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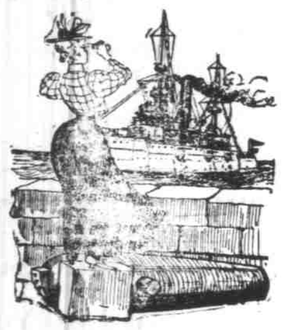

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## PORTO RICO IS TO BE SEIZED

### Probably to Be the Work of Sampson's Fleet.

### Significant Statement of Senators Near President.

#### BOMBARDMENT MAY OCCUR TOMORROW, IF BOMBARDMENT BE NECESSARY.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—There were many conferences today between the President and Senators and Representatives. The first comer was Senator Burrows of Michigan, who presented some friends. As he left he said: "Everything is moving along smoothly. What we want now is Porto Rico. We ought to have that tomorrow."

"As soon as that, Senator?"

"Yes," was the reply. "Probably in a day or two."

While refraining from saying what had transpired during his brief interview with the President, Burrows' statement that the seizure of Porto Rico is expected to be effected in a day is thought to be significant.

Senators Frye and Hale of Maine, Allen and Gear, Senator Platt of New York and Representative Curtis of Kansas, and Wadsworth of New York, were among the early callers.

IN DISTRESS.

Owing to the war demonstrations in nearby waters the island of Navassa, one of the small islands in the Caribbean sea, off the west coast of Hayti, is threatened with a wood famine. Reports of the distressing condition have reached here, and Senator Gorman today called the attention of the President to this state of affairs. In view of the proximity to Cuba, Porto Rico and the islands in those waters and the fact that Spanish vessels at any time may intercept and attack vessels going here commerce with the islands has been suspended. There is represented to be about 70 Americans on the island, mostly from Maryland. The President promised to take the matter up and determine what could be done.

PORTO RICO.

Despite the hourly expectations of an official dispatch from Dewey via Hong Kong ,there were no important advices at the White House up to 11 o'clock.

Persons who were with the President assert that there is a strong likelihood that Porto Rico will be in the hands of the United States within 48 hours. The immediae seizure of the island, they assert, will be made, though direct confirmation is lacking.

Senator Lindsay and Representative Settle of Kentucky have urged on the President the appointment of P. P. Johnson and John B. Caselman, as brigadier generals.

WHERE IS SAMPSON?

No confirmation is obtainable of the various reports concerning the movements of Admiral Sampson's fleet. Persons who might be supposed to share the confidence of the administration are credited with the statement that the Admiral has gone to seize Porto Rico. On the other hand, it is asserted, with almost equal positiveness that the fleet is gone to meet the Oregon and bring her in safety to the north. Still another report is that the admiral has gone to seize Matanzas, as a base of operations. The officials refuse absolutely to make public any information as to the movements of the army and navy.

NO WORD FROM DEWEY.

The Navy Department officials have concluded that there is little prospect of receiving news from Commodore Dewey directly during the course of the day, though there is a possibility that a merchant vessel may reach Hong Kong from the Philippine islands bringing some news of the battle and the subsequent events at Manila. It is practically settled that the cable cannot be relied upon as a means of communication, as it is believed to be cut in shore somewhere near its landing place on the island of Luzon, Point Bolinao, and beyond reach of Commodore Dewey at this time. The official calcualtions are as follows:

The latest authentic and direct news from Manila showed that Dewey had subdued the Spanish fleet and made a demand for the surrender of Manila through the British consul, some time Sunday afternoon. He, at the same time, gave notice of a bombardment at the expiration of 24 hours, which would make the bombardment itself begin Monday afternoon. Presuming a dispatch boat sailed at the earliest moment after the bombardment, Monday evening, and allowing three days for the passage of the ship, is not due at Hong Kong or Mirs Bay until tonight. It is already tonight by our time in either place, and possibly the McCulloch, or some other dispatch boat, is just entering the harbor. Oother delays would occur before the receipt of a cable here through the many relay stations, so that it thought there is little chance of official news coming during the daylight hours.

REVOLUTION IN PORTO RICO.

NEW YORK, April 5.—A special dispatch from Kingston, Jamaica, asserts that official dispatches passing through that city report that here has been an anti-Spanish uprising in Porto Rico and that the revolutionary movement is well under way. The dispatch has not been confirmed.

LONDON, May 5.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Key West, sent by way of Tampa in order to escape censorship, asserts of positive knowledge that Rear Admiral Sampson's fleet will steam at full speed to Porto Rico, either to destroy or to occupy the coaling station as a naval base before the Spanish squadron arrives, and then put to sea and try to engage the Cape Verde fleet.

PORTO RICO.

The configuration of Porto Rico is different from that of Cuba. The land rises immediately from the seashore into a group of hills and mountains, culminating in a peak 3678 feet high. These mountains are covered with magnificent timber and intersected with lovely valleys, watered by running streams, with a deep, rich soil that produces luxuriant crops of all tropical stapues. It is said to be even more fertile than that of Cuba, if such a thing were possible. The chief products are sugar, tobacco, coffee, rice, cotton and fruits of all kinds, and the arable land is pretty well taken. There are supposed to be very rich mineral deposits. Gold, iron, copper, lead, salt and antimony have been found, and some of the mines have been worked for 200 or 300 years with a profit; but agriculture has paid so much better that the mineral resources have been left undeveloped.

The climate of Porto Rico is much more healthy than that of Cuba, and is as good as that of any tropical country on earth, owing to the absence of swamps, jungles and other lowlands which breeds marlaria. The mercury often falls as low as 50 degrees Fahrenheit during the winter season and never rises above 85 degrees in midsummer. The nights are always cool.

Porto Rico is densely populated, the total number of people enumerated at the last census being 748,709, or more than half as many as are in Cuba. Ninety per cent. of the population are negroes or mulattoes; at least 400,000 are pure blooded descendants of the slaves that were brought over from Africa by the Spaniards. The white population does not exceed 50,000—35,000 Spaniards and a few English, Germans, Dutchmen, Danes, Chinese, South Americans and Canary Islanders. Only 96,867 of the population can read and write, and these constitute the upper and middle classes in the cities and larger towns. The blacks are absolutely illiterate.

The capital, San Juan, is a picturesque place on the northeast coast, with a population of 23,414. Ponce de Leon, on the southern coast, has the largest population and is more popular and prosperous, having 37,000 people. St. Germaine has 30,000, and there are two or three other cities of more than 10,000 population.

San Juan is protected by an enormous citadel, which stands upon a rock which projects into the sea, and is surrounded by massinve walls and stone and cement, in some places 100 feet high.

The body of Ponce de Leon, who died in Cuba of wounds received from the Indians in Florida, was brought to Porto Rico and deposited in a lead case under the altar of the Church of the Dominicans, and in the main plaza of the city is a monument to the memory of that romantic seeker of the fountain of youth. The inscription reads: "This narrow grave contains the remains of a man who was a lion by name and by deed."

The revenues of Porto Rico have averaged about $4,000,000 a year, but are nearly all sent to Spain. Not more than $500,000 is spent annually on the island, and most of that goes to sustain a garrison of about 20,000 soldiers. The exports and imports will average about $15,000,000 a year. The large part of the commerce is with the United States.

The people of Porto Rico are much more peaceably inclined than those of Cuba. They have suffered less from tyranny and taxation, and the island is so small, the people are so compactly settled, that they have been more easily controlled by the military.

### SUPREME COURT.

#### Opinions in Several Cases From Buncombe.

The Supreme court has filed opinions in several cases of interest to Buncombe. One of these is the case of Otho W. Budd and Mrs. Berry vs. Southern Railway company, in which suit was brought on account of goods lost in the freight depot fire, the amount being about $1200. It was heard here before Judge Timberlake and the verdict was for the railroad. The Supreme court finds error and the case comes back for a new trial.

The court orders a new trial in the case of Battery Park bank and J. B. Bostic vs. James H. Loughran, a suit on notes for purchase money. The case was tried before Judge Timberlake, and the lower court's verdict was in favor of the defense.

In the case of T. M. Andrews vs. George T. Jones, an ejectment suit, the Supreme court finds error. This was tried before Judge Timberlake and was won by the plaintiff.

The case of Doubleday & Lanier vs. Asheville Ice and Coal company was tried before Judge Norwood in the Buncombe court. It grew out of damage to grapes stored with the defendant company, and was won by the plaintiffs. This judgment the Supreme court affirms.

A new trial is granted in the case of Cora C. Sims vs. Hiram Lindsey of the Biltmore steam laundry. The suit was for damages for the loss of a child's hand, and the verdict in the lower court was for the defendant. This case was heard before Judge Timberlake.

#### Inspecting the Forts.

SAVANNAH, Ga., May 5.—Capt. Crozier of the ordnance department, inventor of the disappearing gun, and Lt.-Col. Smith of the artillery department of the gulf here are inspecting Fort Tybee to see the four disappearing guns properly mounted and ready for use. They leave tonight for Key West.

## STILL RIOTING IN SPAIN'S CITIES

### High Price and Scarcity of Food, Alleged Causes.

### A Mob of 8000 Miners Make a Demonstration.

#### EXPORT OF BREAD STUFFS PROHIBITED—PREMIUM ON EXCHANGE ENORMOUS.

MADRID, MAY 5.—The disturbances caused by the high price and scarcity of food continue in the Spanish provinces. There have been frequent conflicts between the rioters and civil guards, and looting and shooting are reported at various points. At Barcelona there has been a renewed run on the bank, the holders of the notes demanding silver.

A mob of about 8000 striking miners made a tumultuous demonstration at Murcia, capital of the province of that name, 30 miles from Port Carthagena. They shouted "Death to thieves!" "Down with taxes!" and attempted to set fire to the railroad depot and other buildings, and then began a movement towards Carthagena.

A strong force of troops, however, prevented the rioters from moving on the port. A number of men were wounded. A disturbance was also threatened at Carthagena, where martial law was proclaimed.

Similar scenes occurred at Oviedo and Leon and at a number of other towns where the factory hands struck work.

The strikers are parading the streets, demanding cheap board, and stoning houses. Steps by the authorities resulted in the restoration of peace at Malaga, where the British steam yacht Lady Clemell was recently stoned and driven out of the harbor.

A bill has been introduced in the cortes to prohibit the exportation of corn, flour, rye, maize, potatoes and fruit and suppressing the duties on the importation of those articles. This is intended to checkmate the speculators who, owing to the enormous premium on exchange—now 11 per cent.—have commenced immense exportations of produce, against which they have negotiated bills in the foreign markets. These exports created a scarcity of food, which is largely responsible for the rioting throughout Spain.

### HELPING MURPHY.

#### Recruits for That Company Being Secured Here.

W. N. Cooper, recruiting officer representing the Murphy military company, is here to secure recruits for that organization. Mr. Cooper has headquarters in the Paragon building and desires to enroll about 10 additional volunteers. The following names have already been received:

H. R. Tatham, Andrews; J. L. Chambers, Marble; J. L. Johnson, Ranger; S. B. Henry, Murphy; Thomas McNeely, Morganton; J. F. Jarvis, J. B. Wilson, Joshua McCrary, Asheville; C. N. Frisbee, Leicester; C. G. Mears, Leicester; R. S. Alcardi, Asheville; T. W. McMahan, Barnardsville; S. J. Taylor, J. F. Shuford, J. A. Bell, C. A. Massagee, W. W. Crook, Asheville; Tom Harris, iBltmore; L. M. Wilson, George E. Freeman, E. F. Scott, G. C. Brown, D. W. oBne, Herbert Boone, W. A. Davis, B. A. Roberts, W. P. Bishop, W. M. Caswell, C. F. Bard, J. C. Parker, Harold Johnston, Asheville.

The Asheville volunteers have asked to be allowed to name the first lieutenant and first sergeant of the company, but it is not known whether the Murphy members would approve of such a course. Should the request be granted it is likely that Harold Johnston will be chosen to fill the first named office.

### NEW MILITARY COMPANY.

#### 48 Charter Members Enrolled Last Evening.

At the meeting held in the armory last evening to organize a new military company, 48 names of charter members were enrolled. There were also a number of additional applications for membership, and those who desire to become members will receive early consideration. Only 12 additional members are wanted, however.

Ex-Lieutenant John A. Wagner, jr., was made chairman of the organization and H. S. Courtney was made secretary.

A membership committee was appointed as follows: John A. Wagner, H. S. Courtney, T. M. Kimberly, Harry Smith, H. M. Moody, E. B. Stradley, T. L. Durham, T. H. Bishop, C. M. Johnson, Herbert Reynolds, H. L. Morris, A. E. Rankin, A. Thompson and C. D. Clarke.

A meeting of the company will be held this evening, and it is likely permanent organization will be effected.

Practically all those who joined the new company expressed a willingness to go anywhere should their services be needed.

#### Bicycle Races.

Hough & Dunham, the Asheville Cycle company, and J. M. Hearn & Co. are making arrangements for a program of bicycle road races for about a month hence. Merchants of the city will offer prizes, and the event will be one to attract all lovers of this sport. Asheville wheelmen should begin training for the races.

#### A Treat for Marion.

Arrangements have been completed for the presentation of "A Modern Ananias" at Marion tomorrow evening by Asheville amateurs. The play has been twice given in Asheville in excellent manner, and the Marion people are assured that a most entertaining performance is in store for them.

### THE BULLETINS.

LONDON—An attempt was made last night outside the theatres by means of circulars to influence public opinion against the United States.

The Eastern Telegraph company says neither President McKinley nor anyone else has received a message from Dewey. A letter from Madrid says both the dynasty and the government of Spain are doomed.

WASHINGTON—No word from Dewey.

A Portugese gunboat has arrived at the Azores islands to enforce neutrality.

MADRID—Disturbances continue in the provinces. Looting and shooting.

PARIS—It is reported that negotiations are pending between the United States and Britain, by which the latter is to support the former if the powers intervene in favor of Spain.

KEY WEST—Leyden, a dispatch boat, has returned from Cuba where she landed a scout who communicated with the insurgents.

MADRID—At Murica, 30 miles from Carthagena, 8000 miners were rioting, and a conflict with the troops occurred. Riots are occurring in many places.

### "THE ASHEVILLE TROOP."

#### Meeting to be Held at K. P. Hall Tomorrow Evening.

The movement for the organization of a troop of cavalry to be known as "The Asheville Troop" is fast materializing. The first formal step will be taken tomorrow evening at 8:30, when a meeting will be held at K. P. hall on South Main street, at which those interested in the movement will decide on organization and other matters. The following gentlemen signed the agreement and call for the meeting:

George S. Powell, Fred A. Hull, John C. Rumbough, S. T. Dorsett, Frederick Rutledge, N. A. Reynolds, W. S. Ray, George Henderson, E. B. Atkinson, P. C. Cocke, H. E. Heinitsh, M. V. Moore, E. W. Patton, J. E. Rumbough, F. Stikeleather, D. G. Noland, W. E. Johnson, F. R. Grant, R. M. Wells, J. D. Carrier, J. H. Lange, Frank O'Donnell, Octave Battle, F. M. Weaver, George J. Williamson, Thomas R. Harrison, J. T. Sevier, D. E. Sevier, W. H. Bird, W. R. Patterson, Dick Weaver, J. R. Patterson, L. P. McLoud, M. M. Lemmond, Gilmer Brenizer, John A. Campbell, Marcus Erwin, Haywood Parker, F. W. Thomas, J. H. Reynolds, George A. Mebane, Jesse M. Morgan, R. M. Ramsey, Sidney C. Alexander, S. P. Mears, Alex. Webb, J. F. Woodbury.

### ASHEVILLE PRESBYTERY.

#### Highlands Chosen as Place of Next Meeting.

MURPHY, N. C., May 4.—Asheville presbytery met here last night at 7:30 and elected Rev. J. T. Wade of Highlands moderator, and Rev. S. C. Caldwell of Hendersonville temporary clerk.

Rev. A. Walker White and Rev. H. R. Overcash were received into the presbytery from other fields of labor.

All churches within the presbytery are represented and the delegates are all exceptionally fine specimens of Christian gentlemen. They are hearers and doers of the Word.

Mr. White delivered a strong sermon last night and Dr. Caldwell preached this morning. The routine business was dispatched and this sitting will last until Friday night. Asheville church is represented by Elder B. M. Lee and Southside by Elder J. B. Shope.

At the afternoon session Highlands was selected as the next place of meeting, and Rev. J. L. Wicker and Elder W. H. Faucett were elected delegates to the next general assembly, which meets in New Orleans; alternates, Rev. J. F. Wade, Elder M. J. Orr.

### EXAMPLE FOR OTHER POWERS.

#### English Public Men Commend America's Humanity.

LONDON, May 3.—The Chronicle has obtained statements from public men concerning their views of the Spanish-American war.

Mr. Asquith, home secretary in the late Liberal administration, said: "My sympathies are, and have been from the first, entirely and heartily with the United States. There are always people who can see in great movements of national feeling nothing more than the disguised operation of selfish and sordid forces. I believe that in their resolution to put an end to the cruelties and abominations which a system of incurable misgovernment has inflicted upon Cuba, the American nation is responding to the demands of humanity and liberty, and setting a worthy example to the great Christian powers of the world."

Sir Henry Fowler, formerly secretary of state for India, expressed an opinion of equal strength. He says his sympathies are all on the side of America, and that he believes that England ought to give her full moral support.—N. Y. World.

### WILL NOT HAVE LOGAN.

#### Illinois Officers Resolve to Resign if He is Given a Command.

SPRINGFIELD, Il., May 3.—It was announced here today that John A. Logan, jr., who was "turned down" by Governor Tanner when he applied for the command of the State cavalry regiment, has induced President McKinley to allow Illinois another cavalry regiment and place him at the head of it.

The field and staff officers at Camp Tanner held a secret conference and it was given out that in case young Logan is placed in command of a regiment of Illinois troops every officer in the eight regiments will resign. Logan is a resident of Ohio and has never served in the Illinois national guard.—N. Y. World.

#### A Morning Paper Fake.

VALLEJO, Cal., May 5.—Admiral Kirkland stated to the Associated Press today that the report that he had received a message from the Navy Department, Washington, saying that 200 were killed on the cruiser Baltimore, was untrue.

#### Cotton Futures

NEW YORK, May 5.—Futures quiet, steady. Sales 5000 bales. May, 6.06; June and July, 6.16; August, September and October, 6.19; November, 6.21; December, 6.22; January, 6.24.

### FROM THE TELEGRAPH.

The French cabinet has suspended duties on wheat until July 1.

Bread riots continue in Italy and the police have killed a number of persons.

It is said that Chili has given Argentina until June 5th to defintely state its position on the boundary dispute.

Baltimore Catholics resent the insinuation sent out from England that members of their church sympathize with Spain.

## HOISTED 2 FLAGS SIDE BY SIDE

### Old Glory Waves on Cuban Soil Now.

### Communication Made With the Insurgent Forces.

#### THEY NOW KNOW THE PLAN OF CAMPAIGN OF THE UNITED STATES.

KEY WEST, April 5.—The United States boat Leyden, sent to Cuba by the United States early in the week, returned here from Cuba this morning with four of the six Cuban scouts who left here on a mission last Monday. The other scouts were landed, with those who returned, and communication was established with the insurgent forces under Pedro Delagado.

The Leyden was twice fired upon. She bears bullet marks upon her smokestack. The Spaniards who opened fire on the dispatch boat were driven back by the insurgents.

Two parties were landed on Cuban soil, one of them having a sharp engagement with the Spanish forces. One of the parties consisted, according to report, of a commission from Washington Gomez, which was debarked on the north shore of Santa Clara province, from whence an immediate start for the interior was made. The other party, which landed near Mariel, north of Havana, was under the command of the Cuban leader Acosta.

Before this company went ashore the cruiser Wilmington shelled some Spanish cavalry asembled in the vicinity, and when the landing was effected, Acostas' detachment charged and routed the Spaniards, who, in the retreat, took with them about 60 wounded comrades. The American and Cuban colors were hoisted, side by side on Cuban soil.

TAMPA, May 5.—The steamer Olivette, which has been lying at the docks of port Tampa for several days, sailed today for Key West. On board were Lieut. Col. Lawton of Shafter's staff, inspector general of the southwestern district, and Commodore Watson. On account of the near approach of the time when the United States troops will be called upon to effect a landing in Cuba and the fact that Lawton is on Shafter's staff, a good deal of significance is attached to the departure. It is supposed Lawton's trip is for the purpose of gathering information possible as to the movement of the Spanish fleet and the disposition of the Spanish forces in Cuba.

### REV. J. L. KENNEDY.

#### Missionary to Brazil Visiting in Asheville.

Rev. James L. Kennedy, a minister of the M. E. church, South, to Brazil, arrived yesterday from Knoxville and is visiting Capt. and Mrs. J. E. Ray on Hillside street. Last evening Mr. Kennedy gave a talk on missionary life in Brazil, at the prayer meeting of North Asheville Methodist church. He related incidents occurring during his ministry in that country, and the talk was extremely interesting.

Rev. Mr. Kennedy formerly lived in Asheville and has a number of friends among the older residents. He is a son of Rev. Dr. J. S. Kennedy, formerly president of the Asheville Female college and now a member of the Holston conference. Mr. Kennedy left here 17 years ago.

Sunday morning Mr. Kennedy will preach at Central church, and in the evening at North Asheville.

### AT CAMP GRIMES.

#### The Boys All Well—A Salem Man's Bad Break.

RALEIGH, N. C., May 5.—[Special.]—The Adjutant General was confidentially informed today by an ex-Confederate veteran that a Salem man, named Eugene Foucht, has displayed in front of his office a United States recruiting poster and near by a blackboard with these words, "No man who ever fought Uncle Sam need apply."

The Adjutant General telegraphed Foucht, ordering an instant removal of his obnoxious exhibit and denouncing him in plain terms for his disloyalty.

Camp Grimes was thoroughly cleaned this morning. There is no sickness in camp. Drills have begun. The Goldsboro, Reidsville and Waynesville companies have been mustered in.

#### May Wheat $1.37.

CHICAGO, May 5.—May wheat sold for $1.37.


**Arthur M. Field**

LEADING JEWELER,

has on exhibition and for sale a few pieces of very rare French enamels and exquisite cuttings in

**ONYX AND CARNELIAN**

and chalcedony relief cuttings suitable for Easter gifts. He has also a lot of selected native stones that are being closed out at about one-half their original value on account of the new ways of cutting being so much cheaper.

**Good People!**

Often make a mistake in supposing that all drug stores charge unreasonable prices for prescriptions—good drugs are generally expensive and it takes several years of education and experience in order to prepare prescriptions properly—these facts must be considered and a fair profit must be allowed, that's what we are in business for, not for health only—at Dr. T. C. Smith's Drug Store good drugs are used, they are carefully mixed by lawful prescriptionsts and legitimate prices are charged—it won't do to compare prices made by different stores, for there are big differences in quality of drugs used, which can only be detected by their effects- if you save a few cents by having your prescriptions filled with poor drugs, and have the work done twice to get the desired effect where are you? Better get the best and have them filled right at once—we fill them right.

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To do all the above costsmoney and lots of it; but we have the satisfaction of knowing that we are supplying customers with pure milk.

Perhaps you can buy milk a little cheaper, but just think it over.