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HAVE THEM ON THE RUN

Trenches Around Filipinos Inadequate Protection.

Battalion of Wheaton's Regiment Wins Brilliant Victory Against a Superior Force Holding a Strong Position—Comparative List of Casualties—Other News of the Day.

MANILA, March 16—5:50 p. m.—The First battalion of the Twentieth infantry retired from Pasig today, clearing the country to Cainta, a well-fenced village of 700 inhabitants, five miles northwest of the foothills. The troops first encountered the rebel outposts in the dense jungle on the banks of the river. The enemy was dislodged after half an hour's fighting. The Americans advanced in splendid manner under a heavy fire until it was ready to volley the rebels from the trenches. The latter had a great advantage and dropped a number of our men. The Americans charged across the rice fields, making four advances on the enemy, who numbered 1,000 men, 500 of whom were entrenched, and in the face of a cross-fire.

Our troops carried the town after four hours fighting and burned the outskirts, the rebels firing from the windows and keeping up a running fire in the streets. The Americans withdrew in order to obtain more ammunition.

Comparative Losses.

The rebels lost about 100 men and the American loss was Corporal Johnson of Company C and Private McAvoy of Company L killed. In addition the following Americans were wounded:

Sergeant Check, Company L; Corporal Households, Company M; Private Kelly, Company C; Private Kinney, Company C; Private Tinkler, Company C; Private Varley, Company G; Private Gilley, Company G; Private Caley, Company F; Private Mahan, Company L; Private Griffiths, Company L; Private Lafayette, Company L; Private McFarland, Company L.

Aartie Cluckmann, the regimental "mascot," carried a parrot into action and was wounded in the knee.

Find the Americans There.

The insurgents at the outposts and in the trenches beyond Calocan fired several volleys last night upon the Kansas volunteers and a part of the Fourth regulars, desiring, it is supposed, to discover if the American line had been thinned by the movement of General Wheaton's command. The Americans in the trenches replied warmly to the fire.

H. Y. Beecher of Company A of the Montana regiment was killed in the engagement.

A battalion of the Twentieth regular infantry routed a small band of Filipinos on the Laguna road and some sharpshooters who were firing from a house over which a French flag was floating were dislodged.

A gunboat entered the lake and silenced a one-gun battery in the foothills.

Democratic Primary Convention.

Notice is hereby given that the city primaries, for the purpose of electing delegates to the city convention and to nominate one councilman from each ward, are to be held on Friday evening, March 17, between the hours of 7 and 8 o'clock.

First ward, Perkins hotel block.
Second ward, Turner hall.
Third ward, Jones' barn.
Fourth ward, police judge's office.
Fifth ward, Bach's store.

That the said convention is called to meet on Saturday evening, March 18, 1899, at White's hall at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of placing in nomination two members for the board of education for three years; one member for the board of education to fill vacancy, and for the transaction of such other and further business as may properly come before said convention.

The several wards are entitled to the following representation:
First ward, eight delegates.
Second ward, fifteen delegates.
Third ward, eleven delegates.
Fourth ward, thirteen delegates.
Fifth ward, seven delegates.
P. E. RUFFNER, Chairman.
CHARLES D. CUMMINS, Secretary.

Recommended for La Grippe.

N. Jackson, Danville, Ill., writes: My daughter had a severe attack of La Grippe seven years ago and since then whenever she takes cold a terrible cough settles on her lungs. We tried a great many remedies without giving relief. She tried Foley's Honey and Tar which cured her. She has never been troubled with a cough since. 25c. F. G. Fricke & Co.

Diver with a Record.

The greatest diving feat ever achieved was in moving the cargo of the ship Cape Horn, wrecked off the coast of South America, when a diver named Hooper made seven descents to a depth of over 200 feet, remaining at one time forty-two minutes under the water. An authority states that the greatest depth to which a man has been known to descend does not exceed 220 feet, which is equivalent to a pressure of eighty-eight and one-half pounds to the square inch.

BOTTLES TEARS

The custom of bottling tears is peculiar to the people of Persia. There it constitutes an important part of the obsequies of the dead. As the mourners are sitting around and weeping the master of the ceremonies presents each one with a piece of cotton wool or sponge with which to wipe away the tears. This cotton wool or sponge is afterward squeezed into a bottle and the tears are preserved as a powerful and efficacious restorative for those whom every other medicine has failed to revive.

A Frightful Blunder.

Will often cause a horrible burn, scald, cut or bruise. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures old sores, fever sores, ulcers, boils, felons, corns, all skin eruptions. Best pile cure on earth. Only 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by F. G. Fricke & Co.

Close Observer.

It is the sagacious remark of a keen observer of tourists, and he offers it to the traveling public, that you can generally tell a newly married couple at the dinner table by the indignation of the husband when a fly alights on the wife's butter.

Flowers.

Flowers are the beautiful hieroglyphs of nature, with which she indicates how much she loves us.—EX.

Give the Children a Drink.

It is a delicious, appetizing, nourishing food drink to take the place of coffee. When properly prepared it tastes like the finest coffee but is free from all its injurious properties. Grain-O aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. It is not a stimulant but a health builder, and children, as well as adults, can drink it with great benefit. Costs about one-fourth as much as coffee. 15 and 25c. at grocers.

Home-seekers' Excursion.

The B. & M. will sell Home-seekers' Excursion tickets March 21, April 14 and 18, May 2 and 16, 1899, for one fare for the round trip plus \$2, to following territories: Arizona, Arkansas, Indian Territory, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas and other states. For further information call at B. & M. depot. W. L. PICKETT, Agent.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

The Toilet of Animals.

Cats make the most careful toilet of any class of animals. The lion and tiger wash themselves in exactly the same manner as the cat, wetting the dark, India-rubber-like ball of the foot and inner toe, and passing it over the face and behind the ears. The fox is thus at the same time a face washer and brush, and the rough tongue comb the rest of the body.

Pneumonia Follows La Grippe.

but pneumonia cannot follow the use of Foley's Honey and Tar. Pneumonia is a striking down hundreds of those who thought they were cured of La Grippe. Foley's Honey and Tar, taken during or after La Grippe, is guaranteed to prevent pneumonia. F. G. Fricke & Co.

Italy in London.

The Italians in London are sufficient of themselves to form a large town. There are as many as 14,000 of them; 2,000 of these are ice-cream vendors and 1,000 organ-grinders. The other 11,000 are chiefly engaged as plaster bust sellers, artists' models, cooks, valets, teachers, artists, restaurant and hotel keepers, and so on.

That Throbbing Headache.

Would quickly leave you if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood and strengthen nerves and build up your health. Easy to take. Try them. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. Sold by F. G. Fricke & Co.

Children.

In speaking of a child we have pleasure not only from what we see, but even from what we hope for.—Goethe.

Sign of Good Health.

Rapid growth of the finger nails is considered a indicate good health.

For a quick remedy, and one that is perfectly safe for children let us recommend One Minute cough cure. It is excellent for, croup, hoarseness, tickling in the throat and coughs. F. G. Fricke & Co.

Gave His Consent.

The city clerk at Lewiston, Me., who always demands the written consent of parents before marrying minors, recently received the following unique letter: "Mr. Clerk, that girl of mine who wants to be married and I done care a darn. She got a feller and they earn ten dollars a week 'twen 'em. He good feller. She all-right. You will marry them for me, and be much obliged."

TOWN OF PASIG IN ASHES

In Encounter Between Pateros and Taguig Two Lives Lost.

Oregon and Washington Volunteers in the Thicket of the Battle and Lost Wounded—Filipino Forces Are Separated in the Engagement and Wheaton Shuts Off Communication.

MANILA, March 15, 8 a. m.—Late yesterday General Wheaton's column encountered the enemy in such force as necessitate a change in the original plans.

The cavalry attacked a rebel stronghold in the jungle, driving the enemy into Pateros. The Americans had one man killed and three wounded. Scott's battery shelled the city and woods effectively.

Later the enemy crossed the river from Pasig. Two companies of the Second Oregon infantry cleared the right bank after a sharp engagement and then retired, three wounded. In the meantime the Washington volunteers closed in, driving small bodies of the rebels back upon Pateros. One man was killed.

During the night the enemy burned the town of Pasig. Branlis Zorita and Jose Ruiz, the Spanish officers who were recently tried by a military commission for the embezzlement of \$10,548, (funds devoted to the maintenance of prisoners, and who were sentenced to pay a fine of \$2,500 gold and to undergo three years' imprisonment at hard labor, have had the term of imprisonment commuted to six months in view of previous confinement and certain circumstances justifying clemency. Carlos Aymerich, who was implicated with them, has been acquitted and released on the ground that he established an alibi.

Capture Pateros.

MANILA, March 15—12:40 p. m.—General Wheaton's brigade continues the work of clearing out the rebels around Pasig.

The Washington volunteers have captured and burned Pateros, meeting with a sharp fire from the enemy while crossing the river.

Today's fighting was like that of the last week, the insurgents occasionally making a stand, but eventually fleeing. Their loss is supposed to have been small, as the Americans were unable to see the enemy in the thickets.

Official Story of Fight.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—This cablegram from General Otis was received at the War department today: MANILA, March 14.—Adjutant General, Washington: Until yesterday field operations here since the capture of Calocan have been of a minor nature, consisting of driving back small bands of insurgents, with considerable loss to latter. Yesterday General Wheaton, with the Twentieth and Twenty-second infantry, the Oregon and Washington troops, a section of the Sixth artillery and a squadron of the Fourth cavalry, attacked a large force of the enemy, drove it back and took up its line on the Pasig river, which he now holds. Two improvised gunboats in the lake have captured considerable property. Insurgents' loss is heavy, our own killed and wounded is slight, aggregating thirty-five, mostly slightly wounded. Insurgents made no determined stand.

Characteristics of the Caesar.

To Nicholas II. lofty idealism comes natural, but education or intuition has wedded it to a rigorous sense of what is practicable and worth striving for, says Dr. E. J. Dillon in the Contemporary Review. He takes an eminent human view of all things human, and is a firm believer in the wisdom of adjusting means to ends. Hence his sensibility of intellect, his susceptibility to new impressions and generous impulses, is rendered beneficial or harmless by his tenacious adherence to traditional forms. He is keenly sensible that no one man can grasp all the elements of such a complicated machine as the administration of a mighty empire, and his relations towards his ministers are based upon a frank recognition of this fact. The other day a petition or request of some kind was laid before him for his decision. He read it, as usual, very carefully, and as usual wrote his resolution on the margin. Having glanced at the date of this document, and found that it was some eight months old, the tsar wrote a few words to the effect that it should have reached him long before. His father would have probably found out who was to blame for the delay, and would have had a warning administered to him on the spot.

Cricket as a Thermometer.

A conscientious cricket is one of the best thermometers in the world. The temperature may be accurately told by observing the number of chirps in a minute. At 60 degrees Fahrenheit the rate is eighty chirps a minute, at 70 degrees Fahrenheit 120 per minute, and the rate increases four chirps to the minute with a change of one degree. Below a temperature of 50 degrees Fahrenheit the cricket is not likely to make any sound.

The Deadly Grip

Is again abroad in the land. The air you breathe may be full of its fatal germs! Don't neglect the "grip" or you will open the door to pneumonia and consumption and invite death. Its sure signs are chills with fever, headache, dull heavy pains, mucous discharges from the nose, sore throat and never-let-go cough. Don't waste precious time treating this cough with troches, tablets, or poor cheap syrups. Cure it at once with Dr. King's New Discovery, the infallible remedy for bronchial troubles. It kills the disease germs, heals the lungs and prevents the dreaded after-effects from the malady. Price 50 cents and \$1. Money back if not cured. A trial bottle free at F. G. Fricke & Co's. drug store.

The Way to go to California.

is in a tourist sleeping car—personally conducted—via the Burlington Route. You don't change cars. You make fast time. You see the finest scenery on the globe.

Your car is not so expensively finished nor so fine to look at as a palace sleeper but it is just as clean, just as comfortable, just as good to ride in, AND NEARLY \$20 CHEAPER.

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Going Down Hill.

People suffering from Kidney Diseases feel a gradual but steady loss of strength and vitality. They should lose no time in trying Foley's Kidney Cure, a Guaranteed Preparation. F. G. Fricke & Co.

Romance of a College Student.

Very bright and exceedingly humorous serial training of student life in a college town will begin in the April Ladies' Home Journal. It is by Mrs. Charles Terry Collins, a novice in fiction, who has written with charming freshness, cleverly picturing student life, the students' games and sports, their social diversions, etc. Into the deliciously droll story Mrs. Collins has subtly woven a most interesting, happy romance, from which the story takes its name—"A College Courtship."

Speedy.

An ambitious young writer having asked "What magazine will give me the highest position quickest?" was quickly told, "A powder magazine if you contribute a fiery article."

Equal to the Emergency.

Boarder—Really, madam, I cannot wipe myself dry with such a small towel. Landlady—Very well; I'll tell the chambermaid to bring you less water.

Spain's Greatest Need.

Mr. R. P. Oliva, of Barcelona, Spain, spends his winters at Aiken, S. C. Weak nerves had caused severe pains in the back of his head. On using Electric Bitters, America's greatest blood and nerve remedy, all pain soon left him. He says this grand medicine is what his country needs. All America knows that it cures liver and kidney trouble, purifies the blood, tones up the stomach, strengthens the nerves, puts vim, vigor and new life into every muscle, nerve and organ of the body. If weak, tired or ailing you need it. Every bottle guaranteed, only 50 cents. Sold by F. G. Fricke & Co.

Kipling Accused of Plagiarism.

The Bookman, of New York, says: An interesting parallel between the well known "Explanation" of Rudyard Kipling, and a "Fable" not so well known, written in 1634 by one Richard Flecknoe, has been pointed out to us by a correspondent. It is his opinion that the old poet surpasses the modern, and he suggests that another "explanation" is due from Mr. Kipling.

J. Sheer, Sedalia, Mo., conductor on electric street car line, writes that his little daughter was very low with croup, and her life saved after all physicians had failed, only by using One Minute cough cure. F. G. Fricke & Co.

His Excuse.

Young Bride (pointing)—Here we have only been married two days, Clarence, and you have scolded me already! Husband—I know; but just think how long I have been waiting for the chance!

Read the advertisements in the NEWS and trade only with those people who solicit your patronage. These are the live merchants that do business on the principle of quick sales and small profits.

Eels Hard to Kill.

Eels are remarkably tenacious of life. As an instance of this, a naturalist mentions an eel which lived in his family for forty years. It was kept in an earthenware jar, in which it had to lie coiled up, its water being changed twice a week. It was fed, but only in summer, with bits of meat. In winter on two occasions, it was completely frozen up.

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EMBROIDERIES—The largest assortment of these goods are always to be found at DOVEY'S. They have them from 2 1/2 to 75c a yard.

Special Sale on Ladies' Kid Gloves..

.....\$1.50 Gloves at 18c.....\$1.00 Gloves at 6c

Carpets, Carpets..

They are selling these goods every day, although the season has hardly commenced. They have the largest stock they have ever shown, at prices as low as last year. They will show best 2-ply Ingrains at 65c; Velvet Brussels—the best made—at \$1.00; Moquettes and Axminsters at 90c; Tapestry Brussels at 50c, 75c and 85c.

Bissell's Carpet Sweepers..

They have a new stock of these goods on hand. They are agents for the Bissell Gold Medal, with the New Case bearings. The standard price of these goods is \$3.00. Sample rugs in Nottingham, Swiss, Brussels and Ruffled, from \$1.00 up. Agents for Hatrick Patterns. All kinds on hand. RUGS! The handsomest and best line they have ever shown. Special Bissell's Rugs at 50c and Moquette Rugs at \$1.25.

GROCERIES

Good corn, 4 cans for 25c
Good peas, 10c per can.
Ten lbs oat meal, 25c.
Ralston's Health Club Pan Cakes flour, regular price 15c—3 packages for 25c.
Ralston's Health Flour and Breakfast food also always on hand.
Baking Powder, full 1 lb can for 10c.
Fine Table Syrup, 2 gallon bucket for 55c.

Soap, Soap, Soap!

Laundry soap—Diamond C, Lenox and Santa Claus—10 bars for 25c. An extra value in Toilet soap. Regular price 10c per cake—for a short time only they will sell 4 for 5c.
Good Parlor Broom, 3-sewed, 15c.
Star Tobacco, 30c a lb.
Dovey's Brightener (as good as Sap) 10c.
3-lb box best Gloss Starch for 15c
Golden Crown Soda, strictly pure, 5c.
IXL Laundry Starch, 3 for 25c.

Grain-O Brings Relief to the Coffee Drinker.

Coffee drinking is a habit that is universally indulged in and almost as universally injurious. Have you tried Grain-O? It is almost like coffee but the effects are just the opposite. Coffee upsets the stomach, ruins the digestion, effects the heart and disturbs the whole nervous system. Grain-O tones up the stomach, aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. 15 and 25c per package.

Balance of Culture.

It is with the cultivation of an artistic as with the cultivation of every other talent. Our strong points to a certain extent develop themselves; but those capacities of our nature which are not in daily exercise, and are therefore less vigorous, need particular care, in order that they likewise may become strong, and contribute their share to the general balance of the mind. A young singer may possess certain natural notes which are very excellent and which leave nothing to desire; while other notes in his voice may be found less strong, clear and full. But these are the very notes which he by constant exercise must seek to make of equal perfection with the others.—EX.

Queer Freak of a Frenchman.

A Frenchman recently left 3,000 francs to be given to the man who was the father of the largest family in Paris, a condition of the legacy being that the children should have been properly cared for and brought up by their parents. The award was made by the trustees to a shoemaker named Vendenbruck, who is the father of seven sons and seven daughters.

Pneumonia.

is the quick agent of death. Fully one-third of recent deaths have been from pneumonia following La Grippe. Pneumonia cannot follow the use of Foley's Honey and Tar. F. G. Fricke & Co.

Cosmetics in Rome.

Roman matrons were in the habit of taking painting lessons for no other purpose than to imitate the rosy cheeks and flower-like mouths of youth; and Pliny speaks of a cosmetic used by the beauties of Rome made of egg, flour and hartshorn. This they wore on their faces all night and half the day, for the purpose of brightening their complexions.

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