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AGUINALDO'S COM- MISARY GIVE UP

Called Upon General Otis to Make That
Announcement.

DELIVER PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Wet Weather Sets in—Filipino Com-
missioners Are Pleased With Pro-
posed Plan of Government—Do
Not Approve it Officially.

MANILA, May 23.—Rostario, a Filipino
congressman, wealthy resident of Manila
and formerly Aguinaldo's commissary-
general, accompanied by an insurgent
captain, called upon General Otis today
and announced that "we desire to sur-
render our persons and property into
the hands of the Americans."

The surrender was arranged by Chap-
lain Pierce, of the Fourteenth regiment,
who knew Rostario before the war. Ac-
cording to a story told by Rostario, Gen-
eral Luna is absolute dictator and Aguinal-
do fears him. Every Filipino leader,
it is added, suspects others of treachery.
The recent meeting of the Filipino con-
gress was to secure a new cabinet and
the question of peace was not formally
considered, as the members feared
Luna's displeasure.

Major Bell, with two companies of the
Fourth cavalry, has been reconnoitering
in the direction of Santa Arita. He
found 100 Filipinos there and was driving
them away, when large reinforcements
of the rebels arrived and he was obliged
to withdraw with four men wounded.
A raft carrying soldiers of the Fourteenth
regiment has been sunk at Pasig ferry.
One man was drowned.

The wet season has finally begun and
another week's rain will make the rice
fields thick with mud.

MANILA, May 23.—The Filipino com-
missioners spent the day at the residence
of the American commissioners. They
discussed every point of the scheme of
government and the peace proclamation
details, asking for information as to what
personal rights would be guaranteed
them.

They chiefly objected to the scheme on
the ground that it gave them prospective
liberty which they knew they would
lose, but did not give them present
liberty. Finally, the Filipinos said they
were perfectly pleased with the plan,
but could not indorse it officially.

THE ILWACO TRESTLE FELL

Accident on the Railroad—A Narrow
Escape But No One Hurt.

ASTORIA, Or., May 22.—A portion of
the Ilwaco Railway & Navigation Com-
pany's trestle at Ilwaco collapsed this
afternoon, while the beach train was
passing over it, and the locomotive was
dumped overboard into the bay, but for-
tunately no one was injured.

The train, consisting of a freight car,
coach and engine, was backing down to
the wharf, and the two cars passed safely
over, but a cap gave way under the
engine, and it toppled overboard, land-
ing on its side in about eight feet of
water. The coach was drawn over after
it until one end struck the water, the
other remaining on the track.

otherwise no one was hurt. This trestle
has been considered unsafe for years,
and the company yesterday began driv-
ing piles to rebuild it.

Recommended for Promotion.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—General Otis
cables the following under date of May
23: On the urgent recommendation
of Lawton, I recommend that Colonel
Owen Summers be made brigadier-gen-
eral of volunteers by brevet, for con-
spicuous gallantry at Maasan, Balac
Bridge, San Isidro, and that Captain J.
F. Case be made major of volunteers by
brevet, for distinguished services and
gallantry at the above places while acting
as division engineer officer.

Summers is colonel of the Second
Oregon volunteers, and commanded the
advance brigade of Lawton's division
during the recent march northward to
San Isidro.

Case is captain of company F, Second
Oregon volunteers.

DROWNED IN THE GRAND RONDE

Rancher Ryncarson is Swept to Sea
No More in Life.

LA GRANDE, May 23.—A. W. Rynear-
son, one of the wealthiest ranchers in
this valley, was drowned in the Grand
Ronde river at 7 o'clock this morning.
Mr. Rynearson was crossing the river,
which is still a greatly swollen and swiftly
flowing stream, on a footbridge a mile
and a half from town. A floating log
struck the bridge, demolishing it and
hurled Rynearson into the turbulent
water. One of the bridge boards fell on
him. He grasped it and gained a footing,
but the swift current again swept
him away, and that was the last seen of
him. Searching parties are trying to
find the body, but the river cannot be
drugged on account of the swift current.
Mr. Rynearson was on the way to the
city to superintend work on one of his
houses. He was sixty-seven years old
and leaves a wife and a number of chil-
dren, and several brothers and sisters.
He was an old-timer, and stood very
high in the community.

J. A. Penabaker Drowned.

SALEM, May 23.—J. A. Penabaker, a
pioneer of this state, aged 74, was
drowned near Mehama, twenty-six miles
east of here, at ten yesterday morning.
He came to Oregon in '52. Deceased
leaves six children, two of whom, Wil-
liam and Frank, are in business at
Woodburn. Mr. Penabaker was of
brother-in-law of John Q. Wilson, of
Salem, who was in the merchandise
business in '58 at Jefferson.

Discovered by a Woman.

Another great discovery has been
made, and that too, by a lady in this
country. "Disease fastened its clutches
upon her and for seven years she with-
stood its severest tests, but her vital
organs were undermined and death
seemed imminent. For three months
she coughed incessantly, and could not
sleep. She finally discovered a way to
recovery, by purchasing of us a bottle of
Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption,
and was so much relieved on taking
first dose, that she slept all night; and
with two bottles, has been absolutely
cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz."
Thus writes W. C. Hamrick & Co., of
Shelby, N. C. Trial bottles free at
Blakeley & Houghton's Drug Store.
Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Every
bottle guaranteed.

Dewey Too Ill to Attend the Celebration.

HONO KONO, May 23.—The cruiser
Olympia with Admiral Dewey on board
has arrived here from Manila. She was
saluted by the ships of all nationalities.
Dewey, Captain Lambertson, Lieutenant
Brumby and United States Consul Wild-
man were received by a guard of honor
composed of the Royal Welsh fusiliers,
when they landed to visit the governor
of Hong Kong, Sir Henry A. Blake,
Major-General Gascoigne, in command
of the troops, and Commodore Powell,
commanding the naval forces. The
visit was afterwards returned by the
officials mentioned. Dewey is in bad
health, being too ill today to attend the
queen's birthday celebration. The Olym-
pia is going to dock here and will remain
ten days at this port.

If you suffer from tenderness or full-
ness on the right side, pains under
shoulder-blade, constipation, bilious-
ness, sick-headache, and feel dull, heavy
and sleepy your liver is torpid and con-
gested. DeWitt's Little Early Risers
will cure you promptly, pleasantly and
permanently by removing the congestion
and causing the bile ducts to open and
flow naturally. THEY ARE GOOD PILLS.
Snipes-Klinsky Drug Co.

PRISONERS ARE BADLY TREATED

Hair Pulled Out, Kicked and Scourged
by Their Captors.

PRAY FOR DELIVERANCE

Lawton Resting at Candaba—Will Ad-
vance on Tarlac When Reinforced
—Has Destroyed Many Crops.

NEW YORK, May 24.—A dispatch to
the Journal and Advertiser from Manila
says: General Lawton is resting with
6000 men at Candaba after thirty days
of successful campaigning. He said to
the Journal correspondent:

"It pained me when we got into San
Isidro to see on the walls of the prison
the names of the fifteen Americans from
the Yorktown. From Colonel Ray, the
Spanish officer whom we rescued, I
learned that one of the American prison-
ers escaped from his captors. His lib-
erty was short lived, for he was recap-
tured. He was stretched on the ground
before his fellow-prisoners and twenty
lashes were given to him.

"We found a letter near San Isidro,
written by one of the Yorktown's crew,
saying that they were being kicked, that
their hair was being pulled out and that
they were cruelly treated in various
other ways, and praying their fellow-
country-men to hurry to their release.
The insurgents make a practice of mur-
dering the Chinamen who fall into their
hands, and our men, I suppose, should
consider themselves fortunate that they
have not been similarly treated, though
the cruelties and indignities heaped on
them must be hard to bear. I would
have advanced to Tarlac, but was in-
formed that I was north of the insur-
gent's main forces. Hence I asked for
Kobbe's brigade. I can advance and
reach Tarlac in six days unless the pre-
negotiations between the Filipinos and
our commission accomplish peace. The
whole country is nothing but intrench-
ments.

"I have had during the last month
twenty-two engagements. Six of my
men have been killed in the field, two
have died from wounds, and thirty-five
have been wounded. The losses of the
insurgents were over 400 killed, while we
have taken 1000 prisoners. I released
Spanish prisoners, established civil gov-
ernment in San Miguel, Baling and
San Isidro and safely conducted 540
Chinese refugees who were in fear for
their lives. In the section traversed, I
have destroyed 200,000 bushels of rice,
165 tons of sugar and 10,000 bushels of
corn.

They Fell Easy Victims.

MANILA, May 24.—General MacArthur
and Funston, with the Kansas and Mon-
tana regiments and the Utah battery,
have dispersed 300 insurgents, who were
entrenched on the railroad near San
Arita. The American scouts were fired
upon from the trenches unexpectedly,
and withdrew. The firing was heard at
San Fernando, and MacArthur assembled
his troops and marched quickly after the
scouts. The Montana regiment flanked
the trenches on the enemy's right flank,
Funston leading the charge at the double
quick. The insurgent loss was large,
many prisoners were captured. It is re-
ported that twenty Americans were
wounded.

Rich Ore in Golconda.

BAKER CITY, Or., May 22.—A wonder-
ful strike was made yesterday in the
Golconda mine. At a depth of 200 feet
miners broke through a strong vein,
opening up a three-foot pay streak. The
ore assays \$743.20 per ton in gold and
eighty-five ounces in silver. In the same
lead was exposed a three-inch stringer
of high-grade ore, containing visible free
gold, some of which is deposited in
crystals. The value on this stringer,
showing plainly across the pay shoot, is
\$20,146 in free gold, and 600 ounces in
silver per ton.

Confession of Branton.

EGGENSE, Or., May 23.—Two days be-

fore he was hanged, Claude Branton
wrote a confession and delivered it to
Rev. E. M. Patterson, sealed, with in-
structions not to make it public until
ten days after his death. It was made
public today. Branton confesses to fir-
ing the shot that killed John Linn. At
the trial he maintained that Courtland
Green, his accomplice, fired the shot.
Green is serving a life sentence in the
penitentiary.

General Summer and Major Case.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—The president
has given orders to carry out the rec-
ommendations of Generals Otis and
Lawton, making Colonel Summers, of
the Second Oregon, a brevet brigadier-
general of volunteers; also making Cap-
tain Case, of the engineer battalion, a
major by brevet.

Russia Will Not Accept China's Refusal.

PEKIN, May 24.—The Russian minister
here, M. Degiers, has notified the tungs-
li-yamen that Russia is unable to accept
the Chinese refusal of a railroad conces-
sion and that she will send engineers
forthwith to survey a line to connect
the Russian-Manthorian railroad with
Pekin.

VOLUNTEERS WILL SOON BE HOME

Every One Will Leave Philippines Be-
fore End of July—Hostilities Are
About Ended.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The war de-
partment is proceeding on the theory
that by the end of July not a volunteer
soldier will be left in Manila and Gen-
eral Otis' report today that the trans-
port Warren has arrived, advances the
time when the homeward movement of
volunteer troops will begin. Already
notice has been issued that mail for the
First California and Second Oregon vol-
unteer regiments should not be sent to
Manila but to San Francisco.

Turning in for Rest.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—While it is
not so affirmed at the department, the
recent movement is generally believed
to mark the end of the active campaign
before the wet weather sets in. Mac-
Arthur is at San Fernando, south of
Aryat, where Kobbe and Lawton are
now joined. This is a point that has
previously been spoken of as a possible
summer base for American northern
outposts. Lawton's turning in his
march to the north and proceeding
down the Rio Grande is a natural re-
sult of his desire to get behind the in-
surgents at San Isidro and crush them
at a blow, according to program.

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public
to know of one concern in the land who
are not afraid to be generous to the
needy and suffering. The proprietors
of Dr. King's New Discovery for con-
sumption, coughs and colds, have given
away over ten million trial bottles of this
great medicine; and have the satisfac-
tion of knowing it has absolutely cured
thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma,
bronchitis, hoarseness and all diseases
of the throat, chest and lungs are surely
cured by it. Call on Blakeley & Hough-
ton, druggists, and get a free trial bottle.
Regular size, 50 cents and \$1. Every
bottle guaranteed or price refunded.

Bears Killing Sheep.

CORVALLIS, Or., May 24.—For several
weeks bears have been playing havoc
with sheep in the hills, a dozen miles
west of Corvallis. Hunting parties have
scoured the woods and canyons, but all
efforts to rid the country of the maraud-
ers have been futile. Last week Caleb
Davis, of Woods creek, set up a bear
trap made of logs, that has already made
short work of two bears. The trap is a
floor of logs ten feet square, on which is
a log pen, twelve inches deep. A log-
made lid surmounts the pen, and is se-
curely fastened at one side by powerful
hinges. The lid is very heavy, and is
held up, when the trap is set, by fig-
ure-four triggers, such as boys use in trap-
ping birds. The long trigger is baited
with meat, and when the latter is seized
the lid falls, and brain is securely im-
prisoned.

Red Hot From the Gun

Was the ball that hit G. B. Steadman
of Newark, Mich., in the Civil War. It
caused horrible ulcers that no treat-
ment helped for twenty years. Then
Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. It
cures cuts, bruises, burns, boils, felons,
corns, skin eruptions. Best pile cure on
earth. Twenty-five cents a box. Cure
guaranteed. Sold by Blakeley & Hough-
ton, druggists.

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Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

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DEWEY DESIRES NO OVATION

Seeks Rest and Quiet—Olympia Will
Sail Leisurely.

MEN ALSO NEED REST

May Feel More Like Being Entertained
When He Gets Rested—Says the
Philippines are the Key to Oriental
Commerce and Civilization.

NEW YORK, May 24.—A dispatch to
the Journal and Advertiser from Hong
Kong quotes Admiral Dewey as saying,
on board the Olympia:

"The courtesy of these visitors I warmly
appreciate, but I am too much worn
out and sick to receive them. I am not
sorry to leave Manila at this time; I
could not stand the care and responsibil-
ity much longer. It is vastly easier to
be under orders than issue them.

"It is responsibility that kills. Dur-
ing the year that has elapsed since we
came to Manila, I have not had one sick
day until now. A year is long enough
in this climate for an old man, and I am
glad to be permitted a rest. On this ac-
count, I expect to remain in Hong Kong
two weeks. That ought to recuperate
me. My intention is to spend the time
at Victoria peak, where I hope to be
absolutely free from worry. Nobody is
more sensible of the kindness of the peo-
ple who have extended me invitations,
but I do not wish for entertainment.
My health will not stand it at present.
Two weeks of perfect quiet at the peak
ought to make a new man of me.

"I have the greatest enthusiasm in the
future of the Philippines. I hope to see
America possess the key to Oriental
commerce and civilization. The brains
of our great country will develop the
untold agricultural and mineral re-
sources of the islands. We must never
sell them. Such an action would bring
on another great war. We will never
part with the Philippines I am sure,
and in future years the idea that any-
body should have seriously suggested it
will be one of the curiosities of history.
The Olympia will go home leisurely.
I want all of my officers and men to get
the greatest benefit of all the stops we
can. We will pick our places with this
in mind. They have earned a rest by a
year of steady duty without respite.
While I am glad to be going home, I
cannot say good-bye to Manila without
regret. There have been many pleasant
occurrences among the months of har-
assing responsibilities and we will not
forget them."

GIRL WITNESSED THE SUICIDE

He Killed Himself in Presence of Miss
Hilton—Coroner's Jury Returns a
Verdict of Suicide.

OREGON CITY, May 25.—The coroner's
jury sat on the remains of Solomon
Beachert yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock.
They returned the following verdict and
recommendation:

"We, the undersigned jury in the
above entitled inquest, find that the de-
ceased's name was Solomon Beachert, of
Aurora, Clackamas County, Or.; that he
died on the 23d of May, at Oregon City,
Or., from effects of a bullet discharged
into the neck and vertebra of the said

deceased by the said deceased, on the 23d
day of May, 1899, with the intention of
committing suicide.

"The jury further recommended that
hereafter no persons be removed an un-
reasonable distance when in a dying
condition."

Miss Hilton, of Aurora, the young lady
whom Beachert dragged from her horse,
was too ill to be present, but her father
was there and made a statement to the
jury. From what he said it appears that
Beachert met the girl in the road about
a mile and a half from her home and
dragged her from her horse for the pur-
pose of committing a dastardly crime.
He carried her into the brush and then
changed his mind, and told the girl that
he had concluded to kill her instead.
She grew hysterical and begged for her
life. He then gave her his watch and
pocketbook, and instructed her to give
them to his mother, and said that he
would kill himself instead. With that
he shot himself before her eyes.

The shooting took place shortly after
6 o'clock, and the girl wandered about
until after 8 before she found her way
out to the road leading to her home.
The horse went home by himself and a
search was at once instituted for Miss
Hilton. She was unable to give a clear
account of the affair for some time,
which probably accounts for the delay
in searching for Beachert.

Young Gresham Suicides.

PORTLAND, May 24.—Neill Gresham,
of Jonesboro, Tenn., a nephew of ex-
Secretary of State Gresham, committed
suicide in a room at the Perkins hotel
this evening by shooting himself through
the heart.

Gresham was arrested on complaint of
a La Grande banker for embezzlement,
and the officer who had him in charge
locked him in his room. While the
officer was away Gresham killed himself.

I consider it not only a pleasure but a
duty I owe to my neighbors to tell about
the wonderful cure effected in my case
by the timely use of Chamberlain's
Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.
I was taken very badly with flux and
procured a bottle of this remedy. A few
doses of it effected a permanent cure. I
take pleasure in recommending it to
others suffering from that dreadful dis-
ease.—J. W. LYNCH, Dorr, W. Va. This
remedy is sold by Blakeley & Houghton,
never been claimed that Chamberlain's
Pain Balm would cast out demons, but
it will cure rheumatism, and hundreds
bear testimony to the truth of this
statement. One application relieves
the pain and this quick relief which it
affords is alone worth many times its
cost. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton.

Combs' Body Found.

GOLDENDALE, Wd., May 23.—The body
of Frank Combs was found last week
near Tumwater. Combs was drowned
six weeks ago, while crossing the Colum-
bia from Arlington, Or., to Ross
Beardsley's farm, on the Klickitat side.
It is supposed that a heavy wind blew
him out of the boat, as the day following
the disappearance the boat and load of
provisions was found. Combs was a
laborer, and was about thirty-five years
old.

The Best in the World.

We believe Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy is the best in the world. A few
weeks ago we suffered with a severe cold
and a troublesome cough, and having
read their advertisements in our own
and other papers we purchased a
bottle to see if it would effect us. It
cured us before the bottle was more than
half used. It is the best medicine out
for colds and coughs.—The Herald,
Andersonville, Ind. For sale by Blake-
ley & Houghton Druggists.

President Has Decided.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—President Mc-
Kinley has positively decided to go as
far west this summer as St. Paul, but
whether he will go on to Yellowstone
Park and the coast depends upon such
circumstances that it is now impossible
to make a decision.

Working Night and Day

The busiest and mightiest little thing
that ever was made is Dr. King's New
Life Pills. Every pill is a sugar-coated
globule of health, that changes weakness
into strength, listlessness into energy,
brain-fag into mental power. They're
wonderful in building up the health.
Only 25 cents per box. Sold by Blakeley
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