# REVISED VERSION OF FIRST CUBAN FIGHT

## Will Be Known in History As Battle of La Quasina.

American Loss Now Fixed at Sixteen Killed and Sixty Missing-Thirty-seven Dead Spaniards Have Been Found on the Field of the Struggle-Was a Perfect Ambuscade from Which Only Yankee Nerve Sufficed to Effect an Escape. Corrected List of the Killed, Wounded and Missing. Graphic Pen Picture of the First Real Land Struggle of the War for Cuban Liberation.

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McDonald, First cavalry; Private N. H. Cochrane, First volunteer cavalry; Pri-

vate Fred Chilcot, First volunteer cay

dry; Private J. S. Miller, First volunteer cavalry; Private W. S. Sharp, First vol-

unteer cavalry; Private J. E. Steadman; First volunteer cavalry; Private C. D.

Captain McCormack and Captain

Luna, of the First volunteer cavalry,

who were reported yesterday as umong

as was also Colonel Wood, whom Ad-

jutant Hall reported as mortally

SPANIARDS WELL POSTED.

That the Spaniards were thoroughly

osted as to the route to be taken

y the Americans in their movement

wards Servilla was evident, as shown

y the careful preparations they had

made. The main body of the Spaniards

was posted on a hill, on the heavily

vooded slopes of which had been erect-

ed two block houses, flanked by irre-

rular entrenchments of stone and fal-

len trees. At the bottom of these hills

run two roads along which Lieuten-

ant Colonel Roosevelt's men and eight

troops of the First and Tenth cavalry

with a battery of four howitzers, ad-

vanced. These roads are but little more

than gullies, rough and narrow, and

at places almost impassable. In these

trails the fight occurred. Nearly half

a mile separated Roosevelt's men from

on both sides of the road in the thick

underbrush was concealed a force of

Spaniards that must have been large,

judging from the terrific and con

stant fire they poured in on the Amer-

FIGHT'S BEGINNING.

and Tenth cavalry pader General

Young. A force of Spaniards was

known to be in the vicinity of La

Quasina and early in the morning

Lieutenant Colonel Roosevelt's men

started off to the precipitous bluff back

their right flank, General Young at the

same time taking the road at the foot

ut from Siboney, some Cubans,

ump with the announcement that the

Spaniards were but a little way in

front and were strongly entrenched.

Quickly the Hotchkiss guns out in the

front were brought to the rear, while

a strong scouting line was thrown out.

troops moved forward until a bend in

the road disclosed a hill where the

Spaniards were located. The guns

placed in resition, while the men

crouched down in the road, waiting

mpatiently to give Roosevelt's men.

who were boiling over the little trail

along the crest of the ridge, time to

FIRING LIKE FIENDS.

At 7.30 a. m. General Young gave the

mmand to the men at the Hotchkiss

guns to open fire. That command was

the signal for a fight that for stub

hornness has seldom been equalled

The instant the Hotchkiss guns were

fired from the hill sides commanding

the road came volley after volley from

"Don't shoot until you see something

to shoot at," yelled General Young,

and the men, with set laws and gleam-

ing eyes, obeyed the order. Crawling

along the edge of the road and pro-

tecting themselves as much as possible

from the fearful fire of the Spaniards

the troopers, some of them stripped

to the waist, watched the base of the

hill and when any part of a Spaniard

became visible they fired. Never for

One dusky warrior of the Tenth cav-

alry, with a ragged wound in his thigh

firing, and when told by one of his

comrades that he was wounded laughed and said: "Oh! That's all

ime." In the meantime, away off to

the left could be heard the crack of

the rifles of Colonel Wood's men, and

INTO THE TRAP.

Over there the American losses were

the greatest. Colonel Wood's men.

with an advance guard well out in

front, and two Cuban guides before

them, but apparently with no flank-

ers, went squarely into the trap set for

them by the Spanish and only the un-

faitering courage of the man in the

veteran quail prevented what might

asily have been a disaster. As it was,

face of a fire that would even make

the advance guard under the unfor

tunate Captain Capron, was almost

surrounded and but for the reinforce-

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That's been there for some

coolly knelt behind a rock, loading and

an instant did they falter.

right.

of the Spaniards.

the Mausers of the Spanlards.

vere again brought to the front and

Then cautiously and in silence

breathless and excited rushed into

of Saboney to attack the Spaniards on

The fight was opened by the First

between them and

the dead and wounded were unharmed

Dennis, First volunteer cavalry,

Juragua, Cuba, June 25 (4 p. m.), per | First volunteer cavalry; Trumpeter P Associated Press dispatch boat Dandy, via Kingston, Jamaica, June 26 (10 a. m.)-The initial fight of Colonel Wood's rough riders and the troopers of the First and Tenth regular cavalry will be known in history as the battle of La Quasina. That it did not end in the complete slaughter of the Americans was not due to any miscalculation in the plan of the Spaniards, for as perfect an ambuscade as was ever formed in the brain of an Apache Indian was prepared and Lieutenant Colonel Roosevelt and his men walked squarely into it. For an hour and a half they held their ground under a perfect storm of bullets from the front and sides and to Colonel Wood at the right and Lieutenant Colonel Roosevelt at the left, who led a charge which turned the tide of battle and sent the enemy flying over the hills toward Santiago, is due the fact that any American escaped.

SPANIARDS' HEAVY LOSS. It is now definitely known that sixteen men on the American side were killed, while sixty were wounded or are reported to be missing. It is impossible to calculate the Spanish losses. but it is known that they were far heavier than those of Americans at teast as regards actual loss of life. Already thirty-seven dead Spanish soldiers have been found and buried, while many others are undoubtedly lying in the thick underbrush on the side of the gully, and on the slope of the hill, where the main body of the enemy was located. The wounded were all removed.

A complete list of the killed, wounded and missing on the American side, revised to 4 o'clock Saturday, is as fol-

KILLED. CAPTAIN ALLYN K. CAPRON, First United States volunteer cavalry.

SERGEANT HAMILTON FISH, JR., SERGEANT DOHERTY, Troop A. First SERGEANT MARCUS RUSSELL, Troop

G. First United States volunteer cay-airy. (Sergeant Russell lived in Troy. N. Y., and was formerly a colonel on of the hill. About two and a half miles or Hill's staff). PRIVATE LEGETT. Troop A. First PRIVATE HARRY HEFFNER, Troop

PRIVATE MILDEN W. DANSON, Troop First United States cavalry. PRIVATE W. T. IRVIN, Troop F. First United States volunteer cavalry.
PRVATE SLENNOC, Troop K, First

United States volunteer cavalry.

PRVATE B. WORK, Troop B. First reg-PRIVATE KRUPP, Troop B, First regu-CAPTAIN STARK, Troop A. First regu-

PRIVATE DIX, Troop K, First regular PRIVATE KELBE, Troop K. First regu-PRIVATE BARTIN, Troop K. First reg-

CORPORAL WHITE, Troop E, Tenth

WOUNDED.

Major James Bell. First envairy, shot in the leg. Captain Thomas T. Knox Pirst cavalry, shot in the stomach, serious; Lieutenant Bryan, First cavalry Private Frank Booth, Troop F. First volunteer cavalry; Private George Brixton, Troop B, Tenth excalry; Private 8 F. Ishler, Troop C, First volunteer cav alry; Private Juseph Pole, Troop E. First volunteer cavairy; Private John R. Keene, Troop I., Pirst volunteer cavairy; Private M. L. News must, Troop D. First volunteer cavairy; I rivate Martin Preil. Troop G. First cavalry; Private Samuel Redd, Troop G. First cavalry; Private Arthur Wheeler, Troop B. Tensh rayalry: Private Theodore Gryce, Troop D. Tenth cavalry: Private Kells Mayberry, Troop I, Tenth cavalry: Private Jam : Troop B. Terth cavalry, 130 ward Marshall, correspondent of the New York Journal and Advertiser, serious Private Schulter Whitney, First volunteer cavalry; Private Nathaniel M. Poe, Trox L. First volunteer envalry; Corporal J.
M. Dean, Troop E. Furst volunteer cavalry; Private C. N. Deal, Troop D. First volunteer cavalry; Private C. L. Re-d. Troop F. First volunteer cavalry, Cor poral J. B. Rhodes, Troop D. First vol unteer cavalry: Sergeant Thomas Ryan Troop K. Tenth cavairy; Private E. J. Alberson, Troop F. First volunteer cavalry; Trumpeter I. F. Migher, Troop L. First volunteer cavalry, Private George Reland, Troop G. First volunteer cavalry: Private F. A. Miller, Troop B. Tenth cavalry; Private D. V. Watson, Troop G. cavalry: Private John Damatt, L. First volunteer cavalry: Captain James H. McIntick, First voluntee cavalry; Lieutenant J. R. Thomas, pr. First volunteer cavalry; Private T. W. Wiggins, Troop B. First volunteer on Private Robert Z. Dailey, Troop P First volunteer cavalry; Private R. W. Reid, Troop G. First volunteer cavalry. Private Gains, Troop B. Tenth cavalry. Private Reilly, Troop B. First cavalry,

MIBSING. Private Merriam Camp, Troop G, First volunteer cavalry; Sergeant D. W. Bell, Takes Second Batch of Reinforce. ments to Shafter.

THE HARVARD SAILS.

Newport News, Va., June 26,-The uxiliary cruiser Harvard sailed at 2 o'clock this afternoon for Santiago, with the Ninth Massachusetts regicent and two battalions of the Thirtyfourth Michigan.

Thousands of people, gathered along the river shore, gave vent to their patriotic ardor by continued cheering as the stately cruiser moved slowly down the stream. The cheers were answered with enthusiasm by the troops who crowded the side of the vessel and caused her to list sharply on account of the unequal distribution of the weight. The departure of the Harvard from this port was in strong contrast to the Yale's departure from Old Point on Thursday with the first detachment reinforcements for Shafter. But w people assembled to see the Yale sail away, but this afternoon practicalthe entire population of Newport News bade farewell to the nation's de-

The Ninth Massachusetts regiment is ommand of Colonel Fred B. Bogan, and the Second and Third battalions the Thirty-fourth Michigan are nmanded by Colonel J. P. Peterson. The repair ship Vulcan followed the Harvard to sea,

### CAMARA'S FLEET IS AT PORT SAID

Said to Be on the Way to the Philippines, but Not to Manila -- Only Two Dangerous Ships in the Lot.

London, June 26 .- A dispatch from Alexandria, Egypt, states that the Spanish squadron with transports has arrived at Port Said. Lloyd's agent at Port Said telegraphs that the squadron consists of the battleship Pelayo, the armored cruiser Emperador Carlos Quintos, the torpedo boat destroyers Ossado, Audaz and Proserpina, the transports Patriota and Buenes Ayres and the Isla de Panay, Colon, Covadonga, Rapida and San Francisco,

Cairo, June 28.-Admiral Camara has not yet asked permission to coal at Port Said.

London, June 26.-The Madrid corespondent of the Sunday Times says: 'Admiral Camara's fleet will not go to Manila, but to another port in the Philippines to land troops in order to hold a strong position. The fleet will then be ready for action, and if Admiral Dewey wants to fight he will have to leave Manila bay. Admiral Dewey will thus either leave the bay unprotected or divide his fleet. This move has made a good impression

Madrid, June 26.-5 p. m.-The arrival of the Spanish fleet at Port Said causes no surprise here, Admiral Camara having announced that he was going to the Philippines.

The threat of the American government to attack the Spanish coast has had no effect. A third squadron is paring for the defense of the coast. A member of the cabinet in an interview today said: "Let them come. We will receive them as they deserve."

### ORDERED TO THE FRONT.

Fifteen Regiments at Chickamauga Get the Welcome Command.

Chickamauga Chattanooga National Military Park, Ga., June 26.-It is no longer a question that a large force of troops are about to be ordered from Camp Thomas to the front. An order was issued by command of Major Gen-Brooke today which virtually amounts to an order for the movement of fifteen regiments to Cuba. Among m are the Fourth and Sixteenth Pennsylvania. The order does not specify just when these troops will go or to what point they will be sent for embarkation, but is understood that they will go to Tampa for direct departure for Cuba.

That the order means an almost immediate movement was signified by the general rush this afternoon. The ordnance department received large stores, including Springfield rifles and other equipments sufficient to complete the fitting out of twenty regiments, As soon as these stores arrived they were rushed to the various regiments for which they were intended.

The order was received with enthusiism among all the regiments affected by it. In some of the camps the wildest sort of enthusiasm was manifested.

### WANT PEACE AT ANY PRICE.

Barcelona, June Di.-The Society of the Friends of Peace, consisting of members of the leading commercial and economic industries, have unanimously adopted resolutions urging upon the government to negotiate for peace. Several of those present advocated peace at ray

### Griner Guilty of Manslaughter.

Wilkes-Barre, June 26 .- The jury in the rial here charged with the murder of ais step-daughter, Caroline Shiffer, prought in a verdict of manslaughter at aidnight Saturday night. The jury was out thirty-six hours. Griner will be sentenced on Monday.

### Five Sailors Drowned.

Halifax, N. S., June 25 .- A letter from aptain Kall, on the steamer Philadel Vancouver, states that while at anthe rifles of Colonel Wood's men, and chor at Sand Point, straits of Magellan, the regular, deeper toned vollsy firing the pilot and four sailors were drowned The men were in a beat which upset near

### Prince Henry Backs Oat.

Berlin, June 21.-A dispatch received sere from Shanghai says Prince Herry apanese government expressed doubts a he possible attacks of fanctics.

### Spaniards Under Suspicion.

Key West, June 26.-Officers on the ockading vessels on the north coast of Cuba infer, from movements on small Spanish vessels in the harbor of Havana, that the Spaniards contemplate a sortie with the best fleet they can get together within a day or two.

### SPANISH SENTIMENT FOR PEACE GROWS

Prominent Newspapers Now Urge the Opening of Negotiations.

HEY BEMOAN THE FACT THAT DESERTED SPAIN IN HER ADVER-MUST IN NO CASE HEREAFTER AC-CEPT EUROPEAN INTERVENTION.

Madrid, June 26.—The cabinet held a ng session today for the purpose of evising national defences. Senor Sagsta, the premier, endeavoring to purunde his colleagues to defer the condeferation of demestic questions. Changes in the ministry were dis-

The tone of the newspaper press ! spendent and many journals bemean he fact that the powers have abanoped Spain while she is defending heir cause. They say that France, taying received commercial concesons from Washington, remains indiferent, while Germany keeps in the ack ground and Russia uses Spain as a cat's paw in her diplomacy. Spain must in no case, the papers declare, accept intervention of Europe. It would ic better to treat directly with the

It is hoped in official circles that he Spanish forces will be able to deend Santiago until General Pando's inforcements arrive there by forced sarches. The Americans are advance rg in three columns, via Aleares, Fir mega and Jaragua flanked by Insurgents, in order to force the Spanish eitions at Sevelle and Gran Pena.

Madrid, June 26, 6 p. m.-In view of the American threat to send a fleet to the peninsula, the government deems it advisable to be prepared for even tualities. The lights at certain ports have been extinguished, torpedoes have been prepared and additional guns have been mounted. The government has prohibited the despatch of telegrams from Cuba announcing the arrival of vessels which have "forced the

Madrid, June 26,-11 p. m.-El Im-parcial in an article which has creuted a sensation, urges direct negotiations with America for peace, the time comes, on the ground that Spain can get better terms from Amera's generosity, "as America will be only too delighted to dispense with European intervention." The article the "growing resentment against the powers,"

### FOES ARE ALMOST FACE TO FACE

The Battle of Santiago Is Almost Certain to Come Within a Week. General Shafter Expresses His Satistaction with the Work Done.

Copyright, 1898, by the Associated Press.) On board the Associated Press dis- vided and very difficult to concentrate. eatch boat Dandy, off Juragua, Aturday (6 p. m.), via Kingston, Jamaica, ments in the province of Santiago de Sunday, June 26 (3.30 p. m.).-Troops | Cuba on Thursday and Friday of last most face to face and less than four forces, miles apart. Tonight the picket lines tacked the Spanish near Santiago de at certain points are within halling Cuba o nthe morning of the 23d. but distance of the enemy. It seems certain that the buttle of Santiago must losses on the 23d and 24th were one come within a week.

here and at Balquiri, with the exception of a few scattered companies that bat of the 24th (Friday) alone had have gone forward. The supplies are | twelve killed, among these a captain, sufficient to enable the army to sustain a week's campaign at both landing points. There is a continual procession of small boats riding on will all be ashore by Tuesday, the 28th.

#### FAST WORK. The landing of troops, horses and

upplies has been extraordinary. With only one steam barge, and compelled to depend on treacherous and small oats, General Shafter has landed over 16,000 men, hundreds of horses and mules and thousands of dollars' worth of supplies on the exposed beaches and only two men have lost their lives. No more than fifty animals have been drowned and scarcely a package of supplies has been lost.

The officers generally are surprised at the smallness of loss of life and property. General Shafter said to a orrespondent of the Associated Press today: "I am well satisfied with the progress that is being made. The disenbarkation is slow but considering the limited facilities and the exposed nature of the landing places, the have done well. I only await the landing of sufficient supplies to begin the novement on Santiago, 1 am unable to say when it will take place. I am much pleased at the gallant conduct of our men in the action at Sevilla vesterday and with their cool and veteran-like work. The victory was com-

General Wheeler, in his official report, places the number of dead in the engagement at Sevilla as twenty-two and the wounded as between 75 and | ish coast in every emergency. so. No attempt has yet been made to prepare an official list with the names of the dead and wounded. The high grass and bushes of the battle ground make it difficult to find the bodies, but an official list will probably be prepaced by Monday. The bodies of thirty-nine Spaniards have been found and the Spanish loss in killed and vounded was doubtless much heavier than the American.

### Damaged by Wind and Fire.

Dubols, Pa., June 26.- During a heavy wied and rain storm yesterday the mair outlding of the J. Mahler Glass company's plant was blown down and set on fire work when the storm came, up out only one man was slightly injured. The en-tire plant, except the office and packing source was consumed. Loss, \$15,000; fully

### Prominent Hotel Burned.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., June 26.-The Clifton hotel, in Clifton, Ont., on the oppo-site side of the Ningara river, was destroyed by fire today, the estimated loss being \$100.000

### OUR NAVY IS PATIENT.

It Is Willing to Await the Progres Land Operations.

ght, 1898, by the Associated Press Off Santiago de Celia Jone 25, by the Associated Press dispatch boat, Kingscon, Jamaica, June 26 (6 p. m.)-While the army advances, the main portion of the fleet lies patiently in front of Morro Castle, awaiting its opportunity. Before the end of next week the fate of Santiago and Admiral Cervera should be decided.

By that time it is believed the Spanish troops will have been forced back upon the city and defeated in a decisive engagement. Simultaneously the forts at the mouth of the harbor should be captured, under cover of a naval bombardment.

Three things will then be left to Cervera-to surrender with his ships, to surrender after destroying his ships, or to make a dash out to sure destruetion. He may forestall fate by making an attempt to get out of the haroor before the army accomplishes its end. The first Spanish ship to appear off Morro castle would be sunk within fifteen minutes. Nothing in Admiral Cervera's fleet could survive the concentrated fire of all the battleships in the navy and three of the best cruis-

The general opinion among naval experts is that Santiago town will be burned by the Spanish troops before they surrender, that Admiral Cervera will destroy his ships and that he will then submit to the enemy.

# FROM A SPANISH

Passing Events in Havana as Reported by a Spanish Correspondent. The War Scare There Has Subsided, It Seems.

opyright, 1898, by the Associated Press.) Havana, June 26.-The people of Haans are getting accustomed to the blockade and the incidents of war times. Their courage is returning and they are once more resuming attendance upon religious services and participating in their customary amusements. The churches, theatres, parks and the bay are literally crowded. The ladies have chosen San Lazaro avenue as the chief promenade and drive, From that thoroughfare they can watch the movements of the blockading ships with glasses, and many a light jest falls from beautiful lips, Equestrians accompany the carriages and the military element, high in the favor of Cuban women, is conspicuusly in evidence

The festival of St. John the Baptist vas celebrated today. On the wharves and within the immediate vicinity were three full orchestras. The money collected will be employed in establishing free kitchens for the poor in every district in the city.

The insurgents, it is officially reported here, have sustained numerous losses in the province of Santa Clara. Their position there is growing worse and their bands are demoralized, di-

The official accounts of the engageof the United States and Spain are al- week represent that the American supported by artillery, atwere repelled with loss. The Spanish officer and eight soldiers killed and The troops are all ashore tonight three officers and twenty-four soldiers wounded. The Americans in the com

and fifty wounded. On Friday in front of Santiago there were twenty-two American warships in addition to supply ships. On Fribeach through the pounding surf and, day morning, at Balquiri, the Amerias one week's rations are already land- cans increased considerably, supported, it is believed the required supplies ed by artillery, renewed the attack. Among the attacking forces were insurgents hands shouting "Cuba libre." In the two engagements the Americans alone sustained no fewer than eighty lost, killed and wounded.

Key West, Fla., June 26 .- According to advices from Havana, farce comedy and light opera are attracting large audiences at the Albieu, Trijon and Lava theatres. The entire first page of La Lucha in a recent issue, was taken up in advertisements of the sailings of trans-Atlantic and coastwise vessels, but a slight examination disclosed the fact that all the sailing dates were the same-April 39. The official quotations for beef and yeal, according to latest account, were 55 cents a pound; lambs were 90 cents and pork \$1.15. A centene was quoted at \$5.30 gold, continuent to \$9.25 in silver and \$53 in paper currency.

### SPAIN'S LAST NAVAL HOPE.

London, June 24.-The Madrid correspondent of the Observer asserts that Spain has purchased three fine armored cruisers of 9,000, 7,500 and 4,235 tons, with a speed of twenty-five knots, which will form the nucleus of a third squadron which will be ready within three weeks and with which the government thinks it can protect the Caparies and the Span-

### Workester, Mass., June 26. The Wor-ester Gazette announces the ongagement laughter of the late Harrison Davis, of

this city.

Coach Lehman Engaged.

Mejor Bell a Pennsylvanian. Altoons. Pa., June 26.-Major James Bell, of the First United States earnly. who was wounded in the engagement near Santiago Friday, is a native of this ity, and a brother of ex-Sheriff 41, T.

#### Pire at Huntingdon, Pa. Huntingdon, Pa., June 29 .- Fire yester

ay destroyed the double business propcounted by J. B. Port. notions, Eby & Spooncybarger, hicycles, and 6. Chambers, clothier, Loss, \$10.000.

### Instructed for Guffey,

Uniontown, Pa., June 26.-The Demo-ratio central committee of Fayette counmet here yesterday and instructed the delegates to the state convention to support Colonel J. M. Guffey for governor,

# **SOLDIERS MEET DEATH** IN CRASH OF TRAINS

## Frightful Mishap to Torrey's Regiment of Rough Riders.

While the First Section of the Train Bearing Them to the Front Stopped at Tupelo, Miss., to Take Water, the Second Section, Rounding a Curve at Great Speed, Crashes Into It-Four Men Killed Outright and a Number Severely Injured—The Guilty Engineer Takes to the Woods.

in which four soldiers lost their lives and others received fatal injuries.
This afternoon Colonel Torrey's regi-

nent of rough riders from Cheyenne, Wyo., reached this plain via the Kansas City, Memphis and Birmingham railroad. The first section had stoped to take water when the second sec ion rounded a sharp curve in the track and dashed into it. In the rear of the tion was a sleeper containing Colnel Torrey and his regimental staff. This car was completely demolished, et, strange to say, every inmate es aped unscathed, except the colonel,

who is injured, though not seriously, The chief fatalities occurred in each in the center of the first section which carried Troop C, from Laramis Wyo. This coach was completely tele scoped and the soldiers within were ammed and bruised beneath the mas of broken car seats and other debris In the second section few were hurt and none dangerously. Action on the part of the soldiers was immediate to save their imperilled comrades, and with exes and ropes and buckets of water they worked like demons tearing away the wreckage to get at the wounded and dead. The wounded were removed to a vacant building in the

A HOODOOED REGIMENT. The sections contained Troops A. C. E. L. G and M. forming part of a regiment being transported to Jacksonville, Fla. It is the second United | bruises about the head. States volunteer eavalry and was raised by Coloney Torrey, its com- ing condition. The engineer who was mander, in the Booky Mountain te- reported missing, was seen tonight but gion, including the states of Wyoming, Colorado, Idaho, Nevada and Utah, juries that have caused bemorrhages, Those soldiers killed and mortally in- He is completely overcome on ac-jured are from the first named state. count of the deplorable affair.

Tupelo, Miss., June 26.—A railway | The regiment had the misfortune to accident occurred at 3.40 this afternoon | meet with a wreck in the yards at St. Joseph, Mo., Friday, in which two of the train erew were killed, and at St. Louis Saturday one of the soldiers was accidentally killed by being suffocated and falling from the train in the long tunnel at that place,

The fault of today's accident probably lies with the engineer of the second section, who was running too fast name of the engineer is Rawle and he has disappeared. The soldlers have threatened to lynch him if found The killed are:

WILLIAM B. WALLACE, Troop A. SAM JOHNSON, Troop C.

— GORDAN, calored porter,
CORNELIUS LONHIAN, Troop C. PRIVATE GIMMER, Troop L.

Fatally injured: HENRY S. MAPES, Troop C, both legs cut off; internal injuries Thirteen others sustained serious in-

THE COLONEL'S EXPERIENCE. Colonel Torrey was in the state room of the sleeping car, which was separated from the engine of the second section by a short caboose. The force of the impact carried the first section forward 300 yards. When the train stopped, Colonel Torrey found himself outside, beneath the wreckage, and although his feet were badly bruised he managed to clamber up the embankment. His other injuries are several

Later-Private Mapes is now in a dyas unable to talk. He received in-

### REINFORCEMENTS FOR GEN. GOMEZ

More Than Six Thousand Armed Insurgents Are Making Their Way to His Comp Nonr San Espiritu. Lively Encounter with Spaniards.

Key West, June 26,-9 a. m.-The

sloop Isabel came into port early this morning flying the Cuban flag. On her were Captain Rafael Mora, Lieutenant Felix de Los Rios and four others landed a large cargo of provisions of the Cuban army carrying special Subsequently a big brunch from the dispatches from the Cuban govern- Bahamas landed a cargo of food, ment to Senor T. Estrada Palma, of the New York Junta. These dispatches will be forwarded by the local junta. The Isabel left Cayo Romano, an island off the north coast of Cuba, last Sunday and had a smooth passage. The capital is at La Esperanza, in the Camaguey district, twenty-one miles from Cubitas, twenty-eight miles from the coast and twenty leagues from Neuvitas. All the members of the government are there except Vice-Presi-

mation from all parts of the island is Captain Mora reports that two days sefore he left Cayo Romano the Cubans sighted the fleet of American vessels carrying Shafter's army and the news |

dent Capote, who is in the United

States. The government's mall system

caused great rejoicing. On June 9 a heavy battle was fought Lope Recios, of the Cuban army, with a force of 1,500 men, and five thousand Spaniards. The Spaniards were do- the control part of the c feated and retreated. They buried destroyed. Loss. \$00.00. their dead in seventeen graves which the Cubans opened. Some of the graves contained eleven bodies, others ten, nine, six and two and so on. In all, (Copyright, 1888, by the Associated Press,) the Cubans counted 150 hodies and their scouts reported that 107 Spaniards were carried away on litters. The Cubana

### THE NEWS THIS MORNING

Weather Indications Today: Generally Fair; Variable Winds.

General - Detailed Account of the Rough Riders First Battle Spanish Newspapers Urge Negotiations

Soldiers Meet Death on the Rait.

General-News of the War at Washington Professional and Amateur Base Ball. Financial and Commercial. Local-Sermon by Rev. John A. Cara, of Philadelphia Sentence Day in the Courts.

Editorial. Growth of Our Oriental Trade.

Local-Troubles of the Revenue Col-Saturday's Races on the Speedway. Local-West Scranton and Suburban.

7 News Round About Scranton. General-Quiet Sunday at Camp Alger Feast Day of the Knights of Maita.

had nine men killed and thirty-two wounded. General Menocal, with 2,000 men armed with rifles, landed by the Flor-ida expedition at Port Banes, is on his way from Santlago province to reinforce General Gomez near San Espiritu, Last Sunday General Menocal was in 'amaguey province. He had two field pieces, one throwing dynamite, and expected to cross the Moron trochs with-

men is marching east to Join General Gomez. Neuvitas has been badly off for food, but recently a steamer arrived and

out trouble. A second army of 2,000

### BLANCO'S VERSION OF IT.

He Says We Lost Twelve Men, Including a Captain.

Madrid, June 25.-Captain General Brinco telegraphs from Cuba that the American troops engaged in the Santiago combat were "the Twelfth and Seventh infantry, four mounted squads of the First cavatry, four squads of the Twelfth and eight bodies of regular

has been perfected so that full infor- says, had twelve killed including a car-The Americans, Blanco's disputch tain. The Spanish losses are not ans

### FIRE IN MILVILLE, N. J.

Milicide, N. J., June 35.—The most disnations fire this city has ever had one n the Camaguey province by General curred this morning when the opera house and half a block of structures in the control part of the city were totally

### MARCHING TO SANTIAGO.

Kingston, Jamaica, June 24.-A Cobail agent who has arrived at Falmouth, Jaden, in an open sallboat, after a two zamillo, proorts that Loss Spanish truops from Manzanillo and the westward are merching toward Sautingo to temporce the Sparish soldiers if ere.

### Sagasta on the Peace Issue.

London, June 27 - The Madrid corre-"Sener Bagusta Yesterday said: more about peace asportations and the conditions for ending hostility are utterly groundless. The time has not arrived for speaking of peace."

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* WEATHER FORECAST.

Washington, June 28.-Forecast for Monday: For eastern Pennsylnture; northerly winds becoming

New York, June 27 .- (Herald's forecast)-In the middle states and New England, teday, tare and partis cloudy weather will presult with and nearly stationary followed by
 lower temperature and probably
 by local thunderstorms

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