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SHORT LOCALS.

There are 208,749 railroad bridges in the United States.

It rained on the 15th and trout fishers were disappointed.

Miss Alice Cleveland, of Lewis-town, spent Sunday in this place.

Mr. Williamson Van Ormer of Fayette township is in poor health.

WANTED—Three bushels of Blue Victor potatoes, call at this office.

A well plumaged ostrich yields two thousand dollars worth of feathers.

Those stylish two toned sailors \$36, at Mrs. Ickes' millinery store.

Lewistown is recruiting two military companies for the Spanish war.

The Huntingdon Lutheran Church took in 18 new members on Sunday.

A professional trout fisher says cloudy days are the best for trout fishing.

The organ grinder, and the bill poster, and the agent have come with the advent of spring.

Dr. Joseph Rothrock's health has so improved that he is able to go out of his house on short walks.

Miss Maggie Miller, and Miss Maggie Toner, of Lewistown, spent Sunday afternoon in this place.

In Millin county, a plank walk is being laid from Mechanicsville to Belleville, by private subscription.

George Jacobs fell down the hay hole in the stable of his grand father James North and broke his left arm.

The last of the Easter storm passed by last Friday, the weather has been of the growing kind ever since.

Dr. E. W. Conrad, editor of the Lutheran Observer, died in Philadelphia, on Easter Sunday, aged 82 years.

The men who sowed their oats during the fine weather in March, will have heavy oats when the grain ripens.

Hon. John Wamsmaker, has offered to raise a regiment and go to the front to fight Spain if war is declared.

The Republicans of Millin county will hold their primary election May 21, and their county convention on May 24.

Fought jumping east one New Fort led \$5 last week and another \$5 21 The railroad company are after the boys.

The April freeze in 1897 was greater than the April freezes of 1898, and with all that what a large peach crop in 1897.

Rev. Mr. Rhoads, a Sunday School worker, preached in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening, on the subject of the Bible.

Mrs. Ickes' Millinery, Patterson, Pa., has the largest stock, greatest assortment, most exclusive styles, and her prices way below others.

"Do you think you will be able to stand the climate in Cuba?" "I ought to. I've been smoking Cuban cigars for six months."

The commissioners of Clinton county have appointed two wood ward detectives whose duty is to find out the parties who set woods on fire.

"What cause have we for war with Spain, after all?" "Why, confound it! Haven't we made elaborate preparations for a fight?"

The Lutheran Congregation enjoyed an Easter service on Sunday and Sunday evening; one of the great features of the occasion was the music.

William Hertzler Jr., is getting along finely in the business of raising a military company, having at ready 70 men enrolled all anxious for a brush with Spain.

To break a band, place a boy or man 10 or 12 feet away in front of the musicians and there let him suck a lemon. He'll knock the music in five minutes higher than a kite.

Be (going to war)—Swear that you will never love another, desert. His new bride—Is't that a little bit unreasonable, Harry, when I have a prospect of becoming a widow so soon?

Beaver Herald April 14—Jacob Howell tapped a sugar maple tree and took seven wooden buckets full or about 21 gallons of sap, from that one tree per day, for three days in succession, last week.

When one man plans to, and does kill another man—that is murder.

In the Lower House of Congress, last week when the Spanish Cuban question was before the house some of the members became so war like that in addition to bad language that they used, they hurled books at each other heads.

A two-legged hog got into the M. E. church last Sunday morning, the result being that the carpet was saturated and covered with tobacco juice.

The Junata conference of the synod of Central Pennsylvania of the Evangelical Lutheran Church will hold its spring session in the Lutheran church of Liverpool, Perry county, May 2-4, 1898.

A circus manager has tendered 25 elephants to the secretary of war, to be used in Cuba against the Spaniards.

Moses Fry, who lives a mile north of Middleburg, Snyder county, was asked by his wife to bring her a peck of corn into the house.

Some days ago, Samuel Kinser, while crossing the river bridge discovered a fire blazing between the plank of the floor on the second span from the Millintown side.

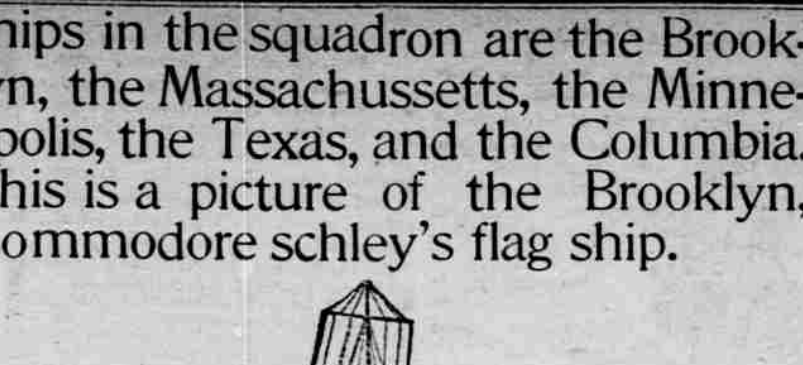
From the Indianapolis Journal. "Are you the society editor?" asked the large woman, who seemed to fill the room.

"No, madam," said the one addressed. "I am only the court reporter."

"Really? I am surprised. But perhaps you will do. Your paper said in its account of the affair at my house that floral decorations 'lent beauty to the scene.'"

Photographs advancing in price. Take Notice on and after April 1st, 1898, my price for our best Cabinet Photographs will be 3.00 per dozen, until then April 1st, I will make and sell tickets for these same photographs for 1.50 per dozen.

ships in the squadron are the Brooklyn, the Massachusetts, the Minneapolis, the Texas, and the Columbia. This is a picture of the Brooklyn, Commodore Schley's flag ship.



ARMORED CRUISER BROOKLYN. The Brooklyn is the navy's greatest cruiser. Her speed is 20 knots, her displacement 9,371 tons, and she cost about \$8,000,000.

Where did Commodore Schley go with the Flying Squadron? was asked. Answer. Washington, Baltimore, and every other place that had learned of the departure of the Flying Squadron.

Washington, Baltimore, and every other place that had learned of the departure of the Flying Squadron, were on a strain to know whence it had gone. On Friday, after an absence of 48 hours it returned to Norfolk.

It had been out to sea maneuvering. The flag ship, Brooklyn crew beat all the others of the Squadron in the response of its men upon a call to quarters. In 4 minutes after the call every man was in place ready for action.

and its shooting at mark was the best. The navy is being prepared for an attack on Havana, and a fight with Spanish war ships in Cuban waters. When the Cuban waters have been cleared of Spanish war vessels, the land troops will be sent across to Cuba to battle with the 200,000 Spanish army on the island.

To that end United States troops are now being concentrated in four large camps, one at Chickamauga, one at New Orleans, one at Mobile, and one at Tampa. Twenty thousand troops are assembling. There should be 100,000 thousand go to Cuba instead of 20,000.

There had better be too many go to Cuba than too few, if any are to go. The Government seems to be alive to the fact that the impending war after Cuba has been taken, must needs be a war on the sea.

The island in the sea across the ocean to ward Spain must all be taken if the war is prolonged and it will take a powerful navy to do that. Many a brave ship will have to go to the bottom before that has been accomplished.

The Spanish have their worst language at their tongues end and say they will blow ship and crew to hell before they will allow yankees to board them, an equally vile language American commander says, we'll pack hell so full of Spaniards that the Spanish language will be the only language spoken in hell for years to come.

That is vulgar naval warfare bluster but it indicates a spirit that means war for quite awhile once it is commenced. The ocean will swarm with Spanish privateers that will capture our merchant ships. It will take a large and powerful navy to chase and catch the Spanish privateers.

But if we can capture their coaling stations on the islands of the Atlantic ocean, they must stay on the other side. Stone coal in the coming war is almost as valuable as gun powder.

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