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WASHINGTON NOTES.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 15.

Although Spain has accepted our terms of peace and there is not likely to be any more fighting, unless there should be a deadlock in the peace commission over the disposition of the Philippines, the expenditures of this government are likely to be quite as heavy, if not heavier, for some time to come as they were while the war was going on. This may sound a little queer but it is easily explained. The expenses of the army will not be lessened until we begin to muster the troops out of service, and that is a matter not even yet thought of, as we shall have to garrison Cuba and Porto Rico, the former quite heavily, for nobody knows how long, and the expenses of the navy will be increased instead of lessened, as orders have been issued to overhaul all our heavy fighting ships as quickly as the work can be done. In addition to these expenses the president has decided that it is our duty to feed everybody in Cuba that needs food, including the Spanish soldiers until such time as they can feed themselves, and government rations are already on the way. A strict account will be kept of all food furnished Spanish soldiers in Cuba, and Spain will be made to reimburse us, but the rations issued to others in Cuba will simply be charged up to war expenses, and from all accounts, it will not be a small sum that will have to be expended for that purpose. All these things combined will make our peace expenses heavier than our war expenses for a time.

The military commissions to arrange for the time and method of Spanish evacuation of Cuba and Porto Rico will at once be appointed, but it is likely to be months before the last Spanish troop leaves Cuba. In Porto Rico there are fewer of them and they will probably evacuate that island in a few weeks. For reasons entirely selfish—the health of our troops—we will not hurry them out of Cuba.

It is admitted on all sides that this government will have several difficult problems to solve in Cuba, not the least of which will be the satisfactory disposal of the insurgents. An official thoroughly familiar with Cuba, and with the insurgents, says: "It will be much easier to issue a proclamation directing all Cubans to resume their ordinary occupations, than it will be to get the motly aggregation known as the insurgent army to give up their arms and take to peaceful occupations. Soldiering in their free and easy way, and taking whatever they wanted wherever they found it, has been the ordinary occupation of many of them

for years, and it would be as easy to round up an equal number of American hoboes and make them adopt a regular occupation as it would to make orderly workmen out of the insurgents. There are many of the insurgents who will, in my opinion, become brigands, rather than to work for a living, just as a number of them did at the close of the last Cuban insurrection. If they do they will make no end of trouble for our army of occupation, as the mountains of Cuba are difficult of access, except to the natives, and the natives who do not join the brigands cannot be depended upon to render the slightest assistance to any movement against them. It is a great pity that the president's word prevents the United States annexing Cuba at once; there isn't the slightest doubt about its coming to that in the end. Meanwhile there will be lots of trouble in Cuba, as we try to live up to our promise, that the islands shall have a stable government. It is my opinion that no stable government will ever exist in Cuba, except that of the U. S. and I feel certain that nine out of every ten property holders on the island, regardless of their nationality, hold the same opinion."

There is very little probability that an extra session of the senate will have to be called to ratify the treaty of peace that is to be negotiated with Spain, for the very good reason that the treaty is not likely to be ready before congress assembles for the regular session in December. The protocol or temporary peace agreement of the two governments provides that the joint commission, charged with the duty of negotiating the treaty, shall meet in Paris not later than October 1st, next. The well known disposition of the Spanish to postpone, makes it practically certain that the commissioners representing Spain will not be there a day earlier than that mentioned as the last upon which they can meet our commissioners. As the Philippines will be the subject of the most controversy, it is among the probabilities that the commission may visit the islands. If so, that would consume at least six weeks time. Diplomats, who know something of the inside workings of such commissions, do not expect the treaty to be completed much, if any, before the first of the year, and would not be surprised should it be several weeks after that before the treaty was signed.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas county, ss.

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Here is a complete list of the warships which, according to the Madrid press, Spain has lost since the beginning of the present war:

Cruisers—Infanta Maria Teresa, 7000; Viscaya, 7000; Almirante Oquendo, 7,000; Cristobal Colon, 6950; Reina Cristina, 3520; Castilla, 3260; Reina Mercedes, 3090; Don Antonio de Ulloa, 1160; Don Juan de Austria, 1159; Isla de Cuba, 1042; Isla de Luzon, 1045; Jorge Juan, 935.

Torpedo-boat destroyers—Furor, 380 tons; Pluton, 380.

Gunboats—El Cano, 560 tons; Galicia, 641 tons; Gen. Lezo, 520; Marques del Duero, 500; Fernando el Cotoico, 500; Pizarro, 300; Cuba Espanola, 285; Camao, 208; Centinea, 200; Leyte, 151; Alvarado, 100; Sandoval, 100; Delgado Parejo, 85; Guardian, 65; Estrella, 48; Golondrina, 43; Baracoa, 40; Yumuri, 40; Guantanamo, 40; Mayari, 35; Dendiente, 35.

In all, the Spanish loss has been thirty-five warships, with a total tonnage of 48,165.

In the discussion of terms of peace a good deal of unnecessary consideration was given to the subject of the Cuban debt. There is no Cuban debt. There are Spanish bonds quoted on the bourses as "Cubans." The Spanish government issued them, and to give them more attractiveness to investors pledged for the payment of the interest the revenues derived from custom collections of Cuban ports. In the protocol signed Friday there is no reference whatever to the Cuban debt. The question of the assumption of any part of it by this country or by any government that the United States may set up in Cuba has no place.

The president has decided that the United States shall hold permanently the bay, port and city of Manila. He is prepared to instruct the American members of the peace commission to this effect. Further consideration will develop whether the United States will take more. But it is decided that so much as the bay, port and city shall be retained. This decision is very recent.

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1 lb. Van Camp's pork and beans 5c
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\$2.75 for regular \$3.25 shoe, foxed heel, lace vici kid.
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\$2.50 for Drew-Selby lace shoe, cloth top, foxed heel.
Wolfe Bros. line of ladies shoes, \$1.50 to \$1.75. One of best line medium grade goods manufactured, newest shapes.
We have about 50 pair of shoes mostly accumulations from fast selling for the past year, sizes 34, some 3 and 4, regular \$2.00—\$3.00 and \$4.00 goods. Sale price this week \$1.00.

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The approach of cold weather is nearing us every day. Now is a good time to get your quilts ready. We have both the calico and the cotton bats. We have the Sherman bat at 5c. Not as good as the Clarence bat at 10c on account of the weight and quality. Other grades at 12 1/2 and 15c. Daak Calico at 2 1/2c yard. Fancy light Dress Prints, 6c kind for 3 1/2c. Other grades in light, dark, blues, blacks or reds or fancies at 5c yard. For the Fancy Comforts use LaGascogne cotton bats and Silketene or Colored Cheese Cloth.

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Clean Sweep Sale.

A new broom always sweeps clean, and we have taken a new one to this job, and intend to make a clean sweep of the shelves to make room for fall stock. We still have left a few of the remnants of dress goods that we have been telling you about for the past couple of weeks. They are in 1 to 3 yd. lengths. They go at actually 1/2 marked price and everything marked in plain figures. Several patterns only, left of immense stock of spring goods, fancy novelties and silk and wool mixture. We are closing them at 1/2 to 3/4 per yard.

Shirt Waists.

Rapid selling has left broken lines and small sizes, some large sizes too, but the Clean Sweep, New Broom prices have sent them flying into the homes in all parts of the county. 33c for all 50 cent waists. 85c for all \$1.25 waists. \$1.10 for all \$1.50—\$1.75—\$2.00 waists.

Foul-Smelling Catarrh.

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Mr. R. P. McAllister, of Harrodsburg, Ky., had Catarrh for years. He writes: "I could see no improvement whatever, though I was constantly treated with sprays and washes, and different medicinal remedies. In fact, I could feel that each winter I was worse than the year previous. Finally I was brought to my notice that Catarrh was a blood disease, and after thinking over the matter, I saw it was unreasonable to expect to be cured by remedies which only reached the surface. I then decided to try S. S. S., and after a few bottles were used, I noticed a perceptible improvement. Continuing the remedy, the disease was forced out of my system, and a complete cure was the result. I advise all who have this dreadful disease to abandon their local treatment, which has never done them any good, and take S. S. S., a remedy that can reach the disease and cure it."

To continue the wrong treatment for Catarrh is to continue to suffer. Swift's Specific is a real blood remedy, and cures obstinate, deep-seated diseases, which other remedies have no effect whatever upon. It promptly reaches Catarrh, and never fails to cure even the most aggravated cases.

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