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A VICTORY AT MANILA

Volunteers Won Bloody Battle Defeating
Philippines in a Hard Fight.

MANY AMERICANS KILLED

Difficulties of the Campaign in Pursuing
a Hidden Foe.

LOS ANGELES, March 25.—The following cablegram, sent today from Manila by Brigadier Gen. H. G. Otis to the Los Angeles Times, touching upon today's engagement, are self-explanatory:

"Manila, March 26.—(Sunday 6 a. m.): To the Times, Los Angeles:—My brigade has pierced the enemy's country after a brilliant and a severe engagement. The rebels were steadily pressed back along the lines. The battle is still in progress. Four brigades are engaged. The enemy is vainly attempting to make a stand at the Taligman river, four thousand strong. (signed) Otis, Brigadier General."

"Manila March 26, (10:45 a. m.)—To the Times, Los Angeles.—Have crossed the Rubicon. Otis."

A Hard Fought Battle.

MANILA, March 25.—(Sunday 8:15 a. m.)—Twenty-six dead, and 150 wounded in the hospital, is the latest statement of the American losses in the engagement with the Filipinos. Today's fighting furnished a specimen of the difficulties with which the Americans have to contend. The Filipinos never, except at Malabon, permitted their opponents to get within several hundred yards of them. They would fire volleys from their cover, and then scuttle back to another cover, repeating these tactics for miles. Many of the trenches had gullies and connecting paths, through the cane and brush, enabled them to retreat, unseen. The Americans, fighting a hidden foe, have suffered a greater loss in proportion than did the enemy. The loss of the Filipinos had formerly been estimated from the number of bodies found in the swamp and through the brush. A larger percentage of the enemy's wounded died than of the Americans, many of them perishing from neglect, the Americans naturally attending to their own men first.

The wounded, after treatment in the field hospitals, were brought to the hospital by train. Several trips were made from Calococan to the city. The first load to start for the city was composed largely of bandaged soldiers who shouted "Give them hell, boys."

The Filipino Losses.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—The war department, late tonight, made public the following dispatch from General Otis:

"Manila, March 25.—The perfected northern movement is not yet complete. Otis' and Hale's brigades, with the mounted troops of the fourth cavalry, the turning column, met with a heavy resistance over a difficult country, and are camped tonight six miles east of Polo and six miles north of the line from which the advance was taken up. Wheaton's brigade, at Calococan, drove the enemy one and a half miles north across the river. Hall, on the extreme right, encountered a considerable force and repulsed it. The fighting is heavy near Calococan. The movement continues in the morning. Our casualties are about 160, twenty-five killed. The enemy lost, in killed alone, 200. (signed) Otis."

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The almost certain failure of the starvation cure for dyspepsia has been proven time and again, but still the moment dyspepsia makes its appearance a course of dieting is at once advised.

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Bob Burdette Married.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 25.—Robert J. Burdette, the humorist, and Mrs. Clara Baker, were married today at Pasadena. Mr. and Mrs. Burdette will make their future home in Pasadena, where the humorist will fill the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church.

Story of a Slave.

Te be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. Geo. D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich., tells how such a slave was made free. He says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters, she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle working medicine is a godsend to weak, sickly, run down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold by Blakeley and Houghton, druggists. 6

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SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY.

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An employer of German clerks says that they work 20 per cent. slower than English ones.

Porous glass is a recent invention and is said to promise much in the way of superior ventilation.

So penetrating is water at a high pressure that only special qualities of cast iron will withstand it.

There are over 200 creameries in South Dakota, the annual output amounting to nearly \$3,000,000.

A scientist, looking for microbes, says there are absolutely none in the Swiss mountains at an altitude of 2,000 feet.

Of the factories in Michigan 2,931 pay their employes weekly, 1,077 semi-monthly, and 643 monthly. The average daily wage, as ascertained by the labor commissioner, is \$1.37.

A German biologist says that the two sides of a face are never alike; in two cases out of five the eyes are out of line; one eye is stronger than the other in seven persons out of ten; and the right ear is generally higher than the left.

A ventilated shoe has been invented in Cologne, Prussia. A steel spring works a bellows between the heel and sole, and every step the wearer takes drives a stream of fresh air, through perforations in the inner sole, to every part of the foot.

A subterranean lake of hot water exists near Boise City, Idaho. The temperature is 170 degrees, the water has pressure enough to force it to the top floors of most of the houses, and it is to be used for heating them and for washing purposes.

Dynamite explodes so rapidly that its force is exerted in the direction from which the greatest pressure comes. That is, if the dynamite be placed on the ground, the explosive force is down; if it be hung against a wall its force attacks the wall; if it be hung under an object its force is upward.

Tagged and Forwarded.

"In charge of the conductor" children often travel on the cars, but on a recent trip the Cunard steamship Campania carried ten boys and girls who were taking long journeys alone. A girl of 14 was going to her aunt in Chicago; another aged 11, to her step-father in North Dakota. A boy of ten and a girl of nine were consigned to two small towns in Massachusetts. A nine-year-old boy was going to his aunt in Chicago; an 11-year-old girl to her sister in Boston, and four children ranging in age from five to 11, were seeking their father in Calumet, Mich. It was the largest party of unattended children that ever landed at New York. All were "tagged" with directions, asking those with whom they came in contact to see that they were sent on their way. Counting the ocean voyage and the long land journeys, several of these little travelers covered more than 5,000 miles—alone, except for the thoughtful and kindly persons who may have noticed and helped them.—Youth's Companion.

The Prince and His Daughter.

A very deep feeling of affection exists between the prince of Wales and his only unmarried daughter, Princess Victoria. She has always been a great pet of her father, who used affectionately to call her "Torie," partly, no doubt, as an abbreviation of her name, but partly also in reference to her quaintly conservative opinions and friendships. During the time that the prince was laid up after his accident Princess Victoria devoted herself specially to him and did much to make a time of enforced inactivity pass as pleasantly as possible to her naturally energetic father.—N. Y. Sun.

STOCK DIE BY HUNDREDS

Enormous Loss Reported From Grant
County.

HORSES CON- TINUE TO DIE

Owners Offer as High as Forty Dollars
a Ton for Hay, But Can Get
None.

LONG CREEK, March 24.—Reports from the surrounding stock country indicate fearful loss of all kinds of stock. What makes the situation all the more dreadful is that the next two weeks are bound to witness the death of hundreds, and perhaps thousands more. A well known stockman from Monument says that in that section alone, fully 5000 sheep would perish before the lambing season was passed. The lambing season, which begins next month, will find a large percentage of the ewes in a very poor condition.

W. C. Gibbs, who arrived from Susanville today, says that as high as \$40 per ton had been offered for hay, without success. He says that A. Sloan had lost three hundred head of cattle, and was entirely out of hay. In many instances, as a last resort, whole grain is being fed, and in one or two cases stockmen have actually commenced to feed flour to the weaker cattle and sheep. Conservative estimates place the loss of cattle so far in northern Grant county at 1800 head, and it is claimed that many more are likely to die.

John Elliott says that horses continue to die, and as an illustration cited the fact that one day last week he ran on band near his place on the Middle Fork of the John Day river, and within twenty-four hours after first seeing them twenty-two head had died. While the loss of stock in Northern Grant county is great, and in some instances will bankrupt stockmen, the community generally will not suffer, as there will still be thousands of sheep and cattle left.

Stockmen recall the winter of 1889-90 as similar in many respects to the present one. Stockmen had ceased to feed their droves, and in many cases had sent them to the ranges. While they were still weak a deep snow followed by cold weather came, and during March fully fifty per cent of all the stock in the county perished. But this year the hope is generally entertained that the weather will certainly moderate before such an enormous loss has been sustained.

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Chief Moses Dying.

Spokane, March 25.—Indian Agent Anderson reports Moses, head chief of 2,000 Indians on the Colville reservation, is dying of Bright's disease. He is nearly eighty years of age.

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Easter Lilies

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A CURIOUS COLONY.

The Shrimpers Who Live Not Far
from New Orleans Are a
Mixed Lot.

"I was over at the Chinese shrimp fisheries on Grand lake lately," said a gentleman interested in the canning business, "and was astonished at the singular mixture of races at the camps. About two-thirds of the shrimpers seem to be simon pure Chinese, but the rest are an extraordinary combination of Manilamen, mulatto, Indian, Mexican and the Lord only knows what. A chap who attracted me particularly was at work in one of the packing huts. He was a tall, slender fellow, with a copper-colored skin and strikingly regular features. He had piercing black eyes and a well-formed head, but when I tried to talk to him I discovered he was next door to an idiot."

"I took dinner with an old Chinaman, who owns a little shrimpery, and found him quite a luxurious liver. He gave me preserved ginger that perfumed the whole place, and made tea from leaves as long as one's finger, wrapped in bunches of silk, in silk and foil. He imports it himself for his private use."

"The funniest creature I encountered at the lakes was a baby. The father was a Chinaman and its mother seemed to be part Indian and part Manila. The baby had a queer, weasened face, like a little monkey, and a very dark skin. The eyes were set on the bias in true oriental style, and to cap the climax it had six toes. It was climbing around the wharf as agile as a squirrel, and its costume consisted of a short, ragged blue shirt and an enormous bamboo hat, like an inverted chopping bowl. It was the most comical and uncanny thing I ever saw off a Chinese fan."—N. O. Times-Democrat.

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