

THE AMERICAN SOLDIER

Drives the Filipinos from Trenches After Stubborn Fighting.

THE MARINES ALSO TAKE A HAND

Several Smooth-Bore Cannon Captured—Ammunition Evidently Came from the United States Navy Yard—The Rebels, Though Defeated, Are Defiant.

MANILA, June 15.—Before dark last night the Fourteenth infantry swung the Zapote river, charged and carried the trenches, a heavy fusillade of artillery preparing the way and covering the crossing. The insurgents broke for the woods before the Fourteenth reached them. Almost at the same time the Ninth and the Twelfth crossed a bar of the sea and came upon their left flank at a point where a body of marines with Maxim guns landed under protection of the ships' batteries and fired into the enemy's left rear with demoralizing effect. The Twenty-first crossed the river by a bridge as soon as it could be mended. Sixty-five dead Filipinos were found in the trenches, most of them shot through the head. Several five-inch smooth-bore guns were captured with ammunition marked "U. S. navy yard." After crossing the river the troops were withdrawn, with the exception of the Ninth and Twenty-first, these regiments being left with four guns to guard the bridge. As they were being formed into companies the insurgents commenced to fire volleys from the bamboo jungle 200 yards away. The regiments formed into line rapidly and coolly, though under fire and cheering, rushed to the woods, driving the enemy a mile away, the Filipinos disputing every foot. The Fourteenth encamped across the river, the men caring for many of the Filipino wounded. Eighty prisoners were captured. The majority of the Filipinos wore red uniforms.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The following was received at the war department:

MANILA, June 14.—Adjutant General Washington: Lawton's troops under Wheaton and Owenshine occupy country south of Bacoor, have scouted westward and some distance southward on the line of the Zapote river and Bacoor road; enemy appears to have retired on Imus, abandoning the bay country. The fighting yesterday was severe. Our loss was ten killed and forty wounded, the majority at the crossing of Zapote river. The enemy was driven back heavily and well-constructed entrenchments, to which they held tenaciously. Their loss was several hundred, of whom fifty were buried this morning. Will not probably make any determined stand in southern provinces.

The navy department has received the following cablegrams from Captain Barker, the naval officer in command at Manila, respecting the fighting there yesterday:

MANILA, June 15.—Secretary of Navy, Washington: The insurgents fired at navy yard from masked batteries. Ships of war shelled their position and entrenchments. The Helena and Monadnock landed forces to assist in maintaining the position until reinforced by the army. The movement was successful. Enemy was routed. No casualties in the navy.

BARKER: What you want is not temporary relief from pills but a cure to stay cured. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures piles and they say cured. F. G. Fricke & Co.

Did you ever notice the swarms of people who enter the Department store every day? They are getting bargains, that is a sure thing, or they would not go.

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Colored Troops for Philippines. WASHINGTON, June 15.—The war department has issued an order for the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth regulars to proceed to San Francisco, preparatory to being sent to Manila, except four companies each, which, with other troops, are redistributed through the west to cover the ground vacated by the troops sent to the Philippines. The department announces that the plan of leaving four companies of regiments sent to active service will be followed hereafter, in order that when the men from any regiment become invalided, they may return to their home stations for light duty with former comrades.

A Filipino Village. A complete Filipino village, people, houses and surroundings, as they appear at their home, will be at the Greater America Exposition, Omaha. Pain's fireworks, and the "Fall of Manila," on the water, at the exposition. Magnificent display. Indian congress of wild Indians, from all parts of the country. War relics from Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines. Rare curios, birds, animals and tropical plants. 15,000 new electric lights, besides all used last year; a magnificent spectacle.

The finest collection of exhibits in all departments ever shown. Music by the finest bands, orchestra music, vocal music; an exposition worthy the close of the 19th century, from July 1 until November 1, 1899. It will present new and unique features, never before presented in any exposition, no matter what exposition you may have visited, the Greater America at Omaha will be new to you.

George B. Mann was an Omaha visitor this afternoon.

BRIEFLY TOLD.

C. A. Marshall, Dentist. Bargains for all at the Department store.

For tornado policies call on J. H. Thrasher.

Ice cream packed for picnic parties at Holloway's.

Musical instruments refinished by Patton & Bulger.

To Rent—Furnished rooms. Platts-mouth telephone 163.

Genuine auction sale every day at the Department store.

Ice cream freezers of the best makes. Ebinger Hardware company.

Buy your summer millinery at the Metropolitan while you get it cheap.

To move stock we will sell fruit jars, all sizes, at wholesale rates. F. T. Davis Co.

Mound City paint. All colors. Best on earth. A. W. Atwood, the druggist sells it.

Auction, auction, auction. Everything at auction all at a bargain. Department store.

Rev. George W. Hawley will preach at the South Park Baptist church tonight (June 16.)

FOUND—A lady's jacket. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this notice.

A. W. Atwood, the druggist, has just what you want in wall paper. Platts-mouth Telephone 27.

Largest line of cotton and rubber garden hose ever brought to the city. Ebinger Hardware company.

Don't forget the dancing party and social to be given by St. Agnes society at the Sokol hall June 17.

Preserve your trees and shrubbery by purchasing one of those sprayers of the Ebinger Hardware company.

Anyone desiring spring house cleaning done would do well to call on Teller & Sheppard, on Vine street.

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

Get Patton & Bulger to figure on your painting, paper-hanging or wallpapering. Satisfaction guaranteed.

WANTED—Competent girl for kitchen work. \$3.50 per week. No washing. R. B. WINDHAM.

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

The social and business meeting of the Frauverein of the Gorman Presbyterian church was held at the home of Mrs. John Reich yesterday afternoon.

Money to loan on improved city real estate by the Platts-mouth Loan and Building association. See T. M. Patterson, secretary.

A new coat of paint is being put on the front of the building occupied by Egenberger's saloon. Patton & Bulger are doing the work.

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The ladies of the Frauverein of the German Evangelical church held a picnic yesterday afternoon out at Goo's pasture, south of town. They report a very pleasant time.

The Royal Neighbors of America will give their first ice cream social Friday evening, June 16, at Fitzgerald's hall. A short program will be given. Admission 10 cents.

All members of the P. E. O. society are requested to meet at the home of Miss Olive Jones Friday evening at 8 o'clock, as there will be business of importance. By order of the president.

It is wonderful how many people attend the auction sales at the Department store. But then, when you take into consideration the bargains that are to be secured, it is not so wonderful.

Goods at your own prices can be secured at the Department store. Nice dress goods is being sold there for less than the wholesale price. Everything is going at the same ridiculously low rate.

Hardly a day passes, in families where there are children, in which Ballard's Snow Lotion is not needed. It quickly cures cuts, wounds, bruises, burns and scalds. Price 25 and 50c. F. G. Fricke & Co.

The appellate court of Indiana has entered a decision to the effect that a man may treat his friends to champagne on a legal holiday. This decision is pleasant for the friends, but somewhat hard on the man.

J. C. Ellington of the Murray M. W. A. camp was in town today and requested THE NEWS to state that he could pick up nine men out of his camp who could defeat any other nine men from any one camp in the county at the tug-of-war, the contest to take place at the Weeping Water log rolling.

If your sight is blurred with specks and spots floating before your eyes, or you have pains on the right side under the ribs, then your liver is deranged,

and you need a few doses of Herbine to regulate it. Price 50c. F. G. Fricke & Co.

Charles Martin, who was formerly in the employ of M. S. Briggs, has opened one of the neatest barber shops in town under Morgan's store. Everything is new and bright, and satisfaction is guaranteed or he will put back the whiskers.

Gus Jeffricka, one of the men employed on the Sheely bridge works out in the county, cut his great toe nearly off last evening while sharpening a pling. He was brought to the city and Dr. Cook dressed the wound. He is at the Perkins house.

In the case of the Westinghouse company vs. J. W. Baker and Frank Eaton, which has been on trial in county court for the past two days, a verdict was rendered in favor of the plaintiffs, giving them the right of possession of property, which is valued at \$732.80.

James L. Walker, graduate from the conservatory at Stanbury, Mo., has opened rooms in the Rockwood block, where he is prepared to give lessons on piano and organ, and also in voice culture. Professor Walker is a teacher of experience, and his terms are reasonable.

W. W. Coates took charge of the Mercer hotel in Omaha this morning, succeeding his brother, E. J., who has leased the Keefer at Grand Island. Mr. Coates' family will go to Omaha with him. He also has some concessions on the exposition grounds and will employ a number of Platts-mouth people there.

Mr. Brower, expert optician of the Columbian Optical company, 211 South Sixteenth street, Omaha, is here on his second visit, and will be pleased to meet all his old customers. Mr. Brower will no doubt make as many new ones, as he understands his business thoroughly. Will be at John T. Coleman's jewelry store June 15 to 21.

The ninth annual convention of the Cass county W. C. T. U. will convene in the Christian church at Murray June 21-22. A gold medal contest will be held the evening of the 21st. The district president, Mrs. M. P. Hoover, will be present. Matters of interest to temperance people will be reported and discussed. You will be entertained with music, recitations and addresses. All are cordially invited to attend.

At this afternoon's session special attention was laid on the necessity of normal work. A letter from Rev. C. E. Kniekerhoecker, a former well-known Sunday school worker of the state, giving his experience in Sunday school work in China, was especially interesting. The organized Sunday school movement was the theme this evening. The different phases of the work were presented by Dr. Hayden of Kearney, B. Stephenson of Cedar Rapids, Ia., and a paper written by Hon. J. R. Thompson of Grand Island was read by his reporter.

A chorus of over 100 children's voices was a feature of the evening meeting. Nearly four hundred delegates are in attendance this evening. So many visitors were in from the country that 200 were unable to get in the opera house. There was an overflow meeting at the Baptist church, where addresses were given by Secretary Pollock and Rev. Messrs. Stewart and Russell.

Carl Tucker returned to Glenwood this morning.

Timothy Clark of Weeping Water is in the city.

J. T. Ritchie, the Wabash grain buyer, is in the city.

Mrs. Will Clement went to Omaha today on the fast mail.

Andy Hawrick made a business trip to Omaha this morning.

E. A. Oliver, the butcher, made a trip to Omaha this afternoon.

Mrs. Edna DeVoe of Greenwood was a caller at the court house yesterday.

Miss Ida Goodell of Glenwood is in the city, the guest of Miss Olive Gass.

H. A. Schneider of Cedar Creek was a Platts-mouth visitor yesterday.

Dave Hawksworth went to Lincoln on Burlington business this afternoon.

Ed Donat and wife returned this morning from a few days' visit with relatives at Schuyler.

Tom E. Williams of Glendale was in the city today, returning from a trip to South Omaha with stock.

Attorney A. M. Russell and J. M. Carter were looking after legal matters yesterday at the court house.

Attorneys J. L. Root and Matthew Gering went down to Nebraska City this morning. They will attend the Watson trial.

Miss Beulah Elson arrived home yesterday from Lincoln, where she has been attending the art school at the state university.

Callie Atwood returned to Lincoln this morning to resume his studies at the university, after a few days' visit with his parents in this city.

Miss Bertha Young, accompanied by Miss Friend, Miss Carrie Cowles, arrived Monday evening from Valley, Neb., for a short visit with her mother, Mrs. Ida Young.

Before buying binding twine see Ebinger Hardware Co.

League Officers.

At the convention of the Nebraska City District Epworth League at Nebraska City, which has been in session for the past three days, the following officers were elected:

First vice-President—Miss Lois Spencer, Falls City.

Second vice-President—Miss Elizabeth Eikonary, Platts-mouth.

Third vice-President—Mrs. W. A. Cleghorn, Louisville.

Fourth vice-President—Adda Crawford, Auburn.

Recording Secretary—Miss Winnie Putney, Nebraska City.

Treasurer—J. F. Howe, Syracuse.

Junior Superintendent—Miss Edith Clizbe, Weeping Water.

Executive Committee—Judge G. M. Spurlock, Platts-mouth.

Business Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out of this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hill's Catarrh Cure. Send for circular, free. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists. Be- Hall's Family Pills are the best.

RAILROAD NOTES AND PERSONALS

The mail-catcher which has recently been built in the local shops and which was patented by Dr. S. R. Patton of Omaha, was given another test today. A number of catches and deliveries were made and not a miss occurred. Mail sacks weighing from ten to fifty pounds were caught, with the engine going at the speed of from ten to forty miles an hour. There is no longer any doubt of the success of the catcher. Mr. Patton has a fortune in sight.

The Burlington railroad is experimenting with acetylene gas. Fixtures for its use have been placed in the dining car "Lincoln," and the new light will be given a thorough trial. It is claimed that it is brighter than common gas and not so hard on the eyes as electricity. Another innovation in Burlington dining cars is the installation of electric fans to cool the traveler while he eats, adding greatly to the comfort of a summer trip.

Sunday School Association. HOLDREGE, Neb., June 14.—The state Sunday school association got down to hard work this morning. Many more delegates came and there are now about 300 in attendance. The following Sunday school workers are here and taking part in the convention: President Wallace of Omaha, Field Secretary Pollock of Beatrice, State Superintendent Jackson, Prof. J. H. Miller and W. H. Kimberly of Lincoln; Dr. Hayden, Kearney; E. J. Wrightman, York; W. A. Heimbarger, Grand Island; Rev. J. D. Stewart, Aurora; Rev. E. A. Russell, Ord; Mrs. M. T. Dyer, Albion; W. E. Nichal, Minden. Besides these are a number of workers prominent in their various localities who have come here for inspiration.

In the forenoon the president made his annual address, emphasizing the importance of the Sunday school work. Field Secretary Pollock's report showed 2,515 schools in the state, with 170,088 members; 27 of these schools have teachers' meetings with 1,678 teachers attending; 22,361 members of the Sunday schools had joined the church during the year, and 149 conventions had been held. The special theme of the forenoon was some of the difficulties in the work and how to remedy them. The delegates show by their attention that they are here to improve themselves.

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REPORT OF CHICAGO MARKETS

Following is the range of prices on the Chicago board of trade today, as furnished by M. S. Briggs, commission merchant:

OPTIONS	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
July	75 1/2	77 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2
Sept.	75 1/2	77 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2
Dec.	75 1/2	77 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2
Corn—				
July	34 1/2	35 1/2	34 1/2	34 3/4
Sept.	34 1/2	35 1/2	34 1/2	34 3/4
Dec.	34 1/2	35 1/2	34 1/2	34 3/4
Oats—				
July	21 1/2	22 1/2	21 1/2	21 3/4
Sept.	21 1/2	22 1/2	21 1/2	21 3/4
Dec.	21 1/2	22 1/2	21 1/2	21 3/4
Pork—				
July	8 1/2	8 3/4	8 1/2	8 1/4
Sept.	8 1/2	8 3/4	8 1/2	8 1/4

Insure in the German American. Fred Ebinger, Agent.

List of Letters.

Remaining unclaimed for at the post-office at Platts-mouth, June 14, 1899: Cartright, H. A. 2; Getz, Thomas P; Hedlioka, Charles; Jones, Mrs. Katy; McConkey, Warren; Maps, Mary; Seayous, John; Walker, Henry.

When calling for any of the above letters please say "advertised."

C. H. SMITH, Postmaster.

Have you ever had your eyes examined by an expert optician? If not, why not? It costs you nothing. Mr. Brower of the Columbian Optical company, 211 South Sixteenth street, Omaha, will be at John T. Coleman's jewelry store June 15 to 21.

Cheap Tickets to California.

The lowest rates of the year are those which the Burlington route will make late in June and early in July, for the annual meeting of the National Educational association, at Los Angeles. Liberal return limits and stop-over privileges.

The coolest route to the coast is through Denver and Salt Lake City. Go that way and for a day and a night you ride through the wonderland of the world—past canons, mountains, rivers, waterfalls and landscapes gay with flowers.

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

For relief and comfort in asthma Ballard's Horehound Sprup has no equal. Price 25 and 50c. F. G. Fricke & Co.

The "Gut Heil" 5-cent cigar has an enviable reputation among smokers. Union made. For sale by all dealers. Otto Wurl, Manufacturer.

The Merry-Go-Round

Isn't it with the comfort one gets out of a Hammock. Our hammocks are strong, well made and are guaranteed to keep you cool. Now is the time to get first pick of a big line.

LEHNHOFFS.

ATCHISON GLOBE SIGHTS.

A girl is young and care-free so long as she continues to giggle in church. You will find a loofer leech attached to every industrious man or woman.

The only way to get rid of the English sparrows is to make them the rage for trimming hats.

Visiting between kin is a good deal like gambling; everybody claims to get the worst of it.

Experience is the only teacher. No wonder men know more than women; they have more experience.

If a girl says she is to be married "in a year or two" it means there is nothing definite; she has not yet landed him.

When you go into a store to kick say "they" made the mistake to the clerk instead of "you" made the mistake.

An Atchison man's daughter married against his wishes last fall and he has already been compelled to organize three relief expeditions.

After the people have worked themselves to death to raise a preacher's salary he decides that he can do better elsewhere and resigns.

We hear a good deal at this commencement season about "Dads, not Dreams," from young people who have been dreaming all their lives.

When it is announced in church that a church meeting is to be held of "vital" importance it means that perhaps steps are to be taken to raise money to pay debts.

The record for fading rapidly has been broken by the shirt waist. Henceforth it is carried by the girl who married and went to live in her husband's family.

Conditions in this country are so favorable and people so charitable that men have been known to get along two years, although doing them (as all the harm possible).

Holiness Camp Meeting.

Beatrice, Nebraska, June 23—July 3 1899. Holds over two Sundays. Dr. B. Carradine, evangelist. R. E. Hudson, conductor of song.

Tabernacle. We have a fine large shingled roof tabernacle, the seats in which are comfortable.

Tents, 12x14 ft. \$25.00, \$2 to \$3, set up.

Cots, 10c to 35c.

Chairs, 10c.

Ground for tents free.

Gate fees. Family tickets for the season, \$1.50. Single season tickets, 50c. Single admission, 10c. Ministers' and their families admitted by complimentary ticket. Any person too poor to pay for a ticket will be cheerfully furnished tickets free on application to the secretary. A family consists of those who live in one household.

Dining hall, best of service at lowest rates. Special to clubs or families before June 13.

What to take. A Bible, singular book, bed clothes, wash pan, comb, footling glass, clothes-brush, hoe, brush, lamp, rubbers, towels, pillow cap, matches and some "heavy wraps." You will find that you need all these things, if you board at the dining hall. If you board yourself you will need many more.

For information, write J. G. Southwick, Beatrice, or W. B. Clark, Atchison.

Quinine Used by Soldiers.

The consumption of quinine by American soldiers suffering from one southern fever or another during the past year is said to exceed 125,000,000 grains. In some instances men in the hospitals of Cuba and Puerto Rico were dosed regularly with 300 grains a week, and there was hardly a man in the field who did not take the drug at one time or another. Fully one-third of the entire quinine supply of the world is consumed in the United States.

Ice cream flavored with extracts, 25 cents per quart at Holloway's.

There will be three big sales at the Department store Saturday. The first one will be at 10 a. m., the second at 1 p. m. and the last at 7 p. m. The bargains at these sales will be numerous and no one who needs dry goods, or anything they have, can afford to miss the sale.

Loyal Mystic Legion of America will celebrate her fourth anniversary on Monday evening, June 19. A delightful program of singing and speaking. Ice cream and cake 10 cents. The public is cordially invited.

Three for \$1. Laundered Percalo Shirts—Eisen, the Clothier.

A Wedding

Present should be something of good quality. We have a great many suitable articles for these occasions—we never carry inferior goods. Call on us when in need of good goods.

JNO. T. COLEMAN

JEWELER.

Second Door South of Postoffice.

THE FINEST. Ice Cream Soda Water 50c IN ALL FLAVORS OUR... Chocolate and Vanilla Beat the World Gering & Co., DRUGGISTS.

A Few More of Those Iron Beds Left. With Mattress and Springs Complete for \$5.00. Beautiful Line of Bookcases. Those Oak Rockers at \$1.75. J. I. UNRUH, The Furniture Man and Undertaker.

The Platte Mutual Insurance Co., \$150,000 Insurance in Force. HOME OFFICE AT PLATTS-MOUTH, NEB. Why will you put your money to foreign insurance companies, who take it out of the state, when you can get it in Nebraska for less cost from a Nebraska Company. Only the Best Class of Business and Dwelling House Property Accepted.

MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS. They overcome Weakness, irregularity and omissions, increase vigor and banish "pains of menstruation." They are "LIFE SAVERS" to girls at womanhood, aiding development of organs and body. No known remedy for women equals them. Cannot do harm—life becomes a pleasure. \$1.00 PER BOX BY MAIL. Sold by druggists. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., Cleveland, Ohio. Gering & Co., Druggists.

New Hardware Store. Having returned to Platts-mouth, I will be glad to welcome all my old customers, as well as new ones, and show them a select line of Stoves, Hardware, Tinware and anything usually carried in a first-class hardware store. Be sure and call, as I have some prices that will interest you. JOHN R. COX, Rockwood Block, PLATTS-MOUTH.

Zuckweiler & Lutz. Continue to do a leading business in Fancy and Staple Groceries. Because they carry an immense stock, buy for cash and sell at low prices. Everything good to eat of Best Quality. Call and try us. Corner of Sixth and Pearl Streets. Platts-mouth, Neb.

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