



The flagship of Admiral Dewey as the battleship appeared on her homeward voyage, with the Admiral's flag flang to the breeze.

meeting the committee requested the there, but the Moros are friendly with associated Press to publish the folboth Americans and insurgents. lowing: Baton's Maccabebe scouts surprised

two small towns on the Pampanga

Hospital Burned.

Norfolk, Va., Special .-- The main

building of St. Vincent's Hospital, an

institution conducted by Catholic Sis-

ruins today. he dead are: Mrs.

smoke made it impossible to descend

Brevities.

At Ceredo, W. Va., Wednesday after-

noon the contents of a cannon at a sol-

diers' reunion passed through a coach

of a Huntington and Big Sandy train.

glass. Harry Zeigler, of Huntington,

and Mrs. Henry Smith, of Central City

Delegates to the convention of the

had been packed with gravel.

persons witnessed the event.

000, insurance about \$40,000.

"The Dewey national home fund committee has received contributions from about 30,000 citizens, representing river the other night and captured a every State and territory in the Union. few rifles. They exchanged shots with These aggregate \$27,065, exclusive of the enemy, but neither side suffered the contributions received this morn- any loss. This is the first action in in. The fund should be increased which the Maccabebes, who are friendto at least \$50,000 to enable ly to the Americans, have participated the committee to purchase a home at the capital of the nation. which will be a credit to the givers and a pride to to the hero of Manla Bay, Admiral Dewey has indicated to the committee a desire to make Washington his permanent home. He'e as the ranking officer of the Unit- ters of St. Vincent de Paul, was burned States pavy, he will spend the re- ed Thursday morning. The bodies of mainder of his life. The admiral has four inmates were recovered from the indicated his grateful appreciation of the intention of the American people to present him a home and he will ac- White and Mrs. McEwen, both of Norpt it in the spirit in which it is giv- folk; Miss Pippin, Tarboro, N. C., and The committee must close the Cherry Bazemore, aged three, also of and criptions before the end of the North Carolina. The injured dre: next week, before the arrival of Ad-Thomas Barrett, fireman; Miss Kate teive and a knowledge, by the issuing Dolan, Washington, nurse; Miss Terof a souvenir receipt, any contribu- esa Glass, Richmond, Va., nurse. Sevloos. A home will be purchased with eral others were less severely injured. visiever funds the committee may There were no fire escapes upon the tave at the end of next week. The building, and when the flames and the is now so short that the committhe suggests that those who desire to make an immediate success of this the clairway the imperiled inmates work by making liberal contributions went upon the roof and cried for help. to indicate their wishes by telegraph Firemen, police, private citizens and 10 Hon. Ellis H. Roberts, United men of the United States marine corps Sates Treasurer, Washington, D. C., from the Norfolk navy yard rescued who is treasurer of the fund, and to re- them at great risk. Loss about \$200,mit by first mail."

Simpson Hooted Off the stige.

Wichita, Kans., Special .-- Ex-Congressman Jerry Simpson was hooted off the platform here, while addressing More than a half dozen persons were t local G. A. R. reunion. Mr. Simpson injured by flying missiles and broken said: "I glory in the spunk of Aguinto regain the land the Catholics took the coach was broken. The cannen from them."

Keeping the Wires Hot.

League of American Municipalities at Syracuse were late in assembling. Pretoria, By Cable .-- President Kruser has been in telegraphic conference Prior to the session of representatives with President Steyn, regarding the of Charleston, S. C., Atlanta and situation, and the decision of the Raad Peoria, Ill., busied themselves in soliof the Orange Free State is awaited citing support of the claims of their with interest. Large numbers of local respective cities for the convention Denes, Germans, Frenchmen, Holiand- next year. Secretary Gilkeson announced that forty mayors have registered, and 114 cities have representaand Americans have offered their services to Commandant General Jou- tion at the convention. Vert. in the event of hostilities. The John R. Gentry won the race with lder Burghers still fail to see the Joe Patchen at Oklahow. J City O., founds of a casus belli, but, if Mr. Wednesday in two straight heats. Time Chamberlain makes what they would 2:09 and 2:07. The pacers were characterize as "humiliating demands," handicapped, the half-mile track being tuch as, for instance, disarmament, an inferior affair. A crowd of 3,000

war would be inevitable.

Another Georgia Outrage.

Robbers Visit a Miser. Cumberland, Md., Special .- The res-Gzinesville, Ga., Special .- Two unknown negroes are surrounded in a idence of Absolom Kesler, a miserly wamp near the southern end of the farmer, aged 80, living on the West bunty. A posse with Winchesters, Virginia side of the river, near Pawshot guns and blood hounds are in paw, was discovered on fire, at 1

special officers was correspondents accompanied him. tary T. K. Bruner, of the Board of Agriculture, has been corresponding with

a great amount of money got to the

bers.

ings.

deserted, at Nagaski.

Robbery Near Mexico City.

the national authorities who control City of Mexico. Special .- A sonsa- the space allotted to the United States. sional robbery occurred Friday in a He has secured space for this State in suburb of this city. Guardalupe Vas- the departments of agriculture, northquez, an old woman, 85 years of age, culture, mining and fisheries. He is living with her widowed daughter, was now corresponding with parties throughout the State with a view to the victim. The woman was alone and employed no servants, which is unmaking up the exhibits for these sevusual in this country among people eral departments. The matter, it will having property. Every one thought be remembered was discussed at the them exceedingly poor, but this was last meeting of the Board of Agriculonly apparent, for they had a great ture but action was postponed. It sum of money in the house, there bewill be taken up again at the approaching kept in a steel box \$50,000 in bank ing meeting and it is hoped that a suitbills, the proceeds of the sale of a able appropriation may be secured for haciedna near this city. Besides this the purpose. It will be the purpose of sum there were many thousands of dolthose preparing the exhibit to make lars kept in the wardrobes, in stock- North Carolina come out prominently ings or between the leaves of books. among other States in all the several In some way news that the women had lines of exhibits.

ears of some men who came in the Of Itnerest to Tar Heels. Hereafter no child under twelve house, and hired a large corral at its rear, for the purpose, the old woman years old will be allowed to work in the East Ducham cotton mill. This says, of keeping pigs. Their purpose rule is to go into effect this week. All get married even tho' it should make was robbery, as now appears, and Fr!day morning, the mother being alone of the mills of the city are now practiin the house these men came and on cally under one management, and if them out of doors and not leave them we are did mistaken this rule already anything when he died. So on Sunthe pretense of having a message to prevails in the West Durham mill. day morning Jack took Kate by the deliver were let in by the old woman, whom they seized and bound with Good schools are maintained in both hand and boldly they went into the ropes. They then took the steel box East and West Durham, and the manwith the \$50,000 and decamped, but agamont of the mills are determined omitted to search for other money. that children at least shall have the The women on being interrogated by advantage of them. This action, while it may seem a hardship to some of the the police said they had heard that parents, is proper and but justice to bank clerks had been stealing money the children. A cotton mill or any from banks and they were afraid to caher mill, for that matter, is not a fit deposit their funds. Many. arrests place for a child under twelve years have been made and the police are old. Let such work as this continue. -Durham Herald. confident they have discovered the rob-

The four year old son of Mr. J. W Prosington, of Gulledge township.

came very near being killed by hogs Two Transports Arrive at Manile. recently. The little fellow climbed Washngton, Special.-General Otis over into his father's pasture and was has informed the War Department of set upon by a large hog and knocked the arrival at Manila of the down, and received a severe gaah cut transport Ohio, with the men in the face before he could be rescued. from the wrecked transport Mor- If his seven year old brother had not gan City. She left two sick men at Na- succeeded in frightening the hogs away gaski. The City of Sydney also reached the little fellow would probably have Manila, today. There were no deaths been torn to pieces .- Wadesboro Mesduring the voyage, and but one man senger.

> At Mocksville about \$10,000 of the fur niture factory stock has been subscrib-

Grand Lodge Adjourns. ed and a charter applied for. As soon Detroit, Mich., Special.-The 75th as the charter is received the stockannual meeting of the Odd Fellows Sovereign Grand Lodge adjourned sine holders will elect officers. The lot has die Saturday. Action was taken provid- been bought which adjoins the Masoning for trial and punishment of any ic picnic grounds and is near the rail-Odd Fellow who connects himself in road. O. L. Williams, L. G. Horn, any manner with any insurance conand Rev. H. H. Jordan have been ancern which conducts business in violapointed a committee to have the buildtion of Odd Fellows' rules by assuming ings erected, which will be done at the name of Odd Fellows or otherwise, It was voted, however, that the Odd once. The factory is at last an assur-

Fellows' Relief association of Canada ed fact and will prove a vast benefit to can retail its name. A committee was the town. appointed to prepare a scheme for exercises annually for September 20, A State convention of truckers will which is Rebekah Day. The sovereign be held in Raleigh on Wednesday of body ordered cutting all superfluities

the State fair, October 18th. out of its official journal of proceed-The purchase of the Caledonia farm (camps No. 1 and 2) has been formally authorized by the executive board of Didn't I make my sailors scrub ship

Enlistments Under Last Call. Washington, D. C., Special .- The on- the State prison. The tract includes this morning before sunrise as we

listment to date of soldiers in the 7,290 acres in Halifax county, and the came into port, and don't we always volunteer regiments last called out is property is bought of the beirs of the scrub ship on Saturday. What are you 9,231, of which 418 were secured Fri- J. A. Futrell estate. The price to be thinking about." day. The 38th regiment at Jefferson paid is \$61,665; and the purchase mon-

Rae. In these days of telegraph and a general sentiment of your people. ocean cables it seems very funny to us Very respectfully. FLIHIT ROOT. veterans that when a message is soul Secretary of War. from London It gets here two or three hours before it starts, and if we send

before. How is that.

and lived on it for about a year, and

thought the old captain didn't know

" liardin Made Captain, a telegram to San Francisco to-day at Friday the governor's office was nonoon it gets there at nine o'clock tified that Capta'a Joseph S. Hardin. this morning. The battle of Manile formerly of Co. D (Lee Light Infantry) was fought on Sunday morning, but in the First South Carolina volunteers, the news of it came on Saturday night had been commissioned a captain in the new Forty-sixth regiment, United same,

Edgar Poe wrote a pretty little story States volunteers, now organizing for called "Three Sundays in a Week." in service in the Philippines. Captain which he told about a young unan whe Hardin has been appointed in the place was adopted and reared by a rica old of Captan Mobley, who resigned. This is a compliment to Captain Hardin's bachelor uncle who had been a sea capqualifications as a soldier. He spect tain, but how the old sailor was to some time at West Point and made one leave his nephew a large fortune if he of the best officers in the regiment. behaved to suit him. The old man was It was generally thought that Mr. cross and contrary and the young man Spahr would get this appointment, but his failure to do so is very likely due was awfully uneasy for tear he would to the fact that the War Department do something to displease him. At has given no appointments in the new last he fell in love, of course, with a regiments to men who have held less very poor but a pretty glip named than a captain's commission in the Kate. They kept their love a secre war with Spain.

Palmetto Notes.

It was stated Friday that the agents it, but he did. So they determined to of the sinking fund commission had in looking over the list of property not in the old man mad and he should turn the tax books determined to look into the right to tax the grounds and build- plant on Main Broad river. Its repreings of the State Fair Society, and had submitted the question to the attorney general as to whether taxes could ret old man's presence and told nim all be collected on this property. The atabout it, and that they had come for torney general has as yet rendered no bis consent and for him to fix the day opinion. The property belongs to the when they should be married. The old municipality of Columbia, and is held fellow was really glad of it. for he by the State Fair Society so long as its liked the girl, but he couldn't help be- fairs are held annually. neither the ing contrary and so he blustered city, the fair society &, may one else go a cent of profit out of the property around and pretended to be very mad, but the attorney general will doubt and finally wound up by saying: "y'es, 'esa look luto the law catoful'y and you may get married, and I'll say when the agents will act in accordance with -yes when. Well, you may get mar his decision. ried when there are three Sundays in

Gov. McSweeney has received and a week. Yes, then and not before." accepted the resignation of S. S. Du-This was awful and the sad young couple were about to leave when there was a knock at the door. When it in Georgetown county. No successo was opened two sailors, sea enptains, has yet been appointed. He his also too, came rushing in and selzed the received and accepted the resignation

old man's hands and hugged him, and all three got jolly, for they were old of E. C. Martin as a magistrate in chums and had not seen each other for Anderson county. The delegation will a year. The old uncle introduced them be saked to recommend a successor. to the young man and Kate and said Last June there graduated from the something nice about them. He stor South Carolina College a young man brought out some fine old Madelra and who broke all records at that institumade everybody take a drink. After tion. John Swearingen, of Edgefield. while Captain Pratt said: "Well, now though blind, went through the entire I remember that the last time we were college course and graduated at the together we had a royal game of carde head of his class. He was pronounced Suppose we have another game as a by the faculty the most remarkable

man they had ever known. Upon hi graduation Mr. Swearingen went to his "Oh, no," said the old uncle. "Cool home in Edgefield, where he has quifriends you forget that this is Sunday etly spent the summer. Now he has and true Englishmen never piny cards been elected a professor in the State on Sunday." "Sunday, indeed," ex-Institution for the Deaf. Dumb and claimed Captain Pratt. "It is Mon-Blind at Cedar Springs, and soon entera upon his duties there. It is unday. Yesterday was Sunday, and) had prayers on board ship as I alderstood to be his purpose to save his money and complete his education at ways do." Captain Smithson by this Harvard University. He is ambition time was excited and exclaimed: "Why to enter the legal profession. you both are crazy. To-day is Satur-

At Greenwood a petition is being airday and to-morrow will be Sunday culated asking the city council to order an election on the question of establishing a dispensary. The requisite number of signatures will doubtless be obtained and the election ordered.

Then the old uncle laughed and commission to W. P. Pollock, James

tribute money to this purpose they yeasel with the same disastrous result may send it to Capt. R. P. Reinhardt. to the enemy, and, loading yet again, Wadesboro, N. C., and it will be ex- he turned his guns on the transport following, with a thousand men aboard pended in the proper direction.

I hope the secular and religious of her. She, in response, ran up a press of the State also will send such white flag. "The rest of the fleet turnreading matter as they may doem ed and salled away, leaving the dead proper, and they will be doing an unfortunate people a service by copying this article and calling attention to the is variously called), paudled himself. J. A. BROWN, Chairman I westigating Committee.

State Notes.

An enterprise that is just as feasible as it is vast has been finally arranged | commander of the fort didn't come in that means much to Shelby and surrounding towns. It is the harnessing ing replied, "I am the commander and of the rushing, tumbling waters of have come in person." to which the of the rushing, tumbling waters of Main Broad river so that its volume may be used in the transmission of electrical power sufficient to operate no other way of getting here, and the mil's of Shelby, Gauney, King's hence I came in my dugout." He re-Mourrain, Gastonia, and Cherryville ceived the surrender, paroled the pri-This is no idle speculatics, but an ac- somers, for he could not take them in compliched fact. The riparian rights charge, and went back to his comrades, have been secured and the plant will Of these forty, only one had received be established within the next few a wound at all, though the gunboats months. The General Electric compa- had shelled the little mud earthwork

diligently. ny, a corporation of ample capital, will establish on electric generative. In the history of the world nothing similar, unless it he the battle of New sentative, Mr. Giles, of Adama, acom- Orleans, has ever happened, and yet, pacied by Mr. H. D. Wheat, a promi- such is the large carelesaness of the nent man of Gaffney, was here last Southern character in recording its week. Contracts were signed by both wonderful and numerous deeds of the Belmont mills and Shelby cotton beroism, that but little notice has ever mills, in which they agree to take suf- been taken of this extraordinary battle, ficient power to run both mills by elec--Democracy of Nashville. tricity. This electric power will be

furnished at a much less cost than either coal or wood can be obtained. The Gaffney mills will also be operated "I understand that you were in that by the same molive power, as will the lift which fell five stories the other mills of other towns mentioned above day. How did it feel as it was going The plant will be enabled to generate down?" "Just as I feel when I get power within a radius of thirty miles, within sight of my home at night ten Shelby Annora.

minutes inte and) suddenly remember The secretary of agriculture was tothat my wife wanted me to get home day requested by John W. Cunningearly, as she had arranged for a dinnes. ham of Person county to call a State convention of cotton growers for Octo- party."-Tit-Bits. ber 21st, and said he would comply

with the request. The secretary of Siste has issufads that four toy ladis rubber haled articles of incorporation to the Catawha cotton mills of Newton. A loons attached to a yard of whiprord C. The capital stock is \$25,660, with make a "swimming helt or life busy, privilege of increase to \$160,000. The incorporators are John P. Yount, Eabert B. Knox and Edw. P. Shruta, all of Catawba county.



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bodies of the drowned soldiers and the

aunken vessels. Dowling, in a ducout

(this is a hollow log for a canoe, as it

out to receive the surrender of this

transport with a thousand men. The

commande; of the vessel expressed

his surprise at such a reception of his

white-flag token, and asked why the

person to receive his surrender. Dowi-

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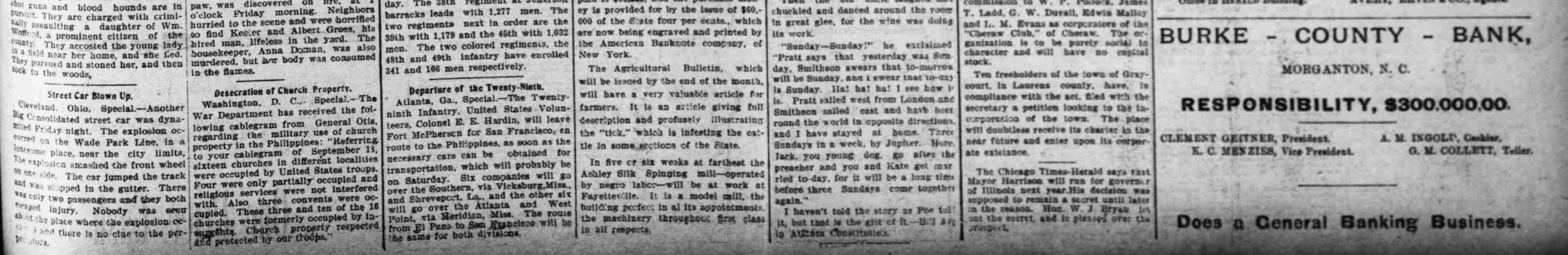
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