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## SPAIN'S INSTRUCTIONS TO ITS COMMISSIONERS

Rules for Cuban and Porto Rican Commissioners.

## INSURGENTS TROUBLESOME

Germany May Take a Hand in the Philippine Matter—Captain-General of the Canaries Removed.

LONDON, Aug. 22.—The Times correspondent in Madrid says:

"A committee, consisting of Duke Almodovar de Rio, the foreign minister; Senor Romero Giron, minister of the colonies; Lieutenant-General Correa, minister of war, and Captain Aunon, minister of marine, is preparing instructions for the Cuban and Porto Rican commissioners, which will be dispatched August 31, so as to arrive within the time fixed by the protocol.

"In these instructions attention will be called to the distinction between cessation of territory and cession of sovereignty. In the latter case, it seems to be maintained here that buildings and public works will here remain the property of the sovereign power until they are paid for by the government.

"Certain members of the cabinet are of the opinion that the commission will have first of all to determine some local and administrative modus vivendi during the transitional period until the evacuation is completed.

"Meanwhile, the government will probably call the attention of the cabinet at Washington to the fact that while the insurgent leaders profess to accept the armistice, their subordinates continue to tarry on hostilities against outlying Spanish garrisons.

"While the government thus devotes its attention for a moment chiefly to the questions of detail relating to the Antilles, much anxiety is felt with regard to the Philippine question, which is likely to create much more serious difficulties. On this subject very little guidance is afforded by the studiously vague terms employed in the protocol. These words have been carefully examined with the aid of all available dictionaries, not only by Spanish ministers but also by the diplomatic representatives of several foreign powers, and all seemed agreed that in drafting this part of the protocol, President McKinley's aim was simply to keep a free hand for himself until he should have time to collect information and decide what policy the United States should adopt in the Far East.

"All possible questions regarding the future of the archipelago are thus left open, and both government and public opinion seems in doubt as to what shall be taken by Spain in the forthcoming negotiation.

"The ministers still declare that official dispatches respecting the capitulation of Manila have not been received; therefore, the Augustin incident is explained.


"Mail advices explain the transference of administrative authority from General Augustin to the governor of Vizcaya island."

## THE CLATSOP EXCURSION.

Those Attending the Regatta Visit Clatsop. Eight Thousand People on the Beach.

ASTORIA, Ga., Aug. 21.—Five thousand people went from here today on the Seaside excursion, and the town is practically deserted save for a few strollers.

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tionally deserted save for a few strollers. Four trains carried the crowd over to the beach. The first one left at 7:45, the second at 8:50, the third, the through Portland train, at 11:45 and the fourth at 1:15. Each of these trains was made up of from 10 to 15 coaches and observation cars and all were crowded to their limit with the exception of the last one, which only carried over a small number. The Portland train carried over 1000 people, all through passengers, and was packed to the platforms. The Manila Guards and the First regiment band went over on the 8:50 train. Strange to say, hardly 50 persons all told got off at way stations, all going through to Seaside. Between the visitors and the residents of the beach, probably 8000 people were scattered between the depot and the Seaside house. This is as many if not more people that have ever been at the beach at one time, and the scene resembled the far-famed gay Coney island. As soon as the excursionists reached the beach they made for the most part, a straight line for the sands by the sea waves. As far up and down the beach as the eye could reach, the sands were thickly dotted with human beings of every size, shape, color and age imaginable.

## A REAR-END COLLISION

Frightful Accident on a Massachusetts Railroad—Seven People Killed and Twenty-six Wounded.

SHARON, Mass., Aug. 21.—A frightful rear-end collision occurred in the Sharon station of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, at 7:30 o'clock tonight, when an express train, which was running as the second section of a long train, crashed into the first section, composed of local cars.

As a result, seven persons were killed and twenty-six seriously injured. The injured were nearly all removed to Boston on a special train, which was met by ambulances and surgeons. The rear car of the local train was completely demolished, and a portion of the second car, while the engine of the express train was crippled.

The two trains which were in the collision were usually combined into one long heavy train; it was divided, the first section running as a local accommodation, while the second, which started from Mansfield 15 minutes later than the first, ran as an express. The local train due at Sharon at 7:02 was thirteen minutes late. It left Mansfield on time, making two stops, and had lost the thirteen minutes between Mansfield and Sharon. It was due in Canton Junction, the next station beyond Sharon, two minutes ahead of the express train, which should have passed it there. Sharon is situated on a curve, and both the outward and inward tracks are protected by electric block signals.

The Rev. W. B. Costley, of Stockbridge, Ga., while attending to his pastoral duties at Ellenwood, that state, was attacked by cholera morbus. He says: "By chance I happened to get hold of a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and I think it was the means of saving my life. It relieved me at once." For sale by Blakeley & Houghton.

## MILITARY OCCUPATION PROCLAIMED

General Merritt Proclaimed Government of Manila.

## SPANISH TREASURY SHORT

Only Eight Hundred Dollars Left—The Firmness of Our Commander Saved Manila From Pillage.

LONDON, Aug. 22.—The Manila correspondent of the Daily Telegram, in a dispatch dated Sunday, says:

General Merritt has proclaimed a government of military occupation. The news of the armistice arrived on the 15th. It is feared that the Americans may restore the Philippines to Spain and thus inaugurate a fresh period of tyranny, extortion and rebellion.

The Americans found \$800 in the Spanish treasury.

Foreign opinion is loud in praise of the action of the American commander in excluding armed rebels from the city. It is believed his firmness saved Manila from pillage. A week ago there appeared to be a possibility of a collision with the rebels, but there is no danger now. Everything is extremely quiet at present.

## Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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## More Troops Arrive.

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## Notice to Delinquent Taxpayers.

The delinquent taxes of Wasco county, as shown on the rolls now in the hands of the sheriff are \$60,000, an amount almost equal to the indebtedness of the county. Every citizen will doubtless admit that this state of affairs should not exist, and that all taxes should be collected. On account of hard times in the past the county court has shown leniency to taxpayers, but that leniency has reached the limit, and the court cannot wait longer on delinquents to make settlements. For this reason a warrant has been attached to each delinquent roll commanding the sheriff to collect all taxes by seizure and sale of property. With a bountiful crop now in sight, there can no longer be any reasonable excuse for the non-payment of taxes. The sheriff is bound by oath to comply with the terms of the warrants attached to the tax rolls for the collection thereof, and has no option in the matter. Delinquent taxpayers can save the cost of seizure and sale of property by settling their taxes at once.

ROBERT KEELY, Sheriff and Tax Collector for Wasco County. Dated, August 4, 1898.

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