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WILL ACT QUICKLY.

President Will Lose No Time When Congress Instructs Him

Congress Now is Responsible For Delay, Opening of Hostilities of Uncertain Date. Not Likely that the Powers Will Renew Their Offers.

Special to Journal.
WASHINGTON, April 18.—It would seem to a man up a tree that the complaints of Congress recently made of the slowness of the President was an instance of "the pot calling the kettle black." From the talk in Congress before the President's message went in it was supposed that the message would be acted upon within a day after it was received, but it has been before Congress a week today, and that resolution authorizing forcible intervention is not yet in the President's hands, although it is hoped that it will be by tomorrow. The House adopted a resolution promptly, but the Senate, after wasting four days in talk without bringing forward a single new idea, unless the assertion of Senator Wellington that there was no reason for our going to war with Spain can be considered one, adopted a resolution including a provision for the recognition of Cuba, which makes more delay. These delays would be more aggravating were it not for the certainty that they cannot last much longer and that they cannot change the ultimate result—the driving of Spain out of Cuba. While it probably is not true that these delays are the result of plotting, it is not surprising that suspicion should be expressed by the impatient.

According to statements made by members of the administration, the President will lose no time in putting armed intervention into effect after the joint resolution authorizing it is in his hand, and the rushing of all available troops in the regular army to southern ports looks like immediate business; but he will probably first demand the peaceable evacuation of Cuba by Spain, granting a day or two for Spain to answer. That will mean more time.

It should also be remembered that if the President is so disposed he can withhold his signature from the intervention resolution for ten days. The resolution will not be binding until he signs it. So many predictions have been upset by unexpected delays that few are being made in Washington just now. We are going to war. Of that everybody is certain, but nobody is certain whether the shooting will start this week, or next, or the week after.

If the representatives of the great European powers in Washington are correctly reporting the state of Congressional sentiment to their governments, nothing is likely to come of the renewed talk about the intention of the six greatest European powers to attempt by a joint note to persuade this government not to force Spain out of Cuba, and if that fails, to make a threat of resorting to force to compel us to keep our hands off of Spain's island possessions. That Austria, France and Italy would be willing to go to almost any extreme to aid Spain, if they could be assured of the assistance of England, Germany and Russia is very well known. But the determination of Congress, which knows that it reflects the overwhelming sentiment of the country, would not be changed one iota, even if formal notice was served on this country that European force would be used to prevent the carrying out of the joint resolution just adopted, to drive Spain out of Cuba. "No foreign dictation," would become a companion slogan to "Remember the Maine," the minute that the European powers attempted to meddle with our settlement of the Cuban question.

THE MARKETS.

Yesterday's market quotations furnished by W. A. Porterfield & Co. Commission Brokers.

NEW YORK, April 18.

STOCKS.

Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sugar.....	116 1/2	117 1/2	117
Peoples Gas...	91	90 1/2	90 1/2
C. R. & Q.....	91 1/2	92 1/2	91 1/2

COTTON.

Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May.....	6.07	6.11	6.05
July.....	6.11	6.05	6.00

CHICAGO MARKETS.

WHEAT—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July.....	86 1/2	87 1/2	86 1/2	86 1/2
Cons—	July.....	31 1/2	32 1/2	31 1/2
July.....	31 1/2	32 1/2	31 1/2	32 1/2

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JOURNAL BUREAU.
Raleigh, N. C., April 18, '98.
War talk in its every phase is about all that can be gathered now. Today comes the announcement that if the North Carolina troops are called out, Major Hayes, the detailed U. S. Army officer, who is acting adjutant general here, will be placed in command. It can scarcely fail to bring forth opposition, for we have a number of men, North Carolinians, who are fully competent to take charge of our North Carolina troops, should they need a commander without bringing an outsider to the front in that way. Major Hayes is an officer in the 6th Cavalry and would naturally feel more at home with his own people.

Property to the amount of about \$45,000 has changed hands within the last few weeks right in the business part of the city, and handsome buildings will be erected. Never in the history of Raleigh has there been such steady and general improvement going on. One would scarcely believe the removal of the fence from around the Capitol grounds would make such a great improvement in the looks of that part of the city.

"A cob web party" is a new kind of amusement that is to be given here this week by one of the young girls clubs. It is not explained in the invitations that have been issued.

The game of ball between Harvard and the N. C. University teams on Saturday at Chapel Hill resulted in a tie, 10 to 10.

Tomorrow at the Church of the Good Shepherd Mr. L. A. Mahler and Miss Mamie Simmons will be married. Miss Simmons is the daughter of ex-Revenue Collector Simmons and Mr. Mahler is one of the firm of H. Mahler Sons, the largest jewelers in the State.

The Railroad Commission muddle is at a stand still. Governor Russell has been back from Wilmington for 48 hours and yet he has not made a single move.

The Secretary of State on Saturday granted incorporation papers to the "Apex Canning Factory of Wake county."

Spaniards Leaving.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—The Spanish Minister, Senor Polo, yesterday closed a charter for an American steamer of the Plant line, which will carry practically the entire Spanish colony of Tampa, Fla. to Havana today. In making the charter, the Minister gave assurances that in case of hostilities the steamer could be cleared from Havana, giving ample protection, and allowed to return to an American port. The Spanish party will number 408, most of them being young men who have offered their services in the Spanish Army in case of war.

This is the point at which seven regiments of infantry have been ordered to mobilize within the next few days, although there is no intimation that the departure of the Spanish colony is due to the concentration of the United States troops at Tampa.

What General Lee Thinks.

Richmond, Va., April 17.—Consulting General Fitzhugh Lee was questioned this afternoon in regard to the report that Theodore Roosevelt intended to resign his present office to accept a position on the staff of the Consul-General should the latter be appointed major-general of volunteers. The Consul when asked if he would appoint Mr. Roosevelt in case he were made major-general, replied: "Quien sabe," which means in Spanish, "Who knows?"

Then General Lee was asked if he expected to be made major general. To this he replied that he had not yet received official information on the subject and could not say.

"Will you accept such a position if it is offered you," was the next question. "I think I would," was the answer.

The General, in speaking of the outlook as to war, said: "Unless Spain withdraws from the island there'll be trouble."

President Killed in Battle.

Special to Journal.
WASHINGTON, D. C., April 18.—Word is received here from Caracas, that President Crespo, of Venezuela, was killed, Saturday, while engaged in battle against Hernandez of the rebel forces.

Bull Stock Market.

Special to Journal.
NEW YORK, April 18.—The stock market was a waiting one, today, with small fluctuations and light business. Operators were watching Washington, and awaiting developments of Congress.

A Matter of Principle.

LONDON, April 18.—The Madrid correspondent of the Times telegraphs as follows: If President McKinley, by issuing his last message, has set his seal upon his country's claim to intervene in Cuba, so do the Spanish ministers respond by finally setting their seal upon this country's flat rejection of that claim.

The nature of the intervention appears to be immaterial. It is the principle which the Spanish government now pledges itself to resist to the utmost. The war fever has been raging many hours. One newspaper alone thinks preside faintly possible. Some people, trusting to the vague telegrams from Havana, indulge a hope that the insurgent leaders, fearing American annexation, will voluntarily come to terms with the autonomous government and that this may make President McKinley pause, but no definite information has yet been received in that sense.

DO NOT AGREE.

Senate and House Still Apart at a Late Hour.

Resolution Goes Back and Forth Senate Yields the Recognition Clause. Two Houses May Concur Before Finally Adjourning.

Special to Journal.
WASHINGTON, April 18, (11:30 p. m.)—The two Houses of Congress are in night session and have not yet come to an agreement.

The Cuban resolution passed by the Senate is composed of the House leading, the Senate preamble, Senate resolution, the Turpie amendment, and a fourth section composed by Mr. Teller disclaiming any intention of the United States to control or exercise sovereignty over the island.

The first section reads as follows: "That the people of the island of Cuba are, and of right ought to be free and independent, and that the government of the United States hereby recognizes the republic of Cuba as the true and lawful government of that island."

The House refused to concur in this section by a vote of 179 to 155, and struck out the part recognizing the Republic of Cuba, and also the two words "are and." The resolution going back to the Senate, Chairman Davis of the Foreign Relations Committee moved to concur in the House amendment. This motion was defeated by a vote of 46 to 32.

The resolution then went to the conference committee of the two Houses. Contrary to the general understanding the conference committee of the House and Senate failed to agree upon the resolution as amended in the House.

The Senate yielded recognition of the Republic of Cuba, but refused to concur in leaving out the words "are and," and at 9:10 o'clock without a division voted to further insist on its disagreement to the House amendment.

The Senate then by a vote of 39 to 40, refused to appoint another conference committee and then took a recess of one hour to await the further action of the House. The action of the Senate leaves the matter as it was after the House amendment to the resolution.

This sent the conference report back to the House for further action by that body.

The House then took up the resolution and at 10 o'clock a vote was taken upon the Senate amendment. The result was that the House by a vote of 131 to 179, refused to recede from its position and concur in the action of the Senate. The House at 10:15 took a recess to wait on the further action of the Senate.

Secretary Gage today notified the employees of the Treasury Department that those who wish, will be granted a year's leave to join the army. The bill to authorize the President to call for volunteers to the maximum number of one hundred thousand men, was drafted by Chairman Hull and submitted to the President who approved of the measure. Captain Sigbee has been assigned to a new post by the Navy Department by being ordered to take command of the St. Paul, the American liner purchased by the Government to be converted into a fast cruiser.



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