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## YELLOW FEVER EPIDEMIC AMONG OUR TROOPS IN CUBA

Over One Hundred Cases Reported Among Our Troops Before Santiago—A General Spread Not Anticipated.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—Over one hundred cases of yellow fever exist among the American troops in the field hospitals at Santiago. The cases are mild and almost entirely confined to the quartermaster's department. The men are being cared for by the yellow fever experts of Shafter's army. No general spread of the scourge is anticipated.

## They Discuss the Situation

WASHINGTON, July 14.—The president and part of the cabinet remained in session until after midnight. The principal discussion was the threatened epidemic of yellow fever among the troops in front of Santiago. No news was received from Miles, Shafter, or the Spanish general, Toral.

## SPAIN'S CONDITION IS DESPERATE

Her Treasury Exhausted—Her Troops in Cuba and Porto Rico Without Proper Food and Short of Ammunition.

MADRID, July 13.—The financial situation of Spain is most desperate, and the government is determined if the war faction continues in its suicidal demand for the continuance of hostilities to make known the whole truth to the people of the kingdom of Spain. Enormous sums advanced by the Bank of Spain to the government have been exhausted, and their only recourse is to default on the payment of interest on the debt or issue six or seven per cent bonds guaranteed doubly by the bank of Spain and the customs.

Troops in Cuba and Porto Rico are without proper food, and ammunition is very short. The government believes if the army realized the desperate conditions with which Spain is confronted, the soldiers would be quieted, leaving only the Carlists and Republicans to deal with.

## WILL SEE ACTIVE SERVICE

Troops Scheduled for the Fifth Expedition—General Otis to Sail Tomorrow—Commission Objects to the Gaelic Carrying the Expedition.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 13.—General E. S. Otis has given it out that the entire eighth army corps which are now located here, including the Washington volunteers, will see active service in Manila. Over 4000 will depart in the fifth expedition, which is scheduled to sail July 23d.

General Otis will surely sail for Honolulu on Friday. The Hawaiian commission has engaged passage on the steamer Mariposa, which sails from here August 10th. The Gaelic is the next vessel to sail, but the commission desired that such an historical body should be carried by an American vessel.

## THIRD EXPEDITION REACHES HONOLULU

Troops Royally Welcomed—Officers Received as Guests of President Dole.

SEATTLE, July 14.—General Merritt and the third Manila expedition have reached Honolulu. On July 5th the arrivals were enthusiastically welcomed. The City of Para, Ohio, Indiana, Morgan City, Monitor Monadnock and the Collier Brutus arrived on July 4th. The Newport and Valencia are yet to come.

At the time of these advises the army officers were guests of Dole and the soldiers were feasted on the executive grounds.

## TROUBLE FEARED IN GUATEMALA

Election of Cabrera Likely to Precipitate a Revolution.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 13.—Fears of a revolution in Guatemala are due to the prevalent belief among the people that if elected to the presidency, Cabrera, the present head of the government, will proclaim himself dictator.

Cabrera became president on the death of Barrios, and now seeks the office for a six-year term. His strongest opponent is Jose Castillo, who is supposed to be backed by the army, in which he has served with distinction.

The election of Cabrera is expected, and in anticipation of trouble many Americans are returning to the United States or sending their families out of the country.

## Wreck of a Blockade Runner.

WASHINGTON, July 13.—It has been reported to the war department by the signal officer at Key West that the ship San Domingo was wrecked off the Isle of Pines, Cuba, while trying to run the blockade. The nationality of the vessel is unknown.

## CAPTAIN CLARK HAS BEEN APPOINTED CHIEF OF STAFF

WASHINGTON, July 14.—Captain Clark, of the battleship Oregon, has been appointed chief of the staff of Commodore Watson's fleet. The Oregon will accompany the squadron to Harass, on the Spanish coast.

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## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE, THE DALLES, OR., May 21, 1898.  
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at The Dalles, Oregon, on Wednesday, July 15, 1898, viz:

Albert H. Swasey, of Mosier, Homestead Application No. 4614 for the SE 1/4 Section 19, Township 2 N., Range 12 E., W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: L. Evans, George Evans, James Brown and Sidney M. Briggs, all of Mosier, Oregon, June 11. JAS. F. MOORE, Register.

## REPORT OF ADMIRAL DEWEY

Received by the Navy Department Yesterday—Isle Grande Taken by Dewey's Ships.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—The navy department received the following report from Dewey yesterday:

"Aguinaldo informs me that his troops have taken all the Subig bay ports except the Isla Grande, which they were prevented from taking by the German man-of-war Irene. On July 7th the Raleigh and Concord went there; they took the island and about 300 men, with arms and ammunition. There was no resistance. The Irene retired from the bay on their arrival. I shall send the Boston to help Aguinaldo. It is not practicable to send to Guam. No troop vessels are available.

DEWEY."  
Isle Grande is the place Germany has long coveted, and the war department believes that Dewey's prompt action saved complication with Germany. Cable advices say that the German officers in the harbor are almost insolent in demeanor, conveying the impression that the Kaiser has a chip on his shoulder for Uncle Sam to knock off. The war department has perfect confidence in Dewey. The hero of Manila says he has not been officious, but Germany fully understands that he is master at Manila.

## Thought to Be Yellow Jack.

WASHINGTON, July 13.—Fourteen suspicious fever cases have broken out among the employees of the quartermaster's department near Santiago. The men have been isolated and confidence is expressed in the ability of the doctors to stamp out the disease.

## En Route to Tampa.

CHICKAMAUGA PARK, July 14.—The First Ohio cavalry broke camp early yesterday and started for Tampa. They marched to Ringgold, which is nine miles, and boarded the train. No other regiments have yet been ordered to move.

## Wounded Men Still Arriving.

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., July 13.—The wounded and sick still arrive. This morning the City of Washington reached here from Santiago with numbers of sick and wounded soldiers.

## Our Special Sale

For the week commencing Tuesday, effects our Clothing, Ladies' Suits and Skirt and Wash Goods Departments.

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We're not to be overlooked on Dress Skirts. Our Fourth of July offerings are proving to be just what we expected them to be—

## GREAT ATTRACTIONS.

See our \$3.00 all wool Dress Skirt; of a navy blue material, plain ground with white hair line, well lined and finished. The price is reduced to \$2.25.

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