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THE PRESENTATION OF THE FLAG

Miss Peyton's Letter and Captain Gray's Letter of Acceptance—An Inspiration to The Boys.

Camp at Lands End, S. C. Aug. 22 Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir—Under the leadership of the fairest of the fair ladies of your progressive city, a beautiful silken flag has been made and presented to the brave boys who left their homes and went to the war with the Greensboro company.

A pleasant ride by boat from Port Royal sound, the finest harbor on the Atlantic coast, past the naval station with its mammoth dry dock and machine shops, past the quarantine station nestling in a grove of beautiful Palmettos, where are encamped the South Carolina naval reserves, past the monitor Nantucket manned by the Wilmington naval reserves, past the torpedo boat Winslow on which the gallant Bagley died and other war vessels had brought me to St. Helena's Island.

This is one of the far famed sea islands of South Carolina and appears to the approaching visitors as a strip of golden sand surmounted by a wealth of rich green verdure, above which at frequent intervals rises that most graceful and picturesque of all trees, the Palmetto.

The flag was brought forward and appropriately presented, Captain Gray reading the letter of presentation from the Girls Home Guards and the letter of acceptance as, follows: Capt. R. P. Gray, Co. D, 2d Regt., N. C. V.:

Aug. 12, '98. Lands End, S. C., Aug. 20, '98. To the Girls Home Guards of Greensboro, N. C.:

Company D, Second North Carolina Volunteer Infantry, accepts the beautiful silken banner presented by the Girls Home Guard of Greensboro, and in accepting this beautiful token of sympathy we assure the lovely donors and our fellow townsmen generally, that we do so with a full appreciation of the faith and trust they repose in us.

The soft sea breeze caught its silken folds and spread the gorgeous flag in all its beauty to the gaze of the assembly, then there burst forth from those lusty throats cheer after cheer, ending with three cheers and a tiger for the Girls Home Guard.

sunset amid the booming of cannon and the soul-stirring strains of martial music by the garrison band and your correspondent left the field thinking that there are sometimes, after all, happy moments in a soldier's life, which lessen its hardships and privations.

CAPT. BESSENT GOES HOME.

He is Off On a Ten Days Furlough. He is Looking Well.

Jolly, jovial Capt. J. C. Bessett, of the Forsyth Riflemen, spent last night in the city and went to his home in Winston this morning to visit his family. He is off on a ten days furlough.

Capt. Bessett called to see "the boys" in the Telegram office this morning. He is looking splendid and gives a good account of the members of his company. In fact the whole of the First regiment have enjoyed remarkably good health.

There have been but three deaths in the First regiment since it was mustered in. They were Barbee, of Durham, who was killed by the train while enroute to Florida; Corporal Adams, who died from an operation for appendicitis, and another member died of typhoid fever. This is a remarkably good record.

Captain Bessett thinks the first regiment will go to Cuba as a part of the army of occupation, probably sometime in October.

REV. DR. BYRD ILL.

Condition Was Critical, but is Improved Today.

When Rev. Dr. Charles W. Byrd, pastor of Central M. E. church, south, called at the Citizen office yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock he was the picture of health and apparently perfectly well, except that he complained of trouble with his eyesight.

While there Dr. Byrd was suddenly seized with an attack of congestion of the brain, his condition being such as to greatly alarm those who were with him. Drs. Carl V. Reynolds and G. W. Purefoy were hastily summoned and gave all possible aid to the stricken man.

For several hours Dr. Byrd's condition was exceedingly critical, but finally he began to show signs of improvement, and today he was a great deal better. It was expected that he would be so far improved as to be removed to his home this afternoon.

The members of his congregation and the people of Asheville generally will hope for Dr. Byrd's speedy and complete recovery. — Asheville Citizen.

Another Seeks Admission.

Kingston, Jamaica, Aug. 23—Coincident with the West Indian sugar conference to assemble at Barbadoes on September 3rd, for the purpose of protesting against a sacrifice of the colonies, Jamaica is preparing a plebiscite to the British parliament requesting permission to endeavor to arrange for annexation to the United States.

Another Hospital Train.

Philadelphia, Aug. 24—A hospital train started this morning for Fernandina, Fla., to bring home the sick and wounded members of the Third Pennsylvania regiment.

To Pay Manila Troops.

San Francisco, August 24—Over a million dollars in gold and silver will be carried to Manila on the Scandia for the payment of the American troops there.

Spanish in Chicago Schools.

Chicago, August 24—Spanish is being introduced as a regular study in all the public schools in this city.

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WILL TEACH 'EM ENGLISH.

The Santiago Schools Will Re-Open in September

CERVERA'S ORDERS DISPUTED.

Sagasta Makes an "Assertion." Five Hundred Insurgents Killed and Wounded—Other News.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM. Madrid, Aug. 24—The government authorities deny any knowledge of the order given to Admiral Cervera to leave Santiago with the squadron. It is stated that if the order was given out it was done by the governor-general of Cuba and not the Madrid government.

Premier Sagasta asserts that as General Jaudenes is a prisoner of war General Rios the governor of Viñaya is now governor of the Philippines. It was decided at the meeting of the cabinet that cortes will meet on the 15th of September.

It is officially stated that England has complained of the strengthening of the Spanish fortifications in the neighborhood of Gibraltar. A telegram was read from Havana stating that there has been further fighting between the insurgents and the Spanish, in which 500 insurgents were killed, including several chiefs.

WILL TEACH 'EM ENGLISH.

Santiago, Aug. 24—General Wood had a conference with the school commissioners yesterday in regard to opening the public schools to four thousand children of the city who are of school age.

The conference resulted in a decision to open the schools in September, and it was also decided that the salaries of the commissioners be deducted from those of the teachers, and that the increasing sectarianism be eliminated from the schools and that the English be introduced in the course of studies.

Col. Crane's immunes will relieve the troops of General Bates' division in guarding the Spanish camp here. The steamship Special sailed yesterday with four batteries of light artillery. The Linesaki also sailed with part of the Thirty-third Michigan, a squadron of the Second cavalry and a part of the First District of Columbia.

BIG FIRE SIGHTED.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM. Ponce, Aug. 24—A big fire has been seen to the westward of the city, but it has not yet been located. There has been no fire in San Isabel.

The prohibition of the sale of liquor has been ordered for three days preparatory to perfecting arrangements for the regulation of traffic. General Miles is awaiting the arrival of his daughter who is expected to arrive enroute on the Obdam.

THUNDER STORM AT MONTAUK.

The Yale Has Arrived—No Violent Cases of Sickness Aboard. By Wire to THE TELEGRAM. Montauk, Aug. 24—A severe thunder storm last night and early this morning blew down a number of tents. There was no material damage done but a serious inconvenience to the troops was wrought.

Still Leaving Chickamauga.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM. Chickamauga, Aug. 24—The Eighth Massachusetts, Twelfth New York and Twenty-first Kansas regiments left camp today for Lexington. Other regiments are ready to move, but are unable on account of the lack of railroad facilities. The First Illinois cavalry leaves tomorrow morning for Chicago.

Alger Goes to Montauk.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM. New York, Aug. 24—Secretary Alger started for Montauk this morning for the purpose of making an investigating the complaints as to the condition of the food and hospital accommodations.

To Meet on September 13.

London, Aug. 24—The Daily News' Madrid correspondent says: The Cuban and Porto Rican commission will meet on September 13th. The correspondent also says that the Spanish sailors in the United States refused to give parole that they would not take up arms against the republic.

NOTES FROM HIGH POINT.

The Local News From Our Neighbor Briefly Told.

TELEGRAM BUREAU. HIGH POINT, N. C., Aug. 24, '98.

R. C. Charles has purchased the Terry Welborn property of P. L. Payne. The Daughters of Liberty have received their lodge charter.

We are glad to learn that Frank Brown who has been threatened with fever in the camp at Jacksonville is improving slowly. The first-class car of the Asheboro road was taken south last night.

We beg to inform that contemptible coward who dumped a box of glass into the bicycle path on Monday night that the glass was removed yesterday before any tires were punctured. Misses Iola and Alice Hilliard, of Greensboro, who have been visiting friends in the city returned home this morning. They were accompanied by Miss Vera Idol who will spend a few days there.

H. E. Seago, of Albemarle, returned home yesterday. Perrow Johns and Harry Galloway, of Mt. Airy, are visiting W. E. Johns Jr.

H. Clay Bomen and little daughter, Ekhy, went to Greensboro this morning. Miss Ekhy will go on to Pleasant Garden where she will visit relatives.

J. F. Hoffman went to Archdale this morning in the interest of the telephone exchange. A. C. McAllister, of Asheboro, passed through this morning.

Prof. O. W. and E. R. Carr, of Trinity passed through this morning enroute to Greensboro. Philmore Embler died yesterday morning of peritonitis. He was ill only nine days. His remains were carried to Lexington today where they will be interred.

The sidewalk in front of the Millis building is being paved with brick. The bill posters took advantage of the absence of the policemen yesterday by posting bills on the shade trees. The officers have not succeeded yet in catching the law breakers.

A reader who borrowed his neighbors Telegram remarked this morning that some of our items in yesterdays paper were a day or two old. We regret that he failed to see Monday's Telegram which stated that on account of the lateness of the train those items were crowded out. We trust that hereafter he will succeed in beating his neighbor out of the paper every day and will cease growling about a paper which costs him nothing but "cheek."

And She Didn't.

"I shall have to ask you for a ticket for that boy, ma'am." "I guess not." "He's too old to travel free. He occupies a whole seat, and the car's crowded. There are people standing up."

"That's all right." "I haven't time to argue the matter, ma'am. You'll have to pay for that boy."

"I've never paid for him yet, and I'm not going to begin to do it now." "You've got to begin doing it some time. If you haven't had to put up any fare for him you're mighty lucky, or else you don't do much traveling."

"That's all right." "You'll pay for that boy, ma'am, or I'll stop the train and put him off."

"That's all right. You put him off if you think that's the way to get anything out of me."

"You ought to know what the rules of this road are, madam. How old is that boy?"

"I don't know. I never saw him before. If you want a ticket for him you'd better ask that old gentleman down the aisle. He got on with him."

Sailed from Santiago.

Washington, August 23—The following dispatch from General Shafter at Santiago, was received by the war department tonight: "Transport Minnewaska, with the Second Cavalry mounted squadron, headquarters and 256 men of the First District of Columbia, two companies; 95 men, of the Thirty-third Michigan, battalion of engineers, balloon detachment and 35 horses belonging to light batteries, sailed today. The Specialist with four officers, 110 men and horses, belonging to light batteries, will sail soon."

All in Good Shape at Manila.

Washington, Aug. 23—In a dispatch received at the war department tonight General Merritt says that the health and spirits of the troops at Manila are excellent.

IRON AND STEEL COMBINE

Capital of Two Hundred Million Dollars.

FIVE COMPANIES CONSOLIDATED

Others Are Expected to Follow—Believed the Pennsylvania Companies Will Not Go In.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM. Chicago, August 24—It is predicted that a big consolidation of iron and steel companies is to be effected. The property of five companies is already in and there are others to follow. The terms agreed upon are now being put in legal form.

The new combination will include the Minnesota Iron company, with its Duluth Iron Range railroad, the Minnesota Steamship line, the Illinois Steel company with the Chicago, Lake Shore and Western railway, the Southwestern Conellville-Coke company, the Elgin Joliet Eastern railroad, the Lorain Steel company and the Johnson Steel company.

It is believed that the Pennsylvania companies are disposed to keep out of the deal. The capital of this combination is estimated at two hundred million dollars.

Harry Nissen, of Winston and J.K. Pfohl, of Salem, were registered at Jarrell's Hotel last night.

THE MARKETS.

Closing Quotations by Private Wire to W. A. Porterfield & Co.

W. A. Porterfield & Co., commission brokers, furnish us with the following closing quotations of the New York Stock exchange and the Chicago Board of Trade:

The following are the closing quotations of the Chicago Board of Trade: The following are the closing quotations of the New York Stock Exchange: NEW YORK, Aug. 24, 1898

American tobacco..... 139 1/2 Atch. Top. & Santa Fe..... 36 1/2 B. and O..... 117 1/2 C. and O..... 24 1/2 Chic. Bur. and Quincy..... 117 1/2 Chic. Gas..... 104 1/2 Del., Lac. and Western..... 109 Delaware and Hudson..... 144 Erie..... 144 General Electric..... 40 1/2 Jersey Central..... 93 Louisville and Nashville..... 58 1/2 Lake Shore..... 94 1/2 Manhattan Elevated..... 36 1/2 Missouri Pacific..... 165 1/2 Metropolitan and S. railway..... 135 1/2 Northwestern..... 76 1/2 Northern Pacific Pr..... 38 1/2 National Lead..... 118 1/2 New York Central..... 34 1/2 Pacific Mail..... 19 1/2 Reading..... 105 1/2 Rock Island..... 94 Southern Railway..... 35 1/2 Southern Railway Pr..... 112 1/2 St. Paul..... 141 Sugar Trust..... 32 1/2 Tenn. Coal & Iron..... 16 Texas Pacific..... 73 U. S. Leather Preferred..... 94 1/2 Western Union Tel..... 21 1/2 Wabash Preferred..... 67 Wheat, Aug..... 61 1/2 " Dec..... 61 1/2 " Sept..... 63 1/2 Corn, Dec..... 29 1/2 " Apr..... 29 1/2 " Sept..... 29 1/2 " Oct..... 29 1/2 " May..... 29 1/2 " Aug..... 19 1/2 Oats, Sept..... 19 1/2 " Dec..... 19 1/2 " Aug..... 89 1/2 Pork, Dec..... 89 1/2 " Apr..... 89 1/2 " Sept..... 89 1/2 " Aug..... 51 1/2 Lard, Sept..... 51 1/2 " Apr..... 51 1/2 " Dec..... 51 1/2 " Aug..... 51 1/2 Cotton, Sept..... 54 1/2 @ 550 " Dec..... 550 @ 560 " Feb..... 566 @ 577 " March..... 570 @ 571 " April..... 573 @ 575 " May..... 577 @ 578 " June..... @ " July..... @ " August..... 547 @ 549 " Oct..... 554 @ 555 " Nov..... 556 @ 557 " Jan..... 563 @ 564 Spot cotton..... 5 1/2 Puts, 62 1/2 @ ; Calls, 63 1/2 ; Curb 63 1/2

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