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Governor Stone will be sustained by responsible public opinion in his resolution to permit the state to go no further than it can pay its way.

Patience Exhausted. We are confident that we voice the judgment of an overwhelming majority of the responsible business men and taxpayers of Scranton.

Here was an open business proposition upon which the city invited bids and got them, letting the contract to the lowest responsible bidder.

Had this fair business proposition been duly ratified after its terms were officially accepted by the city?

The report is current that Aguinaldo is looking for some outsider to put a cushion under his downfall.

The Supreme Court of South Carolina has affirmed the constitutionality of the law recently enacted in that state.

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the head of the army is not because we have no soldiers capable of developing as he developed, but because the emergency is insufficient to reveal the man.

Newspaper argument as to whether Quay will or will not be admitted to the senate on gubernatorial appointment is likely to be futile.

A Rumor and Its Lesson. The rumors which are yet current with respect to the alleged connection of the Lackawanna Iron and Steel Company with the proposed erection of a large new steel mill plant at Stony Point, near Buffalo, have not yet been traced to a tangible and responsible source.

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Rico. The Porto Ricans have one of the least burdensome of Uncle Sam's many new wards and it is probable that the government will not hesitate about affording relief.

"George Washington" Aguinaldo's is not punning out as well as the anti-imperialists desired.

Phenomenal Gain in Foreign Trade. From the Philadelphia Press.

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ceeded by our exports by nearly six hundred millions of dollars, may well cause some of our European competitors to look forward to the twentieth century with consternation and despair.

From the Philadelphia Press. There is no need of lingering on the sickening details of the Georgia lynching.

The aspect of this question which needs to be thought before the worthy public is the effect these exhibitions of barbarism are having and are likely to have on public sentiment in this section.

All these signs of the gradual growth of the mob spirit are too evident to be ignored.

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OPINIONS OF QUAY VERDICT.

Consolation.

Rochester Democrat and Chronicle. We are now told that Senator Quay escaped conviction on "technical" grounds.

A Great Victory. From the Albany Journal. The result of this case is a great victory for Matthew Stanley Quay.

Will Be Accepted. From the Valley's Pittsburgh Times. The verdict will be accepted by the public as being in accord with the law.

Advantages of Education. Perry Fattelle—"I wish I had paid more attention to this here war."

Just this: "It he goes around right now as a wounded soldier from Cuba, only I dunno which regiment to belong to, it would be just my luck to name one of them outfits that never got away from home."

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And vanished, one by one, Are ranged dolls and broken toys, While now is heard the fun and noise

When school is done, And I miss the baby ways of other days.

The life is high, And on Life's beam the sunbeams lie; Then comes a tender strain

Of happy music, soft and low, Love guides the frail bark to and fro

With sweet retreat, Youth's Afternoon slides swiftly by While Love is high.

The Dusk comes on And hides the glories of the sun; Yet all the heavens ring

With wedding bells, for life is best, And happy in the rosy nest

Where Love is king, His joyous reign hath just begun

Though day is done.