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CIRCUIT COURT. Two Young Men Sentenced to the Penitentiary for Two Years Each.

Willie Ellithorpe indicted by the Grand Jury This Afternoon for Malicious Cutting.

Will Ellithorpe was this afternoon indicted by the grand jury for maliciously cutting Daal Milliken.

The grand jury reported four indictments not given out.

Mr. John F. Hawkins was excused from the grand jury, and the time of the latter extended a week.

The case of Rice Miller, for malicious assault, was dismissed.

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THE POPE ABANDONS HOPE.

Deprecates War, But Admits That Intervention is Improbable.

SPAIN MAKES FINAL EFFORTS.

Issues a Call for All Able Bodied Men—Another Spanish Flotilla Appears in English Waters.

IS STILL AFTER INTERVENTION.

Spain's Last Attempt to Get the Powers to Intervene in Her Behalf—But It Will Avail Nothing.

WHAT LONDON STATESMEN THINK TODAY.

Say That the Last Steps Have Been Taken and War Cannot Be Averted—No Intervention.

WAR SEEMS BUT A MATTER OF A FEW DAYS.

Rome, April 16.—In a public letter today the pope admits that intervention between the United States and Spain is impossible, and while deprecating war, says that it now cannot be averted.

SPAIN'S MOVEMENTS.

Washington, April 16.—English advices state that a second Spanish flotilla has appeared in the English channel. Where it came from, or where it is going, is unknown.

SPAIN'S LAST EFFORT.

Washington, April 16.—It is learned here this afternoon that Spain today has made another attempt to get the powers to intervene. The result is not known, but it is not expected that any action will be taken.

THE ENGLISH VIEW.

London, April 16.—Prominent English statesmen and foreign am-



assadors in this city today state that war is inevitable; that the last steps have been taken, and the Powers will not intervene.

PRAISE THE NEWSPAPERS.

Washington, April 16.—Senator Cullom of Illinois made a hot arraignment of Spain on the floor of the senate yesterday morning. He held Spain criminally and officially responsible for blowing up the Maine. He favored immediate armed intervention in Cuba to drive Spain from the western hemisphere.

AFTER MORE WARSHIPS.

Washington, April 16.—The navy department has decided to charter the steamships St. Louis, St. Paul, Paris and New York, of the American line. The decision was reached yesterday afternoon.

IN THE SOUTH.

Atlanta, Ga., April 16.—Everything is ready at New Orleans, Chickamauga, Tampa and Mobile for the reception of the troops in accordance with the concentration orders issued yesterday.

FRANKFORT, KY., APRIL 16.—Orders were issued today calling in the state guards now on duty at the various toll gates to get ready for actual service and subject to orders from the war department.

NEW YORK, APRIL 16.—Three shiploads of ammunition left this city today for Key West.

TONIGHT THE SENATE MAY ACT.

Congress May Not Make Formal Declaration of War Until Next Thursday.

SOUTHWARD MOVES THE AMERICAN ARMY.

General Order Issued for the Concentration of 20,000 Troops at Southern Points.

KENTUCKY TROOPS ORDERED FROM THE TOLL GATES.

WASHINGTON TO CUBA: "Hold the fort; I am coming!" AMERICA TO SPAIN: "No other terms than unconditional and immediate surrender can be accepted. I propose to move immediately upon your works!"

WASHINGTON, APRIL 16, 3 P. M.—The debate in the senate will conclude about 6 o'clock tonight. But it is not expected that the house and senate will be able to agree on a joint resolution before Thursday.

Washington, April 16.—General Miles says that the first call for volunteers will be next week, and 50,000 will be asked for from all the states.

WASHINGTON, APRIL 16.—The senate will take a vote some time before midnight and will pass one of the two sets of Cuban resolutions. It cannot now be said which resolution will pass.

Washington, April 16.—The debate in the senate continues in interest and will to the time of voting. There is some chance that the house and senate committees on foreign relations will get together tomorrow and agree on a joint resolution that will be adopted Monday and thus constitute a formal declaration of war as far as congress is concerned.

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DEATH TO DISHONOR.

Paris, Tenn., April 16.—Albert Reynolds shot himself to death in the court room this morning after the supreme court had confirmed a sentence of six years against him for embezzlement. He said he was innocent. He was a former roadmaster of the L. & N., and a very prominent man.

MARRIAGE TOMORROW.

Mr. T. B. Lutz and Miss Maud Orr Licensed Today.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

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and the government will soon have more men than are needed, except for the reserve list.

A KENTUCKIAN PROMOTED.

Owensboro, April 16.—On Tuesday Lieut. Charles R. Tyler, of Owensboro, was promoted from the 16th infantry, stationed at Fort Spokane, Wash., to the captaincy of the 19th infantry at Fort Wayne, near Detroit.

INDIANS ARE READY.

New York, April 16.—The Red man has tendered his services and wants to go to war to fight for the honor of his country.

SECRETARY ALGER ALSO SELECTED.

At New Orleans, Brigadier-General Shafter, Tampa, Brigadier-General Ward, Mobile, Brigadier-General Coppinger, Chickamauga, Major-General Brooke. The command of the army will devolve upon Major-General Nelson A. Miles.

THE TROOPS INCLUDED IN THE MOBILIZATION ORDER NUMBER 20,000.

Since the war no such proportion of the army has been mobilized and the movement itself is the best evidence of the gravity of the situation.

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New York, April 16.—A Washington dispatch to the World says: "The President has decided to give Consul-General Lee the command of the Virginia volunteers in the event that hostilities break out between this country and Spain. This decision on the part of the President was reached after a conference with

NO OUTSIDE INTERVENTION.

Great Britain Would Certainly Block Any Such Movement by Foreign Powers.

EVEN INDIANS WANT TO FIGHT.

The Noble Red Man Anxious to Even Up Some Old Scores With the Murderous Spaniards.

NO PRESIDENTIAL VETO TO COME.

Should Congress Conclude to Recognize the Insurgents, the President Will Bow to the People's Will.

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the United States, a certain snub to Europe." The Austrian ambassador openly says he has given up any hope of Europe preventing war.

NO PRESIDENTIAL VETO.

Washington, April 16.—The cabinet meeting yesterday was devoted to a general discussion of the Cuban situation, but without anything of importance resulting therefrom. The government has received no intimation of the preparation of any note on the part of the powers, and members of the cabinet do not think the effort obviously making by Spain to concentrate the powers in her favor will result in their agreeing to any particular line of action.

The present position of the administration is that of awaiting congressional action without attempting to influence it or postpone its decision. The President, it can be stated, is not at all likely to veto any resolution that congress may adopt on the Cuban question. The administration does not believe congress will pass a resolution for the recognition of independence of the insurgents, but if it should, a veto of it would be very improbable.

THE CALL TO ARMS.

Washington, April 16.—Major General Miles, commanding the army, said yesterday that considerable misapprehension exists in regard to the raising of troops in the event of war. He thought the people should understand the situation more thoroughly than appears to be the case at present.

"In the event of the passage of the resolution reported by the senate foreign relations committee," said Gen. Miles, "the president would have authority to call into the service of the government militia to the number of about 12,000,000 men. The third section of the resolution directs and empowers the president to use the entire land and naval forces of the United States and to call into the actual service of the United States militia of the several States to such extent as may be necessary to carry these resolutions into effect."

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