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SPAIN'S FINANCES LIKE HER FLEETS.

Special to EVENING HERALD.

Madrid, Aug. 1.—Great disappointment is felt that the United States does not make Cuba recognize part of the Cuban debt, which Spain guaranteed. Barely \$20,000,000 in Cuban bonds, chiefly 8 per cents, are held by foreigners, mostly French and Germans. The rest are held by Spaniards and the Bank of Spain.

Including all her guarantees, Spain has the prospect of saddling her finances with the interest and amortization of over \$300,000,000 of Cuban treasury debts. Spain has also to face the cost of building a new navy and of pacifying the Philippines, where she has also guaranteed bonds issued in 1897 to the amount of \$40,000,000.

DEBTS OF CUBA AND THE PHILIPPINES.

Special to EVENING HERALD.

London, Aug. 1.—According to a special received by the Daily Telegraph from Madrid if Cuba and the Philippines repudiate their debts Spain will all the more be anxious to pay, as the debts are mostly held by Spaniards residing in the Peninsula. Moreover, if there had been no war with the United States the payment of the debt would have devolved on Spain.

THE TEXAS GOES INTO DRY DOCK.

Special to EVENING HERALD.

New York, August 1.—The battleship Texas went into dry dock today. The repairs on her will be done as rapidly as possible. The work may take longer than was expected, as the Texas struck a rock at Dry Tortugas last March, and the amount of damage done at that time is not known.

DESPATCHES FROM THE PHILIPPINES

Special to EVENING HERALD.

Washington, Aug. 1.—A conference is in progress at the White House this afternoon. The object is to consider the serious situation in the Philippines and important despatches from Admiral Dewey and General Merritt.

ARMY OF OCCUPATION IS DECIDED UPON

Special to EVENING HERALD.

Washington, Aug. 1.—It is announced today that an army of fifty thousand men will be sent to Cuba when the war is ended. General Fitz-Hugh Lee will be in command.

Thorn Electrocuted.

Special to EVENING HERALD.

Sing Sing, N. Y., Aug. 1.—Martin Thorn was today electrocuted for the murder of William Guldenstetter. The man maintained to the last the same calm manner which marked his conduct from the moment of his arrest and which made him such a remarkable criminal during his trial.

THE SILVER DEMOCRATS.

Followers of W. J. Bryan Will Issue a Call to Nominates a Ticket.

Pottsville, Aug. 1.—The free silverites who are dissatisfied with the action of the Democratic county convention in ignoring the monetary question, met here this morning in conference and discussed the political issues, and the advisability of placing a ticket in the field that will be loyal to the Chicago platform and to William Jennings Bryan. The result of their deliberations was the adoption of the following:

Believing that it is for the best interest of all who support the free coinage of silver that all who believe in the free coinage of silver at the rate of 16 to 1 should act for a common purpose, the following persons: Philip Breitenman, Pottsville; Dennis Gildea, Coaldale; John Murphy, Schuylkill Haven; W. J. Haldeeman, Pinegrove, and J. C. McKenna, Fort Carbon, were designated to issue a call, jointly with the Bimetallic organization, for a convention favorable to bimetalism.

One of the prominent leaders of the Democratic party from the west end of the county, who participated in the conference, said: "There is much discontent among bimetalists, who believe that Bryan is entitled to a proper endorsement, and are determined that a ticket shall be nominated that will give the people an opportunity to express their loyalty to the Chicago platform. The leaders in control of the Democratic convention sacrificed their manhood and principles for public office."

Whether or not it is proposed to nominate a full county ticket, could not be learned, but the bimetalists seem determined to nominate a candidate for Congress at least, and it is likely a full ticket will be placed in the field.

Petitions are being signed in the various districts, in a call for a county convention.

Is There a Deal On?

There are rumors afloat around town that three of the Democratic School Directors will enter a caucus with the Citizens Directors to-night to fix up a slate of teachers to be elected Wednesday night. In the deal, it is rumored, Directors Whitaker, Sullivan and one other not satisfied with the allotment of teachers made are to get what they want. Whitaker will get his brother, former superintendent M. P. Whitaker, for one school. It is also rumored that some of the old teachers are to get the G. R. under the new deal. Verily Shenandoah politics are past finding out!

Mr. Metz Returns.

After an absence of several weeks from town Jesse G. Metz has returned and to-day assumed the management of the Ferguson House. Mr. Metz will be remembered as manager of the Hotel Franey while the hotel was under the proprietorship of J. J. Franey. His return will be pleasing to his town friends and the hotel guests.

All kinds of vegetable and flower seeds, and plants at Payne's nurseries, Girardville. Electric cars pass the door.

SPANIARDS MUST REPLY

Enemy's Cabinet Now Discussing Our Demands.

FURTHER DELAYS ARE IMPROBABLE.

An Answer May Be Expected Within Twenty-four Hours.

FUTURE OF THE PHILIPPINES.

An Amendment Inserted in Our Demands in Response to the Request of M. Cambon, Who Is Given Full Power to Act For Spain—It Is Believed We Are to Retain a Stronger Foothold in the Islands Than a Simple Coaling Station.

Washington, Aug. 1.—The persons best informed as to the probabilities declare that the answer of the Spanish government to the terms of peace outlined by the government of the United States is not to be expected before tomorrow. This opinion is based upon a knowledge of the time when the United States' communication was received in Madrid, which was not until an early hour yesterday morning, the time required to decipher it, the necessity for an extended consideration of the matter by the Spanish cabinet, and also the necessity for carefully framing the rejoinder. It is not unusual to have a statement to question in any manner the full plenipotentiary powers of M. Cambon, the French ambassador, in dealing with the subject. On the contrary, they are in latitude wider than those usually conferred in such cases. But his position is somewhat similar to that of the president himself, who is obliged to secure the sanction of the United States senate to any treaty of peace that he may prepare, for the ambassador must submit to the Madrid cabinet for its approval any agreement that he may enter into.

But in the drafting of such an agreement he is fully authorized to proceed in his discretion, and to guard against any possibility of repudiation of his word, he has been given the minutest definition of the concessions that will be made by the Spanish government on every point that by any possibility could be expected to arise in the course of the negotiations. It was not known to our government that M. Cambon had such powers when he appeared on Saturday afternoon at the White House to receive the American answer, but once the president was satisfied that he was competent to deal in an authorized manner with our government, the proposition with his credentials was hailed with satisfaction, as tending to hasten the reaching of an agreement without loss of time and in the most direct manner, for technically the United States is now treating with Spain without the intervention of any third power. It may be said also that M. Cambon is proceeding with extraordinary forwardness towards his object, and that there is no fear of devious diplomacy being introduced into the negotiations.

There is much speculation as to the nature of the amendment in the answer of the United States that the ambassador succeeded in inducing President McKinley to make, after the document had been so carefully constructed by his cabinet. All that can be known is that it relates to that part of the answer which deals with the future of the Philippines. It is known that the Spanish efforts were concentrated upon the retention of the islands, and the Madrid cabinet was willing to make almost any sacrifice in its power to secure that end. Whether or not the amendment provides for the retention of the islands, but there is reason to believe that the success he attained was limited, and that the United States proposes to retain some foothold a little more important than a simple coaling station in the islands.

Had our demands been limited to a coaling station there would have been no doubt of its acceptance, and it is even probable that the concession might have been made of a considerable tract of land for a naval station and a supporting zone. But it is believed that there was strenuous objection to the cession of the city of Manila, the metropolis of the group, and particularly to the reference to a commission of the question of the future government of the islands, for the Spanish government is desirous that its full sovereignty shall remain unaffected and without question. It is assumed that it was this point which was the subject of amendment at the hands of the president, though what form that change took is still unknown. As some mention has been made in the public discussions of the possibility of the acquisition of one of the Caroline Islands, it may be stated authoritatively that the matter has not been considered by the cabinet up to this time.

The demands of our government as presented to Ambassador Cambon were as follows: Cuba will be free from all control of Spain and handed over to the United States for the establishment therein of a stable government in whatever way the United States may deem best.

Porto Rico and all of the Spanish islands in the West Indies, save Cuba, will become the property of the United States. Guahan, a port in the Ladrones islands, and the whole island of Guahan, over which the American flag now floats, will remain an American possession.

Over whatever territory the Stars and Stripes float in the Philippine islands, and that means Manila, such territory will remain for the present an American possession, and a commission is proposed for the settlement of the question as to what shall be done with the remainder of the Philippines and such other questions as may come up in the peace negotiations.

Nothing is heard about an indemnity or about any other questions. There is no mention of the Caroline Islands and no intention on the part of the government, if Spain accepts the terms submitted, to require the cession of those islands.

The cabinet decided unanimously that no part of Spanish debt which she has issued in the form of Cuban bonds shall be assumed by Cuba or the United States. Nothing, however, is said in the answer about the Cuban debt.

Typoid Victims at Camp Alger. Washington, Aug. 1.—Twenty-two more cases of typhoid fever were removed yesterday from Camp Alger to the post hospital at Fort Myer for treatment, and 20 patients received at the First division hospital and classed as suspects. Among these taken to Fort Myer are First Lieutenant Hoffa, of the Thirtieth Pennsylvania; Private Joseph Highter, J. L. Schryver, H. P. McCarty, S. Henry, Edward Hines and E. P. Langhorne, of the Twelfth Pennsylvania. At the division hospital are Privates E. H. Cokley, Layton Williamson, H. Kubel, Porter Burkholder, Stewart Null, Samuel Welmouth, Martin Avery, Daniel Shultz, Simon Long, Thomas Boyle, Joseph Bright, B. T. Smith and William Russell, all of the Twelfth Pennsylvania, and Arthur Hising, Thomas Gilles and Samuel Davis, of the Thirtieth Pennsylvania.

Bringing Home the Sick Soldiers. New York, Aug. 1.—The United States transport Concho, Captain Samuel Risk, which sailed from Santiago on the 23rd with 125 sick officers and men, arrived at Hampton Roads on the 27th inst., and was placed in strict quarantine by the United States medical officer at that place. The Concho remained at anchor for three days, and during that time five deaths occurred on board. Not being permitted to bury the dead on shore, the transport was obliged to proceed to sea, where the bodies of five men were prepared for burial and consigned to the deep. The Concho was then ordered to proceed to New York, where the sick have been transferred to hospitals.

Reported Bombardment of Nevittas. Key West, Aug. 1.—Reports have reached here that Nevittas, on the north coast of the province of Puerto Principe, Cuba, has been bombarded by the ships of the blockading squadron, evacuated by the Spanish and subsequently burned. No details are known, and the only information of the affair is that given to Captain Maynard, of the gunboat Nashville, by Lieutenant Colonel Rojas, of the sergeant forces at Gibara, last Tuesday.

August 1 Again in Despair. Manila, Aug. 1.—The governor general of Manila, telegraphing under date of July 25, says that all is indispensable to resist the imminent attack of the American forces under General Merritt. The foreign warships in the bay, the dispatch says, answered the salute in honor of the queen's saint day, and the American vessels displayed the American flag.

Notice to the Public.

I wish to announce to the people of Shenandoah and vicinity that I will move to the borchard building on Centre street, now occupied by the Star Clothing House, on August 15th. Until that date I will sacrifice my entire line of men's, boys' and children's clothing, hats and caps, gentlemen's furnishings goods.

Lost Two Horses.

The Columbia Brewing Company has lost two horses. They were overcome by the heat on Saturday while on their return from Locust Gap. John Yeager, the driver, left one at Brownsville and managed to get the other to the company's stable, where it died during the night. The second horse was removed from Brownsville to the stable of Dr. Longacre, the veterinary surgeon, and that horse died there yesterday. The loss is a heavy one to the company, as the horses were two of the best in the delivery service.

Watermelons and Cantalopes

Right off the ice. One carload received today. They are guaranteed to be all ripe and sweet. Sold wholesale and retail. All our fruit is always kept on ice. Fresh claims received daily. Also special for Saturday: Jersey sweet potatoes, Jersey sweet cantalopes, California peaches, Sprink chickens, At Colet's, 26 South Main street.

Schuylkill Soldiers Dead.

The remains of George W. Schneider, of Minersville, who died at Chickamauga, arrived at Minersville today. The deceased was a member of Company F, 4th Penna. Regt., and when his regiment left for Porto Rico he was compelled to remain behind because of illness. His family is in destitute circumstances, and friends have raised sufficient to give the young man a soldier's burial.

Brook Gross, of Pottsville, who was in the same company with Schneider, has also died at Chickamauga. Both were recruited by Sergeant Fyle when he returned to Pottsville to fill the quota of his company.

Bickert's Cafe.

Bean soup, free, to-night. Calf's liver and potato salad to-morrow morning.

Labor Lost.

Somebody opened the gate of the dog pound Saturday night and released a number of captives made by the High Constable.

Kendrick House Free Lunch.

Vegetable soup will be served, free, to all patrons to-night.

Must Stamp All Orders.

In beneficial organization circles recently there has been much discussion as to whether the organizations were exempt from the provisions of the internal revenue law. The following is the decision of Revenue Collector McClain, of Philadelphia: "All orders drawn for the payment of money by the national, state or subordinate lodges must have a two cent revenue stamp affixed."

DISTRESSING ACCIDENT

Town People Lose Their Child While Visiting Pottsville.

MANGLED BY A TROLLEY CAR!

The Victim Ran in Front of the Car and Was Crushed Beneath the Wheels Before the Eyes of the Parents.

Remains Brought Home.

Florence Stella Eisenhower, daughter of Ida and Mary M. Eisenhower, of town, was the principal figure in a most distressing accident at Pottsville on Saturday evening. The child was aged 8 years, 5 months and 9 days and at the time of the accident was accompanied by her parents, who were on their way with their three children to spend Sunday with Mr. Eisenhower's parents at Palo Alto.

The child, Florence, was killed by an electric car at the corner of Centre and Main streets, in front of Clemons' drug store, a few minutes after seven o'clock Saturday evening. Her body was terribly mangled, the right leg being cut off close to the hip, the right arm severed at the elbow and the right hand just above the wrist. The victim survived but a few minutes after the accident.

Mr. Eisenhower and his family went to Pottsville on the 6:40 p. m. Pennsylvania Railroad train. Upon arrival at Pottsville they walked down Centre street on the west side as far as Wildman's store and stood on the crossing, waiting for the electric car to pass. The child was standing on the sidewalk, and when the car approached and when Mr. Eisenhower was in the act of raising his hand to stop it, Florence broke the hold her brother had on her hand and ran on the track. The car was not going fast, but it is against the rules to stop a car on the near crossing. The motorman did not stop, neither could he see the child's act in time to bring the car to a halt. The little one was struck by the front end and thrown to the ground. Then she rolled to the side of the track and was caught by the wheels. In a moment the wheels had passed over the frail body.

The mangled form was carried into Clemons' drug store and Dr. P. H. O'Hara, who witnessed the accident, attended the child, but found her beyond human aid. The remains were brought to town by the parents yesterday morning.

The family resides at the corner of Gilbert and Lloyd streets, but they are now stopping at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drumheller, 334 West coal street, and the funeral will take place from the latter residence at one o'clock to-morrow afternoon. Services will be held in the United Evangelical church and interment will be made in the Old Fellows cemetery.

Bicycle supplies and novelties of every description at Brown's.

POLICE CASES.

Officer Hurley Was Not Thwarted by a Revolver.

At about 11:30 o'clock Saturday night Walter Jenuski and Arthur Jerefski were engaged in a fight with William Mickanawicz, at the latter's saloon on West Lloyd street, when Policeman Hurley put in an appearance. As the officer stepped into the place a revolver was pointed at his head by Jerefski, but Hurley was equal to the emergency and snatched the weapon from the hand of the man and Jerefski and Jenuski were taken to the lockup. After a hearing before Justice Galt in default of payment of fines and costs, yesterday Jerefski made payment, but was again held on a charge of carrying concealed deadly weapons.

Have Ball.

One of the greatest games of base ball ever played on the grounds at Frackville played there yesterday between the team of that place and a nine from Gilberton. The attendance was the largest ever seen on the grounds and enthusiasm ran high. The game was well played by both sides and the victory was well won by the Gilberton nine. The score was 12 to 8. The Gilberton team went into the contest well prepared, having the assistance of a battery from Match Chuck especially engaged for the occasion.

The game at Ashland on Saturday between the Leont Dale team and the St. Nicholas Blues was won by the latter, the score being 10 to 3.

A team composed of the released players of the Doctors and Druggists will play the regular team at the Trotting park to-morrow afternoon. The game will be called at 2:30 o'clock.

Fountain pens, from 25c to \$2.50 at F. J. Partz's.

Hose Tested.

The balance of the hose belonging to this borough which was used at the recent Win. Penn mine fire, was tested by the fire department on Saturday, at the corner of Main and Lloyd streets. Superintendents Golden and Lewis, of Wm. Penn, were present. Four sections of the hose burst and one coupling pulled out. This makes a total of fourteen sections or 700 feet, of hose that burst. A pressure of 170 pounds was used. Once it was raised to 180 pounds, all condemned hose, it is understood, is to be paid for by the coal company. The matter will probably be adjusted at Council's meeting next Thursday night.

Notice to Water Consumers.

Notice is hereby given that the water will be turned off daily from 7:30 p. m. until 5:30 a. m. commencing August 1st, 1898. By order of the water committee, Joseph Bell, chairman.

Wedding Bells.

Wallace Payne, formerly of Ashland, and Miss Annie Taylor, of Girardville, were quietly married at Newark, N. J., of which place they are both now residents.

Ferdinand Rehand and Miss Amelia Hecker, two well known young people of Ashland, were married on Saturday.

Harry Evans and Miss Sybilla Townsend, both of St. Clair, were joined in marriage by Rev. Acordly.

Relatives Sought.

Patrick Tully died suddenly yesterday from heart disease, at the home of Cornelius Rodden, at Beaver Brook, Luzerne county. Tully was 36 years old. All his relatives reside in or near Shenandoah and Ashland and Mr. Rodden was in town today trying to locate them. The funeral will take place at Beaver Brook to-morrow, at two o'clock.

The Mahanoy City Races.

The Mahanoy City Athletic Association announces another bicycle race meet for the weekend of August 13th. Entries to the handicap races close on the 10th inst., to other races on the following day. Valuable prizes are offered for the one-mile novice, half mile dash, one mile lap race, one mile handicap and five mile handicap.

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