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An enemy more formidable than the Spanish is to be met by our troops in Cuba this summer, an enemy not afraid of cowboy troopers or seasoned regulars, an enemy that never sleeps. This is yellow fever.

These two phases of the coming campaign have been most carefully considered, and elaborate preparations are making to meet them. If skill and science can save our boys in blue from this curse of Cuba and keep the scourge from crossing the water to our southern shore line, it will be done.

The danger is most imminent, though. Last summer, in spite of rigid precautions, yellow jack gained a strong foothold in Louisiana and neighboring states, and the disease has a proclivity for paying two visits in succession. Moreover, this year unusual conditions prevail which will make it even more difficult to adopt the precautions used in times of peace.

The marine quarantine always goes into effect on May 1, and this year it was begun on April 1, but as the strict regulations have been relaxed by reason of the contingencies of war. The first step toward relaxing the vigilance was taken when the regulations were suspended for the first refugees from Cuba.

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He is a member of one or two clubs and moves in the best society in Chicago. His favorite pastime is yachting, and it was while on a yachting expedition to Mackinac Island, in 1896, that he first met his betrothed.

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FIGHTER AND STRATEGIST.

Such is the Man Who Commands Our Army of Invasion. An officer of established ability and proved valor is Major General William R. Shafter, who is in command of the army of invasion in Cuba.

General Shafter was born in Galesburg, Mich., 62 years ago. He was the son of a Kalamazoo county pioneer farmer. His young manhood was spent on the farm, and it was not until after passing his majority that he established his common school education at the Prairie seminary in the winter of 1859.

It is an interesting fact that his tutor in this his only "higher education" was a young pedagogic fresh from the western reserve of Ohio who bore the since well known name of Julius Caesar Burrows. From the time of their young manhood Senator Burrows and General Shafter have been warm friends.

Cuba is a hotbed of yellow fever. Most of the epidemics in this country have been traced to some one coming from that island. It has found its victims usually among the residents of the cities of the south, but its deadliest victories have been among northern people.

Seventy-seven years ago there was a situation which may be paralleled in the near future. When the Spaniards evacuated Florida in 1821, a garrison of United States troops, made up of northern men wholly unacquainted, was sent to St. Augustine. Three transports which took the Spanish troops to Cuba returned to Florida with yellow fever. One of them had lost its entire crew and was navigated into port by two passengers.

Troops stationed at Tampa, Key West and even Chikamauga, being in connection with forces which are operating in Cuba, will run the risk of infection. We are much better able to fight the fever now than ever before and perhaps always will win. Says a physician who has studied the disease:

"My personal belief is that our soldiers can operate in Cuba without suffering much if the rules laid down by the surgeon general of the army are followed. We have never yet made the experiment on a large scale of living up to the best rules of health, and I am very hopeful of the result in the present instance. The army will look out for high ground, especially for the hours of sleep."

It was the old wooden West Indian ships that carried the germs from Cuba. These are not plying back and forth now. The warships of our navy are clean and wholesome and do not afford lodgment for germs of infection.

The man who will direct the campaign against yellow jack is Colonel Charles R. Greenleaf, who has been appointed chief surgeon of the army in the field. He will go with the troops wherever they are sent and will fight the fever while they are fighting the Spanish.

Colonel Greenleaf knows how to conduct such a campaign too. He is a man of ripe experience and well qualified for the task. He began his army service in 1861 when he was appointed assistant surgeon of the Fifth Ohio volunteers, and the following August he received his commission as assistant surgeon in the army. He has passed through the successive military grades to his present rank of colonel and assistant surgeon general. Colonel Greenleaf was senior medical officer with general Hancock in the riots of 1878, and in 1887 he was executive officer in the surgeon general's office at Washington, where he completed the organization of the present hospital corps.

Since 1893 Colonel Greenleaf has been in charge of the medical supplies of the Pacific coast and has been stationed at San Francisco. He is the author of a number of standard military medical works and of the system of personal identification now in use in the army. He was born in Carlisle, Pa., in 1838.

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A WAR WEDDING.

Youngest Daughter of Secretary Alger and Her Matrimonial Ventures. The marriage of Miss Frances Aura Alger, the youngest daughter of the secretary of war, coming just at this time, naturally excites more than usual interest.



MISS FRANCES AURA ALGER.

The fortunate young man is Charles Durral Pike, son of Eugene Pike, a wealthy Chicagoan.

In appearance Miss Alger is of medium height, with a rosy complexion, large, dark eyes and a wealth of rich, brown hair, which she wears high above her brow. A native of Detroit, she was educated at Farmington, Conn., then made a tour of Europe, which she has visited several times.

In her tastes Miss Alger is rather quiet, but she loves horses and music and also has a penchant for golf, which is shared by Mr. Pike. Being the last child to leave the parental roof, her loss will be deeply felt by her father and mother.

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PERISHED IN FLAMES.

SO THE ROPE OF THE LYNCHERS WAS NOT NEEDED.

A Spectacle So Terrible That It Made One Witness of the Tragedy Decide That He Would Never Again Participate in a Man Hunt. "There was only one official hanging in my county," said the ex-boomer from Oregon, "and it turned out afterward that an innocent man was executed in that instance. This precedent made even lynching very unbecoming, so that when a score of us started out to hang Abraham Samuels to the nearest tree it was only after a careful consideration of the crime he had committed. Samuels was a man of about 40, small, wiry and agile. He had reddish hair and a heavy beard, the cut of which he was continually altering, and he was always neatly, rather flashily dressed. He was married to a woman some ten years his junior and lived with her and their two children on a ranch on the divide between Tin Pot and Shoestring valleys.

"In spite of his generally quiet behavior Samuels was very unpopular, partly, I suppose, because of his natty appearance and partly because he was known as a wife beater. Mrs. Samuels was not directly responsible for this knowledge, for she knew no one in the neighborhood and was rarely seen out of the clearing. She was thin and tired looking, and her big gray eyes had that cowed look that always arouses sympathy. There was the same look in the eyes of her two sons, who, passively noticed, always played quietly and without much apparent enjoyment. It was the tales these two little fellows told their mates at the district school at Tin Pot that first brought to the notice of the community the condition of affairs in the home on the divide.

"Whether it was because of the knowledge that she had the sympathy of the community or simply because she had borne all she could never know, but one day Alice Samuels turned on her husband and drove him from the house. A drummer for a dry goods house in Frisco reported one night that as he was driving over the divide he saw Samuels in front of his house door, parrying with his wife, who stood at the open window with a shotgun. That night Samuels came to town and got very drunk. He was taciturn and sullen, which was unusual and was noticed. He started out in the direction of his home at about midnight.

"About daylight the next morning the Samuels cabin was burned down. Mrs. Samuels escaped with the children, but there was no time for her to save any of her belongings, even clothes. It was found afterward that pretty chips and candy wood had been carried from a pile back of the cabin to a heap of dry brushwood and had been kindled. The flames had been blown across the corner of the clearing in which the cabin stood, setting it afire and also the woods beyond. With no other evidence than this there was a strong suspicion that Samuels had set the fire, and his subsequent actions tended to confirm it. Feeling against him was intensified by the fact that the fire had gained a good start along the divide and was menacing valuable property on every side.

"Within a week from the time the fire started the town had grown too hot for Samuels, and in three days more, during which the fires had done more damage, a lynching bee was proposed, with Samuels as its chief object of attention. As I had been injured by the fire and was not as fit as many other individuals in the vicinity I was asked to organize the bee. I declined to do that, but I went along with the party, more from curiosity than from any desire to wreak personal vengeance. Samuels had heard of my intention and had stolen away and started along the Smith river trail, intending, I suppose, to proceed about the river to its mouth and take a steamer for Frisco.

"The pursuing party rode hard, and we sighted Samuels just at daybreak the next morning as he crossed the ridge into the Smith river valley about six miles ahead of us. He would surely have escaped us had it not been that one arm of the forest fire intercepted him soon after he started down the valley. The fire had crossed the ridge many miles below, and as it traveled up the valley it presented a solid wall of flame which it was impossible to pass. From this wall Samuels was forced to turn back three miles below, where he cut across the valley, and there was no way out except the back trail. On this we intercepted him soon after he started down, though he could not possibly escape the ropes we were carrying for him. He did, though, for he was finally consumed in the fire he himself had started. He took the desperate chance of trying to swim down the shallow stream, whose flames wrapped banks were not more than 20 feet apart. It was an impossible feat. The intense heat from the blazing fire trees that lined the stream had overcome him before he got fairly started. An eddy stranded him on a small bar, where he made one or two ineffectual efforts to get under water again, and then lay still. He was encircled for a few moments in the steam that rose from his wet clothes, which burst into flames as soon as they were dry. Then the naked body lying there on the sand could be seen to shrivel up and char, and before we were forced back by the advancing wall of fire nothing was left but a heap of glowing cinders. I shall never forget the spectacle, and, incidentally, never participate in a man hunt again."—New York Sun.

THE BUFFALO AND THE BUFFALO BIRD.

Some two miles to my right I detected a white streak. Turning to Mahoney, I said, "Buffalo." Through my field glass the white streak resolved itself into a flock of buffalo birds. They are about the size of sea gull and always travel with the African buffalo, sometimes covering a six mile herd of 400 or 600 as if with a white cloak.

The buffalo has another friend in the little alarm bird, which is well known to hunters. It is about the size of a sparrow and warns him of approaching danger by flying down on his back, pecking at his thigh and sending forth a shrill note, which immediately stampedes a whole herd. I have often inquired of experienced hunters whether the bird does not sometimes make a mistake and put these huge beasts to flight unnecessarily, but I was told that the buffalo have a perfect confidence in them. A rifle shot would not scatter them more quickly. While I had been stalking buffalo a few days before, well hidden in the grass, the herd suddenly stampeded. This puzzled me greatly, but the watchful eye of my guide detected the cause. One of these birds had flown down and given the alarm. Though disappointed in my stalk, I had the satisfaction of acquiring some information that proved of value to me later.—Arthur C. Humbert in Harper's Magazine.

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IT MADE HIM WEEP.

Take Her and May the Lord Have Mercy on Your Soul.

Delaney Wallingford hesitated with his hand upon the knob of the door to the private office. He was about to ask Henry Faversham for the hand of his beautiful daughter. For a moment the young man was inclined to procrastinate, but he drew himself together at last and walked in.

The rich man received him kindly and asked him to sit down. Before Wallingford had begun upon the subject that was nearest his heart, however, the voice of Mrs. Faversham was heard in the outer office, and her husband requested his visitor to step into an adjoining room until the lady had got through with him.

"Look here!" said the mother of the only girl that Delaney Wallingford had ever loved as she rushed into her husband's presence. "I want you to give an account of yourself. You didn't get home until long after the hour I set for you last night, and you have a guilty look. Who's that young woman out there in the front office—that brazen thing with clothes that are too rich for any working girl to wear? Where do you intend to take your lunch today? I'm going to go along with you. Here, I need \$100. Indorse this check. Let me see those letters in that pigeonhole. You're up to some thing. Henry Faversham, and I'm going to find out what it is! Discharge that girl out there today and get a homely one! I'll be down here again tomorrow to see whether you have obeyed my orders or not. When you get home to-night—and see that you're on time—I'll have some more to say to you. Remember, I expect you to come to Murko's for your lunch. I haven't time to talk to you this morning. Give me those letters you have in your pocket!"

One of her lady friends was waiting for her outside in the carriage, so she had to leave him long before she had finished her remarks.

When Mr. Faversham was alone again, Delaney Wallingford returned and sat down in front of the benevolent looking old gentleman, who asked him to proceed with the business in hand.

"Your daughter Gladys," the young man said—"we love each other. I have come to ask you for her."

There was deep pity in the look that Henry Faversham bestowed upon his visitor and after a long silence he said:

"I've always had a sort of liking for you. I've thought you were a pretty sensible sort of chap. You heard what was said in here a few moments ago, didn't you?"

Delaney confessed that he had heard it all.

"Well, all right, then. My conscience is clear. Take her, and may the Lord have mercy on your soul! Her mother was sweet and kind once!"

When they shook hands, Delaney Wallingford saw tears in the old man's eyes.—Cleveland Leader.

ANTS THAT GO TO SEA.

There are certain ants that show wonderful intelligence, and the "driver ants" not only build boats, but launch them too. Only these boats are formed of their own bodies.

They are called "drivers" because of their ferocity. Nothing can stand before the attacks of the little creatures. Large pythons have been killed by them in a single night, while chickens, lizards and other animals in western Africa flee from them in terror. To protect themselves from the heat they erect arches under which numerous armies of them pass in safety.

Sometimes the arch is made of grass and earth gummed together by some secretion, and again it is formed by the bodies of the larger ants, which hold themselves together by their strong jaws while the workers pass under them.

At certain times of the year freshets overflow the country inhabited by the "driver," and it is then that these ants go to sea. The rain comes suddenly, and the walls of their houses are broken in by the flood, but instead of coming to the surface in scattered hundreds and being swept off to destruction, out of the ruins rises a black ball that rides safely on the water and drifts away.

At the first warning of danger the little creatures run together and form a solid body of ants, the weaker in the center. Often this ball is larger than a common cricket ball, and in this way they float about until they lodge against some tree, upon the branches of which they are soon safe and sound.—Pearson's Weekly.

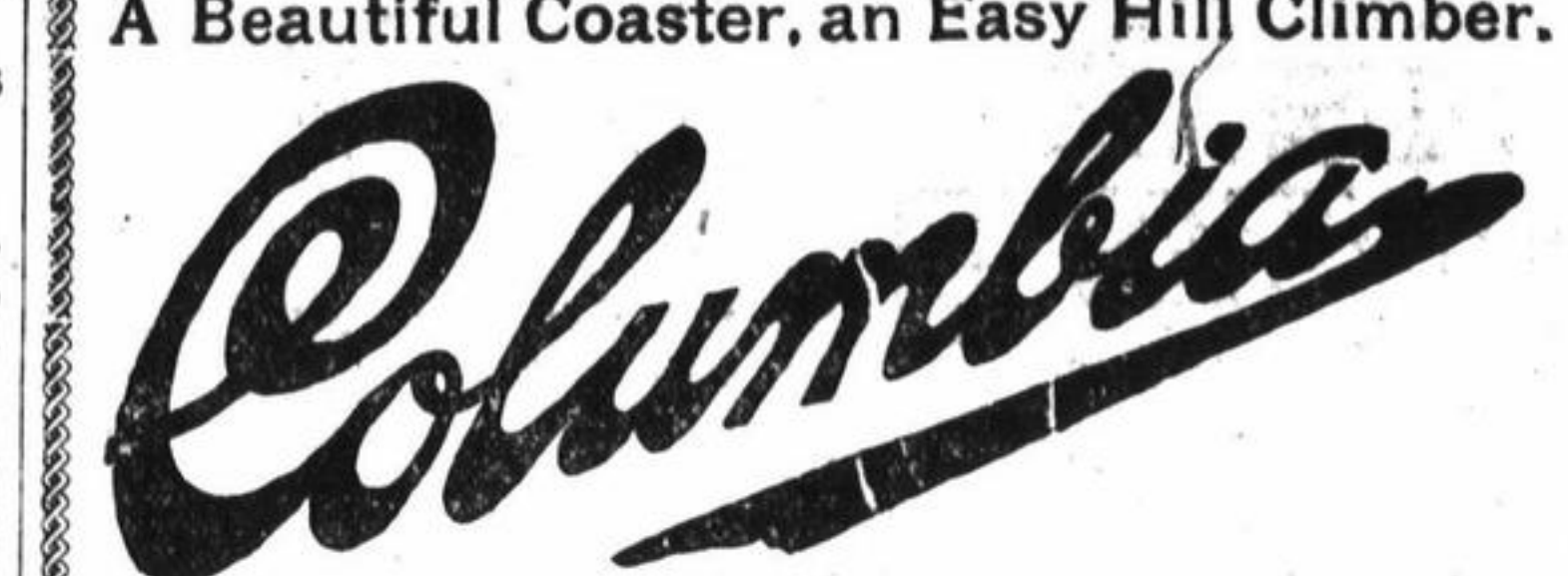
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OUTLET, May 27.—We have had an abundance of rain for the past few days and farmers are jubilant. Chattie Reed is able to be out again, after being confined to the house for two weeks with an attack on her arm. A little son at Weldon adds to the joy. Mrs. John Reed on the sick list. W. and Herbie Vanderburgh spent Sunday with their parents. John Cowan preached at Woodvale last Sabbath. Samuel Fair and Minnie Running were married on Tuesday. We wish them every happiness.

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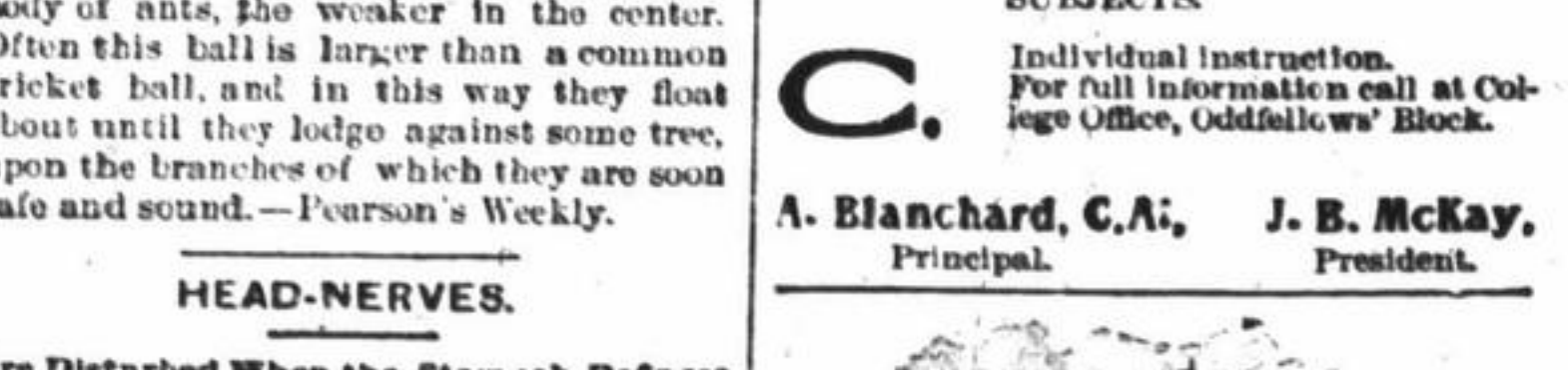
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