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Ponce, the Second City of Importance on the look, more particularly at the East. This is reflected in active preparations by shippers and coasting trade inter-Island, Has Capitulated.

BRITISH SUBJECTS AND PHILIPPINE NATIVES OF EUROPE

Have Cabled the President Beseeching Him Not to Give Up the Philip pine Islands for the Sake of Peace--Bread Riots in Havana, Two Bakers Killed - Business Anxieties in Santiago.

pushing towards the mountains, and of your noble nation and the wish of will join General Henry with all classes. Civilization, trade and garded as probable in another effort to his brigade at Yauco, which has order will be lost if Spanish authority restore the lost balance of this trade. been captured by our troops. A fight before the latter place was won by the American volunteers. The Spanish ambushed eight companies of the Sixth Massachusetts and Sixth Illinois Regiments, but the enemy was 315,602; per cent. decrease 0.3. Ex- on reports of excessive rains affecting the loss of the Philippines, where, it is repulsed and driven back a mile to a clusive of New York \$429,596,131; per crops. ridge, where the Spanish cavalry cent. increase 4.1.

charged and were routed by our infan-

transport, at 6:40 a. m., on the 28th, and commenced landing army in cap-tured sugar lighters. There was no

sailing vessels and 120 tons of coal.

selves are in need of assistance.

attack of the measles.

The King Down With Measles.

As Viewed Abroad.

The London Daily Mail, in comment-

Bread Riots in llavana.

|Signed.]

"HIGGINSON."

will be short and vigorous.

mander C. H. Davis, of the auxiliary the reports that the peace terms ingun-boat Dixie. There was no resist- clude the return of those islands to ance and the Americans were welcomed Spain. As a result they have held a

Weekly Bank Statement.

BRADSTREET'S REPORT. reparing for the Opening Up of the

West Indies. While as yet showing little actual effect upon distributive trade, there is evidence that the improved prospects for peace, with probable wider markets for American products, have given a more hopeful tinge to the trade outests to share in the expected widening of demand from the West Indies. As for some time past, however, reports of solid business returns came mainly from the Western part of the country, and in the markets of that section are reported signs of the ground swell of fall demand. Signs of cumulative improvement come from the iron and steel industry, more particularly steel industry, more particularly from west of the Alleghenies, where slight advances in prices accompanying a good volume of domestic and export the people went wild with joy. business are reported. Expected activity in ship-building is reflected in the demand for plates at Eastern ers were turned loose and pandemonium points. A rather better tone is found in the anthracite coal trade, in which, as the result of another one of those numerous "gentlemen's agreements," time the Hawaiian band marched prices have been advanced at the West through the streets to the wharf, playing from previously low-cut rates. The merican patriotic airs. An immense situation in cereals is hardly as satis-procession was formed and a march

over our country again to Spain is contreery to the hymanitaries.

To hand upon the sugar trade of the world.

The textile manufacturing situation President Dole would be their choice." Woolen goods are still slow of sale, while the relatively low range of wool peace has caused neither surprise nor prices at Eastern markets and the im- sensation here. The attitude of a ma-The total bank clearings in the Uni-ted States for the week were \$1,039,-

CITY AND HARBOR OF SAN JUAN, PORTO RICO. -

NEWS OF HAWAII'S ANNEXATION

Spain Will Welcome Peace-Admiral Miller Has Sailed for Honolulu-Spain Will Pro-

PORT OF PONCE, Porto
Rico (By Cable).—The port of
Ponce has surrendered to Comder C. H. Davis, of the auxiliary heat Dixie. There was no resist
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Rico (By Cable).—The port of and British subjects are alarmed by the reports that the peace terms include the return of those islands to pressure of expected liberal supplies at home and heavier crops abroad.

Pray for Deliverance.

Natives of the Philippine Islands probably record-breaking small world's supplies on August 1, and good exports from this country, while futures as the steamer tied up. Captain Sealby, of the Coptic, was presented with a silpressure of expected liberal supplies at home and heavier crops abroad.

Spain Will Welcome Peace.

MADRID, Spain, (By Cable). - The couraging sales. Raw cotton is firmer avoid the payment of an indemnity and

Graciously Our Noble Executive Acceded to the Prayer of the Great Frenchman.

Prince Bismarck, the Great Ex-Chancellor of Germany Dead. The Spanish Ship Maria Teresa Saved. Gen Merritt In Command at Manila. Natives of Porto Rico for Vengeance.

EVENTS of the most momentous | character occurred at the conference at the White House on His Death Due to a Culmination of Chronic July 30th, between the President, Ambassador Cambon, of France, and Sewith enthusiasm. Major General the ratification of the Madrid cabinet in of the veins—which kept him in con-what was done to bring the war to an stant pain, that was borne with the end. This was accomplished on the iron fortitude which might have been part of Spain when Ambassador Cambon expected. The beginning of the end presented to the President oredentials dates from July 20, when the Prince he had received from the Spanish gov- was confined to his bed. ernment appointing him envoy extra-ordinary and minister plenipotentiary, with complete instructions as to the

stiffened values with the effect of discouraging sales. Raw cotton is firmer on reports of excessive rains affecting crops.

Cereal exports still continue of a sat
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The latest will retain a coaling station

The latest definitions as to the manner of acting upon every one of the peace condition presented by the United States, including the disposition of Cuba, Porto Rico, the Philippines, the Ladrones, indemnity, armistice, and all other questions likely to arise in the course of the peace condition presented by the United States, including the disposition of Cuba, Porto Rico, the Philippines, the Ladrones, indemnity, armistice, and all other questions likely to arise in the course of the peace condition presented by the United States, including the disposition of Cuba, Porto Rico, the Philippines, the Course of the peace condition presented by the United States, including the disposition of Cuba, Porto Rico, the Philippines, the Course of the peace condition presented by the United States, including the disposition of Cuba, Porto Rico, the Philippines, the Course of the peace condition presented by the United States, including the disposition of Cuba, Porto Rico, the Philippines, the Course of the peace condition presented by the United States, including the disposition of Cuba, Porto Rico, the Philippines, the Course of the peace condition presented by the United States, including the disposition of Cuba, Porto Rico, the Philippines, the Course of the Philippines, where, it is now taken for granted, the United States, including the disposition of Cuba, Porto Rico, the Philippines, the Cuba and the course of the negotiations. The meeting was held in the President's private library, and both in the subjects discussed and the impressive manner in which the arguments proceeded, it was 'a conference destined to become memorable.

> The President and the ambassador addressed each other directly, with the greatest freedom and frankness, each maintaining the justice of his position on the several points involved. When at last, after an elequent plea by the and attended to drafting the modification. This accomplished, the ambassador addressed himself to the President, not so much as the advocate of Spain, but personally, having with the President, man for man, a like interest in humanity. M. Cambon is a man of fervid eloquence, and he spoke with an intensity of feeling which made a deep impression on the President and the others present. He spoke in French, each sentence being caught up and interpreted by M. Thiebaut with rapidity, so that the earnestness of the ambassa-dor's expression lost little by this indirect method of communication. The President spoke with equal frankness, and in the lengthy discussion there was considered.

Terms of Peace. The outlines of the terms of peace as Cuba to be free; Porto Rico to be empire and created the new German ceded to the United States; one of the ceded to the United States; one of the Ladrone Islands (probably Guam) to be France. He enlarged the frontiers of ceded to the United States as a coaling station, and, as an immediate step, all Spanish forces in the West Indies to be withdrawn, with the formal relinquishment by Spain of her sovereignty over any possessions among those islands.

No war indemnity will be demanded.

As to the Philippines, the cabinet agreed upon the following point: That

Manila hay, with the city and sur-rounding tetritory, should be retained in the possession of the United States at least for such a length of time as is necessary to devise and put in opera-tion some plan for the future government of the entire group. .

Natives for Vengeance. desire for revenge, and they began to ferrit out all the Spaniards in the city who had ever been in the volunteer service and dragged them to the plaza. Blood hounds could not have been more savage. The most of the Spanwere hauled in triumph by hooting, jeering mobs to General Wilson's head-

Not Regarded as Semous. The differences which have arisen between General Shafter and General Garcia are not regarded by the war officials as serious, and little doubt is expressed that they will be amicably

adjusted. Gen. Merritt Now in Command. Gen. Merritt arrived at Manila on July 25, and immediately after reporting to Admiral Dewey on the flagship Olympia assumed command of the American forces. Gen Merritt was officially recognized by a salute of thirteen guns.

The Bank of Spain's report for the week ending July 30 shows the follow-ing charges: Gold in hand, increase,

Prince Bismark, Germany's great

Official Expression of Sympathy.

By direction of the President, the following dispatch was sent to Hon. Andrew D. White, United States ambassador to Germany: "Washington, D. C. July 31.—White, Ambassador, Berlin: The President charges you to express in the proper official quarter to the bereaved German nation and to the family of the deceased statesman, the sorrew which the government and people of the United States feel at the passing away of the great Chancellor, whose memory is ever associated with the greatness of the German Empire. ADEE, Asst. Sec.

Prince Otto Eduard Leopold Bis Harck Schonhausen, was born of an 10, 1865, and Prince (Furst) Von Bismarck, in March, 1871. He was educated at the Universities of Gottingen and Griefswald, spent some time in the army and subsequently settled down as a country gentleman. Brought up in the political faith of the Junkers, Conservative cause led to his apof Prussia, in the Diet of the old German Bund, at Frankfort. Bismarck was sent as ambassador to St scarcely a point in the whole range of the war which was not met and freely tion until 1862. In May of 1862 he became Prussian ambassador at Paris. Five months later he was made First Minister of the Prussian Crown. With in the next ten years he humbled the Austrian empire, destroyed the French Prussia by the annexation of various provinces, including the dominions of three dethroned German princes, and succeeded in placing Germany, which had previously been the weakest and least respected of all the great powers, at the head of all the States of Eu-

Battleship Texas at New York.

The Battleship Texas has arrived at the New York harbor -preparatory to going into dry dock. She was given a great welcome from the thousands of people who crowded the decks of the outward-bound excursion boats. Every vessel that boasted a steam whistle let The appearance at Ponce of a large it shriek for all it was worth. The body of volunteer Spanish deserters piping tones of little tug boats mount-aroused in the breasts of the natives a ed with the deep-monthed roar of the

The Maria Teresa Saved. The War Department has received iards in hiding, upon being discovered the following dispatch from Admiral Sampson: "Plava, July 29. - The Inquarters, or to the provost marshal's fanta Maria Teresa, upon which the office in the municipal building. Some wreckers are now engaged, will be of the natives even began looting the floated and brought to Guantanamo as residences of the Spaniards. They soon as a small leak is located, which is mistook liberty for license and were crazed with a thirst for vengeance. Whether this is due to a small valve. General Wilson, however, soon taught being left open, or a hole which may where. He will not raise the flag of the them that revenge could not be wreak- have been made in the bow, is not known. Her own pumps are being used to remove the water, there being steam

> Garcia Has Resigned. Advices from Havana confirm the report that General Garcia has relinquished his command and gone to Camaguey.

> > Wants to Be Friendly.

There is a strong desire in French official circles to bring about a complete resumption of the pleasant relations with the United States which existed previous to the trouble between Spain and America, and which were disturbed by French newspaper utterances.

Federal Judge Hanford, of Tacoma, has decided that an insurance policy does not lapse because of non-payments until the holder has been duly One of the conspicuous elements of

rresistible, gives it a power of intimidation out of all proportion to its actual potency, and makes fleets unwilling to face it. It caused terror and demoralization at the battle of Lissa, and later, in the Franco-German war of 1871, the French fleet was actually frightened out of Prussian ports by the rumor and belief that numerous torpedoes had been planted for their reception. A striking instance of the effectiveness of the torpedo is found in the sinking of the Blanco Encalada in Chili from injuries thus inflicted during the revolution of 1891. The whole of President Balmaceda's fleet present had joined the insurgents, when suddenly his two swift torpedo vessels, the Lynch and Condell, arrived at Valparaiso. They were armed with two 14-pounder guns and four torpedo tubes. They immediately attacked the Blan o Encalado, and the ironclad was taken completely by surprise. She had no protective net out, and no guard boats were patrolling, while a portion of the crew was on shore. After two or three futile attempts the Lynch approached the Encalada within fifty yards and discharged a torpedo, which struck the ironclad abreast the ergine room. The explosion was tremendous. Many were killed, and the ship keeled equipment and warfare which it had not before possessed.-Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly.

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try. The enemy loss, four men, the American loss, only three wounded. The Porto Ricans are glad the Ameri-Among Them Three Gun-Boats. are all Americans and will join our army. The roads are good for military New York Journal, says that Admiral purposes. Our troops are healthy, Dewey, at Manila, has dispatched the and General Miles says the campaign Raleigh and Concord to gather up The Articles of Surrender.

to information sent him by Consul General Wildman, are at various places until occupation by the army are: "First: The garrison to be allowed to retire. Second: The civil government to remain in force. Third: The police and fire brigade to be maintained without arms. Fourth: The captain of the port not to be made prisoner.

Ban lingue, Edzon Island, and Island. Four merchantmen, with cargoes of tobacco, are reported at Cagayan, Luzon. The same dispatch reports that English the port not to be made prisoner. "Arrived at Ponce from Guanica with Massachusetts and Cincinnati, General Miles and General Wilson and

wise by the Spaniards there.

being strengthened. Not Willing to Give Up Porto Rico. A dispatch from Key West to The in Havana. Since the extended blockagainst a cessation of Porto Rico to the ade has closed the ports of Sagua la

A Protest by Governor Tyler. or defending two dozen loaves. Char-Ity is dead, because the wealthy themof the quarantine officers at Newport News and Old Point sent to Surgeon General Sternberg of the army, a strong protest against more wounded soldiers from Cuba being landed at A special dispatch from Madrid says the King of Spain is suffering from an

Don Carlos Waiting for His Chance.

The Paris correspondent of the Loning on the report that the United don Daily Mail reports an interview States will abandon the Philippines in with one of the chief supporters of Don will abandon Aguinaldo and the insur- Don Carlos would issue a pronunciagents. It would be the deepest dis- mento the minute Spain was committed honor, beside sowing the seed of uni- to a demand for peace. "All the north versal war. A joint commission could of Spain is eager and ready. We lack not arrive at an enduring compromise." neither men nor arms. Don Carlos will In The Daily Mail's opinion an indem- be proclaimed in Catalina and the nity of from £6,000,000 to £7,000,000 Basque provinces without the necessity

WANTS ELEVEN MORE SHIPS. Raleigh and Concord After Spanish Vessels,

A cablegram from Hong Kong to The eleven Spanish craft, which, according in the Philippine archipelago. Among these vessels are three gun-boats at San Miguel, Luzon Island, and four at traders at the coal mines at Batanan, Luzon Island, have been imprisoned and subjected to ill treatment other-

The Madrid correspondent of the New York Journal says: Hunger is London Daily Mail says: "The Spanclaiming many victims, rich and poor, ish government will combat to the last circles here, owing to a fear that the

United States. It would much rather

Grande, Nipe and Batanabo, no prosacrifice one of the Philippine Islands, visions have entered the Cuban capital contending that Porto Rico has always been loyal and outside the scope of the and General Blanco's scanty store in the warehouses has been exhausted. war. Bread riots have already begun. Two prothers, bakers, were killed by a mob Governor Tyler at the urgent request via New York has been ordered un-the quarantine officers at Newport shipped and sold in New York even at a

Fort Monroe.

(\$30,000,000 to \$35,000,000) will be da-manded for the loss of the Maine. | of striking a blow. Then will come the time for war."

isfactory volume, wheat shipments for only. A few Carlists, Republican and the week (flour included) aggregating Independent papers pretend that 2,271,872 bushels, as against 2,303,469 America's demands will not be acceptbushels last week, and compared with able. 2,343,021 bushels in the corresponding week of last year; 2,648,678 bushels in this week of 1896; 1,460,917 bushels in 1895, and 2,977,957 bushels in 1894. Since July 1, this year, the exports aggregate 10,424,780 bushels, against 8,-

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0,000 bushels last year. 188 last week, and compared with 259 in this week a year ago; 294 in 1896; 221 in 1895, and 220 in 1894. The business failing it clear that the United States deures in the Dominion of Canada for the ferred its answer in order to be able to same week number 34, against 17 last date this after the American forces had week; 34 in this week a year ago; 37 in gained a footing in Porto Rico.

1896; 24 in 1895, and 31 in 1894.

General Brooke Off. four batteries of artillery and three with the Treasury officials in regard to The Spanish troops in Porto Rico are troops of cavalry and signal corps have the established customs duty on tobacco by the inhabitants and there was great | being withdrawn from the outlying | left Newport News, Va., for Porto Rico. | and cigarettes imported into Cuba. His

> troops. Business Anxieties in Santiago.

SANTIAGO de Cuba (By Cable), -A panicky feeling prevails in business delphia has sailed for Honolulu. Ad-Americans will turn the city over to the Cubans for self-government. No con- special instructions with him, but will fidence exists, owing to the uncertainties of the future. Orders that were given during the first days of the American occupation have been countermanded by cable. Even European merchandise on through bills of lading

The first new bale of cotton of the coming crop of Georgia was received at Savannah on July 28 from Albany.

Texas Populists. The Populist State convention at Austin nominated the following ticket: Governor, Barnot Gibbs, of Dallas; the interest of peace, says: "We can-not believe that President McKinley over with confidence." He says that "Oyclone" Davis, of Sulphur Springs; Comptroller, E. P. Alsbury, of Harris; Treasurer, J. B. Barry, of Bosque; Land Commissioner, H. L. Bantley, of Farley, of Dallas; Judge of Supreme Columbia, indicate that there is no 1,786,000 pesetas; silver in hand, in-Court, F. J. McMinn, of Beaufort. The platform submitted was adopted.

Spain Will Protest.

The Madrid correspondent of The

London Daily Mail says: Spain will probably protest against an attack upon Porto Rico after the Washington cabi-The business failures in the United net had officially received Spanish States remain at a normal low point, overtures for peace. Should a circular aggregating for the week 189, against note on this subject be sent to the

Moving for Reduced Rates.

A representative of the American Gen. Haines' brigade, together with Tobacco Company had a conference enthusiasm. I captured 60 lighters, 20 towns and are conceptrating upon San Major-General Brooke, commanding contention was that these articles Juan. The defences of the capital are the First Army Corps, accompanied the should be admitted either free, or at a nominal rate.

Sailed for Honolulu.

The United States steamship Philamiral Miller transferred his flag from the Albatross to the Philadelphia. Admiral Miller, it is believed, carried no remain at Honolulu until ordered else-United States over the island until af- ed under the protection of our flag, ter the arrival of the Hawaiian commis- and peremptorily ordered that the arsioners, who leave for Honolulu early rest of Spanish suspects should cease. in one of her boilers. (Signed) Samp-

Immune Regiment Sailed. The steamer Berlin, having on board the immune regiment, under command of Colonel Duncan S. Hood, has sailed from New Orleans for Santiago,

in August.

Haste to Occupy Porto Rico Justified. National Gazette, Berlin, says: "Although America's haste to obtain a footing in Porto Rico is rather contrary to the strict canons of military usage, it is perhaps justified by the assumption that its conquest will place America in a better position to dictate terms of peace. As Spain is unable to pay indemnity America has a right to demand an enforced compensation."

The latest advices from Carthagena, scare whatever owing to the presence crease, 4,175,000; notes in circulation, of the Italian squadrou at that port. of the Italian squadrou at that port.