SPANISH ATTACK THE FILIBUSTERS

Battle on the Cuban Coast With Filibusters from the Bermuda.

CUBANS COME TO THEIR RESCUE

The Spaniards Driven Back and the Warlike Cargo, Which Had Been Captured, Retaken--Ocean Tugs Aided the Expedition and Defied the Revenue Cutters in the Harbor.

Key West, Fla., March 28.—It is stated on good authority that a filibustering expedition which sailed from this vicinity last week effected a landing on the north coast of Cuba, west of Havana, near Mariel.

According to rumors which are current here, startling circumstances attended the landing. The Spanish, it is said, had been informed that such an expedition would land from the steamer Bermuda, and a strong force was placed in ambush on the northern coast near the point where it was supposed that the party would attempt to reach the shore.

SPANISH ATTACK THE EXPEDITION.

The spot where the expedition really landed was, in fact, only a short distance from the reported ambush of the Spaniards, and as soon as the Cubans came ashore with their arms and ammunition they were met by a sharp fire and attack, before which they were powerless. Several of the Cubans, according to the rumor, were killed, and the munitions of war were seized.

Later, the rumor states, a large body of Cubans came to the rescue of the newly landed men, and boldly attacked the victorious Spanish, who, in their turn, were put to flight, the warlike cargo remaining in the hands of the Cubans.

The Spanish had also, it is said, sent several gunboats to this part of the coast, and when the filibustering vessel sailed she was chased and fired upon, but, according to the report, was uninjured.

As stated above, the prevailing rumor here gives the Bermuda the credit of having landed the expedition. Whether this be true or not, it is regarded as certain that a combination of the steamer and two ocean tugs was necessary to get arms, ammunition and men out of the United States.

Safe conclusions can be drawn as to the tugs engaged in the enterprise from the simultaneous return to this neighborhood of the tugs Samson and Monarch. The former passed through this harbor Thursday morning, boldly steaming between the two revenue cutters at anchor. When at a safe distance she unfurled a large American ensign, which was accepted as a signal by those ashore that her work of loading the filibustering steamer had been accomplished.

Subsequently the revenue steamer Forward started in pursuit and followed the bold tug to sea.

BRINING NEWS OF THE LANDING

Shortly after the Samson had passed out of sight a sailing vessel known to be in the employ of the Cuban filibusters arrived and is supposed to have brought a report of the landing of the expedition. Information was also received that another tug, supposed to be the Monarch, was anchored at Bahia Honda, in the channel, forty miles to the eastward of this point, to which a supply of coal was sent the same night for the party on the steamer.

With the assistance of these tugs, it is declared, the Bermuda—or some other steamer, if rumor be false—was loaded far out from the mainland, where the danger of chase and capture was reduced to a minimum, and then proceeded to Cuba.

GRIDIRON CLUB DINNER.

McKinley and Members of His Cabinet Were Among the Guests.

Washington, March 28.—The presidential dinner of the Gridiron club at the Arlington last night was attended by the president of the United States and a majority of his cabinet, two or three ambassadors and ambassadors-to be, justices of the Supreme court, senators, representatives, and other distinguished guests, covers being laid for 130, including the forty hosts, the Washington correspondents, who form the regular membership of the club. Secretaries Gage, Long, Alger and Wilson, and Attorney General McKenna represented the cabinet. J. Addison Porter, President McKinley's private secretary, joined his former newspaper associates as one of their guests. The retiring first assistant postmaster general, Mr. Jones, and the Hon. Perry S. Heath, his installed successor (himself a member of the club), sat in harmonious juxtaposition.

Speaker Reed beamed upon a fair assortment of tariff debaters from the house, including Representatives Dalzell, Strode, Henderson, and others. Senators Aldrich, Hanna, Spooner, Burrows, Mitchell and Carter in part represented the upper house. Justice Peckham spoke for the Supreme court. The German ambassador, Baron Thielman, and his first secretary of legation, and Minister Mendonca, of Brazil, were among the distinguished members of the diplomatic corps. John Hay, United States ambassador to England, was present. Invited journalists from a distance included Milton A. McRae, of Cincinnati, and Charles Emory Smith, of Philadelphia.

The decorations of the beautiful banqueting hall surpassed anything before attempted, and the music and decorous wit which enlivened the dinner made the affair quite memorable, even among the many memorable dinners given by the club.

HIS STORY TRUE.

Telfair's Tale of Wealth Believed by Chief Hart of Olean.

Olean, March 28.—Chief of Police Hart says he is convinced of the genuineness of the statement of the man who went to sleep on March 11 as Charles Brown and awoke forty-eight hours later as David J. Telfair, a multi-millionaire. Telfair's first question on awakening was, "Where is my belt?" and, upon being told that he had none, he exclaimed, "Then I have been robbed of my diamonds." He has lived with Chief Hart ever since, and that officer has repeatedly questioned and cross-questioned the man, who seems unable to recall anything that has happened since last August, when he went to Jackson park, Chicago, to hear a band concert. He thinks he may have been sandbagged and robbed. He dimly remembers being thrown into a carriage, and from that time all was blank until he awoke in the Olean hospital.

Telfair claims that he had in his belt 193 diamonds, the product of his operations in the Transvaal in a company known as the Seven Associates. Chief Hart has investigated part of his guest's story and found it true. He believes it all. He has authorized a reward of $25,000 for the recovery of the 193 missing diamonds or proportionately for any of them.

HUNTED AROUND THE WORLD.

A French Detectives' Long Chase After an Embezzler.

St. Louis, March 28.—A dispatch to the Globe-Democrat from Jiminez, Mexico, says that a Frenchman named Jules Leveraux has been arrested at the Guanaceir mining camp, in the mountains west of Jiminez, by a French detective, who reached Guanaceir a week ago and found Leveraux one of the most prominent mining men of the place. The detective says that Leveraux was a government employe in Paris and that two years ago he embezzled from his office a large sum of money and left the country.

The detective got on the fugitive's trail and followed him to South Africa, from there to Australia, thence to the United States and thence into Mexico. Leveraux arrived at Guanaceir six months ago and invested a considerable amount of money in mines. He will return to France without extradition papers.

GUBERNATORIAL CANVASS

Progress of the Battle as Noticed by the Philadelphia Correspondent of the New York Sun.

Philadelphia, March 27.—The campaign for the Republican nomination for governor of Pennsylvania has already begun, with a prospect of a hot fight and with more entries for the grand prize than ever before in the politics of the state. The candidates already in sight are William A. Stone, of Allegheny, congressman from the Twenty-third district; William Connell, congressman from Lackawanna county; John Leisenring, the Luzerne ex-congressman; Henry C. McCormick, of Williamsport, attorney general; the secretary of state, General Frank Reeder, of Easton; State Senator Gobin, of Lebanon; Colonel Thomas Jefferson Stewart, of Norristown; ex-Congressman George F. Huff, of Westmoreland; Congressman John Dalzell, of Pittsburg, and in addition to these the name of John Wanamaker, of Philadelphia, is seriously considered.

Attorney General McCormick, Congressman Dalzell and ex-Congressman Huff are anti-Quay, and they will be supported by the Magee-Leach-Van Valkenberg combine. Colonel "Tom" Stewart, the adjutant general, will be most earnestly supported by his Grand Army comrades and the National Guard of Pennsylvania, and in a friendly way Connell, Leisenring, Stewart, Reeder and Gobin will unite to knock out Colonel Stone, of Allegheny.

The governor of Pennsylvania receives $10,000 a year in salary, and has an executive mansion to live in rent free. He has the appointment of six officials in the executive office, with salaries ranging from $200 for his page to $3,500 for private secretary; a secretary of state at $4,000, who in turn has a half dozen mighty good appointments at salaries from $1,100 to $2,500; an attorney general at a salary of $3,500 and fees amounting to about $20,000 a year, who has several assistants with velvety salaries of $1,500 to $4,000 a superintendent of public instruction at $4,000 a year, with appointees under him with salaries from $900 to $1,800; an adjutant general, salary $4,000, with a score of appointments with salaries from $600 for assistant messenger to $1,800 for chief clerk; an insurance commissioner with a salary of $3,000, with seven officials under him, salaries $900 to $1,800; a state librarian, salary $2,500, and with four well-paid assistants; a commissioner of banking, salary $6,000, a deputy at $2,500, three clerks each at $1,400 a year, and ten bank examiners at $10 a day apiece; a factory inspector at $3,000 a year and twenty deputy inspectors at $1,200 each and traveling expenses; a secretary of agriculture at $3,500, a deputy at $3,000; an economic zoologist at $2,500; a commissioner of forestry at $2,500; a dairy and food commissioner at $2,500; a state veterinarian at $2,500; a superintendent of public printing at $2,000; a superintendent of public grounds and buildings at $3,000 a year, a very lucrative office, with a score of good places under it; and various members of the Soldiers' Orphan Schools commission, the military board, the board of public charities, the state board of health, the fishery commission, the state pharmaceutical board, the geological survey commission; besides mine inspectors at $3,000 a year each, state prison inspectors, and many other important officials, none of whom comes under civil service rules.

It is a great thing to be governor of Pennsylvania, and no wonder that Magee, of Pittsburg, and Leach, of Philadelphia, desire to name the next chief magistrate. Their choice, above all others, would be John Wanamaker, of Philadelphia, but in the event of their entering him for the nomination Clement A. Griscom, also of Philadelphia, would be brought out as a candidate, and consequently would about equally divide the eighty delegates from Philadelphia, giving forty to Wanamaker and forty to Griscom.

GERMAN SENTIMENT CHANGING.

Are Now Deploring the Part the Powers Are Playing.

Berlin, March 28.—German opinion has set in strongly against what is known as the "Kaiser policy" regarding Greece, not in the columns of the Liberal press alone, but in those of newspapers which have hitherto been giving their support to the policy of intervention in Crete on the part of the powers.

These journals have taken a new tack, and are now deploring the part which the united squadrons of the powers are playing and are likely to play in Cretan and Greek waters.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, March 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 200 head; market quiet and nominally steady; common to extra steers, $3.75a5.50; stockers and feeders, $3.40a3.55; cows and bulls, $1.75a4; calves, $3a6; Texans, $2.60a4.60. Hogs—Receipts, 11,000 head; market steady; heavy packing and shipping lots, $3.50a4.25; common to choice mixed, $40 4.22½; choice assorted, $4.10a4.15; light, $3.90a4.15; pigs, $3.25a4.10. Sheep—Receipts 1,500 head; market firm; inferior to choice, $2.75a4.70; lambs, $3.75a5.55.

AN ECHO FROM CUBA.

A warrior brave and bold was he,
And valor was his song;
The Spanish army's pride was he,
The general's aide-de-camp.

But when the fight grew fierce and not,
His valor had a cramp;
And all the Royal army saw
The general's aide—decamp!
—Harold MacGrath, in the Philistine.

MANY MURDERS BY POISON IN HUNGARY

In Certain Sections Victims Are Murdered by the Score.

STARTLING CRIMINAL REVELATIONS

Persons on Trial Are Now Telling All They Know--Most of the Victims Killed to Obtain Insurance Money, Murder by Poison a Family Custom.

London, March 28.—The poisoning trial which is still continuing at Hodmezoe, Hungary, has developed into the greatest criminal revelation of modern times. It is beginning to appear that murder by poison is a family custom in that part of Hungary. The victims are numbered almost by hundreds. Most of the accused persons denied everything at first, but when the woman Csordas, driven into corner, and, seeing that she could not escape, began to reveal fresh facts and to inculpate the accused midwife Jager, the latter not only made a full confession, but also referred to cases which had not even been suspected. She gave names and facts in such detail that the court was bound to order fresh arrests, and the exhumation of twelve more bodies.

The number has increased still further, as all the accused are now vying with each other in making startling revelations. A pork butcher named Horvath, nicknamed the Evangelist, because of his habit of quoting Scripture, now stands accused of having poisoned his mother, father, parents-in-law, and finally his wife. The woman Csordas owns to having poisoned her sister and niece in addition to the crimes of which she was originally accused. She also informed the court that the midwife Jager procured the poison from a chemist's assistant, whose arrest has been ordered. It was suspected that the cases under trial would prove only a small portion of the crimes actually committed in this one town, but the new disclosures are so far inconvenient that they will probably necessitate the adjournment of the trials.

A correspondent says there is not a house in Hodmezoe in which suspicion does not exist that deaths dating back several years are the result of foul play; and family ties in the town are being broken right and left.

INSURANCE THE MOTIVE.

Insurance for the amount of ordinary burial expenses furnished the motive in nearly all cases. The insurance societies are in such close competition they have kept secret their lists of members, and it is possible that these men and women insure their relations in as many as seventeen societies at once. In some cases it was an aged mother who was insured by her son and daughter, or an ailing sister by her brother. Sometimes it was a poor person who had nobody to care for him and was thankful to be received into a house on any terms. All these were insured for moderate sums. One man who lived in extreme poverty got $400 when his mother died, having insured her in five societies. Midwife Jager, it is said, always supplied arsenic, which was ready when the insured person became ill and it could be given with the medicine without arousing suspicion. When death took place the doctor examined the body and declared that everything was in order, and the midwife was handsomely paid when the insurance money was received. In some cases persons previously insured were asked to dinner and received poisoned food.

MARKETS AND STOCKS.

Wall Street Review.

New York, March 27.—Speculation at the Stock Exchange started off firm in tone and the usually active issues rose ¼a¾ per cent. The rally failed to stimulate commission house buying, and before 11 o'clock the bears resumed aggressive tactics.

The Industrials were adversely influenced by the circulation of unfavorable rumors. Tobacco broke on a vague report that the next dividend will be reduced.

Sugar was heavy on statements that the Doscher people will go right ahead with the construction of their new refinery. The decline in prices ranged from ½ to 2 per cent., and every prominent stock on the list participated in the downward movement. Speculation closed heavy with prices at or near the lowest figures of the week. Net changes show losses of ¼a2¾ per cent. Total sales were 113,395 shares.

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	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Am. Tobacco Co.	73½	74	72⅞	73⅛
Am. Sug. Ref. Co.	112	112⅝	110¾	110⅞
Atch., To. & S. Fe	10¾	10¾	10½	10½
At., To. & S Fe Pr.	29⅞	29⅞	29¼	29¼
Ches. & Ohio	16½	16½	16½	16½
Chicago Gas	79	79⅛	77⅞	77⅞
Chicago & N. W.	106	106	105¾	105¾
Chic., B. & Q.	72¼	72¼	71	71
C. C. C. & St. L.	28½	28½	28	28
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	75	75⅜	74⅝	74⅝
Chic., R. I. & P	64	64¼	63⅝	63¾
Del. & Hudson	107	107	106¾	106¾
D., L. & W.	154½	154½	154½	154½
Dist. & C. F.	12½	12½	11½	11⅝
Gen. Electric	33	33	32	32¼
Lake Shore	165	165	165	165
Louis. & Nash.	46¾	46¾	45¾	45⅞
M. K. & Tex. Pr.	27⅝	27⅝	29	29
Man. Elevated	85	85¼	84½	84½
Mo. Pac.	18⅛	18⅛	17¾	17¾
N. J. Central	86¾	86¾	85¾	85⅝
N. Y. Central	99¼	99¼	98	98
N. Y., S. & W.	13¼	13¼	13⅛	13⅛
N. Y., S. & W. Pr.	24	24	24	24
Nor. Pac.	35	35	33⅞	34½
Omaha	59¼	59¼	57½	57½
Pac. Mail	26¾	26¾	26¾	26¾
Phil. & Reading	22¼	22¼	20⅞	21⅛
Southern R. R.	8½	8½	8¼	8¼
Southern R. R. Pr.	26¾	26¾	26¼	26¼
Tenn., C. & Iron	25¾	25½	24¾	24¾
Texas Pacific	8¾	8¾	8⅝	8⅝
Union Pacific	6	6	6	6
Wabash	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Wabash Pr.	13½	13½	13⅛	13⅛
Western Union	83¼	83⅛	83	83
W. L.	11¼	11¼	11¼	11¼
U. S. Leather Pr.	57¼	57¼	55¾	55⅞
U. S. Rubber	14¾	14¾	14	14

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE PRICES.

WHEAT.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
May	72⅞	73	72⅝	72⅞
July	71⅞	71⅞	71⅛	71¼
OATS.				
May	17⅛	17⅛	17	17⅛
July	18	18	17⅞	18
CORN.				
May	24½	24⅝	24½	24⅝
July	25⅝	25⅝	25⅝	25⅝
LARD.				
May	4.50	4.50	4.47	4.50
July	4.30	4.30	4.30	4.02
PORK.				
May	8.65	8.65	8.55	8.60

Scranton Board of Trade Exchange Quotations--All Quotations Based on Par of 100.

STOCKS.	Bid.	Asked.
Scranton & Pittston Trac. Co.	...	20
National Boring & Drill'g Co.	...	80
First National Bank	650	...
Elmhurst Boulevard Co.	...	100
Scranton Savings Bank	200	...
Scranton Packing Co.	...	95
Lackawanna Iron & Steel Co.	...	150
Third National Bank	350	...
Throop Novelty M'f'g Co.	...	90
Scranton Traction Co.	15	17
Scranton Axle Works	...	80
Weston Mill Co.	...	250
Alexander Car Replacer Co.	...	100
Scranton Bedding Co.	...	105
Dime Dep. & Dis. Bank	145	...
Lacka. Trust & Safe Dep. Co.	140	145
Crystal Lake Water Co.	...	125
Traders' Nat. Bank	...	125
BONDS.		
Scranton Pass. Railway, first mortgage due 1918	110	...
People's Street Railway, first mortgage due 1918	110	...
Scranton & Pittston Trac. Co.	...	90
People's Street Railway, Second mortgage due 1920	110	...
Dickson Manufacturing Co.	...	100
Lacka. Township School 5s	...	102
City of Scranton St. Imp. 6s	...	102
Mt. Vernon Coal Co.	...	85
Scranton Axle Works	...	109

New York Produce Market.

New York, March 27.—Flour—Dull, steady, unchanged. Wheat—Spot market dull, firm; scarce; spring grades held higher; f. o. b., nominal; No. 1 northern, 85¼a85½; options were dull; No. 2 red March, 80½c.; May, 78⅞c.; July, 77½c.; September, 74½c. Corn—Spots, dull, firm; scarce; No. 2, 29¾a30¼c., elevator; 30⅝a31¼c., afloat; steamer mixed, 29½c.; No. 3, 29c.; options were dull; March, 29⅞c.; May, 30⅛c.; July, 31⅝c. Oats—Spots dull and steady; options dull; May, 21⅝c.; July, 22¼c.; spot prices, No. 2, 22c.; No. 2 white, 23½c.; No. 2 Chicago, 23c.; oN. 3, 21c.; No. 3 white, 22½c.; mixed western, 21a22½c.; white do., 22a29c.; state, 22a29c. Provisions—Quiet, steady, unchanged. Lard—Quiet, about steady; western steam, $4.40; May, $4.30 nominal; refined, dull; continent, $4.70; South America, $4.95; compound, 4a4¼c. Butter—Firm, fairly active; state dairy, 9a18½c.; do. creamery, 14a19c.; western creamery, 14a19½c.; do. factory, 7a12c.; Elgins, 19½c.; imitation creamery, 10a16c.; rolls, 8a12½c. Cheese—Firm; state, large, 9a12½c.; do. small, 9a12½c.; part skims, 5a8c.; full skims, 2½a6c. Eggs—Easy; state and Pennsylvania, 10¼a10½c.; western fresh, 10c.; southern, 9½a9¾c.

Chicago Grain and Provision Market.

Chicago, March 27.—The leading futures ragned as follows: Wheat—March, 71⅝c.; 71⅞c.; May, 72¾c., 72⅞c.; July, 71¼c., 71⅜c.; September, 68⅝c., 69¼c. Corn—March, 23⅝c.; May, 24½c., 24¾c.; July, 25⅝c., 25⅞c.; September, 26¾c., 26⅞c. Oats—March, 16¾c., 16⅞c.; May, 17½c., 17c.; July, 18c., 18c. Mess pork—May, $8.65, $8.60; July, $8.70, $8.70. Lard—May, $4.17½, $4.20; July, $4.30, $4.30. Short ribs—May, $4.60, $4.60; July, $4.62½, $4.62½. Cash quotations follow: Flour was dull and steady; prices, unchanged; No. 2 spring wheat, 71¾a73c.; No. 3 spring wheat, 73c., by sample; No. 2 red, 86¾a88c.; No. 2 corn, 24a24½c.; No. 2 oats, 17c.; No. 2 rye, 32½a33c.; No. 2 barley, 33c., nominal; o. 1 flaxseed, 76½a79½c.; prime timothy seed, $2.67½; mess pork, $8.55a8.60; lard, $4.37a4.50; short ribs, sides, $4.50a4.80; dry salted shoulders, $4.75a5; short clear sides, $4.75a4.87½; whiskey, $1.17; sugars, cut loaf, $5.20; granulated, $4.76; standard A., $4.31.

Philadelphia Provision Market.

Philadelphia, March 27.—The market was firm, with a fair jobbing demand. We quote: Beef hams, $19.25a20, as to age and brand; pork, family, $10.50a11; hams, S. P. cured in tierces, 8½a9½c.; do. smoked, loaf c., as to average and brand; sides, ribbed, in salt, 5¼a5½c.; do. do. smoked, 6a6¼c.; shoulders, pickle cured, 6a6¼c.; do. do. smoked, 6¾a7c.; picnic hams, S. P. cured, 6½a6¾c.; do. do. smoked, 7a7½c.; bellies, in pickle, according to average, loose, 5½a6c.; breakfast bacon, 7a8c., as to brand and average; lard, pure, city refined, in tierces, 5¼a 5½c.; do. do. in tubs, 5½a5¾c.; do. butchers', loose, 4¼a4½c.; city tallow, in hogsheads, 3a3½c.; country do., 2½a3c., as to quality, and cakes, 3¼c.

Buffalo Live Stock.

Buffalo, March 27.—Cattle—103 cars through; 3 cars on sale; market steady for good handy stock and feeders; veals about steady. Hogs—Higher; Yorkers, $4.32½a4.35; mixed and mediums, $4.35; roughs, $3.65a3.90; stags, $3a3.45; pigs, $4a 4.10. Sheep and lambs—Strong; prime lambs, $5.35a6.15; fair to good, $5.35a5.59; culls and common, $4a5.25; clipped lambs, $4.75a5.15; mixed wool sheep, good to extra, $4.75a4.90; culls to fair, $3a4.50; wethers, $4.80a5.

Oil Market.

Oil City, Pa., March 27.—Option oil not quoted; credit balances, unchanged at 95c.

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STATEMENT
For the year ending December 31 1896
According to the Standard of the Insurance Department of the State of New York

INCOME.

Received for Premiums	$39,593,414 20
From all other Sources	10,109,281 07
	$49,702,695 27

DISBURSEMENTS.

To Policy-holders for Claims by Death	$12,595,113 39
To Policy-holders for Endowments, Dividends, etc.	12,842,456 11
For all other Accounts	10,781,005 64
	$36,218,575 14

ASSETS.

United States Bonds and other Securities	$110,125,082 15
First lien Loans on Bond and Mortgage	71,543,929 56
Loans on Stocks and Bonds	11,091,325 00
Real Estate	22,767,066 05
Cash in Banks and Trust Companies	12,680,390 00
Accrued Interest, Net Deferred Premiums, etc.	6,535,555 06
	$234,744,148 42
Reserve for Policies and other Liabilities	205,010,633 72
Surplus	$29,733,514 70
Insurance and Annuities in force	$918,698,338 45

I have carefully examined the foregoing Statement and find the same to be correct; liabilities calculated by the Insurance Department
CHARLES A. PRELLER Auditor

From the Surplus a dividend will be apportioned as usual

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