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**EDITORIAL NOTES.**

Spain has proclaimed an Armistice for five days in order to give time for a conference on Cuban affairs with the hope that a better understanding may be arrived at between Spain and Cuba. It is very doubtful what the result will be. It looks as if nothing but complete independence will satisfy Cuba. In the United States the President in his message on Monday justly complains of the intolerable burden imposed on the United States in observing neutrality during such a long continued struggle without a glimmer of hope in regard the ability of Spain to reduce the Cubans to order. Also the severe strain which the cruel methods pursued by the Spaniards in their dealing with the agricultural population of Cuba, puts upon the forbearance and sympathy of a neighboring nation. The agricultural population has been herded in the cities and towns or in their vicinities without proper provision having been made for their wants, and the result has been misery, starvation and death to immense numbers of Cubans. The Cubans in active service of course have to endure all the hardships incident to war, but the greater number of these agriculturalists were non-combatants and the Spaniards were directly responsible for the inhuman treatment caused by massing large numbers together without means of subsistence. America has remonstrated without effect on behalf of these poor people, and in spite of all the help that has been given by public and private charity on the part of the United States Government and citizens, the destitution and suffering has been most appalling. President McKinley declares that this state of things cannot be allowed to continue. In the name of Christianity and civilization the United States must intervene. Spain cannot be allowed to continue such a hopeless strife for supremacy. There is no prospect whatever of it succeeding in reducing the in-revolutionists to order. President McKinley recommends the immediate intervention by the United States and asks Congress to authorize and empower him to take measures to secure a full and final termination of hostilities between the Government of Spain and the people of Cuba. Few men would be safe with such power in their hands as the President asks from Congress, but from the very prudent manner in which he has carried on the negotiations with Spain so far, probably he may be entrusted with all that he asks in order that he may carry out the end he has in view. What the future will be for Cuba is a problem. The United States has the cordial sympathy of Britain in her desire to put an end to Spanish misrule in Cuba. Whether Cuba will appreciate the sacrifices that the United States may have to make on her behalf is another question. Time alone will tell that.

There have been several disastrous snowslides on the Chilkoot trail last week. Many lives have been lost. It is not yet known how many have perished, but it is believed that over one hundred persons are missing, and ten thousand tons of supplies are buried under the snow and ice. The Globe gives a list of thirty-five names of the dead, and it is a curious circumstance that out of the thirty-five, only one is a Canadian. Thirty-four are from the United States. We hear of many parties from Britain and Canada being made up to go to the Klondyke to hunt for gold, and if the ratio of British subjects to Americans going to the gold diggings is the same as it seems to be in the Chilkoot Pass, the country would not have lost much if the grant of land had been given to Messrs. Mann and Mackenzie in return for building the Yukon Railway. Less than three per cent. of it is going to Canadians, and over ninety-seven per cent. to Americans on the above calculation. Our senators surely love their neighbors better than themselves, for our gold fields for the Ameri-

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