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WEYLER IS STUBBORN

The Captain-General Refuses to Yield Command.

EFFORTS TO DISPLACE HIM FAIL

He Defies Sagasta—The Orders of the Premier Calmly Ignored—His Hand Revealed.

New York, Oct. 21.—A dispatch to the Herald from Havana says:

In spite of all his protests to the contrary, General Weyler, when it comes to the actual test of resigning his command, exhibits decided reluctance. He has refused to give over authority as captain-general to his successor, Jimenez Castellanos, although peremptorily ordered to do so by the Spanish minister of war. The situation is critical. Sagasta cannot, it is believed, permit his ministry to be openly defied by General Weyler, and yet he may have to resort to extreme measures to remove the captain-general.

Castellanos arrived in the capital late Monday night. He had been appointed by the Spanish minister of war to replace General Weyler until General Blanco arrived in Cuba. Castellanos was in the field when the appointment came, but he immediately started for the palace. In some unaccountable manner a man-of-war sent to fetch him was retarded.

Castellanos proceeded to the palace Tuesday morning, expecting to be sworn in as captain-general, but it was very soon apparent that General Weyler did not intend to attend anything of the sort should happen. He made excuses and hesitated until Castellanos was provoked to cable the situation to Madrid. A reply came quickly. It was a peremptory order that General Weyler should vacate, and that the newly appointed man should assume command at once.

But even then General Weyler did not obey. He told Castellanos that before he would hand over the office he must have a written statement from his successor to the effect that the four western provinces had been pacified. Castellanos had been in the field and new the truth, and refused to sign any such document.

This happened Tuesday evening. General Weyler is still captain-general, and in effect defies anyone to divest him of his authority. Weyler's friends assert that he will not relinquish his command until a few hours before the time he has fixed to sail for Spain. The date of his departure is now fixed for October 30th. But it was once before fixed for the 20th. There is time for much to happen before General Blanco can arrive.

General Weyler entertained the colonels of the volunteer forces at a banquet in the palace Monday night. It was a splendid affair, and the wines were of the best. Weyler made a speech full of insinuations. He attempted to justify himself beforehand for anything he may do to prevent the Spanish premier from carrying out what he felt was a policy that would bring distrust to the beloved country.

There is little doubt that the volunteer forces in Cuba are with General Weyler. He has looked after them well; he has uniformed them and armed them and they enjoy many privileges. They have a good deal to lose and nothing to gain if the Cubans are given a liberal voice in the government. The volunteer force is composed chiefly of petty officeholders, clerks, waiters, laborers, port-

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ers, etc. It numbers in Havana alone more than 30,000 men, a well-drilled and strong looking body of men. With them General Weyler is a power.

In the meantime the rebels are ready and eager for the winter campaign. The movement westward is slow but sure. Indeed, it is significant that General Gomez is not following his usual tactics. Heretofore his westward marches have been bold, swift dashes, with the advancing force split up into small bodies, but this time it is different. There is something solid about the very slowness of the movement. It betokens heavy baggage trains; it means artillery; it means the laying of a permanent base of supplies; it means that the rebels are coming to stay. The vanguard of the invading army has been reported near Santa Clara city.

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LEE WILL RETURN TO CUBA.

No Change to Be Made in the Consular Office at Present.

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—A Washington special says General Fitzhugh Lee, consul-general to Cuba, has announced to his friends that he expects to return to Cuba about December 15 and remain until the conclusion of the war. He will be accompanied by Walter E. Barker, consul at Sagua la Grande, who arrived in this country shortly after General Lee, and on the same mission—to furnish the president with definite information as to the situation in Cuba.

President McKinley has decided to make no change of consular offices on the island until the rebellion in one way or another is brought to an end. The interests of this country and its citizens, the president believes, will be better served by officers who have had experience on the island.

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FOUR HUNDRED LIVES LOST.

A Cyclone Causes Terrible Havoc at the Philippines. MADRID, Oct. 21.—A dispatch from Leyte, Philippine islands, says that place has been almost devastated by a cyclone, and many persons have been killed and that the damage to property is incalculable.

The cyclone destroyed the town of Tagloban and Hernani, on the island of Leyte, as well as several villages. It is estimated that 400 persons lost their lives through the disaster. Later advices from Manila says the cyclone occurred on October 12, and added that Carriga and Burga, on the eastern coast of Leyte, has been wiped out, and that an immense wave swept the island. Several thousand natives perished at Tagloban. The cyclone also swept the island of Samar. The full extent of the catastrophe is not yet known.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of grippe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by Blakeley & Houghton.

Murder in the Second Degree. ST. LOUIS, Oct. 21.—A Post-Dispatch special says that the jury in the case of Mrs. Virginia B. Todd, charged with the murder of her daughter, Hettie Bethel, at New London, Mo., reported this morning, finding the defendant guilty of murder in the second degree and fixing the punishment at two years in the penitentiary. The case has been tried four times. The crime was committed in June, 1895. The daughter was 17 years of age and was the victim of her mother's insane jealousy.

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SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT of the State of Oregon for Wasco County.

The Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Oregon, Plaintiff,

vs. Thomas J. Bulger and — Bulger, his wife, whose given name is unknown to plaintiff; D. L. Cates, George Gardiner and Fannie E. Gardiner, Defendants. Bulger, whose given name is unknown to plaintiff, George Gardiner and Fannie E. Gardiner, defendants, IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON you and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action on or before the first day of the term of the above entitled court following the expiration of the time prescribed in the order for the publication of this summons, to wit: on or before the 28th day of November, 1897, that being the first day of the next regular term of said court, and if you fail to so appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the court for the judgment prayed for in said complaint, to-wit: For the condemnation and appropriation for a right-of-way for a railroad of a strip of land one hundred feet wide over and across the following described lands: Commencing at a point 1190 feet north from the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of section six, township two north, range eight east, in Wasco county, Oregon, thence north 70 feet to a point thence north 86 degrees 34 minutes east, 250 feet to a point in the north boundary of the right-of-way of the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company, now Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company's right-of-way; thence southwestwardly along said north boundary of said right-of-way to the place of beginning, containing 21-100 acres. Also another tract of land situated in said section six, described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at a point in the south boundary of the right-of-way of the said Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company, which point is 1175 feet north and 290 feet east of the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of section six, township two north, range eight east; thence north 86 degrees and 34 minutes east, 85 feet to a point on the south boundary of the said right-of-way; thence on a curve to the left with and along the said boundary of said right-of-way in a westerly course to the place of beginning, containing 47-100 acres; said land to be used for the re-location of the railway of said plaintiff's across said premises as provided by section 3241, Hill's Annotated Laws of the State of Oregon. And plaintiff will also take judgment for its costs and disbursements in this action.

This summons is served upon the defendants above named by publication thereof in THE DALLES CHRONICLE by order of Hon. W. L. Bradshaw, Judge of the Seventh Judicial District of the State of Oregon, made at chambers in Dalles City, Oregon, this 25th day of September, 1897.

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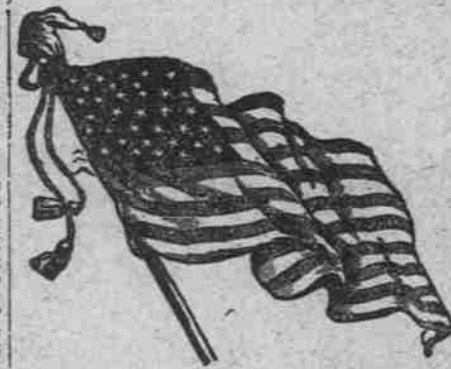
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