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The republican state convention will be held at Lincoln, August 10.

L. W. COLBY has been nominated brigadier-general of volunteers by the president.

Mrs. L. Z. LEITER of Chicago has purchased a hotel building at Chickamauga for \$10,000 and will fit it for an army hospital.

Hon. JAMES W. DAWES, one of the ablest and best governors Nebraska ever had, was last week appointed paymaster in the army.

Among the life-destroying appliances invented already during this war, are some by Edison. The Scientific American publishes quite an article upon the subject.

Our Senator Allen and Wolcott, of Colorado, had a little bit of a wordy skirmish in the United States senate the other day, closing up with our big boy telling Colorado's representative that he had no fear of him, in the senate or out of it. Allen has the faculty of stirring them up occasionally, anyway.

The U. S. senate has legislated in favor of the coinage of the silver billion now held in the treasury, and the issuing of silver certificates covering the same, at the rate of ten million dollars a month; and also the issuance of bonds of the government bearing three per cent interest, and not to exceed at any time an aggregate of \$100,000,000.

Within the last six weeks there was some apprehension entertained that Spain might possibly send a fleet that would make some impression on our sea-coast cities, and thus do immense damage. Such fears, while not entirely groundless, were scarcely justified under the circumstances. Our people here by means have been asleep or indifferent to the situation. At Fort Hancock, Sandy Hook, for instance, guarding the southern approach to New York harbor, with the other death-dealing machinery, there are three dynamite guns with a range of 5,000 yards, that can fire four shots in seven and a third minute. The shot is really an aerial torpedo, weighing a thousand pounds and containing five hundred pounds of nitro-gelatin.

HARVEST DUBOIS AND CARRANZA.

Spanish Representative Held For Damages By Detective Keller. MONTREAL, June 7.—Lieutenant Carranza and Senator DeBos were arrested at 4:30 yesterday afternoon at the residence of Carranza and DeBos as the property of Detective Keller until his claim is satisfied or the case dissolved. The authorities are desirous of having Carranza and DeBos leave, a thing they cannot do without their money. As it stands it looks very much as if Detective Keller had made it impossible for the government to order the men to leave the country until the case is settled. Of course they might jump their bail, but their desire is to remain.

London Paper's Frenzy. LONDON, June 7.—Every evening paper of this city echoes the morning newspapers' praise of Lieutenant Hobson's exploit with the collier Merrimac at Santiago de Cuba, which they say was a gallant deed, ably planned and quickly carried out. The Fall Mall Gazette says: "The heroism of these men and the courteous chivalry of Admiral Cervera will not be forgotten in a hurry." The Gazette says: "It will say America to honor both Porto Rico and the Philippines before peace is discussed. For peace on the only possible terms, Spain is not ready. They dare not face the music. To surrender now would produce a revolution at home." Continuing the Gazette says it thinks that as a result of the Merrimac expedition, the naval war between Spain and the United States is practically finished and the paper adds: "Had Cervera's squadron means he would not have sailed from Santiago. Admiral Carranza's fleet had rendered it useless."

Exchange of Prisoners. WASHINGTON, June 7.—The war department has supplied to the navy department the list of names procured from the commandant at Fort McPherson, Georgia, of the Spanish prisoners of war there. The department this morning sent this list to Admiral Sampson, and the admiral himself will enter into negotiations with Admiral Cervera respecting an exchange of prisoners. Cervera will be allowed to select from the list of prisoners those he is willing to take in exchange for Constructor Hobson and the gallant crew that manned the Merrimac on her last run.

Prisoners to be Well Treated. NEW YORK, June 7.—A private dispatch from Mrs. Gridley, widow of the late commander of the cruiser Olympia, was brought to the department today by Harry H. Smith, a friend of the family. She asks that the remains be cremated at Yokohama if there are facilities there for this disposition. Otherwise she wishes to have the remains embalmed and sent to this country. The department will do everything possible to comply with the desire of Mrs. Gridley.

Burlington City Residents. BURLINGTON, Ia., June 7.—The Burlington baseball club disbanded yesterday. The players were paid 60 cents on the dollar and released. Light attendance, owing to the war excitement and bad weather was the cause.

Sampson cables that the Merrimac was sunk at the mouth of Santiago harbor by a volunteer crew to prevent the escape of the Spanish fleet, and that the eight men of the crew are all prisoners.

SANTIAGO BATTLE.

Reported Sampson Sailed Right Into the Harbor.

FIRE ON FORTIFICATIONS.

Spanish Advances Say Bombardment Lasted Three Hours.

REGULARS ADVANCING ON CITY.

Cristobal Colon and Another Spanish Vessel Said to Have Been Sunk and One of the American Ships Shown Up—Reports From Several Sources.

PORT AU PRINCE, Hayti, June 7.—I have just received news of the landing of a large force of American troops a few miles west of Santiago de Cuba. It is said the landing was aided by a force of insurgents, with whom a coalition has been made, and who attacked the Spanish batteries, while the fleet outside bombarded the fortifications and earthworks.

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Advices from Santiago also say that one of the American ships was badly damaged, but no names of vessels are given. The report goes on to say that Spanish batteries at Punta Gorda were reduced a great force was landed there, 5,000 men being the number given in the dispatch.

The Americans were represented as landing siege guns for the reduction of the city itself. The landing party is said to consist of three regiments of infantry, three batteries of artillery and a battalion of engineers.

There was practically no opposition to the landing, the Spanish gunners and soldiers having been driven away from the batteries and the shore by the fire of machine guns.

Seventeen American vessels are said to have taken part in the engagement. The most persistent efforts to secure confirmation of this story from Santiago have so far met with no success.

What happened to the other ships in Cervera's squadron is not reported. It is certain, however, that the Americans made a general attack on the place yesterday morning.

The American auxiliary cruiser St. Louis has arrived at Mole St. Nicholas.

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HAVANA, June 7.—At 8 o'clock yesterday morning 24 vessels of the American fleet opened fire upon the forts 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.

Sunday Aldea, with a Spanish force, sustained a fire near Punta Cabroca from the insurgents and the American warships.

The Spanish forces are well entrenched on the line from Siboney to Agudaras and yesterday they checked an attempt of the Americans to land and repelled them.

It is understood here that the members of the Merrimac crew are well treated by the Spanish commander.

Spaniards Looting Daily. LONDON, June 7.—The Hong Kong correspondent of the Standard says: "Advices from Manila say Admiral Dewey has gathered the steamers now blockaded in the river to lie off Cavite in readiness to receive foreigners. The Spaniards are losing arms, ammunition and field pieces almost daily, so persistent are the natives' attacks. The natives are seeking to Aguineldo's assistance, he conducting the campaign on a humane basis. In the course of a pitched battle on May 30 a number of native auxiliaries deserted the Spanish lines for the insurgents. From the general tenor of the news from Manila there is a right to believe that the city will fall into Dewey's hands before the arrival of the American troops."

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Insurgents Guided By Instructions of Hero of Manila.

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New Volunteer Orders the Effective Member Headquarters to Get Ready to Sail to the Philippines—No Danger of Civil Fleet After Dewey Receives Reassurances From the War.

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