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Out Loose From the Spanish Friars.

One may readily believe the report that some of the native priests in the Philippines are opposed to Archbishop Chapelle's alleged recommendation that American priests be substituted as far as possible for Spanish friars in the parishes, and have petitioned Rome for a return of the Spanish archbishop of Manila.

Such a petition should not carry great significance either at Rome or Washington. The methods which the Spanish archbishop of Manila employs have nearly wrecked the Roman Catholic Church in the Philippines.

American interests will not permit the return of the Spanish archbishop of Manila with the incidental triumph of the friars. The insurrection has been fostered, strengthened and prolonged by the belief, to which some of our own acts have given color, that as against the Filipino the interest and policy of the United States, Spain and the friars are identical.

The Threatened Strike.

A general strike of the machinists of the country, as threatened by the labor leaders just at present, would be a shocking blow at the national prosperity. It is impossible to estimate the losses certain to result from the paralysis of the industrial world by such a crisis.

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certain American influences with commercial axes to grind. In other words, the name of the United States in Cuba has been defiled by some of its own citizens, and solely for money purposes. And so there is less wonder now at the attitude of the Cuban when the terms of this government were first presented.

We shall get there in good time and in good shape. A few months account but little in the making of a state. If Cuba never before fully understood the Monroe doctrine and what her relations as an independent power must be to it, she sees the whole question plainly enough now.

The law now permits the construction of two terminals, each with a valuable public grant to the corporation. The controlling ownership of the properties should, in justice to the community, choose between those either accept the money donation which accompanies the other unusual privileges accorded to the B. and O. in the northeastern section of the city and locate the central station there; or it should choose the valuable grants of public lands south and west of the Capitol and place the union depot in that locality.

This decision should furthermore be reached within the present season, to permit the park commission now sitting to frame its plans with full knowledge of the certain future of the Mall and the other park lands affected by the railroad terminal projects. If the B. and O. grant is accepted for the consolidated terminal the Mall can be restored to its original condition and proportions and there need be no obstacle to an appropriately elaborate and complete park improvement design. If on the other hand the city street site is to be chosen for this purpose, it is important that the precise limitations of the union station should be early fixed in order that the park development scheme may proceed with assurance of future immunity from change and encroachment.

The success enjoyed by Russell Sage in both the prophetic and profit branches of his business would justify him in feeling very amiably disposed toward himself. Perhaps he will buy a new straw hat this summer.

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Philippines, and the idea has been that if he could continue his present gait and return home crowned with the triumph of having put civil government into acceptable operation in that old Spanish colony he would be a very attractive figure in a campaign which would turn to some measure, and maybe in large measure, on the handling of our new possessions. But if he were to be recalled prematurely to make the race for governor of Ohio this year he would lose whatever advantage three years hence the completion of the work in the Philippines might give him in the contest for the presidential nomination, not to mention the risk he would take of defeat at the polls, which would finish him for good and all.

There is a row in progress, but the chances would appear to be largely in favor of Judge Nash's renomination. To deny him endorsement would handicap his party in the race.

When the family affairs of some highly fashionable people are considered, it seems a little unjust to say that Gunner Morgan proves himself ineligible to society because he got into the divorce court.

The indemnity demanded of China will enable the Oriental diplomats to earn steady salaries at the work of dodging payments.

The public is still waiting for Mayor Tom Johnson to issue a bulletin announcing the absolute reformation of Cleveland.

SHOOTING STARS. Much Cleverer. "Don't you think a woman is clever enough to do any work that a man can?" inquired the lady with a resolute jaw.

Time for Apprehension. When man regards himself as wise, let him be seized with sudden terror. For that is when, with sad surprise, He falls most deeply into error.

Progress. "How is yoh progressin' in yoh Shakespeare Club?" asked Mr. Erasmus Pinkley. "Beautiful," answered Miss Miami Brown. "I sholy is gettin' dis white folks' dialect down here."

Absent-Minded. "Did you lose anything by that hurry in Wall street?" asked a friend. "I did," answered Senator Sorghum. "I lost about eleven thousand votes that I could have used very handily."

Reliance. Along about last fall, when all de trees begin to shed, An' de wind it kep' a-blowin' fierce an' strong, De blossoms dey done wilted, an' we lef' 'em all foh dead. It's certain dey was treated mighty wrong.

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A Palais Royal 15th.

The 1st and 15th of the month are Bargain Days, worked for by the Palais Royal and looked for by a host of patrons. Six of the keenest "buyers" were in New York last week. The results:—

Lace-effect Black Lisle Hosiery. 59c 39c 21c (75c Hose.) (50c Hose.) (35c Hose.)

Filmy Cambric and Nainsook Undergarments. The wholesale market for these Women's Garments is as susceptible as the stock market.

New Glove-fitting Ribbed Undergarments. Ladies' and Children's Summer-weight Ribbed Vests and Pants.

Wash Dress Goods Prices Reduced. The majority wait until the warm weather is here, and so the demand of the retail and wholesale merchants is affected.

"Broken Sets" of Laces Reduced. All widths, but not all widths in each style. Superior, warranted to wash Torchon Laces at 5c.

Millinery Specially Reduced for Tomorrow. The millinery "buyer" is to make "the 15th" the Bargain Day of May, with all \$5 to \$7.50 Trimmed Hats at \$2.75 for choice.

Velvet and Taffeta Silk Ribbons. Best of Imported Black Velvet Ribbons and best of plain colors and fancies.

Black and White Summer Silks. Black Japanese and White Habutai Silks at bargain prices. Specially note the beauty of the 36-inch-wide White Habutai at 49c yard.

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Good Handkerchiefs at Bargain Prices. Only 5c for the well-known 12 1/2c Handkerchiefs with hand-embroidered initials.

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