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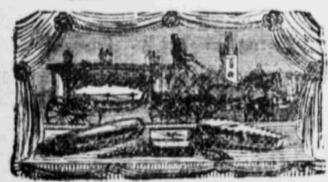
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A GOOD LETTER

From One of Wolfe County's Boys of the Philippine Islands.

SAN LUIS, P. I., Nov. 26, 1899.
EDITOR HERALD,
Hazel Green, Ky.

SIR:—I will now give you the record of events, engagements, number of men killed and wounded, discharged, list of officers of my regiment, thus far in the Philippines insurrection: 99 of Co. D, 22nd infantry left Fort Crook, Nebraska, January 27, 1899, sailed from San Francisco, Cal., February 1st, arrived at Honolulu on the 9th, sailed from there on the 13th, arrived at Manila, P. I., March 4th. Total distance traveled by rail, 2,080 miles; total distance I traveled by sea, 6,025 knots. Made an advance on Pasig, P. I., engagements on Pasig road, March 13, 1899, Pateros, March 13; near Laguna De Bay, March 18; skirmish opposite Tanig, March 19; advance on Malolos, engagement at Callocan, March 25; charge and attack on Malinta Hill, March 26; advance on North Line; engagements at Novaliches, April 22, and at Bustos, May 2; attack on San Luis, August 12 and September 18. Col. Harry C. Egbert, brigadier general U. S. V., killed March 26th at Malinta Hill; private Wesley J. Hensly, killed March 13th at Pasig, P. I., private Ira W. Cox, killed August 12th at San Luis. Total killed up to date, 3; wounded 9, discharged 5.

Officers—Captain B. C. Lockwood, promoted Major 21st Infantry; Captain, G. J. Godfrey; 1st Lieut. Isaac Newell, 2nd Lieut. H. R. Campbell, promoted 1st Lieut. 8th Infantry; Col. J. M. French, Lieut. Col. H. H. Munphy.

Guns, etc.—Krag Jor Geuson, magazine rifle, calibra 30. Data, calibra three-tenths of an inch, bayonet, length about 11 1/4 inches, length of rifle 49 in., length of rifle and bayonet 61 in., groves No. 4, lands No. 4. Twist, one turn in 10 inches; groves, depths four thousandths of an inch. Weight of bayonet 1 pound, rifle without bayonet 9 1/2 pounds, trigger pull 4 1/2 to 6 pounds, extreme range 4,000 yards, dangerous space, infantry, 547 yards; initials velocity, 2,000 ft. per second; weight of bullet 220 grains, powder 35 grains, 100 cartridges 61-5 pounds; kind of powder, smokeless; bullet made of 12 1/2 parts lead and part tin; jacket made of cupro nickel steel, shell made of brass.

The Philippine Islands is the richest territory in all Asia, what they need is development, and the era of development is near. They produce the greatest variety of staples of any other country in the Orient, and I predict a gigantic trade in coffee, spices, tobacco, hemp, sugar, rice, copper and valuable woods. Then there is to be considered the vast amount of American products that will find a market in the Philippines. A few of them are machinery, locomotives, cotton goods, electric supplies, boots and shoes, flour and bread stuffs; and manufactured articles almost without number. There are 27 Kentucky boys in my company. I hear from Joe Cox, Ned Frisby, C. B. Lykins and others frequently. They are all well. I am proud that I joined the regulars, have never been sick since I enlisted. The war will soon be

over. I suppose the sun still shines in my old Kentucky home.

Respectfully,
GEO. L. ATHY,
Co. D, 22nd U. S. Infantry.

Judge Ed. C. O'Rear.

Judge Ed. C. O'Rear, who on January 1st retired from the office of County Judge of Montgomery county. Judge O'Rear was the first and only Republican ever elected to this office in this county, and because of this fact, and the manner in which he discharged the duties of the office, The Gazette takes occasion to publish the following facts:

Ed. C. O'Rear was born about 35 years ago near Camargo, in this county, of poor but highly respected parents. He attended the county school until his family moved to town, when it became necessary for him, even though just a boy, to go to work to aid his widowed mother in securing maintenance and to procure school advantages for his sisters. He first sold papers on the streets of this city, and later sold papers on the train between here and Lexington. When still quite young he entered the old Sentinel office, and was there a fellow worker of the Editor of this paper. He went from the Sentinel office to work on the Mountain Scorch, edited and published by the late Col. John T. Hazelrigg, at West Liberty. While there he read law during his leisure hours and at the age of 19 years was by special act of the Legislature admitted to the bar. In 1882 he married Virginia Lee, daughter of Col. Hazelrigg, and now has six bright, happy, healthy children.

In 1886 he moved to this city, where his rise has been rapid, but of a sure and substantial growth. He has the largest practice of any lawyer in Eastern Kentucky and is in close touch and sympathy with the people of this section, by whom he is most highly esteemed. His devotion to his wife, children, mother and sisters is beautiful, and he is intensely loyal to his friends under any and all circumstances. He has an elegant home in this city, where he dispenses lavish hospitality. He is a fine lawyer, an eloquent speaker, a successful business man and an enterprising public spirited citizen. As an illustration of his force and sagacity we will relate one incident. In 1893 when the panic was at its height, and strong institutions were every day going to the wall for lack of a strong, vigorous, hopeful management, the Traders Deposit Bank, of this city, of which he was Vice President, closed its doors. Judge O'Rear was away at the time, but he at once hurried home and as a result of his courage, nerve and judgment its doors were soon opened and this strong and helpful institution was saved to us. In 1894 he was prevailed upon by his friends to accept the Republican nomination for County Judge, which he reluctantly did, and after a hard fight, with 250 majority against him to start on, defeated one of the best and most popular Democrats in the county. On the bench he was just, fair and dignified, and during his administration the business affairs were transacted in a masterly manner, saving much to the taxpayers of the county. He dealt with the turnpike question

in a manner that saved us not only destruction of property, but won for us the applause and esteem of our neighbors, who were less fortunate in respect to county judges. During his administration the debt of the county was greatly reduced and at the same time the county levy was materially lessened. He was urged by many of our people, regardless of party affiliation, to become a candidate for reelection, but this was a greater sacrifice than the people really had a right to require of him. He has entered upon what promises to be a long career of great and broad usefulness and we are greatly mistaken if in the near future he is not called to a higher sphere of service than he has yet filled.—Mt. Sterling Gazette.

Killing at Frankfort.

Col. David G. Colson, of Middlesboro, shot and killed Lieut. Ethelbert D. Scott, of Somerset, and Luther Demaree, of Shelbyville, in the Capital Hotel at half past twelve Tuesday. Harry McEwen, of Louisville, and Charles Julin, of Frankfort, were badly wounded by stray shots. Scott, who was under the influence of liquor, began to upbraid Colson and the two men clinched. Bystanders rushed in to separate them, when Colson drew a revolver and began to fire. Colson was wounded in the arm. The killing was the result of a renewal of a feud between them while in the army last year.

Mr. Hemingway, the Secretary of the Jersey Cattle Club, says that "Biggle Cow Book, is a most comprehensive little volume—one of the best things on the cow question I have ever looked into." Mr. Hemingway ought to know. Biggle Cow Book is advertised in this week's issue of THE HERALD. The price of each is 50 cents, free by mail; address the publishers, Wilmer Atkinson Co., Philadelphia.

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Miss Minnie Day left Saturday for Jackson, where she has been engaged to teach in a branch of the S. P. Lee's institute, recently established across the river for the benefit of the miners' families.

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STATIONS.	No. 4.		No. 2.	
	Daily, ex.	Sunday.	Daily ex.	Sunday.
Lexington..	A.M. Lve.	P.M. Lve.		
Avon.....	7 45 am	2 10 pm		
Winchester..	8 10 am	2 35 pm		
L & E June'n	8 30 am	2 55 pm		
Indian F'lds	8 45 am	3 07 pm		
Clay City.....	9 00 am	3 22 pm		
Stanton.....	9 16 am	3 40 pm		
Filson.....	9 25 am	3 51 pm		
Dundee.....	9 36 am	4 04 pm		
Nat. Bridge..	9 47 am	4 30 pm		
Torrent.....	9 54 am	4 15 pm		
Beatty's Je	10 08 am	4 34 pm		
Tallega.....	10 29 am	4 36 pm		
Athol.....	10 51 am	5 10 pm		
Jackson.....	10 59 am	5 28 pm		
	11 30 am	6 00 pm		

STATIONS.	No. 1.		No. 3.	
	Daily, ex.	Sunday.	Daily.	
Jackson.....	6 25 am	1 20 pm		
Athol.....	6 56 am	1 49 pm		
Tallega.....	7 04 am	1 57 pm		
Beatty's Je	7 26 am	2 18 pm		
Torrent.....	7 47 am	2 39 pm		
Nat. Bridge..	8 03 am	2 52 pm		
Dundee.....	8 08 am	2 59 pm		
Filson.....	8 19 am	3 11 pm		
Stanton.....	8 33 am	3 23 pm		
Clay City.....	8 42 am	3 33 pm		
Indian F'lds	8 59 am	3 48 pm		
L & E June'n	9 16 am	4 03 pm		
Winchester..	9 29 am	4 15 pm		
Avon.....	9 49 am	4 35 pm		
Lexington...	10 15 am	5 00 pm		

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