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CENSORSHIP

CONFINES NEWS

Estcourt is the Only Place in South Africa Heard from for Four Days

Gen. White Discusses Capitulation of the Town.

Another Heavy Bombardment of Lady Smith.

An Armored Forage Train Advances to Colenso.

BRITISH RETURN THE BOERS' FIRE BEFORE RETIRING—FIVE HUNDRED BOERS AROUND COLENSO—TROOPS DISAPPEAR UP COUNTRY, NOT EVEN OFFICERS KNOWING WHERE THEY ARE GOING.

London, Nov. 13.—Censorship again imposes a four days' ignorance regarding events in South Africa with the exception of a short list of casualties, the announcement of the arrival of troops and brief despatches from Estcourt. The movements of troops after being landed are unknown. A belated despatch referring to the earlier arrived troops says that regiment after regiment lands and vanishes up the country, not even the officers knowing where they are going. The latest definite news from Lady Smith is the report of a heavy bombardment on November 9. This doesn't tend to relieve the anxiety.

DISCUSSING CAPITULATION. Berlin, Nov. 13.—The Rhenish Westphalian Gazette prints a telegram from Brussels reporting, on authority of a Boer officer at Pretoria, that at Brest three communications have passed between Generals White and Joubert at Lady Smith regarding the capitulation of the town. White demanded the withdrawal of all troops with arms and ammunition. Joubert declared this to be impertinent and demanded unconditional surrender. On the second exchange Joubert suggested that guns and ammunition be made unserviceable but not surrendered. This White did not accept. The third exchange was without result and negotiations were discontinued on November 8.

TRANSPORTS ARRIVE. Cape Town, Nov. 13.—Transports Armenian, Oriental and Orient arrived today with forty-five hundred troops. The Armenian, with three batteries and several staff officers, sailed for Durban.

SAW FLASHES OF THE GUNS. Estcourt, Monday Evening, Nov. 13.—Your correspondent has been within sight of the Boer guns today and seen the flashes of the big guns as they sent shells toward Lady Smith. The present bombardment is as heavy as the one last Monday. Firing died away about midday yesterday, but began again at seven in the evening. No Boers have been seen in the vicinity of Estcourt since November 9.

NEWS FROM MAPEKING. London, Nov. 13.—The war office this morning received the following from Buller:

Cape Town, Nov. 11.—The following reports have been received from Colonel Baden-Powell: "Mafeking, Oct. 30.—All well here, the enemy apparently shy of attacking. Now closing to invest us. Are today destroying the railway twelve miles north with dynamite, shelling continued, doing very little harm. October 31.—Enemy attempted an assault today on Cannon Kopje and the southeast corner of the town. The attack was most brilliant, notwithstanding a hot shell fire by the British South African police under Walford. The enemy lost heavily. Our casualties, five killed and five wounded."

From the British point of view the general situation in the Natal is rapidly improving. Nearly 8,000 troops have reached South Africa during the last forty hours, and by the end of the week 7,000 more, bringing the British forces up to 10,000 men, and making the general attack on Lady Smith by General Joubert very hazardous.

BOER GUNS SILENCED. A special despatch from Durban, Naton's advance was received yesterday. News just arrived report the Boers suffered a severe defeat at Lady Smith this morning. The Boer guns were silenced after four hours' fighting, during which the Boers' loss was heavy."

BRYAN TO VISIT TEXAS. Apstin, Tex., Nov. 13.—William Jennings Bryan will arrive here in a few days for an extended visit to ex-Governor J. S. Hogg. The sive champion is much disturbed over the recently expressed views in favor of territorial expansion by Mr. Hogg, and he hopes to convert the latter to his way of looking at that question. Judge John H. Reagan, the Nestor of Texas democracy, is also a pronounced expansionist and Bryan sees breakers ahead for the democratic party in Texas unless he can smooth over the present differences between the leaders on that question.

TROUBLE THREATENED IN KENTUCKY

Desperate Crowd Gathered at Barbourville.—A Probably Fatal Duel.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 14.—The democratic claims of Goebel's victory are gradually weakening and their own figures today show defeat unless the entire vote of Knox county which gave Taylor 1,398 plurality, is thrown out. Most of the democratic leaders are inclined openly to admit defeat but Senator Blackburn insists on holding out. Unless the fight is given up at once bloodshed is certain. There already has been some. At Beatyville today Louis Spicer, a republican, elected commissioner, and Julius Angel, a prominent democrat, engaged in a row which resulted in both men being shot twice. Neither is expected to recover.

TROUBLE THREATENED. Trouble is probable at Barbourville as a desperate crowd, well supplied with whiskey and firearms, has gathered there. Governor Bradley evidently intends to make some military move. The arsenal is under strong republican guard and democratic militiamen have been ordered to turn into the arsenal their guns and ammunition.

STREET CAR WRECKED.

Cleveland, Nov. 13.—A Lakeshore railroad train dashed into a street car at the Detroit street crossing this evening. Seven were badly injured and four were not expected to live until morning.

W. J. COCKE CASE HAS BEEN CONTINUED

During Session of Federal Court: He Plead Not Guilty.

In the Federal court yesterday W. J. Cocke, ex-cashier of the National bank was called to plead, and plead not guilty. On motion of J. M. Moody, of counsel for the defense, the case was continued. As the term is short, the District Attorney made no objection.

It is presumed that a special session will be called for the hearing of this case.

The Pulliam case was also called yesterday, but was passed over for the present.

Assistant District Attorney Blackburn has gone to Richmond to appear before the circuit court of appeals in the celebrated Hampton case.

BINGHAM FOOTBALL TEAM Leaves in Fine Condition For Columbia This Morning.

The Bingham football team leaves this morning at 8 o'clock for Columbia to play Columbia college tomorrow afternoon. The team will average about 155 pounds to a man, and will not be weakened at all.

F. C. Harris, who went home to Texas about a week ago, on account of illness in his family, has returned and will captain the team. Captain Duncan will manage the team on the trip.

The line up of the team will be as follows: Left end, Duncan; left tackle, Law; left guard, Pardue; center, Ross; right guard, Norwood; right tackle, Glenn; right end, Stator; quarter back, Mattingly; left half back, McLom and D'Alemberte; right half back, Ward and Williams; full back, Harris. Substitutes, Coffey and Jones. The team will return Thursday.

THANKSGIVING FOOTBALL.

Asheville Team Practiced Yesterday and Will Practice Again Today.

Part of the Asheville football team, which is to play the Bingham team Thanksgiving for the benefit of the Flower Mission, had a practice with some signal work back of the Oaks hotel yesterday afternoon. Another practice will be held at the same place this afternoon at 4:30, and all who wish to play are earnestly requested to be present this afternoon.

The tickets have been placed on sale at the Paragon, and there is no extra charge for reserved seats. The boys out yesterday afternoon showed considerable ginger, and with the line up that it is hoped to get, the team will put up a first class game, and Bingham is also working hard.

FRENCH CHINA BARGAINS.

All the last spring import samples of a French house. Tea cups and saucers, 35c. Plates, 25c to 30c. The goods are worth three or four times the money. See store window.

J. H. LAW, 35 Patton avenue.



CHILDREN'S EYES SHOULD BE carefully watched until the age of ten. If the eyes can be kept in normal condition until then they will remain so throughout life, unless sickness or abuse shall injure them. Many hereditary defects may also be overcome in children if taken in time. Examinations free. Baker & Co., Scientific Refracting Opticians, 45 Patton avenue.

SERIOUS BLOW TO FILIPINOS

Surrender of Tarlac Puts an End to the Insurgent Government.

Aguinaldo to be Kept Moving Too Fast to Re-organize

Insurgents Driven Like Sheep by MacArthur.

Tayug's Garrison Seeks Safety in Flight to the Mountains.

SIXTY-NINE SPANISH PRISONERS FOUND IN THE ABANDONED TOWN—AGUINALDO'S SECRETARY CAPTURED ALONG WITH MUCH VALUABLE PROPERTY.

Manila, Nov. 13.—The surrender of Tarlac practically means an end to the effective operation of the so-called Filipino government. Hereafter the insurgent government will be a vest roes will be scattered with gangs of pocket, pillar to post affair, whose bandits. Aguinaldo hopes undoubtedly to re-establish some form of government at Bayombong, but although he may avoid capture for months by skillfully seeking some rabbit warren, he will never again have time to organize anywhere nor be long enough in one place to set the wheels of government going.

DRIVEN LIKE SHEEP.

This statement is based on a careful review of the situation by one who is on the spot. Fighting will probably continue on a small scale for some time. This week's operations have been a succession of rapid advances, before which the insurgents were driven like sheep. Tarlac, which was captured yesterday, has been occupied by MacArthur's column. Aguinaldo's secretary has been captured at Carangan together with a large amount of insurgent property.

FLEEING TO THE MOUNTAINS.

Late Sunday afternoon the Third cavalry, under Colonel Wessels, occupied the important town of Tayug, the insurgent garrison having fled, terror-stricken to the mountains. Sixty-nine Spanish prisoners were found in the centre of the town and heralded the approach of the Americans. A large quantity of supplies and ammunition was captured also two Filipino officers. The Filipinos took with them in their flight four American prisoners, and a troop of cavalry went in pursuit and came up with the fugitives at Fatnicalos. The cavalrymen released two of the American prisoners and killed an insurgent officer and two privates.

EXPECTED TARLAC'S FALL. It appears now that Aguinaldo had been anticipating the loss of Tarlac for some time. October 5 he issued a decree declaring Bayombong would be the new capital "owing to the unhealthy condition of Tarlac."

A report received late tonight says that Wheaton has not yet made connection with Lawton's forces.

A SHARP BATTLE.

March's battalion of the Thirty-third infantry met a force of rebels a short distance east of Dagupan today and routed them. The insurgents left fourteen dead on the field and lost thirty-one prisoners.

Colonel Bell of the Thirty-sixth infantry reconnoitered beyond Tarlac today. He went eight miles without meeting any opposition, and thinks the insurgents have probably removed most of their property to Bayombong.

WHERE IS AGUINALDO?

Aguinaldo's present location is altogether a matter of speculation. It is thought he has fled to the mountains in the north. The failure of Wheaton and Lawton to connect and prevent Aguinaldo from getting to the mountains is the only unsatisfactory aspect of the situation.

REPORT FROM OTIS.

The following was received today from Otis: "Manila, Nov. 13.—No news of Lawton's advance was received yesterday. MacArthur's troops took Bambon and Capas, four miles north of Bambon. The insurgents are reported 1,500 both on the railroad, and Concepcion. The insurgents are reported 1,500 strong, retreating rapidly north, making slight resistance. Our casualties: Second Lieutenant Davis, Thirty-sixth volunteers, killed; three enlisted men reported wounded. There was a strong reconnaissance from Capas in the direction of Tarlac today. The condition of the roads with wagon transportation impracticable. The enemy appear to be in a demoralized condition and show much disorganization, as indicated by captured telegraphic despatches and deserters from their ranks."

OIL HEATERS.

There are more bad oil stoves made than good ones. We offer the same kinds we did last year, because we could find no better. Three kinds, \$3.50, \$4.75, \$5.25. We know all are good. J. H. Law, 35 Patton avenue.

CORBETT AND JEFFRIES ARRANGING TO FIGHT

The Ex-champion Posts \$5,000 for a Forfeit.—Jeffries will Cover.

New York, Nov. 13.—Considine, Corbett's manager, posted \$5,000 with Al Smith this afternoon to bind a match with Jeffries, and Corbett expects the champion to cover the deposit as soon as possible. Corbett expected to meet Brady, the Jeffries' manager, this afternoon, but Brady did not show up. Corbett was vexed and after the forfeit had been posted he issued a statement calling attention to the fact that he had been promised the next fight with Jeffries and asked Jeffries why his manager did not come to time and sign the articles. Corbett added that if the money was covered he would meet Jeffries on November 17 and sign articles. Brady said later that Jeffries would accept all right.

TO OBSERVE THE METEORS

Charlottesville, Va., Nov. 13.—To observe the meteor shower, which is expected to occur this week, a half dozen stations, disturbed at as nearly equal distance as can be conveniently arranged have been established, extending from Scottsville to the northern edge of Albemarle county. One of these stations will be at the Leander-McCormick Observatory. At these places cameras have been erected to obtain if possible photographic records of the brighter meteors, and by the comparison of trails of meteors photographs at more than one station determine the height at which they are first seen to enter the atmosphere, the object being to determine the height through which the atmosphere itself extends. The brightest display is expected to take place on Tuesday morning, beginning at about midnight.

SERGEANT HART MARRIED

The Bride is a Native Asheville's Young Lady, Miss Moore.

Sergeant Samuel Herbert Hart and Miss Hester E. Moore were married at Weaverville last Sunday at 2 p. m. in the parsonage of the M. E. church, Rev. Mr. Taylor officiating. Those present were Miss Lillian L. Scott and Mr. Frank Gibbs, both of Asheville.

The bride is a native of Asheville and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moore, who have lived in Asheville many years, and are well known. She is a very bright young woman who has a large circle of friends.

Sergeant Hart is a sergeant of Company G, Tenth infantry, which is now stationed at Neuvas, Cuba. Sergeant Hart has been in the service several years and has a year to serve of his present enlistment. He has served at the Asheville recruiting station since August and has made many friends here. He was promoted to the rank of sergeant for bravery shown on the field of battle at San Juan.

Sergeant and Mrs. Hart will make their home with the bride's parents on Louisa street for the present, at least during his assignment to this station.

NEW STEWARDS.

Quarterly Meeting of Central Methodist Church Held Yesterday.

The fourth quarterly meeting of Central M. E. church, south, was held yesterday afternoon.

The stewards who are to have charge of the work during the next conference year were elected. Among the new members are Captain Thomas D. Johnston, F. Stikeleather, C. A. Raysor, and Frank Carter.

A committee, George L. Hackney, J. P. Kerr and Frank M. Weaver, was appointed to draft resolutions expressive of the regret of the church because of the departure of Dr. Byrd.

Dr. Byrd will leave today for Owensboro, Ky., to which place he has been transferred.

Hathway, Soule & Harington's \$3.00 Shoe at \$2.25. G. A. Mears.

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Asheville, N. C.

GEN. PARADES IS PRISONER

The Venezuelan Revolutionary Leader was Wounded Four Times.

In the Sanguinary Battle in Which He was Defeated.

Three Hundred Killed and Wounded at Puerto Cabello.

Effective Work of an American Surgeon in Saving Life.

BRAISTED OF THE DETROIT ORGANIZED A HOSPITAL CORPS AFTER THE BATTLE HAD ENDED AND WENT TO THE AID OF THE WOUNDED.

Caracas, Venezuela, Nov. 13.—In the capture of Puerto Cabello yesterday by Castro's forces three hundred were killed and wounded. General Parades the revolutionary leader, was wounded four times. He was made a prisoner and is now on his way to Caracas. The captains of the British and American warships say the fight was one of the bloodiest they ever witnessed. Surgeon Braisted, of the cruiser Detroit, was organizer and leader of the hospital corps after the battle. It is said that Braisted personally saved the lives of fifty men. The Detroit has gone to Laguayra.

NEWS SENT TO WASHINGTON.

Washington, Nov. 13.—Both the navy and departments received reports concerning the surrender of Parades at Puerto Cabello. Minister Loomis, at Caracas, cabled the state department as follows:

"After eight hours fighting Castro's army took Puerto Cabello this morning. The killed and wounded aggregate 300. The surgeons and hospital corps from foreign cruisers are attending the wounded. Local facilities are inadequate. Castro holds every port and place of consequence in Venezuela."

The navy-department despatch from Commander Hemphill of the Detroit, now at Puerto Cabello, was dated last night and reads: "Severe fighting since Saturday morning. About 300 killed on both sides. Parades surrendered the final position to Castro's forces Sunday morning."

ENCOURAGING FILIPINOS.

Indianapolis, Nov. 13.—Edward Douglas, of Frankfort, this state, who is now serving in the Eighth army corps in the Philippines, has written a letter home in which he declares that the statements made by Senator Pettigrew, Senator Hoar and others regarding the war are slanders. Concluding his letter he says:

"I am sorry to say that the prolongation of this war is due to such men as Senators Pettigrew, Hoar and others. Speeches made by them reach the Filipino junta at Hong Kong and are published and spread throughout the insurgent forces. They are made to believe that the United States government will soon recall the soldiers and let the insurgents do as they please. Were it not for the encouragement given by our own people who style themselves anti-expansionists, the insurgents would have mutilated and their leaders been compelled to surrender to our forces. This is substantiated by every Spanish prisoner that escapes from the rebel army and by all Europeans that have come through their lines."

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