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SEVEN KILLED

And Eleven Soldiers Were Wounded at Bear Island.

Indians Reported to be in an Angry Mood, the Agency Tribes Included.

A Teacher at the Indian School Declares a General Uprising Will Occur.

General Bacon Still on the Scene But Will Return For Troops Mobilized at Walker.

Walker, Minn., Oct. 6.—The barge Flora has returned from the scene of the battle with the Indians on Bear Island bringing in the dead and wounded.

One man was killed at noon today, making seven thus far. Eleven are wounded.

A teacher in the Indian schools at Leech Lake confirms the report that the agency Indians are in an ugly mood and he is doubtful if they can be held from joining the uprising.

General Bacon sends word that he will return tomorrow and hold conferences. The troops mobilized here may await his arrival before going to the scene.

WILKINSON'S HEROIC DEATH

Wounded He Took the Field Only to be Killed—His Dying Words.

Walker, Minn., Oct. 6.—Several Indians were killed in the fighting today. Captain Sheehan was among the Americans wounded but it is impossible to obtain the names of the privates. Kaybaygwaiyah, chief of the Indian police, was killed.

Captain Sheehan, who came here in a boat, says the Pillagers do not number more than 100 but that they fight like demons. They are holding out in the hope that the Cass Lake Indians will join them. Reinforcements left this evening with a Gatling gun.

Hostilities reopened in earnest this morning. Bacon's command was too small to take the aggressive and remained entrenched in a good position. Major Wilkinson was shot through the leg, while walking up and down admonishing the men to keep their heads low. He had his wound dressed and took the field again only to be shot through the body.

Lying in a pool of blood he shouted to General Bacon: "Give them hell, general; never mind me!"

These were his last words. Reports from other parts of the reservation indicate that other tribes will not join the Pillagers in revolt.

M'COY-CORBETT FIGHT IS OFF

Hawthorne Club Gives up Trying to Get the Men Together.

Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 6.—The Corbett-McCoy fight has been abandoned by the Hawthorne Athletic club. The officials have broken off negotiations with the principals and the stockholders will pocket the fees, which they say is about \$20,000. A letter was sent to the meeting in New York to arrange matters that the bout was off.

WILKINSONS TAO

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NEWS SENT TO CORBIN

An Assistant Adjutant Asks for Power to Use a Volunteer Battalion.

Washington, Oct. 6.—Adjutant General Corbin received a dispatch tonight from the assistant adjutant general at St. Paul stating that the marshal at Walker, Minn., had reported that Major Wilkinson, five soldiers and two Indians of the police force had been killed in the fighting and that General Bacon was awaiting reinforcements, which were being sent. It was suggested that authority be given to utilize the battalion of Minnesota volunteers in case of need.

A dispatch from the Indian agent at Duluth stated that he believed the outbreak would be confined to the Pillager tribe.

ARMY OF OCCUPATION

Soldiers Will Start Oct. 27—The Places They Will Be Assigned.

Washington, Oct. 6.—The board of officers representing the several branches of the military service which has been selected to prepare for the occupation of Cuba will start for the island within a few days.

Quarters for the troops will be provided immediately at Havana, Cienfuegos, Matanzas, Mariel and Gibara. It was definitely stated today that the occupation would not begin until October 27, and that Major General Lee would go to the neighborhood of Havana with the Seventh corps about November.

The details of the assignment of other troops are dependent upon the reorganization of the present corps commands, which have been drawn up but not yet announced.

NEED OF AN ALLIANCE.

Joint Action Between England, America and Japan Necessary to Keep Trade of China From Russia.

London, Oct. 6.—Attention here is beginning to center almost exclusively on the far eastern situation, now that it is evident that the presence of Marchand in Fashoda in no case will be made the pretext for a rupture of relations between France and England. Whether the young emperor actually was done to death with excruciating torture, as rumored today, or whether he is still in the land of the living, matters little, politically speaking. From that point of view he has been as good as dead ever since the coup d'etat which placed the old empress on the throne and Li Hung Chang in almost supreme power. That the populace, however, should already have begun to show their detestation of the hated foreigners by assaulting American and English missionaries is a serious matter indeed.

The official news of orders from Washington dispatching American warships to Tien-tsin is regarded here as a proceeding fraught with weighty import for Great Britain. It is now generally assumed, especially by those having an intimate knowledge of Anglo-Chinese commercial and political relations, that the only hope of keeping the entire trade of this vast empire out of the hands of Russia, and of conserving the interests of the United States and Great Britain lies in securing some sort of effective alliance between England, America and Japan.

As I have already made clear in these despatches, the Japanese government, despite the snubs of the past, stands ready to meet the British government more than half way. The Japanese press, indeed, is not mincing matters. It openly and strongly advocates joint action on the part of these three powers named in opposition to the new regime in China and in opposition, too, to Russia, which power is accused of instigating revolution in order to prevent the Marquis Ito's scheme for a Chinese-Japanese alliance from being realized. The arrest and deportation of the empress and Li Hung Chang is suggested, as is also the seizure of the mouth of the Peiho river, the port of Peking, by a British fleet.—Chicago Record.

DENY EMPEROR'S DEATH.

Paris, Oct. 6.—The Chinese legation here publishes an official communication formally denying all reports of the death of the emperor of China.

Special sale at neckwear at the Men's Outfitter on Friday and Saturday, bargain day. One dollar, 75 cent and 50 cent ties for 39 cents. See window.

A wonderful invention—Elastic Starch.

PLAGUE PANIC

Mississippi is Utterly Demoralized by the Spreading Fever

State Without a Government—Governor and All but two Officials Flee.

Twelve Counties and Fifteen Towns Affected and All Who can are Coming North.

Only Five Hundred Whites in Jackson—Terrible Condition of the Negroes.

Jackson, Miss., Oct. 6.—The utmost demoralization prevails throughout the whole state on account of the rapid progress of yellow fever.

Mississippi has practically no government today and every interest is subordinated to the one of preservation from the plague.

Governor McLaurin has fled to Smith county, which has neither telegraphic nor telephone communication. The capitol building is practically closed, all officials but two having fled. Every railroad has fever at different points, and traffic is virtually suspended.

The citizens are almost panic-stricken, a general exodus northward following every announcement of a newly-affected locality. Twelve counties and fifteen towns are affected.

The state educational institutions are closed, and one has fever among the student body. Destruction among negroes cooped up in infected districts increases as they are dependent upon day labor for support and none employs them. Not over 500 whites remain in Jackson.

THE FEVER IN LOUISIANA

Thirteen Points in the State are Afflicted and Fever Appears at Alexandria.

New Orleans, Oct. 6.—The Louisiana board of health makes the following yellow fever report today: New Orleans, eight new cases, one death; Franklin six new cases; Wilson, two new cases, two deaths; Houma, one new case; Iberville, six new cases; Bowie, La., Fouché parish, one case. Dr. Carter, of the marine hospital service, reports that he has found yellow fever at Alexandria, but does not report how many cases. Thirteen points in Louisiana are now affected.

THE HAVANA CAMPS.

Havana, Oct. 6.—The American commission today selected places around Havana for the camps of the American troops.

STOPPED WORK TO GO TO BARNUM'S

London, Oct. 6.—The workmen of the town of Bolton, Lancashire, struck work yesterday, in spite of the threats of their employers, in order to go to Barnum's circus. The result was that work in many factories was stopped and thousands of pounds in wages were lost by the operatives.

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TERRIBLE STORM'S WORK

One Hundred and Twenty Lives Lost at Brunswick—The Damage \$1,000,000.

Brunswick, Ga., Oct. 6.—Confirmatory reports of the storm results give 120 lives lost enumerated partly as follows: Twenty on Campbell Island, 80 on Butler's Island, 5 on Doboy, 7 in Brunswick.

The damage to property at Brunswick, Darien, Doboy and Wolf, Cumberland, St. Simon and Jekyll Islands, inclusive of vessels and plantation stocks amounts to one million dollars.

OPPOSITION TO GARCIA

Loan not Wanted But Anxious to Get the United States Out of Cuba.

Santiago, Oct. 6.—General Garcia left for the interior on his mission of pacification this morning with an escort of Cuban soldiers.

The trip will take more than two weeks. Garcia told General Wood that he believed he could induce thousands of soldiers to disarm and persuade many guerrillas to return home.

The unpopularity among the extremists of Garcia's plan of securing an American loan to pay Cubans is becoming more pronounced. General Colozzo said last night that the Cubans did not want an American loan but did want to know when the Americans were going to evacuate the island.

The transports Otdam and Berlin sailed this morning for the United States with a number of sick from Porto Rico and Santiago.

SAVING THE COLON.

Hobson has a Large Force of Men at Work on the Wreck.

Santiago de Cuba, Oct. 6.—Lieutenant Hobson has brought to Santiago a number of 6-inch guns and ordnance of smaller calibre, which were taken from the Almirante Oquendo, Yacaya and Infanta Maria Teresa. He has just started seventy men at the work of saving the Cristobal Colon.

The men will have to build shacks on the shore to live in. Lieut. Hobson told the correspondent of the Laffan that he was still confident of his ability to save the Colon.

The Infanta Maria Teresa will be ready to sail for the United States from Guantanamo on next Monday. Lieut. Hobson says that he will save all the big ships as soon as a derrick boat arrives. Air bags and the compressed air apparatus for the work on the Colon are here.

The sickness among the Fifth regulars has greatly diminished. Fifty-three men were taken off the sick list yesterday and twenty-five today. Only 157 of the 650 men are unable to do duty now.

Yellow fever is rapidly disappearing. Favorable reports were received today from the Ninth immunes, the Twenty-fifth Kansas and the Eighth Illinois volunteers, who are encamped on the San Luis plateau.

General Lawton has been directed by General Lawton to suppress the lawlessness of the Cuban and Spanish guerrillas about Manzanillo with a firm hand. Colonel Pettit's Fourth immunes will be sent to relieve Colonel Ray's men as soon as they arrive.

PRESENT FOR EMPEROR WILLIE.

London, Oct. 6.—A dispatch to the Daily News from Berlin says that Herr Birkner, a land owner, has presented the Emperor William an estate of 5,000 acres at Cadinen, West Prussia. There is a splendid manor house on the property, and the estate is well stocked with game.

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GEN. LEE TESTIFIES

He and General Boynton Before Inquisitors.

Nothing Elicited Damaging to the Departments of Officials or the President.

The Brigade and Regimental Commanders Responsible Where Things Were Defective.

General Lee Expressed Surprise When Complaint Was Made Against Food at His Camp.

Washington, Oct. 6.—Another day of inquiry by the war investigation commission has passed and no evidence has yet developed convicting the administration of mismanagement.

The testimony of Generals Boynton and Lee was concluded this afternoon and neither indicated there was just cause for criticizing the department officials and the president.

Boynton explained the department was not to blame if the camp arrangements were defective and held that the brigade and regimental commanders were responsible. Lee gave similar testimony and both asserted that the soldiers were abundant when a particularly violent storm was read about the bad food at Jacksonville Lee asked in surprise, "Is that my camp?"

Boynton believed that the failure of the regimental officers to keep their camps in clean and healthful condition was due to lack of opportunity for officers from civil life to learn how properly to conduct camps.

He admitted that the failure of these officers to obey orders resulted in suffering and the spread of disease but all happened when the commanding officer, General Brooke, was in Washington, preparing to go to Porto Rico.

He didn't explain, however, why these breaches of discipline were not reported and offenders punished.

Tomorrow General Green, who has recently returned from Manila, will be called before the commission and will be followed by Colonel Lee, who was under Boynton at Chickamauga.

WON'T FORSWEAR THE RIGHT TO SECEDE

Grand Camp of Virginia Confederates to Take a Decisive Stand.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 6.—The Grand Camp of United Confederate Veterans of Virginia have placed themselves on record as claiming the right to secede from the union at will by refusing to reconsider a motion to adopt the history committee report with a clause omitted that the Confederate soldier renounces forever the right of secession. The vote was nearly unanimous. William T. Royal, who declared allegiance to a united country, and thereby spoke the sentiment of the bulk of Virginia Confederate veterans, resigned from the camp.

DEWEY TO BE ADMIRAL.

Washington, Oct. 6.—The administration will recommend to congress the revival of the grade of admiral and the promotion to that rank of Rear Admiral George Dewey now in command of the Asiatic station. Secretary Long made this positive announcement today that he intended to recommend that the grade of admiral be revived, and that the rank be conferred on Rear Admiral Dewey. The president endorses this idea.

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