

MANILA WILL BE BESIEGED

As Soon As Wet Weather Is Fairly Begun.

THE TROOPS MUST RETREAT

Rebels Will Again Be in Full Possession of the Islands—100,000 Men are Necessary Properly to Subdue and Hold the Islands and No Other Course Will Be Successful.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 21.—Dr. Chas. A. McQuestion, who was on the staff of General Otis, and who was health officer at Manila, has returned home, invalidated by the climate.

Captain McQuestion made a close study of the conditions of the Philippine situation. He is of the opinion that it will take from 100,000 to 150,000 soldiers to properly subdue and hold the islands. He also says that the peace commission was an absolute failure, and that its work from the start was without effect. He strongly supports the military government of the islands, except that he thinks more men will be necessary than has been estimated.

"Dr. Schurman knows that the commission is a failure, and is coming home in July," added Captain McQuestion. "Unless troops, thousands of them, are sent to the aid of our men there, they will be driven back into Manila in the course of the next few months, during the rainy season. Our men simply cannot stand the climate. Fifty per cent of them will be incapacitated by sickness. Manila will be in a state of siege again."

"One of the great dangers that our men have to face is the climate. The new-comers will be at a disadvantage because the volunteers who are returning home are inured to the climate. As a matter of belief, the Filipinos think they have the Americans licked already."

"One solution of the situation might be to enlist colored troops from the Gulf states, and this might settle some of the race questions of that section. These men would be better able to stand the climate conditions around Manila, and it has been proven that they are good fighters."

"I want to say a word for the Western volunteers. They make the finest soldiers in the world, and their fighting qualities are wonderful. But the volunteers all want to return home, and I hardly think that the plan to enlist three skeleton regiments from the volunteers now in the Philippines will be a success. The men enlisted to fight for their country, and they are not the kind of men who want to stay and fight an insurrection for money or the fun of fighting."

DEWEY DOES NOT SEEK SOCIETY

Captain Coghlan Believes the Hero of Manila Will Attend Only One Dinner or Celebration and That in New York.

CHICAGO, June 21.—A special to the Times-Herald from Terre Haute, Ind., says:

Captain Coghlan, of the Raleigh, who stopped here on his way to Puget sound to visit friends of Mrs. Coghlan and his, in this city, where the then young naval officer first met his wife, who was a Miss Barbour, thirty years ago, talked interestingly with these friends of the occurrences which have brought him into prominence, except as to the Union League Club speech of "Hoch der Kaiser."

That affair, he said, is a closed inci-

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dent. He said that of a trunkful of letters received from all parts of the United States, only fifteen were in criticism, and of that fifteen, fourteen were written by very ignorant persons. The captain did speak with feeling against what he called "hyphenated Americans." Said he:

"If a man is an American citizen, he is an American citizen, pure and simple. I have no patience with this hyphenated citizenship. There is nothing that Europe would rather see today than the existence of their factional lines in our citizenship. If these foreign colonists get a foothold in the United States our power will be on the wane."

When asked what he thought Admiral Dewey's programme would be on his return to this country, he replied: "I believe he will go at once to his home in Vermont. He will not make any trip over the country in response to invitations to attend jubilee celebrations. He does not like that kind of glory nor does any one of the army and navy officers. Admiral Dewey will probably attend the banquet to be given in his honor in New York, as Governor Roosevelt, who is an intimate friend, will attend. Besides this, he will attend no other celebrations or dinners."

A Thousand Tongues

Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer, of 1125 Howard st., Philadelphia, Pa., when she found that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption had completely cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. All other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she says of this Royal Cure—"It soon removed the pain in my chest and I can now sleep soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like sounding its praises throughout the universe." So will every one who tries Dr. King's New Discovery for any trouble of the throat, chest or lungs. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free at Blakeley & Houghton's drug store; every bottle guaranteed.

KILLED FOR A FEW FISH

Joseph Anderson Probably Murdered Near Aberdeen.

ABERDEEN, Wash., June 20.—Two weeks ago ten boxes of salmon were stolen from Damon's wharf, on Gray's harbor, about seventeen miles from Aberdeen. Suspicion was directed to Joseph Anderson and Daniel Downing, fishermen living in the vicinity. Officers armed with warrants searched the hut of Downing, but found no traces of the missing fish. Anderson could not be found, but subsequently his dead body was found buried in the sand. The remains were buried, but the coroner became suspicious and exhumed them.

Upon opening the coffin a ghastly sight was presented. The head of the body dropped back, disclosing a clean cut from ear to ear, while the skull had been crushed with some blunt instrument. Downing has just been arrested and charged with murder.

Last fall I sprained my left hip while handling some heavy boxes. The doctor I called on said at first it was a slight strain and would soon be well, but it grew worse and the doctor then said I had rheumatism. It continued to grow worse and I could hardly get around to work. I went to a drug store and the druggist recommended me to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I tried it and one-half of a 50-cent bottle cured me entirely. I now recommend it to all my friends.—F. A. BABCOCK, Erie, Pa. It is for sale by Blakeley & Houghton, Druggists.

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Yellow Fever Among Soldiers in Cuba.

WASHINGTON, June 21.—Yellow fever has broken out at Santiago as is shown by the following bulletin posted at the war department:

"Havana—Adjutant-General, Washington: Death reports of the 19th: Santiago—Private Mulhern, Fifth infantry, died 18th, yellow fever; Private Jennings, band, Fifth infantry, died 19, yellow fever. Puerto Principe—Private Halderman, Fifth infantry, died on the 19, yellow fever. Brooke, "Commanding."

Reduced Rates to N. E. A.

For the National Educational Association meeting to be held at Los Angeles, Cal., July 11-14, 1899, the O. R. & N. Co. will make the following rates from The Dalles: Going and returning all rail route via Portland and Southern Pacific \$44.15; rail to Portland and steamer Portland to Los Angeles port of call, including meals and berth on steamers, returning same route, \$39.15; rail to Portland, steamer to San Francisco and rail via Southern Pacific from San Francisco to Los Angeles, returning same route, \$39.15. Tickets on sale June 30th, July 1st and July 4th to 9th inclusive, final limit for return Sept. 5th. For further information call on or address Jas. Ireland, Agent, O. R. & N. Co., The Dalles. 10-j

Would Not Suffer So Again for Fifty Times Its Price.

I awoke last night with severe pains in my stomach. I never felt so badly in all my life. When I came down to work this morning I felt so weak I could hardly work. I went to Miller & McCurdy's drug store and they recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It worked like magic and one dose fixed me all right. It certainly is the finest thing I ever used for stomach trouble. I shall not be without it in my home hereafter, for I should not care to endure the sufferings of last night again for fifty times its price.—G. H. WILSON, Liveryman, Burgettstown, Washington Co., Pa. This remedy is for sale by Blakeley & Houghton, Druggists.

For the Fourth of July the O. R. & N. Co. will sell excursion tickets to any rail station within 300 miles from selling station at one fare* for the round trip. Tickets on sale July 2nd, 3rd and 4th and will be good for return passage up to and including July 6th, 1899.

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ILLINOIS WILL TAKE PRECAUTIONS

To Prevent The Rapid Increase of Consumption in Animals.

ORGANIZED FOR THIS PURPOSE

Legislature Will Be Asked for a \$50,000 Appropriation This Year—Infected Cattle Will Be Promptly Killed and Owners Compensated.

CHICAGO, June 21.—A number of business men and physicians met at the rooms of the Chicago Medical Society and formed the Illinois Society for the Prevention of Consumption. Mayor Harrison presided at the meeting. The object of the association is the eradication, so far as possible, of the bacilli of consumption from animals used for human food and from the surroundings of beef and dairy cattle.

Figures and statistics were submitted showing the rapid increase of consumption, but it was the opinion of those at meeting that scientific act practical work will eventually check the spread of the disease.

It was decided to urge the state legislature to appropriate funds adequate to the needs of the state board of livestock commissioners, this sum to be probably \$50,000 the first year, \$30,000 the second and \$20,000 the third year.

Also to urge that the commission be empowered to apply the tuberculin test to all cattle in the state and against the wishes of the owners of cattle if necessary, and that all cattle not proving under the tuberculin test to be free from tuberculosis, to be condemned and the owners compensated by the state at the scale of prices fixed by the livestock commissioners.

The legislature was also urged to devise an efficacious plan for the prevention of the sale of tuberculosis meat in Chicago. John McLaren was elected president of the society.

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Notice of Sale.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Wasco County, in a suit therein pending, wherein M. D. Knosland is plaintiff and O. D. Taylor, Sarah K. Taylor, John Barger, Joseph A. Johnson, C. W. Cather, Stella K. Eddy, J. C. Duncanson and W. Lucinda Wheldon are defendants, dated the 9th day of June, 1899, to me directed and commanding me to sell all of the real property hereinafter described, to satisfy a judgment in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendant, O. D. Taylor, for the sum of \$1485.10 and costs taxed at \$25.50, I will on Saturday the

15th day of July, 1899, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., sell at public sale to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the South half of the Southwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of section Fourteen (14), and the South half of the Southeast quarter of section Fifteen (15), township Two (2) North, range Ten (10) East, W. M., containing 100 acres, more or less.

Dated this 12th day of June, 1899.

ROBERT KELLY, Sheriff of Wasco County, Or.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed his final account as executor of the estate of Sarah McAtee with the clerk of the county court of the State of Oregon, for Wasco County, and that Thursday, the 15th day of July, 1899, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. has been fixed as the time and the county court room in Dalles City as the place for the hearing of objections to said final account and settlement of said estate.

Dated July 13, 1899. THOS. NORVAL, Executor.

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