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ADMINISTRATION POLICY.

If the President is really desirous of preserving peace between this country and Spain, he is pursuing a very peculiar course and one which is almost sure to defeat its own object. In the first place he transgressed his executive prerogative if he really promised the Spaniards that he would hold the Maine report in committee indefinitely, and in view of the fact that members of the legislative branch of the government are very jealous of their rights it is possible that they may be inclined to run counter to the wishes of the President just to show him that they are not in his "leading strings."

Another danger is that to his anxiety to "knuckle down" to the wishes of Spain he may offend the American people, who have had just about as much of his Spanish foolishness as they are prepared to stand with patience. So far as honorable and manly efforts to avert war are concerned all intelligent citizens of the United States heartily approve the action of the President, but when it comes to the suggestion of giving the Maine report in payment for Spanish permission to extend American charity to our suffering neighbors there is likely to be a revolt which will extend from Maine to California. So far as we can see there is absolutely no reason for giving the Maine and Cuban questions. They are separate and distinct matters. The Maine was either blown up treacherously or accidentally. There is no gain-saying this proposition. If it was an accident let Spain be acquitted of the suspicion that rests upon it. If it was a carefully planned plot to send Uncle Sam's battleship and sailors to Davy Jones' locker it is doubtful whether the American people would be willing to settle on an "exchange" basis, even if it comprehends the freedom of Cuba. If Spanish rule has become intolerable in Cuba let it be ended at once, and then let the Maine matter be settled on its merits.

It is exceedingly kind in the Sagasta ministry to allow the United States to feed the reconcentrados who have been starved through the liberal policy of the mother country. What a magnificent triumph of McKinley diplomacy! Even if it accomplishes nothing more the administration has won a niche in the Temple of Fame! Now if the President can be induced to get away from the influence of Hanna long enough to stiffen up his backbone a little, Spain may be induced to permit Uncle Sam's loyal subjects to live, breathe and pursue happiness along the lines and under the limitations of the Federal Constitution! This is a great and glorious country! This is an able and diplomatic administration! Its accomplishments are amazing!

In the meantime if any foreign nations have now fanged tarponades and mines they wish to try in a practical way, Uncle Sam still has several first-class battleships left. A Spanish fleet on this side of the ocean would no doubt be able to do magnificent execution if it could just lay its hands on an unlimited coal supply. It is a paralled case to the man who would have lived to be a centenarian if his head had held out.—Philadelphia Press.

"If" is a small word, but it cuts a good deal of ice in the business of nations as well as individuals. It is fortunate that Senator Platt thought of asking the President to be cautious in dealing with the Spanish question. But for this timely warning the administration might have run away from itself.

Mr. McKinley talks about trusting to "Spanish honor." If the President isn't careful he will become a shining mark for the gold brick man and the bunco steerer.

THE OBSERVANCE OF EASTER.

The discrepancy in Computing the Date of Easter (Ladies' Home Journal). The observance of Easter dates back to about the year 68, at which time there was much contention among the Eastern and Western churches as to what day the festival should be observed. It was finally ordained at the Council of Nice in the year 325 that it must be observed throughout the Christian world on the same day. This decision settled that Easter should be kept upon the Sunday first after the fourteenth day of the first Jewish month, but no general conclusion was arrived at as to the cycle by which the festival was to be regulated, and some churches adopted one rule and some another. This diversity of usage was put an end to, and the Roman rule making Easter the first Sunday after the fourteenth day of the calendar moon was established in England in 802. After a century a discrepancy in the keeping of Easter was caused by the authorities of the English church declining to adopt the reformation of the Gregorian calendar in 1582. The difference was settled in 1752 by the adoption of the rule which makes Easter day always the first Sunday after the full moon which appears on or next after the twenty-first day of March. If the full moon happens on a Sunday Easter is the Sunday after.

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