RIGID MARTIAL LAW DECLARED IN SPAIN

Admiral Bermejo's Responsibility for the Defeat.

NO WAR NEWS CAN BE PRINTED BY SPANIARDS

poned for a Few Hours-Spaniards Send Out Fake Stories.

UNDER MARTIAL LAW.

Will Hold Spanish Admiral Responsible For the Defeat.

MADRID, May 3 .- The Cubinet in consequence of excitement of public indignation has officially proclaimed Madrid under martial law. Constitutional rights will not be suspended. Deputy Gasset will submit to the chamber to-day a motion inquiring into the responsibility of Admiral Bermejo, Minister of Marine, for the Manilla disaster.

COMMUNICATION STILL CLOSED.

By Telegraph to The Times. NEW YORK, April 3.—The Commercial Cable company advise this morning that communication with Ma-

PROMOTE DEWEY AT ONCE.

Admiral Jonett Wishes the World to

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 3.-Admiral Jouett said if he had the authority he would promote Commodore Dewey by telegraph to let the world know that this country instantly recognized his valorous service.

LATE WAR BULLETIN THE WAR WIGOR. CABINET CRISIS AT DAY ARE FAKES AS THE CABLE MADRID AVERTED FOR THE WAS CUT AT THAT HOUR. OF SPAIN TO MAKE A SUPREME EFFORT AGAINST AMERICA.
TROOPS AND SUPPLIES TO BE AMERICAN WATERS.

SPAIN'S ANNENIAS.

The Fake Telegrams Will Never Pacify Spanish People.

LONDON, May 3.-A Madrid despatch says the Spanish Colonial office had advices of the beginning of the bombardment of Manilla before the cable was cut saying "Thus far the American shells have not reached the town proper, which is strongly protected. Only outlying native quarters suffered. They are now in flames. Occasionally a shell fell in the European town, where a few houses were struck. The batteries at the citadel, especially the six large guns, are vigorously replying to the American fire and inflicted considerable damage to the

SUPREME COURT.

Twelveth District. Commissioners of Buncombe v. Payne argued by Avery, Moore and Mark M. Brown for plaintiff; Battle for defend-

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defendant,
Jones v. Phea, argued by Adams. latter and Jones and Boykin for plain-

Bingham School v. Gray, argued by J. W. Graham for plaintiff; F. S. Blair, R. O. Burton, R. T. Gray for defendant. The argument in this case will be resumed this (Wednesday) morn-

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 8.-None of the stories from Spanish sources of the battle of Manilla appear to authorities so ridiculous as the statement that Dewey fired on Manilla and the Spanish ships with petroleum bombs.

ADMINISTRATION SATISFIED.

Dewey's Victory.

No special report concerning the engagement at Manilla. The London ries convey enough information to satisfy the Administration that Commodore west of Morro castle and with the consent of commander Converse of the sent of commander Converse of the sent of commander to Havana. It man Blanchard, of the joint traffic association, will be nominated Brigadier is supposed she will leave to-morrow General of volunteers to take charge of with the British subjects desirous of transportation of troops.

THE CASTINE'S PRIZE.

KEY WEST, FLA., May 3.-The gun coat "Castine" brought in "Paco," prize schooner, this morning.

NOW FOR FAKES.

THE CABLE COMPANY ASSERTS LATE ADVICES FROM MADRID THAT ALL MESSAGES CLAIMING STATE THERE IS NO IDEA OF TO HAVE BEEN SENT FROM MA-TO HAVE BEEN SENT FROM MA-WAGED WITH GREATER NILA SINCE 10 O'CLOCK MON-

LATE BULLETINS.

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THE "MINNEAPOLIS."

By Telegraph to The Times. HIGHLAND LIGHT, MASS., April 3.—The Minneapolis passed out at nine o'clock this morning going southward.

THE NEW ORLEANS.

By Telegraph to The Times. BLOCK ISLAND, R. I., April 3. The New Orleans passed here at ten o'clock, east bound.

By Telegraph to The Times. PROVINCETOWN, MASS.. April 3.—The "San Francisco" arrived in this port this morning.

DEWEY'S PROMOTION.

By Telegraph to The Times, WASHINGTON, D. C.April 3.— Secretary Long says Commodore Dewey will be "Acting Admiral" and after ward will be promoted to "Rear Ad-

Prof. Preston Lewis Gray, of the William Bingham School, is at the Yarborough. Dr. B. F. Dixon, of Shelby, is here

versity Medical College, is at her bed-Judge T. C. Fuller, Mr. Jones Fuller, Mr. Thomas Eturtenant and Mr.

SIMPLY RIDICULOUS.

Lendon Stories Sufficient to Guarantee

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 3.

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"THE SAN FRANCISCO."

to-day.

Mr. W. H. Williamson returned this days. morning from Burlington.

Mrs. E. M. Hayes is much improved to-day. Mr. J. M. Hayes, of the Uni-

Staples Fuller left to-day for Carteret Lodge for a week's fishing trip,

CONCENTRATE FORCE TO FIGHT AT HAVANA

Will Make a Desperate Effort in Cuban Waters.

AMERICAN OFFICERS ARE MADE JUBILANT

Cabinet Crisis Is Alleged to be Only Post- The Monotonous Blockade Will be Ended Mustering in of Troops Began This Afterand the Fight Will Begin in Cuban Waters.

> SPAIN CONCENTRATES FORCE | Will Make a Great Effort in Cuban Waters.

By Cable to The Times. LONDON, April 3.—It is reported that Spain will now concentrate her force for battle in Cuban waters.

NUMBER ORDERED.

BRITON NEEDS PR

BRITONS LEAVING CUBA.

The Cruiser Talbot Allowed to Enter Havana Harbor.

By Telegraph to The Times. KEY WEST, April 3.—The British leaving Cuba.

THE MONOTONY ENDED.

Officers Enthusiastic Over Proposed Attack on Porto Rico.

By Telegraph to The Times. KEY WEST, April 3.-There is in ense activity on Sampson's fleet. Expected that a speedy attack will be made on Porto Rico. The vessels are coaling and preparing for service. A conference was held between Admiral Sampson and the leading Captains under his command. It is supposed that the bombardment of Havana will open with hostilities in all Cuban ports. The officers are enthusiastic over breaking the monotonous blockade.

INSURGENTS HOLD BAYAMO.

KINGSTON, MAY 3.-THE SPAN IARDS HAVE EVACUATED BAYA MO. THE PRINCIPAL TOWN SANTIAGO. IT IS NOW OCCUPIED BY INSURGENTS.

LATE WAR BULLETIN.

CABLES CUT FIFTY MILES FROM MANILA LAST EVENING. TELEGRAPH COMPANIES AN-NOUNCE THAT IT IS IMPOS-SIBLE FOR ANY WORD TO HAVE COME FROM MANILA SINCE 10 O'CLOCK MONDAY MORNING.

A WEEK OR MORE MAY ELAPSE BEFORE CABLE CAN BE REPAIRED, SPANIARDS EVACU ATE BAYAMO, IMPORTANT TOWN EASTERN CUBA NOW OCCUPIED BY INSURGENTS. LONDON FI-NANCIERS INTERPRET THE NEWS AS MEANING WAR WILL NOT LAST LONG.

J. O. T. A. M.

Regular meeting of Raleigh Council No. 1, this evening at 8 o'clock in their hall over Citizens National Bank. There will be initiation. Visiting brethren invited to attend.

MAINTENANCE OF VOLUNTEERS

Washington, D. C., May 2,-A decis ion has been rendered to the War Department regarding the maintenance of volunteer recruits, holding that the time between enrollment and muster into the United States service, referred to in the general orders of the department, as the interval during which the United States will provide for the maintenance of volunteer recruits, cannot ordinarily under the army regulations exceed six

Durham, Winston and Waynesville perhaps have the bulge on the other, has been officially notified that Admiral the regiment is now formed. The Govboys so far as the size of the individuals are concerned. They are tall, robust and the end on board the flagship Olympia. handsome men. Indeed, Camp Grimes is a perfect bee hive of as gallant and handsome soldiers as ever lined up for battle.

TO INVADE CUBA AT ONCE,

WASHINGTON, MAY 3.—CABI-NET DECIDED TO INVADE CUBA TWENTY THOUSAND MEN IM-ME, TATELY, TRANSPORTS THAT

BRITON NEEDS PROTECTION. Refugees From Cuba Bring News From Baracon's Consul.

By Telegraph to The Times, KINSTON, April 3.—Fifty resugees arrived here this morning. The British Consul at Baracoa instructed the captain of the steamer to inform the

inthorities that he needed protection. ATTACK ON SAMPSON'S FLEET.

CADIZ, May 3.-The second Spanish fleet has completed preparations for sailon Sampson's fleet.

WAR WILL BE SHORT.

England May Have a New Ambassador to America.

LONDON, May 3.-It is rumored here his morning that the British Ambassaor at Washington will be succeeded by Sir Thomas Sanderson. The Stock Exchange interprets the news from various points as meaning that war will not last

18,000 SOLDIERS AT TAMPA.

TAMPA, FLA., May 3-Ten thousand oldiers are already camped here. Eight thousand are due to arrive to-night.

MANILLA CAPTURED.

A Report Said to Come from Reliable Source. HONG-KONG, May 3.—It is considered reliable information to-day that Commodore Dewey captured Manilla in cou-

junction with the insurgents. They are organizing a provisional government. (The above telegram comes in the same service with the statement that cable was cut at 10 o'clock Monday. Since such false reports are current, it is printed for what it worth, but is not vonched for-Times.)

MR. A. D. BROWN DEAD. Father of Mr. N. A. Brown Passed Away

At Red Springs. Mr. N. A. Brown, of the Revenue Departments, to-day received a telegram from Red Springs announcing the death of his father, Mr. A. D. Brown, at his

home in that town. Mr. Brown was in his 65th year in ceble health. He leaves five children-Messrs N. A. Brown, of Raleigh; John N. and A. C. Brown, of Red Springs, and two daughters. Mr. N. A. Brown left this morning to attend the funeral,

SHAW COMMENCEMENT.

The programme for the commencement at Shaw University, May 8th to 12th, is] is follows: Sunday, May 8th-Baccalaureate Ser-

Tuesday, May 10th-Commencement Missionary Training School. Wednesday, May 11th-Unveiling of Crosby Monument at Mount Hope Cemetery. Prize Reading. Thursday, May 12th-Commencement Exercises and Annual Meeting of the

Alumni Asociation. WHAT A LIE.

MADRID, May 3.-The government Dewey cut the Manilla cable and carried

The Centenial Graded School will hereafter open for work at 8:30 a. m., instead of 9 o'clock.

FIRST REGIMENT FORMED TO-DAY

The Cortes Will be Asked to Inquire Into Spain's Second Fleet Ready to Sail and They Col. J. F. Armfield and Former Captains Formally Ordered to Command the First Volunteer Regiment.

THREE NEW COMPANIES HAVE NOW ARRIVED

noon-Few Men Refused on Account of Physical Examination.

this afternoon, and Capt. John C. Gresham is rapidly dispatching the work.

Dr. Winter, the United States Army Surgeon, who is to conduct the physical examination, began his work last night with the field officers, and this morning one by one he took the men who are to form the rank and file of the army from

North Carolina. At 12 o'clock three hundred men had been examined, but there was no one except Dr. Winters that knew who had passed or failed on the examination. It those who have some serious fault physi-

cally will be refused. Dr. Winter said to a reporter that it was one of the finest bodies of volunteers he ever saw. The men all look strong and healthy, and there is not an unwell

man in camp so far reported. The work of organization of the companies was begun to-day, and orders forming the regiment were also issued by Adjutant General Cowles,

Early this morning the first order issued placed Colonel Armfield in command. The following is a copy of the original

"General Order No. 2. "Col T. F. Armfield, First Regiment North Carolina Volunteers, U. S. Army, is hereby appointed commanding officer of the camp of mobilization (Camp Bryan Grimes.) He will be obeyed and respected accordingly. Col. Armfield will, in addition to enforcing discipline of the camp, approve all papers pertaining to the Quartermaster and Commissary De- ditional men that arrive this afternoon. partments, that may be presented to him by Lieutenant F. C. Marshall, U. S. A. He will also assign captains of companies to rank as such from original commission

in the State Guard. "A. D. COWLES," "Adjutant General." This order was issued shortly before

12 o'clock, and at 2 o'clock it was posted at Camp Bryan Grimes. This is the first act that begins regular discipline, and was the first official order granting proper authority to

Col. Armfield.

Captain Gresham, U. S. A., left the Adjutant General's office shortly before one o'clock. All arrangements for mustering in the men had at that hour been Before leaving he received from the

Adjutant General the last order necessary which appoints the captains of the various companies forming the new regiment. The order is as follows: Captain John C. Gresham, 7th Cavalry Mustering in N. C. Volunteers:

Sir: Captains of the First Regiment

will take rank as follows, and will com-

mand their old companies, which will be lettered as follows: T. R. Robertson A.... Charlotte T. H. Bain B... Goldsboro J. C. Bessent.......C......Winston A. J. Ellington D Reidsville R. L. Flannigan E ... Statesville T. W. Bookhart.....F.....Asheville J. T. Gardiner.....G......Shelby W. J. Hannah H. ... Waynesville J. C. Michie L Durham A. J. Crawford K. Raleigh about Edward Hill. L. Concord H. S. Chadwick M. Charlotte "A. D. COWLES."

"Adjutant General." The companies hereafter lose all former titles, and are in future to be known by the letter assigned their company as ernor's Guard is a thing of the past, and is to be known as Co K, 1st N. C. Reg.

U. S. Army. At the camp regular duty has begun, but there will be no drills before morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, when the

The smustering in of the North Caro- regiment wil form in the Cameron field lina First Regiment of Volunteers into the regular United States Army began camp life. The men are learning the streets and numbers of the camp and since the discipline has not yet been strictly enforced some men are visiting in town and having a royal good time generally.

Last night the first five men in each company went on duty. It was not pleasant duty, for those who had arrived shortly before sunset, but the work went on and all night silently the picket guards kept watch while the thousand

soldiers slept. Every man in the camp was up bright and early this morning.

The Queen City Guards breakfasted is well known though that the number to be discarded will be small, and only 11. S. Chadwick. This company is one of the best from the State Guard, and while it is true that Captain Chadwick missioned service, it is safe to say there s no more popular officer in the camp.

Not until the men have all been mustered in, it is said, will the privates know who have been refused on account of physical examination, but this will not keep them long in suspense. So soon as a company is ready to present itself for mustering in, Captain Gresham will call the sound men to the front and when they have formed themselves in proper lines he will read to them the oath required of the United States soldier. and this each will take by raising his

right arm. The men already settled at the camp have been looking forward to the arrival of the Second Resiment companies. and especially for those expected here to-day. All day Lieutenant Marshall has been arranging quarters for the ad-

position in the first regiment formerly held by the Greenville company, the volunteers that dropped out after the camp was named in their honor. On the regular train from the west this afternoon came 84 men led by Captain R. Perey Gray, of Greensboro,

company is one of the best in the Second

The Goldsboro company was given the

Regiment and is composed of some of the best people in Guilford county. On the southbound Seaboard Air Line train from Weldon the Washington company, with Captain W. C. Rodman in command, arrived, and at 5 o'clock this afternoon a special train is expected to bring the Wilmington company to Camp Bryan Grimes. The Wilmington officers are Captain Donald MacRae; First Lieu-

tenant, C. H. White; Second Lieutenant, The second volunteer regiment will be omposed of the following companies: Burlington-J. H. Holt, captain. Greensboro-R. Percy Gray, captain. Reidsville-R. G. Gladstone, captain. Wilmington-Donald MacRae, captain. Lumber Bridge-S. J. Cobb, captain. Washington-W. C. Rodman, captain Tarboro-John W. Cotten, captain. Raleigh, Fred Woolcott, captain. Rutherfordton-W. T. R. Bell, captain, The other three companies in the re-

iment will be announced later. The camp is all astir this afternoon making ready for those companies and preparing for a more comfortable night's rest than that of last night.

Every man in the camp eagerly awaits the news and patriotism runs high. There are many interesting features about the camp and by no means least of these is the make-up of the First Regi-

In the Winston company is one man' from Texas, and last night be took his first ride on an electric car. He is used

Captain Chadwick, of Company M, has a rabbit's foot along with him. It is a present from Mr. E. V. Finlayson, of Charlotte, and had been in his possession ten years.

Among the men who have arrived (Continued on Second Page.)