

THE CUBAN WAR

President takes a Hand and Sends Representatives

The critical situation in Cuba is absorbing the attention of the administration to the exclusion of all other foreign topics, as indicated by the activity of the officials in the State, Navy and War departments. The President at Oyster Bay is keeping in close touch with every development of the revolutionary movement in Cuba, and is in constant communication by wire with the officials here, who, indeed, are even in receipt of detailed instructions from him as to what they should do.

The prime object of the administration at present is to get at the details, which is no easy task. Particularly is it desired to know the precise strength of the revolutionary sentiment in Cuba, and the relative powers of the Government and the insurgents there.

In case the United States Government finds it necessary to intervene in Cuba affairs under the provisions of the Platt amendment, forces which would have to be used for that purpose would be found in a much better state of preparation than when hostilities began between the United States and Spain. The long military occupation of Cuba by the United States troops afforded an opportunity to army officers to become familiar with the island, and probably no part of the earth is better known to the military authorities of the United States than the Island of Cuba. In addition to the familiarity of the army officers with the geography and general conditions of Cuba, all of the supply departments are better equipped.

It is known that the President will not intervene until it appears absolutely necessary, yet steps have been taken which would make such intervention effective. The ships that have been sent to Cuba are there for the purpose only of protecting American interests and furnishing asylum for Americans who may be in danger from the warring factions.

Actual intervention would mean the use of the army and all the available forces would no doubt be needed, and will be ready if a serious situation develops. Under present conditions the army has been kept in a better state of preparation than ever before and will be ready if called upon.

After a protracted conference with Secretary of War Taft, acting Secretary of State Bacon and Secretary of the

Navy Bona arte, President Roosevelt

Secretary discussed an important communication to Cuba and arranged to send Mr. Taft and Mr. Bacon to that island on Sunday to make a thorough investigation of conditions and lead their efforts to restore peace.

The communication is addressed to the Cuban Minister to the United States, Sr. Jose Quesada. It is an impassioned plea to Cuba to restore her responsibilities as a self-governing Republic and to restore peace in the island. After this is done the United States will certainly be expected to restore peace and to preserve it. The President says he has certain information that the peace of the island is menaced and American property has been destroyed. An order was sent to the Cuban revolutionary army today by the local Cuban junta to stop all hostilities pending the investigation of the controversy by the representatives of President Roosevelt.

PREMIUM LIST.

\$2500 CASH PREMIUMS TO BE AWARDED AT THE FAIR

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STALLIONS	
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3—1 year old and over	10.00
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4—Best mare and sucking colt	12.50
5—Best two year old	7.50
6—Best one year old	5.00
HORSES OF ALL WORK—STALLIONS	
7—Best 3 year old and over	15.00
8—Best 2 year old and over	10.00
MARES	
9—Best mare and sucking colt	12.50
10—Best one year old, either sex	7.50
JACKS	
11—Best 3 year old and over	20.00
12—Best 2 year old	10.00
13—Best 1 year old	7.50
14—Best jenny	10.00
CATTLE—SHORT HORN, DORSET, BELLA	
15—Best 3 year old and over	15.00
16—Best 2 year old	7.50
17—Best 1 year old	5.00
COWS	
18—Best 3 year old and over	12.50
19—Best 2 year old	7.50
20—Best 1 year old	5.00
HERSFORD—BULLS	
21—Best 3 year old and over	15.00
22—Best 2 year old	10.00
23—Best 1 year old	5.00
COWS	
24—Best 3 year old and over	10.00
25—Best 2 year old	7.50
26—Best 1 year old	5.00
JERSEY—BULLS	
27—Best 3 year old and over	10.00
28—Best 2 year old	7.50
29—Best 1 year old	5.00

COWS	
30—Best 3 year old and over	10.00
31—Best 2 year old	7.50
32—Best 1 year old	5.00
SWINE	
33—Best boar of any age or breed	10.00
34—Best sow of any age or breed	7.50
35—Best sow and litter	5.00
Poultry	
36—Best trio Plymouth Rock	7.00
37—Best trio Buff Orpington	7.00
38—Best trio Brown Leghorn	7.00
39—Best trio Game chickens	7.00
40—Best trio turkeys, any breed	7.00
VEGETABLES	
41—Best half bushel red potatoes	2.00
42—Best half bushel white potatoes	2.00
43—Best half bushel any variety	2.00
44—Best 3 cabbage any variety	2.00
45—Best 3 cauliflower any variety	2.00
46—Best 3 squash any variety	2.00
47—Best 3 egg plant any variety	2.00
48—Best 3 turnip any variety	2.00
49—Best 3 rutabaga any variety	2.00
50—Largest and best display vegetables by any person	5.00
FISHES	
51—Best 10 lb. sea-bass any variety	2.00
52—Best 10 lb. codfish any variety	2.00
53—Best 20 lb. bass any variety	2.00
54—Best 10 lb. trout any variety	2.00
55—Best 20 lb. salmon any variety	2.00
GRAIN	
56—Best variety wheat, 50 lbs.	2.50
57—Best variety oats, 50 lbs.	2.50
58—Best variety barley, 50 lbs.	2.50
59—Best sample timothy or red top	2.50
A cash prize of 50 per cent of glove amounts will be given for second best exhibitors in livestock.	
Cash prizes will also be given for other exhibits of special merit.	
DOMESTIC	
60—All kinds fancy work, preserve, oil paints, jellies, etc.	Cash
61—Hops	2.50
COWS	
62—Intelligent Sweet	2.50
63—Original Sweet	2.50
Cash prizes for any other merit.	
ADDITIONAL PREMIUMS	
Best team—any harness	\$2.50
Best hitching	1.00
Best drawn-work	1.00
Handsomest centerpiece	2.00
Handsomest luncheon cloth	2.00
Handsomest sofa pillow	2.00
Best piece of Rattensberg work	2.00
Best piece of patch work	1.00
Best piece of crocheting	1.00
Best specimen of knitting	1.00
Handsomest silk quilt	2.00
Best patch work quilt, any cloth	2.00
Best specimen applique work	1.50
Most artistic piece hand work	1.00
Handsomest piece raffle work	1.00
Best piece mountain embroidery	1.00
Best oil painting	2.50
Best water-color painting	2.50
All the above work not mentioned herein will have prizes according to their merit.	

Apply to Mrs. R. E. Wattenburg, or the secretary.

RACE PROGRAM

FIRST DAY—THURSDAY, SEPT. 27.

Race No. 1—Three-eighths mile and repeat, free for all, purse, \$100.

Race No. 2—Half mile dash, for Klamath County horses; purse, \$75.

Race No. 3—Three-fourths mile dash, free for all, purse, \$100.

Race No. 4—Quarter-mile dash, for Klamath County horses; purse, \$50.

SECOND DAY—FRIDAY, SEPT. 28.

Race No. 5—Five-eighths mile dash, free for all, purse, \$75.

Race No. 6—Three-quarter mile dash, free for all, purse, \$90.

Race No. 7—Quarter mile and repeat, free for all, purse, \$75.

Race No. 8—Half mile and repeat, for Klamath County horses; purse, \$100.

THIRD DAY—SATURDAY, SEPT. 29.

Race No. 9—Half mile and repeat, free for all, purse, \$100.

Race No. 10—Three-quarter mile dash, free for all, purse, \$100.

Race No. 11—Quarter-mile and repeat, for Klamath County horses; purse, \$75.

Race No. 12—Three-eighths mile dash, for Klamath County horses; purse, \$75. All entries in this race must be horses that are used in ordinary stock work and stock saddle must be ridden.

Handicap and foot race, free for all amateurs; purse, \$5.

Handicap steeple-chase and steer tying contests will take place during the fair, for which a \$50 saddle will be given as first prize, an 1 1/2 blue birds as second in each contest.

All races to be run under Pacific coast rules as nearly as possible, and there must be four to enter and three to start.

Ten per cent of purse entrance fees 70 per cent of purse goes to winner and 30 per cent to second.

The judges reserve the right to change the hour and date of any race and any races not filled satisfactorily may be declared off.

All entries must be made with the secretary before 8 o'clock on the evening before the races. Races will be called promptly at 1:30 o'clock and all horses are expected to be on the ground.

Address all communications to the Secretary at Klamath Falls, Oregon.

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