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**MACIAS MAKES A MOVE.**

Our Porto Rico Commissioners Hurred Up the Spaniard.

**SPAIN'S COMMISSIONERS CROSSIN.**

They Are Doubtless Now In Conference on Terms of Capitulation—Our Commissioners' Messenger Assaulted at the Gate of the Palace.

San Juan de Porto Rico, Sept. 19.—The American evacuation commissioners, at a meeting held Thursday afternoon, decided to notify Captain General Macias that they were present and ready to proceed with business. A communication to this effect was drafted in most courteous terms. It asked when and where the Spanish commissioners would meet the Americans. Lieutenant Sears, Admiral Schley's flag lieutenant, delivered the communication to the captain general, driving to the palace in a carriage. At the gate of the palace a brick was hurled at him from the sidewalk. Being an old baseball player, he was able partly to ward off the missile with his hands, and it fell, striking him on the ankle, but doing only slight injury. This is the first incident of the kind since our arrival here. The lieutenant did not deem it advisable to lodge a complaint, and the police made no arrest.

The American commissioners are determined to brook no delay, as indicated by their action. Although Captain

**GENERAL MACIAS.**

General Macias recognized their presence by official visits they had not been notified of the appointment or of the names of the Spanish commissioners, and the names of the latter have not been officially gazetted here, in spite of the fact that it is understood, unofficially, that Generals Ortega and Vallerio and the auditor of war, Senor Aguilar, comprise the Spanish commission.

About noon yesterday the American military commissioners received a reply from Captain General Macias to their communication. General Macias said the Spanish evacuation commissioners would be ready to meet the Americans at the palace today. Later in the day General Brooks, Admiral Schley and General Gordon held a conference at the Hotel Inglaterra regarding the attitude they will assume at the meeting.

**CAPTAIN EVANS' REBUKE.**

Deprecates the Need of Private Aid For Stricken Soldiers.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Sept. 19.—Captain Robley D. Evans, of the battle-scarred Iowa, was the principal speaker at a mass meeting held in this city last night in aid of the sick soldiers at Camp Wilcox. In the course of his address he said:

"I feel sure that every good man and woman will appreciate the object of this meeting, and that all will applaud the patriotic women who are endeavoring to carry out the work. At the same time I feel that all thinking Americans will regret that such a meeting is necessary. Any government that is worth fighting for must assist and help the brave men who left their families, which is really the hardest part of it, much harder than to go out and face Spanish bullets, which is the easiest part of it. Probably in the years to come, if this nation has learned its lesson or will ever learn it, such meetings will disappear."

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**Increased Railroad Mileage.**

New York, Sept. 19.—Poor's Manual of Railroads for 1898 shows the increase in railroad mileage in the United States for 1897 to have been 2,094, making the total miles in operation 184,093. The increase by groups of states was as follows: New England, 46,737; Middle, 238,500; Central, 310,481; South Atlantic, 310,481; Gulf and Mississippi valley, 407,398; Southwestern, 415,622; Northwestern, 307,399; Pacific, 281,448.

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**Peace Commissioner Gray.**

Wilmington, Del., Sept. 19.—Senator George Gray will be one of the five commissioners to arrange the terms of peace between this country and Spain. His acceptance of that position will make necessary his retirement from the Canadian commission recently organized in Quebec. The senator reached his destination yesterday, having previously notified President McKinley that he must decline the honor. His declination, made known on Wednesday, was followed by a visit from Assistant Secretary of State John Bassett Moore, himself a native of Delaware, who will accompany the commission as secretary and counsel. Mr. Moore came to this city at the request of the president to ask Senator Gray to reconsider his declination.

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**AMATEUR SPORT**  
By GARDNER HOLMES

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**DENOUNCING SAGASTA.**

The Defeated Premier Having a Hard Time With the Cortes.

**HE PREDICTS HIS OWN DOWNFALL**

At the Cabinet Meeting He Told His Colleagues to Prepare For the Dissolution of the Ministry—"The Sagasta Ministry is a Corpse."

Madrid, Sept. 19.—The government's severe measures to prevent reports of the secret sessions of the cortes are nullified by the senators and deputies of the opposition, who are eager to inform the foreign correspondents as to what goes on.

In the chamber of deputies Senor Canalejas, in the course of a long speech, of violent and unmeasured abuse, denounced the government collectively and individually for its conduct during the war and now in the peace negotiations. He produced a sensation by asserting that when Admiral Cervera asked for instructions of war the minister for the colonies replied to him, "May God help you."

Senor Canalejas accused Senor Sagasta of constituting himself dictator in order to stave his personal ambitions; and he attacked Lieutenant General Correa, minister for war, and Captain Anson, minister of marine, mercilessly for their incapacity.

Senor Silveira attacked the government, saying: "The Sagasta ministry is a corpse, and we do not discuss corpses. We bury them."

Senor Canalejas, who is a lieutenant of Pulayevias' new party, urged an inquiry into the sources of the charges against the army and navy.

The debate apparently weakened the government.

It is reported that on Thursday's cabinet Senor Sagasta told his colleagues that they must be prepared for the fall of the cabinet.

General Hagoitza has appealed to the government for funds, representing that the situation in Cuba is most distressing. Senor Romero Giron, minister for the colonies, has asked the treasury for 100,000,000 pesetas. In reply he received no other answer than: "Two clear cut heads, make digestion."

The bank of Spain recently found 1,000,000,000 pesetas in internal funds, but the same supplied to the government on this guarantee are already exhausted.

The government recently forwarded to Cuba the French ambassador at Washington, a long and strongly argued statement respecting the Philippines, which he will communicate verbally to the Washington government.

Spain protests against the capitulation of Manila because it was made two days after the protocol was signed. It says that the revenue from the Manila customs may continue devoted to the service of the Philippine loan of 1897, and finally, it insists upon the United States compensating Aguinaldo to liberate 1,000 Spaniards now in his custody, most of whom were placed there, the note asserts, by Admiral Dewey.

**EXCITEMENT IN HAVANA.**

Awaiting With Feverish Anxiety the Peace Commissioners' Arrival.

Havana, Sept. 19.—All classes are impatiently awaiting the arrival of the United States military commissioners. The public has spent most of the day gazing seaward or watching the flag-staff on El Morro for the signal that the United States troops have landed. There is a feeling of downright impatience at the commissioners' non-arrival. The general public, especially the Cubans, seem to imagine that the advent of the commission will immediately change the entire state of affairs; that prosperity will be in the wake of the commissioners; that the streets of Havana will be paved with gold coins, and that manna will fall from Heaven.

Everybody has some grievance to air or some plan to propose, which it is fondly imagined the commission will listen to and consider. One can really give no reason for the unbounded joy with which the approach of the commissioners is awaited. The emotion is quite hysterical, for the women and children are as much interested as the men.

Senor De Castro, civil governor of Havana, has requested General Blanco to issue a decree suspending the conscription of cattle in the province, as has already been done in the provinces of Matanzas. The society of cattle throughout the island is tolling heavily in every branch of agriculture. Senor De Castro yesterday issued an order closing up the free soup kitchens.

Articles from all the Cuban camps show the sincerity of the desire on the part of insurgents to maintain order. All attempts at riot, violence or robbery are summarily punished by imprisonment. On Sept. 3 five men belonging to the command of Eduardo Garcia were court-martialed by the insurgents at Matanzas and sentenced to be shot for a theft of money and cattle. The sentence was carried out.

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**FRANCE FEARS REVISION.**

Growing Belief That Alleged Forgivable Documents Were Forgeries.

Paris, Sept. 19.—There is a lull in the Dreyfus affair. It is believed that the real difficulty in the way of revision is that the only documents really relied upon are those said to have been obtained illicitly from a foreign embassy, and the government is beginning to doubt the authenticity of those.

A semi-official note issued today denies that any foreign government has made any sort of communication to the French government relative to the Dreyfus affair. This denial of the statement made by the Home Tribune, which asserted that Count Von Munster, the German ambassador at Paris, had informed the French foreign minister, M. Delcasse, that the letters purporting to have passed between Kaiser Wilhelm and Dreyfus were authentic, and that, in case of their use in an eventual trial, he (Von Munster) had been instructed to demand his passports.

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General Staffer at Washington.

Washington, Sept. 19.—Major General Sharret, commander of the Fifth corps, arrived in Washington last evening, coming directly from Camp Meade, Pa. He was accompanied by his confidential aide and secretary, Lieutenant Colonel J. R. Milby. They passed through the station and entered a carriage without attracting special attention and were driven directly to the Ebbitt House, where apartments had been reserved for them. The general comes to Washington by direction of the war department, but for what specific purpose is not known.

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Cabinet Resolved For Governor.

New York, Sept. 19.—The City club, composed of independents, gave out a statement last night outlining a full state ticket, at the head of which it placed the name of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt for governor. The ticket as outlined leaves the second place vacant, but the remainder is as follows: For secretary of state, G. E. Wilson of Albany; comptroller, Thomas C. Platt of Ulster; state treasurer, Edmund H. Kitchener of Binghamton; attorney general, Frederick W. Hinrichs of Brooklyn; state engineer, George E. Waring, Jr., of New York. These men have been selected, the independents say, because they are sturdy opponents of the "boss system in politics," without regard to their political leanings.

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