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SCRANTON MAY 6, 1898.



It is too bad if Kaiser William doesn't like Dewey's work at Manila, but we fear it cannot be done.

Hurray for Pennsylvania!

The best volunteer soldiers in the National service are the Pennsylvania guardsmen. This is admitted. They are the best in knowledge and proficiency of military tactics.

Pennsylvania's superiority has been manifested in another direction. Thanks to Governor Hastings, Pennsylvania was the first American commonwealth to announce that as soon as her existing National Guard entered the service of the national government a second guard would be organized and equipped for home protection.

Weyler as dictator of Spain would suit Uncle Sam to a T. He wouldn't be permitted to dictate very long.

The Annexation of Hawaii.

The utilization of the Hawaiian Islands as a military base or for strategic purposes in the present war involves their immediate or proximate annexation. What must take place in the natural evolution of events as a political necessity may as well be anticipated as a war measure.

The Nomination of Colonel Stone.

Figures have been made public at Princeton, Harrisburg and Philadelphia which seem to assure the nomination by the next Republican state convention of Colonel William Alexis Stone of Allegheny for governor.

Plan to Form a Division Under Command of Ex-Lieutenant Flipper.

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group of a one-sided bargain. Everyone is to be a gainer. Nothing can be more beneficial to the natives: they will have everything to gain and nothing to lose by our occupation.

The North American Review this month contains an article on "The Insurgent Government in Cuba" by Horatio R. Rubens, counsel for the Cuban delegation, which embodies valuable information set forth candidly and without exaggeration.

The street commissioner's department, like the Spanish navy, seems to be overburdened with admirals.

Events have certainly proved the economy of our navy's once seemingly expensive gunnery practice.

On his next call on Marshal Blanco General Lee will be accompanied by several friends.

TOLD BY THE STARS.

Daily Horoscope Drawn by Alacchus The Tribune Astrologer.

A child born on this day will be of the opinion that thus far Admiral Dewey's reports of the battle at Manila were correct.

Spain's American Allies.

In time of peace there is developed an intellectual effeminacy which finds manifestation in querulous hypercriticism and moral treason.

SPANISH AND LORD SALISBURY.

Madrid, May 5, 11 a. m.—The Impartialist today, commenting upon the speech which the Marquis of Salisbury delivered yesterday at the annual meeting of the Primrose League in London, says: "His latter words will indicate the indignation of all lovers of justice."

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General Martwago, the Russian naval and military representative here, has not yet arranged to go to Cuba, as it is felt the important operations are still some time off.

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Table listing distances in miles between various ports: Hampton Roads to Havana (1,125), Hampton Roads to Porto Rico (1,393), Key West to Havana (1,393), Key West to Rio Janeiro (2,300), Key West to Porto Rico (1,199), Rio Janeiro to Pernambuco (1,603), Cape Verde Islands to Pernambuco (1,700), Cadiz to Canary Islands (1,050), Cadiz to Cape Verde Islands (1,000), Cadiz to New York (2,900), Cadiz to Porto Rico (2,700), New York to Manila (14,000), San Francisco to Manila (6,300).

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