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Withdraws all Claims of Rights in Cuba and Porto Rico.

She Asks Us to Leave Enough to Avert the Kingdom's Ruin.

Relief From Cuban Debt Essential. Anxiously Awaiting the Decision of Washington.

Paris, Oct. 26.—The joint peace commission met this afternoon and adjourned to meet again tomorrow. The day's session was brief, and this is indicative that a serious crisis has arisen. It is learned on authority that the Spaniards think the American government is under misapprehension respecting Spain's policy. The Madrid government doesn't want to dilly-dally, but merely to obtain sufficient concession to enable Spain to live honestly and pay her debts. The Spanish commissioners wish to avoid the absolute ruin of their country, hence their persistency in contesting vital points. Spain has at last abandoned her attitude of claiming concessions in Cuba and Porto Rico and the matter of her rights, and simply throws herself on her conqueror's mercy.

The Spanish commissioners did this at today's session, acting under instructions from Madrid. They pointed out that only by some relief from the Cuban debt could the complete ruin of Spain be averted. An adjournment was taken for forty-eight hours to enable the Americans to communicate with Washington.

PHILIPPINES WILL BE NEXT

Peace Commissioners Have Wound up the Debt Question.

Washington, Oct. 26.—Although Paris despatches state that the peace commission began the consideration of the Philippine question yesterday, assurances given here today state that the subject has not been taken up by the commission.

The meeting today was devoted to the Cuban debt, and it is understood that the matter was to be finally disposed of at this session. They consistently declined to agree to any assumption of it by this country.

A message was yesterday sent to the commissioners, which, it is believed, instructed them to deliver a final answer to the Spaniards that further discussion of the debt question would be useless.

It is expected that the Philippines will be under discussion the first of next week.

SAGASTA'S NEW TROUBLE.

London, Oct. 26.—A dispatch to the Standard from Madrid, dated October 25, says that successive splits having deprived Sagasta of the support of three of the leading liberal statesmen, Canalejas, Moret and Gamazo, he has to face a critical situation aided only by second rate lieutenants.

All ladies' patent leather shoes at cost. G. A. Mears & Sons' Shoe Store.

PURCHASE OF SAMANA

Rumor That Nation Has Bought a Coaling Station at Santo Domingo.

Nassau, N. P., Oct. 26.—The United States cruiser Montgomery sailed hence today as did also the Dominican gunboat Restauracion, with President Heurieux of Santo Domingo, aboard. The object of the conference held between Heurieux and the commission which came here on the Montgomery is kept secret, but it is rumored that the United States has bought Samana, Santo Domingo, and will establish a coaling station there.

DREYFUS HEARING AT PARIS TO-DAY

Fresh Revelations not Expected—Quiet in France.

Paris, Oct. 26.—In contrast with yesterday, this has been a day of quiet. It is expected that apocryphal information will be followed in seeking a new ministry and that the crisis will be of long duration.

The court of cassation begins a hearing on the Dreyfus revision tomorrow, but it is doubtful if any fresh revelations will be made.

In the meantime the Fashoda question receives but scant attention in any quarter.

CARTER MAY GET ANOTHER CHANCE

Ex-Senator Edmunds Believes Convicting Court Martial Went Too Far.

Savannah, Oct. 26.—It is stated here, on what seems to be good authority, that the long trial of Captain Carter, United States engineer, will come to nothing, and that the whole ground may have to be gone over again.

The papers in the case have recently been reviewed by ex-Senator Edmunds, whose findings are said to be that the court martial went beyond its authority in taking evidence, and that the whole proceeding were void from a legal point of view.

Whether President McKinley will accept this view remains to be seen. The knowing ones say he will, and that a new case will be made against Carter on the ground that his river and harbor works were fraudulent and wasteful of federal funds.

BATTLESHIP AND BEER.

Milwaukee Brewers Want the Wisconsin Baptized with an "American Beverage."

Milwaukee, Oct. 26.—The commission appointed by Governor Schofield to arrange for the launching of the battleship Wisconsin at San Francisco next month has been requested by Milwaukee brewers to substitute beer for champagne as the baptismal fluid. A letter has been sent to the commission setting forth the fact that Wisconsin is not a champagne producing state, that beer is a much more distinctly American beverage than the sparkling wine, and that to use champagne on such occasions is to conform to a stale and meaningless Old World tradition.

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M'KINLEY CALLED BACK

Grave Affairs Arising Will Cut Short His Visit Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Oct. 26.—President McKinley and cabinet held a long consultation this evening over a dispatch from the Havana commission brought from Washington by an agent of the state department.

The hotel manager received an intimation that the president might leave for Washington early in the morning. At any rate it seems certain that the president will not remain longer than to review the military parade.

It is thought tonight that while the celebration of peace is in progress affairs of a grave nature have arisen in the international negotiations and that McKinley will not figure in the festivities here tomorrow.

HOBSON'S SCHEME TO BE AUTHORIZED

Government Likely to Raise Three of Cervera's Stranded Ships.

Washington, Oct. 26.—It is probable that the project of saving the Spanish warships off Santiago will be authorized, and that two and possibly three more ships will be added to the American navy.

There seems to be little doubt that the Mercedes and Colón can be floated and an expert board, considering the subject, after hearing Lieutenant Hobson's views, will probably recommend that the necessary work be done.

SAMPSON TAKES ENERGETIC STAND

He Refuses Spaniards More Time for Evacuation. Means to Send Warships.

Havana, Via Key West, Oct. 26.—Admiral Sampson has assumed a very energetic stand in refusing to grant the Spaniards the time they wish for evacuation.

He is tired of the Spanish attitude, and his request for Spanish assurance that the mines have all been removed from the harbor is taken to mean that he wants warships here at once.

If the warships come, however, the Spaniards will quickly come to terms.

MUSTER OUT ON NOV. 4.

The many soldiers of the Second volunteer regiment, who have been in the city for some days expecting to be mustered out at this place, were surprised yesterday on the receipt of notices which read as follows:

"Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 21, 1896. You are hereby ordered to report to your company at Charlotte, N. C., on November 1 for muster out of the service of the United States. You will bring with you your blankets in case only unfurnished rooms can be obtained for lodging. (Signed) ROBERT L. DURHAM, Capt. Co. E, 2d N. C. Vol.

52 pairs ladies' shoes, Philadelphia toe, button only, cloth and leather top; 46 pairs boys' shoes, size, 13 only; worth \$1 to \$1.50; to close at 75 cents and \$1. Assorted toes. G. A. Mears & Sons' Shoe Store.

Kiss Me candy? Yes, it's fresh.

Lookout for Chaps!

They come when you least expect it.

DERMAL BALM

will cure and prevent them. You have never used as nice a preparation. Keeps the skin in elegant shape.

Price 25 Cents

Prepared only by

Paragon Pharmacy Co.,

E. S. DAVIS, Manager.

Opp. Post Office.

Night bell at side door.

HAVE NOT DECIDED YET

Federal Authorities are Still Considering Matter of Sending Troops Here.

Washington, Oct. 26.—As a result of Senator J. C. Pritchard of North Carolina calling the attention of President McKinley and the republican leaders to a plan for the alleged intimidation of the republicans in his state that may bring on a race war, the officials are still considering the advisability of taking steps to protect all voters in the congressional elections.

According to the story which reaches republican headquarters, a reaction against what is called "negro domination" has reached a pitch which may result in all manner of crimes.

It is charged that certain republican leaders have been marked for slaughter if they continue in their present course, and that other republicans who have come out strong against furthering the cause of negro power were compelled to do so by threats.

The democratic newspapers are said to be counseling violence.

All this has stirred up the national leaders, and they intend to do all possible, even to the use of federal troops, to help out Senator Pritchard and the rest in getting a majority for the fusion ticket.

GOVERNOR'S PROCLAMATION

Russell Enjoins the Preservation of the Peace and Obedience to the Laws.

Governor Russell has issued the following proclamation:

"Whereas the constitution of the United States secures to every state in this union a republican form of government, protection from invasion and freedom from domestic violence, and

"Whereas the constitution of North Carolina guarantees to all the people of the state the inherent right to fully regulate their own internal government, to peacefully assemble for purposes of consulting for their common good, to hold peaceable and quiet elections, and to discharge and exercise in an orderly and quiet manner their manifold duties and privileges of good citizenship, and

"Whereas the constitution of the state and laws made in pursuance thereof forbid that any citizen shall be deprived or restrained of his liberty, but upon indictment for and conviction of crime, and

"Whereas it is ordained in the same constitution and laws of this state that writs for protection of citizens and processes of courts for the protection of society shall never be suspended, neither by usurping executives nor by turbulent mobs, using weapons of intimidation and violence, and

"Whereas it has been made known to me by the public press, by numerous letters, by oral statements of divers citizens of the state, and by formal written statements, that the political canvass now going forward has been made the occasion and pretext for

When Spain blew up the Maine she was insane and can never retain the high opinion of the American people as GRAPE TOBACCO. 172-2m

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No trouble to make good

Bread,

Biscuits,

Cakes, &c.

If you use this flour. Fresh lot just in at

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6 Court Square.

GARCIA PREVAILS

Wins a Complete Victory Over Opposition.

Garcia Has Made Out a Fair and Practical Program.

Army to be Disbanded and the Provisional Government Dissolved.

A Home and a Washington Commission Will be Organized—Garcia to Come Here.

Santiago, Oct. 26.—The Cubans have received word that Garcia's victory over the opposition in the convention at Santa Cruz is complete, owing to his influence with the white delegates from the western end of the island.

Garcia's program is to give all the troops in the eastern provinces an unlimited furlough with certificates showing the amount of pay due and send them home to care for their crops and families.

Another important step will be the dissolution of the provisional government under Maso and the suppression of the office of commander-in-chief.

Then Garcia proposes the appointment of two commissions, one to remain in Cuba, to represent the interests of the insurgents, and the other to confer with President McKinley. Garcia will head the Washington commission.

It is not believed that the dissolution of the army can be accomplished speedily, especially in the western provinces. Garcia will endeavor to secure a loan to pay the troops.

NEGROES LYNCHED.

Augusta, Ga., Oct. 26.—Two negroes were lynched at Edgefield Court-house, S. C., yesterday, for the murder of Mrs. J. O. Atkinson, a white woman of that place last week. While she and her husband were driving home from Augusta some one fired on them from the bushes, instantly killing Mrs. Atkinson. Suspicion pointed to old man Mackie, his son, Jim Mackie, and Luther Snihvan. They were arrested and each implicated the other. A mob empowered the officers and took the prisoners from them, carrying them to the road, tied their hands and told them to run. The negroes ran for their lives. The mob opened fire on them, young Merkle and Sullivan fell dead. Old man Mackie escaped wounded. Squads are scouring the woods in search of him.

WILLIAM IN THE HOLY LAND.

Haifa, Palestine, Oct. 26.—The emperor and empress of Germany arrived here today. The town was decorated with German and Turkish flags. Turkish troops lined the streets. Their majesties were driven to a German-American colony at Mount Carmel.

BUFFALO GOES TO DEWEY.

Washington, Oct. 25.—It is expected that the cruiser Buffalo will start from New York for Manila before the end of the week. She will take over 600 recruits and a quantity of supplies to Admiral Dewey and go via Suez canal.

During a number of years of experiments, which demanded large outlays of cash, we have been trying to produce the native North Carolina gem, cut and mounted, at a figure to compete with the ordinary imported semi-precious stones. We have just succeeded in accomplishing what we consider a very important and difficult task, and we can now offer to the public a beautiful line of native North Carolina gems that are better proportioned and polished than any we have ever had, at prices about one-half less than formerly. It is always our study and desire to furnish the public with the class of jewelry and silver we are known as handling at the very lowest market prices.

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