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THE WORLD AT LARGE.

Summary of the Daily News.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

News has been received that the United States cruiser Philadelphia and the British cruisers Porpoise and Royalist have shelled several villages in the Samoan islands...

The president on the 29th appointed ex-Senator George Gray, of Delaware, to be United States judge for the Third judicial district.

EX-SECRETARY SHERMAN reached his residence at Washington on the 29th. He felt no bad effects from his journey, but was very feeble.

The department of agriculture has issued a formal advertisement inviting proposals for furnishing field, flower and vegetable seeds to the fiscal year ending June 30, 1900.

THE BUSINESS FAILURES in the United States for the week ended the 31st were 194, according to Bradstreet's commercial report, against 220 for the corresponding week of last year.

MISS EDITH BOONE, of Philadelphia, has brought suit for \$15,000 damages against Frederick E. Farrow, a young drug clerk, for squeezing her hands so violently that the smaller bone in one of them was broken and both hands rendered practically useless.

THOMAS' April crop report, a dispatch from Chicago on the 30th stated, makes the winter wheat condition \$4.2, a drop of six points for March and a drop of 13.3 points since December 1.

AN ACCIDENT occurred at the city drainage pumps at Cairo, Ill., and Engineer Tuttle was terribly burned and two tramps lost their lives by inhaling scalding steam.

SIMEON B. ARMOUR, the head of the Armour Packing company at Kansas City, Mo., died on the 29th of pneumonia, aged 71 years.

BRIG. GEN. FLAGLER, chief of ordnance, U. S. A., died at Old Point, Va., on the 29th.

EDWARD BATES SOPER was hanged at Harrisonville, Mo., on the 30th for murdering his wife and two children.

THE WARREN LINE steamer Norseman, Capt. Rees, bound from Liverpool to Boston, went ashore at Marblehead, Mass. The life-saving crew rescued the crew of 102 men.

SEVEN bodies were recovered the other afternoon from the ruins of the Armour packing plant and felt works at Chicago, which were burned.

AT LAWSDALE, Ill., on the 31st a number of people were bitten by a dog supposed to be mad. The animal was killed after a long chase.

ARTICLES of incorporation of the United Fruit company, with an authorized capital of \$20,000,000, were filed with the secretary of state at Trenton, N. J., the other day.

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MOST of the Americans in the Philippine islands, a dispatch on the 2d stated, were becoming convinced that the backbone of the insurgent opposition was broken.

BARONESS HIRSCH, widow of the Hebrew philanthropist, died at Paris on the 1st.

ANGERED because his wife refused to live with him, John J. Smith, son of a wealthy tailor, at New York, shot and killed his mother-in-law, dangerously wounded his brother-in-law and badly wounded his wife and sister-in-law.

A DRUNKEN brawl over a package of smoking tobacco resulted in the death of Eli Cobbs, a negro hostler, in a saloon at Twelfth and Campbell streets, Kansas City, Mo., on the 2d.

A FURIOUS snowstorm raged at Pierre, S. D., on the 2d, creating a serious condition for stockmen to face.

PARTISAN KINSELLA, a barkeeper, shot and killed Echiene Thiel at Chicago in a quarrel over a woman and when about to be arrested sent a bullet through his own brain.

REAR ADMIRAL CARPENTER, U. S. N., retired, committed suicide at a sanitarium in Boston. He had been in ill health for some time.

A BIG hardware house in San Francisco was burned on the 31st. Loss, \$400,000.

A FIRE broke out at the home of Henry Lappin in Philadelphia the other night and before assistance arrived the structure was a mass of flames.

THE STRAMER plying between Southampton, Eng., and the Channel islands crashed upon the dreaded Casquet rocks, near Alderney, during a fog and foundered in ten minutes, her boilers exploding as she went down.

ELISHA SWAN, a 19-year-old negro, was hanged at Bastrop, Tex., for murdering his father.

COL. FUNSTON, of the Twentieth Kansas regiment, was the first man to enter Malolos, the Filipino capital, on the 31st.

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THE Nicaragua canal commission will make its report April 15. NINE persons were severely injured in a collision at New York between the ferryboat Pierpont and the tug Argus.

THE Kansas City, Pittsburg & Gulf railroad went into the hands of a receiver at 11:30 o'clock on the night of the 1st. Judge Gibson, of the circuit court in Kansas City, Mo., named as receivers J. McD. Trimble, counsel, E. L. Martin, vice president, and Robert Gillham, general manager of the road.

JOE CHOYSKI, the pugilist, a New York dispatch stated, has retired from the prize ring forever.

IN Kansas City, Mo., 314 deaths occurred during March, 82 of them being caused by pneumonia.

THREE thousand union bricklayers struck at Philadelphia for higher wages.

A CHEYENNE, Wyo., dispatch stated that contracts had been let for the shipment over the Cheyenne & Northern railroad of 1,500 cars of southern cattle to the ranges of northern Wyoming and southern Montana.

AN English syndicate proposes to purchase the leases to nearly 2,000,000 acres of land in the Creek and Cherokee nations in the Indian territory.

THE price list of the combined Kentucky distillers, just issued, a Louisville dispatch said, has caused a flurry among dealers in whisky.

SIX masked burglars entered the house of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Crocker at Denison, O., and bound and gagged them.

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THE UNITED STATES COMMISSIONERS.

They Will Discuss the Situation and Are Hopeful of a Speedy Restoration of Peace—Cablegram from Gen. Otis—Light Batteries Start from New York for Manila.

Manila, April 4.—The natives continue returning to their homes. They are coming in all along the American lines and many of them, seeing the promises of good treatment are fulfilled, are inducing their relatives to return to their homes.

THE United States Philippine commission (the last member of that body, Col. Charles Denby, former minister to China, having arrived here) will discuss the situation.

Brig. Gen. Harrison Gray Otis sails for home on board the United States transport Sherman to-day.

THE Sherman will also have on board the sons of Col. John Hay, secretary of state, and Senator Hale, of Maine, who have witnessed much of the fighting with the army, and the bodies of Col. Harry C. Egbert, of the Twenty-second infantry, killed on March 26, and other officers who have recently fallen in battle.

Gen. Wheaton has assumed command of the brigade lately commanded by Gen. Otis. The Third and Twenty-second regiments of Gen. Wheaton's command are returning to this city.

Washington, April 4.—The following cablegram was received at the war department early this morning: Manila, April 2.—Adjutant General, Washington: Present indications denote insurgent government in perilous condition; its army defeated, discouraged and scattered.

THE merchant, who sent up toy balloons with his "ad," painted on them, knew how to get his name up.—L. A. W. Bulletin.

Piso's Cure is the medicine to break up children's Coughs and Colds.—Mrs. M. G. Blunt, Sprague, Wash., March 8, '94.

Fortify Feeble Lungs Against Winter with Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar. Pike's Toothache Drops Cure in one minute.

See there. A bad sprain cured; and St. Jacobs Oil cured it.

Many a girl's heart has been melted by ice-cream.—L. A. W. Bulletin.

Told you so. In one night cured. St. Jacobs Oil masters Lumbago.

The only thing some people do is to grow older.—Acheson Globe.

Lawless. It cured my aches. St. Jacobs Oil makes no mistakes.

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He Took It Gently.

"If they'd all do business that way," said the man in charge of the long-distance telephone as a young man laid down the receiver and went out, "this wouldn't be a bad job to hang on to, but he is an exception."

Why, he called up Chicago, asked a girl to marry him, got the marble heart and went out without a kick. Some fellows would have laid around here for an hour after to shake themselves together, and then make a big row at having to pay regular rates.—Philadelphia Press.

Kipling's Good Luck. The first story that Kipling writes after his illness will bring a fabulous price. It will be sought as eagerly by progressive publishers as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is by all who suffer from stomach ills of any nature.

The woman did not believe in the occult. "Now, I propose to test this clairvoyant," she was saying. "I shall send her a lock of my hair, as she directs, with some question which nobody but myself can possibly answer. Let me see, what can I ask her?"

Oh That Delicious Coffee! Costs but 1c per lb. to grow. Salzer has the best German Coffee Berry, pkg. 15c; Java Coffee, pkg. 15c; Salzer's New American Chicory 15c. Cut this out and send 15c for any of above packages or send 30c and get all 3 pkgs. and great Catalogue free to JOHN A. SALZER SEED CO., La Crosse, Wis. [L.]

A Scentless Flower. She loves Chris, yet her love for him is dumb; She can't afford to marry and repent. She says he should be called Chris-anthemium; He's splendid—but he hasn't got a cent.—Brooklyn Life.

You Can Get Allen's Foot-Ease FREE. Write to-day to Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y., for a FREE sample of Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder to shake into your shoes. It cures chilblains, sweating, damp, swollen, aching feet. It makes tight shoes easy. Cures Corns, Bunions and Ingrowing Nails. Aldruggists and shoe stores sell it. 25 cents.

Comfort for the Reclining. Emma—Papa, if green means forsaken, does the giving of an emerald to a young lady mean that the giver has forsaken her? Her Papa—No, dear. It means that he has forsaken the emerald.—Jewelers' Weekly.

The Best Prescription for Chills. And Fever is a bottle of GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price, 50c.

A Good Sign. When the queen regent completed the ratification of the treaty it was a good sign for Spain.—Cleveland Leader.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c.

Handsome Catalogue Free. A. G. SPALDING & BROS. New York. Chicago. Denver.

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It is this fact that makes the lover and his sweetheart happy, and sends the sufferer from a cough to his doctor. But there are hidden ills lurking in impure blood.

"The liver is wrong," it is thought, "or the kidneys." Did it ever occur to you that the trouble is in your blood?

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Catarrrh.—"I suffered from childhood with catarrrh. Was entirely deaf in one ear. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured me and restored my hearing." Mrs. W. Stokes, Midland, Tex.

Sore Eyes.—"Humor in the blood made my daughter's eyes sore, so that we feared blindness, until Hood's Sarsaparilla made her entirely well." E. B. Ginn, Henniker, N. H.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Never Disappoints. Hood's Pills cure liver ills, the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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