

NEGROES WILL GET A CHANCE

Two More Regiments Are to Be Organized at Once.

THEY WILL BE COLORED MEN

These Will Almost Exhaust the Volunteer Quota—Officers Already Chosen.

New York, Sept. 8.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says: Orders will be issued from the war department in a day or two announcing the field and staff officers of two additional volunteer regiments, which will be organized after the manner of the so-called Immune regiments sent to Cuba last year, their company officers and privates being exclusively colored men and they will be ready to sail for the Philippines early in November.

The addition of these regiments to the army almost exhausts the quota of 35,000 volunteers allowed by congress. There will then be twenty-five regiments of 1500 men each, which, with the Porto Rico naval battalion of 400 men leaves a margin of only 1875 in the authorized strength, or not quite enough for another regiment and a half.

General Miles had recommended three colored regiments, while General Otis had represented that negroes were not desired in the Philippines, the friendly natives being strongly prejudiced against them. It is likely that one of the new organizations will have its temporary quarters at Richmond and be commanded by Captain William P. Duvall, First artillery, who was major in the inspector-general's department and lieutenant-colonel in the ordinance corps last year.

The other regiment will probably be organized at Anniston, Ala. All the officers have already been selected for the two organizations and it only remains for the president to issue commissions and for the war department to direct the beginning of recruiting. It has not yet been determined whether General Miles and his staff will go to Manila next month or not. If he does not it will have to be in a similar capacity to that which he occupied at Santiago, rather than in the exercise of such authority as that with which he was clothed in Porto Rico,

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for no idea appears to be entertained by Secretary Root of having General Otis superseded, notwithstanding the popular demand for his recall to the United States.

Under the circumstances it is thought General Miles will prefer to maintain his headquarters of the army in Washington, where he may exert his influence more effectively in directing the campaign as the chief military instrument of the president and secretary of war.

An encouraging feature of the coming campaign against Aguinaldo is the assurance now given at the war department that increased responsibility and authority have been given to the commanding generals in the field, thereby to a great extent enabling General Otis to devote more attention to the administrative affairs, which have been increased enormously and will continue to multiply as new territory is brought under his jurisdiction by aggressive naval and military operations.

SLATED FOR PHILIPPINE SERVICE

Both Miles and Merritt Will Probably Go.

New York, Sept. 8.—A special the Journal and Advertiser from Washington says:

After forty-eight hours of almost constant discussion among the president, Secretary Root, Professor Schurman, Senator Beveridge, General Miles and Adjutant-General Corbin, it may be stated positively that General Merritt will go to the Philippines.

No statement is made as to what position General Merritt is to assume, but it is probable the movement contemplates the division of Otis' present duties into two departments, Merritt to have charge of the military end.

Will Probably Go.

CHICAGO, Sept. 8.—A special to the Record from Washington says: Nelson A. Miles, commanding the army, will go to the Philippines to direct the military operations during the approaching campaign. This statement, while not authorized by any announcement from the

president or the secretary of war, is made upon the authority of one of the officers of the department.

There is no doubt that General Miles desires the assignment, and unless the unexpected happens between now and the middle of October he will start for Manila.

Klondike on the Wave.

OREGON CITY, Sept. 7.—Ex-Sheriff G. W. Grace, James Heckort and George Tucker returned today from Dawson. The two latter have been there for two years, but Mr. Grace recently went in to look after business interests. They report that the Yukon river is fairly lined with boats taking in supplies, but there will be fewer men in the Klondike country the coming winter than there were last year. Many men have left the country, but there are still more than can secure employment. They further stated that no new strikes had been made, and that wages would be down to \$5 per day next winter.

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South Oregon Pioneers.

ASHLAND, Or., Sept. 7.—The annual reunion of the Pioneer Society of Southern Oregon was held at Ashland today. The day was perfect, and the gathering was a representative one from every section of the country. A musical and literary programme was observed at the Chautauqua tabernacle in the forenoon, when the address of the day was delivered by J. Percy Wells, a native son, and was exceedingly well received. Granite hall, where the dinner to the pioneers was served, was handsomely decorated, and 120 sat down to the feast.

Glorious News.

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Free Tuition for Volunteer.

M'MINNVILLE, Or., Sept. 7.—The executive board of McMinnville college yesterday passed an order granting free tuition in the college for the ensuing year to all returned volunteers of the Second Oregon resident in Yamhill county, and to all who were students in the college at the time of enlistment, whether resident in the county or not. This action was taken in token of appreciation of the services of the soldier boys, and will doubtless attract a goodly number of them to the college the com-

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ing year. The college opens its doors for work on Wednesday next, September 13. The prospect is good for a large attendance.

Bryan to the Jerseyites.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—Considerable interest is manifested in a letter which Bryan has written to the New Jersey democrats which is intended to secure him the delegation from that state. His advice is for them to advocate an amendment to the constitution on the income tax, and for the election of senators by the people, and to come out strong in favor of anti-trust legislation.

The remarkable feature of the letter is that it says nothing about silver or the Chicago platform.

He Fooled the Surgeons.

All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from Rectal Fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with five boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest Pile cure on Earth, and the best Salve in the World. 25 cents a box. Sold by Blakeley & Houghton Druggists. 4

Verdict Today.

RENNES, Sept. 8.—Announcement was made this afternoon that the verdict of the court-martial will be rendered tomorrow. Labor foregoes the right to speak for defense, lest by doing so he should irritate the judges and destroy the good effect hoped for by the speech of Demange. The court, therefore, will deliberate on the conclusion of Demange's speech and the judgement will probably be delivered before noon. There is a nearly universal feeling this afternoon that Dreyfus will be condemned.

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