

WHERE THE BATTLE RAGES

Hoary Old Town of Santiago and Its Surroundings.

VERY ANCIENT SPANISH COMMUNITY

Scene of the Infamous Massacre of the Virginias Crew—Trade Destroyed by War—A Remarkable Harbor.

Santiago de Cuba, which is now the scene of highly interesting naval and military operations, was founded in 1514 by a Spanish adventurer named Velasquez...

The Spanish warship Pedro de la Rosa, 55 far back as 1640, built Morro fortress. Adjoining the Morro is a small fortification resembling a star in the shape and...

Location of the Town.

The town of Santiago de Cuba is situated at one side of the harbor and about six miles from its entrance and overlooks it at the widest part.

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ABANDONS HOPE FOR PEACE

Invasion of Cuba Put an End to the Talk for the Present.

MUST WAIT FOR PRACTICAL RESULTS NOW

Fall of the French Ministry Complicates Matters—Member of the Diplomatic Corps Talks of the Situation.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—A leading member of the diplomatic corps said today that the departure of General Slaughter's first army of invasion to Cuba put an end to all present prospects of peace.

When the news of this action became known in this country the excitement was intense. Meetings were held, and the bloody work was denounced.

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HONG SLING ON THE STAND

Explains Some of the Home Costumes of the Chinese Women.

Judge Scott has announced that he will decide the Chinese habous corpus case this morning at 10 o'clock even if he has to work until midnight.

AID FOR THE AMERICAN WOUNDED

French Society Sends a Donation to United States Consul.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—The State department has received from United States Consul Thacker at Havre a translation of a letter received by him from the president of the Havre branch of the "Association Des Dames Francaises."

PEOPLE ARE TAKING UP THE LOAN

Popular Feature of Bond Issue Proves a Great Success.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—The amount of subscriptions so far received at the Treasury department fully meets the expectations of the officials and warrants the prediction that the new loan will prove a greater success than any other ever issued by the government.

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FIGURES ON ASSESSMENTS

Not Enough Footings Made to Show What the Total Will Aggregate.

INDIVIDUAL ITEMS OF PERSONALITY

Sums at Which the Assessors Have Listed a Few of the Principal Firms and Corporations of the County.

The footings of the books returned by the assessors have not been made, but the indications are that the aggregate assessment will not be very far from that of last year.

Specimen of English Opinion

Clergyman Sends His Mite to Help Along a Worthy Cause.

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FEDERAL BUILDING NOTES

George Mann Likely to Find His Pugnistic Enterprise a Costly One.

Deputy United States Marshal Allan went to Lyons yesterday, where he will arrest George Mann for obstructing the mail at Oakland on May 30 and at Lyons on May 31.

END OF THEIR CONVENTION

National Association of Superintendents of Railway Telegraph Get Through Early.

The National Association of Superintendents of Railway Telegraphs was called to order yesterday at 9:30 and continued in session till long past noon.

CHIEF GALLAGHER RELENTS

Peculiar Methods of Police in Ridding the City of the Criminal Element.

The peculiar methods employed by the police in ridding the city of crooks and undesirable characters are shown by Chief Gallagher's action in granting permission for George Omer, alias Elliott, whom the chief no longer than a week ago designated as a "good" crook, to remain in the city.

Check Supposed to Have Been Stolen

George Saunders was arrested last night for attempting to pass what is supposed to be a stolen check \$100 and \$100.

Candy Thieves Arrested

Charles Griffiths and an unknown partner broke into the candy wagon of D. J. O'Brien several weeks ago and carried away a tidy volume of \$1.

Forged State Warrants

OLYMPIA, Wash., June 16.—Discovery has just been made that there are forged Washington state warrants in circulation. One amount already discovered is between \$8,000 and \$10,000.

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Bernstein Loses \$100 in Cash and a Lot of Valuable Papers Through Thieves.

Some time during Wednesday night burglars forced open the front door of the boot-black parlors of Moses Bernstein, known as "Mogy," at 1416 Farnam street, and rifled the safe of \$100 in cash and a lot of valuable papers.