

We are sorry to learn that the Faculty of North Carolina College deemed it expedient to expell two young men from the college on last Friday night. A NOTHER.

#### MR. CYRUS ARCHHEY DEAD.

The Great Sufferer Released From Years of Pain and Pining.

Mr. Cyrus Archey, of No. 3 township, died Tuesday and was buried this (Wednesday) morning at 10 o'clock at Gilwood church.

Mr. Archey lost an arm in the Civil War. Some years ago he became a great sufferer from bone disease in one thigh, called necrosis. His sufferings were intense, and finally a heart disease set in which brought the end.

Mr. Archey came home from the

war without means, and even with but one arm with which to fight life's battles, but he married and gathered around him a competency and reared a family of about ten children.

Mr. Archey was esteemed as a citizen and neighbor, and it is only the relief from his intense sufferings that mitigates the loss to the community and the family. He was about 55 years of age.

#### FUNERAL OF REV. KIMBALL

Eight Ministers Participate—78 Vehicles in Line—Was 70 Years Old.

We learn from our townsman, Mr. W L Bell, that the funeral of Rev. Kimball at Luther Chapel Tuesday was very largely attended and was altogether a fittingly expressive of the high esteem in which that venerable divine was held.

The pall bearers were Capt. J A Fisher and Messrs. Mumford Wilheim, J M Eddleman, S H H-earne, of Albemarle, and James A Heilig, of Salisbury.

The ministerial brethren present and participating in the funeral services were Revs. J Q Weritz, O A Rose, L E Busby, G H Cox, V R Suckley, C B Miller, R L Patterson and J P Miller.

When the funeral procession moved off from the home in China Grove 78 vehicles were counted in the line and the capacious church at the chapel was insufficient for the throng.

Rev. Kimball had attained the allotted lifetime of man, threescore years and ten.

Rev. Kimball is dead, but his life is a written epistle known of all men about him, and its hallowed influence will brighten many a pathway through life.

#### PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Mrs. Springe, grand-daughter of Esq. R W Allison, is expected from Lancaster, S. C., tonight.

—Mrs. R A Brown went up to Salisbury this morning on business.

—Sheriff Buchanan and wife went down to Mt. Pleasant this morning and will attend the James-Misenheimer marriage tonight.

—Mrs. Dr. Register, of Charlotte, is visiting at the home of Judge Montgomery today.

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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 acted truth. You can hear from anyone that has ever been in our store that we have the "stuff" and we make the prices.

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