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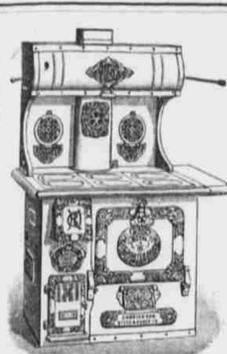
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CUBANS SHOW MUCH INTEREST

All Business Suspended for Municipal Elections.

NATIONALISTS SEEM TO WIN

A General Victory for Them in Outside Municipalities—Frenzied Partisans Cheered Their Favorite Candidate—Many Arrests Made.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, June 1.—All business was suspended on account of the municipal elections today. General Whiteside yesterday ordered the American officers to act in each precinct as a board of supervisors of election. The Republicans bitterly resent this. They had openly asserted that they would elect their candidates regardless of the methods.

VICTORY FOR NATIONALISTS.

They Carry Outside Municipalities—Republicans Charged With Illegal Voting.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, June 1.—Delegates from outside municipalities show unexpected strength but probably not enough to elect their candidates. The Nationalists make charges of illegal voting.

The streets are filled with frenzied partisans cheering their favorite candidates. Over 100 arrests were made during the day, but there was no serious disorder.

WERE MUCH INTERESTED.

HAVANA, June 1.—All interest today was centered in the municipal elections.

PASSED OFF QUIETLY.

HAVANA, June 1.—The municipal election passed off quietly. The Nationalists claim the election of Senor Sener, their candidate for mayor, and a majority of the council.

CAPTAIN HOWGATE DEAD.

Was Once Arrested and Convicted of Appropriating Government Funds.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—Captain Henry W. Howgate ex-chief signal officer of the United States army died today, of cerebral hemorrhage, aged 67. While a trusted officer of the signal service he was charged with appropriating a large amount of government funds and placed under arrest. By a ruse he got away from the government officer having him in charge while the latter supposed his prisoner was taking a bath. Not until four years after his escape was he located as proprietor of an obscure book store in New York. He was tried and convicted. He returned to Washington last December. Captain Howgate was known as a scientist of ability.

STUBBS' NEW POSITION.

Offered Position of Traffic Manager of Transcontinental Roads at Salary of \$50,000.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 1.—The Call will say tomorrow: J. C. Stubbs, traffic manager of the Southern Pacific, who is now in New York, has been offered the position of commissioner of the transcontinental roads by eastern railway magnates. The commissioner will represent the Northern Pacific, Great Northern, Union Pacific and Southern Pacific. The salary will be \$50,000 a year.

SANDBAGGED AND ROBBED.

Mining Man From Kansas Loses \$17,000 in Seattle.

SEATTLE, June 1.—George Mulligan, of Liberal, Kas., who says he is president of the Eagle City Mining & Exploration Company, while in this city awaiting the sailing of a vessel for the Yukon, was last night robbed of \$17,000.

He was drawn into a dark alley by two men as he was passing down a brightly lighted street in a busy section of the downtown, sandbagged and despoiled of the money by the ripping open of his shirt underneath which the

money was concealed. He reported his loss to the police, but no clue has as yet been obtained as to the perpetrators.

MULLIGAN WAS NOT ROBBED.

Inform Seattle Police That Money is Hid in an Alaskan Hotel.

SEATTLE, June 1.—George Mulligan, who claimed last night that he was assaulted and robbed of \$17,000 is today himself under police surveillance and there is a bare possibility that he will himself face prosecution on a charge of embezzlement.

Mulligan was not robbed. He confessed this afternoon to the chief of police that he had kept the money hidden in the Alaska Commercial hotel where he was stopping at the time and made up the story. The money has been recovered. At the confession, Mulligan stated that he was trying to test his companions.

Mulligan's thirty-three companions, members of the Eagle City Placer Mining Company, had the utmost faith in him. So great was this simple confidence of the Kansas cowboys in their leader that they made a statement this noon to a reporter to the effect that they fully believed that Mulligan was robbed and that they were willing to face the loss.

HAD A RESTFUL DAY.

Mrs. McKinley, if Anything, is Somewhat Improved.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—Dr. Rixey was at the White House at 10 o'clock tonight and remained a short time with Mrs. McKinley. He said after leaving the sick room that the patient was, if anything, somewhat improved and that she had had a comparatively restful day. The situation did not call for a consultation with the other physicians, and no bulletin was issued.

FISHERMEN DROWNED.

Men Lost on Charleston Coast in Heavy Squall.

CHARLESTON, S. C., June 1.—Fifteen fishermen are supposed to have been drowned in a wild squall yesterday afternoon while the mosquito fleet of fishing boats was anchored off fishing "Patches."

The eight boats fishing at the time were scattered but all save three were accounted for tonight.

LITTLE WHIRLWIND PARDONED.

HELENA, Mont., June 1.—Governor Toole today pardoned Little Whirlwind, the Indian who is serving a life sentence in the penitentiary for complicity in the murder of John R. Hoover, five years ago.

Hoover's murder and subsequent events almost caused a serious uprising of the North Chyennes.

CORONER'S VERDICT.

BIEBER, Cal., June 1.—The coroner's jury today concluded its investigation of the lynching of the five men at Lookout, Modoc county, yesterday morning and rendered a verdict that men were hanged by unknown parties.

ARE NOW IN MARSEILLES.

MARSEILLES, June 1.—Two anarchists, one a Spaniard, and the other an Italian, who were arrested in Madrid on suspicion of being implicated in the regicide plot, arrived here as steerage passengers from America, May 31.

TILLMAN WON'T WITHDRAW.

COLUMBIA, S. C., June 1.—Senator Tillman has declined to withdraw his resignation and says Governor McSwain transcribed his authority in sending resignations back to senators.

FUNSTON'S NEW APPOINTMENT.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—Brigadier-General Frederick Funston has been assigned to the command of the Fourth division, department of Northern Luzon, with headquarters at San Isidro.

LABOR UNION'S SCALE.

DENVER, June 1.—The Denver Labor Union convention today declared in favor of a minimum wage of \$40 per month for lumbermen in western Montana.

SILVER MARKET.

NEW YORK, June 1.—Silver, 59 1/2.

LONDON IS FULL OF AMERICANS

Perfect Legion of Politicians and Business Men There.

TO ORGANIZE PHILIPPINES

United States Commission Will Begin Its Final Provincial Tour Tuesday—Von Waldersee's Withdrawal—Conger to Return.

LONDON, June 1.—Rarely, if ever, has London been so full of prominent Americans as at present. Many of them have been attracted here by the chamber of commerce love feast, but there are numbers who have come to England for other reasons. Such well known figures in public life as Levi P. Morgan, ex-Senator Wolcott, Senator Wm. A. Clark, Cornelius N. Bliss, J. P. Morgan and a host of others, are frequently seen in the hotels.

Of the leading American business men, whose names are not so well known to the public, there is a perfect legion intent on securing British contracts or supervising their interests already established on this side of the water.

The king had expressed considerable curiosity to see what manner of men these multi-millionaires might be, especially Messrs. Morgan and Carnegie. The latter, however, was unable to be present. From the king down all the officials concentrated their attention to Morgan. Their curiosity was not unmingled with awe.

ORGANIZING PHILIPPINES.

United States Commission to Partition It Off Into Provinces.

MANILA, June 1.—The United States Philippine commission will begin its final provincial tour Tuesday. It will first organize Manila and Morong into one province and next Cavite will be organized.

The commission will return to Manila June 20 if the administration's approval of the general government is then received, a government will be inaugurated July 1st.

VON WALTERSEE'S WITHDRAWAL

Result of Chinese Government's Acceptance of Indemnity.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—Mr. Rockhill, special United States commissioner at Peking, has informed the state department that the departure of Field Marshal Count Von Waldersee from China, is the result of the acceptance by the Chinese government of the understanding to pay an indemnity of \$50,000,000 taels, the German government regarding that pledge as sufficient to warrant withdrawal.

He further states that the German forces, which are being rapidly diminished, will be limited to one brigade.

Mr. Conger, minister to China, has written to the state department that he expects to sail for China about July 7, which is the date of the expiration of his two months' leave.

PASSPORT FOR FILIPINOS.

Two Men to Be Sent Home From London by Ambassador Choate.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—In answer to his application for instructions, Secretary Hay has directed Ambassador Choate at London to issue passports to the two Filipinos who appeared at the Embassy yesterday "as residents of the Philippine Islands, and as such, entitled to the protection of the United States."

The decision upon this point is of importance, as having perhaps some bearing upon the status of the people of the Philippines, Porto Rico and Guam. A year ago the decision was reached to regard the Porto Ricans as entitled to the protection conveyed by an American passport, but a formal decision of the test case was prevented through the withdrawal of the application. The Foraker act determined the right of Porto Ricans, as "citizens of Porto Rico," to the protection of the United States government. It is now held that the Spooner law conveys the same privilege to the inhabitants of the Philippines.

The United States statutes prohibit the issue of passports to any but American citizens, but the Foraker act and the Spooner act, impose obligations in their turn which may be regarded as qualifying the original act, and may enable the government to avoid a decision upon the question of American citizenship of the islanders. At any rate, the circular instructions now in formulation, which will be sent out to all United States diplomatic and consular representatives, will direct them to issue, not certificates, but genuine American passports to the islanders.

THERE WAS NO PRECEDENT.

LONDON, June 1.—The officials of the

United States embassy inform the Associated Press that the matter of granting a passport to the Filipinos who applied for one yesterday had to be referred to Washington, as it was the first time such an application had been made by persons of this nationality.

The Filipinos desired to travel in Russia, and though the applicants took the oath of allegiance to the United States in Spanish and English, the embassy considered it advisable to submit the matter by cable to Washington, as it has frequently done when passports were requested. The embassy is now awaiting reply. The applicants were quite contented, and thanked the officials of the embassy for the action taken.

THE PRESIDIO RIOT.

Soldiers Claimed One of Their Comrades Was Drugged.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 1.—The mob of soldiers, who last night wrecked Mrs. Powers' saloon, one of the many drinking places just outside the Presidio reservation, numbered five or six hundred.

There are a great many conflicting stories as to the origin of the trouble. The soldiers of the Forty-sixth infantry were mustered out of the service yesterday and the men given their discharges and pay. Most of the men had several hundred dollars coming to them and they did considerable drinking in the Presidio resorts.

A man by the name of Morgan, of the Forty-sixth, was found unconscious in the front of Mrs. Powers' saloon. Two of Morgan's company mates took him to camp for treatment. The doctor pronounced it a case where drugs had been administered. The news spread rapidly about the camp and soon there were a dozen or more men running to Mrs. Powers' saloon. They demanded reparation for the drugging of their comrade but any knowledge of the affair was denied. Two or three ex-soldiers lounging about in the place sided in with the woman and ordered the soldiers from the premises. They went back for re-inforcements and spread the report that two of their companions had been killed in the saloon.

A mob made up of members of the Forty-fifth and Forty-sixth regiments then rushed pell mell through the Presidio gates to the saloon. Stones were gathered on the way and then the place was stormed. Every window in the place was broken, the bar and fixtures smashed and the interior demolished completely. The gas jets were snapped off and the coal oil lamps overturned.

The place caught fire and police broke through the crowd and rang the fire alarm. By that time the infuriated men were yelling to burn the place and lynch the one helpless man, Harris, who had been driven from the place. Officers tried to rush Harris through the crowd but were stopped. In spite of the efforts of the police to protect Harris, the soldiers beat and cut him terribly. Finally, when the squadron of cavalry and provost guard of sixty men from the Forty-fifth regiment, under command of Captain Evans, arrived, a passage was made through the crowd and Harris taken to a safe place.

The efforts of the cavalry and guard to disperse the crowd were futile until the fire hose was turned on. This and the entire guard of the post helped to restore order.

Mrs. Powers estimated the damage at \$2000. Not a thing was left intact in the saloon.

A careful investigation of the reports that some of the soldiers had died from drugged liquor proved that such was not the case. Morgan, of the Forty-sixth regiment was the only man whom it is thought might have been the victim of a drug.

An investigation of the riot will be made today by the police and military officials.

RIOTING IN SPAIN.

Two Men and One Woman Killed at Corunna.

CORUNNA, Spain, June 1.—In the rioting here yesterday two men and one woman were killed and the hospitals are filled with wounded.

THE SALE OFF.

NEW YORK, June 1.—Negotiations of Vickers, Sons and Maxim Company of England, for the purchase of the Bethlehem Steel Company have been abandoned.

HOD CARRIERS GO OUT.

DENVER, June 1.—Eight hundred union hod carriers went on strike today for an increase of wages, causing almost an entire suspension of building operations.

VISITED KING EDWARD.

WINDSOR, England, June 1.—Members of the New York chamber of commerce this afternoon visited King Edward.

PRINCETON DEFEATED.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 1.—Yale defeated Princeton today, nine to eight, in the first game of the college championship series.

BRYAN SCORES SUPREME COURT

Much Put Out at Decisions in the Insular Cases.

CALLS M'KINLEY AN EMPEROR

Boy Orator Declares the President is in Coalition With the Supreme Court to Change Our Form of Government.

LINCOLN, June 1.—Taking for his text-word "Emperor McKinley," W. J. Bryan tonight gave out an extended statement bearing on the supreme court decision in the insular cases.

Bryan frankly admits that the court verdict is extremely distasteful to him, and the language he employs is more vigorous than is customary, even for him. He boldly declares that the supreme court has joined hands with the president and congress in an effort to change our form of government and he calls on the people to repudiate the verdict. Bryan says in part:

"By a vote of five to four the supreme court has declared President McKinley emperor of Porto Rico, and, according to the press dispatches, the emperor has gladly and gratefully accepted the title conferred upon him by the highest judicial tribunal of the land.

"This decision raises a political issue which must be settled by the people. The supreme court has joined with the president and congress in an attempt to change the form of our government, but there yet remains an appeal to the people."

TROOPS WILL REMAIN.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—It is officially stated that the United States will remain in control of Cuba until the Platt amendment has been "substantially" adopted. This was communicated to General Wood last Tuesday by Secretary Root.

REQUISITION PAPERS ISSUED.

KANSAS CITY, June 1.—Requisition papers for Wylie G. Woodruff, a former Pennsylvanian-Kansas University football player, and Mrs. Edith Moyer, of Lawrence, Kas., charged by the woman's husband with kidnaping Moyer's 4-year-old daughter, were issued today and forwarded to Portland, Oregon, where Woodruff and Mrs. Moyer are out on bond. Moyer, accompanied by detectives, will reach Portland Tuesday next.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—A comparative statement of the government receipts and expenditures issued today, shows during May the total receipts were \$52,623,440, expenditures \$42,136,560, leaving a surplus for the month of \$10,486,880, and a surplus for eleven months of the present fiscal year of \$58,537,135.

THE NOME RUSH.

SEATTLE, June 1.—Fifteen hundred people left here today for Nome on the steamships Oregon, Centennial and Valencita.

PAPER MILL HANDS GO OUT.

HOLYOKE, Mass., June 1.—Two thousand employes of the paper mills of this city went on strike today.

CHICAGO MACHINISTS' STRIKE.

CHICAGO, June 1.—Eight hundred hundred machinists are now on strike in this city.

BASEBALL SCORES.

PORTLAND, June 1.—Portland, 3; Seattle, 0.

SPOKANE, June 1.—Tacoma, 7; Spokane, 2.

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