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## THE FIELD ARMY

Gen. Otis Has Use for an Active  
Force of 30,000.

EXCLUSIVE OF THE CAMPS

Recruits to be Secured for the Re-  
gular Regiments—Diplomat Agu-  
inaldo—Commission Work.

A LARGE FORCE.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Thirty thousand troops will be needed in the Philippines for active service, exclusive of the force required for garrison purposes. This and a distinct disagreement between Otis and Schurman are related in a cablegram from Otis received by the War Department today and suppressed. As a result of this information, the department this afternoon sent telegrams to all recruiting stations urging the rapid enlistment of men for the regular army. Unusual precautions have been taken to keep from the public the message from Otis. The statement that the General would require 30,000 troops exclusive of the number needed for garrisoning towns taken from the Philippines was the cause of much surprise, for it had been taken for granted that his original request for 30,000 men covered the entire force needed to pacify the Islands.

In urging the rapid enlistment of recruits, the department will plead in explanation that the army is now short about 4000 of its authorized strength of 65,000 men. As a matter of fact, however, the urgent demand for recruits is caused by information that a garrison force, in addition to the active force, would be needed. It is estimated that 10,000 or 15,000 men are now needed for garrison purposes and the requirements increase with every town captured.

The disagreement between Otis and Schurman is distinct and pronounced. Schurman has been conciliatory to an extreme not warranted by the conditions and wholly distasteful to Otis. Schurman is now on a visit to Hilo and other points in the south, including Cebu. He will collect information of value to the President and on his return to this country will resign his position on the Peace Commission, possibly urging his duties as president of Cornell as a reason. The other members of the Commission, Worcester and Denby, will remain, as information from Otis is that they have a proper understanding of the necessities of the situation.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Gen. Otis has informed the War Department that he has decided not to take advantage of the authority given him by the Secretary of War to enlist native troops in the Philippines. In his dispatch on the subject Gen. Otis says that it is not timely to do this. He has, however, enlisted 200 Maccabee natives, but only for scouting purposes. They will not be organized into companies. Military authorities are not surprised over the determination of Otis not to organize any Filipino troops. It is apparent from what General Otis says in his dispatch on the subject that he believes it would not be safe to intrust any Filipino with arms at this time and teach them American military methods while the insurrection is in progress.

DICTATOR NOW.

LONDON, June 8.—A special dispatch from Manila today says it is reported that Aguinaldo has dissolved the Philippine Congress and has proclaimed himself Dictator.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Officials here are in doubt as to whether Aguinaldo, in declaring his dictatorship, is animated by a desire to rid himself of his refractory Generals, Pilar and Luna, or whether he aims to consolidate in his own hands the power to make terms of peace.

LAWTON EVER READY.

NEW YORK, June 8.—A Sun cable from Manila, dated June 8, at 8:35 p. m., says: Gen. Lawton's troops have been withdrawn from Morong province and are in readiness to depart within half an hour against Filipinos in any part of the island.

Professor Schurman, chairman of the American Philippine Commission, will leave tomorrow on board the gunboat Bennington for the south.

Conditions are normal in Negros Island, and Schurman wishes to observe the situation before reporting on the matter.

The rumor that Aguinaldo has established a dictatorship and is placing under arrest those who are known to be in favor of an autonomous government, is credited by leading Filipinos here.

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## SUGAR TRUST NOW FRIENDLY.

A Mainland source of information of the very highest and most capable, trustworthy and positively reliable character sends an attache of this paper the subjoined important dispatch, dated the 9th inst.:

"We are at last assured by our Eastern friends that neither the beet sugar interest of the country nor the Sugar Trust combination, including the Louisiana planters, will, at the coming, or any future session of Congress, make any effort, of any nature to secure legislation inimical to the chief industry of Hawaii.

"We are further assured that the beet sugar people and the Sugar Trust members will join with the planters of Hawaii, if the latter are agreeable to such an arrangement, to have a discriminating tariff put upon Porto Rican, Cuban and Filipino sugars.

"All this of course will prove of tremendous benefit to the Islands and will insure against a conflict that has threatened for years. We have this information from the very best authority and give it full belief and credence."

## SUGAR FIGURES.

Latest Correct Advices on the Mar-  
ket Abroad. June 9, 1899.

Messrs. Castle & Cooke, Ltd., Hon-  
olulu.

Dear Sirs:—Since our advices by the Australia

CENTRIFUGALS have remained firm throughout, advancing slightly on the 6th inst. and again on the 7th inst., but yesterday a sale was made at a slightly lower figure, but we do not think it any indication of the market, as probably the sale was made with some special conditions. Following is the record of sales:

31st ult., 1200 tons, C & F, 4% cts;  
1st June, 300 tons, spot, 4% cts; 5th  
June, 2300 tons, C & F, 4.685; 7th  
June, 6000 tons, to arrive, 4 11-16; 8th  
June, 1500 tons, to arrive, 4 11-16; 8th  
June, 1000 tons, C & F, 4.685.

GRANULATED advanced on 7th inst. in N. Y. to 5.31 cts.

BEETS have strengthened slightly, as the following quotations indicate:

	C	P
May 31st	118 60	116 1/2
June 2nd	118 1/2	116 1/2
June 5th	118 2/3	116 1/2
June 7th	118 2/3	116 1/2
June 8th	118 2/3	116 1/2

SUGAR STOCK quotations:

	C	P
May 31st	139 1/2	116
June 1st	144	116
June 2nd	146 1/2	116
June 3rd	145	117
June 5th	142 1/2	118 1/2
June 6th	143 1/2	117
June 7th	143 1/2	117
June 8th	150 1/2	117

Since writing the above our special New York telegram of today has come in, reporting raw sugars unchanged, but beets have advanced.

## JOSEPH TINKER.

Business Man of This City Dies at  
San Francisco.

Joseph Tinker, formerly proprietor of the City Market, died at St. Mary's Hospital, San Francisco, June 6th, from the effects of an operation. Mr. Tinker left Honolulu on the Australia of May 16th. Previous to his departure his local physicians told him that there was no hope for a permanent cure. He thought, however, the change would be beneficial and took the chance. Upon his arrival in San Francisco he gave himself over to St. Mary's hospital, where he died. He was a member of the Sons of St. George, who will take charge of the funeral. The body will probably be brought to this city aboard the S. S. Alameda. A bereaved widow and eight little children mourn the unexpected death. The funeral here will be in charge of the Sons of St. George.

## murrer Overruled.

An important step was taken yesterday in the ship registration cases that have been before the courts here for some time. The demurrer of the Attorney-General to the applications for the Hawaiian flag was overruled by Judge Perry. Appeal was denied the Attorney-General. The cases will now come on for hearing strictly on their merits. If the showing is made that the vessels are entitled to registration under the laws here they will get the papers for which application has been made. In court yesterday the owners of the several ships were represented by Attorneys McClanahan and Andrews, the Attorney-General appearing in person.

## FLOOD TAKES TWENTY-FIVE.

AUSTIN, Tex., June 8.—The cloud-burst of yesterday, which swelled the rivers of this portion of the State out of their banks and caused a great loss of property, was much worse than reported last night. Many people are reported to have perished, manager reports tonight placing the number at twenty-five.

## "DICK" BLAND DYING.

LEBANON, Mo., June 8.—At 10 p. m. Congressman Bland appeared somewhat brighter, and will probably live through the night. He has been speechless for twenty-four hours. The physicians regard the case as hopeless and have not informed the family.

## PAUL IS CLOSE

Transvaal President Will Concede  
But Little.

BRITONS ARE DETERMINED

London Against a Surrender to the  
South African Dictator—A War-  
like Attitude.

LONDON, June 9.—The morning papers are beginning to talk seriously of the possibility of war in South Africa. Mr. Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies, in his speech in the House of Commons yesterday, announced that his reply to the petition of the Uitlanders, which had been held back pending the result of the conference at Bloemfontein, would now be presented to the Transvaal. The reply is semi-officially described "explicit, but conciliatory," but it is believed to be in the nature of a practical ultimatum. The resources of diplomacy are regarded as exhausted with the failure of the conference. Nothing is left, it is felt, but a recourse to force.

The Daily Mail says it learns that it was President Kruger himself who suggested the conference, and it claims to have reliable authority for declaring that Sir Alfred Milner, the British High Commissioner, has his back to the wall, and is supported to the utmost by the Cabinet. Commenting editorially on the situation, the Daily Mail says: "If we know our Kruger aright he will back down, and if not, why?"

The Daily Chronicle deprecates Mr. Chamberlain's warlike attitude, but does not deny the gravity of the situation, and seriously counsels the Boers to grant reasonable reforms "as the only means of preserving their independence against the plots of the Stock Exchange and the violence of Downing street."

The Standard, which reminds the Transvaal that its independence is not absolute, but is contingent on a faithful execution of the agreement stipulating equal rights for all white inhabitants, says: "We now demand that all Englishmen resident in the Transvaal shall be treated with justice, and President Kruger may rest assured that the whole country will support the Government in any measures required to make this demand effective."

"Let Mr. Kruger grant the Uitlanders full citizenship and the whole question is ended. At present he only offers a note of hand for a ridiculous sum, payable many years hence, in return for our immediate abandonment of all the legal rights we now possess for enforcing the payment of debts long overdue."

The Cape Town correspondent of the Times says: "At the close of the conference Mr. Kruger declared that he was pleased at the friendly way in which matters had been discussed, and hoped they would understand each other better in the future."

## Mr. W is Coming.

A successor to Professor Babbitt, who retires from the Oahu College faculty at the end of this term, has been engaged. His final acceptance was received yesterday by President Hooper. The name of the new man is William Williams Williamson, graduate of Williams College. He is at present in the faculty of the Kenyon Military Academy of Gambier, O. Mr. Williamson will take charge of field sports at Oahu, in addition to his regular school work.

## Roswell-Frazier.

A pretty wedding took place last evening at the residence of Mrs. J. F. Melampy, on Beretania street. The contracting parties were Miss Henrietta Frazier and George C. Roswell, both of this city. Arthur G. Stoddard, of Waimanalo, acted as best man. Miss Alberta Chamberlain, of this city, as bridesmaid. Rev. G. I. Pearson conducted the ceremonies. The bride is a charming young lady of Honolulu. Mr. Roswell is well known, being a brother of Ward Roswell, chief engineer at Kahuku.

## Romantic Home.

Miss F. C. Jones and wife and daughter Alice returned home by the China yesterday. They will spend the winter in Honolulu. It is not likely that Mr. and Mrs. Jones will re-

turn to the States except for brief visits. During their stay in the States they have passed most of the time in Florida and Philadelphia. They are all looking remarkably well.

## Romantic Marriage.

James A. Lindsay and Mrs. Cora Woolley, who were united in marriage by the Rev. Alex. Mackintosh on the 13th inst., were strangers less than ten weeks ago. Mr. Lindsay is connected with Honolulu plantation, and Mrs. Woolley is a wealthy widow of Colorado Springs. The marriage was a surprise to the friends of both. The bride and groom are spoken of in the highest terms by those who enjoy their acquaintance. The bride returned but a few days ago from the coast with her wedding outfit.

## ALUMNI DAY.

Athletic Games and a Meeting at  
Oahu College.

The Alumni Day athletic sports at Punahou tomorrow afternoon will begin promptly at 2:30 with a basketball game between two teams of the girls, for the school championship. Following are the teams:

Blues.	Reds.
A. Marshall	Capt. F. Hall
Sophie Judd	Heater Leman
Einora Sturgeon	Marion Dillingham
Ethel Damon	May Kluge
Julie Damon	Florence Hill
Florence Alchin	Louise Galtch

Immediately after the basketball will be a ring tilting tournament on horseback, for which the following are entered:

Wm. Walker, Capt.; Albert Waterhouse, Chas. Judd, Geyrit Judd; Lawrence Robinson, Mark Robinson, Wm. Ahean, Abram Kaulukou, Edwin Hall, George Fuller, Arthur Jordan, Fred Alexander, Philip Mills, Wm. Dickson, Harold Dillingham, Chas. Berger, Harry Kluge.

All former Punahou boys are cordially invited to enter this contest.

A buff and blue banner, which is to be hung in the hall with the pictures of the athletic teams, has been offered by the ladies of the Faculty for the sports. It has this inscription: "Annual Alumni Games, June 17, 1899. Fasket Ball Championship. Ring Tilt- ing Championship."

At the conclusion of the games all will adjourn to Pauahi hall for the organization of a permanent alumni association.

## Short Hand Johnny.

Johnny, a native well known in the Waiwala district, lost a hand yesterday while undertaking to operate a stick of giant powder as a means for capturing fish. Johnny had a hard and painful time of it. He started out early in the morning. The accident occurred almost at once. Johnny was so frightened that he could not bring himself to report his trouble. He remained hidden in the kula bushes for a couple of hours. The surgeon was summoned from Kahuku and dressed the stump.

## ROSEBERRY'S LATEST.

Says the Rich Man Has No Great Advantage in this Life.

LONDON. — Interesting speeches were delivered this week by Lord Roseberry, John Morley and Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Chancellor of the Exchequer. The first named, after a whimsical suggestion that the speakers of the two parties should change about for a time, the Conservatives addressing Liberals and the Liberals addressing Conservatives, thus enabling the public to hear both sides, spoke on the "exaggerated advantage of wealth," pointing out that even millionaires could not eat more than one dinner a day, wear one suit of clothes or ride one horse at the same time. He added that the only superiority that they possessed over the poor was being able to command the best medical advice and change of climate, pointing out, however, that hospitals for the poor had improved even this position.

These utterances brought forth a crop of sarcastic comments on the line of pity for the poor millionaires. The Daily Mail says: "The speech leaves only one course open to a man holding those convictions—to sell all he has and give to the poor. But Lord Roseberry, we are confident, will never adopt such a harsh measure. He has too much feeling for the poor."

The Saturday Review speaks straight out, saying: "From Lord Roseberry's lips this kind of moralizing is downright unadulterated cant."

## GRANT TO KITCHENER.

LONDON, June 8.—The House of Commons today voted General Lord Kitchener a grant of £30,000 for his victorious campaign in the Sudan. Lord Kitchener arrived here today and called upon A. J. Balguy, First Lord of the Treasury and the Government leader in the House of Commons, with whom he had a long interview.