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New York, June 7.—A Cape Haytien, Hayti, special to the Journal last night says: "A fibre battle has been raging all day off Santiago. A vivoes report that the Sampson's guns her's two proport that the Sampson's guns her's two proport that the Sampson's guns her's succeeded in effecting a landing at A. Ladores, a few miles cost of Santiago Harbor. The battle began at daybreak, and at 1.30 in the atternoon the battle was still on. The insurgents have made a junction with the American troops and are involving on the city. some of the newest things out.

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American Troops Have Effected a Landing in Cuba.

Troops and the Force Is Moving on the City of Santiago—The Situation at Havana—The Wrock of Morrimac

TROOPS LANDED.

ree Batteries of Artillery, Three Regiments of Infantry and Some Big Guns Put Ashere, New York, June 7.—The ticker service 2.55 yesterday afternoon sent out the

at 2.55 yesterday afternoon sens our surfollowing:

"Mole St. Nicholas, June 6.—The United States cruiser St. Louis arrived here this morning with despatches for Washington. She brought news that troops were successfully landed west of Santiago de Cuba on Saturday. The troops were one battalion of ongineers, three batteries of artillery, three regiments of infantry and heavy slege guns, which were easily disembarked by use of nontoons."

The Fleets Opened Fire.

Havana, June 7.—At 8 o'clock yesterday morning 24 vessels of the American fleet opened fire upon the fortifications at the entrance to Santiago harbor and along the coast line. The firing ceased about 11 o'clock. Further details are not yet known here.

Col. Alden, with a Spanish force, sustained a fire near Punta Cabrosa from the insurgents on the land side and from the American warships. The Spanish forces are well entrenched on the line from Siboney to Aguadores, and yesterday they checked an attempt of the American forces to land, and repelled them. The Crow's Nest Report of Inhus Treatment Creating Trouble. Treatment Creating Trouble.

Montreal, June 7.—The feeling in C.
P.R. circles is that Mr. M. J. Hancy
will build no more railways for the Canadian Pacific. The report giving the proceedings in the Crow's Nest line has
created no end of trouble in the C.P.R.
mind, and it seems to be admitted all
around that somebody's usefulness is
some.

Disposition to Surrender.

Hong-Kong, June 7.—The British gunboat Swife, which has just arrived from Manila, reports that the insurgents have cut the railways outside the town and advanced to within four miles of the city. A Spanish regiment mutinied and shot its officers. Fighting between the insurgents and the Spanish troops is frequent, and the former brought a thousand prisoners to Cavite. The Americans, it is reported at Manila, assist the insurgents with boats and machine guns.

The Swift repeats a rumor that the insurgents had captured and tortured a number of priests. The British residents, at the time the Swift left, still remained in Manila, but the other foreigners were taking refuge on the foreign shipping.

HONORS FOR HOBSON. The Washington Authorities Will Give Washington, D.C., June 7.—The promotion in store for Lieut. Hobson, the hero of Santiago, is under consideration by the Navy Department. Acting Secretary Allen and Commodore Hickborn, chief of the Bureau of Naval Construction, talked it over in a general way esterday, but no conclusions were reached. The department is desirous of knowing what would be most acceptable to Hobson himself, and when this is learned a recommendation will be made to Congress, which that body will doubtless gross, which that body will doubtless carry into effect, without delay. The pres-ent indications are that Hobson will be taken out of the staff and be made a line taken out of the staff and be made a line officer, as that ensures not only an increase of pay, but an opportunity to rise to the more conspicuous line position of admiral. At present Hobson is an assistant constructor, with the relative rank of lieutenant, junior grade.

Manila, May 29, via Hong-Kong, June 7.—Many natives will try to secure the large reward the Government has offered for the capture. of the insurgent chief, Aguinaldo, dead or alive. Already several of the insurgent officers have been assassinated.

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It is officially declared that four armored cruisers, with colliers, torpedo boats and transports, carrying 10,000 troops, have left Bpain for Eastern waters. The Spaniards are utterly unimpressed by the naval defeat here.

The insurgents raided a railway station 10 miles to the north of Manila and killed three priests and an officer. There has also been a pitched battle at a Spanish port south of Manila, near Cavite, the result being that the insurgents retired. The Spanish casualties were 150.

Meanwhile the insurgents are steadily advancing along the coast, supported by the United States gunboat Petrel, and are driving the Spaniards into Manila. They have captured five important positions nine miles from the city, and over 400 Spaniards have been killed. Four thousand Spanish reinforcements have been sent, but it is asserted that Aguinalde will enter the city by June I. Abombardment will be avoided if possible.

Matters at Havana.

Key West, June 7.—Advices from the Havana blookade yesterday say that three Spanish gunboats, besides the cruiser Alfonso XIII., are yet in Havana harbor, and within the last ten days additional artillery, brought from the shore, has been mounted on the Alfonso.

Much tobacco from Vueito Alsajo districts of Cuba is being smuggled out from Isle of Pines, Batabano, Colima, and other Pinar del Rio ports, by German, as well as Mexican blockade runners.

Charged With Manslaughter.

Toronto, June 7.—The inquest touching the death of John C. Berryman, who died early Sunday morning, at the home of his employer, John Buchanan, on the third concession, West York, was commenced yesterday afternoon at Cherry's Hotel. After hearing the evidence the jury retired and at 19.15 last night brought in a verdict that "deceased came to his death from the result of kick inflicted by one Fred. Prast, and that his brothers Henry and Edward were accessories."

Marbor Not Blooked.

Port Antonio, June 7.—There is so doubt among naval officers whether sunken Merrimae effectually blooks sunken Merrimae effectually blocks the Santiago channel. The wreek lies in about seven fathoms of water. It is said she does not lie directly across the channel, and there is still room enough for large ships to pass. It would be easy for the Spanish to blow up the wreek and clear the channel, but they will probably not do so, as the wreek prevents ingress as well as egress, and increases their security. The Merrimae's men are not in Morro, but on the Cristobal Colen.

the Merrimao at Santiago.

Admiral Sampson and All on Board His Ship Were Fully Advised of the ture, But Went Through as Planned

Lendon, June 7.—The United State Ambassador, Col. John Hay, called a the Foreign Office yesterday and present ed evidence of Spanish officials making Why the Spanlards Remain.
Washington, D.C., June 7.—Lieut.
Carranza and Senor Du Boso, who are
conducting their Spanish operations from
Montreal, have succeeded in obtaining a
brief respite from expulsion, through the
donial by Carranza of the accuracy of
certain features of the letter attributed to
him. When the accuracy of the translation is established the British authorities
will set wroughly.

Gibratar, June 7.—It was reperted here yesterday that the Spanish fleet commanded by Admiral Camara, has returned to Cadis, after completing the series of manosuvres which formed the program me of the cruise.

gone. Mr. Shaughnessy has from the first been disappointed at the comparatively slow progress made along the new line, and that he had fully resolved to make some drastic changes even before the publication of the famous report. Those who know say there will be wige on the green when the vice-president and the manager of the construction meet.

New Provincial Mineralogist.

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New Provincial Mineralogist.

Mr. W. F. Robertson, a mining engineer, who graduated at McGill University in 1880, has just been appointed Provincial Mineralogist of British Columbia, in succession of Mr. W. A. Car. ENTICED INTO CANADA. Old Offender Cleverly Caught

An Old Offender Cleverly Caught by Deminion Officers.

Vancouver, B.C., June 7.—The police are to be congratulated over the capture of Hoyle, briefly mentioned in Saturday's despatches. Hoyle is suspected of being connected with the two men who first robbed and then set fire to the general store of Mr. Ashwell at Chilliwack, recently. His capture was surrounded with difficulties, but with the aid of United States police officers, the man was located at Whatcom, and before he knew where he was no Canadian soil, and in charge of Indian officers at Huntingdon. The United States officers brought Hoyle by train to Sumas City, and by design or accident the train was run just over the boundary into Huntingdon before stopping it, and when the prisoner alighted he was at once nabbed by Acting Police Officer Lister. The prisoner alighted he was at once nabbed by Acting Police Officer Lister. The prisoner alighted he was at once nabbed by Acting Police Officer Lister. The prisoner alighted he was at once nabbed by Acting Police Officer Lister. The prisoner alighted he was at once nabbed by Acting Police Officer Lister. The prisoner alighted he was at once nabbed by Acting Police Officer Lister. The prisoner alighted he was at once nabbed by Acting Police Officer Lister. The prisoner alighted he was at once nabbed by Acting Police Officer Lister. The prisoner alighted he was at once nabbed by Acting Police Officer Lister. The prisoner alighted he was at once nabbed by Acting Police Officer Lister. The prisoner alighted he was at once nabbed by Acting Police Officer Lister. The prisoner alighted he was at once nabbed by Acting Police Officer Lister. The prisoner alighted he was at once nabbed by Acting Police Officer Lister. The prisoner alighted he was at once nabbed by Acting Police Officer Lister. The prisoner alighted he was at once nabbed by Acting Police Officer Lister. The prisoner alighted he was at once nabbed by Acting Police Officer Lister. The prisoner was unreasoned with the four and the will be an an once and

Toronto, June 7.—The Master-in-Ordinary yesterday at Oagoode Hall issued an order obliging the liquidators of the defunct Farmers' Loan to produce particulars by to day regarding their claims in their attempt to make the directors liable for the defalcations of Pinkney and Scott, the cashiers, and also to make them responsible for the dividends paid out of the capital. A similar order was granted about two weeks ago, but the particulars furnished did not meet with the approval of the counsel for the directors, who claimed that they were inadequate. Mr. Douglas, who appeared for the liquidators, objected to furnishing any further particulars, arguing that to do so would be a matter of discovery. The Master, however, thought differently.

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Montreal, June 7.—Lleut. Carranza and Senor du Bosc were arrested yesterday afternoon on a caplas taken out at the instance of Detective Æellert, who charged that they were about to leave the country, and that he would not be able to obtain satisfaction in a suit for \$25,000 damages for false arrest, which he is taking against them. Kellert, it will be remembered, was acquitted of the charge of stealing Lieut. Carranza's letter, the publication of which at Washington created such a sensation. The accused were brought before a judge and bail was given in \$1,000 for their appearance in court. An attempt will be made to quash the caplas. A seizure before judgment has also been placed in the hands of the Bank of Montreal on the Spanish bank account.

Bendon, June 2.—The people in and around Inwood. Lambton County, are very much interested in a couple of oil strikes which have been made in the vicinity lately. Two wells, yielding 40 barrels a day, are already in operation two miles from the village, and syndicates are being formed among the residents of Inwood and the farmers thereabouts for the purpose of sinking other wells. The Standard Oil Company has secured bonding 'privileges on more than 500 acres of land, and the Imperial Oil Company also has a considerable area bonded. Both corporations have expert drillers at work.

Dog Sold for \$1,000,
Windsor, Ont., June 3.—Lock, the
English enter sold by Richard Bangham
to part 5an Francisco, took first
prize in 1881, open and winners
classes as has been sold for one
thousand collars, just four times what

Santiago, June 8.—(7 a.m., via Port Antonio, Jamaica, June 4, per the Associated Press boat Dauntiess.)—The following is a detailed story of the brave act of Lieut. Richmond P. Hobson and his seven companions in sir king the collier Merrimac across the channel leading into the harbor of Santiago de Cuba.

This result was accomplished through the heroism of Lieut. Richmond P. Hobson, assistant naval constructor, and Daniel Montague, George Charlotte, J. C. Murphy, Oscar Deignan, John P. Phillips, John Kelly and H. Clausen. The latter, a coxawain of the New York, took part in the expedition against orders. Lieut. Hobson started on his daring strand at 3 o'clock this morning. The Merrimac was lying to the westward. Under cover of the clouds ever the moon she stole in towards the coast and made her way to the eastward, followed by a steam launch from the New York, with the fellowing crow on board: Naval Cadets J. W. Powell, P. K. Potersos, H. Handford, J. Mulling and G. L. Russell. In the launch were bandages and appliances for the wounded.

At 6.15 a.m. the launch came alongside the flagship, but she did not have on board any of the crew of the Merrimac. Cadet Powell reported that he had been unable to see any sign of the Merrimac's crew. It developed that, with great braver, the developed that, with great braver, the cadet had gone right under the batterles and only returned whon all hope of taking on board the crew of the Merrimac's crew. It developed that, with great braver, the cadet had gone right under the batterles and only returned whon all hope of taking on board the crew of the Merrimac's crew. It developed that, with great braver, the cadet had gone right under the batterles and only returned whon all hope of taking on board the crew of the Merrimac had to be abandoned.

Caidet Powell also reported that he had clearly seen the Merrimac's masts sticking up just where Hobson hoped to sink her, north of the Estrella battery, and well past the Estrella battery, which is behind Morro Castle. I do not think t

stop the engines I shall jets that and he will thus get the signal to cut the lashing which will be holding the forward anchor. He will then jump overboard and swim to the four cared dingy, which we shall tow astern. The dingy is full of life buoys and is unsinkable. It is to be held by two ropes, one made fast at her bow and one at her stern. The first man to reach her will haul in the tow-line and pull the dingy out to starboard. The next to leave the ship are the rest of the crew. The quartermaster at the wheel will not leave until after having put it hard aport and lashed it so; he will then jump overboard.

oard. "Down below, the man at the revers "Down below, the man at the test of the gear will stop the engines, scramble up on deck and get over the side as quickly as possible. The men in the onside room will break open the sea connections with a sledge hammer and will follow the leader into the water. This last step insures the sinking of the Merrimac, whether the torpedoes work or not.

rimac, whether the collected, the six men not.

"By this time, I calculate, the six men will be in the dingy, the Merrimac will have swung athwart the channel, to the full length of her 300 yards of cable, which will have been paid out before the anchors were cut.

"Then all that is left for me to do is to touch the button. I shall stand on the starboard of the bridge. The explosion will throw the Merrimac on her star-

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Than a Week Age-Frices.

Saturday Evening, June 4.

This week has been distinguished by the breaking of Leiter's great May wheat deal, and at Chicago the June delivery is 63: per bushel lower than a week ago, whiis July is 11c, September 4½c and December 2½c per bushel below last Saturday's figures, At Torouto, Ontario red has failed about 11c, and Manitoba hard about 10c per bushel. Liverpool and Continental markets have also slumped heavily. The deciline was brought about by the immense world's shipments, which the high prices brought out to fill Europe's needs, and by the approach of what promises to be a bountiful heavest.

At Chicago to-day a further decline of Ngc to 1/gc per bushel occurred in futures, and the June delivery eased off ½c. For eigners sold September wheat, and the demand from abroad seems to have dropped off.

Flour-Dull. Straight rollers in barrers, middle freights, are quoted at \$4.05 to \$4.75. Wheat-Ontarlo red offering freely at 95c and 97c, middle and nigh freights, and some is being taken around those figures, Manitoba hard remains at about \$1.22 to \$1.25 affont at Fort William, equal to \$1.25 to \$1.35 on track at Toronto.

Barley-Nothing doing and prices nominal. Corn—Oanacian, 34% west and 42c of track here. Rye—Nominal at 55c east, Buckwheat—Nominal at 46c to 48c west. Peas—Dull around 57c north and west, Oatmeal—Car lots of rolled oats in bags en track at Toronto \$4.20; in bbls., \$4.30,

Toronto St. Lawrence Market. Wheat firmer, 800 bushels selling at following prices: White 92c to 95c, red 90½c o \$1.01, goose 92c to 93c per bushel. Barley easier; 300 bushels sold at 35c to 88c.
Hay, 10 loads, sold at \$7 to \$8.25 per ton,
Straw, one load, sold at \$7 per ton.
Butter, 12c to 15c for pount rolls; eggs,
10c to 12c; spring chickens, 40c to 75c per
palr; dacks 75c to \$1 per pair.

Hides and Wool

how to build ships, so deliberate was his manner.

One can imagine the immense feeling of satisfaction experienced when't became known that Hobson and the crew of the Merrimae were safe. Later in the day a boat with a white flag put out from the harbor, and Capetan Oviedo, the chief of staff of Admiral Cervera, boarded the New York and informed the admiral that the whole party had been captured and that only two of the heroes were injured. Lieut. Hobson was not hurt. It appears that the Spanish admiral was so struck with the courage of the Merrimae's crew with was next made to Mr. Hollingshead's that the decided to inform Admiral Sampson that they had not lost their lives, but were prisoners of war and could be exchanged.

Was Henroaux Assassinated

en. Why should you he itate to take tide.

The British steamer Ontario, Captain Huby, from Boston, is ashore a mile and a quarter northwest of Hull, England. The vessel is being lightered and it is expected that she will float with the next when tides.

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