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PREMIER SAGASTA HAS RESIGNED

MADRID, July 12.—Premier Sagasta has resigned and advises that the new cabinet be largely composed of a military element.

European Nations Ready to Interpose

French Minister Del Casse Has Made a Movement in that Direction.

LONDON, July 12.—The French Foreign Minister Del Casse has informed Senor Costello, the Spanish ambassador at Paris, that his government is ready to intervene to secure peace if the Madrid government so desires. The Sagasta ministry is now held as an object of contempt throughout Europe. The members are only hindered from suing for peace by fear of personal safety. It is probable that peace negotiations will be opened through the French ambassador at Washington soon.

Fight Continued for About Four Hours

Operations Will Cease Until a Conference Has Been Had.

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Late yesterday afternoon the president cabled Shafter to cease operations at Santiago until he had had a conference with General Miles, who reached Santiago this afternoon. The American fleet opened fire on Santiago at 4 o'clock this afternoon and kept up for four hours with feeble responses from the Spanish batteries. At 1 o'clock tonight General Cerbin stated that he had just received information which made it almost sure that nothing of an official nature would be received from Santiago until Miles had reported.

DEPLORABLE CONDITION OF AFFAIRS IN CITY OF HAVANA

The Autonomists Tired of Blanco's Promises—Great Scarcity of Food and Rioting Expected at any Time.

HAVANA, July 11.—The situation is becoming desperate here. The regular soldiers are disgusted with the manner in which favors are showered on the volunteers by the autonomist government and are tired of Blanco's unkept promises. The press continues to deceive the public and print gushing articles of great victory of Cervera's fleet. Food is getting very scarce, and in many suburbs only sweet potatoes remain. Many of the largest stores have closed their doors and it is quite probable that riot will let loose when the truth from Santiago and Manila is known.

SENATOR CULLOM APPOINTED

He Will Leave for Honolulu as Soon as Possible—California Business Men Will Suggest Laws for the New Territory.

CHICAGO, July 11.—Senator Cullom, of Illinois, has been elected president of the Hawaiian commission. He received a message from San Francisco today tendering him a banquet by the chamber of commerce, when a suggestion will be made to the commission by the leading business men of California as to the laws needed for the new territory. Senator Cullom will probably leave for Honolulu within the next two weeks.

A MOST TERRIBLE DEATH

An Ex-American Consul Perishes in Alaska—The Story as Told by His Companion.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—J. C. Maidhof, who was consul to Anahg, Saxony, during Cleveland's first administration, perished while attempting to reach Minoak creek from St. Michaels in February last. The story was brought out by H. M. Morgan, who was rescued by Indians after lying four days in a sleeping bag without food. Morgan suffered agonizing hardships, and he and Maidhof lived on dog meat alone for days before the latter perished and Morgan was found. The latter will probably lose one foot.

EXPEDITION TO GO WITHIN TEN DAYS

General Otis Will Leave This Week—New York Volunteers to Garrison Honolulu.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—Hawaii has been attached to the military department of California, and the Columbia, Major-General Otis, will leave some day this week to occupy the islands. The fourth expedition to Manila will probably leave within ten days.

New York volunteers, first regiment, now coming West, will garrison Honolulu. General Merriam, commander of the department of the Columbia, will start on an extended tour of Oregon and Washington in about thirty days.

Alaska's Fabulous Wealth. SEATTLE, July 12.—The steamer Geo. W. Elder arrived from Alaska at 2 o'clock this morning. Among the passengers was O. J. Kendall, of Portland, who said: "Brad H. Cole arrived at Innean direct from Dawson on July 8th. He had considerable gold with him and said that there was enough yellow metal at Dawson to make fortresses."

Going to the Klondike. SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—The schooner Thomas F. Blair, Captain Anderson, has arrived from Philadelphia with a party of Klondike treasure-seekers on board. She had a very stormy passage of 106 days, her only stop being at Valparaiso. Her passengers and crew are determined to push on to the gold fields.

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NEARLY READY FOR SERVICE

Cruiser Chicago Will Leave the Navy Yard Next Month.

New York, July 11. The cruiser Chicago, reconstructed and with increased speed, early next month will leave the New York navy yard, after having been in the hands of the workmen for several years. Few will recognize in the new Chicago the vessel that flew Rear-Admiral Erben's flag and was commanded by Captain Mahan, now a member of the board of strategy, for she is now practically a new, the only remaining original part of her being the hull.

When the Chicago went out of commission she was bark rigged with three masts, but when she leaves the dock she will have only two masts. They will be military masts like those on the others of Uncle Sams fighting ships, and will give the rejuvenated cruiser a more warlike appearance.

Her armament has also undergone material changes. Her main battery, formerly consisting of four 8-inch, eight 6-inch and two 5-inch breach loading rifles will be augmented by fourteen 5-inch rapid fire guns, in addition to her secondary battery, which will consist of all the latest models of small rapid fire guns.

BILLY ERNST WAS DEFEATED

Knocked Out by Owen Zeigler in the Seventeenth Round—A Foul Is Claimed.

New York, July 11.—Owen Zeigler of Philadelphia, was given a decision over Billy Ernst, of Brooklyn, in the seventeenth round before the Greater New York Athletic Club. Zeigler won on a foul, an upper cut; but was best any how.

From the Land of Gold.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—The schooner Altaire has arrived direct from Kodiak island with sixty bags of low-grade ore from the famous mountain of gold which Captain Moore, of the schooner Free Trade, so glowingly described to H. Talbot Watson, of England. The story of how Watson and his friends were duped has been told, but Captain Gilbert, of the Altaire, says that there is considerable gold on the island, and that if properly worked the claims taken up there will pay. He has located a ledge for A. P. Hotaling and others, of San Francisco.

The Corbett-McCoy Bout a Sure Go.

New York, July 11.—Kid McCoy and Jim Corbett will surely fight before the Hawthorne Athletic Club at Buffalo on August 27th. Corbett signed the articles today. If there is any police interference Corbett is to receive \$2500. The referee will probably be Professor John Duffy, of New Orleans. Admission will be limited to bona fide members of the club.

Corbett declares he will be fit to fight the battle of his life, and if he wins will shy his castor at the pugilistic world.

Father White Dies at Salem.

SALEM, Or., July 11.—Rev. J. S. White, rector of St. Joseph Catholic parish, of this city, died at 11 o'clock this morning of consumption. The city mourns his death, as for 12 years he has been a popular and serviceable citizen in both his private and public capacities. The funeral will occur Wednesday, and will be conducted by Archbishop W. H. Gross.

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