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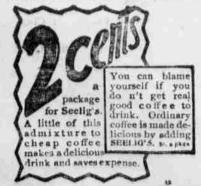
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THE CLERGY DECLARES FOR WAR

Leading Church Dignitaries Applaud the Sentiments Expressed in the Speech From the Throne Spain Determined to Involve the World in War.

Madrid, April 27.-- A proposal has seen submitted to the congress (lower house of the cortes) for obligatory mil-ltary service. The Republicans propose a revolutionary campaign in the chamber, in which case it is practically certain that the constitutional guarantees will be suspended.

Great enthusiasm has been aroused here by the report, as yet unconfirmed, that a Spanish gunboat has repelled an American destroyer at the entrance to

Today the entire senate went to the palace to deliver to the queen regent a reply to the speech from the throne. Last evening Cardinal Ciriaco Maria Sancha y Hervas, archbishop of Toledo, in a patriotic discourse extolled "union in face of the enemy," and declared in his own name and the name of Cardinai Cascajares y Azara, archthe speech from the throne. The at-

in Spain is much applauded.

The general tone of the papers bears out the opinion that the war will be a ong one. As Senor Silvela, leader of the Dissident Conservatives, has said. Spain has already lost the material advantages resulting from the possession of Cuba, but with fight to the last on the question of maintaining the flag, preferring to fight America rather than America secretly foment-

ing insurrection.

The result of defeat, as Senor Silvela puts it, will only mean a loss of what has already gone, since Europe would not allow any army of occupation in Spain pending the payment of war indemnity. The Conservative leader

"It daily becomes clearer that America has blundered into a war that will

point, but not justified beyond it."

The general opinion among Spaniards is that America has coveted Cuba from the first. A better balanced opinion, held by a few, is that she wished to secure a peaceful and prosperous Cuba owing to mutual commercial interests, but that, this obtained, the American government could not withstand the "jingo wave" which has swept the

long it "until European interests are involved and the powers are compelled to intervene in self defense, or until the expected general conflagration of Europe against Anglo-Saxon domina-

tion is brought about." Spain's determination to set the world ablaze rather than withdraw from the conflict dishonored is very

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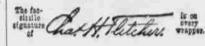
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The Spanish Malis Stopped. New York, April 27.—The exchange of mails between this country and Epain and all Spanish colonies has been stopped. Postmaster Van Cott received an order from Washington yesterday to hold all Spanish mail. Since all mail from the United States for Spain passes through this office the order stops all Spanish mail. Mails to Cuba are like wise stopped by the order.

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Japanese Cabiner Officer Resigns. Yokohama, April 27.-Baron Ito, the minister of commerce, has tendered his resignation, which has been accepted. Count Kaneko will succeed him.

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Our Peerless Marksmen. Fort Monroe, April 27.—Yesterday morning on board the big ships was spent in lively work. At a signal from the flagship all the vessels cleared for action and engaged in sub-caliber practice. In the afternoon sub-caliber practice was continued by the flagship. The remarkable markmanship of the men at the guns is a matter of much com-ment by the officers. Eight ten inch targets at a thousand yards, bobbing up and down on a rolling sea, were demotished by sub-caliber shots in no time, a pretty good indication of the of anything large that may come in the way.

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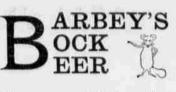
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The Captive Is the Panama, an Auxiliary Cruiser of the Spanish Navy, and Though | patring a cable She Carries Big Guns, No Resistance

Key West, Fla., April 27,-The lighthouse tender Mangrove, the haby of the navy, puffed proudly into Key West harbor yesterday with the richest prize of the war thus far, a vessel four times her size trailing in her wake. The captive was the Panama. Captain Quevedo, a big transatiantic liner, and an auxiliary cruiser of the Spanish mavy, which has been plying of late between New York and Herry St. navy, which has been plying of late between New York and Havana. She had 29 passengers, including three women, one Frenchmen and one Mexican, and a crew of 72. As the Panama carried two 12 pounders, she could easily have annihilated the little Mangrove, and as the latter came into harbor with her prize there was not a craft but saluted her with rousing cheers.

The Mangrove, under Lieutenant Commander William H. Everett, was cruising along the Cuban coast, navignost and long disease. C. H. Haseanbuch An Octoreometica Murdered, Lebanon, Pa. April 21.—Jounthum Armeld and in Scantil and the bound in Scantil and the Short and including three womens, and it is found that with and it is found that not been living was cruising along the Cuban coast, navignost.

cruising along the Cuban coast, navi-gated by Ensign Palmer, Monday even-Wood's Norway Pine Syrup sures congles and ing, about 20 miles north of Havana. At 5:45 p. m. she sighted the Panama. The only other ship of the fleet in sight was only other ship of the fleet in sight was the battieship Indiana, three miles to the rear. Lieutenaut Commander Everett scented a prize and soudded toward the stranger. When the latter came within range a shot from the Mangrove's 12 pounder was sent across har for these 14 are significant. The will also stress here bows, but the Spaniard ignored the remaining engineers with not stay until 10 a war and a long and the service increased has and a horse as the service increased has a servi challenge and went on. Another shot less given increased pay and a bonus as flags, was followed without result, but the Mangrove was drawing nearer the stranger, who calmly proceeded on her course. apparently without any intention of unning away. When the third shot was fired the

Mangrove was within a hundred yards of the Panama, and Lleutenant Commonder Everett shouted to the deck officer that if she did not surrender he would stuk her. The Mangrove's of-ficers admit that they expected the enemy's 12 pounder to open on them in response to the threat, but the Spantard promptly came to. Ensign Day-ton, the senior officer of the Mangrove. boarded the prize, Rear Admirul Samp son ordered Lieutenant Commande Everett to convoy the prize to Key

The Panama is of about 2,800 tone burden, and her passengers were mainly Spanish refugees fleeing from New York and other points in the United States to Havana. Captain Quevedo was grief stricken and greatly humili-

This makes five steamers thus far captured, in addition to a number of schoolers and small craft. The gun-boat Newport brought in two Spanish coasting versels gesterady—the sloop Paquette and the schooler Piorence.

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The United States cruiser Cincinnati Fernandez, of the Spanish army, who was returning to his family on a small sloop. Lieutenant Fernandez is detained on the flagship.

The news from Matanzas, Cardenas and Mariel is meager, but it indicates that the blockade has been firmly es-tablished at those ports. The torpede boat Foote is reported as having been fairly on the Matanzas batteries, but thus far not a single casualty of any kind in the fleet has been heard of on the flagship.

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Bianco Thinks He Can Defend Havana Madrid, April 27.—Captain General Blanco has cabled the government to the effect that the Spanish squadron of warships may be utilized elsewhere, Havana without the assistance of the

A little boy asked for a bottle of "get up in the morning as fast as you can," the druggist recognized a household name fo. "DeWitt's Little Early Risers," and gave hi. a bottle of those famous little pills for constipation, sick headache, liver and stomach troubles. C. H. Hagenbuch.

Lee Will Soub the Challenge. Richmond, Va., April 27.—General Fitzhugh Lee is on walting orders, and has no present intention of going to Washington until summoned there. He has received no challenge to a dust from Lieutenant Ramon de Carranga, late naval attache of the Spanish le-gation at Washington. He knows nothing more about the matter than what has been printed in the news-papers. Should a challenge come, General Lee will ignore it.

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Death of a Naval Officer. New York April 27, Commander Horace Elmer, until recently com-mander of the mosquito fleet, and who was recently, because of ill health, re-lieved by Admiral Erben, died at the Mansion House, in Brooklyn, last even-

Undertaking,

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states to Havana. Captain Quevedo was grief stricken and greatly humiliated because of the capture. The passengers declare they knew nothing of the blockade, and that when they saw the searchlight of the Mangrove they thought it was the light of a Spanish man-of-war. The first shot changed their joy to apprehension, the second and third created a panic. The women ran screaming for shelter from the enemy's guns, and the captain locked himself sullenly in his cabin.

The Panama carries a valuable cargo of general merchandise, including a large quantity of corn. Much of it was meant to provision the suffering Spaniards in Cuba, and the cargo, with the ship itself, undoubtedly makes the richest-prize thus far taken. Under the regulations, however, the battleship Indiana will share in the prize money, as she was in sight when the capture was made.

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