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The Mystery of the Spanish War.

It must be presumed, in view of the known friendly regard for the United States entertained by Henry Norman, that his interpellation of the British House of Commons on January 20th was made for the purpose of demonstrating that Great Britain was friendly to our government in the controversy with Spain in 1898. The surprise which came to Mr. Norman and the world generally had its beginning in Lord Cranbourne's answer, that there were "subsequent proposals which seemed to put pressure upon the United States" in which her majesty's government could not concur. What those proposals were has been made public at the instance of the German government, and prove to be contained in a memorandum submitted by Lord Pauncfote to the representatives of the powers, at Washington, on April 14, 1898. The vital points in the memorandum are the statements "that the attitude of Congress holds out little hope for peace," and that, in the popular belief, "the warlike measures advocated have the approval of the great powers." This was followed by the pertinent clause that "the time has arrived to remove the erroneous impression which prevails that the armed intervention of the United States in Cuba commands, in the words of the message, 'the support and approval of the civilized world.'"

The prima facie effect of the publication of Lord Pauncfote's memorandum has been to convince those who were ready to be convinced that the attitude of Great Britain had been insincere and that "subsequent proposals" were on her own initiative, and drawn upon her instructions, by her representative in Washington. A review of the events prior to the commencement of the war, and the apparent lack of motive on the part of Lord Pauncfote and his government, give a view of the matter which affords an explanation not only relieving the British ambassador, but placing the responsibility for initiating the "proposals" upon our own State Department.

An item of negative evidence is furnished by Judge Day, who was Acting Secretary of State at the time. On being asked if the memorandum was drawn by him in the State Department he wires an evasive reply, that it is "impossible to reply to indefinite statement of your telegram." The inference is that if he had nothing to do with it he could have said so frankly and consistently. If the State Department was concerned in it, the question arises: Who and what inspired its action?

It is well known that between the sinking of the Maine and the opening of the war, there were many who believed that war could and should be averted, and that President McKinley was one of those. But the President recoiled from an open antagonism of Congress, and of that portion of the people whom a sensational press had egged on to a demand for war. In his perplex-

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BY AUTHORITY.

SHERIFF'S SALE NOTICE.

Under and by virtue of a certain Execution issued by Lyle A. Dickey, Second District Magistrate of Honolulu, Island of Oahu, Territory of Hawaii, on the 10th day of March, A. D. 1902, in re matter of Goo Too Chin vs. Kong Sui and Tong Fat, doing business as Tong Fat and Company, I have, on this 10th day of March, A. D. 1902, levied upon, and shall expose for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the Police Station, Kalakaua Hale, in said Honolulu, at 12 o'clock noon of Monday, the 14th day of April, A. D. 1902, all the right, title and interest of said Kong Sui and Tong Fat, doing business as Tong Fat and Company, in and to the following described property, unless the judgment amounting to One Hundred and Fourteen and 25/100 Dollars, interest, costs and my expenses are previously paid:

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