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PHILIPPINOS AGGRESSIVE.

Attacks Made All Along Our Lines.

Manila, February 23., 5:05 p. m. -With daylight this morning the but they are gorged. enemy commenced worrying tactics at various parts of the American on the course of true love. lineapparently for the purpose of withdrawing attention from affairs her hair is a very successful upinside the city.

An attempt was made to rush through our extreme left, near keep his own counsel without hir-Caloocan, but it was promptly inga lawyer. checked by a hot and effective musketry and artillery fire.

In the meantime some bodies of him to his sneeze. rebels, evidently some of those engaged last night in the cowardly it never comes out of the water on work at Tundo, spread out between its own hook. the city and the outposts. Every available man was sent to drive it is only plumbers who can use them away, with the results that them to clean their teeth with. there was desultory firing all the morning.

the United States double turreted monitor Monadnock, joined in the up the White Man's Burden." engagement, hurling 10-inch shells And the young father generally over the American lines into bodies does, about midnight, when the of the enemy as indicated by the baby is squalling. signal corps.

man killed and ten men wounded.

To Sell The A. & N. C. Railroad.

Raleigh N. C., February 23 .-A bill will be introduced in the house tomorrow, providing that upon payment to the state treasurer within ninety days after the ratification of the act of \$300,000 the treasurer is authorized to sell to W. J. Edwards, of Sanford, and others associated with him, all the shares held by the state in the Atlantic and North Carolina railway; that before delivery of the shares Edwards shall contract with the state to construct and complete, within four years from ratification of the act, a line of standard guaged railroad at least 100 miles in length, connecting with the Atlantic and North Carolina railway and running westwardly through the counties of Wayne, Johnston, Harnett, Moore and Montgomery, and then to directions of Concord, Salisbury or Charlotte; that on execution of the contract Edwards shall deposit with the treasurer securities amounting to \$100,000 for the performance of the contract, the condition being that if the road is completed in four years than the security is surrendered to Edwards, otherwise he forfeits the amount to the state.

Marriage Licenses.

Register of Deeds Moore issued eleven marriage licenses this week! and nearly all of them were for colored people, there being only two issued for whites. They were as follows:

WHITE.

John H. Humphrey and Mary B. Stocks.

M. D. Smith and Emily Laughinghouse.

COLORED.

Alex Edwards and Mary Daniel. John F. Rhew and Ava E. Jones. Wright Blount and Jennie Best. Toast King and Polly Joyner.

John B. Daniel and Mary Jane Wilson.

James Little and Liddie Gray. Ellie Moye and Jennie Edwards. Frank Frizzle and Polly Vines. Jack Edwards and Mittie Wiggins.

ORIGINAL OBSERVATIONS.

Made by The Orange Va. Obser-

The rivers may not be gorgeous,

The human race ought to be run

The Orange girl when arranging braider.

It is a fortunate man who can

A man may not go to prayermeeting, but the grip will bring

The fish is a dependent creature,

With strawberries at \$12 a quart,

It is reported that the blizzard killed all the spring poets. Even From 8 to 10:30 o'clock a. m. a blizzard has its compensations.

Kipling's latest poem says "Take

So far our casualties are one General Wheeler Invited to Michigan.

aral Wheeler received an invitation buying lots of timber in the section today from the Michigan delegation just below here. in congress, headed by Represen- B. F. Manning & Co have just stylish, garment-any size, pattern, tative Smith of Grand Rapids, to ordered a lot of stoves and you cut, or model. We're not the right visit Michigan in June and attend will be surprised at the low prices. kind of Outfitters only sometimes the encampment of State troops at They can also compete with any Petosky.

attend if in the country at that brand-White Leaf Tobacco Growtime. This reservation, it is un- er-just for a trial. derstood, was in view of the possible ordering of the general to the Philippines.

Another Accident on the Rail.

Another accident occurred on the Southern railway this morning, the second one in two days. A passenyellow cat at or near the Church time. street crossing. It was only a yellow cat, an animal of no great consequence, but if it was a good mouser then there might be some grounds for a suit against the railroad company. Here's the way to estimate the probable worth of the cat. Take for instance the number of rats or mice it would probably catch during its life time; estimate how much would be saved the owner of the cat by the destruction of the rats or mice; also consider how much the cat is worth as a pet. There you have grounds for a suit. -Durham Sun.

the boats trouble about putting off M. and 7:30 P. M. by Rev. I. A. freights at the different landings. Canfield.

BUSINESS NOTES.

Some eight or ten went to the fair from here and report a big

There is regular preaching at the Baptist church here today and Sunday.

We learn that Mr. Fred Allen has hired himself to Capt. Goodrich to work on the section.

son are visiting him this week.

L. was here Wednesday making surveys in regards to cutting a deep ditch side of Railroad.

Those having cotton seed to sell If you want a So or exchange for meal would do well to see A. G. Cox to get the as \$3.00 we can fit you this

Mr. E. G. Cox sold another man in Scotland Neck 1000 yards of wire fence this week. While there are cheaper grades of fence on the market yet the Winterville fence carries the day as to quality.

been down here right much lately price limit is \$5.00, or \$7.50, or assisting J. D. Cox in the timber \$10.00, or \$15.00, we will give you Washington, February 23.—Gen-business. It seems that they are

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Baptist church—Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. by Rev. J. N.

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Episcopal church—Sunday school

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Mr. Britt, Civil Engineer of A.

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The REFLECTOR sends its congratulations over the line to its bright contemporary, the Orange, Va., Observer, upon having begun cratic Senators, who are being acits nineteenth volume. Editor Robinson never sends out a dull paper, and his North State breth ren delight to get their scissors and the Observer.

in Raleigh since the meeting of the General Assembly was the hearing before the Senate Committee, on Thursday, of the Charlotte dispensary bill. This bill had passed him by the fivehundred democrats, the House unanimously, yet when mostly men of prominence, who atit came to the Senate Committee just because Senator Osborne, Charlotte, opposed it the committee made an unfavorable report, even overwhelming sentiment of the people had been declared for it. Senator Osborne seeing he was beaten in every other way whined "Senatorial courtesy" to get the committee to stand by him. This thing of "Senatorial courtesy" is a humbug, a sentimental sham, and it ought to be strangled out of existence. Senator Bob Glenn, great man that he is, showed that he cared more for right and the wishes of the people than he did for "Senatorial courtesy" and voted for the dispensary. An effort will be made to get the bill passed by the Senate regardless of the action of the committee.

Pointed Paragraphs.

Dogmatism is puppyism that has obtained its growth.

Water from the River Styx ought to make excellent muscilage.

Only a woman who thinks before she speaks can economize on talk.

The small boy in the jam closet doesn't care to be heard-or seen.

A smart man has no more use for beauty than a handsome man has

The man who has no sense of humor is apt to get funny at the wrong Dead men tell no tales, but if

wealthy their alleged heirs will tell enough of them.

experience from poverty in ten days than he can from riches in ten years.

Sheep-shearing is done by machinery in Australia. At the stock exchanges in this country it is done by electricity. Chicago- News.

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

From Our Regular Correspondent. Washington. D. C., Feb.24, '99

The democrats in Congress stand behind the plain words of Senator Cockrell against the bill for a large standing army, which Mr. Mc Kinley is trying to jam through the Senate, and they believe that the rank and file of the party stand behind them. Mr. Cockrell said \$3.00 "We will give you every man and .25 every officer that is necessary, but we are not willing at this short session to fasten upon the country a Advertising rates are liberal and standing army of 100,000 men and can be had on application to the to increase the expenses of the people by millions of dollars. We are offering everything that is fair We desire a live correspondent and just and right. We have no disposition or intention to force an extra session of Congress, and we say to you that every bill that legitimately and of right ought to be a law can be passed at this session. If an extra session is called it will be solely for the purpose of fastening upon the people a standing army of 100,000 men." That is a fair and straight-forward statement of the attitude of the democused of holding up the government. They are not holding up the government, except in the sense of helping it to be true to the people. The war taxes are likely to have to be paid until a democratic Congress and administration is elected, and there will either One of the most exciting events have to be more taxes or more bonds, unless the extravagant policy of the administration can be headed off or curtailed.

> Col. W. J. Bryan, is in Washington, and the reception given tended the banquet of the Virginia Democratic Association, at which he was the guest of honor, makes it certain that those who suppose that he is losing his hold upon the party are mistaken, just as the ringing speech, bristling with Jeffersenian democracy, he made at the banquet made it certain that he has lost none of the oratorical power that enabled him to hold the Chica go convention spell-bound and to thrill the hearts of six and a half million voters. Whether Col Bryan will ever be President, only the future can show, but that he is one of the most wonderful men o our time and that he possesses wonderful hold upon the hearts o his fellow-countrymen is as plain as that night follows day.

Senator Proctor has been credited with getting more than his share of army appointments and promotions under the present administration. Therefore it was a little surprising when he made a speech jumping all over the method by which army promotions and appointments are made on "pull," instead of merit. He knows the subject, for, in addition to getting commissions on "pull," he issued them on it when he was Secretary of War. Army officers will know how to appreciate his statement that little consideration is given to applications for promotion on merit, because the de. mand of some Senator or Representative for the place must be complied with. There is no doubt about the evil of the present system, not only because it puts unfit men into responsible military positions, but because it has a general demoralizing effect upon Congress. It is well known that Secretary Al-A man can gain more practical germuzzeled a number of Senators and Representatives with army patronage.

Senator Mitchell, of Wisconsin,

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made a decided hit in his speech against the Hull Army bill, by declaring that he wished to confine any increase in the army to "The United States proper and not extend it to the United States improper." He objected most decidedly to having United States soldiers engaged in shooting our ideas into an alien people.

The Alger Cuban junket, planned to start as soon as Congress adjourns, upon which a number of Senators and Representatives will be carried as guests, will go upon a government vessel and the bills will be paid with public money. It is estimated that the cost of the trip will not be less than \$200,000, but the amount may be lessened if the trip has to be shortened to enable the Senators and Representatives to attend an extra session of Congress, as now seems likely. It is said that Mr. McKinley has been advised to break up the Alger jun-

Every member of the committee named by Senator Jones to advise with the Democratic National Committee during the preparation for next year's campaign, is not only a staunch advocate of the renomination of Col. Bryan, but also of the Senator Jones will be chairman of like croup and again laryngitis. will be in Washington.

Admiral Schley having in his statement of his record during the war with Spain made it plain that the jumping of Sampson over his head was the result of dirty work, in which Sampson was the ringleader, there is a strong sentiment in Congress to compel the administration to do justice to Schley. One result of that sentiment is the introduction of a bill by Representa tive Lentz, of Ohio, providing that Dewey shall be made a full Admiral and Schley a Vice Admiral. There should be no doubt of the passage of the bill, but, unfortunately, there is.

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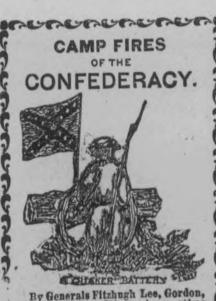
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portunity plays in the lives of men is well illustrated by the career of the late Admiral Worden," remarked Captain Louis N. Stodder of the United States revenue cutter service and United States supervisor of anchorages, port of New York, as he sat one day last week in his room in the barge office. Captain Stodder has the distinction of being the last survivor of the officers who were assigned to duty on the Monitor when it began its career, and who remained in constant service on the vessel until the end off Cape Hat-

ON THE MONITOR.

Veteran's Reminiscences of the Battle In Hampton Roads.

"The important part which op-

By a singular coincidence Captain Stodder's room almost overlooks the statue erected in Battery park to the memory of Ericsson, once his intimate friend.

"You see," continued the captain, "naval officers were not overplentiful at the beginning of the war, and the officials at Washington had to make the best use of the material they had in hand. In fact, a great many officers were enrolled from the merchant marine service. I went into the service from the merchant marine myself. I think the fact that Worden, then ranking only as lieutenant, was placed in command of the Monitor would show that that vessel was looked upon as rather a doubtful experiment by the government and that the selection of a man to take command was not made by reason of any special fitness for the position.

"It was Worden's good luck that he was assigned to the Monitor, for the result of the fight made the vessel and all on board famous.

"The brave part that he played in the fight was recognized by congress, and he was rapidly promoted to high rank, which other officers obtained only after 20 years of service.

"I remember him well when he first came on board the Monitor about a month before the fight. He had just been released from prison and looked thin and sallow. He had the appearance of one dying from fever complaint. I never thought ening prayer Wednesdays at 4 P. it possible for him to live long.

"During the fight he was cool and collected. I recall an incident which Extra Lenten services Tuesdays I do not remember ever seeing pubat 4 P. M. and Thursdays at 7:30 lished. The pilothouse was situated in the bow of the Monitor, quite METHODIST .- Services every Sun away from the turret. During the day, morning and evening. Prayer fight I was in the turret with other officers, when suddenly we saw Lieutenant Worden climbing up where we were. Without saying anything he opened one of the turret doors and stepped out on the

deck in full view of the wary.
"'Why, captain, what's the trouble?' exclaimed several of the officers in astonishment at his fearless

"'I can't see well enough from the pilothouse,' came the quiet re ply. 'I wanted to get out here for a moment to take in the whole situatica.' Then, looking around for a

fe v moments, he came inside. "Lieutenant Worden was very popular with officers and men alike. E. E. Griffin, N. G. L. H. Pender, The / all worshiped him. Although on 45 years old at the time of the Monitor-Merrimac fight, he looked K. of P.—Tar River Lodge, No. almost 60. He wore a long beard at the time, and looked just as the re-

cent pictures made him appear. "I last saw Admiral Worden at the ceremonies attending the removal of Ericsson's body to its final resting place. Only a handful of persons were admitted to the ceremony. They were those who survived from the officers and men of the Monitor. Admiral Worden was in a carriage with Secretary Tracy. He was very feeble, and his end even then seemed but a short way off, and yet that was several years ago."-Troy Times.

English Penny Novels.

Penny novelettes differ from one another in externals rather than in internals. The get up of the better sort is neat and attractive. The type is clear. and the covers might even be called "artistic" in the catholic sause of the term. The inferior kinds are indifferently printed "on gray paper with blant | type," and there are many degrees of excellence between the two extremes. All except one have illustrations ranging from the rudest of woodcuts to the smudgiest of "process" plates. Of course the artist selects the most sensational incidents for his pencil to adorn. The stabbing of the heroine's father by the villain disguised as the hero, the kidnaping of the heroine by Black Tom and his gang of gypsies at the instigation of her jealous rival, the horsewhipping of the villain by the hero in "faultless" evening dress-these and their like naturally present themselves as thoroughly suitable and congenial subjects. -Blackwood's Magazine.

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D. D. Gardner returned this morning from Newbern.

Solicitor L. I. Moore returned Friday evening from Henderson.

Mrs. W. R. Horne, of Farmville, took the train here Friday evening for Kinston to visit friends.

Dr. C. J. O'Hagan returned this morning from Newbern where he has been attending the fair.

Miss Blanch Draughan, of Edgecombe, who has been visiting her home today.

Joseph Rawls has moved into the Bernard house on Second street. His mother, sister and little son arrived from Ahoskie Friday evening to make their home with him

At the Baptist Church,

Rev. J. N. Booth, of Washington, will arrive on the train this evening and will preach at the Baptist church to-morrow morning and evening. Rev. Mr. Booth has the reputation of being a very fine preacher and those who avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing him to-morrow will doubtless be glad that they have had this privilege.

A Louisville councilman has been indicted for soliciting a bribe: Served him right. A councilman who hadn't patience enough to wait until the briber came his way and found him ought to be indicted. and made and example of.

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A Chicago paper offsets that London story about a mushroom that lifted a 500-pound paving stone with the remark that we have in this country some kinds of mushrooms that carry lots of people to the cemeteries.

LACE, SALE OF VALUABLE TOWN LOT.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Pitt county, made in a certain Special Proceeding therein pending, entitled "Lillie Baker vs Sophia Baker and others' I will, on Monday, April 3rd. 1899, before the Court House door in Greenville, sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, that certain part of lot No. 58 in the plan of the town of Greenville adjoining the lots of T. C. Cannon and J. A. Braddy on the south; the lots of J. A. Braddy and B. F. Tyson on the east; the lot of B. F. Patrick on the north and Greene street on the west. It being that part of said lot No. 58 upon which situated the dwelling of the late Sally Ann Jones, deceased. This February 25th, 1899.

ALEX L. BLOW, Commissioner.

Base Ball Teams to Come South

Savannah, Ga., February 23.-Ed. Hanlon, president of the Baltimore Base Ball Club and manager of the Brooklyn club, was here today to arrange for spring practice games of the National' League Teams. He says it is the purpose to place the Baltimore, Brooklyn, New York and Louisville teams in Savannah, Augusta, Charleston and Thomasville, respectivelywith a possible change of place as to Baltimore and Brooklyn-and to have practice and match games for two weeks beginning April 154.

Mr. James Proctor Dead.

Friday afternoon Mr. Jesse been elected President of the At- Proctor received a telegram from Norfolk announcing the death of his brother, Mr. James Proctor. Deceased was a native of this county, and moved to Berkley, Wa., Ormond & Carr call your some years ago. He was 72 years

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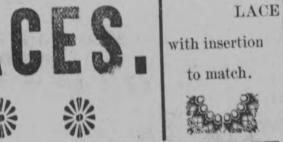
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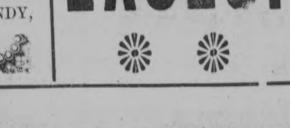
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