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## THEIR ARMY DESTROYED

### The Insurgent Government is in a Perilous Condition, Says General Otis.

### NATIVES RETURN HOME

### Confidence in the Promises of the American Officers is Becoming General.

### THE COMMISSIONERS TO ACT

Are Confident of a Speedy Restoration of Peace—Wheaton Succeeds Otis, the Latter Coming Home.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The following cablegram was received at the war department this morning:  
 "Manila, April 1.—Present indications denote that the insurgent government is in a perilous condition. Its army has been defeated, discouraged and scattered. The insurgents residing in their homes in the cities and villages between here and points north of Malolos, which our reconnoitering parties have reached, desire the protection of the Americans. News from the Visaya islands is more encouraging every day."  
 Under this date, General Otis reports the following casualties not heretofore reported:  
 March 25.—Twenty-second infantry, wounded, Private Fritz Horton.  
 April 1.—First North Dakota, Second Lieutenant Norman Baldwin, leg. severe; Corporal J. C. Brown, Private E. Morgan; Third infantry, Second Lieutenant Chauncey E. Humphrey, slight; First Nebraska, Captain Martin Herpolsheimer.  
 The cable of February 7 reporting Private Eldner, of the First Nebraska, killed is an error. No such man was injured.

### CONFIDENCE IS ESTABLISHED.

Natives no Longer Are Suspicious, but Are Returning Home.

MANILA, April 1.—6:30 p. m.—The natives continue returning to their homes. They are coming in all along the American lines, and many of them, seeing the promises of good treatment are fulfilled, are inducing their relatives to return to their homes. General Otis has received the following message:  
 "Manila, April 1.—Heartly congratulations on the most magnificent work of the army."  
 DEWEY.—  
 The Philippine commission, the last member of the board, Colonel Charles Devens, former minister to China, having arrived here, will discuss the situation. The commissioners are hopeful of a speedy restoration of peace, believing hostilities will soon be confined to habitual revolutionists.  
 Brigadier General Harrison Gray Otis sails for home on board the United States transport Sherman today. He says he believes the insurrection has received its death blow.  
 The Sherman will also have on board the sons of Secretary John Hay, of the state department, and Senator Hale, of Maine, who have witnessed much of the fighting with the army, and the bodies of Colonel Harry C. Egbert, of the Twenty-second infantry, killed March 28, and other officers who have recently fallen in battle.  
 General Wheaton has assumed command of the brigade lately commanded by General Otis. The Thirtieth and Twentieth regiments of General Wheaton's command are returning to this city.

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## ELECTIONS IN THE EAST

### The Democrats Gain in Ohio Cities and Lose in the Country.

### CLEVELAND'S NEW MAYOR

### Democratic Candidate Defeated McKisson—The Republicans Won in Cincinnati.

### MICHIGAN DEMOCRATS GAIN

### Republicans, However, Still Have Large Majorities—Stand-off in Montana—Chicago Election.

CINCINNATI, April 1.—The elections in Ohio today were generally for municipal and township officers. While local issues usually control these spring elections, yet there were other influences in some places today. At Cleveland there was a decisive democratic victory on the head of the ticket, only that it was not due alone to the local opposition to Mayor McKisson for a third term. McKisson last year was the candidate of the bolting republicans and democrats in the legislature against Senator Harms.  
 At Columbus a republican mayor was elected for the first time in 12 years. At Cincinnati the republicans have a plurality of 7,000, though the present democratic mayor was elected two years ago by almost as large a plurality.  
 At Toledo an independent republican was elected on the Pingree issue, assisted by factional complications. At Dayton the democrats made municipal gains, but the republicans gained in the townships, which seems to be the case throughout the state, while the greatest change was at Cleveland, where the republicans have controlled the city for years, with Robert McKisson as mayor. Yet what is known as the western reserve maintains its usual republican majorities, with some gains over those of former April elections, notable at Warren, Youngstown, Cadiz, Delaware and other cities in northeastern Ohio.  
 In the smaller cities as well as in the rural districts, the republicans claim gains, notably in Chillicothe, where there was a change, Mayor Brown being defeated for re-election by James Wood, by 300. At Defiance the democrats lost two councilmen and a member of the board of education. At Hamilton the democrats maintained their majorities, also at Lima, Newark, Circleville, Upper Sandusky, Wapakoneta, Milletsburg and Van Wert. At Janesville and Marysville the republicans were successful, and they made gains at Napoleon. As a rule the vote was tight. At Canton, the home of McKinley, James Robertson (republican) was elected by 13 plurality. This is a change from the present democratic administration.

### A DEMOCRATIC MAYOR.

CLEVELAND, April 1.—John H. Farley (democrat) was elected mayor over Robert E. McKisson, republican, the present incumbent, today by a plurality of about 7,500. The remainder of the republican ticket will have substantial pluralities. The republicans will control the city council.

### THE RESULT IN MICHIGAN.

Democrats Gained in the Larger Cities, but Republicans Are Successful.

DETROIT, April 2.—Today's elections in Michigan have not shown any very marked change in the general political complexion of the state, which is normally republican, but the result shows quite heavy democratic gains in some of the larger cities, notably so in Detroit, Grand Rapids, Saginaw, Jackson and Kalamazoo. On a generally light vote the republicans held their own in the smaller cities and throughout the rural districts.  
 Circuit judges were elected in 36 judicial districts. Of these about two-thirds of the new judges, who were elected for six-year terms, are republicans.  
 Republicans re-elected Judge C. B. Grant as justice of the supreme court by a majority of at least 20,000. They also elected Henry S. Dean and Ell R. Sutton, regents of the Michigan university, by somewhat greater majorities.

### THE MONTANA ELECTIONS.

Butte Democrats Elect a Mayor, but Fall for Other Offices.

ANACONDA, April 3.—The result of the Butte election is a majority of about 500 for McCarthy, the democratic candidate for mayor. The republicans elect the city treasurer, police magistrate and four or five of the eight aldermen.  
 In Missoula Webster (republican) is re-elected mayor and a republican majority in the council is elected. Collins (republican) is elected mayor of Great Falls;

## DEMOCRATS CARRIED KEOKUK.

KEOKUK, Iowa, April 2.—The democrats carried the city by 75, electing the mayor, marshal, judge and four aldermen. The city council stands even, with a democratic mayor, making the city administration democratic.

## CHICAGO MAYORALTY CONTEST.

Harrison Seems to Have a Good Chance for Re-election Today.

CHICAGO, April 3.—The vote to be polled by John P. Altgeld in the mayoral election tomorrow is admitted by all parties to be a most undecided factor, and yet it is the thing upon which all three candidates—Harrison (democrat), Carter (republican), and Altgeld (independent democrat)—are basing their hopes of final success. The Altgeld men say that their candidate, who is standing upon the Chicago platform, will secure all the straight silver democratic votes and will certainly be elected. They allow him 100,000.  
 In the headquarters of the Harrison faction tonight there is the greatest confidence. There is not the slightest doubt of the mayor's re-election. They give him 100,000 votes, against 100,000 for Carter and 50,000 for Altgeld. In the republican campaign the estimate is: Carter, 100,000; Harrison, 100,000; and Altgeld, 50,000. They claim that Altgeld will draw enough votes from Harrison to elect Carter, beyond doubt.

## MARINES PREPARING TO LEAVE FOR THE PHILIPPINES.

First Detachment of Marines for Duty at Cavite to Embark at San Francisco—Suits for Troops.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Arrangements have been made for the marine forces at the stations in the Pacific. The 350 marines to be sent to the Philippines on duty at the Cavite naval station will be sent from San Francisco on an army transport, probably the Newport. A detachment of 25 marines will leave New York City April 19 and these will be joined at San Francisco by 25 more. Fifteen officers will accompany this force, which is the first battalion of 350 marines which will eventually be assembled at Cavite. This force has been requested by Admiral Dewey in contemplation of the fact that all forces of the army may be withdrawn from the naval reservation at Cavite. The detail of officers for this force is now under consideration by the commandant, but no officers have as yet been definitely decided on.  
 Major Charles T. McAuley, assistant quartermaster, will accompany the battalion to the Philippines, where he will organize the quartermaster's work of the corps. When this duty is completed, he will be relieved by a captain and assistant quartermaster and return to his proper station at Washington. It is expected that the force of marines for Guam, under command of Colonel C. P. Pope, will get away about May 1.  
 The commandant of the marine corps has authorized the procurement in the next annual supplies for the corps tan-colored leather shoes, to be worn in the tropics. The shoes, destined for the Philippines and Guam will be provided with the regular unbrass blue flannel linings, but they will be made in skeleton form, entirely without lining or stiffening of any kind.  
 The sea soldiers will also be provided with colored linen, such as is worn by the marine battalion in Cuba. This suit has proven durable and at the same time lighter and cooler than the army uniform. A new white helmet has been adopted for wear by the marines in warm climates. It differs from the old white helmet in that it has no brass ornaments, is lighter, has more flare on the sides to protect the temples and a much longer rear piece to protect the back of the neck. The body of the helmet is made of three-ply cork, covered with white drilling.

## SHIPWRECKED SCIENTISTS ARRIVE

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—Nine shipwrecked scientists who sailed from this port early in February on the schooner Stella Eriand, for a cruise on the south seas, have arrived here from Guaymas. As has already been reported, they were picked up by the steamer Bu Curacoa, in Magdalena bay, near where their little vessel was wrecked.  
 Professor A. W. Anthony, who headed the scientific expedition, was the master of the craft, and with him were Charles Littlejohn, who acted as mate; R. C. McGreger, R. H. Beck, Arthur Whitlock, Charles Jones, George Gaylord, George Spencer and H. B. Keadling. The object of their trip was to study the Flora and Fauna of the Pacific coast near the equator. They charge that the Mexican customs officers confiscated all that they saved from the wreck of their schooner.  
 O. H. P. Belmont, one of the many in whom the status of the Jefferson Day dinner of the Democratic Club of New York is inducing free perspiration, now says he does not care free silver and "we will not meet wreck if we have silver any more than run it to overtake us under the single gold standard." Mr. Belmont thinks, however, that opposition to trusts should be the rallying cry of the democrats this year.

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