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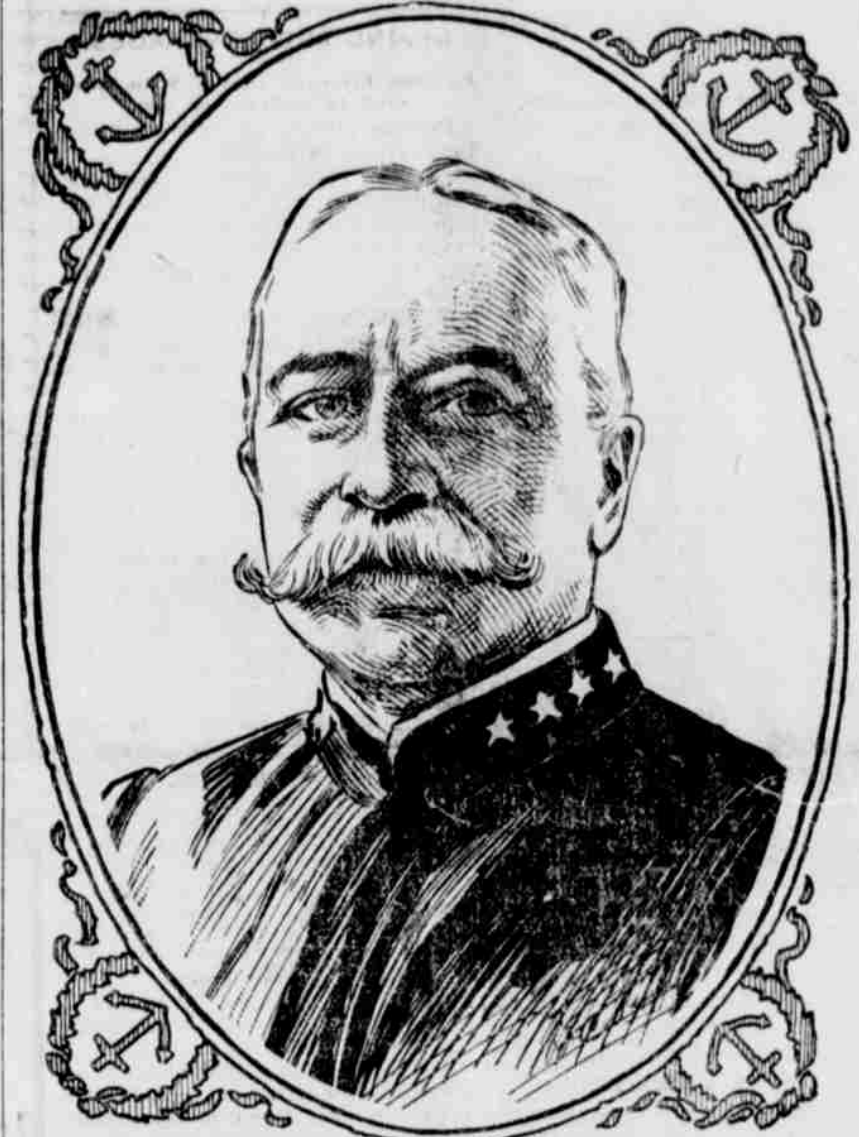
DEWEY DAY ANNIVERSARY

FOUR YEARS AGO TODAY OUR HERO STARTLED THE WORLD.

Brief Review of May Day Contest in Manila Bay, When Dewey Gave to America a New Island Empire.

May 1, four years ago, Admiral Dewey won his memorable victory in Manila bay that gave to this country a new island empire in the far East. The enthusiasm with which the news of that victory was hailed in the United States has seldom if ever been equaled since the day that marked the close of the long civil war. So great has been its effect on

ships. Gradually the American fleet drew closer. Submarine mines exploded in front of them, but they did not waver. The Spanish gunners answered the challenge of the Olympia's guns with a shower of projectiles of equal size, but without doing any considerable damage. As the American boats got within closer range the smaller guns added their roar to that of the larger ones, and the terrific fire was kept up until 7:35, when Dewey felt that he had had enough for a beginner, and, not wanting to spoil a good thing too soon, quit for breakfast and a pull at the pipe or cigar. It was not until 10:30 that he again went at the Spaniards. He had furnished sufficient sport for his sailor men, and now intended to finish the job in a hurry, and put the enemy out of their misery without further loss of time, and before it could interfere with his dinner arrangements. The midday meal would be served aboard the flag ship at 1, and it was necessary that the job be completed and the mess cleared up before that



ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY.

American policies that we can afford to pause for a moment to rehearse its important details.

The admiral, then a commodore, was a man of action, and no sooner did he receive the news that war had been declared than he sailed from Hong Kong with his squadron.

The Spanish fleet was lying at Cavite, in Manila bay, when the intrepid American sailor entered to give battle. He was an unexpected guest, the Spaniards not being used to such energy as it took to put the American fleet into the Philippine harbor at so early a date. They had failed to prepare for his reception, and he sailed past Corregidor Island, containing what was supposedly impregnable defenses, almost before the garrison were aware of his presence in the vicinity. It was not until his last ship was well past that they thought to give battle to the daring Yankees, and then sent a few harmless shots after them.

Day had not yet broken when Cavite was reached, and Dewey quietly waited its coming. When the sun rose in the east, instead of immediately beginning the destruction of the Spanish ships that lay before him, the daring sailor man preferred to play with his enemy, and so weighed anchor and sailed up to the defenses of Manila, with which he exchanged a few shots as a matter of international courtesy, then returned to give more detailed attention to the Spanish fleet.

It was early, even, when he got back again to Cavite, so early that it was only 19 minutes past 6 when, with the Olympia 5,500 yards from the enemy's ships, he uttered those historic words:

"When you are ready, Gridley, fire!"

Instantly the 8-inch guns of the good cruiser broke forth in smoke and flame, and began raining a shower of steel projectiles upon the Spanish

time. To accomplish this, every gun, big and little, that could be brought into play was used, and it was but little more than an hour before all of the Spanish ships were either lying at the bottom of the bay or destroyed, and at 12:30 a white flag was run up over the Spanish batteries at Cavite to proclaim their surrender.

As they do things on board an American man-of-war, thirty minutes was ample time in which to attend to the wants of the few slightly wounded, and prepare dinner, to which Admiral Montojo was invited, but declined.

The Spanish loss was twelve ships—their entire Asiatic squadron—and 618 men either killed or wounded. For that little morning's work Admiral Dewey gave to the United States something like 125,000 square miles of territory, and secured for himself the thanks of the American people, and the rank of admiral in the American navy—and not an American sailor man killed or an American vessel seriously injured.

The Spanish flag that came down at Cavite that day was never to rise again in the Philippines.

DISASTROUS SANTA FE WRECK.

Five Persons Killed and Twenty-three Others Injured.

Keokuk, Ia., April 20.—The California limited on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad, eastbound, was derailed on a curve at Cama, a switch five miles west of Medill, Mo., this morning, while going at a great speed.

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THE CHICKASAW LEGISLATURE.

This Body Has Got Down to Work—Cattle Tax Matters.

The Chickasaw legislature has the cattle tax matter under discussion, but no action has as yet been taken. It is believed that Governor Johnston will send in another message this week and ask consideration of the supplementary treaty.

The call for the special session of the legislature states that it is for the purpose of considering the cattle tax question. The nation has experienced much trouble in collecting this tax, and the legislature is asked to consider the turning over of the collecting of this tax to the United States government, the funds so collected to be turned into the Chickasaw nation. It is believed that Governor Johnston has received assurances that the government authorities will undertake this work for the nation.

Other matters of much importance will be brought to the attention of the legislature as soon as this matter is disposed of.

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Several Stores in the New Town Destroyed Monday Night.

Haileyville, I. T., April 30.—The new town of Haileyville had its first fire last night. The following property was destroyed:

Freeman's store, drug stock and dwelling; loss, \$7,000; insurance, \$4,000.

Bough's store; loss, \$1,500; insurance, \$750.

Randle's store; loss, \$1,500; insurance, \$750.

Hill & Co., stock of goods; value, \$5,000; insurance, \$1,000.

Farmer & Lumber's store, \$1,500; no insurance.

The fire is supposed to have been of incendiary origin.

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