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THE WAR.

The war news this morning is in the

fleet, consisting of four battleships and

three cruisers, was put out of action

caught them outside the harbor of Port

Arthur, and another dispatch says the

successful. So far everything seems

to be playing into the hands of the

Japanese, and if their forces succeed

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### UNITED STATES HANDS OFF. BANQUETIN THE PHILIPPINES. WARINGTAN, Feb. 11.-President

Magical Progress in Moving the De-bris-Heady to Do Business at the For aiding the digestion, creating Old Stand appetite and for giving life, vigor

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ness by the banks, deposits being re-ceived and checks honored in the usual way. It would be difficult to estimate the volume of transactions in this re- partial neurality during the existence spect, but according to the leading of the contest, proclaims the provisions bankers it was gratifyingly large in view of existing conditions.

manifestly growing that the calamity, though harrowing in every detail, will give the city an opportunity to re adjust itself on new and modern plans and that a new city of imposing grandeur

is to rise from the ruins of the old. The progress which has been made today in the work of clearing the debris from the streets in the burned district

eers almost magical. Baltimore street,

near where the fire started, was made cumbacces all the way through. The port. city engineers' department, the build ing inspector and the street cleaning department, all worked in conjunction. No attempt was made to do more than to clear the streets from curb to curb,

walks and back of the building line. Many dangerous walls which overhang the streets were pulled down The most ambituous attempts at razing walls were on Liberty and Lombard streets. At each of these place there are hoisting engines with wire cables, which are fastened to a section of the oppling walls and then wound opon

the spiols. The Hurst building in which the fire started was pulled down. All through the financial district preparations are being made to open safes

exceedingly active to-day in sending

broadcast to every center of trade in

this country and Europe the assurance

that Baltimore is even now in condition

to transact all shipping, grain and for-

eign trade, and that all other lines of

EDITOR TIMES :- The North Carolin- Charlotte Observer, 12th. Roosevelt to-day issued a proclamation ians, temporary residents of Manila, declaring the seutrality of this govern- gave a banquet at the Bay View Hotel, main confined to details of the declarament in the Russo-Japanese war. The Manila, P. I., Wednesday evening, tions of neutrality and to additional December 23, 1903, preparatory to or. information regarding the operations document, after setting forth the existence of a state of war and that the laws genizing a North Carolina society in of the first twenty four hours of hos-

of the United States, without interfer- the Philippine Islands. During the tilities. A dispatch from Tokio, howevening every one imagined himself ever, asserts that it is reported there ing with the free expression of opinion back in the Old North State, and again that the remainder of the Russian and sympathy, or with the open manwith "Tar Heels" good and true. ufacture or sale of arms or munitions of war, nevertheless imposes upon all A most elaborate collation was served persons who may be within their terri- from a handsomely appointed table Wednesday by Japanese vemels which

tory and jurisdiction the duty of an imdaintly decorated. The banquet hall of Manila's finest hostelry was tastefully decorated with bombardment of Port Arthur continpalms and other tropical foliage, and ues. Whether or not these stories are of the United States neutrality law, over the entrance hung a wreath of accurate, it seems to be an accepted which law forbids the acceptance of a roses with the words "North Carolina" fact that the Russian fleet at Port commission to serve either belligerent, suspended below. In the grounds was Arthur has ceased to be regarded as a or enlisting or hiring or retaining anstationed an orchestra which rendered serious menace to Japan's operations other person in the service of either; sweet music during the entire evening, in that vicinity. The assertion of the fitting out and arming, or commission-Capt. L. B. Alexander was toast- Japanese ambassador to London that ing vessels of war, increasing the force master, and in a few well chosen words the plans of his government were long narrated some of the acts of bravery ago matured appears to be borne out either of the belligerents arriving in United States ports, and setting on foot displayed by North Carolina's soldiers by the aggressive and speedy action in time of war, and honors obtained by of the attacking forces, for it is stated any military expedition against either

her civilians in time of peace. He that they attempted to land troops in belligerent. declared that a "Tar Heel" could be the vicinity of Port Arthur, under The proclamation further declares the relied upon always for the upbuilding cover of their naval guns, but were unuse of United States waters to prepare for hostile operations a violation of of patriotism and citizenship. neutrality; that after February 15 there He then suggested a toast from A. J. shall be a lapse only of 24 hours be-Cassidy, E. C. Gudger, James E. Hartween the arrival and departure of warvell and P. E. Strowd, who in turn, reships of the two belligerents from United sponded in a few appropriate words, States ports, and that no warships shall after which Major Thad W. Jones proposed the health of Gov. Aycock, wives, war were indeed a great deal more remain in any port over 24 hours, exsweet-hearts, relatives and friends at than half won. But Russia has cept for necessary repair. home which toast was drunk with much many woops in that vicinity and the

Such ships shall not be permitted to enthusiasm; then the orchestra struck up conflicts on land will doubtless be take in any supplies except provisions and so much coal as may be sufficient with the Old North State Forever which bloody. It is, however, inconceivable long avenue of trade, is clear of en- to carry the vessel to the nearest home was greeted with three cheers and a that without an adequate naval force tiger. A committee with James E. Harvell army so far from home for any length

principles as to the rights of neutrals as chairman was appointed to arrange of time. Her only dependence would great slaughter in prices on at sea contained in the treaty between for another meeting on February 22, be on the railroad, and that is hardly the United States and Russia of 1864 when a permanent organization will be worth considering, as much as has as permanent and immutable, as fol- made.

Among those present were. Major "That free ships make free goods- Thaddeus W. Jones, Lieut. Emmet C. DO YOU GET UP that is to say, that the effects of goods Gudger, Capt. L. B. Alexander, A. J belonging to subjects or citizens of a Cassidy, P. E. Stroud, James E. Harnower or State at war are free from cap- vell, J. B. Barham, W. H. O. Smith, ture and confiscation when found on H. J. Welsh, S. F. Drake, E. W. Wilboard of neutral vessels, with the ex- son, D. S. Smith, Alfred Smith, Albert ception of articles of contraband of A. Mathews, R. E. Walters, William war; that the property of neutrals on N. Ray, Alex. H. Jones and J. W. board an enemy's vessels is not subject Cheesborough. Very Respt., to confiscation, unless the same be con-JAMES HARVELL, Tem. Sec.

traband of war." The proclamation declares that no

person within the United States shall WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.-The report take part in the war, and warns all issued by the Census Buresu to-day of citizens "that while the free and full the quantity of cotton ginned from the expression of sympathies, in public and growth of 1903 up to and including



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Have "eyes bigger than their stomachs," according to an old saying. They over-eat themselves, and are tempted by all sorts of injurious and indigestible edi-bles. As a consequence the foundation of serious stomach trouble is often laid in childhood, For children with "weak" digestion on

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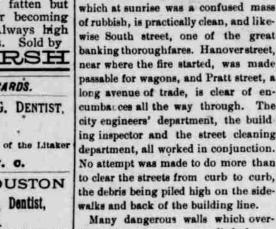
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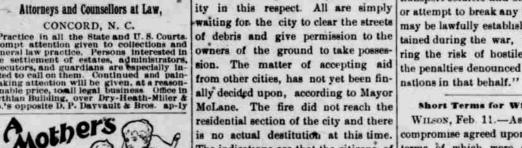
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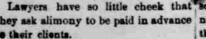
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Ginners' Report.

organized within their jurisdiction; Counting round bales as half bales the and that while all persons may lawfully number is 9,485,537, which compares ney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found organized within their jurisdiction; Counting round bales as half bales the and that while all persons may lawfully number is 3,450,557, which compares and without restriction, by reason of the aforesaid state of war, manufacture and sell within the United States arms, 1903, repsectively.

The report for the entire country is munitions of war and other articles oras follows: 9,038,890 square bales: dinarily known as 'contraband of war,' vet they cannot carry such articles 747,480 round bales; 72,907 Sea Island upon the high seas for the use or ser- crop bales; 9,859,277 total commercial vice of either belligerent. Nor can they bales ginned from the crop of 1902 to transport soldiers and officers of either, December 13, 1902, was 9, 311, 835 and to or attempt to break any blockade which March 14, 1903, was 11,078,882.

The report includes each state sepa may be lawfully established and maintained during the war, without incur- rate. North Carolina is as follows: ring the risk of hostile capture, and North Carolina, 2,733 ginneries, 541, sion. The matter of accepting aid the penalties denounced by the law of 125 square bales, 21 round bales, 541,-146 commercial bales.

> Short Terms for Wilson Mob. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets Unequalled for Consti-WILSON, Feb. 11 .- As the result of a

pation. is no actual destitution at this time. compromise agreed upon last night, the Mr. A. R. Kane, a prominent druggis The indications are that the citizens of terms of which were announced in of Baxter Springs, Kansas, says Baltimore will be fully able to take care court to-day, the alleged members of "Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver of all cases of want that might present the mob which killed Insurance Agent Tablets are, in my judgment, the most themselves. The mayor feels grateful Jones here a year ago, in an effort to superior preparation of anything in use for the many proffers of aid from the run him out of town, go to the State's today for constipation. They are sure citizens of this country and from for- prison for terms ranging from six to in action and with no tendency to ten months. The case was tried some nauseate or grip. For sale by M. L Marsh.

city combined in a public announce- upon a verdict, and the matter had Ratifications of the new treaty ment to-night that none of them have again come up for adjustment, when between the United States and China suffered any loss of securities by the counsel in the case agreed upon a com- within a few days after it was signed fire, and that they are in as good promise, the defendants to plead guilty were recently exchanged by telegraph, condition financially as ever and that of manslaughter. The killing of Jones so that Mukden and Antung in Manthey will be open for business February was a sensational affair. After being churia might be opened to American

warned to leave town because of his altrade before Russia's hold on the terri-A composite estimate of the total loss leged association with a colored woman, tory was made firmer. Now, whatever from the fire by 25 expert representa- a number of men went to Jones' room may be the outcome of the dispute betives of leading insurance companies late at night and made an effort to tween Japan and Russia over that part outside Baltimore places the figures at drive him away. Jones opened fire on of Chins, the United States merchant \$55,000,000. Some of them think that the intruders, severely wounding one may sell his goods there, as Russia has the total loss will be reduced to \$70,- of them, and himself received injuries announced its intention to respect all 000,000, as much aslvage is being dug out of the ruins which was thought to

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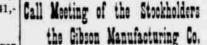
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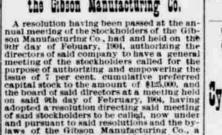
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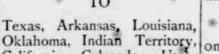


of said stockholders to be called, now under and pursuant to said resolutions and the by-laws of the Gibson Manufacturing Co., a general meeting of said stockholders is here-oy called to be held at the office of said com-pany, in Concord, N. C., at 1:30 o'clock p. m., on Thursday, the 25th day of February, 1994, for the purpose of determining whether or not said amount of preferred capital stock shall be issued. If you cannot be present please and your proxy. J. W. CA.NUON, Pres. E. C. BARNHARDT, Treas

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