

**DEWEY NOT YET DONE**

Admiral of Manila Not Likely to Rest Until Fighting is All Over.

FEW MORE IMPORTANT PORTS TO BE

Driving Off the Tagals and Otis' Advances the Work in Hand.

WAR SHIPS WILL SUPPORT THE ARMY

Successor to Commander of Asiatic Squadron Being Considered.

WILL BE GIVEN A CHANCE TO COME HOME

Navy Department Desires that for Good of the Service the Admiral Take Care of Himself and Take Needed Rest.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The statement can be repeated on the authority of the Navy department that Admiral Dewey will not be relieved at Manila until he chooses to make application for such relief. So far he has not given any intimation of a purpose to apply for relief in the immediate future and from the few declarations he has let fall the department has good reason to believe that he does not contemplate any such action.

Consequently there is no foundation for the story that Admiral Schley or any other admiral has been asked to take command of the Asiatic station. So far as the Navy department is concerned the directing officials are not only willing but anxious that Dewey should complete his task and they deplore the circulation of such stories as those alleging that he is to be relieved, for the reason that by constant repetition the impression might be conveyed to the admiral that the department would like to relieve him. In the case of a man of Dewey's punctilious feeding the suggestion if he had the slightest reason to believe it had an official foundation, would be sufficient to induce him to apply immediately for relief rather than to embarrass the department.

His objection to the limitation of his stay by the length of the task before him, it may be a matter of interest to record the belief of many naval officers that after all, the end is almost within sight. Dewey has established himself in Manila; he has assisted in the taking of Iloilo; he has sent forces to Cebu in connection with the army, and to Negros; the principal ports of the Philippines have all been taken over into American hands, and the island through his co-operation with the army. There remain only a few parts of importance, notably Zamboanga on Mindanao and perhaps one of the towns in the Sulu archipelago, to be occupied. Expeditions are now being organized in these directions and the branch of the work will be soon closed up.

**Why Dewey is Needed.**  
There will remain only two features of the campaign to require Dewey's assistance. First, and near at hand, is the driving off of the Tagals, under Aguinaldo, near Manila. With Dewey's assistance the operations in Manila with his reinforcements and the other reinforcements expected soon General Otis' movement in force is near at hand. The navy will aid in this. Ships can be placed in proper position, the shores of Manila and Cavite can be shelled, the country for miles and by co-operation with the army through the agency of the signal corps the insurgents can be shelled out of the jungles many miles inland by the war ships.

**SUSPEND CODY'S SENTENCE**  
Woman's Age and the Jury's Recommendation of Mercy Cause Judge to Let Her Go.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 10.—Judge Gregory this afternoon announced that he had intended to suspend sentence in the case of Margaret E. Cody, who was found guilty of blackmailing the Gould heirs by the jury here yesterday. In announcing his decision he said:

"Mrs. Cody, the evidence has convinced me that you are guilty without question, yet I feel that in view of the jury's unanimous recommendation for mercy, that I am unjustified in following their suggestion and in suspending sentence in your case. You are free to go on your own recognizance."

**ARTILLERY FOR HONOLULU**  
Four Batteries of the Sixth Are to Occupy the Post There, Relieving Second Volunteer Engineers.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 10.—The War department has informed the local army managers that four batteries of the Sixth United States artillery will be stationed at Honolulu. It is understood that the Second volunteer engineers will be recalled, leaving the artillery as the sole garrison for the Hawaiian islands. It is probable that the Twenty-fourth United States infantry will be sent here from Fort Douglas, Utah, and Fort Tule, Wis., where they are stationed. The Twenty-fourth was in the thick of the battle at San Juan and lost many men and officers, killed and wounded.

**PARIC IN A TENEMENT FIRE**  
Flames Drive Twenty Families Out, but it is Thought Some Lives Are Lost.

NEW YORK, March 11.—A six-story tenement at 4 Bayard street caught fire early this morning. Twenty families were driven from their homes and it is believed by Chief Bonner some lives were lost. As yet no bodies have been found. The tenement burned like tinder and a number of people were forced to drop from windows into nets.

**BIDS FOR ICE PLANT AT MANILA**  
Proposals to Be Received by the Government Agent at Chicago on March 30.

CHICAGO, March 10.—Chief Quartermaster Lee of the Department of the Lakes will open bids for a contract for the erection of a large refrigerating plant and ice-making machine at Manila under the plans and specifications recently revised by experts. Proposals for constructing the plant were received a month ago and forwarded to the authorities at Washington, but were rejected because the specifications were not explicit in describing the style of apparatus desired.

**PUBLICA MAKES ANOTHER TRIP.**  
SAN FRANCISCO, March 10.—The government steamer Publica is about to start on its second trip to Manila, after having completed its first trip to that city, and was fitted out for another trip to the Philippines. The steamer "Gonzaga" is now loading mail for Manila and will probably sail on Saturday.

**APPLY THE LASH TO HOGG**

Dictator of Lone Star State Arraigned Before Senate of Texas Legislature.

RESOLUTIONS CREATE GREAT SENSATION

Ex-Governor is Practically Accused of Dishonesty in Endeavoring to Collect \$100,000 Fee for Services to State.

AUSTIN, Tex., March 10.—The biggest political sensation Texas has enjoyed in years took place today when ex-Governor Hogg was practically arraigned before the senate of the Texas legislature and the politicians were given an opportunity of stoning the great political leader and dictator of the Lone Star state.

The matter came up over a measure now pending to pay Governor Hogg \$100,000 for collecting from the federal government \$1,000,000 as an amount of advance settling the debts of Texas when a republic. Governor Hogg, acting under contract with Governor Culberson, collected this money and the present legislature was supposed to appropriate the money to pay him.

**SIXTEENTH THE LAST TO GO**  
Troops at Fort Crook Have Some Time Yet to Remain in the Country—Dates of Other Sailings.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—(Special Telegram.)—Six transport ships are now booked to carry regulars to Manila, and it is expected to get all of the regulars out of the country within the next six weeks. Eight hundred of the Ninth infantry fall on the City of Puerba March 16 and 600 on the Salsandia March 24. The Sixth infantry will sail April 15 on the Arizona and Senator and the Twenty-first infantry April 18 on the Scandia and Morgan City.

**TRANSPORT GRANT AT MANILA**  
General Lawton with the Fourth and Part of the Seventeenth Infantry Reach Their Destination.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—A cablegram received at the War department today, dated Manila, March 9, says that the transport Grant arrived with troops in good condition. The transport arrived at New York on March 3, and the Newport via Nagasaki. The Grant carried to Manila General Lawton, the Fourth and Seventh regiments of the Seventeenth infantry.

**Complete Disagreement in Delaware.**  
DOVER, Del., March 10.—The democrats and regular republicans who have been such important factors in the triangular senatorial fight had an understanding in this respect which amounted to an agreement to disagree, but to leave Delaware with only one senator at Washington for two years.

**AUSTIN BARS THEM OUT**  
Quarantine Declared Against Webb and Enclain Counties in Texas on Account of Smallpox.

AUSTIN, Tex., March 10.—Governor Sayers today declared a quarantine against the counties of Webb and Enclain on account of the alarming prevalence of smallpox there.

**SHAWNSETOWN IS IN DANGER**  
People Fear a Repetition of the Flood of Last Year—Levee Said to Be Weak.

SHAWNSETOWN, Ill., March 10.—This city is threatened with another flood similar to the one that almost swept the town away a year ago. The residents are moving out as rapidly as possible and all the live stock has been removed. The levee is thought to be weak in some places and a break is liable to occur at any time.

**RICHES WAITING AT HOME**  
Fortune in Quest of a Goldseeker Who Pursues a Similar Phantom in the Klondike.

CHICAGO, March 10.—While seeking in Alaska the fortune of becoming rich a fortune of \$200,000 awaits Reginald Dawson in India. When Dawson went to the Klondike last year he was unaware of the wealth which he and his wife and two children are endeavoring to communicate with him to pour him of his good luck. Dawson is the husband of Ellen Archibald Dawson, for whom lawyers in Calcutta, London, New York and Chicago have been searching for three years. Mrs. Dawson died three years ago at a young age.

**NEED TROOPS IN PORTO RICO**

Relations Between Natives and Americans Strained to Snapping Point.

GENERAL HENRY IS IN SERIOUS DILEMMA

Admits that He Has Made a Mistake in Turning Over to Natives Reins of Local Government Too Soon.

CHICAGO, March 10.—The Tribune tomorrow will print the following special correspondence from Porto Rico from a Tribune correspondent:

SAN JUAN DE PORTO RICO, March 10.—The real situation in Porto Rico is not what the general public here is led to believe by the regular reports of the War department. General Henry is in a serious dilemma. He has only three regiments of troops—the Eleventh and Nineteenth infantries and the Fifth heavy artillery.

**POWDER EXPLODES IN A MINE**  
Four Workmen Are Known to Have Been Killed and Others May Be Awaiting the End.

DENVER, March 10.—A special to the Times from Creede, Colo., says: An explosion of several hundred pounds of powder took place this morning in tunnel No. 6 of the Comstock mine, creating great havoc and killing at least four miners.

**AGREE ON A WAGE SCHEDULE**  
Miners and Operators in Illinois Adopt a Scale Which Will Probably End Trouble.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 10.—The joint convention of coal operators and miners of Illinois came to a harmonious conclusion today with the adoption of the agreement and schedule of wages. The agreement was adopted by a vote of 77 to 27.

**MINERS LOCKED IN A SHAFT**  
Food is Supplied to Them, but Seventy-Five Feet of Earth Will Hold Them for a Week.

LEADVILLE, Colo., March 10.—Communication has been established with Charles Reuss and Bert Frey, imprisoned in the Bon-Air mine, through the caving of the shaft by ripping asunder the water pipe by a charge of dynamite lowered to the proper depth. Provisions were lowered through the pipe. A new shaft will have to be sunk seventy-five feet before the men can be reached. This will take about a week.

**CONDITION OF THE WEATHER**

Forecast for Nebraska—Fair and Mild; Cold; Northerly Winds.

Temperature at Omaha yesterday: High, 40; Low, 20.

Hourly report for Omaha yesterday: 7 a. m., 40; 8 a. m., 38; 9 a. m., 35; 10 a. m., 32; 11 a. m., 28; 12 m., 25; 1 p. m., 22; 2 p. m., 20; 3 p. m., 18; 4 p. m., 16; 5 p. m., 14; 6 p. m., 12; 7 p. m., 10; 8 p. m., 8; 9 p. m., 6; 10 p. m., 4; 11 p. m., 2.

**COLE IS QUITE COOL**

Man Charged with Murdering Kreibbaum Keeps His Nerve Well.

STRAIN OF TRIAL HAS LITTLE EFFECT  
Farmers Living Near Scene of Tragedy Give Their Testimony.

MANY SUSPICIOUS INCIDENTS DESCRIBED  
Cole with Companion Seen Driving Away from Dead Man's House.

THIS OCCURS NIGHT OF THE MURDER  
Stains of Blood on Boards and Straw and Bloody Finger Marks on a Post.—The Testimony in Detail.

BLOOMINGTON, Neb., March 10.—(Special Telegram.)—The trial of W. S. Cole, charged with murdering J. P. Kreibbaum, was resumed this morning, with Martin Gregory as the witness stand. Gregory saw Cole and another man pass his house going toward Kreibbaum's place at 5 p. m. December 2.

H. H. Huffman testified that he saw Cole in Frankland December 2 and on that evening saw two men driving toward Kreibbaum's house and thought that Cole was one of them. J. W. White also testified that he saw Cole December 2 with another man going toward Kreibbaum's farm.

J. G. Smith testified that when he heard of the disappearance of Kreibbaum, that the Tooman and Cole had gotten all his property for \$250 he thought that there was something wrong. He said he secured Kreibbaum's signature and drove up to Tooman's house where he was shown the lease was satisfied that it had never been signed by Kreibbaum.

Sanford Douglas, who owned the farm near Kreibbaum's where Cole worked, said that Cole had told him that he did not want his farm any longer, as he had gotten another place. Henry Austin testified that Kreibbaum sold him about \$150 worth of hogs on November 29, but the check had not yet been credited for payment. Mrs. Benson testified that on December 2 she met a man near Kreibbaum's farm riding in a buggy which Cole used to use and that his description was that of Tooman. L. Furry said Cole had told him that he had been on the farm on December 2, and when asked how they were said they were his and a check was given to him, which was offered in evidence.

Walter Heutz, a stock buyer at Napoleon, said that early in the morning of December 3 Tooman came from the south in a buggy with another young man, and that the horse they were driving was very warm and looked as if it had been driven hard. Jacob Huber testified that he saw the man drive through Napoleon on December 3, but could not say who was in the buggy. Fred Sutton testified that he went within eight feet of the Kreibbaum house with a load of corn on December 2, but could see nothing of Kreibbaum. Ezra Fager said that when hunting for the body he was said to be on some boards and saw straw and bloody fingermarks on a post, which were cut out and offered in evidence.

Ed Cadman, a cousin of Mrs. Tooman, said Cole came to him saying Tooman wanted him very badly the next day. Cole took him out to Tooman's house and found Tooman very nervous. He had said if that he heard was true, with the man through hard with him. Cadman told him that everything would be all right. Cole had said he believed that Kreibbaum had been foully dealt with and Tooman said if that were so it would go pretty bad with the man. Court then adjourned until 9 a. m. tomorrow. Mrs. Tooman and family were in court during the afternoon. Cole is showing but little effect of the strain of the trial.

**MUSTER ROLLS ARE MISSING**

Another Obstacle to Be Overcome in Paying Off Cuban Troops.  
HAVANA, March 10.—The only obstacle now in the way of paying off the Cuban troops is the completion of the rolls, a work which is being hastened by professional agitators are rapidly growing and can be kept down only by a strong military force.

**TRIAL OF SIZEMORE BROTHERS.**  
Defense Closes His Case and the Arguments Are Begun.  
TEKAMAH, Neb., March 7.—(Special.)—In the case of the State against Sizemore Brothers, charged with the murder of Charles Beck near Decatur, in this county, seven years ago, the defense commenced by putting several witnesses on the stand for the purpose of impeaching the evidence of James Cowlick, the last witness for the state. This was followed by the testimony of several witnesses, who testified that they had seen Beck in Ed Bonneau's saloon in Decatur that fatal night and that none of the Sizemore boys were seen there that evening.

**COURT IS COMING TO OMAHA**  
Taking of Testimony Regarding Chicago Packing House Methods Takes Two Days More.  
CHICAGO, March 10.—The court of inquiry regarding beef continued working today at the stock yards, investigating packing house methods. It is expected that the taking of testimony will occupy Saturday and Monday and that the court will leave for Omaha or Kansas City Tuesday or Wednesday unless something develops to make a longer stay in Chicago imperative.

**IOWANS LOSE THE DEBATE**

Illinois Wesleyan Students Successfully Negotiate the Question of Alliance with England.  
BLOOMINGTON, Ill., March 10.—The debate here tonight between Iowa Wesleyan university and Illinois Wesleyan university was won by the latter. The subject was "An Alliance with England," Iowa favoring the proposition.

**CHARGES AGAINST M'NALL**  
Insurance Commissioner of Kansas in Trouble Through Acts of His Examiners.  
TOPEKA, March 10.—Charges against Insurance Commissioner Webb McCall have been filed with Governor Stanley by Arthur Capper, publisher of the Topeka Mail and Breeze, who charges McCall with misconduct in office. The charges grow out of the operations of the special agents employed by McCall to investigate the standing of eastern insurance companies. Governor Stanley has notified McCall that he will be given until tomorrow to answer the charges, and if he does not answer to the satisfaction of the charges, he expects to be removed from office, as the state law authorizes the governor to take such action whenever he shall become satisfied that the insurance commissioner is incompetent, corrupt or oppressive. McCall is a populist politician and his term would have expired in July next. His successor has been appointed.