

WILL COAL FROM THE COLLERS

One of the Vessels of Camara's Fleet in the Suez Canal.

Others Will Remain Just Outside Port Said Until Fuel Has Been Received.

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PORT SAID, July 1.—The San Francisco entered the Suez canal this afternoon. The Pelayo, Carlos V and the remainder are under way. They are going just outside Port Said, where they will coal from their colliers.

NEW YORK, July 1.—The Herald's Washington correspondent telegraphs: Although Camara's fleet is still reported to be at Port Said, State Department officials say they have reason to believe that it will leave its present position at the invitation of the Egyptian Government within the next few hours.

Dispatches received by the department from its agents at Port Said and Cairo give no reason for the delay of the Spaniards except that they are waiting for coal. The Egyptian Government has been furnished the official explanation that the ships are undergoing repairs, but it is believed the chances are that this explanation is untrue and that the Spaniards are simply tinkering with their machinery until fuel arrives or their Government has made a definite decision as to their destination.

In official circles it is believed Spain is hesitating because of the intention of this Government to send Commodore Watson's squadron in pursuit of Camara and a second squadron, if necessary, to bombard the coast of Spain.

In the meantime every day's delay is beneficial to the United States. It has been definitely decided not to send Commodore Watson with his fleet in pursuit of Camara until Cervera's fleet is destroyed. This work will be accomplished with all possible dispatch, and the Tova and Washington, which belong to the Eastern squadron, will be sent to Newport News, where they will receive such repairs as may be necessary. Then, accompanied by the

Newark and three auxiliary cruisers, they will proceed at once to cross the ocean to the Mediterranean on their way to the Philippines, provided Camara's fleet proceeds to that point.

The exclusive announcement by the Herald this morning of the intention to send the Eastern squadron after Camara's fleet, even if it had to steam to the Philippines to catch him, was confirmed by officials to-day, although they declined to make any official statement concerning the matter. It was said to-day that Commodore Watson could not sail for the East under ten days, although every effort is being made to hasten the assembling of his squadron and perfect all the details necessary to its efficiency. In view of this fact the authorities are considerably gratified at Camara's action in remaining at Port Said, and they purpose to throw all possible obstacles in his way in order that his arrival in the Philippines may be delayed.

WATCHING FOR THE COMING OF WATSON'S SHIPS

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GIBRALTAR, July 1.—Carbonera Tower, near Algeiras, is being rebuilt and heightened. Three thousand men are coming to re-enforce the garrison at Port Chorrueias, overlooking Algeiras. Two gunboats reconnoitered the Tangier waters to-day, owing to the fact that the American squadron would come to Tangier for orders.

The fight lasted forty-five minutes, the American ships being favored by darkness, preceding heavy rains, which began at noon. Over forty grenades fell, causing small damage. The losses in the navy are two wounded and four bruised, among the latter being the commander of the gunboat Delgado Parejo and the surgeon of the pontoon Maria.

An American ship was seen to go away towed by another, her fires being out. It is believed there were many losses on the American ships.

According to the reports of Cuban representatives in Vera Cruz there is a large contingent of Spaniards and Spanish sympathizers who are very bitter in their expressions toward the United States and who have been secretly lending aid to the Spaniards since the declaration of war and have openly denounced the United States.

Captain Argudin and Lieutenant Velasquez are secretly working and have aroused the more ignorant to such a state of excitement that they are ready and anxious to join an expedition to raid towns in the United States along the Mexican border. No decisive steps have as yet been taken toward carrying out this plan, but it is known to Cubans that the scheme is in progress of formation and that steps have been already taken to counteract it should an attempt be made to carry it into effect.

Shower Held for Murder. SAN ANDREAS, July 1.—George Schworer, charged with the killing of Walter Eltringham at Vallejo, on June 1, was to-day held on a charge of manslaughter, with bail fixed at \$2000.

Realize That the Illegal Appointment of Miss Hankenson Would Result in Trouble.

Special Dispatch to The Call.

SAN JOSE, July 1.—Miss Irene Hankenson of Gilroy failed to put in an appearance at the Superintendent of Schools' office this morning to assume her duties as deputy, to which she was recently elected, and consequently Mrs. A. B. Clement retains the place. Late yesterday afternoon a conference of those interested in seating Miss Hankenson was held in "Boss" Rea's office, at which it was decided to abandon the matter on account of its illegality. A legal opinion was sought and Rea was told the law was very plain on the question, and that putting Miss Hankenson in as Deputy Superintendent of Schools would be a direct violation of the charter, which provides that all deputies must be residents of the city two years before holding office.

This enraged the big boss, and he declared the City Superintendent must throw Mrs. Clement bodily out of the office, but this official refused to do so. Rea declared he would call a meeting at once and depose Mrs. Clement, but later he said they would wait until Tuesday, when the new members of the board take their seats. At that time an effort will be made to dismiss Mrs. Clement and elect Miss Hankenson a substitute teacher and let her do the Deputy Superintendent's work. By this means it is proposed to get around the charter provision. But legal authorities claim this cannot be done, and that the performance of the Deputy Superintendent's duties by a substitute teacher would be really filling the office.

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BRITISH STEAMER ADULA IS SEIZED

Commander McCalla Decides to Test the Vesse's Status in Cuban Waters.

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ON BOARD THE CALL-HERALD DISPATCH BOAT MENDORA, OFF SANTIAGO, June 30 (via Port Antonio, Jamaica, July 1).—The Adula, a British steamship which some time ago carried refugees from Cienfuegos to Kingston and which has been in many Cuban ports since the war began, dropped anchor in the lower bay at Guantanamo last night. Commander McCalla of the Marblehead decided to have the status of the Adula in Cuban waters officially determined and promptly seized the vessel. He put a prize crew aboard the Adula, which was loaded with provisions. Commander McCalla will hold the vessel until he receives orders from Washington.

MANZANILLO BOMBARDED BY WARSHIPS

A Report From Spanish Sources Says That Small Damage Was Done.

Declares One of the American Vessels Was Disabled and Towed Away.

MADRID, July 1.—The Imparcial to-day publishes a dispatch from Santiago de Cuba saying that four American warships at 4 o'clock this morning opened fire upon Manzanillo, Province of Santiago de Cuba. The dispatch adds that the firing, which lasted an hour, was answered by the Spanish gunboats in the harbor, and it is further said that "the Americans retired with one vessel seriously injured, as she was towed away with her fires extinguished."

Continuing, the dispatch to the Imparcial asserts that only one Spanish peasant was wounded during the bombardment.

From the same source it is asserted that the Americans used a captive balloon yesterday in taking observations of the forts of Santiago.

In conclusion the dispatch says a firing party of Americans fell into an ambush yesterday and that one of them was killed and two others captured.

MUTINY IN REA'S CAMP

School Trustees Are Wavering.

MRS. CLEMENT NOT OUSTED

BOARD NOT YET READY TO BREAK THE LAW.

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ham the Trustees now see their mistake and are in favor of retaining Mrs. Clement. Rea is straining every effort to whip them into line, but it is thought they will heed the wish of the public and turn the boss down. The two new Trustees to be seated at the next meeting are R. J. Langford and T. O'Neill. Just how they stand is uncertain, but they are both good men, and it is not thought they will do the boss' bidding.

At a recent meeting of the Good Government League of Santa Clara County the matter of Professor Smith's dismissal from the High School was discussed. The charges of the Battlefield Veterans that Professor Smith was unpatriotic were denounced as a political trick engineered by the "gank." The following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, It is our belief that our public schools should be entirely free from the influences that at present dominate our politics; and whereas, the teachers should be selected solely for their fitness and efficiency and not as a reward for political favors; and when they have proved themselves faithful and competent in the discharge of their duties; and whereas, we believe that Professor Smith of the San Jose High School has been unjustly removed, for political reasons only, from his position in said school; by the Board of Education of San Jose, against the unanimous protest of pupils and patrons of said school; therefore

Resolved, That we heartily commend the pupils and graduates of San Jose High School for the gallant fight they are making for the reinstatement of Professor Smith as a fight in the interests of our schools and in the cause of good government.

Resolved, That we earnestly urge the parents and friends of the High School pupils, and especially such as are members of the League, to assist their children in this contest by every honorable means in their power.

Resolved, That we heartily endorse Professor Smith and urgently request the Board of Education of the city of San Jose to reappoint him to his position in the San Jose High School.

ROBBERS BOARD A TEXAS AND PACIFIC TRAIN

Wreck the Wells-Fargo Safe With Dynamite and Escape With the Loot.

EL PASO, Texas, July 1.—The west-bound Texas and Pacific passenger train was held up at 10 o'clock to-night five miles west of Stanton, Texas, by three masked men, who wrecked the Wells-Fargo safe with dynamite and looted it. No resistance to the robbers was offered and no one was injured. The point where the robbery occurred is 300 miles east of here and details are meager. The blood-hounds from Pecos and two posers from Midland, Texas, are now after the robbers.

Orchards Damaged by a Gale.

SACRAMENTO, July 1.—The north wind which had been sweeping over this section for two days and nights abated this morning. It is reported serious damage was done to the fruit crops, about 25 per cent of the fruit having been beaten from the trees. Wheat that had not been cut suffered, the wind thrashing much of the grain.

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WOULD RAID TEXAS TOWNS

Scheme of Two Spaniards in Mexico.

ARE AROUSING SYMPATHY

THE CUBAN REPRESENTATIVES WATCH THE MOVEMENT.

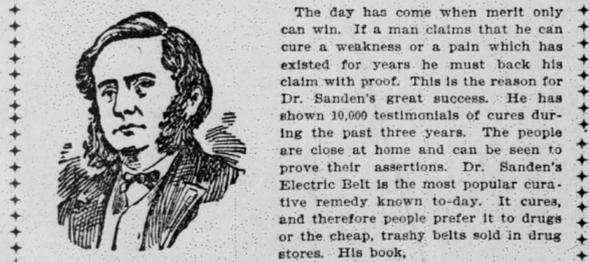
Steps Have Been Taken to Counteract the Project, Should an Attempt Be Made to Carry It Into Effect.

Special Dispatch to The Call.

NEW YORK, July 1.—A Washington special to the Herald says: A dispatch received to-day at the Cuban legation in this city from its representatives in Vera Cruz, Mexico, states that Captain Argudin, an aid to General Blanco, and Lieutenant Velasquez of the staff of General Pando, have arrived at that port and are making strenuous efforts

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