

WORK FOR WOODFORD

New Minister Must Bring Spain to Terms.

TO GET THE RUIZ CLAIM SETTLED

He Must Prepare Spain for the Inevitable and Present McKinley's Plan for Disposal of Cuba.

CHICAGO, June 18.—A special to the Times-Herald from Washington says: Spain is to be brought to terms. General Setwart L. Woodford, the new minister to Spain, after dining with President McKinley last night, spent the evening at the White House. He received instructions as to his work in the Spanish capital, for which he will start in a week or two.

General Woodford's task is divided into three parts. His first mission will be to present a demand for reparation and indemnity for the death of Dr. Ruiz. His second task is to prepare the Spanish government for the inevitable, and the inevitable is the loss of Cuba as a colony. The third phase of his work is the presentation of a distinct proposal from the United States as to the disposition of Cuba.

It is as to the first and second chapters that General Woodford is now conferring with the president. He will receive full instructions as to the third either before he sails or as soon as he shall have had an opportunity to report upon the state of mind in which he finds the Spanish ministry and the queen regent.

President McKinley also instructed General Woodford to impress upon the public men at Madrid these vital points:

1. The United is not actuated by an unfriendly feeling against Spain.
2. The United States does not desire to take advantage of Spain's troubles with her colony to bring about the annexation of Cuba to this country.
3. But unless Spain will herself make a move toward meeting the inevitable, toward giving Cuba freedom, the United States will be compelled to interfere and in the case of intervention annexation might naturally follow.

Canovas Anxious to Settle.

New York, June 18.—A dispatch to the World from Madrid says: Premier Canovas is willing to pay the widow of Dr. Ruiz \$40,000 if the United States government will not press an official claim. The announcement of this fact has aroused public opposition, which the Madrid press is inflaming. The newspapers blame the government for allowing Ruiz to be killed, but censure it most for acknowledging it. They say Spain is "under the iron heel of the Yankees."

RIVERA TO BE SHOT.

Death Sentences for Himself and Baccalao Requested.

New York, June 18.—A dispatch to the World from Washington says: A telegram from Senor Palma, of the Cuban junta at New York, received tonight by Secretary Quesada of the provisional legislation reads:

"Prosecuting-attorney has asked for death sentence of Ruiz Rivera and Baccalao."
Steps were taken immediately to prevent if possible the summary execution of such a sentence. Senator Morgan and others were seen and their services enlisted. Arrangements were made to have influential senators call early tomorrow upon Secretary Sherman to urge him to request interference by the Madrid government, and a direct appeal will be made to the president. It is expected that minister Taylor

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will be instructed to obtain from the Madrid government assurances that the lives of the two men will be spared. Unless action is taken early in the day it is likely that Mr. Morgan will bring the matter to the attention of the senate by a resolution, although there is one on record already in behalf of Rivera.

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A Fatal Drunken Quarrel.
CHICO, Cal., June 18.—Walter P. Russell was shot and fatally wounded by J. S. Cude as the result of a drunken quarrel while in camp near the city last night. Cude claims he shot in self-defense, but Russell, in an ante-mortem statement, says that he does not know the provocation for assault. Cude is under arrest.

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THE TREATY MUST WAIT.

Senate Will Not Ratify It During the Present Session.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Senator Davis, chairman of the senate committee on foreign relations, said today that he would not make an effort to press the Hawaiian treaty to final consideration in the senate during the present session.

"While opposition to the ratification is not formidable as to numbers," he said, "it already has been made evident that it will be quite determined, and this fact, coupled with the impossibility of holding a quorum after the passage of the tariff bill, has already forced the conclusion that an effort to secure immediate action would be futile. Hence it will not be made."

He said in reply to a question that he did not believe the committee would be disposed to give ex-Queen Liliuokalani a verbal hearing.

The Democratic senators became involved in a warm factional wrangle this afternoon. Bacon criticized his associates for not supporting the revenue duty on raw materials, and was warmly replied to by Vest, who called attention to the pleasure the Democratic records gave Republicans. He tried to commit Bacon to the doctrine that he (Bacon) wanted his share of the plunder, if there was to be tariff robbery, but Bacon repudiated this and said he wanted the benefit equalized. Tillman bluntly interjected that if there was to be plundering he would see that South Carolina got her share.

Sherman's Attitude.
WASHINGTON, June 18.—In view of the fact that false and misleading statements have been sent out from Washington as to Secretary Sherman's position on the question of annexation of Hawaii, the secretary today said to an Associated Press reporter that as a rule he was opposed to the United States acquiring outlying territory, but he regarded the condition of the Hawaiian islands as exceptional, on account of the claim of Japan to these islands. He therefore approved the treaty making Hawaii a possession of the United States, but not entitled to admission as a state.

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Queen's Domestic Correspondence.
One pleasing feature of the queen's busy life is the keeping up with her own hand of a correspondence with all her children and grandchildren. Besides many other relatives and dear friends, such as, in the latter case, ex-Empress Eugenie. This correspondence is particularly large when she is, as at present, in retirement in her Highland home. Perhaps the most interesting letter her majesty ever penned was that written to the prince of Wales many years ago announcing his emancipation from parental authority and control, when, after warning him against flatterers, she stated that she would never intrude any advice upon him, although she would ever be ready to give it whenever he should think fit to seek it.

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