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'Ir is not known yet which condidate for U. S. Senator Brownell and Porter will support. It is the general supposition that as Brownell goes, so will Por-ter. They have not yet made up their minds for obvious reasons. It is stated, on good authority, that Brownell is not a soul Mitchell man and will help bury John H. when the proper time comes.'

The above is taken from the Canby Independent. It is not generally understood that these articles are put in this class of peanut sheets, because the proprietors want cash to keep still. At election times they are able to get a few dollars, and evidently think it can be w. The above article appear the correspondence from Oregon City and emenates from one of the same black-mailing gentry. All the proprietor of the Enterprise has to say, is that he has not one cent for this kind of people. Porter will support a sound money republican and will do his best to see that some good republican is elected even if he should not be his persenal choice. We have not the information these gentleman have as to what Brownell will do, but have no doubt he will support a man that will be entirely satisfactory to the republicans of this

The greatest world figurers of the last half-century have been Bismark, Cayour, who tried to do for Italy what Bismark did for Germany; Gladstone, rule with the cutthroat conditions of a who raised England to a higher level of not very remote past. It is not now the mortal earnestness in her political earnestness in her political policy; Abraham Lincoln and Pope Leo XII, who is the greatest statesman the Vatican has against smallpox, the bubonic plague seen since the Reformation. Of these and other epidemics the white suhibs five great world figures of the last halfcentury, Pope Leo is the sole survivor, and he is reported as likely to die at any moment. He is in his 89th year, and is so completely broken down with age and infirmity that he rarely speaks, and when he does his voice is very weak. He is unable to write, work, or follow the course of business in any way. Even thinking tires him, and prayers confuse him. His holiness has been observed to commence the same prayer ten times without noticing the repetition. In fact, his life is slowly ebbing away, Cardinal Rampolla attends to all of the Vatican business .- Oregonian.

THE American people show their appreciation of the army and navy in a style all their own. When Sampson's fleet came into New York bay and Hudson river, the people gave them such a welcome as is seldom seen. As a unit finding and examining the chain. The they welcomed them back, knowing each one to be a hero, and determined

dividually had helped to place the American navy where it is the envy of the

THAT Captain Clark of the Oregon is seriously ill, will bring regret to every American. That the captain of the battleship, that took the part in the naval battle at Santiago that the Oregon did, should suffer from nervous prostration shows the tremendous strain on a naval commander. The commander did his duty so well in this case that every Oregonian takes a personal interest in his

AGUINALDO, the insurgent chief at Manila, is only 20 years old and was considered to have so little ability at the university at Manila, that the priests, who conduct it, recommended his father

It seems that in England to make a though they are more cramped for room. fake corporation a succes, it must have the support of the nobility. And some as is shown by the Hooley expose.

THE suggestion that we keep Yap island as a place for the bolding of populist conventions and pugilistic engagements indicates that the last state of the island may be worse than the first.-LaGrande Chronicle.

Now that Manila has fallen, Dewey is off to capture any Spanish gunboat that may be in the Philippine group, and he will get them, if they do not get the cable working too soon.

THE national chairman of the populist party sees the error of his way and promises no more fusion for the future.

THE Philippines, under the American government, would rival Hong Kong as a commercial center.

legislature about October 1st.

Ir this thing keeps up, Alger will wish he was back in Michigan.

The wisest disposition of the relics of the civil war, such as captured guns, fings, etc., has been for a good while a mutual sympathy between the quondam | the open air. enemies of 1861-5 into a harmonious people, it is but proper that something should be done which should honor the pride of both sides in that great controversy of war. A good suggestion is that of the New York Confederate veterans, that all captured flags, emblems, trophies and other relics, either in public or private possession, shall be preserved in a national war museum at Washington at the expense of the government. If this is done, it will bring forth valuable souvenirs from a thousand hiding places, where they now keep company with rats and mice only, and insure their preservation. Aside from the question of sentiment this disposition of the matter will be of great historical value. There is already a magnificent collection, lately on exhibition in Chicago, which would be a desirable nucleus for such a museum. It could probably be had at moderate cost.

East Indian officials are uneasy over the form which the ever teeming discontent of the country is taking. The vast composite of races and religions inhabiting Hindustan, saturated in time worn usage and belief, is murmuring bitterly again utterly unable to compare the relative prosperity under English cry of the greased cartridge, which heralded the sepoy mutiny. It is the superstitious notion that because English sanitary management seeks to inoculate are seeking to poison them.

The erstwhile lean and ragged auxiliaries of the American troops before Santiago are for the most part fat and well clad now. These friendly jackals have zealously profited by the impatience of the Yankees in throwing away all superfluous weight in marching and fighting under a tropical sun.

The Dome of St. Paul's.

in the alarming rumor that there is some uneasiness in expert quarters in regard to the stability of the dome of St. Paul's. We imagine that the only substratum of fact is this: It is known that a huge fron chain is imbedded in the stenework of the drum of the dome. An eminent architect some time since amused himself by describing the consequences which might ensue if the water were to reach this chain. There is no reason to suppose that such a thing has occurred or is likely to occur, and the newly appointed surveyors, Messrs. Somers Clarke and J. T. Middlethwaite, are fully alive to the desirability of first difficulty appears to be that its exact locality is somewhat uncertain. The second will be to get at it effectively that each man should feel that he in- when it is discovered.—London Saturday Review.

WARSHIP WORSHIP.

HOW JACK "RIGS CHURCH" IN UNCLE SAM'S NAVY.

Divine Service on Sanday on Board a United States Man-of-war and How It Is Conducted-The Church Ensign and Its Meaning The Chaplain.

When there is seen flying from the gaff of a United States man-of-war a small, white triangular pennant, bearing on its field a blue. Greek cross near the pike or halyard, it is a signal that divine service is being held on board. Rig church!" is one of the regular naval orders, issued usually at about 10:30 to fusion. on Sunday morning.

Clearch is "rigged" in various places according to the construction of the yessel and according to the weather conditions. If the day is fine and not too cold, the quarter deck will probably be customary to hold the service on the to take him out and put him in the forward part of the gun deck. In stormy weather the berth deck below is used. where the men may be under shelter,

Assuming that the service is to be held on the quarter deck, the arrangements for it will proceed about like of these people are for sale as directors, this: When the bugler gives the signal, gaff, and some of the men, under the furnished. direction of an officer, bestir themselves briskly in making the simple preparations which are necessary.

A table or desk, covered with the game preserve. American flag, is placed at the end of the quarter deck for the chaplain. A few wardroom chairs are brought up from below and ranged along the starboard side, where the officers are to assemble, haggle over details. and benches or capstan bars resting on buckets make seats for the crew on the

The organ-for every ship that has a of this nature—is put in a convenient States in the Philippines. place. If there is a band, and its services are desired, a few musicians are selected and stationed near by. Then the the fight at Manila. ship's bell is tolled for about five minutes, giving the officers and men, wherever they may be on board, sufficient time to assemble, if they are so inclined.

The boatswain may call down the hatchways "Silence, fore and aft, during divine service!" but it is well understood by the entire crew that the ship must be quiet now for about three-THERE will be a special session of the quarters of an hour. Finally the bell stops, the captain, after a glance around, makes a sign to the chaplain that all is ready, and the service begins.

How it is conducted depends upon the denomination to which the chaplain belongs, and various sects are represented among the naval clergymen. The singing, accompanied by the organ, which is played either by an officer or by some musician among the crew, is mooted question. Now that there is generally fine. The men enjoy it, and such a perfect fusion of good will and their voices ring out strong and fresh in

During the prayers they are required to remove their caps, but throughout covered. When it is over, the order to 'Pipe down!" is given, and church is 'unrigged," Sometimes an evening service is also held, but this is not the general custom.

Attendance at church on the warships cers are expected to attend by way of furnishing an example, and most of them usually do, accompanied by perhaps about half the crew-sometimes more and sometimes less,

But by no means all the ships of the navy are provided with chaplains. For prevent outrages. the 60 or more war vessels now effective for service there are fewer than 30 chaplains, or less than one for every their ministrations may reach the great- effect. est number of persons.

A queer incident happened a few years ago, when one of the modern had been intended that she should carry exposition. a chaplain, but when the officers' quarters were completed it was found that his room had been entirely overlooked. No accommodation for him thus being available, the ship put to sea without a chaplain and did not have one for at least two years.

In an action the chaplain's duties are with the sick and wounded. Occasionally, however, his aid has been required at the guns, and in many instances the chaplains have proved themselves heroic fighters as well as good preachers. In the old days of the navy the chaplain wore the full uniform of his rank-lieu tenant, lieutenant commander or commander-but it is now customary for him to wear a suit of black or the regu- Library of the lar costume of whatever church he represents, sometimes with the insignia of his rank upon his sleeve.—New York

The Army Officer's Trunk.

The army officer's trunk, which is an article of limited but regular sale in Prepared under the personal direction peace times, being sold chiefly to regular army officers, is a stout, well made trunk of rather generous proportions, so divided inside as to afford spaces for We do not believe there is any truth | both military and civilian attire. There is a place for an officer's chapeau and one for the silk hat of a civilian and room for the different clothing, and the trunk is large enough to admit a sword laid diagonally. A trunk of this sort is made not of sole leather, as might be supposed, to withstand rough wear, but with a rigid frame, so that it can be roped or strapped on to a load or packed with other things piled on it in the exigencies of wagon or other transportation without being crushed or damaged. -New York Sun.

Broadly speaking, the essential difference between merchant ships and warships is that the former are designed to thereof low down in the hold, whereas warships have to carry their heavy burdens of armor and armament high up on their sides.

THE NEWS

OF THE WEEK

Friday, August 19.

The capitulation of Manila, it is that guarantee the highest speed. claimed, will give more to the Americans than was agreed on in the protocol.

California democrata commit the party

Texas republicans are for the gold

American prestige and her grip on the Philippines are attracting all the powers selected, although in some ships it is of Europe. It is conceded that no power will interfere with America's war program or peace proposition.

Manila in American hands will rival Hong Kong.

The troops at Santiago and the Ameri- and 26 injured, can war vessels are coming north as fast as possible, while the Spanish are being the "church ensign" is hoisted to the taken away as fast as transports can be

Yellowstone Park as it is too small for a boundary, etc.

Saturday, August 20.

It is probable that the peace negotiations will be prolonged, as Spain will

Morales, the Guatemalan revolutionary leader is dead.

Europe generally recognizes that no chaplain is provided with an instrument power can interfere with the United

The Astor battery bore the brunt of

Seventy warships will rendezvous at Fort Monroe, the largest fleet ever assembled in American waters.

Captain Clark, of the Oregon is seriously ill on the St. Paul. So much so that he cannot be moved. He is suffering from nervous prostration.

Single-turreted monitors will be sent to Cuba and Porto Rico as guard ships

National conference on our foreign policy meets at Saratoga. A colonial policy and the Nicaraguan canal is fav. change in this particular has taken place

A detachment of troops will leave for the Yukon.

Sunday, August 21. Official report of the battle of Manila received from Gen. Merritt,

All is quiet at Manila. The American the rest of the service they may remain | fleet has gone to Hollo and Cebu not having heard of the cessation of hostilities.

The cable to Manila is now working, The Hawaiian emblem was probably Oregon regiment, and that the Oregon taken down Aug. 12th, and "Old Glory"

German papers lay all the blame on Spain for her misfortunes.

Natives are taking vengeance on the Spanish in porto Rico for part offences

of the Philippines and appeared before Beach St. Portland Oregon, two ships. They are attached to the lar- the national conference on our foreign gest and most important vessels, where policy, and made a strong speech to that

A commission is being appointed to pleased to learn that there is at least one raise funds for a monument for Lafayette dreaded disease that science has been cruisers was put into commission. It to be presented to France at the Paris able to cure in all its stages and that is

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Monday, August 22. Gen. Merritt has proclaimed a millitary government for Manila.

The Peru and Puebla bave arrived at Manila with troops and Gen. Otis and

Gen. Hughes. The Spanish resistance at Manila was

Fifteen hundred Chinese troops have been killed by the rebels and their bodies thrown in the river.

little more than pominal.

A railroad collision in Massachusetts results in the death of seven persons

The high joint commission to settle long standing matters between Canada and the United States meets this week. Very important matters come before An effort will be made to enlarge this body, like the seal fisheries, Alaska

> Spain will undoubtedly maintain that the public buildings in Cuba are hers even if she relinquishes her sovereignty

Spain is giving strict instruction to her commissioners to Cuba and Porto

The condition of the Spanish soldiers

at Santiago is terrible, and they are

dying by the score of dysentery,

Tuesday, August 23.

"Old Glory" was raised over the Hawaiian Islands at noon August 12th. The United States formally taking possession at that time. The ceremony was a beautiful and very impressive one.

Admiral Sampson arrived in Washington and had a conference with the president on the Cuban commission,

Spain has named her Cuban and Porto Rican commissions and sept their names to this government.

Food is still scarce at Havana. Little

Wednesday, August 24. The insurgents look on Dewey as the greatest man in the islands and as a sort

of father to them. French soldiers bre on a Chinese mobat Shanghai and kill 15, wounding 29

Unless countermanded, the Oregon recruits will leave San Froacisco Saturday. It is reported that the Spaniards at Manila turned over their arms to the

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