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THE UNITED STATES WAR PROGRAMMES.

Mighty Move Expected.

CUBA WILL BE INVADED ON SUNDAY.

A Big Battle at Sea is Expected Soon to Occur.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER]

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The programme as to the war is developing. It includes a military invasion of Cuba on Sunday next and an attack upon San Juan, Porto Rico or a battle at sea with Spain's Cape Verde squadron.

The rumor that Dewey had been heard from proved unfounded. The war and navy departments are evidently planning some mighty move, as all are wrapped in secrecy and press censorship has been established at Tampa, where 9000 troops are ready to move via transport ships.

THE SPANIARDS SAY

Manilla Cannot be taken by States

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

MADRID, May 5.—Senor Gullon, the Minister for Foreign Affairs declared in the Cortes that the enemy would not set foot in Manilla as the garrison there was strong enough to repel them.

THE SPANISH ARMY

It is not to be Depended on.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

LONDON, May 5.—The London correspondent of the London Post says: The Government is aware that they cannot rely upon the army. It is an open secret that a revolution is imminent.

THE STATES AND PHILIPPINES.

Grave International Question.

LONDON, May 4.—Sir Charles Dilke said in a recent interview: "The United States' possession of the Philippine Islands raises numerous important and delicate points for the consideration of the powers. I should not be surprised if, eventually, the United States secure the valuable goodwill of Japan by handing the Philippines over to them."

Advance in Price.

HALIFAX, May 4.—In common with the advance in the price of molasses the cost of rum is higher than before the Spanish-American war. Within the past fortnight rum has advanced 12 cents per gallon, and is now quoted at 52 cents per gallon in casks in bond. Duty paid the same article is worth \$4.50. All other liquors remain without change.

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PREPARING FOR THE FIGHT.

The First Move Made.

WILL BE A BIG FIGHT IN CUBAN WATERS.

Spaniards Looking for Oregon and Marietta.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER]

KEY WEST, May 5.—The naval engagement which is bound to take place soon will, it is expected, be an affair of greater magnitude than any recorded in modern history. It will likely occur in southern waters within a few days.

Naval strategists at Washington have planned for it and the sailing of the fleet from Key West was the first move. The Spanish fleet from Cape Verde is coming across Atlantic and its base of operations is to be at Porto Rico.

The enemy will cruise to the east of Porto Rico and north of Pernambuco and hopes to intercept the U. S. ships Oregon, Marietta and dispose of them before engaging the fleet at Havana.

This they believe would inspire their men and demoralize Sampson's crew.

The most powerful and most formidable fleet that can be mustered from vessels of North Atlantic squadron has been assembled to attack Spanish warships.

AN ENGLISH OFFICER

Will go Forward to Study Operations

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER]

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Captain Lee, of the British Royal Artillery, recently stationed at Halifax, has arrived here and will go forward with the first military expedition to study army operations.

HASTENING WAR PREPARATIONS.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The internal trouble in Spain causes a hastening of operations on the part of the United States.

Dewey's Ultimatum.

LONDON, May 4.—Commodore Dewey, according to a special despatch from Madrid, gave Captain-General Blanco twenty-four hours to comply with an ultimatum which demanded all warlike stores and the entire stock of coal in charge of the government officials. The ultimatum asserted that the money levy would be made upon Manila. The despatch says it is believed in Madrid that the government has already cabled Captain General Augusti authority to comply.

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THE RIOTING CONTINUED.

All Over Spain.

RIOTERS FIRED UPON.

Artillery Men Join With the Mob.

MADRID, May 5.—All Spain is in an uproar. The rioting on the part of the people still continues and is spreading to the other cities besides Madrid. The condition of affairs throughout Spain is simply terrifying.

In Madrid, last night, riotous mobs gathered nearly everywhere. The troops called out to restore order found it impossible to disperse the rioters and had to fire upon them.

Even the Royal Family is not safe from the fury of the mob and are said to be on the point of flight from Madrid.

The leaders of the Republican Party are planning the formation of a republic to follow the present revolution.

The Carlists are acting a wily part, and are making every endeavour to carry out a scheme to set Don Carlos, the Spanish Pretender on the throne, and reestablish the ancient dynasty.

But the most active of all the revolutionary parties are the Workers and the Robledoists. These are highly incensed against the present Government for not prosecuting the war with more vigor, and blame the Ministers for the reverses that Spain has already suffered. This party demands that a fiercer policy be inaugurated, that the war be carried on without any more delay, and are in favor of having

the strong-handed Weyler made a Dictator, to be uncontrolled by authority of the Ministry or the Cortes.

The outbreaks in the provinces of Spain are said to be simply awful. In Gijon one of the northern seaports the rioters actually faced the troops called out to put them down. The troops fired upon them. A dozen of the rioters fell but the leaders rallied the mob who returned to the attack and were not subdued until the artillery were called out and cleared the streets.

Later on, a part of the artillery force went over to the rioters and joining forces planted their cannon in such a position as to command the fortifications.

At Talavera de la Reina a great mob marched upon the railroad station, and dispersed the civil guards. They then razed the station, and set fire to the railway cars. Not content with this they then set fire to the residences of obnoxious officials, and looted and burned a Jesuit institution forcing the priests to flee for their lives.

At Malaga the mob overpowered the guards and looted the shops. A bomb was thrown on board the British steam yacht of Cloumel owned by James Wilkinson, of London, as she lay at a pier. The yacht hurriedly put to sea. She was slightly damaged.

A SHORT DESCRIPTION.

Opinion in England.

The Fight at Manila—How It was Managed.

LONDON, May 3.—The Madrid correspondent of the Times, describing the engagement at Manila, says: "The Olympia, the Boston, the Raleigh, the Concord, the Petrel and the Monocacy entered the Bay under cover of darkness by the smaller and safer bogachal channel. The forts on Corregidor Island gave the alarm by firing on the intruders, but they seem to have inflicted no serious damage. The American squadron moved up the Bay, and at 3 o'clock in the morning appeared before Cavite. Here, lying under the shelter of the forts, was the Spanish squadron, Admiral Montojo, a few days before, went Subic bay to look for the enemy, but learning that they were vastly superior in force, had prudently returned and placed his ships under the protection of the forts. This was his only chance of meeting the enemy on something like equal terms, and it did not suffice. Soon the Americans opened fire. The Spaniards replied vigorously, and the combat continued without interruption for four hours, during which the Don Antonio de Ulloa was sunk, the Castilla and Mindanao were set on fire, and the Reina Maria Christina and the Don Juan de Austria were seriously damaged. One or two of the smaller craft were scuttled by their crews to escape capture. Others took refuge in a small neighboring creek emptying into Daker bay, where presumably the American ships were unable to follow them. But no one surrendered."

Annexation of Hawaii.

A Washington despatch reports: It is practically certain that before two weeks have passed Hawaii will be annexed to the United States, not at this time by act of congress, but by the military occupation. The Hawaiian congress having passed the resolutions of annexation, the United States government, it is officially stated, feels it absolutely necessary to annex the island for military purposes, to be used as a base of supplies and for a coaling station. Later on, it is asserted, the Hawaiian islands will be regularly annexed as a part of the United States, just as the territory of Alaska is.

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