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## Exchange of Prisoners Made

Hobson and His Brave Companions Once More Inside the American Lines.--The Heroes Return in Fine Health and Spirits.

KINGSTON, July 7.—Richard H. Hobson and his seven brave comrades were exchanged yesterday by the Spaniards for eighteen officers and men who had been captured by our forces. He and his companions were received with shouts and cheers along the American lines, while on his part he had nothing to say more than that he had been well treated by the enemy while in their hands.

Colonel John Jacob Astor and Lieutenant Milley were in charge of the Spanish prisoners. These consisted of Lieutenants Amelio Volez and Aurelius, a German, belonging to the Twenty-ninth regular infantry, who was captured at El Gauey Friday last, Lieut. Adolph Aries, of the First provincial regiment of Barcelona, fourteen non-commissioned officers and one private. Spanish prisoners were mounted and blindfolded.

## Hawaii Will Be Annexed

The Philadelphia Will Leave Shortly With This End in View.

WASHINGTON, July 7.—Orders were issued today by Secretary Long for the Philadelphia to prepare to leave for Hawaii. The object is to formally annex the islands to the United States.

Admiral Miller, commanding the Pacific station, will be charged with the function of raising the flag hauled down by Commissioner Blount. The ship will be ready for sea in a few days.

The president will appoint a commission immediately to frame laws necessary to the changed condition of affairs in Hawaii. This must be done before the adjournment of congress, commissioners being subject to confirmation by the senate.

## TROOPS ARRIVED AT HONOLULU

Like the Other Expedition They Were Received Royally--Left for Manila June 24th.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 7.—Word was received here yesterday stating that the steamer China, which is being used as a transport to carry troops to Manila, arrived at Honolulu on the morning of the 23d and twelve hours later the Zealandia, Colonel and Senator were sighted. The following day the troops landed and were royally received by the people of Honolulu. This function was carried out precisely on the lines of the first expedition. Ladies waited on the tables. The officers were entertained at army headquarters. There was an abundance of refreshments for everybody.

The Monterey and collier Brutus arrived from San Diego on the 24th, having left the latter port on the 11th. The Monterey experienced a heavy north-west swell nearly all the way. The Monterey recoiled and was ready for sea yesterday morning, but was delayed by the Brutus, whose engines required overhauling. Both vessels left for Manila today.

### A Wreck Sighted.

SEATTLE, July 7.—Captain Christenson, of the schooner Eliza Miller, which arrived at Port Blakeley yesterday, reports that on June 23d he sighted the hull of a wrecked schooner 245 miles off Coos bay. It is thought that it may possibly be the wreck of the schooner Nomad, which left Shanghai for Seattle last December with ten people on board.

### Company B at Tacoma.

TACOMA, July 7.—Company B, of Whatcom, was sworn in last night, and arrived by boat this morning under command of Captain Hardin. The troops were given an ovation on their arrival and escorted to the state encampment at the exposition building.

## THE STRIKE WAS ILLEGAL

Chicago Newspapers Now Publishing as Usual.

CHICAGO, July 6.—President Prescott, of the International Typographical Union, who came from Indianapolis to make an investigation, decided that the strike of the stereotypers employed on the Chicago newspapers was illegal and that they should have adhered to their contracts. As the newspaper publishers have agreed not to have anything to do with the stereotypers' union hereafter, the 200 men who struck last Friday will have difficulty in finding work in Chicago, as many non-union stereotypers from other cities have come here and more are said to be on the way.

CHICAGO, July 6.—The Chicago papers are publishing as usual today. The striking stereotypers have all been dismissed and their places filled by non-union men.

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## FIRING BEGUN ON SANTIAGO

Dispatch States That the Bombardment Has Commenced--Both Sides Are Fighting Fiercely.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—A dispatch was received here last night from Madrid stating that the bombardment of Santiago de Cuba had commenced. It stated further that both Spaniards and Americans were fighting vigorously.

### Advice of The Times.

LONDON, July 7.—The Times, remarking editorially how little disturbance the war has caused to the interests of neutrals, and how admirably and courteously it has been conducted by both Americans and Spaniards, "setting an example of humanity," expresses the hope that the same spirit will be observed when peace is arranged, and says: "There could be no more honorable ending to a war which both sides have waged in ways creditable to them than a settlement which should disprove the charge that the modern conqueror drives a harder bargain with his foe than was common in times when war was less humane."

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## Reina Mercedes Sunk at Santiago

Her Plans are Thought to Have Been to Blockade the Harbor.

WASHINGTON, July 7.—The following telegram dated off Santiago, July 6th, was received from Admiral Sampson:

About midnight last night the dismantled Spanish cruiser Reina Mercedes was seen by the Massachusetts, which vessel had a searchlight on the channel, coming out of the harbor of Santiago. The Massachusetts and Texas opened fire, and the Spanish vessel was sunk opposite Estrella cove. I am inclined to think it was the intention to sink her in the channel and thus blockade the entrance. If so the plan was defeated by the fire of the ships, as she lies on the edge of the shore.

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