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**THE BURNING OF COLON.**  
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New York advices by mail from Panama to the 8th inst. are received. The story of the burning of Colon, or Aspinwall, is given as follows: A lawyer named Preston seized the opportunity of the absence of the prefect of Colon with troops for the purpose of meeting General Sigarra, who had attacked Panama, to seize the city of Colon. He levied forced loans and collected a mixed force, which caused all sorts of apprehension among merchants and citizens. On March 29 the Pacific Mail steamer Colon arrived with arms and ammunition. Preston demanded these munitions, and upon refusal of the demand by the Pacific Mail officers he imprisoned them. He sent word to the commander of the *Galena* that these prisoners would be released if the munitions of war were delivered to him, and they would be shot if any marine were landed. Commander Kane then took charge of Colon in the name of the United States; Preston subsequently had an engagement outside the city with troops from Panama and was defeated, the Pacific Mail officers escaping during the fight. About noon on the 30th, men from Panama, numbering some 120, advanced upon the town and a heavy fire ensued. The scene in the town beggars description. Bullets were flying in all directions, and the terrified populace, abandoning homes and fortunes, were seeking safety in flight. The town was entirely constructed of wood and bullets passed through the houses as if they had been cardboard.

When defeat became certain to Preston, the fires commenced. Colon is now, with many others in close confinement. Directly one fire was started, a dozen were seen in different directions. A strong wind was blowing, and a pan'eronium affair, blowing, shooting and misery ensued. All who could fled on board ship. Few saved anything. Thousands flocked to the new town lately built by the canal company or ground that have formed at the entrance to the canal, whilst others took refuge in the few houses which remained standing on the beach. The machine shops and round houses of the latter company were fortunately saved, but an immense quantity of rolling stock was destroyed, together with local merchandise and transit cargo.

United States marines and sailors are reported to have acted admirably. Troops from the English gunboat *Lily* were also landed, and assisted in keeping guard. This guard caught many panamers, as did also men of the *Galena*. All caught red handed were immediately tried and on the following day were shot. Fifty persons, among whom it is believed were several innocent people, were thus summarily dispatched.

During the fight between the troops which went home and the Panamanians some twenty or thirty persons were killed, while many more were wounded. All these were burned during the fire, and the charred remains of all yet encumber the streets. Flames flashed through the houses, in hundreds of which powder, alcohol, liquors and general merchandise were stored in immense quantities, and the frequent explosions of these added terror to the scene. The panic-stricken populace were almost without provisions or water for two days. The Panama railroad company's superintendent, Mr. G. A. Burt, and the director general of the canal company, M. Jules Dingler, have done everything in their power to alleviate misery and distress, and vessels in the bay, of all nationalities, were freely opened to the refugees.

**FIGHTING AT PANAMA.**  
While the troops recklessly taken from here by General Gonima to fight in the streets of Colon were thus leading to the destruction of that town, the streets of Panama were resonating with rifle shots. Conference had been held during the day by commissioners sent hence to discuss matters with General Aizpunt. He, however, demanded the unconditional surrender of General Gonima, and threatened to attack the city unless he surrendered. Aizpunt sent a notice to this effect to foreign consuls. Gonima, however, declared he would not accept the challenge, but would remain inside the city and await results. By daylight, armed men from Aizpunt's band had captured the steeples of Santa Ana church, and soon drove in Gonima's outposts. They then passed from church to church, and from street corner to street corner, a heavy and continuous rifle fire being meanwhile kept up. Most of the houses in Panama are built of stone, and afforded better protection to non-combatants than the buildings in Colon did. Ultimately the barracks in which General Gonima had shut himself were surrendered, and at 4 o'clock in the afternoon he surrendered.

In all twelve persons were killed, and about an equal number wounded. The attacking party were orderly and sober. They were not soldiers, but volunteers, who, as they put it, fought for what they considered principle. Since that date the city has remained quiet.

Since the destruction of Colon an armistice has been agreed on for thirty days, and troops, under orders of the prefect, appointed by agreement of both parties, are to preserve order. Some marines are still on shore at Colon, where many are already clearing away the ruins prior to rebuilding.

Considerable excitement has been caused by the announcement that the United States troops are en route to the isthmus. Clon, who is now in charge at Aspinwall, is a man who is reported to have cut the cable at Buena Ventura a fortnight ago. He did it to prevent news reaching here of his departure with troops for this place. Three months have elapsed since letters have been received from the capital. Much desultory fighting has taken place. It is said that the conservative have captured Buena Ventura, and will advance on this place. Gaitan, in charge of the revolutionary forces, is closely besieging Carthagena. He has taken possession of some of the principal forts, and has been shelling the town. It is stated that shells have burned the greater part of the city. The greatest distress prevails among the inhabitants, who are said to be starving. How long the government troops will hold out it is impossible to predict.

American and English men-of-war have been of the greatest assistance to the unfortunate garrison. In fact, the commander of one of the latter, Captain Curtis, of the *Canada*, was the recipient of a letter from General Vila, who commands inside the town, in which he protested, in the name of human and divine authority, at the captain's prohibiting the disembarkment of arms on a spot the grounds of which the combatants have agreed with General Gaitan shall be considered a "neutral zone," and on which 1000 refugees and non-combatants have massed, confiding in this promise. An English steamer, the *Alone*, sought to land arms and ammunition at this point, when she was promptly ordered off by the British cruiser. This aroused the ire of General Vila, who wrote a furious dispatch, containing a declaration of war, which received no reply from Captain Curtis.

The United States man-of-war *Shenandoah*, her majesty's steamer *Harriet* and the French frigate *Reine Blanche* are in this bay, while at Aspinwall there are the United States steamer *Galena* and the British gunboat *Lily*. The *Wachusett* left here on March 30 for a cruise along the Central American coast prior to proceeding to Mare Island for repairs.

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