A Complete Review of the Telegraphic News of This and All Foreign Lands. The French cabinet has resigned in a

body. The resignations were accepted by President Faure. Another announcement comes from

Madrid that the Spanish reserve fleet has sailed for an unknown destination. Naval officials say Sampson's fleet

must now wait, as further operations at Santiago will be impossible until Shafter's expedition arrives on the Jim Bartlett, a Tacoma barber, shot

and killed Lillie Millet, his former mistress, and Clarence Emery, her lover. He then shot himself, dying in a few minutes. The general deficiency bill, carrying

an aggregate sum of \$224,082,823, has been reported to the house. All but \$15,205,026 is for war expenses, and \$8,070,825 for ordinary deficiency for

Santiago is already on famine rations. Every source of supply and reinforcement will soon have been cut off by the blocksding fleet. The respective positions of Cervera's warships have been definitely learned by Admiral Sampson's scouts.

La Lucha, a Havana paper, says the insurgent leaders oppose American in-tervention and prefer to do their own fighting. It also says a majority of the Campos secures control in Madrid the Spanish policy will become more complicated.

The claims of the Canadian scalers arising out of seizures made by the United States in Behring sea have been finally settled by payment to Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador, of approximately \$473,000, this being the full amount of the claims as settled under agreement between the United States and Great Britain.

The navy department Wednesday posted the following bulletin: Admiral Sampson reports that he has been reinforced by several hundred Cubans and that our force at Guantanamo is in a very satisfactory condition. The town of Acceradeos has been occupied by troops under General Rabi. The men under General Garcia are cooperating with the American forces.

A Washington special to a New York Major-General Coppinger commanding, occupation of Porto Rico. It will be rapidly increased to a force of 20,000 men, including all available regulars the best regiments at Tampa, Chick- efforts to bring in supplies have failed. amanga and Falls Church.

In a report by Thomas W. Cridler, third assistant secretary of the state, upon the Paris exposition, he urges that a complete exhibit be made by this country, and says he is opposed to a boycott. Secretary Cridler says the United States will make a grave mistake if they fail to seize the opportunity Europe the wonderful resources of this

A general order has been issued by the war department to the effect that no native Philippine islander shall be enlisted in the army of the United

The Porto Rico invaders will embark within the next 10 days. The entire attention of the war department will now be turned to getting this second Atlantic coast expedition under way as

Captain Pierson, of the schooner Rustler, which has arrived in Victoria from Cook's inlet, states that the schooner Alton, which sailed from Tacoma recently for the North, carrying a crew of six men, is believed to have been lost during the severe gale which occurred on May 27.

The captain of the schooner Lapwing, which has just returned from Alert bay, reports that nine sternwheel steamers of the Moran fleet of eleven, were serionsly damaged while attempting to cross Queen Charlotte sound. The injured vessels put in at Port Alexander, where they will be repaired.

Advices from Shanghai to the Franktort Zeitung of Berlin, say news has been received from Manila to the effect that there is fighting every night around the town. The insurgents, it seems, are trying to capture Manila and establish an independent government before the Americans land.

A dispatch from Admiral Sampson dated at Mole St. Nicholas says: Licutenant Blue has just returned after a detour of 70 statute miles of observation of the harbor of Santiago. He reports that the Sparish fleet is all there, and that the Spanish attacked vigorously the camp at Guantanamo. An outpost of four marines were killed and their bodies mutilated, barbarously, Surgeon Gibbs was killed.

Of the 16,000 citizens of the United States now in Germany, 2,000 are ma-

triculated students. Timely rains give assurance of a wheat crop in the state of Washington

in excess of 20,000,000 bushels. nia and Wisconsin boat regatta will

take place on Saratoga lake June 30.

Charles Allen, pugilist, was given at St. Joseph, Mo., a 13 years' sentence in the penitentiary for robbery.

The oldest living railroad conductor is Edward Miller, who is still in active service on the Westchester division of the Pennsylvania railroad.

The state department has formally notified the Austrian government that it will not pay indemnity for the Hungarian miners killed in the riots at

The first instance of the settlement of a native-born American in a London Congregational pulpit is that of Dr. Isaac C. Meserve, for nearly a quarter of a century the pastor of Davenport church, New Haven.

LATER NEWS.

Preparations are being hastened for the third expedition to the Philippines. Five steamers loaded with troops will probably sail from San Francisco for Manila about July 1.

An engine and tender on the northbound freight on the Langdon line of the Great Northern jumped the track, fatally injuring Engineer Peterson, Conductor Cohen and a brakeman.

A Havana dispatch says no exchange of prisoners has been authorized at Madrid, and Blanco therefore declines to enter into negotiations looking to the exchange of Hobson and his crew.

For the purpose of testing the efficlency of the mines in Hampton roads the burned schooner Shenandoah was blown. The ship was torn into a thousand fragments. An officer in the fort set the mines off by electricity.

Spanish power is crumbling in the Philippines. General Pena and 1,000 Spanish soldiers have surendered at Santa Cruz, and similar surrenders have occurred at other places. The insurgents propose to form a republic under Anglo-American tutelago.

The Hawaiian annexation resolution has been favorably reported upon by the senate committee on foreign relations. There is now a probability that the islands will have been formally annexed to the United States before two weeks have elapsed.

The achievement of the Vesuvius at Santiago is regarded as remarkable, and opens a new era in warfare. The effect of her giant shells upon the fortifications with which they came in contact was destructive to a degree heretofore unequaled by any death-dealing machine in existence.

The captain of a German steamer which has arrived in Gibraltar reports having eighted the Spanish Cadiz fleet off the north coast of Africa, opposite Cuban generals have expressed the Gibraltar Friday evening. The war-above views, and prophecies that it ships were going in an easterly direction. The fleet consisted of two battleships, four large cruisers and four torpedo-boat destroyers.

Lieutenant-Colonel Arna of the Cuban army, who has just arrived in Key West, says that as soon as war between the United States and Spain was declared, the Spenish guerillas in Pinar del Rio province went through the country districts butchering the pacificos, women, children and old men, whose bodies lie in the roads and fields unburied to this day.

A special cable from Hong Kong to the New York Journal says that the most severe and strong battle since Dowey's annihilation of the Spanish fleet has occurred at Manila. One thousand insurgents attacked 2,000 Spanish, inflicting heavy losses and almost forcing an entrance to the city. Marines from Dowey's warships and insurgents have the city surrounded paper says: The Fourth army corps, and cut off from every possible source of food supply. Foreign residents has been designated to undertake the have fled to the vessels in the harbor. Dewey is prepared to take the city 24 hours after the arrival of the troops now en route. The Spanish troops now in the South, with the addition of have been without food for days, and

Spaniards at Cadiz are reported as being in a state of great excitement, fearing our ships may go across.

President McKinley has sept to the senate the name of Isaac L. Patterson for the position of collector of customs for the district of Willamette, Oregon

A leading Washington diplomat says offered for bringing to the notice of the departure of Shafter's expedition destroys all chances of an early peace and commits the government to a viggrous prosecution of the war.

The president has sent to congress recommendation for the advancement of Lieutenant Hobson, who sunk the Merrimae in Santiago harbor, ten num bers in the list of naval constructors.

Disgruntled sailors on the Harvard and Yale, 600 of whom are foreigners, will not be released. Their protests are vain, as the British and German consuls refuse to interfere in the matter. The charges made by the sailors of a breach of faith on the part of the

government are held to be unfounded. The services of our marines are being appreciated. Secretary Long has commended the zeal and discretion of the Captain of the Marietta. The secretary says the recent long voyage of the gunboat demonstrated the abilities of her master and crew. The captain of the revenue-cutter Hudson also has been commended for his gallantry at Cardenas.

A special from Key West says that advices from the headquarters of the Cuban civil government in La Guanja. Camaguay, report that over 6,000 Spanish volunteers and many regulars from the Puerto Principe and Neuvitas garrisons have descried to the Cuban patriot army. The immediate cause of the desertions was fear inspired by the proximity of the American fleet.

Sampson's battleships are clearing the way for Shafter's men in Cuba. The defenses at Caimanera, the terminus of the railroad leading to Guantanamo have been reduced. The Texas, Marblehead and Suwanee participated in the bombardment. Firing continued until the brick fort and earthworks constituting the defenses were completely demolished and their occupants compelled to take to the bushes, The Spanish guns fired but five shots, all of which went wild.

A monument to to be erected to the memory of Ensign Worth Bagley, the first officer in the American navy to fall in the war with Spain.

The captain of the gunboat Callao which was captured by Admiral Dewey's fleet, has been shot for not re-

turning the fire of the American ships. N. W. Taylor, president of the Cleveland Paper Company and one of the prominent paper manufacturers of the United States, died in Cleveland, aged 75 years.

Mrs. Mercy Maria Gray, who has just died at Oakland, Cal., aged 80 years, during her life gave over \$1,000,-000 to the advancement of the Baptist

The church bells rang merrily and flags flow over England, Scotland and Wales, and in the loyal sections of Ireland in honor of the queen's 78th

The 18-year-old lad who is heir to the throne of Japan is said to be the last male descendant in the order of primogeniture of a dynasty which has eigued 2,600 years.

ABOUT TO FALL

The City of Manila Can Hold Out But a Few Days.

Taken at Present, But Its Surrender Is Expected.

Manila, via Hong Kong, June 20 .-Spanish power is crumbling in the Porto Rico rather than to Cuba, if they Philippine islands. General Pena and crossed to this side. It was pointed a thousand Spanish soldiers have sur- out that this move would be the naturrendered at Santa Cruz. Similar surand at Pampanga, and in each case Rico. hardly anybody was killed. It is reported that Rear-Admiral

tory. There is no necessity for interference, as no excesses whatever have been committed. The insurgents proposed to form a republic under Anglo-American tutel- formidable in sound, but as a matter age, and threatened to visit with severe penalties the insurgents who have prominent native protege of the Span-

gents, but their conduct is satisfac-

There was desultory firing today in every quarter on the outskirts of the town, with no material result, although there were several artillery attacks and one explosion, which killed six Spanlards and wounded many others. The ammunition of the Spaniards is

IT HAS SAILED.

Spanish Reserve Fleet Leaves Cadiz for

Washington, June 20.-The state department has received the following

dispatch from its agent at Gibraltar: "The Carlos V. Pelayo, Rapide, Pa. triot, Audaz, Osada, Prosperina, Giralda, Prelejo Colon (with the minister of marine on board), Alfonzo Doco, Canondong, Atnonio Lopez, Isla Panos, Buenos Ayres and San Francisco, left Cadiz yesterday. The first 11 passed INSURGENTS IN THE SUBURBS the rock bound for Carthagena for orders; the last three had troops on board. This is Admiral Camara's followed closely by the Marlbehead. Food Has Given Out and the Soldiers Cadiz squadron and appears to be in The Marblehead stood off to the west Are Starving-City Will Not Be the Mediterranean, bound for African shores."

The army officials were satisfied, on learning today that the Cadiz fleet had sailed, that the ships would go to al strategic one for the Spanish commander to take, as there was still renders have taken place at Laguna something left for them to save in Porto

The naval view is not similar to that taken by the army officers. The former Dewey is unable to restrain the insur- do not attach as much importance to the fleet as the latter, and few officers can be found to believe that the ships will ever venture far from the Spanish coast, much less attempt to cross the Atlantic or go to the Philippines. The list of vessels in this fleet is rather of fact it includes not more than two up-to-date war vessels, excepting the small torpedo gunboats. It is certainly become turncoats, especially Paterno, a the opinion of naval officers here that if Dewey had the Monterey with him he would have no trouble in repulsing the whole Spanish force, while the Cadiz fleet could not afford pastime for Sampson's steel bulldogs.

Spanish Hopes Are Raised. Madrid, June 20.—There are a number of rumors in circulation as to the

HOW SAMPSON BATTERED THE ANCIENT FORTS OF SAN JUAN.



From a photograph taken after the bombardment. damage done by the shells of the American fleet. Old Castle Morro was the greatest sufferer, so far as visible effects are concerned, but many of the more modern fortifications were hammered with equal effect.

with their hands in their pockets, gap- pines. ntermittent vacantly, while

warships.

evening in every direction. The Span- destinations. iards were informed of the insurgents' intention to capture two magazines outside the fortifications. Therefore, they concentrated their forces for a suprema effort in their defense, and bom- from Admiral Dewey: barded the jungle all night long. In witted, outgeneraled and harassed to

misunderstanding, a squad of Span-Malate into Manila, causing immense consternation, it being believed that refugees, under guard of neutral menthe insurgents were storming the city. A Spanish officer commanding an outpost at San Juan left his men in

charge of a sergeant, came to town and was found helplessly drunk. It is reported that he was sentenced to death. A 6-inch gun at Malate, while being German man-of-war is expected fired into the woods over the Spaniards heads, struck a tree and killed several

Spaniards. There is a story current here this Irene went to a pienie on horseback to islands while William remains said, with their Spanish hosts, might have been killed by the insurgents, who had the road to San Juan strongly ambushed, but it is further asserted the insurgents had orders to avoid giving a pretext for German intervention.

Ran the Blockade.

Kingston, Jamaica, June 20.-A dispatch from Manzanillo, province of Santiago de Cuba, received here today, fallen, replied in the negative, but announced the arrival there of the steamer Purisima Concepcion, which the gravest character. sailed from Kingston about 2 o'clock for the Spaniards, and carrying, it is said, \$100,000 in gold.

Bodles Were Not Mutilated.

New York, June 18 .- Stephen Crane telegraphs the Evening World from Guantanamo bay June 16 a positive denial of the statement that the bodies of the marines killed in the fighting on Saturday were mutilated after the men fell. The appearance of mutilation, it is asserted, was caused by Mauser bullets fired at close range, the Spaniards having ambushed the marines, one of whom was pierced by eight bullets. Surgeon Edgar is quoted as authority for contradiction of the ed by any but the most vigorous white the principal structures of the town. story of mutilation.

utterly untrustworthy, because it is destination of Admiral Camara's fleet, old, rotten and has never been tested. one that the warships are heading for The Spaniards are impotent with Boston with the intention of bombardrage, bewilderment and despair. The ing New England towns, and another cafes tonight are crowded with officers that the fleet is going to the Philip-

fusilade is audible in all directions, in official circles here and in the lob-Carloads of food have been stored in- bies of the cortes, owing to the deparside the walled citadel, with the inten- ture of Camara's fleet. It is said it tion of standing a siege and defying consists of over 20 ships, including auxthe American warships. But the idea iliary cruisers, and it is added that it is ridiculously preposterous, for the has an enormous quantity of war macitadel, so-called, is totally untenable terial on board, including a mysterious against the fire of a modern flect of new explosive. It is also whispered that the squadron, when at sea, is to There was a concerted attack last be divided and proceed to different

Admiral Dewey's Advices.

Washington, June 20.-The navy department has received the following

"Cavite, June 15, via Hone Kone. the meantime the insurgents captured There is little change in the situation Malabon and Calloocan, in the northern since my telegram on June 3. The insuburbs. The Spaniards were thus out- surgents continue hostilities and have practically surrounded Manila. They have taken 2,500 Spanish prisoners, During the previous night, owing to whom they treat most humanely, They do not intend to take the city at ish artillerymen stampeded from the present time. Twelve merchant vessels are anchored in the bay, with of-war; this with my permission. The health of the squadron continues excellent. The German commander-in-chief arrived today. Three German, two British, one French and one Japanese men-of-war are now in port. Another

"DEWEY."

Liverpool, June 20 .- Steamers which evening to the effect that the captain have arrived here from Sierra Leone and officers of the German warship report that 1,000 people were killed in the recent uprising in that district. the further outposts of San Juan, ac- One Hundred and twenty inhabitants companied by the highest Spanish of Freetown, most of them traders, are officers of the staff. They had a cham-known to have been massacred, and pagne lunch, and the captain of the other colonists were carried into the Irene is said to have made a speech, bush by the "war boys" and undoubtduring which he declared the Ameri- edly met a worse fate. Three huncans "will never annex the Phillippine dered friendly natives were killed. Besides the white missionaries, six colperor." The Germans, it is further ored missionaries of the United Brethren in Christ were murdered at Manonbarrgru. The English missionaries are at the mercy of the "war boys," but have not been melested.

Madrid Is Depressed.

London, June 20 .- A Madrid dispatch to the Daily Mail says: Senor Sagasta, replying in the cortes to a question as to whether Manila had added that the situation there was of

The dispatches from Madrid agree Thursday morning with food supplies that this statement, together with the report that the rebels are attacking the city, have caused intense depression.

Progressive Policy in China. Peking, June 20 .- Wen Toung Ho, member of the council of state and foreign office, etc., has been dismissed from the cabinet office and is to be succeeded by Wang Wen Chao, viceroy of Chieli. The dismissal of Wen Toung Ho, in conjunction with other events, is looked upon as indicating the adoption of a more progressive policy on the part of China.

The tobacco raised in Beloochistan is exceedingly strong and cannot be smok-

FORT REDUCED.

Sharp Engagement at Calmanera—Span-iards Were Driven Out.

Camp McCalla, Guantanamo Bay, via Kingston, June 18.-The brick fort and earthworks at Caimanera, at Sampson Again Batthe end of the railroad leading to the city of Guantanamo, were demolished today by a terrific bombardment conducted by the Texas, Marblehead and Suwance. The warships opened fire at 2 P. M. and the bombardment lasted an hour and a half.

The Texas steamed slowly up the channel leading to the fortifications, side of the bay and opened with her five-inch guns, knocking down part of the wall. The Texas then threw in ome 12-inch shells, tearing down the



STREET SCENE IN SANTIAGO.

wall of the fort and throwing brick and mortar 30 feet in the air.

After badly damaging the fort, the Marblehead shelled the earthworks and barracks at the west end of the harbor. she knocked them into the air, and when the Spaniards fled from the fort, they were shelled by the St. Paul and lriven into the bushes. The Spaniards fired only five shots, which did no damage. After the ships stood out into the harbor, the Spaniards in the ushes opened fire on the Marblehead's launch, which replied vigorously. The Suwanee then turned back and shelled the bushes, driving the Spaniards in-

The Marblehead's little steam launch leared out a detachment of Spanish push whackers this evening and escaped after a hot engagement of a quarter of in hour without the loss of a man. The launch had been dragging the harbor near the forts for mines and had found one and was towing it back to the Marblehead when the enemy, concealed in the bushes on the shore, opened a hot fire on the five men in the aunch. The launch headed toward shore and began banging away, but the low gun finally kicked overboard, carrying the gunner with it. In the meanime, the enemy was firing wildly, The marine was promptly rescued. It is believed that several Spaniards were killed.

Tricks of Guerilla Warfare.

Guantanamo, via Kingston, June 18. -However unpleasant the experience, the landing of a small detachment of marines, mostly raw men, in the enemy's country, has taught some lessons o the officers and men here, and possily also to the authorities at Washingon. It has shown the Spaniards to be laring bush fighters, and it has proved that every American camp must be compactly built and as well protected to resist night attacks as though in the Apache country. It has developed several small defects in the navy guns under service conditions, and it has shown that given a free rein with repeating rifles 500 nervous troops can waste 10,000 rounds of ammunition. killing shadows, in a single night, and not think even then they have done much shooting.

Though the 16 Spaniards found by Lieutenant Neville's men wore regular uniforms, most of those men in the daylight attacks were scarcely anything except big plantain leaves bound around their foreheads in lieu of hats. This acted as an effective disguise in the bush. Others, stripped to a pair of dirt-colored trousers, tied branches around their waists, reaching shoulder high, and moving very cautiously, they could even cross open ground without being detected, though some of them were caught at the game.

Another trick was to make a moving screen of two or three big palm leaves, almost impossible to detect where stunted paim everywhere rises out of the chapparal.

The Cubans were most useful in pointing out these tricks. There are 60 of these men now in camp, mostly negroes, with Cuban officers. are hawkeyed woodsmen, breaking even with the Spaniards in every device of bushcraft. The American marines at first were inclined to discount this, but this morning they spoke enthusiastically of their auxiliaries for their daring. At night, in skirmish time, the marines say the Cuban auxiliaries go through the bush like rabbits. Their chief fault, however, is their reckless handling of the new magazine rifles.

Violating Neutrality Laws.

New York, June 18 .- A Herald dispatch from Gibraltar says: The Spanish steamer San Augustin, of the Trans-Atlantic line, has arrived in ballast from Cadiz. She is taking coal, presumably for Cadiz and the Camara squadron. The American consul has lodged a protest

The Vizcaya Struck.

Madrid, June 18 .- Admiral Cervera wires that he has provisions enough for the fleet until autumn. He says: "A shell from an American warship, falling from a great elevation, struck the Vizcaya, which, owing to her excellent armor, was not damaged."

General Blanco cables from Havana that the batteries there fired upon the United States cruiser Montgomery, which left the line of blockade, Eleven vessels are now blockading the port of Havana.

Sagasta Was Agitated.

London, June 18 .- The Madrid correspondent of the Morning Post says: Senor Sagasta displayed great agitation while reading the latest dispatch from Manila, the contents of which have not yet been given to the public.

Destructive Pennsylvania Fire. Sharon, Pa., June 18 .- One of the most destructive fires in the history of Grove City, Pa., occurred last night. It originated in the armory, buildings were destroyed, among them The loss will probably reach \$50,000.

BLOWN TO

tered the Forts of Santiago.

MORRO ALONE WAS SPARED

Vesuvius Hurled Charges of Dynamite Into the Bay-Aim of the American Gunners Was Unsurpassed-Thousands of Projectiles Thrown.

Off Santiago de Cuba, via Kingston, June 18.—Rear-Admiral Sampson's fleet bombarded the batteries at Santiago de Cuba for the third time at daylight this morning. For hours the ships pounded the batteries at the right preceding bombardments. and left of the entrance, only sparing El Morro, where Lieutenant Hobson and his companions are in prison. The western batteries, against which

badly wrecked. One was utterly destroyed. In others, many guns were projectiles with full charges, it was dismounted. At first the Spaniards almost impossible to plant them. The replied passionately and wildly. Most would shoot into the air, encirclings, of the guns were descried.

Not a ship was struck nor a man injured on the American side. It is believed the Spanish loss of life

As a preliminary to the hammering was completely wrecked. The Massa

in the embrasures could be gun captains.

Fifteen minutes later, at 5:25 A. M., the New York opened with brondside from her main battery at the works east of the entrance to the harbor. The fleet, enveloped in smoke, pelted the hills and kicked up dirt and

It was a magnificent spectacle. Though the gun captains had been castioned not to waste ammunition, but to fire with deliberation, the fire was so rapid that there was an almost continuous report. The measured crash of the big 13-inch guns of the battle. ships sounded above the rattle of the guns of the secondary batteries like thunder claps above the din of a hurn.

A strong land breeze off the shore carried the smoke of the ships seaward, while it let down a thick curtain in front of the Spanish gunners. Their guns responded spiritedly at first, but their frenzied, half-crazed fire could not match the cool nerve, trained eyes and skilled gunnery of the Americans, Our fire was much more effective than in

The admiral's ordnance expert had given explicit directions to reduce the powder charges and to elevate the guas so as to shorten the trajectory and thus The western batteries, against which secure a plunging fire. As the shells the main assault was directed, were in the preceding bombardment droppel with the almost straight trajectories batteries, owing to the high elevaties, and fall far over the fortifications, The effect of the reduced charges was nar-

In 15 minutes, one western batters given the batteries, the dynamite chusetts tore a gaping hole in the en



BIRD'S-EYE VIEW OF SANTIAGO HARBOR.

down the hill. The loss of life must

The batteries to the east of Morre

were harder to get at, but the New Or-

leans crossed the bows of the New York

to within 1,500 yards of the shore and

a gun squarely in the muzzle, lifting it

off its foundations and sending it

After awhile Admiral Sampson sig-

nalled the ships to temporarily cease

firing, in order to allow the smoke to

When the order came at 6:20 to cease

firing, every gun of the enemy had been

silenced for 10 minutes, but as the

ships drew off some of the Spanish

courage returned and a half dozen shots

were fired spitefully at the Massacha-

setts and Oregon, falling in their wake.

Throughout the bombardment tis

tion of the admiral, lay outside of the

The steam launch of the flagship

At the close of the action a gream

of multi-colored flags floated from the

New York, generally complimenting the ships, and especially commanding

the work of the Texas and New Or-

ship to ship until every jackie in "

The destruction and death at the

mounted during the last few days

From this it is inferred that Admiral

scurried among the ships, carrying mer-

sweeping somersaults into the air.

clear from the batteries.

right flank.

only dummies.

pile of ruins.

sages.

cruiser Vesuvius last night at midnight placement with a 1,000 pound project was given another chance. Three 250- tile, and the Texas dropped a shell into pound charges of guncotton were sent the powder magazine. The explosion over the fortifications at the entrance wrought terrible havoc. The frame The design was to drop them in the was lifted, the sides were blown out. bay around the angle back of the emi- and a shower of debris flew in every nence on which El Morro is situated, direction. One timber carried out of where it was known that the destroyers the side of the battery went tumbling were lying.

The charges went true, as no reports have been great. were heard-a peculiarity of the explosion of guncotton in water. the destroyers were demolished is not known, but the destructive area of guncotton is large, and it would not be played a tattoo with her long 10-inch surprising if one or both torpedo-boats rifle, hitting them repeatedly, striking were destroyed.

The third charge exploded with terrific force on Cayo Smith. From where the fleet lay, the entrance to the harbor looked, in the black night, like a door opening into the fire of a titanic furnace. A crater big enough to hold a church was blown out of the side of the Cayo Smith, and was clearly seen from the ships this morning.

Admiral Sampson issued orders for the bombardment last night. Coffee was served to the men at 3:80 this morning, and with the first blush of dawn the men were called to quarters. Vesuvius and the Porter, by the direction The ships steamed at five knots to a 3,000-yard range, when they closed up, broadside on, until a distance of three cables' lengths separated them. They were strung out in the form of a crescent, the heavy fighting ships in the center, the flagship on the right and the Massachusetts on the left flank.

The line remained stationary throughout the bombardment. The Vixen and Scorpion took up positions on the op- leans. posite flanks close inshore, for the purpose of enfilading any infantry that cheer, which was passed quickly for might fire upon the ships.

When the ships got into position it fleet was howling himself hourse. was still too dark for any firing. The admiral signalled the ships not to fire western batteries must have been appart until the muzzles of the enemy's guns ling. Many of the guns had been

Hanged at Folsom Prisor

Sacramento, Cal., June 18.-Frank Cervera had given up all hope of es Bellew, the Dixon poisoner, was tricating himself from the trap in hanged at Folsom prison at 10 o'clock which he is caught, and had moved the this morning. He was dead exactly guns from some of his ships to strength 1114 minutes after the trap was en the land defenses. sprung. He made no confession or Admiral Sampson is highly gratified statement on the scaffold. The crime at the result of the bombardment for which Frank Bellew suffered the He thinks the western batteries practices death penalty was the poisoning of his tically demolished. As some of the brother Louis and sister Susie at Dix- guns on the eastern batteries did not on, Solano county, November 7, last fire he thinks it is probable they were

Patal Flood in Ransas

Kansas City, June 18.-Four lives were lost in the Good that followed the breaking of the dam at Chelsea Park, a Kansas suburb, last night. The persons drowned were Mrs. Elsie Greenlee, Robert Cakarole and his two children. The property loss will be considerable.

Turks Again Burning Villages. Cettinje, Montenegro, June 18 .- The Turks have renewed the work of burn-

the Berane district.

The number of shots fired is not known at the time this dispatch is sent. Judged from the position near the flagship, which, during the bombardment, with several interruptions, fired 208 shots, 85 from her 8-inch guns, 184 from her 4-inch guns and 39 from her ing villages. Today firing continues 6-pounders, probably no fewer than both sides throughout the whole of 5,000 projectiles were fired, of a total weight of half a million pounds.

Lieutenant Hobson and his companions.

by their presence in El Motro, made it

sacred. Otherwise it would now be a