

# Special Announcement

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## J. S. ERON.

### BATTLE SHIP EXPLOSION.

#### French Navy Loses Finest Battle Ship--400 Killed and Wounded.

Toulon, France, September 25:—Between 350 and 400 officers and men were killed today when the battleship *Liberte* was torn apart and totally destroyed by an explosion of her magazines.

The battleship *Republique* was badly damaged and the battleships *Democratic* and *Verite* also suffered severely from the masses of twisted iron and armor plate that were hurled upon their decks.

This is the greatest disaster that has ever fallen upon the French navy and in magnitude is almost without precedent in the annals of the world's fighting ships. The grief which prostrates the fleet and nation is made more intense by the memory of the recent review here, a notable display of France's naval greatness, in which the doomed ship was one of the finest figures.

It is now considered almost established that the disaster was due to the deflagration of "B" powder, as in the case of the *Iena*. Towards 5 a. m. the watch perceived a dense smoke coming from the forepart of the ship. He reported this to the officers, who promptly ordered that the vessel be flooded.

Some idea of the violence of the explosion may be had from the fact that the officer commanding the gunnery schoolship *Foudre*, anchored three kilometres (1.86 miles) from the *Liberte* was killed on his own quarter deck by a fragment of shell hurled from the *Liberte* and two sailors beside him were wounded. There was a roll call of the remnant of the crew of the *Liberte* on board the battleship *Suffren* tonight.

The scene was pitiful, as many of the men were injured and most of them were in tears.

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### Indiantown Items.

(Received too late for last week's issue.)

Indiantown, September 20:—Farmers are having ideal weather now for gathering their crops and are taking advantage of it.

Indiantown Graded school opened Friday, September 15. Mr—Furgerson of Chester is principal and his assistants are: Misses Bruce and May Hellam, of Laurena, and Miss Cleva Rhame of Summerville.

Mrs G W Ervin has returned home from a visit to relatives at Darlington.

Among those who have left from this vicinity for the various colleges are: Miss Emma Cooper for Winthrop; Miss Jane Ervin for Statesville Female College; Mr Theo Rogers for Clemson and Mr David Hanna for Draughon's business college.

The farmers at this place organized a Farmers' Union recently, the following officers being elected: President, Mr W D Daniel; secretary and treasurer, Mr R H Ervin. They hope to enroll every farmer in this section, for they feel that it will be profitable to the farmers. They have enrolled about twenty-five members and much interest has been manifested.

Messrs W R Graham and S D Snowden visited Charleston several days last week.

Miss Jhoe Snowden, one of Indiantown's bright young ladies who completed a business course at Statesville Female College, has accepted a position with Jenkinson Bros Co at Kingstree. AN INDIAN.

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