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VOLUNTEER GENERALS DISCHARGED

The President Reduces the Official List.

ADMIRAL SAMPSON UNSELFISH

Showing in His Request to Withdraw His Name From the List of Rewards for Gallantry.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—By direction of the president the order has been issued mustering out a large number of staff officers of the volunteer army. The officers named will relieve their aides and order them to join their regiments. Brigadier General McKibben will proceed to Columbus barracks, Ohio, and assume command of that post. Other officers, exclusively of the volunteer army, will proceed to their homes, while those of the permanent establishment will join their regiments.

It should be explained that the reduction in the list of general officers made by today's order is not sufficient in itself to meet the demands of the existing law. There must be a further cut, in fact, the list of major generals and brigadier generals remaining must be reduced by ten altogether, in order to bring the list down to nineteen, permitted by the strength of the regular army. In effecting this reduction it is the intention to reduce some of the major generals to the rank of brigadier generals instead of mustering them out of the service. Also in the case of some of the brigadier generals yet to be dropped, it will doubtless be found that, instead of being mustered out of the United States service entirely, some of the officers, who hold lower positions in the regular army, will return to their former regimental and staff places.

The major generals who retain their volunteer commissions at present are Wade, Shafter, Otis, Wilson, Fitzhugh Lee, Wheeler, Batts, Young, Lawton, Chaffee, Anderson, MacArthur, and Ludlow. The brigadier generals remaining are Frank, Williston, Carpenter (L. H.), Davis, Kichwan, Hall, Hasbrouch, Sanger, Kline, Gilmore, Ernest, Wheaton, King, Grant, H. G. Otis, Andrews, Hughes, Colby, Wood, Ewers, Over-shine, Reeves and Combs.

It is not contemplated to make any more changes in the volunteer army generals and staff officers at present. Under the law the officers mustered out today must be retained until the proclamation of peace is issued, so most of the discharges take the date of May 12.

Sampson is Unselfish.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Secretary Long has received a letter from Rear Admiral Sampson, in which the admiral, after referring to the allegations that the list of officers, recommended for promotion for gallantry off Santiago, had failed of confirmation because it included his name, asked the secretary to immediately re-appoint these officers, omitting his own name.

Secretary Long will not accept the suggestion made by Rear Admiral Sampson in his letter, and make recess appointments of officers who had failed of confirmation at the last session of congress. The matter will be allowed to remain just as it stands until the next congress meets, and then all of the nominations will be sent in precisely as they stood at the end of the last session.

Dewey May Come Soon.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Admiral Dewey will be in Washington on May 20,

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if the plans of a committee of prominent citizens here do not fail. An imposing delegation will wait upon the secretary of the navy and ask him to authorize the admiral to accept an invitation from the City of Washington during the festival to be held here during the latter part of May.

Secretary Long will refer the request to the president at Thomasville, and if he gives it his approval, Admiral Dewey will no doubt accept and be here in time.

HEART DISEASE.

SOME FACTS REGARDING THE RAPID INCREASE OF HEART TROUBLE.

Do Not Be Alarmed, But Look For the Cause.

Heart troubles, at least among the Americans, are certainly increasing, and while this may be largely due to the excitement and worry of American business life, it is more often the result of weak stomachs, of poor digestion.

Real organic disease is incurable; but not one case in a hundred of heart trouble is organic.

The close relation between heart trouble and poor digestion is because both organs are controlled by the same great nerves, the Sympathetic and Pneumogastric.

In another way, also the heart is affected by the form of poor digestion, which causes gas fermentation from half digested food. There is a feeling of oppression and heaviness in the chest caused by pressure of the distended stomach on the heart and lungs, interfering with their action; hence arises palpitation and short breath.

Poor digestion also poisons the blood, making it thin and watery, which irritates and weakens the heart.

The most sensible treatment for heart trouble is to improve the digestion and to insure the prompt assimilation of food. This can be done by the regular use after meals of some safe, pleasant and effective digestive preparation, like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which may be found at most drug stores, and which contain valuable, harmless digestive elements in a pleasant, convenient form.

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The Population Growing.

Hood River, Or., March 13.—Work on Davidson's sawmill continues. Nineteen men have arrived from La Crosse, and twenty more will come this week. Their families will follow as soon as houses can be secured to accommodate them.

La Grippe Successfully Treated.

"I have just recovered from the second attack of La Grippe this year," says Mr. Jas. A. Jones, publisher of the Leader, Mexia, Texas. "In the latter case I used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and I think with considerable success, only being in bed a little over two days against ten days for the former attack. The second attack I am satisfied would have been equally as bad as the first but for the use of this remedy as I had to go to bed in about six hours after being 'struck' with it, while in the first case I was able to attend to business about two days before getting 'down.'"

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WHEATON IS STILL ADVANCING

His Column Reaches Laguna de Bay, Having Swept Everything Before It.

ENEMY LOSES VERY HEAVILY

Rebel Avenue of Communication North and South Is Now Closed by a Cordon of American Troops.

MANILA, March 14.—6:30 p. m.—Brigadier-General Wheaton's column advanced today beyond Pasig to the shore of Laguna de Bay, sweeping everything before it. The enemy made a running fight and suffered severe loss.

The rebels' avenue of communication north and south is now closed, the American cordon stretching over a mile from the river to the lake. The rebels are in force at Pateros and Taguig.

Two of yesterday's wounded, Private Stewart, of the Twentieth infantry, and Private Munson, of Twenty-second infantry, are dead.

Otis Reports the Results.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—The following cablegram from Otis was received at the war department today:

Manila, March 14.—Until yesterday the field operations here since the capture of Calocan had been of a minor nature, consisting of driving back small bands of insurgents with a considerable loss to the latter.

Yesterday General Wheaton, with the Twentieth and Twenty-second infantry, Oregon and Washington troops, a section of the Sixth artillery and a squadron of the Fourth cavalry, attacked a large force of the enemy, drove them back and took the line of the Pasig river, which he now holds.

Two improvised gunboats in the lake have captured considerable property. The insurgent loss was heavy. Our own killed and wounded aggregates thirty-five, mostly slightly wounded. The insurgents made no determined stand.

How to Prevent Pneumonia.

You are perhaps aware that pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of La Grippe. During the epidemic of La Grippe a few years ago when so many cases resulted in pneumonia, it was observed that the attack was never followed by that disease when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was used. It counteracts any tendency of a cold or La Grippe to result in that dangerous disease. It is the best remedy in the world for bad colds and La Grippe. Every bottle warranted. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton, druggists.

Ratification of the Peace Treaty.

MADRID, March 14.—Correspondencia says the cabinet has advised the queen regent to ratify the treaty of peace with the United States immediately without awaiting the reassembling of the cortes.

"Give me a liver regulator and I can regulate the world," said a genius. The druggist handed him a bottle of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. Snipes-Kinnersly Drug Co.



Visit our Clothing Dep't.

Not expected that you should buy. Like to have people come even if its just to look around, and there are lots of pretty things to see. Spring weather is almost due and suitable wearables are coming in daily shipments. Last week brought us another invoice of Children's Novelty Suits, by far the prettiest we have ever shown, and which you must make it a point to see while the line is complete. You will be delighted if art in clothes-making has any attraction for you. Those who saw them last week all admired and a goodly number purchased. Prices to \$7.50 a suit.

Also Our Shoe Dep't.



The same good feeling prevails throughout the store. Our sales-people will most willingly show you anything you wish to see, and newness and prettiness are plentiful in all departments. Our shoe salesmen are highly elated over their spring goods, declaring that such shoe style and beautify has never before graced their counter, and that is a pleasure to handle and sell such merchandise. You will agree with them when you see our line of boys' and little gents' fine shoes for spring and summer, and also will pardon their enthusiasm. Lookers become buyers—willingly.



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W. C. Alloway, General Agent.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been regularly appointed by the county court of the State of Oregon for Wasco county, as administrator of the estate of John Brookhouse, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them, with the proper vouchers, to me at the office of Sinnott & Sinnott, in Dalles City, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice. Dalles City, Oregon, January 20, 1899. R. J. GORMAN, Administrator.