

REMINDER OF SPANISH RULE

People of Santiago in Earnest in Protecting Concerning Customs Receipts. NEED MONEY FOR PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS

Fear that if it Once Goes to Havana Only a Small Portion Will Ever Come Back—All Provinces on an Equality.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, Jan. 6.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—The immediate effect of the announcement of the order from Havana regarding the transfer to that city of the funds accruing from the customs receipts each week was pronounced and emphatic.

The explanation of the war department that the transfer of the funds was merely "nominal" had but a very slight effect on the people, for that was always said by the Spanish. The money always drifted to Havana, and but a very small percentage went back to the province whence it came.

The Cubans regard a province as, in many respects, the same as a country. Each province has a seaboard on both sides of it with the exception of Matanzas, which, however, has two very profitable ports—Matanzas and Cardenas.

The ports of Santiago, Manzanillo, Guantamo and a few small ports on the northern part of the coast. Puerto Principe has Nuevitas on the northern and Santa Cruz del Sur on the southern coast.

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DEATH RECORD

Early Free Soil Agitator. LAWRENCE, Kan., Jan. 16.—Colonel W. Eldridge, one of the most foremost men in early Kansas history, died at his home here today, aged 81 years, of a complication of diseases.

Polk County Veteran. OSCEOLA, Neb., Jan. 16.—(Special.)—One of the veterans of the civil war is being gathered to their fathers, and this time it is Serril L. Burlingame. His death occurred at his home at Shelby at 4 p. m. last Saturday, and his funeral was held Monday afternoon.

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SHIFTS BLAME ON OTHERS

General Humphrey Appears Before the War Investigating Commission. REFLECTS ON THE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT

Sick Are Crowded on the Transports While Other Ships Equally as Good Were Available.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—General Charles F. Humphrey, who was in charge of the water transportation at Tampa for Santiago, was chief quartermaster on General Miles' staff, and was present at the trial of the General Miles' arrival, was the main witness before the War Investigating commission today.

"Did you assign the troops in advance of their arrival at Tampa to the different vessels?" asked General Wilson.

"When these troops came to you, were they then assigned to the first time?" "Yes, sir; because that was necessary."

He said that under the circumstances the transports at Tampa were as well fitted as could be possible. Every vessel carried its full complement of ordnance and other stores; in fact, that could be landed by the use of 114 mule wagons and seven ambulances taken.

"Why were no more wagons and ambulances taken?" queried General Wilson.

"Because the vessels were full," was the answer.

"Would your reply then be lack of transportation?" "I would not like to say that." All the wagons, said the witness, were landed at Santiago, but all were not set up.

"I know there were people aboard the Concha who ought not to have been," he said, in reply to queries as to passes for outsiders to come north.

"I have the honor to hand you herewith my testimony, which is now re-submitted, and revised in accordance with the letter expressed by you in your letter to me of January 13.

CHARLES P. EAGAN, Commissioner General of Subsistence.

OUR EXPORTS ARE ENORMOUS They Are the Largest on Record and Exceed Imports by Over Half a Billion Dollars.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—During the year 1898 the United States exported \$21,250,535 more of merchandise of all sorts than it imported, or a gain in excess of exports over imports of \$24,146,719.

Confusion Was Everywhere. Asked if all the supplies were landed by July 10, General Humphrey said he could not say.

Asked about the failure to unload some of the transports which were ordered to be unloaded by the commission, General Humphrey said that the vessels were not unloaded because there were plenty of supplies on shore for the army and his orders from Secretary Alger were to allow nothing to interfere with the movement of troops north.

Asked about his experience with refrigerated beef, he said the first he saw was at Santiago. "The trouble was there was too much of it," said he, "but what I saw was pretty good. I think it was all good when landed at daylight each morning, but I know nothing about its condition when it reached the troops. I heard some of it spoiled."

Prominent in Official and Educational Life at the Capital.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The Navy department was informed today that the Bennington sailed from Honolulu on January 17 for Guam in accordance with the orders of the department.

Dividends for Insolvent Banks. WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The comptroller of the currency has declared the following dividends in favor of the creditors of insolvent national banks.

General Stanton Bullies. WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—To the surprise of his friends and friends, Paymaster General Stanton, who has been suffering with a severe attack of pneumonia, last night rallied from the desperate condition he had been in for three days and may completely recover.

Fire and Police Commission. Finance Committee Reports Favorably on Purchase of Buggy and Horses—Appointments.

At the meeting of the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners last evening—all members being present—the following business was transacted:

Police Sergeant A. A. Bebout was granted five days' leave of absence.

Fireman John J. Norton was cited to appear to answer to the charge of drunkenness.

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Personal Paragraphs. H. C. Bitterman returned from Chicago yesterday.

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AMUSEMENTS

Sidney Grundy's great sex against sex romantic drama, "Sowing the Wind," which was seen in this city early in October of the present season, opened a return engagement at Boyd's theater last evening.

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LOCAL BREVITIES

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