TERMS.

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Clippings.

Two thirds of the shipbuilding of the world is done by the British.

The emperor of China has to fast sixty-four days in each year for the sake of religion.

William Neff of Colorado unearthed six baby coyotes on his ranch, and trained them so that they follow him like dogs.

The inmates of the Joilet (Ill.) penitentiary have the war news, in condensed form, printed in the prison every afternoon at 2 o'clock.

A Maine man offers small prizes to the school children in the intermediate grade of his town who take the best care of their teeth during the summer.

A plain spoken Surrey parson recently advised his male hearers not to be afraid of bagging their trousers or his lady hearers of bursting their silk stockings by kneeling in prayer.

A 400-pound bear walked into a barn yard in Proebstel, Wa., and carried off a live calf. The citizens organized a posse and after a long chase captured bruin, who had hugged the calf to death.

A strange custom is followed by Mexican farmers. They use oxen of one color in the morning and another color in the afternoon. They do not know why, but they know that it must be the right thing to do because their forefathers did it.

The tongue is divided into three regions of taste, each of which has its own special function. The tip of the tongue is chiefly sensible to pungent and acid tastes, the middle portion to sweets or bitters, while the back is confined entirely to the flavors of roast meats, butter, oils and rich and fatty substances.

Through persistent experimenting a process has been discovered by which glass can be hardened to the consistency of steel and its first practical application is being given to the manufacture of skates.

Two hundred babies of Oriental parentage were recently displayed in a baby show in San Francisco. The boys had their heads shaved, while the girls had their hair stiffened with beads and paper flowers.

Within a year Thomas Sanderson, six years old, of Fall River, has fallen from a second-story window, drank a pint of kerosene, been run over twice, and escaped without breaking a bone.

The Persians in 516 B. C. invented a transparent glass varnish, which they laid over sculptured rocks to prevent them from weathering. This coating has lasted to our day, while the rocks beneath are honey-combed.

An apron is the royal standard of Persia. Goz, a Persian, who was a blacksmith by trade, raised a revolt which proved successful, and his leather apron covered with jewels, is still borne in the van of Persian armies.

Here are three Spanish proverbs that bespeak the need of the Spainard's moral reconstruction. They all reflect on women, and the nation that doesn't respect lovely women is in a pretty bad fix: "Three daughters and a mother, four devils for the father;" "A house full of daughters is like a house with a cellar full of sour beer;" "If woman were as little as she is good, a pea pod would make her a gown and hood."

Chinese bicycle riders do some funny things on their wheels occasionally. They are frequently seen in the streets of Hong Kong and Shanghai carrying an open umbrella or a fan and in some instances with the handle bars removed.

A West Bath (Me.) farmer never has his horses shod. He says that the practice is against nature and brings his from colthood to travel on their hoofs. They never seem to have any difficulty in getting over the roads, even in slippery weather.

Because the sexton of the Methodist church in Kennebunkport, Me., refused to let a crowd of men and boys ring the bell on the Fourth of July they assaulted him, smashed the windows, tore down the fences and beat the policeman who tried to stop them.

The Spaniards counted on yellow fever more than they did their arms, but they got fooled. It is evident now that their game for delay was that the yellow fever season might arrive before the bullets had done their work, but God is on the side of the United States, and will continue to be.

Very few things nowadays escape the revenue stamps made necessary by the war. The people though are the ones who foot the bills, and it is an interesting fact that in some cases advantage has been taken of the situation to make money off the people by adding charges not justified in the case.

Now for Porto Rico. It is to be hoped that Miles in his palace ship will be equal to Shafter on the ground. There is a feeling among some that Miles has gotten into an aristocratic way not in keeping with the times, but he maybe like the New York dudes, prove a rough rider on to victory. In fact victory is bound to follow. The air is full of it, and the DEMOCRAT expects to see San Juan go down much quicker than Santiago.

Bryan's regiment has now gone towards the front. It will be watched if called into service more closely than any other regiment in the army. The chance are though on account of politics Mr Bryan will be treated the same as Fitzhugh Lee, be kept as far back from the seat of war as possible.

Gold from Klondike will now have to take a part of the public attention. It is coming this way, but in much less quantities than was claimed. A good many of the statements made of individual holdings are rather fishy, and it looks very much as if the Klondike liar was equal to the famous fish liar.

Cuba when freed from Spanish rule will be one of the richest places in the world. Its natural resources are simply remarkable. Take the Spanish taint from it and it will become a wonderful country. The DEMOCRAT looks for it to leap forward with a rapidity that will be startling.

Don't annoy others by your coughing, and risk your life by neglecting a cold. One Minute Cough Cure cures coughs, colds, croup, grippe and all throat lung troubles. —J. A. Cumming.

OUTING NO. 5

We often hear it said that experience is a good teacher. The same may be truthfully said of war. Six months ago, even among people of average intelligence, comparatively few knew the extent of the navy of the United States, and how it compared with the navies of the other nations of the earth in the number and efficiency of its war vessels of different kinds. Now they not only know its rank as a naval power, but they can tell the number and names of the first-class battle ships and can explain the difference between a battle-ship and a cruiser. Captain, Commodore and Rear-admiral are familiar terms.

The war has also been a good teacher of geography and has created quite a demand for Atlases. Fewer persons now than a few weeks after the breaking out of the war ask where the Canary, the Cape Verd, the Philippines, the Caroline and the Ladrone islands, and even Porto Rico and Cuba are located. Frequent reference to their atlases have rendered the majority of intelligent readers familiar with the location of places mentioned in the war news of the day, and they can see in their own mind's eye the exact locality of the scene of any naval or land battle reported in the papers. Few now need to ask where Manila, Havana, Santiago de Cuba and Daiquiri are. Many have learned more about Spain and her island possessions in the last six months than in all the rest of their lives. The war to them has been an education, but not so to all. There are still some who do not know where the "Philippians" live and have the impression that they are inhabitants of Cuba. They are either too tired or do not have the time to inform themselves in regard to matters pertaining to the war and seem to be perfectly satisfied with what little information they can gain on the street corners or at the bulletin boards. Then they talk very learnedly about the latest news and very often expose their ignorance. I will give an illustration. A crowd is at a bulletin board. A dispatch has just been received. Some one asks what the distance is from San Francisco to Manila. One of the know-all class tells the exact distance to a mile; but if the Oregon boys had stopped at the end of the specified distance they would have been more than 2,000 miles from their destination. There is also another class of men found in Sodaville, Albany and every town from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from the Canadian boundary to the borders of Mexico, to whom the war is not and cannot be an educator. The reason is, that they are the people and wisdom will die with them. The profundity of their knowledge of naval and military tactics is amazing, astonishing, astounding. All the generals in the army are ignoramuses in comparison with themselves. If they had been in command of the army and navy of the United States of America, they would have been in possession of the Philippine islands, Porto Rico, Cuba, the Ladrone and Caroline islands, in less than a month after the blowing up of the Maine, and the whole of the Spanish navy would now be submarine. It is, therefore, a great pity that President McKinley did not appoint some of them generals and admirals instead of Shafter, Miles, Dewey, Schley, and Sampson and other incompetants. If he had done so, there would have been a great saving of Senatorial thunder and no need of issuing bonds to carry on the war. The Philippine islands, Cuba and Porto Rico would now be independent republics, and the United States of America would now have the glory of undertaking and finishing the first really altimistic war in the history of the world. Every one of those renowned generals and admirals would have had the degree of L. L. D. conferred upon them by some University, and an unlimited supply of material would have been furnished for al spread-eagle, Fourth-of-July orators all down the ages. The government of Spain would have been "knocked into a cocked hat" or blotted from existence, and the United States would now be the greatest military and naval power on the globe

CAELEBS.

One Hunderd Years Ago.

No public library in the United States.

The only hat factory made cocked hats.

Virginia had one-fifth the population of the United States.

Two stages carried all the travel between New York and Boston.

A whipping post and pillory were standing in New York.

Beef, pork, salt fish, potatoes and hominy were staple diet the year round.

Buttons were scarce and trousers were fastened with pegs and laces.

There were practically no manufacturers in the United States. Every housewife raised her own flax and made her own linen.

Church collections were taken in a bag at the end of a pole, with a bell attached to arouse sleepy contributors.

There were no steamboats, railroads, telegraph wires, electric lights, gas, kerosene or matches.

There was no Chicago.

A short time ago a young man of Oregon City bought a pair of socks containing a note saying that the writer was an employe of Kenosha, Wis., knitting works and wanted a good husband. She gave her name and requested the buyer if an unmarried man to write with a view to matrimony. The young man who found the note considered the matter in all its phrases and decided to write. Awaiting the answer with anxiety he was rewarded with a curt letter stating that the girl was the mother of two children, and had been married four years, and that the letter he had answered had been written ever so long ago. It was a "sock" dolager, and the young man correctly concluded that the merchant who sold him the socks didn't advertise. —Welcome.

THE PLACE TO BUY

Your Groceries and Baked Goods

Is at Parker Bros. Everybody knows where their place is. They keep a fresh stock of groceries, produce and baked goods, of all kinds, sell at reasonable prices and treat their customers well, all alike.

You may regret some steps you take in life but none taken into the store of Parker Bros.

It is a great thing to be well fed. Parker Bros keep good groceries.

A loaf of bread is not much but you want it well made. Try Parker Bros.

See the new girdles, the very latest, in French's show window.

We are anxious to do a little goodie in the world and can think of no pleasanter better way to do it than by recommending One Minute Cough Cure as a preventive of pneumonia, consumption and other serious lung troubles that follow neglected colds.—J A Cumming

Washington Letter.

From our regular Correspondent

Washington, July 11, 1898.

It may have been noticed by all observant readers of war news that the victories scheduled in advance have invariable failed to be pulled off on schedule time, and that our greatest victories, such as the destruction of the Spanish fleets at Santiago and at Manila, have not been handicapped by advance notices. This was especially true of the Santiago affair. That the postponements in taking that town were caused by orders resulting from Spanish trickery is more than probable, although it is constantly—too constantly, in fact—reiterated by those attached to the administration, that Mr. McKinley has issued no orders about the movement on Santiago, since it was begun, except that instructing Gen. Shafter not to accept the surrender of the Spaniards except unconditionally. The Spaniards across the Atlantic are trying to create the impression that they are on the eve of sueing for peace, and they are succeeding, too, with some persons high in authority, and thereby hangs some of the delays which have so aggravated those who believed that the quickest way to secure peace was to lick the Spaniards as fast as we could get at them.

Gen. Miles has gone to Santiago. He did not carry his private car with its porcelain bath tub, but has his headquarters on a floating palace, the elegant passenger steamer "Grande Duchesse", which has been stocked with a large supply of the choicest and best eatables and drinkables. His headquarters will remain on the steamer during the campaign against Porto Rico, of which he will take personal command.

Very few Senators and Representatives remain in Washington. The most of the latter have gone to their districts to look after their "fences", while the former, as a rule have gone in search of cooler places. The Senate left quite a number of small military nominations—mostly Captains and Lieutenants,—unacted upon, as well as a lot of nominations to civil offices. Some were not acted upon because of lack of time, but the most of them were hung up because of objection to them by some Senator.

Leaving war appropriations out entirely, the other appropriations made at the session of Congress just closed, exceed the total of any previous session. The following statement is made by Representative Sayers, of Texas, the ranking democratic member of the House Committee on Appropriations: "The total appropriations at the present session amount to $892,527,991. This includes $117,836,220 permanent appropriations and $361,788,095 for war expenses. Deducting the war expenses from the sum total, we have $530,739,896 to be charged against the civil and ordinary expenses of the government. It should be borne in mind that no River and Harbor bill has been passed. Considering this fact, the appropriations for civil and ordinary expenses of the government, at this session, and excluding war expenses, exceed that of any previous session."

Congress was too anxious to adjourn after the Hawaiian annexation resolution was adopted, to heed Senator Morgan when he said: "There is absolutely no necessity for an adjournment at this time; it is a hasty, improvident, and dangerous step," but, unless many are mistaken, the wisdom of these words will be seen later. The truth of his other words— "The very moment that the treaty of peace is signed by the President and the government of Spain, the military power of the President will cease, and the legislative branch of the goverment must provide a government for any territory we may acquire by the war,"—is undoubted; yet the legislative body cannot meet again until December, unless called together by Mr. McKinley, in extra session.

Santiago.

Destructive earthquakes occured in Santiago in 1672, 1679, 1766 and 1852.

The expedition under Herman Cortes to conquer Mexico was dispatched from Santiago in 1509.

Santiago became the capital city of Cuba, and in 1522 the Episcopal chair was transferred to it from Baracoa.

The city of Santiago was the scene of the shooting of Capt. Fry and of a number of the crew and passengers of the Virginius in 1873.

Santiago was captured on July 10, 1553, by French pirates, who remained in the city for a month and who retired only after the payment of a large ransom.

The bodies of Carlos Manuel de Cespedes, who proclaimed the Cuban Republic at Yera in 1868, and Jose Marti, the promoter of the present revolution lie in the cemetery of Santiago de Cuba.

Santiago is built on a series of hills. The streets in the south and east portions are called Alta (high), in opposition to those of the same in the north and west, which are called Baja (low).

Santiago surrendered to the English Aug. 18, 1662, who reduced to ashes a large part of the city, including the cathedral, and blew up Morro Castle on Nov. 15 of the same year, when they withdrew, their supplies being exhausted.

The general appearance of Santiago is far from fine. The streets are poorly kept and some of them are so steep as to make access to them by carriage extremely difficult, if not impossible. Most of the houses are low and of a very flimsy construction, as a measure of precaution against earthquakes.

Strictly business

French the jeweler.

Crescent Bicycle, Hopkins Brothers, agents. Best Bicycle for the money.

Will & Stark, jewelers.

Try Schilling's Best tea and baking powder.

Pictures from 75 cents to $25 per dozen at Longs gallery.

Some very pretty late uptodate canes at Will & Stark's.

Crescent bicycles at Hopkins Brothers for only $20, $30, $35 and $50.

C B Winn, city ticket agent. Tickets to all points in the east.

Crawford & Harnish for photographs Prices from $1 to $20 per dozen.

Be sure and see the anti rust tinware at Hopkin Bros. will last a lifetime.

Fresh seeds, two packages for a nickel at Stewart & Sox Hardware Co's.

Fresh seeds, two packages for a nickel at Stewart & Sox Hardware Co's.

Cyclists come around to A O Beam's new Ice Cream Parlors after your ride.

Crackers are now way down in price, call on C E Brownell for fresh ones.

When you want a choice steak, a nice roast or meat of any kind, call on Henry Broders. He keeps the best.

DRS. H. E. and O. K. Beers offices and residence in post office building. Special attention given to diseases of women.

The best meats of all kinds and good treatment at the Albany Dressed Beef Company's market, just down Second street. Good weight and prompt attention.

MISFITS.

Claud Branton, the man who murdered J. A. Linn in the Cascade mountains, has been seen all over eastern Oregon. He will be a very promiscuous man now for several weeks.

The first boats from Dawson to come out by way of the Yukon, which were to have $20,000,000 in gold on board, have arrived and had less than $5,000,000. The rest is coming, but the total output will be a good many million dollars less than has been claimed.

Cervera and Montojo to Camara:
Dear and Distinguished Sir:
The gobble-uns will git you
Ef You
Don't
Watch
Out!

Admiral Watson, who is to have charge of the European expedition, is the man who fastened Farragut to the rigging and Camara had better look a little out or Watson will fasten him to the bottom of the Mediterranean.

And now the Spaniards are talking about sending a fleet to the United States to harrass our shores. This is the most colossal joke and bluff of the whole war. These Spanish bluffs are getting very stale.

The United States did one good thing in the capture of Santiago, it secured a large number of fine Mauser rifles which are needed. This is probably the finest army rifle in existence, the ball doing terrible work.

An exchange ascribes the magnificent work of the Oregon at Santiago to our climate in Oregon. Taking this as a cause it is easy to see why the Iowa and Texas were not in it beside the Oregon.

A couple of men are on their way to Skagway to purchase the body of Soapy Smith, the noted sport, recently killed by a former Linn county school teacher, Frank Reid. Their intention is if they get the body to exhibit it. This is very gruesome and will not be permitted by the American people.

A Portland girl kissed a soldier good-bye at the depot with the remark: "God bless you; stand up for Oregon." Between his sobs he replied: "I'm from Idaho, but I'll try to stand up for both states now." Thereupon she kissed him again for Idaho.—Welcome. Which is a sample of the gush of the day.

Poor Huntington. The net earnings of the Southern Pacific for the past fiscal year were the most in the roads history, $21,512,090. The gross earnings were $55,441,614. Is it any more than right that the property of the company should be assessed at a tenth of its value where other property is assessed at a half and as high as the full value.

A writer who was there says: Never were the magnificient qualities of the heavy battleship Oregon shown to better advantage than in this long chase of the fastest cruiser in the Spanish navy. Our generous compatriots now style the Oregon the "Queen of Battleships." No doubt the world wondered when watching the progress of the Oregon in her trip around South America, if she could fight as well as she steamed. When the truth is told, the page that carved in naval history on July 3 will bestow a great part of the credit for the decisiveness of the victory to the fighting work of the Oregon.

The returning Klondikers who have reached San Francisco now say the amount of this years output on the Klondike will not be over $10,000,000. This means that it will actually be a good deal less than that. The people have been fooled long enough over false reports of enormous yields that do not exist. It will be noticed that the big sacks are held by only a few men, that the masses who go there come out with almost nothing. Besides this labor has been reduced to about $6 a day, about the cost of living.

They scoffed when we lined up with Teddy.
They said we were dudes and all that;
They imagined that "Cholly" and "Freddie"
Would faint at the drop of a hat!
But let them look there in the ditches,
Blood-stained by the swells in the van,
And know that a chap may have riches
And still be a man!
They said we'd wilt under fire,
And run if the foeman said "Boo!"
But a fellow may have a rich sire
And still be a patriot, too!
Look there where we met twice our number
Where the life-blood of dudes drenched the earth!
The swells who lie in their last slumber
Prove what we are worth!
We might do at tennis or rowing,
But as warriors!—Oh, no—not at all!
They laughed when we said we were going.
They scoffed when we answered the call.
Ah!, let them look there in the ditches,
Blood-stained by the dudes in the van,
And learn that a chap may have riches
And still be a man!

—Cleveland Leader.

PORTO RICO.

Width, 37 miles.
Immensely wealthy.
Poverty is unknown.
Area, 3530 square miles.
Trees are always green.
Every man owns a horse.
Older than the United states.
Principal sport is cock fighting.
One mountain is 9000 feet high.
Every house has a roof garden.
Principal pastime is horseback riding.
San Juan, the capital, has 300,000 inhabitants.
San Juan has the finest harbor in the West Indies.
People sleep in the day, and shop and visit at night.
Water supply is one of the principal sources of revenue.

A story that would be hard to believe if it did not appear in a Boston paper indicates that Americans and American emblems are still treated with respect in at least a few parts of Europe beside England. It seems that a Holyoke teacher who had been studying manual training in Sweden at a point where the cars run only twice a week, recently received from home a letter in a "flag" envelope. The authorities thought that it was a communication from the United States government, and immediately a special train was made up and took that letter forty miles to the person for whom it was intended.

It is said that William Savage, one of Dewey's sailors, found a considerable quantity of liquor at Cavite, the day after the sinking of the Spanish fleet, and made such use of it that when found by his superiors he was only able to utter one word—"Hurrah!" The subsequent court-martial sentenced him to fifteen days in chains, but when the finding of the court was passed up to Admiral Dewey he wrote on it: "The proceedings of the court are approved, the sentence is disapproved, and the accused, William Savage, is ordered returned to his post in consideration of the victory won by the fleet under my command." The court-martial of Lieut. Telfer and the other Oregonians will not amount to much more.

"My Sweetheart Went Down With the Maine," is the name of a new and popular piece of music. Call for a copy at E. U. Will's.

TELEGRAPHIC

The Stars and Stripes There.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, July 17.—1 P. M.—Amid impressive ceremonies, the Spanish troops laid down their arms between the lines of the Spanish and American forces at 9 o'clock this morning.

The ceremony of hoisting the Stars and Stripes was worth all the blood and treasure it cost. A vast concourse of 10,000 people witnessed the stirring and thrilling scene that will live forever in the minds of all Americans present.

The Spandron Arrived.

LONDON, July 18.—The Madrid correspondent of the Standard says:

Admiral Camara's squadron and his transports have finally reached Spanish Mediterranean ports on their return from Port Said. General Weyler had an audience of an hour with the queen regent today.

Must Be Transported Now.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—Secretary Alger today indorsed the plan of Colonel Hecker for the transportation of the Spanish troops from Santiago back to Spain. It provides for an aggregate of 1000 Spanish officers, with first-class cabin accommodations, and 24,000 soldiers, with third-class steerage passage. The colonel says that the Spanish soldiers will be delivered on board at Santiago for Cadiz or such other ports as may be designated.

The Yellow Fever.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—The only disquieting news received at the war department during the day was as to the yellow fever condition at the front, and this was modified in an encouraging way later by General Shafter's news. There are sixteen new cases and one death.

A Peace Item.

MADRID, July 17.—A member of the cabinate, in an interview today, asserted that the government was seeking an honorable peace with the United States.

A Fatal Accident.

SEATTLE, July 17.—Arthur A. Beals, a professor of philosophy in the university of Washington, was killed tonight by falling through an open hatch on the steamer Arizona. His companion, F. B. Mallory, who fell at the same time, was seriously injured.

The Arizona, which was recently purchased at Tacama by the government for a transport ship was thrown open today to the public, when the accident occured.

The Irene Again.

LONDON, July 19—The Hong Kong correspondent of the Mail says:

United States Consul Wildman informs me that as the German cruiser Irene was passing Mariveles, off Manila, the other day, the United States gunboat McCulloch was sent after to stop her. She refused to obey, and a shell was sent across her bows. The German admiral protested, and insisted that German ships had a right to enter the harbor without being searched, a claim which Admiral Dewey declined to recognize.

For Porto Rico.

WASHINGTON, July 18.—After three days' consultation between Secretary Alger and General Brooke, during which there was frequent communciation with General Miles at Siboney, the details of the Porto Rican expedition were perfected and the expedition itself gotten under way. General Miles, with four batteries of artillery and some troops, sailed today for Porto Rico on the Yale, to be followed quickly by an army of about 30,000 men.

No Time Set.

WASHINGTON, July 18.—No time has been set for the departure of Commodore Watson's squadron for Spain. Secretary Long said today that the reported new lists of the ships of this squadron were inaccurate as the list has not been finally made up.

At Manila.

MANILA, July 15—An important interview has just been held between General Aquinaldo's secretary, Legardo, and a prominent native white man, and the Spanish commander Captain-General Augustin, to surrender the city. Thus far the insurgents have been restrained with difficulty, but if the Spaniards continue stubborn, the result would be that the insurgents would be compelled to bombard and storm the city.

Important Paper

WASHINGTON, July 18.—A state paper that will be historic, marking an epoch in American history, was issued tonight by the direction of President McKinley. It provides in general terms fo the government of the province of Santiago de Cuba, and is the first document of the kind ever prepared by a president of the United States.

Will Rest Now

WASHINGTON, July 18.—It has been finally decided that none of the troops that participated in the actual fighting before Santiago shall be employed on the Porto Rico expedition. Shafter s entire army is to be on guard on the high hills in the rear of the town until the men have stamped out the yellow fever. It may be that Shafter's march will end at Havana.

A Starved People

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, July 18.—The Red Cross Society's steamer State of Texas arrived yesterday at 6 o'clock in the evening. She had 1100 tons of provisions on board. The distribution began at 3 o'clock, allowing a pound and a half of rations to each citizen.

When the unloading began, crowds of half-starved citizens rushed to the dock, fighting, trampling one another under foot, breaking open the cases and stealing the supplies.

Germany all right

BERLIN, July 19.—The Vossiche Zeitung, in a much-discussed article, prefaced by the statement that some rectification is needed of the errors regarding German feeling toward America, asserts that the unfriendly sentiments are fostered by the interested English press. It proceeds to declare that Germany has always stood by America, and reminds Americans of Germany,s friendly attitude during the civil war. On the other hand, it says Germany has suffered many petty annoyances from Spain.

Toral to Be Courtmartialed

MADRID, July 19.—The evening papers onnounce that the cabinate council today was occupied by the captulation of Santiago de Cuba. Ministers expressed surprise that General Toral had included the whole military division of the province in the surrender. When details have been received, the question of courtmartial of General Toral will be submitted.

On to Porto Rico

WASHINGTON, July 19.—Admiral Sampson has received final orders from the navy department as to the part the American fleet is to take in the campaign against Porto Rico. They are based on the beleif that the campaign is essentially an army one, the duties of the navy being to lend every support and assistance to the land operations.

Cubans Dissatisfied

WASHINGTON, July 19.—War department officials feel that they are fully justified in their decision to retain practically all of Shafter's army at Santiago by the press reports that reached them today, indicating the growth of serious friction between the American forces and the Cuban troops, growing out of the later's exclusion from Santiago by General Shafter' orders.

Should Be Accepted

WASHINGTON, July 18.—Major von Vrooman, of the royal cavalry of Germany, now in Berlin, has written to the war department tendering his services to the American army in the war against Spain.

Uncle Sam

Will be found at Will & Stark's, also many novelties and an elegant line of jewelry, silver ware, cut glass, watches, clocks, etc. The latest and best goods at satisfactory prices.

A good place to go.

You want clean printing,
And you want it promptly,
Don't bother about the price,
The work and stock is
What cuts the figure.

SEE SMILEY.

THE GOVERNOR OF RHODE ISLAND.

Nothing Like Paine's Celery Compound For Run Down Nerves

Gov. Elisha Dyer was elected Governor of Rhode Island in 1897 and re-elected in 1898.

Gov. Dyer is a graduate from Brown University and Giessen University, Germany. He served as Sergeant during the Civil war, and was Adjutant General of Rhode Island from 1862 to 1865. He wrote, April 17, 1895: "I have heard so many flattering statements of what Paine's celery compound has done that I feel sure that it will be of very great benfit to me, particularly at this time when I have so much anxiety and nervous strain."

Paine's celery compound, upon which so much praise has been bestowed, which the wealthy and those in the highest position unhesitatingly endorse, is within the reach of the humblest family in the land.

The incalculable amount of good that Paine's celery compound is doing in making sick and even despairing people well should compel the attention of every judicious person who is out-of-health.

The underlying cause of nervous debility, apparent in headaches, dyspepsia, sleeplessness, and neuralgia, is faulty nutrition of the entire nervous system.

So long as the blood is pale, watery and hampered by bad humors the nerves cannot assimilate proper nourishment, no matter how much food is taken into the system. Paine's celery compound arouses a hearty appetite, regulates the bowels and brings about a normal action of the liver.

This is the sweeping and thorough manner in which Paine's celery compound frees the system not only of rheumatism, eczema, salt rheum and other diseases due to impure blood; but also of neuralgia, sleeplessness and nervous headaches and dyspepsia that are brought about by a "run down" state of the nerves.

The use of Paine's celery compound makes all the difference between impure, sluggish blood and tired nerves; and healthy, energetic bodily condition.

Awaiting Court Martial.

PORTLAND, July 19.—The Telegram says a World special from Manila reports that captains Heath, of McMinnvill Prescot, Weils and Lieutenant Telfer of Portland, Oregon volunteers, are confined in quarters awaiting court martial, having overstayed a leave of absence while visiting the rebel forces.

Caimanera Surrendered.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—A launch from Marblehead visited Caimanera and compelled the Spanish officers in charge to surrender.

KEY WEST, July 20.—The blockading fleet notes activity about Havana forts. A boat sent dropped a few shells.

WASHINGTON, July 20.— Sampson's fleet will cooperate with land forces in Porto Rico's attack.

PORTSMOUTH N. H., July 20. — There were two leaths today among the Spanish prisoners.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 20 —The Examiner says revolts are general throughout China.

The Crops.

Haying is in active operation in every section of the state; the crop is unusually good. Clover hay especially is yielding well. Haying will be generally finished by the close of the present week. Harvesting of fall-sown wheat is in progress, except south of the Blue Mountains, over Pilteau Region; in this section, the harvest is always from one to two weeks later than elsewhere. The fall-sown wheat is yielding a fine crop, fully as much or more than the usual yield; the straw is long, the heads are large and very well filled with plump, heavy grain. Winter and spring sown wheat are, as a rule, nearly as promising as the fall-sown. In some sections of the Willamette valley, reports indicate the presence of wheat aphis in large numbers, but no injury is so far reported. Barley, rye and oats are very promising; cutting of barley will be over in within ten days. Strawberries are now plentiful over the Plateau region, elsewhere they are nearly done bearing. Cherries are nearly all gone. Plums are ripening rears and apples of early varieties are Pipe. Large shipments of peaches are being made from the peach districts. Wild blackberries are ripe and are very plentiful. Garden produce continues to make good growth. The potato crop now promises to be very large. Corn is coming into tassel; the corn crop promises to be much better than usual. Owing to the cool nights in Oregon, there is not sufficient corn produced to supply local demands. Hops are making a flap growth. Hop lice are very plentiful and energetic spraying is being engaged in. Some correspondents report that one hill in three is missing, others that one hill in from five to ten. Some yards have but few missing hills.

B. S. PAGUE, Observer.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

T. J. Wilson, of Roseburg, has been elected principal of the Scio schools.

Mrs. Rowell and daughter left today for the Bay for their summer's outing.

The celebrated Joaquin Miller has returned to the world from the Klondike alive.

Dr. Harry Starr, who has been working at Fort Stevens for some time is in the city on a visit before going east on a trip.

E. C. Giltner, who several months ago got a fat clerkship at Washington through his uncle Senator McBride, was in the city this noon.

C. H. Valentine, assistant general organizer for the Endowment Rank, K. of P., is making a tour of Oregon, and has been in Albany several days.

Councilman M. Senders returned this morning from a several weeks trip through California. He estimates about a third of a wheat crop in the state.

Dr. Grey returned last night from a trip to Seattle, where his daughter resides. He will go to San Jose in a few days. He has not yet given up the erection of a residence in Albany.

Dr. Annice F. Jeffreys and Miss Laura B. Myers left this morning for the East. Dr. Jeffreys will take a special course at a medical institution in New York City. Miss Myers will stop at Detroit, Mich., for a visit with relatives and will join Dr Jeffreys at New York City.—Salem Journal.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Stephens left this morning for Portland, where Mr Stephens goes as a delegate to the Workmen grand lodge, while Mrs. Stephens goes as a delegate to the Degree of Honor. Before returning they will visit friends and relatives in the valley.—The Dalles T. M. Which means a visit in Albany from Mrs. Stephens (born Jackson).

The entire Baker City fire department has disbanded. Two months ago the city council was petitioned by the department to make it a semi-paid one, allowing small compensation for actual work at fires. The council disregarded this appeal. Monday evening at a meeting at the city hall, delegates representing the six companies of the department voted to disband the department, and will turn over to the city at the next council meeting all of the fire apparatus.

Rev. White's Will.

After leaving his funeral in the charge of Bishop Gross, providing for the payment of debts and the appointment of Louis Metayer and William Kizer as executors, the late Father J. S. White, of Salem, provided for the disposition of his property as follows:

I bequeath to the very Rev. Louis Metayer my extension table for dining room, all my books, manuscripts, albums, photographs, picture paintings (except that of my father) frames, trunks, and all there is in them, oil stove, sofa spread, table cover, my church vestments and linen, lace alb, lace surplus, flower pots and flowers, that he may keep them or dispose of them as he may wish.

To His Grace, the Archbishop, Wm. H. Gross, I give my gold watch (stem wind) and chain attached.

To very Rev. F. X. Blanchet I give my roller top desk.

To Mr. Wm Kaiser I give my dining room sideboard.

To Mr. Martin Petzel I give my gold headed cane.

All the rest of the furniture, tables, carpets, chairs, curtains, bedding, to be left in the house where they will be when I die.

All other property of whatever nature real or personal, wherever found, shares in insurance companies, in syndicates, in Building & Loan associations, any real estate I may die possessed of, give and bequeath to my beloved sister and godchild, Georgine White, of Montreal, Canada.

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