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Dual Duties in the Philippines a Heavy Task.

General Anderson in Speaking of the Situation Says Another Man is Badly Needed—Declares that the Best Talent in the Country Should Be Sent to Direct Affairs.

CHICAGO, July 24.—"The greatest statesman in this country should be made governor-general of the Philippine islands, and the military authorities in the island subordinated to him."

Brigadier General Thomas M. Anderson, commanding the department of the lakes, today outlined in the foregoing words what he believed to be the best course to pursue in the far east.

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"As it is, General Otis is both civil and military governor in the islands. Exercising both of these functions, he is the most absolute and arbitrary ruler on earth, the czar of Russia not excepted. The military power should, in my opinion, be merely a means of carrying out the policy of the civil administration. It must be understood that I do not mean this criticism of General Otis, for he is vested with this dual power and must do the best he can. I believe that the task which he is trying to perform is too great for any one man, no matter how capable he may be.

"The man at the head of the war department at Washington should be of good business executive ability and sound common sense. The statesmanship required on the scene of action. I have no intimation of any change in the department under Mr. Root. One thing is certain, however, so long as General Otis is allowed to remain in command he should receive the support of the administration at Washington. An incorrect policy carried out with determination is usually productive of better results than is a policy which, on the whole, might be better, but the execution of which is wavering. Whether or not General Otis has acted wisely in the matter of press censorship I am too far away to tell. Personally, I have a great deal of respect for the correspondents with whom I came in contact in the Philippines and believe them to be men of truth and honor. There may be other elements entering into the case, however, in which would justify General Otis in that which he is said to have done."

Good Health in Havana.

HAVANA, July 24.—The health report for the last two weeks has been the most favorable ever known in the history of Havana. There have been no yellow fever cases and the number of other contagious or infectious diseases has been reduced to the minimum. The authorities will not declare that it is impossible there should be a yellow fever epidemic here, but are doing everything possible to avoid such an occurrence. The officials here are congratulating themselves upon the success thus far attained, but are not relaxing their efforts to maintain a proper sanitary condition in every direction. Any cases of sickness about which there is any possible doubt are closely watched.

Federal Judges in Alaska.

SEATTLE, Wash., July 24.—Alaskan advices state that C. S. Johnson, judge of the United States court, district of Alaska, has departed on his tour of the Yukon. He will appoint judges under the provisions of the new laws governing Alaska for all the principal American Yukon towns and may himself hold court sessions in one or more places. The journey involves the descent of the Yukon from source to mouth and thence from St. Michael back to Sitka. Judge Johnson is accompanied by Clerk A. D. Elliott, United States Marshal J. M. Shoune and Assistant United States District Attorney A. J. Daly.

Invites McKinley to Lincoln.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 24.—Assistant Secretary McKeljohn today presented an invitation to the president to be present at the reception to be given to the first Nebraska volunteers at Lincoln on the 24th of September, upon their return from the Philippines.

The president promised to accept in case he could make his contemplated western trip.

Democrats Draw Pistols.

BOWLING GREEN, Ky., July 24.—The anti-Göebel meeting here this afternoon ended in the greatest disorder. Personal violence was resorted

to several times before the convention was over. One man was stricken from the rear with brass knuckles. Several others were struck and for a time it looked as if the meeting would end in a general riot. Pistols and knives were drawn and but for a temporary adjournment more bloodshed would surely have followed.

A TRAMP'S FOOT IS MANGLED.

Harrowing Experience of George Morgan on the Bumpers of a Train.

BENKELMAN, Neb., July 23.—With one foot crushed off between the bumpers of two Burlington cars, George Morgan, a South Omaha man, rode Saturday night on a slow freight for over fifty miles, from a point near McCook to that place, where his leg was amputated. He boarded the car just outside of McCook, seating himself between the cars on the bumpers. When the train started Morgan's foot was caught and practically cut off up to the ankle.

In spite of the intense pain and by summoning all his wonderful nerve Morgan remained conscious for fifty miles. He tore up his shirt and bound the strips about the wound in order to stop the flow of blood. This he did not succeed in doing very well, for the strips came off after a time and the blood continued to flow. He strove to hold his leg in his arms, but this grew wearisome as his energy ebbed away and he allowed his leg to hang down so that it dragged in the cinders.

At this place he was removed from his horrible position in a state of nervous frenzy that almost amounted to insanity. Doctors Withall and Barrows performed the operation. Morgan endured the amputation quite as heroically as he did the awful ride over the sandy plains. His condition is critical and he may die.

Morgan was employed by Kemple & Sons of Omaha. He says that he has a brother at Greenwich, Kan.

PRIESTS DESERT THE CHURCH.

Filipino Organizes Separate Body With Himself at the Head.

MANILA, July 23.—6:25 p. m.—A Filipino priest named Gregorio Agripino, with the insurgents, is trying to lead a movement for the independence of the church in the Philippines from the Spanish priesthood. He has issued a proclamation declaring himself the vicar general of all the Filipino priests in the district of American control on the island of Luzon, and is inciting the priests to disobey the regulations of the church and the brotherhoods.

The archbishop of the district has issued a bull communicating Agripino and this action has increased the feeling between the Filipinos and the church. The archbishop threatened to excommunicate the owners of Spanish papers publishing announcements of Protestant and Masonic meetings, whereupon an American paper warned him that he might be bundled out of the island like any disturber of the peace if he should incite religious animosities.

The Dominican friars have begun the publication of a newspaper for the purpose of defending the brotherhood.

The United States transport Zealandia, which sailed from San Francisco June 24 with four companies of the Twenty-fourth infantry, 150 recruits and a large amount of provisions and supplies for the army on board, has arrived here.

Mrs. McKinley Needs Rest.

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., July 23.—Preparations are being made at Hotel Champlain in anticipation of the arrival of President and Mrs. McKinley, who are expected on Wednesday or Thursday of this week. In view of Mrs. McKinley's ill-health, the president hopes to be able to spend his time while here in absolute rest and quiet. He has asked that no newspaper correspondents be allowed on the special train which will convey himself and party to the shores of Lake Champlain.

The suite of rooms facing the lake on the main floor of the hotel annex, which the president occupied during his stay at the hotel in the summer of 1897, is being especially furnished and made ready for his occupancy.

Many prominent people are expected at the hotel during the president's visit, among them being Secretary Gage, General Griggs, Vice President Hobart and family and Ethel Root, recently appointed secretary of war.

Volcanic Eruptions.

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English and German speculators have acquired rights to land in eastern Serbia, where Romans are known to have found gold, and where, accordingly, mining works are to be started.

Mortgage indebtedness record of Dixon county for June, 1899: Farm mortgages filed, \$44,099 90; released, \$24,227.71. City mortgages filed, \$4,267; released, \$700. Chattel mortgages filed, \$36,818; released, \$28,484.01.

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SHERIFF LOSES TRAIL.

Jesse McCarty Has Thus Far Evaded the Officers.

Victim of the Fugitive's Wild Shooting Still Lives—Brother of Jesse Advises Him to Return and Stand Trial, Believing He Will Be Able to Put Up a Strong Defense.

BELLEVUE, Neb., July 23.—Hubert, the victim of Jesse McCarty's wild shooting at Fort Crook city last night, still lives, with favorable chances of recovery and in a condition as comfortable as a 44-caliber ball in his back will permit under the best of care and medical skill. The would-be assassin is still at large and badly injured, so some of his friends here assert.

On arrival here this morning Sheriff Sam Startzer first searched McCarty's home and vicinity. This was about 2 a. m., while the affray occurred about 10 p. m., and McCarty's wounds had been dressed by Dr. W. C. Buel, the local physician here at 11 p. m., after which suitable cover had been attended to, or a clean trail left.

Approaching this fact, Startzer then organized a posse of deputies and proceeded to search the dwellings of several of McCarty's relatives and friends, whose amiable compliance served to confirm the officer's belief that the cover was deemed satisfactory, more than which the dense scrubbery investing a considerable portion of the town could leave nothing to be desired.

Every clue was faithfully traced. A misplaced car near one of the boats at the landing caused the sheriff to cross the river in search of the trail, but none was discovered, and about 9 o'clock this morning the chase was abandoned, while the pursued was left, presumably, in the bosom of friends.

"Lansy," Jesse's hired man, who participated in the scrimmage, was taken into custody by the sheriff. In an interview with Jim McCarty, a brother of Jesse, he laid the whole blame to whisky, and said that if in his brother's place he would give himself up and fight the case, claiming that Jesse did not do all the shooting, and that the evidence would show that Reynolds was using his gun at the same time that Jesse was struck down from behind, and that when Reynolds left beating him he said: "There, you've got a dead man; drag him out," showing an intention to give Jesse the worst of it in Reynolds' saloon.

That some such course will be pursued is generally accepted, as Jesse McCarty, unlike his brothers, is quite thrifty, having some stock and valuable crops, which might enable him to put up a strong defense in a legal way.

LEAGUERS START FOR HOME.

Young Methodists' Convention Considers Different Phases of Mission Work.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 23.—The Epworth league convention formally adjourned tonight to meet in San Francisco in 1901. The work was practically ended last night. The final session was devoted to addresses on "Missions."

Incoming trains today brought thousands of visitors and it was estimated that the number of delegates had reached the 20,000 mark.

The visiting ministers filled city pulpits in the morning and the afternoon was devoted to missionary conferences. Tonight Hon. F. D. Fuller of Topeka, Kan., presided in the tent, Rev. J. E. Berry of Chicago at Tomlinson hall, Rev. J. H. Riddell of Wimping, Man., in the opera house and Rev. W. B. Chapman of Louisville at Roberts Park church. Rev. John F. Goucher of Baltimore delivered an address on mission work in India. He has just returned from an inspection of the missionary stations in that country and spoke of the progress of the Epworth league. He had with him twenty flags from India Epworth league. Bishop McCabe, "the champion of Liberty prison," spoke of "Missionary Work in the South." Other speakers of the evening were: Rev. A. W. Mink, Chattanooga; Rev. W. F. Wilson, Hamilton, Ont.; Rev. G. W. Briggs, Owensboro, Ky.; Rev. W. I. Haven and Rev. L. S. Baldwin, New York. At the close of the addresses farewell consecration services were held.

In the tent the service was conducted by D. W. Potter, Chicago; Bishop Fitzgerald, Nashville, in Tomlinson's hall; Rev. L. W. Munhall, Germantown, Pa., in the opera house, and Rev. G. J. Bond in Roberts Park church. These services consisted of testimonials by the delegates, hundreds of whom spoke at all four meetings. At the close the benediction was pronounced and the convention adjourned. The delegates will leave the city tomorrow.

The board of control will begin its meeting tomorrow morning, which will probably last till Wednesday, Bishop Niede of Detroit is chairman of this board.

The most important matter to come before the board will be the question of federation of the young people's societies of the league.

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THE END HOG.

And the Fat Man That Crowded Into a Car Seat.

Boston Herald: I saw a funny sight the other night on a boulevard electric, which rather knocked the "end hog" silly. A man weighing in the neighborhood of 400 pounds shoved a woman with him in the seat which already held two other passengers; one of them yielded to pressure and moved in, the other held the fort, and then came the tug-of-war. The stout party became purple with rage: "Please move up." The "end hog" blandly answered: "I can't." Then the 400-pounder made one more desperate effort, and finally squeezed himself through the second place, puffing and panting with the exertion. But his woes were not over. A woman had stopped the car, and as the conductor counted but four heads for this particular bench, he ordered her in there; as she went, climbing over the "end hog" to a space of less than three inches besides the choleric passenger, who was the embodiment of six furies. It was more laughable to see the indignation on the countenances of those this last wedge had made miserable. The "end hog" hung his face over the running board and tried to breathe; the fat party sprawled out his elbows and grumbled to his companion, and the other end seater hunched herself into nothingness in vain. When the "fifth wheel" to this coach finally got off the car she was crushed together like an opera hat. Then the others expanded, and once more four passengers on that particular bench were more than it could conveniently accommodate. I was sorry to leave without knowing whether the stout gentleman had the right of way, or if he stepped on and obliterated forever the "end hog" when he reached his destination.

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with typhoid fever, that ran into pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and am now well and strong, I can't say too much in its praise." This marvelous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for throat and lung trouble. Regular sizes 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at F. G. Fricke & Co.'s drug store; every bottle guaranteed.

PEOPLE TALKED ABOUT.

Mrs. Vanderbilt rejoices in the possession of the most beautiful cat in the world; it cost no less than \$5,000. London's latest beauty, Pamela Snowden, never fails to wear a wreath of lilacs about her small head, and never does the smallest jewel sparkle about her toilet.

In twenty-five years Sarah Bernhardt has, it is announced, been paid nearly \$1,250,000 for her exertions on the stage and she is now fulfilling a comparatively short engagement which will add about another \$250,000 to that large sum. In the last ten years her average gains have been \$60,000 a year; in the last five, \$100,000; yet in 1872, at the Odeon theater, she earned only \$40 a month.

A good story is told of the young crown prince of Germany. Soon after Bismarck's retirement the emperor and empress were at dinner with their elder children and some eminent statesmen, when the young prince suddenly broke out with: "They say, father, that now Prince Bismarck has gone, you will be able to tell the people to do just what you like, all by yourself. You will enjoy that, won't you?"

The duchess of Marlborough and the duchess of Devonshire probably have the finest pearls in England, the Manchester necklace being very well known. Many smart ladies wear their pearls constantly, although they are not seen, as they are worn under a high dress, as pearls are supposed to keep their color better when worn next to the skin. Pearls have, within the last twenty-five years, increased in value 1,000 per cent.

A party of David City fishermen caught a large eel measuring thirty-two inches in length, nine inches in circumference, and weighing about five pounds. It is the largest eel ever caught in the Platte, and is larger than the ones on exhibition at the World's fair. It was on exhibition in Mr. Thomas' saloon on Thursday.

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Lord Russell of Killowen.

Lord Russell of Killowen owes his marvelous advancement as much to his indomitable pluck as to his great ability. Born nearly sixty-seven years ago in Ireland, he was called to the bar at the age of 27, and after nearly abandoning the law in despair, reached in 1886 the dignity of attorney general, and, what was more gratifying still, an income of 30,000 pounds a year.

When you want to smoke a 10-cent cigar try Otto Wurf's "Silver Wreath"—union made—you can find no better on the market.

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Wash Goods All our Fine Imported Organdies go at 15c and 19c. Good Lawns 5c yard. Percales 8 1/2c and 10c. Good Prints 4 1/2c. Best Scotch Ginghams 15c per yard.

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Shoes All Colored Shoes go at COST. A good lot of Ladies' Oxfords in small sizes at 50c.

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LADIES' SUMMER VESTS 5c. FAST BLACK COTTON HOSE 8c.

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MEASURING LIGHTNING. How Humboldt Struck on the Fulgurite Idea. It is not generally known that many flashes of lightning not only measure themselves but actually manufacture the recorder by which they are defined. When a bolt of lightning strikes a bed of sand it plunges downward into the sand for a distance less or greater, transforming simultaneously into glass the silica in the material through which it passes. Thus, by its great heat, it forms a glass tube of precisely its own size. Now and then such a tube known as "fulgurite" is found and dug up. Fulgurites have been followed into the sand by excavation for nearly 30 feet. They vary in interior diameter from the size of a quill to three inches or more, according to the "bore" of the flash. Fulgurites are found also in solid rock, though very naturally of slight depth, and frequently existing merely as a thin, glassy coating on the surface. Such fulgurites occur in astonishing abundance on the summit of Little Ararat in Armenia. The rock is soft and so porous that blocks a foot long can be obtained, perforated in all directions by little tubes filled with bottle-green glass formed from the fused rock. There is a small specimen in the national museum which has the appearance of having been bored by the toro, and the holes made by the worm subsequently filled with glass. Some wonderful fulgurites were found by Humboldt, on the high Nevada de Toluca, in Mexico. Masses of rock were covered with a thin layer of green glass. Its peculiar shimmer in the sun led Humboldt to ascend the precipitous peak, at the risk of his life.

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