

GREGORY SPILLS PLANS OF ZELAYA

Quick Action of American Diplomat Prevents War on Salvador.

SPY WARNS M. FIGUEROA

President of Salvador Sends Gunboat to Capture Invaders and Gregory Starts Secretary Knox to Action.

MENICO CITY, March 20.—A letter mailed from Acapulco more than a fortnight ago, received here today, pretends to give the inner history of the disturbances in Central America.

According to the report, the vigorous stand of the American State Department prevented the overthrow of the government of President Figueroa in Salvador.

The Nicaraguan gunboats in the harbor of Corinto were being held in readiness to act as convoy for sailing vessels carrying Nicaraguan soldiers, who were to land at some point along the Salvadoran coast.

GERMAN STEAMER ELIA SEARCHED FOR SPIES AND ARMS.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Held for an hour at La Union, Salvador, while officials of the Central American republic took possession of the steamer Elia, which was boarded by the crew and searched for arms and crew.

Nicaragua Holds Up Ship

German steamer Elia searched for spies and arms. The Elia was seized as soon as she entered the harbor of La Union, and an armed guard of Nicaraguan infantry was placed on board.

MAY FORM FLYING SQUADRON

Warships Assemble to Preserve Peace in Central America. VALLEJO, Cal., March 20.—It is rumored that a number of vessels are now rendezvousing here as a flying squadron to preserve the peace in Central America.

CLEMENCEAU MAY UNLOAD

business is becoming more serious with every hour. Every conceivable expedient is being used to maintain communication. Special couriers are being sent in automobiles to the frontier and bicyclists are being employed for the delivery of messages throughout the city.

Socialists Exult in Power.

One thousand colonial infantrymen have been put to work sorting and delivering the accumulated mails. No newspapers have been delivered since last Tuesday.

SEARCH MOVES EASTWARD

hours' stringent questioning Ball was allowed to go, the police declaring there was no ground on which to hold him.

will pay the money demanded, and pay it instantly. If I need more, my credit is good. As soon as I get the boy the kidnapers may go free, as far as I am concerned. All I want is the boy.

CHICAGO INTERESTED IN CASE

Officials of Windy City Do All They Can to Aid in Search for Boy. CHICAGO, March 20.—The intensity of the interest excited here by the kidnaping of Willie Whitta, at Sharon, Pa., is reflected in a signed statement made by State's Attorney Wayman here today.

Philadelphia Sleuths at Sea.

PHILADELPHIA, March 20.—The local police who last night thought they were on the trail of William Whitta, today admitted they had been on a wild goose chase.

FINANCES IN BETTER FORM

White House Conference Concludes No Bond Issue Necessary. WASHINGTON, March 20.—A conference of two hours on the tariff bill and its relation to the revenues of the Treasury was held at the White House this afternoon.

BILL CUTS DRINKING TIME

Utah Legislature Passes Drastring Liquor Regulation Measure. SALT LAKE CITY, March 20.—Both branches of the State Legislature today passed a bill regulating the sale of liquor.

GOLD STRIKES IN ARIZONA

Rich Deposits of Ore Found and Miners Flock to Scene. PHOENIX, Ariz., March 20.—Two gold strikes, reported to be the biggest ever made in Arizona, one at Salome and the other at Bouse, have caused excitement throughout the territory.

KLEIN SENTENCED TO JAIL

Convicted Grafter Refuses to Testify Before Grand Jury. PITTSBURGH, March 20.—Counselman John F. Klein, who was sent to jail Thursday for refusing to testify in the graft investigation, was called before the grand jury this afternoon.

TRAIN ROW PROVES FATAL

Two Men Kill Third and Throw Body From Car Window. CLARENDON, Tex., March 20.—An unidentified man is dead and Floyd Austrey, of Fort Worth, is dying here as the result of a three-cornered fight with revolvers in a Fort Worth and Denver train near Giles, Tex., today.

UNWRITTEN LAW PREVAILS

Woman Who Shot Daughter's Betrayer Acquitted at Omaha. OMAHA, March 20.—Mrs. Etta Banner, on trial for the murder of her brother-in-law, Fred Banner, was acquitted tonight by the jury which was out two hours.

MRS. MOORE BURIED TODAY

Funeral Will Be Held at Unitarian Church at 2 P. M. The funeral of Mrs. Dan J. Moore, who died Friday morning, will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Unitarian Church, Seventh and Yamhill.

JURY INDICTS SWINDLERS

Nine Arrests Expected Shortly in Big Sporting Frauds. COUNCIL BLUFFS, Iowa, March 20.—The grand jury of the District Court of this county today returned ten indictments in the wholesale swindling cases.

HOUSE SEEKS TIME

Will Not Allow Tariff to Be Railroaded Through.

MEMBERS STAND UNITED

Being Responsible for Tariff Legislation, Congressmen Intend to Debate Measure and Perhaps Amend.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, March 16.—No tariff bill will pass the House of Representatives at the special session unless it has been fully considered.

NO TROUBLE EXPECTED

Those who have looked carefully into the situation are satisfied that full opportunity will be given for debate.

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SWITCHMAN HIT BY ENGINE Edward Gifford Breaks Leg in S. P. Yards Near Steel Bridge.

While trying to jump on the running board of a Southern Pacific switch engine near the steel bridge early this morning, Edward Gifford, a switchman in the employ of the company, missed his footing and fell under the engine.

A Good Soccer Football Player. PORTLAND, March 19.—(To the Editor.)—Referring to the Scottish "International" soccer champions of Oregon, that was a very good picture of the team in Wednesday's English football players that is worthy of special note.

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