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FARRAGUT'S FLAG TO DEWEY.

A PRICELESS RELIC WHICH MOVED THE ADMIRAL TO TEARS.

WHICH IT Always—Chosen as the Worthiest Successor of the Man Once Fought Under—Cham-pagne Ends the Incident.

New York, Sept. 28.—One of the most touching incidents since the arrival of Admiral Dewey occurred today when the faded admiral's flag that was floated by Admiral Farragut was presented to Dewey.

Commander George W. Baird, who sailed with Farragut and Dewey in the West Gulf squadron in 1861, unrolled the package which he had carefully guarded all the way to the Olympia and displayed the faded blue admiral's ensign upon which were stitched four white stars. He said to Admiral Dewey: "I wish to present to you the first full admiral's flag ever broken out in the navy of this country. That grand old admiral whose name and memory we all so revere first hoisted this ensign upon the good ship Hartford, before New Orleans, and afterward on the Franklin; and since it came down from the masthead it has never been whipped by the wind or worn by the elements. You, the worthy successor of that great admiral whose tactics you successfully followed a short while ago, I deem the proper person for Farragut's mantle to fall upon."

Admiral Dewey in his reply said that under no circumstances would he be a candidate. He said that his temperament was such that he would not be able to stand the strain, and he begged his friends to abandon the idea. Mr. Brawley wrote several other letters on the subject, but Dewey's determination remained unshaken.

This flag was made by Quarter master Knowles out of a blue "Number" flag when Farragut was made rear admiral. Two white stars were sewed on it. When Farragut was made full admiral two more stars were sewed on it."

Admiral Dewey was deeply affected and tears were in his eyes as he gazed at the souvenir. It was several moments before he could find his voice. Finally he said, "I'll fly it. I'll fly it at the masthead. I'll fly it in the parade. I'll fly it always and when I strike my admiral's flag this will be the flag I'll strike."

This was the most impressive scene that has occurred since his arrival and for some time no one spoke. The silence was broken by Admiral Dewey who called his Chinese steward and ordered a case of champagne.

Washington, Sept. 28. Admiral Dewey has made known to the navy department that he desires to retain Lieutenant Brumby as aid en his staff while on shore duty in this country. This detail will raise Lieutenant Brumby to the rank of captain. It is a question, however, whether or not he will be allowed the pay of captain. It is usual for an admiral to choose his aids from a class higher than lieutenant.

SALUDA'S RAILROAD PROSPECTS

The People Very Much Encouraged by a Visit from the Chief Engineer of the Southern Railway.

Saluda, September 28.—Mr. O. L. Wells, chief engineer of the Southern Railway system, came to Johnston from Washington yesterday and was conducted in the afternoon by Mr. Alvin Ethridge, of this town, along the proposed Saluda-Johnston Railroad line. He spent last night here and had a conference with some of the citizens, the result of which was extremely gratifying. Mr. Wells expressed himself as very much impressed with the policy, energy and faith which the people of Saluda have displayed, and remarked that they deserve to succeed in their efforts to secure a railroad and that he believed they would succeed. He said that the proposed route to Johnston could be graded at a comparatively small cost. To-morrow he will be driven across the country to Hard's in order to see which is the better route from the Southern to Saluda, this latter or that from Johnston.

Saluda's prospect for a railroad, the one thing ever needed above all others, is growing brighter every day and her citizens, while working quietly, are working more earnestly than ever. The Southern's good will and apparent inclination to lend a helping hand is very encouraging. A meeting of the stockholders will be held here on September 30, when an organization will be perfected and a board of directors and officers elected.

The subscription to the capital stock is mounting up and if all things work well the day is not far distant when the locomotive's whistle will be sounded here and the "all out for Saluda" heard.

DEWEY NOT A CANDIDATE.

In a Reply to a Letter from Judge Brawley, He Wrote: "Neither by inclination nor by training am I fitted to hold the office of President."

(New York Herald.)

"Neither by inclination nor by training am I fitted to hold the office of President of the United States. I would be more than human if I were not gratified and even flattered by the prospect you hold out to me, but I cannot accept your conclusions. I have lived a sailor and shall die one."

Judge W. H. Brawley, of South Carolina, admitted last night that these words were substantially a transcript of part of a letter which he received from Admiral Dewey in answer to one which he had written asking him to allow his friends to make him a candidate for President. Mr. Brawley was reluctant to talk of the correspondence, which he said he regarded as personal. The passage quoted was repeated by a friend to whom he had shown the original letter, which he now has.

Mr. Brawley is a good Democrat. He was a friend to Admiral Dewey, and when the proposal to nominate him for President in the hope of uniting the Democratic party was made, several Democrats, including Ben T. Cable, of Illinois, asked him to broach the matter to Dewey and obtain his consent. It was proposed at first that Mr. Brawley should go to the Philippines, but this plan was abandoned, and he wrote to the Admiral instead.

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I think there is no possibility that Admiral Dewey can become the Democratic candidate for President," said Mr. Brawley at the University Club last night. "It is too late for that. I have the correspondence at home, but I certainly shall not allow the letters to be made public, as I have always looked upon them as personal. Should President McKinley not be nominated for any reason, he might yield and take the nomination, but he does not think that any such state of affairs exists, and I have no idea that he will be nominated."

It has been reported that William C. Whitney was one of the prime movers in the effort to induce Admiral Dewey to become a candidate. Mr. Brawley said that Mr. Whitney had nothing to do with the writing of his letters.

WHEELER GETS IN A FIGHT.

Commands an Infantry Regiment and Helps to Capture a Town.

Manila, Sept. 28.—The Philippine town of Porac was today captured by Generals MacArthur and Wheeler. It contains over 8,000 people.

After half an hour of brisk fighting and steady advance the Americans drove the Filipinos northward and entered over the deserted trenches.

The American loss is slight, the artillery not losing a man from the ranks either dead or wounded. The movement has been planned several weeks.

General Wheeler commanded the Ninth Infantry and marched from Santa Rita, meeting MacArthur in front of Porac on time.

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HESTER'S COTTON STATEMENT.

41,000 Bales Fewer Move Into Sight Than In Same Days in '98.

New Orleans, September 29.—Secretary Hester's weekly New Orleans cotton exchange statement shows a decrease, in round figures, in the movement of cotton into sight for the past seven days of 41,000 bales under the seven days ending Sept. 29 last year. The amount brought into sight for the week ending this afternoon is placed at 342,000 bales under the seven days ending Sept. 29 last year. The amount brought into sight for the week ending this afternoon is placed at 342,000 against 383,058 for the seven days ending this date last year and 310,458 year before last.

This brings the total of the crop movement into sight for the 29 days of the new season to 1,031,192 against 878,722 last year and 1,018,532 year before last.

Receipts at all United States ports since Sept. 1 are 728,025 against 621,831 last year; overland across the Mississippi, Ohio and Potomac rivers to Northern mills and Canada, 50,173, against 28,672 last year; overland across the Mississippi, Ohio and Potomac rivers to Northern mills and Canada, 50,173, against 28,672 last year; interior stocks in excess of Sept. 1, 132,801 against 120,191 against 108,591 last year.

Foreign exports since Sept. 1 have been 410,234 against 245,037 last year. The total takings of American mills North and South and Canada thus far for the season have been 206,091 against 168,939 last year.

Including amounts left over in stocks at ports and interior towns from the last crop and the number of bales brought into sight thus far for the new crop, the supply to date is 1,650,090 against 1,416,288 for the same period last year.

How to encourage and keep the boys on the farm? Take them off of it occasionally for recreation and sight-seeing, where such opportunities as the next annual State Fair will afford.

Veteran L. W. Stone,



L. W. Stone,

Between Anderson and Walhalla.

NEW TOWN Near Columbia,

(Special to Greenville News.)

Columbia, S. C., Sept. 28.—The inhabitants of Hyatt's park, a suburb of Columbia, have petitioned the Secretary of State to incorporate it as a town. It will contain about 200 inhabitants and will be called Eau Claire.

THOUSANDS KILLED.

Earthquake Around Smyrna Reported as Having Destroyed Villages and Killed Many Natives.

London, September 28.—The Echo today says the Greek Government was informed yesterday that the severe shock of earthquake around Smyrna killed a thousand people, injured eight hundred and demolished two thousand houses and two villages.

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