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SAMPSON'S FLEET AT KEY WEST.

Spaniard Runs Blockade

AMERICAN WARSHIPS WAITING FOR THE TROOPS.

Evidently drawn off to Protect the Transports.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

NEW YORK, May 30.—A despatch from Key West says that Admiral Sampson has arrived there and may remain during the preparations for the Cuban invasion. This will not occupy more than a few days at most.

Sampson's fleet is between Havana and Key West.

MADRID, May 30.—Advices received from Havana say that a big sailing ship from Barcelona having on board a cargo of provisions and arms arrived yesterday at Nenay, the northern part of the city of Porto Principe, the capital of the Province of that name, after running the blockade.

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UPRISING IN THE PHILIPPINES.

Spanish Officials Murdered

AND HOUSES BURNED BY THE INSURGENTS.

The Town of St. Thomas in a State of Insurrection.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

MADRID, May 30.—A despatch from the Imparcial from Manila says that the town of St. Thomas is in a state of insurrection. The rebels, it is added, burned a number of houses and have murdered the commandant of volunteers, a priest and other Spaniards.

ANOTHER BATTLE REPORTED

But Not Credited in London or Washington.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

MADRID, May 30.—El Progreso publishes despatches purporting to come from Paris giving details of an alleged battle near Jamaica, in which it is said that two American warships were destroyed.

The story is discredited in London and Washington.

A BIG PROPOSITION.

VANCOUVER, B. C., May 28.—Mr. Henry Parker, of this city, has submitted proposals to the United States Government at Washington, for the raising of the Maine, also for the raising of the sunken Spanish men-of-war, in the harbor of Manila, by a process of his own. He has received an intimation in reply that nothing can be done until the conclusion of the war. Mr. Parker has also submitted, on behalf of another inventor, Mr. N. Lepage, of this city, formerly of New York City, a patent spring back armor plating, but as all the American war-ships are now busily engaged, the merits of the invention cannot so the authorities say, be tested yet awhile

Is He a Pretender!

MONTREAL, May 28.—John Dillon, 78 years of age, living with his son-in-law, W. J. Tabb, at 656 Sherbrooke street, claims to be the heir to the dormant earldom of Roscommon, and will at once enter proceedings to claim the title. A distant relative who is on a visit here has established the identity to his own satisfaction and evidently to that of John Dillon, for it is only this week that he has become convinced that he is a real live earl. The earldom became extinct in 1850, and the present claimant alleges that he is the next in line. His wife died 24 years ago, leaving 11 children.

Fishery Protection.

HALIFAX, May 28.—The cruiser Acadie sailed yesterday for fishery protection duty. The Curlew has arrived and will be here several days. There are forty American seiners off this harbor and to the west.

THE BLOCKADE IS WEAKENED.

Many Cuban Ports Open.

SCHLEY WON'T ENTER SANTIAGO HARBOR.

Whether Cerveras is there or Somewhere Else.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

KINGSTON, Jamaica, May 30.—The despatch boat Simpson, just arrived here, has within the past few days circumnavigated the Island of Cuba.

The Simpson hugged the shore closely keeping within from three to five miles off beach continually.

All the lighthouses on the Cuban coast were in operation and at many places fortifications of sand and earth are being hurriedly erected.

During the early part of the past week the blockade on the northern coast has been left entirely to a few gunboats and small vessels of the mosquito fleet.

Schley's squadron blockaded Cienfuegos from last Sunday until Wednesday hoping to trap the Spanish fleet and then left for Santiago de Cuba.

Since then Cienfuegos has not been blockaded at all.

The Italian steamer Adula arrived here yesterday from Cienfuegos and found it could enter and depart at will.

Sampson found only a weak blockade at Havana, Bahia, Sturda, Cardenas, and Matanzas.

Schley has a strong blockade off Santiago de Cuba.

Baracon, Neuvites Sayua la Grande, Cape San Antonio, Cienfuegos and many other smaller harbors are now left open.

A few vessels, however, were encountered in Cuban waters.

Three Spanish gunboats were seen, one at Cienfuegos, one at Baracon and one at Cape Maysi.

The situation at Santiago de Cuba, yesterday, was about the same. Schley is afraid to risk the mines or to make an open attack upon the city until he hears from Washington.

The Howard left here today with instructions for Schley; and it is altogether possible that the city may be bombarded on Tuesday.

A conviction exists here that the Spanish fleet is not in Santiago Harbor but is cruising in Jamaican and West Indian waters.

In fact five ships were sighted off Port Antonio last evening steaming eastward, but their nationality could not be made out.

LATER.

HE IS THERE ALL RIGHT.

Cooped up in Santiago—Immediate Operations Against Havana.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

WASHINGTON, May 30.—Admiral Schley reports to the Navy Department that he has personally observed Cervera's squadron in Santiago harbor.

Captain Sigbee of the St. Paul reports to the same effect. It is definitely decided that there shall be no further delay in the naval and military operations against Havana.

Just received—more of that beautiful R. B.—John P. Joy.

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And Brought to Key West

HAD A CARGO OF COAL FOR THE SPANIARDS.

And Was Caught Trying to Get Into Santiago.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

KEY WEST, May 30.—The British steamer Restormel was brought here with a prize crew.

She was captured by the Americans while trying to put into Santiago de Cuba, with a cargo of coal from Cardiff.

OTTAWA NEWS.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

OTTAWA, May 30.—A young man named Eagleston, aged 21, entered the bath of the Y. M. C. A. buildings on Saturday evening alone, and was found the next morning dead in six feet of water.

A busy week is expected in parliament. Morning sessions will not be held until prorogation.

THE BETTER FEELING.

Towards Canada a cordial feeling now exists in the United States.

The fact that Great Britain has twice interfered to prevent an unjust European demonstration against the republic at this critical moment convinces our neighbours that the British are not hostile, as they were formerly supposed to be.

Now the cry across the border is for an amelioration of the conditions existing between Canada and the Union; the proposed commission to discuss outstanding issues is backed by a significant article in the New York Tribune, the chief organ of the Administration, in which concessions are advised.

Our Government has a magnificent opportunity—an opportunity such as never before presented itself—to get a happy settlement of all questions.

It ought to secure for us a share of the lake coasting trade, a free market for fish and for barley, and certainly, where duties are imposed, rates quite as low as those we lay on.

A sagacious Government can get us the fairest of fair treatment, and it need sacrifice no Canadian interest.—Toronto Mail.

An old sheep keeper says that good fat sheep never lose their wool. Wool is lost through lice, ticks or scab, due to leanness and none of these insects can endure fat. A poor sheep is always their feeding ground. If wool is the principal object of breeding, then a ram should be selected with plenty of wool bearing surface and yielding a washed fleece of at least fifteen pounds. His wool should be of strong fibre and a coarse crimp. A ram should not have a ewe's fleece.

Carter's for Wall Paper

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We have just received two shipments, and have given a large order for more.

We invite inspection especially by those that would like a dressy shoe.

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We snapped the snap. If your wise you will too.

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LOT 2

Is a line of waists of good grade print, light and medium shades, very pretty patterns, separable collar, attached cuffs, the regular price would be 80c, to go at 60 cents

LOT 3

Is a lovely line. They're very pretty muslins and prints, all light—for example, a dainty stripe effect, with white collar and cuffs (separable) regular \$1.15, value goes at 86 cents

LOT 4

Is a black shirt waist of fine, soft fast color goods, detachable white collar; attached white cuffs, sizes 38 and 40 only, regular \$1.25 to go at 94 cents

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