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## SPANISH IN FULL RETREAT.

Driven Like Sheep Before the Eager Yankee Troops.

Americans Are Within a Few Miles of Santiago and Will Soon Be in Possession of the City—Very Pleasing News Received at Washington That Hobson and Men Are Safe.

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Port Au Prince, Hayti, June 23.—A. According to the messages received here this morning, the Americans will soon be masters at Santiago de Cuba. In spite of the steps taken by the Spanish military commanders and Admiral Cervera.

On board the Associated Press Dispatch boat Dauntless, of Juragua, Province of Santiago de Cuba, Thursday night, June 23, Vice-Admiral Sampson is now in constant and practical command of the American fleet, which the navy department. Six dispatches were received in rapid succession through the night, each bringing the news up to twelve o'clock last night. They showed there only a half hour elapsed since the Spanish had been driven into the city of Santiago a few miles distant. This lifts the clouds of anxiety as to the condition of the brave men who had been captured, and in which Morro suffered most, and it has been uncertain as to whether Hobson and his men had been captured or not. It was believed seriously believed the Spaniards would expose these men to such dangers as the road to the fort of Santiago, the castle at the cross files, the main body of the troops had united and the Spaniards are on the road to the fort of Santiago. The road to the fort of Santiago is a surprise, but a decisive engagement is not expected for several days.

General Cervera's brigade, which rested last night at Demasabalo, four miles west of Santiago, was marched to the front, and the American flag was planted there. The Spaniards retired before the advance, which was covered by Cuban skirmishers, burning the blockhouses as they went.

Col. Wagner, with a small reconnaissance party of forty men, advanced against the flank of a retreating Spanish column 200 strong. Fifteen Americans were killed, but Col. Wagner, as Col. Wagner was killed. Gen. Lewin could bring up the Twenty-second, the van regiment, the Spanish were in retreat, the skirmishers.

Juragua was abandoned by General Linares and 1,200 Spanish troops with such haste that they had no time to burn the town, though an ineffectual attempt was made to do so. The motives of the railroad and the rolling stock. General Linares reached Seville, six miles west of Juragua by road, and reached Santiago de Cuba. A detachment of 150 Cuban troops under Colonel Aguirre, collided with the Spanish rear guard. The Cubans lost two men killed, but the Spaniards wounded. The Spanish loss is not known. One Spaniard was marched General Chauchat with 200 men, leaving the road of the Eighth, and covering the Fourth, Seventh, Twelfth and Seventeenth infantry, which the Spanish had reached Juragua at dark.

General Bates with the reserve of the Twentieth Infantry and Colonel Wood's troops advanced to the front, and, on orders, hurried forward from Estrela, quiet at three o'clock, proceeding by forced marches. When the couriers from the rear arrived, it was found that the Spaniards had been occupied with a view of landing their troops on the coast, and the boat on the beach made it impossible to get the boats through the surf. St. Thomas, 150 miles West Indies, June 23.—There are no war news obtainable here this morning.

## HOBSON.

He and His Companions Are Safe in Santiago City.

Washington, D. C., June 24.—The state department this morning received the following cablegram: "Phila. Del. June 24.—From a flag of truce this morning, Hobson and his companions are all well. They are confined in the city of Santiago four miles from Morro.—Sampson."

## BANKRUPTCY BILL.

Farmers Agreed to Conference Report on Bankruptcy Bill.

Washington, D. C., June 24.—The Senate has agreed to the conference report on the bankruptcy bill. A bill to reorganize the bankruptcy department of the army, and making provision for the appointment of twelve assistant commissioners, was introduced by Senator MacKellar, and was passed. The bill relative to the engineers, which was introduced by Senator MacKellar, was called up and passed.

## MEN-LOLA TEACHERS.

One Force Again Enclosed With One. The Northwestern. Oshkosh, Wis., June 24.—The Northwestern, Oshkosh, Wis., June 24.

The school has been a meeting last night all the old teachers being re-enacted. Miss Paul, who resides at Menasha, has been a teacher from the kindergarten department to Miss Paul's place as teacher of the first grade. J. G. Jones of Baltimore, Md., is visiting the school. Mrs. Mary L. Kieppl took place this afternoon, Rev. John Hobson, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Oshkosh, took a pony ride to Appleton this afternoon. Dr. Preston Grant, pastor of the First Methodist Church, which the members partake of ice cream and cake. Miss Anna Pleasant is expected home from the West Indies on the 25th. The vacation. Mr. and Mrs. D. T. H. MacKinnon are attending Miss Dugger's trial at Oshkosh last evening in which they were present.

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