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THE BROOKLYN EXPEDITION.

Report Received of the Release of a Number of Spanish and American Prisoners.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The Navy department has made public a report from Lieutenant J. H. Gibbons, attached to the Brooklyn, dated Cavite, March 4, upon an expedition conducted by him in the south of Luzon.

According to the report, Lieutenant Gibbons was placed in command of the U. S. transport General Alava, with a detail of officers and men from the Brooklyn, on the 25th of February, and proceeded to the vicinity of San Narciso, Gulf of Bagay, at the southern extremity of Luzon, in search of these prisoners.

MILES' SHARP CRITICISM.

Pronounces It a Mistake to Mount Our Heavy Guns on Disappearing Carriages.

NEW YORK, May 5.—A special to the Journal and Advertiser from Washington says: General Miles makes a sharp criticism of the engineering department in the disappearing gun carriage matter.

General Miles also takes occasion to pay his respects to the futility of the furious fire of Sampson's fleet at the ancient artillery of San Antonio.

General Miles points out that the disappearing gun carriage had been used in this country to the exclusion practically of all others.

The conclusion to mount upward of 90 per cent of our modern high-power coast defense guns in deep pits on disappearing carriages was apparently reached after a long-continued academic discussion of the subject in successive annual reports of the chief of engineers.

"Old Morro castle, the eighteenth century masonry work exposed on a block less than 200 feet above tide-water and armed with four eighteenth century smooth-bore cannon, withstood on one occasion the concentrated fire of our fleet at close range for three hours with the result that one corner of the masonry was struck and damaged, but the parapet wall remained intact and not a man or a gun was injured so far as known.

"I deem it most unfortunate that we should take up, develop and place

almost sole dependence upon a type of mount that has been tried and practically abandoned abroad."

SCOTFIELD MINE VICTIMS.

Governor of Utah Will Issue an Address Soliciting Subscriptions.

SALT LAKE, May 5.—In response to many inquiries from citizens of the United States and from numerous firms and corporations outside of Utah, addressed to the governor and other citizens of Utah, making generous offers of financial assistance for the stricken families of the victims of the Scofield mine disaster, Governor Wells will issue an address stating, in view of the appalling magnitude of the mortality and the very large number of dependent women and children requiring care and sustenance, that contributions will be most gratefully received from kindly disposed and sympathetic people everywhere, and that all subscriptions should be sent to Hon. James T. Hammond, secretary of state and chairman of the Central Relief Fund, who is authorized to attend to the equitable distribution of the funds to the sufferers.

AN ALASKAN LYNCHING.

Murderer Held for a Month and Then Hanged for Fear He Would Escape.

SEATTLE, May 5.—Among the passengers from Latuya bay on the Bertha, which arrived today, were a man named Nelson and his wife, who reported to the authorities at Juneau a sensational case of murder and lynching which occurred at Latuya bay last November. According to their story they and two others—white men—were at dinner one day when Steve Stevens walked out and returned with a revolver, shot and killed the other white man, wounded the woman, but before he could do further damage was disarmed by Nelson. The latter and another white man, aided by an Indian, kept Stevens a prisoner for a month, meanwhile trying to communicate with the authorities at Juneau. Finally fearing Stevens would escape and murder the all, he was hanged. Nelson and his wife came to Juneau and gave themselves up.

BURYING THE DEAD.

Agonizing Scenes Mark the Close of the Terrible Utah Mine Disaster.

SALT LAKE, May 5.—A special to the Herald from Scofield, Utah, says: A volume of agonizing scenes and incidents attended the burial of one hundred and nine victims of the mine disaster today. Wholesale burial has gone on all day. Bodies were taken to the cemetery by trains of wagons and a man stood at the gate and checked from a long list the names of the bodies in the caskets that were taken in.

The graves were all kept open until after services had been performed over them. While various lodges were officiating, the Mormon church representatives were dedicating the graves of their dead. Fifty more bodies are yet to be buried.

MORE TOWNS TAKEN.

American Troops in Philippines Are Not Waiting for Bryan's Election.

MANILA, May 5.—Colonel Hardin's expedition recently landed two companies of the Twenty-ninth Infantry on the island of Marinduque. The troops have already taken four towns without opposition, the few armed insur-

gents encountered taking to the mountains. Leaving one company to garrison the island, the expedition proceeded to Masbate.

The cable to the Southern Islands is broken and the details of the recent fighting are not obtainable at present.

NORTHERN PACIFIC EXTENSION.

Has Taken Over the St. Paul & Duluth, of which Dan Lamont Will Be President.

ST. PAUL, May 5.—The Northern Pacific will take absolute control of the St. Paul & Duluth road Monday. A. B. Plough, until Thursday manager of the St. Paul & Duluth, has returned from the East, and in an interview said:

"I have resigned as vice-president and manager of the Duluth, and will be succeeded by Daniel S. Lamont, of New York, as director and vice-president, and Mr. Kendrick, general manager of the Northern Pacific, will assume the duties of general manager."

CHEERED BY THOUSANDS.

Close of the Dewey Celebration in St. Louis—Mrs. Dewey and the Admiral Go to Memphis.

ST. LOUIS, May 5.—With the parade of the military and civic organizations of Missouri this afternoon and an informal reception by the Loyal Legion tonight the two days' celebration in St. Louis in honor of Admiral Dewey came to an end.

Probably 500,000 people stood patiently for hours along the line of march to see the admiral and cheered him wildly as he was driven by in the parade. Tomorrow morning the admiral and party leave for Memphis, Tennessee, where a two days' celebration will be held in his honor.

CLEVER SWINDLER ESCAPES.

Mining Shark After Robbing Everybody Succeeds in Fooling His Victims After Arrest.

NEW WHATCOM, May 5.—J. E. Banks, a British Columbia mountaineer, arrested here Thursday for selling fake gold mines to Wall street financiers, has escaped from jail. He succeeded in inducing his prosecutors to believe that he really owned the claims which he sold them.

They withdrew complaint against him and started for Vancouver, B. C., to complete arrangements for accompanying him to Adlin, leaving him to follow next day.

METROPOLITAN HANDICAP.

Ethelbert Wins Easily—Twenty Thousand People Witness the Event.

NE WORK, May 5.—Ethelbert, of Perry Belmont stables, won the metropolitan handicap at Morris Park today before 20,000 people. He was a favorite in the betting and won by three lengths. Box taking second place by a neck from Imp. Time, 1:41 1/2.

LARGE SUBSCRIPTION RECEIVED.

SALT LAKE, May 5.—In addition to the donation to the fund for relief of the Scofield sufferers, the Colorado Fuel & Iron Company has subscribed \$5000 and the Rio Grande Western Railway Company \$20,000. These two subscriptions come from New York to the superintendent of the Pleasant Valley Coal Company.

NEW SCIENTIFIC EXPERIMENT.

Two English Doctors Will Spend the Summer on the Pontine Marshes.

LONDON, May 5.—The government of Great Britain this week sent two men to the deadliest spot on earth, with instructions to stay there all summer and see if they can keep themselves alive. If they return, the most fatal disease next to consumption will be at the mercy of science.

The men who risk their lives are Dr. Sambon and Dr. Lowe, of the School of Tropical Medicine, attached to the Colonial office.

The disease they are going to investigate is malarial fever, which kills more people annually than cholera, bubonic plague or any other scourge save consumption.

The most readily spot selected is the Roman Campagna, where no man can stay on a summer night without contracting malaria. Many doctors de-

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Hon. M. H. McCord.

Hon. Myron H. McCord, Ex-Governor of New Mexico, in a letter to Dr. Hartman, from Washington, D. C., says: "Dear Sir—At the suggestion of a friend I was advised to use Pe-ru-na for catarrh, and after using one bottle I began to feel better in every way. It helped me in many respects. I was troubled with colds, coughs, sore throat, etc., but as soon as I had taken your medicine I began to improve and soon got well. I take pleasure in recommending your great remedy to all who are afflicted with catarrh.—M. H. McCord."

The spring presents a much more favorable opportunity for the permanent cure of chronic catarrh, especially old, stubborn cases. Now is the time to begin treatment. Insist upon having Pe-ru-na. There are no successful substitutes for this remedy. Send to Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio, for a free catarrh book.

When a man fools with cravats or matrimonial ties, he always gets it in the neck.

NO REMEDY EQUALS PERUNA, SO THE WOMEN ALL SAY

Miss Susan Wymar, teacher in the Richmond school, Chicago, Ill., writes the following letter to Dr. Hartman regarding Per-una. She says: "Only those who have suffered as I have, can know what a blessing it is to be able to find relief in Per-una. This has been my experience. A friend in need is a friend indeed, and every bottle of Per-una I ever bought proved a good friend to me."—Susan Wymar.



Miss Susan Wymar.

Mrs. Margarettha Dauben, 1214 North Superior St., Racine City, Wis., writes: "I feel so well and good and happy now that pen cannot describe it. Pe-ru-na is everything to me. I have taken several bottles of Pe-ru-na for female complaint. I am in the change of life and it does me good." Pe-ru-na has no equal in all of the irregularities and emergencies peculiar to women caused by pelvic catarrh.

Address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, O., for a free book for women only.

When some mothers sing in order to quiet the baby, it only adds insult to injury.

TO PARIS IN 1900. The passenger department of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway has taken advantage of the current interest in the Paris Exposition and has printed for free distribution one of the most charming books of the season, entitled, "Glimpses Across the Sea." Its contents describe a recent voyage across the Atlantic made by Sam T. Clover, journalist and author, and includes his diversified experiences in London and Paris. The "Glimpses" are entertaining and instructive to the prospective western patrons of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, who may be contemplating a trip to Europe. The enterprise of the railway company in auguring such a happy departure from the ordinary methods of advertising is commendable.

CANADA WILL RETALIATE.

Sympathies of the School Children Will Be Sent to Aguinaldo to Teach Philadelphia a Lesson.

WINDSOR, Ont., May 5.—On May 24, Queen Victoria's birthday, the Windsor board of education will send two delegates to Manila with a resolution of sympathy from 2,500 children for Aguinaldo, the leader of the Filipinos.

This action is to offset the course taken by the Philadelphia school children, who have sent representatives to Paul Kruger with a resolution of sympathy. The Windsor school attendance will canvass the city for funds to defray the expenses of their delegates.

This resolution, in addition to sympathy, will show "admiration for the brave stand of the Filipinos against the unjust war waged against them by the Americans."

Arrangements for the message and dispatch of the delegates were completed by school board members last night.

"We'll show the Yankees," said the secretary of the board, Alexander Black, "that two countries can play at the sympathy game."

INTER-COLLEGIATE DEBATE.

Forest Grove University Wins From the State University.

ENGLE, Or., May 5.—The final debate of the series for the inter-collegiate championship of Oregon took place this evening between the Pacific University at Forest Grove and the University of Oregon. The question, resolved, that the government ownership and operation of territorial railroads would better subserv the public welfare than does the present system of ownership and operation by private corporations. The State University had the affirmative and the Pacific University the negative. The Pacific University won the decision.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Firts National Bank

OF ASTORIA, At Astoria, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, April 26, 1900.

RESOURCES.

Table with 2 columns: Resource and Amount. Includes Loans and discounts, U. S. bonds, Stocks, Real Estate, Due from National Banks, etc.

LIABILITIES.

Table with 2 columns: Liability and Amount. Includes Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, Undivided profits, National Bank notes outstanding, etc.

STATE OF OREGON, County of Clatsop, ss: J. S. Gordon, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

S. S. GORDON, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of May, 1900. C. R. THOMSON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: Jacob Kamm, W. F. McGregor, William M. Ladd, Directors.

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