THE REBELS BADLY BEATEN

Driven Out of an Ambuscade by Fire

AND 200 BURNED TO DEATH

Thirteen Hundred Philippine Insurgents Slaughtered.

A Most Decisive Victory Gained by the Spanish Forces—Officials at Madrid Jubilant—A Suspicion That Japan Has Had a Good Deal to Do With the Philippine Rebellion and Satisfaction in Spanish Circles at Her Discomfiture.

Madrid, Jan. 4.—The Queen Regent and the Government have sent messages to Gen. Polavieja, Captain-General of the Philippine Islands, congratulating him upon his great victory over the insurgents on the heights of Cacaron, Province of Bulacan. In the first engagement the loss of the rebels was 600 killed. The troops captured a large quantity of munitions of war and a factory in which the rebels had been making cartridges.

While the Spaniards were pursuing the fleeing rebels it was suspected that the latter would attempt to lead the troops into an ambuscade in the dense thickets through which the pursuit led. The troops were therefore ordered to set fire to the bushes in many places in order to drive out any rebels who might be lurking in them. The flames spread with great rapidity and it was soon learned that the suspicion of an ambuscade was well founded.

A large number of the insurgents were in hiding in the bushes, evidently waiting for the troops to pass, when they would have attacked them in the rear. Many of the rebels succeeded in making their escape for the time being, but 200 of them perished in the fire. In the meantime other Spanish columns had been hurriedly despatched to outflank the fleeing insurgents, and in this they were successful. The rebels were utterly routed, losing 500 killed. The total insurgent loss was 1300, 200 in excess of the number given in yesterday's despatches. These 200 were without doubt those who were burned to death. The Spanish loss was one officer and 26 privates killed. The victory, which, it is believed, will prove a crushing blow to the insurrection, is hailed everywhere with delight.

Gen. Polavieja has confirmed the sentence of death imposed by a court martial on 11 rebel chiefs, including three priests. They will be shot to-morrow at Manila.

A court martial sitting at Manila has commenced the trial of 18 alleged rebels. The evidence thus far adduced shows that the accused were in correspondence with patrons in Japan who were interested in fomenting and aiding the insurrection. The prosecutor ordered that sentence of death be passed on the whole 18 prisoners. The trial of 80 other men accused of complicity in the revolt is impending, and sentence of death will be asked in the case of each of them. The despatch from Manila states that a great sensation has been caused there by the revelations that have been made by conspirators now under arrest. One of the prisoners has stated that he knew that Japan intended to send a squadron of war ships to the Philippine Islands, and that she would recognize the belligerency of the rebels if all the provinces revolted. This confirms the belief that has been entertained ever since the outbreak of the insurrection, that Japan, which is very anxious to secure possession of the islands, is responsible for much, if not all, of the trouble.

Ministerial Associations.

The Baptist Ministerial Association began the new year with a devotional meeting, which was presided over by Rev. J. L. Kennedy.

The Presbyterian ministerial meeting also took the form of a devotional service, after which Rev. Dr. McTavish gave an account of the Keswick convention in England for the promotion of practical holiness, extolling its usefulness and denying the charge of quietism which had been laid against it.

Rev. Canon Sweeny of St. Philip's Church occupied the chair at the monthly meeting of the Rural Deanery, and read a paper on the preparation of candidates for confirmation, after which followed a discussion on the work of lay officers, begun by Canon Cayley.

The Methodist ministerial meeting was presided over by Rev. J. F. Ockley. Rev. W. F. Wilson stated as his opinion that the idea of eternal punishment was not sufficiently emphasized by preachers, and Rev. A. B. Chambers talked upon evangelistic work, advising a continuance of the old-time plan. An interesting discussion followed these suggestions.

Presbyterian Items.

The Presbyterian Ladies' College re-opens to-day, with every prospect for a full attendance in every department.

The Presbytery of Toronto meets in St. Andrew's Church to-day. The docket of business is very large, including four calls and one resignation, besides the Parkdale Church affair. The calls are: From St. Andrew's Church, to Rev. W. J. McCaughan of Belfast, Ireland; from St. Paul's Church, to Rev. G. R. Faskin, a recent graduate of Knox; from Unionville, to Rev. T. H. Rogers, and from the Presbyterian congregation at Cannington, to Rev. J. McLaughlin of Bolton.

Rev. J. H. White of Deer Park will tender his resignation.

Lectures begin at Knox College to-day.

Rev. Principal Grant of Queen's College, Kingston, went to Hamilton yesterday, and will return to the city to-day in time to attend the Queen's College banquet, to be held here to-night.

College Notes.

Every train all day yesterday brought in a crowd of students ready to begin work for the spring term. A few of the more enthusiastic lecturers had their classes yesterday, both at Varsity, Victoria and the Medical Schools, but very little will be done till to-morrow or Thursday. Work does not begin in Knox till to-morrow. A number of new faces are seen among the incomers.

Another Old Settler Dead

Murdoch W. McLennan died at his home, Williamstown, Glengarry, on Saturday last. Deceased was a son of Farquhar McLennan of Kintail, Ross-shire, Scotland, and was born in 1818, shortly after the arrival of his parents in Canada. The house in which Mr. McLennan died, and in which he resided for nearly 50 years, was built by David Thompson, who in the early years of this century was the astronomer of the Hudson Bay Company. Deceased was unmarried. Two brothers and two sisters survive him. Capt. D. M. Robertson of the 48th Highlanders is a nephew.

Notes From the City Hall.

The returns from the Western Cattle Market for 1896 show cattle 158,887; sheep, 95,675; hogs, 194,104. Increase in cattle, 5654; decrease in sheep 30,057; increase in hogs 39,720.

The amount received in weigh fees during the year amounted to $4409.72, an increase of $361.45.

The building permits issued by the city during the year 1896 amounted to $657,168, against $1,346,810 for 1895, a decrease of $689,646. The permits of last year included all the burned districts and Foresters' temple, which aggregated $600,000.

COTTON MARKETS.

New York, Jan. 4.—Cotton—Spots lower; sales, none. Uplands, 7⅜c; Gulf, 7⅜c. Futures steady; sales, 116,000 bales. Jan. 6.80, Feb. 6.85, March 6.92, April 7.00, May 7.07, June 7.12.

TWO LOVE-LADEN SOULS

Slipped Away and Got Married at Sault Ste. Marie—Her Papa Takes Legal Action—The Pair Arrested.

The Sault Express, Jan. 1.

On Christmas eve, while the majority of our adult population were out scouring the town for appropriate gifts and the youngsters were at home awaiting the arrival of Santa Claus, two love-laden souls hurried along through the streets of the Soo in search of a marriage license and a minister who had the power to tie a nuptial cord about them. The parties to this quiet yet sweet little romance were David A. Harrison and Miss Ellen Elizabeth Day, both residents of the town.

It appears that the young couple had loved for months and decided to make Christmas Day doubly happy by becoming husband and wife. Arrangements were therefore made for the ceremony to be performed by Rev. Mr. Rogers at 7 o'clock on Thursday evening. The young lovers had guarded their secret well, but when the question of procuring a license presented itself they were in a quandary, as the young lady was not in possession of her parents' consent. Undaunted, however, the ardent young teamster went alone to Mr. White, issuer of marriage licenses, but to his dismay was informed that he would have to bring along his sweetheart before the coveted document could be issued. Rising to the occasion, as lovers always do, the young man replied: "I can't do that very well, as it is now after 5 o'clock, and we are to be married at 7." The issuer of marriage licenses could not, however, even under these extenuating circumstances, deviate from his path of duty, so young Harrison was obliged to go away empty-handed. But there never was a barrier that could withstand the bombardment of love, and within a very few minutes the intrepid suitor returned with his fair sweetheart leaning upon his arm. They both took the oath without hesitancy and then hastened away to the parson, where they were soon united in the happy bonds of wedlock.

A few hours after this pretty ceremony had been performed, the startling intelligence was carried to the ears of the young lady's father, who up to that time, had been in ignorance of what was going on. He was displeased, as he had never consented to his daughter's marriage; she was under the age of 18 years, and, therefore, in his opinion, the marriage was illegal. Steps were immediately taken to have the marriage nullified, and on Christmas morning a warrant was sworn out against Mr. and Mrs. Harrison, charging them with perjury. The warrant was placed in the hands of Constable Hughes, who found the young couple shortly after they had taken their Christmas dinner at the house of Mr. Curry, where they were receiving the congratulations of their friends. The appearance of the constable created consternation, and the bride and groom were greatly agitated. They were at once taken before J. H. Meir, J. P., who remanded them. The case will be unique and interesting.

Methodist Notes.

Rev. Dr. Henderson addressed the Woman's Missionary Society meeting at Woodstock.

Rev. Dr. Sutherland, General Missionary Secretary of the Methodist Church, who has been several weeks at the Clifton Springs Sanitarium, New York State, has returned to the city, much improved, after his prolonged rest.

Branch No 1 I. C. B. U.

The following officers were elected by Branch No. 1, I.C.B.U., to represent them for 1897: President, A. McDonald; first vice-president, J. Curran; second vice-president, T. Lonergan; recording secretary, E. J. Maguire; financial secretary, T. Horan; assistant financial secretary, M. Ross; treasurer, J. H. Barber; M. of C., M. Horan; sergt.-at-arms, J. Clarke; marshal, C. Burns; assistant marshal, J. Malone, librarian, M. Sweney; assistant librarian, J. Mulvany.

Death of Mr. T. Newman.

Mr. T. Newman, tailor, at 442 Queen-street west, died on Saturday morning. He was well known in society circles, having been a member of the Sons of England, A.O.U.W. and Oddfellows. He was 35 years of age, and leaves a widow and two children to mourn his loss. The funeral will take place on Wednesday at 2 p.m.

Navigation at Kingston.

Kingston, Jan. 4.—The ferry steamer is still running between Kingston and Cape Vincent, though there is considerable ice in the harbor. The soft weather is rapidly driving it out.

Henry Cox's Identity.

The police have discovered that Henry Cox, the man who dropped dead in the Wanderer bicycle works, lived at 146 Shuter-street. His relatives have taken charge of his effects.

A Winter Home in Toronto.

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Charged With Shoplifting.

Josie Collins and Lottie Robinson were in Police Court yesterday, charged with shoplifting. Joseph Sullivan, Queen-street west, is the complainant. Their case will be heard to-day.

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Garrett Gets Three Years

Henry D. Garrett, alias Samuel R. Weld, the man who tried to defraud the Rossin House people, was sent to the penitentiary for three years by the Police Magistrate yesterday.

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The transfer books will be closed from the 15th to the 31st December next, both days inclusive.
E. H. KERTLAND, Managing Director.
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The Dominion Bank
Notice is hereby given that a DIVIDEND OF THREE PER CENT. upon the Capital Stock of this Institution has this day been declared for the current quarter, and that the same will be payable at the Banking House, in this city, on and after MONDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT.
The Transfer Books will be closed from the 21st to the 31st of January next, both days inclusive.
By order of the Board.
R. D. GAMBLE, General Manager.
Toronto, 22nd December, 1896. 26

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Canadian Office of the Treasurer,
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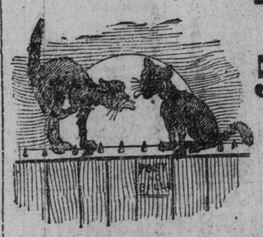

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