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GENERAL AGUINALDO is reported to be tired of fighting, but, which is more to the purpose, Philippine natives of all classes are reported to be even more tired of General Aguinaldo.

Now that Secretary of War Alger's resignation has been accepted it looks as if Gen. Miles might succeed Otis in the Philippines. Miles is a fighter, and the country has great confidence in his military ability.

DEWEY says that he had hoped on reaching the Mediterranean to hear of the end of the war by the acceptance of the terms offered the Filipinos. This view of the outlook is in strong contrast with the pessimistic utterances that have taken a fresh start in the eastern states among people who have no desire to learn the truth regarding the Philippine situation.

ONE of the newspaper correspondents in Manila, Creelman by name, thinks Otis "should have attacked Aguinaldo instead of trying to avoid hostilities; that Otis is incompetent and a military blunderer, and as a censor of newspaper sensation simply unendurable." What a great opportunity the United States made by not putting Creelman in command of the army in the Philippines instead of Otis.

WILLIFRED LAURIER is either joking or trying to frighten the people of the United States into surrendering their rights in the Alaska boundary dispute. He is credited with making the statement in the Ottawa house of parliament, that "there are only two ways by which the difficulty may now be settled—arbitration or war." In view of late achievements of the United States army and navy under trying circumstances, it is not at all probable that the Canadian government will so far refuse to consent to amicable settlement of the boundary question as to incur the hostility of our Uncle Sam's rough and ready fighters, therefore Laurier's speech will not be accorded a great deal of attention.

ANOUS CANNON of Utah, who was recently arrested on a charge of polygamy, appeared in court at Salt Lake by proxy, pleaded guilty by proxy and will be fined by proxy. This legal subterfuge has been a favorite and is rather synonymous with the Mormon church. The murder of the emigrants at Mountain Meadows was of course done by proxy, but some of the disciples of the uxorious old apostle Brigham Young were afterwards hanged for knowing too much about the transaction. The revelations "from the Lord" were delivered by proxy, and even the magnificent shrine of their idolatry, the temple, is not exempt from this, for it is within its inner recesses that the welfare of the faithful is supposed to be regulated by proxy.

It is reported from Washington and from Manila that negotiations of the greatest importance are in progress. This is sneered at by the anti-imperialistic papers with a purpose to make it appear that the reports are in the nature of apologies for General Otis. These same papers want Otis recalled because the correspondents protest against his censorship. They wanted Alger removed because they suspected that the secretary of war had not revealed all the secrets that came to him from Manila. The irreconcilables know that if the government published this information it would be used in Europe, at Hong-Kong, and in the Philippines the next day to thwart the purpose of the administration. This illustrates only some of the inconsistencies of the men who are animated simply by a desire to embarrass the government.

The Oregonian winds up a long leading editorial, in its issue of the

24th, detailing the shortcomings (in its philosophy) of President McKinley, by asking, "is there no one else?" Yes; there are some fifteen to sixteen other men in the country, but none of them are available. President McKinley will be renominated; and he will also be reelected. The Oregonian will, of course, support him and help to bring about this very happy result. So will all the men of its mind, who have found fault with President McKinley. They could not have a man entirely to their liking. God, even in his omniscience and omnipotence, could scarcely create such a one.—Statesman.

SAYS the Louisville Courier-Journal: "And now some of our aunts are charging that we are cruel to Filipino prisoners, alleging as proof that we made the captured brass band at Manila play American airs on the Fourth of July. No wonder the aunts are excited."

LYDD TEVIS, one of the wealthiest and best known residents of San Francisco, died last Sunday night at a private sanitarium. His wealth is estimated at from \$8,000,000 to \$15,000,000. Thus, the fact that vast aggregations of wealth in this country are, as a rule, subdivided, and even scattered widely, upon the death of the men who have heaped them up, averts the danger to our republic predicted by alarmists from the accumulation of great fortunes. These great fortunes are divided and subdivided, and the rich family of one generation is likely to be impoverished in the next. A few years ago W. H. Vanderbilt held in his hand about \$300,000,000, but in a moment that hand became powerless, and the process of subdivision, which is still going on, began. The rich are no more secure in their riches than the most humble toiler, and far less content.

In England the idea of making cremation compulsory is being earnestly pressed, with a view of cheapening the cost of the disposal of dead bodies and upon the higher ground of sanitation. A bill in parliament looking to this end has passed the committee and the first reading, with an amendment that causes it to apply only to large cities and to defined conditions of society in them. The idea of the substitution of cremation for earth burial, though firmly based on sanitary considerations, cannot make substantial headway by a simple presentation of the facts of sanitary science alone. But, among people who are disposed to take a rational view of death as a natural dispensation, rather than as a mysterious act of providence, the instinctive feeling of repulsion and horror, which was wont to respond to the proposition of incineration has yielded to some extent to the argument that has made the crematory much less gloomy and forbidding than the ceremonies attendant upon burial in the ordinary way, without abating in any sense the sacredness of funeral rites or impairing the tender respect for that which humanity holds most sacred. When this prejudice is entirely overcome cremation will become popular and sanitary science will have its inning.

An eastern Oregon newspaper whose editor doubtless enjoys a "free" ride now and then, says, tearfully, that "the O. R. & N. railway will lose \$20,000 on account of the muster out of the Second Oregon in San Francisco." These calculations are probably based on the safe presumption that the O. R. & N. would have brought to Portland from its territory two thousand people at an average cost of \$10. The city of Portland—hotels, peanut vendors and others—would have reaped a like sum from the visitors. But the boys in selecting the Presidio as their mustering point did not consider the interests of these people and corporations whose patriotism is measured by the amount of dollars and cents they can squeeze out of a public demonstration. There is not a person in Oregon but who would have been glad to have had the regiment come direct to Portland from Manila, but since the sharks have shown their fins, displaying to the world that their patriotic fervor over the return of the regiment was supplanted by greed and hope of gain at their expense there is a quiet smile of satisfaction that the big demonstration failed. The boys will receive a hearty welcome when they arrive in Portland, although the grasping monopolies may not carry as many persons there to witness

the ceremonies as they would if the stop had not been made in San Francisco.

"DEWEY" is the name of a young aboriginal hero of the Grand Ronde reservation. Thus the native daughters of old Yamhill observe the popular fads and worship heroes the same as their white sisters, even if they cannot trip the light brogan with fashionable military and naval officers in the breezy cotillion.

HARVEST is now on, in full blast. Hop picking will probably commence, generally, August 25th (and, for the early varieties, before that date), and there will be a little time for our farmers to play marbles for a good many weeks. If there was a full fruit crop, the labor market would be mighty dry. As it is, willing workers are going to be in demand.—Salem Statesman.

WONDER why our contemporaries The Reporter and Transcript are not lauding Gov. Geer for his "excellent judgment" in appointing Attorney Flowers of Dayton as accountant for the insane asylum. Speak out brothers! Let us be heard from.—North Yamhill Record. What are his peculiar qualifications, Bro. Record? The Reporter rises for information. We know this much about Mr. Flower; you have misspelled his name.

In the tragic fate of Clara Fitch, whose lifeless body was found in Cycle park, Portland, one day last week, was once more portrayed the drama of life consequent upon a wayward girl disregarding the advice of parents and keeping company with a person whom they, with only their daughter's welfare at heart, had forbidden her to meet. With parental instinct the father and mother saw menace to their daughter's safety in the companionship she sought. They forbade it, and she persisted to the extent that she met her lover clandestinely, and they found her dead in Cycle park.

### Funeral of Col. Ingersoll.

The funeral of the late Robert G. Ingersoll took place Tuesday afternoon from Walston, Dobbs Ferry, New York. No clergyman was present to conduct the services, there was no music and no pall bearers. The body lay on a cot in the room where he died. It was enshrouded in white, and just one red rose was placed on the breast. About the cot were banks of floral tributes sent by friends, and wreaths and bunches of blossoms. Mrs. Ingersoll sat beside her dead, and beside her were her daughters, Mrs. Walston H. Brown, and Miss Maud Ingersoll. They were very much agitated and wept almost continuously. There were some forty others present, and they remained by Dr. John Clark Kidpath, who, in a voice full of emotion, said: "My friends, it is a very sad duty to read, in the presence of the dead, the last poem written by Colonel Robert G. Ingersoll, entitled 'Declaration of the Free.' This poem Colonel Ingersoll had read and altered in some of its parts only a few hours before he was stricken down." Major O. J. Smythe, a close personal friend of Colonel Ingersoll, then read another extract from Col. Ingersoll's writings, entitled "My Religion." Dr. John Elliott of New York read the funeral oration delivered by Col. Ingersoll over his brother's dead body. This concluded the short and simple services, nearly all present then took a parting look at the dead and passed out. Several old colored servants of the family came from Washington to do honor to their great benefactor.



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It may be a question whether the editor of a newspaper has the right to publicly recommend any of the various proprietary medicines which flood the market, yet as a preventive of suffering we feel it a duty to say a good word for Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy. We have known and used this medicine in our family for twenty years and have always found it reliable. In many cases a dose of this remedy would save hours of suffering while a physician is awaited. We do not believe in depending implicitly on any medicine for a cure, but we do believe that if a bottle of Chamberlain's diarrhoea remedy were kept on hand and administered at the inception of an attack much suffering might be avoided and in very many cases the presence of a physician would not be required. At least this has been our experience during the past twenty years. For sale by Howorth & Co., druggists.

At the farm house of P. M. Pearson near Salem occurred a distressing accident Saturday evening. Mr. Pearson left the house with a shot gun, and found a bird near the residence; he was in the act of shooting the bird when the latter rose, flying toward the house. Herman Gold, an employe on the farm, and Mr. Pearson's 8-year-old son, had, meanwhile, come out of the house, and when Mr. Pearson shot at the bird, the first charge struck Gold, one shot striking the outer corner of the right eye, and passing through the right ear, the remainder of the charge scattering over the young man's body. The second shot, fired at the bird, struck the hunter's little son, his body being pretty well "peppered" with the shot. The wounds were painful but not serious. Moral: Don't get too eager to kill anything you see when carrying a gun.

Some of the results of neglected dyspeptic conditions of the stomach are cancer, consumption, heart disease and epilepsy. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure prevents all this by effecting a quick cure in all cases of dyspepsia. Rogers Bros.

Colonel William Jennings Bryan has telegraphed his acceptance of an invitation to visit the state of Washington, and will be on the Sound the first week in September.

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W. C. Magers, who is occupying a cell in the Polk county jail, awaiting the action of the supreme court on his appeal case, was incarcerated in the Marion county jail for a few days following his arrest, before he was taken to Polk county, and it is reported from Dallas that he charges F. W. Durbin, the Marion county sheriff, with stealing from him a pair of trousers and wearing them. The prisoner has no love for Mr. Durbin, hence the accusation. The Marion county officer enjoys the joke very much, and stands the chaffing of his friends with the greatest good nature.

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