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IS NEARING THE END

War in the Philippines Drawing to a Close.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Advices have been received from Manila which indicate that the climax may occur at any hour. The details here are well pleased with the conditions of affairs, but will not at present discuss the details of the dispatches. The indication is that hostilities will end within a very short time.

MANILA, March 17.—Company G, First Washington volunteers, has captured 150 additional prisoners near Taguig, and also seized some ammunition. Most of the rebels arms were hidden or thrown into the river.

The engineers have thrown a temporary bridge across the Pasig river for the artillery and commissary trains.

The twentieth regiment will return from the front today.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Under even date Ois reports the following casualties:

March 15.—At Colocan, killed, First Montana, company A, Private Henry C. Beecher. At Pasig, killed, Twentieth infantry, Private, Charles Farwell.

Wounded, Twentieth infantry, Privates Ralph E. Truman and Thomas H. Rogers.

March 16.—At Calinta, killed, Twentieth infantry, Corporal Ole Johnson, private James McAvoy.

Wounded.—Twentieth infantry, Corporal James C. Dinkie, Privates Oscar C. Kinney, Miles Kelly, Edward Brady, William Early, Thomas Filley, Thomas Varley, Virgil Mahan, John Griffiths, George McFarlane, William Layfette, Sergeant William D. Check. Near Mariguana.—Wounded, First Colorado, Major Charles Anderson, Corporal W. Haskell, Private Edward Pynchon.

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HONORS FOR GOMEZ.

Enthusiastic Cubans want to make him President.

NEW YORK, March 17.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Havana says: Wednesday night's popular demonstration in honor of General Gomez at Quinta de los Molinos seems to have been turned by the anti-assembly leaders into something of a presidential boom for the "grand old man" of Cuban politics. Most of the speakers insisted on proclaiming the deposed general-in-chief the sole guarantor of insular independence and the inevitable head of the still unformed Cuban republic. In reply to these highly factious assurances, General Gomez cautiously, but still suggestively, said that he could not think of accepting the presidential title unless it were bestowed upon him by the unanimous vote of the Cuban people.

This answer, however, is an intention singularly at variance with the program he announced in his manifesto of Sunday last in response to the assembly's resolution deposing him from office. In that manifesto he said that his sole desire was now to retire to private life and end his days in peace on his plantation at San Domingo. His new attitude is also in striking contrast with the offer of his sword to a committee of Porto Ricans, which had suggested the initiation of a movement for independence in that island.

General Gomez' latest change of front is due doubtless to the overwhelming character of the victory he has won over the assembly, and this elation he feels at the almost universal support offered to him by all classes of the Cuban population. His future course in politics will be watched with interest, for if the elections, which are to form a basis for political reorganization, are held before the present furor in his favor subsides, he can have the highest honors the new constituent assembly can bestow on him merely for the asking.

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A Fishery of Gold.

NEW YORK, March 17.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: There is more gold in the possession of the treasury and of the banks now than at any previous time for many years.

The total gold held by the treasury three years ago today was \$127,000,000. The total today is more than \$241,000,000. The total gold held by the national banks on May 7, 1898, was \$157,771,000. These banks held on the date of the fiscal year, February 4, 1899, \$221,915,795. This shows an increase of \$114,000,000 in the gold held by the treasury, and \$164,000,000 in that held by the national banks.

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SIGNED THE PEACE TREATY.

The Queen Regent of Spain Affixes Her Signature to the Document.

MADRID, March 17.—The queen regent has signed the treaty of peace. The signed treaty will be forwarded to the French ambassador at Washington for exchange with President McKinley. No decree on the subject

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STORM IN THE SOUTH

Tornado Swept a Large Area of Country.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 19.—A series of wind storms swept through portions of Alabama, Mississippi and Arkansas yesterday doing an immense amount of property damage and killing many people. The storm covered a radius of several hundred miles, destroying telegraph wires and cutting off communication with a large section of the country. Cleburne county, Alabama, seems to have suffered the most severely, the storm assuming the proportions of a tornado. At Sellers and Laverne, Alabama, much damage is reported, and at Rob Roy, Arkansas, one man was killed and several badly injured. Dumas, Arkansas, was nearly wiped out of existence, and several other towns in the vicinity suffered heavily. One person is reported killed at Hickory Flat, Mississippi, and as the farm houses in the vicinity suffered heavily, it is not unlikely many fatalities occurred which have not yet been reported.

Reports from different points in the three states indicate that 18 persons were killed outright and 21 injured, as follows: Alabama, 16 killed, 10 injured; Mississippi, one killed, 10 injured; Arkansas, one killed, 7 injured. The property loss will run into the hundreds of thousands.

THREE WERE NO ELECTION

California Legislature Adjourned Without Naming a Senator.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 19.—The one hundred and fourth session of the United States senator has been taken without choice and the joint convention adjourned after being in session six consecutive hours, during which 19 ballots were taken. The proceedings were marked with much confusion, the lobby invading the floor of the assembly chamber. The sergeant-at-arms was apparently unable to control the crowd. The last ballot for senator was as follows:

Estes (R)..... 18
Patterson (R)..... 17
Bryan (R)..... 20
Phelan (D)..... 6
Grant (R)..... 30
White (D)..... 24
Scott (R)..... 4
Rosenfeld (D)..... 2
Necessary, 61.

SEVEN PERSONS KILLED.

Farmhouse in the Track of the Storm Was Demolished.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., March 19.—A cyclone struck the country here yesterday, creating great havoc in the country between Heflin and Edwardsville. It is known seven people, members of the family of Mr. Coffee, a farmer, are dead, and it is thought many others are injured, although, on account of the damage done to telegraph wires, it is impossible to give details. The house contained 11 people when it was struck by the storm. The building was entirely demolished, and seven inmates were killed outright. The path of the storm was about 25 miles wide, and it tore everything to pieces that lay before it. Telegraph wires and poles are down in every direction, trains are delayed greatly on account of debris piled on the track. It is thought great damage has been done in the farming district, but it is not believed the cyclone struck any town.

SENT TO THE RESCUE.

Two Companies of Second Oregon in a Skirmish.

MANILA, March 19.—The Filipino in force attacked a company of the Washington volunteers at Taguig last night. Two companies of the Washington and Oregon regiments were sent to the assistance of their comrades, and drove the rebels back in front of the Twenty-second regulars, who engaged the enemy.

Two American soldiers were killed and an officer and 13 privates were wounded. The enemy's loss was severe.

The island of Cebu has been made a sub-district under Lieutenant-Colonel T. R. Hammer, of the First Idaho volunteers. The other officers are Captain W. L. Wood, Eighteenth regulars, collector of customs, and Lieutenant Thomas P. Schley, of the Twenty-third, port captain.

A BOMBARDMENT KILLED.

Corvallis Minister's Wife Falls Down a Stairway.

CORVALLIS, March 19.—Mrs. Estella Kelly, the wife of Pastor B. J. Kelly, of the United Evangelical church, this city, fell dead in her home as the result of a fall down the stairway of the church parsonage at an early hour this morning. The accident happened shortly before 5 o'clock. The family occupied a room on the second floor, that connects with the lower story by a very steep stairway. Near the bottom of the stairway there is a landing, where the steps turn at right angles. On this landing there was a box, which occupied a large part of the space.

Pastor Kelly was awakened by the noise of a heavy fall. Mrs. Kelly was a somnambulist, and a suspicion of the truth flashed across his mind. On the landing of the stairway he found his wife. There was a three inch gash across the forehead and the neck was broken. In spite of her injuries, Mrs.

A SERIOUS CLASH IN TEXAS

Mexicans Resist Enforcement of Quarantine Regulations.

LAREDO, Tex., March 20.—Two men were killed, and a captain of the state rangers wounded in a fight with Mexicans over enforcing the smallpox quarantine here this morning.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 20.—State Health Officer Blunt, in charge of the smallpox situation at Laredo, has asked for more state police, and 24 men were sent him today.

The Mexicans refused to allow the officials to remove their relatives, who were afflicted, to the pesthouse, and firing began in the western portion of the city. Two men were killed, and the captain of the state rangers was wounded. United States troops from Fort McIntosh were marched to the scene at 11 o'clock.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Governor Sayer, of Texas, last night requested the government to order the United States troops to assist the local authorities in preserving the peace at Laredo, saying very serious riots are pending. General Corbin ordered Captain Ayers, at Fort McIntosh, and his regiment to Laredo today.

LAREDO, March 19.—Adjutant-General Hays informed the mayor of Laredo of your instructions. There is great bitterness on the part of Mexicans on this side of the river on account of an attempt to isolate smallpox cases. The Mexicans fired on the civil officers today. One of the latter was hurt. All is quiet at present. I believe the situation will be in my control.

ST. LOUIS, March 20.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from Laredo says the mayor today issued an appeal to the Texas house of representatives for the Laredo smallpox sufferers. The epidemic is the worst ever known in Texas.

Brutal Murder at Tacoma.

TACOMA, March 19.—H. Tiedeman, a laborer, living at Ninth and Sprague streets, was murdered by Peter Miller at 4 o'clock today. Tiedeman and E. Bennett were employed by Contractor J. N. Johnson to gather stones from school section 16, and refused to leave as the order of Miller. He left and returned a moment later with a 12-gauge double-barrel shotgun. Advancing to within 10 feet of Tiedeman, Miller, coolly announcing "Now I guess you'll go," fired at the laborer. Almost instantaneous death resulted. Tiedeman ran about 20 feet from the spot, and before his partner could reach him he had died. Miller is under arrest.

Murder Married.

Rev. Kesson Smith, who spent a few months in Roseburg, leaving for Eastern Oregon last summer, has a woman lot on his trail. Mrs. Mollie Smith writes to the sheriff, claiming to be Kesson's wife and wanting to know his whereabouts. She says he left her in 1888 without being divorced, and understands that he has a wife at Milton, Eastern Oregon, whom he also deserted. She wrote to the sheriff of Walla Walla (Wash.) county and he answered that Smith had six wives. Mrs. Smith states that part of her husband's religiosity was that a man should be entitled to all the wives he wanted. Evidently, if her story be true, Kesson is practicing what he preaches.—Roseburg Review.

After Ten Years.

One of the Williams boys, while prospecting on the south fork of Clearwater the other day, found a skull which is supposed to be that of old man Johns, who mysteriously disappeared about ten years ago, says the Grangeville News. The skull was found not far from his cabin, but the snow was so deep that no further search was made for the rest of the remains. Mr. Johns was a pioneer of Walla Walla county and his mysterious disappearance some 10 years ago led to the belief that he had been murdered, but nothing has ever transpired to unravel the secret of his death.

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