BATTLE IS IN PROGRESS

Spaniards and Insurgents in Deadly Struggle for Manila.

NO QUARTER FOR SPANISH GOVERNOR,

Either He Withdraws the Fleet Or Afflicted for Agoncillo's Head—Dewey in an Hand.

New York, June 11.—A special cable from Hongkong says that a battle for the possession of Manila is in progress today between the Spanish forces and those of Aguinaldo.

Admiral Dewey has promised to prevent a massacre should the insurgents capture the city.

The Spanish governor has been notified that unless he withdraws his fleet out upon the head of the insurgent leader Aguinaldo he will get no quarter. Otherwise the rules of civilized warfare will be strictly adhered to.

As a result of this notice, which reached on his hand, these attempts have been made to raise Aguinaldo's etc.

The Monterey Safe.

San Diego, Cal., June 11.—The United States monitor Monterey sailed at 12:45 p. m. today for Honolulu.

WASHINGTON HAS NEWS.

Presumption That It Relates to Converging Troops—Other Items Connected With the War.

Washington, June 11.—There were rumors at the navy department today that enlightenment had been received from Admiral Dewey at Manila. Japan. The foundation for them was probably the arrival of the St. Louis off the coast of Japanese bulletin to the natural presumption that she had brought dispatches from the commander-in-chief of the blockading squadron. The request of officials would not admit that any dispatches had been received, but there is reason for the assumption that in any case they related to neither more nor less than peace. Even from Sampson think that certain ships had been designated to compromise the Spanish fleet. But with the news it may already be stale and irrelevant to the situation. Sampson's fleet is now off Santiago, Cuba, and Dewey is somewhere in the archipelago of the World's Chinese. The Monterey is the only vessel for the reinforcement of the show of barking Spanish gunboats. It is not believed that she will go to Cape Verde, a rendezvous in the eastern end of Cape Mayo, the eastern extremity of Cuba, and if the Monterey does so and fifty-six hours are left out of the time required for the transports to reach Santiago.

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SALT LAKE STAKE CONFERENCE

The conference and Priesthood meeting of the Stake was held today, commencing at 10 a. m., Elder Angus M. Cannon, president of the Stake, and his counselors, Elders Joseph E. Taylor and Charles W. Penrose, presiding. There were also present Patriarch John Smith; Presiding Bishop William B. Preston; four High Councilors, four Patriarchs, Elders George S. Wallace, William C. Dunbar and Mathonihah V. Jones of the Seventies, Seventies of the High Priests' quorum, twelve presidents of Seventies, seven home missionaries, representatives of all the wards of the Stake, and of the Elders' quorums except the Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixteenth, Seventh, Seventeenth, Nineteenth and Twenty-third; and presiding officers of the Relief Society, Sunday schools, Y. M. and Y. L. M. I. A. and Primary associations.

The conference opened with singing by the choir and consecration.

Redeemer of Israel.

Prayer was offered by Bishop Samuel A. Woolley.

Singing by the choir:

On the mountain tops appearing.

On the recommendation of their bishops, fifteen brethren were ordained to be ordained to the office of priest.

Bishop William B. Preston was the first speaker. He related some of his early experiences in Cache Valley when it was first settled and the organization of the Stake was taken effect. He said the men of the settled community the which was not there in temporal and spiritual matters, he recommended to the responsibilities of setting a certain example in their conformance and the families of foreign conformance, etc. The same responsibilities were still upon the Bishoprics of the various wards, and it was to be hoped that their responsibilities were discharged at least as faithfully as in the Stake. In these duties they should be joined by the Bishops who were to officiate at the ordination of the words, and to carry the Gospel into every home. He spoke of the necessity of the study of the Gospel, and the duties of the Priesthood, and the necessity of all Melchizedek holding the duties of membership in the Church. He thought the revelations given through the prophet Joseph Smith were not studied carefully enough by the people and that the Priests were not authorized enough in carrying scripture and instruction into the various homes. All were warned against the sin of collusion, as well as sins of commission.

Elder James E. Lambert, fifty years ordained through the Priesthood in the Stake, was the next speaker. He had labored extensively among the Mormon speaking in their native language. He had gained great gains from his labors. In a testimony of the truth of the Gospel and the fulfillment of the promises made to him before his departure, out of a total population of 1,000 there were more Mormons, some 1,000 are now members of the Church. Elder Lambert spoke a few words of exhortation and praise in the Maori tongue, which were interpreted by Elder Jos. S. M. Kauanui. He had also labored in New Zealand, where he had organized the Saints into branches. The Maoris were wonderfully faithful to the Gospel and steadfast in its outlines, although some were not able to live up to its principles, on account of weakness and sin.

Elder Joseph E. Taylor was the closing speaker. He referred to a revelation given in 1831, bearing on the conversion of the Saints, which had been published forth by the people, and the revelation concerning the Church at that time. That year was full of the revelations of the Lord to the people, the Church was organized, the Saints were driven to western Missouri. This manifestation, he remarked, though from that time forward the Prophet entered these valleys, and it was to be regretted that so many attractions were offered for the people to break the faith. The speaker warned the Saints to resist such temptations, and the kind of life they by sacrificed to them.

The choir sang the hymn:

High on the mountain top.

Benediction was pronounced by Elder A. H. Raleigh.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Singing by the choir:

Mail we who know the Gospel sound.

Prayer by Elder N. V. Jones.

Singing by the choir:

Earth with her ten thousand flowers.

Patriarch Henry Lunt, of Moroni, was the first speaker. He referred to his early experiences in the Church, which had been of great pleasure and profit to him, and had blessed his faith in the Gospel and his love for his brethren and sisters. He had gone for the consecrating the gospel doctrine of the power of God, and in bearing testimony to the truth. He rejoiced in the Gospel in Mexico as preaching, and exercising as witnesses for God and peace to other people there.

Elder Charles Ora Card followed. He referred with pleasure to those who had accepted faithful through long and sorrowful trials, endeavored, as he said. Anything less than the Mormon faithful would not admit that any dispatches had been received, but there is reason for the assumption that in any case they related to neither more nor less than peace. Even from Sampson think that certain ships had been designated to compromise the Spanish fleet. But with the news it may already be stale and irrelevant to the situation. Sampson's fleet is now off Santiago, Cuba, and Dewey is somewhere in the archipelago of the World's Chinese. The Monterey is the only vessel for the reinforcement of the show of barking Spanish gunboats. It is not believed that she will go to Cape Verde, a rendezvous in the eastern end of Cape Mayo, the eastern extremity of Cuba, and if the Monterey does so and fifty-six hours are left out of the time required for the transports to reach Santiago.

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SPECIALISTS FAILED.

Mrs. C. A. Merrill, of Chetopa, Kans., suffered from a peculiar nervous trouble which baffled the skill of leading specialists. She says: "I cannot say enough in praise of Dr. Miles' Nervine. I suffered agonizing pain in left side of my head and I thought it would drive me insane. Specialists in Cincinnati and Kansas City treated me without benefit. Then I began taking Dr. Miles' Nervine and obtained prompt relief, and finally a permanent cure."

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The chair said:

Here are the accounts from O Lord, and benediction was pronounced by Elder Geo. F. Gibbs.

It was announced that the evening session would be held in the Assembly Hall and the afternoon session in the Tabernacle.

EVENTS OF THE WEST.

The death of Col. John Mentzer, a Colorado pioneer and at one time one of the richest men in the West, occurred at Leadville last week. He leaves a widow and four children, a wife and daughter in Denver.

The body of George Hillier, who as previously chronicled, died from his home in Evanston, Wyo., about three weeks ago, was found Friday floating down the Bear river near Cokeville, in the stream which intersected.

Owners of sailing vessels are applying to the government officials for permission to transport Klondike passengers in the Alaska ports, in lieu of the Pacific ports, as the Pacific ports are now crowded with passengers rather than desirable.

The Herr coal mines, including 5,000 acres of coal lands in the eastern part of Montana, have been sold to a New York syndicate for the expenditure of a million. It is the most extensive coal deposit in the West, and is considered one-fifth of which is very valuable.

At one o'clock this (Saturday) morning there smoke was entered the Wabash passenger train on Pacific avenue, Toronto, and held up the gents. The two men of the Dunlop's were robbed and escaped. The men escaped with the booty.

The Kansas regiment at San Francisco has received a letter from Mrs. Lucy from the Ladies' Relief Corps of Topeka. The distribution of new uniforms to the 20,000 men in the Kansas regiment will be completely equipped in a few days. The Washington regiment, also, is fully equipped and ready to march at a moment's notice.

Sacred Gibbs, a young Indian, met a knife with murderous intent last night, and in the end he was the worse for it. Gibbs and Louis Pollarini, his brotherin-law, is at the reporting hospital at the point of the knife received a wound in the breast, and when his brother rushed to the rescue, Gibbs drew his razor and cut the man and threw the razor in his back.

Friends Gustav D. Cohen of company C, Tenth Pennsylvania volunteers, was wounded during target practice at the Presidio Friday. He was sighting the target when a bullet struck him in the left eyebrow. A proper use of the elements surrounding as was stated, indicated and with the exception of the wound, he was in good condition. The wound is not dangerous. Health and soundness of mind and body were necessary to a proper sense of God, and should be cultivated by all proper means. It was useful for us to seek after the physical and mental improvement, where being needed. To fulfill our duties we should be able to join the Gospel, and to do this, we should become healthy. To obeying the three principles in the text, and the Gospel, we should be able to do much of the sin now practiced in the world and to be crushed. The speaker narrated the sad story which should be joined by those who live of purity and abstinence, keeping supported from the sins of the world.

The Priests and Teachers were especially urged to make themselves acquainted with the lives of their, so as to be able to teach and expound them to the people whom they were called to the people whom they were called to the people. The Priests should be given to the study of Hebrew and Greek characteristic of the Gospel of Christ.

Elder Angus M. Cannon was the last speaker. He stated that the rules now being seen over the earth and the inhabitants were to be fulfilled, and the Gospel the faithful were being gathered from the ends of the earth through the special law. All should be faithful to the law of consecration, as manifested in the Stake, tithing, sabbath-keeping, etc., in order that they might have their accounts in perfect order at the Judgment. The obedience with sacrament meetings should not be allowed, and strictness should be required. Sacrament meetings should be held in the proper manner, and the Lord, one of the most important of these being the keeping of the Sabbath. Brother Cannon said he was grieved to see the people so far from the proper observance. It would surely result in disaster to them, and would be a great gain if it would tend to alienate the hearts sought for by those who had sacrificed all for the sake of the Gospel.

As the servants of God, we should consecrate our earthly possessions as a

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Monday, June 11, to Saturday, June 18, in Shoe and Dry Goods Departments. Unprecedented Bargains.

EXCURSION TO OGDEN.

Sunday, June 12th.

Via Oregon Short Line Railroad; round-trip only $1.00. Special train at 8:30 a. m. and special returning leaving Ogden 5:00 p. m.

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A great many of the best ladies of the city have been visiting the New Dress Cutting Academy, 32 Main st., and a large number have decided to take a complete course of instructions

Assignee's Sale.

The undersigned assignee will hold for sale, June 3d, commencing to sell, at greatly reduced prices, all the goods, fixtures, etc., of the late firm of Jackson & Henderson, at 64 Main st.

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Over 10 rolls of Carpets, now for sale, which have been in stock and curtings, selections of the very best. They will be included in June Clearance Sale. Use this:

Axminster Carpets, the $1.35 a yard sort, 36c

Moquette Carpets, the $1.65 value 75c

Hardwood Velvets, the regular $1.15 a yard 60c

Great line of Velvets, the $1.25 quality 68c

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All wool Rag Ingrain, the 50c values 42c

Very heavy Half Wool Chenille, choice selection of patterns, 50c values 29c

Good Heavy cotton Carpets the past at 20c and 25c

Curtains and Draperies.

A BARGAIN FIELD.

Entire stock, imported to order, purchased all at half price this week's sale, richest Brocaded Satin Damasks Nos. 20 to 30 Repeats, Irish Point, Double Mad. Point, Point d'Orient and French Curtains. Price range from 20c a pair up to $25.00. All go at

20% OFF.

All Tapestry Curtains and Couch Covers, every one now in stock, at Spring Prices, not two months since, Bible rock this week

25% OFF.

Heavy piece of 50 inch Tapestry for Portieres, 3 yards long, 1 yard wide, Lightning Fringe and a lining complete, served. At this price doubtful if will be very small offered.

30% OFF.

Trimmings.

Fringes and all trimmings used for Drapery and Upholstery, Tassels, Cords, Gimps, Cushion and Wrap materials very valuable. Entire stock

25% OFF.

Woodenware.

Beautiful Brooms, different kinds of Brushes and other Ware, Fire Buckets, Folding Work Tops, 18 pairs wood frames, useful and ornamental; Tacoma, Sale Clearance price

30% OFF.

Rug Bargains.

Entire stock, to be cleared at a price to fit the time. Consider this some rare and opportune gems in the line, the time, the price, the reason. Rugs are so many and prices so varied to give each individual position, we do not mention the style or quality, Brussels, Orientals, Kashmir, Axminsters, Wiltons, all marked in plain figures, prices will astonish you, from which this week you get 20 per cent off.

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