



# RULING OUR NEW TERRITORY

## Difficult Problems Which Must Be Faced by the Representatives of the United States.

Uncle Sam's Aim Will Be to Permit the Theoretical Yoke to Gall as Little as May Be Consistent With the Safeguarding of Our Interests.

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With the trend of armed men the inhabitants of Cuba and Porto Rico are familiar. It may be said that on the whole the Spanish army has been considered the safeguard of peace and order, even while it has acted as the instrument of political oppression.

In both Cuba and Porto Rico the establishment of United States military power will be hailed as the dawning of a new era, for the reason that in this case military occupation will be directed solely to the good of the people. The United States government can with safety to all interests make the military rule the better it will be known. The real measure of American military rule will be that it shall build up and not destroy.

administration, are at once suspended and suspended by martial law, but the commander of the military rule may be permitted to modify this rule and allow the local government to act as it sees fit. It will be seen that making law is a more proper function, but in the case of our West India colonies this military power will be directed solely to the good of the people, and in the case of Cuba and Porto Rico, the military rule will be directed solely to the good of the people, and in the case of Cuba and Porto Rico, the military rule will be directed solely to the good of the people.

One attitude in the West India is that all the functions of the Spanish crown in those islands, whether legislative, administrative or executive, have ceased, and the military power is to be replaced as soon as possible by one which shall be directed to the good of the people. This is the attitude of the United States government, and it is the attitude of the United States government, and it is the attitude of the United States government.

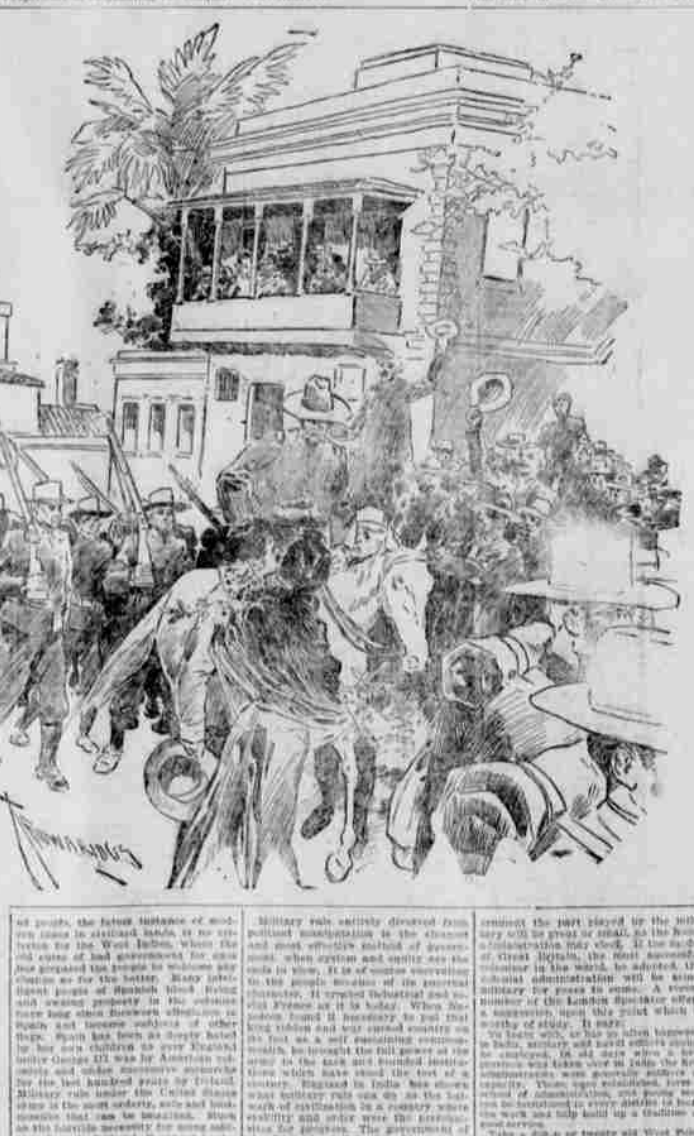
multiple demands to the military rule. There is no question in its methods, no delay, no partiality with a staff of advisers. It is in the hands of the military rule, and it is in the hands of the military rule, and it is in the hands of the military rule.

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PORTO RICANS WELCOMING OUR TROOPS.



### The Army Rule.

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### Enormous Penalties.

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### Illustrated Trials.

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### Spurgeon and the Soldiers.

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### ITEMS OF INTEREST.

A law authorizing the United States government to take possession of the Hawaiian Islands, and to establish a government there, was passed by the United States Congress.

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