

THERE WILL BE NO MORE PARLEYING

Disposition of Philippines is Settled.

DISCUSSION MUST BE ENDED TO CURE NERVOUS DYSPEPSIA

Positive Instructions Have Been Sent to the Commissioners—But One Question to Be Decided—That Is the Manner of Giving Over the Islands to the United States.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—The cabinet held a session tonight at which instructions, understood to be of a positive character, bearing on the Philippine question, were drafted for dispatch to the American commissioners at Paris. These instructions were the outcome of the conference held earlier in the day, and instructed the American representatives to admit of no further discussion as to the right to consider the disposition of the islands, and state that on that point the instructions already sent must stand, the only matter for discussion from the American point of view being the manner of giving over the islands to the United States.

The morning session was called to consider a dispatch from Judge Day, in which he informed the president that the Spanish commissioners had asked additional time to prepare a reply to the propositions submitted by the United States. Although the president and cabinet are exceedingly anxious that negotiations should proceed as rapidly as possible, the request for additional time will be granted, and the Spanish commissioners allowed until next Tuesday to prepare a reply.

The attitude of the insurgents in the Philippines has given the administration considerable uneasiness, for it is feared that if the insurgents are allowed to continue their hostile activities, there may be protests which we shall be compelled to regard.

The cabinet meeting lasted until nearly 1 o'clock. One of the features was the presentation by Admiral Schley of the report of the Porto Rican evacuation commission. Schley's visit brought up the Porto Rico question. The admiral was invited to participate in the discussion.

THE TERESA WAS LOOTED

Natives of Cat Island Plunder the Deserted Cruiser.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—The official report to the navy department of the finding of the Maria Teresa was contained in the following cablegram received from Commander Craven, of the wrecking tug Potomac, which had been ordered to Cat island from Santiago.

"Nassau, Nov. 12.—Secretary of the Navy, Washington: Potomac arrived. Maria Teresa is near Bird point, Cat island, one mile off shore, in two fathoms of water. Tide is rising and falling inside; temporary deck is broken up; movable articles were removed by natives. Vulcan was not seen. Natives have been at work since Saturday." The Potomac was ordered at once back

to Cat island, with instructions to Commander Craven to "take up the Maria Teresa, and drive off the natives who are looting the ship." He replied by cable that he would leave immediately and would arrive at the wreck in the morning.

The fact that the Teresa, a vessel drawing 23 feet of water and waterlogged as she was when abandoned, and now probably drawing nearly 30 feet, had been driven in 12 feet of water is regarded by naval officers as evidence of the great strength of the storm which caused her crew to leave her.

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Interesting Experience of an Indianapolis Gentleman.

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CANYON CITY IS NOW IN ASHES

Business Portion Destroyed by Fire Friday Night.

CAUSED BY A LAMP EXPLODING

Lack of Water Made the Work of the Fire Department of No Avail—Will Be Built Up.

CANYON CITY, Nov. 12, 8 o'clock a. m. Canyon City went up in smoke last night, and this morning practically nothing is left but a mass of smoking ruins. The entire business portion is wiped out of existence, and only a few of the residences, the News office, the bowling alley, the court house and the warehouse of Brown & Simpson remain.

The fire originated about 10:30 o'clock last night in the Elk Horn hotel, owned by Jack Chambers, and was caused supposedly by explosion of a lamp in the one of the bed rooms, where it is reported a morphine fiend was performing some of his hellish operations.

The flames soon spread to the Episcopal church and to the residence of O. P. Cresap and soon the entire town was a mass of roaring flames. The fire licked up everything in its path, and did not stop until it reached the residence of Sheriff Livingston away in the lower end of town.

The town was situated in a very narrow canyon, so narrow that a buggy could not be turned around on Main street, and for this reason no insurance companies would take risks. Therefore there was no insurance whatever on any of the lost property, with the exception of the Masonic hall. It will leave some of the business men bankrupt.

The telephone office in Brown & Simpson's store was of course burned and nearly all the telephone poles and wires in town, so that communication cannot be had with any outside point. Burns is also cut off from Heppner and other points.

The fire had gained such headway that all efforts to utilize the fairly-good water system were of no avail.

Canyon City being the county seat of Grant county will be built up again immediately.

JOHN LONG IS FOUND DEAD

Crop Prospects For Next Year are Anything But Good.

LONG CREEK, Nov. 12.—A report comes from Canyon City that John Long, a well-to-do pioneer of this county, was found dead at his home in Long Gulch Wednesday. When found his remains were badly decomposed, and were hardly recognizable, indicating that he had been dead for several days. He had been in poor health for some time. He was last seen on November 1st, going from his cabin to the postoffice.

Crop Prospect For Next Year.

William Townsend, a successful farmer, residing near this city, in discussing the prospects for next year's crops in the Long creek Valley, said the outlook is now anything but promising.

"Not 100 acres of land have been plowed to date in the entire valley," said he, "and unless a decided change occurs those figures will not be swelled this fall. I have been a resident of Grant county for twenty-one years, and never before have I seen such a dry fall, and I am informed that this condition

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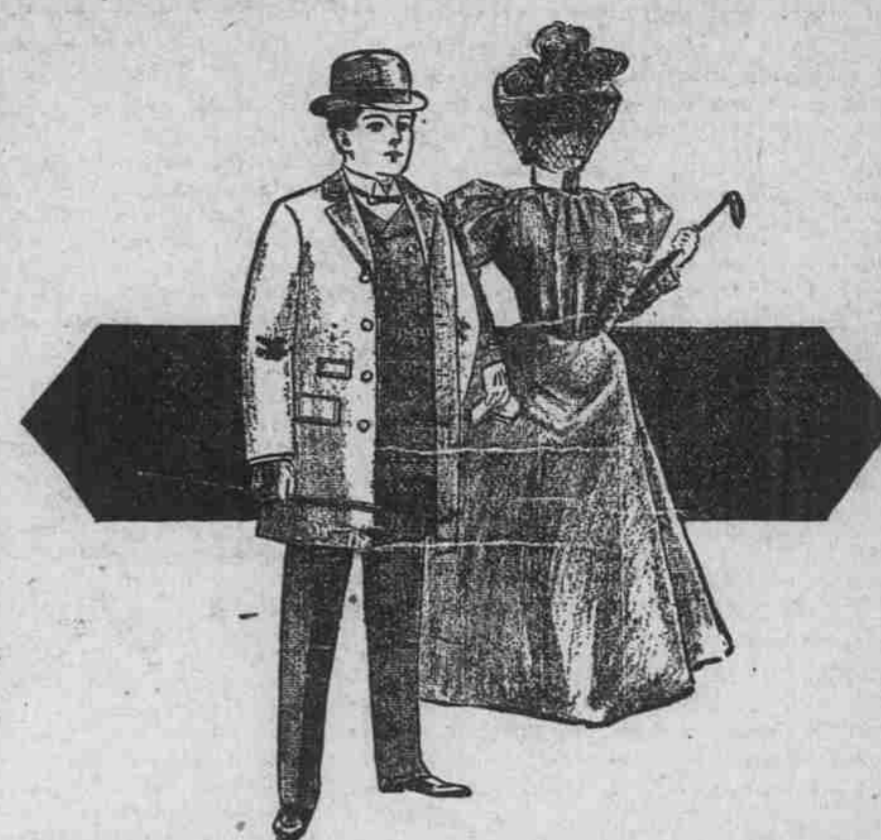
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