

THE PRIDE OF OUR NAVY.

Abtest Coast Defender in All the World

Is Our Monitor "The Puritan" - Some Details About Her Strength.

The armored monitor Puritan, the best equipped and staunchest craft of her kind in the entire world, a fighting machine of the most modern kind...

Every officer and every Jack tar in the Brooklyn Navy Yard, from the mainmast to the mainmast, were present...

Although no official assignment to the command of the Puritan has as yet been announced it is generally understood that Secretary of the Navy Herbert has selected Captain John R. Bartlett...

The Puritan was begun in 1875, at the shipyard of the late John Roach, at Chester, Pa. She is 286 feet 6 inches long, with 60 feet 11 inches greatest breadth...

There are two big turrets on the main deck, one aft and one forward, and both can be revolved easily by hydraulic power...

The hull itself is protected by an armor belt six inches thick, and is covered by steel plating 2 inches thick...

Before the Puritan's armor was put in position it was carefully tested. In February, 1894, a plate eighteen feet long, six feet wide and fourteen inches thick...

Then, again, the Puritan is so constructed that her bulkheads can be filled with water, causing her to sink so that her deck would remain but a few inches above the water.

A "World" reporter visited the pride of the navy and found that the monitor is nearly ready for sea service.

is about as small as one could imagine and his office has just room enough to hold a small desk and a man. Two men could not possibly turn around. If Captain Bartlett wants to talk to his clerk while he is in his office he is compelled to wait to him from the gangway.

ALMOST A TRAGEDY.

But the Revolver Was Intended for His Uncle, Not Himself. The clock struck 11 and still he sat in the dim light of a candle and continued, with melancholy mien, to tear up the rose-colored billet-doux...

Most beautiful his features are. The languid sadness which seems stamped upon every part of his face; the black eyes—once fiery—but now dull with a pathetic look of hopelessness; the lips voluptuous, but now tightly pressed together, as though in desperate resolution...

Relentlessly the hands of the old clock move toward the goal. He has destroyed the last of those billet-doux which in former days he had carried next to his heart.

From the mantelpiece he takes a beautifully polished revolver. Brightly the ghastly steel glimmers in the light. Intently he gazes upon it, endearingly holds it in his hands, smiles a grim smile, and laughs a mirthless laugh.

Chicago wheat is fairly steady, but foreign advices are weaker and the local market is very active at the decline. Spot wheat is again lower, and even at the quoted prices shippers are not buying.

Apples are not so much in evidence to-day; receipts were nearly 2,000 boxes, but they sold fairly well; Verdel, being practically the only variety in the market, and well, some bringing up to 50c in boxes.

Produce quotations. FLOUR—Not as prices for Family Extra, \$5 10/10; Bakers' Extras, \$4 90/5; Superfine, \$4 25/4 50 per barrel.

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J-Street Bulletin!

Buyers of goods need not be told that the little hole-in-the-wall store painted red, on J street, leads the whole bunch of them for low prices on the same class of goods.

TODAY TO-MORROW

We shall offer Ladies' Full-finished 20c Black Hose, two pair for 25c. Mixed lot of Infants' Wool and Cotton Hose, in plain and fancy, at 5c pair.

CHILDREN'S TRIMMED HATS. SPECIAL SALE. OUR MONDAY'S SALE. CUT PRICES ON MILLINERY.

UNTRIMMED FELT HATS. 75c Ladies' Fine Felt Hats, untrimmed; similar to cut, in black, brown and tan.

GREAT VALUES IN BLANKETS AND COMFORTERS. Extra fine finish white or gray 10-4 double cotton Blankets, 75c.

LADES, ASK TO SEE OUR FAST-BLACK 5c AND 10c HOSE. THE RED HOUSE CO., J STREET, BETWEEN SEVENTH AND EIGHTH.

Peppers (dry), 15c per lb; Cauliflower, 10c each; Lettuce, three for 5c; Bunch Vegetables, 10c per dozen.

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SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY

Table with columns: LEAVE (for), TRAINS RUN DAILY, ARRIVE (from). Lists train schedules for various routes.

Trains Leave and Arrive at Sacramento: 11:30 P Ashland and Portland... 6:50 A

For morning, P-For afternoon, S-Sunday excepted. Monday excepted. RICHARD GRAY, Gen. Traffic Mgr. T. H. GOODMAN, Gen. Pass. Agent.

JUDSON EXCURSION for all points. Sacramento weekly. Upholstered cars. Managers through Chicago and Boston.

ROTELS AND RESTAURANTS. GOLDEN EAGLE HOTEL, Corner Seventh and K Streets.

WESTERN HOTEL, THE LEADING HOUSE OF SACRAMENTO, Cal. Meals, 25c. W.M. LAND, Proprietor.

PACIFIC HOTEL, CORNER K AND FIFTH STREETS, Sacramento, Cal. Nearest hotel to Post and Express Offices and Theaters.

THE SADDLE ROCK RESTAURANT AND OYSTER HOUSE. FIRST-CLASS HOUSE IN EVERY RESPECT.

MAISON FAURE, Restaurant De France, 67 K STREET, SACRAMENTO, FAMILY OF BANQUETS AND RECEPTIONS.

MARCO'S RESTAURANT, Third and J streets. Ladies' entrance on Third street. Open day and night.

TRUSTEES' SALE. WHEREAS, F. W. BUCKLEY OF THE county of Monterey, State of California...

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Together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereto belonging, the undersigned trustees will sell at public auction...

TRUSTEES' SALE. FURSTMAN TO THE PROVISIONS OF a certain deed of trust, executed by W. Parsons of the county of Tehama...

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Real Estate in Sacramento.

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YOUR GAIN. This is Your Time to Buy Oak Park Homes. Preparations are being made to raise the prices in spring and why not take advantage of it at the present time.

125 Lots In any part of Oak Park. Terms—10 per cent down, balance \$5 and \$10 monthly. Should you desire to build right away no payment will be required for a year after making first payment.

Rents Collected. Fire Insurance. WISEMAN, 411 J.

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