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#### Births, Marriages, Deaths

Notices of Births, Marriages and leaths which are inserted in The Daily Advertiser also appear in The Western Advertiser. Births 25c, Marriages and Deaths 50c.

DIED.

₽ERCIVAL-On Feb. 4, 1899, James Percival, aged 80 years, 4 months.

Funeral from his late residence, 237 Queen's avenue, on Tuesday at 2:30. Services at 2 o'clock. Friends will please accept this invi-

CONNER-In London township on Sunday, Feb. 5, 1899, Charles Conner, in his 87th year. Funeral will leave his late residence, lot 20, con. 7. London township, on Tuesday, Feb. 7. at 9 a.m.. to G. T. R. station. Interment at Thamesville. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this invitation.

McCURDY-In this city, on Sunday, Feb. 5,

1899, Robert McCurdy, aged 67 years. Funeral on Tuesday from his late residence, corner Bathurst and Adelaide streets, at 2:30 o'clock. Services at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this invitation.

#### **Amusements and Lectures** 00000000000000000

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Lively Send-Off at Toronto-Welcomed by Their American Cousins.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 6.-Cheering crowds lined the streets when the Toronto Cadets, 56 strong, preceded by their fife and drum corps, playing national airs, and carrying flags, marched to the Union Station Saturday, where they took a train for Florida. The Pullman car in which the Cadets travel was draped with flags, the Union Jack on one side and the Stars and Stripes on the other. As the train pulled out the boys were given a rousing send-off. The party expected to arrive at Chicago Sunday morning, where arrangements had been made for a big reception. They expect to reach Tampa on Tuesday morning. The boys are commanded by Major Thompson.

AT PORT HURON. Port Huron, Mich., Feb. 6.—The Toronto Cadets on their way to Tampa, Fla., and a tour of the country, passed through here Saturday evening. They were met at the Canadian end of the tunnel by a delegation of Port Huron citizens, aldermen and city officials, headed by Mayor Stevens. The Cadets were given an enthusiastic reception by the delegation and cordially welcomed into Uncle Sam's domains. After a short stay the visitors proceeded on their trip, leaving here at 8 o'clock over the Chicago and Grand Trunk Railway. The Cadets are uniformed in the regular full dress of British redcoats and carry Martini-Henry rifles. They enter this country with their arms by special permit of the United States Government. On their return trip the Cadets will less through Detroit.

#### THE RHYNLAND FLOATED.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 4.-The steamer Rhynland, which went ashore on Cotton Hatch Shoals on Tuesday night, was floated at 1 o'clock this morning. With the exception of the damage to her rudder and propeller, she is apparently in as good condition as when she went aground.

GIANT DAIRY TRUST PROPOSED. Trenton, N. J., Feb. 4.-Another giant trust has been launched here. It is the New England Dairy Company, which will control the milk, butter and cheese products of the country. The largest producers of dairy products in this country and in England are behind it. The stock is placed at \$850,000, but ultimately this will be increased to \$30,-

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial.

It removed ten corns from one pair to prevent the dispatch of vessels cared and burned Caloocan, Paco, and several to prevent the dispatch of vessels cared and burned Caloocan, Paco, and several to prevent the dispatch of vessels cared and burned Caloocan, Paco, and several to prevent the dispatch of the interest to prevent the

# Dogs of War Let Loose Again

The American Forces at Manila Attacked by Insurgent Filipinos.

Saturday Evening,

And Continued All Day on Sunday.

American Warships Take Part in the Engagement.

Insurgents Driven Back-Loss Serious on Both Sides-Dispatches From Admiral Dewey and General Otis-Washington Startled by the News, but Confident That the U.S. Forces Are Masters of the Situation.

Washington, Feb. 6.-Admiral Dewey on Sunday cabled the navy department that hostilities had begun between the American army and naval forces in and about Manila and the Philippine insurgents. The insurgents, he said, had been the aggressors, and had been repulsed. The admiral's message was as

"To the Secretary of the Navy, Washington: Insurgents here inaugurated general engagement Saturday night, which was continued today. The American army and navy is generally successful. Insurgents have been driven back and our lines advanced. No casualties to navy. (Signed) "DEWEY."

No word had been received from General Otis up to nightfall. It was with great regret that the administra-American people, and relying upon the emy.

AN ANOMALOUS SITUATION. The situation is regarded here as heavily. rather anomalous from a diplomatic standpoint. Legally, the Filipinos are still Spanish subjects. Therefore, if hostile operations continue outside of the limits of Manila, as laid down in the protocol, it will amount to a re- expected rupture between the Amerisumption of the war with Spain, at

least technically. Officials noted one point in Dewey's dispatch, in that he spoke of the American navy as "generally successful," conveying just the least intimation that at some points the results were not as satisfactory as at others. It is inferred here that this might mean the development of weakness at some of the more exposed points on the American lines.

CONFIDENCE IN GEN. OTIS. that Gen. Otis is master of the situa-The forces under his command at the last report were 21.649 troops. Approximately 6,000 men, are on their way to join General Otis in four separate expeditions, though none is expected to reach Manila for six weeks or a month. These troops, with those now in Cuba, represent the cream of the American army, according to Gen. Corbin. It is true that only about 3,000 of Gen. Otis' soldiers are regulars, but his volunteer soldiers have been under thorough discipline and training for months, some as much as eight months, and many participated in the engagements tending the capture of Manila, and are

equally as good as the regulars. INSURGENTS' STRENGTH UN-

KNOWN. one here knows strength of the insurgents opposed ber are conflicting, and none of them war department is that they number arms. Their strong point is their knowledge of the country, and a certhat would be formidable to a volunforce not well trained to stand Like the Cubans, they rely too much on a swordlike weapon, corresponding to the machete, a weapon of

little value against long range rifles. The only cause for apprehension is the fear that by taking to the interior of the country. practically impassable for American troops in the approaching rainy season, a prolonged Indian fighting style of campaign may follow.

BACKED BY DEWEY'S FLEET. Besides his soldiers, Gen. Otis has at his back in Manila Bay, commanding the city, a veritable rock of Gibraltar in Dewey's fleet. With the vessels he has now and about to join him, Dewey will have 21 ships of various types. The fleet cannot operate against troops in the interior, but undoubtedly Dewey will immediately draw tight a cordon of blockading vessels around the Island of Luzon and make a special effort absolutely to cut off the insurgents from the supplies and ammunition which they

must have to carry on the war. TO SHUT OFF AID FOR AGUIN-

ALDO.

Special precautions will be asked to be taken at Singapore and Hong Kong,

The Fight Started on surgents. It is believed that the interests of the other nations in a peaceful state of things in the east will cause them to exercise special vigilance in

this respect. INSURGENTS DRIVEN OFF. The following cablegram from Gen. Otis was received at the war depart-

"Manila, Feb. 5.—Adjutant-General Washington: Have established our permanent lines well out, and have driven off the insurgents. The troops have conducted themselves with great heroism. The country about Manila is peaceful, and the city perfectly quiet. List of casualties tomorrow.—
(Signed) Otis."

A telegram from a staff officer of Gen. Otis, commander at Manila, was received at 10 o'clock Sunday night. "Action continued since early morning. Losses quite heavy. Everything favorable to our arms.'

Washington, Feb. 6-12:25 a.m.-The following supplemental dispatch from Gen. Otis has just been made public: INSURGENTS OPENED THE FIGHT

"Manila, Feb. 5 .- To the Adjutant-General, 5th February-Insurgents in large force opened attack on our outer lines at 8:40 last night; renewed attack several times during night. At 4 o'clock this morning entire line engaged; all attacks repulsed. At daybreak advanced against insurgents, and have driven them beyond lines they formerly occupied, capturing several villages and their defense works. Insurgent loss in dead and wounded large. Our own casualties thus far estimated at 175. Very few fatal. Troops very enthusiastic and acting fearlessly. Navy did splendid execution on the flanks of the enemy; city held in check, and absolute quiet prevails. Insurgents have secured good many Mauser rifles, a few field pieces and quick-firing guns, with ammunition, during last month.—(Signed) OTIS."

THE LOSSES. Special dispatches from Manila state that the Filipinos attacked the American lines from Calvorcan to Santa tion learned that the insurgents had Messa at 8:43 Saturday evening. There forced the issue. It had hoped all along was a heavy fusilade on both sides, that they could be brought to see the and the artillery was used. The United States cruiser Charleston and the advantages of placing their trust in the gunboat Concord bombarded the enpresident to deal justly with them, and captured some of the enemy's positions The Americans lost 20 killed and 125 wounded. The Filipinos lost

# The Fighting.

DARING FILIPINOS. Manila, Feb. 5-6:15 p.m.-The longcans and Filipinos has come at last. The clash came at 6:45 yesterday evening, when three daring Filipinos pickets at Santa Messa, but retired when challenged. They repeated the eral hundreds were taken prisoners. experiment without drawing the sentries' fire But the third time Corporal Greeley challenged the Filipinos, and then fired, killing one of them and wounding another. Almost immediately afterwards the Filipinos' line from Coloocan to Santa Messa commenced a Every confidence, however, is felt fusillade, which was ineffectual. The hat Gen. Otis is master of the situaoutposts replied vigorously, and held their ground until reinforcements arrived. The Filipinos, in the meantime, concentrated at three points-Caloocan. Gagalgan and Santa Messa, and opened a sharp fire from all points.

#### ARTILLERY DUEL.

This was supplemented by the fire of two siege guns at Balik-Balik, and by advancing their skirmishers at Paco and Pandacan. The Americans sponded with a terrible fire, but owing to the darkness they were unable to determine its effects. The Utah light artillery finally succeeded in silencing the native battery. The third artillery also did good work on the treme left. The engagement lasted

over an hour. FLEET IN ACTION.

The United States cruiser Charlesto Gen. Otis. The reports of the num- at Malabon, opened fire from their second batteries on the Filipinos at Caloocomes from reliable sources. Still the best belief of the authorities at the 2:45 a.m. there was another fusillade along the entire line, and the United about 30,000 men, but they are not States turreted monitor Monadhock comparable to the American forces in opened fire on the enemy from Malate. personnel, discipline or quality of With daylight the Americans advanced. The Californian and Washington regiments made a splendid charge and tain fanatical bravery in onslaught drove the Filipinos from the village of Paco and Santa Messa. The Nebraska regiment also distinguished itself, capturing several prisoners and howitzer, and a very strong position at the reservoir, which is connected with the waterworks. The Kansas and Dakota regiments compelled the enemy's right flank to retire to Caloocan. There was intermittent firing at various points all day long.

GUESSING AT THE LOSS. The losses of the Filipinos cannot be estimated at present, but they are known to be considerable. The American losses are estimated at 20 men killed and 125 wounded. The Ygorates', armed with bows and arrows, made a very determined stand in the face of artillery fire, and left many dead men on the field. Several attempts were made in this city yesterday evening to

assassinate American officers. THE NEWS AT MADRID.

Madrid, Feb. 5.-Intense excitement

was caused here this evening by the receipt of the following dispatch from Gen. Rios, the Spanish commander in the Prilippines: "The insurgents have violently attacked and captured almost the whole of the exterior American line. The Americans offered a vigorous defense at the exterior barriers, using their artillery as well as principal points of the eastern trade, the squadron. The warships destroy-

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sides suffered materially. Very sharp firing continues. The Spanish troops been confined to quarters, but a sergeant has been wounded by a stray

bullet.—(Signed) RIOS." THE SPANISH PRISONERS. Gen. Rios cables that Aguinaldo promises to release the Spanish troops upon the payment of \$500,000 and handing over to him of the cannon, rifles and 5,000,000 cartridges belonging to the Spaniards. The government here replied that it could not accept this transaction, as it would be equivalent to indirect protection to the insurgents, which would be a breach of the Spanish engagement with the United States. Aguinaldo, it appears, still retains the

civil prisoners and the monks. THE LONDON PRESS. London, Feb. 6.-The Daily Chronicle says: "The Filipinos have helped to

assure the ratification of the peace treaty. The Standard says: "The paucity of news and the boldness of the rebels in their attack upon Manila is ominous, and it is not unlikely that the Americans will have a series of toilsome campaigns over the scattered islands."

The Daily News says: "The fact that American blood has been shed will se-

cure, we imagine, the immediate ratification of the peace treaty. The Filipinos have shown their unfitness for self-government at the very outset by a rash and untimely manifestation.

A dispatch to the New York Herald from Albany, N. Y., says that Agon-cillo, representative of the Filipino junta in this country, has started for IN THE CITY OF MANILA.

London, Feb. 6.-A Manila dispatch to the Morning Post says: The splendid police system prevented a general out-The American soldiers charged break in the city, though several soldiers were attacked by natives in the Lieut. Charles Hogan streets. Sergt. Hall were shot by three natives, the former being seriously wounded and the latter slightly. Lieut.-Col. Cotton was attacked by a native with a sword while riding in a carriage to the front. He killed his assailant with his revolver. A sharpshooter within the American lines shot and killed a sergeant while he was sitting at a window of the second reserve hospital. Col. William C. Smith died of apoplexy. darted past the Nebraska regiment's Many of the insurgents were driven into the Pasig River and drowned. Sev-

"SLAUGHTER." In the subsequent telegram the following statements are made: Last night's (Saturday) and today's (Sunday) engagements have proved a veritslaughter for the Filipinos, their killed being reported as amounting to thousands. The American forces could scarcely have been better disposed. It is now known that the attack was fully expected, and that every preparation had been made. Firing slackened at noon on Sunday, the enemy apparently demoralized. The Americans are fully equipped to meet a possible attack to-

Aguinaldo's private secretary has been arrested as a spy in Manila. Perfect quiet now reigns in the city. More than 100 wounded insurgents taken from the trenches are being cared for

in the American hospitals. AGONCILLO WAS ASLEEP.

Troy, N. Y., Feb. 6 .- Word was received in this city at 10 o'clock last night that Agoncillo would reach here on his way to Montreal at 11:15 o'clock. The train arrived on time, and with the train was a party of newspaper men. When the cars pullton and the gunboat Concord, situated ed into the Union station here, word was given out that Agoncillo was in one of the sleepers, and that he could not be disturbed. He had retired at Poughkeepsie. The train left Troy at 11:30 o'clock for Montreal.

Today's Developments. DEATHBLOW TO INDEPENDENCE.

Manila, Monday, Feb. 6-9 a.m.-The Filipinos have apparently reached the conclusion that the Americans mean business, as there were no further hostilities last night, and not attempt was made to recover the lost ground. It is possible, however, that they are following the tactics they employed against the Spaniards, and will merely lie off a few days to recuperate their forces before returning to the attack. It is impossible to ascertain as yet how



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