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BUSINESS IN SANTIAGO

Is Going Very Lame Now But Will Pick Up

ONE OF THESE FINE DAYS

When Interior Crops and Exterior Cash Again Connect.

Santiago de Cuba, July 27.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—The dirty condition of this city, the heaps of refuse that encumber the streets, the malarious alleys and byways, the lack of sanitary arrangements and drainage of every description, are all matters that will require remedying if it is to become an American city. It should be remembered that the weeks of blockade, the fear of bombardment, the scarcity of food and the general demoralization existing in a besieged town, have done much to add to the conditions of filth and poor sanitation that normally prevail. For generations the people have lived regardless of the first rules of hygiene; the citizens are ignorant of all precautionary measures and it is not surprising that when our American officers issue an order through the civil government of Santiago, stating that all houses must at once be thoroughly cleaned, inside and out, the order is disregarded. Orders are constantly issued to the people to report at once the death of any one in their household, and threats of fine and enforced labor as a punishment carry little weight. Extreme measures will have to be taken to bring about a proper condition of affairs in this respect, and it will take many months of example and stringent enforcement of regulations to bring the people to an observance of what is clearly best for their health.

In the military hospital of the city there were on July 25, 523 cases of the prevalent malarial fever; 121 cases of dysentery; 85 cases of diarrhoea; 25 cases of anaemia, and 19 cases of yellow fever. The yellow fever cases are all among the Spanish soldiers. A week ago there were six cases of this fever, and among the total of nineteen cases there have been six deaths since the American occupation. Sixteen of the 483 wounded Spanish soldiers in the hospital have died since the United States troops took possession of the town. To the city of Santiago there is this advantage from the rains of the wet season: the water rushes down the steep streets and washes away all manner of refuse and rubbish. Flushing the streets, as the rains do, is like flushing the sewers in an American city.

Since July 1 and until July 23 this city without a daily paper. On July 23 the Expectador made its first appearance and printed the full Spanish text of President McKinley's proclamation to the people of Cuba. The Expectador is now running a series of articles on New York City, this subject being apparently of prime interest to its readers at this time. A three-column article on the inscriptions of the Egyptian obelisk in Central park appears in the last issue and the publisher promises the Declaration of Independence of the United States in the near future.

Expectador enjoys the distinction of being the only Spanish paper published on this island free of Spanish censorship. A newspaper printed in Spanish and English is promised soon, and company F of the Thirty-third Michigan volunteer infantry has bought out a paper called Company F Enterprise, which is the first American paper published in the city of Santiago de Cuba.

Already the enterprising American is present. There is around town a ragged man with a smattering of Spanish who has turned several dollars by buying up swords and machetes from the Spaniards and the city pawnshops to sell them again to American relic hunters. There is the man with capital to invest who awaits but a sure and remunerative opportunity, and there is the man who buys up bargains in American goods from sick and wounded officers going home, hoping to sell the animals at a profit. The first steamer from the United States has brought many men to look over this new field for business opportunities and there will be American sharpness and enterprise pitted against the Cuban and Spaniard. If Santiago prospers and money is easy there will be a good field here for the gambler and his outfit. If the laws will permit him to operate. With prosperity and a good hotel, there is promise in Santiago of a wide-open town that will be a sure attraction to men of a certain stamp.

The arrival of so many strangers in Santiago during the last two weeks has taxed the town's accommodations, which were never ample, to the utmost. The lack of anything like proper hotels and restaurants will continue to be a detriment to the city until some one with a knowledge of what Americans want steps in and opens a hotel.

The Anglo-American club of Santiago, an institution founded over three years ago by the English-speaking residents of this place, has been the salvation of many Americans since the occupation. The club affords a limited number of neat, clean rooms to American officers and correspondents.

Many of Santiago's visitors will remember most gratefully the club's golf course and the stone-paved shower bath. Since three days after the occupation the club has served meals and, while what is eaten comes mostly in cans, the long white table set twice a day with china plates and bottles of wine, has been a most welcome sight to many an officer who has ridden from the front to experience the novel sensation of a civilized meal. Old friends meet at this common center and the fighting of the lid, and dried of July 10, had told again by men who came up late. Naval officers from the ships have come to the club dinner and then their brother officers from the field hear tales of what the ships have done.

Many of the prisoners from Santiago and the eastern end of Cuba who shipped over to Jamaica during the troublous times are coming back. Opportunities to do so are scarce, however, as steamers are not frequent from Jamaica, but slowly the town is filling up and the country people are coming in to buy certain necessities. But their money is not plentiful as yet. They depend upon the crops of sugar and coffee and tobacco, and with agricultural work resumed and with money that was sent back to Spain for safe keeping during the war finds its way back to Cuba under an assured con-

Dr. R. C. Flower To Visit Wichita.

There is no physician in the United States so well and favorably known as Dr. R. C. Flower, and his wonderful cures are so numerous and frequent as to convince the most skeptical and his ability to correctly diagnose the patient's disease without asking him a question fully accounts for his great success in healing the sick. Dr. R. C. Flower will be at the Carey Hotel, Wichita, Kansas, Thursday, August 13. This will be an excellent opportunity to consult this famous specialist.

confidence in the future, money will not be as easy as it was in the old days. There is much talk in town of the exorbitant prices charged by storekeepers for clothing, food and drink. Prices are today three and four times as high as they should be. Shopkeepers are charging at the rate of two American dollars for what sold formerly for one silver Spanish dollar. It has become found necessary to ordain that bread shall not be sold for more than 20 cents silver per pound and the announcement that there will be established soon an American bakery to sell bread at prices prevailing in New York is received with delight.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of

BROTHER JONATHAN ISON DECK New York, Aug. 5.—The North American Trust company's office has received a telegram from S. M. Jarvis, its vice president, now at Santiago, in which it is stated that the company has secured the banking rooms formerly occupied by the Bank of Spain at Santiago and that the office has been fully equipped. Business will begin Monday morning.

THINKS CUBA ISN'T WORTH IT Guthrie, O. T., Aug. 5.—(Special.)—The following letter received by Mr. Allen Norris, from H. S. Norris, who is a member of the Guthrie contingent of Rough Riders, tells of some hardships the army is encountering in Cuba:

In the field, Santiago, July 15, 1898.—I suppose you all think we are a long time in the field near Santiago. I think so myself—we have been fighting and bombarding for thirteen days, when we were not under a flag of truce; we are under one now. This war gets worse and worse—it rains every day and the heaviest dews at night. When we are crowded in the hospital, and have to sleep outside, we get as wet as rats. Sickness is growing rapidly in the town of Siboney, from where we get our supplies. There are seventeen cases of yellow jack. I don't know how bad it is but yellow fever is bad enough in any form. Our worst troubles are malaria, neuritis, rheumatism and chills, and more sun strokes than a few. There has been an epidemic among us that begins with a chill followed by fever and very severe pain in all parts of the body. I took it three days ago. It was as if I were being torn apart. It was as if I were being torn apart. It was as if I were being torn apart.

Are you having plenty of melons? Oh, for a good square meal. I have just had one that flag of truce means. We had a telegram from Washington stating that Spain is suing for peace. I hope by the time you get this peace will be declared. I would not soldier five years for all of Cuba. E. S. NORRIS, First Reg. U. S. Vol. Cav. (Roosevelt's Rough Riders.)

CASTORIA The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of

CERVERA MOURNS FOR SPAIN Chicago, Aug. 6.—Admiral Cervera and the leading sports among his officers well knew their doom before leaving Spain for American waters. The gallant old admiral told me so," said Rev. Joseph P. McIntyre, chaplain of the Oregon, who has been visiting relatives in this city, on his way to Denver. "I felt so strong a curiosity on that point that I said to the Spanish admiral, shortly after he became our prisoner: 'How does it come that naval officers with the intelligence you are a prince set out to wipe America off the map? Were you sincere in believing it possible?'

"We never thought it possible," said Admiral Cervera, with prompt frankness, "at least I did not, and neither did several of my ablest officers—two or three who visited the world's fair in particular. 'We knew full well our nation's helplessness and the sure extinction our ships were running into. We understood it would only mean in the end barring luck and accidents that none might dare hope for—the loss of ships and our own lives. But our duty sent us out to fight, and we did not stop to think of it.'"

"Spain's not so well informed as the advanced officers of her navy. Respecting America and its resources and fighting strength the mass of our people possess only the most foolish misconception and ignorance. The Spanish people think Americans a semi-barbarous nation, and

SKILLFUL COOKS' DUTY. Should Make Food Taste and Look Well.

The true science of cookery is to select proper and nourishing ingredients and to prepare them in a manner as will please the taste, and incidentally the eye. The most valuable food will not long agree with a person if its taste is disagreeable. This does not argue that all good looking articles are nutritious and nourishing. However, it is the duty of all food experts to prepare delicious food from the best possible ingredients, and to have a comprehensive knowledge of the laws of digestion and assimilation. Grape-Nuts, the new food, made by Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, and now on sale generally, is thought to be the highest type of scientifically made food thus far prepared.

It possesses the delicate sweet of grape-sugar, with a new and peculiar flavor of a most winning character, while the processes of manufacture have brought the food to such a point that it is absorbed by the system in a most natural and healthful manner.

LABOR LEADER ENLISTS St. Louis, Aug. 5.—James M. Carson, formerly president of the United Mine workers association of Illinois, today enlisted in the Sixth Missouri volunteers at Jefferson barracks. This is the regiment that has been ordered to Jacksonville, Fla., to join Fitzhugh Lee's corps.

THEY HAVE TRIED THEM Some of Those Who Have Bought Spectacles of Dr. Smith. Mrs. M. A. Butler, Mrs. Marie Pfeiffer, Mrs. M. A. Taylor, Mrs. S. S. Swartz, Mrs. M. E. Tucker, Mrs. Rev. W. I. Miller, Mrs. R. H. Kankar, Mrs. Elizabeth Kierner, Mrs. Rosa Weeks, Mrs. S. F. Lane, Mrs. T. J. Parham, Mrs. C. W. Whitman, Miss Nellie Jones, Mrs. H. C. Key, Mrs. A. J. Kirtland, Miss Sarah O. Daniel, Mrs. J. M. Shurt, Mrs. T. Bone, Mrs. E. A. Robinson, Mrs. A. R. Campbell, Mrs. G. St. Denis, Mrs. I. M. Phillips, Mr. John P. Moran, Mrs. S. Rochelle, G. S. Saltzman, L. M. Parker, John Kelly, Matt Heiler, James L. Orr, O. L. Niles, Samuel Vandergrift, J. C. Kinkaid, G. T. Butler, C. J. Larkin, I. P. Parkhurst, Amos Spray, Dick T. Morgan, E. M. Barger, John C. Hunter, A. A. Lewis, H. H. Hunschmidt, J. Balsinger, D. C. Conway, W. H. Weeks, W. R. Finington, W. W. Gibbons, Charley Esau, G. C. Dickey.

The above ladies and gentlemen are a few of the many who called at the E. I. Louis Optical Factory, 124 North Main, in the last few days and had their eyes tested and procured a pair of Dr. Smith & Griffith's superior spectacles. Many of them you do not know. Ask them how they like them.

Western Passenger Rate War. Chicago, Ill., Aug. 5.—A passenger rate war that will affect directly every fare to the west has been declared. Next Monday the rate between Chicago and St. Paul and Minneapolis will be 5¢. The tariff now is 10¢. On the same day and thereafter the rate between Chicago and Omaha will be 5¢. The normal rate is 10¢. Tickets may now be purchased between Chicago and Kansas City for 15¢. The normal tariff is 25¢.

Consent the Atlas. How do the Philippine Islands compare with Cuba in area and population? How many more men are there in the Spanish navy than in that of the United States? Consent the Eagle's Standard War Atlas, you may be surprised at what you will learn there. The Atlas may be had for 5¢ extra. By mail 5 cents extra.

Boston Store 103, 105, 107, 109 E. Douglas Ave. Handkerchief Sale... MILL SECONDS Our Annual August Sale of Those Thousands of Dainty Gems from the Largest Mill in Switzerland.

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If You Need a Belt You can't do better than to stop at this assortment. It comprises almost everything known in belting. Leather belts, Jeweled belts and Metal belts. About thirty choices in qualities that sold earlier as high as 75c each, closing now at 29c.

Last Week We advertised these table covers and sold about one hundred pairs of them for rustic pillow shams. Hadn't thought of that before, so this week they go as Rustic Pillow Shams. Made of Denton in Old Rose and Blue. Stamped, embroidered and applique patterns in white. Washable colors. Fringed all around. Pretty and useful and cheap. 17c.

Lace Curtain Special This Curtain Lace is of that popular Flax Net Weave in Point de Spirit effect. Color is ecru. Width is 45 inches. Regular price is 40c. Special price tomorrow is 22c.

Dining Room Special Located in the Housefurnishing Stock. Four hundred imitation cut glass berry dishes. Hold half a gallon. Glass is cut deep in many pretty designs. Cheap at twice the money. Only for tomorrow. 9c.

The Shoe Department Envious of the Handkerchief Section— Is boasting of these bargains for tomorrow. Just to induce you to stray into the east room. Shoe economy in these. Better take a look.

We are selling Ladies' Oxfords, 2 1-2 and 3 Ladies' Oxfords, tan or black, all sizes Ladies' Oxfords, black only, 4 to 8 Ladies' Kid or medium weight Goat Shoes 2 1-2 to 8 Ladies' Tan Kid Lace Shoes 2 1-2 to 8 Ladies' Chocolate Lace Shoes, 3 1-2 to 8

Men's Underwear Reduced Want to sell all this summer underwear for men before you begin to think about winter. This lot is imported habergeons, natural color, and fancy dashes in delicate shades. Elegant quality and sold close at our regular price of 50c each. Want to close 'em in a hurry. 29c.

HOTEL CAREY. Rates: \$2 and \$3 per day E. L. EAFFOR, Proprietor. People really ought to have better sleep than they have—Asthma, Gripe.

Pretty as a Picture.....



Haven't you often heard people speak of a person as being 'pretty as a picture'? Did you ever think that many pictures lack a great deal of being as pretty as an individual? We are making a feature of making our pictures as nearly like the individual as possible. If you are pretty your photo by us will show it. If not, our picture will not misrepresent you to your friends.

See our Genuine Platino or Steel Finish, \$2.50 a dozen. Best Enamelled or Glossy Finish, \$1.50 a dozen.

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A New Wholesale House. Having established in this city a first-class wholesale Hat and Cap house, we take the method of informing the merchants of the southeast that it will be unnecessary to buy their goods in the east of this city. After searching the markets and facilities of the west, we are able to guarantee prices as low as any eastern Hat House, giving the buyer the benefit of freight and prompt delivery.

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