

Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED.
EARLE—In this city, on July 11, John Earle, father of P. Earle, of the G. T. R., in his 88th year.

Funeral will leave the residence of his son-in-law, W. Lillierup, 48 Hill street, on Wednesday, at 3 p.m.; services at 2:30. Friends please accept this intimation.

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Meetings.

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ST. JOHN'S LODGE, NO. 30, A. F. AND A. S. M. G. R. C.—A regular communication of the above lodge will be held this evening, at 7:30, in Masonic Temple, visitors welcome. John Jones, W. M.; M. D. Dawson, secretary.

LONDON PLEBISCITE ASSOCIATION.—All residents No. 4 Ward who are interested in the temperance cause, and are willing to help carry prohibition, are requested to meet in lecture room, Y. M. C. A. Building, Tuesday evening July 12, 8 o'clock, for ward organization. W. M. Spencer, convener for Ward No. 4.

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CLOSE CONTEST

The British Columbia Election Returns Show a Tie.

G. N. W. Special to The Advertiser. Vancouver, B. C., July 12.—The latest election returns give the Government and Opposition 17 seats each.

Cariboo (two) yet to be counted, and the election in Cassiar (two) has not yet taken place.

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A feature of "Society Journalism" in Kansas is the publication, along with a list of wedding presents, of a list of young men who have been refused by the bride.

Dr. Chase Cures Catarrh After Operations Fail. Toronto, March 16, 1897.

My boy, aged 14 has been a sufferer from Catarrh, and lately we submitted him to an operation at the General Hospital. Since then we have resorted to Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure, and one box of this medicine has made a prompt and complete cure.

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Flying the White Flag!

Shafter Says Quiet Reigned at Santiago,

While the Enemy Was Considering Surrender.

American Forces Surrounded the City, But the Line Was Thin.

Surmise That Santiago Has Been Evacuated by the Spaniards.

Gen. Miles at the Front—Results of the Preliminary Operations on Monday—Effect of the U. S. Warships' Shells on Cervera's Ships.

Washington, July 12.—Gen. Shafter, in a dispatch probably written yesterday afternoon, says everything is quiet, and that a flag of truce was up while the enemy was considering the surrender. He reported that he had the town surrounded, but the line was thin, and would be strengthened in the morning.

Washington, July 12.—The following dispatch was received here at 9:30 a.m.: Playa del Este, via Hayti, July 12.—Headquarters of the army corps.—It has been quiet, but little fighting. A flag of truce was up since 2 o'clock; considering proposition for surrendering. Now that I have the town surrounded on the north. Lines were completed at 6 p.m. by Gen. Ludlow right down to the bay. The line is rather thin, but we will have it strengthened in the morning by Gen. Henry's corps, which has just arrived at headquarters. Only three or four casualties. No one killed so far as I can learn. Expect to have two of the new batteries in position tomorrow. Great deal of suffering among the people who have gone out of Santiago. Am doing my best to relieve it, but not entirely successful. (Signed) SHAFER.

SCHLEY AND CERVERA. On the day of Admiral Cervera's departure for the United States as a prisoner of war, the following conversation passed between the Spanish admiral and Commodore Schley regarding the destruction of the Spanish fleet: "If we could have passed the Brooklyn, and I believe we could," said Admiral Cervera to Commodore Schley in the cabin of the Iowa, "I could have got away. My orders to concentrate fire on the Brooklyn were carried out, but your ship has a charmed life, sir, and the sad-faced admiral, with tears in his eyes, added: 'My career is ended. I shall go back to Spain to be killed or die in disgrace.'"

Commodore Schley put out his hand and rested it on Cervera's shoulder. He speaks perfect Spanish, and said: "Admiral, you are a brave man, and coming out as you did, in the face of a superior force, is but an exemplification of that bravery. Your country can do no other honor."

MANILA'S INSURGENT MARINE. Madrid, July 12.—5 a.m.—An official dispatch from Iloilo, Philippine Islands, says Aguinado, the insurgent leader, is patrolling the coast with a squadron of marines. Two bands of insurgents at Cebu have been defeated, and three insurgent leaders have been captured and shot. The official dispatch says there is no news from other parts of the island.

A Query. HAVE THE DONS SKIPPED? Under date of June 10, the London Times correspondent telegraphs from Santiago: "Either the Spanish have moved out of the city, leaving a few men to cover their retreat, or they have withdrawn into the city and are waiting behind barricades. This means a street-to-street fight, or a continuation of the bombardment."

In another dispatch the correspondent says: Major-General Shafter believes that the main body of the Spanish army has abandoned Santiago, and that it is now fleeing to the westward. It is expected as I write that the American army will be in full possession of the city by noon tomorrow. A joint attack by the army and navy was made upon the city late this afternoon, and much destruction must have been wrought by the American guns on land and sea. To this attack the Spaniards made only a feeble reply.

The United States loss was insignificant. No really earnest attempt to reduce Santiago was made today. It was a plan merely to give the Spaniards an idea of what they might expect when the American land and sea forces make their final attack in the morning. During today's fighting, however, the dynamite gun did great damage in the city, as did the shells fired from the fleet from a position off Agudora. There is little question in

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auxiliary cruiser Yale, with Gen. Nelson A. Miles, and the United States cruiser Columbia arrived. Rear-Admiral Sampson visited Gen. Miles immediately on his arrival, and then the Yale went to Siboney. Gen. Miles and his personal staff landed in a pouring rain.

CERVERA'S SHATTERED SHIPS. The board of survey, appointed to examine the wrecks of the Spanish ships, reports that only one can possibly be saved. She is the Infanta Maria Teresa, the former flagship of Admiral Cervera. The hull of the Cristobal Colon shows she was only hit six times, and then only by shells of 8-inch, 4-inch and six-pound caliber. This verifies the story that the command of the Cristobal Colon surrendered because he saw she could not get away from the Brooklyn and the Oregon, and to continue the battle meant sacrifice of life. It was found that the brass plugs of the large guns and the bolts and locks of the small arms had been thrown overboard. The Vizcaya showed she had been riddled by the Brooklyn and Oregon. She had not been struck by projectiles larger than eight inches. Her upper works were riddled by one and six-pound shells. Nearly all of these shells exploded inside the superstructure, and must have driven the men from the guns. This confirms the story of Capt. Eulate, that the Brooklyn's secondary battery fire was so terrible that the men deserted their guns. A singular fact noted on the four ships is that all the guns were trained forward, and the story that they were all directed to fire on the Brooklyn is thereby shown to be true.

A DISCOVERY. The shells on the ships exploded, and the result was to blow up the decks and not completely pulverize the hull or turn the keel up, as was the case of the battleship Maine. This is looked upon as being important.

A BLOCKADE RUNNER FITTING OUT. Capt. Bianco is making desperate efforts to get in supplies through the American blockade lines. He is now causing a steamer to be loaded at a Mexican port with the intention of running the blockade and taking food and ammunition to the beleaguered capital. This is a large ship of about 2,500 tons, and she has already taken on a bountiful supply of food and is expected to load 2,000,000 cartridges. The craft is believed to be the steamer Montevideo, now at ex'ra Cruz, and protests have been lodged with the Mexican Government by the American consul there against the clearance of the vessel.

From Madrid. ALLEGED DEMANDS OF THE UNITED STATES. Madrid, July 12.—It is asserted that the United States makes the following demands as conditions of peace:

1. The possession of Cuba and Porto Rico, with a port in the Canaries.

2. An indemnity of \$48,000,000 (about \$24,000,000).

3. The retention of the Philippines as a guarantee of the payment of the indemnity.

These terms are regarded as impossible.

Washington, July 12.—Secretary of State Day, on entering the cabinet today, authorized the statement that no peace overtures of any kind have been made.