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# MACEO

Is Cuba's Heroic General. Reported Dead by Spanish Authorities But Is Not Confirmed.

MADRID, Dec. 10.—The official announcement of the death of Antonio Maceo and Francisco Gomez, son of Maximiliano Gomez, has been published here and has caused great enthusiasm.

Crowds of students are marching through the streets, manifestations have been held in front of the ministry for the colonies and the crowd cheered for Spain, for the army and for Major Cirujeda, whose column defeated the insurgents under Maceo near Punta Brava, in Havana province.

Confirmation of Report. WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Senator Duffay de Lome, the Spanish minister, received the following cablegram from Madrid, from Duke Teutun, minister of state or Spain:

"Confirm officially the news of the death of the insurgent leader, Antonio Maceo, in a glorious battle for our troops and also the suicide of the son of Maximiliano Gomez."

Has Been Dead Before. NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Dr. Escrada Palma and Dr. J. Castillo, of the Cuban junta in this city, refuses to give credence to the report of the death of General Antonio Maceo. "This is the seventh time that the news of the death of Maceo has been circulated with the semblance of official authority. If he is dead, his death will not end the contest," said Dr. Castillo, who intimated that he looked upon the report in the light of a Spanish 'fake.'

"I shall reserve my decision until I receive more authentic information," was all General Palma would say.

Don't Believe the Report. WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Second Secretary Diaz Albertini, the only member of the junta now in this city, expressed the opinion that the story had no basis of truth and was sent out for the sole purpose of influencing and if possible defeating action by the congress of the United States.

"It is really very amusing to learn," he said, "that Maceo wore silk socks containing his initials worked in red silk and that his linen and that of the younger Gomez was also marked with initials. Neither of these men have worn linen shirts or silk socks in many days. Then notice the letter to young Gomez. A Cuban in writing to his child never signs his name as this letter was signed, 'M. Gomez.' 'Your Father.' The whole story is a feeble and transparent attempt to delay action by congress and nothing else. The United States, and Spaniards, too, will soon learn that Maceo is very much alive."

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 10.—A Key West special to the Citizen says: "The correspondents reports from Havana this evening differ in details regarding the reported death of Antonio Maceo. The story is not thought to be true, but it is believed to have been sent out by the Spanish government to stop any action in congress for the relief of the insurgents. The American correspondents sent couriers to the scene of the battle, but they were chased back to the city by the Spanish troops.

"General Weyler telegraphed from Artemisa for reinforcements on the 7th inst. stating that he had Maceo hemmed in. Two shiploads of troops went into Havana as the Olivette passed out."

STATE NEWS. McMinnville has a floating debt of \$3,256.67.

Not one indictment was returned by the Baker county by the last Grand Jury.

The rabbit hunt in Glenbrook, on Thanksgiving resulted in 15 rabbits killed. The entire community was in the hunt.

A test run of 20 tons of ore, milled in the two-stamp mill, of the Rachel mine, for the Friday mine, that is owned by McCarthy & Mahoney, of Baker City, resulted in a brick of \$540. The mine was recently sold for \$300.

At Lafayette the election resulted for Mayor, W. R. Derby; councilmen, P. A. Bates, J. H. Olds, and A. B. Westerfield; recorder, Joseph La-follette; treasurer, R. A. Bird; marshal, D. W. Perry.

A soliciting committee of A. Nelson D. W. Sears, A. J. Goodman, J. R. Cooper and L. C. Gilmore at Independence is out raising funds for a railroad from Falls City to Independence. The roads chief source of profit will be the logging business.

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