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SENDS NEW PEACE PROPOSALS

As They Bear the Same Instructions as Before Will Not Be Entertained.

OTIS GIVES NO ENCOURAGEMENT

The Commissioners Will Consider Their Proposals — Lieutenant Gilmore Sends Word to Rebel General Luna.

MANILA, May 2—6:05 p. m.—Major Manuel Arguezeas and Lieutenant Jose Bernal, of the staff of General Antonio Luna, returned here today to renew and press the request of General Luna for a cessation of hostilities. They have found their field of labor a most uncongenial one. The two officers were received and admitted to a conference with Major-General Otis. The proposals which they had to submit differed but slightly from those which they brought from the Filipino commander in the first place. They desired a little time in which to summon congress, and expressed themselves as being confident that congress will decree peace, because the people desire it. They represent that Aguinaldo is without power to surrender the army and that congress must decide the question. Incidentally the Filipinos envoy asserted that Aguinaldo had not yet made a fair test of his strength against the American forces, because but one-third of his army had been assembled together. The envoys presented a letter from Senior Malini, president and minister of foreign affairs, in the cabinet of Aguinaldo, and who is the backbone of the Filipino organization. The communication is personal and unofficial, and seconds Major Arguezeas' arguments.

Envoys will see General Otis again tomorrow. They will stop tonight in Manila. They lunched with General MacArthur at his headquarters on a car of an armored train at Calumpit before going to Manila. Whether or not General Luna is sincere in his overtures, the negotiations are giving the insurgents much needed opportunity to reorganize their demoralized forces. The truth is, the dissensions among the leaders of the rebels is helping on the disorganization of the Filipino army almost as much as the American campaign. In course of a conference with the Filipino envoys, General Otis agreed with the statement of Major Arguezeas that the people of the Philippines wanted peace, and he added that requests for protection were pouring upon him from all parts of the country.

General Lawton was engaged in hard fighting early this morning, but telegraphic communication was cut at 9 a. m., and there have been no reports from Lawton since that time.

NEW YORK, May 2.—A Manila dispatch to the Journal says: Aguinaldo has made overtures for peace, Colonel Arguezeas, of the envoys sent to the American lines having presented a proposition which came directly from Aguinaldo. This proposition, the Journal says, was the same as that heretofore made, namely: An armistice until the Filipino congress meets and decides whether the Filipino army should surrender. General Otis declined to receive the dispatch, and says he told Colonel Arguezeas it was useless for the Filipinos to return unless they came prepared to accede to the American demand.

The Same Old Proposition.

NEW YORK, May 2.—A dispatch to the Herald from Manila says: The insur-

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CATARRH OF THE STOMACH

A Pleasant, Simple, Safe but Effectual Cure for It.

Catarrh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a full or bloated sensation after eating, accompanied some times with sour or watery risings, a formation of gases, causing pressure on the lungs and heart and difficult breathing; headache, sickle appetite, nervousness and a general played out and languid feeling.

There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue, and if the interior of stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition.

The cure for this common and obstinate disease is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily and thoroughly digested before it has time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surfaces of the stomach.

To secure a prompt and healthy digestion is the one necessary thing to do, and when normal digestion is secured the catarrhal condition will have disappeared.

According to Dr. Harlanston the safest and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet, composed of Diastase, Aseptic Pepsin, a little Nux, Golden Seal and fruit acids.

These tablets can now be found at all drug stores under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and, not being a patent medicine, can be used with perfect safety and assurance that healthy appetite and thorough digestion will follow their regular use after meals.

Mr. N. J. Booher, of 2710 Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill., writes: "Catarrh is a local condition resulting from a neglected cold in the head, whereby the lining membrane of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge therefrom, passing back into the throat, reaches the stomach, thus producing catarrh of the stomach. Medical authorities prescribed for me three years for catarrh of the stomach without cure, but today I am the happiest of men after using only one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I cannot find appropriate words to express my good feeling. I have found flesh, appetite and sound rest from their use."

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is the safest preparation as well as the simplest and most convenient remedy for any form of indigestion, catarrh of the stomach, biliousness, sour stomach, heartburn and bloating after meals.

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Drowned in a Mill Race.

SALEM, Or., May 1.—Walter, the 4-year-old son of George Bryant, living at Aumsville, twelve miles east of this place, was drowned Sunday afternoon in the mill race connected with his father's mill. The child had been playing about the house, when he went out after some wood, and as he failed to return promptly, the mother became uneasy and set out to look for him. The father immediately followed down the race, and found the body floating in the fore bay. It was taken out at once after having been in the water 10 minutes.

The ancients believed that rheumatism was the work of a demon within a man. Any one who has had an attack of sciatic or inflammatory rheumatism will agree that the infliction is demonic enough to warrant the belief. It has

General Fred Grant on His Way West.

NEW YORK, May 1.—Brigadier-General Fred Grant has left for the Pacific coast. His wife will accompany him to the West. Lieutenant Rash, of the Third Kentucky volunteers, General Grant's aide, will probably go to Manila with him.

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine; and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, bronchitis, hoarseness and all diseases of the throat, chest and lungs are surely cured by it. Call on Blakeley & Houghton, druggists, and get a free trial bottle. Regular size, 50 cents and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed or price refunded. 3

A Peanut Trust.

NEW YORK, May 1.—The consolidation of the peanut industry of the country, under the control of a single company, with a capital of \$5,000,000, is about to be effected.

Deafness Cannot be Cured.

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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For Gallantry in Action.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—In accordance with the request of the president to choose from each volunteer regiment now in the Philippines the one most distinguished for gallantry for appointment as second lieutenants in the regular army, General Otis has forwarded a list of such volunteers. Among the names is that of Reese Jackson, lieutenant in Second Oregon.

An Epidemic of Whooping Cough.

Last winter during an epidemic of whooping cough my children contracted the disease, having severe coughing spells. We had used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy very successfully for croup and naturally turned to it at that time and found it relieved the cough and effected a complete cure.—JOHN E. CLIFFORD, Proprietor Norwood House, Norwood, N. Y. This remedy is for sale by Blakeley & Houghton, druggists.

Killed in the Woods.

CHEHALIS, Wash., May 1.—Peter Habersater, an employee of Custer's shingle mill, near Francee, was killed today while working in the woods, a flying tree limb striking him. Habersater was twenty-six years old. He leaves a widow and a child.

If you suffer from tenderness or fullness on the right side, pains under shoulder-blade, constipation, biliousness, sick-headache, and feel dull, heavy and sleepy your liver is torpid and congested. DeWitt's Little Early Risers will cure you promptly, pleasantly and permanently by removing the congestion and causing the bile ducts to open and flow naturally. THEY ARE GOOD PILLS. Snipes-Kingery Drug Co.

TROOPS EN ROUTE TO WARDNER

Detachment of the Twenty-Fourth Infantry Ordered to the Scene.

ONE TROOP FROM WALLA WALLA

All the Troops Which Left for Wardner Are Fully Armed and Prepared to Cope With Any Emergency—No Hope of Rioters Being Punished.

PORTLAND, May 2.—Sixty men of company B, Twenty-fourth infantry (colored), stationed at Vancouver barracks, have received orders to leave for the scene of the mining trouble at Wardner, Idaho.

They will start at 4:30 this afternoon by way of Portland, under command of Lieutenant W. L. Murphy, and will carry fifteen days' rations and 200 rounds of ammunition each.

Company L, Twenty-fourth Infantry, will arrive at Vancouver barracks from the Presidio, San Francisco, tomorrow, and will there await orders to proceed to Wardner.

By the above announcement it will be seen that the authorities intend to lose no time in getting troops on the ground.

It is a curious fact that during the strike of 1892 regulars from Vancouver were called out to help keep order at the present scene of trouble.

WALLA WALLA, May 2.—One troop of the Fourth cavalry, under command of Lieutenant Munro, will leave via the O. R. & N. train at 1:30 this afternoon, under orders from the war department to proceed to the scene of the Wardner riot. Horses will be left behind.

SPokane, May 2.—Seventy-five picked men of company M, Twenty-fourth infantry (colored), led by Captain Batchelor, left Fort Spokane for Wardner, Ida., at 7:30 this morning. They carry fifteen days' rations and 2000 rounds of ammunition. Many are veterans who fought at San Juan. The men expect no immediate fighting, but are ready for anything.

Perpetrators Will Go Unwhipped.

WALLACE, Ida., May 2.—Sheriff Young and County Attorney Samuels are both in Wardner today, presumably conferring with State Auditor Sinclair, the governor's representative, who arrived yesterday.

Under-Sheriff Seyles pronounces Saturday's outrage as unparalleled. The destruction of property was bad enough, although not surprising to one acquainted with conditions here. The boldness of the attack, however, is without precedent, while the shooting of the men was utterly without excuse. He further says that while punishment should be meted to the guilty parties, only the federal government can do so, as there is not a man in Shoshone county qualified to sit as a juror in the case. There is no talk or expectation of any action by the local authorities.

The steamer Spokane has been placed in service on the Snake river between Sparta and Lewiston with double daily service and will be operated as a through mail, express and passenger steamer, making round trips daily except Saturday. Leave Riparia at 2:30 a. m. arriving at Lewiston at 12 o'clock noon. Leave Lewiston at 2:30 p. m. arriving at Riparia at 7 o'clock p. m. The steamer Lewiston will take the place of the Spokane on the same schedule Saturdays and at other times will be operated on a wild schedule, taking care of all local work. The object of this new schedule is to place the Wisten and Buffalo Hump countries more in touch with points on the O. R. & N.

Our Clearance Shoe Sale.

All broken lots of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Fine Shoes are on special sale, and are priced for quick selling.

Bargains are plentiful. Not a really "back number" in the entire lot. One or two pairs of "square toes" and "tooth-picks," but the biggest share of them by far of this season's stylish coin toes. Welts, turns and McKays—a shoe for any foot.

There are nine different lots, arranged in classified order on tables, and plainly priced. Today we mention three of these here, for the benefit of those who can't come.

MISSES' BLACK DONGOLA BUTTON SHOES; sizes from 11½ to 2; reduced from \$1.75 to **\$1.00**

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