

# IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT SPAIN CAN AFFORD TO WAIT

## The Warships at Cape Verde Are Coaling and Getting Ready.

### Stores, Medicines and Supplies are Being Procured for a Campaign.

London, April 25.—A despatch to The Daily Mail from St. Vincent, Cape Verde Islands, dated Monday, says:

"Visiting the Spanish fleet has been forbidden, and no maneuvering target practice or exercising whatever is proceeding. All the ships have been painted black since they arrived here. No shore leave is granted.

"The cruisers, including the Vizcaya and the Almirante Oquendo, have been all day coaling from the Ciudad de Cadiz. All the stores, medicines and supplies in St. Vincent have been purchased to supply the squadron, and even passing vessels are held under contribution. The bay is quite busy with launches and boats carrying stores, and the port is brilliantly illuminated all night with electric searchlights and signals.

"Two Portuguese men-of-war are here. Governor-General De Lacerda is staying until the Spaniards depart. The Portuguese consider the Spanish fleet very strong and believe that Spain will be victorious at the commencement, but that America's money will eventually triumph."

### REPUBLICAN MOVEMENT.

Report That Senor Castelar Will be Requested to Preside at a Republic in Spain.

Madrid, April 25.—About 20,000 Republicans, of all shades of opinion, have signed an address to Senor Castelar, the great Republican leader, under the pretext of congratulating him upon the recovery from recent sickness, but, in reality, offering him their support if he proclaims a republic. Senor Castelar has, so far, made no reply, but it is certain that he will now emerge from his retirement from Parliament, into which he has not put foot for the past twenty years, although constantly returned in the Cortes. His speech in the Cortes will, it is said, dispel the idea that he is heading a revolution. On the contrary, it is asserted, Senor Castelar will, from patriotic motives, not oppose the present Democratic monarchy.

### MERCHANTS AGAINST WAR.

New York Men of Commerce Think War Could Have Been Avoided—Spain is Waiting.

Montreal, April 25.—(Special.)—Major Prentiss arrived here from New York this morning, and, after having interviewed a number of leading business men, made the following statement to your correspondent: "The mercantile classes in New York were opposed to war from the start, and are against it now. They think that the difficulties between the United States and Spain could have been settled without resorting to open hostilities. There was every prospect of a good business year and now all these bright hopes have been dashed to the ground. They also fear for the future," continued the speaker, "that they are apprehensive of Spain playing a waiting game, which might perhaps prolong the war two or three years."

The Mayor believes, however, that Canada will derive a good deal of benefit from the present state of affairs over the border in more ways than one. His Worship thinks that English capital will be attracted to America, and invest heavily in anything of a reasonably safe nature that offers in Canada.

### Audaz Told to Leave.

London, April 25.—The British Admiral commanding at Queenstown ordered the Spanish torpedo boat Audaz, which was ordered to port before 6 o'clock this morning. There is little doubt that the Spanish torpedo boat Audaz, when she leaves port, will go to Ferrol or Cadiz, as she still lacks considerable quantities of her war equipment.

### Spain's Fleet is Powerful.

London, April 25.—A special despatch from St. Vincent, Cape Verde Islands, dated Monday, 7:35 a.m., says: "There is reason to believe the Spanish fleet sails to-day. It is exceedingly formidable, including, as it does, four first-class cruisers, six torpedo boats and two armed transports."

### Two More Captives.

Key West, April 25.—The latest captures of the fleet are a schooner, sugar laden, for Havana, and the brig Catalina, coal laden. The former was taken by the Porter, and the latter by the Wilmington, almost within range of the Cape Raper batteries. Both were towed here by the tug Algonquin.

### The Somers Tied Up.

London, April 25.—The officials of the United States Embassy here at St. Vincent, is destined to remain in England for some time to come, as the neutrality proclamation will be issued tomorrow. No convey for the little craft has yet been secured, and it is impossible for her to attempt to cross the Atlantic without an escort. The Embassy was crowded today with ship brokers, negotiations being on foot to purchase, on behalf of the United States, some British ships which are now in American ports.

The Spanish Ambassador, Count Rascon, has intimated to the United States Ambassador, Col. John Hay, that he is issuing a statement to the newspapers, setting forth that the Ambassador of Spain is not authorized to make enlists. There is evidence, however, that the Spanish authorities here are endeavoring to secure engineers, in spite of the Foreign Enlistment Act.

The report circulated in the United States that the British Consul at Havana had cabled to the Foreign Office, notifying the authorities here that Havana would be bombarded, if the Spaniards did not evacuate the city, has been shown to be unfounded. It was that he expected Havana would be bombarded.

### The Censor Gets His Work In.

Havana, April 24 (delayed in transmission), via Key West, Fla., April 25.—As the Government of the United States will not allow Madrid and New York telegrams to come to Havana for the press, the Spanish censor here will not allow telegrams to be telegraphed to the New York press.

The above message is from the correspondent of the Associated Press at Havana, and is the first news received directly by cable from Havana since the departure of the Associated Press on Saturday morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

### ADVICE TO SPAIN.

Good Policy For Her to Carry the War to the Pacific Coast, Says an American Official.

Victoria, B.C., April 25.—"It would be advantageous for Spain to carry the war to the Pacific coast," said United States Vice-Consul Smith. "On being asked for his reasons, Mr. Smith explained as follows: Spain is threatened with a difficulty of obtaining a sufficient supply of coal to carry on the war, and under the international laws, as he understood them, warships of either of the belligerents are allowed to put into a neutral port and take on an amount of coal which would be considered sufficient to enable them to get to their nearest home port. In this view, Spain would have difficulty in securing all the coal she required for her fleet on the coast. Her nearest home port is in the Philippine Islands, and what would be considered a sufficient amount to take a vessel there would be all that it could conveniently carry."

### The Pope Wants Peace.

London, April 25.—The Roman correspondent of The Daily Mail says: Cardinal Rampolla, the Papal Secretary of State, declares that the Vatican will observe the strictest neutrality. The Pope desires prayers only for a speedy conclusion of the war, and that the Vatican will observe the strictest neutrality. The Pope desires prayers only for a speedy conclusion of the war, and that the Vatican will observe the strictest neutrality.

### Russia Lends to Spain.

London, April 25.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Daily Telegraph says: Emperor Nicholas granted an audience to the Spanish Ambassador on Saturday last, and was very friendly to the Cuban question at great length. A conference of the Ambassadors of the powers on the subject of Cuba has been held at the Foreign Office, and well-informed persons declare that Russia will support Spain.

### New York Harbor Guarded.

New York, April 25.—The War Department has issued regulations for the enforcement of the United States neutrality laws. A vessel will be allowed to pass Sandy Hook between sunset and sunrise, and rules are established for the Cuban question in avoiding submarine mines.

### Canadian Boats Not for Sale.

Montreal, April 25.—The Canadian Pacific authorities deny that they will sell the steamers Tarrar and Athenian, now ready to run on the route between Vancouver and Alaska points, to the United States Government for use as auxiliary cruisers on the Pacific coast for these steamers were recently purchased in England specially for the Canadian trade.

### WAR NOTES.

The monitor Jason has been sighted off Long Branch. The U. S. ship Columbia has been sighted off Newport, R.I.

The Queen-Rogent of Spain still hopes for a peaceful foreign intervention.

The War Department estimate that there will be 15,000 regular troops engaged at Chickamauga Park next Thursday.

The cruiser Charleston was in dry dock at San Francisco when the earthquake took place, and received injuries by the jolting.

The steamers St. Louis and New York, now the Yale and Harvard of the U. S. Navy, are being coaled at New York, and will sail under sealed orders.

The English agents of the ship Shenandoah state there is not the slightest evidence to justify the report that their vessel has been captured by the Spaniards.

United States Minister Barrett, stationed at Bangkok, Siam, suggests that America take forcible possession of the Philippine Islands and exchange them with Great Britain for the West Indies.

Mr. Trian, the United States Consul at Guantamano, arrived at Kingston, Jamaica, by the steamer Ely. The people of Guantamano sympathize with the Spaniards, and treated the American Minister with indignity.

Dan Broutenbury will cover first base for Springfield again this season, but a satisfactory proposition from the directors has induced him to resign his business at Wappinger's Falls for at least this year. This will be Dan's twentieth year on the diamond.

Before After. Wood's Phosphorine. The Great English Remedy. Sold and recommended by all druggists in Canada. Only reliable medicine for the cure of all forms of Sexual Weakness, all effects of Gonorrhea, Syphilis, etc. Guaranteed to cure. Pains relieved. No return of disease. Pains relieved. No return of disease. Pains relieved. No return of disease.

Still at Cape Verde. Spanish Squadron Remains in the Same Position as for Some Time Past.

New York, April 25.—A special to The World from St. Vincent, Cape Verde Islands, says: The Spanish squadron concentrated here remains. Neither of the expected battleships has arrived, and the fleet still consist of four armored cruisers, six torpedo craft and two transports. The rumor that the warships will sail is still current, but is not confirmed officially.

A Flamboyant Letter. Madrid, April 25.—The Archbishop of Madrid has issued a diocesan letter, in a flamboyant style, that, occasionally alludes to the Spanish fleet. The Archbishop makes the war appear a question of good and evil, with Spain all white and the United States all black. He appeals to all the saints to protect the Spaniards, almost promising invulnerability against American bullets.

How Spain Will Raise Funds. Madrid, April 25.—The Minister of Finance, will probably read his budget to the Cortes on Tuesday. His chief feature will be an ample authorization to the Government to raise such funds as may be deemed necessary for war expenses.

Two Cruisers Have Left. Hong Kong, April 25.—(7:35 p.m.)—The United States cruisers Olympia and Baltimore, which left this port, it is said, are accompanied by the United States Commodore Dewey and the United States Consul, Mr. William E. Hunt, reported to have been notified by the United States Government of the declaration of war.

Port au Prince, Hayti, April 25.—A Haitian coasting vessel which last arrived here reports having sighted five warships, painted dark grey, passing the Mole St. Nicholas, on Saturday last.

The correspondent of the Associated Press was unable to verify the statement made, and he was also unable to obtain any definite information regarding the nationality of the ships alleged to have been seen by the coasters.

## FORMAL DECLARATION OF WAR SENT OUT BY U.S. CONGRESS

Continued from page 1.

batteries; Michigan, four infantry; Minnesota, three infantry; Mississippi, two infantry; Missouri, one infantry; Nebraska, two infantry; New Hampshire, one infantry; New Jersey, three infantry; New York, twelve infantry, two troops cavalry; North Carolina, two infantry; one heavy battery; Ohio, six infantry, four light batteries and two squadrons cavalry; Oregon, one infantry; Pennsylvania, ten infantry, four heavy batteries; Rhode Island, one battery; South Carolina, one infantry, one battery and one heavy battery; Tennessee, three infantry; Texas, three infantry and two light batteries; Vermont, one infantry; Virginia, three infantry; Washington, one battery; West Virginia, one infantry; Wisconsin, three infantry; Wyoming, one battery and one troop of cavalry.

South Dakota, seven cavalry; Idaho, two cavalry; Nevada, one cavalry; Arizona, two cavalry; New Mexico, four cavalry; Oklahoma, one cavalry.

The following telegram was sent to the Governor of the State of Texas, and to the Governor of the State of Louisiana:

"The number of troops from your State under the call of the President, dated April 23, 1898, will be as follows:

"It is the wish of the President that the military of the National Guard of the State shall be used as far as they are able to permit, for the reason that they are armed, equipped and drilled. Please wire me, as early as possible, what equipments, arms, blankets, tents, etc., you have and what additional you will require. Please also state when troops will be ready for muster into the United States service."

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

morning last, announcing the arrival of the United States fleet off Havana, and the establishment of the blockade of the Cuban coast.

## THIS CABLE REMAINS INTACT Communication Between Cuba and Spain by Way of Bermuda.

Communication Between Cuba and Spain by Way of Bermuda.

Circuit Complete Since February Last—United States to Prohibit Cipher Messages—Sir William Laurier Has Abandoned the Yukon Bill—Mr. Louis Caste Reports Against It—A Murder at Back River.

Montreal, April 25.—(Special.)—A talk with Mr. Charles Hooper, general manager of the Canadian Pacific Telegraph Company, to-day, convinced the correspondent that the cable between Cuba and Spain had been cut, knew very little of what has been doing late in cable laying. Old Spain is still in communication with Cuba, and is destined to be for some time to come.

The difference is this: Before the Western Union cable between the Florida coast and Cuba was cut, Spain had to send her despatches over a line of cable owned by the Western Union cable company, and this they will go over British ground.

Apparently for all concerned a cable was completed Feb. 1 last from Bermuda to Jamaica, this connecting with Halifax, and making a line from Cuba to London. In a word, the circuit is still complete. In a word, the circuit is still complete. In a word, the circuit is still complete.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

Two years' taxes will be levied, payable quarterly in advance, and renewed with a decade by special bonds.

## Free Medical Treatment for Weak Men

Who Are Willing to Pay When Convinced of Cure.

A scientific combined medical and mechanical cure has been discovered for "Weakness of Men." Its success has been so startling that the proprietors now announce that they will send it on trial—remedies and appliances, without advance payment—to any honest man.

If not all that is claimed—all you wish—send it back—that ends it—pay nothing! No such offer was ever made in good faith before; we believe no other remedy would stand such a test.

This combined treatment cures quickly, thoroughly and forever all effects of early habits, later excesses, overwork, worry, etc. It creates health, strength, vitality, sustaining powers and restores weak and undeveloped portions to natural dimensions and functions.

Any man writing in request will receive description, particulars and references in a plain, uncolored, of Niagara Falls, in twenty round, thoroughly and forever all effects of early habits, later excesses, overwork, worry, etc. It creates health, strength, vitality, sustaining powers and restores weak and undeveloped portions to natural dimensions and functions.

Any man writing in request will receive description, particulars and references in a plain, uncolored, of Niagara Falls, in twenty round, thoroughly and forever all effects of early habits, later excesses, overwork, worry, etc. It creates health, strength, vitality, sustaining powers and restores weak and undeveloped portions to natural dimensions and functions.

ERIE MEDICAL CO., Buffalo, N. Y.

Write day and send all packages from Canadian side.

ERNE WON IN 20 ROUNDS.

Buffalo, April 25.—In the arena of the Olympic Athletic Club to-night Frank Ernie of Buffalo won from Harry Lemons, colored, of Niagara Falls, in twenty round. The house was packed to suffocation. The men weighed in under 13 pounds. Ernie outpointed and outfought the negro in every round and was never in danger, although Lemons was very aggressive all through the contest. In the eighth round Lemons landed a hard on Ernie's nose, drawing blood. The manager of the Buffalo and he beat the negro to the ropes with his head, weakening him greatly. In the sixth round Ernie knocked Lemons down with a terrific right on the chin. The negro took the limit in getting up, only to go down again from a right on the jaw. Ernie's left hand was broken in the round, managed to stay on his feet, the remaining rounds. John Reckart of New York was referee. Kid Broad of Cleveland and Larry Stevens boxed 12 clever rounds to a draw in the preliminary bout.

Card for To-Day.

New York, April 25.—First race, 5:45, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512,