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GENERAL WHEATON OCCUPIES CAVITE

Rebels Driven From All Important Points—Property Captured.

ALL OPERATIONS ARE SUCCESSFUL

A Heavy Loss to the Enemy During the Week in Men, Ordnance and Other Property.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—The war department today received the following cablegram from General Otis:

"Manila.—I have continued the operations of Bates' command in South Manila, and the Thirty-seventh and Thirty-ninth regulars at Calamba, commanded by Bullard. On January 1, Bullard, with two battalions of the Thirty-ninth, attacked a force of insurgents in the vicinity, driving the enemy, capturing the town of Cabuyo, and the following day Bynan. The enemy's loss was thirty killed, a large number wounded. Twenty prisoners and rifles were captured. The casualties were three men slightly wounded.

"January 2, a body of three companies of the Thirty-seventh captured General Rizal, official papers and property three miles east of Los Baños. January 4, Long's detachment of the 9th, attacked insurgents at Carmon and killed twenty-five; no casualties. January 9, Bullard, with portions of the Thirty-seventh and Thirty-ninth regiments, attacked the enemy south of Calamba, whom he drove beyond Santo Tomas, killing twenty-four and capturing artillery. Casualties, one private killed, Captain Baker and Lieutenant Peltita, of the Thirty-ninth, slightly wounded.

"January 11, Cheatham's company of the Thirty-seventh, supported by artillery, attacked the insurgents two miles west of Santo Tomas, driving them from that section. No casualties. Schwann's column, consisting of a squadron of the Fourth, one of the Eleventh cavalry and Thirtieth and Forty-sixth infantries, and six Nordenfolt guns, under Captain Van Dusen, seized Binan-Sitang, in Dangnalc, scattering the enemy, who were severely punished. Wheaton's column, three troops of the Eleventh cavalry and the Fourth, Twenty-eighth, Thirty-eighth and Forty-fifth regiments, Astor and Kenly's batteries, have driven the enemy from all important points north of Siland Land, had heavy fighting, captured considerable public property, inflicting heavy loss upon, and scattering the enemy.

"Schwann's column is now moving in Northern Batangas in a southerly direction. All Cavite province is occupied by Wheaton's command. A heavy loss to the enemy during the week in men, ordnance and other property, all operations being very successful."

Occupies South Bank of the Tugela.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—The war office this morning received the following dispatch from Buller, dated Springfield, January 11, 9:20 p. m.:

"I occupied the south bank of the Tugela river at Pottgieter's drift this morning and seized the point. The river is in flood. The enemy is strongly entrenched about four and a half miles to the south."

Apart from the definite news that Buller has attempted a second time to cross the Tugela river, the only news is the list of casualties among the British officers in the fight at Ladysmith, Jan. 6, showing thirteen killed and twenty-seven wounded. Among the latter was Lieutenant-Colonel William Henry Dick Cunyngnam, commander of the second battalion of the Gordon Highlanders since 1897, who has since succumbed to his wounds. He was immensely popular everywhere and his death will cause widespread sorrow.

France Will Be a Monarchy Again.

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Count de la

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Chasney, who was married in Colorado Springs two days ago, and who passed through Chicago last night on his way to Paris, believes eventually France will have again a monarchical form of government.

"Nothing will be done in a political way to reorganize the present government," he said, "until after the Paris exposition. That is practically a matter of agreement among the high statesmen. But France is near a change. The Fashoda incident and the Dreyfus affair added much to the general discontent among the masses. At the proper time the man to lead the royalist party will be found. It is not unlikely that Prince Louis Napoleon, now a colonel in the Russian army, will be the one chosen."

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Dr. McGlynn's Funeral.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—The funeral today of Rev. Dr. Edward McGlynn at the St. Stephen's church, of which he was formerly pastor, was the occasion of a manifestation of popular affection such as has been rarely witnessed. During the forenoon, fully 4000 people looked upon the face of the dead priest, whose remains were deposited at the altar rail of the church. The obsequies began at 9:30 with a solemn chant for the dead, conducted by Revs. McLaughlin and O'Connor of St. Stephen's.

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BILL FOR AN ASSAY OFFICE

Tongue Working to Have it Located in Portland—Shafroth Aids the Cause—Bill Was Finally Referred to a Special Committee.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Representative Tongue appeared before the committee on coinage, weights and measures today, and spoke in behalf of his bill to establish an assay office at Portland. He pointed out that Portland is easily accessible to the miners of the Oregon gold fields and is also in a position to receive a part of the gold coming down from Alaska.

Representative Hill, of Connecticut, followed Mr. Tongue, and objected to the establishment of more assay offices, and protested against the government paying the cost of transportation of bullion to the assay office.

Representative Shafroth, of Colorado, championed the cause of the Portland office, and made a strong defense of the government bearing the expense of transportation. He stated that the government is badly in need of more assay offices, and he would use his best efforts in behalf of the proposed office at Portland.

Mr. Tongue's bill was finally referred to the special subcommittee, which will have charge of all bills for assay offices. The chairman of the committee thinks that, while it is evident more assay offices are needed, very few will be authorized, and those in the most needful localities.

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Livestock Associations Meet.

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Livestock commission men will leave Chicago tomorrow afternoon for Fort Worth, Tex., to attend the annual meeting of the National Livestock Association, which convenes there January 16 to 19 inclusive. The delegates will also go to San Antonio, Tex., to attend the annual meeting of the Texas Livestock Association, which begins Monday, January 22, and continues for three days.

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REPORT OF PHILIPPINE COMMISSION

It Will Probably Be Ready Before February 1—Talk of Sending Congressional Committee to the Islands.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—A special to the Times from Washington says: About the last of January the Philippine commission will submit their full report to the president. President Schurman was at the White House Thursday to announce that progress was being made, and that before February the work of the commission will be completed. The report made in September was a general one, in which all the commissioners joined. In the full report each commissioner will deal with a separate subject. That of President Schurman is on government for the Philippines. He has considered the matter fully and has discussed his report with the president. It is assumed that such practical points as he may offer will be brought to the attention of the appropriate committees of the senate and the house.

As to the question of again sending a commission to the Philippines, it has been suggested in congress by both senators and representatives that a joint commission of members might be named for that purpose. It would be very popular and also very expensive, but it is insisted that it would be a better way of preparing congress and expecting members of both houses to read their report after it had been made in order that it may become informed. It is said that a special committee of members well known would be more interesting and impressive.

STATE LEVY 6.3 MILLS

How Taxable Valuations Have Run in Oregon for a Dozen Years Past—Many Changes.

SALEM, Jan. 11.—Governor Geer, Secretary of State Dunbar and State Treasurer Moore, acting jointly, fixed the state tax levy at 6.3 mills, which, upon a valuation of \$120,282,879, will raise \$757,782.13. Last year the tax was 5.7 mills, and upon taxable property valued at \$133,533,577 the sum of \$761,143.39 was raised.

The higher levy this year was due to the lower valuation and to several other causes. First, under the act of the last legislature abolishing the fee system, \$55,000 must be paid in salaries to the district attorneys of the several districts. Formerly, these officials were paid mostly in fees in the counties. Second, three items amounting to \$45,000, which, on account of press of business had been omitted from the estimate made by the old board last year, had to be met. These were: Compensation for rejected Oregon volunteers, \$5000; replacing a building of the agricultural college, which had been destroyed by fire, \$25,000; to reimburse the commission which represented Oregon at the Omaha exposition, \$15,000.

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