

etiquette that might embarrass the future negotiations. The extended stay of the ambassador...

OLYMPIA WANTS THE PHILIPPINES. Olympia, Wash., July 26.—The chamber of commerce of this city met to-night and passed a resolution...

THERMOMETER BOILS UP TO 110 DEGREES. Steamers Arrive With More Gold—Butte Man Brings Out \$100,000.—Canadian Cleared Up \$500,000.

SENT TO MADRID. Immediately following the long conference, the French ambassador and M. de Bessieres returned to their official quarters...

FINAL AND ABSOLUTE. The American reply distinctly gives warning that the proposition as to surrender of Spanish sovereignty...

A NAVAL STATION. Of course, it is understood that no matter what form the Philippines are to assume...

PETITGREW AT BLACKFOOT. Blackfoot, Ida., July 30.—Senator Pettigrew, who is visiting Idaho on private business...

ONE OF THE PRIZES. Description of Yap Island, to be Taken From Spain. Washington, July 26.—In view of the facilities that one of the cooling stations that the United States will acquire...

FIVE YEARS FOR MONSON. Notorious Young Englishman Sent Up For Forgery. London, July 26.—In the Old Bailey today Alfred John Monson of Ardnamurchan...

SEATTLE HEARD FROM. Going Other Coast Cities In Demanding Spoils of Spain. Seattle, Wash., July 26.—The chamber of commerce has adopted the following resolution...

Spaniards Are Resigned. Paris, July 29.—A Madrid dispatch to the Temps reports that King Alfonso XIII is convalescent from the attack of measles with which he was prostrated a few days ago.

THE COMMANDER EXPLAINS HIS CONDUCT TOWARDS CUBANS. The Commander Explains His Conduct Towards Cubans. INSURGENTS WANTED TO RULE SANTIAGO.

STABLE GOVERNMENT WANTED. Shafter Asks Authority to Alleviate Fears of Inhabitants. Santiago de Cuba, July 25.—General Shafter has had some cable correspondence...

RAISING SPANISH CRUISER. Admiral Cervera's Flagship Will Be Floated and Repaired. Washington, July 26.—The navy department has posted the following program from Admiral Sampson:

ON THE DIAMOND. Louisville.—Louisville, 3; New York, 2. Cincinnati.—Cincinnati, 8; Brooklyn, 2. Chicago.—Chicago, 12; Washington, 2.

MIAMI CAMP ABANDONED. Sanitary Conditions Bad and Many Soldiers Are Ill. Washington, July 26.—By direction of the secretary of war, orders have been issued...

SWINDLED BY A PREACHER. Gold Extraction Process of Rev. P. F. Jernagan. Boston, Mass., July 30.—Charges of embezzlement and obtaining money by false pretenses have been leveled against Rev. P. F. Jernagan...

SHAFER'S FEVER REPORT. The war department posted the following: "Santiago de Cuba, July 25.—Total sick, 4,778; total fever cases, 2,466; non-fever cases, 696; cases fever restored to duty, 296; deaths, 10; deaths by cholera, 10; deaths by typhoid, 10; deaths by malaria, 10; deaths by other causes, 10.

CONDITIONS AT SANTIAGO. Sentiment In Favor of a Protectorate—No Cuban Paper. Santiago de Cuba, July 25.—A feature of the conditions here is the constant stream of native residents who are presenting claims to the authorities here against the United States government...

WILLING TO MEET JEFFRIES OR MCCOY, BUT NOT BOTH. New York, July 26.—Fitzsimmons says he is prepared to arrange a fight with Jim Jeffries and will also sign articles to meet Kid McCoy. If the latter should be successful in his coming contest with Jim Corbett...

HAMBURG'S EASY VICTORY. Won Big Stakes at Brighton In An Exhibition Gallop. New York, July 26.—This was cup day today at Brighton Beach, and a large crowd gathered to see the great Hamburg practically walk over for the title...

ITALY IS FIRM. Colombia Is Defiant and Trouble Is Threatened. London, July 26.—A dispatch from Rome to a news agency here says the Italian government does not intend to modify its attitude with regard to the claims against Colombia...

AMERICAN FLAG RAISED AT ANOTHER PORT. Two Prize Schooners Captured By the Nashville—Great Distress Among the People. Key West, July 26.—The Spanish two-masted schooner Gibraltar, loaded with firewood and charcoal...

NEGRO SOLDIERS REWARDED. Six Will Receive Commissions For Bravery at Santiago. Washington, July 26.—Six colored non-commissioned officers who rendered particularly gallant and meritorious service in the face of the enemy in the action around Santiago...

LEO'S DAYS NUMBERED. Significant Words In An Encyclical to the Scotch. Rome, July 26.—The pope has issued an encyclical to the Scotch people, the terms of which are significant in view of the recent reports that the thoughts of his holiness are absorbed with the death...

FLORERS FOR SPANIARDS. Gift of American Ladies to Sick Prisoners. Fort Worth, N. H., July 26.—One more death from pneumonia occurred among the Spanish prisoners at Camp Tarrach today, and two others are at the point of death tonight.

PILLSBURY DEFEATED. Tarrach Wins First Prize at the Chess Tournament. Vienna, July 26.—Tarrach won first prize in the international chess tournament, \$1,500; Pillsbury second, \$1,000.

BICYCLE COMPANY FAILS. Racine, Wis., July 26.—Judge Fish today appointed receivers for the Charles H. Seig Bicycle Manufacturing company. This bicycle company was organized by the Morgan & Wright Tire company of Chicago.

A METHODIST SCANDAL. Preacher Gets New Trial and Girl Is In the Chair. Spokane, Wash., July 30.—Rev. W. T. Ford of Seattle, who was convicted by the Puget Sound Methodist conference on the charge of seducing Jessie Gifford...

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS. Statement of the condition of the treasury: Available cash balance, \$29,956,956; gold reserve, \$19,952,275. Rear Admiral Norton, commanding the Washington navy yard, was killed on account of age on the 26th proximo.

TRANSPORTS TAKEN TO PORTO RICO WILL BE RETURNED. Washington, July 26.—Orders have been sent by the war department to General Brooks, who is expected to arrive at Ponce probably tomorrow...

His Brother. Cleveland Plain Dealer. "Bluffin' boy had been made a major. 'I didn't know that he ever saw any service.' 'He didn't; he saw the president.'"

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H. DINWOODEY FURNITURE CO. DOUGHTY DRINKERS. Men of Old England Were Good at Their Cups.

While Americans are prone to sneer at the paucity of wit that characterizes the drink mixers of other lands, the sad confession must be made that their profusion in this line of art results more from the exercise of the creative faculty than from inherent originality.

COCKTAILS. Cocktails were unknown in these glorious days, and there is no authentic record of their invention. The first cocktail was a concoction of rum and cognac with a dash of bitters.

WARM WELCOME FOR GENERAL MILES. The city of Ponce is romantic and picturesque, with buildings of old Moorish and Spanish architecture. It is a city of contrasts, with its old-world charm and its modern amenities.

SAINTLY DRINK. Another saintly drink was "hishop," which subsequently met the poetic approval of Dean Swift, who wrote: "Well roasted, with sugar and wine in a glass."

WASSAIL BOWL. It formed the ingredient of the famous wassail bowl, as well as of the gossip bowl, of which Puck says: "And sometimes I'll be in a gossip's cup."

PERFECT WINE. The fastidious Briton of the silver times was also inclined to prefer to the qualities of wine. He found in his city in this regard as far back as the twelfth century. An old manuscript in the Bodleian library at Oxford was most precise: "It should be clear like the tears of a pensive man, so that a man should be able to see his own face in the glass; its color should represent the greenness of a buffalo's skin when drunk with wine; it should be as clear as crystal; it should be as sweet as honey; it should be as strong as iron; it should be as pure as gold; it should be as fragrant as the breath of a rose; it should be as refreshing as the dew of a mountain; it should be as healthful as the air of a forest; it should be as delicious as the fruit of a vine; it should be as nourishing as the milk of a cow; it should be as strengthening as the muscles of a man; it should be as invigorating as the spirit of a hero; it should be as elevating as the soul of a saint; it should be as immortal as the stars of heaven; it should be as eternal as the God who created it."

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