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MEALS ON THE FIRING LINE. OFF FOR THE MOUNTAINS General Otis Reports on the Result of the reports which accompanied the report

stores.

Latest Campaign.

**GARRISON RETAINED AT MORUNG** 

All Other Places in the Territory Passed Over Again Abandoned - People Desire to Come to Manila-Latest from the Front.

WASHINGTON, June 9 .- The situation in the Philppines is described by General Otis in the following cablegram:

MANILA, June 9 .- Adjutant General, Washington: The result of the movements in Morong province was to drive the insurgents into the mountains, capturing Antipoli and other towns in that section, with a point of land projecting into the bay. They retreated and scattered before our advance, leaving twenty-five dead on the field. Our loss was four killed and a few wounded, mostly slight. City of Morong only on the land route on the bay has been garrisoned; all other troops withdrawn. Inhabitanis of provinces profess friendship and ask protection; large numbers wish to enter Manila, but permission was refused, as the city population is increasing too rapidly. Leading natives throughout the island, including active insurgent leaders, seek permission to send their families to Manila, which is considered the only place of personal security. OTIS.

The conclusions drawn by war department officials concerning the conditions in the Philippines, given in the dispatch of General Otis, are that the insurgents are little more than marauding bands which will continually decre : when the men find that there is life and liberty under American government.

The people who are coming into the American lines asking protection are like those who sought protection in the forts during the early stages of American development in the west. Nothing is yet said as to the intention of General Otis to continue active hostilities, but this is a matter that will on the day following their receipt of be left wholly in his discretion and he it, although generally used as soon as will no doubt fight or rest as the cir- received.

Commissary Officer Reports on the Work in the Philippines. WASHINGTON, June 9 .- Among the of General Otis regarding preparations

about. Manila are those relating to the subsistence of the army. It appears from these that the subsistence corps | ENTIRE TOWNS ARE CARRIED AWAY the tide rather than waste their enerwas prompt in every way in supplying the troops with food. Under date of March 20 Major Robert H. Fitzhugh, chief commissary of the Second divis-

jon, says: On the evening of February 5, after hard fightin and a general advance all along the line, the troops were given their supper promptly at the regular hour, and during all the subsequent movements, while the troops have been constantly contronting the enemy, either in line or in the trenches, the continuous supply of rations has been maintained without a break and at all times a reserve of at least two days of travel rations has been kept on hand. With the exception of two days when travel rations were issued the issue has been as follows: Fresh heef, seven days in ten, 1 pound; bacon, two days in ten, 34 pound; salmon one day in ten. 1 pound; fresh brend dally, 1 pound 2 ounces; potatoes, daily (S0 per cent), 12 4-5 ounces; onions (20 per cent), 5 1-5 ounces, or potatoes (75 per cent), onions (15 per cent), canned tomatoes (10 per cent); coffee, 1 7-25 ounces; sugar, 2 2-5 onnces.

Vinegar, salt and pepper in authorized proportions, to which was added on days of fresh beef issue the option | rent and started on their voyage down of four ounces more of fresh beef, or two ounces each of rice, dried fruits | rising at both places and grave fears and (when on hand) oatmeal.

To the above were added canned corned beef, ham, canned milk and chased by each organization with proceeds from savings of subsistence

The most noticeable features of the supply are the deliveries of fresh beef and vegetables, refrigerated beef from Australia and the United States, which would be called excellent in any United States market, is delivered on the line, frozen before them. The officers and men assure me it is perfectly good

Men in the tren

# PLATTSMOUTH, NEB., JUNE 9, 1899.

LAID WASTE BY WATER COMBINES PUSH UP PRICES.

Prevalence of a Raging Torrent That Sweeps All Before It.

Twenty-Five Lives Are Lost and Many Two of the Victims Negroes-Inmates fused in the Darkness.

AUSTIN, Tex., June 9 .- The cloudurst of yesterday which swelled the ivers of this portion of the state our of property are much worse than reported last night. Many people are known to have perished, meager rewenty-five.

river at that point is one mile wide and running like a mill race.

At Manardville thirteen houses were swept away and this morning several more gave away into the swirling torthe stream. The river is reported as are entertained that the entire country in that neighborhood will be laid to waste. San Saba is located in a valley cream, fruits, preserves and a long list and vast tracts of wheat fields are of delicacies sold by the subsistence | under water. These crops will prove department at cost, which were pur- a total loss. Many persons, according to reports, experienced difficulty in getting to high land before the rise eame.

> The situation at Menardville is even river in the valley proved an easy prey

ing in the Trade. NEW YORK, June 9 .- Discussing the trade conditions, the Iron Age will say today: The majority deprecate and deplore the rapid advance in prices, but all find it more prudent and immediately profitable to drift with

gies trying to stem it. The question may be properly raised, to what extent advances in price Houses Carried Downstream-All but are justified when decreed by consolidations or associations of manufacturers. Two principal reasons are brought of Cabins Along Water Front Are Con- | forward, one the advance in raw materials, and the other the higher coft due to higher wages. In the cruder

poducts the latter do not really cut much of a figure when compared with the rise in prices. It is a different matter with the long line of finished t their banks and caused a great loss | rolling mill products. In the central west the annual negotiations between the manufactures and the men are now in progress and the labor cost for ports tonight placing the number at a year on bars, hoops, tin plates,

sheets, etc., is now to be fixed. A very Today reports came from San Saba | considerable advance is asked by the eported under water tonight. The the selling price. On the top of that they ought to get a figure to compen-

sate them for paying higher wages on contracts made during the last six months at lower prices for delivery after July 1, when the new wages go into effect. In other words, higher prices seem inevitable on finished goods on this ground.

Plates have been pushed upward nong the whole line, largely because buyers have put them up on themselves. In pig iron there has been a further general advance.

Steel has sold in small lots at \$30 to \$31. Pittsburg, but these figures have little real significance, except to emphasize the scarcity. Muck bars more serious. A small town located are exceedingly hard to get. Sharp to the right and in the bend of the advances have been made all along the line in finished iron and steel, to the raging torrents. Seventeen peo- structural material has been put up to ple are known to have been drowned \$5 per ton, plates have scored another there and there may be others. Of \$2 advance, with some large contracts. those drowned two were young white placed and pending and bars and girls, Lydia and Amy Wells. The sheets have risen in all the markets, others were all negroes, who were liv- In the wire trade a general advance ing in cabins close to the river front of 25 cents per 100 pounds has been and were caught in the flood before decreed. Tin plate will probably be shed up, since the men will be



highest bidder, as ordered by the United States Court.

The Colo le May In Dragnage

cumstances determine

MANILA, June 9.-The United States cruiser Boston, Captain W. H. Whiting, has sailed for San Francisco, by way of Nagasaki, Japan, with long service officers and men from the various American war ships.

The battleship Oregon will soon be stationed off Dagupan, in the Guif of Lingayen, on blockade duty.

The United States gunboat Albany, one of the vessels purchased from the Spaniards and commanded by Ensign W. H. Standley, has captured three salling vessels and one steamer off the island of Nebros. Nine of these boats (of the Albany class) are now in commission and are now doing good service in the shallow water of the southern islands.

Favorable reports are still-being received from the party of fifteen Americans belonging to the gunboat Yorktown, headed by Lieutenant J. C. Gilmore of that vessel, captured on April 12 by the Filipinos not far from Baler. The prisoners are receiving fair treatment.

#### NEBRASKANS COMING HOME.

#### Otis Cables They Will Leave Manila in a Few Days.

WASHINGTON, June 9.-General Otis cables as follows regarding the re turn of volunteers:

MANILA, June 9 .- Adjutant General, Washington: Oregon requests to defer time of departure until the 12th; will leave for Portland in transports Ohio and Newport. Sixth infantry upon arrival will relieve Californians at Negros. Hancock sails in a few days with Nebraska and other troops.

General Otis has been advised that it is the wish of the president 'hat all arrangements be made to give the returning troops a comfortable voyage. and that the best of care be taken so that no sickness may break out among them. It is also said that precaution will be taken not to load the transports too heavily so that the returning troops may have plenty of room.

In Favor of an Extra Session.

WASHINGTON, June 9 .- When asked as to the possibility of an extra session, Caairman Babcock expressed his opinion by saying: "For myself I would like to see congress called together early in October. I think it would be a wise course to do this. We could then pass a currency bill, and have it in good working order long before the elections. An early meeting would enable us to get away before the hot weather sets in next summer. I do not think there will be much general legislation of unusual importance beyond the currency bill, unless events in the Philippines or in Cuba should require it.

"There will be no change in the revsince laws, for the tariff bill is worksmoothly, and the internal revenue burg visions enacted in the last congress train, have to stand for awhile. I was hk that some kind of a subsidy land,pping bill will be passed, although den, is probable the bill introduced by acts acts modified. It is regarded by some S as too sweeping in character and involving too heavy an expenditure of public money. It will be easy enough, however, to qualify the provisions to meet the criticism raised against the Payne bill."

#### Present to Mrs. Bryan.

WASHINGTON, June 7 .- The democrats of the District of Columbia held

they could make their of meals usually given in quarters. owing to the darkness. The town has The rations have been delivered, acbeen laid to waste by the floods and cording to location, by caseo, cart and all the surrounding country is inunrail, and due credit should be given | dated. for the efficiency of transportation. I have heard of but one case of the reached Austin, but it is expected here

loss of a meal. EXPECT AGREEMENT HOURLY.

Canadians Show a Spirit of Concession

on Boundary Question.

a modus vivendi.

by Governor Gages

U. S. Grant, Jr., Withdraws. SAN DIEGO .Cal., June 9 .- In an

would not appear before a special ses-

sion of the legislature if one was called

"I don't believe Governor . age will

"unless he feels pretty sure that Burns

do not even know yet whether I will

will have a clear way to election.

active politics, for family and private

reasons. In any event I shall not ap-

pear before any special session of the

legislature, for since I could not be

expect to be elected if the governor

Baly's Remains Go to London.

further to say on the subject."

the city are under water. LONDON, June 9 .- It is learned by Owing to the fact that all telegraphic the Associated Press that the United communication with San Saba and States ambassador, Mr. Joseph H. Manardville was interrupted early to-Choate, is hourly expecting the con- night no additional details have been sent of the authorities at Washington received from these points. It is to a compromise arrangement of the known, however, that the property Alaskan question and for carrying on damage will exceed \$100,090. Live the discussion in the high commission. stock suffered severely. The river, While yielding in certain matters, it running as it does through a mounis understood Mr. Choate has been tainous region to this point, rises very able to effect an arrangement satisfac- quickly and falls as rapidly. This tory to the United States. He has been particular rise was announced by a largely helped by the reasonable at- solid wall of water ten feet high, which titude assumed by the Canadians dur- swept everything before it

ing the past week. The Canadian Reports from Bastrop, thirty miles high commissioner, Lord Strathcona south of Austin, state that several and Mount Royal, the secretary of bridges have been wrecked by the state for the colonies, Mr. Chamber- rushing waters. The loss to farring lain, and the marquis of Salisbury are lands south of here will represent anagreed on the lines of the compromise. other \$100,000.

WASHINGTON, June 9.-It is ST. LOUIS, June 9 .- A special to learned at the State department that the Republic from Dallas. Tex. says: while a sensible advance is making The Trinity river at Dallas began toward the arrangement of a modus rising today, but the volume of water vivendi for the regulation of the Ca- does not indicate any such flood as is nadian boundary question, a conclu- reported from the western streams, sion has not yet been reached. Ex- Wire communication and railroad fapert geographers are being consulted cilities are limited in the flooded secon the exact location of some of the tion and the full extent of the flood boundary points, though as far as cannot be known earlier than tomor-Dalton trail is concerned the definite row. The town of Kingsland, in Llano point has not been located.

The Exchange Telegraph company county, 150 miles west of Dallas, is this afternoon says it understands the tonight reported partly swept away marquis of Salisbury and the United and the inhabitants have nearly all States ambassador have reached an fled to the highlands. The flooded agreement regarding Dalton's trail on region takes in approximately twenty the Chilkoot Pass, which has been counties, with Llano county on the such an obstacle to the settlement of least, and nearly all of them without telegraph or railroad lines.

STILL PURSUE THE BANDITS.

Sheriff's Posse Is Following on the Trail interview U. J. Grant, jr., said that he of the Outlaws.

CHEYENNE, June 9 .- The result of the long chase across Wyoming after the Union Pacific train robbers call a special session," said Mr. Grant, is still doubtful, Word came from Casper yesterday that the robbers had swam the Powder river, an extremely dangerous undertaking, the stream beappear before the regular session of ing greatly swollen by June floods-

The course taken by the robbers incalled a special session. I have nothing friends in the Powder river country if they succeed in reaching it, and if going there, they are evidently doing

Augustin Daly, who died suddenly yes- pursuit from the time last heard terday afternoon at the Hotel Conti- from had been in progress four days nentil, will be embalmed today and and had covered a distance of nearly sent to London, where the body will 150 miles across a mountainous and arrive on Saturday morning. The rough country.

Richards, General Manager Dickinson and Superintendent Harris of the

CHICAGO, June 7 .- Bids were ad- Union Pacific.

way to safety granted a very substantial advance in wages. Steel rails for early delivery are only obtainable at fancy figures in small lots. With the high prices now This additional flood has not yet ruling for relayers and old rails some of the roads who bought on the break some time during the night. A fortylast winter must be getting nearly as five-foot rise is anticipated. The blg much for the material per ton which dam and power house at this point they take out of the track as they paid have been under a heavy strain since for the new rails. The railroads are vesterday owing to the terrific force of determined to come in for their share the flood. The farming lands below of the good things going and are ad-

vancing rates.

## **RESTORING ORDER IN SAMOA.**

Nicces of Both Factions Give Up Their Arms to Commission.

APIA, Samoa, May 31 .- (Via Auckmoan commission on board the d States transport Badger, and afa visited them the following day. ker of them was recognized as Mataafa expressed a willingness bide by the comissioners' decision blamed the Europeans for the

ble here. The commissioners ined him that they had power to

as should have a king but express villingness to disarm his followers

ommission. The Germans acted for the first time a many months with the representa-

tives of the other powers and have ofcially sent a guard ashore. The naval authorities and the mis- M. Randall paid 198 Cuban soldiers

ion societies have submitted their yesterday at Jaruco and rejected fortyriews to the commission, and the lat- four others. This makes 1,437 Cubans er, by proclamation, fixed May 27 as paid by Colonel Randall so far. It he date for the natives to surrender was discovered that four Cubans were their arms. Mataafa, however, asked selling fraudulent certificates of servfor an extension of the time until to- ice in the Cuban army, charging \$4 day, when he surrendered 1,800 guns each for them. This so enraged sevon board the Badger. The Malietoans are now disarmed. are now disarmed.

bhia, flying the flag of Admiral Kautz, the four men escaped on a train bound sailed May 21, and the British and for Havana, but the fourth was arrest-German consuls, B. F. Maxse and Her Rose, proceed to Europe June 17.

The natives brought here from other islands at the time of the disturbances Remaining uncalled for at the postwar ships will probably leave Samoa office at Plattsmouth, June 6, 1899; at an early date. The chief justice, Mr. William L. When calling for any of the above

Chambers, will continue the sittings letters please say "advertised." of the supreme court. Dr. Wihelm Self, the newly arrived German president of the municipal council here,

has not yet asumed his duties. LONDON, June 9 .- Both the house The commissioners are reticent, but may be reduced.

also be paid for arms illegally import- Hardly a day passes, in families ed. They consider this a bad prec

And will continue each afternoon and evening until the entire stock is sold. This is an exceptional opportunity for the people of Plattsmouth and vicinity to buy what goods they need AT LESS THAN WHOLESALE COST. Do not miss this grand opportunity, as this stock of goods will positively be sold, Regardless of Prices.

## Three Sales on Saturdays--10 a. m. and 1 and 7 p. m.

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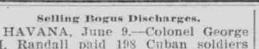
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blish a government with or with-a king. Mataafa thought the Sa- H. H. INMAN, Salesman.

Trustee in Bankruptcy.

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The United States cruiser Philadel- lers of the bogus certificates. Three of

#### Dealness Cannot be Cured

**Hose**, proceed to Europe June 17. Quen Victoria's birthday was cele-brated with great rejoicing, about 3,-000 strong men of the Malletoan army attending the festivities at Malinuu, in the presence of the British consul and naval officers. The procession visited the graves of the British and Americans and then marched to the graves of the Germans who were slain in the battle of Flaglat, in 1879. The Americans fired a salute over the Ger-man graves. The natives are gaining confidence and are freely submitting their griev-ances to the commission. The natives the marked for the Germans who were slain in the battle of Flaglat, in 1879. The Americans fired a salute over the Ger-man graves.

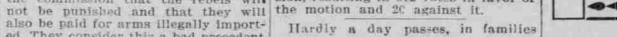
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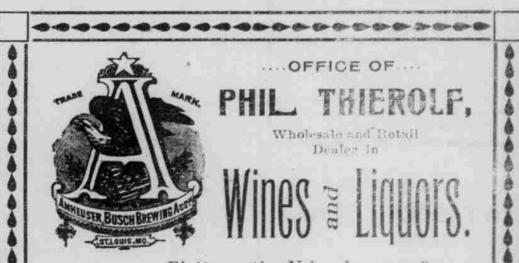
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C. H. SMITH, Postmaster,

Britain Thanks Kitchener.

it is naturally understood they are of lords and the house of commons considering a reduction of the admin- today passed votes of thanks to Genstration as established by the Berlin eral Kitchener of Khartoum and the treaty, and that the number of officials other officers and men engaged in the Soudan campaign. Michael Davitt. The residents of Apia express dis- Irish national member from South satisfaction at the indications given by Mayo, protested and challenged a divithe commission that the rebels will sion, resulting in 312 votes in favor of





Plattsmouth, Neb., June 5, 1899. I beg to inform my friends and the public generally that I have engaged in the Wholesale Liquor Trade and am now able to supply patrons in any quantity-from one pint to twenty-five barrels.

Have just imported some fine old French Cognac Brandy. Also the genuine Rhine Wine for strictly medicinal purposes.

As I handle nothing but first-class goods and sell at lowest prices,, it will pay you to buy your Whisky, Brandy, Wine, etc., from me.

Do not forget that this is the time to order your case Beer and that this is the only place in the county where you can get the genuine AN-HEUSER-BUSCH BEER. Give me a call and be convinced.



the legislature. Certainly I have no The posse under Marshall Hadsell idea at present of making another was still in pursuit when the mescampaign for the senate, though nosenger left the chase. body has been authorized to spread the report that I have withdrawn from

dicates that they are making for the Powder river country instead of the Hole-in-the-Wall. The Powder country is north of the scene of Monday's elected at a regular session I could not fight, while the Hole-in-the-Wall is West. The outlaws will find many

so in the expectancy of securing help PARIS, June 9 .- The remains of and shelter from their friends. The

The funeral of Sheriff Hazen, who funeral services will take place at a Catholic church in London, and then lost his life in Monday's fight, took the body will be sent to New York. place yesterday at Douglas. Among There will be no religious services those who attended were Covernor supplies for Soldiers Wanted.

