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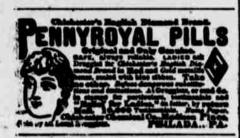
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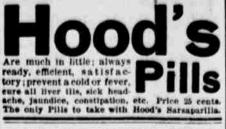
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WAR NOTES IN BRIEF.

Those regiments of volunteers which are still in their state will be the first to be mustered out. Dewey's log of the war will be inter-

esting. It furnished the prologue and the epilogue of the whole business. Both Spanish and American troops

city. This will be known in American history as the year of islands. The Philippines alone add 1200 to our national

President McKinley has determined to disband the Cuban army as one of the first steps toward restoring order

Throwing away the trophies of war s no doubt an easy business, but the American people do not propose to en-

Rear Admiral Howell's fleet has been ordered from Key West to Hampton Roads on account of yellow fever at

The last battle of Manila was fought during a fierce thunder storm, the rain at times abscuring the view of the ships

The president, it is believed, will recommend the revival of the grade of upon Admiral Dewey.

We fought one battle to take the harbor at Manila and another to capture the city. Both are ours by the title of valor shown by navy and army.

Havana has a chance now to get down to a common-sense, practical raking in the ashes is profitless busi-

When Manila surrendered the Spanards wept as their flag was hauled down and the American flag raised amid the strains of "Star Spangled Banver."

The United States has some distinguished admirals, but none with greater qualities than Dewey. No doubt congress will reward the hero of Manila as he deserves.

The president has sent imperative orders to Admiral Dewey and General ment G. A. R. Merritt to avoid recognizing officially the Philippine insurgents and to maintain order at any cost.

The Cubans are in a position to assure the Cretans that Uncle Sam's concert is infinitely superior to that of Eue. One goes through accordi program and the other doesn't.

The German inventor of the Mauser rifle is justified in claiming that it has a tendency to shoot straight even in the hands of indifferent marksmen. Casunlities prove that it is a good gun.

The Bethlehem Iron Company shipped to Newport News the forward turret plates for the battleship Kentucky. sighting hoods for the Kearsarge and also turret plates for the Kenrsarge.

half the world's production of coffee, cure for sweating, callous and hot the annexation of Haweii and Porto Rico, and control of the Philippines at all druggists and shoe stores. By will be of great benefit to the public.

Spanish commercial classes and property owners of Havana favor the annexation of Cuba to the United States rather than the setting up of an independent government under the Cubans.

The insurgents in Cuba and the Philippines must learn to curb their foolish pretensions or they will find Porto Rico walking away from them surrounded by a halo of Yankee prosperity.

give up the Philippines. While this is them. C. L. Cotting. not conclusive, it is additional proof that arguments on the other side are

Capt. J. W. Philip has received his commission as commodore, and the event was celebrated on the battleship Texas, in the Brooklyn navy yard, with and specifications may be seen at L. a salute of eleven guns and other ceremonies.

The Commercial Cable company at New York, announces that censorship has been raised on all commercial code and cipher messages to and from Cuba, porto Rico and all the West India islands.

The naval board will recommend the construction of fifteen more battleships for extraordinary speed and large coal capacity, and no wood will be used in C. L. Cotting. their construction.

Our new Philippine possessions will offer some strange and interesting experiencet to Americans visiting the islands for the first time. One of them will be the hut-like chow shops, in which stewed grasshoppers are sold.

At Santiago the Cubans have planned to effect a joint peaceful occupation of that city with the American troops. Gens. Wood and Lawton have sent installments 3 per cent.-J. H. SMITS, word to the Cuban commanders that Special Agent.

any attempt on their part to enter the city with arms will be prevented.

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In several important respects Dewey resembles Grant. He is original and audacious. Nobody ever heard him grumbling about the inadequacy of means at his command or the character of the task to which he was assigned. He does his work cheerfully and promptly with the forces at his are now on guard at Manila, and armed disposal. He does it so thoroughly natives are not allowed to enter the that it will never have to be done over again by him or anybody else. Dewey will, in history, have the primacy among the fighters of the Spanish war which Grant had among those of the war of secession. The contest for second and third place among the great personalities of the war of 1898 may be keen, but the first place belongs to

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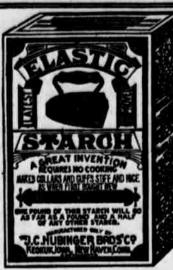
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