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## CAME FROM AGUINALDO

### Confession of Luna's Alleged Emisaries.

### They Ask for Three Months Cessation of Hostilities.

### Question of the Release of Spanish Prisoners

### Seven of The Yorktown Prisoners in Filipino Hands Yet to Be Accounted for.

Manila, May 3.—Major General Otis and the envoys who came here from General Luna bearing the proposal for cessation of hostilities conferred again today. Otis adhered to his refusal to recognize the so-called government of the insurgents. The Filipinos ask for a truce of three months to enable Aguinaldo to summon the congress and consult with insurgent leaders or others on the islands. The envoys admitted the contention of General Otis that Aguinaldo has little control over affairs outside the island of Luzon.

When the question of release of Spanish prisoners in the hands of the Filipinos was mentioned, Major Arguelles, chief member of the deputation, said he considered them as being in the same category as Americans, the United States being the successor of Spain in domination over the island and acquiring by treaty all rights and obligations.

After the close of the conference with General Otis the Filipino envoys had a consultation with the United States Philippine commission.

The Filipino envoys, Major Arguelles and Lieutenant Bernal, have abandoned the pretense under which they came to Otis, that they represented General Luna, and today announced that they came as the representatives of Aguinaldo himself.

### THE YORKTOWN PRISONERS.

Washington, May 3.—The following was received today from Dewey: Manila, May 3.—Secretary of the Navy, Washington: The following are the Yorktown prisoners at insurgent headquarters at San Isidro: Lieutenant William Walton, Sailmaker's Mate Paul Vandoit, Coxswain John Ellsworth, Apprentice (third class) Albert Peterson, Landsman Sylvio Brisolese, Landsman Paul Edwards and Landsman Fred Anderson.

Provisions have been sent them by Otis. Am continuing inquiries as to the fate of the other seven.

### THE MOLINEUX CASE

New York, May 3.—Roland B. Molineux's case will be resubmitted to the grand jury tomorrow. It has not yet been decided whether Molineux's request to face that body during the investigation of his case will be acceded to.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

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## REPORT FROM BLUEFIELDS

### Still Unable to Communicate With the District by Wire.

Washington, May 3.—Long today received mailed reports from Commander Dayton, of the cruiser Detroit, at Bluefields, but he is still unable to communicate with Dayton by telegraph. It is understood the reports substantially confirm the press despatches. There is reason to believe the government has decided a lesson should be taught some of the Central American republics for their high-handed methods in dealing with Americans. The present trouble is attributed to the bitter hostility of Governor Torres, of Bluefields, toward Americans. Secretary Hay is endeavoring to adjust the troubles through the channels of diplomacy, but it is not improbable that Dayton may soon be ordered to take drastic measures.

### REUNION TO HOOD'S BRIGADE.

### A Historical Gavel Presented to Captain Hunt.

Austin, Tex., May 3.—The surviving members of Hood's brigade held their annual reunion here today. The chairman, Captain Hunt, of Huntsville, was presented with a historic gavel, made by James Dallas, of Washington county, out of wood from General Sam Houston's house at the old town of Washington, which was the capital of the Texas republic in 1836. Judge Henderson, of the court of criminal appeals, made the presentation speech.

### CUBAN BANDITS KILLED

### While Attempting to Rescue Their Leader From Jail.

Santiago, May 3.—At Mayor's court tonight four men belonging to Gonzalez's band of bandits attempted to release Gonzalez, who, with five others, are in jail. The rural guards discovered the attempt and killed four of the bandits. Two rural guards were wounded.

### CHEAP GAS FOR NEW YORK.

New York, May 3.—Two of the greatest gas-supplying companies of the city have voluntarily and without warning cut the price from \$1.10. Until further notice New York pays only 65 cents a thousand for gas from the Consolidated Gas company and the Mutual Gas company. The cut is the result of a long fight between these two companies and the Standard.

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## GEN. M'ARTHUR ADVANCING

### Rebels Resisting Stoutly and Burning Their Towns.

Manila, Thursday, May 4.—MacArthur began an attack this morning on San Tomas, five miles northwest of Calumpit. The Americans are fighting stubbornly for the bridge over the river and the rebels are burning the town.

## ARMISTICE IN SAMOA

### Accepted by Mataafa But Germans Refuse to Sign.

Lodon, May 3.—Despatches received here from Apia, dated April 27, via Auckland, May 3, say that an armistice has been offered Mataafa and that he has accepted it. The German representatives refused to join in the proclamation.

### A DELIBERATE MURDER.

### New York Man Prepared Manuscript Explaining His Motive.

New York, May 2.—James H. Plumb, formerly a well known man about town, this afternoon shot and killed Alexander Masterton, a retired banker of Bronxville, in an apartment house on Thirtieth street. Plumb, who is 55 years old, went to meet Masterton, who is 72, with the deliberate intention of killing him. He took with him a handbag containing a typewritten manuscript reciting at length why he was going to kill Masterton. Briefly Plumb accused the dead man of separating him from his children, inducing his daughter to sue him for an accounting of her mother's estate, which resulted in endless litigation and conspiring in other ways to ruin him. Plumb did not seem to mind being arrested. Masterton was a prominent republican, once a close friend of President Arthur.

### MURDER AND SUICIDE BY A WRONGED WOMAN

Chicago, May 3.—Made desperate by the knowledge that the man she loved was married, Mabel Burk this afternoon shot and fatally wounded David J. Wile, a prominent lawyer, and then shot herself, falling dead at her lover's feet. Wile had promised to marry the girl, and when she learned he lived happily with a family, the shock was so great it is believed her mind became unbalanced. Monday she went to Wile's home and told the wife of her husband's perfidy. Mrs. Wile said tonight she was not surprised at the tragedy.

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## DEADLY WORK OF LIGHTNING

### Three Railway Watchmen Killed - Residences Struck and Wrecked.

Cumberland, Md., May 3.—During a heavy storm this evening three Baltimore and Ohio trackmen were killed while repairing tracks at Cranberry Summit. The residence of Prof. Johnson, principal of the West Virginia school for the deaf and dumb, and the residence of Jones Harrison, at Romney, W. Va., were shattered by lightning. Mrs. Harrison and daughter are reported badly injured.

## ATKINSON'S PAMPHLETS.

### Seizure Made by the Postal Authorities at San Francisco.

San Francisco, May 3.—The postal authorities today seized the pamphlets sent out by the anti-imperialist, Edward Atkinson, addressed to Dewey, Otis, Miller and Profs. Schurman and Worcester, of the Philippine commission. Two of the pamphlets are entitled "The Hell of War" and "Criminal Aggression." The third has not any title and contains copies of speeches delivered by Hoar, Boutelle and Edmunds.

Referring to the prohibited matter Edward Atkinson, vice president of the anti-imperialist league of Boston, is quoted as saying:

"There are two pamphlets only. The editions of the first printed in November were dedicated to President McKinley in support of his statement that 'forcible annexation would be criminal aggression.' The facts and figures given in this pamphlet were made the frequent subject of debate in the house of representatives and the senate during the session and the pamphlet as a whole was finally printed by order of the senate as senate documents No. 62.

"The second document was issued in February, when it appeared that acts of criminal aggression were being committed in the Philippine Islands. These pamphlets were sent to me by George Dewey, President Schurman, Prof. Worcester, General H. G. Otis, General Lawton, General Miller and the correspondent of the New York Tribune weekly in Manila. None of these have to my knowledge been sent to any one else. I desired to send them to other officers and for that purpose notified the war department of my intention and asked for a list that would give me the names. If it is unlawful for a citizen of the United States to communicate with other citizens in Manila, by sending them documents in a private edition which has been printed by order of the United States senate as public documents, I am content to leave the matter at that exact point, which requires no comment from me.

"I would, however, call the attention of the postmaster general to the necessity of requiring that all newspapers lately printed here and elsewhere which contain the late speech of Senator Hoar, given at the republican club in Boston, in which he used this expressive phrase: 'I can see no difference in lynching a man of a southern race and lynching a people; I think a government derives its just powers from the consent of the governed, and get those ideas from the constitution of the United States,' be taken from the mails.

"If this attempt to forbid free speech and a free mail to the people of this country has been made, which I cannot believe, I think the people will decide themselves what to do about it."

### GEN. WHEELER TO MARRY?

Washington, May 3.—The story of the engagement of General Joseph Wheeler to Mrs. George W. Childs is revived today, and it is now asserted that the marriage will take place in this city during the present month at the home of Mrs. Childs on K street.

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## ARRESTING RIOTERS

### Constables Acting Under Protection of Troops.

### Miners Fleeing to the Hills and Wardner Wildly Excited.

### A Grand Exodus of Rioters by Train From Wallace Also.

### The Destruction of Mining Property by the Mobs of Strikers Very Large.

Boise, Idaho, May 3.—The governor will issue a proclamation tomorrow declaring Shoshone county, in the Coeur d'Alenes, under martial law. Advice from the scene of the trouble indicate that the presence of the troops has acted as a damper to the ardor of the strikers. Many are fleeing and the governor has ordered them turned back. A train load of deputies has been sent to Harrison near the state line to bring back strikers stopping there on their way out of the state. Thus far sixty-five of the rioting miners have been arrested by the troops.

Wardner, Idaho, May 3.—Fifty-four warrants have been sworn out for riotous miners and constables are making arrests under the protection of the troops. Many miners have fled to the hills. The town is wild with excitement. About fifteen arrests have been made so far.

Wallace, Idaho, May 3.—Rioters are leaving on every train. It is claimed many of those who arrived here last week from Butte are now leaving.

Washington, May 3.—The following despatch has been received from General Merriam:

Boise, Idaho, May 3.—Adjutant General Washington: Arrived here this morning. A conference with the governor discloses the usual difficulties of dealing with riots and conspiracies. There is some hope of identifying offenders through the coroner's inquest at Wardner tomorrow. One union man is dead and one non-union man mortally wounded. The destruction of mining property reported is very great. Troops are moving forward to Wardner. Will go to Wardner tonight myself. The number of non-union miners in the district is about 1,500; the number armed and acting in riots is about 100.

MERRIAM,  
Brigadier General.

### BIG STEEL COMBINATION.

New York, May 3.—The Financial News Bureau reiterated today the reports that a large steel combination will probably be formed on a basis of \$525,000,000 capitalization to take in the Carnegie Steel company, Rockefeller Mesaba Iron interests, Federal Steel company, American Steel and Wire company, National Steel company and American Tin Plate company.

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