

## INCIDENTS OF THE NAVAL CAMPAIGN

**Spanish Reserve Squadron Sails—Important News Sent to Our Fleet in Cuban Waters.**

MADRID, May 28.—It is officially announced that the Spanish reserve squadron commanded by Admiral Camara, has left Cadiz. Before going to its destination, the squadron will maneuver probably for several days in the open sea, afterwards sailing for the Philippines, Cuba or the United States, as the government may judge more opportune. The squadron is understood to be composed of 10 or 12 vessels.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, May 28.—1:30 A. M.—United States Consul Dent has received instructions from Washington to forward to the United States fleet, if possible, certain cipher orders accompanying consular instructions. Mr. Dent, who is, of course, ignorant of the character of the orders, carried them in person to Port Maria, where it is believed a dispatch boat of the fleet was waiting by pre arrangement to receive the expected orders.

NEW YORK, May 28.—A dispatch from Key West says the cruiser Brooklyn landed a large quantity of war supplies at Cienfuegos on Tuesday. This is said to have been done after a fight in which the fort on the south side of Cienfuegos bay was badly damaged. There was also a fight between 700 insurgents and a Spanish cavalry force, the latter being defeated.

## DIFFICULTY IN GETTING NEWS

Nothing Confirmatory Concerning Cervera's Whereabouts—He Has, in All Probability, Escaped.

NEW YORK, May 28.—A special received from the Laffan News Bureau in explanation of last night's report of Cervera's escape, says: "Our Kingston story of last night merely quoted one of the Scorpion's officers as saying he had not located Cervera at Santiago. Schley's report to the war department late this afternoon gave no confirmation of the fact that he had Schley bottled up in Santiago harbor."

KEY WEST, May 28.—Advices received tonight state that Cervera has escaped, and his whereabouts are unknown. The Associated Press in its assertions concerning Cervera being bottled up was unwarranted by any facts, and their reports tonight have him escaped.

## THE SITUATION AT MANILA

Dewey Has Cut the Last Telegraphic Communication Between Manila and Spain.

HONG KONG, May 28.—Dispatch boat Zafaria has just arrived, bringing Mr. Williams, former United States consul at Manila, to consult with Consul Wildman at Hong Kong, concerning the position of the insurgent force. The situation at Manila is unchanged. Aguinaldo, the insurgent leader, has his headquarters at Cavite, and it is crowded with volunteers. He captured on Wednesday outside of Manila two bullock carts of ammunition and 4000 rifles, without loss of life.

The Spaniards have been using the cable line between Manila and Lolo in connection with a swift steamer to Labaan, British North Borneo, whence there is cable connection with Spain. Dewey discovered this and cut the telegraph line, thus isolating Captain-Gen-

eral Augusti from communication with Spain. The captain-general insists that relief for Manila is on its way from Spain.

The best of health prevails on American ships at Manila.

NEW YORK, May 28.—A dispatch to the World from Manila via Hong Kong says:

The situation of the besieged inhabitants of Manila is growing more and more desperate, owing to the cutting off of supplies. The blockade by Dewey's squadron is complete, while the insurgents have surrounded the city on the land side, thus effectually closing the place in. Dewey has deferred further aggressive action at this point until the arrival of the cruiser Charleston with coal and ammunition, and of the promised troops for the military occupation of the islands.

## GETTING READY TO VOLUNTEER

Quotas of Various States Under the Second Call Will Rapidly Come Forward.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—In the course of a few days the second call of the nation for volunteers will be answered by the state of Missouri. Adjutant Bell several days ago devised plans and decided upon the section of the state for the raise of a new national guard in case of an emergency.

The Adjutant has decided not to form any more regiments, but to organize the companies over the state, giving preference to those sections not already represented in the volunteer army. Missouri's apportionment of the call is over 300 men and of this number St. Louis will furnish six companies.

Immense purchases of fancy groceries were made yesterday for the army in the South by Captain Dunstan, commissary of supplies stationed in this city. The orders placed aggregated \$50,000 and the goods will be shipped as fast as possible to Chickamauga. While these orders were placed by the government through its commissary here, the goods will not be delivered to the soldiers as part of their regular rations. They will be sold to the officers and men at cost price as extras for their mess.

## ATTACK ON MISSIONARIES

Chinese Mob Loots and Destroys American Mission.—Troops Ordered to Quell the Outbreak.

HONG KONG, May 28.—On Wednesday a Chinese mob looted and burned the American mission at Tong Chow near Wuchowfu. It is supposed that Mr. Glover and other members of the mission escaped.

E. C. Bedloe, United States vice consul at Canton, has requested the viceroy to dispatch troops to quiet the outbreak against the missionaries.

## PATRIOTISM IN KLICKITAT.

Many Goldendale Citizens Are Anxious to Enlist.

GOLDENDALE, Wash., May 28.—Capt. Hugh Phillips is kept busy these days, answering the questions of would-be volunteers. Many of them want to know if there is any possibility that the troops enlisted under the call will be landed on Cuban soil. The number of enlisted volunteers under Captain Phillips exceeds eighty.

## LINE TO BE FINISHED.

Receivership Action Against Tacoma-Columbia River Road Quashed.

TACOMA, May 28.—Receivership proceedings against the Tacoma & Columbia River railroad came to a halt this morning when a telegram from President Bailey, who is in New York, was read, stating that money had been raised to finish the road and clear up the financial difficulty. The road is now being built from this city south to the Columbia river.

## AN EMBASSADOR PERHAPS A SPY

Information in the Hands of the War Department May Cause A Repetition of the De Lome Episode.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—There is a very ugly story afloat today, which involves the Australian ambassador in act of hostility towards the United States and which will certainly lead to another DeLome incident. If the investigation proves it to be true, it is said that Secretary Day has been advised by Professor Schoenfeldt, who occupies the chair of ancient and modern history in the Columbian university, a naturalized German-American, and formerly tutor to DeLome's children, that he has been invited to act a Spanish spy. The story goes that a former attaché of the legation called upon Professor Schoenfeldt with a proposition to secure information for the Spaniards. He is said to have satisfied the professor that he was sent by the ambassador above referred to. Schoenfeldt promised to consider the proposition, but, although sympathizing with the Spanish side of the Cuban question, he submitted the matter to the state department. Secretary Day is absent and no one else in the department knows anything of the facts. Assistant Secretary Meiklejohn, of the war department, who has charge of the secret service, declares that he has not heard a word on the subject but this is not surprising at all, as the state department would naturally consider it a diplomatic affair, and not such as need be referred to the federal detective force as yet.

## ADMIRAL DEWEY'S NEXT PLAN.

The Caroline Islands Will be Seized—No Doubt About the Capture of the Philippines.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—The complete capture of the Philippines by the army and navy of the United States will be followed by another important campaign in the South Pacific Caroline islands. The dependency of Spain, it is understood, will be seized. Some of Admiral Dewey's ships and possibly the admiral himself will undertake the conquest. It is the opinion here that the islands will fall an easy prey to our Pacific fleet unless Spain should send naval reinforcements to the Pacific, which is considered extremely probable. The Caroline islands have given the American government a good deal of trouble during the last few years because of the persecution of American missionaries.

## CAPE VERDE HIS DESTINATION

It is Thought Cervera Has Left for That Point—The Whole Matter is a Mystery.

KEY WEST, May 28.—Positive information by a dispatch boat from Santiago says that no Spanish squadron was there Tuesday. As far as could be seen the American ships but not Schley's squadron are blockading that port. The best authorities say that there is no probability of the Spaniards going to Santiago because when there they would be unable to communicate with Havana as the insurgents hold all the country back of that city. The Spaniards could communicate with Havana if they should go to Cienfuegos, but it is known Cervera was not at that port Tuesday and it is absolutely certain he cannot get there without fighting. The scouts might try to find him in Porto Rico ports soon with success as the

Spaniards must soon go to the port for coal. Many think they are returning to Cape Verde and it is not impossible that they were off the north coast of Cuba Wednesday but not likely. It is now certain they are not on the shore side of Cuba. This information comes direct from high authority.

## GERMANY OFFERS OPPOSITION

With Assistance of Italy She Will Oppose the Concession of the Philippine Islands.

ROME, May 28.—It is certain that the government of Germany has demanded the adherence of Italy to oppose any possible cession of the Philippine Islands by Spain to France or any other country. The Italian government is in perfect accord with Germany on this question.

General Saletta, chief of the Italian general staff, is in Berlin on an important mission, in view of probable European complications.

## LAD AWAY TO FINAL REPOSE.

Gladstone's Remains Entombed in Westminster Abbey.

LONDON, May 28.—In the Northern transept of Westminster, where England's greatest dead rest, the remains of William Ewart Gladstone were entombed today with the ceremonies of the nation he had served and of the church he had served. His grave is beside that of his life-long adversary, Benjamin Disraeli (Lord Beaconsfield), whose marble effigy looks down upon it, decked with the regalia which Gladstone had refused.

## CONCERNING THE RESERVE.

S. B. Ormsby Writes a Letter Expressing His Views on the Subject.

Fred W. Wilson, secretary of the Wool-Growers Association, received a letter from the special forest agent and supervisor, which is as follows:

SALEM, May 23, 1898.

DEAR SIR:—I am informed that certain parties (sheep-owners) have concluded that they do not care to obtain a permit to graze their sheep on the Cascade range forest reserve the coming season, and also propose to enter the reserve when they please and go where they please. It is not to be denied that the matter of government control of the grazing lands of the reserve will be in a large measure experimental the present season and based on the good faith and desire of harmony of the sheep owners themselves. Neither is it claimed that the few who have made this threat will not be able to carry out their present intentions in the absence of a sufficient force to guard the reserve; but of one thing be assured, that there will be a final settlement of the matter in the near future. And if it will require a great deal to keep sheep off the reserve before the allotted time and control their movements sufficiently, the same guard may be used to exclude them from the reserve entirely next season. I am aware that these remarks do not apply to ninety-nine per cent of sheep owners who have evinced a desire to be fair and honorable in this matter, but it must be evident to every member of your association that the lawless acts of a few cannot fail to injure the many. As regards my own action I can only obey instructions and enforce the requirements of the department the best I can with the force at my disposal. I have ordered an officer of the department to the Fish Lake region and shall do what I can to protect those who show a disposition to observe the requirements, in their rights on the range. Regarding the assignment of territory it will be plain to every one that from the descriptions given me one may overlap another or the same location be differently described and therefor assigned to different parties. For this reason no one should throw up his range of last season and apply for that of another, nor should one seek to dispossess another of the range he has formerly occupied with the idea that he will be permitted to hold it permanently. It may be stated I think as a certainty that a new assignment of territory will be made next season.

Respectfully yours,  
S. B. ORMSBY,  
Special Forest Agent and Supp'r.

The political pot is beginning to boil and every day sees groups of candidates on the street extending their periodical hand shake to the farmer who at this particular time is made to think that he is as good as anybody and a little bit

better if the concession will induce him to vote for any particular aspirant. 16 to 1 is the cry on one hand and money that will be good in Europe is the cry on the other, but the opposing candidates on either side will concede anything if it is necessary to get that which they are after—votes. We have a natural born haddshaker and all around genial fellow in this town, who at the present time, while he is a candidate, never allows politics to take the place of business and while he shakes hands and whispers sweet music in the ears of the voter he is also on the lookout for business and is selling real estate right along at such figures that put to shame any 16 to 1 or gold standard propositions being agitated on the public rostrums today. This man received in his early childhood the name of William Henry Harrison Butts. See him.

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