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New-York Daily Tribune

THURSDAY, AUGUST 31, 1899.

THE NEWS THIS MORNING.

FOREIGN.—The situation in the Transvaal has taken a more pacific turn.
DOMESTIC.—The President reached Canton, Ohio, where he will rest for a few days.

CITY AND SUBURBAN.—Stocks were strong and higher.
The Board of Public Improvements, after able arguments by Controller Coker and others, voted against making any provision for a sewerage system.

THE WEATHER.—Forecast for to-day. Fair.
Temperature yesterday: Highest, 74 degrees; lowest, 67; average, 69 1/2.

ORIGIN OF THE LUZON WAR.

An interesting contribution to the history of the war in Luzon is made by the Hon. John Barrett, ex-Minister to Spain, in the September number of "The Review of Reviews."

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"looked to the continuance of their policy until they achieved their end," and ninth, which Mr. Barrett reckons the leading cause and influence of all, "the delay in the making and execution of the Treaty, which has convinced them beyond question, with all the telegrams, letters and reports from America that were circulated broadcast in camp, town, field and hills, that they would have any way if they persisted in resisting us."

That is this careful and judicious observer's story of the conditions preceding the outbreak. It fixes responsibility for the war primarily upon the Tagals, and secondarily, in chief degree, upon their American aiders and abettors, the fanatical and disloyal "anti-expansionists" who delayed so long the ratification of the Treaty of Peace and who flooded Luzon with lies upon their own country and with incitements to war against it.

There seems to be something new in the drama at Rennes. General Merler is apparently abdicating his long held place as chief prosecutor of Captain Dreyfus, and General Rogot is succeeding him therein.

MR. LINDSAY'S BUFFALO ADDRESS.
Little comfort can be extracted by the Democratic platform makers who are arranging to condemn the Administration's policy in the Philippines from the loud and masterly address delivered on Tuesday before the American Bar Association by Senator William Lindsay.

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These sober and patriotic utterances offer an inspiring contrast to the petulant exhibitions of Little Americanism by which some other Democratic leaders have recently been distinguishing themselves.

COMPETITION HINDERED IN IRON WORK.
The American Tin Plate Company, it is stated, has again raised the price of plate of standard quality, 14 by 20 inches in size, and 100 pounds to the box, 27 1/2 cents per box, to \$3.65.

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