

# TEST DISAPPOINTS

## Discrimination Against Uniform of Army Unpunished.

### OTHER WASHINGTON NOTES

Judge Decides Proprietor of Place of Public Amusement May Debar Soldier in Uniform—Clark Would Sell Philippines.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The recent utterances of the President that the uniform of the army and navy should not be discriminated against anywhere in the country, and that to do so was a crime, have not seriously impressed at least one court where this matter has been tested. The incident has aroused great interest in army and navy circles, especially in view of the importance attached to this dictum of the President during the debate in the Senate over the Brownsville affair. Interest in this matter, which the President first called to the attention of the country from Oyster Bay last summer, has been sharply revived by an incident taking place at Plattsburg, New York.

Sergeant William Higgins, of the Fifth Infantry, stationed at the military post there, went to a skating rink and was denied admittance because of his uniform. Bearing in mind the injunction of the President, Sergeant Higgins engaged a lawyer, caused the arrest of the proprietor of the skating rink and brought suit under the civil rights act of the state of New York, a drastic piece of legislation that is supposed to protect the personal rights of every citizen, regardless of race, color, etc. It was shown that the soldier had frequently been admitted when in civilian dress and all the indications pointed to a successful prosecution of the case. Here in Washington, among military men, there was general approval of the promptness with which the soldier acted to resent the affront to the uniform he wore.

Unfortunately, however, and here is where the army officials are astonished, the judge of the city court before which the case was brought, held there was no violation of the law, that the proprietor of the rink acted within his rights, and discharges him from custody. Owing to the increasing frequency of incidents of this sort, war department officials have watched the outcome of this case with more than usual interest and it is needless to say

they are amazed at the ruling of the New York court. The case will be officially reported to the department, but just what it can do to remedy matters is not clear. If there is any way through which congress could act there is no doubt that the President would send a ringing message on the subject, but Congress is powerless to interfere in such matters which good lawyers say come clearly within the power of the several states. It is anticipated now that there will be a general denial of the right of admission to men in uniform in places of amusement throughout the country.

Legislation was suggested this week, the general principle of which undoubtedly will meet the approval of a great many of the people, but its practicability will not be so readily admitted. For years there have been many who believed it would be a part of wisdom to dispose of the Philippines and rid this country of the incubus and its consequent burdens imposed by the results of the Spanish war. Representative Clark of Florida has voiced this sentiment in a bill he has introduced which directs the President to sell these islands to Japan or any other power that will pay what they originally cost and the subsequent expense entailed in retaining them.

This government gave Spain, as a mere gratuity, the sum of \$20,000,000 at the close of the war. It would require some very calculating work to reach any definite idea as to what the islands have cost the people of the United States since. Counting the cost of the army of pacification and of occupation and the funds expended in developing the islands since, and in innumerable other ways, the grand total would run up into hundreds of millions of dollars. It is doubtful, public men say, if there is a nation on earth that would find it convenient, even if it desired these islands, to come anywhere near reimbursing this country for its outlay on account of its recently acquired possessions in the Orient, so enormous is the grand total of what they have cost. The indications would seem to point to but one result—that the United States, through circumstances not of its own seeking, assumed this burden and that no way can be found through which the burden can be thrown off. While many hope to see the islands set adrift such a policy is not that of the administration, and the more American capital that goes into the islands, the more remote will be the possibility of such a determination being reached.

Awakening of interest in the organization and equipment of the National Guard is almost universal in all the States, and is calling for the very favorable attention of Congress. In this connection the story of the American National Guard, from the beginning will be of interest to all readers. It is

the theory of our form of government that in case of war the government must rely on its citizen soldiery for defense, and that a large standing army is not, and never can be necessary. That being the theory it would naturally occur to the least observant that the militia should constantly receive the approbation and encouragement of the government authorities. Until within a comparatively few years Congress has been very remiss in its treatment of the militia. Except in most of the wars with the Indians and our recent war with Spain, it has been the volunteers and not the regulars that did most of the fighting, not that the regulars did not fight well, but because they comprised but a small portion of the forces of the government. In all the wars the government has been engaged in it has been handicapped very greatly by the want of a well organized and trained militia.

Congress very early recognized the need of an organized militia, and took some steps toward encouraging such an organization. But, in the early history of our government lack of means made these steps very small and inadequate for effective work. The first law on the subject will prove a curiosity in these days of great achievement. One section reads as follows:

"Every citizen so enrolled and notified, shall, within six months thereafter, provide himself with a good musket, or firelock, a sufficient bayonet and belt, two spare flints, and a knapsack, a pouch, with a box therein to contain not less than twenty-four cartridges, suited to the bore of his musket or firelock, each cartridge to contain a proper quantity of powder and ball; or with a good rifle, knapsack, shot pouch and powder horn, twenty balls, suited to the bore of his rifle, and a quarter of a pound of powder."

This act was passed in 1775 and it will be seen that the militiaman was expected to furnish his arms and ammunition and equip himself thoroughly at his own expense. In those days nearly every man had a rifle or musket, as it was necessary for the defense of his family and the community against Indian raids. But the section in regard to the arms and equipments of the officers is more of a curiosity than the other, and refers to some equipments the National Guardman of today would be at a loss to know the use of.

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