

THE BUSINESS SITUATION.

All-pervading Confidence That After Temporary Conditions Have Passed It Will Be Better. By Telegram to the Morning Star.

PORTUGAL'S NEUTRALITY.

An Official Decree Issued by the Government at Lisbon. By Cable to the Morning Star.

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT

Table with columns: For the Week Ending Friday, April 29th, 1898. Rows: Net receipts at all U. S. ports, Total receipts to date, Exports for week, Total exports.

BASE BALL.

Games Played Yesterday by Clubs of the National League. By Telegram to the Morning Star.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure. The Best in the world for Cakes, Breads, etc.

SENATE AND HOUSE.

An Agreement on the Naval Appropriation Bill—The House Passed the War Revenue Bill.

House of Representatives. The House to-day passed the War Revenue bill, with only the amendments agreed upon by the Republican members of the Ways and Means Committee.

THE FLYING SQUADRON.

All the Ships Weathered the Storm Well—Collided With Coal Sail for Key West. By Telegram to the Morning Star.

THE CAPE VERDE FLEET.

Four Spanish Cruisers and Several Torpedo Boats Sailed West, Presumably for Cuba. By Telegram to the Morning Star.

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DEPARTMENT NEWS.

FROM WASHINGTON. A Day of Alarming Rumors That Happily Turned Out to Be Unfounded.

ADMIRAL DEWEY'S SQUADRON

Expected to Arrive at Manila Saturday Morning—Great Pressure on the War Department—Harmless Growls of Newspapers. By Telegram to the Morning Star.

THE TONNAGE TAX.

The British and French ambassadors have received instructions relative to the tonnage tax provision in the war tariff bill which passed the House of Representatives to-day.

WARM WIRELETS.

The Spanish torpedo cruiser Temerario is still at anchor at Buenos Ayres. U. S. Cruiser Minneapolis sailed at 2.30 P. M.

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TROOPS ARE ON THE MOVE.

The First Force to Invade Cuba Will Leave the Latter Part of Next Week.

NOW ASSEMBLING AT TAMPA.

An Army of About 10,000—Will Land at Matanzas—Guns and Ammunition for the Insurgents—Fleet Will Cover the Landing. By Telegram to the Morning Star.

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SOOP CAPTURED BY BLOCKADERS.

Arrival of Troop Ship Panther With Marines on Board at Key West.

A SENSATIONAL REPORT.

No Foundation for Rumor That a Case of Treason Had Been Discovered on the Panther—No Bombardment of Cardenas. By Cable to the Morning Star.

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SPANISH FLEET AWAITING ATTACK.

A Naval Battle Expected to Take Place Sunday in the Bay at Manila.

THE UNITED STATES FLEET.

Reported Sighted North of Manila—Spanish Warships Patrolling the Western Coast—Reinforced by Large Auxiliary Cruiser. By Cable to the Morning Star.

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