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THE WORLD AT LARGE.

Summary of the Daily News.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

SECRETARY ALGER on the 23d promised a committee that Kansas City, Mo., should have one of the largest cannons captured from the Spanish for a trophy.

A LONG dispatch was received at Washington on the 23d from President Schurman, of the Philippine commission, giving the results of the meetings thus far held with the Filipino commission sent by Aguinaldo to treat with the Americans. President McKinley was much gratified at its contents, but the text of the dispatch was not made public and will not be.

WASHINGTON on the 23d inaugurated a three days' peace jubilee. The city was gaily decorated with bunting and the day opened with the boom of guns, the ringing of church bells and the blowing of whistles. In the afternoon there was a parade of military and naval organizations stationed in and around Washington. At night a grand display of fireworks and a realistic production of the battle of Manila were given.

THE feature of the second day of the national peace jubilee at Washington was the civic parade. It was over an hour passing the reviewing stand where President McKinley and a distinguished company were seated. There were many floats decorated by the leading firms of the capital.

ADJUTANT GEN. CORBIN on the 24th prepared this statement of the number of deaths which have occurred in the army since the beginning of the war with Spain: In Cuba, 1,399; in Porto Rico, 287; at Honolulu, 45; in the Philippines, 606; in the United States, 3,873; total, 6,209.

REPRESENTATIVE SHERMAN, of New York, called on President McKinley on the 24th and formally notified him of his candidacy for the speakership.

THE navy department is laying in extensive new stocks of naval ordnance. One of the effects of the recent war has been to build up a large number of small factories capable of producing war supplies. Factories which have heretofore been engaged in making bicycles, rivets, castings and tubings learned that the making of war materials was profitable employment. By slightly adding to their plants they are able to make shells, projectiles, etc.

ADJUTANT GEN. CORBIN on the 25th gave out for publication the report of Col. Frederick Funston, of the Twentieth Kansas regiment, which was an appendix to the report of Maj. Gen. MacArthur. The report deals with the operations of the Kansas regiment from the beginning of the outbreak February 4 until February 15.

THE secretary of war has ordered 2,000 recruits at San Francisco for regular regiments in the Philippines to sail on the transport Sheridan June 4 for Manila. This ship will be utilized to bring home volunteers now in the Philippines.

ADMIRAL DEWEY telegraphed the navy department at Washington that he will reach New York about October 1.

GENERAL NEWS.

W. J. BRYAN addressed 10,000 people at Danville, Ill., on the 26th.

A SPECIAL from Muscogee, I. T., said that the Creek Indians had ratified the Dawes treaty by a majority of 485 votes and that Chief Ispahcheer had selected his allotment.

THE business failures in the United States for the week ended the 26th numbered 158, according to Bradstreet's commercial report, against 231 for the corresponding week in last year.

AT the international Y. M. C. A. conference at Grand Rapids, Mich., on the 26th Anthony Comstock made an address in the interest of his work for the suppression of immoral literature.

MRS. RUTH HOWARD has been subpoenaed by Mr. Moss to appear before the Mazet committee at New York. The committee will direct its attention to the Tombs prison. Mrs. Howard spent several months in the Tombs. She told a story of happenings in the Tombs which Mr. Moss said would stir the people of New York as few cities have been stirred since Charles Dickens revealed the shames and outrages suffered in London prisons.

ONE man was instantly killed and another so badly injured that he died by the explosion of a steam drying cylinder in the dyeing and finishing mill of James Martin & Co. at Philadelphia. Three others were injured, one probably fatally.

THE gold excitement at Potosi, N. M., runs high and the staking off of claims continues. The last assays give promise of fine placer mines.

THE three women whom Levi Moore shot at Kansas City, Mo., a few days ago in a jealous rage have all died of their wounds. Mrs. Jennie Campbell died on the 25th and Mrs. Ella Landis succumbed a few hours before her. Mrs. Anna Mish died on the night of the 23d.

ROSA BONHEUR, the animal painter, died at Paris on the 26th.

IN view of the disarmament of the Cuban forces, the Cuban-American league in New York, in a letter mailed to Gen. Gomez, made the suggestion that "a tag be wired to each weapon deposited in the museum of Cuban liberty, having written upon it the name, address and service of the soldier depositing it." The league also said that its members were in favor of Cuba being a state in the union; no barrier or tariff or tongue being between her people and those of other states in the United States.

TWENTY-FIVE buildings, comprising one-third of the business portion of Staples, Minn., were burned the other night. An overturned lamp in a tailor shop started the fire.

THE coal chutes of the Santa Fe road at East Las Vegas, N. M., were entirely destroyed by fire the other day. More than 500 tons of coal and 200 cords of wood were destroyed.

A TRAIN wreck occurred on the Iowa Central, five miles north of Oskaloosa, Ia., the other day. The engine and six cars left the track. The head brakeman, W. S. Chandler, was caught under falling cars and badly crushed. He will die.

THE Ohio Sash and Door company's big factory at Cleveland, O., was destroyed by fire. Loss, \$100,000. Ten firemen had a narrow escape from a falling wall.

A TORNADO struck River Falls, Wis., on the 26th and barns and small houses were demolished and several people were more or less hurt.

NEAR Minden, Neb., a tornado did considerable damage on the 26th.

JOLO, one of the Philippine islands, was evacuated by the Spaniards on the 26th and then occupied by the Americans, the latter paying the Spaniards the usual honors.

TWENTY acres in the heart of Coney Island, N. Y., the summer resort, were swept by flames on the 26th. In all there were 200 buildings burned, including the Hygeia hotel, theaters, concert halls, dancing pavilions, etc. The fire made shelterless for a time about 3,500 persons. The value of the property burned was estimated at nearly \$1,000,000.

THE Samoan commission arrived at Apia the other day and held a sitting. Nothing was disclosed regarding the deliberations, but it was reported that they upheld the action of Admiral Kautz, the American naval commander.

C. H. J. TAYLOR, a leading negro, died at Atlanta, Ga., on the 25th. He was a democrat and held the position of register of the District of Columbia during Cleveland's administration. Taylor formerly resided in Kansas City, Kan., but of late years has lived in Baltimore, Md.

THE fertilizing plant of Walker, Stratman & Co., at Pittsburgh, Pa., was destroyed by fire. Edward Probst, an employe, was missing and it was feared that he was burned to death. The loss was about \$100,000.

SEÑOR DON EMILIO CASTELAR, the distinguished Spanish-republican orator and statesman, who had been suffering from an attack of pulmonary catarrh contracted last winter, is dead. He was 67 years old.

A HURRICANE visited Hastings, Neb., on the 25th, demolishing the St. Joseph & Grand Island railroad sheds and blowing down 20 houses. No lives were lost.

ADVICES from Riga, capital of the Baltic province of Livonia, says that the Russian soldiers, in suppressing the recent rioting between workmen at that place, killed 12 persons and wounded 50.

TWENTY thousand people attended the sham battle at the state G. A. R. encampment at Terre Haute, Ind., the other day. Six companies of state militia and two light batteries participated. A fort had been constructed and a part of the militia were ordered to defend it. They were supposed to be Spaniards. The invading forces stormed the breastworks and tore the Spanish flag from the fort, while the old veterans shouted themselves hoarse.

THE tuberculosis congress opened at Berlin on the 24th with 2,000 members present, of whom 200 were delegates from Germany and foreign governments. Surgeon Boyd, who represents the medical corps of the United States navy at the congress, made an address and was elected chairman of the American delegation.

GEN. MACARTHUR and Gen. Funston, with the Kansas and Montana regiments and Utah battery, dispersed 800 Filipino insurgents who were entrenched on the railroad near Santa Arita. Gen. Funston led the charge at the double-quick.

QUEEN VICTORIA's eightieth birthday was celebrated throughout the British empire on the 24th and President McKinley was among those who sent her congratulatory telegrams.

THE Mexican Central depot, which was built across the Rio Grande at El Paso, Tex., 19 years ago at a cost of \$40,000, was entirely destroyed by fire the other morning. The origin of the fire, it was said, was a lighted cigarette.

THE Kansas state treasurer on the 23d stamped warrants in the sum of \$47,850, "not paid for want of funds." When the treasury opened that day there was \$19,000 in the general revenue fund. It did not last an hour.

HOMOEOPATHIC medicine manufacturers from all over the United States met at Cleveland, O., recently for the purpose of forming a national organization. It was stated that every manufacturing homeopathic interest in the United States was represented at the meeting with one or two exceptions.

AT the democratic banquet at St. Louis on the 25th there were 1,445 seated at the tables. After the tables were cleared 5,000 people took seats and listened to the speeches, which were nearly all leveled against trusts, including that of William J. Bryan, who only touched briefly upon the silver question, but declared it was an issue that must be met.

THREE white men, James Humphries and his two sons, were lynched the other night near the village of Aley, Tex. The Humphries were farmers and were accused of harboring a man who had murdered a constable. The mob was composed of 13 neighbors.

TWO boys in passing a tent on the outskirts of Joplin, Mo., the other day discovered a man on the floor dead. On a bed nearby was the body of a woman with her skull crushed in and on another bed the dead bodies of a boy of 12 and a girl of ten, their heads also being crushed. Hurrying out of the tent the boys stumbled over the headless body of a girl about four years of age. The dead man's name was James E. Moss and it was believed that he had murdered his wife and children in a fit of despondency.

A FIRE at St. Johns, N. B., burned over an area of 15 blocks, destroying 150 houses and making about 1,000 persons homeless, mostly laboring people. The loss was estimated at \$500,000.

THE circle of German-American Freemason lodges, representing some 10,000 masons of German birth or parentage, held its third annual convention at Detroit, Mich., on the 25th. The session was secret.

THE Farmers' Review at Chicago on the 24th published a review of winter wheat prospects, compiled from information received from over 500 correspondents in Kansas, Nebraska, Missouri, Illinois, Wisconsin, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio and Kentucky. The reports in the main showed the winter wheat to be in rather poor condition. In Kansas much of the rather limited area of winter wheat sown was winter-killed. In Missouri the condition is described as good in the central and southern portions of the state, but poor in the north.

THE United States cruiser Olympie, with Admiral Dewey on board, arrived at Hong Kong on the 23d from Manila. She was saluted by the ships of all nationalities. Admiral Dewey was received by a guard of honor of the Royal Welsh fusiliers when he landed to visit the governor and the British officials, who afterwards returned his visit. Admiral Dewey was in bad health.

WILLIAM EVANS, his wife and child, were killed while out in a carriage near Gadsden, Ala., by the horses running away down a mountain side.

W. F. HUTCHINSON, a New York drummer, has two wives on his hands. Last January Hutchinson was given a divorce at Perry, Ok., from his wife, M. E. Hutchinson, of Lynn, Mass., on the ground of abandonment. It seems that his wife did not know of the suit, and now the judge has opened the case and set aside the divorce. In the meantime Hutchinson married again.

ADDITIONAL DISPATCHES.

THE through train from Chicago to Minneapolis over the Rock Island and Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern railways was wrecked on the 26th at the crossing of Sink creek, about four miles southeast of Waterloo, Ia. Eight persons were killed and 23 injured. A cloudburst had washed the sand and gravel roadbed, leaving the track unsupported for a stretch of 20 feet. The engine struck the washout and was derailed in the ditch beside the track and behind it the cars were piled in a confused heap.

JAMES LYNCH, a saloonkeeper of East St. Louis, Ill., shot and mortally wounded his wife and stepson and then put a bullet into his own head. Lynch will recover. A quarrel caused the tragedy.

A CYCLONE swept across the country in the vicinity of the Bijou hills, 25 miles south of Chamberlain, S. D., on the 27th, resulting in the death of Charles Peterson and his six children and the serious injury of two other persons. A church and a schoolhouse were destroyed and much other damage done.

THE Chicago Great Western train was derailed near Oelwein, Ia., and the Pullman porter was crushed to death.

A FREIGHT train was wrecked near Whitesboro, Tex., on the 28th and seven cars of merchandise were demolished. The engineer was killed and fireman fatally injured.

A DESTRUCTIVE cyclone visited Hamilton county, Neb., on the 27th and destroyed property to the amount of about \$100,000.

A HAILSTORM struck Hastings, Neb., on the afternoon of the 28th and over 2,000 panes of glass were broken, fruit and grain destroyed, chickens and birds killed and several persons hurt.

THE Texas legislature adjourned sine die on the 27th.

JACOB SOLOMONS and eight members of his family were burned to death at Hardeeville, S. C. The man built a fire on the floor, having no chimney in the room, and afterwards they all went to bed and left it burning, when the structure was ignited.

ONE woman was killed outright, another was fatally injured and a baby was so badly hurt that its chances of life are small by a train crashing into a carriage while crossing the track at Singac, N. J.

THREE men were killed at Wendts station, N. Y., by their vehicle being run down by a train while passing over the track.

CUBANS NOW FILING CLAIMS

More Than a Hundred Apply for Their Share of Uncle Sam's Money and Thirty Are Paid.

Havana, May 29.—There were 111 applicants yesterday for shares in the \$3,000,000 which the United States has offered as a gratuity to Cuban troops. Thirty were given \$75 each. The others were not on the rolls, although they had guns which they were ready to turn in and certificates of service. The United States military authorities consider that the rolls are very unreliable. Indeed, the opinion is freely expressed that a large proportion of the names are fictitious and that the rolls omit a majority of the names of those rightly entitled to share in the gratuity. The object of this, apparently, is to discredit the entire proceedings and to show the Cuban public that a large number of the troops refused to take American money. Of those paid 25 turned in arms—Mauers, Remingtons and carbines. The other five showed receipts from the alcalde vouching for the delivery of their arms. Col. Randall says it will be necessary to have additional days after awhile here and extra pay rolls for men who have undoubtedly seen service. He also believes that were the payment to be continued in Havana for the next three days, at least 90 per cent. of those entitled to apply would do so.

CORNWALL A SUICIDE.

Kansas City Physician Suspected of Murdering His Wife, Her Brother and Miss Bonesteel Takes His Own Life.

Kansas City, Mo., May 29.—Dr. Richmond Cornwall, slayer of his brother, once suspected of wife murder and twice of the murder of young women, one of them Maude Belle Bonesteel, the mystery about whose disappearance has never been cleared, killed himself early yesterday morning. It was a bloody ending of a bloody life. Financial difficulties may have been the immediate cause of the suicide. But back of this, in the life of this man, were four tragedies, each a mystery: And the secret of each he took with him to his grave—the secret of the death of his sweetheart, the death of his wife, the death of his brother and the disappearance of the girl, Maude Belle Bonesteel. After an evening spent at the theater and a careful preparation of the details for his self-destruction, such as writing notes and a last good-bye to his wife and baby, Dr. Cornwall put a bullet into his brain in the yard surrounding the residence of his brother-in-law, Dr. J. C. Whittier, 4033 Warwick boulevard. He used the same revolver with which he shot his brother Herbert to death in St. Louis on the morning of July 7, 1897.

TO PROVE A THEORY.

Howard Kretz, a Young Student of Theosophy, Makes a Daring Jump from Brooklyn Bridge and Is Uninjured.

New York, May 29.—Howard Kretz, a young man about 22 years of age, who says he is an art student of the Academy of Design in this city, made a startling and successful jump from the Brooklyn bridge just before dusk Sunday evening and came out of the river uninjured. He took no time to steady himself for a perpendicular drop and swung some distance out from the structure before he assumed an upright position. Kretz's body flashed through the air almost in a perpendicular streak. He struck the water feet first, cleaving it like an arrow. He disappeared for some seconds and then shot up into view again, only to disappear for the second time. The waters had hardly closed over him when he reappeared and immediately struck out strongly for the New York shore. He said he had been reading a book on theosophy and he wanted to demonstrate that a man by exercising his will power could do anything he wished without injury to himself.

Dreyfus to Be Brought Back.

Paris, May 29.—It was rumored that the president of the civil section of the court of cassation, M. Balot de Beaupre, has reported to the president of the court of cassation, M. Mazeau, in favor of a revision of the Dreyfus trial and sending the prisoner again before a court-martial. This, later in the day, was confirmed by a direct statement of the president of the civil section had so reported to the president of the court of cassation. It is believed the report is practically certain to be accepted by the court of cassation and means that Dreyfus will be brought back to France and retired.

The Peace Conference.

The Hague, May 29.—The hope of the peace conference delegates that a permanent arbitration board will be established is rapidly improving. The difficult points now relate to the disposition of the tribunal, how the representation of the powers is to be arranged and the limitations to be placed upon the jurisdiction of the board.

St. Louis After a Convention.

St. Louis, May 29.—A movement has been started to boom St. Louis for the next democratic national convention. A number of leading democrats have endorsed it, notably Bryan, Belmont and "Coin" Harvey. The Jefferson club at its next meeting will adopt resolutions asking the convention for the city and pledging its support.

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BRAVE YOUNG WOMAN.

She Got Away with the Oysters But Not in the Usual Manner.

A young girl from the state of Washington who came east to visit a western senator's family last winter, had an experience she hasn't forgotten yet. The first few days of her stay in the capital were spent there, and her meals were sent to her room. On the very first evening she ordered oysters for dinner. Now, she knew nothing of a real, life-sized oyster, having spent all her days on the Pacific coast, where oysters are not oysters at all, but something altogether different. She was young and exceedingly inexperienced, and she said to the waiter: "Bring me 50 oysters." The waiter gasped. "Is that all?" he said. "Oh, no," she answered, cheerfully. "Bring me—well, dinner, too." She says herself that she had to shut her eyelids tight to keep her eyes from popping clear out of her head when she saw the 50 oysters. "Isn't that more than 50?" she asked. "No, miss," answered the waiter. "Shall I take some away?" and he grinned. It was the grin that did it. Her western blood rose at it. "No," she said, coolly. "It's not too many. I'm hungry." She locked the door after the astonished waiter, and opened the window. It was a dark night, but she could see the roofs of the adjoining houses almost within arm's reach beneath her window. Only a narrow alley separated the buildings. She took a fork, and deftly and dexterously, one by one, she flung the oysters as far as she could. She could hear them fall moistly, softly, flabbily upon the roof opposite. When the waiter returned, two oysters lay on her plate. His eyes rolled wonderingly at her. "Was—was the oysters good?" he asked, and he did not grin. "Fairly good," she made answer, calmly; "but I wasn't really hungry, after all."—Washington Post.

Patience and Practice.

A clever young physician here, who, like so many of his brethren everywhere, has had a weary time trying to build up a practice, nevertheless meets his hard fortune with smiling gaiety. Like Warren Hastings, his motto is "Nitor in Adversum." In company with a friend, he had occasion the other day to go into the Hibernia bank, where, owing to the throng of customers, he could not get his business transacted at once. After considerable delay, his companion, a nervous little man, complained irritably of the inconvenience to which they were subjected. "Doesn't this put you out of patience, Doc?" he asked. "My dear sir," returned the medico, gayly, "to be out of patients is my chronic condition. I haven't had one for a week."—San Francisco News Letter.

Brain-fag is largely the result of people not wishing to admit that they eat too much.—Detroit Journal.

The Maid and the Miracle

Miss Lucy Tucker, the daughter of a prominent farmer of Versailles, Ind., was the victim of nervous prostration. Most of the time she was confined to bed, and was on the verge of St. Vitus' dance. It was a pitiful case which medical science failed to conquer. Finally a doctor prescribed Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Her father said:

"We began giving the pills at once, and the next day we could see a change for the better in her. We gave her one pill after each meal until she was entirely well. She has not been sick a day since. We think the cure almost miraculous."

"FRANK TUCKER, Mrs. F. TUCKER."

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