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Officers and Men Killed in a Sunday Fight in the. Philippines.

COL. STETSENBERG SHOT

While Gallantly Leading His Troops in a Charge Upon the Enemy's Trenches.

LIEUT. SISSON ALSO SHOT DOWN.

Before Retreating.

a, April 23.-(9.30 p.m.)-In an enounter with the Filipinos to-day, near Quengua, about four miles northeast of Majolos, seven Americans were killed and GOVERNOR PLEADED FOR ORDER AND THE MEMBER FOR PONTIAC 44 wounded. The following were killed: Col. John M. Stetsenberg of the First Nebraska Regiment, formerly of the Sixth

Lieut. Sisson of the same regiment. Two privates of the Nebraska Regiment Three privates of the Fourth Cavalry. Most of the wounded belonged to th The Filipinos retreated with small loss.

A DISASTROUS FIGHT.

Insurgents Occupied a Horseshoe Trench and Surprised the

Advancing Americans. gents had a horseshoe trench, about a mile long, encircling a rice field, on the edge of a wood. Capt. Bell, with 40 cavalrymen, encountered a strong outpost. One of his men was killed and five were wounded by a volley. The Americans retired, carrying their wounded under fire and with great difficulty, being closely pursued, the fog enabling the enemy to creep up to them. Two men, who were carrying a comrade, were shot in the arms, but they continued with their burden. Capt. Bell sent for reinforcements to rescue the bodies of the killed cavalrymen, and a battallon of t gents had a horseshoe trench, about a mile

The Filipinos Stood.

The Filipinos stood until the Nehraska troops were right on the trenches, and then they bolted to the second line of entrenchments, a mile back. The Nebraska Regiment lost two privates killed and had many wounded, including two lieutenants.

The Iowa Regiment had several wounded. The Utah Regiment had one officer and three men wounded.

Thirteen dead Filipinos were found in the trench. Their loss was comparatively small, on account of their safe shelter. The Americans carried the second trench with small loss, and are holding the town tonight.

He Was a Brave Fighter.

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Col. Stetsenberg had won a reputation as pne of the bravest fighters in the army. He always led his regiment, and had achieved remarkable popularity with his men since the war began, although during his first poloneley the volunteers, who were not used to the rigid discipline of the regular troops, thought him a hard officer.

The loss of the Nebraska Regiment in the campaign is the greatest sustained by any regiment, and to-day's disaster has greatly saddened official circles and men.

THE OFFICIAL REPORT. General Otis Tells of the Fight and the Casualties - Dearly-Bought Victory.

Washington, April 23.-The following message regarding the fight at Quengua was received at the War Department to-day:
Manila, April 23. — Adjutant-General, Washington : A reconnaissance on Quengua, washington: A reconnaissance on Quengua, a place six miles northwest of Malotos, made by Major Bell and a troop of cavalry this morning, resulted in contact and battle, in which four battalions of infantry and four pieces of artillery became engaged. The enemy were driven from strong entrenchments at Quengua with considerable loss. Our casualties quite severe. Col. Stetsenberg and Lieut. Sessions, 1st Nebraska, killed; also several enlisted men; considerable number wounded; not yet reported. (Signed) Otis,

this evening:
Casualties as Quengua to-day: First Ne-braska—Two officers and two enlisted men killed; two officers and twenty-six enlisted men wounded. Fourth Cavalry—Two enlisted men killed; five wounded. Fifty-first Iowa—Seven enlisted men

To-Day's Program.

Madame Heink at Massey Hall, 8 p.m.
St. George's Society dinner at St.
George's Hall, 8 p.m.
License-holders meet, 3 p.m.
Young Liberals' Club, 8 p.m.
Young Conservatives' Club, 8 p.m.
"Prisoner of Zenda" at the Grand, 8 p.m.

.m. George Monroe at the Toronto, 8 p.m. "My Troublesome Brother-in-Law" at 1 trincess, 2 and 8 p.m. Empire, 8 p.m. Bijou, 2 and 8 p.m.

MAY BE A FIGHT TO-DAY.

The Vancouver Police Have Got Orders to Keep the "Chicago Yankees" and Their Workmen off Dead Man's Island This Morning.

Chicago Yankees building a sawmill on the Dead Man's Island part of the park foreshore has reached a crisis. The city's protest against the Federal Government giving the Yankees the ridiculously cheap lease of arrested there will be a mass meeting of the collection of the collectio the naval reserve ceded to the city was citizens called, who will request Mayor Garanswered by the Governmnt sending a letter to the City Council by Theodore Lud- In reply to this ultimatum from the Yan Yankees, and which states that the island out 10 regular police and 15 specials to arwas not handed to the city by order-in-Council as part of Stanley Park, therefore did island, and if they resist to use violence.

Vancouver, B.C., April 23.-(Special)-The | the Yankees : "Do not dare trespass on the

not belong to the city, and the Government There is tremendous excitement in the city and hundreds of citizens will get up early in In answer to this, Mayor Garden said to anticipation of trouble.

BURNED HIM AT THE STAKE WILL MR. POUPORE BOLT?

The Filipinos Were Well Entrench- Georgia Mob Took Summary Ven- La Patrie Intimates That There May geance on a Negro Without Waiting for Trial.

could do what they liked with it.

And Promised Speedy Retribution, Is Said to Have Seen a Bright Light But the Frenzied Mob Would

trenches, behind rice furrows, under dre, for two hours.

Several men were sunstruck, one dying from the effects of the heat, as they lay there waiting for artillery to come up.

Stetsenberg Led a charge.

Finally the Second Battalion arrived, and then Col. Stetsenburg, who had spent the night with his family at Manila, came upon the field. The men immediately recognized him and raised a cheer. Col. Stetsenburg deciding to charge as the cheapest way out of the difficulty, led the attack at the head of his regiment. He fell with a bullet in his breast, dying instantly, about 200 yards from the breastworks.

Lieut. Sisson fell with a bullet in his heart, the bullet striking him near the picture of a girl suspended by a ribbon from his neck. In the meantime the artillery had arrived and shelled the trenches.

The Filipinos Stood.

The Filipinos stood until the Nebraska The residents of the custody of the sheriff and go home.

The assemblage heard the words of the two speakers in silence, but the instant their voices had died away, shouts of "On to Palmette!" "Burn him!" "Think of his crime!" arrose, and the march was resumed. Mrs. Crantord's mother and sister are residents of Newnan. The mob was hard time reached the arcEiroy home.

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Just as they were leaving Newnan news was brought that the 1 o'clock train from Atlanta would bring 1000 people from Atlanta. This was taken to be a regiment of soldiers, and the mob decided to burn the prisoner at the first favorable place rather than be compelled to shoot him when the militla put in an appearance.

Leaving the little town whose Sunday quiet has been so rudely disturbed, the mob,

One and a half miles out of Newnan, a place believed to be favorable to the burning was reached. A little to the side of the road was a strong pine tree. Up to this the negro was marched, his back placed to the tree and his face to the crowd, which jostled closely about him.

Here for the first time he was allowed to talk. He said:

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"I am Sam Hose. I killed Alfred Cranford, but was paid to do it: Lige Strickland, the negro preacher at Palmetto, gave me \$12 to kill him.

At this a cry went, up from the crowd. The intelligence imparted by the wretch was spread among the mob. "Let him go on; tell all you know about it," came from the crowd. The negro, shivering like a leaf, continued his recital. "I did not assault Mrs. Cranford, Somebody, else did that. I can identify them. Give me time for that."

Chained to the Tree.

In the mob would hear no more. The clothes were torn from the colored man in an instant. A heavy chain was produced and wound around the body of the terrified negro, clasped by a new lock, which dangled from his neck. He said not a word to this proceedings, but at the sight of three or four knives in the hands of members of the crowd about him, which seemed to forcast the terrible ordeal he was about to be put to, he sent up a yell which could be heard for a long distance. Instantly a hand grasping a knife shot out, and one of the negro's ears dropped into a hand ready to receive it. Hose pleaded pitifully for mercy and begged his tornentors to let him dhe. His cries went unheeded. The second ear went the way of the other.

Outlandish Cruelty

Pifty-first Iowa—Seven enlisted men Wounded.

Utah Light Artillery—One officer and two enlisted men wounded.

Total, 49. Names in morning. / (Signed) Otis.

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TROUBLE AVOIDED.

be Further Acquisitions to the Government Ranks,

While Journeying From

throws out a hint that there may be other defections from the Conservative side of the House when the next division takes and a procession was quickly formed, the doomed negro marching at its head through several streets of the town. Soon the public square was reached. Here former Governor Atkinson of Georgia, who lives in Newham, came hurriedly upon the scene, and, standing up in a buggy, importuned the crowd to let the law take its course.

Governor Atkinson Pleaded.

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CONMEE IN A FIGHT. The Legislative Member Gets Damaged Optic From Lawyer

THE "EMPIRE LIMITED." The C. P. R. to Make Fast Trans. continental Time, Averaging 45 Miles an Hour.

The C. P. R. is about to inaugurate the "Empire Limited" train from coast to coast. This train, it is said, is to average 45 miles an hour in its transcontinental passage, and will make absolutely no stops, save to change engines and take on water. The fast train will chry mails, express and baggage and have all the equipment of an ordinary first-class express.

Cadogan Missing. Samuel Edward Scott, Conservative mem- Laurier.

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In the springtime, when the botanist puts forth his greatest efforts to produce something new in fioriculture, the sartorial designer is striving for something novel for the embell'shment of the human species. The craftsmen who have designed those modern articles of neck adorument, the Zaza reefer and Rosalynde scarfs for ladies, are certainly past masters in their art. Quinn is selling these new creations at 50c each.

Cars here have no fenders.

Strong efforts will be made to disinfect the General Hospital; 38 cases of dipheria originated in the building during the past six months. The Provincial Board of Health is dealing vigorously with the matter. Several farmers in Southwestern Manitoba have been fined heavily for having smuggled tobacco in their possession.

The Newest Things Out.

In the world of flowers everything has its season. Sweet peas are just coming in and will be the most fashionable flowers for spring wear. Come to Dunloo's and admire the flowers freely, anyway.

Armeda Ceylon Tea has the flavor.



Mr. Tarte's Paper Has Now to Grapple Japanese Tea Merchant at Ottawa to That Was One of the Reasons Why D. C. Corbin Withdrew Kettle Fight Against Duty

LETTER FROM FALL RIVER, MASS., WOULD INTERFERE WITH TRADE HAD NO "LOBBY" AT OTTAWA

Again Mr. Corbin is Busy on

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WHERE IS LADY SCOTT?

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electric car on Saturday and killed. The cars here have no fenders.

Lexington, Ky., April 23.—Kev. Robert Ryland, probably the oldest Baptist clergyman and educator in the United States, died here to-day, aged 34. He was for 28 years President of Richmond College. During much of this time he was also pastor of the largest negro church in the world-3000 members—nearly all Virginia slaves.

Fetherstonhaugh & Co., Patent Solicitors and experts, Bank of Commerce Building, Toronto.

TICKLISH PROBLEM

The Outlanders in the Transvaal and Their Recent Petition to the Queen

HAVE SET PEOPLE THINKING

Hostilities in South Africa May Result if the Petition is Acted

CECIL RHODES IS VERY ANGRY

Because of His Failure to Secure Even a Declaration of Policy From the Government.

New York, April 23.—Henry Norman cables the following to The Times from London regarding South African affairs:

"The Government has now a new and a ticklish problem to solve. The petition signpraying Queen Victoria, as suzerain, to intervene for redress in their grievances, has been forwarded by the British agent there

SIR WILLIAM VAN HORNE: Had you attempted to grant that charter, Mr. Premier, I'd have had to show land, and sympathically with Errigete scriptural Administration, has swept the board. Moreover, there is a slight strain between Rhodes and the Transvaal capitalists. The latter are, not unnaturally, beginning to resent the fact that Rhodes and his party represent Rhodesia as the principal British interest in South Africa, whereas this is but a drop in the bucket compared with the Transvaal mines, and the seriousness of the situation lies in the fact that enormous quantities of the best Transvaal investments are now held in France and Germany, and if the British Government continues to remain inactive the British, French and Germans will combine in the Transvaal to make their own terms with Kruger, and the chance of federation in South Africa under the British flag will be gone forever. Hithereto, Mr. Chamberlain's policy has not succeeded, and the moment is, therefore, a critical one in his personal career."

charter. To your correspondent he said:
"There are several reasons for my action.

STREET CAR MAN KILLED. Edmond Dansereau Fell Off the Platform in Montreal

ntreal, April 23.-A sad fatality of which Edmond Dansereau, the Montreal street car conductor, was the victim, oc-

Rumored C. P. R. Promotions,
There are Tumors afloat in railway circles
about changes in the official staff of the
C.P.R. The changes, it is said, will involve
promotion for several well-known officers.
Superintendent Leonard stated last night
that he knew nothing about the matter,
Rumor has it that a prominent officer will
be made second vice-president of the big
concern. This is practically a new position.

Same Kind of Weather. Meteorological Office, Toronto, April 23.— (8 p.m.)—The pressure is comparatively low-over Manitoba and the Missouri and Mississippi Valleys, and elsewhere throughout the continent generally above the

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 38-66; Kamloops, 32-60; Calgary, 22-42; Qu'Appelle, 36-44; Winnipeg, 42-70; Port Arthur, 28-46; Parry Sound, 36-70; Toronto, 46-56; Ottawa, 38-62; Montreal, 44-60; Quebec, 40-66; Hullfax, 34-64. FINN-At his mother's residence, 606 Queen west, John P. Finn, on Sunday, April 23.
Funeral on Wednesday at 9 a.m. to St. Mary's Church, thence to St. Michael's Competery. Cemetery.

HALL,—At his late residence, corner of Queen and Bay-streets, Toronto, on the 21st April, Thomas Hall, in his 47th

Georgian Bay and Lower Lakes-

year.
Funeral on Monday, 24th inst., at 3.30
p.m., to St. James' Cemetery. Friends
will please accept this intimation.
Stockport (England) papers please copy.
KERSEY—At Woodbridge, on Sunday
Morning, April 23, 1869, Margaret Kersey,
widow of the late Wm. Kersey, in her
Old year.

Georgian Bay and Lower Lakes—
Easterly winds; fair; temperature
Ottawa Valley, Upper and Lower St. Lawrence, Gulf and Maritime—Fine; not much
change in temperature.
Lake Superior—Fine and moderately
warm.

Manitoha—Generally fair; a few local 92nd year.

Funeral will take place on Tuesday at ternoon at 1 o'clock to St. John's Church Cemetery, Toronto Gore. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

Lake Superior—Fine and moderately warm.

Manitoba—Generally fair; a few local showers or thunderstorms; stationary or a little lower temperature.

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There is an individuality and style about the Oak Hall brand of clothing that dis-tinguishes it above all others. All sizes are in, stock for men and boys at 115 King-street east, Toronto.

will take place this (Monday) afternoon, at 4 o'clock, from E. Hopkins' undertaking rooms, 529 Yonge-street.

MILLS—At 414 Euclid-avenue, on the 23rd inst., Edith Bertha., dearly beloved and only daughter of John A. and Annie Mills. Funeral at 2.30 Tuesday to the Necropolis. SNELL—On Saturday, April 22, 1899, at her father's residence, 214 Lippincott-street, Jennie, beloved daughter of Andrew and Susan Snell, in her 21st year. Funeral Monday at 2.30 p.m., to St. James' Cemetery.

Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

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