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ATTACKED THE TROCHA

Terrible Loss Inflicted on the Spanish.

THE WAR FOR INDEPENDENCE

A Dispatch from Havana Has a Different Coloring of the Affairs—General News.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 2.—The Times Democrat's Key West special says: Advices from Havana state that Antonio Maceo, in a recent attack on the trocha, inflicted terrible losses on the Spanish, over 1000 being killed and wounded. The attack was made at night, and was carefully planned. The fighting was general all along the line, but fiercest near Artemisa, where Antonio Maceo led a Spanish column commanded by General Aralaz.

The Spaniards were taken completely by surprise. They were aroused from sleep to find a hail of insurgent bullets falling upon them. General Aralaz and his staff, half-clad, rushed from their headquarters and tried to rally the Spanish troops, who were panic-stricken. It was half an hour before a semblance of order could be restored in the Spanish column, and during that time, the troops remained huddled together.

While the attack was in progress at Artemisa, Maceo's lieutenants were assaulting the trocha with equal success on the right and left. The attack ranged from Bahia Honda on the north to Makando on the south, and at all points, the line was demolished. Maceo could easily have crossed it with his entire force, but it seems he had no such purpose.

ENGAGED MACEO'S FORCES.

A Brisk Engagement Between Spaniards and Insurgents.

HAVANA, Oct. 2.—General Melguizo, supported by Colonel Ulmoem's troops, commanded by Colonels Hernandez, Frances and Romera, left Mantua, province of Pinar del Rio, on the morning of Tuesday last to attack the insurgents under Antonio Maceo.

Hernandez column proceeded in the direction of Tamas de Torino, and after an hour's march engaged Maceo's forces, dislodging them from their position. Continuing the advance, Colonel Hernandez, at 1:30 p. m., again met the enemy.

By this time the insurgents had concentrated their forces, and a severe engagement followed, lasting until night. The Spanish troops dislodged the insurgents. The operations were conducted during a heavy downpour of rain, which considerably hindered the advance. The troops pushed forward the following morning, and were met by four cannon shots at short range from the insurgent position. The insurgents were again driven backward, and the troops camped in the enemy's position, but left it later to carry back the wounded and secure provisions and ammunition.

A column of troops commanded by Colonel Frances entered Manajal and engaged the insurgent forces commanded by Percio Diaz, Pyaso and other distinguished men at the point of the bayonet, compelling the enemy to disperse. In two engagements the insurgents left eighty killed and a quantity of arms and ammunition on the fields and retied with over 200 wounded. On the side of the Spaniards eleven men were killed and Major Ysqurido, Captain Pannis and eighty privates wounded. Of the Spanish wounded thirty-one men are in a serious condition.

Spanish forces under the command of Colonels Zerrano and Cano have been engaged with the insurgents under Alvarez and Trullio at the Guissimal farm, on the Narranjo river. Alvarez and twenty other insurgents were killed. The troops had five men wounded.

The steamship Juan Forgas has arrived from Spain, bringing forty officers and 1,200 soldiers.

WATSON MAY RETIRE.

Rumors to this Effect Are Gaining Credence.

ATLANTA, Oct. 2.—Publication in this week's issue of Thomas P. Watson's People's Party paper of an editorial at-

tack on Chairman Marion Butler, of the Populist national committee, is considered significant in view of the rumors that Watson may retire from the ticket. The editorial is as follows: "Attempts have been made to show that Mr. Watson favored fusion in the state of Indiana. This is not correct. Watson took the position at the beginning of the campaign that no Populist could consistently vote for a single Sewall elector any more than he could vote for a Hobart elector. He filed with Chairman Butler a written protest against Butler's fusion policy. Butler has ignored Watson's protest and gone steadily forward on his own line.

"Watson's position is now what it was when the Georgia state convention met. He is for a straight middle-of-the-road ticket.

"In no other way can the Democratic managers be forced to abide by the St. Louis contract. Mr. Watson's position has been humiliating and embarrassing, and he has been compelled to submit to policies he did not approve."

CHOOSE A WISE COURSE.

South Dakota Democrats Will Cooperate to Defeat Bryanism.

HURON, S. D., Oct. 2.—At a conference here of the national Democratic party the following resolutions were adopted: "That we proudly proclaim our allegiance to the principles adopted at Indianapolis; that to further the cause of honest money, the maintenance of national honor and integrity and to promote, to the extent of our ability, the future welfare and prosperity of the nation, we deem it best not to place an electoral ticket before the electors of this state in support of presidential nominees of the national Democratic party."

Another Sound-Money Convert.

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 2.—Hon. George L. Converse, who for 12 years was the Democratic congressman from this district, replying to a letter from Professor W. H. Johnson, of Denison university, urging his acceptance of the congressional nomination in the Seventeenth district, announces his intention to support Major McKinley.

From a Great Democrat.

A depreciation of the currency is always attended by a loss to the laboring classes. This portion of the community have neither time nor opportunity to watch the ebb and flow of the money market. Engaged from day to day in their useful toils, they do not perceive that, although their wages are nominally the same, or even somewhat higher, they are greatly reduced, in fact, by the rapid increase of currency, which, as it appears to make money abound, they are at first inclined to consider a blessing. — Andrew Jackson, Eighth Annual Message.

We cannot by law fix the value of either metal or coin or of any of the articles that enter into the wants of life. The great law of demand and supply affects the value as it does iron, copper or zinc. All have fallen in market value by means of new discoveries and improved methods of production. — Senator Sherman.

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| Year | Number | Value |
|------|------------|----------------|
| 1892 | 47,273,553 | \$125,909,264. |
| 1895 | 38,298,783 | 65,167,735. |

U. S. Depart. of Agriculture Report.

IMPORTS OF WOOL.

| Year | Value |
|------|---------------------|
| 1892 | 167,784,490 pounds. |
| 1895 | 248,989,217 pounds. |

U. S. Treasury Statistics.

IMPORTS OF SHODDY, RAGS AND WASTE.

| Year | Value |
|------|--------------------|
| 1892 | 321,588 pounds. |
| 1895 | 20,718,108 pounds. |

U. S. Treasury Statistics.

TOTAL IMPORTS OF WOOL GOODS.

| Year | Value |
|------|--------------|
| 1892 | 437,515,445. |
| 1895 | 60,319,301. |

U. S. Treasury Statistics.

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Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill., writes that he had a severe kidney trouble for many years, with severe pains in his back and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so called kidney cures but without any good result. About a year ago he began to use Electric Bitters and found relief at once. Electric Bitters is especially adapted to cure of all Kidney and Liver troubles and often gives almost instant relief. One trial will prove our statement. Price 50c and \$1.00. At Blakeley & Houghton's Drug Store.

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A. F. & A. M. Notice.

All members and visiting brethren are requested to meet at the hall of Wasco Lodge, No. 15, A. F. & A. M. at 1 o'clock Sunday, Oct. 4th, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, W. H. Lockhead. By order of W. M. F. A. ABERNATHY, Secy.

The Dalles, Oct. 3, 1896.

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|-----------------------|---|-----------------|
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| *8:30 A. M. | Roseburg and way stations. | *4:30 P. M. |
| Daily except Sundays. | Via Woodburn for Mt. Angel, Silverton, West Slo, Brownsville, Springfield and Natron. | except Sundays. |
| *4:00 P. M. | Salem and way stations (Corvallis and way stations). | *10:00 A. M. |
| 7:30 A. M. | McMinnville and way stations. | *6:20 P. M. |
| 11:45 P. M. | | *8:25 P. M. |

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