# HOW AGUINALDO WAS MADE A PRISONER

Exciting Story of Gen. Funston's an for seven months undisturbed, except when a detachment of the Sixteenth infantry visited the town. On that occasion the entire population took to the mountainstand remained there until the

Disguised They Reached the Camp as Friends and Suddenly Seized Him.

Manila, March 28.-Gen. Fred. Funston, who on March 23 captured Gen. Emilo Aguinaldo, when interviewed today by the reporter of the Associated Press, made the following statement concerning the capture of the Filipino

"The confidential agent of Aguinaldo arrived February 28 at Pantabangan, in the province of Nuevaecija, Northern Luzon, with letters dated January 11, 12 and 14. These letters were from Emilo Aguinaldo, and directed Aldermero Aguinaldo to take command of the provinces of Central Luzon, supplanting provinces of Central Luzon, supplanting what Tiese letters were from Emilo Aguinaldo to take command of the provinces of Central Luzon, supplanting what Tiese letters were from Emilo Aguinaldo is above the average in intelligence and has prepossessing manners.

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Lords to-day Lord Lansdowne, the foreign secretary, announced that no further military operations by the British troops in China were contemplated for the present.

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Palan. The country is rough and un-inhabited. The party ate small shell-fish, but was almost starved. Wading swift rivers, and climbing mountains, they marched seven days and nights, and on March 22 had reached a point eight miles from Palanan. They were now so weak that it was necessary to now so weak that it was necessary send to Aguinaldo's camp for food.
Aguinaldo despatched supplies and
directed that the American prisoners be
kindly treated, but not to be allowed to
enter the town. On the morning of of Aguinaldo and a detachment of Aguinaldo's bodyguard, which was or-

red to take charge of the Americans. conversed with Agunado's aides, another, a Spaniard, sent a courier to warn Gen. Funston and the rest, who with 11 Macabebes were about an hour behind. Having received this warning, Gen. Funston avoided Aguinaldo and the detachment and joined the column, avoiding observation. The Tagalos went ahead to greet Aguinaldo, and the column leaves followed fively and the column leaves followed fively soully approached. slowly followed, finally arriving at

Palanan.
IN AGUINALDO'S CAMP. Aguinaldo's household troops, 50 men in neat uniforms of blue and white and wearing straw hats, lined up to receive

der, Alambra jumped out of the window and attempted to cross the river.

It is supposed that he was drowned.

Five other insurgent officers fought for a few minutes and then fled, making Premier and Sir Richard Cartwright

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troops retired.

Aguinaldo admitted that he had com near to being captured before, but he asserted that he had never been wounded, adding, "I should never have been Are Contemplated for taken except by a strategem. I was completely deceived by Lacuna's forged

He feared he might be sent to Guam, and he was glarded by numerous outposts and signal stations. During the fight none of the Macabebes was wounded. The expedition rested on March 24, and then marched sixteen miles a day to Palanan Bay, where Gen. Funston found the Vicksburg, which brought him to Monilo. Commander Barry of the Vicksburg rendered Gen. Funston splendid assistance. He feared he might be sent to Guan

in next uniforms of blue and white and wearing straw hats, lined up to receive the new-comers. Gen. Funston's men crossed the river in small boats, formed on the bank and marched to the right and then in front of the insurgent grenadiers. The Tagalos entered the house where Aguinaldo was.

Suddenly the Spanish officer, noticing that Agninaldo's aid was watching the Americans suspiciously, exclaimed:

"Now, Macabebes, go for them."

The Macabebes opened fire but their aim was rather ineffective, and only three insurgents were killed. The Filipinos returned the fire.

On hearing the firing, Aguinaldo, who evidently thought his men were merely celebrating the arrival of reinforcements, ran to the window and shouted:

"Stop that foolishness; quit wasting ammunition."

TRAPPED.

Hilaro Placido, one of the Tagalo officers, and a former insurgent major, fire of the Kansas regiment at the battle of Caloocan, threw his arms around Aguinaldo, and exclaimed: "You are a prisoner of the Americans."

Col. Simeon Villia, Aguinaldo's chief of staff, Major Alambra and others attacked the men who were holding Aguinaldo. Placido shot Villa in the shoulder, Alambra jumped out of the window and attempted to cross the river.

COOK INQUIRY.

Deny All Knowledge of Offer.

When the firing began, Gen. Funston assumed command and directed the attack on the house, personally assisting in the capture of Aguinaldo. The insurgent bodyguard fled, leaving twenty who was wounded in the lung by the rifles. Santiago Barcelona, the insurgent treasurer, surrendered without resistance.

When captured, Aguinaldo was tremendously excited, but he calmed down under Gen. Funston's assurance that he he would be well-treated. Gen. Funston secured all of Aguinaldo's correspondence, showing that he had kept in close touch with the sub-chiefs of the insurrection in all parts of the archipelago. It was also discovered that Aguinaldo, on January 28, had proclaimed himself—dictator. He had been living at Palan-

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of Lords.

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government. Lord Lansdowne said he his had seen newspaper reports suggesting that Count von Beulow, the German imperial chancellor, had interpreted the agreement differently from Great Britan, but the point did not seem vital, because all the powers, including Germany, had repeatedly declared that their policy was to maintain the integrity of China.

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# Address of

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From Small Beginnings It Has Become Very Flourishing Institution.

The following is the address delivered Wednesday night by Dr. Newcombe at the conversazione of the Natural History

Ladies and Gentlement

It is my pleasant duty to welcome you here on behalf of the Natural History Society of British Columbia. It is not my Intention to inflict upon you a long dis-course tonight upon high and dry scienti-fic subjects, but only to say a few words

collection.

For the last few years a flourishing section, headed by Mr. Gosnell, and Captain Walbran, has dealt with the early history

Walbran, has dealt with the early history of the province, bridging the short transition space of time between the stone age from which our indians were just emerging when first discovered, and the steam and iron age into which they have made so rapid, and it is feared, so fatal a plunge.

Lastly we have had interesting contributions to our knowledge if not to the museum in the shape of lectures upon earthquakes, and meteorology in general, by Mr. Baynes Reed and our indefatigable secretary Mr. Napier Denison. I can see no reason why the subjects studied by them should not be included amongst those on our special list. Certainly they come within the original scope of our objects for study.

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Quebec, March 29.—The legislature was prorogued to-day by Lieut.-Governor Jette, who, in his speech, said:

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Owing to circumstances not entirely under our control our publications have been limited; only three so far having passed through the printer's hands. This deficiency has not been on account of lack of interest in the many papers read before the society, and we are all glad I am sure that the local press has been so generous in affording us space for either abbreviated or verbatim reports of various contributions. of the province, for your happiness and that of your families."

Trust that we may continue to strive to have some definite and practical object in view, and to aid not only the museum, our first love, but also the departments of agriculture and mining and the provincial library, whose chiefs are active members of our society and tell us that they will not despise such assistance as we can afford.

Salonica. European Turkey, March

The President

all feel our debt to him for his kindly assistance in giving us the use of his rooms tonight, and acknowledge most cordially other courtesles and favors extended to us. Much of the success of the conversazione was due to the excellent exhibit of slides ings. There were upwards of 200 admirable specimens, typical of the minute forms of life found in our province, and the result of many years' personal labor. of many years' personal labor.

#### DELEGATES

#### ARE PLEASED

B. C. and Vancouver Boards of Trade Interview Attorney General.

A joint deputation of the British Columbia and Vancouver boards of trade waited on Hon. Mr. Eberts, attorneygeneral, yesterday to lay before him the drafts of the Creditors' Relief bill, the Assignment Act amendment bill, and the Bills of Sale amendment bill. The fic subjects, but only to say a few wonds as to the origin, aims and development of the society which will endeaver to entertain you tonight.

Early in the year 1800 three friends, all new arrivals in the city, and all keenly interested in natural history, determined to try to get a sufficient number of like mind:

Quebec Legislature Has Finished the Session's Work.

Quebec, March 29.-The legislature

of our society and tell us that they will not despise such assistance as we can afford them.

Salonica, European Turkey, March 28.—The trial of the nineteen Bulgarians charged with revolutionary proceedings, has resulted in the condemnation to death of three of the prisoners and the sentencing of eleven to penal to exhibit certain specimens which illus-

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