

NEBRASKANS AFOAT

One Report First Regiment is Going Aboard Transports.

VOLUNTEERS ARE STILL IN GOOD CONDITION

Climate and Hard Work, However, Are Swelling the Risk List.

RAINY SEASON IS NOW WELL UNDER WAY

Little Inland Campaigning is Possible, but Losses Are Maintained.

MASS OF PEOPLE TERRORIZED BY REBELS

Positions Inhabited by the Tagala Now Practically Under American Control—Rebel Forces Are Heavily Scattered.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—(Special Telegram.)—Information was received today at the War Department that the First Nebraska Cavalry, together with the Utah and Pennsylvania troops, were loading and it is confidently expected will depart tonight for Manila.

The failure of the Hancock to leave Manila with the First Nebraska within the time originally set for the transport sailing is now ascribed by the quartermaster's department to the inability to coal the steamer on account of lack of facilities at present existing at that port.

Colonel Bird, of the quartermaster's office, who has the transportation of troops directly under his charge, stated that 1,500 tons of coal had to be put in the vessel by the government, the owners of the steamship refusing to issue the vessel unless the quantity of keeping the same in ballast was waived. This part of the government, Colonel Bird said, the United States is not to be held responsible for the delay in leaving Manila.

Our experience in ballasting ships with coal at Luzon, said Colonel Bird, "has not been of the most satisfactory nature. One of our ships at Manila took two weeks to get out with only one ton of coal in its hold. I presume the Hancock has gone through a similar experience."

Report of General Olin.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—General Olin, in reply to a cablegram from the War Department asking for information regarding the situation and conditions in the Philippines, today sent a long reply, as follows:

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The only hope of insurgents in the United States is that they remain in the hands of the present administration, and recognition by their independence and recognition by the United States. The influence which enables them to hold out much longer than they otherwise would, is the fact that the United States is not in a position to send troops to the Philippines.

THINKS WELL OF FILIPINOS

General King Believes Them to Be Capable of Self-Government.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 26.—Brigadier General King, who returned from the Philippines a short time ago, in a letter to the Associated Press, published today, states that the capability of the Filipinos for self-government cannot be doubted and if given a fair start they could look out for themselves infinitely better than our people imagine. He says they rank far higher than the negroes of the United States.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—Adjutant General Corbin has received a telegram from General Shafter at San Francisco stating that the transport Sheridan sailed at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon for Manila. General Shafter's aide, Colonel Dargatzis, Major Quinton and Company B and H of the Fourteenth Infantry, 24 enlisted men and two company officers, were on board.

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JOHN BELL, FACES A CRISIS

Joseph Chamberlain Speaks Feeling of Transvaal Situation.

BOERS INFLICT IGNOMINY ON ENGLISHMEN

Treatment of British Subjects Said to Injure Their Nation's Prestige.

BIRMINGHAM, Eng., June 26.—Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, addressing the unionists of this city, reviewed carefully the Transvaal question.

Not since the queen's jubilee has a more magnificent army corps been prepared for European service, and while 6,000 additional troops remained in the barracks, the display afforded the queen's jubilee, the magnificent display of the Transvaal army, which numbered nearly 15,000 infantry, 800 cavalry and 8,000 horses made up the magnificent display.

Nearly all the foreign military attaches expressed great admiration for the regiment of which the emperor's honorary colonel and the Pauliers, the Camerons, the Scotch Rifles and other heroes of the Zulu campaign were in perfect form. The enthusiasm of the crowds was intense and the queen's approbation was evident as each regiment came under her eye.

GERMANS WILL NOT BE BOUND

Tentative Will Enter No Agreement to Limit Naval or Military Equipment.

THE HAGUE, June 26.—The first committee examined today the Russian proposals relating to military and naval budgets.

Spain Meets New Conditions.

Madrid, June 26.—The senate today discussed the treaty of peace with the United States.

MCKINLEY TAKES UP BURDEN

Outing Among the People of Massachusetts Closes with Cordial Farewell Ceremony.

ADAMS, Mass., June 26.—The vacation which President and Mrs. McKinley have been enjoying here as the guests of W. B. Plunkett, an attorney at law, is drawing to a close.

KAISER PELTED BY FLOWERS

Brondes of Sweet-Scented Missiles Are Exchanged for Amusement of Royalty.

KIEL, Prussia, June 26.—Emperor William, Empress Victoria, Princess Henry of Prussia, the crown prince and the princess of Greece, Vice Admiral Tirpitz, imperial minister of the navy, and Count von Bülow, secretary of state for foreign affairs, from the deck of the imperial yacht Hohenzollern, witnessed today a picturesque procession of boats in a harbor.

AMERICAN PLAN TO BE PUSHED

Secretary Hollis Hopes for Success of Proposal to Exempt Private Property from Seizure.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—Frederick Hollis, secretary of the American delegation to the peace conference, referring to the contract with a representative of the Associated Press to the proposals of the United States for protection of private property at sea, with the exception of contraband of war, in time of war, from capture or seizure, said:

SINews OF THE BRITISH LION

Flower of England's Army Passes in Review to Prove Its Fitness for Service.

LONDON, June 26.—The queen, the duke of Cambridge, the prince of Wales, the duke of York, Grand Duke Michael of Russia, the duke of Connaught, General Lord Wolseley, commander-in-chief of the army, Colonel Samuel S. Sumner, United States army, military attaché of the United States embassy at London, and many princes and princesses were present on the famous Plains of Aldershot today to witness a review of 18,000 of the best troops in the kingdom.

ITHACANS FLAUNT THE RED

Freshmen Over of Cornell Reach Goal Over a Length Ahead.

QUAKERS CONSOLIDATED IN FOUR-OARED RACE

In That Event Pennsylvania Takes Lead from the Start and Crosses Line a Front Distance in Front of Cornell.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., June 26.—The four-oared race over the two-mile course today was won by Pennsylvania. Time, 11:14.5.

Time—First mile, Pennsylvania, 5:29.5; Cornell, 5:33. Strokes. One-half mile—Pennsylvania, 28; Cornell, 33. Mile and one-half—Pennsylvania, 31; Cornell, 33. Second mile—Pennsylvania, 31; Cornell, 34. Three miles—Pennsylvania, 31; Cornell, 34. Four miles—Pennsylvania, 31; Cornell, 34.

At the crack of the pistol the two four-oared crews from Cornell and Pennsylvania took the water together, but the Pennsylvania stroke was only 34. The Pennsylvania stroke, while not as prettily rowed as Cornell's, had much more go in it and before the boats had gone ten lengths the Quakers had shoved their boats nose ahead of the Ithacans. Cornell had dropped down to the Courtyer stroke of 33 to the minute, and although lurching by inch the Quakers' boat was ahead of the Cornell boat.

Gap Is Not Decreased.

The enthusiastic rowers on the train kept predicting that the Cornellians would let out the stroke as they neared the finish and simply eat the Quakers up, but from a mere gain of inches in the first half mile the Cornellians were well ahead of the Quakers.

Quakers Respond Gallantly.

But the Quakers, who had been rowing from one and a half to two strokes per minute faster than the Ithacans all through the race, seeing that Cornell was spurring, whipped their stroke to 36 and 37.

COLUMBIA IS A MODEL CRAFT

Iselin Is Pleasured with the New Cup Defender and Will Not Ask Another Trial.

BRISTOL, R. I., June 26.—After a conference among the owners of the new cup defender Columbia Commodore Iselin notified the Herreshoff syndicate that the syndicate would be accepted without any further trial.

BRITISH DEMAND AN APOLOGY

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 26.—The seventy-fifth anniversary of the Yale university law school was celebrated today. The oration was given by Attorney General John W. Griggs, whose theme was "The Advances of Jurisprudence in the Nineteenth Century."

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN VESSELS, June 26.

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