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NOTES FROM THE

The Philippines Continued To Retain Steady Fighting.

Despite fighting between the Americans and Filipinos continued north and northeast of Manila Sunday.

It was part of the general advance movement by Gen. Elwell S. Otis' troops which began Friday and was kept up Saturday.

The total American loss to far is estimated at 45 killed and 145 wounded. Among the killed was Col. Harry C. Egbert, of the Twenty-second Infantry.

The Filipinos' loss is unknown, but it is reported to be heavy. General Otis estimated their loss in Friday's and Saturday's fighting at 200 killed, not counting the wounded, and they are reported to have suffered at least as heavily on Sunday.

The latest dispatches indicate that General Otis has practically carried out his plan as far as the movement of his own troops is concerned, but this movement has not been rapid enough to corner the Filipinos if they seek to escape.

His object was to send General McArthur's division northeast to Navaliches, ten miles from Manila, and then, by a rapid advance, almost due west to a point north of Polo, thus cutting off the native army, which was centered at Malabon and Polo, from escaping to the north. On the east the avenue of escape was intended to be closed by General Hale, and on the south Gen. Harrison G. Otis, Wheaton and Hall were in the way.

Thus the Filipino army at Polo and Malabon would be surrounded.

General McArthur's advance was apparently so slow, or was made in such an indirect line, that the Filipinos had an opening for fleeing to the north. He seems to have struck southward in his advance toward Polo and then turned northward again instead of moving directly to the point sought.

The next move of the Americans will be intended to crush the Filipinos who may have been caught in the trap set, and then to press on to Malabon, Aguinardo's capital, twenty-four miles north of Manila and fifteen miles north of Polo.

Before the discovery of One Minute Cough Cure, ministers were greatly disturbed by coughing congregations. No excuse for it now. F. S. Duffy.

The April Magazines.

Major General Wesley Merritt contributes the leading article, entitled "Our Flag in the Philippines," to the current April number of Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly. No magazine contribution could possess greater authority, timely interest and value than this full and graphic narrative of the Philippine campaign, by the distinguished army commander who, in conjunction with Admiral Dewey, took the city of Manila on August 13th of last year. F. Marion Crawford's "Romance of Rome," also profusely and beautifully illustrated, is another notable feature of the April Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly. The number also includes illustrated articles upon "Aguinaldo, and Filipino Envoy"; "Through Mexico in a Private Car," by Captain C. H. Wilson; and "Women in the Empire," by the Rev. Phebe A. Hanford; complete short stories by Olive Harper and Walter Malone.

Anthony Hope's new romance, which he has just finished, is called "The Countess Emilia," and has been purchased by "The Ladies' Home Journal" in which periodical it will immediately begin. The story is about a beautiful Countess. She has quarreled with her husband, and they have decided to live in seclusion in separate wings of the castle. This they do until Captain Dieppe, who becomes a member of the household, inadvertently opens a door, through which are revealed to him the apartments of the exiled Countess, with the beautiful occupant standing in a doorway. The Captain falls in love with the young woman, and from this point there is not a moment, ceasing in the romantic adventures which ensue in the castle, its gardens and neighboring places of rendezvous.

An illustrated article in the April McClure's will record the experiences of Cleveland Moffet, the writer, and W. D. Stevens, the artist, in runs on locomotives and in mail cars, at sixty miles an hour and upward, under the new East and West mail schedule. Captain Mahan will conclude his valuable series of articles on "The War on the Sea and Its Lessons," with a paper treating especially of the grand sea over Germany and the watch kept on Germany. Miss Tarbell will relate the story of Lincoln's attitude and conduct in reference to emancipation, giving much new reminiscence of Lincoln by Charles Sumner, Carl Schurz and others of Lincoln's close friends. Brooks Adams will write of the new problems in international commerce and politics raised by the new position of the United States. He foresees a life and death struggle among the leading nations for foreign outlets for their surplus production.

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NATIVES BURN MALABON.

Throughout Of Aguinaldo's Army Evacuated and Then Set On Fire.

MANILA, March 25.—Evidently anticipating a bombardment by the American fleet, the Filipinos vacated Malabon last night, leaving a few to burn the town. Malabon is six miles northwest of Manila.

General Wheaton's brigade, stretched out along the railroad from Calocan to the Tullahan river, was powerless to prevent the withdrawal, owing to the natural obstacles and to the strong opposition.

A column of smoke at daybreak was the first intimation of the Filipinos' intentions, but others followed at various points, all soon blending in a dense balloon shaped cloud. The flames of burning rice mills and other large buildings could be plainly seen from Calocan despite the strong sunlight.

By 11 o'clock in the morning the only building of importance not destroyed in the center of Malabon was a large stone church. At noon fresh fires were started among the native huts in the outskirts of the town, although the general exodus took place much earlier.

Many of the native troops sought refuge in the suburbs, Navotas and Casag, or were driven inland by the shells of the Helena, Callao, Ningdapan and Laguna de Bay, gunboats which bombarded the town.

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Two More Fire Victims.

NEW YORK, March 25.—The work in the ruins of the Windsor Hotel was continued with a full force of men today, and the piles of debris were heaped up faster than the carts could take them away. It is thought now that the foundations and cellars will be cleaned out by the end of this week.

Workmen came upon a human foot in a shoe near the Forty-seventh street and Fifth avenue corner of the ruins this morning. The shoe was badly charred and shrivelled, and it could not be told whether the foot was that of a woman or a child.

A second fragment of a human foot was found late this afternoon near the Fifth avenue entrance to the hotel. There was very little left of it, only the great toe and some tendons being left. Near the place workmen found a pair of slippers. The ghouly relics were sent to the morgue.

Two bodies were found in the ruins yesterday, the first being found near the Fifth avenue side of the ruins. It was in an unrecognizable condition, and could not even be identified as the remains of a man or a woman. The second body was found wedged under some steam pipes in the archway of the first party wall of the basement twenty feet north of Forty sixth street. This body was also wholly unrecognizable. Only the trunk, ribs and some pieces of flesh clinging to the bones remained.

This makes the list number twenty six known dead.

J. Sheer, Sedalia, Mo., conductor on electric street car line, writes that his little daughter was very low with croup, and her life saved after all physicians had failed, only by using One Minute Cough Cure. F. S. Duffy.

AN EPITAPH.

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Who jumped existence and vanished hence
As a victim of overconfidence.
He held two jacks in a game red-hot,
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As he tried to back 'em, with cheek sublime,
With a gun that he failed to draw in time.
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