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TROOPS.

Gradually Vacating Camps

Under Peremptory Orders From General Miles.

A REPORT FROM PONCE.

Ten Per Cent of Total Number on Sick List.

DETROIT, Sept. 12.—Concerning the reports from Camp Wikoff that the camp is preparing to break up under peremptory orders from General Miles Secretary Alger said:

"There is nothing new in that Camp Wikoff from the first was mostly intended as a detention camp, and the purpose has been to get the soldiers away from there as soon as possible. No change in purpose is indicated by the dispatches, from orders given before I left Washington."

Relative to the statement attributed to General Miles to "never mind what Alger says," etc., the secretary refused speaking.

Evacuation of Wikoff. NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—A dispatch to the Press from Camp Wikoff says: Under peremptory orders from Gen. Miles, preparations are being made to break up this camp at once, by sending home all of the soldiers. This is entirely contrary to the understanding of the officers in command. An officer said today that when Gen. Miles ordered a telegram was sent him saying that such an order was contrary to that of Alger, and Gen. Miles replied, "I am in command now."

Report From Ponce. PONCE, Sept. 12.—General Henry's report to General Brooke on the condition of the troops on the south side of the island shows 1,553 sick out of a total of 11,000, the highest percentage yet reported. A large proportion of the cases are not serious and the death rate is low.

Nearly All Gone. WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—By tomorrow night only 1800 men will be left at Chickamauga.

A GOOD RECEIPT!

Which should be used by every one to keep in perfect health and good humor. Get at THE FAIR STORE.

- 500 good carpet tacks, cost 5c, 460 good large brass pins, cost 5c, 5 papers good needles, cost 5c, 2400 matches, cost 5c.

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WINTER APPLES - OREGON GREEN & DRIED FRUIT CO.

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PRISONERS OF WAR.

Spanish Sailors and Marines Returning to Their Homes.

PORTSMOUTH, Sept. 12.—The most of the sailors and marines who survived the disaster to the warships of Cervera at Santiago were this morning placed on board the steamship City of Rome, bound for Spain. Cervera spoke enthusiastically of the splendid treatment accorded by Americans to the Spanish prisoners.

A Kentucky Feud.

ERLANGER, Ky., Sept. 12.—At Dry Ridge, an old feud was ended by the killing of two men and the fatal wounding of two others. It was father and son on each side, slain by their respective farm hands. At least 100 revolver shots were fired. The dead are Joseph Michaels, Jr., and James McCray. The dying are James W. Watson and Ben Michaels. The two latter named were the principals. They had quarreled about bench awards at the county fairs and had been at swords points for a long time. The dead man Joseph McCray, was a farm hand. James W. Watson's son escaped unscathed.

Gold From the Klondike.

SEATTLE, Sept. 12.—The steamer Rosalie arrived here last night from Skagway, Alaska, with 60 passengers from Dawson, who brought out about half a million dollars in gold dust and drafts. William Stanley, of this city, had about \$100,000 in drafts. The 300 pounds pounds of gold on which they were issued was shipped down the river to St. Michaels.

Sho.

PHOENIX, Ariz., Sept. 12.—W. B. Casey, a rancher, has killed six miles west of here by John Mander. Witnesses say the killing was in self-defense. Mander escaped and has not yet been captured.

Explosion.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 12.—Five persons are known to have lost their lives as a result of the gasoline explosion last night. It is believed half a dozen bodies are yet in the ruins.

Noted Jurist Dead.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Sept. 12.—Judge Thomas M. Coley, the noted jurist and constitutional lawyer died today.

Will Sail Saturday.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—It has been decided that the peace commission will take passage on the Campania Saturday next.

Typhoon in Japan.

YOKOHAMA, Sept. 12.—The central provinces of Japan have been swept by a terrible typhoon, which has caused heavy floods, doing much damage and destroying 500 lives.

Will Restore Rates.

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—All the Western roads today agreed to a restoration of passenger rates on September 21.

Fire at Omaha.

OMAHA, Sept. 12.—A fire destroyed the printing house of Reese Printing Company. The loss is estimated at about \$85,000.

FIRE.

New Westminster, B. C., Destroyed.

Two Million Dollars Worth of Property Destroyed.

SEVERAL PERSONS PERISH

Eleven Bodies Found in the Debris at Jerome, Arizona.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Sept. 12.—The business portion of New Westminster was totally destroyed by fire Sunday morning. The property loss will exceed \$2,000,000.

Despair and suffering are the lot of hundreds of homeless people. Food, clothing and aid of all kinds is being hurriedly dispatched from Vancouver to the ill-fated "Royal" city.

It is not known how many people lost their lives, but it is feared several have been burned to death. Three river steamers were destroyed. The Canadian Pacific railway station and bridge across Fraser river were burned.

The fire started about midnight on the river front, and was caused by a spark from a steamer. Fanned by a fierce gale, the flames leaped with such rapidity that within three hours 10 streets were ablaze.

Block after block caught fire, and in a few hours there was nothing left of what had been the business portion of New Westminster.

The wind was blowing furiously down Fraser river towards the mouth. This morning there was no water supply for the use of the burned-out citizens. There was not a single butcher, baker or provision shop that was not destroyed, and there was only one small hotel saved.

Some of the burnt-out people retired in the early hours this morning in the open air in front of the school house. They covered themselves with blankets and lay down to sleep under the sky.

The loss is roughly estimated at \$2,500,000, and the insurance at \$1,500,000.

Bank vaults withstood the fire. One insurance company's vault was blown up by gunpowder.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Sept. 12.—At New Westminster this morning there are many peculiar scenes after the fire on the wide open space where the fire stopped. A city of tents has arisen. Here the provincial government authorities have housed in tents all the homeless sufferers. The property loss is estimated at one million. The theory is the fire originated by a spark from a steamer. Already merchants are beginning to rebuild their stores.

Mining Camp Wiped Out.

PRESBOTT, Ariz., Sept. 11.—The town of Jerome, near here, was completely wiped out by fire Sunday morning, entailing a loss of over

\$1,000,000 in property. Eleven bodies have so far been recovered, while a score or more are said to be in the ruins or missing.

The fire originated from a gasoline stove in a cabin and spread so rapidly and fiercely that it was impossible to save even clothing.

The fire was confined exclusively to the business portion of the town. Many people from Jerome are arriving here on special trains, while those remaining are being cared for by the company. The number of people who are homeless is placed at 1500 and they are being cared for by Messrs. Groux and Allen, of the mining company, until other arrangements are made.

Where the fire originated was a scene of a drunken carousal last night, and while no demonstrations are being made against the men who are responsible for it, when the horror of the deed wears away from the victims attention will be given to the men who caused it.

The fire started at 7 o'clock in the morning and spread with such rapidity that in less than two hours not a house in a radius that would cover five blocks was left standing. On the other side of the gulch hundred pounds of gun powder was used in the attempt to arrest the flames by demolishing buildings, but eyewitnesses state that as soon as a gap was made, the scattered buildings were licked up as if by suction.

Fire at Red Bluff.

RED BLUFF, Cal., Sept. 12.—Fire broke out Sunday morning on Main street, and before it was extinguished destroyed an entire block of the finest buildings in the town. The loss to property owners will be more than \$100,000, on which the insurance is probably half that sum. The origin of the fire is unknown. The principal sufferers from the conflagration are Darrough & Fickett, Bank of Tehama; A. L. Hoffman, P. R. Kestner and D. S. Prince.

Burned.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 12.—A dispatch to the State Journal from Washington courthouse says the Masonic temple was destroyed by fire Sunday morning. The Springfield (O.) fire department rendered timely assistance. The loss on the building is about \$40,000. Frank L. Sutton, who had a large department store in the building, lost his entire stock, valued at \$60,000. The losses are considerable.

Kentucky Fire.

PRINCETON, Ky., Sept. 12.—The block of buildings on Main street, here, known as Bank hotel, were destroyed by fire Sunday. Total loss, about \$50,000.

Race War in Georgia.

BROOK STATION, Ga., Sept. 12.—The body of George Burton, a negro, who assaulted Mrs. Coggins, was found this morning in the Flint river about three miles below Digby, riddled with bullets. A rock weighing several hundred pounds was tied to it. The news has reached here that 200 or 300 negroes are marching to Digby, armed with guns and rifles, swearing vengeance. Every white man in town is going armed.

Have Not Held a Meeting.

HAVANA, Sept. 12.—The United States evacuation commissioners did not hold a meeting this morning. Colonel Clous accompanied by Colonel Hart and an interpreter visited Senor Montero bearing a sealed communication understood to bear some relation to the next meeting of the commissioners. The Yacht Alfredo arrived yesterday with Senor Benj. Guerra, treasurer of the Cuban Junta in New York and Senor Theodore Pesezy Carasco. They were not allowed to land.

Nobody need have Neurasthenia. Get Dr. Miles' Brain Tonic from druggists. One cent a dose.

WILL DO ALL IN HER POWER.

America Will Send Envoys Asking Tagalos to Respect Peace Protocol.

MADRID, Sept. 12.—The French ambassador at Washington has cabled the government that the American reply to the Spanish protest against the hostilities of the Philippines in spite of the peace protocol.

The United States promises to send envoys to induce Tagalos to respect the suspension of hostilities and prevent all vessels leaving Manila with insurgents with the intention of propagating an insurrection in other islands.

Not Responsible for Cervera's Defeat.

MADRID, Sept. 12.—In the chamber of deputies yesterday, Captain Annon, minister of marine, replying to the attacks of Senor Canalejas editor of El Heraldo reminded the deputies that when he became minister of marine, the Spanish squadron under Admiral Cervera was already at Santiago de Cuba. Therefore, he declared he could not be held responsible for the acts charged by Senor Canalejas.

"Admiral Cervera not having coal or food, was unable," said Captain Annon, "to leave the blockade in the port of Santiago. He wanted to blow up his ships in the harbor, but I informed him that it would be preferable to leave the port and engage the enemy. General Blanco ordered Admiral Cervera to leave Santiago, and fixed the day of his departure.

The Carlists, Republican and Conservative Deputies Met Again Last Evening and Approved their Joint Manifesto Against a Secret Discussion of the Protocol.

A prominent senator, having objected to the standing vote, because in secret session, the final vote will be taken in a public session.

Investigation.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Sept. 12.—Colonel Dudley is here making an investigation of the shooting of Spanish prisoners on the cruiser Harvard, just before that vessel left Cuba for Seavy's islands. The shooting was the outcome of a dispute between the prisoners and the privates of the Ninth Massachusetts.

Hospital Report.

WIKOFF, Sept. 12.—Five deaths were reported from the general hospital today. There are 671 patients in the general hospital, 45 in the detention hospital. The latter will be abandoned today. It is expected by Thursday there will be no patients in the general hospital.

Every train brings in detachments of troops sent here to join the remnants of the regular army, preparatory to being sent to their home stations.

In Police Court.

Andrew Johnson was arrested last night for drunkenness and given five days by Recorder Edes today. R. W. Witt was arrested early this morning for the larceny of \$33.50. His trial is being heard by Recorder Edes this afternoon. Witt represented himself as broke to a couple of friends and they allowed him to sleep with them. In the night the bed broke down and they moved to the middle of the floor. When the boys woke up in the morning Witt was gone also the \$33.50. He was captured at the station by Officer Townsend this morning shortly before the overland come in. Judge Edes bound Witt over to the grand jury on two charges, viz. larceny in a dwelling and exposing obscene writing.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure. The Royal is the highest grade baking powder known. Actual tests show it goes one-third further than any other brand.

Hurt by a Horse. ALBANY, Or., Sept. 12.—Robert Sellers, an employe of the Corvallis & Eastern railroad, in attempting to stop a runaway horse this afternoon, was thrown violently upon the stone pavement. He was unconscious all the afternoon from concussion of the brain, and is in a critical condition. The horse was ridden by a boy named Looney, who was thrown off but was not seriously hurt.

Fires at Medford.

MEDFORD, Or., Sept. 12.—The fire of Sunday, was followed by the burning of two barns about midnight last night in another part of the city. The barns were the property of Arthur Wilson and A. J. Stewart, standing on opposite side of an alley. The fire was undoubtedly the work of incendiaries. There was no insurance on either. An extra force of night-watchmen will be put on at once.

Rough Riders Go Home.

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—Five hundred members of the Third United States volunteer cavalry, Grigsby's Rough Riders, have passed through Chicago, enroute from Chickamauga to their homes in the Northwest. Only a few were ill.

Murder and Suicide.

WYANDOTTE, Mich., Sept. 12.—While drunk Ezette, aged 65 years, shot and killed his wife, and then turned the revolver on himself, inflicting a wound from which he died in an hour. Lazette had for some time been very jealous, and had just been released from jail, where he had been sent for assaulting her.

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