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## RECRUITING FOR THE PHILIPPINES

### New York Station Filling Its Quota of Regulars at a Rapid Rate.

### HIGH PHYSICAL STANDARD

### Expected That the Work of Filling the Volunteer Force Will Begin on Next Monday.

NEW YORK, July 7.—The work of recruiting men to fill up the regiments in the Philippines to the maximum of 128 men to a company is going on in New York, the main station in this city and this part of the country, being at Third ave. and Ninth street, in charge of Major Whitney, who has been detailed from the Sixth infantry for this service. All recruits from stations roundabout, such as Providence, Bridgeport, Danville, Yonkers and like places, come to this main station for their equipment, except arms. It is estimated that the quota required is being filled at the rate of from 1000 to 1200 a week. Were it not for the extremely rigid physical examination enforced by the war department it would be possible to do the work much more rapidly, but the authorities at Washington, on account of the climatic and other conditions which these troops will be called upon to face, insist on the regulation physical requirements being filled to the letter. As an instance, at this main station about 18 men a day are being enlisted, but with modifications in the physical requirements this number could easily be increased to 30.

On Thursday a company of 60 was sent to San Francisco to be forwarded to Manila and from now on men will be sent forward as rapidly as possible. While recruiting stations have been opened at various points throughout all the eastern states, the large majority of the men required are being furnished by New York and Pennsylvania. Most of these will go to the infantry, although for all the other arms of the service men are being recruited as well. No particular instructions have been received from Washington lately, except to get all the infantry recruits possible up to July 10, and this is taken to mean that on that date the recruiting for the volunteer force is likely to begin. More men than the dispatches indicated will probably be required. It is known that not so many of the volunteers now at Manila can be counted on for reenlistment, as was previously supposed. At first General Otis thought he could make up three regiments from those willing to reenlist from the volunteer forces about to return home, but later information develops that he has organized only two skeleton regiments and the term skeleton, in some quarters, is taken to mean that only the officers and a very few of the men have consented to remain. It is not believed that the authorities at Washington will agree to General Otis' plan of filling the ranks of these regiments with friendly natives, as too little is known of the characteristics of the natives to guarantee the success of such a scheme.

### ANOTHER REVENUE DECISION.

WASHINGTON, July 7.—Acting Commissioner Williams, of the internal revenue bureau, has decided that natural or artificial gas companies are subject to the gross receipt tax under the war revenue act, and that in the case of artificial gas, the returns made by the company should include the sale of tar, ammonia, coke, etc. It is held, however, that the words "pipe line" in the act does not refer to gas mains and pipes through which gas is distributed directly to the consumer but to the system of transporting oil or other products from place to place through pipes instead of tanks, barrels, etc., transported by rail or other conveyance.

### AMERICAN TRADERS KILLED.

CHICAGO, July 7.—A special to the Times-Herald from Washington says: Secretary Hay has sent instructions to Minister Bryan, at Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, and Consul Ruffin, at Asuncion, Paraguay, directing them to investigate the report of the massacre of an expedition of which Americans were members, on the Kingu river in Brazil. A report received several days ago from Minister Buchanan at Buenos Ayres, reported that a Mrs. Williams, whose brother resides in Asheville, N. C., and whose husband was a member of the ill-fated expedition, is in distress in Buenos Ayres, where she was to await her husband's return.

### A GUATEMALIAN OUTRAGE.

CHICAGO, July 7.—A special to the Record from Washington says: A dispatch has been sent to Minister Hunter, in Guatemala, by the state department, directing him to look into the case of Mr. Richards, the miner who was relieved of all his gold and put on board a steamer for New Orleans. Richards is from Louisville, Ky. The state department will demand a satisfactory explanation and if the facts are found to be as stated the Guatemalan government will be called upon to pay indemnity.

### EDUCATIONAL DELEGATES ARRIVE

LOS ANGELES, July 7.—Nearly 2000 delegates to the National Educational association will arrive in this city by today and tomorrow. Twenty special trains are scheduled to arrive, bringing several thousand.

The first session of the National Council of Education begins tomorrow. The session will continue through three days.

### REVENUE STAMP DECISION.

WASHINGTON, July 7.—The acting commissioner of internal revenue has reaffirmed the decision of his office to the effect that the revenue stamp required to be affixed to parlor or sleeping car tickets may be affixed to berth or seat checks when tickets are not purchased by the passenger prior to his entering the car.

### SMELTERS WILL LIE IDLE.

DENVER, July 7.—J. B. Grant, chairman of the operating committee of the American Smelting & Refining Company, is quoted this afternoon as follows:

"Our smelters, which are idle, will never start up again if we have to deal with any union to effect a settlement of this strike."

### HELEN GOULD'S GENEROSITY.

CHICAGO, July 7.—A special to the Tribune from Madison, Wis., says: Ames C. Wilder, editor of the State Journal, has received a check for $250 from Helen Gould, to be used in the New Richmond relief fund.

### DAL HAWKINS BEATEN.

NEW YORK, July 7.—Jack O'Brien got the decision over Dal Hawkins, of San Francisco, at the end of the twenty-fifth round at the Broadway Athletic club tonight.

### MURDERER'S TRIAL BEGINS.

WALLACE, Idaho, July 7.—The trial of Paul Corcoran on a charge of murdering James Cheyne at Wardner on April 29 was begun today. Three jurors had been secured when court adjourned.

### ORDERED TO MANILA.

WASHINGTON, July 7.—Lieutenant Lawson M. Fuller, ordnance bureau, U. S. A., has been ordered to the Philippines as chief of ordnance officer in the field of the army operating there.

### A FOOLISH MAN.

There was once a man who thought what a dreadful thing it would be if he were blind, and closed his eyes as he walked along to see how it would be. In this way he walked over a purse of gold which another man picked up. There are people today just as foolish. They moan over their poor health thinking nothing will help them, when a trial of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will cure their ailments. It brings steady, vigorous nerves to nervous people. It purifies the blood, tones up the stomach, and brings back real health by making indigestion and constipation impossible. It is absolutely the greatest remedy known for all stomach troubles, and is to be found in every drug store.

### AN EPIDEMIC OF DIARRHOEA.

Mr. A. Sanders, writing from Cocoanut Grove, Fla., says there has been quite an epidemic of diarrhoea there. He had a severe attack and was cured by four doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He says he also recommended it to others and they say it is the best medicine they ever used. For sale by Charles Rogers.

## ANOTHER BOSTON TRAITOR'S WAIL

### Preacher McCauley Makes a Strange Declaration Concerning Dewey and Otis.

### THEY OPPOSE ANNEXATION

### Want to Come Home Rather Than Wage a War of Conquest Against Filipinos.

BOSTON, July 7.—Rev. Clay McCauley has writen a letter to the Transcript dated at Tokio, Japan, June 1. Mr. McCauley declares that Admiral Dewey said to him:

"Rather than make a war of conquest on the Filipino people, I would take up anchor and sail out of the harbor."

Mr. McCauley visited Manila in January, in search of health. Of his views there he writes:

"For a long time I could not believe that the disastrous drift of events was known to the Washington authorities. I was inclined to lay the responsibility for the increasing perils upon the military commander directly in charge.

"Yet now it seems clear to me that General Otis did this work in the main in literal obedience to his superiors in America; that there it was assumed that the whole right and duty concerning the future disposition and control of the Philippine islands lay in the wishes and will of the United States; that what the Filipinos themselves might wish, need not be taken into the account in formulating plans for their government."

The writer had a talk with General Otis. "Among other things," said Mr. McCauley, "General Otis expressed regret that there was not a better knowledge of the situation among the Washington legislators than there seemed to be. And he impressed me deeply by his declaration: 'I was ordered to this post from San Francisco. I did not believe in the annexation of these islands when I came here nor do I believe in their annexation now.' I also had the privilege of a conversation with Admiral Dewey," the writer days and gives this version of it:

"Dewey spoke much of his concern over the turn affairs had taken and added that he was 'powerless to act.' Yet in one point in his remarks he declared 'Rather than make a war of conquest on these people I would up anchor and sail out of the harbor.'" Mr. McCauley says he wrote President McKinley whom he met in Washington regarding the situation and predicting the outbreak which has since occurred.

### WATER COMMISSION

Held a Regular Monthly Meeting Last Night.

The water commission met last night with all the members present except Samuel Elmore. The clerk's report showed the earnings for the month of June to be $3,290.40.

The treasurer's quarterly report was filed, showing the amount on hand to be $7,807.01. On motion the report was referred to the auditing committee to check up and report.

A report was presented from City Attorney Allen giving an opinion on the surreptitious putting in of plumbing connections with the city mains. The report said that such action was illegal and consisted of larceny of water, and recommended that as the commission itself was without power to pass laws defining it to be a misdemeanor, that suitable ordinances be presented to the city council for their passage. The city attorney was directed to prepare such ordinances and submit them to the city council.

The committee appointed to report on the Fort Stevens proposition was presented and ordered placed on file. In lieu of said report, the commission passed a motion that water be furnished at the upper reservoir to the United States for piping to Fort Stevens, at one half of the city's present meter rates, the minimum gross charge per month to be $50. This proposition will be submitted to Quartermaster Holbrook.

The superintendent was instructed to report all cows stabled within the city limits owned by water consumers, so that proper charges for water may be made, as it seems at present there are some 15 or 20 cows, the water for which is not paid for.

The payroll for the month of June was ordered paid, amounting to $358.60. Bills amounting to $17.10 were also ordered paid, after which the commission adjourned.

### THE NEXT CENSUS.

The next census of the United States will be taken during the month of June, 1900. The country will be divided into districts, the states being divided up according to population, Oregon being made into two census districts, the lines conforming to the congressional districts. The first district will embrace the counties of Clackamas, Marion, Linn, Lane, Washington, Yamhill, Polk, Benton, Tillamook, Lincoln, Coos, Curry, Douglas, Jackson, Josephine. The second district will embrace the counties of Clatsop, Columbia, Multnomah, Wasco, Sherman, Gilliman, Wheeler, Wallowa, Union, Malhuer, Harney, Grant, Crook and Baker.

There will be a supervisor appointed for each census district and one enumerator for each 4,000 inhabitants.

A supervisor, who will be appointed by the director general of the census bureau, will have charge of the work in each district, and he will appoint the enumerators, who are to number one for each 4,000 population. By this apportionment Clatsop county will have four enumerators. Neither the supervisors nor the enumerators have yet been appointed, but so soon as they are they will be given a thorough training in the details of their work, for it is the plan of the government to make the forthcoming census the most complete ever taken.

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### SALES OF REAL ESTATE.

Nina McCullough to The Astoria Company, q. c., July 5, 1899; lots 3 and 4, and east ½ of s w ¼ section 5, tp 4 n r 9 w ..... $ 50

United States to Miles M. Flynn, June 30, 1899; lots 3 and 4, and e ½ of s w ¼ section 5, tp 4 n r 9 w ..... 289

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Notice is hereby given that bids to furnish wood to school district No. 1 in the manner as hereafter set forth, will be received at the office of the school clerk until Wednesday noon, July 12, 1899, to wit:

100 (or more) cords of mixed yellow fir slabwood.

100 (or more) cords of yellow fir bark slabwood.

100 (or more) cords of fir and hemlock wood.

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### CALL FOR WARRANTS.

Notice is hereby given to all parties holding Clatsop county warrants endorsed prior to July 21, 1897, to present the same to the county treasurer at his office, 164 Tenth street, for payment. Interest ceases after this date.

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