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CHINAMEN OF DEWEY'S CREW

Can Not Set Foot on Land Which They Defended.

AUTHORITIES HAVE DECIDED

They Must Stay on Olympia While in New York Harbor—Dewey Wants Them Let In.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: Under the Chinese exclusion law, some members of the crew of the Olympia, who served with such credit in the battle of Manila bay as to win special commendation from Admiral Dewey, in a letter to the navy department, may or may not be allowed to set foot on shore when his flagship reaches New York.

In the battle with the Spanish fleet, they were assigned to duty in passing ammunition and performing other duties connected with the fighting ship, and every one of them did his task well enough for Admiral Dewey, who even suggested that if possible they be admitted to American citizenship. His letter was referred to the treasury department. The secretary replied that although he greatly regretted the fact, there was no way in which the law could be waived. The Chinamen in the Olympia's crew could not be admitted to the United States unless they had been lawfully in this country at the time of their enlistment.

The law is mandatory upon the officials of the treasury department, and it will be the duty of the Collector of Customs Bidwell, at New York, to prevent the Chinese members of the Olympia's crew from leaving the ship while it is in New York harbor. Under the law, a naval vessel is part of the soil of the country, and technically, if any of them were enlisted in San Francisco, they have not been out of the United States, while serving on the Olympia.

It is not probable, however, that any action would be taken by the treasury officials should the Chinamen be allowed to land on the supposition that they are legally entitled to reside in the United States.

Fractional Currency.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—A special to the Times from Washington, says: "Dimes, quarters and half dollars are being turned out by all the mints as rapidly as they can be produced," said an officer of the treasury today, "the demand for fractional currency and silver dollars being unprecedented. The requests do not come from one section of the country, but from every section. It is estimated that the orders received at the treasury department will average over \$60,000 in fractional currency a day."

Treasurer Roberts said that the demand was due to the activity in business. An order was issued to the California mint on August 1st, he said, to turn out \$150,000 worth of dimes, quarters and halves a month, until further notice, only for the use of the Pacific coast.

Natives Punished for Killing Americans

MANILA, Aug. 31.—Dispatches from Cebu announce that the American troops, under Colonel Bayless, with two field pieces, sailed on Monday into the hills against a band of natives who recently ambushed four of our soldiers and who have been generally troublesome. The Americans found the natives entrenched and drove them from their trenches further into the hills. There were no casualties on the American side, though there were some heat prostrations.

Perished in a Flame.

YUMA, Ariz., Aug. 30.—The most disastrous fire in the history of Yuma

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

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Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

broke out at 3 o'clock today in the second story of E. E. Saginetti's merchandise establishment, resulting in the loss of six lives and total destruction of the store building and stock of goods. The fire department, which responded promptly, was unable to cope with the flames, owing to the lack of apparatus. A crowd of men were carrying goods from the building when the second floor fell upon them, killing six, and more or less injuring many more.

The list of dead is: City Councilman H. F. Neahr, Rodolfo Wilson, James Tapia, Julian Preciado, R. R. Ivora and Richard Wilson.

The loss is estimated at \$150,000; insurance, \$50,000.

TEXAS WILL BE REPUBLICAN

Chairman Green, of Republican Central Committee, Confidently Makes the Assertion—Gives Reasons.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—Edward H. R. Green, chairman of the Republican state central committee of Texas, said last night:

"I am going home to Terrel, Tex., in a few days and will soon be in the field ready for the campaign next year. I take a great interest in politics, and while it may seem almost too much to hope, yet I believe that in the near future Texas will be reclaimed for the Republican party. The silver craze has done much to strengthen us.

"The delivery of the Democratic party to the free silver men and the apparent determination of those in control of the party machinery to cling to free silver as an issue, has driven the best men from the Democratic party into the Republican ranks. They have been a great help to us and I believe next year their number will be greatly increased.

"We have made heavy gains within the last two or three years, and everything points to a continuance of this growth. It is bound to come in time and Texas will ultimately be Republican. The majority of Democrats in Texas favor W. J. Bryan for the renomination, and it seems likely that he will win."

PRES. FIGUERO HAS RESIGNED

Provisional Government Will Be Formed and Elections Preceded With at Once.

SANTO DOMINGO, Aug. 31.—President Figuero has resigned. The ministers will continue at the head of their various departments until a provisional government has been formed, after which elections for president and vice-president will occur. The city is quiet today, but business is at a standstill. The Dominican gunboat Restauracion is ashore on the rocks at the entrance to Macoris harbor. Juan Isidro Jimenes has arrived at Sanchez on board the French steamer, Gorgos Croise.

SANTIAGO, MECA, Lavega, Porto Plata, Aug. 30.—San Francisco de Macoris and Raul have declared in favor of revolution. Santiago was taken after a strong fight. It is expected other places will submit to the revolution without any more fighting, principally owing to the fact that the president has resigned. This town remains quiet.

CAPE HAYTIER, Aug. 31.—News just received here confirms the report that President Figuero, of the Dominican re-

public, has abdicated, it is said, in favor of Jimenes.

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

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Shows the state of your feelings and the state of your health as well. Impure blood makes itself apparent in a pale and sallow complexion, Pimples and Skin Eruptions. If you are feeling weak and worn out and do not have a healthy appearance you should try Acker's Blood Elixir. It cures all blood diseases where cheap Sarsaparillas and so called purifiers fail; knowing this we sell every bottle on a positive guarantee. Blakeley & Houghton, druggists.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure thoroughly digests food without aid from the stomach and at the same time heals and restores the diseased digestive organs. It is the only remedy that does both of these things and can be relied upon to permanently cure dyspepsia. Butler Drug Co.

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Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold on a positive guarantee. Cures heart-burn, rising of the food, distress after eating, or any form of dyspepsia. One little tablet gives immediate relief. 25 cts. and 50 cts. Blakeley & Houghton, druggists.

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Cash in Your Checks.

All county warrants registered prior to October 1, 1899, will be paid at my office. Interest ceases after July 26, 1899. C. L. PHILLIPS, County Treasurer.

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Each day our business shows the people are finding out we are pushing to the front with better goods, lower prices, salespeople the very best, and last, but not least, buyers who know their business and buy for the people.

C. F. Stephens
Second Street.

BRIGADIER AND MAJOR GENERALS

Five of the Former and Two of the Latter to Be Appointed.

SHAFTER SOON TO RETIRE

General Smith and Funston Are Soon to Be Mustered Out, and Increase in Army Makes an Additional Demand.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: When President McKinley returns to Washington he will discuss with Secretary Root the appointment of officers to the vacancies existing in grades of major and brigadier-general. The increase of the army, regular and volunteer, will increase the list of major-generals to eight, and that of brigadier-generals to twenty-four. There are in service today seven major-generals and twenty-one brigadier-generals. The retirement of General Shafter on October 16th will create another vacancy in the grade of major-general of volunteers, and a vacancy in the grade of brigadier-general of the regular army.

The president will, therefore, have authority after October 16th to appoint two major-generals, and as it is generally understood that Generals James F. Smith and Frederick Funston are shortly to return to the United States from the Philippines and be mustered out, the president will have five brigadiers to appoint.

Before his departure from Washington today, Secretary Root discussed with General Lodington, quartermaster-general, the question of transportation of ten regiments, organized, and ten being recruited. Two of the regiments now ready for transportation will probably be sent from New York and the remainder will sail from San Francisco. Three of the later volunteer regiments will be sent from New York.

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