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FALL OF MANILA ANNOUNCED.

Foreign Advices State That Manila Surrendered.

APPLICATION MADE FOR HOBSON'S EXCHANGE.

Pritchard Urges the Nomination of Judge Spier Whitaker—McKinley Considers Hawaiian Annexation a War Necessity.

MANILA FALLEN.

By Cable to the Times-Visitor.
London, June 9.—A Westminster Gazette extra this afternoon says that Manila has fallen, but whether into the hands of the insurgents or Americans is unknown. Dispatches to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Paris and Madrid say that it is rumored that the Spanish garrison at Manila, fearing a massacre by the insurgents, surrendered to the Americans. Foreign securities are greatly depressed today. Spanish fours being one and one-half lower. It is known that public feeling in Spain is worse since the war began. Sagasta is searching for an opening in the direction of peace. The opposition is resisting the threatening form of coalition, and its objection is causing revolution.

UNDER AUSTRIAN FLAG.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor.
San Francisco, June 9.—The American yacht "Tola" now in Asiatic waters has obtained Austrian registry. The owner, Count Festich, fearing capture by Spanish.

THREE SPANIARDS REPORTED.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor.
Key West, June 9.—It is reported that three Spanish ships have been sighted off Havana, one being a battleship.

PORTO RICO SOFT SNAP.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor.
Washington, June 9.—Lieut. Whitney told Secretary Alger this morning that Porto Rico would be an easy invasion. He advised landing at Plaza.

LEFT FOR TAMPA TODAY.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor.
Mobile, June 9.—Adjutant General Cecil notified Secretary Alger that the effects of the fourth army corps have been packed and that the corps leaves for Tampa today.

AN ENGLISHMAN BANISHED.

Secretary of San Juan Consulate Imprisoned by Spaniards.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor.
New York, June 9.—Still, the New York Journal's correspondent at St. Thomas, cables this morning that Walter Bett, Secretary of the British Consulate at San Juan, after fifty six hours of imprisonment and gross maltreatment has been banished from Porto Rico by governor general Macias on suspicion of having informed the Americans of the mining of San Juan harbor after Sampson had bombarded the town. Thirty other Englishmen were arrested with Bett.

SPANISH SPIES EXPELLED.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor.
Montreal, June 9.—Word has been received from Ottawa that a messenger has left with a notice of the expulsion from Canada of Carranza and Du Bosc, the heads of the Spanish spy system there.

THE ASTOR BATTERY IN CAMP.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor.
New York, June 9.—The Astor Mountain battery went into camp today at Pelham Park. This battery complete is the gift to the government of John Jacob Astor, of New York. It has cost him some \$75,000.

PRITCHARD FOR WHITAKER.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor.
Washington, June 9.—Senator Pritchard of North Carolina, urged the nomination before the President of Judge Whitaker, of Raleigh, to be Colonel of one of the immune regiments. President McKinley is non-committal.

Senator Faulkner, of West Virginia, has asked to have a battery of artillery included in that State's quota under the second call.

TO AWIAT ORDERS.

Col. Burgwyn Receives Telegram Holding Second Regiment Here.

The report that the Second Regiment was to leave Raleigh at once was well founded and those in highest authority here had perfect faith in the statements relative to the early movement of the men at Camp Dan Russell.

This morning Col. W. H. S. Burgwyn, Commanding, received a telegram from Major General Burke at Atlanta, to whose division the Second Regiment has been assigned, ordering that he hold the Second Regiment in Raleigh until further orders. It is hardly probable that the Regiment will be moved for ten days, though its equipment will all be here by Monday of next week. The men are all doing well and few sick men are in the hospital.

Lieutenant Colonel Cowles hopes to be able to join his regiment before it sets into action service and the men are equally anxious for him to soon be with them.

MR. LEARD'S RETURN.

The Boys at Jacksonville are Now in Good Shape.

Mr. H. S. Leard returned this morning from Jacksonville where he spent thirty six hours in the camp with the First N. C. Regiment. The boys from this State, says Mr. Leard, regret that the report that they are suffering or in bad shape has gained currency here. The boys, he says, are elegantly situated in a pine grove about three quarters of a mile from the city. The entire camp is about one and a half miles long and about five hundred yards wide. It is well watered and each battalion has a large bath house near by. Day before yesterday 500 pairs of shoes and the same number of suits of underwear were received. The men were very happy and are as contented a lot as are in the camp.

QUARTERMASTER GENERAL.

Major John W. Harden Given Another Commission Today.

This morning for the first time Major John W. Harden received his commission as Assistant Adjutant General and to his surprise he received another commission which it is thought was issued by mistake.

The second commission made him Quartermaster General with rank of Colonel, and would make him successor to Col. Eugene Harrell, now in the First Regiment N. C. Volunteers. It is thought that the second commission was made out by mistake as Major Harrell would be holding two positions and receiving pay for both in the State Guard. It is said on the streets that he was unaware of his appointment until he received the commission.

ALL CABLES CUT.

Aboard Despatch boat off Santiago, Wednesday, June 8.—The cable to Kingston from Santiago was cut Monday. The Haytien cables yesterday. The Marblehead, Yankee and St. Louis are holding Cuatanamo Bay, pending arrival of troops. The ends of Haytien cables were buried. Sampson can establish communication with Washington at any moment. The Marblehead drove a Spanish gunboat into Cuatanamo harbor and destroyed fortifications, insurgents and Spaniards are fighting daily.

REVENUE CONFERENCE.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor.
Washington, June 9.—The War revenue conference committee has agreed for coinage of the seigniorage of silver bullion. Reduced to a monthly rate. No certificates will be issued.

CAPT. PHILIP O. K.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor.

Washington, June 9.—Captain Philip of the Texas cabled Secretary Long this morning that all are alive and well. He was ignorant how the report of his death originated. The department never credited the rumor.

OFF FOR SANTIAGO

Mysterious Movements of Raleigh People

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Important News of the Day's Happenings in Raleigh Told in Brief Statements—Personal and Local Items of Public Interest.

Judge T. R. Purnell leaves Monday for Charlotte.

Mr. Victor Bryant, of Durham, is in the city today.

Mr. Gavin Dortch arrived last night and is visiting his uncle, Dr. T. D. Hogg.

Special Bargains offered each day this week at Riggan's Toy Store. Read his announcement.

Mr. A. Dughi returned today from Durham where he served a banquet of 500 covers last night.

Five hundred and seventy Rhine vessels, with 219,528 tons of freight, came to Strassburg in 1897.

Miss C. E. Wissner, of Fredericksburg, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. S. McGeachy, Hillsboro street.

Judge James C. MacRae returned this morning from a business trip to Greensboro and Charlotte.

Sheriff R. T. Hodges, of Beaufort county today brought three short term convicts to the State penitentiary.

Miss Davis, of Louisville, arrived in Raleigh today and is visiting Mr. Needham Jones at his country home.

Rev. L. L. Nash, of Fayetteville, formerly pastor of the Central Methodist church of this city, is in Raleigh today.

Miss Fannie Landis, of Oxford, who has been visiting relatives at the Park Place, left this morning for Henderson.

Miss Mattie Simms, daughter of Dr. A. M. Simms, returned yesterday from Norganton, where she has been teaching during the past year.

Mr. Joe Sparks returned to Raleigh this morning from Durham, where he attended Trinity College commencement.

On Monday June 20th the colored people of Raleigh will leave on an excursion to visit the soldiers at Fort Macon.

The morning east bound train of the Southern Railway was crowded with Trinity College students returning home.

At St. Mary's School this morning the essays of the Seniors were read and the diplomas were presented to the fair young graduates.

Miss Annie L. Jones, head nurse at the Surgery of the Maryland General Hospital of Baltimore, is visiting her home on North Blount street.

Grand Secretary L. H. Woodell left this morning for Cleveland county, where he will be busy for two weeks on business for the triple links.

At Camp Dan Russell today the officers of the day was Captain Warner until one o'clock when he was relieved by Captain Husko, of Fayetteville.

Prof. J. B. Dudley, president of the Colored Agricultural and Mechanical College at Greensboro, is here on business connected with his institution.

Miss Edna Baker and Miss Pearl Rogers, of Valdosta, Ga., are visiting in the city. They are now the guests of Mrs. F. O. Moritz, on Blount street.

There was not a single case in the Mayor's court today and not one reported by a magistrate in this city. A good record.

On Tuesday evening at the residence of Captain J. M. Turner, on Hillsboro street, the Junior Confederates will give a lawn party that promises to be a great success.

The Carrollton is being rushed to completion. The builders say it will be completed and ready for occupancy when the Republican convention meets on July 20th.

The Executive committee of the Central Hospital for the Insane is in session today. They were busy this morning in the State Treasurer's office making the monthly review of expenditures.

Tomorrow morning will see a large party of Fayetteville people arrive in Raleigh on an excursion. Co. A. Second Regiment will receive its friends and lots of good things from home.

Don't forget the Edenton Street M. E. Sunday school excursion to Lenoir next Thursday, the 16th. Just a nice distance. Good water. Grand shade and splendid people to spend a day with. Friends of the School, not members \$1.00 round trip.

Joe Braan, the colored messenger in the Governor's office is doing a good work for the colored soldiers at Fort Macon. Mr. John T. Pullen and State Treasurer W. H. Worth have already given him a number of Bibles and as

soon as he gets a sufficient number he is going to ship a box to the soldiers. Any one having either Bibles or periodicals to spare will be assisting Joe in a good work by giving them to the cause.

The Secretary of State today incorporated the "Piedmont Realty and Guarantee Company," of Greensboro. The incorporators are J. W. Linden, R. L. Katz and C. N. McAdoo and the capital stock is \$75,000.

The Senior officer of the Guard in the Second Regiment today was Lieutenant Avery, of the Morganton company. Lieutenant Avery is popular in Raleigh where he has spent much time during the past few years.

The Railroad Commission continued its session from yesterday in the State Library this morning at 10 o'clock. The session was dull and nothing of importance happened during the session. The arguments of counsel for State began early and this afternoon attorneys for the Railroad Companies are addressing the commission. There are thirty seven prominent railroad men in attendance and with them are many stenographers and typewriters. The commission will probably be in session again tomorrow morning. No decision was handed down today.

At the Centennial Graded School yesterday the colored graded school teachers presented ex-Superintendent Logan D. Howell with a token of esteem. The presentation speech was made by Principal Capehart, of the Washington school, and was a happy effort. Mr. Howell accepted the present in a short speech. The present was a gold medal on one side of which was engraved, "Supt. L. D. Howell, with best wishes, June 1898," and on the other side were the words "From teachers of Colored Graded Schools, Raleigh, N. C."

CALL ON MONDAY.

Naval Reserves Will be Ordered to Wilmington Then.

In response to inquiries Adjutant General Cowles said this morning that it is entirely probable that the order for the Naval Reserves to mobilize at Wilmington will be issued Monday.

No word was received today from Lieutenant Commander Morton but none was necessary as the information furnished by him yesterday was complete and the authorities understand thoroughly the situation of the Naval Reserves.

The statement was made here today that the vessels to be used by the North Carolina Naval Reserves had already been ordered to Wilmington.

RECORDER IS ALONE.

The Biblical Recorder is the only paper so far that has condemned the recent lynching in Cabarrus county. The Recorder says:

"The name of our State is again stained with outrageous shame. In Cabarrus county the nameless crime was committed and the victim murdered. In a few hours a mob had lynched two negroes. The men who lynched them ought to be arrested, tried as speedily as possible, and being found guilty, ought to be hanged until they are dead. The greatest shame of it is that the lynching occurred; but scarcely less tolerable is the fact that the whole State must suffer the disgrace of the crime of a hideous mob. Let it be said for North Carolina's sake, that her available militia was at the front, and, therefore, there was not sufficient power to maintain the high functions God gave her as a State."

LEUTENANT LATHAM TO BE.

The Washington Post today says: "Senator Pritchard, accompanied by Representatives Pearson, Linney, and Skinner, went to the White House yesterday, seeking the appointment of Gen. R. F. Hoke, of Raleigh, as a Brigadier General. The Tar Heel State has had no military appointments during the war, which stimulated the visitors to urge the nomination of Gen. Hoke with much vigor. He is a veteran of the civil war, and one of the leading military men of the State."

REUNION OF CHAPLAINS.

A movement is on foot to have a reunion of all Confederate chaplains at the reunion of Confederate Veterans in Atlanta, July 18-22, inclusive. It is proposed that they will fill all the pulpits in Atlanta on the Sunday previous to the meeting of the association. All chaplains who can attend are requested to write to Gen. C. A. Evans, at Atlanta.

SAMPSON TO BE A COMMODORE.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor.
Washington, June 9.—The actual rank of commodore awaits Acting Rear Admiral Sampson in three weeks, when he becomes the junior officer of hat grade in the navy, for on July 3, Captain Sampson secures a vacancy by the retirement of Rear Admiral Kirkland.

LAWN PARTY.

There will be a lawn party at St. Saviour Chapel tomorrow, Friday evening beginning at 7:30 o'clock for the benefit of the church. The public are invited, refreshments will be served.

"THE TWO JOHNS"

Board of Agriculture to Meet.

INTERESTING MEETING.

Talk of Re-election of Captain John R. Smith, or Election of John Graham as His Successor—Members of the Board.

The Board of Commissioners of the Agricultural Department has been called to meet at the Agricultural department at 4 o'clock June 4th so next Friday is to be another interesting day in Raleigh.

When John R. Smith was appointed Commissioner of Agriculture it was announced that his appointment was to hold until the next meeting of the Board. Several times the question of his re-election has been discussed and now it seems as though a hard fight is to be made to oust him and place John Graham, of Ridgeway, in that office. From two sources, both reliable, I get the information and both of my informants state that charges will probably be preferred against John R. Smith.

The members of the Board who are expected to be present at the meeting are John Brady, of Gatesville; B. F. Aycock, of Fremont; Hill E. King, of Peanut; R. B. Linberry, of Pittsboro; T. R. Joyce, of Reidsville; G. E. Flow, of Monroe; S. F. Shore, of Shore; J. C. Allen, of Rutherfordton; J. D. Mautsby, of Whiteville; W. C. Sprinkle, of Marshall; J. C. L. Harris, of Raleigh; Howard Browning, of Littleton; and J. W. Bailey, of Raleigh, John Graham, President of the Farmers' Alliance and Colonel A. Q. Holladay, President of the A. and M. College, are ex-officio members. It is understood that at present the standing of the Board gives Graham a majority of two.

RECRUITING PAPERS HERE.

Col. Burgwyn's Regiment Will Soon Reach Maximum Strength.

Col. W. H. S. Burgwyn today received from Adjutant General Corbin a box containing papers and instructions necessary for the work of recruiting his regiment to the required maximum strength. Col. Burgwyn says he will have 175 men here from Asheville on Saturday and numbers of others have requested positions in the regiment. He has now over 200 tenders of services as privates and feels confident that the necessary 300 will not be hard to find.

Sergeant C. C. Bunch, Co. K. First Regiment expected back DyPDSSET Regiment, is expected here from Jacksonville tomorrow to open a recruiting office for the Old Governor's Guard and a number have already signified their intention of joining as soon as he arrives.

FORGING TO THE FRONT.

North Carolina, which furnished more soldiers than it had voters to the Confederacy and distinguished itself by its military record generally, is forging to the front again. Two regiments of whites and one of blacks, says the Wilmington Messenger, were raised under the first call, and the statement is officially made that sixty-five white companies have applied under the second call—making eight white regiments in all. The total call on the State, was for less than 5,000 men. "Stop telling lies on North Carolina," says the Messenger, in conclusion, and it is time. She has more cotton mills, more patriotism and more good corn whisky to the square mile than any State in the nation. We doubt if any Northern State can show as good a record of volunteering in the current scrimmage.—Charleston News and Courier.

APPOINTED HIS FRIEND.

The President forwarded to the Senate yesterday a long list of nominations for the army, including the names of two Brigadier Generals. One of these is Charles P. Mattocks, of Portland, Me., a veteran of the civil war, who rose to the rank of Brigadier General. He was endorsed for reposition by the entire Maine delegation in Congress. Gen. Mattocks has been engaged in business in Portland for many years, and is one of the most popular men in the State. Mr. Eugene Coffin, of this city, who is named to be a paymaster in the army has been chief clerk of Willard's Hotel for a long time, and is well known locally as a musician. He served in the same company with President McKinley.

AGUINALDO'S STORY.

Singapore, June 8.—Aguinaldo, the insurgent Philippine chief, has telegraphed to the Philippine committee here, saying: "We have taken all Cavite province and several towns in Batangas. We have captured 10 guns, 600 rifles and 1,200 Spaniards and 800 Philippine Spaniards. We have killed 500. We hear the Governor General proposes to capitulate."