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#### SPAIN'S FUTILE PROTEST

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Spain's Intention to Resort to beivateering Does Not Alarm Washington Officials, as Great Britain, France and Germany Will Likely Interfere.

Washington, May 24.—The press ispatches from Madrid giving the sharp debate in the cortes over the alleged flying of the Spanish flag by American warships created much comment in naval circles. Spain's protest to the powers that this use of the flag was "cowardly and iniquitous" was dismissed by naval officers with the statement that international law writers agreed on the right to use an enemy's flag for purposes of deceit, so long as the flag is hauled down before a shot is fired. The United States naval regulations make specific pro-vision on this point.

The statement made by the Spanish minister of the interior that the government is likely to resort to priva-teering does not cause any apprehension among officials here. One of the highest authorities of the navy depariment said Spain would adopt pri-vateering if she felt it to be to her interest without waiting for this country to give any pretext for such action. It is felt, however, that Great Britain, Germany and France will have considerable to say in case Spain resorts to privateering. The commerce of these countries with the United States would suffer very severely by Spanish priva-teering, and its effect would be far more disastrous to these foreign interests than to the shipping of the United States. It was this influence of Great States. It was this influence which Britain, Germany and Farnce which vateering, and it is not thought probable these influences will now consent to have their commerce destroyed.

It was stated at the navy department late yesterday afternoon Man no dispatches of any kind relating to the movements of the fleets or the prospect of an engagement had been received during the day, and that the only dispatch received related to an inconsequential prize case. As the ships are now at sea, there is no expectation of reports until a decisive engagement occurs and the dispatch boat gets to a port or it is found Cer-vera has cluded our search. In the meantime there is a complete lack of data by which to forecast the coming

engugement. Commander Hemphill, who has charge of the naval enlistment, has made out a table showing that the recent recruiting of the navy has swelled that branch of the service by recruits from the following states: Maine, 99; New Hampshire, 22; Massachusetts, 1,-474; Rhode Island, 150; New York, 1,-780; New Jersey, 318; Pennsylvania, 406; Maryland, 444; District of Columbia, 401; Ohio, 67; Michigan, 304; Illinois, 182; Wisconsin, 32; Minnesota, 154; Missouri, 54; Virginia, 255; North Carolina, 95; South Carolina, 115; Georgia, 17; Tennessee, 8; Louisiana, 151; Texas,

81; California, 606; Florida, 113. The French government has taken opportunity to pay graceful compliment to this country by informing the french embassy that an artist has been instructed to make a copy of the famous picture "The Battle of Yorktown," which is one of the priceless treasures of the French National Gallery at Versailles, to be sent to the em-bassy at Washington. The picture shows the notable incident in American history when the British commander. Lord Cornwallis, surrendered to Gen-

eral Washington. The announcement by way of Paris that the Italian government had prothat the Italian government had pro-tested against the continuance of the blockade of the Cuban coast on the ground that it was ineffective met a prompt denial at the state department, and it can be stated definitely that neither in Washington nor in Rome has any representations on this subject been addressed to the United States government. As a matter of fact, Italy probably is the maritime power of all THE FAVORITE FAMILY NEWSPAPER others with which the United States has had absolutely no correspondence in the slightest degree connected with the Cuban blockade.

As to the allegation that the blockade is inclinetive, it is said, on the con-trary, but it has been singularly successful and that so far as known not a single neutral ship cubject to detention has passed the lines without the express consent of our government. The Montserrat, it is true, did enter Clenfuegos harbor before our blockading ships had time to get around the south side of Cuba and establish the blockade, and she did manage to get No journal is more extensively circulated or out at night. But she is a Spanish ship, has a wider circle of readers in Pennsylvania and Spanish specimens the only nation and Spain is perhaps the only nation in the world that has lost the power to enter a protest gainst a blockade, being a combatant herself. It is only for neutral powers to enter such pro-tests, and none of them has as yet the

slightest pretext for such action.
With the beginning of the present week all Spanish vessels in United States ports, which sailed after the outbreak of the war, are subject to seizure, as well as all Spanish merchantmen found on the high seas, save where they left port for the United Specimen Copies Sent Free-Send for one States before April 21 last,

No sutters are to be permitted to a company the army during the war. To up for any deficiency in supplies which might be missed by debarring the sutlers the department has decided to enlarge very materially the list of articles which will be kept on hand by the commissary's department. All these will be supplied to the officers and sol-diers at cost price. Many applications have been received from persons who are anxious to receive appointments entitling them to accompany the army with a suffer's privilege.

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Four Jockeys Injured, Two May Die, St. Louis, May 21,-Four lockeys were injured in the third race at the fair grounds track yesterday afternoon. The accident occurred just as the horses were turning into the home stretch, Dick Collins failing and bringing down several other horses. lockeys most seriously injured are Snell and Gilmore, while Hotherson and Duran are not so badly hurt. The first two named may die.

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Trouble in Securing Transports to Carry Them to Manila.

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They Now Carry the British Flag, and Must Be Given American Register If Accepted-The First Manila Expedition May Leave at Any Hour.

Washington, May 24.—Much comment id some criffeism have been caused y the delay in forwarding troops to he Philippine Islands to support Admiral Dewey. Both the comment and the criticism had their origin in the lesire for the people that the fruits of Dewey's britiant victory at Manila should not be endangered by any lack of assistance from either the mayy or

war departments.

It is known now, however, that troops would have been sent to Manila strong, vigorous and healthy before this had it been possible for the war department to secure transports on the Pacific coast. The utmost difficulty is being experienced by the department in obtaining such transports. The coastwise trade on the Pacific is not large as compared with that on the Atlantic, and a majority of the vessels their own signatures, to this fact of the respective of the trade are of foreign register. Of course ships flying a foreign flag cannot be used as transports.

Mrs. Corn M. Mcarte and Mrs. Corn M. Mrs. Cor before this had it been possible for the register. Of course ships flying a for-eign flag cannot be used as transports by the government, as such use would constitute a violation of the neutrality frantient of an entry instance of the areas. I was a frantient of an entry instance of the mation whose flag the ship line but register for the bu

The war department is now negotiating by telegraph with the Pacific Mail Steamship company for the charter of the first day! began to in two of the company's vessels, the Chinn and the Colon. The Colon files American colors, but the China is under the Stemash and liver to the war department and the steamship company is now one of price. Whether satisfactory terms will be agreed upon terming in doubt. emains in doubt.

Last night Assistant Secretary Melklejohn received a telegraphic offer from
the agent of the Northern Pacific
Steamship company at Seattle placing
at the disposal of the department the
company's entire fleet of steamers provided they be given American register.
The ships are the Tacoma, Arizona,
Olympia, Columbia, Victoria and Argyil, All are British built vessels and
fly the British flag.

Miss Williams, of Chicago, Will Be
the Militury, Lender's Bride,
Chicago, May 24.—The formal announcement of the engagement of Miss
Laura Williams, daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. Norman Williams, of Chicago, and
grandaughter of the late Judge John
Dean Caton, to Major General Westey.
Metritt, military governor of the Philipoint Stands, was made generally.
Miss Williams is about 22 years ob.

The likelihood is that the war de- circles. partment will order such vessels of the Northern Pacific Steamship company as may be needed to San Francisco, tached to the 6 o'clock Omaha train of and then ask congress to give them an American register in order that they may promptly convey the waiting troops to Manila. It is the desire of same reticence. Ing those to be sent to the Philippines on Saturday next shall go not later than Wednesday, June 1. It is imperatively necessary that they be gotten to Manila as soon as possible, but in order that they may so at all it will be quite necessary that some foreign ships be given American register.

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Daty Defeats McPartland. New York, May 24.—Jack Daly, of Wilmington, Del., got a decision over Kid McPartiand, of this city, after hav-ing fought 102 rounds in the Lenox Athletic club last night. This result was unlooked for, but McPartiand has only himself to blame, as he lost his temper, and after being cautioned half a dozen times struck his opponent in a clinch. The bout was a ratifling good one while it lasted, but from the eighth round it was very evident that Daly would get the better of McPartland, as the latter lost control of his temper.

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the Presoyteman Assembly, Winona Lake, Ind., May 24.—The pro-eedings of the Presbyterian General Assembly yesterday were of a routine character. As yet no skin of the Princeton Inn or the McGiffert case has been seen. In the latter case individuals are laboring to secure in-structions to the New York presbytery to proceed to judicial byvestigation of the alleged heresies of Union seminary's professor of history. This case may come up at any time, but the Ill the end of the week, with the temperance report.

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Colone: Cooper's Sentence, Coloned Comper's Sentence,
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Boggs in the lover bank defalcation,
was sentenced to a line of \$5,000 and
costs and imprisonment of 18 months
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