

It is very often several days—sometimes a week—after you buy goods before they are shipped. But right now things are so slack that all the big houses are able to ship all they can sell the same day.

WARLIKE RESOLUTIONS.

Senators Propose to Recognize Cuban Independence.

RAWLINGS WANTS TO DECLARE WAR.

All Resolutions Referred to Committee on Foreign Relations; But the Peace Outlook is Anything but Promising—At 5 p. m., Rioting Appeared Imminent in Havana, and the Situation Generally Was Decidedly More Squally.

Special dispatch to the Yorkville Enquirer.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—

Senator Rawlings today introduced a declaration of war against Spain. This was followed by resolutions by Senators Foraker, Frye and Allen, recognizing Cuban independence with force.

All the resolutions were referred to the committee on foreign relations. The president has informed Spain that the armistice proposed by that government will not be accepted.

Peace conditions today are not nearly so promising as they appeared to be yesterday; but there is a feeling among prominent officials that though Spain will yield only with stubborn reluctance, she will evacuate Cuba before she will risk war. This, however, is only a matter of opinion.

Received at 4.48 P. M.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—

President McKinley has informed the cabinet that he will turn over the entire Cuban-Spanish matter to congress to settle. That probably means trouble. Cables from Havana say rioting is imminent and General Blanco charges the responsibility on the newspaper men.

Representative Marsh, of Illinois, has introduced a resolution proposing an immediate declaration of war.

It is understood here that the United States minister to Spain is now in conference with Senator Sagasta.

NEW YORK, March 29.—On account of the warlike aspect, stocks have taken a heavy tumble from yesterday's buoyancy.

MAINE COURT OF INQUIRY.

Full Synopsis of the Findings of that Body.

The main point in the finding of the court of inquiry—that the "Maine" was blown up by a submarine mine—was published in THE ENQUIRER last Friday afternoon within two hours after it was announced in Washington. Since then the Associated Press has secured a complete abstract of the report and publishes the same as follows:

- 1. The court finds that at the time of the explosion the battleship Maine was lying in five and one-half to six fathoms of water.
2. The discipline aboard the ship was excellent; everything stowed according to orders—ammunition, guns, stores, etc. The temperature of the magazines at 8 p. m. was normal except in the after 10-inch magazine, and that did not explode.
3. The explosion occurred at 9.40 o'clock on the evening of February 15. There were two explosions, with a very short interval between them; the ship lifted on the first explosion.
4. The court can form no definite opinion of the condition of the wreck from the divers' evidence.
5. Technical details of wreckage from which the court deduces that a mine was exploded under the ship on the port side.
6. The explosion was due to no fault of those on board.
7. Opinion of the court stating that the explosion of the mine caused the explosion of the two magazines.
8. The court declares that it cannot find evidence to fix responsibility.

FACTS AND RUMORS.

Summary of the Many Developments of Monday.

Commodore W. S. Schley arrived at Hampton Roads on Monday to take command of the flying squadron there. He was received by the officers and men with an enthusiasm that rather exceeded the bounds of discipline; but the circumstances were such that he did not take occasion to offer any rebuke. Within half an hour after boarding the Brooklyn, Commodore Schley read his commission and his flag was floated from the masthead. One of the big guns belched forth a salute which was answered from another vessel, and the ceremony was over. During the morning, Commodore Schley said to a press representative: "I have no orders to move, nor do I know when any will come. We are ready to move on the shortest kind of notice on the completion of the fleet."

A Havana dispatch to the New York Herald says that on Sunday the Spanish General Cagosto offered to furnish General Lee with a body guard. General Lee refused the offer, and General Cagosto contented himself with placing a large body of detectives, in the clothing of civilians, about the consulate. The dispatch to the Herald goes on to say that General Lee, believing that a serious crisis in affairs is likely to occur at any mo-

ment, has prepared a revised list of all the American residents of Havana, together with their addresses, in order that they may be communicated with on short notice.

A large number of yachts, tugs, and other small vessels recently acquired by the government for emergency, is known as the "Moquito" fleet. It is now at the navy yard of the Cramp's near Philadelphia. Commander Horace Elgers has been ordered to take command.

It is claimed that the real mission of the Mangrove, which was recently sent to Havana, ostensibly for the purpose of bringing away anything additional that might be saved from the wreck of the Maine, is to be at the service of Consul General Lee, in the event that official may find it desirable to leave in a hurry.

LETTER FROM HICKORY GROVE.

Sale of the Allison Property—Mr. T. P. McDill, Intendant—Personal and Other Notes.

Hickory Grove, March 28.—Considerable personal property and real estate changed hands here last week. The drug stock of Dr. J. W. Allison was sold to Dr. Teal, and the groceries to Mr. J. B. Martin. Mrs. J. W. Allison sold to Dr. Ward the building lot opposite Mr. J. N. McDill's. Mr. Allison sold to Wilkinson and Martin, the beautiful lot joining the academy lot. Mr. C. M. Martin sold his store-room and lot to Whisnand & Castles. Mr. R. A. Jones sold his store and lot to Miss Sallie Wylie.

Dr. Teal has opened up a first-class drug store in which Dr. Allison was doing business. Miss Sallie Wylie expects to open up a nice stock of millinery in a few days. Mr. Tom Smith has carefully prepared seven acres of land on the river for cotton, and expects to realize 15 bales in the fall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Blair are visiting relatives here. Mr. J. F. Ashe, of McConnellsville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. W. Mitchell. Miss Emma McDill has been sick for several days with grip.

Mr. R. M. Allison is still unable to be out.

The town election was held last Friday. Mr. Thos. P. McDill was elected intendant, and R. L. Scoggins, W. J. Moore, J. E. Westmoreland and B. K. Hardin, wardens.

Rain is very much needed in this section.

THEY ARE HOLDING COTTON.

Southern mills are reported as holding considerably larger stocks of cotton than they did at this time last year. They have evidently learned a lesson from the experience of those Carolina mills, which last summer found it necessary to buy cotton in New York in order to keep their machinery in operation. Crop prophets are now talking as high as eleven and a quarter million bales, but it is rather improbable if this figure will really be reached.

A Texas gentleman, at present in Boston, states that the state is quite well cleaned up. Planting will soon be quite general in the belt, and by April 15 a large part of the crop should be in. It has been estimated that a declaration of war with Spain before the planting time would decrease the acreage nearly 50 per cent.—American Wool and Cotton Reporter.

A Good Move.

Prominent mill men of Anderson and the country thereabouts, have arranged to build a fire-proof bonded warehouse in which to store cotton.

AT THE CHURCHES.

BAPTIST.

Rev. Edward S. Reeves, Pastor. Prayer-meeting tomorrow evening at 7.15.

SUNDAY SERVICES.—YORKVILLE.—There will be no services in this church next Sunday. Sunday school at 4.00 p. m.

ASSOCIATE REFORMED.

Rev. Boyce H. Grier, pastor. Prayer-meeting this evening at 4.30 o'clock.

SUNDAY SERVICES.—YORKVILLE.—Preaching in the morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday night at 7.30 o'clock. Sunday school at 4.00 p. m.

TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Rev. A. N. Brunson, Pastor. Prayer-meeting this evening at 7.30 o'clock.

SUNDAY SERVICES.—There will be preaching in the morning at 11 o'clock, and at night at 7.30. Sunday school at 4 p. m.

YORK CIRCUIT.

Rev. J. W. Humbert, pastor. Preaching at King's Mountain Chapel at 11 a. m., and at St. Paul at 3 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Rev. W. G. Neville, pastor. Prayer-meeting this evening at 7.30 o'clock.

SUNDAY SERVICES.—There will be preaching in the morning at 11 o'clock, and in the evening at 7.30. Sunday school at 4 p. m.

EPISCOPAL.

SUNDAY SERVICES.—Sunday morning at 11 o'clock; meeting of congregation at noon. Sunday school at 4.00 p. m.

On Monday night of next week, April 4th, Rev. J. W. C. Johnson, of Rock Hill, will conduct services in this church.

Special Notices.

At Hickory Grove. Rev. James Russell will preach in the Baptist church at Hickory Grove next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Hickory Grove, March 28.

The Twice-A-Week Enquirer. There are some people who affect to believe that the farmers of York county are too sluggish or not intelligent enough to want news more than once a week or once a month, etc., and who also affect to believe that these citizens would save have old stuff that has long since passed out of date as real live news. We do not believe any such thing; but we are not going to argue the matter even a little bit. But we know it to be a fact that 75 per cent. of the circulation of THE ENQUIRER is called for on the day it arrives at the respective postoffices, and we would not be much afraid to offer a \$5 bill to the individual who can find in any postoffice in York county, a copy sent to a regular subscriber since January, and which is six days old. We know of many offices, however, where whole piles of other papers for weeks back may be collected. The postmasters have often told us that they had served on the publishers the usual discontinuance notice; but to this notice the publishers never pay any attention. All this is the difference between a paper the people want and one they don't. See?

OBITUARY.

DIED.—Four miles southwest of Yorkville, on Sunday, March 27th, 1898, BROOKS NEIL, youngest child of Mr. D. C. and Mrs. M. E. Clark, aged about 19 months.

MONEY TO LEND.

ON IMPROVED REAL ESTATE, in town and country, on reasonable terms. W. W. LEWIS, Attorney at Law. March 30

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Tuesday and Wednesday Nights With Matinee Wednesday Afternoon.

FRANK B. RHODES' MERRY MAKERS in "The Heart of Cuba," Humpty-Dumpty and "The Land of Gold." Monday, 25, 35 and 50 cents. Tickets now on sale.

TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS.

PERSONS having claims against the estates of F. A. GILBERT, and MATTIE K. GILBERT, deceased, will present the same duly verified, within the time required by law, and all persons indebted to either of said estates, will make immediate payment to the undersigned. W. W. LEWIS, Adm'r of the Estates of F. A. and Mattie K. Gilbert, deceased. March 30

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

IN YORKVILLE.

- 1. John F. Oates, House and Lot, Main street.
2. J. C. Dickson, House and Lot, King's Mountain street.
3. Lawrence Davies, House and Lot, Church (C) street.
4. Battle (Steele) Place, Liberty to Madison street, in convenient building lots (dwellings rented for 1898).
5. Louisa Massery, (O'Leary) lot, 2 acres, Charlotte road.

CLOVER.

Vacant lots (see Captain W. B. Smith), SHARON.

Vacant lot (see John L. Rainey), YORK TOWNSHIP.

- 1. Wilson Place, 61½ acres, Adair's Ferry road.
2. Wallace Smith Place, 25 acres, near Fodder's.
3. W. S. Crighton, 133 acres, adjoining John Hamel and others.

KING'S MOUNTAIN TOWNSHIP.

- 1. Emma Nichols Place, 138 acres, (J. C. Pursey, 1898).
2. Lawson's White Place, 74 acres, (Butler Jones, 1898).

BROAD RIVER TOWNSHIP.

- 1. Polly Smith (Meek) Place, 324 acres, (Goods 1896-1901).
2. Rufus Hunt, colored, Place, 50 acres.
3. East James A. Wallace Place, 51 acres, (opposite road from dwelling).

BULLOCK'S CREEK TOWNSHIP.

- 1. J. B. Stephenson Place, 120 acres, (Mitchell Wilson, 1898).
2. H. M. Stephenson Place, 150 acres, (Mitchell Wilson, 1898).
3. Hogg (Riggins) Place, 161 acres, (1898).

- 4. Porter Good (Roseborough) Place, 88 acres.
5. Sanders Store Place, 86 acres (J. L. Sanders, 1898).

ACROSS LINE IN CHESTER CO.

- 1. Prudence Brown Place, 324 acres. (See Walker N. Hardin).
2. Faggie Love Place, 80 acres.

All the farms offered on terms to suit the purchaser, but subject to leases noted above.

For further particulars apply to C. E. SPENCER, Attorney at Law. March 9

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We have in stock a supply of the same kind of Cotton Harrows that we handled so successfully last spring. The demand was greater than the supply, and if you expect to need one or more you should buy now in order to make sure of getting it.

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In a few days we will have some 14 inch, three knife, ball bearing Lawn Mowers, which we will sell at \$5.00 each, which is \$1.50 less than wholesale cost last year. The manufacturers are on the warpath. If you want one place your order quick as the price is too low to last.

J. H. RIDDLE.

Now Look Here; It's War Times,

And my country is needing my services every minute; but I can't go and leave my accounts and business matters unsettled. I have no partner to leave these matters with, and it is almost a crime against your mother country to delay in settling your last year's account, and thus hindering a patriot like me from doing my duty in defense of our flag, but you can readily see that it is with much forbearance that I suppress my patriotism until I can settle my last year's business affairs. Don't delay and thus keep an enthusiastic patriot from the high seas of war. The nation is rocking with the war cry, and it is now time that the enthusiasm should lay hold on you and let me be off.

I have a few barrels of Lime, some Shingles and Laths, which might be used for building purposes for the coming generation, and about a car load of No. 1 Timothy Hay, all of which will be disposed of at fair prices, pending the business adjustments afore mentioned.

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