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REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

STATE. Governor-WILLIAM A. STONE. Lieutenant Governor-F. S. GOBIN. Secretary of Internal Affairs-JAMES W. LATTI.

LEGISLATIVE. Senate. Twentieth Dist.-JAMES C. VAUGHAN. House. First District-JOHN H. FAIR.

COLONEL STONE'S PLATFORM.

It will be my purpose when elected to so conduct myself as to win the respect and good will of those who have opposed me as well as those who have given me their support.

The reported abandonment of the proposed military junket to Porto Rico indicates that saner counsel is at last prevailing at the war department.

The Public Not to Be Deceived.

The newspaper talk about President McKinley being so indignant with the generals at Santiago who signed that joint protest that he proposes to court martial every one of them is manifestly the veriest hush, as is also the assertion that Shafter is to be punished for permitting this protest to reach the public eye.

Nor will his disparaging allusion to the volunteers, made in a private letter which the secretary of war publicly utilized with obvious vindictiveness, break the force of his other communication respecting the debilitated condition of Shafter's army of occupation.

Be this as it may, the quickness with which American statesmanship in this hour of national revival of spirit turns as well to consideration of internal improvements as to extension of external power.

Aguinado wants to know our intentions. There are others who share his curiosity. The Moral Aspect. The Washington Star, after careful study of the Philippine situation in the light thus far available, reaches the following very sensible conclusion:

consideration of what the republic's best interests demand. Our policy should be to gain all we can of naval and commercial advantage, while burdening ourselves with as little as possible of political and governing responsibility in another hemisphere than our own.

The "republic's best interests," it should, however, be said, include moral as well as material considerations, and especially should this be borne in mind when Providence has apparently put it in our power to act as the arbiter of the islanders' political destinies.

General Ludlow, who had command at Santiago, immediately next to the Cuban allies, does not hold the contemptuous views of Garcia's men nor fashionable in some quarters. He says in a letter to General Garcia: "Permit me to say to you that your forces have performed most notable service, and their work has been invaluable to us, not only in scouting and procuring information, but in the vital matter of the construction of trenches and defenses for the investment of the city."

Mrs. George Nathaniel Curzon, an American girl and wife of the new viceroy of India, when her reign at Calcutta begins, it is said, will be second only to Queen Victoria as a person of importance. This is one of the results of the proposed Anglo-American alliance, and Mr. Curzon owes his appointment to the fact that he married a Chicago girl, sixty-eight page editions of the Chicago dailies bearing upon the subject may be expected.

A joint protectorate with Spain over the Philippines, if it is contemplated, will be of the kind which will make Spain merely a nominal partner. If Spain can stand that sort of a deal we don't see why Uncle Sam should skittishly recoil.

Weyler is said to be the only Spaniard of note who objects to peace. If Weyler would trust himself within speaking distance of General Shafter's troops it is believed his objections could be overcome.

The failure of the Peace Union to purchase a return ticket for Miss Jessie Schley may be an indication that the Union enjoys more peace during Jessie's absence.

The scheme of extracting gold from sea water which has caused so much excitement recently, is not new. Just think of the beach hotels!

Gustave Bock, the cigar magnate, has finally gained re-entrance into Havana; but he goes in a wiser man.

The strike inaugurated by Colonel Roosevelt down at Santiago appears to be the most successful on record.

TOLD BY THE STARS.

Daily Horoscope Drawn by Ajachus, The Tribune Astrologer.

A child born on this day will be anxious lest something besides clay pipes is used at Lake Ariel today.

War Has Been Well Worth All It Cost. From the Philadelphia Ledger.

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Those to whom the favored chance was given have shown the greatness of their courage, the stalwartness of their manhood, the strength of their love of country, the intensity of their patriotism.

The aftermath of the war will be not only these new records of valorous deeds, of life given to the cause of humanity, of death in the service of a noble cause, but it will be also perceived in the increased power, dignity and greatness of the nation.

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