

CALOCAN HEROES

BRIGADIER HARRISON GRAY OTIS WRITES OF THE CAPTURE.

HIS BRIGADE WON THE VICTORY

VETERAN OF TWO WARS ANALYZES AGUINALDO'S FOLLOWERS.

Says the Filipino "Bad Break" Was Unwarranted and Unjustifiable— Uncle Sam Must Take Care of the People and Govern Them.

General H. F. Devol, of Kansas City, has received a characteristic letter from Brigadier General Harrison Gray Otis, in command of the First brigade, Second division, Eighth army corps. It was written "from the field" near Calocan and contains facts when at home, the editor of the Los Angeles (Cal) Times, and deservedly enjoys the reputation of being truthful, cruelly so, at times, perhaps, and any statement made by him can be relied upon as being absolutely reliable and founded on facts. The letter reads: Headquarters First Brigade, Second Division, Eighth Army Corps, in the Field Near Calocan, Luzon, Philippines, April 22, 1899. My Dear Sir:—I was gratified yesterday by the receipt of your prompt and cordial letter of February 19, and surprised at the announcement that you are in an extra printed at 12 o'clock on the day your letter was written, an account of the capture of Calocan, which was made at 3:30 p. m. on the same day. The fact is a striking illustration of the rapidity with which the globe is girdled by the electric wires—the marvel of the age.

I appreciate and value very highly your congratulations over the success of our operations here. The details which immediately followed the 10th of February gave you, doubtless, a clearer idea of just what we accomplished, and how we accomplished it; though, as a matter of fact, many of the accounts, as I discover from the newspapers received, lack accuracy, cohesion and clearness. Some of them are overstatements and understatements in other spots, but such inaccuracies are unavoidable under the circumstances. Still the deliberate exaggerations of the yellow journals are offensive and objectionable, and precisely what we soldiers do not want. We only ask that the truth about our operations be laid before the people of our country.

I can well understand why you feel regret over this outbreak and the apparently needless shedding of good American blood. This Filipino "bad break" was unwarranted and unjustifiable. These people are an ignorant, bigoted, egotistical and "ambitious" race, led by a demagogue like Aguinaldo—statesmen who are bound not to do without a job if they can secure one through bluff, deceit and imposition upon not only their fellow countrymen, but the people of the United States, and of Europe also.

There is but one thing to be done by the government here; or at least the first thing to be done is to depose the authority of the United States; to uphold the flag; to establish a strong, simple, effective and just military government, and to give protection and security to these islands and bring peace to their swarming populations. Then, if congress wants to "monkey with" the experiment of self-government for these people, let it take its time to do so, and let the problem be solved by the people who are to be governed, and not by the people of the United States.

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"Good Beginnings Make Good Endings."

This fickle month of April, the first of Spring, begins aright by cleansing Nature's house of all impurities collected during the winter months. The same persistency should be shown by humanity in cleansing the blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla. The same good results will be obtained by all ages and both sexes.

Bad Blood—"Although past 70 years of age I am thoroughly well. It was three bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla that made me so after spending over \$60 in medical attendance. My trouble was a raw sore on my ankle." Mrs. Louisa Mason, Court Street, Lowell, Mass.

Erysipelas—"For ten years my face would break and swell and burn with erysipelas. When I had used three bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, I was entirely cured. I later on cured my grip." Mrs. Sarah Siegler, 15 Cherry Street, Newport, Rhode Island.

Sick Headache—"I am now 22. Since I was 8 years old, I suffered constantly with impure blood, biliousness and sick headache until I took Hood's Sarsaparilla by doctor's advice. Once my life to it." Elvira A. Russell, Claremont, N. H.

Pimples—"I have never been well and strong until lately. Hood's Sarsaparilla restored my strength and caused the disappearance of annoying pimples on my forehead. It is a great medicine." Annette Messier, 1240 Atlantic St., St. Paul, Minn.

Scrofula—"I took a physician's treatment for six months for scrofula, which produced running sores and diseased bones, without avail. In six months from the time I commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, I was well." Urban Hammond, Table Grove, Ill.

Spring Tired—"That excellent blood purifier and tonic, Hood's Sarsaparilla, made me well of that distressing tired feeling that comes in spring time." Ora E. Morgan, Bussey, Ill.

Run Down—"My daughter was all run down in health; we gave her Hood's Sarsaparilla. She soon grew stronger, her appetite returned, and now she is well again." Mrs. J. H. Savage, Henniker, N. H.

Rheumatism—"For several winters I was rheumatized to my bed from rheumatism, but I cured myself by using Hood's Sarsaparilla, which I now take regularly." John I. Morris, 160 Miller St., Utica, N. Y.

Blood Poisoning—"I suffered nine weary months with blood poisoning. Grandmother urged me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla and soon after the sores disappeared and I was perfectly cured." Julius B. Craig, 51 Park Street, Cleveland, O.

Weakness—"Six years a sufferer from weakness. Doctors could not help me. Hood's Sarsaparilla, however, made a wonderful change to good health." Amanda J. Rader, East Radford, Va.

Impure Blood—"There can be no substitute for Hood's Sarsaparilla as a blood purifier. It is our family physician." Miss C. A. Elliot, Grinnell, Iowa.

Family Troubles—"At my time of life Hood's Sarsaparilla is indispensable. We use it as a family medicine for all ages." Mrs. H. Gross, Roanoke, Va.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Never Disappoints

Hood's Pills cure liver ills; the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

SHOWERS WERE FREQUENT.

Yesterday's Weather Was Decidedly Unsettled and Moist—Repetition Promised for To-day. Yesterday was a drizzly day, the clouds weeping almost incessantly from early morning until midnight. For the twenty-four hours ending at 7 p. m. the precipitation was .82 inches. The weather will continue unsettled and rainy to-day, with frequent showers. The rainstorm has been general over the lower Mississippi valley and gradually moved northward until yesterday morning. It was central over the adjacent portions of Arkansas and Oklahoma Territory. There was a decided downward shoot of the temperature also, the maximum yesterday being 56 degrees and the minimum 48 degrees. The hourly readings were: 3 a. m. 48 4 p. m. 54 6 a. m. 48 7 p. m. 54 9 a. m. 48 10 p. m. 54 11 a. m. 49 12 p. m. 55 1 p. m. 52 2 p. m. 55 3 p. m. 56

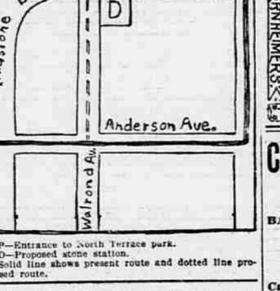
CARS TO PARK GATE

NORTHEAST ELECTRIC'S PROPOSED APPROACH TO NORTH TERRACE. Instead of Alighting Two Blocks Away, Passengers May Get On Directly Opposite the Entrance—The Objections. The proposed change in the route of the Northeast electric road near the entrance to North Terrace park, permission for which was asked at the last meeting of the park board, is of special interest on account of its relation to the future of the park. As the road now runs, passengers alight from the cars at the present line of the park board, is of special interest on account of its relation to the future of the park. As the road now runs, passengers alight from the cars at the present line of the park board, is of special interest on account of its relation to the future of the park.

MRS. MILLER'S AFFAIRS.

She Is Too Old to Handle Them, and Will Have to Have a Guardian. A jury in the probate court yesterday decided that Mary Miller, an aged woman, was incapable of managing her own affairs and a guardian will be appointed for her. The case was tried before J. Vineyard, sitting as special judge. There was a roomful of witnesses present, and a contest was expected, but for some reason only one witness was examined. That witness was a married daughter of Mrs. Miller, who testified that her mother had gone through so much sickness and had taken so much medicine that she was not now capable of attending to business or taking care of money. Mrs. Miller, who is over 70, sat in the courtroom and listened to the testimony of her daughter. She pointed in a pitiful way and seemed to think every word was against her.

ST. JOHN AVE.



LINWOOD BOULEVARD.

Motion for New Trial Overruled—There Will Probably Be No Appeal. The motion for a new trial in the Linwood boulevard condemnation proceedings was overruled by Judge E. P. Gates yesterday. It is thought no appeal will be taken. When completed, Linwood boulevard will run from Denton boulevard west to Troost avenue on Linwood avenue.

A FIT GUARANTEED.

Customer (at shirt counter)—"Here's a shirt I bought of you the other day. It's too small for me. I tore it trying to put it on." Salesman—"That's too bad, but you've spoiled it so we can't take it back. I'll tell you what you can do, though. Go over to the drug department and you can get a small bottle of anti-fat for 10 cents."

All Classes Like the Delicate Sweet of Grape-Nuts

The newest breakfast food in the market and probably the most scientifically made. They are easy to digest, and have in some cases grown fat on Grape-Nuts. Try for your breakfast to-morrow. Grocers Sell.

FALLERS.

From the Atlanta Constitution. A coroner's jury delivered the following verdict on the sudden death of a merchant who had recently failed in business: "The jury find, from the new doctor's statement, that the deceased came to his death from heart failure, accompanied by business failure, which was caused by speculation failure, which was the result of failure to see far enough ahead."

Woman's Way.

From the Detroit Free Press. "You can't cut up about this Easter hat, for I made it myself." "Ah, your dear little economist!" "Yes, Robert; and by making it myself, you know, I could afford to get much more elegant and expensive material than ever before."

He Was Right.

From the Chicago Post. "It was a pitch battle," he said. "Pitched you mean," she corrected. "I don't mean anything of the kind," he replied. "I mean 'pitch.' It was a fight between tars."

BERNHEIMER'S BARGAINERS The Last Week

will be made the best because of a stronger determination to center the attraction of the people on "the popular corner," where bargains are dispensed the year round. Here are some of them. NOTICE THE UNUSUALLY STRONG ATTRACTIONS IN DRESS GOODS.

SILK DEPARTMENT.

Last week we stirred the town to its very depths by our phenomenal Silk Sale. Crowds came, and were greatly surprised at our unapproachable prices and went away pleased and satisfied. Our reputation for money-giving values in Silks is unquestioned, and this week we are going to show you the newest, most wise and up-to-date beauties in the season's latest and choicest silks at prices that have no equal.

24-inch New Foulards. In all the latest combinations of light and dark blue, brown, green and black, best values ever offered in the city at our special price of \$1.25. Special opening price for this week will be \$1.00.

24-inch Fancy Satin Striped Taffetas. Street and evening shades, bought to sell at \$1.25, specially priced for this sale at \$1.00. Special opening price for this week will be \$0.85.

24-inch Extra Heavy Black Satin Duchesse. Big bargain at \$1.49 our price. This week \$1.25. Special opening price for this week will be \$1.00.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT FROM SILK DEPARTMENT.

BEGINNING TOMORROW MORNING FOR ONE WEEK ONLY WE WILL MAKE TO YOUR ORDER HANDSOME SILK PETTICOATS, BEAUTIFULLY COORDED, OF ANY STYLE, FOR THE SMALL SUM OF \$1.00. SEE SAMPLE SKIRT ON DISPLAY IN OUR SILK DEPARTMENT.

BLACK CREPONS.

We are first in everything, and now it is BLACK CREPONS. This week it is to be one of our special features.

6 pieces newest and latest black Crepon effects, worth up to 90c per yard; in 90 Special Sale at \$1.00.

6 pieces black Mohair Crepons, handsome patterns, well worth \$1.33 to \$1.50; you may take your choice while they last at \$1.19.

CORSETS.

Royal Worcester Corsets in all grades from \$1.00 to \$10.00 each, in all sizes, for the Ladies' Department. For the week we will offer our Frezzo Summer Corsets, extra heavy fitting, side-stitch each side, double clasp in front, Zone waist, \$4.98.

Vellings—this department showing a steady increase—will place on sale 700 yards Tuxedo and Fish Nets, 2c to 3c designs for yard, \$1.98.

WASH GOODS.

LOOK LADIES, BEYOND HERE. You'll want 'em during the hot days of summer, and we've 'em, all you want of 'em. The prices are popular and within the reach of all. Make your selections now, before the lines are broken.

Zephyr Gingham in endless variety, checks, stripes and plaids, the 12 1/2c grade for \$1.00.

6 pieces newest and latest black Crepon effects, worth up to 90c per yard; in 90 Special Sale at \$1.00.

FANCY PETTICOATS.

Moire Fancy Petticoats, 15 inch corded flounce lined, greens, blues and purples, values \$1.75 to \$1.25.

Metallic Stripe Petticoats, 15 inch corded flounce, all colors and sizes, value \$2.25 to \$2.48.

LINING DEPARTMENT.

Other Linings may come, other Linings may go, but our Linings sell on forever.

Yard wide Black and Black Striped Taffeta, regular 12c quality, for \$1.00.

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NOTIONS.

Garter lengths of Silk Faced Elastic, \$1.00.

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Handkerchiefs.

Pure Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 4 and 5-inch hem, \$1.00.

Pure Silk Embroidered Handkerchiefs, also initial, value \$1.00.

Another lot of Bead and Braid Yokes, Revers and Fourgers, Panels, Boleros and Blouses, also loop sets and ornaments, value up to \$2.50 each, \$1.00.

1,000 PAIRS OF LADIES' FINE SAMPLE SHOES!

Everybody knows what a snap it is to get a pair of our Sample Shoes, they're always the best and newest styles, thoroughly up-to-date, and represent the manufacturers' best efforts, for of course he would endeavor to make his sample lines the best. We secured over a thousand pairs from the best manufacturer in the country—bought the entire lot at such prices that we can and will SELL THEM FOR LESS THAN COST TO MAKE THEM. There's many new and unique styles of Shoes and Oxfords, no two pairs alike. A positive saving of at least a dollar on every pair.

IN THREE LOTS AT THREE PRICES 98c, \$1.48, \$1.98. Sale Commences Tuesday Morning, April 25th. You can expect to get some grand values—we're sure you will not be disappointed—some shoes in the lot worth as high as \$4.50. Come early and get your choice. Sizes 3, 3 1/2, 4 and 4 1/2 only.

Our regular stock of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes should have your attention. Only the good kind of footwear to be had here.

BERNHEIMER'S BARGAINERS LACES.

While our assortment of Laces is large, it is your opportunity to buy French Val Laces at very low prices, our direct importation.

French Val Laces, 1 1/2 doz. \$1.50. French Val Laces, 2 doz. \$2.00. French Val Laces, 3 doz. \$2.50.

Fine Percale and Lawn Waists, light blue and pink, braided trimmed; also stripes and plaids, in all colors, black, blue, black and white, \$1.48.

Fine Percale and Lawn Waists, tucked front and embroidered insertions; also plain stripes and plaids, workmanlike not excellent, \$1.00.

3 1/2-inch Half-Bleached Muslin, suitable for nightgowns, etc., always sold for 75c, this week \$1.00.

Longdale Cambric, 36 inches wide, worth regular 12 1/2c, will go this week \$10.00.

Fine Brown Muslin, 36 inches wide, worth 7 1/2c, this week \$1.00.

500 Gold Plated Photo Frames, oval, round and square, in pretty designs, 10c each, marked \$1.00; your choice \$1.00.

COUNTER CHANGE LOW

BANKS COMPLAIN OF SHORTAGE OF SMALL BILLS. Cashier Rule, of the Bank of Commerce, Declares \$2,000,000 in \$1, \$2 and \$5 Bills Should Be Sent Here at Once.

"There ought to be \$2,000,000 in currency shipped to Kansas City in denominations of \$1, \$2 and \$5," said Cashier W. A. Rule, of the National Bank of Commerce yesterday, in speaking of the scarcity of small bills, which complaint is now being made all over the country. "If we could retain here that much more money of small denominations than we now have, it would give plenty of counter money. As it is now there is a scarcity all the time."

"People do not like silver dollars," Mr. Rule continued. "They want paper money. We have probably over 100,000 silver dollars in the vaults of this bank, but if we try to pass out five or ten silver dollars to a man instead of a \$5 or \$10 bill, he doesn't like it. So the silver dollars stay in the bank. If there is no scarcity of money, there is the same way with gold. The people do not seem to wish the gold pieces. As a result the banks are obliged to make shipments of gold East quite frequently, and get back currency in place of it. This is quite an expense to the banks, too, as it costs \$1.25 per \$1.00 on the gold shipped East, and the same price on the currency shipped West. I notice there is some talk of the government issuing more bills of small denominations, and I am glad to see it. It will please the people, for the paper money is so much more handy to carry than gold."

All the banks and the business men of the city make similar complaint, that Kansas City needs much more paper money of small denominations in order that business may be carried on more satisfactorily. There is no scarcity of money, there is more money than was ever known before, but the metallic money is not popular with the masses. Silver dollars, especially, are disliked for their cumbersome, and every man, as soon as he gets \$5 of this sort in his pocket, hastens to exchange it for a \$5 bill to get rid of the weight. As a result, the silver dollars soon find their way into the banks, and there the most they are good for is drawing money request \$1 and \$2 bills instead of silver as far as possible.

Everybody agrees that it is not a question of too little money in the country, but of question of too little "little" money. The banks have larger deposits than ever, and their reserves are increasing all the time. We have more money in the country than ever before, but the clearing house reports show that business is very active. But everybody is hoping that the treasury department will devise some plan for issuing many more \$1, \$2 and \$5 bills and pushing them out to Kansas City for general circulation.

Mr. F. P. Neal, of the Union National bank, said: "Our bank, like many others, is experiencing much trouble in supplying the great demand for paper money. If the present situation continues it will result in the general circulation of a much larger amount of gold than at present. People do not like to use small gold coins, but it will be necessary for banks to pay them out to customers unless something is done at once to relieve us of our difficulty. The treasury department could issue gold certificates, and the situation would be greatly relieved."

Strine Had Mailbox Locks. William Strine, who was arrested by the police Friday on the charge of stealing a lot of gloves and jewelry from the Louvre Glove Company, where he was employed as a porter, had a \$100 check and \$50 in boxes in his possession. The police found \$100 in the room and turned the same over to the federal authorities. The latter will make an investigation of the case and if they find any suspicious circumstances they will have a more serious charge to answer to.

Thirteenth Infantry Goes Through. Three trainloads of soldiers, composing the Thirteenth United States infantry, arrived in Kansas City yesterday and remained here several hours. The regiment is on its way to Manila to relieve some of the volunteer regiments. The Thirteenth went through the Cuba campaign and is honored to the hot climate of the Philippines. The regiment was divided into three battalions, one on route from Buffalo, Niagara and Governor's Island.

Bandel Under \$500 Bonds. G. W. Bandel, who shot J. R. Pound, on March 15, in a quarrel over some money matters, was put under \$500 bond by Justice Joyce yesterday. Bandel gave bond for his appearance before the grand jury. Pound still carries the bullet around with him. He will have to undergo another operation in order to have it extricated from his anatomy.

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Every facility in our mail order department for the prompt and satisfactory execution of orders; write for samples of new spring goods.

BANK IN A BIG SUIT SPECIAL

EMANUEL FRIENDLICH, CHARGED BY THE CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK WITH OBTAINING MONEY UNDER FALSE PRETENSES, ASKS \$50,000.

EMANUEL FRIENDLICH BROUGHT SUIT IN THE FEDERAL COURT YESTERDAY AGAINST THE CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK AND S. J. FITZHUGH FOR \$50,000 DAMAGES. THE SUIT IS THE RESULT OF AN OLD DIFFICULTY BETWEEN THE PLAINTIFF AND THE DEFENDANTS. THE FORMER CLAIMS THAT THE CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK AND S. J. FITZHUGH ENTERED INTO A CONSPIRACY WHICH RESULTED IN THE RETURNING OF FIVE INDICTMENTS AGAINST FRIENDLICH ON THE CHARGE OF OBTAINING MONEY UNDER FALSE PRETENSES, AS ONE OF THE OWNERS OF THE BIG KANSAS CITY STORE, AT THIRTEENTH AND GRAND. IN THE SUIT YESTERDAY IT IS CLAIMED THAT THE DEFENDANTS "DID UNLAWFULLY, MALICIOUSLY, WANTONLY AND WITHOUT CAUSE ENTER INTO A CONSPIRACY WHICH RESULTED IN INJURING, HARMING AND ANNOYING THE PLAINTIFF, AND FOR THE PURPOSE OF OBTAINING A SETTLEMENT OF A CIVIL SUIT WHICH THE CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK HAD AGAINST GUMBINER & FRIENDLICH."

It is claimed by Friendlich that S. J. Fitzhugh, acting individually and for the bank, furnished the grand jury with unfounded information and testimony.

The original amount borrowed was \$50, but the note was either extended or increased on four different occasions.

Five indictments having been found against Friendlich he was sued on five different counts, asking on each \$500 actual damages and \$2,500 punitive damages.

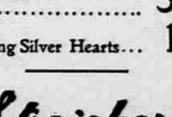
The attorneys for the plaintiff are I. J. Ringolsky and ex-Attorney General L. C. Boyle, of Kansas. The latter has recently located in this city.

Liquors for Kansas. Shipped daily in secure packages by GEORGE EYSSLELL, Druggist, Opposite waiting room, Union depot.



Sterling Nethersole Bracelets, never sold less than \$1 anywhere on sale Monday for 58c

Sterling Silver Hearts... 10c



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ON AGAIN—APRIL 30TH.