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REBEL

Attack on Manila Is Hourly Expected.

Everything In Readiness for Striking the Final Blow.

New York, June 11.—(Special.)—The Evening Journal says it has learned from Hong Kong that to-day was the day set by the insurgent leader, Col. Emilio Aguinaldo, for his final attack on Manila.

His forces have been drawing nearer and nearer to the city for several days and the Spanish Captain-General has cabled his home government that he is in grave danger and cannot withstand a formidable attack.

Everything is believed to be ready for the final blow and the success of the rebels is almost assured in advance. Admiral Dewey, it is reported, insists that the rules of civilized warfare be adhered to, but he expects to take no part in the attack.

Will Fight Yellow Jack==

Not Expected to Spread.

Jackson, Miss., June 11.—(Special.)—The town of McHenry is quarantined in the most rigid manner. A gentleman and his wife attempted to leave the place last night. Dr. Haralson, the State Health Officer in charge, immediately disinfected himself, changed his clothing and went in pursuit and brought the refugees back.

There are no signs whatever of a panic, and the greatest confidence is expressed in the ability of the state board to confine the fever to McHenry.

Spain Still Licking Us,

According to Havana Reports.

Madrid, June 11.—(Special.)—Further reports have been received from the bombardment of Santiago yesterday, reported from Havana. The Americans made an unsuccessful attempt to land but were repulsed and the landing was prevented.

THE HOWARD-BAKER FEUD.

Trouble Can Hardly Be Avoided This Week.

Manchester, Ky., June 11.—Word has reached here that State troops have been ordered here to protect the Court during the trial of the members of the Baker-Howard feud. This move of Judge Brown is considered as a joke. The Howard faction includes all of the county officers, and to-day there were 100 of them fortified in town waiting for the Bakers to come in.

The Bakers have 75 well armed men within six miles of town, and say they are coming to Court if they have to massacre the whole Howard faction and the State militia, too, which they believe will cooperate with the Howard side on account of the Sheriff, who will have charge of the militia, being a Howard sympathizer. Crowds of men who left their hillside farms congregated on the streets to-day with their Winchester rifles and would scrutinize all strangers closely. Every one who is not interested in the feud is almost afraid to get out of his yard. All business is suspended.

Peace rumors are again circulating all over Europe. Who has heard of any serious breach of the peace up to the present time?

THE NAVAL CADETSHIP.

Dr. Clardy Will Give Cunningham Another Show.

There is much local interest over the naval cadetship, says the Owensboro Messenger.

Upon the failure of young Cunningham, of Henderson county, the promise of the appointment fell to Mr. Clifton Brannon, of this city. With his father, Mr. W. H. Brannon, he went to Washington a few days ago to see Dr. Clardy to secure the necessary credentials and to enter a training school until the examination. While in Washington he was examined by naval surgeon, who discovered the presence of a varicose vein, which would have rendered him physically unable to pass before the naval board. The surgeon assured him it would be cured, and Dr. Clardy promises to hold the appointment up, but since the return of Mr. Brannon to Owensboro, it has been decided that the young man will no longer be an applicant.

Chris Hickman, a son of Dr. Hickman, has entered the list with William Athy as an applicant for the place, but it was Mr. Brannon's understanding from a talk with Dr. Clardy, that he would now give young Cunningham another show.

AT COURT HOUSE.

Verdict of Not Guilty In the Robinson Case.

Grand Jury's Term Prolonged—Three Indictments Returned—Other Court News.

The following order was entered upon the Commonwealth order book yesterday morning:

It appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the grand jury now in session have important matters before them for investigation and that they will not have time to complete said investigation in the six days allowed by law for their session, now on motion of the attorney for the Commonwealth, it is ordered by the court that the grand jury be allowed to continue its session beyond the six days allowed by law.

The grand jury yesterday through its foreman reported the following indictments: Wesley Shipp, forgery; Cal. Hubbard, hog stealing; B. G. Phipps, feloniously breaking into a store room.

In the case of the Commonwealth against Walter Alexander, charged with house breaking, the grand jury having refused to indict under the evidence and the minutes of the examining court it was moved by the Commonwealth's attorney that he prosecution be dismissed.

The jury in the two cases against E. G. Robinson, charged with malicious shooting, and tried jointly, heard the argument of the counsel yesterday, and after brief deliberation, returned a verdict of not guilty. To the indictment charging him with carrying concealed deadly weapons the defendant entered a plea of guilty and submitted his case to the court without the intervention of the jury. A fine of \$25 was assessed against him and it was ordered that he be confined in the county jail for a period of ten days.

These were the only cases set for trial yesterday and upon the conclusion of the trials the Juries were discharged for the day and court adjourned.

Suit On Account.

The Ahrens Ott Manufacturing Company filed suit in the circuit court yesterday against J. E. Gossett on account of \$157.25 alleged to be past due and unpaid.

Real Estate Transfers.

William and Margaret Brasher to Carrie R. Brent, lot in Burrows addition city of Hopkinsville \$20.00.

John P. Garnett and wife to W. W. Garnett, tract of land near Pembroke, South side of L. & N. railroad. Sale for division of partnership.

W. W. Garnett to John P. Garnett, same.

Christian Circuit Court in matter of Mary G. Street vs. James W. Redd and wife, to D. L. Grinter, track of land 100 acres in South Christian \$2,565.

Appointed Deputy Sheriff.

Lucien E. Barnes, a son of Sheriff Barnes was appointed deputy sheriff yesterday and qualified by taking the prescribed oath.

"The First Shall be Last."

Lexington, June 11.—The First Kentucky regiment left for Chickamauga yesterday. It is known as the Louisville Legion. It has a full complement of men. It was the last regiment to leave for Chickamauga though the first to be completely filled to the maximum limit.

THEY STOLE JUGS.

Then Raided the Royal for Liquid Refreshments.

Youthful Thieves Behind the Bars. Several of Them Are Old Offenders.

Four colored youths, none of them exceeding fifteen years of age, are behind the bars at the city lock-up. There is every reason to believe that the police have landed the nucleus of an organized band of petty thieves and pilferers, at whose doors can be laid many of the thefts which have been committed during the past six months.

The story of their arrest and incarceration last night is not without interest, as it shows how systematically the work is carried on.

The scene opens at noon in a vacant lot in the rear of W. R. Long & Co.'s saloon near the L. & N. depot. The four conspirators, Wallace Kay, (the same who has served two terms in the workhouse for theft); Cleveland Hawkins, (he who only Friday was arrested for pilfering confections from C. P. Nolen, and discharged by Judge Cansler); Earnest Boyd and Henry Leavell. It has come to the knowledge of this hopeful quartette that Mr. Long uses his coal house as a storage house for empty jugs. The plot is to break open this coal house and steal the jugs. The scheme is successful. Several trips are made to the coal house and a number of jugs are stolen and carried away. The operations of the conspirators are observed by another small colored boy who informs Mr. Mack Edwards, a member of the firm of Long & Co. This boy's mother then discovers that her son has been "blabbing," as she terms it, and, promptly thrashes him soundly. Mack Edwards offers the boy a dollar to tell the names of the conspirators, but afraid of another parental rebuke the boy denies any further knowledge of the affair.

Here endeth the first chapter.

The scene of the second chapter opens in the interior of the wholesale department of the Royal Liquor Company. Mr. Joe Frankel is standing near the partition midway the house. A small colored boy timidly approaches with an empty jug in his hand and meekly begs Mr. Frankel to buy it of him. While the latter's back is turned, two other small boys quickly enter at the front and dart behind the counter. One swipes a quart bottle of whiskey and the other a bottle of wine, and both jump for the door just as Mr. Frankel discovers them. Hegives chase. One escapes but the other is seized by Charley Datillo who holds him until Mr. Frankel's arrival. The bottle is recovered and the culprit turned over to officer Smith who appears on the scene at this juncture. The captured conspirator betrays the names of his companions and the quartette is corralled at the calaboose. The stolen bottle and its untouched contents are found under a warehouse platform, and the second chapter ends abruptly here.

The conclusion of this highly entertaining and instructive narrative will probably be found in Monday's issue of the KENTUCKIAN and the scene will be in a court of justice.

The KENTUCKIAN furnishes the facts and the reader may furnish his own moral. We would suggest, however, that in formulating a moral based upon the above facts, that these phases be considered; what is to be done with these youthful criminals? They are too young for the penitentiary; the work house has no horrors for them. Does their existence promise anything for society, for their race, for the State, except the burden of their support when they are older in crime? and, after all, were the Lilliputians so far from a correct solution of the greatest question in sociology when they held it to be the highest crime against the State for men and women in subservience to their own appetites to bring children into the world and thrust upon the public the burden of their support?

FLAG

Of the Union Floats Over a Spanish Fort.

American Marines Are and Old Glory Unfurled.

Caimanera, Cuba, June, 11.—(Special.)—The first landing of American marines from the ships of war was effected to-day. This dispatch is being written upon the ruins of a Spanish block house, over which the American flag now waves triumphantly in the breezes. The Spanish had scarcely fled from the battered and ruined walls when the first battalion of American marines took possession of the smouldering ruins and ran up Old Glory amid the cheers of the men.

The landing of the marines was protected by the Marblehead, Yankee, Yosemite, and Oregon and the torpedo boats Porter, Dolphin and Vixen. These vessels stood in the bay and saluted as the American flag was seen to rise above the ruins.

Caimanera is not favorably located to aid the attack on Santiago but it is a fine harbor for the rendezvous of fleets.

As soon as the American flag was swung out to the breeze from the flagstaff of the captured Spanish camp, the Oregon steamed away to rejoin the fleet off Santiago.

The marines will hold the position until the arrival of the expected troops, in the meantime scouting in the vicinity, with the Marblehead, Vixen and Dolphin lying by to protect them.

Rear Admiral Sampson now has a harbor and a base of supplies on the south side of the island, and troops can be landed at will.

The troopship Panther reaches the fleet off Santiago to-day. On her way over the Yosemite fired a dozen shells into the port of Dai-gaire (Baquiri?), but received no response.

The Cables Are Not Yet Cut.

Havana Still Talking to Madrid.

New York, June 11.—(Special.)—A dispatch has been received saying Admiral Sampson was in error in reporting that the last cable at Cuba had been cut. Havana and Madrid are still in full communication. The cables cut must have been dummies and not the real wires.

THE QUESTION OF PEACE.

Speculating as to the Time When Spain Will Quit.

Washington, D. C., June 11.—The ambassadors here do not expect that Spain will seek peace on her own account, but are agreed that her creditors will not permit the war to continue much longer, because it would destroy the value of her assets and make her bonds worthless. As France is the principal creditor and Austria the only other country which has a direct interest in the result, these two nations are expected to take the initiative and tell the Spanish government when it is time to quit. If Spain refuses to accept their advice they will seek the intercession of the pope and the other sovereigns to bring her to her senses. One more disaster—the capture of Santiago or Puerto Rico or the destruction of Cervera's fleet—the ambassadors think will be sufficient. But the Spanish people have been keyed up by false representations to such a degree that the reaction will be a terrible strain upon their patriotism and self-control. The effect will not be so bad, however, as it might be if they were allowed to discover their own delusions. That would certainly be followed by a revolution that would overthrow the throne.

LIVELY WOOL PULLING.

Two Colored Women Fight In Front of the Phoenix Hotel.

Lizzie Oggs and Cora Leavell, a couple of colored women, met on Ninth street in front of the Phoenix hotel and engaged in a woolpulling, much to the amusement of the crowd which usually congregates in front of the hostelry.

Each claimed that the other would not yield a portion of the crossing and neither would submit to being "run over" by the other. Bad blood had previously existed between them. They were separated by Chief Armstrong and marched to the station where they gave bond for their appearance in the city court to-morrow.

BASEBALL.

SPECIAL.

Cleveland 4, Pittsburg 2.
Boston 4, Philadelphia 2.
Baltimore 16, Washington 0.
New York 8, Brooklyn 2.

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.
Cincinnati	30	13
Cleveland	30	15
Boston	29	16
Baltimore	25	15
Chicago	23	21
New York	23	21
Pittsburg	23	23
Philadelphia	18	23
Brooklyn	16	25
Washington	15	29
St. Louis	15	28
Louisville	14	32