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AMERICAN ENERGY AND RESOURCES.

The past seven [illegible]

[illegible]

The lesson [illegible] Americans [illegible] laughed at the [illegible]

But with [illegible] Maine [illegible] the American [illegible] tered into a war with [illegible] passed [illegible]

[illegible]

TALK FUSION, BUT DENOUNCE DEMOCRATS

The efforts of Senator Butler to take the leadership of the Democratic party in this State, are not meeting with the success which that unscrupulous politician hoped for.

The truth is that the people of North Carolina are becoming too well acquainted with the wily Butler and are suspicious of any and every thing he may try to do.

However smooth and plausible may be the overtures of Marion Butler for Populist-Democratic fusion, however easy his talk, no better insight into the actual feelings and purposes of the man is wanted than to read his personal newspaper,

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of listen to the [illegible] of his lieutenant, Hal W. Ayer.

[illegible]

WORTHY OF EMULATING.

[illegible]

Long Will Report

[illegible]

Worthy Men Promoted

The President doubtless offended a few people prominent in the political and social world when he announced that under no circumstances would he give a general's commission in the volunteer to a man who had not had experience as a soldier, but he pleased thousands and his action will make him new admirers all over the country, among those who believe that the principal business of a volunteer army is to fight, and that it should be officered by men who knew how to conduct that business. It only those in Washington, who know of the enormous pressure that had been brought to bear in favor of the would-be parlor generals, who can fully appreciate the backbone displayed by the President in turning the whole crowd down for good and all.

ONE WEEK AGO

Will the Manila Fight be Matched at Porto Rico?

WHY DEWEY WON.

He Had the Guns to do it With and Used Them

FIGHTING AT MATANZAS

Report That the Fleet Is Again Bombarding. Talk About Alger Resigning. Spain Can Use Suez Canal. News Expected From Sampson Very Soon.

The Manila Fight

Special to Journal.

Washington, May 2. There [illegible] the battle of Manila [illegible] to explain [illegible] result of the fight.

According to the [illegible] accounts of the [illegible] the short [illegible] Dewey [illegible] today, eleven Spanish [illegible] destroyed, making [illegible] of the fleet complete [illegible] Spaniards were killed and [illegible] wounded, the Spanish [illegible] were completely silenced, and [illegible] Islands were completely [illegible] on the part of the Americans [illegible] the report says that only six were wounded, and none killed, and the [illegible] vessels were little injured.

[illegible]

At Porto Rico.

[illegible] Navy Department that a fight [illegible]

The Admiral is now [illegible] Navy Department are [illegible] near Porto Rico [illegible]

The [illegible] at the Navy Department [illegible] Oregon, Marietta and Nictheroy.

Future of Philippines.

[illegible]

discipline and their ultimate fate will be decided when the treaty of peace with Spain is made. They cannot [illegible] be given back to Spain [illegible] the United States.

Thanks to Dewey

By direction of President McKinley Secretary Long [illegible] the following cable [illegible] Dewey, Manila. The president, in the name of the American people, thanks you [illegible] and your men for your [illegible] achievement and overwhelming [illegible] gress.

Commissioner Dewey [illegible] taken possession of [illegible] arsenal at Manila [illegible]

On Cuban Coast

The American [illegible] Matanzas, Cuba, again [illegible] The firing was [illegible] the torpedo boat Dupont and [illegible] Hornet. Heavy damage was [illegible] to the Spanish forts and some Spaniards were killed.

Plans for sending [illegible] Cuba are in a state of suspense [illegible] Sampson's fleet. [illegible] in the War Department has increased rather than diminished [illegible] mobilization of [illegible] news of Dewey's victory at Manila. The regiments at the [illegible] are reported to be in good condition for service.

The blockading fleet at Havana keep close watch over the place. The gunboat Wilmington has been lying only [illegible] from Morro Castle.

Yet [illegible] that some of the [illegible] to support the contention [illegible] by Spain that the blockade of Cuba by the United States fleet is invalid on the ground of its being ineffective.

Don Carlos, the Spanish pretender, still maintains a peaceful attitude towards the Spanish government. He claims to have instructed the leaders of his party [illegible] to weaken the cause of Spain in the present crisis of her national life.

In usually well informed circles at the Capital it is understood that Secretary Alger will resign from the Cabinet. This is because of strained personal relations with Secretary [illegible] and the personal [illegible] Merritt [illegible] for the invasion of Cuba.

Retaking Philippines

[illegible] the Suez canal [illegible] warships.

Congratulations to Raleigh

Special to Journal.

Raleigh, May [illegible] Mayor Russ received the following telegram:

"Cruiser Raleigh [illegible] City of Raleigh through New York Herald sends news of victory."

Mayor Russ replied with heartiest congratulations to the [illegible] and her crew.

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Blanco's Tactics.

Key West, May 5. Captain General Blanco is in desperate straits. He is already thinking of abandoning Havana and the entire western part of Cuba, apparently realizing that it will soon be come untenable.

Theatres and public schools in Havana are closed. Beef has risen from twenty-four cents to $1 a pound, and other provisions are correspondingly high.

To keep up the spirit of the people General Blanco has military bands playing continuously in the parks, and the newspapers issue an extra announcing Spanish success.

MOTHER! There is no word so full of meaning and about which such tender and holy recollections cluster as that of "Mother," she who watched over our helpless infancy and guided our first tottering step. Yet the life of every Expectant Mother is beset with danger and all effort should be made to avoid it. **Mother's Friend** so assists nature in the change taking place that the Expectant Mother is enabled to look forward without dread, suffering or gloomy forebodings, to the hour when she experiences the joy of **Motherhood.** Its use insures safety to the lives of both Mother and Child, and she is found stronger after than before confinement; in short, it "makes Childbirth natural and easy," as so many have said. Don't be persuaded to use anything but

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He Needed Encouragement.

Silas Perkins had rented land from Squire Dowling and soon after he moved into the new home his wife died. Silas [illegible] at home with very dejected spirits for several days, but early one morning he called at Squire Dowling's house and said:

"Squire, I hain't no no lit to make a crop."

"[illegible] brace up, Silas," said the squire. "I know it is bad for a man to lose his wife, especially such a helpful and encouraging one as yours, but it will not [illegible] give up."

"[illegible] I hain't got no encouragement [illegible]"

"I['ll] give you all the help you need [illegible] what I can to make life pleasant [illegible]"

"Yes, but you'll hev to gimme in [illegible] I can't do nuthin'."

"[illegible] that is what I'm doing, isn't it?"

"Naw, you're just a talkin' 'bout what I orter do. I'll hev to git some incouragement to work, like my wife uste to give me."

"That's what I'm going to give you."

"Shore nuff?"

"Certainly."

"Waal, jest come down to my shack every mornin' an' say jest ez sharp and gingery ez you can, 'Git outen tho bed, Silas Perkins, you low down scallaway. You air the sorriest an' no-count-est critter in 40 mile or here an' ef you don't hustle right outen here I'll have the White Caps after you this very night.' That's the speech Tildy Ann hez been makin' to me every mornin' these 15 year back, an' things peers lonesum an' disolate at home without it. Then after you've made the speech you want to fling a chair an' two er three pots into the bed an' fetch a yell like er wild Injun. Then I'll stretch myself an yawn an begin to crawl out. No, suh, squire, no man knows what a great source o' encouragement Tildy Ann wuz to poor me."—Atlanta Journal.

In the Tall Buildings.

The man who when he goes to a lofty modern building to see somebody on the tenth floor finds an express elevator whose first stop is at the seventh floor, ready to start, and so reaches the tenth floor almost before he knows it, is sure to be impressed by the experience even though it may not be new to him.

Another thing that is sure to impress a visitor is the local travel that has sprung up in the tall buildings. While in an elevator he will see some one get on at one floor and get off at another. It may be that some concern has offices on one floor and rooms for drafting or for other work on another, or there may be business relations between separate concerns on different floors and going to and fro between them just as there would be along the street between them if they were on the street level. And then there are buildings in which, on floor above floor, business of the same nature is carried on, and in which customers go from floor to floor without coming down to the street again until they have visited all the concerns with which they may have occasion to do business.

So that, taken altogether, to one not over familiar with it there is still likely to be found much of interest in the use of the modern elevator.—New York Sun.

Chinese Playing Cards.

John Chinaman is almost, if not quite, as versatile as the Hindoos in the variety of his cards and games. The Chinese packs vary in number considerably. They consist of from 30 to 120 cards, the latter being called "[illegible]." They also vary in size, color and quality. As in cricket, the Chinese sport a "joker" [illegible] a plain card which can take the place of any other card. Some packs have rounded corners, with distinctive suit symbols marked on each card, while others are rectangular.

The number of games played by the Chinese is apparently without end. The khanpai packs are popular. Khanhoo is a very well known game in the celestial empire, so much so, indeed, that an English gentleman connected with the customs service in China ordered some khanhoo packs to be manufactured by a well known English firm, with a view of popularizing the game in England.

Fantan is another very popular game in China. Its distinctive feature is that no one except the bank has ever been known to leave the table a winner.—Chicago News.

Cause and Cure of Insomnia.

Writing of "Insomnia" in The Woman's Home Companion, Ella Morris Kretschmar calls attention to a prevalent cause of sleeplessness.

"Unless our sleep be very profound, we still carry on a sort of self consciousness. We lie down, and we muscularly hold ourselves in any position assumed. We do not abandon our head to the pillow, our limbs to the bed. We hold them there. We must unhinge, as it were, so that head or any member would drop limp if the rest of the body were lifted. Imagine them heavy and dropping down, down, and you will soon acquire the trick, finding, as a reward, that in the grateful release from muscular tension the mind relaxes as well."

The Pessimist.

Perry Patettic—Oh, well, they say that fortune knocks once at every guy's door.

Wayworn Watson—That's a great lot of consolation for a guy that ain't got no door.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The length of the coast line of the United States, according to the coast survey, is 5,715 miles, embracing 2,349 miles on the Atlantic ocean, 1,556 on the gulf of Mexico and 1,810 on the Pacific ocean.

In the river Llano of Texas little islands of floating sand are sometimes seen.

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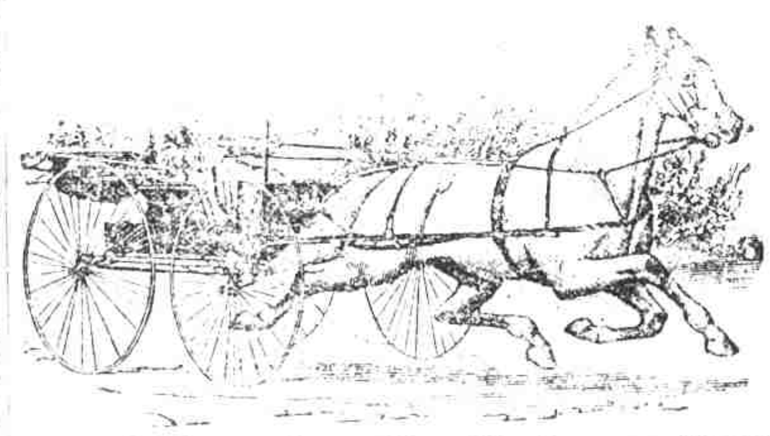

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