

VOL. XII. No. 98. PHILIPPINES FIGHTING

Philippinos' Stubborn Resistance to General Lawton's Advance.

A HEAVY LOSS SUSTAINED

By Part of His Command-They March into a Horseshoe Entrenchment. Met by a Terrific Fire-Forced to Retire-Reinforced They Charge the Earthworks and Drive the Enemy Out-Colonel Stotzenberg, of the Nebraska Regiment, Killed Leading the Charge-Our Other Losses-The Advance on Calumpit.

Manila, April 23.—(Sunday).—Four men of the Nebraska regiment, including Colonel Stotzenberg and Lieutenant Sisson and three men of the Fourth cavalry, were killed and forty-four wounded in an engagement at Quez...

Two men who were carrying a comrade were shot in the arms, but they continued with their burden. Captain Bell sent for reinforcements to rescue the body of the killed cavalryman, and a detachment of the Nebraska regiment, under Major Mufford, arrived and advanced until checked by volleys from the enemy's trenches.

The Americans lay about 800 yards from the trenches, behind rice furrows, under fire, for the better part of the day. Several men were struck, one dying from the effects of the heat, as they lay there waiting for the artillery to come up. Finally the second battalion arrived and then Colonel Stotzenberg, who had spent the night with his family in Manila, came upon the scene. The men immediately recognized him and raised a cheer.

Colonel Stotzenberg, deciding that a charge was the cheapest way out of the difficulty, led the attack at the head of his regiment. He fell with a bullet in the breast, dying instantly about 200 yards from the breastworks.

The Philippine troops were right on the trenches, and when they held to a ribbon from his neck. The Nebraska regiment lost two privates killed and had many wounded, including Lieutenant Hale.

ADVANCING ON CALUMPIT. Manila, April 24.—General McArthur's division left Malolos today, evidently intending to besiege Calumpit. General Hale at the head of the afternoon had crossed the Bagbag and reached a position quarter of a mile from Calumpit, thus commanding the ford.

Before day light the Fourth cavalry, with the guns belonging to the Utah battery, the Nebraska regiment, and the Iowa regiment, under General Hale, were proceeding in the direction of Calumpit, where the Bagbag (Chobas) is fordable, but accompanied by members of the Nebraska regiment, the troops crossed the river.

Another Important Move. Washington, April 24.—Information received at the war department indicates that General Oida is to execute another important movement, the details of which are shown by the following advices from Manila. The objective point is the insurgent town of Calumpit, lying about eight miles northwest of the district town of Malolos.

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FUSIONISTS SCHEMING

To Deprive Democrats of Securing Control of the Agricultural Department. Before the Corporation Commission.

Raleigh, N. C., April 24.—Before the corporation commission there was argument for the reduction of the minimum car load of fertilizers to ten tons, and for the Norfolk and Western, and Smith and Browder for the Southern. Petition was made by J. L. Wilson for a depot at Cerro Gordo.

A secret and special meeting of the old state board of agriculture was held here. One of the members this afternoon denied that there was any meeting. No notices were sent out by the secretary, either to the members of the board, or to the committees which always meet prior to the board meeting.

The war department map prepared by the military information board shows this road joining the one on which McArthur is moving from Malolos to Calumpit. It is a considerable town, and it is thought that he will leave the road which runs along the left bank of a small stream, at its confluence with the large river Rio Grande.

THE CRIME CONDEMNED

The People and the Press Condemn the Horrific Murder of Sam Hose's Execution.

Savannah, Ga., April 24.—The press and people of this city condemn in unmeasured terms the horrible lynching of Sam Hose at Newman yesterday.

The Morning News says: "The lynching was a thrill of horror through the entire country. The method of it was in keeping with the spirit of a savage rather than a civilized and Christian community. It provoked a spirit that is likely to lead to other crimes."

More Cigars Seized. Charleston, S. C., April 24.—Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue J. H. Poshman, seized 106,000 cigars in wholesale and retail merchants of this city today. The boxes which carried illegal stamps were all sent out by a factory at Lancaster, Pa.

Ex-Postmaster Tolbert to Testify. Columbia, S. C., April 24.—Ex-Postmaster S. Tolbert, of McCormick, is in the city. He goes to Greenville tomorrow to testify in the trial of M. L. B. Sturkey, Wade Cottrane and ten other prominent merchants and farmers of McCormick, charged with conspiracy to run the Postoffice out of business. This is a development of the Phœnix election riots last November.

The Nash's Life En Route to St. Louis. Natchez, Miss., April 24.—The gunboat Nash, en route to St. Louis, will depart for the north at 6 o'clock a. m. tomorrow. She arrived here at 10 o'clock today. Today was devoted to a carriage drive and luncheon, and tonight a grand reception was given on the officers by the Presses Club, the leading social organization of the city. The ship was thrown open to the visitors today and her decks were jammed with sight seers.

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GERMAN AMBASSADOR PROTESTS

Against the Language of For Complicity in the Cranford Crimes.

REPLY OF SECRETARY HAY

LIGE STRICKLAND LYNCHED

The Secretary Deplores the Use of Such Language by the Commander of the State Department.

Washington, April 24.—The German government has entered a formal protest against the language used by Captain Coghlan of the Raleigh at the Union League Club banquet in New York last Friday night and also his remarks on Saturday night before the Army and Navy Club.

Secretary Hay replied that the language appeared to have been used at a dinner in a club and so could not be regarded as an official or public utterance in the sense that would warrant the state department in acting. However, the navy department was fully competent to take such action as the case seemed to require.

There are semi-official intimations that the ambassador will not so much concern himself with the course of the German government as with the conduct of the United States in dealing with Coghlan. The German ambassador stated today that the poem recited by Coghlan was "too nasty to be noticed."

The German ambassador appeared at the state department at noon today for the purpose of making further representations to Secretary Hay touching the conduct of Captain Coghlan so that the utterances of Captain Coghlan at the Army and Navy Club as published in yesterday evening's paper, were regarded as an additional offense.

Secretary Hay has not changed his position in any degree. He deprecates the fact of Coghlan's being shown by Captain Coghlan and he did not hesitate to let that be known to the German ambassador, but he still held the opinion that the best course was to do anything officially in view of subsequent developments in the case.

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SECOND EXECUTION

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THE CAPTURE OF ILOILO

A Cause of Contention Between Naval and Army Officers—Last Session of the Beef Court

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his neck. He was hauled off the ground but was let down to allow him to confess. He refused to do so and the lynchers were about to strangle him, up again when the son of Marshall, who came upon the scene and asked that the lynching not occur near his father's home. The negro was then taken to the yard in the rear of Dr. W. S. Miller's home and hung up to a persimmon tree and left to rot. A coroner's jury held an inquest over the body this evening and rendered the usual verdict: "Death at the hands of parties unknown."

Another mob is hunting the country for Albert Sewell, who has made himself obnoxious by remarks concerning the treatment given the negroes by the whites. There is no prospect of his capture, however, as he has had a day's start of his pursuers.

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