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AGUINALDO AN HONEST MAN.

America's Duty in the Philippine Islands.

THE GUNS' WORK ABOUT DONE.

We Should Now Send Missionaries. Why the Filipinos Distrust the Americans.

New York, Dec. 27.—The Independent for the current week, will contain an article by Jacob G. Schurman, president of Cornell University, chairman of the United States Commission to the Philippines, entitled "Our Duty to the Philippines."

Following is an abstract: "We have forty to fifty tribes to civilize and seven or eight of these tribes have some 200,000 members each. On the island of Luzon there is one tribe of a million and a half people who speak one language as totally distinct from the other languages as Spanish is from English. Another tribe on the same island numbering about 600,000, is as distinct from the others in language and characteristics as they are from the Spaniards themselves. Then on the great island of Mindanao there are many tribes that are entirely different from each other. In the Sulu archipelago we come to another class of natives, about whose custom of slavery so much has been said recently. These are all Mohammedans, while in Luzon the natives are all Catholic Christians.

"The priests have ruled in Luzon so long that their influence is widespread and the natives know of no other forms of Christianity. The Roman Catholic church has been established there for three hundred years, and the archipelago was really governed by the priests, and not by the Spanish civil or military commanders. Of the \$13,500,000 raised on the island annually about \$1,500,000 was used for the churches' support. Each small church would receive about \$500 for its support and the priest an allowance of \$300. We must credit the church with having done a great deal of good work among the natives. We must reckon with those facts when we send missionaries to the Philippines.

MISSIONARIES NOW NEEDED. "Missionaries are needed in the islands, and I hope they will be sent there in large numbers. There is plenty of work for them to do, and I hope they will go, with a complete understanding of the situation, to accomplish good. They must realize that they are contending with a Catholic educated population that knows nothing about the fine differences between Protestant sects and denominations. Therefore, it would be highly impolitic to send missionaries of different beliefs to confuse the minds of the people. I do hope that when we send missionaries we will decide before hand on one form of Protestant Christianity. Send only one type of missionary. The Filipinos will have Catholic Christianity and Protestant Christianity presented to them so they can make their choice. We have no adequate idea how confusing to the simple minds of an uncivilized people the different forms of our Protestant faith appear. The Chinese who are perhaps more intelligent than the Filipinos regard our different denominations as so many different religions.

"I think the island of Mindanao is a more promising field for missionaries to begin their work in than Luzon. The influence of the Catholic church has not been extended to Mindanao, and the simple natives would more readily accept the type of faith which the Americans would teach them. It is possible that it would be dangerous to send missionaries to the interior of this island at present, but as conditions become more settled and the Americans are looked upon with a more friendly feeling, this place will be a rich field for the American missionary. We owe it to the Filipinos to give them the best in our religion as well as in our education.

WHY THEY DISTRUST US. "I believe the fighting in the Philippines is nearly over and our armies now fighting in northern Luzon will soon be required only to keep down the bandits. The organized army has disappeared and with it we might say the whole insurrection. Most of the leaders of the insurrection have been won over to our side. "I do not say that all of the insurgent leaders were dishonest. I believe that many of those who fought against the Americans were animated by the highest idea of loyalty to independence. I think probably Aguinaldo is one of this class and that he is an honest man. "One reason for the stubborn opposition to our occupation of the islands was a legacy of suspicion and hatred for the white man which Spain bequeathed to us. The Filipinos know the white race only by one specimen. Spain to them represents the whole world of Europeans—the whole white race—and her authorities made promises repeatedly to them and broke them. They will not today trust Americans or Spaniards or any other Europeans. Nor is it strange that they distrust the promises of the Americans. This distrust of the white race is one of the problems that will require years of labor to overcome. You cannot overcome it with words. It must be dispelled by actual works; they must have ocular demonstration that the word of the Americans can be relied upon. Not until then will they begin to believe us. Consequently I

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NOTES FROM HIGH POINT.

The Local News From Our Neighbor Briefly Told.

TELEGRAM BUREAU. HIGH POINT, N. C., Dec. 29.

A. V. Creech came in from Raleigh this morning. Marvin Parker, from Trinity, is in the city today.

Fletcher Barber went down to Greensboro this morning. The gates at the railroad crossing are being repaired today. Quite a number of our merchants are taking inventory today.

Fred Moore and Emmet Holton returned to Winston this morning. Miss Alice Denny, of Greensboro, is visiting her parents on south Main St. Some of the boys have been down at the pond skating. They say the ice is all right.

Uncle "Nick" Slaughter is not going to be caught without wood this winter. He just received a carload from Randolph. A. E. Purdy, superintendent of Tate Furniture Co., is at Lewisburg, Pa., visiting his mother during the holidays.

A. E. Barbee, who has been confined three weeks with a felon on his finger, returned to his daily work this morning.

Mrs. H. Alexander, who has been sick with pneumonia for some time, passed away at her home on English street yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A husband and five children remain to mourn her loss. Her burial took place this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. William Tate gave a reception at their residence on south Hamilton street last night in honor of their daughter, Miss Nettie. A large number of our young people were present and the host and hostess deserve great credit for the admirable and hospitable manner in which they entertained their guests. Several selections of vocal and instrumental music were most excellently rendered by Miss Tate and Messrs. Craigen and Slaughter, to the delight of everybody. Delightful refreshments followed the music. At 12 o'clock the guests departed voting the occasion a most enjoyable one.

TWO ITEMS Showing a Barroom Town Against a Dispensary Town. "It is the universal comment that there is a never witnessed in Charlotte such debauchery as characterized Christmas day and it was a special grief to observe that this extended so far into the ranks of the ranks of the young boys of the community. Numbers of them, not more than half way through their teens, exhibited themselves openly in various stages of intoxication, and for this cause, if no other, Christmas day, 1899, will long remain a painful memory."—Charlotte Observer.

The Telegram has already copied the above editorial, but the Monroe Journal prints it and adds the following in brackets. It fits so well that we reproduce it: "We do not print this item from any desire to further the laws of the had conduct of Charlotte, but rather to call attention to the excellent behavior that existed in Monroe at the same time. There was absolutely no rowdiness, hardly any intoxication and no debauchery here. Monroe has a dispensary. Charlotte has a large number of saloons. Our dispensary was closed Christmas day. Draw your own conclusion.—Journal]

That Railroad Shed. The people of Greensboro are kicking hard against the Southern on account of the want of a gutter on the new railroad shed, and in fact for want of a shed big enough to cover the railroad yards of the town. There was a time when Greensboro would have been glad to have gotten any old shed, but the Southern Railway has given her a magnificent passenger depot, the best in the south, and now she wants the earth. But we suppose ingratitude is the same at Greensboro that it is elsewhere.—Winston Journal.

No, no, friend Journal, not quite so greedy. There may be those here who would like to have the earth, but as Greensboro is the center of the ball, the most of us are satisfied with whatever comes along in the way of respectable improvements.

KILLED HIS SWEETHEART. Then Tried to Take His Own Life—Sad Accident. Special to the TELEGRAM. Heldenville, Dec. 28.—An awful tragedy was enacted yesterday near Adelalide postoffice in this county. While fooling with a pistol T. W. Small accidentally killed his sweetheart. She was about 17 years of age. Realizing what he had done and frenzied with grief and excitement, Small attempted to take his own life. It was a quiet home wedding, only a few friends being present. The Telegram extends congratulations.

Try Kidok-Headache Powders, 3 Doses 10c. Cures all aches in the head pleasantly.

Quiet Home Wedding. On Wednesday night at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. G. L. Anthony, at Vandalla, Mr. R. M. Gladstone, of Hinton, was united in marriage to Miss Flora Anthony, Rev. J. B. Taber, of Randleman, officiating. It was a quiet home wedding, only a few friends being present. The Telegram extends congratulations.

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THE BOERS ENTRENCHED

On the West and East of the British Camp

KRUGER'S PRICE FOR PEACE.

Shelling at Ladysmith Has Greatly Increased—Shelled Twelve-Pounder Active Again.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM. Ladysmith, Dec. 23.—Boer shelling has greatly increased during the last few days. Their twelve pounder on Kopje, west of the town, which was silenced by a mortar, is active again. One shell from it killed one private and wounded several others. Several other shells wounded soldiers. Big guns firing in the direction of Colenso are heard every day.

KRUGER'S PRICE. Durban, Dec. 23.—Wilson Churchill says that President Kruger's price for peace is a guarantee of Transvaal independence, indemnity of a hundred millions, the possession of Natal, Kaffery and all that part of the Cape Colony now occupied by his troops.

Boers Intrenched. London, Dec. 29.—A Cape correspondent says the rising of the Tugela should enable General Buller to catch most of the Boers south of Colenso within the next few days. It is inferred in Natal that the destruction of the bridge has made a real difference in the safety of the Boer positions and that the rough crossing which they established further north in the direction of Pieter Station does not make up for this disadvantage. The Boers have intrenched both on the east and west of the British camp.

London, Dec. 29.—Despatches from all parts of South Africa emphasize the great enthusiasm among the troops and the public over the appointment of Robert Kitchener and the announcement later that he will be chief of staff has largely dispelled the depression in Cape Colony on account of the recent reverses, while the soldiers expect everything from his presence, from success in battle to cheap beer. Advice from Cape Town, the 24th inst., that investigation shows the reports of disaffection among the Dutch in Victoria west district was overdrawn. It is pointed out that farmers, mostly the landowners, will not risk their farms by rising.

A despatch from Lorenzo Marquez the 23rd, says there is a curious story current there that Matt Steyn, brother of the president of the Free State, and eight hundred Free Staters definitely refused to continue in the war. Matt Steyn, acting spokesman, told the president he was only authorized to intervene in the interest of peace and that the burghers didn't feel bound by his "unwarlike conduct," especially as they ran the risk of the confiscation of their property and they simply desired to be permitted to return in peace and proposed to immediately return to their farms.

TRY TO STARVE IT OUT. Ladysmith, Dec. 22.—The casualties since the siege began are 70 killed, and 23 wounded. Apparently the Boer will not make an assault, but will try to starve out the garrison.

"ALL WELL." Modder River, Dec. 29.—In reply to the biographical inquiry as to the health of the garrison at Kimberley, was signalled: "All well." The Ninth Lancashire got a concert last night. The camp was crowded and there was great enthusiasm during the singing of the national anthem.

For a Strong Navy. By Cable to THE TELEGRAM. Paris, Dec. 29.—Premier Waldeck Rousseau, Minister of War Gallifet and Minister of Marine Lareassan held a conference here today and approved the naval program which is believed to include the building of twelve of the most powerful battleships afloat. The expenditure of four hundred million francs to increase the navy is contemplated.

Attention, K. of P. Gullford Lodge No. 69, Knights of Pythias will hold its regular meeting tonight at Castle Hall at 7:30 sharp. Bro. Jordan, state lecturer, will be with us. Also work in the second degree. Visiting brothers and members of lodge number eight are cordially invited. M. B. Shrier, C. C.

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CUBANS EAGER FOR OFFICE. Flocking to Gen Wood's Office in Droves.

Havana, Dec. 29.—General Wood's office is besieged today by a crowd of office-seekers from all parts of the island. The applicants want everything or a thing, from cabinet secretarieships to janitorships. Despite the fact that the governor general receives on an average 200 people every 24 hours, he finds time to pay unexpected early morning visits to the applicants and juggle the names of those to take the management of such institutions unprepared. Tomorrow he intends to inspect the L per Hospital. Today he visited the Beneficencia. He does not intend to interfere in matters of public policy before the New Year, when the new cabinet will be installed.

It is generally reported by friends of the men named that Senor Villalon has been offered a cabinet position. A similar statement is made concerning Senor Varona, Estevez and Tamayo. Senor Villalon is the present chief of public works at Santa Clara. Senor Varona was formerly editor of the Patria. Senor Estevez is the president of the national party. Senor Tamayo is a judge of the supreme court. Most of these appointments, if made, would need public approval, but General Wood declines to confirm or deny in any case, asserting that he will not give out information on the subject until the entire cabinet has been decided upon.

Cubans have been agreeably surprised by General Wood's refusal to allow the municipalities of Cardenas to grant private contracts. In a communication embodying his refusal, he said: "No such contract will be recognized until after the municipalities have been elected, an event which is only a few months off. Then the will of the people will be known; and provided there is no interference with the prerogatives of the general government municipalities will be allowed to use all rightful means of improving the country without interference from Havana or anywhere else."

Went Be Left. One of our popular clothing firms, Rankin, Chisholm, Stroud & Rees, didn't get a chance to contribute to the boys and girls at Oxford, but are now having suits of overalls made for five of the boys who work in the machine shop. The suits will be turned over to Mr. Browne for proper delivery, when completed.

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