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Some Scraps of Truth Which Escaped the Press Censor.

Why Spanish Telegrams Have Been Censored. The impending Revolution is inevitable—Why One Correspondent Thinks a Carlist Uprising Sure to Come—Maula Has Fallen—General Augustus at Home Again.

Chicago, Aug. 16.—A record special from Madrid says: A perfect reign of terror prevails here. The editors of news. Regularly hurried papers have been thrown into prison and others have sought safety in flight.

The press censor examines whole newspapers before publication. Some of the journals appear many columns blank and the foreign correspondents dare not tell the truth, as they would be expelled if they did.

I am managing to send some scraps of truth by means of a subterfuge, which, of course, I cannot now reveal.

Revolutions is inevitable. The impending revolution is slow in coming, but when it does come all the authorities now occupying the scene will fall without a defender's position.

One thing that makes me think the Carlist cause has a better chance of success is the fact that the private secretary of Don Carlos, the Marquis of Cerralbo, one of his leaders, both affirm that the Carlist cause is a pretense to induce him for the moment to disapprove of an uprising in his favor.

Revelation for Deception. As Don Carlos has a reputation for falsehood, and as one of his noted lieutenants has always been to keep the public in the dark and stimulate the fanaticism of his partisans by announcing an approach of crisis which is in fact a deception, the more intelligent people infer from his present profuse declarations that he is preparing to do something serious. In fact there are constant rumors here of Carlist agitation in the provinces.

BLANCO HAS RESIGNED. He Did Not Wish to Superintend the Evacuation of Cuba.

Madrid, Aug. 16.—The Government has received from Captain-General Blanco a despatch tendering his resignation. The reason given by General Blanco for resigning is that he does not wish to be the controller of the evacuation of Cuba. The Government is also informed that General Augustus, Governor-General of the Philippines, will leave Manila for Spain by the first mail steamer, giving his command to the second rank.

The next Cabinet Council will consider the question of summoning the Cortes, the question of the Premier, is hoped that the Ministers will be agreed upon this point.

MANILA HAS FALLEN. A London Business House's News Column.

London, Aug. 16.—The Westminster Gazette says it has received from a London business house a report that Manila has fallen before the Chinese. The news is confirmed by the London Standard.

Continued From Madrid. Madrid, Aug. 16.—According to the Correspondencia de Espana, the surrender of Manila occurred after the last attack made upon the city.

ALREADY THUNDERBOLTS. One Class of Cubans Who Will Not Recognize the Armistice.

Santiago de Cuba, Aug. 16.—Trouble with the Cubans is brooding. Their attitude is one of silent hostility towards America. The best class in Cuba will not recognize the armistice between the United States and a majority of the masses are ready to work and fight for an American protectorate.

Their advice to the Cubans is to recognize the armistice and to look upon the armistice as an agreement between the United States and Spain upon the free and independent state of Cuba, whose liberators will not recognize the armistice.

Uncle Sam Will Have to Pay Them. Santiago de Cuba, Aug. 16.—A secret meeting was held last night at the Palace between the commanding officers of the American army and the Cuban leaders. The negotiations were maintained, but it can be said with good authority that General Garcia was present. The information obtained is to the effect that the Cuban situation was thoroughly reviewed, and that it was resolved to disband the Cuban army, and that the United States should pay the men off. This involves the expenditure of \$15,000,000, but it is most important to the prosperity of the island, whose wealth is entirely agricultural, nobody, planter or farmer, daring to cultivate his lands while insurgents are in the field, raiding and burning.

Shipsmen of Spanish Soldiers. Santiago, steamer Isla de Luzon sailed yesterday morning for Spain, having on board 3,190 Spanish soldiers. The Isla de Luzon will probably sail to-day.

Rough Riders Returned. New York, Aug. 16.—The Rough Riders are home. With Col. Theodore Roosevelt and Fighting Joe Wheeler they came in the transport Miami.

Lightning Struck Soldiers. Libby Springs, Ga., Aug. 16.—During a terrible thunderstorm here lightning struck Camp Liberty. Seven soldiers were in the hospital seriously hurt.

John Bull Will, It is Said, Demand That It Stop China Be Blameless From Ombre.

London, Aug. 16.—The Foreign Office, it was reported here yesterday, thought the Chinese as yet lacks confirmation, intends to demand that the Chinese Government demand the return of Hong Kong from power on the ground that he is responsible for the recent anti-British attitude of the Tzun Li Yamen.

The Foreign Office, it is also asserted, has had under special consideration the question of sending the Taku forts on the Gulf of Peking, at the mouth of the Peking River, and the city of Tien Tsin, refusing to comply with this demand, holding all until compliance is assured.

Half-Hearted Deputation. London, Aug. 16.—The semi-official Journal of St. Petersburg, in yesterday's issue, depicts the tone of the British press and says: "Russia does not contemplate fresh acquisition in the Far East. Her only object is to preserve the advantage recently gained. The Russian Government does not desire to injure the interests of Great Britain any more than she does any other power."

FRANCE SHOULD QUESTION. Mr. Chamberlain Will Appoint a Commission to Visit the East.

St. John's, Nfld., Aug. 16.—The Colonial Government yesterday received a despatch from H. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, British Secretary of State for the Colonies, stating that Her Majesty's Government had decided to appoint a commission to enquire into the Newfoundland trade treaty, and as to legislative or other measures required to carry out the treaty.

Demolition Sails Home First, Beating the Challenger. Montreal, Aug. 16.—The Dominion, the Canadian boat, won the second of the international yacht races yesterday, defeating the American boat, the "Merrill," in a 19-mile triangular course, in a light breeze.

Steamship Men in Trouble. Queenstown, Aug. 16.—J. W. Jago, chief officer of the White Star Line steamer "Britannic," was discharged yesterday on the charge of robbing the mails and carrying on a war against the British Government. He was arrested at the request of the United States Embassy, charging him with embezzlement and carrying on a war against the British Government.

His Hard by American Competition. London, Aug. 16.—Owing to the disquieting growth of American competition in the tinplate trade, British tinplate manufacturers are being put to serious shifts in order to maintain their position in the market.

It's Very Hot in London. London, Aug. 16.—Yesterday was the hottest day London has known for a long time. The St. James' Park thermometer rose to 84 degrees, and several cases of heat prostration. Upward of 150 cases had been treated at the National Hospital before 11 o'clock in the afternoon. A number of policemen were overcome by the heat, and several were taken to hospital.

Dewey Was Struck by an Express. Niagara Falls, Ont., Aug. 16.—Fredrick Dewey, locomotive foreman of the Michigan Central Railroad at Montrose, was walking on the tracks, from the yards behind the head and killed instantly, although the engine was stopped by the signalman before it struck him.

Killed in the Klondike. Ottawa, Aug. 16.—A letter received in the city announces that Francois Marleau, son of Napoleon Marleau of the Klondike, was killed while digging a claim in the Klondike. He was overcome by the gas. He left for the gold fields about two years ago, and is supposed to have accumulated considerable wealth.

Governor of New Guinea. London, Aug. 16.—The Queen has approved the appointment of Mr. George H. Hunt, C.M.G., Colonial Secretary of Mauritius, to be Governor of British New Guinea, in succession to Sir William MacGregor, M.D., K.C.M.G., C.B., who is