

ROOSEVELT NOMINATED AT SARATOGA Colonel of Rough Riders to Be Governor of New York.

CHOSEN ON FIRST BALLOT

The Convention of New York Republicans Is Harmonious Throughout. Chaney M. Depew Makes the Speech of Nomination and the Roll Call Gives Roosevelt 753 Votes and Governor Black 218 Votes—Root Demonstrates That Colonel Roosevelt Is Eligible for the Office—The Platform Teeming With Patriotism.

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 28.—The Republican convention nominated the following ticket today: For Governor—Theodore Roosevelt, of Oyster Bay. Lieutenant Governor—Timothy L. Woodruff, of Kings. Comptroller—William J. Morgan, of Erie. Secretary of State—John T. McDonough, of Albany. State Treasurer—John B. Jaekel, of Cayuga. State Engineer—Edward A. Bond, of Jefferson. Attorney General—John C. Davies, of Oneida.

The following were appointed to be an advisory board for the state committee: Thomas F. Platt, Chaney M. Depew, Frank Hiscock, Edward Lauterbach and Frank S. Witherlee. The old eagle emblem was re-adopted by the party.

The vote for governor was Roosevelt, 753; Black, 218. The platform was adopted by a vote of 753 to 218.

MR. DEPEW'S SPEECH. Gentleman: Not since 1863 has the Republican party met in convention when the conditions of the country were so interesting and so critical.

STATESMEN REQUIRED. The times require constructive statesmen. As in 1875 and 1885, we need architects and builders who have but one school for their training and education, and that school is the Republican party.

that it should receive the approval of the country. Friends and enemies alike join in the general satisfaction with the wisdom, sagacity and statesmanship of President McKinley. Our state has had a faithful, able and worthy representative in the greatest legislative body in the world in Senator Platt. We are justly proud of our delegation in congress, and its influence in the constructive measures of Republican administration.



COLONEL THEODORE ROOSEVELT. Nominated Yesterday by the Republicans for Governor of New York.

Spain and its consequences. We believe that they think and will vote that our war with Spain was just and righteous. We cannot say that American conduct has been faultless.

LOGIC OF EVENTS. The reaction logic of events overcomes all other considerations and impels me to present the name of one who I believe to be the best man for the office.

THE USE OF POWDER. The navy department has always been compelled to enforce on the commanders of its men-of-war that they must be very careful of coal and powder. The same rule should be applied to our statesmen.

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SPANISH TRICKERY AGAIN CROPS OUT PEACE COMMISSIONERS DETERMINE TO HOLD PHILIPPINES.

Efforts Are Already Being Made to Secure the Aid of Some Foreign Power to Retain the Islands Not in Possession of the United States. Spain's Representations Loaded with Bluff.

Washington, Sept. 27.—The freedom with which the Spanish minister of foreign affairs, Duke Almodovar del Rio, has given publicity to the instructions to the Spanish peace commissioners as to the disposition of the Philippines, has given rise to the suspicion among our officials here that there is behind it a deliberate purpose to draw out in advance the position of the American commissioners on this important point.

There is beside this apparent purpose a veiled threat in the last instruction, not under any circumstance to allow the United States to interfere with the disposition of the islands outside of those retained by the United States, such as Luzon, that Spain may see fit to make. This is believed to be an invitation to some of the continental powers to step forward in the support of Spain in this extremity in the hope of receiving as a quid pro quo some of the Philippines as a colony or naval station.

Although the American peace commissioners have so far successfully resisted all attempts to ascertain the exact nature of their instructions, something is known of their general character and it may be stated on this point that the Spanish minister of the Philippines as are not held by the United States, that while the president has nowhere strictly admitted any obligation to the insurgents, yet so long as they remain in their power, he feels that in any arrangement that shall be made by the peace committee for the final disposition of the islands, the insurgents shall not be placed at the mercy of the Spanish government without any guarantee for their proper treatment.

THE POSSESSION OF LUZON. It has been explained to the American peace commissioners that by the possession of the island of Luzon on the north and the island of Palawan on the south, the United States would control the great gateway for the large traffic that passes between China and Australia, as well as the myriad islands of the South Pacific.

TYPICAL CITIZEN SOLDIER. Colonel Roosevelt is the typical citizen soldier. The ordinary condition of our army in Cuba might have been known for weeks through the regular channels of inspection and report to the various departments.

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SANTIAGO GOVERNMENT. It Is Now in Good Working Order Under General Wood.

Santiago de Cuba, Sept. 27.—The system of civil government established by General Wood is practically complete and in good working order. Major McClure, formerly attorney general for Texas and a Spanish scholar, has been appointed mayor, and the Spanish officials are giving place to Cubans. General Wood says he does not know the capabilities of the men taking office. They are chosen by a committee of fifty prominent Cubans, whom he believes to be honest and conscientious.

COMPLAINT INVITED. Anyone Having Grievance Against War Department Should Speak. Washington, Sept. 27.—The war investigation committee held another session today and gave out the letter of Secretary Alger, asking the president that the investigation be made, and of inquiries to the secretary of war and the heads of divisions of the war department, calling for information on the conduct of the war.

FILIPINOS ARRIVE. Aguinaldo's Representatives Are in Washington—They Seek an Audience with President McKinley.

Washington, Sept. 27.—General Francisco V. Greeno, who was made a major general of volunteers for distinguished staff and the delegates of the Philippine representative committee, his personal staff and the delegates in the Philippine insurgents, arrived here this afternoon from Chicago and went to the Arlington hotel. The two Filipinos are Felipe Agoncillo and Jose Lopez. They are the personal representatives of the insurgent Aguinaldo and are on their way to Paris to secure representation on the Spanish-American peace commission with a view to the recognition of the insurgent government in the Philippines.

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THE TROOPS FOR CUBA Programme for the Distribution of the Soldiers.

LEE AND WADE COMMAND Two Divisions Will Be Sent—The First, Under Major General Wade, Will Leave in October—The Second Will Start in November and Will Be Directed by General Fitzhugh Lee.

Washington, Sept. 27.—A comprehensive programme for moving troops to Cuba has been outlined by the war department and its initial features have been decided upon. This result is due to directions given by the president on September 19 to the effect that details of troops be made for Cuba, acting in this, Major General Miles outlined a plan for sending two divisions to Cuba, the first under command of Major General Wade, to leave in October, and the second division, under Major General Fitzhugh Lee, to leave in November.

ARE THE GERMANS MAKING MISCHIEF? Rumors That They Have Been Bringing Arms for Philippine Insurgents. San Francisco, Sept. 28.—The Evening Post reiterates its former stories regarding the supplying of arms to the Philippines by the German government, and is positive that its authority is absolutely correct. The Post has had an interview with its informant today in which he says that he is not in a position to tell the full story for the reason that he is financially interested in the plot, and has actually been a party to the scheme. He says that he is interested in the German-Philippine trade to the extent of nearly a million dollars, and that for fifteen years Germany has been working among the insurgents for her own benefit, and he also told the Post that there would never have been a revolution had it not been for the German government. Continuing he says: "The arms that have been supplied come from the Imperial government and were furnished through the trading companies in which I am interested so as to conceal the German hand."

APPEAL TO CALIFORNIA. Professional Cyclists Desire Aid from the Golden Gate. Philadelphia, Sept. 27.—Twenty of the most prominent professional cyclists, including Hald, Cooper, McFarland and others in their class, tonight sent a telegram to Judge Frank H. Kerrigan, of San Francisco, asking that the California legislature should assume control of their racing movements by extending its scope to eastern territory and appointing Walter H. Wilson, of Buffalo, its eastern representative.

MONROE WILL NOT PLAY. Democratic County Conferees Refuse to Take Part at Mauch Chunk. Easton, Pa., Sept. 27.—The Democratic conferees of Carbon and Northampton counties, a portion of the eighth congressional district, met here today and nominated Laird H. Barbour, of Mauch Chunk, for congress. The Monroe county conferees refused to participate in the convention when they were not assured that Dr. J. H. Shull, their candidate, would be chosen.

TOWN LOT MAN ARRIVES. Real Estate Agents Have Already Located in Havana. Havana, Sept. 27.—The guns which were taken ashore from the Spanish cruiser Alfonso XII during the blockade of this port by the American fleet, have been returned on board that vessel and remounted. An American company, styled the Island of Cuba Real Estate company, has opened business on Obispo street, Havana. It will deal in country lots. Note is made of this fact as it is the first opening of American business here under the new order of things.

ADMIRAL SAMPSON FLOATS. Launch of the New American Mail Steamship. Philadelphia, Sept. 27.—The steamship Admiral Sampson, under construction for the American Mail Steamship company, was launched at Cramp's ship yard today. Miss Nannie Sampson, daughter of the admiral, christened the ship. The first of the four vessels contracted for, the Admiral Dewey, was launched recently, and Admiral Schley will glide into the water in about a week. No name has yet been chosen for the fourth. All are 2,000 ton twin screw merchantmen, built so that they can be quickly turned into auxiliary cruisers. They are guaranteed to make fifteen knots.

WEATHER FORECAST. Washington, Sept. 27.—Forecast for Wednesday: Partly clear; variable winds. For western Pennsylvania, generally fair; warmer; light variable winds becoming southeast-ly and increasing.