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MONSTER WATER DEAL

Territory Conveys Vastly Valuable Waiahole Rights To Newly Formed Company For Value Received—Work Must Be Finished Within Five Years' Time

In the presence of less than a dozen spectators the sale of the Waiahole water license, one of the biggest transactions of its kind here in recent years, took place on the steps of the capitol building this morning. For a consideration of \$15,000 to be paid annually during the term of the original license, the Territory conveyed the entire rights to the waters of the Waiahole district to the Waiahole Water Company, Ltd., a new concern which filed its articles of incorporation only this morning.

All the details of the sale were pre-arranged, even to the price that would be offered and accepted, and there were no contesting bidders. The purchasers must now, to make the deal good, deposit a bond of \$50,000 as a guarantee that active work on the big tunnel through the Koolau range, which is to convey the stream from windward Oahu to the lee side of the island, will begin within a year and that it will be finished and the water running through the great bore within five years' time.

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ANOTHER VAST SUM FOR PEARL HARBOR WORKS

Additional hundreds of thousands of dollars are to be scattered along the shores of Pearl Harbor. The vast sum of \$402,000 has been allotted to new work on the new naval station, to be expended for fuel storage and handling machinery, and with the completion of the work, Pearl Harbor, besides being the naval key to the Pacific, will be the greatest fuel depot in the navy chain.

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MORMON LUAU PROVED A FAKE

GOING AFTER BUTCHERS OF BIG ISLAND

(Special Star-Bulletin Wireless.)
HILO, Dec. 14.—It is reported here today that Manuel Tavares, representative-elect from Maui, is planning to open a butcher shop in this city. His object, it is stated, is to beat down the prices the local butchers are getting by breaking into the local market with Maui raised cattle. He is said to have declared that he expects a spirited fight but intends to win.

FIVE YEARS ON DIET OF WINE

Five years a steady adherent to a prescription given by a local Chinese doctor, Quong Ung, a Chinese, declared this morning that he had steadily persisted in the moderate use of cheap wine, and lived to tell the tale.

The Chinese, arraigned at police court upon a charge of selling liquor without a license, put up a most novel as well as amusing defense.

He endeavored to enlist the sympathy of District Magistrate Monsarrat as well as Prosecuting Officer Brown by relating his troubles, which in the concrete were that he had been ailing for years, and following a visit to a physician years ago was ordered to sprightly partake of wine.

Quong Ung was alleged to have sold ten cents worth of Jago firewater to an Hawaiian woman. He is known to the police as an object of charity for one of the local Chinese benevolent societies.

A marked coin was employed by the woman in settling her bill for the half filled bottle of liquor.

The story told by the defendant fell upon unsympathetic ears. Found guilty as charged, and following a moderate penalty in this case, from a cash fine to thirty days' imprisonment.

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TAFT LEAVES ALL TARIFF TINKERING TO SUCCESSOR

WASHINGTON, December 6.—President Taft will make no further effort to have Congress reduce the tariff. In a "general" message to Congress submitted today, the President clearly indicated his intention of leaving further tariff revision to Mr. Wilson and the Congress, just elected.

"Now that a new Congress has been elected on a platform of tariff revenue, rather than a protective tariff and is to revise the tariff on that basis," said the President, "it is needless for me to occupy the time of Congress with arguments or recommendations in favor of a protective tariff."

This message, the second submitted by the President since the present session began, will be his last of a general character. It dealt with every department of the government except the State Department, recommended much of the legislation which Mr. Taft previously had urged upon the attention of Congress, and took up and discussed at length several subjects comparatively new.

Navy's Needs.
Mr. Taft came out strongly against independence for the Philippines proposed, he said, in a bill now before Congress. He deprecated the new policy of the battleship a year instead of two; and indorsed again the scheme

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FREAR A 'SANTY' TO PRISON INMATES

Substantial Christmas presents to several inmates of Oahu prison, in the form of commutations and pardons, have been prepared by Governor Frear and will be left with Secretary Mott-Smith for distribution among the lucky members of Sheriff Henry's "family" on Christmas morning. The documents were signed and sealed this morning, as one of the Chief Executive's final acts before his departure for Laysan and Midway islands on that month's vacation. The names of the prisoners concerned were not given out.

The Governor is an extremely busy man today, giving the final touch to many affairs requiring attention and laying plans that will enable the administrative machinery to continue its routine during his absence.

Of these was the final approval given the form of the water license sought by the new street railway company of Hilo, on which the Governor and L. S. Connors have been conferring during the last week. The advertisement of the sale of the wa-

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Tamps Charge; Powder Blows; Worker Dead

(Special Star-Bulletin Wireless.)
HILO, Dec. 14.—Tamping a charge of high explosives with a sharp-pointed drill yesterday afternoon, one of the Hawaiian workers was instantly blown to pieces. He was, with a number of others, engaged in breaking out the hard lava rock known as pahoehoe, for the breakwater, when the accident occurred.

ENGINEER TAPS FRESH WATER IN 'FRISCO BAY

(Special Star-Bulletin Cable)
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.—Driving piers for a wharf in the bay here today, one of the engineers in charge of the work discovered that a vast column of water was bubbling up alongside of the piling. Testing this he found it to be fresh water, and of apparently limitless quantity. Estimates made based on the amount of the flow at present put the value of this find to the city of San Francisco at several million dollars.

FRESH SCANDAL SHOCKS FRANCE

(Associated Press Cable)
PARIS, Dec. 14.—Walter Mumm, the well known manufacturer of champagne who is reputed to be one of the richest men in France is the storm center of one of the prettiest scandals that have shocked this nation for some time.

The millionaire has been shot down by an American adventuress, Marie Barnes, well, but unfavorably known in New York, Baltimore and Washington, where for a number of years she has conducted establishments of a more or less questionable character. According to the statement made to the police, the woman and Mumm quarreled and shot each other. It is impossible to obtain details of the affair as both parties thereto have disappeared.

KATSURA MAY BE THE PREMIER

(Special Star-Bulletin Cable)
TOKIO, Japan, Dec. 14.—It is believed that Prince Taro Katsura, who as Marquis Katsura has been twice prime minister of the empire, will again head the cabinet, succeeding Saionji.

The Nippon Jiji this morning received from Tokio a special cablegram similar to the above Associated Press dispatch.

MILLIONS IN NOTES OUT

Emergency Fund Issued In Case Government Becomes Involved In War That Now Appears Possible—Bulgarian Envoy To Peace Conference Declares Allies Are Now Thoroughly Agreed Upon All Important Questions

(Associated Press Cable)
PARIS, Dec. 14.—That the French government is realizing the possibility of war that will engulf the whole of Europe was made plain today when an issue of five franc notes, amounting into the millions was announced by the Treasury. It is declared in the inner circles that this money is to be used in case of war only.

The attitude of Germany and Russia grows steadily more hostile and this, it is believed, has much to do with the latest move by France.

UNCLE SAM OPENS HEAVY GUNS ON 'BUTTER TRUST'

(Special Star-Bulletin Cable)
CHICAGO, ILL., Dec. 14.—The last of the trust buster cases to be begun by the United States government, under the Sherman act, was opened this morning when Uncle Sam turned his heavy artillery upon the so-called Elgin Board of Trade, and the American Association of Creamery Butter Manufacturers. It is understood that the case will be carried by the defendants to the Supreme Court.

BIRDMAN FLIES OVER SEA WITH NEWSPAPERMAN

(Special Star-Bulletin Cable)
LOS ANGELES, Dec. 14.—Aviator Horace Kearney started from this city today in an attempt to fly to San Francisco with a passenger. He has with him a local newspaper man, and expects to make his first stop at Santa Barbara, where he will spend the night. He is using a high powered hydro-aeroplane.

DEMAND DAMAGES FROM MEXICANS

(Special Star-Bulletin Cable)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—A commission composed of army officers, appointed to examine into the claims of Americans injured or killed during the fighting on the Mexican border during April and May, 1911, has filed its report. It assesses against the Mexican government the sum of \$36,000. Part of this will go to the heirs of persons slain by stray bullets that came across the line at Agua Prieta and elsewhere.

Shipping

HIGH ADMIRAL IN TURKISH NAVY ONCE OFFICER IN NIPPON MARU

It is not so long ago that one of the great admirals in the Turkish navy in the Balkan states.

It was not so long ago that a rather clever young man who up to some months ago held the distinction of the Turkish navy in the honor of his hand, was a regular visitor at Honolulu as an officer in the "little white yacht."

Ransford D. Buckman, a steamship man from the soles of his feet, is a familiar figure along the local waterfront with the arrival of the three white triplets, the Hongkong, American and Nippon Maru that some years ago were considered as transportation de luxe in the Pacific between the west coast of the United States and the Orient.

Buckman, upon returning from the trans-Pacific service, drifted around the world and finally wound up in the Ottoman empire. In some unaccountable manner he soon became a prime favorite with the reigning sultan and his court. Buckman was made an advisor to the throne, and it was in this instance that his knowledge of seamanship and maritime matters won for him the coveted prize as admiral in the Turkish navy.

One or two officers in the Nippon Maru recalled Buckman, the American adventurer, who was a jolly companion with, and rated as an official who knew his business.

Buckman Pasha, as he was generally known throughout the Levant, is said to have stepped down and out from the high councils of the Ottoman naval department to accept a position with one of the large ship-building concerns along the east coast of the United States.

With the ascendancy of the Young Turks the grip maintained by "Buckman Pasha" was loosened from his high and lofty position.

His career with the Turkish government was meteoric in that he rapidly rose from aide-de-camp to the sultan, to advisor and the rank of rear admiral and placed in charge of the Ottoman fleet.

When the Nippon Maru sailed from San Francisco for the voyage to the Far East every available bit of cargo space was utilized in the stowing of three thousand tons of freight. Cotton is the product that takes up the greater part of the accommodation.

Five cabin passengers left the vessel at this port. Thirty travelers joined the liner at Honolulu for the Far East.

A through list numbering 57 cabin, 7 second class and 102 Asiatic passengers are destined for the various ports along the Japan and China coast.

A big mail arrived in this vessel, a portion of which will be transhipped to the transport Thomas and proceed to the Philippines.

The departure of the Nippon Maru at six o'clock last night with a score of members of a musical comedy company proved a painful and trying ordeal for a little circle of local stage-door johnnies who had for the past fortnight valiently striven to win temporary favor with a bevy of fair and frolicsome chorus ladies.

The Empress of Asia, which was built in a Glasgow yard, is intended to run between North America and China. She belongs to the Canadian Pacific Railroad. She displaces 15,000 tons and is arranged for conversion if necessary into a cruiser.

The Kristina Ford, which was built at Birkenhead, is intended to open a new regular service between Christiania, Norway and New York.

Mauna Kea Steamed Through Heavy Weather. The wind with strong seas served to make the inward trip of the inter-island steamer Mauna Kea a rather unpleasant one.

Busy at the Island Ports. The inter-island coasting steamers are busy these days in the movement of sugar and other cargoes from island ports to Honolulu.

Would Sell Exploring Ship. The Shirase Antarctic expedition party will be disbanded shortly. The sailing vessel Kaimon Maru, on which the party undertook the expedition, is expected to be sold for 15,000 yen in a few days.

Noeau Was Storm-Tossed. Strong winds accompanied by heavy seas caused the little steamer Noeau to toss considerably as she steamed from Kaula to Honolulu.

Schooner Gamble at Hilo. Arriving at Hilo on last Wednesday the American schooner Gamble is at the railway wharf where a shipment of lumber is being discharged.

PASSENGERS ARRIVED
Per T. K. K. S. S. Nippon Maru, from San Francisco—For Honolulu: J. A. B. Ezra, H. R. Wilson, Mrs. M. Mullen, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mulvehill, For Yokohama: T. Anju, K. Asakura, S. Attie, E. D. Bryant, R. D. Cochran, Mrs. J. Cook, Rev. W. L. Curtis, S. Sasaki, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hulshoff, Pol. T. Komatsu, Mrs. H. Morrison, N. Watanabe, Lieut. C. Yamada, Miss G. Mainwaring, For Shanghai: Dr. and Mrs. S. G. Kirkby-Gomes, Miss Ella Kirkby-Gomes, Miss Sibill Kirkby-Gomes, For Hongkong: F. C. Allen, H. Bailey, A. E. Baker, Miss Anna M. Brunger, F. W. Carpenter, Mrs. G. Cuthbert, Mrs. J. D. Grosvenor, Mrs. A. Halliday, Miss Mary G. Herdman, Mrs. M. C. Hinds, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Klinefelter and infant, Master J. Klinefelter, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. W. Morris, E. E. Potter and Nurse, A. D. Prince, Miss May Spencer, Miss Florence Tassel, J. A. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Wessling, Miss Maybell Wessling, Miss Mary E. Wilson, Mrs. R. A. Wilson and infant, O. V. Wood, Mrs. M. E. Wynn, Miss Edith Wynn.

PASSENGERS BOOKED
Per str. Mauna Kea, for Hilo, via way ports, Dec. 14—Mr. and Mrs. E. Conant, Francis Lyman, Mrs. F. A. Lyman, Master H. Lyman, Miss Arnold, Dr. and Mrs. Goodhue, George Lindley, Stanley Mott-Smith, Ernest Mott-Smith, Miss D. Lidgate, Miss M. Lennox, Miss A. Meyers, Miss M. Meyers, Miss L. Nitch, Miss D. Nitch, Andrew Guild, Thos. Guild, Miss M. Taylor, Miss Myrtle Taylor, Miss E. Lidgate, J. Hurd, A. Akina, Carl Tuch, Chas. Akana, Mrs. D. D. Waigee, J. Maguire, R. Lund, L. M. Amiel, C. Weissman, Mr. and Mrs. G. Clawson, E. Hutchison, Mrs. G. W. A. Hapai, Mr. and Mrs. S. Chapman, A. Male, Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Wilcox, Dr. Dunwoody, Mr. Lister, A. T. Langley, F. B. Temple.
Per str. Mikahala, for Maul and Molokai ports, Dec. 17—Miss M. Meyer, Miss A. Meyer, Miss Annie Meyer.
Per str. Kinau, for Kaula ports, Dec. 17—J. P. Cooke, Mrs. M. Vincent, Miss G. E. Vincent, Miss Wilcox, Mrs. C. H. Wilcox and maid, Geo. Orani, M. Osaki.
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Per str. Mauna Kea, for Hilo, via way ports, Dec. 18—Miss H. Robinson, Mrs. L. Robinson, Miss Jean Pittard, Mrs. Maggie Pittard, Master A. McKenzie, Mrs. H. McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Wood, Miss H. Caldwell, Miss L. Maxwell, Mrs. Maud Taylor, Miss Lorraine Alken, Miss Edith Boyd, A. Male, J. C. Seare, Jr., C. C. Coakley, T. O. Seare, Mrs. W. E. McCook, Master McCook.
Per str. W. G. Hall, for Kaula ports, Dec. 19—Miss A. Grobe, Miss C. Bettencourt, Miss D. Grobe, Miss V. Wenslow, Miss H. Schimmelfeining, Miss A. Miller.
Per str. Claudine, for Hilo via way ports, Dec. 20—Miss S. Kalino, Foster Robinson, A. Robinson, C. Robinson, Miss R. Hansen, Miss M. Christopher, Miss M. H. Paley, Miss J. G. McDonald, Mrs. M. E. Perry, Miss Lawrence, Miss A. Ward, Miss Croe, Mrs. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Pugh, Miss R. Monroe, Mrs. Westcott, Master Westcott, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Hasselton, Miss T. Hasselton, Miss E. Hasselton, Webster Auld.

PASSENGERS DEPARTED
Per O. S. S. Sierra, for San Francisco—W. L. Allman, Mrs. Allman and

WEATHER TODAY

Saturday, Dec. 14.
Temperature—6 a. m., 72; 8 a. m., 74; 10 a. m., 74; 12 noon, 75. Minimum last night, 71.
Wind—6 a. m., velocity 17; 8 a. m., velocity 17; 10 a. m., velocity 20; 12 noon, velocity 24. N. E. Movement, past 24 hours, 300 miles.
Barometer at 8 a. m., 29.22. Relative humidity, 8 a. m., 65. Dew-point at 8 a. m., 62. Absolute humidity, 8 a. m., 5.893. Rainfall, .09.

VESSELS TO AND FROM THE ISLANDS

[Special Cable to Merchants' Exchange]
Saturday, December 14, 12 M. S. S. Enterprise to Hilo.
Hilo—Arrived, December 11, schr. Gamble from Port Gamble.
S. S. Sierra sailed for San Francisco at 1 p. m. today.

infant, Master A. D. Allman, Walter Anderson, Miss W. Blackie, H. H. Blood, H. Brown, Mrs. Brown, M. Browning, Mrs. Browning, Mrs. Alex. Chalmers, E. C. Cook, Mrs. Cook, H. A. Davis, Mrs. Davis, Dr. John F. Cowes, J. W. DeMerritt, Mrs. DeMerritt, Mrs. R. S. F. Dodson, Mrs. A. Duren, Edwin K. Fernandez, Captain H. Ford, J. J. Ford, J. W. Flynn, Miss Marguerite Flynn, Miss V. Gentry, M. J. Getz, Mrs. M. A. Hebbard, W. J. G. Land, Mrs. Land, Leroy Leonhart, W. F. Markham, Mrs. Markham, Miss D. Masters, K. Mayer, Mrs. Mayer, Frederick Mayn, Mrs. Mayn, Dr. J. T. McDonald, Miss A. E. O'Connell, C. A. Reynolds, Dr. Ray, D. Robinson, Mrs. Robinson, F. C. Ruffhead, Mrs. E. A. Rummy, Miss Kathleen C. Ruttman, E. Spiegelberg, Miss Josephine Stone, Miss Sarah Stone, W. F. Sutherland, Mrs. J. H. Taplin, P. H. Watson, H. White, S. D. Wilson, Mrs. Wilson.
Per str. Kilauea, for Kona and Kau ports, Dec. 13—L. Gay, E. Gay, R. Gay, Elsie Gay, May Gay, C. Baldwin, W. Paris, Aileen Gibb, Foster Gibb, Miss M. Austin, Miss V. Austin, D. Wadsworth, A. Wadsworth, S. Austin, W. Bond, K. G. Bond, Miss M. Renwick, Miss E. Renton, E. Baldwin, H. Baldwin, Miss Ethel Paris, Mrs. J. D. Paris, A. Paris, Mrs. E. August, Miss Akerman, Miss Mullen, Nora Moir, Grita Moir, Herbert Cullen, Miss V. Madden, Miss P. Lidgate, Miss E. Lidgate, G. Moir, Miss C. Reid, Miss M. Forrest, Mrs. G. Wright, E. M. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. A. Falke, T. Osaki, Mrs. D. D. Wallace, L. Vasconcelos, Mrs. Frank Fernandez, Alfred Fernandez, Manuel Fernandez, H. D. Wishard, Miss L. C. Lindley, Stanford Deverell, Annie Deverell.

Per T. K. K. S. S. Nippon Maru, for Japan and China ports, Dec. 13—Miss D. Allen, G. A. Bischof, Mr. and Mrs. Breidhoff and daughter, H. Burgess, Miss L. Chambers, Carlton Chase, Miss A. Clark, J. Cook, Miss T. Dunlop, Miss V. Elbe, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hughes, Miss L. Lathrop, Burt Le Blanc, Miss E. Le Blanc, A. Levert, Miss I. Mansfield, Miss T. Marvyn, Mr. and Mrs. D. Nowlin, Miss C. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. F. Vack.
Per str. Claudine, for Kahului, Lahaina, via way ports, Dec. 27—Miss Nora Foster, Miss B. Smith, Mrs. A. L. Andrew, Mrs. L. M. Smith, Dr. A. L. Andrews, C. W. Cousins, J. S. B. Pratt, Jr., H. E. Starratt, E. R. Tracy.
Per str. Claudine, for Kahului, Lahaina, via way ports, Dec. 20—Miss S. Kalino, F. Robinson, A. Rounson, C. Robinson, Miss R. Hansen, Miss M.

TARIFF TINKERING

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of carrying reform proposed by the National Monetary Commission. Speaking of the navy's needs, Mr. Taft said:
"I invite the attention of Congress to that part of the report of the Secretary of the Navy in which he recommends the formation of a navy reserve by the organization of the ex-soldiers of the Navy."
"I repeat my recommendation made last year that proper provision should be made for the rank of the command-in-chief of the squadrons and fleets of the Navy. The inexperience attending the necessary precedence that most foreign admirals have over our own whenever they meet in official functions, ought to be avoided. It impairs the prestige of our Navy and is a defect that can be very easily removed."
The Army the President discussed at some length. He praised the army legislation of the last Congress but said that provision should be made to see that the nation's foreign armaments may be always maintained upon a war footing and he urged the passage of the pending militia pay bill, which he believed would be passed by the House early in the session.

HILO POLICE UNEARH PLOT OF DESPERADOES

[Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence]
HILO HAWAII, Dec. 13—Believed to be one of a gang of Filipino desperadoes which has been terrorizing many parts of the island and two members of which held up Manager Santos of the Santos Serrao Liquor Company, of Wailea during the week, a Filipino was relieved of a new revolver and a box of cartridges that he had just bought on Wednesday.
According to the information brought to the police station by means of one of the many secret channels of information it is believed that the revolver was intended to play an important part in a desperate hold up which was planned for yesterday afternoon and by which the members of the gang hoped to net several thousand dollars but which was abandoned on the capture of the man with the new revolver.
According to the story which has been pieced together out of the stray pieces of information that have drifted into the police station the plan of the desperadoes was to hold up Senator John Brown yesterday afternoon as he was on his way from Hilo to that section of the belt road where his pen are working and for whom he was taking the money.
It is believed that there will be very little chance of the gang holding together now as, according to rumor, they have had a split amongst themselves. It was one of them who came in and told the police that the Filipino arrested on Wednesday had the new revolver and was flashing it about.

MORMON LUAU

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manly in sin-saturated Kakaako last evening when he was approached by a glib-tongued stranger and asked to subscribe to procuring material for a luau to be given under the direction of the Mormon church.
Kellett reached to the lower levels of his pockets for the wherewithal, when glancing at the list of subscribers he noted some flagrant flaws in its construction.
Running down the list, Kellett spied the names of "Blizzoner" Mayor Fern, several well-known business men, a little company of stevedores, all practically enscribed in the same hand.
When asked who had sent him forth, Werner attempted to sidestep. Kellett took Werner in tow and both called at the office of Presiding Elder Fernandez, high in the councils of local Mormonism. Fernandez at once repudiated the scheme for raising money operated by Werner, who was then placed under arrest.
When searched at police station the solicitor produced some small change to the amount of less than a dollar.

WEEK'S DECLINE NEARLY \$80,000

Sales on the Honolulu stock and bond exchange decreased \$79,875.50 for the week, ended at noon today, as compared with last week. The figures are \$23,128.87, against \$113,004.37.
The market closed today very dull, only Oahu Sugar and Brewery being sold on the board. Between boards the considerable block of 150 shares of Hawaiian Commercial was sold, but at a decline of one-half point to 32.75. Oahu shows a gain of one-eighth to 22.75 for 20 shares in recess and 5 shares on the board. Oahu Railway five register a fall of 1.50 to 101.50 for \$100 reported. Brewery sold up half a point on the board to 21.50 for 25 shares.
Dividends amounting to \$200,000 were announced today as follows: Hawaiian Sugar Co., 20 cents, or \$45,000; Oahu Sugar Co., 25 cents, or \$62,500; Oahu Railway & Land Co., 65 cents, or \$32,500; Pepeecko Sugar Co., \$2, or \$15,000; Waialua Agricultural Co., \$1, or \$45,000.

SLAYER OF 'PAL'

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and although there are several versions as to the reason for the sudden deadly hate that conspired the shooting by the one man of his closest friend, no evidence is known to have been found that will support any of them.
"It was a tough proposition," is the only information vouchsafed by Attorney Lorrin Andrews, Hagenmann's legal adviser. The words alone mean little, but the tone in which he speaks implied much.
To establish a sufficient case, showing the nature of the crime and the necessity of holding the prisoner, the prosecution was required to introduce one or two witnesses at this morning's hearing, where the details of the affray were recounted perfunctorily, without any new features added to the story published on the day following the murder. Hagenmann was present, sitting beside his attorney, outwardly calm and undisturbed, jotting down note as the government's witnesses told their stories.

FREAR A 'SANTY'

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per of the Waialua river to the county has been authorized, and has been sent to Hilo for publication.
Another was the appointment of members to the three subcommittees, which met and organized in the Executive chambers yesterday afternoon. The subcommittees are to be composed of the following:
Drafting—Judge W. J. Whitney, W. J. McClellan and J. C. Langel legislative R. W. Shingle, M. C. Parsons, A. L. Gasler, J. H. Wilson and S. P. Corbett; publicity—J. J. Van A. L. Gasler, J. H. F. Wolcott, Daniel Logan and V. L. Mackay.

LAND COMMISSIONER JOSHUA TUNKER

expects to leave this afternoon for Hilo on a business trip, returning Tuesday.

PLAN TO STOP OPIUM GANG

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 6.—In compliance with the request of R. F. Schwerin, vice-president and general manager of the Pacific Mail Steamship company, for the federal government to suggest means of stopping opium smuggling on the Pacific Mail lines, United States Attorney John L. McNab yesterday addressed a letter to Schwerin in which he set forth a plan to stop the contraband drug traffic.
McNab suggested that a system of reward to those finding opium be installed, and that part of the Chinese crew be supplanted with Filipinos, Hindus or Japanese if the matter of a wage prevented the hiring of Americans. It was suggested that the Chinese detectives who watch the vessels in Hongkong be men in whom confidence can be placed; and that greater care in the employment of watchmen at docks here be exercised. Also that Chinese and whites who are known to the federal officials as

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SLAYER OF 'PAL'
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and although there are several versions as to the reason for the sudden deadly hate that conspired the shooting by the one man of his closest friend, no evidence is known to have been found that will support any of them.
"It was a tough proposition," is the only information vouchsafed by Attorney Lorrin Andrews, Hagenmann's legal adviser. The words alone mean little, but the tone in which he speaks implied much.
To establish a sufficient case, showing the nature of the crime and the necessity of holding the prisoner, the prosecution was required to introduce one or two witnesses at this morning's hearing, where the details of the affray were recounted perfunctorily, without any new features added to the story published on the day following the murder. Hagenmann was present, sitting beside his attorney, outwardly calm and undisturbed, jotting down note as the government's witnesses told their stories.

FREAR A 'SANTY'
(Continued from Page 1)
per of the Waialua river to the county has been authorized, and has been sent to Hilo for publication.
Another was the appointment of members to the three subcommittees, which met and organized in the Executive chambers yesterday afternoon. The subcommittees are to be composed of the following:
Drafting—Judge W. J. Whitney, W. J. McClellan and J. C. Langel legislative R. W. Shingle, M. C. Parsons, A. L. Gasler, J. H. Wilson and S. P. Corbett; publicity—J. J. Van A. L. Gasler, J. H. F. Wolcott, Daniel Logan and V. L. Mackay.

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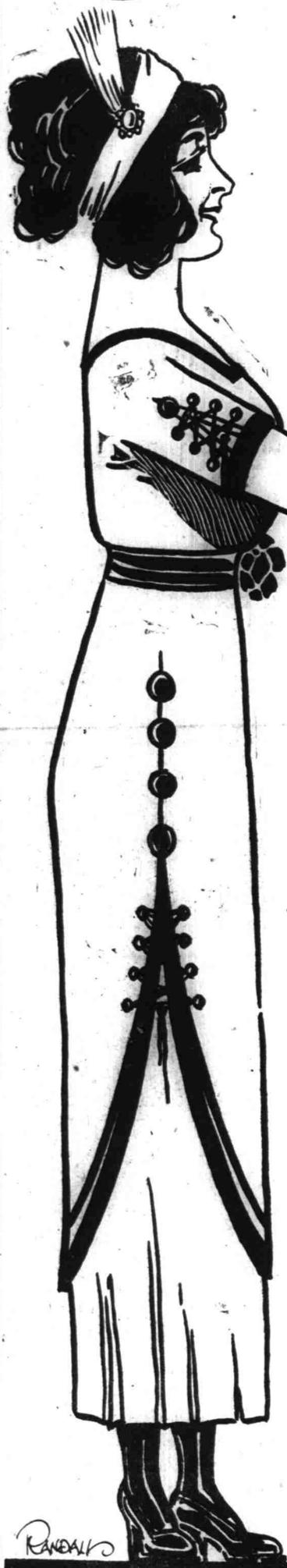
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EDITOR

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1912

The plough best who both best all things, both great and small.—Coleridge.

"GET BUSY"

Hawaii's 1913 Floral Parade is seriously endangered now because of lateness in starting the preparations. No matter where lies the blame or what seems needless delay of several months past, the fact remains that the organization of committees has hardly been started, the secretary has just been appointed, and none of the immense amount of detailed work has been started.

The time left for preparation is so short as to constitute a real emergency now, and in this emergency it is squarely up to the people of Honolulu and the islands in general to "get busy."

Just those two short, emphatic Anglo-Saxon words, "Get Busy!"

The main idea of the pageant this year, so we understand from the director, Mr. C. F. Chilngworth, and from the promotion committee, is to be historical. However, the Floral Parade committee will try to turn out a big decorated auto section and a big decorated float section, and in these two sections it is up to Honolulu to make a creditable showing.

Last year the Floral Parade committee had the unhappy experience of nearly fifty cars entered—or announced by their owners as entered—up to within a few hours of the parade. One day of rain discouraged almost a third of the owners and more than fifteen entries in the decorated auto section were cancelled at the last moment. It was not only a keen embarrassment to the committee, but a sad and significant commentary on the spirit of the people of Honolulu.

If there is one event in all the year where none of this faint-hearted spirit should be shown, where nothing but enthusiasm and determination should prevail, it is at the Floral Parade. Hawaii has advertised this midwinter carnival all over the world, and tourists are coming from all over the world to see it. One failure, one "fall-down", will hurt Honolulu and the islands immensely from the tourist standpoint. Honolulu has never yet registered a failure in her seven annual pageants, she has never registered anything but brilliant success, and only success should be contemplated now.

But no committee, no set of officials, however hard-working and capable, can get up a creditable street parade without the assistance of the owners of automobiles. And just as it is up to the auto-owners to enter decorated cars, so it is up to the business houses to enter floats.

One thing the committee should do speedily, and that is to find some means of securing entries of cars decorated not so much to win prizes as to show the interest of the people in the parade, and to add to the spectacular and beautiful effect of a long line of flower-dressed machines. It isn't necessary for an auto-owner to spend fifty or a hundred dollars in decorating a car. He can have just as good a time and get a really handsome effect for ten or fifteen dollars, and, in the past, cars have been prettily decorated for less than ten dollars.

The fact that this is Hawaii's own show and biggest show, and that it is an achievement for Hawaii and an expression of Hawaii's welcome to the visitor, as well as commemoration of the birthday of the immortal Washington, ought to bring out a hundred entries in the decorated auto section. The kind of spirit that decorates purely to win prizes is the cheapest mercenary bargaining. People of Honolulu ought to spend a few hours of preparation on their cars with flags and flowers and greenery and enter the parade if only to show that they are anxious to do their share toward helping Honolulu make good in this one big general event of the year.

There is altogether too much of the chill spirit of aloofness about Honolulu when "Floral Parade" is mentioned. It's time to loosen up and forget selfishness. In the past, the committees have been disheartened by scores of auto-owners who, when asked for entries, drew back almost as if offended and said, "Oh, I want to watch the parade from my machine."

About the best thing that could happen to possessors of this sort of spirit is to have the public know who they are and how they act when asked to give a little time and effort "for the love of Honolulu."

THE SCHOOL DEFICIT A BOOKKEEPING CONDITION

Figures printed in the Star-Bulletin the other day given out by Territorial Treasurer D. L. Conkling and showing that the deficiency in the school fund at the close of the year 1911 amounted to \$70,159.16 have been misinterpreted by many readers, and an explanation of the situation as it is understood by this paper is hereby given.

The deficit of \$70,000, giving the amount in round numbers, does not mean that the schools overdraw their appropriation. On the contrary, they lived within the appropriation.

The schools were given an appropriation of a certain amount, but when the tax receipts making up this amount came in, \$70,000 of it was transferred to the counties, instead of to the schools to which it properly belonged. This left the schools short \$70,000 of the appropriation they had been promised, and to make this up the territory paid the schools that amount.

The counties, receiving a total of \$70,000 more than they should have had last year, must now pay that back to the territory, and it will be taken out of the appropriations they ordinarily would receive from the taxes. Oahu's share of the \$70,159.16 was \$33,460.04, and this amount is deducted from Oahu's receipts this year, to reimburse the territory.

CITY CHARTER SUGGESTIONS

Honolulu's attempts to get a workable charter on the short-ballot or commission principle will be attended naturally with great diversity of opinion as to details. One of these differences is already beginning to arise. Many well-informed and thinking men of the city prefer the plan of a "city manager" to that of municipal government by a commission of three or five men.

On page 26 of this issue will be found an interesting story of the experiences of Staunton, Va., with the city manager. Here, at least, is one example of conspicuous success,—and it is better to copy success than uncertainty.

A worthy suggestion is contained in a communication published today from Prof. W. A. Bryan of the College of Hawaii, who is unusually well-informed on progressive municipal government. Mr. Bryan advances the idea that in case the recall should be set in operation against a commissioner, and if in the resulting election the voters sustain the official under fire, that official should hold office not only for the remainder of his original term, but, further, for four years from the next succeeding biennial election.

The object sought, of exercising a restraining and moderating influence on attacks through the recall, might be secured, but the Star-Bulletin sees also some disadvantages in the plan. Many voters might not wish to change horses in the middle of a stream even with an unworthy man in office and yet would wish to displace him at the next regular election. Under this plan, the people would have no right to make a change in office at the end of a regularly appointed term. Furthermore, the principle of the recall is to secure a prompt expression of opinion in case of grave civic emergency, and the official against whom a recall could even be seriously contemplated is not, in the majority of cases, likely to be an official whom the people would wish to assure of a further long term manumery without opportunity of change in the regular way.

Mr. Bryan's suggestion is novel and has some merit, but until it is more fully worked out in detail, it seems rather too experimental for Honolulu just now.

The imperial German chancellor has forbidden the diplomats of his country to wed American wives. Is this a slander on the American woman's ability to keep a secret?

Los Angeles has sent a policeman down to Laysan island to study "wild life". Wonder if the job is too dangerous for some of Sheriff Jarrett's men to tackle?

District Attorney Breckons gives us reason for hope that the Mahuka site case will be settled some time during the Democratic administration.

San Francisco capitalists are planning a sugar refinery in Constantinople. The horrors of the war must be preferable to tariff revision.

New York is anxious for the war in Europe to end. Most of its justly-famed cabaret waiters are fighting at the Grecian front.

The new charter commission is evidently bent on putting the present charter out of commission.

FRIENDLY CHRISTIANITY

For the man or woman who desires cordiality and sincerity to be of practical aid to society, to help, in a little, in bearing the burden of a neighbor, to point the way for others less fortunate in education or environment, there is an almost sublime inspiration in the story of the Bible Class Union.

Less than four years ago this union was started, but it extends now from Arizona to Rhode Island, and Canada and Australia have affiliations.

A. J. Drexel-Biddle, the dashing "Tony" Biddle of Philadelphia, scion of an old and wealthy family, himself a splendid athlete, a remarkable boxer, a leading figure in society, is the remarkable personality that has made this movement grow with meaning for humanity. In 1908 this gentleman told the pastor of a Philadelphia church that he wanted to do something for his fellowman, and the pastor suggested a Bible class for three young men just then without a teacher.

Mr. Biddle accepted the suggestion, and began to work. He had no plan in view, no theories to work out. He simply felt that as a part of a real Christian life he must give not only of his means, but of himself in personal service for the uplift of his fellowman. He has all the personal qualities of leadership, although until the development of this movement he had never found himself.

By the close of the season the class had grown to fifteen. In the fall the class, at Dr. Tomkins's request, took charge of the work in the gymnasium. Mr. Wilson became the director and manager of the team, with Mr. Biddle as a consultant and assistant. Young men inclined to athletics were attracted to "Tony" Biddle, not only because of his athletic frame, but also by his wonderfully genial, magnetic personality. It is no wonder that the gymnasium soon became crowded, and that with such leaders the various athletic teams of Holy Trinity became distinguished in all branches of sports.

But the Bible class was ever uppermost in Mr. Biddle's mind, and the young men were drawn into it in such numbers that a larger room became necessary. A number were presented for confirmation and became devout communicants and active workers in the church, as well as in the Bible class.

The next year the movement began to spread to other churches in Philadelphia, and affiliations were formed irrespective of denomination. Bible classes of both men and women were organized and largely attended. They were called Drexel-Biddle Bible classes. In 1910 the idea of a league or association among them was broached, bishops and clergymen accepting appointments as vice-presidents.

But the movement could not be confined to Philadelphia. One of the members of the original class went back to his home in Danville and established a class there, the first outside the city. Soon there were classes in Chester, Pennsylvania, and in Wilmington, Delaware, and inquiries began to pour in from many states.

Rotating leadership within an individual class, interclass visitation, and a spirit of athleticism expressed in competing games are some of the novel features Mr. Biddle has introduced.

The key-notes of this movement are Christian unity and human brotherhood. The unity of the visible Church of Christ is the absorbing question of the present day. All agree on the essential fundamental truths of the Christian faith, and admit the great need of a closer unity between Christians, but how to secure it is a problem.

And in the same spirit the classes make the social life an important feature of their work. To them the brotherhood of man means social activity, acquaintance, friendship, good cheer, mutual helpfulness, and uplift. To these aspects and fruits of brotherly love, this movement addresses itself with more energy and earnestness, and especially with more directness of purpose than is usually found. To the younger element especially, this practical application of a sociable and friendly Christianity appeals with great force, and a Drexel-Biddle Bible class, if fully imbued with the spirit of the founder, will go far toward solving the problem as to how to keep the young people, and especially the young men, in the churches.

Old Doc's Talk

FRIENDS

Friends are like clothes. You'll have to pad, then take some in—As the world goes!

Friends are like clothes; And I well know Cuts on the bias always show The bustling stitches down below—As the world goes!

Friends are like clothes; A patch or two May make them worth the more to you. When all the wear and tear are through—As the world goes!

Friends are like clothes; If you grow thin And your waist smaller than it's been.

LETTERS ON TIMELY TOPICS

AS TO THE RECALL.

Editor Honolulu Star-Bulletin. Sir:—Referring to your constructive comment on the tentative outline of a charter for Honolulu recently submitted for discussion. We note that an editorial position is taken by the Honolulu Star-Bulletin advocating that in order to make the recall effective, a higher per cent of signers to the petition should be required than that named in the outline. The following facts may be of interest in this connection.

In 63 cities scattered all over America, ranging in size from 5000 to 100,000 population, from which statistics are readily obtainable, we find that 27 cities definitely require 25 per cent of the vote cast at the last election; ten require more than 25 per cent while six cities, all located in Illinois, where state law requires the petition to be signed by at least seventy-five per cent of the voters, have charters so drawn. In eighteen cities—usually the earlier ones to adopt the short ballot charter—the recall is not provided for; while in five cities it is initiated by less than the 25 per cent suggested for Honolulu.

Of the 63 cities mentioned none have the recall based on a fifty per cent petition. The nearest approach being Dallas, Texas, where it is thirty-five per cent.

The writer of the outline, under consideration, would favor an increase rather than a decrease in the percentage required. In preparing the draft the writer considered incorporating as a suggestion, what appears to be an entirely original and perhaps what would prove in practice to be an effective and satisfactory plan named—

Make the recall operative on a 50 per cent petition after six months in office, with the proviso that if the commissioner under attack did not resign voluntarily before the election was called for and was subsequently sustained by a majority of the votes cast at the referendum election, he would be elected to continue in office four years from the next succeeding biennial election. Such a proviso would have a restraining influence all round.

A recall is an attack by the voters on the policy or personality of the individual. If the individual is sustained it would seem fair to reward

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LITTLE INTERVIEWS

E. B. BLANCHARD—I have nearly completed my investigation of the California wines as well as the "dago red" and will make my report in a few days.

PROMOTION WOOD—The display of the enlarged photographs of last year's floral parade, which we now have in the windows of the promotion committee office, is attracting a great deal of attention both by the tourists and the local people.

TOMORROW WILL BE "PEACE SUNDAY"

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Announcement was made here today by the American Peace Society of the designation of Dec. 15 as "Peace Sunday." In accordance with a custom which has prevailed for more than twenty years, churches and Sunday schools throughout the country will on that day be called upon to emphasize the barbarities of war and the growing movements toward a world court and international peace.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will build a hotel near its station in New York city twenty-three stories high, containing 1500 rooms which, with the cost of the site, will cost somewhere between \$8,000,000 and \$10,000,000. It is to be the finest hotel of its kind in the country.

PERSONALITIES

DR. T. J. McDONALD, sailed in the Sierra this morning for San Francisco. EDWIN K. FERNANDEZ, left for the coast on a business mission today. He was a passenger in the Sierra.

MR. DISTELLI, lately connected with the Palm Cafe, left today for Los Angeles to engage in business there.

Dr. J. T. Cowes was a passenger for the coast in the Oceanic liner Sierra leaving for San Francisco at noon today.

JOHN McGOVERN, who has been filling a position in Honolulu for a number of months, has decided to return to Petaluma, and will again take a position with Ernest Young, the local contractor.—Petaluma, Cal. Courier.

JUDGE AND MRS. J. D. MATHESSON, of Billings, Montana, the parents of Lieutenant Roy Matheeson of Fort De Russy and the uncle and aunt of Roderick O. Matheeson of this city, arrived on the transport yesterday. Judge and Mrs. Matheeson will spend the winter with their son at Fort De Russy.

JOHN SCOTT SEIZED AT MEETING
HILO, Dec. 13.—Suffering from an acute attack of dengue fever John Scott was seized with a sudden faintness at the meeting of the Board of Trade last Tuesday afternoon. Members present thought at first that he had a stroke of some sort and were relieved when they found out that it was not serious.

Reports yesterday afternoon stated that the veteran sugar man was out of bed and sitting up again.

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House and two lots, Wilhelmina Rise \$2500.00
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3 lots, cor. Kaimuki and Eighteenth Ave. \$1450.00
Claudine Ave. lots \$ 400.00
Lot on Palolo Hillside \$ 550.00
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Baldwin Urges Summary Punishment for Men Convicted of Heinous Crime

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 12.—Governor Simon E. Baldwin of Connecticut was greeted with a storm of applause at the governors' conference here today when he vigorously advocated the establishment of the whipping-post to punish men convicted of heinous crime.

Flogging, in some cases, for children; the whipping-post for violators of certain laws, and sterilization of assaults of women were advocated by Governor Baldwin. In his speech Governor Baldwin declared that he was more in sympathy with the "classical school of penology" than the "new or noisier one, mainly made up of sentimental humanitarians or theoretical psychologists."

The former school, he said, maintains that criminals should ordinarily be punished by subjection to some form of suffering; the other that they should ordinarily not be made to suffer for their misdeeds except as nature forces it upon them through the mind, but that their treatment by the state should be aimed primarily at their moral improvement.

Governor Baldwin's address followed an address by Governor Shafroth of Colorado, in which Governor Shafroth advocated lenient but certain punishment to criminals and cited his own state as an example where this system had worked well.

Many Governors Present.

Nineteen governors were present today at the opening session of the fifth annual governors' conference. Governor Norris of Montana responded to the welcoming address by Governor Mann of Virginia and the conference took up details of organization.

The governors present were O'Neill of Alabama, Donaghy of Arkansas, Shafroth of Colorado, Baldwin of Connecticut, Gilchrist of Florida, Brown of Georgia, Hawley of Idaho, Plaisted of Montana, Oddie of Nevada, Dix of New York, Kitchin of North Carolina, Harmon of Ohio, Blease of South Carolina, Spry of Utah, Mann of Virginia, McGovern of Wisconsin and Carey of Wyoming.

Blease Encourages Lynch Law.

In the name of the state of South Carolina, Governor Blease served notice today that lynchers of negro assaultants of white women in his state would go unpunished.

Governor Blease warmly defended his use of pardoning power as well as

declaring that in twenty-two months he had pardoned or paroled approximately 400 persons and that he hoped the number at the end of the second term would be 500.

"I have said all over South Carolina and I say it again now," he declared, "that I will never order out the militia to shoot down their neighbors and protect a black brute who commits the nameless crime against a white woman."

Only Get the Right Man.

"Therefore, in South Carolina, let it be understood, that when a negro assaults a white woman all that is needed is that they get the right man, and they who get him will neither need nor receive a trial."

Governor Blease justified the use he had made of his pardoning power, he said, by conditions he had found in penal institutions in the state.

Blease Repeats Statement.

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 12.—Many women in attendance on the governors' conference today hurriedly left the hall when Governor Cole L. Blease of South Carolina, for the second time defending his doctrine of lynchings negroes guilty of criminal assault, shouted the words: "To — with the constitution."

This sentiment was in response to a question by Governor Joseph N. Carey of Wyoming, who desired to know if Governor Blease had not taken an oath to uphold the constitution and laws of his state, and if these laws did not protect colored men as well as white men.

"I will answer that question," replied the South Carolinian, "and I hope the newspaper men will get me right, for in my campaign in South Carolina they found that I am a fighter—and a cold-blooded fighter. When the constitution steps between me and the defense of the virtue of the white women of my state I will resign my commission and tear it up and throw it to the breezes. I have therefore said, 'To — with the constitution.'"

When women, some of them wives and daughters of governors, left the hall on hearing this, Governor Blease subsided.

Blease Is Rebuked.

Governor Gilchrist of Florida answered Governor Blease.

"The first thing," he said, "which indicates a manly man or a womanly woman is thoughtful consideration for other people."

Later Governor Shafroth of Colorado referred to the lynch law doctrine.

"One mob can do more injury to society," he said, "than twenty murderers, because a lynching permeates the entire community and produces anarchy. The influence of mob rule is most reprehensible. When laws are made it should be the duty of a governor to enforce them, whether he approves of them or not. When the law prescribes hanging for an offense and a man is found guilty, he should be hanged, whether white or black, and there is no excuse for mob

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We'll offer our entire line of Ladies' Suits, Dresses and Coats, also Children's Dresses at remarkable low prices. These are all new goods, not reduced in price because they have not sold, but all of these are brand new and have never been shown before. These garments are now assembled and ready for the sale, which commences Monday.

Ladies' Tailored Suits	
Reg. \$20.00 Suits	Sale Price \$14.00
Reg. 22.50 Suits	Sale Price 16.00
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Reg. \$ 5.00 Dresses	Sale Price \$ 3.50
Reg. 8.50 Dresses	Sale Price 6.00
Reg. 9.50 Dresses	Sale Price 7.00
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Reg. \$15.00 Gowns	Sale Price \$11.00
Reg. 18.00 Gowns	Sale Price 12.50
Reg. 21.00 Gowns	Sale Price 14.00
Reg. 25.00 Gowns	Sale Price 17.00
Reg. 30.00 Gowns	Sale Price 21.50
Reg. 37.50 Gowns	Sale Price 25.00

Ladies' Coats	
Reg. \$ 9.00 Coats	Sale Price \$ 6.50
Reg. 13.50 Coats	Sale Price 10.00
Reg. 15.00 Coats	Sale Price 11.00
Reg. 18.00 Coats	Sale Price 14.00
Reg. 22.50 Coats	Sale Price 16.00
Reg. 25.00 Coats	Sale Price 18.00
Reg. 30.00 Coats	Sale Price 22.50

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from 5 to 15 years made of shear lawn, lace and embroidery trimmed.	
Reg. \$2.50 Dress	Sale Price \$1.75
Reg. 4.50 Dress	Sale Price 3.50
Reg. 5.00 Dress	Sale Price 3.90
Reg. 5.50 Dress	Sale Price 4.25
Reg. 6.50 Dress	Sale Price 5.00
Reg. 9.00 Dress	Sale Price 7.00

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PRESS & PEOPLE

MR. TAFT—A LONE MAN

One of the pathetic matters of record is the attitude manifested toward President Taft during his recent campaign for the presidency by the members of his own cabinet.

Secretary Knox was in Japan until right at the end of the campaign when he returned and made a couple of perfunctory speeches on the Pacific coast. Secretary Fisher was in Hawaii until the last three weeks of the campaign. He gave \$500 to the party's campaign fund, though he is reputed to be a rich man. Secretary MacVeagh stayed at his summer home in New Hampshire during the whole of the campaign. Secretary Wickersham was away from the scene of action and Secretary Myer was somewhere at the rear. Secretary Stimson agreed with the national committee to make two speeches, very deliberately, and to call it square at that. Secretary Wilson and Secretary Nagel are said to have been somewhere close to the president during most of the time. But Mr. Taft did the greatest part of his fighting alone and unadvised or ill-advised.

Yet the cabinet officers are said to be making a virtue of "loyalty" in staying on their jobs, now that Mr. Taft is defeated. Others are quitting the ship that's going down, but they are standing with the captain. Treasurer Lee McClung has quit. Charles Page Ryan, ambassador to Japan, has quit. Others are about to send their resignations to the president, and he has announced his purpose to fill the vacancies they leave. But the cabinet stands loyal—after the engagement, while the ship sinks and they keep one eye on the lifeboats they've picked.

Former Congressman Charles F. Scott, editor of the Iola (Kansas) Register, once mentioned for a place in Mr. Taft's cabinet, takes a vigorous whack at the cabinet's heads.

"They ought to have been fired for disloyalty the morning after election day," says he. "It's ice, not red blood, that runs in their veins."

A MARINE HOSPITAL NEEDED AT PANAMA

On the completion of the Panama canal, there will be a readjustment of routes of commerce and travel, which will radiate from the canal to all parts of the world. The western coast of Central and South America will then constitute a definite sanitary menace to the United States. Close contact by ship with the ports where yellow fever, cholera and small pox are always present, not to mention a host of other infectious diseases, will expose our Atlantic and Gulf ports to the constant peril of epidemic invasion. It will probably fall to the public health service to provide against this new danger.

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ifornia.

For Holiday Foot Wear see the
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1051 Port street. Their shoe orders
make the best Christmas present.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

For a hack ring up 2307.—adver-
tisement
Pan ka Hana will prepare the way
to good resolutions and new ones.
Let Aloha Chapter No. 3, O. E. S.,
will meet in Masonic Temple at half
past seven this evening.

Wanted—Two more passengers for
around - the island at \$6.00. Lewis
Stables and Garage. Tel. 2141.—ad-
vertisement.

There will be a social meeting of
members of Theodore Roosevelt Camp
No. 1, U. S. W. V., at half past seven
this evening.

Dickerson, The Leading Milliner,
will move into the new Cooke Build-
ing, Fort street, about Dec. 15th.—
advertisement.

Two Japanese charged with helping
themselves to pineapples from Wa-
hiauwa fields have been fined ten
dollars in each instance.

Clothes cleaned and pressed. Aba-
die's French Method of Dry Cleaning,
French Laundry, 777 King St. Tele-
phone 1491.—advertisement.

Pineapple soda and Hire's Root Beer
—excellent summer drinks—are bot-
tled by the Consolidated Soda Works,
Phone 2171.—advertisement.

Crushed alfalfa protein makes
chickens lay more eggs, also makes
cows give more milk. \$1.00 a bag de-
livered. Phone 4097.—advertisement.

Miss Vrooman, a recent arrival
from the Far East, will speak at the
Y. W. C. A. Homestead tomorrow af-
ternoon at 4:30. The subject will be
"India."

Frank Lewis, with his new six
cylinder Stevens, has severed his con-
nection with the V. H. Y. Stand and
can now be found at Lewis' Stables &
Garage. Tel. 2141.—advertisement.

Prof. De Gracia gives lessons on Vi-
olin, Cello, Mandolin, Guitar, Ukulele
and Hawaiian music. Terms moder-
ate. Studio, 424 Beretania St. opp.
Dr. Straub's sanatorium.—advertisement.

Every child writing a letter to San-
ta Claus, addressing it to WALL,
NICHOLS COMPANY, HONOLULU,
giving their Post Office address, will
be remembered at Christmas time.
Don't forget.—advertisement.

Orders taken now for Green Christ-
mas Trees from California. Henry
May & Co., Ltd. Telephone 1271. Ad-
vertisement.

The Sierra, which sailed at noon,
carried the last Christmas mail for
the Coast. Packages mailed after this
forenoon will not reach the Coast un-
til after Christmas.

Mrs. W. L. Howard, 1071 Beretania
Avenue, has an elegant line of hand-
embroidered gowns, waists, kimonos,
mandarin coats, and imported novelties
which are on sale from 2 to 5
p. m. daily.

For local friends an Xmas box con-
taining six or twelve jars of dainty
Hawaiian preserves is an ideal gift.
Call at the factory, King and South,
and see the pretty Xmas packages.
Phone 4045.—advertisement.

The regular quarterly meeting of
the St. Louis College Alumni Associa-
tion will be held tomorrow morning
at 10 o'clock. All members are re-
quested to attend, as business of im-
portance will be transacted.

The Sierra is the last Christmas
boat. A case of delicious Hawaiian
jellies is a most acceptable gift.
Phone 4045 and we will do the rest.
Honolulu Jam and Chutney Factory,
South and King streets.—advertisement.

Automobiles on the Island of Oahu
bear numbers to 1074, according to
the records on file at the office of
the sheriff. Machine number 1074
was properly tagged this morning, it
being the property of the Honolulu
Biblicultic Paving Company.

The newly appointed dance hall
commission, including Inspector Fen-
nell, Judge Wilder and Miss Rose
Davison, may have their attention
called to the Hotel street dance hall
that of late is alleged to have given
the police department considerable
trouble.

Bondsmen in federal court hereaf-
ter must furnish affidavits showing
that the sureties they give are fully
covered by their holdings in excess of
all liabilities. The new rule was
placed on record yesterday by Judge
S. B. Dole, as an amendment to rule
of court No. 128.

Secretary Mott-Smith has arranged
to have on hand the \$30,000 appropri-
ated by the federal government for
the expenses of the territorial legisla-
ture, by the time that body meets in
February. This sum furnishes pay of
the legislators, clerks and pays for
the furniture but not mileage of the
members.

Information reached here yesterday
of the death of Morris J. Bissell on
the Pacific Coast, on November 30.
Mr. Bissell was connected with the
office of the Inter-Island Steam Nav-
igation Company for many years, and
resided in College Hills. He moved,
with his family, to the Coast about
three years ago.

At the meeting of the Honolulu
Street Railway Employers' Benefit
Association, Thursday night, the fol-
lowing officers were elected: S.
Heapy, president; George B. Shar-
man, vice-president; H. G. Davis,
financial secretary; L. Lando, record-
ing secretary; J. W. Asch, J. West,
D. Lee, trustees.

Thirty reproductions of famous
paintings, each illustrating some
scene or incident from the Bible,
will be shown at Central Union
Church tomorrow evening when Rev.
A. A. Ebersole will give another of
his illustrated Bible readings. The
pictures are the best that can be se-
cured, and the general public is cor-
dially invited to the service.

Capt. Alfred Aloha was taken ill
with appendicitis on Thursday eve-
ning while at a dinner party. A doctor
was called and Captain Aloha was
rushed in an automobile to Fort
Shafer, where everything was in
order for an operation if one were
found necessary. Major Kennedy de-
cided to wait a few hours, and yes-
terday morning the captain was much
improved. It is thought that an opera-
tion will not be necessary.

A man is never so empty as when
full.

We Ask "WHY COUGH?"



Q What is good for my cough?
A Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

Q How long has it been used?
A Seventy years.

Q Do doctors endorse it?
A If not, we would not make it.

Q Do you publish the formula?
A Yes. On every bottle.

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A Not a single drop.

Q How may I learn more of this?
A Ask your doctor. He knows.

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WHERE THE CHRISTMAS DINNER COMES FROM

The Christmas dinner is quite as
important in Honolulu as in any other
English-speaking country. The plum
pudding comes steaming on the table,
the turkey is the piece de resistance,
and dainty, toothsome frills from all
parts of the world make the Christ-
mas dinner a special occasion in the
islands of the Pacific just as it is in
Boston or London. The dinner is
opened, in fact, with mirth-producing
table crackers imported from Eng-
land.

To see where the Christmas dinner
comes from one has only to go into
the handsome store of Henry May &
Co., where most of the good things
are bought. Their display of deli-
cacies is tempting and suggestive.
The housewife no longer needs to
worry over what to select for dinner.
Hundreds of suggestions offer them-
selves, making dinner planning one
of the easiest things in the world.

MILLINERY DISPLAY FOR CHRISTMAS BUYING

Miss Power's exhibit of trimmed
hats is very attractive and offers
many acceptable suggestions for
Christmas. Very pretty hats for chil-
dren and beautiful pattern hats for
women. Parlors in Boston Bldg., Fort
St., second floor.—advertisement.

A great prima donna's idea of an
expensive hat may be one that she
can buy for a song.

WANTS

WANTED

A one or two bedroom cottage, fur-
nished by young couple. Permanent
tenants. Must be close in and
near car line. "H. W. L." this of-
fice. 5418-2t.

To borrow \$800 on house and lot in
city. 5417-1t.

First class barber. Apply G. Somma,
10 North King St., near Nuananu.
5416-1m.

SITUATION WANTED.

Position by experienced bookkeeper
and corporation accountant. Plan-
tation work preferable. Married
man. Good reference. Address B.
K. this office. 5814-6t.

By expert telephone operator. Private
branch exchange preferred. "K."
this office. 5417-3t.

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Girls wanted. Apply Home Candy
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Second-hand motorcycles, Indian
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FOR RENT.

Store, 1211 Nuananu St. Apply at
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New bungalow on Kewalo St.; \$45.00
per month. For further particulars,
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sing, 80 Merchant St. 5418-1m.

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On Tuesday, between town and Pa-
loalo Valley, gold chain bracelet
with letter "E" on padlock. Will
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ACTIVE WORK OF CHARTER CHANGE UNDER WAY

Twenty-two Representatives of Various Organizations Meet With the Governor

The charter committee, suggested
by Governor Frear to take charge of
a campaign for the revision of the
charter of the city and county of Ho-
nolulu, formally came into existence
yesterday afternoon at the executive
chambers, when twenty-two repre-
sentatives appointed by the various
civic and commercial organizations
met, organized and briefly outlined a
general line of action.

Only three representatives, who are
to be members of the permanent or-
ganization, were absent. Seven new
members were authorized by the
committee, increasing the total mem-
bership to thirty-two. At the sugges-
tion of J. P. Cooke, the governor, who
was elected chairman, appointed two
representatives each for the Hawaiians
and Portuguese of the community.
These are M. C. Pacheco and John
D. Castro for the Portuguese, and John
C. Lane and W. P. Jarrett for the
Hawaiians.

R. W. Shingle suggested that the
Bar association be given a representa-
tion. The idea was adopted and
Judge Whitney, getting in touch with
President Frank Thompson, of that
organization, obtained the appoint-
ment of Judge A. A. Wilder, A. L. Cas-
tle and W. T. Rawlins.

R. Farrington said it might be
well to have a committeeman at large
representing the Chinese colony. This
idea also was adopted and the govern-
or authorized to select a representa-
tive of that race.

The following officers of the perma-
nent committee were then elected by
unanimous vote: Governor Frear,
chairman; Judge Wilder, vice chair-
man; John Effinger, secretary, and
J. P. Cooke, treasurer.

Three Subcommittees Named.

Adopting the governor's suggestion,
three subcommittees were authorized.
One will draft a tentative charter,
probably incorporating most of the
features of the short ballot, or elec-
tive commission system in vogue in so
many municipalities on the mainland;
another will attend to the publicity,
or educational, portion of the work,
and a third will assume active control
of the committee's endeavor to have
the proposed new charter passed by
the coming legislature. Five mem-
bers will comprise each of these sub-
committees, the governor to fill the
committees by appointments, if pos-
sible before his departure for Midway
island tomorrow afternoon. Such va-
cancies as he may leave are to be
filled by appointment by Judge Wil-
der, vice-chairman.

Accepting the counsel of Dr. Doro-
mus Scudder, various members coun-
teered to obtain all the information
possible concerning the features and
the success or failure of the commis-
sion form of municipal government in
certain cities of the states. Each one
who volunteered will obtain all infor-
mation possible concerning the work-
ings of the system in a certain local-
ity, making himself an authority on

the subject insofar as it concerns that city.

Research Work Distributed.

Dr. Scudder will make a study of
Sacramento, one of the cities which
has adopted the new system most re-
cently; J. P. Cooke took Lynn, Mass.;
Prof. W. A. Bryan chose Grand Junction
and Colorado Springs, Colo.; A.
L. MacKaye will study the system of
Los Angeles and Long Beach, Cal.;
W. R. Farrington will investigate the
two distinct refusals of Madison, Wis.,
to accept the commission form, and
George W. Smith will make a study
of the famous Des Moines, Ia., gov-
ernment.

In his address to the committee the
Governor mentioned that the city and
county of Honolulu is now spending
annually about \$800,000 and in the
near future probably will be using \$1,-
000,000 in its improvements and pub-
lic works of various kinds. The of-
fice holders want a fair chance to
make good, unhampered by the un-
winding of unnecessary red tape,
while the people want to get the largest
amount of good for the money ex-
pended, he stated.

He briefly reviewed the qualities of
the city's former charters, saying that
in his opinion, each had been an im-
provement on its successor, and that
he believed the present one is in ad-
vance of many municipal acts in the
states. The question is not, however,
how poor is the present charter, but
how can it be improved. The new
form in use on the mainland is giv-
ing remarkably satisfactory results. Of
course, he argued, in the last analysis
the citizens cannot depend on the
mere form of government, but on the
electors themselves and the men they
put into office. Yet the form makes
a vast difference. The voters and the
office holders should have the oppor-
tunity to do better if they desire; the
former especially should be encourag-
ed to take a more active interest in
the government here.

"I have great faith in the elector-
ate here," he declared, "and I think
we can get more out of it if we give
it a fair chance under the new form
of government."

The Governor then made sugges-
tions for the general line of work of
the committee, which that body pro-
ceeded to adopt, part by part. The
next meeting will be called by Vice-
Chairman A. A. Wilder.

The present membership of the
committee is as follows:

W. A. Bryan, J. P. Cooke, T. M.
Church, S. P. Correa, W. R. Coombs,
John Effinger, W. F. Frear, J. J. Fern,
W. R. Farrington, J. R. Gale, Geo. G.
Gould, Dan Logan, A. L. MacKaye, J.
M. McChesney, T. J. Ryan, R. W.
Shingle, Dr. D. Scudder, G. W. Smith,
J. W. Waldron, W. L. Whitney, W. E.
Wilson, J. H. Wilson, E. H. P. Wolter,
M. C. Pacheco, W. P. Jarrett, John C.
Lane, A. D. Castro, A. A. Wilder, A.
L. Castle and W. T. Rawlins.

Stamps from nearly every country
in the world were on display in Cooke
Hall, Y. M. C. A. building, last eve-
ning, under the auspices of the Junior
Philatelic Society. Besides the mem-
bers of the society Professor Walters,
B. F. Beardmore and Frank Cooke
loaned their collections, and many
rare stamps, some being catalogued
as high as 1975 dollars, were in evi-
dence. The first prize was won by
Lorrin Thurston, secretary of the
Junior society, and Kenneth Emory,
treasurer of the society, took second.
The third was won by Johnson Ben,
who displayed a collection from Aus-
tria and Switzerland. Special prizes
were awarded to Leo De Rue, E. A.
Jones, James W. Campbell, Malcolm
Smith, and others. The judges of
the exhibition were Bruce Cartwright,
Jr., W. Walters and A. L. MacKaye.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM AT PUNAHOU IS CHARMING

A very delightful Christmas pro-
gram was presented at the Charles
R. Bishop Hall, Punahou, yesterday
morning by the Punahou Preparatory
students. The exercises were in
charge of the primary department un-
der the leadership of a committee
composed of Miss Uecke, Miss Damon,
Miss Wilson and Miss Folsom. The
program consisted of:

"Hark! the Herald Angels Sing,"
Mendelssohn, school chorus; "Christ-
mas Conundrums," Grade II; "Christ-
mas Dance," Grade I; and intermed-
iate grade; "Trouble in the Doll
House," Grade III; Elinor Lyster,
Frances Cooper, Jessie Don, Roselle
Wall; "Christmas Ribbon Dance,"
Grade IV; Anthem, "Nazareth," Glea
Club.

A very interesting story of how the
girls of Germany observe Christmas
was told by Miss Ethel Damon. A
curtain was then drawn aside show-
ing a German Christmas Eve scene
represented by the children of the
primary department. A German father
and mother, Maynard Davison and
Elizabeth Hoby, were first shown de-
corating a Christmas tree and arrang-

ing the children's Christmas presents.
The children, Frederick Kiebahn, Ma-
rie Schied, Louise Erdman, Raymond
McLane, Ruth Scudder, Constanza
Constabel, William Metters, Joan Gar-
tenberg, Betty Wall, Tokiko Katsuki,
Jack Bodners, Grace Schroeder, Wil-
liam Sack, Helen Martin and Warren
Bogkus, then entered and by their
realistic actions showed how they en-
joyed Christmas.

In the midst of their playing they
were interrupted by singing from up
above. The singing was supposed to
be the angels and they sang such
German songs as "Helige Nacht," and
"Tannenbaum" which sounded very
beautiful coming from above. The
children listened for a moment and
then, gathering around their father
and mother, they joined in and sang
with the angels.

When the singing was over they re-
turned to their play and made the hall
resound to their merriment and con-
cluded the program by sending all
their Christmas gifts to the poor boys
and girls.

JAPANESE PLANNING NEW BANK IN HILO

(Special Star-Bulletin Wireless.)
HILO, Dec. 14.—It is reported here
that Japanese are planning to start a
new bank in the Hata building here
some time next year. It is believed
that the arrangements for the institu-
tion are well under way and that it
will be ready for business soon after
New Year's Day.



THE AUTOPIANO
THE JOY OF PLAYING
The AUTOPIANO
is always complete. You put yourself into the inter-
pretations just as naturally as your manner of speech
reveals your personality.
THE AUTOPIANO is not high-priced. It is of highest
quality; and once purchased the expenses stop. Natu-
rally we prefer to sell the instrument which we know
will please you best.
You can exchange your present piano for an AUTO-
PIANO. Convenient terms of payment are easily ar-
ranged.
Honolulu Music Co. : 88 King St.

NEW COMPANY ON LIBERTY BOARDS THIS EVENING

Another such as has not been seen here since Lee took the 'Globe'...

Prominent among the vaudevillians are Schilling and Guy, of musical comedy fame...

Another singing act, but in lighter vein, will be that of the well known comedienne, Edna Randall...

Two reels of Paris Pathe pictures will wind up the bill, which, according to the management, presents variety enough to please cosmopolitan Honolulu.

JUDGE WISE HOLDS AGAINST QUARANTINE

[Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence] HILO, Hawaii, Dec. 13.—That the legislature never intended to give any power to pass regulations such as the Board of Agriculture and Forestry has done is the opinion of Judge W. S. Wise of the Hilo District court handed down on Wednesday morning in connection with the case in which Attorney Correa was charged with having broken a regulation of the Territorial board by bringing oranges ashore with him from another part of the island.

When the case came up for hearing on Monday Correa entered a demurrer on the grounds that the board had no right to pass such a regulation. Wise took the case under advisement and gave his decision on Wednesday.

He held that the legislature never intended to give any board the power to make such regulations as the Board of Agriculture and Forestry did and that the act was only intended to cover the importation of fruit and other things from outside the territory.

According to the decision the whole of the present inter-island and local fruit inspection machinery is useless and if it is upheld by the higher courts to which it has been appealed it will open the way of a number of damage suits.

Yesterday afternoon a wireless was received from Attorney-General Alexander Lindsay Jr., stating that the case would be taken direct to the supreme court on a writ of error.

OFFICER OCAMPO NOW A BENEDICT

Officer Alfred Ocampo, one of Chief Arthur McDuffie's able lieutenants, went out on a still hunt last night and in returning to detective headquarters surprised his brother officers with the declaration that he was a married man.

The young lady who submitted to the arrest by Ocampo is Miss Fedora Virola. Reverend S. K. Koloa was called upon and tied the knot. Congratulations were in order at police station this morning.

"Did that young lawyer indulge in much circumlocution when he proposed to you, Miss Rocksleigh?" "Yes, he tried to; but of course I pushed him away every time. You know I ain't that kind of a girl."

RUMPUS IN ALL PARTIES BREAKS OUT

Merry Wars Now Raging in Factions, with Bull Moosers Leading Noisemaking

By C. S. ALBERT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The post-election rumpus among the factions of all political parties has become acute. Within a month of the flag differences at the polls and many of the merry wars have broken out. They threaten to wreck each of the organizations involved.

The initiative was taken by the Bull Moosers. They called a conference of leaders to meet in Chicago December 19 and 21. It was intended to frame up a plan for perfecting such an organization as would insure victory in the contest of 1916. Senator Dixon, who managed the Bull Moose campaign announced with a flourish of trumpets that "old Roosevelt" would be present. He also predicted a general outpouring of the faithful. The wicked rumor was then started that among the things performed at the gathering would be the ousting of George W. Perkins, chief angel of the recent movement, from further connection with the so-called Progressive party. It was declared that the affiliation of Mr. Perkins with the Harvester Trust, the Steel Trust and other sinful combinations disqualified him from additional usefulness even as an angel to furnish money.

Entombs This Ghost.

To forever lay this ghost Senator Dixon issued this statement: "So far as I am aware, there are no differences among the leaders of the party which could justify the statement that Mr. Pinchot or Mr. Garfield is seeking to oust Mr. Perkins from leadership. Some of the papers have been very bitter, but the fact should be kept in mind that no special attitude has been taken by any one man prominent in the movement which would justify this assumption of disagreement."

"The Chicago conference will also consider ways and means for conducting the Progressive propaganda during the next four years. In this discussion, Colonel Roosevelt will take part simply as one of the leaders of the movement."

At the same time there was an awful outbreak regarding a plank alleged to have been stolen bodily from the Bull Moose platform adopted at Chicago in August. This was the declaration relating to trusts and other monopolies. Every Progressive is looking inquiringly at his neighbor and demanding to know who was responsible for the elimination of the plank. It is intimated that the theft was done for the benefit of George W. Perkins, and mayhap to save his feelings.

Republicans Easy.

The regular Republicans have passed the word around for a general conclave of those left in New York Dec. 14. It was proclaimed that President Taft would be among those present. But the Chief Magistrate will be a busy man on that day and date. He is scheduled to attend several functions and in the evening sup with the Society of the Caribou. It is not made apparent how he can be in New York.

The avowed purpose of the regular Republican powwow is to patch up the Grand Old Elephant and start it on the way toward such recovery as will enable it to do effective service four years hence. Just who will attend this meeting is not divulged. Some Regulars say the party may go hang, unless they read all the Progressives out of the ranks, while others favor a policy of catnip and conciliation.

Bourbons Go Crazy.

The Democrats have already gone far on the road to insanity because of leadership and patronage. Each and every Democratic member of the senate either desires to be a leader or go unbossed. Indications are that after March 4 the senate will look

FINDING WAYS TO CHECK ABUSE OF 'DAGO RED'

At a meeting of the board of liquor license commissioners held in the senate chamber yesterday afternoon, and at which a large number of the saloon men of the city were present, the first steps were taken to remedy the abuse of 'dago red' consumption on a basis that would be satisfactory to both the retailers and the wholesalers.

The meeting was presided over by Willard E. Brown, chairman of the board, and the first matter of business was the reading of a petition signed by a number of the retail dealers protesting against the regulation recently passed by the board whereby the price of \$1.50 should be placed on one gallon of cheap wine sold by the retailers, and \$1.00 per gallon on the same quality of wine sold by the wholesalers. This matter was partially threshed out by the members of the board, and Attorney Lorrin Andrews, who appeared for the retail dealers, Andrews stated that he thought that if the man who is in the habit of using dago red in his home, and who is used to going to the saloon and buying it, and taking it home himself, can get it delivered at his home for an additional fifty cents, that he would still continue to use just as much if not more.

Having then presented the plan of the board the wholesalers sell the wine in not less than five gallon quantities, charging for the same five dollars, or one dollar per gallon, and that the retailers be confined to the trade only. The retailers came back at this by saying that in a case like this, a man would buy five gallons and if he had that much in his home at one time there would be a tendency for him to consume more of the liquor. However, Mr. Andrews stated that this plan would be satisfactory to his clients. Several of the prohibitionists and others present addressed the board on this matter, and Johnny Martin was of the opinion that the dago red sales should be minimized as much as possible. Dick Sullivan, J. P. Medeiros and A. J. Wirtz were among the others who spoke. The matter was dropped at this point and will be taken up further by the board in the near future.

The next matter to come up before the board was the charge against the Sunrise saloon, owned by Y. Kimura, which is claimed to have sold liquor to a man in an intoxicated condition. Several affidavits were filed setting forth that the man in question was not intoxicated, but Kimura was found guilty and his license was suspended from December 15 until January 1, and he was ordered to discharge his bartenders, whom, it appears, were the cause of the trouble.

Gus Cordes, proprietor of the River Rhine saloon, was given permission by the board to transfer his license to J. Quintal. S. F. Chillingworth, who appeared for Cordes, stated that the former proprietor was in a state of health where he could no longer carry on his business. Quintal has been in the employ of the Honolulu Iron Works for the past fifteen years and has a good reputation. The board granted permission for the transfer. The board also gave permission to J. G. Correa, a partner in the firm of Rosa & Co., to transfer his interest in the business to Manuel Calhau, who was formerly in the liquor business.

like a Central American army—all officers and no privates.

Some of the newer Democrats in the Senate are thirsting for some of the power that will be taken over by the Democrats from the Republicans after March 4, and there is talk of a breaking away, at least to some extent, from the long established rule of seniority in the appointment of committee chairmanships and in the filling of vacant places on the big committees.

The rumblings have been heard by a number of senators, and a conference or caucus of Democrats to iron out the difficulties has been suggested. It is urged that the organization of the Senate for the special session to follow the inauguration of President Wilson should be worked

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out during the coming short session so there will be no delay in starting the wheels of the legislative machinery when the Democrats take control.

Control Narrow

So small will be the margin of Democratic control that a small group of Democrats might remain away from the Senate or take some other method of revolt and leave the remaining Democrats powerless to reorganize the Senate as they might wish. The newer Democrats who clamor for important committee assignments, and who are among the most aggressive members of the upper house, are holding their position as a trump card with which to turn many tricks.

The Senate committees have important influence in shaping legislation in Congress and control the distribution of a goodly amount of patronage. Because of the rule of seniority which has long prevailed in the Senate, most of the important offices are held by Democrats who have long been members of the Senate, because of the same rule the newer Democrats have only unimportant places on the committees. It is the desire of these newer men to get more important committee places that has led to the agitation in the ranks of the Democrats.

Where Power Lies

How the rule of seniority places the power in the hands of the older senators is shown in a glance at the committee assignments of some of the older Democrats. As a general rule, a small committee holds the ranking of several places on most of the important committees such as Finance, Agriculture, Commerce and Interstate Commerce, Foreign Affairs, Military Affairs, and the Judiciary.

HAWAII IN DAYS OF KING KALAKAUA

Isobel Strong Writes Volume Containing Many Romantic Episodes

Hawaii in the days of long eaves, instead of electric lines and of kings and queens instead of governors and mayors, an enchanting Hawaii of romance, is the theme that Isobel Strong, member of the Robert Louis Stevenson party that came here many years ago, has woven into attractive form for "The Girl From Home."

SIBERIA AS A COUNTRY FOR FREEMEN

By the Gates of Siberia is at last to lose all of its old penal colony character and will become for the first time in more than a century a country for freemen.

But instead of leaving for the States again, she prefers to remain for awhile in Honolulu.

To tell the rest of the pretty romance would be to spoil a good story that is destined to become popular in Hawaii. Mrs. Strong has used much sympathy in her evident affection in her description of Hawaiian folks and places. Her story is laid in the time of King Kalakaua and even the very recent newcomer here will be able to recognize many characteristics that the passing years have left unchanged. It is part of the book's charm that the authoress has retained such vivid impressions of things and scenes of many years ago.

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"Travels in Mexico" will be the subject tomorrow evening of the fifth of a series of travel talks which are being given at the fellowship supper of the Newcomers' Club at the Young Men's Christian Association. Alexander Hume Ford, who has traveled extensively in Mexico, will give the talk. At the Newcomers' Club which meets at a quarter to five, the subject of discussion will be "Seeing the Elephant." All men, whether members of the association or not, are cordially invited to attend.

citizens in that new land, so far away from their homes. Their descendants have helped in the slow upbuilding of Siberia.

But there is no denying that the old system was bad for Siberia and bad for Russia. It has been bad for every country that ever adopted it. England will always regret its penal experiment in Australia. It was an experiment that undoubtedly held that great country back from its manifest destiny so long as it was in force, and had its evil effects long after the transportation system had been abolished. Australia found it hard to live down the memories of Botany Bay, but for which the rapid advancement of recent years might have begun before.

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DR. ELLIOTT TO HEAD BOARD AGAIN

[Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence] HILLO, Hawaii, Dec. 13.—Although he wanted to resign there was no opportunity afforded President Elliot of the Hilo Board of Trade at the meeting held last Tuesday afternoon and the members present were unanimous in their wishes that he should continue as their president for another year. When the nomination committee made its report, naming Elliot as next president, he stated that as he had held position for the past two years he thought it was up to someone else to be given a chance. "There are a number of good men in this association," he stated, "who are eminently qualified to hold down the position and I think that as I have been in the chair for the last two years I should be allowed to retire. In fact I must state that I do not wish to continue for another year." This statement brought a rush of protest from the members present and those who were on the nomination committee stated that the matter was one that had been fully gone into by the committee and they had carefully deliberated the fact that President Elliot had been in the chair for two years. At the same time there were so many things that he had started they thought he should serve them for another year and carry out to completion the schemes which were his own. After further discussion Elliot withdrew his objections for the present and the matter has now gone to the annual meeting. The other officers named by the nomination committee are as follows: President, H. B. Elliot; vice president, D. E. Metzger; secretary, E. N. Depp; treasurer, H. E. Mariner; trustees, Wm. McKay, E. F. Nichols, Adam Lindsay, W. S. Wise and R. W. Miller.

OAHU AND KAUAI IN COMBINE

(Continued from Page 1) avalanche that buried Republican candidates for the legislature on this island, is the man on whom the political wise ones are declared to have centered their efforts to land the speakership plum. Though somewhat new to legislative circles, Cooke is said to be fully as well equipped to handle the affairs of the House as is Holstein. Moreover, the latter is none too firmly seated on his throne, and murmurs of revolt were rife all last session. In fact, Sam Kellinof of Maui aspired to unseat Holstein and at one time had nine representatives in his supporting phalanx, but Holstein won out and was re-elected speaker of the last house, where he maintained his good record in handling business promptly and efficiently. Although Holstein has ruled with success, Oahu last session felt that the most important island of the four was cutting about the least figure. Kaula had the chairman of the ways and means committee of the senate and the finance committee of the house, as well as the president of the senate, Knudsen, while Hawaii had the speaker of the house. This year, Oahu will have even less prominence in the committees, from present prospects, because Oahu has gone Democratic, and both the houses, remaining Republican, will not be likely to hand over any more chairmanships honors to the Democrats than they can help. The plan to elect Clarence Cooke speaker of the House has been hat-hung out for some time, and the Democratic delegation-elect has already done some informal caucusing. Furthermore, the plan has been broached to Kaula, with what success is yet to be seen. Of course, Kaula Republicans will want something for the Garden Island in return for casting their strength to Holstein rather than Cooke. Doubtless Senator Knudsen, who is a holdover, will aspire to be

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BY C. S. ALBERT. [Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence] WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 3.—The mountain and Mahomet turn is to be done by Governor Wilson and William J. Bryan, after all is said and done. Mr. Bryan would not go to Bermuda and have a consultation with Governor Wilson because of the uproar raised by the common people when the news became public that such a meeting had been arranged. So, Governor Wilson wrote Mr. Bryan and requested him to meet the steamer from Bermuda in New York and they would have their discussion of political matters and cabinet material in the big, wicked city. In his letter Governor Wilson tried to make it plain that he wishes to consult with Mr. Bryan as one of the leaders of the Democratic party. He will also consult with other Democratic leaders upon his return.

PUBLICITY COMES CHEAP TO THIS MAN

There is a certain man on the coast who has been engaged in considerable press-agent work for himself and as a result Honolulu came very near having two managers for the coming Floral Parade and Carnival, according to an article in the Pasadena Star of Nov. 28. Topped by a glaring headline, the statement reads that one Leroy D. Ely of Pasadena has refused the "flattering offer" to manage the Honolulu floral fete, and has decided to remain in that city during the period of preparation for the annual tournament of roses. The article is, in part, as follows: "I am not going to Honolulu," said Mr. Ely, when asked by the Star today whether the report was true that he was preparing for a trip to the islands. Those connected with the coming Floral Parade can make neither head nor tail to the article, and it is evident that the said Leroy D. Ely had good reasons for declaring that he had changed his mind as to accepting the aforesaid offer. Director General Chillingworth, when asked this morning as to his knowledge of the truth of the story, stated flatly that he knew of no such appointment and believes that it is merely a trumped-up story of some person who is soliciting publicity. Secretary Henshall and Secretary Wood are both ignorant of the story.

M'KEE RANKIN BOOKED TO PLAY IN HONOLULU

Another treat is in store for the Honolulu theatre-goers when McKee Rankin visits this city on January 6 with a company of sixteen people. Mr. Rankin is well known in Honolulu, having played at the Hawaiian Opera House with Nance O'Neill, the famous tragedienne, on several occasions. His presentations here have always been in character, but on his visit this time he will be seen in different roles. It is his plan to put on two plays a week, and his company, which has been selected with great care, will be composed of many well-known actors and actresses. January 6 has been set as the opening date. Maude Powell, the violinist, will be in Honolulu only during the Christmas season, arriving here on the Sonoma December 27, and will leave early in January for the mainland. The members of the Commercial Club, in observance of their time honored custom of a jinks at Christmas, will attend Miss Powell's first performance in a body, and have already engaged practically half the house. Following the performance the members will gather at a dinner in the club rooms.

For the first time in the history of the lower branch of Congress, the Democrats of the north will outnumber the party colleagues of the south in the next house. It's a genuine surprise party if any one has a good time at it.

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PLACE TO FIND GOOD EATING

Christmas cheer without good "eats" is something as impossible to imagine as big sugar dividends without a decent amount of tariff protection. In this palatial new quarters, The Palm Cafe and its manufacturing divisions "take the palm" for providing plain and fancy "grub." Alfred H. Junglaeus, president of the Palm corporation, speaking of the Christmas trade of the establishment this morning said: "We have the finest lines of confection ever seen in Honolulu, peppermints and German honey cake being among the popular favorites. Our fruit cakes are famous. In the ice cream department we have all kinds of glaces, sherbets and punches. "Besides outside catering, we are always prepared to serve party dinners in the cafe. For the season we are giving away a nice line of calendars and fans. We specialize a good deal on our bread, having the most sanitary bakery in town. Both in the bakery and in the candy factory and the pastry and ice cream department, there has never been any place in Honolulu where absolute cleanliness has been so rigidly maintained. Gas is the fuel used exclusively—no burn neither wood nor coal—so everything is positively clean and sweet. "Business this season all round has been fairly good. It is picking up right along."

WAR OF 'VETS.' ENDS AT LAST

Finis has been written to the harrowing tale of the three veterinarians at Schofield Barracks, who disagreed professionally, personally, and socially, to a point where all three finally faced a general court martial, and were forced to answer to statements, allegations and left handed complaints that had been going the merry rounds. Klipping's "Rhyme of the Three Sealers," where "The Baltic ran from the Northern Light, and the Stralsund fought the two," has nothing on the prose, but not prosaic, story of the warring "vets." Veterinarian Haynes got off with forfeiture of \$25 per month for two months. Veterinarian Vans Agnew was acquitted on all the specifications, and now comes the order in the case of Dr. Lester E. Willyoung, showing that the artillery veterinarian gets the hardest handling. He is sentenced to be confined to the limits of the garrison for four months, and to forfeit \$25 per month for that period. Dr. Willyoung's offense was hung on that old stand-by, the 62nd Article of War, under "conduct to the prejudice."

CONGRESSMAN IS NOW DRAFTING AN INCOME TAX LAW

By C. S. ALBERT. [Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence] WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Anticipating the early ratification of the income tax amendment to the Constitution, Congressman Cordell Hull, a Democratic member of the Ways and Means Committee, is now drafting an income tax bill which probably will be the model for the committee in perfecting such a measure during the extra session of Congress. A tax upon unearned as well as earned incomes, over and above \$5,000, is understood to be the tentative plan of the Democratic House. It is believed that the tax upon earned incomes will be put at one per cent, and that upon unearned incomes at one and a half per cent. Democratic leaders estimate that \$100,000,000 to \$150,000,000 may be raised through an income tax, and such a bill is slated as a companion measure to one of the tariff revision bills which will pass during the extra session next spring. Congressman Hull is the author of the bill extending the excise tax, which passed the House last session, and is considered the logical man to draft a bill for submission to the ways and means committee of the House, which will handle this important legislation. The Democrats intend an income tax to supplant the existing corporation tax law, as well as the Underwood extension bill, which failed of passage in the Senate last session. Swollen fortunes will be reached by the proposed new law, it is declared today, and the man who has an "unearned" income may have imposed upon him a graduated higher rate of taxation, comparatively speaking, than the salaried man whose incomes barely exceeds the proposed \$5,000 exemption. The income tax bill will be introduced in the House as soon as two more States ratify the Constitutional amendment.

FINEST KODAKS HAVE BIG RUN

"Secure the shadow ere the substance perish," the old photographers advised to catch custom. This is not more than a small part of the motive of amateur photographers, who not only want the fun of snapping up the shadows of human relatives, friends and interesting characters, but on every occasion, whether amidst home scenes or those as distant as Far Cathay, to gather views of persons and places as souvenirs of their travels and evidences of their skill in the picture-taking art. That this fact is a rapidly growing one is proved by the talk given to a Star-Bulletin man today by John T. Warren, owner and manager of the Honolulu Photo Supply Company, in answer to an inquiry about Christmas business. "Our business is quite a month ahead of last year at the same time," said Mr. Warren. "The sale of expensive kodaks—the high class instruments—is one of the most noticeable things in the increase of business. "I think the new framing department we have got is also largely responsible for the gain. An expert has just come down from the mainland to handle this branch, and already the results are most promising. "Yes, we will be open every night till Christmas, beginning this evening."

NEW AMERICAN CAPITAL TO AID IN PHILIPPINES

By C. S. ALBERT. [Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence] WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The need of American capital in the Philippines is emphasized by E. M. Loeffler, an importer and exporter in Manila and manufacturer of cigars there, who is now at the Willard with Mrs. Loeffler on his way around the world. Big developments are going on in the island, he says, but are held back by the failure of American capital to flow there easily. Mr. Loeffler is interested in European markets in Philippine products. With the growth of all sorts of industries in the Philippines, Mrs. Loeffler says, foreigners are becoming strongly interested and agents from rubber growers and merchants in the Straits Settlements have been giving attention to the rubber possibilities, there with a view to starting plantations. Great ignorance exists here, Mr. Loeffler says, of what the Philippines are really turning out. Embroideries that are superior to any that come from Paris and laces that surpass the finest turned out at Brussels are made in Manila and can be bought much cheaper. Many of the expensive straw hats purchased by importers in Paris are Philippine products, and could be purchased there direct much cheaper than in France if the importer only knew about it.

GERMAN DIPLOMATS MUST WED GERMANS

BERLIN, Germany, Dec. 4.—The entry of American-born wives into the German diplomatic corps is forbidden from now on, under a ruling if Imperial Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, which has restored the regulation made by the late Prince Bismarck, prohibiting German diplomats from marrying foreigners. Former Imperial Chancellor von Buelow, with his Italian wife, Princess Maria Beccadelli di Bologna, headed a service which was largely graced by American brides. Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg has now informed the members of the German diplomatic service that the decision of an official of the German diplomatic corps serving abroad to marry a foreigner will hereafter be regarded as an expression of his wish to retire from the service. Senator Dixon, with his prediction of 6,000,000 votes for the Bull Moose, gains admittance to the rank of interesting prophets. The proof of the pudding may be in the amount left over. The man who I untrue to his friends can never trust himself. Most people would rather take advice from strangers. Even a married man may do as he pleases—as long as he pleases his wife. If some men have plenty to drink with their dinner they never complain of the cooking. There is little doubt that the young die good. A fool and her money frequently marry into the nobility. handled in Manila is increasing, Mr. Loeffler says, but, owing to the great time required to get goods to this country, as well as for legislative reason, there is grave danger of European merchants capturing a large proportion of the trade in certain lines. Merchants in this country exercise too little care, Mr. Loeffler says, in packing goods. In Germany, he says, the per cent of breakage is only 2 1/2. In goods from the United States, the amount of breakage often runs as

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A BUSINESS BASIS

J. Walter Doyle Appointed to Corral the Dollars at the New Year's Events at Kapiolani Park—Committee Busy

With a tentative program made up of nine good races, the committee which is engineering the New Year's race meet at Kapiolani Park, is getting every encouragement from horse men and sport lovers in general.

There is one stumbling block which must be overcome, and that is the question of finances. To attract first class entries, generous purses must be offered, and this runs the expense bill up very fast.

It is with this idea of getting every quarter and half that is legitimately coming to the association that J. Walter Doyle has been named business manager of the meet.

At a meeting of the general committee held yesterday, Albert Horner and W. H. C. Campbell were named a special committee on race events and handicaps.

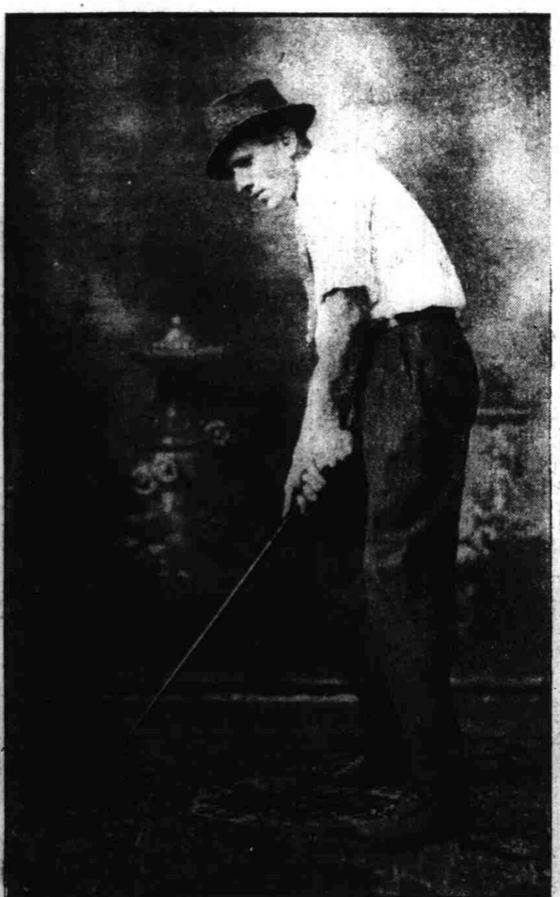
There is talk of a gentlemen's riding race, and if enough entries can be secured this will be one of the special features of the program.

FINAL GAME OF PENNANT TO BE PLAYED SUNDAY

Weather permitting, the P. A. C. and the J. A. C. will meet tomorrow at Athletic Park, in the fifth and final game of the pennant series.

A record crowd is expected to be on hand for the winner of today's game will take the championship of the Senior League for 1912.

MADISON AND BAUERSOCK MEET IN RING TONIGHT



EDDIE MADISON. Madison took to the gentle art of golf as part of his training for tonight's fight with the husky soldier.

FIGURES FOR FANS. Time—8 p. m. Place—Bijou Theatre. Main event—Eddie Madison, of San Francisco vs. Sergeant C. Bauersock, of Schofield Barracks. 15 rounds. 150 pounds ringside.

First preliminary—Corporal Kibbey, Fifth Cavalry vs. Private Donovan, Second Infantry. 4 rounds. 135 pounds ringside.

Second preliminary—Blondy Ross, the Horrible Hacksman, vs. Young Jack Johnson, the Terrible Tar. 4 rounds. 154 pounds ringside.

Third preliminary—Private Allen, First Field Artillery, vs. Private Willis, Fifth Cavalry. 6 rounds. 153 pounds ringside.

Promoter—Dick Sullivan. Referee of main event—Billy Heilbron. Referees of preliminaries—Dr. Birch and Tex Selman.

Announcer—R. W. Warham. Timekeeper—Bert Bower.

For the third time Eddie Madison and Sergeant Bauersock will come together inside the squared circle, and tonight's fight is creating more general interest and speculation than any previous ring engagement of the year.

Inter-Island Bowling League. P. W. L. Pct. Maui 21 15 6 322

BOWLING FIGURES ARE NOW AT HAND

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Averages for the bowling series of the 'Y' League, which completed its schedule last night, have just been figured out.

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His election this week by his fellow-players has met with general approval.

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Nigel Jackson, distance runner and pedestrian, and prime mover in the Kalakaua avenue walking race, which will be held this year on December 22, states that yesterday afternoon he broke the record for the course by covering the mile and three-quarters in the fast time of 15m. 5s.

Jack Holland, manager of the St. Joseph team, was going to use Johnson in Sunday's game. The teams were battling hard for a first division berth, and Johnson was pitching great ball for St. Joseph at the time.

The manager of the other team hunted up Johnson Saturday night.

'George,' he said to the Indian, 'you certainly are a swell pitcher. You didn't know that I was after you, did you? I was going to get you when Holland grabbed you. I didn't know he was after you or I surely would have taken you.'

Johnson fell for the 'salve,' and he and the manager were soon getting along fine.

'Let's have a little drink,' suggested the manager, and the two strolled off together.

One drink resulted in another and another, and soon Johnson had taken too many.

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Those poor Expanders! Last night the Cherries stuck a pin—several pins, for that matter—into them, and they shriveled up like pricked balloons.

There was no more expansion left in them, and slowly and sorrowfully they drifted down from the heights, and woke up to the fact that they had lost the championship of the Y. M. C. A. Bowling League in a most decisive way.

However, up to last night they made a great fight, and no disgrace attaches to defeat. The Cherries got off to too long a start, and with the confidence of early success kept running easily in the lead.

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FOOTBALL GAMES ARE BEING PLAYED

Two rousing games of football, one of soccer and the other intercollegiate, are on tap at the Moiliili grounds this afternoon, the Punahou and the Heali-

lan playing the first game of the soccer season, and the original Town team and the Schofield team competing for the honors in the first of their series of three games.

The first encounter will take place at 2:15 and following this will come the game between the Townies and the Soldiers.

The soldiers arrived in town at 1 o'clock, and were the guests of the Townies at lunch. Although the dope handed out slightly favors the Townies, there are rumors that betting on

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ST. LOUIS COLLEGE, A. A. Quarterly meeting.—The regular quarterly meeting of the members of the St. Louis College A. A. will be held at Drexel Hall, Union St., on Sunday, the 16th inst, at 10 a. m. As business of importance will be considered, it is the urgent request of the president that all members thereof attend. O. P. HEINE, Secretary, St. Louis College Alumni Association.

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HOLIDAY GOODS HOLIDAY GOODS HOLIDAY GOODS HOLIDAY GOODS. Holiday Goods. Our line of CHRISTMAS GOODS this year contains many valuable suggestions for that much-vexed problem: 'What Shall I get for Christmas?' Our line of Oriental Goods must be seen to be appreciated. A few suggestions for Ladies: SILK EMBROIDERED SHIRT WAIST PATTERNS, SILK EMBROIDERED HANDBAGS, SHAWLS and KIMONOS, all in rich Oriental finish. GRASS LINEN and PONGEES. For the Gentlemen: SILK EMBROIDERED SHIRTS, SILK CREPE PAJAMAS, NECKTIES, SUSPENDERS and SOCKS SET. A purchase made now will save worry on Christmas eve. Our goods are now on display. Canton Dry Goods Co., Hotel St., Opposite E. Wire Theatre.

In Business Circles—News and Review

EDITED BY DANIEL LOGAN

CHRISTMAS TRADE GOOD; NO GLOOM IS APPARENT

There is assurance no prospect of hard times in the holiday trade this year. Many managers of retail stores have interviewed the past week, and their unanimous verdict is that business is clearly ahead of last year's record at this time. Casual observation by anyone in a position to make comparisons will lead to the same conclusion, for the bustle in downtown streets during shopping hour seems much greater than in some years past.

Although sugar plantation companies have begun to cut dividends for next year, and there is slack water in the stock market, no state of panic, or even threat thereof, exists with regard to domestic securities. On the contrary, there is a spirit of hopefulness that shows that the prospect of a shorter sugar crop from the past one, together with tariff uncertainty, has not caused ed dismay but only cautiousness against plunging. Quite likely the beginning of the year will see renewed inquiry for sugar stocks, with an absence of speculative features. The frequency with which little spurts of buying non-dividend and consequently low priced sugar stocks occur would seem to indicate that many people are looking ahead to a more settled and stable condition of our main industry, when their purchases of today in such stocks will have proved a good investment either for regular income or profit-taking.

At present real estate is comparatively dull, although residence sites in desirable situations are frequently taken at fair prices. It is very probable, however, that nothing like a boom will again occur until after the opening of the Panama Canal and the San Francisco fair. Much of the unimproved residence property sold in the past two years has not been for immediate building on, but to hold for the advance in values confidently expected when Honolulu begins to come into its destiny, as the most desired place of habitation on the globe, from events that are now shaping. Readers of this paper must be surprised at the amount of space it takes to cover leading business events of a week, even when reduced to shortest possible mention. Today's summary of news is very lively and is illustrative of what a busy little territory this is.

Raw sugar broke from 4.65 to 3.92 in New York the first of this week.

Otto A. Bierbach was the ultimate purchaser of the Dayton homestead which was sold the other day for \$7000.

A request is to be made of Congress for money to establish a quarantine station at Hilo.

Construction of the wharf at Waialae, Oahu, for which there is an appropriation of \$7500, will begin early next year.

Schools of agriculture are to be established in several states of Mexico for the benefit of the laborers of the haciendas.

A concrete building for the graduating class of Kamehameha Girls' School will be ready for dedication about Christmas.

A laboratory in charge of T. F. Sedgwick has been established in the public works department to test construction materials.

Members of the next board of supervisors are considering the question of raising the wages of road laborers to \$2 a day.

About \$104,500 is contained in the estimates of General Bixby for completing the defenses of Oahu according to present plans.

Willett & Gray saw that all of the 2,000,000 and over of tons of Cuba's coming sugar crop can be used to advantage in the United States.

Koloa plantation sugar will be shipped direct on board American-Hawaiian steamers at Port Allen, the Kaula landing formerly known at Eleele.

It is reported that the contract for installing the "work" of the new national theater in Mexico City will be awarded to an American concern.

The Ideal Clothing Co., Ltd., with a capital of \$15,000, has been incorporated under the presidency of J. P. Medeiros, who owns the bulk of the stock.

Captain E. H. Parker, harbor-master of Kahului, reports business flourishing on Maui, and great anticipations of results from the new harbor when completed.

Receipts of B. L. Cross Christmas seals, sold for the benefit of the anti-tuberculosis campaign in Honolulu, aggregated over \$1500 up to a few days ago.

President W. B. Dole of the Hawaiian Pineapple Co. denies a rumor that the company intends going into the canning of miscellaneous fruit preserves next year.

The public works department has engaged R. B. Park, an engineer who has had much experience in the Philippines, to take charge of the harbor improvement scheme.

A British-Belgian bank has been formed in Shanghai, with a capital of \$700,000, with the purpose of negotiating loans, particularly in connection with mining and railway concessions.

A contract aggregating \$5823 has been awarded to the Art Metal Construction Co., f. o. b. at Honolulu, for supplying metal bookstacks, etc., for the higher courts in the reconstructed Judiciary building.

Discharging a defendant after trying him on a charge of bringing fruit into Hilo from another district, Judge Wise declared the inter-island fruit quarantine illegal and void. The government will appeal on the law points.

The plan for beautifying Palace Square, prepared at the instance of the Kiloahua Club, will be considered at a special meeting of the Oahu Central Improvement Committee on Wednesday evening next.

For \$10,129.40 John T. Moir has quit claimed to the Paukaa Agricultural Co. his interests in nineteen pieces of land in the district of Hilo, containing a total area of 219.33 acres, of which the seller's interests cover 128.36 acres.

There is a deficit of over \$70,000 in the fund for the salaries of public school teachers, for the whole territory, and there is talk of the necessity of increasing taxes next year to prevent a recurrence of such a situation.

Bills are being prepared by several legislators for promoting public improvements, including one by Senator Judd to establish the frontage tax system for opening new streets. C. R. Hemenway is assisting in the drafting.

According to a school budget submitted to the government by the education department, for the ensuing biennial period, new school buildings will come out of current funds instead of loan moneys as in the current period.

Work has actively started on the scheme to unite the commercial bodies of Honolulu, the civic committee appointed last May at a conference having called on the various bodies to appoint committees to represent them respectively in the negotiations.

At a meeting on Thursday the Board of Immigration decided to authorize Raymond C. Brown in London by cable to accept the offer of a charter of a steamer with 1600 bunks to bring out Portuguese immigrants, the price of the charter being about \$137,000.

A license to construct and operate a floating drydock in Honolulu harbor has been granted by the government to the Inter-Island Steam Navigation Co., which quit claims a small piece of its own land at the site to the government. The term is not to exceed fifty years.

There was a conversation by wireless on Sunday night between C. E. Ellwell, chief engineer of the Poulsen system, operating at Arlington, Virginia, near Washington, D. C. and S. R. Maddams, operating at the Federal Wireless Telegraph Co.'s station at Kaneohe, on this island.

Pioneer Mill Co. has reduced its monthly dividend, beginning first of next year, from 30 to 20 cents, or 18 per cent to 12 per cent per annum on the capital stock. Onomea Sugar Co. has cut its dividend, beginning January 5 next, from 40 to 30 cents a share, or 24 to 18 per cent on the capital stock.

A late consular report was to the effect that a scheme for the combination of cotton mills in the Blackburn and Burnley districts, England, was approaching success. It was to have a capital of \$10,000,000 and was being financed mainly by Belgian and French capitalists.

Henry Clews of New York says the opening of Congress "means a period of uncertainty and delay in business. There is, however, no need of apprehension. The tariff is the principal issue, and evidences multiply that there will be no drastic changes."

Carl Wolters has resigned the management of Hutchinson sugar plantation after, in a period of nine years, bringing it out of \$200,000 indebtedness and enabling it to pay approximately a million and a half in dividends and accumulating besides a surplus of \$240,000. The head office of the company is in San Francisco.

It is reported that Rev. H. Mason of New Zealand, a divining rod apologist, has indicated without the use of the torqued stick places on the island of Lanai where water is likely to be found by puncturing the earth. Just to show the party attending him, he took a guava twig in hand and gave a demonstration of its attraction by the aqueous treasure underground. Senator Cecil Brown proved on experiment

PRICES FAIRLY MAINTAINED WITH DECREASED BUSINESS

Sales of stocks for the six days ended at noon yesterday were less than one-third of those for the corresponding period ended last week, both in number of shares and in amount of proceeds. Taking stocks and bonds together, the decrease this week is \$53,455,621. Prices did not materially fall off, although out of thirteen stocks dealt in none shows an increase. Five sugars declined slightly, and four held their own. Two non-sugars declined fractionally, while two remained unchanged.

During the six days under review there were 1286 shares sold, with proceeds of \$27,449,121, against 3894 shares for \$89,904.75 for the corresponding previous period, being decreases of 2608 shares and \$62,455,621 proceeds, while the sale of bonds represented a par value of \$15,000, which is just \$1000 less than last week.

Following are the last sale quotations of Saturday last and of yesterday, respectively:
Ewa, 27 and 26.50.
H. C. & S., 34 and 33.25.
Hawaiian Pineapple, 44.75 and 44.
Hawaiian Sugar, 35.75 and 35.75.
Hilo Railroad common, 8 and 7.50.
Honokaa, 8 and 8.
Monolulu Brewing, 21.75 and 21.75.
McBrude, 5 and 5.

Also to be a good diviner of hidden waters. When the discovery is practically confirmed, if such happen, there will no doubt still be sceptics who will say that it was guesswork.

A new insurance company, the first of its kind in Argentina, has been organized at Buenos Aires, with directors, capital and staff completely Argentine. The company will principally insure that proprietors of houses or other property will receive their rents regularly and without any trouble in collecting or having any worry with collectors.

The Trent Trust Co. lately sold eight lots in Manoa—two each to Kenneth Brown, G. F. Wright and J. A. Lyle, and one each to Mrs. R. M. Ellingsworth and R. A. Lyon. A house and lot at Kalihi for \$2500, and a house and lot at Kaimuki for \$2300, and later to John W. Thompson, are other sales reported by the Trent agency.

As the damages for the E. O. Hall & Son property will absorb more than the balance remaining after other judgments of condemnation for the Federal building site, out of the appropriation of \$350,000, Congress will be asked to vote the deficiency. In the meantime the Hall case is suspended in the position of being ready to go to the jury, in the hope of an amicable agreement on an award.

The customs receipts of Japan from April 1 (the beginning of the fiscal year) down to the end of September amounted to \$14,611,425, an increase of \$2,753,400 compared with the receipts for the corresponding period of last year. The receipts for the whole of the fiscal year are estimated at \$24,846,319, and it is generally expected that unless something extraordinary happens the actual receipts will far exceed this figure.

Shipments of raw silk from Yokohama to the United States this year are unusually large. This is due partly to the revival in business circles in the States consequent upon the abundant crop, and partly to the competition between the various shipping companies on the Pacific, resulting in a great reduction of freight rates. Shipments from January 1 to October 10 had an aggregate value of \$55,212,265, or \$7,549,680 more than the returns for the corresponding period of last year. Orders from the United States continued to arrive, and it was expected that the shipments during the remainder of the year would amount to over \$1,940,000. On October 12 quotations on the Yokohama market ruled at \$460 per bale, and there were indications that a further advance would be witnessed.

Vice-Consul General E. G. Babbitt, Yokohama, reports: The Department of Agriculture and Commerce has issued its second estimate of the rice crop for 1912 reporting that, owing to the recent typhoon and the unseasonable hot weather following, there has been a reduction of some 13,000,000 bushels from the first estimate. The crop for 1912 is now figured at 263,311,245 bushels, an increase of approximately 4,836,830 bushels over 1911, and 27,768,868 bushels over an average yield. The typhoon also damaged the tobacco crop to a considerable extent. In August last it was estimated that 94,875,000 pounds would be produced, but later reports indicate that this will be reduced by 2,475,000 pounds, the crop being estimated at approximately 92,400,000 pounds.

Fiji cane planters are asking for a bonus such as the plantation laborers of Hawaii lately received under an advance promise of the plantation companies. In a report of a meeting of the Rewa branch of the planters' association of F. I. J. in the Western Pacific Herald, it is stated:

It was resolved that the general manager of the C. S. R. Co., Ltd., be written to asking for a bonus of 28, 60, per ton on cane supplied during 1910 and 1911, in consideration of the high value of sugar, and the fact that

Oahu, 24 and 23.62 1/2.
Olaa, 7 and 5.
Onomea, 31 and 30.
Pahang Rubber, 19 and 19.
Pioneer, 29 and 25.50.
Transactions in detail for the past six days were as follows:
Stocks.
Ewa Plantation Co., 140 shares for \$2710; price, 26.50.
Hawaiian Commercial and Sugar Co., 58 shares for \$1950; high, 34; low, 33.25.
Hawaiian Pineapple Co., 30 shares for \$1325; high, 44.50; low, 44.
Hawaiian Sugar Co., 10 shares for \$357.50; price, 35.75.
Hilo Railroad Co., common, 60 shares for \$450; price, 7.50.
Honokaa Sugar Co., 60 shares for \$480; price, 8.
Honolulu Brewing and Maltng Co., 50 shares for \$1087.50; price, 21.75.
McBryde Sugar Co., 130 shares for \$650; price, 5.
Oahu Sugar Co., 296 shares for \$7062; high, 24; low, 23.62 1/2.
Olaa Sugar Co., 12 1/2 shares for \$3627.50; high, 30.50; low, 30.
Pahang Rubber Co., 250 shares for \$4750; price, 19.
Pioneer Mill Co., 77 shares for \$1968.50; high, 25.75; low, 25.50.
Bonds.
Mutual Telephone Co. sixes, \$6000 at 103.50.
Olaa Sugar Co. sixes, \$9000 at 92.

A large majority of planters will show a serious loss on the expiration of the present contract; also asking for a bonus equal to 12c, 6d per ton of 88 N. T. sugar manufactured from cane supplied by each contractor, starting from next year, the contractors on their part undertaking to agree to an extension of the present contract to ten years.

Lord Kitchener laid the foundation stone of an agricultural school in the Egyptian Delta on November 6 and initiated a scheme for the distribution of land which has become available for cultivation through drainage. As an experiment, 610 feddans (or acres) were distributed in 5-feddian lots to the landless fellahen (peasants), the idea being to help the poor fellahen and at the same time to increase the number of small landholders and to create family homesteads. During the first 3 years, when they must do work of reclamation, the fellahen will receive the land practically free, and in the following 10 years they will pay a moderate rental, after which the holding becomes theirs for life. Afterwards the land descends in the families if the Government approves. Alienation is forbidden, except with the consent of the State.

BUSINESS CONTINUES ON RISING SCALE

Duns Review, November 30: The value of business transactions continues on a steadily rising scale and the activity of trade results in a number of developments incidental to a period of prosperity. The demand for money, as is common near the close of the year, brings about advancing rates. There is a scarcity of labor in some of the industries and the inadequacy of transportation facilities results in backward deliveries, as is witnessed in iron and steel. Regardless of these and other developments, both national and international, the volume of trade continues to rise week by week and month by month. November has been in many respects the best month this country has ever experienced and every prospect is pleasing for a holiday season of extraordinary activity. The weather has been especially favorable for retail distribution. Cotton and woolen goods continue in expanding demand and the New England mills have in prospect for next spring a great volume of orders. The silk trade also improves. There is continued advance in the volume of shoe business. Leather is still strong, but hides are easier. The only drawback to the iron and steel trade is shortage of cars and of labor; but not only is production now at the maximum, but the outlook for the new year is all that could be desired. There is an enormous domestic movement of wheat. Foreign political troubles have an influence on the American markets for securities; also of wheat and copper. All current financial and trade statistics are very favorable. December interest and dividend payments will be nearly \$5,000,000 larger than last year. Railroad gross earnings during three weeks of November show an increase of 7.8 per cent, and all sections of the country combine to make a gain of 8.4 per cent, in bank clearings over last year. At the port of New York in the most recent week the exports were \$17,554,984, \$1,824,000 less than last year but over \$7,000,000 more than 1910, and imports were \$29,743,696, being slightly in excess of last year and over \$5,000,000 more than in 1910.

A sugar refinery is projected at Constantinople.

Secretary H. P. Wood of the Hawaiian Promotion Committee has forwarded to several Eastern newspapers illustrated articles on Hawaii.

Charity covers a multitude of sins, but they are usually our own sins. Borrowed money often clogs the vital lines of memory.

Holiday Offerings

Japanese Silk Goods, Objects of Arts and Curios, Embroidered Mandarin Coats, Waists, Kimonos, Dress Patterns, Silk Scarfs, Crepe and Cut Velvet, Ivory and Brass Ware, Satsuma, Crockery and Bamboo Ware

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SHARE OF UNITED STATES IN INTERNATIONAL TRADE

The world's international commerce will establish a new high record in 1912, present indications being that the total will aggregate 25 billion dollars, against 31 billion in 1910; 20 billion in 1900, and 17 1/2 billion in 1890, having thus doubled in twenty-two years. These figures are the result of compilation from the official publications of about 70 leading countries recently made by the Statistical Division of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce.

Nearly all the important countries show larger totals for 1912 than in 1911 or any earlier year. Reducing the figures to a common basis (the monthly average for such parts of the year as are available) imports into the United States increased from 255 million dollars per month in 1911 to 286 million in 1912; the United States, from 126 million to 148 million; Germany, from 186 to 203 million dollars; Austria-Hungary, from 51 to 59 million dollars; Belgium, from 67 to 79 million; Canada, from 30 to 32 million dollars; Japan, from 26 to 28 million dollars; Switzerland, from 28 to 30 million; and India, from 24 million to 40 million dollars. A few countries show a decrease in their monthly importations.

Practically every country increased its exports, the average monthly exportation in Canada, for example, increasing from 20 million dollars in 1911 to 27 million in 1912; France, from 94 million to 102 million; Germany, from 153 to 155 million; India, from 61 to 66 1/2 million; the United Kingdom, from 179 million to 192 million; and the United States, from 150 million to 177 million dollars in 1912. The total value of imports into the 70 principal countries and colonies of the world in 1911 approximated 17 2/3 billion dollars. Deducting from this the imports of the United States leaves a total of 16 billion dollars as the value of the foreign market in which American products are manufactured may be sold. Of this total of 16 billion, imports from the United States amounted to 2 billion, or one-eighth of their total imports. The countries taking the largest proportionate share of their imports from the United States are: Haiti, 67 per cent; Honduras, 58 1/2 per cent; Canada, 61 1/2 per cent; Santo Domingo, 60 1/2 per cent; Panama, 56 per cent; Mexico, 54 1/2 per cent; Cuba, 52 per cent; and Costa Rica, 51 1/2 per cent. The United Kingdom takes 17 1/2 per cent of its imports from us; Germany, 13 1/2 per cent; and France, 8 1/2 per cent of her total. The largest markets for American products, measured by their valuation of imports from the United States, are the

United Kingdom, 572 million dollars; Canada, 285 million; Germany, 283 million; France, 119 million; Netherlands, 117 million; Italy, 70 million; Cuba, 57 million; Mexico, 56 million; Austria-Hungary, Argentina and Belgium, between 45 and 50 million each; and Australia, Brazil, Russia and Japan, sums ranging downward from 32 million to 27 million dollars. Of the South American countries, Colombia, Ecuador, Venezuela and Peru take from 20 per cent to 30 per cent of their respective imports from the United States, while the remainder take smaller proportions.

BUSINESS ITEMS

Stocks were very fitful in New York yesterday, traders being confused by the vagaries of railroads. Toward the close there was a strong recovery and the market closed firm.

Closing quotations for Hawaiian stocks on the San Francisco exchange yesterday were as follows: Hawaiian Commercial, 32.50 bid; Hawaiian Sugar, 33 bid; Honokaa, 7 bid, 9.50 asked; Hutchinson, 16.87 1/2 bid, 17 asked; Kilauea, 12 bid Onomea, 29 bid; Paauhau, 17.75 bid, 18.50 asked; Union, 32 bid; Honolulu (unlisted), 31 bid.

Wireless telegrams are still giving contrifurals in New York at 4.05, although the market broke to 3.92 nearly a week ago.

The Commercial Club is going to give a "Honolulu Spirit" luncheon soon, for the purpose of stimulating interest in promotion work.

All the Matson steamers are booked to nearly capacity from San Francisco to Honolulu for several months.

J. F. C. Higgins will address the Hawaiian Promotion Committee on Friday next relative to his observations of promotion work on the Coast.

A national convention of the Tariff Commission Association will be held in Washington next April or thereabout, for the purpose of urging upon the new administration the organization of a permanent tariff board, responsible to the President and Congress.

COCOANUTS ARE MONEY-MAKERS

Mr. A. D. Hills Getting Results on Kauai and on This Island

Money in cocoanut groves. That is what Mr. A. D. Hills of Lihue, Kauai, has shown to be practical here in Hawaii through his experience with a grove of his own planting near Lihue, and also with a forty acre tract at Waialua, Kauai, where the trees are upwards of twenty years old. Mr. Hills has developed quite a business in cocoanuts, and from his experience, judges that many areas of waste land can be made to turn out a gross return of \$100 per acre. The cocoanuts sell all the way from two and one-half to three cents per nut, and if not wanted by the canny manufacturers the product can be sold as copra, which commands a good figure. Mr. Hills has a ten-acre tract at Hanalei that has made an excellent showing. The original investment is not large, and the case of the trees during the four to eight years they are reaching maturity is not expensive. Trees will come into bearing in four years if cultivated, and five to eight years if "just allowed to grow." Once the trees are in bearing there is nothing to do but pick the nuts from year to year. They keep on for fifty years. Mr. Hills has had experience in the South Sea Islands, and has proved his theories here in Hawaii. He is interested in the experiment of the Waterhouse Company at Kailua on the other side of this island, and has co-operated with Arthur Rice in his cocoanut plantation enterprise of one hundred acres near by Kailua. "Perhaps we can't make so much money as they have in sugar," said Mr. Hills to a Star-Bulletin man, "but the original expense is not large; the income is good and once the plantation is established it is a sure producer for fifty years."

Mr. Hills has young cocoanut plants that he is offering at a very reasonable figure. He has organized an independent refinery. This was testified by Emile Legendre, a retired planter, and there were letters introduced which had passed between H. O. Havemeyer, former president of the American, and J. T. Witherspoon, superintendent of the company's New Orleans refinery. In November, 1906, Havemeyer intimated that an appeal might be made to the federal government to interfere against the establishment of an independent refinery by Louisiana planters.

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The Onlooker

"Depreciation"

"It was a joke on me, all right," remarked James W. Pratt, the land man and Uncle Sam's really expert. "I had been ruminating over figures on the depreciation of Mahuka site property until the ciphers began dancing like moving targets for the Schofield Barracks field artillery. Then I suddenly remembered that a birthday was due me about that date. Well I recalled—hearsay evidence, the lawyers would say—that day fifty-one years ago when I consented to accept a position in the Pratt family down in Old Dutchland—New York, I mean. There was a great old time that night, for I was the first grandson elected.

"Feeling now it was an occasion, I went around to the garage for my machine. As I stood waiting for gasoline, a Jap came up to me and warbled: 'That your machine, old man?' "Old man, eh? What do you think of that?" "Here was another expert on depreciation, and a Jap at that."

Weird Fancies

Thayer may be a slip-up on the attorney generalship. Dear Director: Remember the golden rule, and don't be too gay in swinging your snickersee on dividends. Sugar stood off the leaf hopper, therefore should not be afraid of Underwood. Joe Cooke is right—tariff revision could not come at a better time than when sugar is low. Those Southern chaps won't hit a fellow when he's down. In that Palace Square beautification scheme, a place should be made for a statue of "Soapbox" Barron. That is, if he will allow himself to be killed after posing to the sculptor.

That loud quietness in Kaimuki has come from the discovery by its residents that they have a representative and a supervisor after all. No merchant believes prodigality is a vice—if accompanied by cash. When Bull Moose doctrines prevail any old majority can make slaves of the minority, in spite of the constitution. Tom Lawson, in an advertisement of one of his high cost of living articles, says the coal trust controls the price of the people's coal as absolutely as the evil one does the price of ice in a certain extra-mundane region. Only he gives the names of person and place. Tom might be equally impressive if he used the names of Demosthenes Lvcurgus and

AT THE HOTELS

Reticence is the favorite badge of Honolulu, pomposity.

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At the Young Hotel—A. Akina, Hawaii; P. W. P. Bluet, Hawaii; Col. Wilder, Lelehuia; G. L. Townsend; Dr. E. Beasley, Waialua; D. Dayton, O. M. Olson, W. Matthead, E. Chad, local; G. Giacomette, Olan; H. S. Wishard, Kaula; C. W. Spitz; Mrs. E. A. Knudsen, Miss M. L. Orange, Kaula; Mrs. S. West; A. E. W. Todd, Waialua; D. H. Gilmore, D. G. May, W. E. Dapson, Jr., local; C. Weise, mann, H. C. Blaney and wife, New York; W. D. Collins, Geo. T. Rud dock, L. T. Blanding, San Francisco; J. H. Parrent and wife, E. C. Gyer and wife, Los Angeles; D. H. Driscoll, Maui; Thomas B. Farr, Laid; T. H. Kelley, local; Mrs. C. S. Carlsmith, Hilo; Capt. E. H. Parker, Kaula; J. A. Maguire, R. Hind, Kona; C. J. Schoening, Waialua; H. B. Well-er, Maui; G. A. Bishop, Kohala; T. D. Bewley, local; G. J. Becker, Kau; Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Robinson, Los Angeles; P. Phillips, Mauna Kea; B. J. Maxin, R. P. Moore, M. Oldebag, local; L. B. Boreiko, Kilauea, Kaula; A. D. Hills, and wife, Lihue; Miss Agnes E. O'Connell, San Francisco; John S. Kelley, local; Jessie Davies, Joe Kelley, Mrs. Watkins, Lelehuia; Jas. Cook, San Francisco; H. B. Cross, local; A. M. Schmidt, Ewa; James B. Hall, Lelehuia; D. Nowlin and wife, San Francisco; J. E. Bell, U. S. Army; E. W. Fates, L. Cape-land, Lelehuia; J. Nelson, local; A. G. Adams, Castner; C. H. Bumps, Waialua; C. Dens, Lelehuia; Hall and Osborn, B. L. Dandap, R. P. Moore, local; O. W. H. Bowen, Sergt. Spear, Lelehuia; R. G. M. Ross, Washing-ton, D. C.; G. Halladay and wife, U. S. M. C.; S. A. Campbell, Mrs. Renton Hind and nurse, A. L. James, R. J. Jewell, R. G. Rutherford and wife, Miss Nellie Skelton, Geo. M. Edwards, D. F. Maguire, U. S. Army; Mrs. C. E. Teyman, Lelehuia; G. Willet, Los Angeles; Alfred M. Beuley, Iowa City, Iowa; Wm. S. Wallace, Palo Alto; G. R. Salisbury, U. S. N.; E. V. Smith and wife, Lelehuia.

BORN

MACKAYE—In Honolulu, December 13, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. David Loring MacKaye, a son. TEVES—In Honolulu, December 13, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Teves, a son.

DIED

MIDDLETON—At the Queen's Hospital, Honolulu, Hawaii, December 11, 1912, of typhoid fever; Jack Middleton, aged 19 years, late apprentice on board the S. S. Lodiago. The funeral will take place this afternoon at two o'clock from the Catholic Cathedral. Letters a man doesn't write are never read in court.

MISS ELLICOTT UPSETS FAMOUS 'NO PETTICOATS'

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 5.—Miss Priscilla Ellicott, daughter of Captain J. M. Ellicott, commanding officer of the United States armored cruiser Maryland, enjoys the distinction of being the first female passenger upon an American seagoing man of war in the last 31 years—in other words, since Secretary of the Navy William H. Hunt issued his famous "no petticoat order" of 1881. Save in such rare emergencies as offering refuge to women threatened with death during disturbances in barbarous or semi-barbarous ports, no woman has ever been permitted since that date to remain over night on board a regular cruising vessel of the fighting navy. If they have done so, it has been surreptitiously done. Miss Ellicott, who had been visiting her sister, the wife of Lieutenant Ross S. Kingsbury of the marine corps, stationed in Honolulu, has just made the trip from the islands to the Puget Sound navy yard at Bremerton, Wash., as a passenger on her father's ship, the Maryland. As she expresses it to her friends, she "had the time of her life" during the voyage—a lone princess on a floating kingdom, of which her parent was monarch, with the young nobles of the ward-room and junior officers mess as her subjects. Due at Mare Island Soon. She has now left the Maryland, which has rejoined Rear Admiral Southard's armored cruiser squadron, and will arrive within a few days at Mare Island, where Mrs. Ellicott and Miss Priscilla will soon follow. For many years commanding officers of United States men of war were permitted to take their wives and families with them as cabin passengers on their ships, but the privilege was restricted to captains. Yet in the families there were often many fair ones, and not a few navy romances were born of the practice. But, like all privileges, this one was open to abuse, and abuses sometimes crept in. The captain's wife sometimes took it into her head to issue orders to the gig's crew, to the after-guard sweeper, to the sentry at the gangway and even to the officer of the deck himself. Then Came Miss Ellicott. These things were endured as a general thing by the officers, and men affected, but when some captains' wives and the nurses of their children made use of the poop railing, the after bridge or the awning ridge rope to hang out their washing or put the baby to sleep in a halyard rack, or secured the family sewing in the breech of a main battery gun, the sticklers for proprieties believed it time to take a reel in the custom or to put it altogether and stow it. Secretary Hunt's "no petticoat" order was the result, and since its promulgation the fair sex, even of an admiral's family, has not been permitted to take passage on any navy vessel, other than a presidential or secretary's yacht, like the Mayflower or Dolphin, when that passage required sleeping quarters on board. Receiving ships and other station ships were exempted from the order, but nothing but a matter of personal civility was allowed to interfere with its observance until Miss Ellicott engaged the honor.

The above is not true, as Mrs. Knox, wife of Secretary Knox, made a trip on the Maryland before Miss Ellicott.

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only 10 cents a box from your druggist. Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never have Headache, Bile, Indigestion, Sour Stomach or Constipated Bowels. Cascarets belong in every household. Children just love to take them. "That's a terrible noise in the nursery, Mollie," said her mistress. "What

is the matter? Can't you keep the baby quiet?" "Sure, mum," replied Mollie. "I can't keep his quiet unless I let him make a noise." The city of Sacramento, Cal., furnished a wild goose stew for 5,000 persons. Rev. Jonathan Hedges, 93 years old, is dead at Cumberland, Md. His wife, aged 92, died ten minutes after she was notified of his death.

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Society



MISS BERYL HUNTER-JONES, whose portrait appears above, is one of the most popular young ladies in Honolulu. She came to Honolulu about a year ago with her mother and sister and in a few months has made a large circle of friends. Miss Hunter-Jones is a stunning type of brunette and her brilliant, fresh coloring has brought forth many compliments.

Miss Hunter-Jones is from Canada, though she has lived in Southern California for some time. She has relatives connected with the Canadian government, and while in Canada she was entertained by the ladies in the official circles. She is a niece of the Honorable James Smart, minister of the interior, and is a close relative of Sir James Whitney.

THE SOCIAL FUNCTIONS in Honolulu have gradually decreased in number, and the season is fast waning.

Maids and matrons have turned their thoughts to the preparations for the Christmas entertainments in the churches and have unselfishly laid aside many of their own individual interests.

Within the next two weeks there will be a number of Christmas entertainments in the schools and the churches and the children as well as the grown-ups have their minds filled with the doings of the wonderful old Saint Nick.

In the Smart Set there are a few entertainments but they are, for the most part, informal and the hostesses hesitate before allowing them to be chronicled.

One Christmas dinner where the guests will include more than the members of one's family is the one to be given by the Epiphany Club. It will be entertained at the height of the season by Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Frazier. The affair will be "Christ massy" and the decorations will be expressions of the season.

As for the card clubs, many of them have disbanded until after the holidays and the members are devoting

their whole time and attention to the coming of Kris Kringle.

The only people whose work continues as usual is that portion whose time is devoted to the helping of the more unfortunate members of this community. Those who have taken upon themselves to be Big Sisters to girls who are in need of guidance have taken up their work regardless of the festivities. Their work is entirely unselfish and they have given their whole time and attention to it.

Every one else is getting ready for Christmas. Those who are occupied in the stores feel the coming of the Christmas season for there are many more shoppers in town during the day. And so it is with all who work, or besides doing a larger share of work during the day they devote their evenings to the making of their Christmas gifts.

Mr. P. C. Jones Complimented

In celebration of the seventy-fifth birthday anniversary of their father, Mr. Peter Cushman Jones, Mrs. Alonzo Jartley and Mrs. A. Lewis, Jr., entertained at an elaborate tea on Tuesday afternoon at the Lewis home in Maoua. The rooms were beautifully decorated with vines and flowers, many of them sent in by the host of

friends Mr. Jones has in Honolulu. From four until six o'clock callers came to offer congratulations to the venerable gentleman who for so many years has been identified with the progress of the territory.

Mr. Jones came to Honolulu in 1857 and at once entered the employ of Brewer & Co. where he remained until a few years ago when he retired from business.

The guests at Tuesday's affair included old friends of Mr. Jones with whom he has been associated in business and socially. Some among those who called were Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Castle, Mr. and Mrs. George Castle, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Gulick, Mr. and Mrs. John Gulick, Mr. and Mrs. William Gulick, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Lowrey, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Swanzy, Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Atherton, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Atherton, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit P. Wilder, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Dillingham, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Griffiths, Mrs. Agnes H. P. Judd, Mrs. E. A. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Jones, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Schaefer, Mrs. Alexander Young, Sr., Mr. J. B. Atherton, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cooke, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence H. Cooke, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Galt, Mr. W. W. Hall, Miss Charlotte Hall, Dr. and Mrs. Scudder, Reverend and Mrs. A. A. Ebersole, and others.

Miss Ynez Gibson Entertains

Miss Ynez Gibson entertained at a prettily appointed luncheon today at her home on Alexander street. The dining room was decorated with school pennants and the table centerpiece was of violets. As the young ladies are preparing for Christmas their afternoon was devoted to sewing. Miss Gibson's guests included Miss Ruth Stacker, Miss Mildred Chapin, Miss Gertrude Ripley, Miss Alice Yawborough, Miss Gladys Halstead and Miss Mary Smith.

Kaimuki Guild in Social Session.

Kaimuki folks came together in pleasant social session at Liliuokalani school assembly hall, to the number of about 250, last night on the occasion of a reception by the Epiphany Guild to the Rev. F. C. Williams and wife. Something like fifty of sixty children of various nationalities, including those of St. Mary's school, Moiliili, added to the homelike character of the assembly. Bishop Restarick and Canon Ault of St. Andrew's cathedral were among the visitors, besides several residents of Kaimuki identified with other than the Episcopal denomination. Under the superintendence of Mrs. A. F. Clark, the platform had been decorated in great taste with plants and flowers.

With Mr. and Mrs. Williams in the receiving line stood Mrs. G. W. R. King, Mrs. L. E. Thayer and Mrs. Alfred Moore, respectively the president, vice president and secretary of the guild, while A. F. Clark and C. S. Crane introduced the people as they came forward to welcome the guests of honor to Kaimuki.

After the reception, G. W. R. King took charge of the musical and literary program as chairman of the evening, with a few pleasant introductory remarks. In calling on of the numbers he said that all of the talent appearing was from Kaimuki and the district had enough in reserve to keep the program going all night. Miss Stecracken gave a piano solo. Mrs. C. S. Crane a vocal solo accompanied by Miss Pearl Littlejohn, and Mrs. A. B. Ingalls a violin solo, each being compelled to respond to an encore.

Mrs. I. M. Cox then read with fine elocution an apt selection bearing on missions. Mrs. H.

G. Winkley gave a vocal solo, which was encored, and Captain Henri Berger concluded the program with a medley of patriotic airs which elicited strenuous applause. Between the numbers mentioned a Hawaiian quintet club in the gallery gave instrumental and vocal selections.

Cake and lemonade were then served by a corps of boys and girls, after which a short time was devoted to dancing.

Mr. William Schuman Entertains the Heroes of the Gridiron.

On Wednesday evening, Mr. William Schuman entertained a score of prominent young fellow athletes at a pot supper at his home on Keolu street. Mr. Schuman is captain of the Punahou first team, which was victorious in the season's games and it was only fitting that he should entertain the young men who had been so faithful in the splendid team work.

The color scheme for the decorations was buff and blue, the Punahou colors, and was carried out in every detail. The flowers that decorated the table were buff and blue and the little place cards were handpainted and ornamented with a tiny lima bean and a miniature football.

Mr. Schuman's guests included Mr. William Inman, Mr. William Coney, Mr. William Hitchcock, Mr. Harold Morgan, Mr. Arthur Gilman, Mr. Charles Davis, Mr. Burdick, Mr. James Hind, Mr. George McInerney, Mr. Edward Liu, Mr. Stafford Austin, Mr. Gordon Brown, Mr. Allen Renton, Mr. William Paris, Mr. Dennis Markham, Mr. Harry Baldwin, Mr. Ernest Baldwin and Mr. Wrenn Timberlake.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dole to Entertain.

One of the large functions of the coming week will be the tea to be given by Mrs. James Dole for her aunt, Miss Alexander. The affair will take place on Tuesday afternoon at the home of the hostess on Wylie street.

Dance at the Oahu Country Club.

The affair towards which the members of the younger set as well as those of the smart set, are looking forward is the dance at which Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Wood, Miss Dorothy Wood and Mr. Donald Wood will entertain on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood and Miss Wood gave a similar entertainment last year and the affair was so enjoyable that the guests are anticipating the coming function with a great deal of pleasure.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wichman to Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wichman will entertain at a dinner this evening at their home on Victoria street. The table decorations will be expressive of the season and red poinsettia will be used. Covers will be laid for Major and Mrs. Edward J. Timberlake, Captain and Mrs. Edward Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Klamp, Mr. and Mrs. L. Tenney Peck, Miss Violet Stoeber, Mr. Kronstrand and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wichman.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson Entertain.

One of the informal dinners of the week was that given by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson at the Rathskeller on Monday evening. The color scheme for the decorations was pink and was developed with fragment pink roses. The candelabras harmonized with the color scheme. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Castle, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Klamp, Miss Alice Cornet, Mr. Albert Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Buchly Entertain Informally.

On Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Buchly entertained informally at dinner at their bungalow at Waikiki for Captain and Mrs. Alfred Aloe of the First Infantry, Mrs. James C. Ayres, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hawes, Jr. and Lieutenant W. G. Bale, of the Second Infantry.

After dinner the party attended the performance at Ye Liberty theatre. The evening's entertainment concluded with a dinner at the Rathskeller.

Lieutenant and Mrs. H. F. Nichols in Honolulu.

Lieutenant and Mrs. H. F. Nichols (Laura De Bussy Berry) were incoming passengers in the transport Thomas yesterday morning. Lieutenant and Mrs. Nichols will make their home at Fort De Russy as Mr. Nichols has been assigned to duty there.

The marriage of Miss Laura De Bussy Berry and Lieutenant Nichols, though quiet, was an event in the mil-

itary circles on November thirtieth. They were married at the home of Lieutenant and Mrs. Murray and Miss Murray visited Honolulu a few weeks ago and were widely entertained by the smart set.

The Hui Maka Ala Dance.

The Myrtle boathouse was the scene of an enjoyable entertainment on Saturday evening, when the Hui Maka Ala were hosts at a dance. Mr. Cornelius Sullivan was the instigator of the affair and much of the credit of its success is due him.

The clubhouse was prettily decorated with pennants and flags interspersed with palms. During the evening Kaala's quintet club played Hawaiian and popular music. Delightful refreshments were served at a late hour.

The guests of the Hui Maka Ala were so appreciative of their good time that the young men have promised to give another dance in the very near future. About fifty guests were present.

Mrs. Wooten's Informal Luncheon.

Mrs. William P. Wooten entertained informally at luncheon Tuesday at her home at Fort De Russy.

The afternoon was devoted to cards and the prizes, dainty jabots, were given to Mrs. Turner and Mrs. Kirby Smith. Among those present were Mrs. Neville, Mrs. Preston, Mrs. Kingsbury, Mrs. Jamieson, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Kirby Smith, Mrs. Sheedy, and Mrs. Wooten.

St. Clement's Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock when Miss Mathilda Unger became the bride of Mr. Jonathan Austin. The ever-impressive Episcopal marriage service was read by the Rev. F. G. Williams.

The bride wore a simple white silk gown and a large portrait hat adorned with white ostrich plumes. She carried a white prayer-book. The bride was supported by Mrs. Elizabeth Bowen as matron-of-honor.

Mr. Austin was supported by Mr. Clark.

Mrs. Austin has been a resident of Honolulu for nearly three years and has made a great many friends here. Mr. Austin is descended of the best-known families in the islands and is a son of Mrs. Caroline Austin.

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SOIETY

It seems a pity that the man who is well up in the most exclusive circle of society cannot live a life of leisure as does his wife. The society woman may, also inclined, spend the greater portion of the day reclining upon the couch in her boudoir and thus rest until it is time to prepare for some social function. Not so the man. He never follows. He must spend the day at his office and at evening rush home, have a bite of dinner, struggle into his dress suit and be off to some reception.

In a recent article in the Chronicle written by Lady Teazle, the men were scored because some of them appeared at a semi-official reception in honor of Sir Thomas Lipton, wearing business suits and others compromised by wearing tuxedos. She complained about the women too because there is an array of wall flowers.

To come back to the men. Why should they be forced to rig up in a dress suit with its flapping tails, its near-tight sleeves and the very high collar when a tuxedo is a little more comfortable and a business suit is so very comfortable?

Women insist that the men shall appear in full dress when they attend dances and receptions and then they are surprised because at the dances there is an array of wall flowers.

After a day in an office few men feel as though they wish to put on a high stiff collar. They would much rather put on a smoking jacket and stay at home. Fashion decrees that after certain hours and at certain functions men and women shall wear full dress. That is all very well for the women who know that they are very attractive when they wear the décolleté gowns with their glistening white arms and shoulders and they can dance all evening without becoming warm, while the Beau Brummel dances but a few waltzes and two steps and his collar is so wilted that he is forced to retire to the smoking room for the remainder of the evening. And it is just possible that many of them really welcome this state of affairs.

The men in Honolulu are really more fortunate than their brothers in mainland society for the women here do grant them a little more freedom in dress. They are allowed to wear tuxedos without being criticised and even if they indulge in dark business suits they are not considered negligent.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayer Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Mayer of New York who have been in Honolulu for a few days and who were out-going passengers on the Sierra this morning, entertained at a farewell dinner at the Rathskeller last evening. The majority of the guests were tourists who were merely passing through Honolulu while four of them are newcomers who will make their homes in Honolulu. These are Mr. F. Glant and Mr. J. Glant and Mr. and Mrs. Fisher. Covers were laid at the table for Mr. and Mrs. Southard of Denver, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cooke, of Los Angeles, Mr. Baron of London, England, Mr. and Mrs. Hetchey, of Austin, Nevada, Mr. and Mrs. Fisher, of Arizona, Mr. F. Glant and Mr. J. Glant, of Los Angeles.

Though this affair was delightful and exceedingly pleasant there was an undercurrent of regret that reigned throughout the evening for the guests had all met on various steamers and had become fast friends only to be

CALLING DAYS FOR HONOLULU

- Monday—Punahou, Makiki.
- Tuesdays—Waikiki, Kapiolani Park, Kaimuki, Palolo. First Tuesday, Fort Ruger.
- Wednesdays—Nuuanu, Puunui, Pacific Heights. First and third Wednesdays, above Nuuanu bridge; second and fourth Wednesdays, below bridge; fourth Wednesday, Pacific Heights; first and third Wednesdays, Alewa Heights.
- Thursdays—The Plains.
- Fridays—Hotels and town.
- Fourth Friday, Fort Shafter; first Friday.
- Manoa, College Hills, First and third Friday.
- Saturdays—Kalihi. Third and fourth Saturdays, Kamehameha Schools.

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separated in a very short time. Lieutenant Gayler Entertains. Lieutenant Gayler entertained at a prettily appointed dinner at the Rathskeller last evening.

Five Hundred Party At The Hale-Ha-Ha.

Miss Irene Alken, Miss Shirley Foster, Miss Bernice and Miss Miriam Clark of the Hale Ha-Ha bungalow in Manoa Valley entertained at a most enjoyable Five Hundred Party last Saturday evening. The guests found their partners for the evening by unwinding a web of twine, parts of which were hidden in various places in the house. The prizes were taken by Mr. Smith and Mr. Chase Foster. The guests included Mr. Smith, Miss Frances Foster, Miss Margaret Smith, Miss Lillian Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Clark, Mr. Chase Foster, Mr. William Rapson, Mr. Scott Pratt, Mr. Clayton Cousens, Mr. Harold Starrett and Mr. Bertram Alken.

Lieut. Campanole Entertains.

One of the enjoyable dinner parties of the week was that given by Lieut. Campanole at the Rathskeller.

Captain and Mrs. Thomas Entertain.

Captain and Mrs. Thomas entertained at a prettily appointed dinner on Wednesday evening at their quarters at Schofield Barracks. Covers were laid for Colonel McGinnis, Miss McGinnis, Miss Smith, Mrs. White, Lieut. Sheridan and Captain Carey.

Major and Mrs. Tayman Entertain at Dinner.

One of the enjoyable dinners of the week was that given by Major and Mrs. Tayman last evening at their quarters at Schofield Barracks. The guests included Captain and Mrs. Apple and Captain and Mrs. Shuttleworth.

Press Circle of Kiloohana Club.

New circles of the Kiloohana Club are continually being formed and the latest of these will be the press circle. This will be something similar to the literary circle except that the members must be writers.

A short time ago there was some talk of organizing a woman's press club but there were few women who are connected with the press and the attempt was not altogether successful.

The work which this circle will take up will probably be original. There will be social evenings where the work of the members will be shown. A number of playlets will be written and acted by the members.

Invitations to those who are eligible will be issued some time this month and the next meeting will take place the first week of January. The president of the Kiloohana Club feels that there is a field for such a circle and is in hopes that those who are invited to join will enter into the little organization.

Mrs. Arthur McIntosh Entertains.

Mrs. Arthur McIntosh, who recently returned to Honolulu from the mainland, was hostess at a prettily appointed tea yesterday afternoon at her home at Waikiki. The guest of honor was Miss Brooke, who is a visitor in Honolulu. The decorations were done with tropical flowers. During the afternoon Kaa's Glee Club played Hawaiian melodies. About twenty-five ladies called during the afternoon.

Miss Waller Entertains.

The San Francisco Chronicle says: ALAMEDA, December 2.—Miss Henrietta Waller, whose engagement to James H. Mills of Los Angeles became known last week, is being extensively entertained. Miss Waller is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Waller. Her father is one of the leading business men of Hawaii and was chairman of the Hawaiian delegation to the Democratic convention at Baltimore and is also head of the National Hawaiian Commission.

The bride-elect is a brunette, with a bright, vivacious manner, and is an accomplished musician. She is the sister of Mrs. John Hugh Clegg of London. She and her fiance met during a trip abroad. The friendship between the young people, formed while touring Europe, was renewed last summer when Miss Waller and her mother were visiting in the south and were shown much attention by Mills. The wedding day will not be set until the bride-elect's father returns to Alameda from a business trip to the islands.

Gen. Murray's Daughter Weds.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 5.—Beneath a canopy of snowy chrysanthemums which was erected in the drawing room of Major General Arthur Murray's quarters in Fort Mason, Miss Carolyn Murray and Ord Preston of Washington, D. C., plighted their troth yesterday afternoon. Rev. Frederick W. Clappett read the impressive service in the presence of the relatives and a few of the couple's closest friends.

A varied color scheme of decoration, achieved by an arrangement of chrysanthemums and fernery, transformed the residence into a fitting setting for the event. Throughout the drawing room, white blossoms were used to form the background for the marriage, but in the library and dining room pink and yellow flowers were introduced. American beauty roses and masses of evergreens completed the decoration in the hall.

General Murray gave his daughter into the keeping of the bridegroom. The bride wore an exquisite creation of ivory satin and old rose point lace elaborated with pearl embroidery. The lace tunic which draped the gown was one of a pair of lace shawls, its mate being used as the bridal veil. This was fashioned Juliet style and was caught and held in place by a coronet of orange blossoms. Similar flowers were entwined

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ed with orchids and lilies of the valley in the formation of her bridal bouquet.

Attending her as maid of honor was her sister, Miss Sadie Murray, whose gown of lace over pale pink charmeuse was prettily offset by a shower bouquet of lavender orchids. The best man at the wedding was Lieutenant Conger Pratt, U. S. A., and the ushers were Captain Malin (raig, U. S. A., Captain Herbert J. Brees, U. S. A., Lieutenant Maxwell Murray, U. S. A., and Lieutenant A. G. Campbell, U. S. A.

Mrs. Murray wore a handsome costume of white satin with an overdress of rich black lace, with which she wore a corsage bouquet of purple orchids.

At 4 o'clock there was a reception, which was attended by several hundred guests, including the residents of the Presidio and Fort Mason and society folk from the city districts as well as from the bay cities.

San Francisco's Social Circus.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 6.—Society was in its element, last night at the horse show and circus, that packed the Pavilion with a smart audience that enjoyed the rollicking good time that is always generated in an atmosphere of informality. Long before the hour named for the performance to begin in the three big rings the streets for blocks about were lined with limousines, testifying to the kind of audience that was to greet the amateur circus performers in the "stunts" they had planned for its amusement. The half-hour preceding the scheduled events was passed in visiting the side shows, and hilarious parties passed in and out of the concessions, greeting the freaks with careless familiarity and addressing the veiled Oriental beauty and the bearded lady by their first names.

Ralph Sloan and Noble Eaton were enthusiastic spectators for the side show presided over by Oscar Frank, and the compartment set aside for their show resembled a debaucher reception, so crowded was it with smartly gowned

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Holiday Goods

By the American-Hawaiian steamers direct from New York we received this week a big line of Holiday Merchandise. These goods were ordered to arrive here by November 1st, but owing to irregular steamer arrangements from the East we received them very much later than anticipated. As the time is getting short and every item is essentially holiday merchandise, we have marked the prices low enough to close out the lot before Christmas.

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Several hundred of the guests en route to the Sharon ball at the Palace stopped at the Pavilion to enjoy the fun of the circus before proceeding to the formal function downtown, and this accounted for so many handsome evening gowns being in evidence. Many of them were partially concealed, but the wraps of the present fashion are so magnificent that an assemblage of women bundled in their opera cloaks made a most gorgeous picture under the shaded electric lights that were effectively modulated by the order of an astute committee of women.

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The horse show, those who appeared in evening gowns last night at our local function were hatless. But San Francisco is ever unique in the matter of dress, and that our matrons and maids ordained to appear without hats last night when the latest edict from the center of fashion in the East is that hats are de rigueur is only one more evidence that our smart set does exactly as it pleases when it comes to gowns. All of the box holders were in their places and entertained large parties of friends, and with them enjoyed supper afterward in the temporary cafe which was one of the circus concessions.

Mr. and Mrs. de Lancy Lewis had a number of out-of-town friends with them. Mrs. James Farrell occupied Mrs. Shea's box, as the latter left for New York a few days ago. With Mr. and Mrs. Gaillard Smart (Thelma Parker) were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knight and Miss Suzette Newton.

The equestrian double feature, which formed the fourth feature, was the event of the evening. Sixteen riders, the men in vivid red coats, white breeches and top hats, and the women in smart Cossack riding habits, rode gracefully into the hippodrome and went through a clever drill that called for an encore.

Miss Lurline Matson, one of the best riders in San Francisco, and J. W. Chapman led the first eight and Miss Mollie Sidebotham and Paul Verdier led the second. Those taking part were:

Misses Lurline Matson, Grace Gibson, Millie Hogg, Almee Ralsch, Mollie Sidebotham and Christine McNab; Messdames James King Steele and William McGuire, and J. W. Chapman, George Bush, William A. Lange, Paul Verdier, Alvin Heymann, Tevis, Elkins and G. D. Phillips, Jr.

The Service Bridge Club.
The Service Bridge Club was entertained on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Jamieson at Fort Shafter. The prizes were given to Mrs. Wooten, Mrs. Kirby Smith and Mrs. George E. Turner. Among those present were Mrs. W. P. Wooten, Mrs. W. C. Neville, Mrs. Cuts, Mrs. F. B. Edwards, Mrs. Cheatham, Mrs. Denman, Mrs. Homer L. Preston, Mrs. Matheson, and others.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Phillipson's Dinner.
Lieutenant and Mrs. Phillipson entertained at a prettily appointed dinner at their quarters at Schofield Barracks last Saturday evening for Captain and Mrs. Apple, Lieutenant and Mrs. Harris, Major Penn, Captain and Mrs. Tinsand and Lieutenant Shekarian.

Captain and Mrs. Gibson Entertain.
Captain and Mrs. Watson, Captain and Mrs. Thomas, Captain and Mrs. Janda and Miss Adams were the guests at a prettily appointed dinner given by Captain and Mrs. Gibson on Thursday evening.

The Morning Music Club.
Mrs. W. D. Westerveldt was hostess for the Morning Music Club Wednesday morning at her home at Waikiki.

The Saturday Evening Bridge Club.
The Saturday Evening Bridge Club will be entertained this week by Mrs. W. C. Neville.

Miss Florence Hoffman Entertains at Cards.
Miss Florence Hoffman entertained at an informal card party on Wednesday afternoon at her home on Keolu street. The prizes attractive bridge sets were given to Mrs. Hocking and Miss Sarah Lucas. Among those present were Mrs. Hocking, Mrs. McAfee, Mrs. Wilder, Miss Sarah Lucas, Mrs. Gerald Johnson and Mrs. Frederick A. Barker.

Mrs. Frederick A. Barker to Entertain.
Mrs. Frederick A. Barker has issued invitations for a tea to take place on the 31st of December. The affair will be in honor of her mother, Mrs. Honeyman, who is visiting her.

Social Notes

Miss McGunagle has issued invitations for a dinner party to take place next Tuesday evening.

Miss Clair March Kelley, who has been in the east for several weeks, returned home in the Sierra on Monday.

Mrs. Carl S. Carlsmith of Hilo, who has been visiting in San Francisco, returned to Honolulu on Monday. After a few days she will go to Hilo.

Mrs. Paul Marshall Bates (Ray Bell) left in the Korea Tuesday for San Francisco, where she will be met by her husband, Ensign Paul Marshall Bates of the U. S. S. California. Mr. and Mrs. Bates will then go to San Diego, where they will remain for a short time. Later they will make their home at Mare Island.

Mrs. E. A. Knudsen, Miss Knudsen and Miss L. Orange of Kauai are in Honolulu for a few days. They will return to the Garden Island before the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Harry Kluegel and her little son Harry Kluegel left for Hilo in the Mauna Kea Wednesday morning.

On Tuesday, Dec. 10th, Mrs. Edgar J. Walker gave a reception at her home at Kalahehi for Mrs. Ralph Walker. Mrs. Walker wore white satin

trimmed in lace. Mrs. Walker, Sr. wore a linge dress of lace. Refreshments were served by the Misses Walker. Palms and cut flowers and ferns made a pretty decorative effect. About a hundred ladies called.

Miss Emmaline Magoon and Mr. Alie Magoon left in the Korea Tuesday for San Francisco where they will spend Christmas with their sister Mrs. Hermon Anderson (Kamakia Magoon).

Mrs. John R. Thomas of Schofield Barracks has as her house guest her mother, Mrs. Hugh White of New York City. Mrs. White will remain at Schofield for an indefinite period.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Elgin arrived in the Kilauea Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Elgin will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Schaefer during their brief stay in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Paxton left in the Korea Tuesday for a visit to the mainland.

Miss Elsie Smyth and Miss Meta Hansen of San Lorenzo, California who have been visiting in Honolulu for a short time were departing passengers in the Korea Tuesday morning.

Mrs. E. P. Bernard and her brother, Mr. R. B. McGill who have been visiting in Honolulu for several weeks were outgoing passengers in the Korea Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Green and Miss Green are residing at the "Grenville," 1054 King street.

Mrs. Douglas McDougal is declining all social invitations for the coming season owing to the death of her brother.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Reed, who have been on the mainland for three months' leave of absence, have returned to Fort Shafter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kennedy and their daughter, Miss Jessie Kennedy, were outgoing passengers in the Korea on Tuesday. They will spend the holidays with Mr. Stanley Kennedy, and will return to Honolulu shortly after the New Year.

Mrs. Reliscinda Dodson, who has been in Honolulu for several weeks on a pleasure and business trip, will

leave for San Diego in the Sierra today.

Letters from Miss Kathleen and Miss Sophie Walker tell of the splendid times they are enjoying in San Francisco.

Miss Harriet and Miss Mary Lucas who have been visiting friends and relatives in San Francisco for several months, will return to Honolulu in the early part of January.

Captain and Mrs. Berger, who recently returned from a trip to Germany, have moved to their home in Kaimuki.

Mrs. S. S. Peck, who recently underwent an operation at the Queen's hospital, is rapidly regaining her strength.

Mrs. John Angus and Miss Jean Angus returned from a five months' trip to the mainland in the transport Thomas yesterday morning.

Miss Margaret Lennox, who has been in the city for a few days visiting her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Lennox, will return to Hawaii in the Mauna Kea this afternoon. It will be remembered that Miss Lennox' engagement to Mr. Kenneth Lidgate was announced a short time ago.

Dr. and Mrs. V. T. Wilcox will leave for Hawaii in the Mauna Kea this afternoon.

A number of the students in the Puuhou Preparatory school and Oahu college who have been here during the fall term will leave in the Mauna Kea today. Among those who are booked to leave are Miss Dora Lidgate, Miss Elsie Lidgate, Miss Myrtle Taylor, Mr. Stanley and Mr. Ernest Mott-Smith.

Mrs. Walter C. Cowies and Miss Edith Cowles, who have been in San Francisco for a short time, returned to Honolulu by the Thomas yesterday morning.

Mrs. F. B. McStocker, who has been in San Francisco for a few weeks, was a homecoming passenger in the Thomas yesterday morning.

Miss Mae Weir, who has spent the past eight weeks in San Francisco, returned to Honolulu in the Thomas yesterday morning.

Social News From Washington

By C. S. ALBERT

(Special Star-Bulletin Correspondent)

- PROGRAM OF RECEPTIONS AND DINNERS AT THE WHITE HOUSE FOR THE SEASON OF 1912-13
- December 12, Thursday—Cabinet Dinner 8 p. m.
 - January 1, Wednesday—New Year's Reception 11 a. m. to 1:30 p. m.
 - January 3, Friday—Diplomatic Reception 9:30 p. m.
 - January 7, Tuesday—Diplomatic Dinner 8 p. m.
 - January 14, Tuesday—Judicial Reception 9:30 p. m.
 - January 21, Tuesday—Supreme Court Dinner 8 p. m.
 - January 28, Tuesday—Congressional Reception 9:30 p. m.
 - January 31, Friday—Speaker's Dinner 8 p. m.
 - February 4, Tuesday—Army and Navy Reception 9:30 p. m.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 1. — The President and Mrs. Taft will open their season of official hospitalities on December 12, when they will give their annual cabinet dinner. The program of state functions was given out at the White House yesterday, and includes as usual four dinners and four large evening receptions in addition to the reception on New Year's day this winter, as it has been since the beginning of Mr. Taft's administration. The cabinet dinner, however, will be given on Thursday, and in two instances functions will take place on Fridays in order to complete the program before Lent.

Mrs. Charles A. Munn is still at her Manchester villa, but, according to recently announced plans, expects to return in time to celebrate Thanksgiving at her home on Scott circle. Shortly after she will give the ball at which she is to present her daughter, Miss Gladys, who has been one of the most-sought-after girls on the north shore this summer. She is a very pretty girl and much like her sister, Mrs. Reginald Boardman.

One of the handsomest women in the Diplomatic Corps is Mme. Naon, wife of the minister of the Argentine Republic. The minister recently departed for his own country leaving Mme. Naon and their children in Washington. He will return to Washington the latter part of December, probably in time for the New Year reception at the White House.

Capt. William R. Dear, Medical Corps, U. S. A., and Mrs. Dear are with Mrs. Dear's parents, 303 15th street northwest, and will remain until after Thanksgiving, when Capt. Dear will return to his post at Fort Slocum, N. Y.

Mr. C. D. Rhodes, 10th Cavalry, of Fort Myer, has returned to his station from Lexington, Va., where he lectured recently to the cadets of the historic Virginia Military Institute on modern employment of cavalry.

Major von Herwarth, military attaché of the German embassy, has returned from New York. He will be joined shortly by Mme. von Her-

warth, who has been in Germany for several months.

Andrew Kalpaschnikoff, attaché of the Russian embassy, who has been at the German Hospital in New York suffering from appendicitis, is now the guest of Robert Goelet, at Tuxedo, N. Y.

Mrs. John W. Timmons, wife of President Taft's naval aide, who spent the summer in Maine, has joined Lieutenant Timmons at their residence on Rhode Island avenue.

The naval attaché of the Brazilian embassy, who is now at the Grafton, will be joined shortly by Mme. Radler de Aquino, who has been in Brazil.

Capt. and Mrs. Young of the Olympia are visiting Lieut. and Mrs. Bertram, Fort Monroe, Va.

The Marine Band will give a program throughout the afternoon, and the young people will dance in the new ball room.

Miss Alice Meyer, Miss Julia Meyer, Miss Elizabeth Reid Rogers, Miss Gladys Hinckley, and a large number of the younger girls of society will lend their services throughout the afternoon in selling pretty things and dispensing hospitality. The price of tickets includes tea and dainties as well.

This event is not to be confounded with that of December 13 for the House of Mercy.

With her accustomed generosity, Mrs. Eason Bradley has planned that both of the opening events in her beautiful new music room and theater shall be for charity, the object she most had in mind when it was planned by the architects. The brilliant social events which will take place there will start with the evening reception and dance on December 20, and will open the addition for the more social side.

On December 14 Mrs. Bradley will give a decidedly pleasing entertainment for the benefit of the Home for Invalids, and make it unique by giving all of the proceeds to be placed on one side from her purse. In



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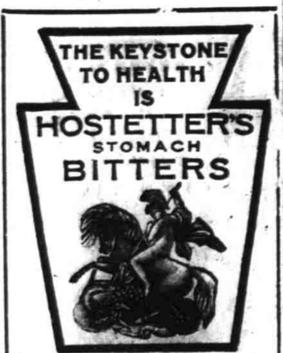
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Mrs. E. T. Statesbury, of Philadelphia, formerly Mrs. Crowell, of Washington, has issued invitations for several brilliant events in which a large number of Washington society people will figure.

Rafik Bey, counselor and secretary of the Turkish embassy here, has received instructions to go to London to take up permanent duties with the embassy there.

Miss Margaret Southland, daughter of Rear Admiral W. H. H. Southland, U. S. N., now stationed on the Pacific coast, will come to Washington to spend the Lenten season.

Rear Admiral Richardson Clover, U. S. N., and Mrs. Clover will give a dinner for their daughter, Miss Eudora Clover, during Christmas week.

Mrs. Marshall Field has arrived in Washington after spending the summer abroad, and has taken possession of the residence in Sixteenth street which has been enlarged during her absence.

Mrs. Slater, who spent the greater part of the summer in Newport, has returned to her residence in Eighteenth street. Mrs. Slater has taken a box for the moving pictures of the Panama Canal, to be given at the Belasco for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Miss Almira Sessions is spending several days in Washington with her parents, Lieut. Col. Benjamin Reeves Russell, U. S. M. C., and Mrs. Russell. Next week Mrs. Sessions will visit her parents. Both Miss Sessions and her sister are among the Washington society girls who are on the stage this winter.

Miss Esther Foote, daughter of Col. Stephen M. Foote, U. S. A., and Mrs. Foote, will be presented to society at a tea at the Brighton on the afternoon of Wednesday, December 11. Miss Foote was among the group of attractive young girls who assisted at the tea which followed the cavalry drill at Fort Myer yesterday, given for the benefit of the Army Relief Society.

Gen. John R. Brooke, U. S. A., and Mrs. Brooke, of Philadelphia, are spending several weeks at the Hotel Powhatan before going South for the winter.

Miss Contance Warren, who arrived from Europe on the Mauretania with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Henry Warren, and her fiancé, Count Guy de Lasteyrie, has selected December 21 as the date of her wedding, which will take place at her parents' home on 5th avenue, New York city.

Her future husband is the eldest son and heir of the Marquis de Lasteyrie and of the Chateau de la Grange, in the Seine-et-Marne of New York. The count served for a time in the 20th Regiment of Dragons of the French army, in the non-commissioned ranks. The couple will spend several months in California before going abroad.

Mrs. Taft has her sister, Mrs. Laughlin, as her companion on her downtown and uptown walks every morning. Both are wearing black. Miss Taft, who has started to Panama with Secretary and Mrs. Stimson, will be away at least three weeks. It is her first journey in that direction.

The minister of Uruguay and Mme de Pena have changed their residence to 1734 N street.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Cushman are at the Foraker home on 16th street for a

few weeks prior to sailing for Europe. They will pass the winter in Rome.

Col. and Mrs. J. F. Reynolds Landis, U. S. A., have returned to Washington, after an absence of more than five years. Col. Landis was for four years the military attaché of our embassy in Rome, Italy. Col. and Mrs. Landis are temporarily at the Toronto, 20th and P streets, while their own house 1413 1st street, is being prepared for occupancy.

Dr. John C. Boyd, U. S. N., and Mrs. Boyd have sent out invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Alice Willard, and Dr. A. Camp Stanley, U. S. N., retired, Tuesday evening, December 3, at 8 o'clock, in the Church of the Epiphany, Washington.

The bride's attendants will include Miss Carolyn Nash, daughter of Medical Director Nash and Mrs. Nash, as maid of honor; Miss Natalie Magruder, Miss Elizabeth Collins and Miss Margaret Taylor.

The first of the cabinet dinners is set for December 19, when the President and Mrs. Taft will be entertained by the Secretary of State and Mrs. Knox.

Miss Dorothy Aleshire, daughter of the Quartermaster General of the Army and Mrs. Aleshire, will be among the season's brides, making her debut at a tea on Tuesday afternoon, December 17, at the home of her parents, in S street, in January General and Mrs. Aleshire will entertain at a dance for their daughter.

The Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. Huntington Wilson have returned to Washington from a visit to New York. They will not be active socially in any but an official way, as Mrs. Wilson is still in mourning, for the death of her father last winter.

Madame Slavko Y. Brouitch, who before marriage was Miss Mabel Gordon Dunlap, of Clarksburg, W. Va., but now the wife of the Serbian chargé d'affaires at London, is now in New York making a fight for the \$190,000 which she intends to raise in this connection for the foreign Red Cross.

Mrs. Melville Ingalls and Mrs. Gladys Ingalls have arrived in Washington from Hot Springs, Va., where they have taken for the winter the house of 1901 R street, which they have taken for the winter. Later in the season Mr. and Mrs. Ingalls may go abroad.

Mad Mrs. Larz Anderson is going abroad to the attraction of their beautiful Venetian house in Massachusetts, where she has a museum of Oriental art. Mrs. Anderson has spent some years in making the collection, and when the room is fully furnished, it will add a warm glow of color to the almost too formal furnishings of the house.

Senators Lippie and Miss Lippitt have returned to the Capital from the Virginia Springs and will take possession of their house in N street within a few days.

For a night's stay in this city Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sothorn (Julia Marlowe) have leased the furnished residence of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Wagner, 10th street northwest. Mr. and Mrs. Sothorn carry with them a large force of servants from their New home, and are thus enabled to much more comfortably than in hotels. They expect to stay in a quiet way while in the city.

Mrs. John S. Hammond will entertain at 1015 S street on January 9 in compliment to Grover Cleveland and Miss Estelle Cleveland, who will be her house guests at that time. On the following evening Mrs. Hammond expects to give a large ball. Mrs. Cleveland spend but a few days in Washington but her daughter will remain for a month or more and will make a few visits among her friends.

Miss Wilson, who is spending the winter here with her father, the Secretary of Agriculture, is being sought by her mother and music lovers in general, who are planning during the winter, and it is probable that a will soon be made. Aside from her own private social affairs, Miss Wilson is taking but little interest in the city.

Mrs. W. L. Liff is visiting her husband, Lieut. Commander Littlefield, U. S. N., in the command of the S. Henley.

The fact that Mr. and Mrs. Taft have accepted invitation to the drill in aid of the Army Relief Society will add to the success of this worthy cause. All of the ladies stationed at Fort Myer, as well as in Washington, are making preparations for the occasion, which will follow on December 11. Mrs. Albert Mills and Mrs. Ward both have their drilling at the summer camp. Mrs. Gliman, Mrs. Keltra, Mrs. G. R. Smith, Mrs. Hoff, Mrs. Burr, Mrs. Aleshire, Mrs. Young, Mrs. Whit, Mrs. Foote and Mrs. A. are a few names from the list of interested well wishers of the Army Relief Society.

Miss Alice Drexel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Drexel, of New York, accompanied by Miss Almon, has arrived in Washington on a sight-seeing visit, and is spending several days at the Hotel Graton.

Congressman George P. Lawrence, of Massachusetts, and Mrs. Lawrence have taken an apartment in the Connecticut for the season.

Mrs. Harold P. Norton, who spent the last several weeks in Boston with her sister, Mrs. Irwin, wife of Commander William Manning Irwin, U. S. N., has returned to Washington. Mrs. Irwin is recovering from her recent illness.

The Secretary of Commerce and Labor and Mrs. Nagel will entertain at dinner on February 6 in honor of the President and Mrs. Taft. This dinner is the last of the series of dinners in the Cabinet homes in honor of the President and Mrs. Taft.

MAY SUTTON TO WED TOM BUNDY

Tennis Players Well Known to Many Honoluluans Announce Their Engagement

Local friends of Miss May Sutton and "Tom" Bundy will read the following with interest:

LOS ANGELES, December 2. — A notable merger of tennis titles was revealed today when Thomas Clark Bundy, national doubles champion, announced his engagement to Miss May Sutton of Pasadena, formerly woman tennis champion of the world. The wedding will take place December 11 at Christ Church, Los Angeles, and it will be an event in the tennis world as well as a pronounced social function. Simpson Sinsabaugh, the tennis expert, will be best man, and Miss Florence Sutton will attend her sister.

Miss Sutton was reported engaged to Harry B. Ham, banker of Mexico, in July, 1939. Cupid "scored a fault" in the engagement, to draw on a technical tennis term, however, and Miss Sutton announced several months later that the engagement had been broken.

"It's all off," she said, by the way of explanation, "and I'm glad to be foot-loose and fancy-free." Miss Sutton doesn't refer to her engagement with Bundy in anything but the most coy terms, and it is plain to see that the tennis queen entered up on the most romantic event of her career when she consented to the announcement of the engagement.

Miss Sutton in the tennis world has occupied a unique position. Throughout her career as a tennis player she has been unbeatable, and she lost the title of world champion simply because she did not go abroad to defend it. It was said at this time that Miss Sutton had simply grown tired of victories on the tennis court, and they no longer had charm or excitement for her.

Bundy, wiry from hard work with the racquet and always eager for the fastest kind of play, Miss Sutton has invariably been a memorable figure on the tennis courts in which the world has watched her play.

After climbing to the top of the ladder and defeating all the women opponents that could be brought against her in this country, Miss Sutton went abroad several times and defeated the best women players in Great Britain.

Miss Sutton is the daughter of Captain and Mrs. Adolphus Sutton of Pasadena and together with her sisters has been among the most famous athletic girls of California and the United States.

Bundy, her fiancé, shares his doubles tennis championship with Maurice Loughlin of San Francisco. When he is not playing tennis he sells real estate in Los Angeles.

Miss Sutton held the world's title for two years and lost it by default when she refused to go abroad to defend it.

BANANA PIE. Banana filling for pie: One cup of sugar, yolks of three eggs 1 1/2 tablespoons of cornstarch; cream this together and add it to one quart of milk with a pinch of salt in it; cook in a pan set in pan of water until thick; let cool for about five minutes, then add one teaspoon of vanilla and six bananas, peeled and sliced; make frosting of the whites of eggs and put on top of pie; bake crust first.

CREAM PIES. Pour a pint of cream over 1 1/2 cups of sugar. Let it stand until the whites of three eggs have been beaten to a stiff froth. Add to this the cream and sugar and beat up well; grate a little rutmeg over the mixture and bake without an upper crust. A heaping teaspoon of sifted flour sifted with the sugar will make a firmer pie if desired. —San Francisco Call.

Ostrich trimmings are rapidly gaining in favor. Bandeaux, plumes, bands, fringes, ornaments and various ostrich fancies are all represented in the new lines.

Only 8 More Shopping Days Until Christmas



Holiday Announcement

Wichman & Co. offer a larger selection of high-grade merchandise than ever before.

Wichman & Co.'s stock includes articles of jewelry of original and exclusive designs for men and women.

A visit to the store will suggest numerous items of moderate price, as well as costly articles of jewelry and precious stones. Your entire shopping list can be completed here.

- Gold and Silver Jewelry
Diamonds and Precious Stones
Platinum Jewelry
Art Goods in Pottery and Glass
Gold and Silver Novelties
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Gold and Silver Mounted Umbrellas
Smokers' Articles, etc.

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MOTOR CAR GOSSIP

HOW YOUNG DURYEA SOLVED SILENCE PROBLEM IN NEW CAR

Silence has been the "consummation devoutly to be wished" of the automobile builders ever since the first crude "horseless" carriage smoked, and-puffed, and rattled its way along to the admiration of even the objectors. And now for the first time, after twenty-one years of steady development of the American motor car, silence has been attained, as nearly as it is possible to attain absolute noiselessness in anything that moves.

That most motor cars have never before been more than comparatively silent is because the builders went after only the big noises, which thrust themselves on the attention, like that of the engine. When these were more or less quieted, the myriad little noises which go to make up the characteristic sound of the motor car—things which singly would hardly be noticed—made their chorus heard. And silence was still a long way off.

The problem was solved in a characteristic fashion by J. Frank Duryea. Though he is but a young man now, Duryea was the designer of the first successful American automobile, 21 years ago. He originated, and had developed, more of the fundamentals of the fine motor car of today than any other maker in this country, certainly—probably more than any other man in the world. His method has always been to make his mind up

what was to be accomplished, and then study and adapt every part of the car to achieve the result.

When he set about getting silence, Mr. Duryea "began at the tread and worked up." Every bolt, rod, joint, bearing, hinge, sash, frame, anything that had the possibilities of the slightest squeak, or thump, or rattle—was studied, first by itself, and then in connection with everything it touched or affected.

New materials were put into bearings, or old materials were combined in new ways; valves were water-jacketed; windows sashed and frames were set and fitted in an entirely novel manner; special thumb screws were invented, because none could be found that would not work looser sooner or later; the wind shield was locked to the top when the top was up, so that it was perfectly fast, with no flapping guys or shaking straps. The lamps were locked, too, that they should not jar—and so on, through an almost endless list of things. And then by a new principle in spring suspension, the utmost of bump and jar was eliminated.

The result is that the C-Six Stevens-Duryea, as this new car of the Stevens-Duryea Company is called, is "as silent as if it wore rubber heels." Its quiet is extraordinary—the most striking thing, perhaps, about what has

MERCER AGENCY GOES TO ROYAL HAWAIIAN HERE

The Royal Hawaiian Garage has secured the agency of the Mercer car, one of the fastest cars manufactured. A 1913 touring car is now on exhibition in the garage and those who have seen it say it's one of the neatest appearing cars on the market today. It is hung low to the ground, which makes riding very comfortable and at the same time absolutely safe.

The Mercer is capable of obtaining a speed of 70 miles an hour, and has power galore, it being able to climb the steepest hills. In all the big races the Mercer finished first, demonstrating beyond doubt its superior power and workmanship.

Rufus Spalding, of Kauai, while on the mainland recently, purchased a Mercer and took delivery about a month ago on Kauai. He reports his car particularly adapted to hill climbing over some of the not too good Garden Island roads.

been called the most striking car ever produced. It is the first thing anyone comments on. It's so "well worth having" that it's a sure guess that every builder will get out and hustle to come as near to it as he can from now on.

REO TRUCKS DO SPLENDID WORK ON STEEP HILLS OF TERRITORY

Manager Geo. S. Wells of the Royal Hawaiian Garage reports a sale and delivery of a 2-ton Reo Truck to Hymie Meyers of Walluku, Maui, who tested it on the Makawao Hills and reports that the truck gave absolute satisfaction.

The truck, which, by the way is the first 2-ton Reo shipped to the islands, carries an overload of 500 pounds. The demand for these trucks is so great in San Francisco that the factory had to work overtime to supply customers.

The Royal Hawaiian has orders for three more 2-ton trucks and expects a shipment in two weeks, which from the present outlook, will be sold up the first 2-ton Reo shipped to the arrival.

1913 HAYNES MAKES A HIT

J. A. Gilman, the local agent for the Haynes car, received a 1913 model the other day. The car, a five-passenger touring car, attracted much attention as it was given a try-out by Mr. Gilman, accompanied by a few specially invited friends.

In speaking of the car Mr. Gilman said: "It's the easiest-running machine I've ridden in and I've been behind many in my days. It's an electric starter and generates its own electricity and storage battery. I am very well pleased with the new Haynes and expect to do a big business with the 1913 model."

Mr. A. A. Swider is the purchaser of the Haynes and has already taken delivery of it. Three other cars are on the way and Mr. Gilman expects they'll be sold as they arrive.

WILL RETAIN AGENTS.

Flanders Assures Agents of Reorganized U. S. Motor Co.

As there seems to be a general misunderstanding and considerable misapprehension among dealers handling the various lines—Stoddard, Maxwell, Flanders, etc.—as to just what will happen when Walter E. Flanders takes hold of the reins of the reorganized United States Motors Company Mr. Flanders states as follows:

"While I am not yet ready, and it would be premature, to announce the new sales policy in detail, I will say that the general policy will be to leave matters just as they are so far as dealers are concerned. That is to say, those dealers who have been handling Maxwell or Stoddard cars, will continue to enjoy those agencies undisturbed. And dealers who are handling the Flanders Sixes will also continue to handle that line undisturbed. The sales, like the manufacturing policy, will be one of expansion, not of contraction.

"I have never seen any great success achieved by cutting down. The way to make profits is to increase output. And that being our plan it goes without saying that we will need every good, every competent man in the old organization, whether in the field or at the factories."

AUTOMOBILE NOTES.

One of the most ingenious machines yet developed by the automobile trade is at work in the trimming department of the Studebaker Corporation. By an elaborate system of fingers this machine measures in square inches the area of the hides used in upholstery. Incidentally, it takes two large hides to furnish the leather work for each car.

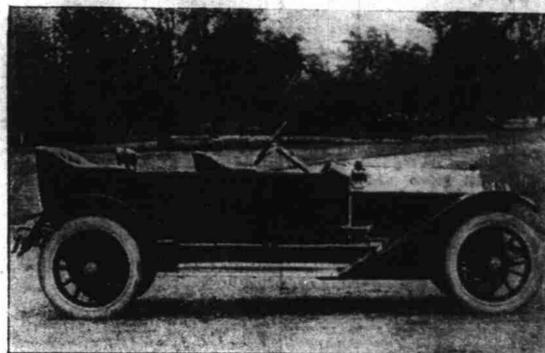
In an interview with Jesse Froelich of the Times Square Automobile Company, it is very evident that the second-hand automobile business is in a very flourishing condition, especially since they have added to their line of manufacturers' obsolete stock.

They are making a specialty of carrying material of all descriptions that the manufacturers of automobiles and trucks are putting out, including magnets, frames, axles, motors, steering wheels, steering columns, radiators, bodies, transmission, and in fact everything pertaining to the automobile and accessories.

With a run from New York to Philadelphia overtopping its 4145-mile coast to coast trip, the transcontinental Alco truck returned to the everyday service performed for its owners, Charles W. Young & Co., previous to undertaking the long journey.

The truck attracted much attention

THE STURDY STUTZ



The Car that made good in a day.

THE FIRST STUTZ CAR built, made good when it went through a gruelling contest on the Indianapolis speedway without a mechanical adjustment, and it has been making good ever since. The best ideas of automobile engineers all over the world have been incorporated in Stutz construction, but the expense of all these engineers is not included in the cast overhead expense which goes to make up the price of the car. When a maker can show a record such as the Stutz can proudly point to, when he can point to an unbroken record of consistent performances, it means everything. This is the history of the Stutz. Look at the car, study its construction, its sturdiness, its beautiful lines, its record for speed and consistency, and be convinced.

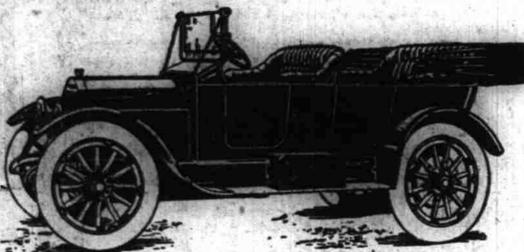
Schuman Carriage Co., Ltd., Agents

as it operated through the Philadelphia streets laden with merchandise. It bore few evidences of the battles it had fought and the difficulties that were encountered in hauling the first big steel body had scarcely a dent in it. A high priced box at the open end is less expensive to some people than the cheapest church pew.

The Complete Car

In determining what automobile you are going to buy you will probably demand a car that is powerful and speedy, dependable and durable, handsome and comfortable—one that has all the best features in automobile construction and is backed by successful and reliable manufacturers. In short, a car that is in every sense complete. And you want it at the lowest price consistent with the efficiency you demand.

We anticipated long ago that that was the kind of car most people wanted, and for 20 years we have worked to build that kind of a car. Each year we came nearer that ideal. And in Model 22 we have succeeded in reaching it.



The Newest HAYNES Model 22

Electric Starting and Electric Lighting

is everything that you will demand of an automobile. IT IS THE COMPLETE CAR. Its completeness is expressed in its powerful, durable, dependable, easy running, silent, simple, and accessible working parts—its sturdy frame—its graceful lines—its roominess—the luxury of its upholstery, the deepest used in American cars—and in its electric starting and electric lighting system of utmost simplicity and 100 per cent efficiency. And throughout there is that QUALITY OF MATERIALS and WORKMANSHIP that has always made the Haynes so popular.

In building this complete car we have constantly had in mind ABSOLUTELY FULL EFFICIENCY at the VERY MINIMUM of COST. Cheaper cars cannot give you all you demand; higher-priced cars cannot offer you better conveniences, comfort, quality or service than the Haynes.

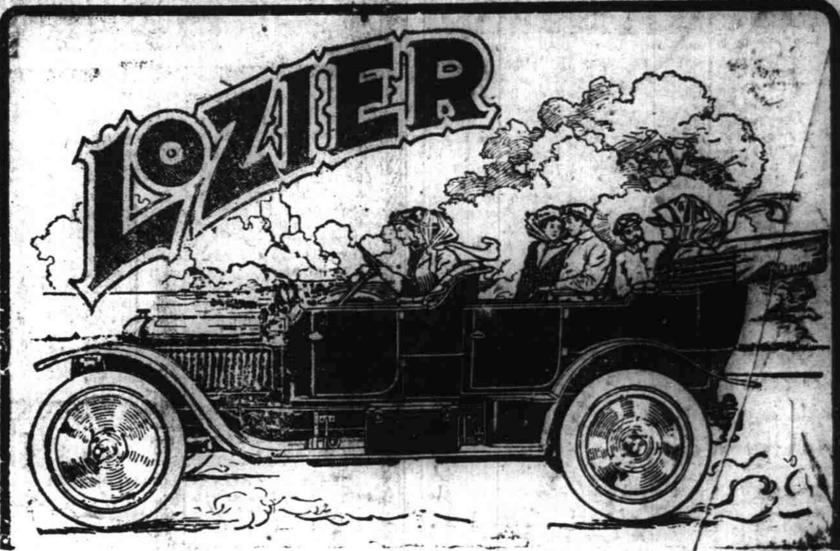
Detail of Specifications:

Haynes T-head motor, 4 1/2 x 5 1/2 in., 40 h. p., wheel base 120 in., fine hair upholstery, 12 in. deep; tires, 26x4 1/2 in., absolutely 100 per cent efficient electric starting equipment of utmost simplicity; Elsmann dual magneto, Stromberg carburetor, Warner autometer, demountable rims, top, windshield, electric signal horn, electric cow lamp, standard bumper, etc., etc. Model 22, \$2500 complete, delivered in Honolulu.

J. A. GILMAN,
Agent

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Center Control



Center control logically follows left-hand drive, and is sure to become standard on all American motor cars. Center control as adopted by Lozier for 1913 eliminates the one great objection to the popular fore-door body.

The first fore-door car built in America was the Lozier Lakewood, now in its fourth successful season. This innovation in design met with the instant approval of the public and fore-door bodies are now standard on all open cars, in spite of the fact that manufacturers have never been able to perfect a fore-door on a right-hand drive car, because of the position of the control levers.

The adoption of left-hand drive on the 1913 Lozier has made it possible to place the gear-shifting and emergency brake levers in the center of the car, in a position convenient to the driver and at the same time, entirely out of the way of occupants of both front seats. The bug-bear of the body designer has been eliminated.

The accompanying illustration will give you only a general idea of the beautiful Lozier fore-door bodies. You must see the car to appreciate its good looks; you must ride in it to realize how far it is ahead of other motor cars mechanically.

In the Type 72 1913 Lozier you get Left-Hand Drive, Center Control, Automatic-Level Oiling system, Double Magneto, with Triple Ignition, a Six-Cylinder Motor which develops more than 80 actual horse-power—and all the other features which have led men who had owned many makes of cars—"Men Who Know"—to call the Lozier the best car built in America.

It's really worth your while to investigate this remarkable car. See it at our salesrooms and arrange for a demonstration. 32-page catalog on request.

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DEMONSTRATOR NOW IN STOCK AND READY FOR BUSINESS.

MOTORISTS FIGHT GRIME HARD; A TIP FROM MANAGER HOWES

"How to keep clean in an automobile" is the problem on which is being expended much local brain energy by motorists.

One tells about a \$45 suit of clothes ruined by grease; another tells of unwittingly seating himself upon a cushion on which had been splattered the dregs of a gallon oil can; another tells how the oil of the car and the dirt of the road collect upon his person; and feminine motorists especially bemoan the necessity for a bath after a ride in some cars—and they tell of ruined gowns.

Motorists are fighting grime and grease with a vengeance.

And it seems that the innocent cause of it all is the humble garage man, the grease-covered, good-natured individual whose life is a ceaseless chain of gasoline, oil and the underneath of cars.

But there is a solution to the problem. You can keep clean in an automobile, if you won't make it necessary for the grease-covered one to enter the car.

F. E. Howes, manager of the Associated Garage, the Hudson dealer, voiced a good tip in the intelligence that some of the high-priced cars such as the Packard and Pierce Arrow, have made it unnecessary for the garage man to enter the car by placing gasoline tanks upon the rear of the car. The rear gasoline tank, too, is a feature of the New Hudson "37"—adding cleanliness to the beauty of the big new car. The tank being a large one, holding 22 gallons, does not need

filling often. "One trip into my car by a gasoline dispenser who was covered with some peculiarly determined grease," said a motorist, "cost me \$45 for a complete new suit of clothes. The man just leaned his elbow on the seat of the car when emptying the gasoline can into the tank and his hand rested upon the back of the seat. He got my coat and trousers at the same time."

Every owner should each morning wipe the dirt, grime and whatever grease has collected from the backs and cushions of the car into which a garage man has crawled. If the owner possesses the affluence necessary for the employment of a chauffeur, that should be the latter's duty.

Mr. Howes said that by taking care of the car each morning with a cloth just moist enough to take up the grime and grease, and by not allowing grime to get into the car, the "keeping clean" side of the motoring question is taken care of.

"There are other good mechanical reasons for the rear gasoline tank," he said. "The gasoline flow from the tank to the carburetor which feeds the engine is due to air pressure. The air pressure system means an even flow at all times."

Going up hill or down the flow is the same.

You have seen cars backing up steep hills because if they went up, engine foremost, the gasoline would not reach the carburetor—the force or gravity would pull the gasoline back into the tank."

PACKARD MODEL '38' HAS GREAT ADVANCE SALE

With shipments of 1913 Packard "38" demonstrators going to all parts of the country, more than five hundred orders for this new car have been received, the total of advance sales exceeding \$2,000,000. Seven thousand craftsmen are bending their efforts to meet this demand.

To expedite the manufacture of the "38" and future models, the Packard plant, already comprising 37 acres of floor space, is being enlarged.

Three buildings, constructed entirely of glass, concrete and steel and of the most advanced type of design, have been erected to conform to the Packard factory's system of shop units. The added room will permit of more rapid production and is in keeping with the policy of systematic expansion which has been followed since the factory was started.

The additions are practically complete and will be ready for occupancy by January 1.

By mistake, it was reported last week that the von Hamm-Younis Co. were making adjustments on Michelin casings. They are, however, now making adjustments on all Morgan & Wright and United States tires.

The opening of the tenth year of the West Side Y. M. C. A. Automobile School occurred Thursday evening, Nov. 21, when John C. Whitmore spoke on "The Chauffeur, a Potent Factor in the Advancement of the Automobile."

During the last nine years, 7704 different men have taken the work. The school has recently added a motor truck department and is providing truck drivers for various firms throughout the city. An entire building at No. 40 West Sixty-sixth street is devoted to instruction purposes, where nineteen men are employed for their full time. Motor boat gas engine instruction is given here as well.

Unlike most workers, the mosquito insect his job before he does the job.

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GRAMM MOTOR'S WATCHWORD IS PROMPTNESS

"Promptness is our watchword," says Vice-President G. W. Bennett of the Gramm Motor Truck Co. of Lima, Ohio, in discussing the factors of success in the manufacture of commercial motor vehicles. We have found that quick delivery creates an excellent impression in the minds of the buyers of our product, for it is only after long and careful study that the determination to purchase is arrived at and if there is a long wait after this decision is reached, there is a tendency for the renewed growth of the prejudice which everyone in the industry will admit exists.

"On the other hand, if you give a purchaser a hurry-up delivery of the truck he has purchased, he gets it into service at once and has an opportunity to see just what advantage there is over his old methods of transportation. The Gramm Company has made several enviable records in the delivery of its trucks and we find that they are some of the best assets, aside from quality of construction, we could have. Recently, a Seattle merchant purchased a truck and our dealers asked us to insure delivery within 12 days. Just three days after we received the order the truck left our factory.

"The American Hardware & Plumbing Co., of Manila, P. I., which now operates 35 of our vehicles, recently ordered three more trucks, asking special promptness of delivery. Within 48 hours the trucks were ready for shipment. We have a number of other instances of rapid-fire work in shipments and while they have become so frequent as to be almost commonplace to us now, nevertheless we are very proud of them.

"The main reason for our efficiency in this respect is that we have standardized our product in every possible respect. Our chassis models are all made up of interchangeable parts, of course, and our body department is constantly supplied with a large number of standard bodies. This gives us the opportunity, when occasion demands, of devoting all our energies to rushing through special bodies when quick delivery is asked for.

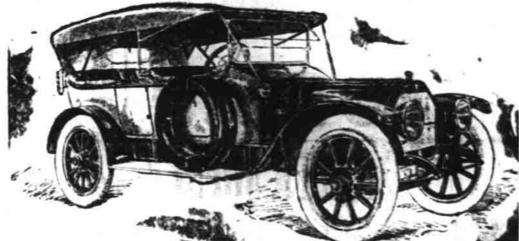
"There is a picture almost as highly prized as an old master," said Mr. Bennett pointing to a photograph on the wall of his office. "It is a snapshot of one of our 5-ton Gramm trucks climbing the Twin Peaks, in San Francisco. This is one of the worst grades in California, and pleasure car manufacturers consider the climbing of it by one of their automobiles a great achievement. But our truck, loaded to capacity with sand, made the climb recently without a bit of trouble. The test was a remarkable demonstration of Gramm power and hill-climbing ability."

Automobile circles will be interested to learn that Morton H. Luce, former manager of the New England and Chicago branches of the Velie Motor Vehicle Company, has been appointed sales manager for the American-Marion Sales Company, 1896 Broadway.

Mr. Luce has earned for himself an enviable reputation in the automobile business, and the American-Marion Sales Company is the one to be congratulated upon securing his services.

Heading the unique procession of various types of street cars which the New York Railway Company displayed to the public recently were included two of the Packard's latest types of vehicles. The horse-car was immediately followed by a Packard "38" belonging to one of the officers of the company and the rear of the procession was brought up by the New York Railway Company's own Packard "18," painted in the standard green and white, which this company has adopted.

The "54" HUDSON—a "SIX"



Speed: 65 Miles per hour
58 Miles per hour
in 30 Seconds
from Standing Start

The Answer Is Here

to that oft asked question: "What will Howard E. Coffin do when he builds a 'Six?'"

The "54" HUDSON is Mr. Coffin's reply to the most frequently asked question heard since the beginning of six-cylinder talk.

The car is here now. Experts who have driven the "54" through mountains, over long tours, in both winter and summer, and who have observed its ideal smoothness and flexibility, claim it to have no superior in any automobile, regardless of make or cost.

Many owners of the highest priced cars have remarked after examining and riding in the "54" that it is foolish for anyone to pay more for an automobile than it sells for, no matter what demands they have or how fastidious they may be.

The surprise to all motordom is that Mr. Coffin developed the "54" HUDSON along entirely different lines from those he had followed in designing his four-cylinder cars.

He is too shrewd a designer to attempt such a departure unaided. Before starting his "Six" he built up his Board of 48 Expert Engineers. Then they all worked together for two years—until every man agreed that this was the best he knew.

CAME FROM EVERYWHERE

Gathered from everywhere, possessing the training and experience acquired in 97 factories, some of them in Europe, these men have helped to build more than 200,000 automobiles.

Mr. Coffin wanted his six-cylinder to be a wonderful car. He knows, as well as anyone knows, the limit of any one man's ability. He knows there is much in six-cylinder cars that four-cylinder experience has not taught. So he went after the men who had done the most as six-cylinder designers.

WHERE ONE-MAN CARS FALL SHORT

No man need be told that Howard E. Coffin leads all in building four-cylinder cars. No other designer has built as many successful automobiles. But the mastery of cars of the four-

cylinder type is no indication that the man is master of the six.

Many a designer has learned that to his sorrow. Six-cylinder cars have wrecked splendid reputations built up by years of four-cylinder accomplishment.

ADDING TWO CYLINDERS WON'T MAKE A GOOD SIX

Very few designers have been able to get in excess of 30 per cent increased power from their six-cylinder motors of the same bore and stroke as used in their "four." Although they have added 50 per cent to the piston displacement, have practically doubled the gasoline and oil consumption, have increased the weight and have made the car more costly to operate, many sixes have failed entirely to develop that flexible smoothness for which sixes are really built.

Thus is shown the shortcomings of the one-man idea of designing. When one man dominates in the designing of an automobile, it expresses his ability and his limitations. Every man is over-developed in one way or another. Every man is good at one thing and not so good at other things. No man is perfectly balanced, and no machine designed by any one man can be more rounded toward perfection than can be the ability and experience of the man who designed it.

THIS NOT A ONE-MAN NOR A ONE-IDEA CAR

But with 48 men, all concentrating on one car, not much is apt to be overlooked. No one man dominates. Each individual is a specialist in some branch of the work at which no one of his associates is quite his equal.

Consequently the "54" HUDSON is thoroughly proportioned.

It is not merely a "Six" which is made so by the addition of two cylinders to a good four-cylinder car.

It has power. But its power is not abnormal in proportion to its other parts. It has beauty. But no detail of its mechanical design is overlooked.

It is completely equipped. Every detail that adds to comfort and luxury is included, but this is not done with the idea of attracting sales or through skimping in any other direction.

EACH SUPREME AT HIS WORK

Each expert is supreme in the work at which he leads. A badly proportioned car would be impossible under such methods of designing. Imagine the completeness of a car designed under such conditions. There are specialists among these 48 men, some of whom know nothing of motor designing. Their forte is in other directions. They have been gathered from everywhere.

The one-man car, no matter who built it—even though it were Howard E. Coffin himself—cannot be its equal, for no one man can ever possess the skill and experience these men combined possess.

But just as trained soldiers under proper generalship become a fighting machine of greater efficiency than are those same men without direction, so Howard E. Coffin by his inspiration and guidance brought out of his 47 associates work of which they are incapable under other conditions.

All that years of experience has taught in all the leading factories in all types of motor car construction, is represented by these 48 men.

This you can recognize when you examine the car, even though you know nothing of automobile designing. You can sense the distinction, for it is expressed in every line—in the ease of the seats, in the purr of the motor, in its instant and powerful responsiveness, in the smoothness of its riding.

It gives an entirely different sensation from that experienced in other cars. Nothing short of actual demonstration is sufficient to convey an impression of the smooth, gliding sensation of comfort and safety you feel in riding in the "54" HUDSON.

Electric Self-Cranking—Electrically Lighted

COMFORT.
Modern automobile designing is tending toward comfort and convenience. The time was when people were willing to put up with a great deal of inconvenience in their auto-mobiling. They realized that a 150-mile drive in a day was fatiguing. Unless he was particularly robust, the driver hardly felt like covering a similar distance the next day. His passengers usually were tired and cross at the end of the day's journey.

But in the HUDSON every known development looking toward easy riding qualities is incorporated. The upholstery is 12 inches deep—Turkish type. You sink down into it and lounge restfully in its softness as you rest in a favorite chair. The springs are flexible, bodies rigid and well proportioned. There is roominess in the tonneau and in front.

COMPLETENESS.
The regular equipment includes an electric self-starter which, by the touching of a button and the pressure of a pedal starts the motor 100 times out of 100 trials. It is 100 per cent sure.

Electric lights are operated from a generator, also a part of the self-cranking arrangement. They project a brilliant light for a much greater distance than gas, and are controlled from the driver's seat.

The windshield has a rain vision arrangement which permits driving in a blinding rain with clear vision for the driver and with full protection to the occupants of the front seat. The windshield is made integral with the body.

The very appearance and feel of the "54" express its quality. A gauge indicates the flow of oil through the crank case. The oil itself is not seen. A hand records that proper lubrication is being given to all parts, and another gauge indicates the supply of gasoline. There is a speedometer and clock. All these are illuminated. The condition of the car and its supplies both day and night are at the immediate observation of the driver.

Demountable rims and big tires—36" x 4 1/2"—minimize all tire cares. Tire holder, tools and every item of convenience are also included.

GET-AWAY—SPEED—POWER
From a standing start, the "54" HUDSON will attain in 30 seconds a speed of 58 miles an hour. That indicates its get-away. What other car do you know that will do as well? On the speedway at Indianapolis, a

stock car, fully equipped, having two extra tires and hauling four passengers, top down and glass windshield folded, traveled ten miles at the rate of 62 1/2 miles an hour. This is marvelous when you consider that only twelve months ago a \$500 prize was offered to the stock touring car similarly equipped that would do one mile in one minute flying start on that track. Several well-known cars attempted the test but failed to make good. Well-known racing drivers pronounced the "54" HUDSON the fastest stock touring car built. It was not planned as a speed car, but as an ideal automobile for every requirement. It will go as slowly as 2 1/2 miles an hour on high and fire evenly or all six cylinders. It will jump to 58 miles an hour within 30 seconds from a standing point. There is more speed in the "54" HUDSON than any driver, except an expert, traveling over a protected and absolutely cleared course, should ever demand of it.

THE CHASSIS IS SIMPLE.
There are but two grease cups on the motor. Other lubricating points throughout the chassis are just as accessible.

Consider the importance of choosing a car complete in every detail. In your selection of an automobile it is important that not one item of its design and construction has been overlooked.

It is equally apparent that no one man is so infallible that he is not apt to make mistakes. The safeguard against error is in having many experts design the car. What one overlooks or is unable to accomplish, an associate corrects, or is able to do. These 48 men, each a specialist in his line, have put into the car all that they have learned elsewhere. Can you imagine their leaving anything undone in a car they combined in building?

And can you think it possible that anyone is likely to soon produce anything that these men have not already anticipated and that is not already on the "54" HUDSON?

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The Hudson "37"—The four-cylinder masterpiece with the same high quality of finish and equipment as is used on the "54" is \$1875, f. o. b. Detroit. It is furnished in models of 3-passenger Touring Car, Torpedo and 2-passenger Roadster. See it also.

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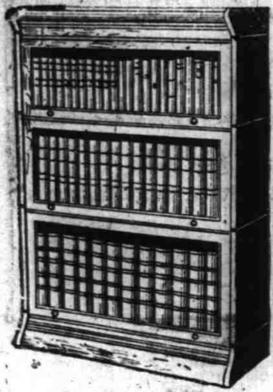
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Certificate No. 384 for 10 shares of the Capital Stock of McBryde Sugar Co., Ltd., standing in the name of W. G. Needham, has been lost or destroyed. All persons are hereby warned against negotiating or otherwise dealing in or with such shares. Application has been made to the Treasurer of said Company for the issuance of a new certificate.
Dated: Dec. 9, 1912.
MISS H. NEEDHAM,
5415—Dec. 11, 14, 18, 21, 26, 28, Jan. 1, 4.

Office of Chief Quartermaster, Honolulu, T. H., Nov. 30, 1912. Bids will be received until 11 a. m., Monday, Dec. 16, 1912, and then publicly opened for the construction of a Reservoir, Dam, and Pipe Line for Schofield Barracks, Oahu, T. H. Full information can be secured upon application.
MAJOR B. F. CHEATHAM,
Chief Quartermaster,
5407—Dec. 2, 3, 4, 5, 13, 14.

BY AUTHORITY.

SEALED TENDERS.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Board of Harbor Commissioners of the Territory of Hawaii until 2 p. m. of Friday, December 27, 1912, for constructing a wharf and approach at Kihel, Maui.
Plans, specifications and blank forms of tender are on file in the office of the Chairman, Capitol Building, Honolulu.
The Board of Harbor Commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all tenders.
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BOY SCOUT NOTES

B. P. Sends Greetings to Boy Scouts of America.

Sir Robert Baden-Powell, founder of the British Boy Scout movement, wishes to thank the Boy Scouts of America for the messages of congratulations which he has received on his marriage.

"I am most deeply touched," he writes, "and grateful for the generous good feeling expressed. Among the letters was one, however, which took another line, though not in an unkind way. The writer said, 'I am dreadfully disappointed in you. I have often thought to myself, 'how glad I am that the Chief Scout is not married, because if he was he could never do all these ripping things for boys.' And now you are going to do it. It is the last thing I should have expected of you. Of course, you won't be able to keep in with the Scouts the same as before, because your wife will want you, and everything will fall through. I think it is awfully selfish of you."

"That is the wiggling that I have had for getting engaged, but I can assure the Scouts that the writer is wrong. I shall keep in with the Scouts just as much as ever.

"My bride is as keen about Scouting as I am; she will help me in the work, so that my marriage instead of taking me from the movement will bring another assistant to it, and one who loves the Scouts as they are. I am sure, will love her as soon as they get to know her."

Boy Scouts Help Put Signs in Western Desert.

Under the inspiration of the Scout movement Lou Westcott Beck, a scoutmaster living in Pasadena, California, is doing a wonderful work for the preservation of lives by setting signs on the Great Western Desert, called the American Sahara. Mr. Beck has done much prospecting in that section, and after narrowly escaping death on several occasions because he lost his way in the desert, he realizes the great danger to other men who attempt to cross it or to investigate it. He attempted in vain to get the Federal Government and the State Government to do something in the

way of putting up sign posts. The first real assistance he obtained was through the Scout movement. The Boy Scouts of Pasadena are helping him by furnishing signs which he takes with him on his trips to the desert. The great value of these signs is that they practically blaze a trail for other travelers. They are placed far out in the desert, where the traveler would have nothing else to guide him to nearby springs. They are of wood, painted red and yellow, the colors which are seen farthest on the waste lands. Mr. Beck has set 132 signs and walked hundreds of miles to do it. On his trips to the desert Mr. Beck always takes with him his St. Bernard dog Rufus.

Boy Scouts in New York to Receive Instruction in Swimming.

The Boy Scouts of New York are to receive special instruction in swimming, life saving and resuscitation. The chief of a band of instructors, who will devote time every week to this work with Scouts, is Edward C. Richards, formerly captain of the Yale Varsity Swimming and Water Polo Teams. Richards is an expert swimmer. In 1906 he won the Intercollegiate one-hundred yard swim at Philadelphia. In 1907 he won the inter-collegiate champion swim, and held the record for the two hundred and twenty yard inter-collegiate swim.

The Sign Language.

For over twenty years Chief Scout Ernest Thompson Seton has been engaged on a dictionary of the Indian sign language. A large portion of last September he put in among the Crow Indians of Montana checking up the signs to date, for the new ideas of telegraph, telephone, plow, sawing machine, pig, etc., have resulted in as many new signs. During the month of October he went about among the Sioux of North and South Dakota gathering a few new signs but principally perfecting the system of communicating gestures that were not widely accepted. The results of all this study will appear first as a series of articles for Boys' Life, and later when fully illustrated, as a dictionary of sign language for the Boy Scouts.

FINDS HOSE A 'SHOE-PULLER'

Appeal to particular feminine tastes and feminine fancies, backed up by the goods to please in the most substantial way, helps spell success for a retailer in Honolulu. That's the belief of George A. Brown, manager of the Regal Shoe Store, and when he established a line of hosiery in connection with his shoe store he made, so he remarks in his morning, one of the best moves in his business.

"The shoe stores do not get the Christmas rush until the last day or two, and that's why I am so well satisfied with this season," says Mr. Brown. "We are having a steady trade right along and 1912 is a big year for us."

"When I put in this line of Truso hosiery, I certainly made a good move, and a move whose value I did not fully realize at the time. The Truso hosiery is not only a 'puller' on its own value, but it makes business in shoes steadily. The \$1 Truso silk hosiery for women is a remarkable line. I don't mind saying that I will put it against any \$2 line elsewhere in the city. It makes a grand leader for us, and I have noticed with pleasure that ladies coming here for shoes are also coming here now for hose."

"The Regal Shoe Store has had a prosperous year and I haven't the slightest misgivings for the future. The entire territory has been progressing in the things that make general welfare. Of course there are periods of depression and periods of uncertainty as to sugar, but any city has these temporary quiet seasons. The point is that the entire territory is going forward and we have had prosperous years enough so that now we can afford a few cuts in stock dividends. Business in 1913 is going to be steady and strong. I feel sure of that."

SHORTHAND IN CICERO'S DAY

Shorthand is now so well known and so widely practiced that we are apt to think of it merely as a product of our own bustling times. Nevertheless, the history of the art of shorthand writing extends over a period of some thousands of years, and its origin, in spite of much discussion and the production of an enormous amount of literature on the subject, is obscured in the mists of antiquity. It is a history filled with humor, with romance, and even with tragedy.

The first system of which we have definite knowledge has itself a romantic story. It is the system of Marcus Tullius Tiro, originally a slave of the immortal Cicero. Whether Tiro was the inventor of the method he used, whether it was devised by Cicero, or whether the system was much older than either, are points upon which historians have squabbled for centuries, but the fact remains that Tiro became so proficient in the art (if it had not been for this gifted slave many of the famous orator's most treasured speeches would never have been recorded) and so useful to his master that he was given his freedom by Cicero, becoming his private secretary and stanch friend.

This is romance. There are both humor and tragedy in the fate of Casianus, who was a teacher of shorthand at Imola during the fourth century. Whether it was the fault of the teacher or the system we are not

OFFICERS ARE BACK ON OAHU

Major Herbert O. Williams, recently promoted into the Second Infantry, arrived on the Thomas yesterday and will assume command of the third battalion of that regiment, with station at Fort Shafter. Major Williams relieves Captain Jamieson of the post command, the latter having been the ranking officer at Shafter since the death of Major Wholley.

Captain Harry O. Williard, and First Lieutenant John G. Winter, both of the Fifth Cavalry, are back from a term at the School of Musketry, at Monterey.

Colonel William Butler, Twenty-fourth Infantry, is in command of the Logan. He has just been assigned to the colored regiment now seeing service in the Philippines. Colonel Butler found many old friends among the army officers here.

Colonel Rogers, attached to the Second Infantry, was expected to return from leave on the Thomas, but did not put in an appearance. His leave was not up until a few days after the transport left, and he is expected on the next boat.

Captain Alfred Aloe, First Infantry, was taken to the Queen's hospital yesterday, where he will be operated upon for appendicitis within a few days.

Mrs. Ernest V. Smith, wife of Major Smith of the Second Infantry, returned from the Coast on the transport Thomas yesterday, after placing her daughter Dorothy in school near San Francisco. Mrs. Smith became one of the most popular matrons of the army set during her short stay here last summer, and her return is welcomed by her many friends.

RECOMMENDED EVERYWHERE.

Mr. Piet A. Uys, living at Lielievlei, Frankfort District, Orange River Colony, Africa, says: "We can give evidence to the benefit of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. We have used it several times for our children and ourselves and have found it excellent. We expect to continue using it and can recommend it to any one in the world." For sale by all dealers, Benson, Smith & Co., Ltd., agents for Hawaii—advertisement.

Jacob Drake, a wealthy farmer of Centerville, N. J., was fined \$50 for permitting one of his cows to remain in a bog for a week.

One hundred thousand settlers from the United States entered western Canada between April 1 and October 1, according to figures just issued.

Gold, but the class one day became so exasperated that they attacked and killed the unfortunate Casianus with their styluses. The system he used was that of Tiro, which survived for many centuries, and though extremely useful in the absence of any better method, it did not always lead to that accuracy which could be desired, as a certain unhappy notary found when the Emperor Severus ordered that the sinews of the fingers of his right hand should be cut on account of some inaccuracy. Nevertheless, Tiro's system survived in a more or less imperfect state down to medieval times.—Strand Magazine.

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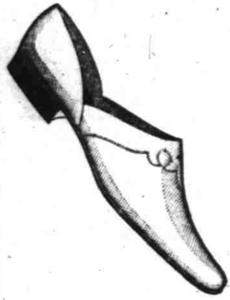
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In the Churches

Y. M. C. A. REPORT SHOWS BIG INCREASE IN RELIGIOUS WORK

The report of General Secretary Super to the Board of Directors of the Y. M. C. A. this week showed a large increase in the religious work that is being done by the association. Bible Study receiving the strongest emphasis and already 10 classes with an enrollment of 99 men and boys have been organized.

The interest that is being taken in this part of the work proves that bible classes composed of small groups are the most popular, and this is especially true because the groups can be arranged so that every man and boy can be in a class where he will feel at home. The classes being carried on at present enroll as members errand boys in the stores, working men in the shops, college men and several men who are themselves the managers of business houses. The fact that the association attempts to provide classes for men of such a wide variety of interests is doubtless the cause of the large work that is carried on by the

associations throughout the States. Last year the reports show that there were over a million men and older boys in the Bible classes conducted by the Y. M. C. A. The men who join these classes are as a rule not the men who are in the church classes as the plan of the work is for the association to supplement the work that is being done by the Bible schools of the churches.

The great need in this work is for trained leaders. This is true not only in Honolulu but throughout the country. When the Educational department of the association or the night school of one of the missions wants a man to teach they go to one of the schools in the city and find capable men.

No organization is attempting to train men who can teach the Bible in a way that is helpful and attractive to men. The Y. M. C. A. is looking forward to the establishment of a School of Religious Training that will fill that need in this city.

PALAMA TO HAVE BIG XMAS TREAT

As Christmas time approaches, the settlement workers of the city begin their plans to provide a fitting celebration of that day for those who are residents of their district, and already, those connected with the Palama Settlement have a scheme worked out that will prove to be one of the most unique as well as interesting undertakings that has ever been attempted in Honolulu.

According to the present plans, the entire big gymnasium at the settlement will be converted into a miniature department store and "where goods and toys of every description will be on sale. It sounds like a money-making scheme, doesn't it? This, however, is not the fact. There will be no profit for the settlement. This year the settlement has received many donations in the way of clothes, eatables, canned goods, cooking utensils, and other articles too numerous to mention, and at the same time they have expended a large amount of money in the purchase of toys and other needful things for the kiddies. A few nights before Christmas, all these things will be arranged on long counters in the gymnasium, each counter containing articles which will be marked all the way from one cent up to a dollar. For instance, there will be a one-cent table, a three-cent table, a five-cent table, etc. Located in one end of the hall will be a bank, attended by three cashiers, at which place the buyers must change their money for settlement currency, the only medium of exchange which will be permitted. This currency will run all the way from one cent to a dollar and may be exchanged for articles on sale at any of the counters.

As each child purchases a toy or knick-knack, he must take it to the wrapping counter where it will be neatly wrapped up, and then passed on to the addressers, who puts on it the name of the person to whom the buyer wishes to give it as a Christmas gift. No one will be allowed to take their purchases away from the hall. After they are once bought they must be given to someone through the hands of the addressers who takes charge of all the packages. In a case where an older person purchases something in the way of clothing or food, he will be, of course, allowed to take this home.

Now comes the working results of this plan. On Christmas night all the youngsters of the settlement, and their parents, will be invited to the gymnasium where there will be an entertainment, and following this, Santa Claus will appear, and will distribute the presents to those for whom they were purchased at the sale. There will also be a generous distribution of all the candy and other things that go to make a fitting Christmas, and the workers of the settlement will take care to see that none of the youngsters leave the hall without a present of some sort.

The sale will take place during the afternoon of Friday, December 20, and the afternoon and evening of December 21.

paid only three dollars, we give him five months of our membership, the full price of which is ten dollars. What is the result? The man knows that he has been given a square deal, that general hospitality has been extended him, and consequently, he is an enthusiastic member thereafter. From my point of view, this is good hospitality, and also good business. Our delegates to the national convention probably will favor some such plan as this.

Attorney General Wickersham is contemplating a trip around the world with Mrs. Wickersham just as soon as he retires from public life.

CENTRAL UNION TO HEAR FACTS BY 'BROADSIDE'

Tomorrow morning there will be an array of speakers at Central Union Church to deal with the 'problems' of Christian work throughout this Territory. Each speaker will fire a broadside of fact condensed into five minutes. It is well worth the while of Honolulu folk to get an idea of what such a corporation as the Hawaiian Board is doing with the sixty or so thousand dollars that is spent annually. People who attend the eleven o'clock service will find this out. There will be no collection taken for the Board tomorrow, the custom of the church being to give full information one week and to receive the offering seven days later when all shall have had full opportunity to consider what the call of duty and privilege is. The speakers tomorrow include Rev. Messrs. W. B. Oleson, H. P. Judd, F. S. Scudder, J. P. Erdman, Akaike Aka-

no, and Mr. Theodore Richards; and their topics will deal with such questions as "Our Opportunity Among the Chinese," "The Need of Trained Teachers," "Team Work in Self Support," "Hawaiian Laymen," "Work Among English Speaking Hawaiians," "Distributing the Gospel."

The public are cordially invited to attend.

CHRISTMAS REHEARSALS FOR CENTRAL UNION

Christmas festivities have begun. Rehearsals are going on daily at Central Union Church for the annual Christmas entertainment of the Bible School which this year will be given on Monday evening, Dec. 23.

The Sunbeam Class, which meets separately from the Bible School in the Parish House under the skillful supervision of Miss Ermine Cross, will hold its entertainment of the Friday afternoon before, Dec. 20, at 3 o'clock.

SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASS IN DISCUSSION

The Sunday Morning Bible Class at Kihohana Clubrooms will devote the hour tomorrow morning, or at least a part of it, to a discussion of the paper read last Sunday by Mr. Ebersole, on

the Nativity Narratives. Those who heard the paper will surely want to be there tomorrow morning to hear the discussion. All other young men or young women who might be interested in such a study as the class is making, are invited to come and join. One hundred and fifteen have now enrolled, but they are never all present. So there is room for all who come.

The reason this class is exclusively for young men and young women and not for older people is because experience has proved that a class cannot be successfully conducted where the attendance is made up promiscuously of both old and young people.

The class meets promptly at 10 o'clock.

SAYS RELIGION LAGS

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 30.—Rev. John Ray Ewers of Pittsburg, Pa., addressing a union meeting of the twenty-five Christian churches here last night, said that religion is not keeping pace with the growth of population in this country.

"Protestantism is not only at a dead standstill in America, but it is steadily losing out—so is every creed," he said.

BIBLE SCENES

Sunday evening at Central Union Church the associate minister, Rev.

A. A. Ebersole, will give the second of the series of Bible lectures, which he is planning to give, one each month during the winter season. These lectures are illustrated with the finest stereopticon views that can be secured on the subject. The views tomorrow illustrate some of the well known Bible stories. As the picture is thrown upon the screen, Mr. Ebersole reads the story from Scripture which the picture is supposed to illustrate and which the artist, of course, had in mind when he painted the picture. It makes an exceedingly effective service, as those who attended the services last month when the first half of this particular series was presented will testify.

The general public is most cordially invited.

SUNDAY SERVICES

CENTRAL UNION CHURCH.
Rev. Doremus Scudder, D. D., minister.
Rev. Anos A. Ebersole, associate minister.
9:50 a. m., Bible School. Mr. William A. Bowen, superintendent.
10:00 a. m., Sunday Morning Bible Class for young men and young women.

(Continued on Page 24.)

FILIPINOS FORM Y. M. C. A.'S WILL BENEVOLENT SOCIETY MEET SOON IN CINCINNATI

At a large and enthusiastic meeting held in the Filipino Mission Hall last Wednesday evening a Filipino Benevolent Society was organized, a constitution and by laws drawn up, and officers elected as follows: Constantino Arpon, president; A. Penuliar, vice-president; Cirilo Salonga, secretary, and Rev. R. Zurbuchen, acting treasurer. An investigation committee composed of E. Allenza, Rev. Benito Ilustre, and Pedro Dehey, was also appointed.

The purpose of this organization is to provide for the relief of all worthy cases of need among the Filipinos in the way of sickness and poverty. Membership is open to all Filipinos paying one dollar a year or twenty-five cents a quarter. Honorary members consist of others than Filipinos, paying five dollars toward the funds of the association annually. Rev. W. Wadman, superintendent of the Methodist missions was in charge of the meeting and directed the proceedings.

The employment bureau work in connection with the mission has recently been doing a large amount of work. Several worthy Filipino boys were found to be out of employment, and at the same time exposed to many temptations. They were all willing to go to work, and have been found places as domestic servants or office helpers through the efforts of the committee in charge of this work, while a number of the older boys were sent to plantations with letters of introduction to the managers and the Filipino ministers.

It has been learned from the Americans and others who have lived in the Philippine Islands that the Filipinos, in course of a very short time, become excellent household servants and an office boy, printers, hospital assistants and other occupations, they cannot be equalled. Since there seems to be quite a demand for such labor in Honolulu at the present time, it is hoped by those who are directly connected with the Filipino mission work in the Islands that they will make good and help to offset the other nationalities which in recent years have a close monopoly of these various positions.

The wedding ring is an exclusive circle.

The triennial International Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association which was scheduled to be held in Los Angeles during May of next year, has been postponed. It has been found in correspondence that such a large number of people are planning to go West in 1915 that it has been decided inexpedient to hold the convention in Los Angeles in 1913, and consequently that city has been promised the convention for 1915 on condition that it release the convention for the coming year, which it has agreed to do.

The convention will be held in Cincinnati this coming May and several of the delegates from the Honolulu association who were planning to attend the Los Angeles convention may not be able to spare the time to go to Cincinnati.

The most important matter which will come before the convention will be the plan of exchanging memberships. There is a general understanding that if a man who is a member of the association in a certain city, and leaves that city for another one, his membership will be recognized in the city to which he goes. The great increase in travel in recent years and the large number of association members transferred from one city to another makes it necessary that this method of transferring be formulated into some definite scheme so that each member will know exactly what his status will be in every other association. For instance, if a man pays a five dollar fee in one association, what is his status in case he is transferred to one in which the fee is fifteen dollars? There is a general desire in the East that there should be a uniform rate charged by all associations; for instance, two or five dollars, and that in addition to this fee, a man pay for such privileges in each association as he chooses to buy: bowling, gymnasium, dormitory, etc.

The Western associations prefer the present rate, which is the scheme used by the Honolulu association; that the paying of a ten dollar fee includes all privileges. When interviewed concerning this matter, Secretary Super said: "Hospitality is the chief thing. If a man comes to us from Podunk, and still has five months' use of a ticket for which he



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A battle between Turkish and Greek battleships is in progress in the Aegean sea, according to dispatches received in London today from both Constantinople and Athens.

Athens also telegraphs that Greek troops had defeated a detachment of Turks at Pentapladia, fifty miles from Janina.

Indications that the allies will stand fast to their territorial conquests was given by Premier Venizelos, of Greece, one of the envoys, who declared that reports of friction were baseless and that the allies were more united today than at any time since the confederation was formed.

Information was obtained here today that the recall of M. Simics, Serbian minister of Austria, was wrongly supposed to mean a break in diplomatic relations. It was learned that Simics was recalled a month ago.

Great crowds welcomed the Greek, Serbian, Montenegrin and Bulgarian peace envoys on their arrival at London.

Re-instatement of striking trainmen at New Castle, Leeds and other cities, was refused by officials of the North-eastern Railway today, following a conference with representatives of the strikers. It is estimated that 100,000 men are idle by the closing of colliers and foundries as a direct result of the trainmen's strike.

Paul Morrain, of St. Louis, business agent for the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers and one of the defendants in the so-called dynamite conspiracy trial, was recalled to the witness stand for cross-examination today by Prosecutor Miller.

Morrain admitted the financial affairs of the international union had been improperly managed.

John D. Archbold, president of the Standard Oil Company, came to the rescue of the house money trust investigation committee today and agreed to assist the committee's sergeant-at-arms to serve a subpoena on William Rockefeller. For weeks servers have been trying to reach Rockefeller but failed.

Edward Muller, at present chief of the military department, today was elected president of the Swiss Confederation.

Senate proceedings: Consideration of the omnibus claims bill was resumed today. The court of impeachment resumed the trial of Judge Archbold. Resolutions were adopted for a holiday recess from Dec. 19 to Jan. 2.

Representative Kahn urged the public building committee to provide \$500,000 for a marine hospital at San Francisco.

The money trust investigation committee continued its hearings. A number of railroad men were heard.

The postoffice committee submitted a plea for adequate compensation for carrying mails.

M. Korostovetz, the Russian minister, has warned China that a rupture of their negotiations is imminent unless China ceases to delay the settlement of the Mongolian question.

According to Pekin dispatches, Russia has formulated demands for the settlement of the Mongolian question on a basis suitable to Chinese demands, which include railway connection with her Siberian line at Urga and other centers.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

TENDERS WANTED.

Sealed tenders are invited for supplying the Queen's Hospital with fresh bread, on daily delivery, for a period of twelve months from January 1st, 1913, in such quantities as may be ordered by the superintendent.

Tenders to be sent to the office of the Superintendent before noon, December 18th, 1912.

The Trustees of the Queen's Hospital reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Trustees, JOHANNES F. ECKHARDT, Superintendent.

Sealed tenders are invited for supplying the Queen's Hospital with pure fresh milk and cream, for a period of twelve months from January 1st, 1913, in such quantities as may be ordered by the superintendent. Delivery to be made twice daily.

Tenders to be sent to the office of the Superintendent before noon, December 18th, 1912.

The Trustees of the Queen's Hospital reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Trustees, JOHANNES F. ECKHARDT, Superintendent.

Sealed tenders are invited for furnishing the Queen's Hospital with drugs, medicines, medical and surgical supplies for a period of twelve months from January 1st, 1913, in quantities as may be called for by the Superintendent.

Form of tender and list of articles will be supplied upon application to the Superintendent. Tenders must be sent to the office of the Superintendent before noon December 18th, 1912.

A bond in the sum of \$1000.00 will be required from the firm whose tender is accepted, as a guarantee that all supplies named on the list will be furnished as required by the Hospital during the period. The tender will be considered as a whole.

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RESOLUTION NO. 754

Be It Resolved by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of Honolulu, Territory of Hawaii, that the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00), be and the same is hereby appropriated out of all moneys in the General Fund of the Treasury of the City and County for an account known as "Engineering and Surveying Work, Material and Supplies."

Introduced by S. C. DWIGHT, Supervisor.
Honolulu, T. H., December 12, 1912.

At a Regular Adjourned Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of Honolulu, held on Thursday, December 12, 1912, the foregoing Resolution was passed on First Reading and ordered to print, on the following vote of the said Board:

Ayes: Arnold, Dwight, Kruger, McClellan, Murray. Total 5.
Noes: None.

Absent and not voting: Amana, Low. Total 2.
D. KALAUOKALANI, City and County Clerk.
5417-Dec. 13, 14, 16.

RESOLUTION NO. 753.

Be It Resolved by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of Honolulu, Territory of Hawaii, that the sum of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00), be and the same is hereby appropriated out of all moneys in the Permanent Improvement Fund of the Treasury of the City and County for an account known as "Construction Two New Bridges, Kuakini Street."

Introduced by H. E. MURRAY, Supervisor.
Honolulu, December 9, 1912.

At a Regular Adjourned Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of Honolulu, held on Thursday, December 12, 1912, the foregoing Resolution was passed on First Reading and ordered to print, on the following vote of the said Board:

Ayes: Arnold, Dwight, Kruger, McClellan, Murray. Total 5.
Noes: None.

Absent and not voting: Amana, Low.
D. KALAUOKALANI, Jr., City and County Clerk.
5417-Dec. 13, 14, 16.

SEALED TENDERS.

Sealed tenders will be received by the Superintendent of Public Works up until 12 noon of Tuesday, December 18th, 1912, for the construction of certain streets and laying storm drains in same, in the Awaoliulu Tract, Punchbowl District, City and County of Honolulu.

Plans, specifications and blank forms of proposal are on file in the office of the Superintendent of Public Works, Capitol Building. The Superintendent of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all tenders.

H. K. BISHOP, Superintendent of Public Works.
Honolulu, December 13th, 1912.
5417-191.

CORPORATION NOTICES.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF HAWAII AT HONOLULU.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Hawaii at Honolulu, will be held at its place of business at the corner of Fort and King Streets in the City of Honolulu, Island of Oahu and Territory of Hawaii, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1913, at 3 p. m. of that day, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the stockholders for consideration.
Dated Honolulu, H. T., December 13th, 1912.
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It was Friday afternoon and so far not a feature story had been turned in for the Saturday edition of the paper. All morning the City Editor had been racking his brain in the endeavor to think up some subject that would make a snappy feature, and he had about given the whole thing up in despair when his eye happened to fall upon the heading of an article of a foreign paper, which was lying on his desk, which read: "China Rapidly Coming to the Front."

"The very thing," he said, as he clipped the article and pasted it on a piece of paper. "All that I need now is a good local lead for that, and it will provide first-class reading."

During all this time the Cub Reporter had been busy engaged in pounding out on his trusty typewriter a slinky story entitled "Percy, the Political Proof-Reader," and as he finished the article and turned it in, the City Editor spoke to him.

"Willie," said the C. E. "I'm sorry, but you gotta hoof it out and get me a local lead for a feature story which I have just discovered."

"Aw, say!" exclaimed the Cub. "I gotta date with the ticket seller at the Population Theatre, and I ought to beat it out to her place now. Can't you hold that over until next week?"

"Nothin' doin'," answered the City Editor. "I gotta get this spitel in the

sheet tomorrow or we won't have a single feature story in the whole works."

"S' name of the story?" asked the Cub.

"The story is on the present conditions in China, and I want to get a good, snappy local lead to start it off with, and there is no one here but you to do it. Do you follow me?"

"All right, I guess it's up to me," said the Cub. "You want a little article on the Chinaman?"

"That's a good idea," said the C. E. "You beat it out and get a good article on the Chinaman, or something else just as appropriate to lead off this story with, and I'll be satisfied."

"Want it soon?" asked the Cub.

"Yes," answered the C. E. "You send it to me if you don't want to come back to the office. Remember, I'll be waiting here for it so that I can get it in shape to go on the machines the first thing in the morning."

The Cub left the office, and the City Editor waited patiently for his return until the shades of evening had fallen. In about four hours a messenger boy came into the office with a bundle of copy. The City Editor seized it, opened it, and started to read. Here is what he read:

"China was put on three map in order to provide laundrymen and cooks

for the United States and Republican voters for San Francisco.

"We cannot describe the heart of China—it has no heart. According to the city directories it is all Lungs. The natives call their country the Flowery Kingdom, but what we call the natives that make our collars feel like an instrument of torture is something entirely different. The Chinese are continually yelling for reform, but this is to be expected as every baby born in China is a little yellor. Chinamen have almond eyes. Otherwise there is nothing nutty about them. The two principal rivers of China are the Ho and the Yang-tse-Kiang, which latter, when set up respectively, evidently means 'giddy-up Napoleon, it looks like rain.' Every Chinaman wears his hair down his back in a braid and likes a steep beverage—but keep this information on the queue tea.

"To write Chinese is a difficult task, and it was hinted years ago that many Chinamen came to America for the purpose of studying Horace Greely's chirography. Chinamen, as a rule, have a comfortable time. They do not have to hunt for a dropped collar button or fish for coin in their trouser pockets.

They carried the City Editor away the next day, and he now reposes in a padded cell, and has the idea that he is a Manchu.

ARE YOU A S.P.U.G.

There are a lot of "Spugs" in New York today, says an eastern Exchange. Included in the list is Mrs. August Belmont, the biggest "Spug" of them all. Miss Elizabeth Marbury and Miss Gertrude Robinson-Smith are others. A "Spug" has nothing to do with art or science. The term is a contraction for a new society that Mrs. Belmont and the others formed to abolish the custom of giving presents unnecessarily at Christmas time. The new organization has the title, "Society for the Prevention of Useless Giving." To shorten the title the initials of the title are used, hence S. P. U. G.

Mrs. Belmont told the members of the Vacation Savings Fund at a meeting in Terrace Garden that she is a "Spug," and she advised the girls to become likewise. When she explained how nonsensical it is to make presents when it was not necessary to do so, everybody in the place was a "Spug," even the reporters. The Society for the Prevention of Useless Giving was organized as a result. Next Thursday evening the organi-

zation will be perfected at the headquarters of the Vacation Savings fund at No. 105 West Fortieth street.

"The custom of giving extravagant Christmas presents is becoming universal," Mrs. Belmont said. "Then why not the working girls who seem to see the sensible side of the society, become the leaders in this movement for suppressing useless giving?"

Every girl wanted to join, and that meant all those presents, and each wrote her name and address on a slip

of paper and dropped it into a box, which was a make believe birthday cake in pink and white crepe paper, with one candle on it, in honor of the Vacation Fund's first anniversary last night.

"Instead of the Christmas season being one of true and simple pleasure making it is becoming a serious burden to thousands of working girls," Mrs. Belmont said. "We are told that there exists in many places of business the custom of giving expensive Christmas presents by the em-

ployes to the heads of departments, and to a large extent among the employes themselves. In many cases the girls are asked how much they will agree to give, then a collection is taken up to buy usually pieces of jewelry, such as gold lockets, silver mesh bags and cuff links with chip diamonds for the heads of departments.

"Some shops make it easy for girls to buy these presents by permitting them to charge the equivalent of two weeks' salary. Others make it easier still by offering an inducement of six per cent discount on all purchases.

"I thought of this, simply as a suggestion. Why not form among yourselves a society called, for example, 'The Society for the Prevention of Useless Giving?' To shorten the title call it the 'S. P. U. G.' Then if any one asks you to sign a card or join in collective giving say, 'I am sorry I can't. I am a S. P. U. G.'"

There will be many happy returns of election day, but there will be no unhappy returns of a third term.



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How Science and Energy Has Conquered Plague and Yellow Fever

No more is it to be written: "Guayaquil, the pest hole of the Pacific." This danger spot on the west coast of South America is to be removed through efficient sanitation.

Guayaquil is the most important seaport of Ecuador, the outlet of practically all the products of that rich but undeveloped South American republic. Just as rapidly as the machinery of two governments can be moved, arrangements are being made in Washington for the reclamation of the city. Guayaquil's day as the chief distributing center of yellow fever and bubonic plague in the Western Hemisphere is practically over.

Of all the plans for expansion and new development which the approaching completion of the Panama Canal is bringing, none is of more vital importance and far reaching significance commercially than the one relating to Guayaquil. Situated at the very entrance of the Panama Canal, the sanitation of Guayaquil is regarded by the United States government as a corollary of the great work being performed on the isthmus in the interest of commerce. The plans for the sanitation of the city and harbor involve nothing less than a new birth of Guayaquil, a renaissance and a transformation which will fit the city to take its proper place among the world's great ports and the chief beneficiaries of the Panama Canal. Ecuador has recognized her great opportunity and has asked the United States to cooperate with her in taking advantage of it.

Since it is the building of the Panama Canal by Americans which is to bring about the metamorphosis of Guayaquil, it is fitting that the work should be done by Americans, and that is what is intended. At the invitation of the government of Ecuador the same force which annexed the world by the conversion of the Canal Zone and the cities of Colon and Panama into a region with a lower death rate than New York is to undertake the sanitation of Guayaquil. The officers of the Army Medical Corps will direct the work of the extermination of the mosquito, the elimination of yellow fever, bubonic plague and typhoid, the cleaning up of the city, the installation of sewer systems and waterworks and the paving of streets, as was done on the isthmus. After its work in Havana, San Juan, Porto Rico, Manila, Colon and Panama, the sanitation of Guayaquil will rank the Army Medical Corps as second to no body of men anywhere in its services to humanity and the world's commerce.

Just as soon as the official formalities are disposed of in Washington a commission of United States sanitary experts is to be sent to Guayaquil from the Canal Zone. This commission will make a thorough sanitary survey of the city, something that never has been done. It is hoped that its report may be completed before the first of next year, in order that it may be submitted to Congress and authority obtained for the inauguration of the real work of cleaning the city. The cost of the preliminary survey will be defrayed by the United States, while it is expected that money will be advanced to Ecuador for the actual sanitation of the city.

The same conditions which brought to Guayaquil the title of "The Pest-hole of the Pacific" have made it almost a closed book to the outside world. No American or European goes there except of necessity and the fact that it is under almost perpetual quarantine makes it difficult of access. Ambassador Bryce, in his recent book on South America, records the fact that he was unable to visit Ecuador because his steamer would not stop at Guayaquil, owing to the presence of yellow fever.

Yellow fever is always present at Guayaquil. It has been known to cause as many as 600 deaths in a single month out of a population of 80,000, while many of its victims, especially children, are reported as having died from other causes. Plague is likewise always present in Guayaquil, and exacts a death toll never exactly known. Typhoid fever and other intestinal infections are common.

Leprosy is present, there is no attempt at segregation and cases are encountered daily on the streets. In addition the people of Ecuador are afflicted with the hookworm disease. Thirty per cent of the labor force of one plantation was found infected. Tuberculosis alone causes as many deaths as the yellow fever and bubonic plague combined.

On last winter Commander Bertolotto, commanding the U. S. S. Yorktown, died of yellow fever aboard his ship at Guayaquil. The disease swept his vessel and six American blue-jackets lost their lives. It was at Guayaquil, too, that Thomas Nast, the cartoonist, lost his life by yellow fever. Sent there in July, 1902, by President Roosevelt, as United States Consul, he was dead in October. Dozens of other Americans in less conspicuous positions have paid with their lives for visiting Guayaquil.

The majority of the houses are on a par with the character of the streets. Most of them are built of split bamboo, with double walls plastered inside and out with a mud mixture. Practically none of the houses of Guayaquil has either foundations or cellars. They are just laid on the ground. Between the first floor and the ground there are usually spaces of from six to eighteen inches. These spaces, inundated through half the year, make admirable breeding places for mosquitoes, which spread the yellow fever; rats, which carry the plague, and other vermin.

While the water supplied to the city is good the supply is wholly inadequate. The water is turned on the city mains for only four hours during the day. Thus the people have to collect it during that period in barrels, tanks and other receptacles. These are almost invariably left uncovered and constitute thousands of breeding places for the deadly mosquito.

The city has no sewers and no adequate sanitary method for the collection and disposal of garbage and other refuse. All refuse collected is dumped in a heap on the outskirts of the city, and forms a breeding place for millions of flies, which thus convey the typhoid and other intestinal infections.

Probably the most pressing necessity is a good water supply. Several sources are available.

For the draining of the city, a raising of the level of Guayaquil is absolutely essential. It is estimated, roughly, that the city level must be raised from two to four feet. Much of the necessary filling might be done with hydraulic suction dredges.

The sewer system is equally imperative. This will be the most difficult task of all, owing to the level plan of the city. It is proposed to empty the sewers into the river by means of a system of automatic tide gates. There is at Guayaquil an average 14 foot tide, and a tidal current of five miles an hour. Connection with each house is, of course, necessary. Three-fifths of the people of Guayaquil are not in a position to bear the cost of establishing water main and sewer connections, so that most of this work will have to be done at public expense.

Thus by these several methods it

is proposed to attack the conditions which foster the several diseases now afflicting the people of Guayaquil and through them the inhabitants of the surrounding towns. When this is done sanitary experts see no reason why Guayaquil should not be as healthful a place of residence as Panama. Conservative estimates place the probable growth of population of Guayaquil, after its sanitation, at 100 per cent in five years. Dr. Parker, quarantine officer for the United States of Guayaquil, believes that the population will be more than 150,000 inhabitants within that time. The comparatively high rate of wages paid in Guayaquil and the opportunities to do business will attract thousands of Ecuadorians from the interior just as soon as they learn that their lives are safe in the city. Thus the Ecuadorian port will experience a prosperity unprecedented and import and export trade will receive a tremendous impetus which cannot fail to make itself felt throughout all Ecuador.

CHURCH NEWS

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men. Conducted by the associate minister in Kiloana Art League lecture room.

11:00 a. m., Morning worship. "Hawaiian Board Sunday," addresses by representatives of the board.

6:30 p. m., Christian Endeavor Meeting. "Francis E. Clark and the Progress of the Christian Endeavor Movement." Miss Peterson, leader.

7:30 p. m., Evening service. Illustrated lecture. "Old Testament Stories." The associate minister.

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The regular services of the church are as follows:

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.

Men's Bible Class at 9:45 a. m.

Preaching Service at 11 a. m.

Epworth League Service at 6:30 p. m.

Preaching Service at 7:30 p. m.

On Sunday forenoon the pastor's theme will be "The Voices of the Sea."

The subject of the Epworth League service will be "The Miracle of Missions."

At the regular evening service the pastor will deliver the seventh sermon in the popular series on the home. The subject he will discuss Sunday evening will be "A Plain Talk to Husbands and Wives." This will be a direct practical message and you should hear it.

Our's is a people's church. People from every walk of life will find a cordial welcome awaiting them at all our services. You will find here a beautiful, well-ventilated church building; a homelike atmosphere; good music by a chorus choir; evangelical preaching, and inspiring and helpful devotional services. We have Sunday School classes for all ages and we would be glad to have you join one of the classes or visit any of the classes.

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Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

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A general trust investigation will be undertaken by the house judiciary committee immediately after the Christmas holiday recess of the present session of Congress.



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A PAGE FOR WOMEN AND THEIR INTERESTS

LOCAL CHAT: HOME AND FASHION HINTS: RELIGIOUS AND OTHER ACTIVITIES: THINGS FEMININE

"SHOP EARLY" IS NO JOKE

"Shop early," begs the shopkeeper, please do at least part of your shopping before December 10; "Shop early," implores the press, but Miss Lady wanders through the shops, looks at things with a critical eye and decides to buy later. A thorough-going propaganda was introduced last year in the larger cities to make the holiday season easier for the clerk.

Several of the magazines with the largest circulation, had stories of various lengths whose themes were the overworked saleswoman at Christmas time, and all this did a great deal of good; it not only made more considerate shoppers at Christmas time but has appreciably affected the attitude of the woman who stands on the shopper side of the counter to the woman who stands on the seller side.

But what about the woman who is buying? Has she, too, not a right to consideration? Do you know what first strikes the newcomer in Honolulu? It is the lack of attention in the shops. They don't care whether they wait on you or not is the general cry. They are not exactly rude, they are just indifferent, as if they were dead on their feet. No clerk thinks of saying thank you. Why, I don't know.

The other day a friend of the Shopper's approached the owner of one

of the largest department stores of the city and said: "I am about to faint. One of your clerks said thank you to me and I don't feel that I shall survive the shock." Of course the proprietor understood the exaggeration and admitted how hard it was to get satisfactory saleswomen.

The writer went into a shop the other day and asked for an alcohol stove. "Oh, you mean a spirit lamp," I admitted. "What do you want it for?" she inquired. "To heat curling irons," I answered. "Oh, you mean curling tongs," she corrected; "why we haven't any."

The point of all this is you will never be able to really interest the women of the city in the snap early movement unless they get something more than half-contemptuous service. It would be a good rule for the women of Vancouver to report every case where they were satisfactorily waited upon. It might mean better service by and by, but in the meantime don't forget to shop early.

Toys used to be put away between Christmases but now they have space on the merchant's shelves the year round, but as the holidays grow near the shelf space increases until it becomes a large department. This year the doll babies wants have been carefully supplied; there is everything that a little girl needs to keep house.

sette may be sewed over each ear. When the cap becomes soiled, remove the elastic and bows and it may be easily laundered.

Sometimes wraps are combined of two materials and an instance may be cited in which light blue velvet is applied with a similar colored satin brocade in dull tarnished silver.

The Fashion Letter From Paris

Chamon velvets are prominent among the new materials for afternoon gowns and evening toilettes. Of the softest and most facile texture imaginable, in exquisite blendings of violet, of royal or old blue, prune and yellow or copper and Nile green, they let themselves readily to the draping changes of the present mode in skirt. When a japon lies in apparently carelessly arranged folds about the figure or has its lines broken by a loosely draped broad sash or matting material partially encircling and hobbling the knees before merging with the train, its texture must not be yielding. And that is the distinguishing characteristic of the chamon velvets. The same complaint may be paid to a novelty velvet being a finely ribbed ground-velvet brocade with large flowers and of the ne taffetas, moires, satins and crepes di chine having patterns that are prominently outlined in order to produce a raised appearance of the designs in the figured velvets. No matter by what may be the thin velvet or the brocade silk skirt, it is certain to have a false facing of broadcloth, seersucker or some other worsted material which will weigh it down without making it look stiff. The effect must invariably be soft, yielding, clinging and scanty. Scantiness is a grievance voiced by many on one English matinee possessed of thrifty habits about with a laudable ambition to be smartly garbed. "Now that only four or five yards of material are needed for a gown," she grumbles, "your great courtesies demand prices as extortionate as ever they did then twice or three as much velvet or satin or silk were being used." This type of shopper from John Bull Island does not realize that it is supreme sartorial art of our couturiers that she is asked to pay for rather than for the materials of the costumes upon which that art is expended.

"It," said a British woman of title recently remarked: "A criminally small amount of material goes into an evening toilette, a still less number of yards is used for the afternoon gowns of velvet whose hues ran the gamut of the metals—iron black, steel blue, silver white, copper, Roman gold and American gun—as well as the (magenta, ochre and purple tones). Most of these afternoon gowns are lavishly trimmed with furs. It is not unusual to see broad bands of fur bordering the bottom of a skirt, "hobbling" it above the knees, finishing the elbow sleeves of its accompanying bodice, edging its Medici collar and worked into narrow epaulettes. A grande dame of the old regime, encountered—of all places the most unexpected—in the ante-chamber of a famous palm reader, wore a racoon-bordered gun-gray velvet under-skirt and a knee-length, sleeveless tunic or Russian blouse fastened on the left side of the collar diagonally to the front center of the hips in an entirely novel manner. According to antique silver tinsel outlined a series of deeply curved small scallops, buttonholed to fit over, thick gun metal buttons. The effect of this costume was chic to a degree, yet delightfully simple and to some of refined taste. Paecon is one of the fashionable pelts which a very few years ago were considered too commonplace and too cheap to be possible for anything save a motor coat lining. But now that the once despised civet cat, andryed and easily recognized, is being exploited for the beauty of its distinct white markings on black, racoon holds an honored place in fur motifs. It is not, however, in the same class with leopard and tiger skins. These are a fad among the women who will wear only furs of great cost—from \$250 to \$500 buys a set of these yellow striped or spotted pelts—because they are not to be procured in great quantities and must necessarily always remain distinguished. These jungle pelts are daring in effect. No one denies that. But they are also very wonderful when combined with the orange tones so fashionable at this moment and

with black which never loses its vogue. Just at present, the tailor-made trottetour suit is occupying considerable attention for it is the stand-by morning street costume of the average Parisienne. The materials most in demand for these costumes are pieced dyed zibelines, soft ratines, napped worsteds like those used for men's business suits, wide wale diagonals and thick tweeds backed with Scotch plaid or English striping. They are exceedingly simple in cut and trimming. The narrow and quite plain skirts are almost smooth-fitting but occasionally have plaits let into the sides or the back. Even fewer changes are noticed in the jackets, which are generally of from twenty-six to twenty-eight inches long, and made with a center-seamed or a plain black. In the latter case, the fulness at the waistline is caught in with a strap of the cloth or with a half belt. The Robespierre, in a contrasting shade, in silk or velvet, is the favored finish for the neck. It is a fact worthy of remark that while dark tones like pomegranate, wine and Indian reds; chestnut, tobacco and rust browns; moss and Russian greens; mole and steel grays predominate in these tailored worsted trottetour suits, long coats in heavy cloths are mostly of light hue. These street coats preserve the tube-like effect and all of their breadth is at the shoulders, where an exaggeratedly deep collar of fur, matching the cuffs and the big buttons, afford practically as much warmth as would a short jacket in felt.

The chasuble collar is making one of the neckwear hits of this season. Beside its huge proportions, the Robespierre fades into insignificance. Developed in lace, chiffon, velvet, silk—even in fine cloth it covers a goodly portion of the back, extends over the shoulders and partially trims the top of the bodice, while with dressy frocks, its fronts are extended into scarf ends falling far below the waistline.

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VIVID COLOR IN PARIS GOWNS

Raspberry pink is a color much worn by fashionable women, writes a Paris correspondent of the Philadelphia North American. Velvet of this hue and mousseline de sole are frequently used by the leading designers.

Beer is responsible for a charming gown of king's blue satin. The long tunic of black tulle was embroidered with jet and blue beads in an elaborate design. The low cut décolletage was filled in with folds of tulle.

Over foundation of white satin and lace a tunic of apricot-colored mousseline de sole embroidered with white and jet beads was draped.

Many of the handsomest gowns are of white satin with overdraperies of brocade chiffon, beaded net, hand-made laces or gold and silver embroidered gauzes.

Stunning evening wraps to wear over these are fashioned of rich brocade, satin, velvet or fur. These developed of white or light-tinted brocade satin or velvet have collars, cuffs and trimmings of dark fur.

Old gold brocade velvet lined with blue satin and trimmed with skunk fur fashioned a lovely evening wrap by Worth. The touch of vivid color on gowns remains a dominant feature.

goods and it is impossible to ravel out the goods itself for thread to draw with, use long hairs of your own head. The loose weave of the wool loses the hair in its meshes and so the darn becomes invisible.

The fur throatlet is fastened in numerous ways, in one case by the means of a large velvet bow that fastens under the left ear. Great emphasis should be laid upon the fact that a velour de laine frock has sleeves made of brocade gauze.

Delicately tinted China silk or crepe is used to make many of the new underments, such as combinations, skirts and nightgowns. It helps, by its silv-

For instance, a gown of taupe-colored charmeuse had a girle of emerald green. Another of white crepe de chine shows a broad sash of cherry red. Orange is combined with seal brown, violet with pale blue and amber with black.

Rhinestone and jet buckles, bead tassels, large black and bright-colored velvet flowers are used to catch up the draperies or fasten the girles of evening gowns.

Separate Mouses, fur and lace trimmed, are receiving much attention at present. A model of white satin was trimmed with navy blue mousseline de sole and bands of skunk fur. The top of the bodice and the entire sleeve of a draped old gold satin blouse were of ecru lace.

Many of the Bechoff-David's tailored suits shown plain straight skirts, with habit backs and empire waists. These flare slightly from the knee down, and just clear the ground in length. Jackets are chiefly knee length cutaways, though many models are hand in straight lines from the shoulders to four inches below the hips.

Cherul's house dresses have long, tight sleeves of chiffon, trimmed at the waist with a two-inch band of fox, skunk or any fur preferred.

firmness to make the outer garments cling more closely than ever; and so helps the fashionable dame to appear yet more slender.

When the hair begins to thin around the back of the neck and on the temples it is a danger signal. Use a hair tonic and massage the scalp every day. Don't rub the fingers over the scalp like mad and rub off what hair is trying to stay, or the new that is trying to grow—that is not massage. Place the fingers firmly on the scalp and with a rotary motion work all over the head, moving the scalp with every rotation of the fingers. It is necessary to keep the scalp fairly loose if you want the hair to grow.

TRIED RECIPES

CHICKEN TURNOVERS.
Make rich baking powder biscuit dough; roll out one fourth inch thick; cut into squares; place a spoonful of minced chicken seasoned with herbs and onion and moisten with cold gravy; fold dough over; brush with milk and bake about 15 minutes. Serve with left-over gravy, to which add the dopped giblets.

CHOCOLATE CHARLOTTE RUSSE.
Melt one ounce of chocolate over hot water than add to it one pint of thick cream, stirring thoroughly; season with sugar to suit. Set away to become cold; then whip until thick. Fill sponge cake cups with the mixture or heap it on sponge squares.

EGGS POACHED IN TOMATO SAUCE.
Cook the hard parts of the tomatoes and the chopped green pepper, after discarding the seeds and all white membrane. Add three sprigs of parsley. When the tomatoes are tender, press through a sieve and add one half cupful of milk to each two cupfuls of sauce. Place in a shallow pan and bring to the simmering point; then slip a the eggs and poach. Place the cooked eggs on toast, season the sauce with butter and pour over all.

CREAMED CELERY ON TOAST.
Cook the outside stalks in just enough water to make tender; then press all through a sieve. To one cupful of pulp allow two cupfuls of milk, and when heated thicken with flour to make a creamy. Season with salt and pepper, adding one teaspoonful of butter. Pour over toast and serve.

RAISED BEEF.
Brown half of fat from three to five pounds from the back of the rump, round, flank or chuck rib; put in a deep baking dish and sprinkle over it two tablespoonfuls of minced carrot, salt pork, onion and celery; add one pint of soup stock or hot water, six peppercorns a piece of dried pepper and three cloves tied with six sprigs of parsley. If water is used instead of soup stock add one teaspoonful of salt. Put on, cover and cook in a slow oven for six hours. The juices in the dish

SUGGESTIONS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

You can improve a filter by placing in a funnel several whisps of moistened clean absorbent cotton.

If you get too much salt in a soup, and do not wish to thin it down with water, add a little brown sugar or a few slices of raw potato and the excess salt will disappear. Remove the potato before serving.

When making jam, marmalade, or anything else of this kind, first of all butter the bottom of the pot or kettle with good butter and the contents will neither stick nor burn. It will also prevent them from boiling over.

When baking or roasting a piece of meat, place some thin slices of fat pork on the top, holding them in place with tooth picks. This will save the trouble of basting, prevent the meat from burning and give it a much better flavor; the pork is also excellent used on chicken, turkey or game of any kind.

Coal oil is excellent for removing spots from furniture, and if just sufficient to do the work is used, then polished off, it is a safe thing. But the use of coal oil as a household cleaner has its limits. Applied to hardwood floors that are waxed and varnished, it is injurious. Furniture treated with it will soon lose its bright lustre.

should be converted into sauce. Serve the meat on a hot dish, surrounded by butter beans or red kidney beans. The beans should be soaked overnight if the dried variety is used, then cooked in slightly salted water until one can be mashed between the fingers; the water is then drained off, butter and pepper added to the vegetables and tiny pimolas, sliced, are laid on top of the beef to make an effective garnish. Put the kidney beans around the braised beef and serve.

Velvet ribbon flowers are used on the new long, round muffs.

FEMININE CHAT

Bead boned buttonholes are a novelty.

Fans are more in demand than for long while.

White fox is a strong rival to the favorite ermine.

Among veils leading colors are biscuit and cream.

Some of the new laces have jeweled medallions set in.

There seems to be no end to the rage for corduroy skirts.

White lace blouses are back again, and they give good service.—Louisville Herald.

Many of these materials are worked in gold thread and their suppleness and pliability are astonishing.

Some of the new cloth of gold or silver tissue is further embellished with painted floral sprays in natural colors.

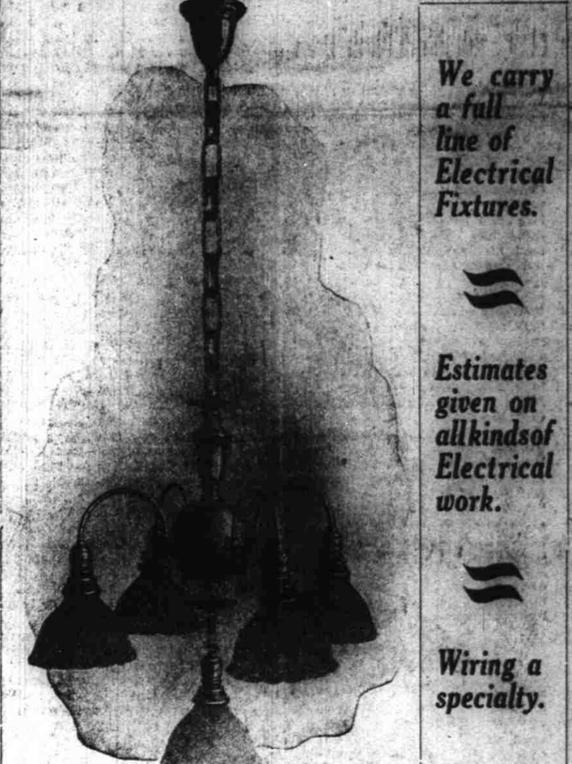
A calm mind invariably shows itself in the youthful face of its owner, and there is no surer preventive of wrinkles.

Oriental ribbon is used effectively in many of the high girdles, and the finish is usually long hanging ends of the ribbon.

The princess petticoat is an absolute necessity if one is to wear the new dresses with any success. It insures a much better fit and is far more comfortable.

One of the most exquisite of evening wraps if of rose colored damask, patterned in bouquets of rose colored flowers with collar of gold tissue and a black fox fur thrown across the shoulders.

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A City With A General Manager

How Staunton, Virginia, Has Made One Dollar of City Money Go as Far as Two Went Before

Honolulu's present struggle with the problems of city government, the certainty that some kind of a change in the present charter must be made by the next legislature, the intense interest with which new progressive plans are now being discussed, makes the article below particularly timely. It tells how one city, Staunton, Va., has rescued itself from bankruptcy by the appointment of a city manager and the centralization of power in him. The article is by Henry Oyen in the World's Work:

One Saturday afternoon in April, 1908, a crew of workmen employed on the streets of Staunton, Va., pushed their way up to the city paymaster's window, drew their paychecks, looked at them in surprise, then drew together and talked it over. At last one of them stepped back to the window.

"Say, boss," he said, "these checks are all wrong."

"What's the matter with them?"

"Why, they give us three days' pay for the week."

"Well, that's right. You only work three days. The other three days it rained. Three days' pay is all you earned. That's simple enough, isn't it?"

"But, boss," protested the man, "this is a city job! We never heard of anything like this before. When it rains we always go over in the school house basement and sit and talk, and our time goes on just the same."

"Well, it won't any more," was the sharp answer. "There's been a change. There is a General Manager in this town now, and a city job has ceased to be a loafer's cinch. From now on city money is going to buy just as much as private money. Do you understand?"

"Mister," said the man, "there's something that I just can't believe."

In this fashion the "Staunton Plan" of municipal management was inaugurated and received. By it a step forward in the science of city government has been taken. A regularly incorporated American city with its business affairs managed on a strictly business basis, as the affairs of a business corporation are managed, with economy and efficiency the watchwords in place of politics and spoils, has become a reality—an established fact in history, by which other cities may take their bearings in this day of strenuous casting about for the much sought haven of Good City Government.

Staunton, Va., planted down among the blue-veiled hills of the lower Shenandoah Valley, population approximately 12,000, has had for the last three years, or since March, 1908, "Business in the City Hall," as no other city has had it. During these years it has been a municipal corporation turned into a business corporation. It has had a General Manager, one man, carefully selected, hired, and paid, to manage its business affairs as business affairs should be managed. And in these three years Staunton has been made over. It has lifted from mud to asphalt. A fine old town, which was sagging badly at its foundation, has been placed on a sound basis without any increase in city expenditures; and the fact has been established that under honest, capable business management—under the Staunton Plan as it has been operated in Staunton—the value of the city's money to the city is increased by at least 100 per cent.

The Situation.

To appreciate the history of this remarkable civic experience it is well to know something of Staunton, the scene of the innovation.

It is not a progressive town, as Des Moines is progressive, or Memphis, or Kansas City. It is an old town with traditions that reach back to the days of the Old South. The growth of its population is less than the natural increase. It runs to church spires and schools rather than to smoke-stacks and industries. Gov. Woodrow Wilson was born there in the manse of the old Presbyterian church. The manse today has a new coat of olive green paint; otherwise it is the same as when old Doctor Wilson thundered in the pulpit next door. Woodrow Wilson removed from Staunton at the early age of a few months. Many have followed in the Governor's young footsteps. Staunton has regarded their departure with equanimity. The city has not developed much. Instead it has succeeded in raising and uncommodiously fine crop of intelligent and educated citizens. That is why the Plan came to Staunton.

These intelligent and educated citizens naturally were not skilled in the science of city management any more than the citizens of any town are skilled in this science. They were lawyers, bankers, merchants and so on. In their various vocations they were experts, and successful. In the city hall—which was something

quite out of their line, where duty came to them as strong as members of the community—they were not expert and not successful. There is nothing exceptional about this; you can find the same condition prevailing in a thousand other city governments. But in Staunton, because of the physical peculiarities of its location, the results stood out in a way that even the blind might observe.

Staunton may be divided into three portions. There is the downtown district—the business district—which lies on the floor of a valley, and may be said to be four blocks square. Long, high hills wall in this small heart of the city. On the slopes is what might be called the intermediate district, composed mainly of residences, schools and churches, with a few small stores and business establishments scattered here and there. Beyond this, on top of the surrounding hills, and farther beyond, is the outlying district, composed entirely of scattered residences, the suburbs of Staunton. From the heart of the city to this outlying fringe is about a mile.

Under its old-fashioned double-council system of government, Staunton had paved and kept in some sort of fashion its tiny business district. The intermediate district had at one time, long ago, been paved in crude fashion with crushed stone. But as the years went by and nothing was done for the district's upkeep the crushed stone had been worn away, and the streets became little more than mud roads. The outlying district had no streets at all. This condition resulted not from poverty in revenues, and not from any direct graft on the part of its governing bodies. Staunton has approximately \$180,000 a year to care for itself, and no one can be found in the city who believes that there was anything but honesty in the council. But Staunton was like a business corporation without a manager and with only an amateur board of managers who gave but a small part of their time, and only a little thought to the work of directing its affairs.

Records Chaotic.

I wished to find out how some of the city's money had been spent in these years. I didn't succeed. Nobody knew, nobody could find out. There had been no records kept. It had been spent—all of it, and honestly—but how, nobody could tell. Under this lack of system Staunton was paving about one block of street each year, other streets were wearing out much more rapidly, and the town was sinking back into its mud roads. It owed \$600,000 and was running deeper and deeper into debt, being forced each year to borrow money to meet the deficit that resulted from its lack of management. It was on the path that leads to bankruptcy.

This was the condition of Staunton, a mid town sinking beneath its indebtedness, when a few of its leading citizens began casting around for a means to save it. The constitution of Virginia (noble old relic!) requires that by the first class to maintain a mayor and two branches of the council, the board of aldermen and the common council. In Staunton the complete council numbers twenty-two. Being thus deprived of the right to adopt government by commission, Staunton began to search its own ingenuity to devise a new scheme of government.

Mr. John R. Crosby, President of the Common Council, Mr. H. H. Lang, President of the Board of Aldermen, and Mr. W. R. Sydnor, a councilman were the leading spirits in furthering the movement, and may be called the fathers of the General Manager Plan. In March, 1908, Mr. Crosby introduced an ordinance which was passed by the council providing for the appointment by the council of a General Manager whose duties were prescribed as follows:

The General Manager shall devote his entire time to the duties of his office, and shall have entire charge and control of all the executive work of the city in its various departments, and have entire charge and control of the heads of departments and employees of the city. He shall make all contracts for labor and supplies, and in general perform all of the administrative and executive work now performed by the several standing committees of the Council, except the Finance, Ordinance and Auditing Committees. The General Manager shall discharge such other duties as may from time to time be required of him by the Council.

Salary Swells Too.

The maximum salary was placed at \$2,500 a year. The position was advertised, for this was a new kind of job and there was no place to look for the right man. There never has been a General Manager of a city before. Applications began to come in. Most of them naturally were from local men,

from plumbers, contractors, superintendents, and so forth. All these were willing to work for much less than the maximum salary, the figures demanded running from \$1,000 to \$1,800 a year. There was just one applicant who placed his minimum figure at the council's maximum. He was an outside man, Mr. Charles E. Ashburner, of Richmond, Va.

Seven years ago there had been a washout in the business district of the city, a subterranean creek going on a rampage and swallowing up a good section of Staunton real estate. Local contractors were called to bid upon the work of repairing the damage and the lowest figure offered on the job was \$4,000. A few councilmen demurred and called the bids too high. They were assured that the work couldn't be done for less, but one of them, Mr. W. R. Sydnor, happened to be local agent of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, and Mr. Ashburner happened to be the C. & O.'s engineer of maintenance for the Staunton division. Sydnor sent for Ashburner and asked him to calculate what the washout could be repaired for, the work being done as cheaply as if it were a railroad job. Ashburner calculated and said:

"Seven hundred and thirty-seven dollars will leave you a little margin." The local contractors scolded, but the councilmen went to work and had the work done under their own direction, and the complete bill was \$725 and a few cents.

The council elected Ashburner when they saw his name among the applicants for the General Manager's position.

Beats Opposition.

Ashburner made a success of his job from the beginning, in spite of some opposition. This alone proved him to be a rather extraordinary man, for the position of General Manager is one requiring many peculiar qualifications to fill. Staunton was fortunate in getting at the beginning a man in whom these qualifications were combined. Ashburner is forty-two years old, the son of an English army officer, and was born in India. He was educated in France and Germany, winding up at Heidelberg. He is a civil engineer. His training since leaving school has been essentially practical. He has been engineer in charge of a company town in Virginia, was connected with the Bureau of Highways of the United States, he served in a similar capacity for the State of Virginia, was in charge of maintenance work on the C. & O. R. R. and did engineering work for the city of Richmond. He is medium-sized and twitching with the nervous energy that marks the enthusiast. He is a practical idealist; no one can talk with him for five minutes without realizing that his nature would throw him body and soul into such a work as town management, that his thoughts would be of the work before himself. A man of Staunton whom he had antagonized went up and down the streets, loudly announcing that he was going up to Ashburner's office and run him out of town. Men who had worked with the General Manager on the railroad sought out the man and said:

"You don't know that man. You may run him out of town sure enough, but he'll be right there in his office working away any time you tell him you're coming to do it."

The man quit talking. His strongest characteristics probably are his desire for "doing a job right," his enthusiasm, his excessive supply of energy, and his inclination to shake hands with everybody, including his avowed enemies. When he was given the task of running Staunton his natural enthusiasm drove him to a single aim:

"To make this the finest little city in America, bar none!"

His interpretation of the job was: "I am hired by everybody in this town. I am working for everybody in it, rich and poor, black and white. Every citizen is a shareholder in this corporation, and every one of them is entitled to a shareholder's full privileges. As manager of the affairs of their corporation I am responsible to each and every one of them. My office is a clearing house for shareholders."

The office was opened April 15, 1908. It was not located in the city hall, but in a two-room suite on the second floor of a business block in the heart of the downtown district. On the door was stencilled:

"General Manager, City of Staunton."

Those two rooms soon became the most popular offices in town. Staunton at this time, as we have seen, was mostly a mud town, with no discernible prospects of becoming anything else. City money, under the old mismanagement, covered the floor of the valley; but it wouldn't reach up the hills. Ashburner's first

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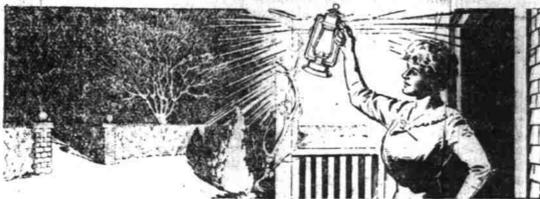
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A CITY WITH A GENL. MANAGER

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task as General Manager was to make it reach.

On October 3, 1905, the council had passed a resolution calling for the laying of a small piece of granolithic sidewalk on Prospect Street. All such work had been let out to local contractors who bid on the jobs. Being experienced contractors and knowing the ways of city governments, these contractors bid in the same way that contractors today are bidding on city work all over the country, namely figures that would have been ridiculous on any business job. The lowest bid for this little job of paving had been \$2.25 a yard. One dollar and seventy-five cents per yard is the lowest that any granolithic work had been done for by contractors in Staunton. Although the resolution had been passed in 1905 no money had been found to do the work with up to 1908, and Ashburner found the resolution among the council papers on his arrival.

In spite of the fact that the contractors knew him to be a paving expert, and therefore certain to know what the right price should be for this piece of work, when he called for bids on it they again turned in as a minimum \$2.25 per square yard.

"All right," said Ashburner. "Here is where the city goes into the paving business."

His report on the Prospect Street work when completed reads: "216 square yards of paving at 96 cents per square yard, \$209.28." The total under the contract system, at \$2.25 a yard, would have been \$486.

The contractors hooted, said that he was manipulating his figures to make a good impression, that he was putting down work that wouldn't last. Interested citizens came into the General Manager's office and inspected the books and saw the detailed reports of the cost of material and labor that made the price of 96 cents. And on the second count, the city was tearing up big chunks of the old \$2.25 contractor pavement because the thin surface had crumbled through; and the city-laid Prospect Street pavement, after three years use, is as solid as the day it was laid.

"There was nothing to this but simple business," said Ashburner. "I laid it down just as if I were doing it for a railroad or for a business firm. I found that it cost 96 cents a square yard."

Two squares away from Main Street was a public school building with a large yard around it. This yard and the walks connected with it never had been paved or even properly cleaned. In the spring of 1908, the school children played in mud up to their ankles in damp weather, and after a rainy spell they couldn't play at all. The council passed a resolution calling for the paving of this yard. The contractors bid again, \$2,000 for the job. Under the General Manager Plan, the city did the work

to trifle more than \$900, which was the business price.

Staunton owns its water and light system. Out at the power plant they "lost" 192 tons of coal, worth at \$2.85 a ton, amounted to \$546 of city money. There was no slightest suspicion of graft involved in this mysterious disappearance; there was no graft in it. Somewhere between the city and the engineer's record book, 19 tons of fuel had vanished into nothing through poor business management, and the city was forced to do its coal appropriation to make up a shortage. Any engineer knows how coal will disappear in the engineering when nobody is watching the thing. Ashburner put a steam-gauged record in the power house and accented the firemen down to his

boys," he said, "you aren't getting enough wages. You ought to be getting \$5 more a month. But you're worth it the way you've been firing. Now, that new gauge is going to take you fire just as carefully and as you know how, because it will show if you let the steam drop, and if it goes up too high, and I'm going to watch that gauge. You boys watch it, and when you're delivering the coal you'll get the \$5 more a month that you ought to have."

The "goods were delivered" and then got their advance from that day. Previously the water pumps had been forced to run 24 hours a day, 365 days out of the year, and in dry weather there invariably was a shortage of water. With the power plant running on a business basis the pumps were able to shut down from twenty-four to thirty-six hours each week, and no water shortage occurred. In this single item of coal alone, business management saved for Staunton each year the amount of the General Manager's salary. Nearly one thousand tons less were used each year, and the average price was \$2.80 per ton.

Bunton has an excellent, thoroughly modern little theatre in the city hall. It is the one theatre in town, and its business is sufficient to attract most of the companies that tour the South. Up to 1908, the city had rented the theatre rights of the house to a local manager under conditions that made it what he himself called "a soft snap." The city furnished lights, fuel, and attendants and derived a total annual revenue of between \$300 and \$400. There was no thought of graft here, either, and the two councilmen had permanent seats in the house. The General Manager secured authority to put the theatre's lease on the market and sent for the representative of a New York theatrical syndicate to make a bid. The syndicate offer was in terms that would yield the city a minimum rental of \$1,250. It was too good a thing to let go out of town, and the local manager rented at this increased figure, to his own chagrin and the benefit of the city treasury.

In purchasing supplies, the city formerly had operated in the old, unbusinesslike way that is chronic with most cities. Each department purchased its own supplies wherever it pleased without any system whatever. The graft that is a nauseating part of most city purchasing departments—for it is sad but true that firms are willing to resort to bribery to get city business—was absent here; but business management was absent, also, and when any records of purchase and expenditures were kept it was not unusual to find, for instance, two different merchants selling the same item to two different departments at different prices. There was no attempt to save city money by buying economically. How many dollars of tax-payers' money were frittered away in this fashion the absence of records makes it impossible to compute. When the General Manager came he made all purchases, from horse-feed to sewer pipes, as a business proposition, as the purchasing agent of a business corporation would do. Requisitions for purchases were made out in duplicate. One went to the merchant as his order, the other was filed in the records of the General Manager's office. Any citizen was entitled to walk in and examine these records, and by doing so he was able—under this simple comprehensive system of book-keeping—to see just what every cent of city money was spent for, who got it, and what was got in return. The records also comprised daily reports of all work done. Thus, if a sidewalk was being laid in front of the property of Mr. William Jones, Mr. Jones could walk into the General

Manager's office at any time and see just what it was costing in labor and material to lay every yard of that walk.

Furthermore, if any citizen had anything to complain about—and citizens do find such things or if he wanted to know why certain city work was not being done, he knew that he had only to go to the General Manager's office and he would find the man to talk to. This, possibly, became the most popular feature of the innovation with the average citizen. There is now hardly a citizen in the town who has not at one time or another paid a business visit to the office. The least prominent citizen received the same attention as the big tax-payer and the smallest complaint was promptly attended to.

In this fashion, by making every item of city business a purely business proposition, city money began to reach much farther and it began to be possible to get things done.

To get the streets paved was Staunton's first crying need. There were three principal streets to consider, West Main and East Main, which ran up the hills from the business section to the residence districts, and a street had a single park. Each of these streets had a single car track laid on ties only, at one side. The rest was plain mud. In wet weather wagons went hub deep in the mire, and it was a feat to make a crossing on foot. The sidewalks at one time had been cindered; but that was long ago and they had given up the ghost or respectability and had sunk back into the mire in company with the streets. The Stonehill Brigade Band play every warm Monday evening in the park for each year it was losing ground physically and sinking deeper in debt financially.

In the first year under the General Manager Plan the city was able to macadamize 9677 lineal feet—nearly two miles—of street; to lay 1824 feet of cement curb, and 3887 feet of granolithic sidewalk. The second year 12,630 lineal feet of asphalt and macadam streets, 6993 feet of walks, and 2556 feet of curb was the result; while the third year the achievement was 6476 feet of macadam streets 4294 feet of sidewalks, and 545 feet of curb. The total for three years was:

Macadam and asphalt streets.....	28,730 lineal feet
Granolithic sidewalk.....	14,884 lineal feet
Granolithic curb.....	4,925 lineal feet

This was done without incurring any indebtedness. The city actually had a surplus of \$17,668.

I talked with a dozen men who were active as councilmen or in other official capacities in running the city in the old days, and the consensus of their judgment is: "Staunton never would have got any of that work done under the old system."

West Main Street and East Main Street now run up the hills under granite macadam and asphalt, with granolithic sidewalks at their sides, and when Staunton goes out to the park it has a firm walk and a good street running all the way. One may illustrate the difference between the two systems, so far as street paving is concerned with two street pavements: Under council system annual amount of street paved... 1,000 feet Under General Manager Plan annual amount of street paved... 8,577 feet

The water famine that had occurred every summer was not due to a lack of adequate water supply or pumping facilities, but to the absence of meters and the consequent water carelessness and wastefulness of water users. The city wasted through leaks, open faucets, and careless usage the water for which it suffered each summer.

Ashburner began to put them in every place where there was a faucet, no matter how small the place.

"What!" protested the tax-payers, "putting a \$9 meter in a house where they use only \$2 worth of water?"

"And waste \$50 worth," supplemented the General Manager.

The meters went in. Soon after the waste and leakage began to decrease. A householder wouldn't let his faucet run when he could hear the meter tick

of the fact though the oratory nerves. This was not good sense, not good business. The General Manager found a new dumping ground beyond the city limits and started and won a campaign for flytight garbage cans. The women helped him in this: one is forced to the conclusion that the women would "keep house" better than the men are doing if they had the task of city management. Staunton's garbage now goes out of the city in covered metal cans, and the old dumping ground is covered up and seeded to grass.

There were no street signs in the town when the General Manager came another unbusinesslike feature. There are street signs all over now. But most startling in this crusade of cleaning up was the story of Main Street.

The work was hampered by politicians who opposed in the council many movements for good. It had the bitter opposition from the day of its inauguration of the contractors and others who had fed off the city's carelessness and of the ultra-conservative citizens. By using such influence as they possessed, and by attacking the office through attacking the man, these men crippled its efficiency to some extent. So much did they cripple it that Mr. Crosby, one of its fathers, says that the idea never will be a complete success so long as the city is forced to encumber itself with a lip, unwieldy council. There are

twenty-two men in the council at Staunton. The progressives there now are preparing to petition the legislature to amend the state constitution so that the council may be cut to five. Such simplification of the city hall machinery is declared necessary to permit the plan to work as efficiently as it can.

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Servian Women Are Proving Heroines

BELGRADE, Servia, Dec. 1.—The mettle of the Servian woman is akin to that of the Spartan. At this moment of national stress and anxiety her moral courage is being tried to the utmost, and it has compared favorably with the physical courage displayed by the men in the field. Naturally proud and patriotic to the core, she would scorn to betray her vocation as the encourager and helpmeet of the combatants. For it is the women of Servia who have, even more than the men, kept alive the old religion, the old traditions, the old ideals. They have been the motive power and the great incentive which have inspired the men to war; they have watched their appetites for battle. While the man will fight to protect wife and home, the woman, without thought of individual home, sends him forth, to death maybe, for country only. No thought of self enters into the almost incredibly disinterested attitude toward her country, unless it is that she so identifies herself with it that it becomes a part of herself. Here it is the better part, for no sacrifice demanded is considered sufficiently great.

Like most of her sex, the Servian woman knows how to wait. Her life is divided into periods of waiting marked off by great days. The day of her marriage is the first of real happiness, but she takes it in a matter-of-fact way. Up to a very short time ago, marriage was the inevitable goal, not to say fate, of every girl, and came as a matter of course. There is never any doubt as to the possibility of getting married. There are plenty of men to pick from, and a dowry and trousseau have been continually increasing since her babyhood. None of the initial obstacles that may obtain in other lands exist for her.

Proud of a Son.
A really great day comes when she finds herself the mother of a God-sent "Junak," a hero, a man child, for her to rear as a soldier. A baby-girl is held to be of little account in comparison. When a mother bends over her little sleeping son, her thoughts are all of the latent combatant, the righter of her country's wrongs, the deliverer of her oppressed brethren. It is her mission to train him in the path of patriotic love and duty, it is his to justify that training. Her lullabies are the long Servian epics of almost world-wide fame that she learned on by heart at school, and she sings them to the weird and melancholy melodies that the village "guslars" croon on their two-stringed instrument.

When a little boy is old enough, he is invested with the picturesque attire of the country. The peasant's muslin shirt and short duds are most appropriate, and with his brightly-colored belt, into which is stuck a toy revolver, he looks very martial. Fourteen is the usual age for discarding childish toys and adopting serious political opinions. The public schools playground is often a hotbed of politics and the nursery of statesmen, though at heart everybody is primarily a soldier.

Every Boy a Soldier.
When her son attains his eighteen summers, another great day comes to his mother, for he now assumes the uniform of the military cadet, or of a simple recruit entering upon his two years of service. This it is the ambition of every boy to do so as soon as he is old enough. It is only the physically unfit who are precluded from this honor. Moreover, there are comparatively few healthy boys who are not ambitious to adopt, together, a soldiering career. When they choose medicine or law of science instead, it causes distress to their dearest relatives, and they do it with a certain amount of apology.

But the greatest day of all is the day when the "maika" as the mother is called by the son who idolizes her even more than he does his wife, bids him adieu, and with swelling heart and unmoistened eyes, blesses him, "Zei sine, nek te sam Bog tchuva." ("Go, my son, God himself protect thee!") That is her day of crowning glory, the day when her mission of motherhood is indeed completed, when her hopes are realized, when she gives her dearest of waifs must after all be dearer—her country! This day has dawned for many a Servian woman. A day longed for, and dreaded, a day of gratified pride and supreme agony.

And for many a mother the last great day of her conscious existence has come. After this, though her country as taken what she desired to give, with (should it be called "usual"?) feminine inconsistency, all she becomes a blank, for she has gazed on the face of her dead son, brought home to her with a Turkish bullet through that body, once so small and frail, which she reared for no other purpose.

In peace-time wakes are held and keening still practiced, but were a hero lies in death the night is passed in silence, and laments would be unseemly. What would he have said if he knew they would have gruded him his valor? And how could the mother face her countrymen again if it were known she had shed a tear? And all the time mothers' hearts are breaking for each "junak" lying on the field, but while victory is on her side, Servian women acknowledge no cause for weeping.

Bulgarian Wives Stay At Home.
As regards the Bulgarian woman, much that has been said of the Servian applies equally to her. She, too, is a devoted mother and patriot. In the Balkan crisis she is bearing bravely and patiently the inevitable strokes that fate deals to her through her sons. The cause is paramount, the cost must not be shirked.

Less luckily than her sisters of Montenegro, she cannot follow her men to battle or load their guns or cook their meals, or have even the

sad privilege of seeing them die. With the training that the Balkan women have had, reared as caregivers and sisters of soldiers, endowed with every faculty that makes an Amazon, their enforced impotence is almost pitiful, and, it would seem, unnecessary. They have, however, been active despite obstacles, although not in a way directly affecting the enemy.

In Bulgaria, as well as in Servia, women have in many cases entirely taken over the management of post and telegraph offices. They have run tram cars, beaten up volunteers for the army, and have not neglected the essentially feminine sphere of hospital work, preparing for emergencies long before hostilities broke out.

At the first rumor of war first-aid courses were started. The women doctors, of whom there are a considerable number, possessing diplomas won at the foreign universities, threw themselves instantly into the breach and worked with great fervor until they turned out a good equipment of nurses.

This is a branch of activity peculiarly suited to the Bulgarian woman, who, less highly strung than the women of the neighboring countries and more solidly balanced where nerves are concerned, makes a soothing, capable and tender nurse.

ANGRY LOVER TIES HIS GIRL TO COW'S HORNS TO OBTAIN REVENGE

Canadian Farmer Mad at Her Coldness; She Is Crushed by Animal

WINNIPEG, Man., Nov. 17.—Peter G. Hansen, a farmer at Grierson, eighty miles northwest of Winnipeg, is sought by the Manitoba police, who accuse him of tying a young woman to a cow's horns. Maggie Warauski, the daughter of a neighbor, is seriously injured, perhaps fatally, as a result.

The story set here is to the effect that Hansen, who was enamored of the girl, became angry at her coldness and threatened revenge. This revenge is said to have consisted of knocking the girl unconscious and binding her firmly across the animal's horns. The cow took fright and dashed into the bush, tearing off the young woman's clothes against the trees.

When the animal became exhausted it fell and the girl was crushed against the earth. She was trampled under the cow's feet when it attempted to rise. Neighbors, hearing the screams in the woods, cut the girl loose.

AT 78 HETTY GREEN IS ALL BUSINESS

NEW YORK, November 24.—Hetty Green is 78 years old, but no one down in the offices at 111 Broadway is going to "make any fuss about it, least of all Mrs. Green herself. She says she doesn't believe birthdays are made for anything better than for tending strictly to business. And that's a rule she has followed for half a century in the business world.

Mrs. Green's office is called the "Westminster Company" on the door. It's on the sixth floor and is not a bit impressive to one who enters and inquires through the wicketed window for this woman, sometimes called the richest woman in the world, and who has made all her money herself. Somewhere back in these same offices sits Colonel Edward R. Green, Mrs. Green's son.

Mrs. Green today volunteered the information that she was about to move back into her \$18-a-month "cold water" flat on Washington street, Hoboken, which she left a short time after the marriage of her daughter.

"It was the best home I ever had—real home," said Mrs. Green.

Hetty volunteered the following "don'ts" in the course of the interview:

Don't envy your neighbors.
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Don't fail to dress warmly. In cold weather low-cut gowns and vanity of some women cause many deaths.

Don't fail to go to church. The church needs you and you need the church.

Don't fail to be fair in all things, business or otherwise, and never kick a man when he is down.

Don't forget to be charitable, and don't falsify.

ELK AND BUFFALO IN YELLOWSTONE PARK

The elk that winter in the Yellowstone National Park now amount to over 30,000, according to the report of the acting superintendent of the park just made public by the Department of the Interior. "The problem of handling this large herd of elk to the best advantage," says Lieutenant-Colonel Brett, "has become an important one, and one in which many are interested. The Department of Agriculture has, in the interests of the elk, limited the grazing districts for sheep in the national forests adjoining the park. The states of Montana and Wyoming have set aside game preserves adjoining the park for the protection of the elk and other game, and the latter state, as well as the Federal Government, has spent money to feed the elk that winter in Jackson Hole."

"The buffalo in the park," says the acting superintendent, "are in two herds—a wild and a tame one. A special effort was made during the month of July to determine as nearly as possible the exact number of buffalo in the wild herd in the park. Forty-nine

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animals, including ten of the year's calves, were counted. This is the largest number reported for more than ten years, and the number of calves indicates that the herd is thriving beyond expectation.

"At the present time there are 143 animals in the tame herd, 13-eight males, sixty-one females and twenty-four this year's calves, sex undetermined."

WITCHCRAFT IN SAIN

A telegram from Castell de la Plana says that a strange fair occurred in a maritime village belonging to the Burriana township, he incident recalls the scenes of Shakespeare's "Macbeth." A few days ago the rumor circulated throughout the village that a pretty young girl, Teresa Sanchez, had become the victim of the envy of an old woman who had succeeded in bewitching her. Teresa's father confided his fears and suspicions to his family and to intimate friends; and subsequent observations seemed to confirm the suspicions of witchcraft.

The beautiful Teresa was undoubtedly the victim of some spell. She was bewitched, suffered hallucinations, and had strange attacks of "ecstasies," during which phantasmagoric visions and demoniacal sarabands defied before her distracted imagination. Teresa pronounced incoherent words, and invoked imaginary legendary beings, which she saw depicted upon the walls of the houses.

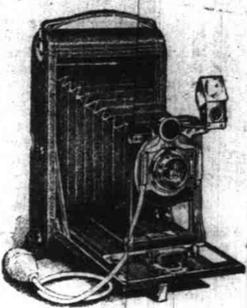
"Poor Teresa, she's bewitched and spellbound," said the neighbors.

Near the village dwelt the old woman credited with the exercise of

powers of witchcraft upon whom fell suspicion. The entire village decided to visit the woman, conducting Teresa into her presence. The latter prostrated herself before the "witch," demanding in suppliant fashion, release from the spell.

The story relates that the "witch" was deeply affected, and shed tears, but with astute prudence promised solemnly to undo the results of the witchcraft. This oath pronounced, the inhabitants, with guileless ignorance, returned home satisfied. This incident has occurred in Spain in the twentieth century, and is agitating the large town of Burriana.—London Daily Telegraph.

It is strange it is so much more difficult to appreciate a man while he is living than just after you have heard of his death.



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EXTRAORDINARY INTEREST SHOWN IN PRESENT IMPEACHMENT PROCEEDINGS AGAINST ARCHBALD

Federal Jurist Central Figure in Most Solemn Event of Any Jurisprudence

The impeachment of Judge Robert W. Archbald of the U. S. Commerce Court this week has furnished an extraordinary spectacle and the widest interest is manifested in the case, even apart from the importance of the event. The fact that there have been but eight other impeachment trials in the history of the Republic shows this one up in bold relief.

The founders of the republic bestowed much attention upon impeachment. Perhaps they anticipated that it would have to be resorted to more often than has proven necessary. In any event they embodied in that remarkable work, the Constitution of the United States, the most specific stipulations as to just what may and may not be done in the matter of impeachment. It is provided in the very first article of the Constitution that the United States Senate shall have the sole power to try all impeachments and that when sitting for that purpose the members shall be on oath or affirmation. When the President of the United States is to be tried the Chief Justice must preside and no person can be convicted without the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present. This same section goes on to say that judgment in cases of impeachment shall not extend further than to removal from office and disqualification to hold any office of honor, trust or profit under the United States but the party convicted shall nevertheless be liable and subject to indictment, trial, judgment and punishment according to law. In other words being sentenced by the Senate to public disgrace would not necessarily save a guilty official from the penalty that under the law would be imposed on a humbler citizen. The very fact that he held office under the government makes him liable to a double sentence.

House Has Power of Impeachment.

Whereas the Senate alone has the right to try impeachment cases the House of Representatives has the sole power of impeachment. That is all cases must originate in the lower House of Congress. In fact the House of Representatives is in a position similar to that of the grand jury and the prosecuting attorney in the ordinary cases of which we read in the newspapers every day, whereas the Senate, under this same comparison, has the dual role of the presiding judge and jury before whom a case is tried. Only, in impeachment cases, as above indicated, the august body is not allowed very much latitude as to the sentences that can be imposed.

Our forefathers were no respecters of persons when it came to planning for impeachment proceedings and they wrote it into the Constitution that not only all civil officers of the United States but even the President and Vice-President shall be removed from office on impeachment for and conviction of treason, bribery or other high crimes and misdemeanors. And finally, in order that there may be no loopholes for the escape of the official once convicted under impeachment charges the Constitution specifically says that the President shall have power to grant reprieve and pardon for offense against the United States "except in cases of impeachment."

Trial Serious for All.

From all the foregoing it will be seen that an impeachment trial is pretty serious business not only for the man who is on trial but also for all those who have a hand in conducting it or in bringing it about. That is one reason, probably, why the House of Representatives usually makes haste slowly in adopting articles of impeachment. Because only eight impeachment trials have been held in more than a century of our country's history does not mean that this represents by any means all the attempts at impeachment that have been made.

The question as to whether or not an accused official shall be impeached rests largely with the Committee on the Judiciary of the House of Representatives. When one or more Congressmen move for the impeachment

of an official who is charged with having been derelict in his duty the matter is referred to the Judiciary Committee for investigation. Or again, the matter may come up, as it did in the present Archbald case, on the initiative of the President of the United States. President Taft, it may be remembered, had the Attorney General investigate the charges which were lodged with him against Judge Archbald and when the head of the Department of Justice reported that the matter was serious enough to warrant action by the Judiciary Committee of the House the President sent a special message to that effect to the lower house of Congress.

Charges Itself Down.

But whatever the exact route taken such charges come in due course to the Judiciary Committee to be there thoroughly sifted before action is taken on the lines laid down by the Constitution. This committee, which becomes for the time being an investigating committee, is given power to send for persons and papers; to subpoena witnesses and to administer oaths. In short it is invested with most of the powers of a court of law in order that the probers may get at the truth of the accusations which are made. Great numbers of witnesses are usually examined and it may be necessary as in the Archbald case, for the Judiciary Committee to devote weeks to hearing the evidence in the case before any conclusion can be arrived at. In the end the Committee makes a report to the House either favorable or adverse to impeachment and the entire body of Congressmen then vote on the question. Impeachment is accomplished by the passage by the House of a resolution and articles of impeachment, which are forthwith presented to the Senate with a demand for the conviction and removal from office of the accused.

Archbald Trial May Be Long.

The number and character of the charges against Judge Archbald and the number of witnesses that were examined in the preliminaries of the past summer give promise of a prolonged trial with a vast amount of testimony to be considered. Newspaper readers will scarcely need to be reminded that the charges against the Pennsylvania jurist embrace no fewer than thirteen misdeeds. He is accused of having had business dealings (affecting coal lands, etc.), with parties having cases before him or likely to have cases on trial before him and of having accepted money from attorneys practicing in his court. The Archbald case is unique among all the impeachment cases ever tried in this country in that some of the offenses of which he is accused are alleged to have been committed when he was holding a judicial position other than that which he now occupies. In other words he is in part being tried for old offenses, but since he then, as now, was the occupant of a U. S. judicial position he is as liable in the one as in the other.

Perhaps the most solemn features of the impeachment was witnessed on the opening day of the trial. Certain members of the House were designated to act as "managers" of the impeachment proceedings before the Senate and upon the arrival of these dignitaries in the Senate Chamber to exhibit the articles of impeachment the Sergeant-at-Arms formally demanded that all persons keep silence on pain of imprisonment.

At 1 o'clock in the afternoon on the day following the presentation of the impeachment papers the Senate proceeded to consider the articles and after the trial thus commenced it continues in session from day to day, Sundays excepted, until final judgment is rendered. However, before the trial is entered upon it is the duty of the Presiding Officer to administer the oath to each Senator in attendance. The Presiding Officer is vested with considerable authority in the conduct of an impeachment trial. Not only does he have to act as to all forms of proceedings but he may rule on all questions of evidence. Any Senator may, however, appeal from such decision and have the matter submitted to the Senate on a formal vote. The accused official is, of course, expected to be present at the trial of the representative by attorneys.

Witnesses are supposed to be examined by only two persons,—one person on each side in the case and if a witness wished to put a question to any witness he is required to put the question in writing and transmit it to the Presiding Officer. The final argument in the case may be made by two persons on each side, but the spokesmen of the House of Representatives are to have the last word. When it comes time for the final decision as to whether or not the Archbald impeachment shall stand each Senator will be called upon to vote yes or no upon each of the 13 articles of impeachment and a two-thirds vote will be required to sustain each article.

History of Impeachment.

Each of the impeachment trials in American history has, in turn, been the sensation of the period in which it occurred. The first case was that of William Blount, a U. S. Senator from Tennessee, who was in the year 1798 tried on a charge of conspiring with certain British officers to steal part of Louisiana from Spain for the benefit of England. He was acquitted on a technicality but was expelled from the Senate. Then came Judge John Pickens, of New Hampshire, who was tried for drunkenness and profanity during the year 1803 and was convicted and removed. In the year 1804 Samuel Chase, one of the Associate Justices of the U. S. Supreme Court, was tried on charges of irregularities growing out of the conduct of a trial but was acquitted. An acquittal was also secured by Judge James H. Peck, of Missouri, who in 1839 was accused of partiality in legal decisions.

During the Civil War, or in 1862 to be exact, Judge West H. Humphreys, of Tennessee, was impeached and removed from office, his offence being that he entered the service of the Confederacy without resigning or vacating his office. Soon after the Civil War came our most sensational impeachment trial, that of President Andrew Johnson, who became Chief Magistrate by reason of the assassination of Abraham Lincoln. The charges against Johnson were largely the outgrowth of his attempt to remove Edwin M. Stanton as Secretary of War, regardless of the wishes of the Senate. After a stormy trial Johnson was acquitted, but by the narrowest margin. An acquittal was likewise secured by William W. Belknap, Secretary of War under President Grant, who was charged with having accepted money for the privilege of conducting a trading post at a U. S. government military post in the West. The most recent impeachment trial was that of Judge Charles Swayne, of Florida, which took place in 1904 and resulted in an acquittal. Judge Swayne, it may be remembered, was tried on twelve charges (only one less than Judge Archbald), of corruption and incompetency.

GHOST THROWS CLOCK; LATEST SUPERNATURAL MYSTERY AT BOSTON

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 22.—A well-known ghost who suddenly flings alarm clocks is the latest thing in supernatural mysteries here.

Mrs. St. Helen Lyons, who lives alone on the second floor, says she has been troubled by a ghost for the past two years, ever since her husband was drowned. It has been a mild-mannered ghost up to the other night, when it threw the alarm clock and created other disturbances.

Mrs. Lyons promptly applied for police protection and Patrolman James Carroll, Lawrence H. Dunn and A. V. McEachern, with revolvers handy, were looked under the beds, in the closets and behind the looking glasses, but the search was in vain.

To calm the victim's fears the three policemen kept watch over the specter-haunted flat. It was dark in the house and they waited for several hours hoping that the ghost would appear either in flesh or in spirit. But his ghostship was wary.

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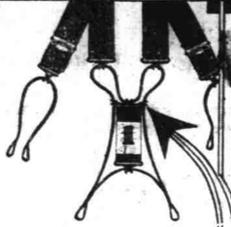
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LATEST NEWS BULLETIN.

(General World News of December 4th and 5th.)

Colonel John A. Darling, a prominent army man, and for many years stationed at the Presidio at San Francisco, has just died in Connecticut.

A New York woman, who stole \$15,000 through forgeries while occupying a prominent position with a large manufacturing establishment, was sent back to work by the judge and told to repay her obligations. If she doesn't then she will go to jail.

The militant suffragettes in England have now decided to use dynamite in their operations unless the government incorporates women's suffrage in the forthcoming franchise bill.

Fred Stratton, whose appointment as Collector of the Port at San Francisco is about expired, is to be re-appointed it is stated, the two California senators not having any objections.

Because Jack Johnson married a white girl in Illinois, a bill is to be introduced in the next legislature prohibiting the intermarriage of such races.

Catherine Barker, daughter of a former Laporte, Ind. manufacturer came into possession of her father's fortune of \$20,000,000 recently.

President Taft assured the fair commissioners that he would be one of the earliest visitors to San Francisco in 1915.

Francois D'Ron, Belgium Consul-General in San Francisco, was married secretly yesterday to Miss Octavia Hanson of San Jose, Cal.

The Greek navy is bombarding the Dardanelles while 40 transports are bringing up Bulgars and Athenians for a land attack upon Constantinople.

A young naval apprentice at Goat Island confessed to killing a man three years ago. His deed made him so despondent that eventually he lost his appetite, and he threatened to starve himself to death.

An Italian steamship company has been formed in New York with a capital of \$20,000,000 to operate twenty steamships between New York, Italy and West South American ports.

The Japanese cabinet has resigned, Marquis Saionji and his conferees quitting after a split over the question of a new war minister.

Miss Carolyn Murray, daughter of General and Mrs. Arthur Murray, now stationed at San Francisco, was married to Ord Preston, a banker from Washington.

The German chancellor has revived an old order that the diplomats of that country may not marry foreigners. A great many have already married Americans.

Bankers of San Francisco and Los Angeles have united in a demand that United States sub-treasurer William C. Ralston be kept in his position instead of being replaced with a new man as contemplated.

Many bankers from all over the country have been called before the committee at Washington charged with an investigation of the money

trust. Woodrow Wilson's victory cost over \$1,000,000, according to reports just made public. Charles R. Crane heads the list with \$40,000. James Phelan of San Francisco gave \$2000.

It has not yet been decided who won the presidential race in California. The final result may not be known until some lawsuits are started.

Mrs. Robert Goelet, a wealthy American widow, died very suddenly in Paris of cancer trouble. Her husband died in 1899, since which time Mrs. Goelet has lived abroad most of the time.

Netherlands has sent representatives to San Francisco to pick the national site at the world's fair grounds.

Dr. Sun Yat Sen and a large party of Chinese officials are coming to this country soon. They will come by way of Seattle.

Canada has announced her determination to send a yacht to compete against Lipton in the ocean races at San Francisco in 1915.

Frank Stone has been selected as the man who will captain the San Francisco yacht when she races off San Francisco in 1915.

Chicago reporters going home late, caught a thief coming out of a restaurant loaded down with pies and cakes. The reporters waited until he got under way, then attacked him. There was a desperate fight in which the evidence was totally destroyed—then the man was taken to jail.

William N. Gladden, an authority on fruits and formerly associated with President Harrison in the newspaper game in Indianapolis, has just died in the latter town.

Russia will publish a statement outlining her future commercial policy toward the United States on January 1st, the day the present commercial treaty between the nations expires.

The "good government" forces which have controlled Los Angeles for several years were generally defeated in their attempts to pass a number of new laws, which were submitted to the people.

J. Lawrence Mott, Jr., a society man of New York, who ran away with Mrs. Hewett Bowne, also of New York, are now living in the interior of China. Emissaries from the irate father have failed to separate the couple.

A Seattle engineer, repulsed by his wife, grabbed his 6-year-old child and ran in front of a passenger train. The child was killed, but the father may recover.

It is said the general opinion of Congressmen now in Washington for the last session is against considering T. R. as a future available presidential candidate.

Five small boys of Hoboken, N. J., lighted a fire in a piano box just to see the engines come out. They came and \$300,000 went up in smoke.

Fred. W. Carpenter, former secretary to President Taft, has been nominated minister to Siam by the president.

three days just prior to the Imperial Council meeting. The matter of parking these specials is a big problem, and this duty falls upon the transportation committee of which G. S. Maxwell is chairman. Details of the arrangements will be sent to the Shriners of the country months ahead so that immediately upon arrival the special trains can be parked in accordance with the plans prepared before hand.

It is expected that several of these de luxe specials will be used in the side trips over the State following the sessions of the Imperial Council. This promise to be a crowning feature of a splendid program now under preparation. These trips will be made in order that visitors from other States may be given an opportunity of viewing for themselves the magnificent area of Texas, its great cities, its points of historic interest, its wonderful strides along industrial lines and its undeveloped resources. Chairman Maxwell said relative to these trips:

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A Republican governor in Tennessee looks something like a brand plucked from the burning.

Dr. Willey says a woman of forty should be more beautiful than a woman of twenty; but when did he ever see a woman forty years old?

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Dallas, Texas, Making Plans to Welcome Thousands of Nobles Next Year

DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 3.—"Mornin' Silas" is the slogan of Shriners of North America for 1913. This salutation for the thousands who will assemble in Dallas next May for the Imperial Council meeting has been formally adopted by the executive committee of Hella Temple. Members of the committees in charge of arrangements for the entertainment of the Masonic visitors are progressive, far seeing and intelligent men, men of a high order of executive ability, who were picked on account of their recognized prominence, their knowledge of Texas as well as the great order they represent.

Fourteen years ago Dallas, then a city of less than forty thousand inhabitants, entertained the Imperial Council meeting. That meeting made memorable by a lavish entertainment, advertised Texas from ocean to ocean and from Canada to Mexico. Texas Shriners are now known from ocean to ocean and Texas has a reputation for doing things on a large scale. Expecting an even larger attendance than that recorded at Los Angeles this year, local Shriners propose to make this coming meeting next May a red letter event in the history of their order.

H. B. Robertson, chairman of the committee on entertainment of patrols and bands, declares some of the best drilled men in America will pass in review before the Imperial Potentate in the grand parade which will feature the Imperial Council meeting. He is expecting to entertain at least 50 patrols, the very cream of the world's Shrinedom, and twenty-five to thirty Shrine bands. Band music, he says, will be one of the big features this year. Hella Temple has organized a band and this body of musicians will be kept constantly practicing from now until next May. A splendid round of entertainment is being arranged for the patrols and bands.

Dallas is expecting not less than 100 de luxe Shrine specials next May. Information from the various railroad lines indicate that at least this number of special trains will arrive the

MORGAN LIKES OLD PHOTOS BEST

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 24.—J. P. Morgan's reluctance for posing for the camera was explained today by Frederick Gutekunst, the well known artist and photographer, who celebrated his eighty-first birthday in his studio at work. Speaking of some of the noted men whom he has snapped,

Mr. Gutekunst told some delightful stories of Ben Grant, W. C. Clegg, Phillips Brooks, Henry W. Lonsdale, and Walt Whitman and Edwin Booth. Looking at one of the old portraits of Mr. Morgan, the aged artist said: "It is not that Mr. Morgan hates photographers, but that he imagines that he is not as good looking as he was years ago. He wishes his old pictures preserved for future use and taken for the correct likeness of himself as he is today, rather than pictures that show the change that has come over his face in later years." It is not an uncommon thing, according to the photographer, for him to receive an order for one of Mr. Morgan's old photographs, whereupon he is compelled to touch it up and make it look as modern as possible. Fools, children and mirrors tell the truth.

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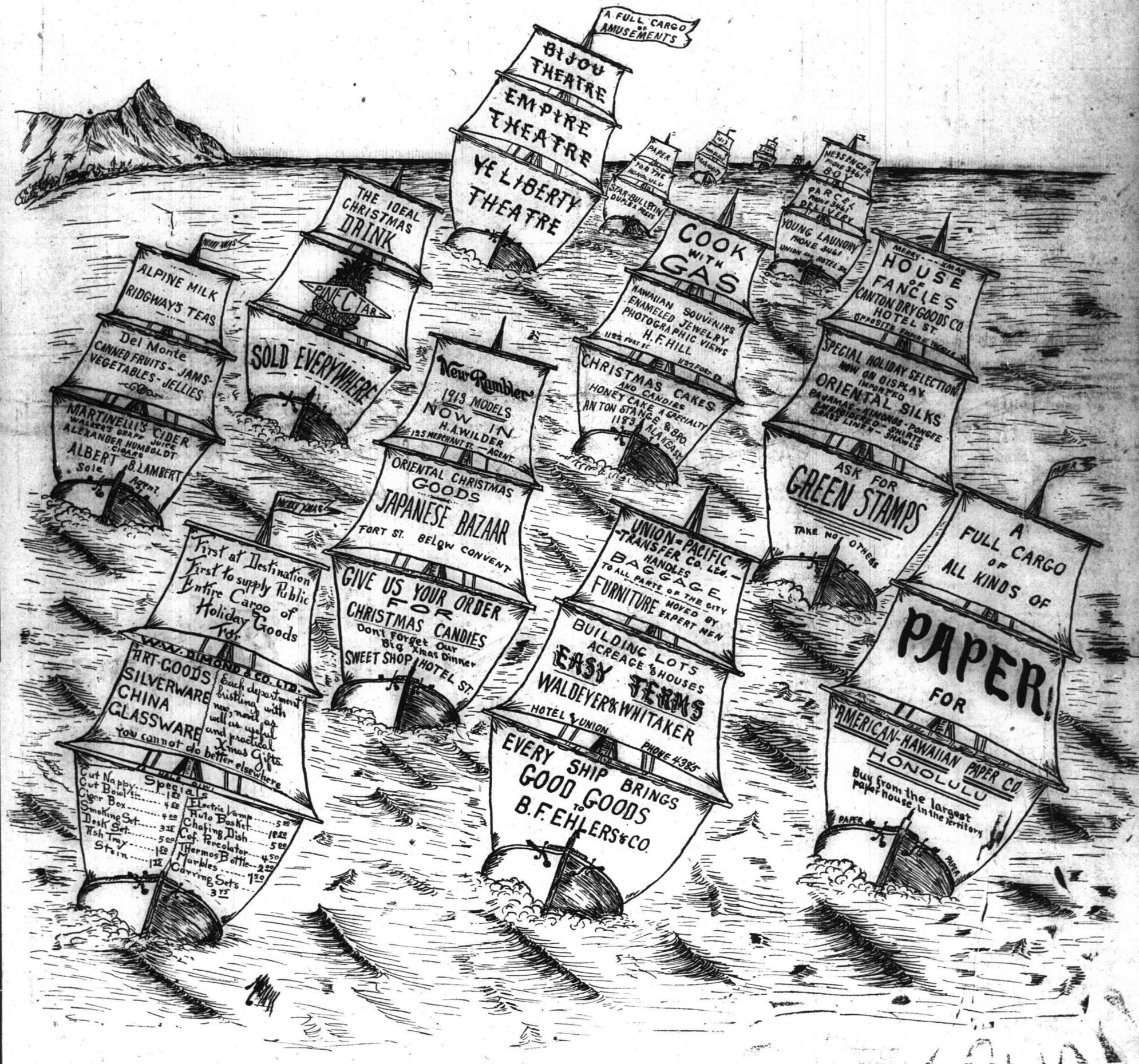
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Honolulu Commandery, State, Election of Officers.

FRIDAY:
Oceanic Lodge, 1st degree.

SATURDAY:
Lei Aloha Chapter, No. 3, O. E. S.

All visiting members of the order are cordially invited to attend meetings of local lodges.

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Honolulu Lodge No. 616, B. P. O. E. Elks, meets in their hall, on King St., near Fort, every Friday evening. Visiting Brothers are cordially invited to attend.

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BEARS WAIT FOR MEN WHO CLIMB UP TREE

Hair-Raising Experience of Three Prospectors in District Visited by Earthquake

SEWARD, Alaska, Nov. 22.—From Kodiak island and that particular part of the Alaskan peninsula that was visited last summer by the earthquake comes one of the best bear stories that has been turned loose in recent years. For many years Kodiak island has been the favorite hunting grounds for outside sportsmen in search of the big brown bear, and in fact the name Kodiak bear is perhaps better known than brown bear to hunters all over the world.

When Mount Katmai was in eruption last summer the berries and vegetation of Kodiak island was covered under a blanket of volcanic ash to a depth of from several inches to as much as three feet in some places and the natural food supply for the bears was cut short to a large extent. However during the fishing season the bears managed to get along pretty well on the salmon that run up the various streams and along the beach.

Become Nuisance
Early in the season the bears left the hills and have been living on the banks of the creeks, and now that the fishing season is over they are at a loss to get enough to eat and have taken to hunting both single and in droves and have really become a nuisance.

Before the government herd of cattle was removed from the experimental farm near Kodiak to Seward, several of the calves had been killed, and recently three prospectors were treed near Kodiak and were forced to spend the night in the tree while below two hungry brown bears attempted to get at them and were only driven away after one had been killed in the morning by a native and the other one had been badly wounded.

As soon as the three who had spent the night in the tree could get guns they returned to the scene of their right's imprisonment and got on the track of the wounded animal. They followed the trail for a distance of less than a mile and they come upon the clean picked bones of the brute that had kept them in the tree the night before. The bear had been killed and eaten by other bears, doubtless crazed by the smell of blood.

INCOME TAX TO MAKE GOOD ON TARIFF CUTS

Democrats Propose to Keep Treasury Full by Making Swollen Wealth Pay

WASHINGTON, November 28.—Representative Cordell Hull of Tennessee, author of the excise tax bill, a member of the Ways and Means Committee, is framing a bill levying a general income tax under the conviction that in January next two additional States will ratify the constitutional amendment authorizing such a tax. Thirty-four states have ratified the amendment and with two more States to act favorably the amendment will become part of the constitution.

It is the Democratic plan, should the income tax be realized, to make this tax supplemental to the new tariff legislation to be enacted at the special session to be called by President-elect Wilson for next April.

With the right to levy an income tax the labors of the Democratic tariff farmers will be lightened. They will not have to give so much thought to their cuts in the duties.

Two plans in reference to this new tax are being considered by Hull. One is a graduated tax, the percentage increasing with the amount of the income and the other a flat tax applying to incomes of more than \$5000 a year. Hull estimates that, under a straight 1 per cent income tax or all incomes of more than the \$5000 exemption, the government can derive an annual revenue of \$100,000,000, and that with a graduated tax increasing to 2 per cent on the largest incomes, so adjusted to fall most lightly on active wealth and heaviest on idle capital, a larger revenue can be secured.

The general income tax is to take the place of the proposed excise tax, which was expected to yield \$50,000,000, and of the existing corporation tax, which produces \$10,000,000 annually.

The straight tax plan has the advantage over the graduated tax of enabling tax collectors to collect at the source of the income in most instances and in doing away with many of the inquisitorial features of the graduated tax. Personal investigations of incomes have been found unpopular and expensive.

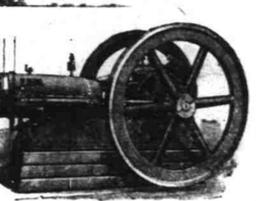
All American citizens in Asiatic Turkey are safe and unmolested, according to reports to the state department by Consul General Hollis at Beirut.

Commissioner of Public Safety Cornelius F. Lynch of Lawrence, Mass., has refused an application from Industrial Workers of the World for a parade.

Canada, drawing lessons from the United States life-saving system, is to equip her own service with motor power boats patterned after the American model.

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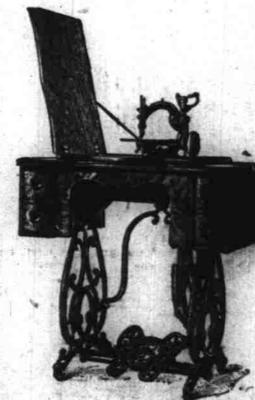
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DEVELOPING THE FRUIT INDUSTRY OF MEXICO

Consul William W. Canada at Vera Cruz, Mexico, a late report says:

On July 2 there arrived on the La Navarre at St. Nazaire, France consigned to the Mexican consul general, 10 sample bunches of bananas of various varieties. They had been shipped by the Camara Nacional de Comercio, of Vera Cruz, in an endeavor to find a market for the output of this district. The bananas were distributed by the consul and, although no arrangements were made for future shipments, the consul advised that the fruit was well received and commanded a good price. He advised that, although a demand existed for such fruit in the cities of Nantes with 160,000 inhabitants, Angers with 85,000, Rennes with 75,000, Tours with 70,000, Mans with 65,000 and St. Nazaire, no Mexican bananas came to that promising market.

Bananas to Hamburg
With a view of extending the sale of Mexican fruits in Europe, the Mexican government, through its public improvement department, made a trial shipment of bananas to Hamburg on one of the direct steamers of the Hamburg-American Line. They were consigned to the Hamburg-Colombian Banana Co., which is said to be shipping bananas from Central American ports and from Frontera, Mexico, in its own vessels. This shipment was transported in the cold storage of the ship at a temperature of 6 degrees to 7 degrees C. On arrival at Hamburg the consignees examined the shipment and, although they advised that the storage temperature was too low, they were satisfied with the quality and agreed to take the output of the growers here.

The steamship line agreed to handle the fruit on consideration that on each bimonthly trip not less than 1,200 to 1,500 bunches would be sent, depending on the size of the ship and storage capacity. The consignees agreed to start their own ships as soon as the output reaches 35,000 to 30,000 bunches weekly. This fruit company furnishes special instructions as to time of cutting, classification, size of bunches, and transportation to ship side and aboard.

Fruit Growing Rewarded
Every inducement has been offered by the Legislature of Vera Cruz to growers in an attempt to encourage the growing of fruit. An act of the legislature, passed on July 3, 1912, provides for monetary remuneration and prizes to those who shall make the best headway in fruit growing. Prizes of \$100 to \$1,000 will be awarded to hacendados who shall plant and be the first to harvest crops from orchards of oranges, mangoes, and pineapples.

The orchards must have 1,000 to 10,000 orange, lemon, coco or Manila mango trees, 10,000 to 100,000 pineapple plants of the Cayenne or Esmeraldo variety, or 5,000 to 50,000 banana plants of the Roatan class. As a special inducement, all companies or private owners planting a part or the whole of their land to fruits will be exempted from land taxes for 10 years and will be given 10 per cent of maritime or land freight to the nearest port or railway shipping station where they can market their products for 5 years. Commercial companies will also be offered special inducements to establish businesses in the state and will be granted special tax concessions for 5 years. All capital invested in irrigation projects will be exempt from taxation for 10 years.

Vera Cruz is the first state to take such marked action for encouraging industries favorable to development. Several states have offered concessions to companies at times, but none have passed a law providing for a permanent and definite incentive.

In addition, the new law provides for instruction in the American system of dry farming and rotation and diversification of crops for those interested. This state assistance, in conjunction with the efforts of the National government, to develop a market for Mexican fruits should mean an area of prosperity for the fruit-growing districts of Mexico, of which this is one.

SCOTTISH DOCTOR'S SUBLIME HEROISM

GLASGOW, Nov. 23.—Exceptional heroism does not need a battlefield or a sudden calamity, as a setting. Its merit is the same if it be achieved amid the ordinary happenings of everyday life.
Such a tale of quiet, splendid heroism comes from Scotland.
The scene was the humble cottage of a laborer and his wife, in one of the outlying districts of Glasgow. Their boy of five years was dying of diphtheria. The crisis had come with terrible rapidity, and the doctor was summoned in all haste.

What happened is told in these words by the witness:
"I shall never forget to my dying day the scene in the little cottage kitchen with the dying child lying on the bed in front of the fire and the parents, grief-stricken, sitting in a semi-dazed condition.
"There was a gas jet burning, but the room seemed to be lit by fire-light. I could only see this, and the child."
"When the doctor arrived its condition was critical. The disease was as advanced as it could be without actual death. Directly the doctor saw the boy, he saw that it was a case for instant action.
"Without a moment's hesitation he decided on the last desperate remedy.
"Making an incision in the child's throat, he knelt down and proceeded deliberately to suck out the virulent poisonous diphtheria matter in the windpipe.
"Not once, but two and three times he put his mouth to the little boy's throat, with apparently not the slightest thought of the terrible danger he was himself running.

"He was deliberately risking his life for the child", as surely as the soldier goes back to rescue a wounded comrade under fire.
"That his splendid sacrifice was in vain was the bitterest thing of all, though it does not in any way detract from the heroism of the deed. His own life was undoubtedly in danger afterwards, as that night he was very ill.
"I went through the South African war, and have seen brave acts, but the bravest I saw anywhere, was that which was enacted in that little kitchen.
"The memory of the dying child on the Scotch bed in front of the fire, and the beautiful courage and devotion of the doctor, will never fade.
"He was an entire stranger to me, and I shall probably never see him again, but count myself proud and fortunate even to have known for so short a period an unknown hero."
The doctor was Dr. John Munro Campbell of Glasgow.

NEW PARCELS STAMPS LIKE PICTURE POSTALS

Mail and Industrial Scenes for Series of Big 'Stickers'

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 20.—Arrangements have been made by Postmaster General Hitchcock for the engraving and manufacturing of a series of 12 stamps, unique in size and novel in design, for exclusive use in forwarding packages by the parcels post. Under the law recently enacted by Congress ordinary stamps cannot be used for this purpose.
The parcels post stamps will be

larger than the ordinary stamps and will be so distinctive in color and design as to avert any possible confusion with stamps now in use.
The new issue will be in three series of designs. The first will illustrate modern methods of transporting mail, one stamp showing a mail car on a railway train; another an ocean mail steamship, a third an automobile now used in the postal service, and a fourth the dispatch of mail by aeroplane.
The second series will show at work the four great classes of postal employees, postoffice clerks, railway clerks, city letter carriers and rural delivery carriers. The third series will represent four industrial scenes, showing the principal sources of the products that probably will be transported extensively by parcels post.

The stamps will be ready for distribution December 1.
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Size 10x12 ft. Reg. 6.25	Special 5.30	Reg. 12.50	Special 10.60
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The Root of Evil

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CHAPTER VI.

Despair.

THE very dawn of Nan's wedding day Stuart had refused to give up hope.

The little financier had sent him an invitation, and, worst of all, had called to ask that he act as his best man. He refused so curtly that Bivens was deeply wounded.

"But I say, Jim, that's all rot. I want you to stand by me. I've always taken as much of your friendship as you would give and been grateful for it. I don't make new friends easily. I want you, and you've just got to do it."

Stuart shook his head and firmly set his jaw. A grim temptation flashed through his imagination. If he should accept it might be the one thing which would prevent Nan's betrayal of her love at the altar. Might he not by the power of his personality, the hypnotic force of his yearning passion and will, stop the ceremony? In the moment of deathlike silence which should follow the minister's words asking if there were any cause known why these two should not be made one, might not a single movement of his body at that moment, a groan of pain, a sob, a cry of agony in a supreme act of his will, cause the white figure to reel and fall to his feet? It was possible. But it would be too cheap. If it would be a worthless victory, a victory of the flesh without the spirit, and he refused to take the body without the soul.

With a frown he turned to Bivens: "It's no use talking, Cal. I've made up my mind. I won't do it."

"Well, if you won't you won't," the little man said with a sigh. "At least you'll come to the church. For God's sake, let me get a glimpse of one friend's face! I'll be scared to death. You know, I don't need to this."

Stuart smiled.

"All right, I'll be there."

But when the fatal morning came Stuart was stunned by the feeling of incredible despair which crept into his heart. The day was chill and damp. Dull, grayish, half black clouds rolled over the city from the sea—clouds that hung low and wet over the cold pavements without breaking into rain.

He knew that Nan was as superstitious as the old black mammy of the south who had nursed her. Aunt Sally had come to New York for the wedding of her "baby." Stuart thought of the old saying, "Happy is the bride the sun shines on." As the hour of noon approached despair slowly settled over his heart.

How could he reconcile himself to the horrible reality? A marriage so cold, so cold, yea, to such a man—this little finance staid, head eyed, weasel.

He rose, breathing hard and brushed a tear from his eye—a tear that had come unbidden in spite of his iron will.

His heart fairly shrieked its cry of despair. He moved mechanically toward the church and walked from his vehicle to find himself jammed in a solid mass of humanity. Never before had he realized the utter vulgarity of a public wedding. He forced his way into the side door and stood waiting the arrival of the bride and groom. When Bivens raised the sight of him roused the slumbering devil in Stuart. The excitement of his triumph had evidently steeled the little man's nerves. Never had his shrill little figure looked so slippery and plausible.

He extended his slender hand and touched Stuart's in passing. To save his life the lawyer could not repress a shudder. In that moment he could have committed murder with joy. The agony of defeat was on him. He felt in that moment his kinship with all the rebels and disaffected of the earth.

At last the bride came and the surprised choir moved slowly and solemnly down the aisles through a sea of eager faces as the great organ pealed forth the first bars of the wedding march from "Lohengrin."

Nan was leaning on the arm of a stranger he had never seen before, an uncle from the west. She was pale, deathly pale, and walked with a hesitating movement as though weak from illness. Suddenly his heart went out to her in a flood of pity and tenderness. He tried to make her feel this, but she passed without a glance. She had not seen him.

Stuart listened to the ceremony with a vague impersonal interest as if it were something going on in another world. A single question was burning itself into his brain—the price of a woman! "Have we all our price?" he asked, searching deep into his own soul. Something pathetic in the white face of the bride had touched the deepest sources of his being.

"Have I, too, my price, oh, beautiful girl?" he cried. "Would I sell my honor for a million? No. For ten, fifty, a hundred millions? No—not in the market place, no—but would I sell by a compromise of principle in the

secret concave of my party—at a sale the world could never know—would I sell for the presidency of the republic? Or would I sell now to win this woman? Would I? If so, I should hold her blameless. Have all men and all women a price if we but name it? Answer! Answer!" And then from the depths of his being came the burning words:

"No! I swear it. No!"

He looked up with a start, wondering vaguely if the crowd had heard this cry.

No; they were intent on the drama at the altar. The minister was saying:

"What God hath joined together let not man put asunder."

"God?" Surely he didn't say "God," Stuart bared. "Does God, the august, mysterious, awful creator of the universe, work like this? Did not the God of heaven and earth give this woman to him beneath the sunny skies of the south while their souls sang for joy?"

They were moving again down the aisle, the organ throbbing the recession from Mendelssohn. A wave of emotion swept the crowd inside, and they became a mob of vulgar, chattering, gossiping fools, swarming over the church as if it were the grand stand of a racecourse, without hesitation tearing down and stealing its decorations for souvenirs.

By a curious law of refection all resentment and anger were gone, and only a great pity for Nan began to fill Stuart's heart.

That night Stuart entered one of the more dignified and serious theaters just off Broadway. The play was a serious effort by a brilliant young dramatist of the modern school of realism. In two minutes from the rising of the curtain the play had gripped him with relentless power. Slowly, remorseless as fate, he saw the purpose of the author unfold itself in a series of tense and terrible scenes. The comedy over which the crowd laughed with such contagious merriment was even more sinister than the serious parts. No matter what the situation—whether set to laughter, to terror or to tears—beneath it all throbbed one insistent question:

"Has the woman who sells herself for money a soul?"

With breathless interest he watched the cruel carving of her body into thin pieces. Without sniffling, whining or apology, with arms bared and gleaming scalpel firmly gripped in a hand that never quivered once, the author dissected her. Always he could hear this white invisible figure bending over each scene talking to the audience in his quiet, terrible way:

"Well, if she has a soul we shall find it. Perhaps it's here."

With a firm, strong hand the last secret of muscle and nerve and bone was laid bare, and the white face looked into the eyes of the audience through a mist of tears.

"I'm sorry, my friends. But we must face the truth. It's better to know the truth, however bitter, than to believe a lie."

With a soft rick the big curtain came down in a silence that could be felt. The dazed crowd wraked from the spell and poured into the aisles, while Stuart still sat gripping the arm of his seat with straining emotion.

At last he said to himself with choking emphasis:

"He was cruel, inhuman, unjust. I refuse to believe it! She has a soul! She has a soul!"

Next day Stuart went to his office with his mind keyed to a higher pitch of power. He felt that he was on his mettle. The fight was not yet won, but this morning he was winning. He plunged into his work with fearless zeal. Everything he touched seemed illumined with a new light.

At the close of the day's work he was still conscious of an exhaustless pity which had found no adequate expression in his labor on his clients' cases. His mind wandered to the dark silent millions into whose world the doctor had led him that night—millions who have no voice in courts because they have no money to sustain a fight for the enforcement of justice. He had never thought about these people before. They were calling now for his help. Why? Because he had been endowed with powers of head and heart which they did not possess. The possession of these gifts carried a responsibility.

On reaching his club in Gramercy park he saw that the Primrose house was closed. Nan's mother had gone with the bridal party on Bivens' big yacht for a cruise which would last through the summer. Somehow, for all his brave talk he didn't feel equal to the task of seeing that window of Nan's old home from his club. He was about to beat a retreat when he stopped abruptly and the lines of his mouth tightened.

"What's the use of being a coward? I've got to get used to it. I'd as well begin at once."

He deliberately took his seat on the little pillared balcony of the clubhouse and watched the darkened window through the gathering twilight. For the moment he gave up the fight—the devil had him by the throat. He let the tears come without protest. He was alone and the shadows were friendly.

He stepped inside, touched a bell and ordered a cocktail. He placed the glass on the little table by his side and looked at it. What an asinine act, this pouring of poison into the stomach to ease a malady of the soul! He smiled cynically and suddenly recalled something the doctor was fond of repeating:

"My boy, I'm rich so long as there are millions of people in the world poorer than I am."

Perhaps there was an antidote better than this poison. If he could lift the curtain for a single moment in au-

other life more hopeless and wretched than his? It was worth trying.

He rose, left the liquor untouched and in a few minutes was treading his way through the throngs of the lower east side. When he reached the house on Washington square he found Harriet reading in the library.

"Oh, Jim, dear? Where on earth have you been for nearly two days?" she cried. "I haven't seen you since the wedding."

"Won't you sing for me?" he broke in.

"All right." She paused and suddenly clasped her hands. "I'll get my mandolin. You've never heard me play that, have you? I've learned 'Way Down on the Swanee Ribber' on it. I know you'll like it."

Stuart listened to her, entranced. He had heard that old song of the



"Tell me what you are thinking about, Jim."

south a hundred times. But she was singing it tonight with a stange, new power. The girl leaned forward at last and laid her friendly hand on his. She had a trick of leaning forward like that when talking to him that had always amused Stuart.

"Tell me what you are thinking about, Jim," she said, a smile flitting around her tender, expressive eyes.

"I was seeing a vision, little pal," he began slowly. "The vision of a gala night of grand opera. Broadway blazed with light, and I was fighting my way through the throng at the entrance to hear a great singer whose voice had begun to thrill the world. At last, amid a hush of intense silence, she came before the footlights, saw and conquered. The crowd went mad with enthusiasm. I lifted my hat and waved it on high until she saw. A beautiful smile lighted her face, and straight over the heads of the people she blew me a kiss."

The thinnest frown clouded the girl's brow.

"Who was she, Jim?"

"One who shall yet sing before kings and princes. I call her 'Sunshine.' Her name is Harriet Woodman."

"But, Jim, suppose I'm not ambitious? Suppose I'm just a silly little homebody, who only wishes to be loved? How did you think a girl must be to really and deeply and truly love, Jim?"

Stuart's brow contracted, and he took her hand in his, stroked it tenderly and studied the beautiful lines as they melted from the firmly shaped wrist into the rounded arm and gracefully molded body.

"I'm afraid you've asked a bigger question than I can answer, dear," he said, with serious accent. "I've been wondering lately whether the world hasn't lost the secret of happy mating and marrying. A more beautiful even life I have never seen than the one in the home of my childhood. Yet my mother was only fourteen and my father twenty-one when they were married. Now folks only allow themselves to marry in cold blood, calculating with accuracy their bank accounts. My mother had been married six months at your age, and yet here I sit on a pedestal and have the impudence to talk to you as a child!"

"But you're not impudent, Jim," she broke in eagerly. "and I understand."

"I'm beginning to wonder," Stuart continued, "whether nature made a mistake when she made woman as she is. I once knew a girl of fifteen to whom I believe life was the deepest tragedy or the highest joy of which her heart will ever be capable. Else why did the blood come and go so quickly in her cheeks?"

A sudden flush mantled Harriet's face, and she turned away that he might not see. Stuart's head bent low and rested between his hands.

"I loved such a little girl once, dear."

Harriet's face suddenly flushed with joy. It was too wonderful to be true, but it was true! And he had chosen this curious way to tell her. Her voice sank to the softest whisper as she bent closer:

"And you love her still, Jim?"

His head drooped lower as he sighed: "I loved and lost her, little pal! She was married two days ago. She came to the great city, learned its ways and sold herself for gold."

The color had slowly returned to the little freckled face with its crown of golden hair, and the deep brown eyes overflowed with tears for just a moment. She brushed them away before he raised his head, so that he never knew.

"I'm so sorry, Jim," she said simply "I understand now."

"It's very sweet to have you share this ugly secret of my life, little pal! It will help me."

"And you are sorry you ever knew her, Jim?"

"No, I'm not sorry. I've grown to see that there's just one thing in the world that's really big—big as God is big—the man who has attained a character. I haven't lived at all yet. I'm just beginning to see what it means to live. Until now I've thought only of myself. Now—I'm going to live for other. From today I shall ask nothing for myself, and I can never be disappointed again."

Harriet looked up quickly.

"Would it please you, Jim, if I should make a great singer?"

"More than I can tell you, dear. Your voice is a divine gift. I envy you its power."

Her eyes were shining with a great purpose.

"I know that it means years and years of patient work, but I'll do it," she cried.

When the last echo of his footsteps in the hall above died away and his door had closed the little golden head bowed low in a passionate tender prayer:

"God help me to keep my secret and yet to love and help him always!"

CHAPTER VII.

An Old Perfume.

FOR nine years Stuart had refused to see or speak to Nan. He met Bivens as a matter of course, but always downtown during business hours or at one of his clubs. For the first year Nan had resented his attitude in angry pride and remained silent. And then, she began to do a curious thing which had grown to be a part of his inmost life. For the past eight years she had written a brief daily diary recording her doings, thoughts and memories which she mailed to him every Sunday night. She asked no reply and he gave none. No names appeared in its story and no name was signed to the dainty sheets of paper which always bore the perfume of wild strawberries. But the man who read them in silence knew and understood.

The letter from her he held today was not an unsigned sheet of her diary. It was a direct, personal appeal, tender and beautiful in its sincerity. She begged him to forget the past because she needed his friendship and advice, and asked that he come to see her at once.

This letter was his first temptation to break the resolution by which he had lived for years.

He rose and went to the room with a fury he began to realize how desperate was his desire to go.

"Have I fought all these years for nothing?" he cried.

The thing that drew him with all but resistless power was the deeper meaning between the lines. He knew that each day the incompleteness of her life had been borne in upon her with crushing force. And yet he felt, by an instinct deeper than reason, that the day he returned from his exile and touched her hand would mark the beginning of a tragedy for both.

In the past nine years he had thrown his life away only to find it in greater power. The first year which he had given of unselfish devotion to the service of the people had been a failure, but at the end of four years he was nominated for district attorney and was swept into office by a large majority. The enforcement of justice ceased to be a joke and became a living faith.

His work had stirred the state to a nobler and cleaner civic life. During the past year he had become one of the foremost figures in American Democracy—the best loved and the most hated and feared man in public life in New York. He asked no favors; he sought no preferment.

The work on which he had just entered was an investigation before an unusually intelligent grand jury of the criminal acts of a group of the most daring and powerful financiers of the world. When he realized the magnitude of the task he had undertaken he at once put his house in order for the supreme effort. It was necessary that he give up every outside interest that might distract his attention from the greater task.

The one matter of grave importance to which he was giving his time outside his office was his position as advisory counsel to Dr. Woodman in his suit for damages against the chemical trust, which had been dragging its course through the courts for years. To his amazement he had just received an offer from Bivens' attorneys to compromise this suit for \$100,000. He would of course advise the doctor to accept it immediately. He had never believed he could win a penny.

What could be Bivens' motive in making such an offer? It was impossible that the shrewd little president of the American Chemical company had anything to fear personally from this attack. His fortune now could not be less than \$400,000,000, and the issue of such a suit as the one Woodman had brought and on which he had spent so much of his time and money was to Bivens a mere bagatelle.

It might be Nan—it must be! Her letter surely made the explanation reasonable. She knew this suit was an obstacle in the way of their meeting.

During the past winter she had become the sensation of the metropolis. Her wealth, her beauty, her palaces and her entertainments had made her the subject of endless comment. She had set a pace for extravagance which made the old leaders stand against. Her worldly wise mother had been dead for the past five years.

He was waiting the arrival of Wood-

man for a conference over Bivens' offer of compromise, and he dreaded the ordeal.

"So the little weasel has offered to compromise my suit for half the sum we named, eh?" the doctor asked in triumph.

"I assure you that if the case comes to its final test you are certain to lose."

"So you have said again and again. My boy," was the good natured reply, "but his sudden terror and this offer show that we have won already, and he knows it. Bivens has seen the handwriting on the wall. When the American people are once aroused their wrath will sweep the trusts into the bottomless pit."

"Bivens isn't worrying about the people or their wrath."

"Then it's time he began!" the doctor cried. "Mark my word, the day of the common people has dawned. This mud-sill of the world has learned to read and write and begun to think. He will never be content again until he turns the world upside down."

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"But you must consider this offer. You have too much at stake. Your factory has been closed for five years. Your store has been sold, your business ruined, and you are fighting to pay the interest on your debts. I've seen you growing poorer daily until you have turned your home into a lodging house and filled it with strangers."

"I've enjoyed knowing them. My sympathies have been made larger."

"But is this battle yours alone, doctor? You are but one among millions. You are trying to bear the burden of all. Have you counted the cost? Harriet's course in music will continue two years longer. The last year she must spend abroad. Her expenses will be great. This settlement is a generous one, no matter what Bivens' motive."

"I can't compromise with a man who has crushed my business by a conspiracy of organized blackmail."

"Oh, come, come, doctor, talk common sense! You were not ruined by blackmail. You were crushed by a law of process as resistless as the law of gravity."

"If the law of gravity is unjust it will be abolished. I can't compromise



"The last tribunal will give you nothing."

with Bivens. I refuse his generosity. I'll take only what the last tribunal of the people shall give me—justice."

"The last tribunal of the people will give you nothing," the lawyer said emphatically.

"I'll stand or fall with it. I make common cause with the people. I know that Bivens is a power now. He chooses judges, defies the law, bribes legislatures and city councils and imagines that he rules the nation. But the Napoleons of finance today will be wearing stripes in Sing Sing tomorrow. A despotism of money cannot be fastened on the people of America. Only a few years ago a great millionaire who lived in a palace on Fifth avenue boldly said to a newspaper reporter, 'The public be damned! Times have changed. The millionaires have begun to buy the newspapers and beg for public favor. We are walking on the crust of a volcano of public wrath. I am content to live and fight for the right, win or lose, and play my little part in this mighty drama.'"

"I had hoped you were tired of fighting a losing battle."

"I'll fight this battle to a finish and I'll win. If God lives I'll win—I'm so sure of it, my boy."

The doctor paused and his eyes flashed.

"I'm so sure of it that I'm not only going to refuse this bribe from Bivens, but my answer will be a harder blow. I'm going to begin another bigger and more important suit for the dissolution of the American chemical trust."

Stuart slipped his arm around the older man with a movement of instinctive tenderness.

"Look here, doctor, I've lived in your home for fourteen years and I've grown to love you as my own father. You must listen to me now. I can give no time to your suit. I am just entering on a great struggle for the people. Tremendous issues are at stake."

"You'll go down a wreck if you fail."

"Perhaps, but it's my duty."

"Good boy!" the older man cried, seizing Stuart's hand. "You can't fall. That's why I'm going to risk all in my fight."

"But the cases are not the same."

"No, I'm old and played out—my life's sands are nearly run, I haven't much to risk—but such as I have I offer it freely to God and my country. I envy you the opportunity to make a greater sacrifice—and you advise me to compromise for a paltry sum of money a righteous cause merely to save my own skin. I'm proud of you—proud that you live in my house, proud that I've known and loved you, and tried to teach you the joy and the foolishness of throwing your life away."

With a wave of his hand the stalwart figure of the old man passed out and left him brooding in sorrowful silence.

He seized his pen at last, set his face like flint and resolutely wrote his answer:

Dear Nan—Your letter is very kind. I'll be honest and tell you that it has stirred memories I've tried to kill and cast. I hate to say so, but I must. Sincerely, JIM.

On the night following Stuart worked late in his office developing his great case. He was disappointed in the final showing of the evidence to be presented to the grand jury. His facts were not as strong as he expected to make them.

At 10 o'clock he quit work and hurried home to refresh his tired spirit with Harriet's music. As he hurried up the steps he nearly collided with a handsome young fellow just emerging from the door. He was dressed well, and he had evidently been calling on some one—perhaps on Harriet!

Stuart let himself in softly and started at the sight of Harriet's smiling face in the parlor doorway. His worst fears were confirmed. She was dressed in a dainty evening gown and had evidently enjoyed her visitor.

Stuart pretended not to notice the fact and asked her to play. As he sat dressing and watching the rhythmic movement of her delicate hands he began to realize at last that his little pal, stub nosed, red haired and freckled, had silently and mysteriously grown into a charming woman. She was twenty-four now, in the pride and glory of perfect young womanhood, and yet she had no lovers. He wondered why. Her music, of course, it had been the one absorbing passion of life. And her eyes had always sparkled with deep joy at his slightest word of praise. For the first time it had occurred to him as an immediate possibility that she might marry and their lives drift apart.

A sweet comradeship had grown between them. He recalled the idea of a break in their relations. Yet why should he? What rights had he over her life? Absolutely none, of course. Who was that fellow? Whose had he met him before?

He rose with a sudden frown. She was late—the very late—the last drawing rooming lady who danced with her so many times that night ten years ago at her birthday party. She said he was too frail; that her prizes must be strong. Well, confirmed him, he had not strong.

Stuart said, with a studied indifference:

"Tell me, little pal, who was that tall fellow I ran into on the steps?"

"Why don't you remember my frequent admirer of long ago?"

"He was your uncle, wasn't he?"

"Who? I was very very young. I thought I did. It makes me much wiser. It's wonderful how much we can outgrow, isn't it?"

"I just don't like him, and I don't want you to like him. You see, little pal, I'm your guardian."

"Are you?"

"Yes. And I'm giving you due legal notice that you have no right to marry without my consent. You promise to make me your confidant?"

A soft blush fell on her cheeks and her eyes opened for the first time.

"All right, guardian. I confer with you on that occasion."

(Continued next Week)

DOGS AS SENTRIES

INVALUABLE IN WAR: COULD SCENT ENEMY

LONDON, Nov. 30.—Major Richardson has received an interesting report concerning the behavior of a sentry dog which he presented to the Norfolk regiment at Aldershot.

The dog is an Airedale terrier and the writer, who three times used him on outpost duties at night, reports:

"Each time I found the presence of the dog to be of the greatest value. He either remained beside the sentry or went with a patrol. His value consists in the fact that he can and does detect the approach of human beings some considerable time before the eye of the average man can distinguish anything. The result is that the sentry or patrol is fully on the alert and it is impossible for them to be either ambushed or 'rushed.'"

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HOW SAN FRANCISCO

WOULD CHECK BILLBOARDS

Three Ordinances Regulating Sizes, Charges and Locations

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 1.—The billboard problem will be submitted to the supervisors at tomorrow's meeting, according to the public welfare committee and Assistant City Attorney George Lull, who has been framing the new ordinance.

There are three measures, the billboard ordinance proper, prescribing regulations as to height, construction and maintenance, and all conditions except revenue.

The second provides for a charge of half a cent a square foot per annum for all billboards wherever maintained and for the "sky-signs" (transparencies and electric framework on roofs of buildings).

The third is already in force, relating to "sky signs." It will be re-modeled so the license charge may properly apply to it.

All the officials were in full accord as to proposed legislation. The two new bills will go to the board for passage to print with the united support of the committee and the City Attorney's office.

Under the ordinance as finally approved no board may be maintained which is more than ten feet high, except under a special revocable permit, granted by the supervisors on a written application, and only after full investigation of all the conditions and reasons for such special privilege.

Beneath the lower edge of every board there must be a clear space of from eighteen inches to three feet. All boards must be erected on straight lines, no "freaks" being allowed. All are to stand parallel to the nearest street.

Boards within the fire limits must be of fireproof material. Strict regulations as to the proper bracing of the boards are provided. No paper, cloth or other material is to be allowed to hang loose. All posting of small signs on curbs, lamp posts, watering troughs or other available surfaces is forbidden, except such as is done on behalf of the city in the displaying of official notices. No paint, paste, glue, waste paper or other refuse shall be scattered on the streets.

No billboards may be erected without a building permit. The name of the person, firm or company maintaining a board shall be prominently displayed. Such names must appear on wagons, and metal boxes must be worn by employees of billboard firms while at work.

Billboards already in existence must be made to conform to these regulations by July, 1913, under penalty of being condemned as public nuisances. Any person violating any of the provisions of the ordinance is to be held guilty of a misdemeanor, and subject to a fine not exceeding \$500, imprisonment for not over six months, or both.

'STARVE THE FLY' IS BETTER SLOGAN THAN 'SWAT THE FLY'

BALTIMORE, Nov. 21.—In representing the report of the fly-fighting committee of the American Civic Association, Chairman Edward Hatch, Jr., expressed the hope that there may be no more fly-killing contests.

Mr. Hatch said:

"We cannot insist too much or too often upon cleanliness as the beginning, middle and end of the fly-fighting campaign. 'Swat the fly' as a slogan must give way to 'Starve the fly.' The latter is more euphonious."

Mr. Hatch said the committee was able to report the most successful year's work since the inauguration of the popular movement looking to the extermination of the house fly.

While the value of fly-killing campaigns cannot be overestimated, the report says, greater results might be obtained by conducting campaigns against dirty stables and back yards, garbage heaps and dumps.

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