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## Two Reported Victories.

SCHLEY IS REPORTED TO HAVE DESTROYED THE FORTS AT CEINFUEGOS TUESDAY.

Kingston Dispatch Reports the Rumor That Schley Bombarded Santiago and Destroyed the Armada—McKinley and Long Admit Being Deceived.

By Cablegram and Telegram to the Daily Standard.

### Both Were Deceived.

New York, 1.15 p. m.—A Washington special to the New York Journal alleges that President McKinley admits that he has been misled by the enemy. Secretary Long confesses that he is ignorant of the whereabouts of Cervera.

### Reported Still in Port.

Madrid, 1.15 p. m.—The Censor has announced officially that the Cadiz fleet is still in port.

### A Reported Victory at Ceinfuegos.

Key West, 1.15 p. m.—It is reported that Admiral Schley landed ammunition, arms and food in considerable quantity after the hot fight at Ceinfuegos Tuesday simultaneously with the route of the Spanish cavalry by the Cubans. The forts were destroyed and many Spaniards were killed.

### Dewey Duplicated.

Boston, 1.17 p. m.—A special to the Herald from Kingston says it is persistently rumored that Commodore Schley has forced the channel at Santiago and has destroyed the Spanish Armada and bombarded the town. The Cuban officials confirm the report.

### Amendment to War Revenue Bill.

Washington, 2.33 p. m.—The Senate is considering the war revenue bill. Senator Faulkner has suggested and Senator Gorman has accepted an amendment making special co-operation in excise tax one fourth of one per cent.

### Burial of Wm. Gladstone.

London, 2.33 p. m.—William E Gladstone's obsequies are in process. The pall is severely simple. There are no decorations. The Parliament attended the funeral.

### Two Cables Operating.

Washington, 3.23 p. m.—It is officially admitted this afternoon that two cables are operating between Cuba and Madrid.

### Another Report of a Victory.

Cape Haytien, 3.23 p. m.—A report has arrived here of an important American victory.

### Where Is It?

Key West, 3.25 p. m.—Cruisers arriving this afternoon Report that Cervera is not at Santiago nor Ceinfuegos.

### Short of Ammunition and Provisions

Hong Kong, 3.25 p. m.—The American auxiliary cruiser, Zefro, has arrived and reports that Dewey is short of provisions and ammunition. The Baltimore is unharmed.

### Moved to Raleigh.

As has been announced some time since, the family of Mr. J. H. Mason has moved to Raleigh, on account of Mr. Mason's territory being changed from the western part of the State to the eastern. The family left this morning, together with the household furniture. We regret to lose this family from our town.

## AN EVENING WITH THE CHILDREN.

A Good Long Programme Well Rendered By the Graded School.

The entertainment at Caton's Hall Friday night was good. The pupils bore the marks of some fine training. With but a few exceptions they spoke as if they expected to be heard and as if they expected to reward close attention, in all of which they were not mistaken.

In a programme of 18 or more performances so well rendered it is impossible to do justice to every good performance, but for special excellence we think it not amiss to make special mention. The opening song, a medley, was altogether delightful, and it set the audience aglow for the treat. The costumes of lads as they waved the stars and stripes added much to the pleasure of the audience.

"How Dolly Goes to Sleep" was very sweetly rendered by "wee" little Miss Julia Barrow. Of course it was impossible for the large audience to hear her infantile singing.

Master Fred Bost recited "How to be a Man" very finely for one so small.

The ball drill by a group of girls was unique and exceedingly gratifying.

"The Foolish Little Maiden" was rendered by Miss Jessie Sims to the time made by the organ, and was so well done that the audience demanded a repetition, but the encore could not bring her on the stage again. It was only when the next unannounced performance began that silence was restored.

It was fearfully hot in the hall, and a few of the audience displayed the bad taste of heedlessness to the principal's polite request to have no cheering save by hand clapping, yet withal it was an evening of pleasure and profit, a joy to parents and a season of pride for teachers and pupils in our graded school.

## IN THE PEN OR NOT?

Cervera Believed to Be Bottled Up, But May Be Out—Must Know More About Him Before Invading Cuba.

Hope is renewed that Schley has Cervera bottled at Santiago de Cuba. If so it is equal to a Dewey victory. There is no way of knowing, as to poke one's head into that narrow pass would mean to get it shot off if the fleet is there, the same as it means for a Spaniard if he pokes his head out. The promontory completely hides the fleet if it is there. The worst evidence is that Blanco lends credit to the news in a dispatch proceeding from Madrid to the effect that the Spanish fleet is in the harbor at Santiago de Cuba and that the most of the American fleet is outside.

Notwithstanding the announcement Thursday that a movement on Cuba was to be made at once the soldiers are snug in their camps yet and will probably remain there till it is known where Cervera really is. The entire probability is that something definite will have to be learned by the aid of the insurgents.

## Little Child Has a Spasm.

Estelle, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Dick, was taken suddenly sick with a spasm awhile after noon Friday. For some time little hopes were entertained for her recovery, but it is thought that she is better this (Saturday) morning.

## PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Mr. D J Bostian returned home from Raleigh last night.

—Mrs. John Young and children went up to Salisbury to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Johnson.

—Mr. D R Hoover returned last night from a business trip through western North Carolina.

—Prof. P P Claxton, of Greensboro, left for Salisbury yesterday evening.

—Attorney Luther Hartsell has gone up to Salisbury today on business.

—Rev. Father Joseph, of Charlotte, passed through this morning on his way to the Catholic church where he holds services tomorrow.

—Misses Margaret Hunter and Addie Boger, students of Elizabeth College, passed through on their way to Mt. Pleasant to attend the commencement.

—Misses Annie Young and Hester Wilkinson, accompanied by Messrs. Bud Cook and Zeb Cox, attended the commencement exercises at Mt. Pleasant last night.

## Fancy Cakes

Jam Up Fresh,

—AT—

Ervin & Morrison GROCERS

## AN ACCIDENT

Over at Mt. Pleasant—A Lady Student of Elizabeth College Thrown Out of a Buggy and Badly Though Not Seriously Hurt.

By telephone we are informed of an accident over at Mt. Pleasant this (Saturday) morning. As was noted in our locals Miss Margaret Hunter, who is from South Carolina, but who is a student at Elizabeth College, arrived this morning and was going out to Mt. Pleasant to attend the commencement exercises. Prof. Geo. F McAllister met her at the train and took her out to Mt. Pleasant.

When they arrived in front of the seminary, and when Miss Hunter was nearly ready to get out of the buggy, the girls of the school came running out and of course were making quite a noise, being anxious to see their lady friend. The horses took fright and commenced running away. Miss Hunter alone was in the buggy and the team could not be caught by any of them. When the horses had gotten in front of Mrs. Misenheimer's at the lower end of town they made a sudden turn, striking a small tree, which threw Miss Hunter from the buggy. Some of the people ran quickly to her and found that she was unconscious. She was taken into the home of Mrs. Misenheimer and a physician called at once.

The accident, we suppose, happened a short while before noon and at nearly 1 o'clock she was still unconscious. Her face and body is badly bruised, though it is not thought that any bones are broken.

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