

ARE GROWING BOLDER.

Insurgents at Manila Are Showing Renewed Activity.

They Return To Their Trenches and Keep the American Soldiers Continuously On Guard—Rains Season Sure to Bring Suffering to Friendly Natives, Whose Fields Have Not Been Plowed.

MANILA, May 28.—8 p. m.—The approach of the wet season finds the insurrection seemingly taking a new lease of life. All along the American lines the rebels are showing more aggressive activity, in their guerrilla style, than at any time before since the fall of Malolos. They keep the United States troops in the trenches sleeping in their clothing and constantly on the alert against dashes on our outposts and they make life warm for the American garrisons in the towns.

The bands of General Luna and General Mascardo, which retreated toward Tarlac when they feared they would be caught between General MacArthur and General Lawton, have returned in force to their old trenches around San Fernando, where there are daily collisions.

Opposite our lines on the south protecting Manila, all the way around to San Pedro Macati, the Filipinos have three rows of trenches most of the distance.

Reports from prisoners indicate that the insurgents construe the peace negotiations to mean that the Americans have had enough of fighting. The Filipinos are also encouraged by the belief that the Americans are preparing for an interval of inactivity during the wet season.

This period is sure to be followed by much suffering. Thousands of acres of land that were under cultivation last year have not been plowed this year and the government will probably be obliged to feed thousands, just as it fed the Cubans.

Refugees As a Charity.

Friendly natives, amigos, continue to pour into the American lines by land and river routes, coming from the territory of insurrection into the country where the passage of the two armies has left no food and practically throwing themselves upon the charity of their conquerors. Such able-bodied men as are not in the Filipino ranks have been kept by the insurgent leaders to dig trenches and the old men, women and children form the mass of the refugees. They are doing some plowing, but they will be confronted with hunger before they can realize any subsistence from their crops.

CONDENSED WIRE NEWS

Joseph Keller, Ray Sherman and Louis Carey were killed yesterday at West station, N. Y., while driving across the New York Central tracks.

M. Bourreit won the 100 kilometer bicycle race at Paris yesterday in two hours and seventeen minutes, seven laps ahead of C. W. Miller of Chicago.

The amalgamated copper company of Silver Creek, N. M., has purchased the famous copper mines in Grant county, paying the sum of \$1,200,000.

The sheep dressing world's record was broken at Indianapolis yesterday, when Fred Perry killed and dressed ten sheep in thirty-one minutes, forty-three seconds.

The Sixteenth infantry has arrived at San Francisco from Forts Crook and Leavenworth and Jefferson barracks and will sail tonight on the Grant for Manila.

F. Rank S. Hitchcock, of the agricultural department, sailed for Europe Sunday on a government commission, who object is the extension of the agricultural export trade.

Brig.-Gen. George W. West, who served with distinction as colonel of the Seventeenth Maine volunteers, during the civil war, is dead at Athol, Mass., aged sixty-seven years.

James Lynch, a saloonkeeper of East St. Louis, yesterday shot and mortally wounded his wife and stepson, William Kelly, during a quarrel. He then made a futile attempt at suicide by shooting himself in the head.

Alfalfa For Cass.

The virtues and profits of alfalfa are but comparatively little known. Anything that, with equal labor, increases the profits of the husbandman is a blessing to the country. Alfalfa is not an innovation, for its general worth has been proven. Its fat producing and strength giving qualities have been proven by experiment to be superior to timothy, while as a milk producer it has no peer. Henry Heil, a progressive farmer and a breeder of thoroughbred stock of the county, has ten acres that yielded eighty large loads last year. Three full crops of hay in one year from one piece of ground is pretty good, but alfalfa will yield it. One-half bushel of seed per acre is the right amount to sow. It can be sown with rye in autumn or by itself in the spring. It does not easily winter-kill. It should be cut before it is dead ripe and be well cured—it would then satisfy any stockman.

A. REYNOLDS

Carriage painting done in first-class style by Patton & Bulger. Shop on Vine, between Fourth and Fifth streets.

REPORT OF CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, May 29. At the opening of the market this morning the prices were a little weaker. Reports from Ohio to the effect that spring wheat was doing finely and that many of the bad crop reports had been sent out for the purpose of creating bull sentiment, had a sympathetic influence upon wheat. The decline was only momentary, for the wires were hot with bad crop reports, and the market immediately went up and prices got higher. The first Liverpool cables were lower, but the second were higher; St. Louis seemed to lead in the buying, while Counselman and Day were doing most of the buying.

After the first sharp advance the short interest began to cover freely, thus augmenting the upward movement and causing wheat to reach 77c and closing at 77 1/2c, while prospects for corn seems to be better, the sympathy with wheat and the good demand from abroad gave the market a very strong tone.

Oats and provisions closed strong and at a little advance over the session of Saturday.

There will be no market tomorrow on account of Decoration day.

The following is a range of prices for today, and is furnished by M. S. Briggs, commission merchant, No. 407 Main street:

Table with columns: WHEAT, CORN, OATS, PORK, LARD, etc. showing prices for various grades.

Puts and calls sold up until 2 o'clock are as follows: Puts, July wheat sold 76 1/2, 76 to 1/4, and back to 76 1/2. Calls sold at 78 1/2 to 78 1/4 and up to 78 1/2.

The following are the closing prices, together with those of last Saturday:

Table showing closing prices for various commodities like New York, St. Louis, Duluth, Minneapolis, Toledo, etc.

Salem Chautauqua.

The most elaborate chautauqua program—for the Salem chautauqua, August 5 to 13, inclusive, 1899—ever published in the west is ready for distribution. Write for one. It contains such fine attractions as Gen. John H. Gordon of Georgia; Dr. Robert McIntyre, of Chicago; Col. George W. Bain, of Kentucky; Dr. James Hodley, of Ohio; Prof. F. R. R. Ryerson, of New York; Chas. T. Grifley, of Massachusetts; Dr. E. L. Eaton, of Iowa; Dr. J. W. Hancher, of New York, etc.

The celebrated Apollo Male quartette, of Columbus, O., is engaged for the entire season by Knoll and McNell, of Erie, Pa., the world renowned concertists, will be present three days, and the Edison Projectoscope Co., of New York, showing the American War-Graph, the only genuine Edison moving pictures, illustrated songs, picture plays, etc., will give three full evening entertainments. This is the first time the original genuine Edison apparatus has been in this territory and is without doubt the grandest entertainment ever attempted by a western assembly.

This is the assembly that is better every year, does all it advertises—and more, and has the finest grounds in the west. Don't fail to see the complete program, and arrange to attend the whole session if possible. A postal card addressed to O. W. Davis, Mgr., Salem, Neb., will bring you a program by return mail.

State Sunday School Convention.

The Nebraska State Sunday School convention will be held in Holdrege June 15, 1899.

Every Sunday school in the state is entitled to one delegate for each 100 members or fraction thereof. In addition to these, the pastor is a delegate ex-officio, and an alternate should be elected in case of his inability to attend.

Entertainment will be provided for all delegates presenting proper credentials. Reduced rates of one and one-third fare on the certificate plan have been granted by all the railroads in the state.

An excellent program is in preparation. Schools should elect delegates at once. For copy of program and blank credentials, address

E. J. WRIGHTMAN, Secretary, York Nebraska. King, Emperor, Duke, Prince—\$1. Elson, the Clothier.

Christian Endeavor Convention.

The Second District Nebraska C. E. Union will hold their seventh annual convention in Ashland June 15-17. Dr. Hood the state president, Superintendent W. R. Jackson, Rev. J. Doane, and Rev. L. P. Ludden are among the leading speakers.

A rate of one and one-third fare has been secured, and it is hoped that each society in the district will be well represented.

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

Ocean to Be Utilized.

A contract has been signed for a \$100,000 plant to furnish 1,000 horsepower to be developed from the waves of the ocean, the first of the kind ever made. The power is for a \$1,000,000 sanitarium to be built at Sea Gate, adjoining Coney Island. This power is to be converted into electricity, which will do all the work, lighting, heating, operating carriages and steamboats. Even the cooking will be done by electricity. The contract shows that machinery has at last been designed which can bottle up the energy of the sea and make it work. The principle is simple enough—very like that of a toy poptop. The cylinder is placed vertically. The piston is made to rise and fall by the waves. It is nothing more than a buoy. When a wave comes along it is bound to rise, and when the wave passes it falls. Every time it rises it compresses so much air. Of course, the amount of power generated depends upon the number of buoys. It is claimed that enough power could be gathered in one station to supply the world.

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The Assumption of Scientists.

Canon Maccoli, a distinguished English churchman and the friend of Mr. Gladstone, is thus quoted in the London Times: A friend of the canon's once shared the box-seat with the driver of a stage-coach in Yorkshire, and being the lover of horses, talked with the coachman about his team. One horse in particular he admired. "Ah," said the coachman, "but that 'ogs ain't as good as he looks. He's a scientific 'oss." "A scientific horse?" exclaimed the canon's friend. "What on earth do you mean by that?" "I means," replied the coachman, "a 'oss as thinks he knows a great deal more nor he does."

Ineligible for Matrimony.

A law recently passed in Norway makes girls ineligible for matrimony unless they can show certificates of skill in cooking, knitting and spinning.

The Time to go to California.

Is in summer—this summer—late in June or early in July—when sea and sky and vine-clad slopes are at their best—when the rate is little more than half as much as usual.

If you take the Burlington route you will have cooler weather and finer scenery than via any other line to California.

Information and California literature on request. J. Francis, General Passenger Agent, Omaha, Neb.

Musical Instruments Refurnished by Patton & Bulger.

The Right Tense. Teacher.—The sentence, "My father had money," is in the past tense. Now, Mary, what tense would you be speaking in if you said, "My father has money?" Little Mary—Oh, that would be pretense.—Philadelphia Record.

Aluminum Huts.

The latest in the building line is the aluminum hut for Klondike miners. When packed for carriage it weighs 110 pounds. It is composed of four sides and a roof of thin sheets of aluminum, and when put up it contains 190 cubic feet.

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Full line of Quick Meal gasoline and Blue Flame oil stoves. Ebinger Hardware Co., at reasonable prices.

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THE STORMY PETREL.

How the Little Bird Hatches Its Eggs.

The stormy petrels nest just above the Atlantic surge on the islets near Iona and the Hebrides. There above the rock on certain islands in a black, buttery soil, in which they burrow like little winged mice, and on a nest of sea pink lay one white egg. As this desertion of the regions of light and air by birds is something outside the natural course of their lives, it leads to various odd and unexpected social complications and domestic problems. Among the latter is a serious one, the difficulty of keeping the underground house clean or moderately cool. It is usually very hot. Sand-martins, for instance, do not attempt to ventilate their burrows as rabbits and rats do; neither do kingfishers nor the stormy petrels when they make their own burrows, and do not creep into chinks between piles of stones or rocks. Evidence of the high temperature of this "hot chamber," where the young petrels are hatched, is seen in a very pretty popular belief in the Outer Hebrides. The people say that they hatch their eggs, not by sitting on them, but by sitting near them, at a distance of six inches between them and the opening of the burrow. Then the petrels turn their heads toward the eggs and "coo" at them day and night, and so "hatch them with their song." This, which sounds like a fable of the East Atlantic islands, has really a basis in fact. Davenport Graham says that the account is "very correct," though I never heard the cooing noise by day, I often did in the evening. It is rather a purring noise. When its nest is opened up, the bird is usually found covering a few inches away from its egg." This hot and stuffy atmosphere may aid the hatching of eggs; but there is no doubt that it brings into being other and very undesirable forms of life. The nests and burrows of sand-martins are full of most unpleasant insects, and those of the kingfisher are nearly as bad.

Bismarck's Iron Nerve.

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PULLED THEM UP.

And Franz Was Perfectly Placid About the Matter.

The woman who has a country house comes to town these days and tells tales of her trials and joys, says the New York Commercial Advertiser. She came in from Long Island for a day's shopping last week and after glowing accounts of her flower beds and the wonderful kitchen garden she had planned for the summer, she said: "We always have curious experiences with garden workers and farm hands; not that we do much farming, but we have to have some one to watch over the potatoes and keep an eye on the peas. This year we have a fine man and our garden is like an English picture. But Franz was not so good when we got him. He came to help our farm hand, Peter, and Peter set him to work in the onion patch. The onion patch was the pride of my life. It was flourishing as nothing—but weeds—I took more interest in its progress than I did in my rose bower. Well, after Franz had been busily bending over the onion patch one morning Peter discovered to his horror that his assistant had pulled up all the big onions. Nothing but little ones remained. When the storm of questions and reproaches broke over his head Franz said placidly: "Why, the big ones were crowding the little ones. They hadn't room to grow. I wanted to give them a chance and I pulled the big ones up."

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