

LATE WAR NEWS.

A Summary of Important Events as they Occur From Day to Day

New York, June 1.—The converted yacht Wasp was doing scout duty off Cienfuegos last Wednesday night. From the outside of the harbor the Wasp could see several topmasts sticking up just inside of Morro castle. They looked like Spanish warships, and the commander of the Wasp determined to investigate.

Under full speed the Wasp entered the harbor and went within two miles of the city wharves. The conjecture had been correct, for sure enough the topmasts belonged to three Spanish cruisers.

The Wasp's officers are sure the three cruisers are part of Cervera's fleet. Why they did not fire on the little American warship and blow her out of the water is a mystery.

Vancouver, Wash., June 1.—Orders were received here today directing Capt. H. J. McGrath, commanding troop E, Fourth cavalry, now at Vancouver barracks, to proceed to San Francisco with his command. He will be accompanied by Lieutenant Leroy Elting, second in command of the troop. The troop, it is understood, will leave here next Saturday. After the departure of troop E, the only troops left here will be the Third battalion Washington Volunteers, with Colonel Whalley in command.

Washington, June 1.—Secretary Alger, in a letter to congress says that 15,000 or 20,000 troops will go to Cuba at once and be followed, as soon as possible, by 50,000 more.

The war department is massing rations for 30 days for the troops assembled at Jacksonville under the command of Major-General Lee. Officials decline to say how many men are to be concentrated there, or whether they will stay at that place for the full 30 days for which rations are provided.

New York, June 1.—A dispatch to the World from Port Antonio says: The first engagement between Commodore Schley's squadron and the Spanish ships of Cervera took place Sunday night about midnight. Two torpedo boats made a desperate effort to destroy the American ships. They were stopped in the nick of time, owing to the vigilance of the men on the Texas. The torpedo boats had cleared the harbor and were creeping along in the shadow of the castle. They had gotten within 500 yards of the Texas before they were discovered. A rapid shower of shot was sent after them causing them to retreat without firing a torpedo.

Kingston, June 2.—Port Antonio advices are that the battleship Oregon, the cruiser New York and another cruiser and two colliers are on their way to join Schley and that the latter is awaiting their arrival.

Madrid, June 2.—The "Imparcial" says that but one vessel of the Spanish squadron was in Santiago harbor when the American fleet attacked, the Cristobal Colon, whose boilers were being repaired. Imparcial also claims that the Iowa was injured in the bow by two shots. The firing lasted an hour. Claims that Camera is far from Santiago.

Washington, June 2.—A Madrid special claims that a battle was fought today at Santiago. London papers claim that Schley is again bombarding the harbor.

Cape Haytien, Hayti, June 2.—According to information received here from hitherto reliable sources, the United States and Spanish forces at Santiago are preparing for battle, and a decisive engagement is expected to take place today.

Madrid, June 2.—The Havana correspondent of Imparcial cables that Admiral Cervera was not at Santiago de Cuba on Tuesday. The cruiser Cristobal Colon was the only vessel there of the squadron, the correspondent declares, and she was repairing her boilers. The fight lasted less than one hour, the American fleet withdrawing. The battleship Iowa was damaged in her bow by two shells.

New York, June 3.—The Tribune today posts the following bulletin: "Positive assurances have been received that a battle between the fleets began at Santiago at 9 o'clock this morning."

Mobile, June 3.—The second cavalry and twentieth infantry are breaking camp this afternoon, and are boarding transports which sail under sealed orders.

Washington, June 3.—The war department today issued orders for the second Manila expedition to embark at San Francisco on Tuesday next.

Paris, June 3.—Carlais, a Madrid correspondent claims that Cervera is not now, and never has been in Santiago harbor, but that he is now on his way to the Philippines, having tricked the Americans.

Washington, June 3.—Advices received from Manila cause the war department today to issue orders to General Merritt to proceed to the Philippines with all possible haste.

Paris, June 3.—A special from Madrid this evening says Cervera will reach the Philippines tomorrow with instructions to destroy Dewey's fleet and then intercept, capture or destroy the American transports now on their way to Manila from San Francisco.

Madrid, June 3.—Citizens are in high glee over the prospect of Cervera capturing Dewey.

New York, June 3.—Sigsbee disbelieves Spanish reports concerning Camera's escape.

Tampa, June 3.—Wood's regiment of rough riders went into camp here today.

San Francisco, June 3.—The steamer Centennial arrived here from Seattle today. She will load troops for Manila.

Cape Haytien, Hayti, June 3.—A revolt is in progress in San Domingo, Madrid, June 3.—Today's papers claim that Schley's fleet entered Santiago harbor this morning, and that they now have complete possession.

Washington, June 3.—It is generally believed that Schley is in Santiago harbor.

New York, June 3.—A "Journal" special says Schley entered Santiago harbor today after running a heavy fire from the shore batteries.

New York, June 3.—The cruiser St. Paul has returned to the Brooklyn navy yard for new armor, ammunition and supplies.

Kingston, June 2.—(Delayed in transmission).—A correspondent here of the Associated Press has been informed from apparently authentic sources at Port Antonio that a Spanish fleet of 16 warships will be off Santiago tomorrow to reinforce Cervera.

Cape Haytien, June 3.—The report that a revolution has broken out at San Domingo is confirmed, the report expected from here being really the departure of Dominican revolutionists.

Washington, June 3.—Commodore Schley's official report of the Santiago fight was read at today's cabinet meeting. He says there is no reasonable doubt that Cervera's fleet is inside the harbor, that his firing was to learn the strength of the enemy's batteries, and was in that respect entirely satisfactory. None of his vessels were hit and no casualties occurred.

Kingston, Jamaica, June 4.—The Spanish admiral, under a flag of truce offers to exchange American prisoners now on board a Spanish flagship.

Madrid, June 4.—Spanish papers today reiterate the statement that Cervera is on his way to the Philippines.

The report is current here that the Americans yesterday destroyed the Spanish fleet at Cape Haytien. Nothing official has been received regarding the reported destruction of the Merrimac.

Key West, June 4.—A report has been received here that the Collier Merrimac was destroyed while attempting to enter Santiago harbor, and eight American prisoners taken.

Key West, June 4.—The gunboat Marietta arrived this morning from Valparaiso, Brazil.

Key West, June 4.—A dispatch boat is just in from off Havana. It is claimed that troops from the United States have been landed on Cuban soil and are now with the insurgents.

Lincoln, Neb., June 4.—W. J. Bryan's regiment has been accepted for service in the Philippines. Bryan will be colonel of the regiment.

New York, June 4.—The "Tribune" maintains that Cervera is bottled up at Santiago.

A vessel in from Cape Good Hope claims having sighted Cervera bound for the Philippines.

Washington, June 4.—The navy department today posted the following bulletin: "The navy department at 3 o'clock received the following dispatch: 'Mole, Hayti, June 4.—I succeeded in sinking the Merrimac in the channel of Santiago at 4 a. m. June 3. This was carried out under command of Naval Constructor Hobson and seven men. By a flag of truce from the Spanish Admiral, Cervera, sent in recognition of their bravery, I am informed that all are prisoners of war, and two that are slightly wounded. I request authority to approve an exchange if possible between these and the prisoners at Atlanta. Six vessels of the Spanish squadron are in the harbor of Santiago, unable to avoid being captured or destroyed.'

SAMPSON. "St. Pierre, Martinique, June 4.—A report is current here that a fleet, the nationality of which is not known, was seen off the west point of the island tonight. Firing was heard last night.

Portland, June 6, 1:30 p. m.—At this hour, about one-third of Portland's vote has been polled. Everything is quiet, and voting is slow. Donaldson and Dunbar are leading their respective tickets.

Washington, June 6.—Fourteen thousand troops reported landed at Punta Cabrera. They have been joined by 3000 insurgents.

Washington, June 6.—Manila advices say that a large number of Dewey's men are seriously ill, although no deaths have as yet been reported.

Cape Haytien, June 6.—Heavy firing was heard today near Port Aquadero.

Madrid, June 6.—News has been received here of the bombardment of Santiago last night by 20 warships.

New York, June 6.—The Spanish armored cruiser Carlos reached Gibraltar today, enroute for Cuba.

Kingston, June 6.—The report is confirmed that the Oregon has sunk the Spanish torpedo boat Terror.

Washington, June 6.—The strategy board believes the sinking of the collier Merrimac in the harbor channel at Santiago destroys all possibility of Cervera's escape.

Caught a Traitor. Oregon City, Or., June 1.—Several Oregon City boys are apprentices on the battleship Oregon, and letters were received from two of them today. Fred Nelson wrote two letters, one from Barbados and the other from Key West. He told some interesting incidents of the trip, and stated that he would soon be promoted to the equipment department.

Roy Sprague wrote to his mother that after leaving Barbados he was on watch one night, when he caught a Spaniard, who was in the service of the Oregon, putting a rope overboard to tangle in the propellers. The Spaniard was put in irons, and Sprague received special commendation from the commander for catching a traitor.

Cape Haytien, June 3.—The report that a revolution has broken out at San Domingo is confirmed, the report expected from here being really the departure of Dominican revolutionists.

Washington, June 3.—Commodore Schley's official report of the Santiago fight was read at today's cabinet meeting. He says there is no reasonable doubt that Cervera's fleet is inside the harbor, that his firing was to learn the strength of the enemy's batteries, and was in that respect entirely satisfactory. None of his vessels were hit and no casualties occurred.

Kingston, Jamaica, June 4.—The Spanish admiral, under a flag of truce offers to exchange American prisoners now on board a Spanish flagship.

Madrid, June 4.—Spanish papers today reiterate the statement that Cervera is on his way to the Philippines.

The report is current here that the Americans yesterday destroyed the Spanish fleet at Cape Haytien. Nothing official has been received regarding the reported destruction of the Merrimac.

Key West, June 4.—A report has been received here that the Collier Merrimac was destroyed while attempting to enter Santiago harbor, and eight American prisoners taken.

Key West, June 4.—The gunboat Marietta arrived this morning from Valparaiso, Brazil.

Key West, June 4.—A dispatch boat is just in from off Havana. It is claimed that troops from the United States have been landed on Cuban soil and are now with the insurgents.

Lincoln, Neb., June 4.—W. J. Bryan's regiment has been accepted for service in the Philippines. Bryan will be colonel of the regiment.

New York, June 4.—The "Tribune" maintains that Cervera is bottled up at Santiago.

A vessel in from Cape Good Hope claims having sighted Cervera bound for the Philippines.

Washington, June 4.—The navy department today posted the following bulletin: "The navy department at 3 o'clock received the following dispatch: 'Mole, Hayti, June 4.—I succeeded in sinking the Merrimac in the channel of Santiago at 4 a. m. June 3. This was carried out under command of Naval Constructor Hobson and seven men. By a flag of truce from the Spanish Admiral, Cervera, sent in recognition of their bravery, I am informed that all are prisoners of war, and two that are slightly wounded. I request authority to approve an exchange if possible between these and the prisoners at Atlanta. Six vessels of the Spanish squadron are in the harbor of Santiago, unable to avoid being captured or destroyed.'

SAMPSON. "St. Pierre, Martinique, June 4.—A report is current here that a fleet, the nationality of which is not known, was seen off the west point of the island tonight. Firing was heard last night.

Portland, June 6, 1:30 p. m.—At this hour, about one-third of Portland's vote has been polled. Everything is quiet, and voting is slow. Donaldson and Dunbar are leading their respective tickets.

Washington, June 6.—Fourteen thousand troops reported landed at Punta Cabrera. They have been joined by 3000 insurgents.

Washington, June 6.—Manila advices say that a large number of Dewey's men are seriously ill, although no deaths have as yet been reported.

Cape Haytien, June 6.—Heavy firing was heard today near Port Aquadero.

Madrid, June 6.—News has been received here of the bombardment of Santiago last night by 20 warships.

New York, June 6.—The Spanish armored cruiser Carlos reached Gibraltar today, enroute for Cuba.

Kingston, June 6.—The report is confirmed that the Oregon has sunk the Spanish torpedo boat Terror.

Washington, June 6.—The strategy board believes the sinking of the collier Merrimac in the harbor channel at Santiago destroys all possibility of Cervera's escape.

Caught a Traitor. Oregon City, Or., June 1.—Several Oregon City boys are apprentices on the battleship Oregon, and letters were received from two of them today. Fred Nelson wrote two letters, one from Barbados and the other from Key West. He told some interesting incidents of the trip, and stated that he would soon be promoted to the equipment department.

Roy Sprague wrote to his mother that after leaving Barbados he was on watch one night, when he caught a Spaniard, who was in the service of the Oregon, putting a rope overboard to tangle in the propellers. The Spaniard was put in irons, and Sprague received special commendation from the commander for catching a traitor.

Cape Haytien, June 3.—The report that a revolution has broken out at San Domingo is confirmed, the report expected from here being really the departure of Dominican revolutionists.

Washington, June 3.—Commodore Schley's official report of the Santiago fight was read at today's cabinet meeting. He says there is no reasonable doubt that Cervera's fleet is inside the harbor, that his firing was to learn the strength of the enemy's batteries, and was in that respect entirely satisfactory. None of his vessels were hit and no casualties occurred.

Kingston, Jamaica, June 4.—The Spanish admiral, under a flag of truce offers to exchange American prisoners now on board a Spanish flagship.

Madrid, June 4.—Spanish papers today reiterate the statement that Cervera is on his way to the Philippines.

The report is current here that the Americans yesterday destroyed the Spanish fleet at Cape Haytien. Nothing official has been received regarding the reported destruction of the Merrimac.

Key West, June 4.—A report has been received here that the Collier Merrimac was destroyed while attempting to enter Santiago harbor, and eight American prisoners taken.

Key West, June 4.—The gunboat Marietta arrived this morning from Valparaiso, Brazil.

Key West, June 4.—A dispatch boat is just in from off Havana. It is claimed that troops from the United States have been landed on Cuban soil and are now with the insurgents.

Lincoln, Neb., June 4.—W. J. Bryan's regiment has been accepted for service in the Philippines. Bryan will be colonel of the regiment.

New York, June 4.—The "Tribune" maintains that Cervera is bottled up at Santiago.

A vessel in from Cape Good Hope claims having sighted Cervera bound for the Philippines.

Washington, June 4.—The navy department today posted the following bulletin: "The navy department at 3 o'clock received the following dispatch: 'Mole, Hayti, June 4.—I succeeded in sinking the Merrimac in the channel of Santiago at 4 a. m. June 3. This was carried out under command of Naval Constructor Hobson and seven men. By a flag of truce from the Spanish Admiral, Cervera, sent in recognition of their bravery, I am informed that all are prisoners of war, and two that are slightly wounded. I request authority to approve an exchange if possible between these and the prisoners at Atlanta. Six vessels of the Spanish squadron are in the harbor of Santiago, unable to avoid being captured or destroyed.'

SAMPSON. "St. Pierre, Martinique, June 4.—A report is current here that a fleet, the nationality of which is not known, was seen off the west point of the island tonight. Firing was heard last night.

Portland, June 6, 1:30 p. m.—At this hour, about one-third of Portland's vote has been polled. Everything is quiet, and voting is slow. Donaldson and Dunbar are leading their respective tickets.

Washington, June 6.—Fourteen thousand troops reported landed at Punta Cabrera. They have been joined by 3000 insurgents.

Washington, June 6.—Manila advices say that a large number of Dewey's men are seriously ill, although no deaths have as yet been reported.

Cape Haytien, June 6.—Heavy firing was heard today near Port Aquadero.

Madrid, June 6.—News has been received here of the bombardment of Santiago last night by 20 warships.

New York, June 6.—The Spanish armored cruiser Carlos reached Gibraltar today, enroute for Cuba.

Little Pimples Turn to Cancer.

Cancer often results from an impurity in the blood, inherited from generations back. Few people are entirely free from some taint in the blood, and it is impossible to tell when it will break out in the form of dreaded cancer. What has appeared to be a mere pimple or scratch, has developed into the most malignant cancer.

"I had a severe cancer which was at first only a few pimples. I was told by several able physicians, but in spite of their efforts the cancer grew until my condition became alarming. After many months of treatment and growing weaker, I decided to try S. S. S., which was recommended. The first bottle produced an improvement. I continued the medicine, and in four months the last five pimples dropped off. Ten years have elapsed, and not a sign of the disease has returned."

It is dangerous to experiment with cancer. The disease is beyond the skill of physicians. S. S. S. is the only cure, because it is the only remedy which goes deep enough to reach cancer.

S. S. S. For the Blood (Swift's Specific) is the only blood remedy guaranteed Purely Vegetable. All others contain potash and mercury, the most dangerous of minerals. Books on cancer and blood diseases, mailed free by Swift Specific Company, Janta, Georgia.

Do You Know the News? You can have it all for Per Month 50C Per Month

The Telegram, PORTLAND, OR.

Dr. GUNN'S IMPROVED LIVER PILLS ONE FOR A DOSE.

Remove Pimples, Prevent Rheumatism, Purify the Blood, Cure Headaches, Stomach Disorders, Indigestion, Biliousness, etc. For a full and complete description of the benefits of this medicine, see the book "The Blood Purifier," sent free by Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills, 100 N. 3rd St., St. Paul, Minn.

An Entertaining Druggist. There are few men more wide awake and enterprising than W. F. Kremer who spares no pains to secure the best of everything in his line for his many customers. He now has the valuable agency for Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. This is the wonderful remedy that is producing such a furor all over the country by its many startling cures. It absolutely cures asthma, bronchitis, hoarseness and all affections of the throat, chest and lungs. Call at above drug store and get a trial bottle free or a regular size for 50 cents and \$1.00. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded.

FORGOT WHERE HE WAS. And in his bewilderment the Deacon Betrayed a Family Secret.

Deacon Puffy is a pillar of church and society in one of the townships. He has passed the age of his greatest activity, but his desire to do good is as manifest as ever, and any weakness of the flesh is largely due to the fact that he carries so much of it, says the Detroit Free Press.

While the deacon reads of the suffering Cubans and the movement to send them relief, he at once sent word around that there would be a meeting at the district schoolhouse to talk over the situation and raise money for the good cause. There was a goodly gathering, and after the deacon had put the machinery in motion he settled back in his seat to hear from the several others who left like relieving their minds. The fire in the big box stove was a hot one; there was a lack of proper ventilation and when the usual bedtime for the deacon had arrived he dropped gently asleep.

Shortly after this occurred there was some important point to be settled, and the chair expressed a desire to hear from Deacon Puffy. His wife quickly rose to the emergency and gave her husband a pinch that was emphasized by a twist.

"Ouch!" shouted the deacon. "Quit that, Betsy. Get up and kindle the fire yourself. I'm sick this morning!"

"You see that man. From his name you would think he was destined to be one of the most fortunate creatures who ever drew a breath. Although his name is Luck he was certainly born under the unluckiest star that ever shone."

"I have noticed him," continued the observer, "from his childhood. When he was a little boy he couldn't get to school with his lessons correct, but what he would make a mistake somewhere else and be sure to get a flogging from his teacher. Since he has grown up he has started in several kinds of business. He's a rank failure in them all. Starting out with nothing but the brightest prospects before him, he is overcome by some calamity, and down he goes. He is a good fellow, too, and for the life of me I can't tell what is the matter with him."

"However, he is only one instance of a misnomer. I know a man whose name is Good. Well, if there was ever a bad man it is that fellow Good. When a boy he was whipped every day by his mother. Later he commenced to steal. He has served several terms in prison."

SOME MISNOMERS. Unfortunate Names That Have Been Thrust Upon Various Individuals.

"It's strange," said the observer, "the other day, 'how so many people are misnamed.'"

The cause of this remark was occasioned by a man whose name was Luck, who passed down the street, says the Louisville Commercial.

"You see that man. From his name you would think he was destined to be one of the most fortunate creatures who ever drew a breath. Although his name is Luck he was certainly born under the unluckiest star that ever shone."

"I have noticed him," continued the observer, "from his childhood. When he was a little boy he couldn't get to school with his lessons correct, but what he would make a mistake somewhere else and be sure to get a flogging from his teacher. Since he has grown up he has started in several kinds of business. He's a rank failure in them all. Starting out with nothing but the brightest prospects before him, he is overcome by some calamity, and down he goes. He is a good fellow, too, and for the life of me I can't tell what is the matter with him."

"However, he is only one instance of a misnomer. I know a man whose name is Good. Well, if there was ever a bad man it is that fellow Good. When a boy he was whipped every day by his mother. Later he commenced to steal. He has served several terms in prison."

LONDON GAME SHOPS.

Englishmen May Have Their Choice From the Best of Wild Fowl That Flies.

To the naturalist, and in some cases to the gastronomist, the wild fowl in the London shops are even more interesting than the game and widgeon limits of the duck, teal and woodcock at the end of the first week in October, and from that time till December these form "standard ducks" for the table. Their main part of the supply, which is supplied equally by English numbers and by those from Holland, though it is noted that the Dutch ducks are nearly all mallards, not more than 10 to 100 being females. In one large dealer's shop in Leadenhall market the writer saw a "mountain" of 1,500 wild duck, teal and widgeon, all freshly killed, which arrived from Rotterdam on the morning of November 14.

Some duck come from France to London. This was shown by a curious piece of circumstantial evidence. In the inland lagoons and lakes in the Landes, near Bordeaux, ducks are regularly shot by means of decoys. These are sunk in the water for the gunners and the decoy ducks are fastened to strings some six yards apart. The gun is carefully laid so as to shoot down the line between the rows of decoys, and the gunner waits until enough wild birds are collected and then lets fly. The decoy ducks are a cross between the wild mallard and the white tame ducks, partly that they may be distinguished by their color. One of these "French decoys" was included in a batch of foreign wild fowl on sale in a game shop in October. It had apparently been taken in a real "decoy" with others, as its neck was broken, and it was not shot.

In December the "fancy ducks" and wild geese appear. The breast is a small black-necked goose, of quiet and elegant plumage. When plucked it is not much larger than a tame duck. Last year they were early on the market, and a few bernicle geese, another black and white sea goose, also appeared. The usual price asked for a breast goose is two shillings six pence, but a little bargaining reduces him to two shillings, as there is little demand for any out-of-the-way fowl. Birds of the year lived in the arctic circle and fed later on sea grass round our coasts are excellent. They may be eaten with in three or four days of being shot. The breast is as good as that of a wild duck, but the legs are apt to have a slightly fishy flavor. The peard, a red-headed duck, almost as large as a mallard, is not common, but when it can be had is better even than teal—Cornhill Magazine.

It is dangerous to experiment with cancer. The disease is beyond the skill of physicians. S. S. S. is the only cure, because it is the only remedy which goes deep enough to reach cancer.

S. S. S. For the Blood (Swift's Specific) is the only blood remedy guaranteed Purely Vegetable. All others contain potash and mercury, the most dangerous of minerals. Books on cancer and blood diseases, mailed free by Swift Specific Company, Janta, Georgia.

Do You Know the News? You can have it all for Per Month 50C Per Month

The Telegram, PORTLAND, OR.

Dr. GUNN'S IMPROVED LIVER PILLS ONE FOR A DOSE.

Remove Pimples, Prevent Rheumatism, Purify the Blood, Cure Headaches, Stomach Disorders, Indigestion, Biliousness, etc. For a full and complete description of the benefits of this medicine, see the book "The Blood Purifier," sent free by Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills, 100 N. 3rd St., St. Paul, Minn.

An Entertaining Druggist. There are few men more wide awake and enterprising than W. F. Kremer who spares no pains to secure the best of everything in his line for his many customers. He now has the valuable agency for Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. This is the wonderful remedy that is producing such a furor all over the country by its many startling cures. It absolutely cures asthma, bronchitis, hoarseness and all affections of the throat, chest and lungs. Call at above drug store and get a trial bottle free or a regular size for 50 cents and \$1.00. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded.

FORGOT WHERE HE WAS. And in his bewilderment the Deacon Betrayed a Family Secret.

Deacon Puffy is a pillar of church and society in one of the townships. He has passed the age of his greatest activity, but his desire to do good is as manifest as ever, and any weakness of the flesh is largely due to the fact that he carries so much of it, says the Detroit Free Press.

While the deacon reads of the suffering Cubans and the movement to send them relief, he at once sent word around that there would be a meeting at the district schoolhouse to talk over the situation and raise money for the good cause. There was a goodly gathering, and after the deacon had put the machinery in motion he settled back in his seat to hear from the several others who left like relieving their minds. The fire in the big box stove was a hot one; there was a lack of proper ventilation and when the usual bedtime for the deacon had arrived he dropped gently asleep.

Shortly after this occurred there was some important point to be settled, and the chair expressed a desire to hear from Deacon Puffy. His wife quickly rose to the emergency and gave her husband a pinch that was emphasized by a twist.

"Ouch!" shouted the deacon. "Quit that, Betsy. Get up and kindle the fire yourself. I'm sick this morning!"

"You see that man. From his name you would think he was destined to be one of the most fortunate creatures who ever drew a breath. Although his name is Luck he was certainly born under the unluckiest star that ever shone."

"I have noticed him," continued the observer, "from his childhood. When he was a little boy he couldn't get to school with his lessons correct, but what he would make a mistake somewhere else and be sure to get a flogging from his teacher. Since he has grown up he has started in several kinds of business. He's a rank failure in them all. Starting out with nothing but the brightest prospects before him, he is overcome by some calamity, and down he goes. He is a good fellow, too, and for the life of me I can't tell what is the matter with him."

"However, he is only one instance of a misnomer. I know a man whose name is Good. Well, if there was ever a bad man it is that fellow Good. When a boy he was whipped every day by his mother. Later he commenced to steal. He has served several terms in prison."

SOME MISNOMERS. Unfortunate Names That Have Been Thrust Upon Various Individuals.

"It's strange," said the observer, "the other day, 'how so many people are misnamed.'"

The cause of this remark was occasioned by a man whose name was Luck, who passed down the street, says the Louisville Commercial.

"You see that man. From his name you would think he was destined to be one of the most fortunate creatures who ever drew a breath. Although his name is Luck he was certainly born under the unluckiest star that ever shone."

"I have noticed him," continued the observer, "from his childhood. When he was a little boy he couldn't get to school with his lessons correct, but what he would make a mistake somewhere else and be sure to get a flogging from his teacher. Since he has grown up he has started in several kinds of business. He's a rank failure in them all. Starting out with nothing but the brightest prospects before him, he is overcome by some calamity, and down he goes. He is a good fellow, too, and for the life of me I can't tell what is the matter with him."

"IRONING MADE EASY"

Englishmen May Have Their Choice From the Best of Wild Fowl That Flies.

To the naturalist, and in some cases to the gastronomist, the wild fowl in the London shops are even more interesting than the game and widgeon limits of the duck, teal and woodcock at the end of the first week in October, and from that time till December these form "standard ducks" for the table. Their main part of the supply, which is supplied equally by English numbers