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The Army Christian Commission.

The War Department has recognized the Army Christian Commission and given it permission to carry on its work in all the camps of the United States army. Evangelist D. L. Moody, of East Northfield, Mass., is secretary of the evangelistic department of the organization and is making an effort to send well known ministers and evangelists to hold meetings in all the camps. Dr. H. M. Wharton, of Baltimore, and Mr. I. D. Stankey are now at Tampa; and Maj. D. W. Whittle, Dr. A. C. Dixon, Rev. R. A. Torrey and Mr. J. H. Burke are at Chattanooga. The generals commanding have given them a cordial reception, and the men are attending the meeting by the thousand. The commission is also distributing Bibles, Testaments and good books among the soldiers. The work is entirely dependent upon voluntary contributions, and Mr. Moody is sending out an appeal for help through the press of the country. It is a cause that must appeal to every Christian.

SOME MORE FIGHTING.

All Night Engagement Near Guantamano.

AMERICANS HOLD GROUND AGAINST HEAVY ODDS.

Plans of Moving Troops Made Public—Count Castellane Fights a Duel—Other News.

Moving on Santiago.

By Telegraph to Reflector.
Key West, June 14—The Santiago army of invasion is now well down the Bahamas channel and by tomorrow will round Cape Maysi and bear up for Santiago.

Supplies for Blanco.

By Cable to Reflector.
Kingston, Jamaica, June 14—A Spanish ship is expected to sail for Battamano or Cienfuegos tomorrow with a seventy thousand dollar cargo of beef and corn for Blanco.

Firing at Havana

By Telegraph to Reflector.
Key West, June 14—At noon Monday the batteries of Morro Castle opened a terrific fire on the American blockading fleet at Havana for the purpose of drawing the fleet into a fight. Commodore Watson refused to allow them to respond.

Flag Raised

By Cable to Reflector.
St. Nichols, June 14—The Spaniards were repulsed and the U. S. flag raised by the Marines who were reinforced.

A Duel.

By Cable to Reflector.
Paris, June 14—Count [De Castellane, husband of Anna Gould, fought a duel this morning with Henri Turot, editor Teate Republique Francaise. There were three rounds with swords. Turot was wounded in each round, the first two rounds only slightly, but in the third he was severely hurt in the right forearm, which ended the duel. The duel was fought because of Turot's comments on an act of infanticide by a servant of the Count's household.

Uninjured.

By Telegraph to Reflector.
Provincetown, Mass., June 14—The cruiser San Francisco was found to be apparently uninjured today.

To Prevent Shrinkage.

By Telegraph to Reflector.
Washington, June 14—Secretary Gage made the statement that the safeguard is adopted to prevent a shrinkage of the currency by subscriptions to war bonds by giving large subscribers the privilege of making payment in installments forty days apart, and by creating as necessary national bank depositories so the fund can be divided. Bond sales will remain in localities where they are derived until needed.

Not Believed

By Telegraph to Reflector.
Washington, June 14—The State department refused to accept the report of concentration by German forces at Manila for the purpose of menacing our interest.

General Lee to Move

By Telegraph to Reflector.
Washington, June 14—Gen. Lee has received orders to prepare an army of forty thousand men to move on Havana. It is believed he can have the army ready in thirty days. A number of camps can be drawn on.

His News Cut Off

By Cable to Reflector.
Madrid, June 14—The government received a despatch from Gen. Rios, at Philippines, saying although he had sent seven steamers towards Luzon he is still without news from Manila. The enemy severed communication. He is taking measures to insure supplies for troops and inhabitants from the resources of the island.

Another Fight.

By Cable to Reflector.
Mole St. Nicholas, June 14—Another battle was fought by land and sea forces at Caimerna Mondav. The fiercest battle of the war. In it were engaged nine hundred marines brought by the Panther, Marblehead, Texas and Collier Abernda. Camp McCalla and Crest Hill where the marines were entrenched were attacked by overwhelming Spanish forces. Unlike the first fight it was not a surprise. The marines were at a disadvantage only in numbers. Launches from the Texas and Marblehead with rapid fire guns did heroic work shelling the enemy. The big guns on the Marblehead and Texas ripped the undergrowth and trees of the forest. The battle lasted all Sunday night.

Bushwhackers Whacked.

By Cable to Reflector.
Port Antonio, Jamaica, June 14—There was more fighting yesterday on Fisherman's point, Guantanamo bay, with Spanish bushwhackers. The latter were driven off by the Marines.

When Troops Will Arrive

By Telegraph to Reflector.
Washington, June 14—The secretary of war laid before the Cabinet the fact that the invading army to Cuba will reach Santiago on Thursday. The first expedition to the Philippines expected to arrive at Manila about now. The second expedition now on board the transports at San Francisco, sail tomorrow. Troops to Porto Rican campaign are mobilizing.

Attachment Against Leiter.

By Telegraph to Reflector.
New York, June 14—Attachment has been issued against property of Joseph Leiter for nearly eight hundred thousand dollars advanced by grain dealers Lohrke, Callaghans and Knight.

Word from Sampson.

By Telegraph to Reflector.
Washington, June 14—The Secretary of the Navy received the following dispatch this morning: "Mole St. Nicholas—Lieut. Blue has just returned after a detour of seventy miles to observe the fleet in Santiago harbor. He reports all the Spanish vessels there. The Spaniards attacked vigorously the camp at Guantanamo outpost. Four marines were killed and their bodies mutilated barbarously."
SAMPSON."

Wheat Drops

Chicago, June 14—Wheat opened at about yesterday's prices, when Liverpool went off seventeen cents. Market very active, but no failures have occurred.

Has the Department Gone Crazy?

By Telegraph to Reflector.
Washington, June 14—It is officially announced that Shalter's transports have not sailed for Santiago. No explanation given.

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TUESDAY, JUNE 14, 1898.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, June 13, 98.

It is not surprising that Admiral Sampson should have shown impatience in his dispatches to Washington because of the delay in sending him the troops promised. He has had within the last week ample cause for impatience, and for indignation, too. He destroyed the outer forts at Santiago and had everything ready for troops to land, but there were no troops; he captured Guantanamo Bar, and still holds it, for the same purpose, but the troops which ought to have been there to land were on transports anchored at Tampa, held up by orders from Washington, on account of the cock and bull story about a fleet of Spanish warships being at Havana ready to steam out and capture the troops as soon as they started, until Sampson could detach a number of his most formidable ships and send them to convoy the transports to Santiago. Meanwhile Sampson's marines hold all the Cuban ground they have captured. Although nothing official can be obtained, there is reason to believe that the troops are now on their way to Cuba, under convoy. The frequency with which holdup orders have been sent from Washington when important movements were about to be started, on no better foundation than wild and improbable rumors presumably of Spanish origin, makes it look as though somebody who has influence enough to control the issuing of orders has the misfortune to have a streak of yellow down his backbone. It cannot be stated to an absolute certainty who this individual is, there is little doubt that he exists. It is only where those in command are out of reach of hold-up orders that notable successes have been obtained. Orders have been sent to Generals Coppinger and Lee, who are to command the Porto Rican army, to get their men ready to start, but there is no telling how many hold-up orders they will have to contend with before they get off.

Oh yes, indeed, indeed! A good little boy is Tommy Reed! After being compelled by the majority of the House to get out of the way of the consideration of the resolution for the annexation of Hawaii, Czar Reed has the audacity to say, through his thick and thin followers, that he never had stood in the way of the majority, or intended to stand in the way. This comes too late to help the political fortune of the Czar-ex-Czar now. He has been de-

posed by Mr. McKinley, and will never again yield the autocratic power he has had. The annexation resolution will be voted upon Wednesday afternoon of this week, and will, of course, be adopted. About 20 Democrats have announced their intention to vote for the resolution.

The fact that the war revenue law provides for the coinage of the silver bullion owned by the government at the rate of \$1,500,000 a month destroys every argument advanced by the gold standard men against the coinage of the seigniorage. The amount to be coined each month is less than was proposed by the silver men, but authorizing the coinage of any amount was a recognition of the principle advocated by the silver men.

It is already announced that the sugar trust and the standard oil trust will refuse to pay the tax of one quarter of one cent on their gross receipts in excess of \$250,000 imposed by the war revenue law, and will go into court to fight the constitutionality of the law.

It is openly charged on every hand that much of the inconvenience that the troops have been put to has been directly traceable to the incompetence of many of the civilians appointed to important staff positions by Mr. McKinley. Secretary Alger now says that in ten days every man in the army will be provided with his full equipment for war. Then there can be no further valid excuse for pottering along instead of at once fighting the war to a close.

There have been ugly reports from time to time of the lack of harmony between the fighting branches of the government, and upon more than one occasion Mr. McKinley is said to have had to exercise his authority to compel them to work together. It is also said that there have been frequent slashes between Gen. Merritt, who is to command the army in the Philippines, and Secretary Alger; also between the latter and Gen. Miles, who is reported to have charged Alger with being responsible for the demoralization he found existing in army matters when he got to Florida. None of these things are pleasant to write, but they explain why things are not moving faster.

One of the Georgia volunteers has received from his father a letter from which he derives great encouragement. The fond parent says: "Do not fail to let me know the moment you are killed so that I can order you sent home and arrange for an imposing war funeral, of which the Northern papers will probably want photographs. Two of your uncles died in battle, and both had fine funerals. You deserve fully as much yourself."

H. W. Cottonwood, editor of the Rural New Yorker, has taken a census of the hens of the United States. He figures out the chickens of the country at 375,000,000, and their product in 1897 at 14,400,000,000 eggs, of a value of \$165,000,000, while poultry sales realized \$125,000,000 more making the total value of the hen crop \$290,000,000, or more than those of either the wheat or cotton yields.

The Democrats of Johnston county will celebrate July 4th by opening their campaign on that date. Ex-Governor Jarvis and Charles B. Aycock, Esq., will speak.

Dealers announce that hammocks are going up, but they have a habit of coming down suddenly later in the summer.

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That All Who Suffer Do Not Use

MRS. JOE PERSON'S REMEDY.

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Last June I was suffering terribly from some bladder trouble which was so severe and extreme that the physicians said an operation would have to be performed and the stone crushed. I dreaded it so much and had so much faith in Mrs Joe Person's Wash that I determined to try it first and see what it would do. I applied it three times a day and in thirty six hours the inflammation subsided, the swelling and enlargement was reduced and the stone passed without any trouble. The stone was large and no one can know except those who have so suffered what it was. I do not believe I could have stood an operation and believe I would died had it not been for Mrs. Joe Person's Wash. If anyone is suffering from this bladder trouble let them try it. My pain would be so great I would have to be put in a tub of hot water to relieve those terrible paroxysms of pain. It made a perfect cure of me. Oh, that everyone could realize what a medicine is within reach and try it, how much suffering would be relieved. Mrs. Person herself does not say as much for her Remedy as it deserves.

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Democratic Nominees or Superior Court Judges

The Democratic nominees for Superior Court judges whose nominations were ratified by the Democratic State Convention are the following:

- First district—Geo. H. Brown, Jr., of Beaufort.
Second district—Henry R. Bryan, of Craven.
Fifth district—Thos. Shaw, of Guilford.
Sixth district—Oliver H. Allen, of Lenoir.
Seventh district—Thos. A. McNeil, of Robeson.
Eleventh district—William A. Hoke, of Lincoln.

These men were reported in their respective districts by district conventions but they are to be voted for in the State at large. Judges Brown, Bryan, Allen and Hoke are now on the bench and are named to succeed themselves. Shaw is named to succeed Adams, fusionist, and McNeil to succeed McIver, Democrat.

DIRECTORY.

CHURCHES.

BAPTIST—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer meeting Thursday evening. Rev. A. W. Setzer, Pastor. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. C. D. Rountree, Superintendent.

CATHOLIC—No regular services.

EPISCOPAL—Services fourth Sunday, morning and evening. Lay services second Sunday morning. Rev. A. Greaves, Rector. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. W. B. Brown, Superintendent.

METHODIST—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Rev. N. M. Watson, Pastor. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. A. B. Ellington, Superintendent.

PRESBYTERIAN—Services third Sunday, morning and evening. Rev. J. B. Morton, Pastor. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. E. B. Ficklen, Superintendent.

LODGES.

A. F. & A. M.—Greenville Lodge No. 284 meets first and third Monday evening. J. M. Reuss W. M. L. I. Moore, ec.

L. O. O. F.—Covenant Lodge No. 17 Meets every Tuesday evening. J. V. Johnson N. G. L. H. Pender, Sec.

K. of P.—Tar River Lodge No. 93, meets every Friday evening. H. W. Wheelbee, C. C. A. B. Ellington K. of R. and S.

R. A.—Zeb Vance Council No. 1696 meets every Thursday evening. W. L. Wilson, R. M. R. Lantz, Sec.

PITT DELEGATES

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Congressional—Delegates, A S Walker, G T Tyson, Alternates, S W Erwin, J L Smith.

BELVOIR. Judicial—Delegate L Maget, Alternate, W H Rives.

Congressional—Delegate, T A Thigpen, Alternate, J H Thigpen

BETHEL. Judicial—Delegates, S M Jones, C R Speight, M O Blount, D A Moore, Alternates, W J James, J H Manning, S C Whitehurst, J W Thomas.

Congressional—Delegates, J H Manning, C R Speight, J R Bunting, S M Jones, Alternates, B W James, J S Brown, J T Nelson, W G Little.

CAROLINA. Judicial—Delegates, W W Thomas, S A Congleton, H W Whichard, James L Robinson, Alternates, Joseph L Robinson, A Mcoring, D W Bailey, B D Leggett.

Congressional—Delegates, W H Williams, W R Whichard, Jr., W A James, H N Gray, Alternates, H G Nobles, G T House, A B Congleton, J B Whitehurst.

CHICOD. Judicial—Delegates, J J Elks, J B Williams, Claud Cannon, Jno McGilohon, L A Arnold, C M Jones, J Bryan Grimes, J J Langhingham.

Alternates—W E Galloway, Fred Mills, Henry Dixon, J L Cox, W E Proctor, J A K Tucker, R S Stokes, W A Stokes.

Congressional—Delegates, J B Galloway, J J Elks, Harvey Dixon, W L Clark, J A Porter, William Smith, J Bryan Grimes, J J Langhingham, Alternates—G W Venters, Robt Dixon, C Cannon, J F Stocks, Israel Edwards, John Back W W Tucker, J O Proctor

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Congressional—Delegates, E G Cox, W F Hart, J McNeilson, H C Braxton, Josephus Gaskins, Samuel Mumford, John Spier, John Pierce, Jesse Cannon, Alternates, Asa Garris, J T Hart, W J Jackson, C L Patrick, C K Hooks, Cagle Cannon, R C Cannon, H M Dixon, Jesse Branch.

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Congressional—Delegates, R K Cotten, J L Fountain, R Williams, Alternates, R J Little, Fred Phillips, J H Smith.

FARMVILLE. Judicial—Delegates, J T Lewis, J W Parker, W M Lang, Alternates, T M Flynn, M T Horton, E A Barrett.

Congressional—Delegates, Benj May, F M Davis, T L Turnage, Alternates, A J Tyson, B M Lewis, W E Barrett.

GREENVILLE.

Judicial—Delegates, J W Vincent, H F Keel, J L Fleming, L I Moore, Paul Harrington, O L Joyner, O W Harrington, W B James, W T Lipscomb, W King, Harvey Allen, Alternates, W S Brooks, E B Dudley, J T Smith, C A Tucker, E T Briley, W H Hazdate, A H Critcher, W H Smith, L F Goodrich, J G Moye, R L Carr.

Congressional—Delegates, H T King, M G Moye, R W King, F G James, W B James, W H Ragsdale, W H Smith, H F Keel, Frank Wilson, B W Tucker, A L Blow, Alternates, S T Hooker, B E Parham, S I Dudley, W J S Clark, E B Ficklen, R L Little, E B Dudley, O W Harrington, J B White, W S Fleming, C J O'Hagan.

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Congressional—Delegates, W G Mizelle, J B Little, Alternates, W T Mason, S W Andrews.

SWIFT CREEK.

Judicial—Delegates, R H Garris, N R Corey, H J Williams, J B Kilpatrick, Alternates, Walter Mewber, J J Moore, F M Kilpatrick, J A Hardy.

Congressional—Delegates, E A Johnson, A I Roach, L B Mewber, B A Gardner, Alternates—N H Whitford, M C Smith, J T Williams, Job Moore.

Atlantic Coast Line

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Departures from Wilmington.

NORTHBOUND.

DAILY No 4—Passenger—Due 9 00 a. m. noia 10.48 am. Warsaw 12.05 a m, Goldsboro 12.05 am, Wilson 12.55 p m, Rocky Mount 1.37 p m, Tarboro 2.45 p m, Weldon 4.33 p m, Petersburg 6.22 p m, Richmond 7.15 p m, Norfolk 6.05 p m, Washington 11.30 pm, Baltimore 1.00 a m, Philadelphia 3.50 a m, New York 6.53 a m, Boston 3.00 p m.

DAILY No 40—Passenger Due Mag 7.15 p m. noia 8.55 p m. Warsaw 9.10 p m, Goldsboro 10.10 p m, Wilson 11.06 p m, Tarboro 6.45 a m, Rocky Mount 11.57 p m, Weldon 1.42 a m, Norfolk 10.30 a m, Petersburg 3.14 a m, Richmond 4.60 a m, Washington 7.41 a m, Baltimore 9.03 a m, Philadelphia 11.25 a m, New York 2.03 m, Boston 9.00 p m.

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ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—

FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY No. 49.—Passenger—Boston 10 P. M. 1.03 pm, New York 9.60 pm, Philadelphia 12.05 am, Baltimore 2.50 am, Washington 4.30 am, Richmond 9.05 am, Petersburg 10.00 am, Norfolk 11.52 am, Tarboro 12.12 am, Rocky Mount 12.47 pm, Wilson 2.37 pm, Goldsboro 3.20 pm, Warsaw 4.1 pm, Magnolia 4.24 pm.

DAILY No. 41.—Passenger—Leave 10 P. M. Boston 12.00 night, New York 9.30 am, Philadelphia 12.09 pm, Baltimore 2.25 pm, Washington 3.46 pm, Richmond 7.20 pm, Petersburg 8.12 pm, Norfolk 2.20 pm, Weldon 9.4 am, Tarboro 6.61 pm, Rocky Mount 5.40 am, Leave Wilson 6.22 am, Goldsboro 7.01 am, Warsaw 7.53 am, Magnolia 8.05 am.

DAILY No. 51—Passenger—Leave except New Bern 9.00 am, Jacksonville 10.26 am. This train 12.15 P. M. arrives at Walnut street.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY No. 54—Passenger—Leave 120 P. M. Tampa 8.10 am, Sanford 3.27 pm, Jacksonville 7.40 pm, Savannah 1.45 night, Charleston 6.33 am, Columbia 6.00 am, Atlanta 8.20 am, Macon 9.60 am, Augusta 3.30 pm, Denmark 4.25 pm, Sumpter 8.08 am, Florence 9.58 am, Marion 10.36 am, Chadborn 11.38 am, Lake Waccamaw 12.09 am.

Train on Scotland Neck Branch Road leaves Weldon 3.55 p. m., Halifax 4.30 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 5.20 p. m., Greenville 6.57 p. m., Kinston 7.55 p. m., Returning, leaves Kinston 7.50 a. m., Greenville 8.52 a. m., Arriving Halifax at 11:18 a. m., Weldon 11.33 am daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington branch leave Washington 3.20 a. m., and 2.20 p. m. rives Parmola 9.10 a. m., and 4.09 p. m., Tarboro 9.45 a. m., returning leaves rboro 3.33 p. m., Parmola 9.35 a. m. 6.20 p. m., arrives Washington 9 a. m., and 7.20 p. m. Daily except Sunday. Connects with trains on Land Neck Branch.

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Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton daily, except Sunday 11.20 a. m. and 4.15 p. m. Return leaves Clinton at 7.00 a. m. and 3.00 p. m.

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Fancy	24 to 25
Spanish	24
Tone—steady	55c bu

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Furniture and Fixtures, ... 1,517.75	Due Banks : ... 110.03
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About ten years ago Charlotte was emancipated from the habit of loafing. From that time it prospered. Formerly, in front of each store, the professionals sat upon dry good boxes, whittled sticks and talked over the affairs of men, women and children in the town. One man made a rule that there could be no loafing in front of his place of business. He was considered reckless. A little later a clothing house made the same rule. The movement grew until to-day there is not a business house in Charlotte having loafers in chairs and on dry goods boxes in front of any store. They have been driven from one store to another until now the naive local loafer has no refuge except amongst the transient guests at the hotels. He still gets out at night and squats on chairs that he never pays for at the hotels and loafs in disguise, as a transient guest of the house. Charlotte has prospered in proportion as the loafing habit has been broken up. The loafer not only produces nothing, but he saps the energies of the working man.

Some years ago the Observer wrote of the emancipation of Fort Mill from the loafing habit. The local paper at Fort Mill copied the article and expressed pleasure in being written about in that strain. Since then Fort Mill has been prosperous. Salisbury is prosperous by the efforts of those people who are never seen whittling sticks and loafing on the streets. In the course of time in all our Southern towns and cities the loafing habit will be disgraceful as it ought to be. From that time forwards every Southern town and city will prosper.

In Rockingham the loafing habit has been largely broken up. As a consequence it is a prosperous town. Rock Hill, in South Carolina, was never a victim of the loafing habit, and it always prospered. Founded, practically since the war, it has prospered far beyond the adjacent towns that are more than 100 years old.

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SMALL TALK.

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B. Y. P. U. meets in the Baptist church tomorrow night.

The fire Sunday did considerable damage to the telephone wires in that vicinity. Manager Atkins has had the damage repaired.

There was a shower Monday night that gave the atmosphere a refreshed feeling for the time being. The effects of it did not last long, however.

AUCTION SALE.—Tomorrow, Wednesday, at 10 o'clock, a. m., at the residence of the late Dr. F. W. Brown, a quantity of household and kitchen furniture will be sold at auction.

Master George Fleming, the 4-year old son of Mr. G. P. Fleming, drank some sugar of lead this morning and liked it. This is a deadly poison and as soon as Mr. and Mrs. Fleming found out their son had taken the poison they gave the boy emetics and sent for a physician, and had the poison out of his stomach before it could take effect. —Kinston Free Press.

Female School.

Prof. L. L. Hargrove, late of Georgia, who with his family has been spending the last few weeks here with his brother-in-law, Mr. W. F. Morrill, tells us that he has decided to locate in Greenville. He has made arrangements for opening a select female school here next fall and will conduct it in the College building. Prof. Hargrove has had twelve years experience as a teacher, and has many strong testimonials of his ability and efficiency. There is a splendid opening in Greenville for a good female school and one is needed and THE REFLECTOR hopes the people will cooperate with Prof. Hargrove and help him to establish such a school.

BOTTLED UP

The Cork Was Pulled For These to Come Out.

J. A. Crews, of the Wilmington Messenger, spent today here.

Miss Lucy Cox, of Kinston, came over this morning to visit friends.

Mrs. W. T. Godwin returned Monday evening from a visit to Elm City.

H. P. Strause came in from Henderson Monday evening and left this morning.

W. B. Rodman, of Washington, came in Monday evening and returned this morning.

Mrs. M. E. Billups, of Whitakers who has been spending some days here, left this morning.

J. C. Cobb, L. A. Cobb and Ola Forbes returned Monday evening from their trip to Charleston.

Maj. J. W. Churchill, of Richmond, adjuster for one of the insurance companies that had losses in Sunday's fire arrived Monday evening.

"Uncle John" Cherry went to Washington today. He may take a run down to Ocracoke to see how the water looks and if the fish are biting.

William and Tessie Evans, two children of Mrs. A. M. Evans, who have been at the Odd Fellows orphanage at Goldsboro, came home Monday evening.

J. W. White, of Greensboro, arrived Monday evening to visit his brother, H. A. White. He will spend the summer in Greenville and teach an art class.

F. L. Rouse, of Greene county, who has been on a vacation at home, passed through this morning returning to Washington where he has a position in the Interior Department.

H. H. Wilson, the excellent postal clerk on this road, left this morning for Wilmington to attend a convention of the Knights of Pythias. From there he will go to New York to spend a few days there. Mr. Lancaster, of Washington, is on the run during his absence.

BETHEL ITEMS

BETHEL, N. C., June 13th, 1898.

Miss Alma Stales, of Greensboro, who has attended school here the past two years, returned home Friday.

J. R. Bunting made a business trip to Tarboro last Friday.

Leon Peal, of Greenville, spent Saturday here and returned to Greenville that evening.

A. T. Hill, the photographer, who has been here the past three weeks, went to Kinston Saturday night.

Rev. B. B. Culbreth and son, Marvin, returned from Trinity College Saturday evening.

M. C. S. Cherry returned home Saturday from Faison and Mount Olive where he has spent the past few weeks.

H. P. Butler and wife, of Robersonville, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Van Staton, John Staton and J. E. Carson went to Tarboro Thursday to witness the game of base ball of Kinston against Tarboro.

W. W. Thomas has built a new market on Railroad street.

A negro girl, about twelve years old, was burned so badly Sunday evening that she died this morning. She caught fire from the explosion of an oil can.

J. R. Carson returned from Norfolk Saturday morning.

Manila Troops Embark

By Telegraph to Reflector.
San Francisco, June 14.—The troops forming the second expedition to Manila are embarking today on four transports, China, Colon, Selandia and Seuton. Gen. Merritt's intention is to sail by tomorrow. A large quantity of property stores belonging to the regiments and battalions assigned to Gen. Green's expedition, have been loaded on the transports.

Picnic

The Infant Class of the Baptist Sunday school will be given a picnic tomorrow, Wednesday, by the teacher, Miss Sallie Lipscombe. She requests that the children send their lunches to her home as early as convenient in the morning so that all can be arranged in one basket, and the children all meet at the church in time to take a wagon for the picnic grounds at 9 o'clock sharp.

Regular communication of Greenville Lodge No. 284 A. F. & A. M., on Thursday, June 16th, at 10:30 A. M. The annual election of officers will be held.

The Concert.

The audience at Germania hall Monday night, was delighted with the splendid program given. The music, both vocal and instrumental, and the recitations were excellent, every number being highly meritorious. The only hindrance to the enjoyment of the evening was the presence of some very young children (?) who seemed not to have yet learned how to behave themselves in public.

There will be another concert tonight with a change of program.

Concert in Germania hall tonight.

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