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WERE HAILED AS FRIENDS

Filipinos Warmly Welcome American Commissioners—On Their First Trip North.

SAN FERNANDO, Province of Pampanga, Island of Luzon, Philippines, Feb. 12.—Bacolor and all the other towns adjacent to the railroad, which names are historic on account of the fierce battles of the earlier periods of the American occupation, turned out to welcome the United States Philippine commission as it proceeded northward, on its first trip to organize provincial governments. At every station, including the hamlets where the train did not stop, there were bursts of music from the native bands and cheers for the American commission and the partido federale. The crowd at Malolos, the former seat of the insurgent government, was smaller, in proportion to the population, than at the villages. At all the stops addresses were delivered by the natives, and responses were made by Judge Taft, the president of the commission; Professor Worcester, General Flores, Chief Justice Arellano and Dr. Tavera, president of the federal party. The natives repeatedly declared the people were beginning to understand the purpose of the Americans, adding that the commission's acts showed its promises would be kept.

Judge Taft told the people of the towns in Bulacan province that a provincial government will shortly be established there. The American party alighted at San Fernando, passed under an arch of welcome and was greeted by the military and hundreds of children waving American flags and singing "Hail Columbia." The entire American party was then driven to Bacolor, capital of the Province of Pampanga, where they will be cordially entertained tomorrow, and until applying the provincial government in Pampango, there will be a public discussion of the laws enacted.

General Grant received information that a band of Tarlac insurgents is approaching for the purpose of harassing the people of Bacolor. He has sent scouts out after them.

Charged With Having Swindled.
WALLA WALLA, Wash., Feb. 12.—P.

M. Maher, formerly of this city, has been arrested at Salt Lake City on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. His alleged victim is Smith F. Henderson, contractor of this place. Maher, it is said, secured \$150 on bogus mining stocks.

Boycott on Railroad.

ASTORIA, Feb. 12.—At a meeting of Astoria Council of the Federated Trades, held last night, it was reported that the Astoria & Columbia River Railroad Company was employing Japanese to load and unload cars, so it was decided by a unanimous vote to place a boycott on the railroad company, and unless the Japs were discharged before March 11th, that a general boycott would be inaugurated against all merchants patronizing the railroad company. The reports of the delegates to the Council showed the total membership of the Federated Trades in Astoria to be 1433. One restaurant of the city was declared unfair on account of employing Chinese cooks, and the delegates were instructed to notify their respective unions.

Prevented a Tragedy.

Timely information given Mrs. George Long, of New Stratsville, Ohio, prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had tried many remedies and doctors but steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle wholly cured her, and she writes this marvelous medicine also cured Mr. Long of a severe attack of Pneumonia. Such cures are positive proof of the matchless merit of this grand remedy for curing all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free at Blakeley's Drug Store. 6

The Best Plaster.

A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound to the affected parts is superior to any plaster. When troubled with lame back or pains in the side or chest, give it a trial and you are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. Pain Balm also cures rheumatism. One application gives relief. For sale by Blakeley, the druggist.

Hamilton Brown's "6 Million" shoe for men, only \$2 at The New York Cash Store.

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



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SPECIAL at . . . \$1.75.

Don't wait long.—They're going to be snapped right up. Men who have worn the "Big Bear" \$2.50 Hats know what this offering means—and appreciate the reduction. There are only some 3½ dozen all told, including all sizes from 6½ to 7½, and a good part of the lot are hats that have been taken from their boxes for the first time today—are brand new. Three shades of brown, in two shapes.

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY.



Business in the Dry Goods section opened up to a lively quickstep this morning—the tune played being

REMNANTS of EVERYTHING at HALF PRICE.

Some very choice bargains were picked up by the early comers—but plenty more here for those who come later. So be on time if you want—

Waist Lengths of Silk, worth \$2.50, for **\$1.25**
Skirt Lengths of Dress Goods, worth \$3.00, for **1.50**
Dress Lengths of Dress Goods, worth 7.50, for **3.75**

—AND YOUR CHOICE OF—

REMNANTS

in Ribbons, Laces, Embroideries, White Goods, Domestic, Table Linens, Sheetings, Outing Flannels, etc., at same reductions.

Fine Toilet Soap—
Oatmeal—Glycerine.
SPECIAL, 3 cakes. 25c

A. M. WILLIAMS & CO.

Children's Caps—
Worth from 25c to 60c.
SPECIAL. 15c

Did you notice the superb bargains displayed in our East Window of—

Men's Fine Neckwear

at— **25c** choice.

IMPERIALS,
SQUARES,
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Not one Tie in the lot worth less than 50c—from there up to \$1.00.

Men's Colored Laundered Shirts

at— **50c** choice.

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Men's White Unlaundered Shirts

at **25c** each.

Both are specialties not to be found outside of this store, at near these prices—qualities considered.

Spoke For the Subsidy Bill.

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 12.—The annual banquet of the Lincoln Club, of Portland, was attended by over 200 prominent republicans from all parts of the state. The principal speaker was Congressman Chester I. Long, of Kansas, who was given an enthusiastic reception. He spoke strongly in favor of the subsidy bill, and said:
"Legislation that will help to enlarge our foreign commerce, that will assist in transportation of our products to other lands, ought to receive the support of the people of the interior of our country as readily as of those who live along the seaboard. The shipping bill now pending in congress will increase our foreign trade. The people of this generation have tried free trade and protection, and they know the difference. If the shipping bill is part of the great protective system, they will cheerfully favor it, for free trade and hard times have always gone hand in hand in this country."
He paid an eloquent tribute to Lincoln.

Alaskan Boundary Question.

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 12.—The address in reply to the speech from the throne was disposed of in two hours in the house of commons. During the debate R. E. L. Borden, the leader of the opposition, asked the premier as to the condition of affairs between Canada and the United States in regard to the Alaskan boundary and the joint high commission. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in reply, said that the position of the joint high commission is exactly the same as when they separated. The commission

is still in existence. When the sessions of congress and the Canadian parliament are over, he expects that negotiation will be resumed and a satisfactory conclusion reached.

He had no hope, however, of reaching a settlement in regard to the Alaskan boundary. It was impossible to reach a settlement with the present view taken by the United States, but he thought an honorable compromise may be arrived at. It may be settled by an honorable compromise or arbitration. A third party may be called to arbitrate. For the present, there is a provisional boundary, which was also adopted in the way of a compromise.

Telegraphed 200 Miles.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Professor John Fleming, lecturing at Liverpool yesterday, said he had Signor Marconi's permission to make the first mention of the fact that on the first day of the reign of King Edward VII Marconi accomplished the astonishing feat of sending wireless messages between St. Catherine's, Isle of Wight, and the Lizard, 200 miles. Perfect communication between the two points has since been established.

Bismark's Iron Nerve.

Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25c at Blakeley's drugstore.

You will not have boils if you use Clarke & Falk's sure cure for boils.

King Not a Roman Catholic.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—A dispatch to the Tribune from London says: One of the most interesting events in connection with the opening of the parliament on Thursday will be the formal declaration by the king of his disbelief in the characteristic doctrines of the Roman Catholic faith. Any person professing the popish religion is incapable of inheriting or possessing the crown, and the sovereign is bound to make the required declaration either on the throne in the house of lords, in the presence of both houses, at the first meeting of the first parliament after the accession, or at the coronation, whichever shall happen first.
This curious survival of a less tolerant age acquires particular significance on the present occasion, owing to the fact that the Earl Marshal, who will direct the ceremonies at Westminster, is himself one of the most devout Roman Catholics in England.

Property of Friars.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—A dispatch from Madrid says that the Pope has determined that the proceeds from the property of the friars in the Philippines, if the friars sell the property and leave the islands, will go into the treasury of St. Peter's. His Holiness permitted the friars to hold estates for the support of the missions, and if the missions are abandoned the church will devote the money to the support of missions elsewhere.

The Spanish Ambassador to the Vatican, Senor Pidal, who was recently appointed to the post, has intimate relations with the Pope, and will soon begin to discuss the questions affecting the interests of Spanish church orders.

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, the Druggist.

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