

INSURRECTION IN CUBA PROGRESSES

Arrange Naranjo Occupied by Insurgents Last Night. Col. Bocalloo Marches with Large Force to Battle Pino Querra, Insurgent Leader.

Havana, Aug. 25.—The village of Arroyo Naranjo, five miles from Havana was occupied by a force of 70 insurgents last night.

A detachment of mounted city and provincial police proceeded to Arroyo Naranjo early this morning and the insurgents who had occupied that place scattered as the government force approached.

An American describing the route of government recruits near Guines, a province of Havana, yesterday, says no orders were given after the government forces encountered the rebels except "every man for himself" and that rout became in reality a race for Havana.

Cabinet Crisis Over.

The cabinet crisis is officially announced as satisfactorily arranged. Senor O'Farrill is acting minister of the interior, and the Secretary of State and Justice, has consented to retain his own positions. (Secretary of State and Justice), withdrawing from the interior department. Senor Font Sterling and General Montalvo will continue, ad-interim, in charge of the ministry of the interior. When Gen. Ruiz Rivera, the Cuban minister to Central and South American countries, who has been called to return immediately to Cuba, returns, he will resume charge of the interior ministry.

Col. Bocalloo Departs.

Colonel Bocalloo, with 250 artillerymen and 50 recruits left San Juan de Martinez this morning, moving in the direction of Guines. Pino Del Rio in the expectation of a fighting battle to Pino Guerra, the insurgent leader, who was reported to be only five miles distant. A severe engagement is expected.

It was announced at the Palace this afternoon that Colonel Bocalloo's force operating Pino Guerra, had a skirmish with a band of rebels near San Luis station, Pino Del Rio, with result that the rebels were dispersed and the troops captured five horses.

Another Skirmish.

A detachment of rural guards from Batabano had a skirmish this morning with a large insurgent band. The insurgents, who were encamped at a place called Rio Blanco, according to the report from Balabano, disbanded and fled leaving four men dead and a dozen wounded on the field.

Col. Ashburn, of the insurgents, is believed to be slightly wounded. Two rural guards were wounded.

A dispatch from Remedios, a province of Santa Clara, this afternoon announced that another insurgent band, commanded by Col. Severiano Garcia, and Capt. Cepeda, who formerly was captain of the rural guards, had taken the field against the government forces.

A dispatch added that Quantin Bravo, a famous leader of the Buena Vista and Remedios patriots, which operated against the Spaniards during the war for independence, had started to join the insurgent forces with a band of 40 men. He was the last heard from between Remedios and Caibarien, about five miles from Remedios.

His Master's Voice.

Chicago Journal.

The first instance recorded in Berlin of a dog using a telephone occurred there the other day, when a people which had been lost by two provincials during their stay in the capital was recognized by this means. It answered the description left by the owner as to outward appearance, and in order to solve all doubts its probable masters were rung up on the country telephone and asked to communicate with the dog, against whose ear the receiver was placed. On hearing itself called by its name the animal burst into a joyous, excited bark which was recognized by the owners at the other end of the wire. The dog was thereupon forwarded to its master by rail.

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition, beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The name and the immediate effect of Swamp Root is soon realized. It is sold by drug stores, in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling all about it, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper.

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During the summer months children are subject to disorders of the bowels which should receive careful attention as soon as the first unnatural looseness of the bowels appears. The best medicine in use for bowel complaint is Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as it of the bowels. For sale by Shuford Drug Co.

"PAT" CROWE TO REFORM.

Man who Kidnapped Eddie Cudahy Promises to Begin Life Anew. Western Bandit Goes to New York City and will Strive to Live Down his Past.

New York Herald.

"Pat" Crowe, a Western bandit and daring "gun fighter," with a record throughout the Western States, is in this city, where, according to his friends, he will begin life anew and strive to outlive his past. One of the first persons he met after his arrival about ten days ago was "Pat" Masterson, a United States marshal, with whom he had a long conversation. To a friend whom he met after his talk with Masterson Crowe made known his intention of reforming.

According to his friend, Crowe has awakened to the error of his ways and has realized that the path of the righteous is the only one to follow. He has formed no definite plans for the future as yet, but he is satisfied that he will succeed. To a friend Crowe talked of the kidnapping of Eddie Cudahy, son of a wealthy Omaha packager, for which crime he was arrested, but acquitted.

Crowe also told of many daring crimes which he was a party to and of his early life. In appearance Crowe does not look like a man who has been a terror to sheriffs, United States marshals and the police of many Western sections for years. He is clear cut, with regular features and mild blue eyes. His lips are firm and express determination.

Crowe says he is thirty-five years old and was born in Davenport, Iowa. His father was a cattle dealer and "Pat" worked for him until he had completed his schooling and then went to Omaha, where he obtained employment in a packing house. Several years later he opened a butcher shop in South Omaha, taking as a partner Patrick Cavanagh. They had been in business only a short time when they were bought out by a trust. After this Crowe went to work for Edward A. Cudahy.

Crowe says his first dishonest act was committed while in Cudahy's employ, when he took \$20 which had been paid to him by a customer. Some time after this Crowe lost his place. He had saved some money and concluded to open a butcher shop in the town where he was born.

While in Chicago, where he went to buy supplies, Crowe says he fell in with a band of thieves and his career of crime began. His first desperate act after this was a hold-up in a resort where several thousands dollars' worth of diamonds were stolen. As a result of this robbery Crowe had his first "police" fight when discovered by the police he wounded three, but was finally captured. He was convicted and sentenced to serve six years in Joliet prison, but was pardoned after he had served seventeen months.

After he left prison, Crowe says he concluded that he could not make a living honestly and decided to become a professional criminal. There were few jails in the West strong enough to hold him, and he broke jail once in Denver after he had been arrested on a charge of robbery, and again in St. Joseph, Mo., taking five prisoners with him. After this, Crowe says, he held up several trains and the governors of at least four States offered rewards for his capture.

Crowe says he conceived the Cudahy kidnapping some time after his release from the penitentiary. He says he took in an accomplice, with whom every detail of the crime was planned for several months. An old house on the outskirts of Omaha was rented and the Cudahy house was watched for an opportunity to make off with the boy. The chance came on the evening of December 18, when the two saw the lad leave the house and go to the house of a neighbor.

When the boy appeared he was made a prisoner and taken to the old house. Then Crowe returned to the Cudahy house and threw into the yard a letter demanding the ransom. The letter demanded that \$25,000 be paid or acid would be put into the boy's eyes. Following the directions of Crowe, Mr. Cudahy paid the money, and the boy was released. After that rewards amounting to \$55,000 were offered for the arrest of Crowe.

Crowe surrendered five years later in Butte, Mont., after a desperate fight with the police. He says that after he had settled with his accomplice he buried his share of the proceeds. He was taken to Omaha and placed on trial, but was acquitted. Crowe says that his acquittal was due to a faulty prosecution on the part of the prosecuting attorney.

NAVAL MILITIA SAIL

Newport, Aug. 25.—The Rhode Island naval militia sailed on the cruiser Columbia for its annual course of practice work off the Chesapeake Capes and it will call at Fort Monroe.

The story of the torture of Rev. O. D. Moore, pastor of the Baptist church of Harpersville, N. Y., will interest you. He says: "I suffered agonies, because of a persistent cough, resulting from the grip. I had to sleep sitting up in bed. I tried many remedies, without relief, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption Coughs and Colds, which entirely cured my cough, and saved me from consumption." A grand cure for diseased conditions of Throat and Lungs. At C. M. Shuford and E. B. Menzies druggists; price 50c and \$1.00, guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

Teacher (sternly)—"What were you laughing at, Robert?"

Bobby—"I wasn't laughin' ma'am; my complexion puckered, that's all."

—Woman's Home Companion for September.

Bowel Complaint in Children.

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REFORMED METHOD SPELLING ADOPTED

President Roosevelt Orders Adoption of Carnegie Reformed Method of Spelling in all Government Documents. List of One Hundred Words Reformed.

Oyster Bay, Aug. 24.—President Roosevelt has ordered the adoption of the reformed spelling in Government documents.

The President endorses the Carnegie reform spelling, and has instructed the public printer that all official documents, from the White House including President's messages, shall be printed in accordance with the recommendations of the spelling reform committee headed by Brander Matthews of Columbia University.

This committee has published a list of 100 words in which the spelling is reformed. The list contained such words as "Thru" and "Thru" as the spelling for "Through" and "Though." The President's official sanction is regarded as the most effective, and speediest, method of inaugurating the new system of spelling.

Not only will the printed documents emanating from the president utilize the reform spelling, but his correspondence also will be spelled in the new style.

Secretary Loeb has sent for the list of 100 words which has been reformed and upon its arrival will immediately order all correspondence of the President and of the executive force of the White House spelled in accordance therewith. As the spelling reform committee shall adopt the new reforms they will be added to the President's list and also to that of the public printer.

While the order to the public printer does contemplate an immediate reform in spelling of official documents from executive departments in Washington it is regarded that more than likely the respective heads of the departments will fall in line with the President's ideas and have their official documents printed in the new spelling.

300 Simplified Words.

June the 18th the simplified spelling board made public a list of 300 simplified words decided upon, and which was widely published at the time. Among the most prominent changes the final "ue" was omitted from such words as Catalogue; and "t" used for "ed" in words like Addresser and Shipped.

PRESIDENT'S PROCLAMATION.

Issues Appeal to American People for Aid for Chilean Sufferers.

Oyster Bay, Aug. 25.—The President issued a proclamation appealing for aid for earthquake stricken Chile. The proclamation was issued after consultation with Acting Secretary of State Bacon.

Modest Claims Often Carry the Most Conviction.

When Maxim the famous gun inventor, placed his gun before a committee of judges, he stated its carrying power to be much below what he felt sure the gun would accomplish. The result of the trial was therefore a great surprise, instead of disappointment. It is the same with the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. They do not publicly boast of all this remedy will accomplish, but prefer to let the users make the statements. What they do claim is that it will positively cure diarrhoea, dysentery, pains in the stomach and bowels and has never been known to fail. For sale by Shuford Drug Co.

Turkey Mobilizes Army.

Vienna, Aug. 24.—The Tagblatt reports under reservation from Philippopolis that Turkey has mobilized a second army at Adrianople, together with four army corps.

The Duty of Parents.

Prevention is better than cure, and yet a remedy like Mexican Syrup for coughs, colds and consumption, if not used to prevent consumption by curing a cough or cold in the beginning can be depended on to even cure after the lungs begin to waste away. No other remedy is so nice to take, or so quick to cure, and many families often buy a new bottle before the old one is all used up, so that they may have it always in the house. Only 25 cents at drug stores.

Better Cut This Out.

Every mother should be quickly suspicious of worms, when her children act as if they were going to be sick. Worms are known to be the first cause of much ill health. Young and old very often are suffering from worms when a mother thinks it is something else. Remember, a very harmless, yet always effective remedy for stomach, tape or pin worms, is a 25 cent bottle of Mother's Worm Syrup.

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An old physician once referred to constipation as "Death's Helper." There is no doubt many ailments and much distress begin with constipation of the bowels that have no weakening effect on the nerves, kidneys etc., are Mexican Root Pills. Only 25 cents.

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