

LANDED AT CORINTO.

BRITISH TAKE POSSESSION OF THE NICARAGUA PORT.

City Left to the Troops—Government Officials and Residents Desert the Town and Give the Invaders Undisturbed Control.

Washington, April 29.—The British have occupied Corinto, and the British flag has been raised over the city. Dr. Guzman, the Nicaraguan minister, received two cables from 12:30 to-day, giving him the first official information. The cables were very brief, and stated only these essential facts, and also that the landing was made at 1 o'clock this morning. All the government officials, as well as the Nicaraguan population of Corinto, Dr. Guzman says, have vacated the town, leaving it completely in the possession of the British troops.



JOSE SANTOS ZELAYA, President of Nicaragua.

Secretary Gresham returned to Washington from Woodley at 1 o'clock, and a few minutes later said that up to that hour the state department was without any information respecting the situation at Corinto, and was in the dark as to whether or not troops had been landed. It is probable that later in the day Minister Guzman will acquaint the secretary with the information from his government. The belief was entertained by the administration that Nicaragua would pay and that the landing of troops would not occur, but this hope, as Dr. Guzman's dispatches show, was not realized.

CREATES A BIG CLAIM.

Associate Justice White So Speaks of Income-Tax Decision.

Washington, April 29.—Since the decision of the Supreme court on the income tax frequent references have been made by attorneys to the liability of the government for sums paid on incomes from rents and invested property under former income-tax laws. It will be remembered that Attorney-General Olney in his brief on the subject of a rehearing suggested that congress could not well escape making provision for the refunding of these amounts if the decision was to stand. Associate Justice White's dissenting opinion also touched upon this point. He said: "Under the income-tax laws which covered every conceivable source of income, rents from real estate and everything else, vast sums were collected from the people of the United States. The decision here rendered announces that these sums were wrongfully taken and thereby, it seems to me, creates a claim in equity and good conscience against the government for an enormous amount of money. Thus from the change of view by this court it happens that an act of congress, passed for the purpose of raising revenue in strict conformity with the practice of the government from the earliest time and in accordance with the oft-repeated decisions of this court, furnishes the occasion for creating a claim against the government for hundreds of millions of dollars; I say creating a claim because if the government be in good conscience bound to refund that which has been taken from the citizens in violation of the constitution, although the technical right may have disappeared by a lapse of time, or because the decisions of this court have misled the citizen in his grievous injury, the equity endures, and will present itself to the conscience of the government. This consequence shows how necessary it is that the court should not overthrow its past decisions."

FEARFUL FALL TO DEATH.

Two Women and Two Men Dashed to Death Near Cochection, N. Y.

New York, April 29.—A special telegram from Cochection, N. Y., says that by the falling of a ledge of rock near that place last night four young people were killed. The dead: ANNIE MITCHELL, LAURA LONG, JOHN RICH, SYDNEY BURNS. Miss Irene Tempest, who was with the party, escaped. The young people were standing on a ledge of rock 300 feet high and which overhung the park near Cochection. Four feet from the outer edge of the rock was a crack, which no one thought rendered the ledge insecure. The five young people felt the ledge giving way under their feet and tried to get off, but were too late. Miss Tempest managed to grasp the edge of a solid remnant of the rock and hung there for thirty minutes until help could reach her. The others were dead when the inhabitants reached the spot. Rich was impaled on the limb of a tree seventy-five feet above the ground.

May Conflict with the Federal Law. Charleston, S. C., April 29.—The dispensary law in this state threatens shortly to assume the proportions of a fight between the federal and state governments. In addition to the temporary injunction heretofore granted by Judge Goff, restraining the state authorities from seizing contraband liquors brought into the state, another injunction was issued by Judge Simonton of the United States circuit court yesterday which promises to hasten matters to immediate issue. Gov. Evans has said he will not obey the injunction, and has instructed the constabulary to go ahead with their seizures.

MISS WILSON SAVES A TRAIN.

Flicky Deed of a Pretty Girl at Pasadena, Cal.

Pasadena, Cal., April 29.—Miss Lou Wilson, a pretty, young woman, aged 20 years, frustrated an attempt to wreck a passenger train leaving Pasadena on the Southern California railway at 7:28 o'clock Thursday night. When the train was nearing the spot where two huge boulders had been placed upon the track the brave woman forced her way into a neighboring residence, seized a lighted lamp and succeeded in signalling the train to a standstill just in the nick of time.

Miss Wilson, who is a daughter of S. Jay Wilson of this city, was returning to her home on Elm street in the suburbs of the town. She attempted to shorten her journey by going a few rods along the track of the railway. A short distance from the crossing she encountered some obstacles over which she stumbled and fell, and feeling about in the dark, she was hurried to discover two huge boulders and a quantity of sidewalk planking placed upon the track, with the intention of wrecking the passenger train, due at the crossing at 7:35.

She set to work with all her strength to remove the obstruction, but found it was utterly impossible to budge it. While tugging at it she heard the whistle of the locomotive as it left Pasadena station, which meant that within a few minutes it would come along. With rare presence of mind Miss Wilson rushed into an adjoining yard and burst into the kitchen of a neighboring house, seized a lighted kerosene lamp, and rushing out, followed by the inmates of the house, who believed she was demented. She reached the track just in time to signal and stop the east-bound train within forty feet of the obstruction.

MISTAKEN IDENTITY.

Durrant's Attorneys Try to Bring Wolfe Into the Murder Case.

San Francisco, Cal., April 29.—During the early days of Durrant's trial an attempt was made by his counsel to cast suspicions upon the Rev. George Gibson, pastor of Emanuel church. His attorneys have so far failed in developing any tangible evidence. Elmer A. Wolfe, a witness of the prosecution, who corroborated previous testimony concerning Durrant's tardiness and disheveled appearance at the Christian Endeavor meeting of Good Friday evening, yesterday was cross-examined by the defendant's attorney, who endeavored to show that a similarity between the shoes and overcoats of Wolfe and Durrant and the resemblance in stature had led to Durrant's mistaken identification by persons who had rarely seen Wolfe. He accounted for all his movements. Chief Crowley said in an even stronger chain of circumstantial evidence against Durrant than in the present case.

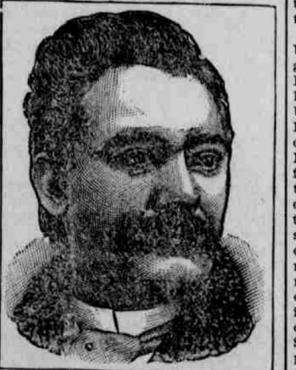
HARD FOE TO FIGHT.

Blackburn to Find Carlisle a Formidable Adversary.

Washington, April 29.—While the contest in Illinois between sound money and free silver is necessarily of importance, a fight in Kentucky is probably more directly interesting from an administrative point of view, because the name of Secretary Carlisle is constantly mentioned in that fracas. Mr. Carlisle, in spite of his denials of any desire to enter into the fight, is regarded as a formidable candidate for the senatorship to succeed Blackburn. Viewed from a Washington standpoint, the senatorial fight in Kentucky resolves itself into a contest among five leading democrats—Senator J. C. S. Blackburn, ex-Gov. Buckner, Representative McCreary, ex-Gov. Knott and Gov. Brown. Mr. Carlisle comes in as a dark horse. It is believed that Senator Blackburn, on a silver platform, will have a plurality. The four other candidates are not particularly important. It is the current belief here that each of them would rather see some dark horse win than any of the four.

Good News!

Governor Larrabee's great work, "The Railroad Question," is now issued in paper covers. It is the standard authority on the subject and has just been adopted as a text book by Vassar College. Every reformer should have a copy. Price, cloth, \$1.50; paper covers, 50c. Address, WEALTH MAKERS PUB. CO., Lincoln, Neb.



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GIVE ONE DAY'S GRACE.

Ambassador Bayard Secures a Delay for Nicaragua.

Washington, April 27.—A constant exchange of cable messages in cipher was kept up yesterday and until late evening between the United States ambassador at London, the Hon. Thomas F. Bayard, and Secretary Gresham. Acting upon messages from Washington, Mr. Bayard endeavored to obtain from the British foreign office a few hours' delay in the enforcement of the ultimatum sent to Nicaragua by Great Britain. Mr. Bayard was also instructed to make certain suggestions in regard to the method of payment of indemnity.

The result of these negotiations briefly stated is that Admiral Stephenson, the British commander at Corinto, will not enforce the ultimatum until midnight tonight and it is expected that Nicaragua will make satisfactory arrangements before that hour to pay the indemnity, amounting to about \$75,000.

VOLUNTARY SUBSCRIPTIONS.

British Claim May Be Paid by Nicaragua Citizens.

Managua, April 27.—The government has assurances that it will receive from voluntary subscriptions more than enough to pay the British claim within the time allowed by the ultimatum brought by Captain Stokes, of the British squadron. There is a strong feeling among the people against acceding too quickly to British demands. The money was offered by Leon City, and the government seemed ready to accept it and pay the claim, but was deterred by the feeling that if it should seem too ready to obey England it would cause serious internal trouble. There is great excitement here. Two thousand men are ready to march to Corinto at a moment's notice. The cabinet has met again. Minister of Foreign Affairs Matus has made an appointment with British Minister Gosling.

Central America Aroused.

Tegucigalpa, April 27.—The movement of soldiers toward Gracias Adios continues. This seems to confirm the rumors that Honduras will aid Nicaragua with troops in resisting the English. A strong feeling has been aroused throughout Central America against Great Britain.

A TRIPLE ALLIANCE.

Great Britain and Japan Want the Aid of the United States.

Washington, April 26.—Rumors of a new triple alliance are afloat among the diplomatic corps. The members of the new international compact, if it be perfected, will be the greatest nations of the continents of Europe, Asia and America. In other words an effort is being made, according to diplomatic authority, to induce the United States to join Great Britain and Japan in an alliance against the powers of Europe and of everywhere else.

Knowing well the disinclination of this country to entangle itself with foreign countries in defensive and offensive alliances, Great Britain and Japan are said to have suggested a mere commercial alliance. Should the invitation to join such an alliance be accepted by this government the mere announcement would, it is thought, be sufficient to check Russia, Germany and France in their attempt to prevent the consummation of the treaty of peace between Japan and China by which China will cede certain of her territory to Japan. It is impossible at this time to obtain authentic corroboration or denial of the rumor. If such an invitation has been received the cabinet is doubtless correct.

Minister Kurino of Japan has given out a very significant interview on the eastern question. He said that in his opinion the commercial interests of the United States in the east, particularly in Japan, are so much more extensive and important than those of Germany or France, that it would be eminently desirable in the event of a Franco-German alliance with Russia to prevent the consummation of the peace treaty, for the United States to take an active part in offsetting such an alliance.

Mr. Kurino wished it to be clearly understood, however, that this was his personal conviction. He had not, he said, received any instructions from his government, and there had been no suggestion of an official or unofficial character from him to the state department that the United States should be enlisted in its support. His views were the result of his personal information of the extent of United States interests in the east.

"The commercial interests of the United States in Japan are very much greater than those of Germany and France. Practically their interests are little or nothing, while those of the United States are very extensive. The British trade comes first, and after that comes the trade of the United States. It would be eminently proper, therefore, if the United States in consideration of her superior commercial interests, should offer a demonstration on the part of France and Germany, if any such move is actually made. I am not sure, nor am I apprehensive of the move should it be made. But in the event of its being realized, then there is little doubt in my opinion that the commercial interests of the United States would make it expedient to take part in the issue. This, of course, would not mean that the United States was to engage in a fight. Its co-operation would undoubtedly be effective without any radical step."

Russia Ready for Action.

New York, April 27.—A special telegram from Tokio says: "The Russian and French fleets in these waters are prepared to stop Japanese communications unless Japan abandons all claims upon territory in Manchuria."

American Prisoner Released.

New York, April 27.—A special from Santiago de Cuba says: "Two American seamen who had been imprisoned here since Feb. 23 were released today. They are August Bolton and Gustav Richieu. The government authorities found them in a small boat near the coast under circumstances which aroused suspicion that they had landed revolutionists on the island and were returning to the port they started from. The men explained that they belonged to an American vessel which was then at a port in Hayti, and that they had rowed across simply for their own pleasure."

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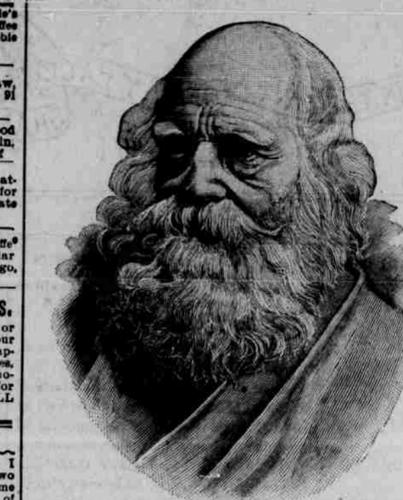
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