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## MANY RECENT ENGAGEMENTS

Number of Americans Were Killed or Wounded.

## INSURGENT LOSS IS VERY HEAVY

General Otis Reports Progress of the War in the Philippines—Robber Band Exterminated—Brigands Were Operating in the Western Portion of the Island of Negros.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—General Otis today cabled the war department the following account of recent sharp engagements with insurgents:

"Manila, Oct. 4.—Captain Poore, Sixth infantry, attacked an entrenched robber band in Western Negros, on October 1. Lieutenant Grubbs, Sixth infantry, was killed, and Dr. Shillock and three enlisted men slightly wounded. Twenty of the enemy were killed, including the two leading robbers. Twelve rifles and a large supply of ammunition and stores were captured. Captain Poore's action is highly commended.

"The insurgents west of Bacoor and Imus, island of Luzon, attacked the line of communication. Captain Bogardus Eldridge, Fourteenth infantry, was killed. Lieutenant Burgess, Fifth artillery, was wounded, and a number of enlisted men were killed. The wounded number ten or twelve. A full report was not received. The enemy was driven west and south with a reported heavy loss.

"Yesterday the enemy attacked Calamba and were driven off some distance into the country. Our casualties were two enlisted men killed and seven wounded. Sixty insurgents were killed, but the number of wounded is unknown.

"During a Fourth cavalry reconnaissance yesterday at San Fernando, in the direction of Santa Ana, and Arayat, one man was killed. There were no other casualties. The insurgents were driven off with considerable loss.

"Three men of the advanced picket post out from San Antonio and Santa Rita, west of San Fernando, were killed yesterday by bolomen, a result of carelessness and overconfidence in the natives."

Views of an Ecclesiastic.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Army Secretary

### ROYAL BAKING POWDER

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Peyton, of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, who had just returned from a stay of six months in the Philippines, declares that the United States has "45,000 drunken rakes and gamblers" in and around Manila, and that religious progress is quite out of the question while American soldiers are there. He says the Roman Catholic priests have made up with the Tagals and are losing no time and sparing no money to tell the Filipinos that the Americans now in Manila have made that city a "hell-hole" to a civilian.

#### Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George 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 & Houghton Druggists.

#### Big Attendance at Spokane.

SPOKANE, Oct. 3.—Ten thousand people passed through the gates of the Spokane industrial exposition on this, the opening day. Paid admission at the gate numbered 8272, and in addition to these were 800 school children admitted to sing the opening ode, and form a living flag, and those admitted on season and exhibitors' tickets, and all the employees. There were 3000 more paid admission than on the opening day of last year. The president's band from Canton, O., supplies the music. The exposition will continue to October 17.

The "Plow Boy Preacher," Rev. J. Kirkman, Belle River, Ill., says: "After suffering from Bronchial or lung trouble for ten years, I was cured by One Minute Cough Cure. It is all that is claimed for it and more." It cures coughs, colds, grippe and all throat and lung troubles. Butler Drug Co.

#### Dewey Detached from His Ship.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Admiral Dewey went to the navy department early today and had a talk with Secretary Long

over the plans for his immediate future. The secretary promptly informed Dewey that the department was willing to give him perfect liberty to do as he pleased. The admiral was, therefore, at his instance, detached formally from the Olympia after this date. He will telegraph the executive officer at Tompkinsville, to haul down his flag today, and thus will terminate his connection with the cruiser which for more than two years has been his home.

In accordance with projects already planned, the admiral will go to Vermont Monday as the guest of W. Seward Webb, of Burlington.

Later in the day the admiral called on the president to discuss the Philippine situation.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from ten drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

#### No Market for Wheat.

PENDLETON, Or., Oct. 4.—Farmers are complaining that there is no market for wheat. At the present time practically no sales are being made, and the growers are waiting for the market to assume shape so that the buyers will begin their usual inquiries for grain to purchase. It is yet the general view that fifty cents would cause an immense amount of wheat to move at once, and that if such a local market were quotable upon any given day, hundreds of thousands of bushels would immediately change hands in this country.

#### Your Face

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.

#### President Favors New Department.

CHICAGO, Oct. 4.—President McKinley, according to Colonel Elliott Durand, who has just returned from Washington as the representative of the National Business Men's League of Chicago, favors the establishment of a department of industry and commerce to be represented in the cabinet. "The president has promised to consider the proposition," said Colonel Durand today, "and we are hopeful of success."

"I wish to express my thanks to the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, for having put on the market such a wonderful medicine," says W. W. Massingill, of Beaumont, Texas. There are many thousands of mothers whose children have been saved from attacks of dysentery and cholera infantum who must also feel thankful. It is for sale by Blakeley & Houghton Druggists.

Eat plenty, Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will digest what you eat. It cures all forms of dyspepsia and stomach troubles. E. R. Gamble, Vernon, Tex., says, "It relieved me from the start and cured me. It is now my everlasting friend." Butler Drug Co.

## TRAGEDY AT SALT LAKE

Chief Engineer O'Melveny, of Oregon Short Line, Killed.

SALT LAKE, Oct. 3.—John C. O'Melveny is dead and Captain J. F. Mills, formerly lieutenant-governor of Idaho, and recently connected with the Second United States volunteer engineer regiment, is in the hands of the state authorities, as the result of a tragedy which occurred here late this afternoon.

O'Melveny was the chief engineer of the Oregon Short Line railroad. He was in his office about 4 o'clock. It appears he was alone when Mills entered. The latter had made application recently for work in O'Melveny's department, but had not been accepted. He fired three bullets into his victim, and then dropped the revolver, and quietly walked to General Traffic Manager Eccles' office, and in the most nonchalant manner informed him of what he had done. He said:

"Mr. Eccles, I have shot Mr. O'Melveny. I told him this morning that I would do so, and I have kept my word."

Police Officer Lincoln appeared on the scene about this time, and said:

"Are you the man who did the shooting?"

Mills said that he was, and he was at once put under arrest.

O'Melveny was shot while writing at his desk, and the ink has scarcely dried on the paper before we was dead.

#### Volcanic Eruptions

Are grand, but skin eruptions rob life of joy. Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them; also old, running and fever sores, Ulcers, Boils, Felons, Corns, Warts, Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Chapped Hands, Chilblains. Best Pile cure on earth. Drives out pains and aches. Only 25 cts. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by Blakeley & Houghton, druggists.

#### Telegraph Through to Dawson.

SKAGWAY, Alaska, Sept. 29, via Seattle, Oct. 3.—The Canadian government telegraph line was completed to Dawson yesterday. The Dominion line reaches from Bennett to Dawson, and the wires of the White Pass & Yukon railroad cover the distance between Skagway and Bennett. The first message was to the minister of public works at Ottawa.

On the 10th of December, 1897, Rev. S. A. Donahoe, pastor M. E. Church, South, Ft. Pleasant, W. Va., contracted a severe cold which was attended from the beginning by violent coughing. He says: "After resorting to a number of so called 'specifics,' usually kept in the house, to no purpose, I purchased a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which acted like a charm. I most cheerfully recommend it to the public." For sale by Blakeley & Houghton Druggists.

#### McCulloch at Astoria.

ASTORIA, Oct. 4.—The United States revenue cutter McCulloch, formerly dispatch boat of Dewey's fleet, arrived here at 11:30 a. m., and will leave up for Portland tomorrow morning.

For the Oregon Industrial Exposition to be held at Portland, Oregon Sept. 26 to Oct. 26, the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Co. will make a round trip rate of \$3.25, which will also include two admission coupons to the exposition. Tickets will be good going on train No. 1 on Wednesday, Sept. 27th, and every Wednesday thereafter, and for train No. 3, on Thursday, Sept. 28th, and every Thursday thereafter to and including Thursday, Oct. 20th. Tickets will be limited for return passage to expire the Sunday night following the Wednesday or Thursday on which ticket is sold.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is a scientific compound having the endorsement of eminent physicians and the medical press. It "digests what you eat" and positively cures dyspepsia. M. A. Ketrout, Bloomingdale, Tenn., says it cured him of indigestion of ten years' standing. Butler Drug Co.

Paint your house with paints that are fully guaranteed to last. Clarke & Falk have them.



## Autumn Dress Goods

A Superb Assortment.

The predominating feature of this Dress Goods stock is the vastness, the completeness of it.

There is not a taste that cannot be suited, because the variety embraces every stylish weave and pattern, every fashionable coloring. Here are a few of these new dress goods beauties.

- Handsome new Black Creponnes, with blister and brocade effects; by the yard ..... \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.50  
By the 4 yard pattern, exclusive styles, yard \$2.00
- Zibelines, tufted plaids; 38-inches wide, in the prettiest, new fall colorings, shown for the first time at ..... per yard 75c
- Scotch Cheviots, gray mixtures; we don't know of another goods as good for the money; especially nice for traveling wear; width 40 inches ..... per yard 65c
- Pebble Poplins, beautiful effects in this popular novelty; 38 inches wide ..... per yard 35c
- Fancy worsted novelties; an immense variety including all the new shades and weaves, 36 inches wide, at ..... per yard 50c

## Pattern Suits, Embroidered Robes,

of Venetian cloths, in purple, hunter's green, royal blue, steel gray, navy and wood-brown, total pattern, plain and embroidered, 7 1/2 yards, per pattern \$32.50, to \$27.50. We invite you to look at these goods.

## CLOAKINGS.

- Golf Cloakings, plain or plaid backs, 58 inches wide, per yard ..... \$3.60 and \$4.75
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## HOW CHARLES W. BABCOCK

Proprietor Lyceum Shell Oyster Parlor, of Rochester, N. Y. Obtained \$2,000 Life Insurance Policy.

"My business as proprietor of the Lyceum Shell Oyster Parlor, 245 Main street, Rochester, N. Y.," writes Mr. Charles W. Babcock, "was so confining that my lungs became affected. My doctor told me I'd have to leave the store and go to work at something outdoors. He said my lungs were in bad shape, and I knew it just as well as he did. The trouble had been growing on me for a long time. Like most other people, I tried to make myself believe the trouble was not in the lungs. I called it stomach trouble or nervous disorder, but I kept coughing, spitting and wasting away right along. I lost in weight, falling from 140 to 115 pounds. Somehow or other, I got hold of Acker's English Remedy for Throat and Lung Troubles, and after taking it according to directions, I was as well as any man in New York State. I was healthier and stronger than before I took the cold which came so near killing me. I now weigh 150 pounds—ten pounds more than ever. After recovering, I applied for a life insurance policy. When the doctor began examining me, I was afraid he would discover my condition. If that isn't proof of the most positive kind that Acker's English Remedy is a great medicine, I don't know what you call proof. I give it my warmest endorsement. My address is given above. Anyone who wishes may write me personally about my case."



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