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THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

CEBU, PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

June 17th 1900. DEAR FATHER, -Everything here is about the same as usual. rainy season has just set in and it rains almost continuously. There will not be much fighting done here now till November or December. a widow and five children to mourn However, the worst of the Rainy Season will be over by August, and we will see the sun once more.

This is a very dull place here and I can scarcely find anything to write about. Everything is so much Filipino that you would not care to hear about it. There was a big fight on Leyte, an island about eighty miles Companies of the 23rd Infantry, and several companies of the 43rd Infantry as well as some of 23rd from Cebu took part in it. They continued firing on the rebels, at the same time advancing in extended order and throwing a skirmish line about the little off in color. town. Col. Murray was the officer in command. The commands: "By the left flank," "By the right flank" followed by "Rapid fire kneeling" were given in quick succession. the last command every soldier fixed pleased to report, is improving. his bayonet and commenced firing as quickly as he was able. At last Col. Murray spoke. He gave the command: "Cease Firing"! and at the last notes of the bugle every rifle was silenced. "Men," he said, "we no other way." "To the charge." sunlight. Forward, double time, 14. march,"! The little party double timed it, and when the Colonel cried "Charge!" every piece was brought to charge bayonets, and with a cry that would have done credit to a Commanche, they hastily fixed their roughly constructed ladders, and mounted to the top of the wall. What a sight they saw! Below was a surging mass of infuriated insurgents, waving their bolos, spears, Mausers and Remingtons at the small band of Americans and crying, " Bee Ban Filipino!" or translated, "Hurrah for the Filipinos." But turn back, they would never do. They jumped down amongst them and imthe arm making a gash of about five England, inches. Another time he felt a burning sensation in his back. He had been "scraped" with a Mauser bullet, red hot, which burned his skin at that place crisp. Another rebel fired a Remington at him as he lay on the ground, but as he fired low it nearly smothered him with dust. One man had his foot shot off just below the ankle. He was in the Cebu to 5. Hospital till the other day when he

An interesting story is told of Col Murray while he was in Leytu. He is said to have got some prisoners and as he saw them standing trembling, in a line he said to them, " We are your friends; we are not Spaniards," and, handing them a silver dollar, said, "Go to your homes and tell your friends to come" They evdently did so, for next day no less than seven thousand natives came in and swore allegiance, and that section has been quiet ever since. The story does not say if the Colonel gave each of them a dollar or not but! I suppose he did-not.

I was always crazy, but now I am birthday. bughouse for fair. I want something to pass away the time with. I have Monday last was a day of nuptials a dog, monkey and parrot, but they haven't any more sense than I have, for they will all bite at the first opportunity they get. I would like you to send me down an Algebra, Grammar and Geometry. They would help me through immensely. If you can't get these send me a jumping can't get these send me a jumping mr. James Gallaher and Mrs. Eliz
and Interesting for the Methodist parsonage by Rev. Jos. Methodist parsonage by Rev. Legislative Assembly and at Municipal Elections; and that the said List was first posted up at my office at Durham, on the folly to expect stomach medicines to cure a severe case of indugestion or dyspepsia. The kidneys, liver and bowels must first be examine the said list, and if any omissions or any other errors are found therein, to take place in the intestines and it is folly to expect stomach medicines to cure a severe case of indugestion or dyspepsia. The kidneys, liver and bowels must first be examine the said list, and if any omissions or any other errors are found therein, to take place in the intestines and it is folly to expect stomach medicines to cure a severe case of indugestion or dyspepsia. The kidneys, liver and bowels must first be examine the said list, and if any omissions or any other errors are found therein, to take place in the intestines and it is folly to expect stomach medicines to cure a severe case of indugestion or dyspepsia. Call at the new premises a few doors any other errors are found therein, to take place in the intestines and it is folly to expect stomach medicines to cure a severe case of indugestion or dyspepsia. The kidneys, liver and bowels must first be as a few doors any other errors are found therein, to take place in the intestines and it is folly to expect stomach medicines to cure a severe case of indugestion or dyspepsia.

The kidneys, liver and bowels must first be as a few doors and the order of the most important part of diges to take place in the intestines and it is folly to expect stomach medicines to cure a severe case of indugestion or at all to play with, to pass away beth Hays, both of Glenelg, were the dreary hours of the rainy season. "for better or for worse made one,"

With best respects to all I remain as ever

Your son FRANK IRWIN,

THURSDAY.

FLESHERTON.

Mr. Wallace Armstrong, a respectable farmer near Eugenia, died suddenly of heart failure on Wednesday of last week. A very largely attended funeral took place to the Salem Cemetery on Friday afternoon where his remains were committed to the tomb with Orange honors, Deceased was fifty-two years of age and leaves his departure. A memorial service was held in the Presbyterian Church at Eugenia on Sabbath last attended by the Orangemen in a body.

The Union Sabbath School at Flesherton Station picniced in McKenzie's grove on Friday afternoon last and had the usual pleasure and success attending this annual event.

The remains of Mr. Thos. Blakely from here at Hilongos. I and K interred in Zion cemetery, Artemesia, were, along with those of a grandchild, removed on Saturday by his sons to the Public cemetery here. We have examined some silk orange ribbon deposited in the grave by brother Orangemen at the time of interment 23 years ago and found it perfectly sound in texture and but

Mr. George Armstrong, of Rockvale Mills, is under Dr. Carter's care suffering, we understrud, with ap-At pendicitis, The patient, we are

Mr. Geo. Mitchell, of this place, has for the past fortnight been out of his usual form physically, enduring a siege of "Job's comforters."

The vital statistics of Artemesia must take the place by assault, I see Municipality, for the half year ending June 30th, 1900, are as follows: Every bayonet glistened in the early births, 32; marriages, 14; deaths,

> Rev. John Wells, formerly of this place, now of Holland, Man., has been appointed Clerk of the Presbytery of Glenboro'. Mr. Wells' long experience in church courts, methodical habits and marked business abilof the office to which he has been elected. Mr. and Mrs. Welis, who a year ago lost their son, have again been passing through a season of great anxiety on account of the severe illness of their only daughter, Miss Allie, who we are pleased to learn, is now on the mend.

Your correspondent has been favmediately began to bayonet the nig- ored with an interesting letter from gers as fast as they were able. One Mr. Wm. Clayton, who is visiting finely built rebel turned to Major his relatives in England among them Andrews and gave him fight. The being an invalid brother, ex-Mayor Major drew his six-shooter and fired of the city of York. Mr. Clayton is six shots at him, but in the excite- having a most enjoyable time sight ment he missed every time. The seeing, visiting seaside summer renigger saw this and closed in on him. sorts, and even keeping company A soldier tried to run him through with Royalty, having attended the with his bayonet, but could not do so Royal Agricultural Show in York fear of hitting the Major. At this city where was present the Prince time the whole three of them went and Princess of Wales, Princess down together and another soldier Victaria of Wales and the Duke of came up just in the nick of time and York. Mr. Clayton's description of ing Mrs. Runstadler for a couple of brained the insurgent with the butt the beautiful country-the pastures of his rifle. Almost at the beginning covered with daisies and buttercups, of the fight Musician Shean fell the thorne hedge in bloom and coverwounded. He was taken back to a ed with England's wild roses can be corner where such care was given appreciated only by those who have him as was possible under the cir- sniffed their fragrance and seen the cumstances. About this time two beauties of the Old Land. Mr. Claysurgeants of I Company fell killed ton says that the people of England instantly. There was one man who are taking but little interest in the seemed to have luck with him that Paris Exposition; that excepting day. The rebels fired a cannister when referred to by him he had not from the other side of the block-house heard it mentioned and had not heard here are having a basement built un- Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, Croup, or square, and one slug hit him on of one going to it since his arrival in der it, and are going to have it Whooping Cough. Guaranteed bot-

The Strathconas, of this place, played a game of lacrosse with the Shamrocks, of Dundalk, at the lat- ed. ter's place on Wednesday of last week. The score made was 4 to 0 in spending her summer vacation with favor of the Shamrocks. A return her parents near Harkaway. match was played here Monday afternoon last resulting in a victory again | Johnston are at home for their holi- in future. for the Shamrocks the core being 7 days.

was sent to the States. The battle lasted about four hours, at the end of vogue here now. Among those from which time the Americans were suc- here who have been and are now in cessful in driving their foes from the camp with a large party at Bell's blast. The crops are tight from lack the job, Lake are J. F. Van Dusen, Reg. Ward, of rain. Fred Strain, Miss Clara Strain, Miss Zella Trimble, Miss Lena Wright, ing with her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Miss Joy, and Miss May Damude, Gilbert, (Toronto) and Mrs. Skinner, (Great Falls. Mont.) Another camp at Kimberley includes, Mr. Earnest Armstrong, Mr. Geo, Berry, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mitchell who are to be joined on Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Southgate and family, of Toronto. Miss Christina Richardson is camping this week with friends at Orangeville.

On Thursday evening of last week Mr. and Mrs. F. Tucker, entertained

a dog, monkey and parrot, but they and interesting for the Methodist ality to be entitled to vote in the said mun-

Well, as it is dinner time, I will | Mr. S. Damude, of Toronto, was in have to quit and go get something to town Tuesday of last week and was a welcome caller on us.

> Mr, James Orr, of the Eletric Light Works, Toronto, was in town on Wednesday of last week accompanied by his brother-in.law, Mr. Wm. J Co. N., 19th Inf., Cebu, P. I. Henderson, of Wareham.

Dr. Thos. Henderson, of Toronto. was the guest of his cousin, Mr. Joseph Blackburn, Tuesday and Wednesday of last week,

Miss Lizzie Armstrong, of Toronto, visited her aunt, Mrs, J. W. Arm-

strong, part of last week. Miss Lou Armstrong who has spent the last few weeks in Meaford and vicinity returned home Monday.

Miss Iyy Moote, of Orangeville, is the guest of the Misses Sullivan Mrs. W. H Colquet, of Feversham was the guest of Mrs. Wm Neil Thursday and Friday last.

Miss Martin and Miss McGuire, of Quebec, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Samuel Kingston.

Mrs, Edwin Leitch and two children, Manitowanning, are visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. Renton.

Mr. Allie Hurd and Mr. Adam Quite right, Jim.

Comisky, of Toronto, are the guests of Mr. W. P. Crossley. Mr. George Malcolm. of the Col-

legiate staff, Stratford, and son, Lindsay, paid Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carr a short visit last week.

Mrs. Trelford, Miss Lena Rutledge and Miss Gillispie, of Markdale, were callers on friends here on Frinay

Rev. James Skene and son, Mr. James Skene, of Hillsdale, visited the former's brother-in-iaw, Mr. Wm. Wright, west back line, Friday and Saturday last, Mr. Skene, Jr., remained over Sunday.

Rev. G. Arnold, Presbyterian Minister, Waubaushene, is on his holidays visiting his aunt, Mrs. George Moore, Toronto Line, with whom he ity admirably fits him for the duties was in town on Saturday forming new acquaintances. We were pleased to meet the Rev. Gentleman.

Messrs, R. N. Henderson and Ed. Strain attended the Markdale-Shelburne lacrosse match at Orangeville again. on Friday last and report a good Mrs. Geo. Keefer left on Tuesday

to visit her son, Rev. R. Keefer Washington, Ont., after which she will visit her daughter Mrs. D. W. Wright at Bloomfield, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Sinclair left last week to visit their daughter, Mrs. Ludlow, in Port Huron.

Mrs. W. H. Thurston and niece Miss Howe, left on Tuesday to visit for some time. Wake up, old man. the former's sister Mrs. Brown at Owen Sound.

Miss Phoenix who has been visitmonths returned home Monday.

VANDELEUR.

the 11th, inst, for a trip to Manitoba. | ton, of that place, "and was wholly If he likes the country out there his cured by it. She is now a stout, intention is to take up land and move | well woman." It's the snpreme cure his family out there.

veneered with brick.

Mr. Arthur Johnston has the brick free at all drug stores. work of his new house about complet-

Our teacher, Miss Hawkin, is

Mr. Samuel Warting and daughter Holidaying and camping is in Violet, of Port Law, were here on a visit to friends a short time ago. Harvest work will soon be in full

Mrs. Carson, of Priceville, is visit-Berry picking has been all the go ing at T. McComb's this week,

lately. The crop was a good one. Mrs. Cameron, of Toronto, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

VOTERS' LIST.

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Arthur Clark said that Jack Sirr told him that Billy Bryans said that Billy Prew told Bob Pettigrew that Bill Grant was going to tell Mat Barbour that Walter Dunn said that Billy Sirr would have to tell Dick Allan that Thos. Petty told Zenas Mrs. Thos, Ross, of Toronto, and Clark that Jimmy Blyth was going Mrs. John Nixon, of Chinguacousy | to teli Jack Gray that Andy Lindsay are spending a couple of weeks with | said Jim Eden did not tell Jim Tuckthe latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs | er that Dick Barbour said Tom Wal-Alex. Stewart, west-back-line. Mrs. lace told him that Ned Fee said Tom John Thibado, Markdale. also Sun- McNiece said Jim Webber was going dayed with her sister at the parental to burn his berry patch because he could not get any berries for himself.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eden were the guests of Egremont friends one day last week.

Miss Ellie Gadd was visiting the parental home last Sunday.

Mr. Zenas Clark did the first threshing of the season on Friday We have a full line of Boots and last. The grain turned out well.

Mr. M. Flynn, of the Ayton Ad- Men's Heavy Shoes from \$1.00 up. vane, and Mr. Thos. Ryan passed Our Ladies' \$1.25 Oxford Shoes cannot be beat. through our burg Saturday to visit friends in Clenelg. I think they had their sweethearts with them.

Misses Lena and Pearl McCalmon were visiting their cousins Misses Chelta and Stella McCalmon, of Flesherton, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Clark were visiting Egremont friends last week. Miss Eva Burnet, of Durham, was

the guest of her cousin, Miss Eva Blyth, last week. Mr. C. Gadd is starting out on the

road to secure orders for fruit trees

Jack Sirr changes his place of visiting pretty often. He used to go to Bentinck, but it did not suit him, now he is going to Gienelg. Johnny had better stick to one township for there is luck in odd numbers, says Roary O'Moore.

Mr, and Mrs. Crawford were visiting Durham friends last week.

I wonder if the Allan Park Scribe is dead? We have not heard of him

SENTENCED TO DEATH.

You are in the last stage of Consumption and cannot live more than a month," were the words heard by Mrs. Rosa Richardson, of Laurel Springs, N. C., from her doctors, "but she began to use Dr. King's Mr. Robert Buchanan left here on New Discovery" writes R. L. Daug-| for desperate diseases of the throat The officials of the Methodist church and lungs. Infallible for Coughs, tles 50c. and \$1 00. Trial bottles MPLEMEN

BUNESSAN.

In our last budget there were several mistakes in proper names and Miss Ettie Douglas and Miss Sarah | capitals. We'll try to write plainer

Miss Hazel McGregor is spending a week or two among her many friends. The framers have started to work at Charlie McArthur's barn, and we'll

have a raising soon. Geo. Moore has Miss Anna Ritchie, from Port Ar-

thur, is visiting at A. C. Beaton's. Jack Black commences his thresh-

Tom Nichol complains of too much music from his next door neighbor to FOR THE HOUSEHOLD we have the east. If he could only hear a little of the same from the hotel it would even matters up.

A good number from here attended the Lawrence Hall S. S. picnic last Friday. All seemed to enjoy them selves. As the corner man usually writes up the affair we won't.

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