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## THE CRISIS IS AT HAND

As far as Manila is Concerned.

THE AMERICANS READY TO ATTACK THE CITY.

The Governor Reports that Grave Events are Impending.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER]

MANILA, July 25.—A despatch from Madrid says that General Augusti, the Captain General of the Philippines, has telegraphed the Governor as follows: "The Americans are about to attack Manila. "Grave events are impending."

DEATH OF MRS. PALMER.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

TORONTO, July 25.—Mrs. Palmer, wife Charles Palmer, Q. C., Charlottetown, died here last night.

Negotiations looking to the formation of another large beer syndicate in Chicago promises to be brought to a successful conclusion within a few days. Some twenty-seven brewers are embraced in the deal. The purchase price is said to be in the neighborhood of \$3,000,000, furnished largely by New York capitalists.

**TOURISTS.**—Prince Edward Island Illustrated is a beautiful illustrated book on P. E. Island. For sale at the bookstores or at this office—50c

SHIP NEWS.

Port of Charlottetown.

ENTERED

July 23—General Middleton, Godin, Vernon River Bridge; Margaret Ann, Buckler, New Glasgow.

CLEARED

July 23—Alaska, Mehaffey, Picton; General Middleton, Godin, Papos, Que; Janie M, McLellan, Louisburg; Margaret Ann, Buckler, S'ide; Katie and Ella, McLaine, North Bay.

**Montague, of Dunnville, Cured of Ulcerated Itching Piles.**

Mr. Robert Montague, of Dunnville, Ont. writes:—"Was troubled with Itching Piles for five years and was so badly ulcerated, they were very painful, so much so, that I could not sleep. I tried almost every medicine known when I was recommended to use Dr. Chase's Ointment. I purchased a box and from the first application got relief. Have used two boxes and am now completely cured."

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## GENERAL MILES HAS LANDED

Only a Feeble Resistance Was Offered.

LANDED TWENTY FIVE MILES FROM SAN JUAN.

Spaniards Fled After a Few Shells Were Fired.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

WASHINGTON, July 25.—General Miles, with the transport Yale and the fleet of warships, has arrived at Fajardo, which was the port selected for the invasion of Porto Rico, and have begun disembarking troops.

This news was contained in a despatch from Mole St. Nicholas, and says that a feeble resistance was offered the invaders, and the defenders fled after a few shells from the ships exploded in their midst.

Fajardo is a town situated about 25 miles from San Juan, the capital of the Island.

B. C. SALMON PACK.

Canners Only Expect Half a Pack This Season

Vancouver, B. C., July 23.—Although the salmon season only opened three weeks ago canners are down-hearted. Among themselves it is generally conceded now that there will not be more than half a pack this season. Even to get half a pack they will have to have the time extended. This shows the absurdity of commencing to fish on July 1st. The fish never run before the 15th.

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Job lot of Women's and Children's Boots selling cheap in Boxes on our middle counter. Children's for 29c.

## GOFF BROS

## BIG FIRE IN PUGWASH.

The Whole Town is Burning.

THE FIRE STARTED THIS MORNING.

There will be no Telegraph Communication for a While.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

SACKVILLE, N. B., 3 p. m.—A fire started in Pugwash this morning and it is reported now that the whole town is burning.

There will be no telegraph communication for some hours.

SHAFTER IS FIRM.

Will not let the Cubans get at the Prisoners.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

SANTIAGO, July 25.—General Shafter will not permit the entrance of armed Cubans into Santiago, until after the Spanish soldiers have embarked.

PEACE IS FAR OFF.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

MADRID, July 25.—According to ministerial admission peace is further off than it was last week.

CUBANS TO GO.

Their Extermination Predicted.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

LONDON, July 25.—The Saturday Review predicts a war extermination between the Americans and the Cubans, six months after the conquest of the Island.

An Indian search party will be organized to search for the remains of Sir Arthur Curtis, recently lost in the British Columbia mountains.



## SPECIAL Carters Bookstore

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## TROUBLE AT SANTIAGO.

Americans Furious About the Collection of Customs Duties.

SANTIAGO, July 22.—A serious question has arisen relative to the collection of customs duty in the new American port of Santiago. General Shafter, although an excellent military officer, is being roundly criticized for his treatment of several vessels sent here loaded with provisions by prominent American houses.

The American captains found themselves called upon to pay an average of 100 per cent. ad valorem on the ordinary necessities of life. That was a great surprise, and they appealed to General Shafter. This appeal was without result. The General, I am told, rather pointedly informed the captains that they either must pay the duties or leave the port.

A Cuban named Parreno, who does not speak English, has been placed in charge of the Custom house, and he has only Spanish revenue officers for assistants. As a result affairs at the port are in a chaotic condition, and the captains of the vessels were greatly confused. They protested once more against paying the heavy duties and when they saw that protests were useless, they tendered drafts in payment of the duties.

The port officials thereupon refused to accept the drafts, demanding gold instead. They made another appeal to General Shafter, and once more the position of the port officials was upheld by the American commander.

This decision threatens to interfere with business here for an indefinite period. Bankers and wealthy merchants in Santiago who are willing to honor drafts of American houses to any amount are unable to do so, having shipped all of their gold to Spain and Jamaica.

SIR CHARLES TUPPER.

Inclined to Believe General Elections Are Close at Hand.

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 22.—Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, who is in Vancouver in connection with the establishment of the legal firm of Tupper, Peters & Gilmour here, was seen yesterday morning by a reporter in regard to the statement sent out from Ottawa that it is possible the Dominion Government may dissolve Parliament and appeal to the people, giving as its reason the necessity of having the new election because of the passage of the new franchise bill. Sir Hibbert, when asked for his opinion, said he believed there would be a general election. But he added, "that election will not be because of the Franchise Act. We had no election after the 1885 bill, but the pressure on the Government is so great from its back benches for offices, and the opinion seems to be growing, particularly in the southern provinces against the Government, that I should think it is driven to consider some method of the kind. The reason I consider there will be an election is not so much because of the new Franchise bill—that may be the excuse put forward by the Government—but because of the international commission at Quebec. The Government, if able to pull anything favorable out of that will go to the country, and make the Franchise bill the excuse for seeking the opinion of the constituencies. The Government sees some possible escape for itself in that commission, but at present its fortunes are going down very rapidly. That was observed, I think, by impartial men last session.

When asked if he would run for any British Columbia constituency at the next election, Sir Hibbert replied he came out here "for business." If his Picton constituents asked him to stand again in the case of an election he should do so, otherwise, he would not stand at all. His running in any case would depend upon the wishes of his constituents, and the party. Anyhow he would give his service cheerfully to assist the return of Conservatives here.

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