American Prisoners in Filipino Hands

HAVE BEEN SET FREE

Insurgents Treated Them as Honored Guests-Rebels Are Tired of Fighting.

MANILA, Sept. 30, 7:50 p. m .- This has been an eventful day with the northern outposts of the army at Angeles. Early this morning the Filipino peace commission appeared, and the Amarican prisoners followed. Then a committee of three Spaniards, to negotiate for the release of Spanish prisoners, departed up the railroad with a retinue of servants and buffalo carts carrying their baggage. At San Fernando the train carrying the commission and prisoners to Manila met a special train carrying Major General General Otis and Generals Lawton, Buter and Schwann to Angeles, on a tour of inspection.

The American prisoners are Corporal Otto Sheu, and Privates Albert Rusbbeck. Otto Wagnet and Peter Rollins, all of the Third infantry, captured near Balinag, July 28th; Joseph MacIdrath, James Boyle, William Mi!ler, John Crinshaw, Thomas Daly and Eli Drew, of the Sexteenth infantry, captured at Caloocan in August; Paul Spillano and Louis Ford, of the Fourth tafantry, and Charles Wilmider, a discharged Third artillery man, capture1 by bandits while boating near Malabon, and George Graham (colored), orderly of the Sixteerth infantry, who was put off a train near Malolos and immediately captured by insurgents.

A party of correspondents and photographers waited in a trench of the American outpost, before the wrecked bridge across the river separating the two armies, and at 9 o'clock a group came down the track waving handkerchiefs on hamboo poles and halted before the bridge. The bugie then sounded "attention," and Major Shields, of General Wheaton's staff, and five solwith raised handkerchiefs, picked their way across the bridge. The Fillpinos introduced themselves as Generals Alejandrius, Lieutenant-Colonel Crino and Major Ortes, the latter of German blood and speaking English fluently.

There soon appeared a second party of fourteen Americans, marching between files of insurgent soldiers. They looked the picture of health, and were dressed in new Filipino uniforms of blue gingham, and were carrying menkeys and other presents from their Fillpino friends.

Then General Wheeler, being anxious to see the Filipinos, forded the river with a corporal. General Wheeler shook hands with the Filinines, an there was a general exchange of greetings while the photographers plied their vocation across the tracks. The file of barefeoted Filipino soldiers curiously surveyed the line of stalwart American sentinels whose physique construsted strongly with the little brown men who looked too little for their guns. General Wheeler, who had no official connection with the incident, returned to General MacArthur, and General Wheaton appeared at the other end of the bridge. The commissioners and prisoners then forded the river, dismounted and saluted.

General MacArthur's first inquiry was for Lieutenant Gilmore's party. and General Alejandrius replied vaguely that they 'were in the north." General MacArthur asked if they would be released, and General Alejandrius maid:

"I must consult, tomorrow, my government, before answering." The prisoners unanimously praised their treatment. One man said:

"We have been given the best the country afforded-fine houses for quarters, servants, good food, plenty of wine and a money allowance, Aguinaldo visited us and shock hands. Three of the boys refused to shake hands with him."

Judging from the stories of the prisoners, they have been lionized by the Filipinos. They report that five sailors of Naval Cadet Wood's party arrived at Tarlac Wednesday, Though small importance is attached to their judgment, they agree in saying that the Filipinos all say that they are "tired of war, but will fight for independence to the last" The released soldiers also say the idea of independence has taken a firm hold on the Fillpinos, and they rhreaten, if conquered, to exterminate the Americans by assassination. Aguinaldo seemed popular among all the people the prisoners met. The country, they say, is full of rich crops.

The Filipino comm'selon does not arouse great expectations as to the result of its visit. Major Ortes said frankly, that they were tired of war, but they decline to say what proposals they bring. The Filipinos lunched with General Young at San Fernando,

REBELS RETREATED. New York, Sept. 30 .- A dispatch to the Herald from Manila says:

An escaped prisoner, who has entered the American lines, says General Mascardo, with 800 insurgents, began the retreat out of Porac yesterday as soon as the place was attacked. He moved to Calumpit a mountain stronghold to the westward, where 1500 other insurgents were massed, and where also the rebels have powder works.

Four prisoners from the captured gunboat Urdanetta were in Porac, and

American prisoners new in the Phil- 34? persons.

lippines, are passing both ways. Hag of trace will probably be sent in at once. It is possible that Liuetenant Gilmore and his boat's crew of the Yorktown will not be among those surrendered now.

OFFICIALS ARE HOPEFUL Washington, Sept. 29. The war de-partment officials are today very much encouraged regarding the situation in the Philippines, as conveyed by the official and press dispatches. The dispatch relative to the intended surrender of the eastern portion of Mindarao indicates, it is said, a disposition of the southern islands to accept American sovereignty. These people have heretofore made offers of surrender, but have coupled it with the provision that the United States should relin-quish its right, if Aguinaldo should be successful in Luzon.

TREASON CHARGED. Manila, Sept. St.-It is reported from Ilo llo that the insurgents have arrested Viarayan, a general, charging him with being a traitor. Tribal discord, it is added, is growing. Many rebel soldiers have revolted. Many European prisoners are escaping in the meanwhile.

READY TO SURRENDER.

Washington, Sept. 50 .- The war department has received the following "Adjutant General, from Manila: Washington-Communication dated on September 18th, from General Carcia, commanding all the insurgent troops in Eastern Mindanao, expressed a desire to turn the country over to the United States and to surrender the insurgent army."

THE WAR CLOUD

HOSTILITIES CAN SCARCELY BE PREVENTED.

Boers Are Remarkably Slow in Taking the Initiative-Great Britain Is Very Frank.

LONDON, Sept. 30 .- War now seems certain, though the extraordinary delay of the boers in taking the hostile initiative is still a pacific circumstance. But it has a doubtful significance, when compared with the genuine and far-reaching preparations they

making for hostilities. The British always insisting upon sovereign power, have practically undergone no change throughout the entire negotiations. Every stage has depended upon President Krueger. If he would not back down when the British demands were less sweepingly expressed, he can scarcely do so now when they are formulated with almost brutal frankness.

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the California Fig Syrup Co. BACK FROM ALASKA.

Tacome, Oct. 2.-Harry Lee, of Chicago, has returned from an exploring trip along the southern and western coast of Alaska, where he was gathered nearly a complete collection of Alaskan animals and birds. He brings news that at least three volcanoes have been in eruption this summer in Western Alaska, and are still supposed to be active. These are the volcano on Unga island and two others known to the natives as Payloff and Acutan. The latter volcanoes are located west of Mount St. Elias and north of Cook's inlet.

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FIGHTING THE PLAGUE.

Paris, Oct. 2 -- La Fronde publishes the report of an interview with Professor Calmette, the Pasteur institute commissioner, who has returned from Oporto, in which the professor says him welcome that before his arrival the mortality were taken to Calumpit by the retreating enemy. Five other men of the crew were killed.

Letters, regarding the return of the dence and in three days he inoculated entire line of march, from the station among those stricken with the plague

IN STATE A CHARGE

Parade in New York in Dewey's Honor.

SCHLEY IS LIONIZED

of Manila Divide Honors-A Hard Day.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20 .- The land parade today capped the chinax. The city, state and nation united in a vasi demonstration worthy the hero of Man'la. The earth trembled beneath the tread of 50,000 men, and the air was torn with shouts of millions. The naval parade of yesterday was magnificent and superb, but the proud men of our land and sea forces, the militia of fifteen states and the veterans of the civil and Spanish-American wars swelled the procession, and gave it a dignity in the size that it boasted.

The governors of the several states, who rode in carriages, though many of them were popular and would have received big demonstrations at any other time, passed almost unnoticed. The crowds would have none of then They yearned only for the brass buttons and gold lace of the military and naval heroes and would have nothing else. Both Major-Generals Miles and Merritt received ovations, but it was Rear-Admiral Schley who divided honors with the central figure of the day. He received a demonstration second only to that of Dewey. The people along the line of march fairly rose at him, shouting their already lacerated throats to the breaking point.

"Hurrah for the hero of Santiago; there is the man who smashed Cervera's fleet:" "hip, hip, hurrah for Schley," and kindred cries came from all parts of the line.

In upper Fifth avenue some enthuslastic lady threw him a handful of roses. They landed fairly in the carriage and the admeral lifted them to his lips. Instantly all the ladies in the balcony seemed piqued with a desire to have their flowers similarly honored, and he was fairly bombarded. Before he got to Madison square, Admiral Schley was up to his arms in flowers. Governor Roosevelt, at the head of the national guard, received a hearty and continuous ovation from one end of the line to the other.

THE PARADE.

New York, Sept. 30 .- When the parade started today everybody was speculating as to the reception of the Seventh New York regiment at the reviewing stand. It was more cordial than expected. There was some hissing as the regiment passed the stand, and some derisive calls, but the cheerng at this point was easily the loud est. At Fifty-ninth street and Fifth avenue, the Seventh was kissed. The people in the Netherland, Savoy and Plaza hotels cheered, but the hisses roce above the cheering. The members of the regiment looked neither to the right nor the left, but marched slowly

On account of the controversy between the members of the committee and the head of the G. A. R., over the place to be given that organization in the column, and Commander Kay's final order to his men not to march. there was much speculation as to what the unarmed section of the guard would be like, and how many men would defy Kay's mandate.

General O O. Howard, the grizzled old veteran that he is, was given a mighty cheer when he rode past the admiral at the head of the column. He had, all told, about 600 veterans of the civil war, and about 130 of these were G. A. R. mes. Some wore the G. A. R. uniforms and caps, but the majority were in plain civilian clothes. One old soldier, too much used up by disease to walk, was carried by his contrades on a hitle wagon. He was lying at full length as he passed by the reviewing stand, but he raised himself feebly on one arm and nodded

AN ARI UOUS DAY.

New York, Sept. So .- It took the procession 3 hours and 20 minutes to pass. The first body of the admiral's sailors passed him at 2.12 p. m. The last man in the line went ty at 5:40 p. m. Admiral Dewey and Mayor Van Wyck were completely tired out after the review. The admiral's arm was so weary from the almost constant salute, that, in bidding good bye to his friends, he sometimes begged leave to shake hands with his left hand.

DEWEY'S LOVING CUP.

New York, Sept. 30 .- The loving cup, presented to Dewey today, by the municipal committee, is made of 18 carat gold. It stands thirteen inches high, and has a capacity of four and a half quarts, and cost \$5,000.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2 .- The homecoming of Admiral George Dewey-for henceforth the national capital is to be his home-was made the occasion for the greatest tribute ever paid by Washington to any individual. After the preliminary welcome in New York, itself unsurpassed ir its kind, it remained for the highest and greatest in the official world to hold out the hand of greeting to the famous admiral, and to join with the people who are to be his fellow-citizens in lidding

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ands of non-organized citizens, and in the roar of cannon, rockets and a blaze of red fire, and the thunderous cheer-ing of the populace and warm greet-ing of the head of the nation, Dewey came to the national capital to a welcome, such as has not been known here hitherto

His journey from New York had been a continuous ovation. limited in its intensity only by the density of the population. The decorated special train, which left the Pennsylvania railroad ferry-slip in Jersey City at 1 50 c'clock in the afternoon, was fully in keeping with its distinguished passenger. It was made up of five cars-The Victor of Santiago, and the Hero the Penrsylvania's prize special-the Atlanta dining car, a combination smoker, and three parlor cars for the accommodation of the Washington reception committee. The special was given a clear track and the run to Washington was made without a stop, except at Philade'phia.

Almost immediately after going on board the train the admiral retired to his private car for luncheon. Thereafter the admiral lay down and tried to get a little sleep, but this was impossible, owing to the continuous ovation along the line.

When the limits of the District of Columbia were reached, the committee presented the admiral with the freedom of the city. Admiral Dewey's reply was as brief and characteristic as all of his other speeches have been: "I wan to thank you very much, my friends," he said, "for this testimonial of your regard. It is true that, as long as I live, and I hope to live a king time (cheers), I intend to live ir. Washington. I thank you again for this expression."

Then dropping the tone of formality tended his hands and said heartily: 'Now I want to see my friends. Charlie, old boy, how are you?" and he grasped C. C. Glover by the hand and went through the party, shaking the hands of all who were within reach. Dewey was escorted to the White House and, after meeting the president and cabinet, he and the president viewed the parade from the stand on Pennsylvania avenue. It was 9 o'clock when the fatigued recipient of the day's demonstrations reached the residence of Mrs. Washington Mc-Lean, the mother of the democratic candidate for governor of Ohio.

Mrs. McLean welcomed the admiral and turned over the house to him for his use during his stay in Washington. Mrs. McLean and the members of the family then left, going to her country residence, Beauvoir, in the suburbs of Washington.

The admiral had arrived sooner than was expected, and before a crowd had collected. Presently the people surged in on all sides, and for some time would not believe the officer, who said the admiral was inside. A band cane up and serenaded the admiral, erowd cheered and cheered and finally Dewey appeared at the window and bowed his acknowledgments. Cries "speech," "speech," were heard on every side, but met with no response, Luncheon was served at 9:30 c'cleck. and then the admiral retired. The crowds lingered about the house for

ALGER VISITS M'KINLEY. Washington, Oct. 2.-General Alger, the former secretary of war, is in the city to assist in receiving Admiral Dewey, and he called at the White House this afternoon. He was with the president for some time.

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CAPT. BARKER'S WORK.

Washington, Oct. 2 .- Captain Albert S. Earker has been asigned to command the Norfolk navy yard, relieving Admiral Farquhar, who takes command of the North Atlantic station. Captain Barker will become full rearadmiral within a month. He commanded the battlestip Oregon on her memorable cruise from New York to Manila, in answer to Dewey's appeal. During the war Captain Barker was one of the leading members of the war board.

The Excitement Not Over. The rush at the drug store still continues and daily scores of people call for a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Kemp's Balsam, the standard family remedy, is sold on a guarantee and never fails to give entire satisfaction. Price 25c. and 50c.

CATTLE SHIPMENT .- Steusleff Bros., of this city, yesterday shipped, via the Roseburg local to Portland, a carlcad of steers to Victoria, B. C. The car contained twenty-five head, and the steers averaged in weight 1250 pounds. Messrs. Steusloff say they can ship cattle to outside markets and realize greater returns than by retailing in the home market. While this conditions of affairs is unfortunate and damaging to the market, it actually exists, and if the shipping of cattle out of the state continues any length of time, Oregonians will eventually, and that possibly this winter, be obliged to depend on importations of cattle for supplying home consupption.

A Washington friend of Admiral Dewey says the great sailor is a splendid wit and story-teller. He can also spin a yarn of his own experience which would rival the wildest fiction. President Kruger, like other men, has his weakness. It is for green excreet slippers, which he done the minute he cresses his own threshold. In regard to laundry expenses he is to the White House, and 12,000 mem- extremely conomical

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Americans Suffer Loss Near Imus.

OFFICER KILLED

Aguinaldo's Euvoys Meet General Otis with No Results-Gunboats to Attack Rebels.

MANILA, Oct 3. (Tuesday, 9 a. m.)-The Fourth infantry regiment, Major house and located on the switch of the Price commanding, has had a series of encounters with the insurgents, about Imus, since Saturday. The natives made a general attack upon the American lines from Imus to Baccor. captain and a corporal of the American forces were killed, and eight men wounded. A Filipino colonel is known

to have been killed. Major Price requested Rear-Admiral Watson to send two gunboats to his support! The fighting began Saturday, when Captain Brown took a battalion, and Lieutenant Knabenshus' scouts against a large force of insurgents on the Perez das Marinas road, and a general engagement followed. Americans, being in the mud in the rice fields, kept up a fire for an hour and a half, when reinforcements were sent to them until seven companies in which this had been uttered, he ex- were engaged. The insurgents retreat- is what the state of Massachusetts ed. During the engagement three has done, and the 'gypey' moth is Americans were wounded.

The fighting yesterday began with an attack, by the ingurgents, on a party little creatures have proved such a repairing the telegraph line, one member of which was wounded.

AGUINALDO'S ENVOYS.

Manila, Oct. 2.-The Filipino envoys called on Major General Otis today and for it is estimated that fully ten discussed matters, with no result. Gen- times that amount must be spent beeral Alejandrino said to a representa- fore they are finally exterminated. tive of the Associated Press, that he had no instructions except to deliver a letter, which was rejected. He will return to Tarlac tomorrow.

An expedition composed of an armored flatboat armed with two threepounders, with the gunboats Helena, at our warehouses at Salem and Mac-Petrel and Mindero escorting it, proceeded yesterday to Oreni, for the purpose of bombarding that place, landing 200 marines and bluejackets and raising the wrecked gunboat Urdanetta. The gunboats will approach to about 2,700 yards from Oreni, and the flatboat will enter the river. The expedition will return tomorrow. The insurgents attacked Imus on the

Bacoor road, today. The last advices from there were that the American had driven the enemy with five casualties. The insurgents loss was estimated to

IN SOUTH AFRICA

WAR EXPECTED AND RUMORS

Concerning Overt Acts by the Boers-British Officials Are Hard at Work.

LGNDON, Oct. 2 .- No confirmation is obtainable from any source of the report- contained in a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, that the boers have captured Dundee.

No exceptional activity was shown at the government offices today. Chamberlain and the Earl of Selbourne were obsent from the colonial office, lessness into energy, brain-fag into but Lord Landsdowne, General Lord Wolseley, and General Sir Evelyn Wood were buslly engaged at the war office, General Sir Redvers Buller called at the war office this afternoon and a special board meeting was held. Naturally, nothing of the discussion was made public, but it is understood that General Euller will not proceed for the Cape until next week, except in case of unforeseen developments.

Many members of parliament are returning to town in anticipation of an early summoning of the house of parliament. It is the general expression that, although the speakers may express disappreval of the government policy, few will go to the extreme of voting against the required credit. It is considered more probable, they will abstain from participating in a division. Sir Wm. Vernon Harcourt, the liberal leader, in a speech at Trexegar, said:

"The first and last word of these gold hunters is war, in order to lead to annexation."

A correspondent wrote to Lord Salisbury, asking if it were not true that the government would make every effort to avoid war, and had no desire to annex the Transvaal, if a settlement could the obtained peacefully. If it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's sign-Lord Salisbury replied, answering affirmatively. A letter from an Uttlander, received

in Birmingham, was published today. If it reflects the general feeling of the British residents in Johannesburg they must be in an awful funk. The writer "If it comes to a fight, I believe the

beers will make a massacre of it, blow Johannesburg to pieces and shoot us

To on sight. In fact, I have been told a

THEIR POSITION CRITICAL London, Oct. 2.—The general drift of news indicates that the position of the British troops in South Africa is critical, owing to the delay in scading reinforcements, and in the event hostilities early reverses are regarded as probable. The latest advices show that the Transvaal mobilization has been rapid and comprehensive. Many boers, it is said, did not wait to be commanded, but proceeded to the border spontaneously. It is calculated that the Orange Free State already has 7000 men on the border.

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MRS. HOLBROOK DEAD.

Portland, Sept. 30 .- Mrs. Mary H. Holbrook, president of the Ladies' Relief Society, for thirty years, died today, aged 76. Mrs. Hotbrook was widely known for her philanthropic

RICHARDSON'S CLOTHES FOUND.

Sunday afternoon boys playing under the sidewalk at the south end of the South Commercial street bridge discovered a bundle of convicts clothing which they turned over to Chief of Police D. W. Gibson. The clothing has been identified by the penitentiary authorities as that worn by Richardson when he left that institution. The officials have been unable to locate the escaped convict who is supposed to have received aid. A number of slight traces of the man have been received but thus far the officers have been unable to obtain a chain of incidents sufficiently complete to enable him to apprehend the escape. The search however has not yet been abandoned.

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