

INSURGENTS ARE FIGHTING BRAVELY

Eighteen Hundred Prisoners Captured--Spanish Soldiers on the Verge of Mutiny --Holding Prisoners.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—This bulletin was posted at the navy department this afternoon:

"Dewey reports that the insurgents have been actively engaged within the province of Cavite. They have won several victories, taken as prisoners about 1,800 men and 50 officers of the Spanish troops, not natives.

"The arsenal of Cavite has been prepared for occupancy by the United States troops on arrival of the transports."

The City Being Surrounded.

HONG KONG, June 6.—Advices from Manila show that the rebels are gradually surrounding the city. They attacked the Spaniards on May 31st and the fighting still continues. The rebels captured several towns and held as prisoners the governors of the provinces of Cavite and Batangas.

An American spy says that Captain-General Augustus wanted to surrender to Dewey, but officers persuaded him to make further resistance. Refugees are arriving at Cavite from all directions. When the dispatch boat left Manila Thursday the rebels had besieged 200 Spaniards in old Cavite church. They had also cut the railroads in that neighborhood. The insurgents were only four miles from the city.

One Spanish regiment has mutinied and shot their officers.

It is reported that the rebels captured and tortured a number of Spanish priests.

DU BOSQ AND CARRANZA MUST SOON LEAVE

British Government Will Take Steps to Secure Their Immediate Departure.

THEY ARE SAID TO HAVE BEEN ARRESTED

Arrest Was Made at the Instigation of the Dominion Detectives.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—The state department today received assurance from London that the British authorities will to secure the departure of Carranza and Du Bosq, the Spanish chief spies, from British soil.

Minister Hay has advised the department that the British authorities are entirely satisfied that the Spaniards are violating the principles of neutrality and that they are engaged in conspiring against a government with which Great Britain is on friendly terms.

The department is convinced that there will be no unnecessary delay in advising the two men that their contin-

ued use of British territory as a base of operations against the United States will not be longer tolerated. Their stay in Canada will certainly not continue longer than this week. It is thought probable even that the two worthies will not wait to be kicked out, but have already made preparation for their immediate departure, relying upon the impossibility of their longer sojourn in Canada under the circumstances.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—Du Bosq and Carranza have both been arrested and their money tied up in the Bank of Montreal. The arrest was made at the instigation of the Dominion detectives.

THE OREGON TAKES A PRIZE

Torpedo Boat Terror Recently Captured Clears the Way for the Transportation of Troops.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—The sinking of the Terror, a Spanish torpedo-boat destroyer, by the Oregon, still further clears the situation so far as the sending of troops to Porto Rico is concerned. According to the best advices of the navy department there is today not a single vessel of the Spanish fleet anywhere in the vicinity of the northern coast line of the Antilles more formidable than a gunboat.

The troop-ships, which have sailed from Mobile and which are to receive reinforcements from Tampa and Jacksonville, will require fewer convoys than it was originally intended to send with them. So long as the Terror, which the navy department fully believes has been destroyed, was afloat, she was a dangerous menace to the fleet of transports. The Terror's speed was twenty-eight knots an hour, and she might have sunk a half-dozen troop ships before she could have been overtaken by even the fleetest vessel in the squadron.

There are still believed to be three or four Spanish vessels in the vicinity of San Juan, but they are not of such a character as to create the slightest apprehension on the part of the authorities there. Consequently the Porto Rican expedition will be pushed with all possible speed, and present indications are that by the first of next week a landing will have been effected which will result in the speedy capture of that island by the American forces.

5000 TROOPS NEAR SANTIAGO

The First Expedition From the United States Said to Have Landed and Joined Garcia's Forces.

NEW YORK, June 6.—A special from Kingston reports that 5000 United States troops have landed near Punta Cabrera, a little to the west of Santiago, where a junction was effected with General Calixto Garcia's army of 3000 insurgents. It is added that the landing was effected under cover of the fire of Sampson's fleet. With the troops were several heavy siege guns.

THE DEATH OF CAPTAIN GRIDLEY

One of the Heroes of Manila Succumbs to His Wound.

ERIE, Pa., June 6.—Last night the family of Captain Gridley, residing here, was notified by the navy department of the death of the husband and father as a result of the battle of Manila.

Captain Gridley has two daughters and a son. Mrs. Gridley was in the midst of preparations to go to San Francisco to meet her husband and accompany him across the continent to his home.

NO SEA ROOM IN THE CHANNEL

Blockaded by the Wreck of the Merrimac--Smaller Vessels Can Get In.

KEY WEST, June 6.—Advice by the dispatch boat, received here this afternoon from Santiago, state that only thirty-one feet of sea room is left in the channel, the rest being now blockaded by the wreck of the Merrimac. Therefore, none but smaller vessels can get in or out.

AN ENTRANCE WAS FORCED

The Bombardment of Santiago Renewed.

TWO SPANISH VESSELS SUNK

One American Vessel Said to Be Badly Damaged--Troops From Key West Effected a Landing--Attack Soon to Be Made.

PORT AU PRINCE, June 6.—Advices received here today state that the bombardment of Santiago was resumed this morning by the American fleet.

It is said the American fleet succeeded in forcing the harbor, having first destroyed the wreck of the Merrimac. After entering the harbor they engaged the Spanish fleet and after some very hot fighting sank two of them.

It is reported that one American vessel was damaged, but this is not confirmed.

The United States military expedition consisting of 5000 troops, which recently left Key West, has been landed at Punta Gorda. The expedition is said to be thoroughly equipped with siege guns which will be used in the reduction of Santiago.

The Landing party comprised three regiments of infantry, three batteries and one battalion of engineers. The men who landed were under protection of the battleships and got ashore expeditiously and without serious opposition. There are now twenty-nine American warships hovering off Santiago.

GREAT VICTORY FOR REPUBLICANS

Geer Elected by 7000, While the State Ticket Will Be Elected by 5000.

PORTLAND, June 7.—The returns from the state election show a complete victory for the Republicans.

The plurality of Geer for governor will approach 7,000, and it is almost certain that the entire Republican state ticket will be elected by at least 5,000 plurality.

The Republicans have elected the majority of the members of the legislature and both congressmen. M. A. Moody, the Republican nominee for congress in the Second district, will have at least 2,000 plurality, and probably more; while Thomas Tongue, in the First district, will be elected by 1,000 majority.

In Multnomah county all the Republican legislative ticket has been elected, while the contest for state senator between Joseph Simon and W. T. Hume is considered very close.

SPANISH SPIES MUST GET OUT

Formal Protest Against Their Continued Presence in Canada Entered at London by Ambassador Hay.

LONDON, June 6.—Ambassador Hay called at the foreign office today and presented evidence that Spanish officials are making Canada a base of operations, and protested against the continuance of this practice.

The protest is based on the fact that it would be a breach of neutrality for Great Britain to permit her territory to be used for hostile purposes.

Hay also recently drew the attention of the foreign office to the small importations from Great Britain of munitions of war for Spain.

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