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MESSAGE

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ITS NATURE NOT YET KNOWN

But Believed to Concede All Vital

Points.

No One Not in Accord With President's Views as to the Disposition of the Philippines Will Be Appointed-Our Government Will Stand by the Terms Indicated in the Answer to the Spanish Malarial Fever Had Rendered Three-Government

Washington, Aug. 9 .- The reply of the Spanish government to the peace enditions laid down by the United States was received by the French umbassador, M. Cambon, yesterday afternoon. The reply came in sections, the dispatch first received giving only the opening passages of the Spanish reply. A few minutes later another dispatch brought a second section, and these kept coming uninterruptedly by a procession of messengers until seven sections of the Spanish reply had been received at 4 o'clock, when the last part was still to arrive. In the meantime the cipher experts were at work and by 4:30 o'clock they were abreast of all that portion of the reply received up to that time, and there was a full of some time, pending the arrival of the

Pending the receipt of the complete ply no steps were taken to fix a time or a conference with the president, as the time for that depends largely upon some of the features of the reply, and also upon the explicit instructions con cerning the delivery of the answer which usually accompanies a docu-ment of this solemn character. Neither at the White House nor at the state department was there any official know-ledge that the reply had reached Washington, and the usual office hours closed with no appointment made for a con-

Pending the official delivery of the prehend serious danger." answer speculation was rife as to its contents. There was little or no further FIGHTING RESUMED doubt that the length of the reply meant that Spain had not given a simple and direct affirmative to the American conditions. It was evident that if the reply was an acceptance it was accompanied by extended discussion and probably by conditions. This that week that spain would surely yield in every particular, it began to be felt that possibly there might be another period of discussion and possibly an indirect attempt to open up a Spaniards on July 31st. The fighting was been discussed and possibly an indirect attempt to open up a Spaniards on July 31st. The fighting was been discussed attempt to open up a Spaniards on July 31st. The fighting was been discussed attempt to open up a Spaniards on July 31st. The fighting was been discussed at the presented a lengthy financial statement with the following introductory:

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All vital points were believed to be establishment of a commission to pass upon questions relating to the Phillip

The communication offering those terms was explicit, specifically stating such points as would be left open to forther negotiation. We will stand on

The administration has not yet given serious consideration to the personnel of the peace commission, but it can be stated no one not in accord with the president's present views as to the dis-position of the Philippines will be apthe whole of Luzon Island. As to members of the cabinet as members of the commission, there are precedents for their appointment, notably the treaty

The concluding portion of the Spanhour that it was deciphered as a whole and gone over by the ambassador. No effort was made to communicate it to night beyond a note to Secretary Day advising him that the document had will be at once ordered to Spain's coast. been received, but not disclosing its contents. It is probable that the reply SPAIN ACCEPTS, BUT will be delivered to the president be fore the cabinet meeting today, al-

though no hour has been fixed.

There is complete reticence in all quarters as to the text of the reply, but there is reason to believe it is not an unqualified acceptance of the American terms, but is framed on the theory of accepting the essentials and trusting to a hoped for conciliatory spirit on the part of this government to moderate to some extent features which the Spanish go ernment seems to regard as

LACK OF MEDICINES.

Insufficent Medical Attendants For the Daily Wants of Shafter's

Command. Washington, Aug. 9.-General Shafter, in a report to the war department. In his official report to Madrid Admiral Ceremphatically denies that he is responsible for the inadequate provision made for the sick and wounded brought from Captain General Blanco for his entrance into Seneca and Concho. Everything pos-sible, he says, was sent with the sick and wounded. The matter of shortage of water, he says, is inexcusable. He concludes his report as follows:

"There is no excuse for lack of food as there has at all times been plenty of that. I have no doubt that many more were put on the ship than should have been, owing to the great desire to get home, as they had the fear of yellow fover, and were almost wholly without hospital accommodation.

"The sick and wounded had only the elothing on that they were into battle, and of course that was ragged and worn out by the time they reached home. There was none to issue to them at the time they left, and their own extra clothing they could not get at. There has never been a case of at. There has never been a case or suffering here that could be remedied by the means at hand that was not at tended to. The surgeons have worked as well as any men that ever lived, and their complaint has been universal of lack of means and facilities. From the day the forces left Tampa PERSONNEL OF THE COMMISSION. until the present time there have never been sufficient medical attendants or medicines for the daily wants of the Three times since reaching Cuba has the command been almost

THAT "ROUND ROBIN."

fourths of Shafter's Soldiers Unfit For Service.

Washington, Aug. 9.-General Shafter telegraphed the president regard-Ing the publication of the "round robin" migned by the general officers of his

command as follows:
"I can very readily see what intense excitement the publication must have occasioned—a great deal more than the ly aggravated from the fact that before any of the men were taken ill were thoroughly exhausted. least 75 per cent, of the command had been flown with malarial fever, from recommendations embraced in the rewhich they recover very slowly and are yellow fever or dysentery. Placed here then read now in the condition in which they were when they came here. I do not believe they would be in any sparticular danger. The regiment of immunes that recently arrived is not suffering at all, and I do not believe they will. They can keep out of the sun, are well clothed and well fed. What put my command in its present condition was the twenty, days of the campaign when they had nothing but meat, bread and coffee, without change of clothes, without any shelter whatever, and during the period twice as stormy as it has been since the surrender. Fresh troops reaching here in the middle of August, with good camps. good water, abundance of tentage, which they will find here, need not ap-

AT MANILA.

Special to EVENING HERALD.

that place and the Spaniards.

diplomatic exchange on the nature of spirited and both sides fought desperately. Over 3,000 Spaniards attacked the Ameri-

conceded—the abandonment of Cuba, can forces, but the former were repulsed. Porto Rico and the Ladrones and the The battle raged for three hours, and when

Special to Evening Herald.

drafted back from Carboners and adjacent posts to Algeeiras for redraft at their homes, while armaments are still being poured into Algeeiras. Eight 24-centimetre guns arrived yesterday. Two trains, laden with warlike stores and ammunition, are at Cordova awaiting instructions. The whole arrangements are delightfully confused.

Washington, Aug. 9.—Admiral Sampson's drafted back from Carboners and adjacent pointed, and Mr. McKinley favors keeping at least Manila harbor and bay and sufficient territory around it stores and ammunition, are at Cordova for its support and protection, if not awaiting instructions. The whole arrange-

squadron now at Guatanoma, Cuba, are ready for sea duty, all repairs having been made to ish reply was received during the evening, but it was not until a late the ships. The squadron, at least those that will comprise the Eastern fleet, now await orders to sail. If Spain's answer to the the United States government last peace terms are not satisfactory, the squadron

COMMENTS AT LENGTH.

Washington, Aug. 9 .- Spain's reply to the ultimatum for peace issued by the United the report of the teachers and salaries com-States accepts all the conditions, but presents elaborate views on the points involved and on questions which would naturally arise when the conditions are executed. Whether this will be considered satisfactory by the United States government is undecided.

Cervera Blames Blanco.

Special to Evening Herald Washington, Aug. 9.-Captain General Blanco is held responsible by Admiral Cervera for the destruction of the Spanish fleet. vers calls attention to the orders issued by Santiago to the United States on the the harbor of Santiago de Cuba and for his departure therefrom.

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

SLICES OUT OF SALARIES

of Economy.

SCHOOL TERM ALSO CUT DOWN!

Salaries of the Teachers Lopped off From Three to Ten Dollars The increase Schedule is Euspended, Too. Over Five Thousand Dollars Saved,

told by the reports of the committees given and janitresses begin on August is and below, as they practically embrace all that the now janitors and janitresses on was done by the Roard. The meeting was August's. This report was accepted. The attended by Messrs, Coughlin, Connors, Britt, effect is that the terms of janitors is reduced Devitt, Sullivan, Whitaker, Holvey, Dove, from twelve to ten months and those of the Malick, Keiper, Bangh, Hanna. Martin and junitresses from eleven to ten.

A request from the St. stanislaus Polish

The first order of business taken up was that calling for communications and Secretary Hanna had but one—the resignation of Miss Hattie I. Hess as a day school teacher. It was accepted and the filling of the values and the filling of the values and the state of the committee with power to sell at a fair price.

Mr. Whitaker moved that the proper cause meatinged until the next musting of the least the large of the least the proper cause meatinged until the next must be seen to be seen the second to be seen to be cancy postponed until the next meeting. Miss Hess stated no reasons for resigning.

by the committee on teachers and salaries occasioned - a great deal more than the situation warranted. Situation is great - In making the presentation Mr. Dave said it volunteered to allow a reduction in his salary was done with the sincerest regret, but upon the recommendation of the finance committee the teachers and salaries committee the teachers and salaries committee the teachers and salaries committee. found it an absolute necessity to make the tion of the Board and was willing that the recommendations embraced in the report. reduction should be made, whereupon his in no condition to stand an attack of triet demanded it. The following report was

then read:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your teachers and sharles committee, beg leave to submit the following report:

"First: That you suspend the schedule of shirtes for this year.

"Second: That the salaries be reduced as follows: Miss Cline from \$10 to \$100. Mr. Britt, \$30 to \$30. Mr. Lewis, \$70 to \$45. Second grade grammar—Misses Burns, Mansell, O'Conneil and Fairchild, \$65 to \$40. Mr. McHale, \$65 to \$50. Mr. Second grade grammar—Misses Clauser, Ladlerty, Conneil, Mr. Hooks, Mr. Whitaker, \$55 to \$45. Third grade primary—Misses Clauser, Ladlerty, Conneil, Fadden, Kimmel, Tempest, \$50 to \$45. Third grade primary—Misses Clauser, Shoener, Daniel, Fadden, Kimmel, Tempest, \$50 to \$45. Miss McGuinness, \$48 to \$45. Misses Coogan and Dengler and Mr. Mellahy, \$65 to \$50. Mr. Seconds are figured as follows:

"First: That all other salaries not herein mentioned remain same as last year.

"Fourth: That the schools open Sept. 5th.

Total

ne months.

"Fifth: That the schools open Sept. 5th.

"Sixth: That the mixed grammar grade-hool be reduced to a first grammar grade-hool and all other schools remain as last

Year."
The committee on exonerations presented London, Aug. 9.—A Manila despatch just received here gives a brief account of an engagement between the American troops at instructions to report at the next meeting of the Board

with the following introductory:

"GENTLEMEN: Your committee on finance has given earnest attention and consideration to the condition of the school district, and after consultation with other members of the Board we have arrived at the conclusion embedded in this report.

"We are very much averse to either the school term, or the reduction of salaries; but the condition of affairs which confronts us renders it necessary to resort to both measures."

"Warships was affective in bringing about an immediate settlement.

Russia Urged to be Firm.

Special to Events Heraldo.

Paris, Aug. 9.—The French press urge linesia to maintain a firm attitude in China, and predict that Great Britain will be re-

celeven Americans were killed and forty-four gram it was believed that Spain would seek to secure an understanding on of them of considerable importance.

Late in the afternoon the president received an indirect intimation that the Spainish reply had come to the Prench embassy. A cabinet officer who was with him at this time said on leaving: "The information that has come from Madrid about the action of the Spanish have accepted our terms in a general way, but cepted our terms on that we did not include in the terms submitted.

FOR SAMPSON,

The communication of this report an estimate of the recepts and expenditures of the district, which our from on the enomatics reported by vania Infinitry were as follows: Killed, John Brady, Walter Brown, Will Bunton, H. Still the savings gained by the shortening of the term, the reduction of salaries which confronts us renders it necessary to wounded. The Spanish loss is given as two hundred killed and three hundred wounded. The Spanish loss is given as two hundred killed and three hundred wounded. The Spanish loss is given as two hundred killed and three hundred wounded. The Spanish loss is given as two hundred killed and three hundred wounded. The Spanish loss is given as two hundred killed and three hundred wounded. The Spanish loss is given as two interest the district of the term of nine months with the United the received to the amounts reported by Your committee on teachers and salaries. Special to Eveniso Hundred Killed, John Brady, Walter Brown, Will Bunton, H. Still the savings gained by the shortening of the term, the receipts and expendition of the Amount of the Spanish loss is

FOR SAMPSON.

We are convinced that the Board cannot maintain a ten months' term and expenses as great as last year without disregarding both the law and the interests of the school disconfusion is increasing. Troops are being the law and the interests of the school district, and we deem it necessary to take these steps in order to place the district in a safe financial condition.

"We further recommend, on account of the delay in getting our assessed valuation and the probability of a change in the amount, that the levying of taxes be postponed for the present, for the reason that if a reduction of our valuation should be larger than anticipated the Board may find it necessary to reconsider some of these matters, or to increase the tax levy.

"We further recommend that the date of opening the school term be fixed for the first or second week of September and the schedule be arranged by the superintendent and secretary to best suit the convenience of the citizens of the district."

Mr. Whitaker then read the estimates in

Mr. Whitaker then read the estimates in the report, showing the expenditures esti-mated at \$36,932.59, and the receipts at \$31,836,67, leaving a deficit of \$5,096,52.

When the reports came up for considera-tion by the Board Mr. Whitaker moved that the same as last year.
Mr. Dove arose and asked Mr. Devitt to

state his reasons for making the amendment



and that he suggest a plan other than that recommended by the committee for a re- According to a previous ruling of the trenchment of expenses. Mr. Devitt re- Judges sitting in the Lyon-Dunn judicial con-

Upon roll call Mr. Devitt's amendment was the progress of the trial. The School Board Inaugurates a System adopted by the same vote.

The committee on boilding and repairs made a report that it met and assigned all the re-elected janitors and Janitrenes to their old positions, except Mr. Beyrand, who was assigned to the new building on White street. The newly elected junitors and junitresses were issigned as follows: Thomas Tesh to the Centre and West streets building; Mr. Brooks to Jardin street; Mr. Walters to Main street; Mrs. Saields to Main street; Mrs. Reeves to Lloyd street. The committee Ars. Reeves to Hope arrest. The committee also recommended: lat, that the salaries of the janitors be the same as last year, \$35 per month. janitresses \$15 per month. 2nd, that the rate of wages for carpenters be \$2.25 The School Board held an adjourned meeting last night and went into an expedition of economy. The results and causes are best told by the reports of the committees given and janitresses begin on August 1st and

officers of the Board be instructed to have the bonds of Tax Collector Scanlan for 1895-6 Mr. Dove then presented a writton report certified to court and the motion was carried, by the committee on teachers and salaries. It was stated that Secretary Hanna had

salary was reduced from \$00 to \$55 per month upon motion of Mr. Dove.

Accepted Italy's Demands

Special to Eventso Herald.

Rome, Aug. 9.—It is credibly reported that Colombia has fully agreed to the Italian demands. Italy firmly declined to extend the time within which Colombia might endeavor to raise funds to satisfy the Cerruti claim. The presence of the Italian

risited the Cristobal Colon, and report her to in fact, they can't touch us on

Special to Eventso Hesalin. Madrid, Aug. 9.—There are rumors of n anarchist rising, and special precautions have been taken to guard the Palace. Senor Sagasta expects to receive a reply on Friday from Washington to the Spanish note. The Furniture Dealer and Undertaker. government has asked a Sheffield firm to supply it with 220 thirteen-inch shells.

Bickert's Cate Vegetable soup, free, to-night. Grand Army bean soup to-morrow morning.

The Lotus tilee Club of Pottsville has de-cided to hold an eisteddfod in the pavillion at Tumbling Run on the 20th inst. Two sessions will be held, afternoon and evening. A program has been arranged, and nine prizes will be awarded, ranging from \$50 down to \$2. D. W. Herbert, of Pottsville, is the secretary, from whom information can be

To Atlantic City. August is the most pleasant month of the

year at Atlantic City. The Reading railway will run its second cheap excursion there on Thursday next, August 11th. Tickets good for 10 days. Fare, \$3.50. Train leaves 9:54 a. m. Getting Ready. Mine Inspector William Stein went to the

cautions under the mine laws have been taken preparatory to a resumption of operations at the colliery to-morrow Buy your pecket books and purses, from 5c \$3.00 at F. J. Portz's. tf

Packer No. 5 colliery to-day to see that the guard rails about the shaft and other pre-

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Camp Meeting. The annual camp meeting of the United Evangelical Association will be opened at Lakeside to-morrow. Bishop Stamford, of Harrisburg, will be in attendance over Sur

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are may save your life. Sold by P. D.

SAMUEL BLOCK.

The Lyon-Dunn Contest.

fused to reply and called for the question. test the exceptions of the respondent and it was agreed, however, to eliminate the contestant will be taken up for argument on length of term from the amendment, and it the 16th inst. Vesterday both sides filed ras fixed at hime months by a unanimous voluminous exceptions to the raing of the court on important decisions readered during

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