

THE ROLLING EXPOSITION

The Handsome Car, "City of Charlotte," containing a magnificent exhibit of the Resources of North Carolina, is in Wilmington...

PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

Charged With Neglect of Duty.—Wake Forest Law School—Gulfport College Notes (Special to The Messenger).

SPRAINING EVERY NERVE

TO PERFECT ARRANGEMENTS FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE

New Military Department Established.

New Warships to be Built and Outfits Purchased—Soldiers Ordered to the Coast Forts—Yankee Being Put in Commission—The Maine's Launch Blown Up Just Before Expulsion Under the Battleship

THREE NEW BATTLESHIPS

and a conclusion on the part of the secretary of war to issue tomorrow morning an order creating a

NEW MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Including within its confines that part of the country which would be in the likelihood nearest to the field of hostilities in case it should come to that.

ORDERED TO MAIN PORTS.

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years testify. To produce the effects noted in the wreck, a torpedo would have to be of enormous size, fully 150 or 200 kilos. I am therefore of opinion that the explosion occurred within the ship.

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