

COLORADO IS COMING

Cramp Built Armored Cruiser Expected Here Today.

WEST VIRGINIA'S SISTER SHIP

Local Experts May Have Opportunity to Compare Workmanship on the Vessels—Yankee Arrives From Tompkinsville to Load Coal.

The armored cruiser Colorado is expected to arrive here this morning. She sailed from the League Island navy yard yesterday morning, bound for this port. The Colorado was built at Cramp's shipyard in the Quaker City and is a sister ship to the West Virginia, which was recently commissioned at the local shipyard. This is the first visit of one of the new armored cruisers built at other yards to this port, and she will undoubtedly attract a great deal of attention. Local experts probably will be glad to have an opportunity to compare the general workmanship on the Cramp built ship with that of the West Virginia.

While the Colorado made more speed on her official trial than did the West Virginia, it is said that the work on the latter boat is of a higher class than that on the Cramp built ship.

Upon her arrival, the Colorado will anchor off the Chesapeake & Ohio coal piers where she will take on bunker coal. Later she will sail for Porto Rico, where she will participate in the maneuvers off Culebra with the North Atlantic fleet.

After the maneuvers the new cruiser will coal at Pensacola and then begin a speed and endurance run to Boston, Mass.

The Colorado is the first of the four new cruisers to be sent out on a sea voyage by the navy department and her action will be watched with keen interest by all naval officers. It is expected that the West Virginia, which is now at the shipyard will be sent out to sea in a few weeks for an endurance run.

ASSIGNED TO WEST VIRGINIA.

Lieutenants Watson and Knepper Ordered to Report Here.

Lieutenants E. H. Watson and O. S. Knepper have been assigned to duty on board of the armored cruiser West Virginia, now at the shipyard.

The entire crew of the West Virginia has not yet been assembled and the ship is still short a number of men and officers. As soon as they can be gotten together by the navy department the cruiser will leave the yard and take on bunker coal, after which she will sail for Southern waters.

CRUISER YANKEE HERE.

Loading Coal Before Starting South to Relieve the Dixie.

The United States auxiliary cruiser Yankee arrived in port yesterday morning from Tompkinsville, and is now anchored off the Chesapeake & Ohio coal piers taking on bunker coal. As soon as her bunkers are filled the Yankee will sail for the Bermuda Islands, where she will relieve the cruiser Dixie, which has been stationed there for the past year. It is expected that the Yankee will sail tomorrow.

When relieved the Dixie will come north for repairs and an overhauling.

New York at Boston.

The United States armored cruiser New York arrived at Boston from Hampton Roads Monday. The vessels will be given a thorough overhauling and repairing at the navy yard.

The New York arrived in Hampton Roads from the Philippine Islands several days ago and after being inspected by a board of survey, she was ordered to Boston.

The vessel had been the flagship for the Southern Pacific squadron for about a year until she was relieved, about a month ago, by the cruiser Chicago.

OLD NEGRO NEARLY FROZEN.

Stricken With Rheumatism He Lay in Road All Night.

An aged negro named Warney Garrison, who lives at 72 Lincoln street Hampton, was discovered near Salter's creek in an unconscious condition. He was taken to the police station in the patrol wagon and given medical attention, which revived him.

Garrison boarded a car at Hampton Monday evening and came to Ivy farm. There he started to walk in search of his brother-in-law's home. He was suddenly stricken with an attack of rheumatism and sank to the ground. Being unable to move or to call assistance, the old man lay in the road all night. He was nearly frozen and in a pitiable condition when found.

"POOR BOX" IS MISSING.

Police Looking for Thief Who Robbed St. Vincent's Church.

The "poor box" of St. Vincent's Catholic church has been stolen from the vestibule of the church by some thief, for whom the police department is now looking.

The box was wrenched from its position on the wall and carried off. It had not been opened for five weeks and is supposed to have contained a considerable sum of money.

GOOD NEWS RECEIVED

Gov. Folk Wants Missouri Exhibit Sent to Virginia.

MESSAGE TO THE LEGISLATURE

Suggests Appropriation of \$10,000 to Transport Exhibit to Jamestown Tercentennial Grounds—Would Ensure Fine Building.

A telegram was received at the headquarters of the Jamestown Exposition Company last night from President Fitzhugh Lee, at Jefferson City, Mo., stating that today Governor Folk will send a special message to the Missouri Legislature, asking for the passage of a bill appropriating \$10,000 to be used in transporting the Missouri exhibit at the St. Louis fair to the site of the Jamestown Tercentennial.

This was gratifying news, for the passage of such a bill as asked for by Governor Folk will mean that Missouri will erect a building on the Jamestown exposition grounds to cost in the neighborhood of \$100,000. The Missouri exhibit at St. Louis was considered by experts to be the finest of all the great exhibits and the prospect of having it brought to Virginia will be hailed with delight by everyone interested in the Jamestown celebration.

The message from General Lee last night was the first news to be heard from the party which left here Sunday night on a tour in the interest of the exposition. In the party are General Lee, Attorney T. J. Wool and Attorney O. D. Batchelor.

PALLANZA AT HAMBURG.

Arrived in Safety With the Submarine Saturday.

The German steamship Pallanza, of the German Union Line, arrived at Hamburg with Lake submarine boat Simon Lake X on her deck Saturday. The vessel began loading the submarine at the shipyard on February 23 and sailed from this port late in the evening of the next day.

At Hamburg the submarine was transferred from the vessel and sent to the Lake company's plant at Libau, Russia.

Almora Due Today.

The British steamship Almora is expected to arrive at this port today from Baltimore with a part cargo of imports, which will be discharged here. The vessel will then take on an export cargo for Europe. There are a number of cattle on the Almora who are to be landed here upon the vessel's arrival.

Steamer Lakonia Takes Corn.

The British steamship Lakonia sailed yesterday for Norfolk with 157,343 bushels of corn in her hold loaded at this port. This was the first shipment of corn made from this port this week and will be followed today by the shipment of 60,000 bushels in the British steamship Mera.

General Cargo and Cattle.

The British steamship Powhatan sailed yesterday for London with a general export cargo including 350 head of cattle.

Steamer Chartered.

A British steamship of 2,289 tons, has been chartered to carry coal to Manila from either this port or Norfolk. The terms of the charter allow the vessel \$4.55 on every ton transported.

Arrived Yesterday.

Steamers Merz, (Br.), Doulter, Norfolk, and cleared for Hamburg; Enterprise, Larsen, Nassau.

Schooners Helen W. Martin, Ross, Boston; Malcolm Baxter, Jr., Pease, do.; M. E. H. G. Dow, Murray, do.; Laura C. Anderson, Higbee, New York; George M. Grant, Pellon, Perth Amboy; Edith Oicott, Harris, Providence; S. P. Blackburn, Gardner, do.; Manchester Haynes, Haynes, do.; Martha P. Small, Barrow, Portland.

Cleared Yesterday.

Steamer Lakonia, (Br.), McNell, Copenhagen via Norfolk and sailed; Barkentine Ignacio de Loyola, (Sp.), Pedro de los Rios, Philadelphia.

Sailed Yesterday.

Steamers Powhatan, (Br.), Trinick, London; Waccomaw, Gibbs, Portland; Lenora, (Pr.), Grant Savannah.

Schooners Cox and Green, Thompson, Plymouth; Marcus L. Urang, Blair, Boston.

Calendar For This Day.

Sun. Rises.....6:15 a. m.

Sun. Sets.....6:12 p. m.

High water...3:37 a. m.; 3:57 p. m.

Low water...10:00 a. m.; 10:13 p. m.

Directors to Meet.

There will be a meeting of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce at the office of Secretary Farrar in the Darling building, tonight at 8 o'clock. The matter of delinquent membership dues will be considered.

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STABBED CAR CONDUCTOR.

Little Negro Used Knife and Was Given Throwing.

Charged with stabbing James McFarland, a conductor on the Newport News and Old Point Railway Company, Clarence Poindexter, a 14-year-old negro boy, was fined \$12.75 by Justice Brown in the police court yesterday morning. Later the fine was remitted and the boy was given a sound thrashing by his mother.

The boy boarded a car near Greenlawn early yesterday morning. When the conductor, approached to collect fares, Poindexter presented a "work ticket." The conductor refused to take the ticket, as the car was outside of the city limits, and an argument ensued. The boy jumped from the car and started to run, but was overtaken by Conductor McFarland. The youngster drew a pocket knife and stabbed the conductor in the left wrist. He escaped but was later captured by Police Sergeant Crawford.

Chairman Stems Coming.

It is expected that Chairman Slump, of the State Republican committee, is making a tour of the State and is expected to pay this city a visit next week. Local Republican leaders are awaiting the arrival of the chairman with considerable interest.

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