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NAVAL POLICY CREATES A HUBBUB

Secretary Meyer's Announcement
of Naval Changes Stirs
Officialdom.

DETAILS OF NEW PROGRAM

Board of Construction Abolished
—Methods of Handling Business Altered.

By Ernest G. Walker.

(Mail Special to The Advertiser.)

WASHINGTON, November 28.—The new scheme for the administration of the Navy goes into effect this week and accordingly there is a great hubbub in the department. Secretary Meyer has promulgated regulations modifying the government of navy yards and materially changing methods of handling business in his office and in the office of the bureaus.

And while the machinery of the Navy is being rapidly adjusted to the new order of things, the tongues of thousands of naval officers are wagging and congressmen are taking note. There are always diverse opinions about any changes in the Navy and this promises to be no exception.

The essential features of the consolidation of shops in navy yards, which Truman H. Newberry, while secretary, brought about are retained. On the whole Mr. Newberry's plan has worked successfully, but in many particulars it was experimental. "The new plan," says Secretary Meyer in commenting upon Mr. Newberry's work, "starts with the idea that the consolidation of related trades in a group is correct in principle. The rest is a matter of detail."

New Plans Goes Farther.

Mr. Newberry established a single manufacturing department at each of the navy yards. While that may not sound to the average man as a very important proposition, it is, because the manufacturing and repairing for the Navy costs many millions of dollars annually. Now Secretary Meyer goes a little farther. He divides the manufacturing establishment at each of the navy yards into two divisions—a hull division and a machinery division. Secretary Meyer put a naval constructor in charge of each manufacturing yard. Secretary Meyer will retain a naval constructor in charge of the hull division and will put a line officer of engineer experience in charge of each machinery division. This is in accord with the almost universal practice in the private shipbuilding establishments in this country and in the naval dockyards of England and Germany. The consolidation of manufacturing features aimed at in the plan of Secretary Newberry is not sacrificed; the change merely lies in grouping shops for purposes of control in such a manner as to obtain the best expert knowledge of their direction.

Better Business Methods.

The eight bureaus of the navy department will have no representatives at the navy yards except the commandant. The engineer officer, who is the manager of the machinery division, and the naval constructor, who is the manager of the hull division, are the agents of the commandant in carrying out manufacturing work and repair work of the bureaus. The inspection officers, who will be stationed at each yard, are to examine and pass upon the character of the work and the accounting officer, proceeding under the new accounting system recently installed at the Boston yard and soon to be installed in other yards, will determine the cost. The accounting system is entirely independent of the manufacturing departments. Secretary Meyer believes his new plan, "with little change from the existing Newberry system, will produce better business methods, a more effective consolidation of trades and shops, an effective inspection system, and an efficient accounting system."

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OUTBOUND VESSELS
HAVE GOOD WEATHER

Wireless Operator Maddams of the Kahuku station last night picked two messages out of the ether from vessels that sailed from Honolulu last week. One message was from the Tenyo Maru and stated that she was then 542 miles from Honolulu and enjoying fine weather. The other message came from the Makura, stating that she was 452 miles out. She was getting light southerly winds and fine weather.

A steam collier, name unknown, is reported by Purser Logan of the Kinau to have arrived at Eleele on December 11.

M'DUFFIE TAKES CHARGE TODAY

New Head of Detective Bureau
Has Been Familiarizing Him-
self With Situation.

Chief of Detectives Arthur McDuffie assumes charge of the detective bureau of the police department today. Since his acceptance of the position offered by Sheriff Jarrett, the new chief has taken a look around town and sized up the situation. On taking charge today he will be in possession of a pretty good knowledge of certain matters which naturally come under his supervision. Having been a member of the detective bureau before, his experience will be of value to him again. Chief McDuffie goes into office with the hope that his administration of the affairs of the detective bureau will have only the very best results and be a credit to himself and his superiors.

Chief McDuffie is a big man physically, the biggest man who has ever had charge of the office, save Kalakela, but he combines a big and heavy frame with active muscles. Since leaving the department a few years ago, Chief McDuffie achieved considerable prominence during the recent strike of Japanese laborers, when he was employed by the planters' association to take charge of the strikebreakers. His work in this direction was altogether satisfactory to the association and to the strikebreakers, also, and when he retired to become a dredger engineer at Pearl Harbor, he left with the regrets of all his associates.

While there may be some changes in the detective bureau, it is understood they will be few in number.

WELANI DIES AT HOSPITAL

Plucky Hawaiian Who Amputated
Own Shattered Hand Suc-
cumbs to Wounds.

Welani, the aged Hawaiian who had the misfortune to have his right hand blown off, his left hand shattered and his face badly torn by the explosion of a stick of giant powder at Brown's Landing, near Ewa, a week ago, died last Thursday night at the Queen's Hospital, death being due directly to heart failure, but primarily caused by his terrible wounds. A coroner's jury sat on the case yesterday and returned a verdict of death by accident.

From the testimony given, it was shown that Welani, with three Japanese from Ewa, had been out fishing. With one charge of powder they had killed nine fish. A little later Welani lighted the fuse to a second stick, just as an argument came up about using a charge at the location they happened to be in. Welani started to argue with the Japanese, all the while holding the stick with its lighted fuse. Just as he determined to throw it, the stick went off and blew his right hand to tatters. He had forgotten that the fuse was lighted, and, according to the testimony of witnesses, was surprised when he turned to look at the stick in his hand to find the fuse burning. At that instant the powder exploded. The Japanese immediately became scared of the consequences and fled, leaving Welani to look after himself. The old man first of all self-amputated the remnants of his hand and wrist and then bound the stump in a cloth. For nearly a whole day he remained in his little house near the beach, until friends came, and they immediately started him to the railroad station and placed him aboard a train for town. He arrived here late in the day and was taken to the hospital. The old man displayed a wonderful lot of courage.

TELEPHONE POLE USED AS LOVER'S LETTER BOX

A telephone pole is a very good support for a wire through which sentimentality may be talked by the hour, if central doesn't object, but a crack in a telephone pole is certainly a very unusual letter-box where lovers may carry on a clandestine correspondence. But a young man yesterday afternoon found a tiny little envelope stuffed into a crack in a pole. It contained a missive from a love-lorn man to a young lady, apparently of Chinese-Hawaiian parentage, and although the young lady was upbraided for apparent coldness toward the writer, yet he was very tender in his expressions of love for her. The writer is apparently a part-Hawaiian, the phraseology indicating that he has not altogether mastered the various parts of the verb. (Continued on Page Eight.)

ARMY AUTOS NOT TAXED

Machines Used for Official Business
Are Exempt From
License Fee.

Army officers using automobiles in Oahu county or any other county of the Territory may hereafter be exempt from taking out a license to operate on any street or road in the Territory. There are a number of autos in use by army and navy officers in the Territory and most of them are employed largely on official business. Take, for instance, the machine operated by and on behalf of Major Winslow of the Engineer Corps. That machine has played an important part in the progress of the military works of Fort Ruger, Fort De Russy and the battery at Pearl Harbor. It is used almost exclusively for official business and has been used so much that the major wants the government to chip in and buy him a more modern machine.

The government in arriving at the decision that army autos are exempt from taxes, says they must not be driven in excess of any speed regulation. Major Winslow's old machine can never be accused of "burning up the road." At Fort Ruger there are at least two autos, and as the post is so far away from town, it is necessary that they be used in considerable official business and they may therefore be exempt. There are several autos at Schofield Barracks, two at the naval station and at least one assigned to Camp Verry. The Army and Navy Reg- (Continued on Page 8.)

MAN'S WEAKNESS AND GREATNESS

Picturesque Similes Are Used to
Draw Most Striking
Contrast.

A MORE PRACTICAL MINISTRY

Dr. Scudder Speaks on Inspira-
tion of Bible—Christ's
Second Coming.

Dr. J. W. Wadman preached a stirring sermon last night at the Methodist church on the "Greatness and Weakness of Man." The contrast of the two attributes was strikingly brought out, and the similes which he used to draw attention to the contrast were picturesque, yet convincing. He said in part:

"Man is the epitome of the universe. He possesses in his nature the two widest and most divergent extremes, rendering him the strangest as well as the weakest, the wisest as well as the most foolish of all creatures which God has made. Let us then look at the pic- (Continued on Page Two.)

CLAUDIUS M'BRIDE WAS TOO MUCH FOR TRICKY JAPANESE OF GARDEN ISLAND

When it gets down to first principles, it takes more than a Garden Island Japanese to get away with the private secretary of the Governor of Hawaii, especially when that same secretary is also acting as a deputy for the territorial secretary. Just how true this was was illustrated last Thursday, when Claudius McBride arrested his man on a charge of perjury, swore out the complaint against him, escorted him as a deputy-deputy sheriff before a judge, conducted the prosecution, appeared as prosecuting witness and cross-examined himself, advised the magistrate, made out the commitment papers and set the bail. As representative of both the Governor and Acting-Governor, he was about to issue a pardon, but reconsidered in time to give the Kauai grand jury a chance.

McBride and Stenographer Deas have been touring Kauai for the purpose of hearing testimony in applications from Japanese for certificates of Hawaiian birth. In the course of their journey they arrived at Hanalei, and here is where the pikika came. Isami Shimazu, who first saw the light of day among the hills that Otto Wix has made famous, was certified and sworn to by Kanjiro Tatekawa, who fishes for a livelihood. Kanjiro went before J. H. Brodie, notary public, and solemnly swore that he had been introduced to Isami when that young gentleman was three days old, haole style. His affidavit was there in English for McBride to see, and his signature was at the foot in Japanese for McBride to guess at.

With all due solemnity and with the

PEEPING TOMS ARE CAPTURED

The Police Nab Two Young Men
Engaged in Nefarious
Business.

"Peeping Toms" are faring ill of late; two young men have been arrested for prying into other people's private business. On Saturday night J. T. Strauss of Fort Shafter was arrested while in the act of peeping into the room of a woman lodger at the Winston block. The police were informed over the phone by Mr. Winston that a young man was acting queerly, and a police officer caught him engaged in looking through a crack in the wall.

On Thursday night W. Scott Wright, who resides at a boarding-house on upper Fort street, was engaged in taking a warm bath in the tub of the general bathroom, when he saw a face at the window. Wright left the room, and, wrapping a towel about him, started for the prowler. The latter ran away, but Wright caught him and turned him over to the police. The young man, whose name is A. C. Medeiros, said he was looking for a doctor, but the police were still from Missouri.

From information given to the police, Medeiros, who is employed at a Bishop-street office, had bragged about opportunities he had for peeping into the apartments of some young women visiting here, and who rent a cottage in the boarding-house grounds. He was caught red-handed, and the police hope that the time he was caught was his first offense.

ARREST TWO FOR SELLING LIQUOR

Drake and Breckons Make Raid
and Capture Japanese Who
Had No License.

Collector of Internal Revenue Walter F. Drake and United States District Attorney R. W. Breckons, accompanied by deputies, went over to the other side of the island last Saturday and returned with two prisoners, both Japanese, who were arrested on the charge of selling liquor without a Federal license.

The two men arrested were Sakai and Yamamoto. They will appear before United States Commissioner George A. Davis at ten o'clock this morning, and if the evidence appears sufficient, as the internal revenue people are sure it will, they will be bound over to the federal grand jury.

The arresting party found a large quantity of liquor at the homes of the two Japanese, and this was confiscated and brought to town. It will be used as evidence against the prisoners.

Collector Drake is determined to put the illicit liquor sellers and moonshiners out of business, and his efforts in that direction are meeting with much success. Last week Deputy Collector J. Walter Doyle brought back from Maui a Japanese accused of making okolehao.

ESTRADA SURE OF VICTORY

Leader of Revolutionary Force
in Nicaragua Thinks He
Can Whip Zelaya.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, December 13.—General Estrada, head of the revolutionary forces in Nicaragua, has cabled to a representative here that he is certain of victory in the coming battle with the forces of President Zelaya. Future steps of the revolutionists are delayed, pending the approval of the United States. Enrique C. Creel has arrived from Mexico City as the envoy from Mexico in regard to the Central American situation. He will confer with Secretary Knox tomorrow over the conditions in Nicaragua. The United States and Mexico have for some time been considering taking joint action to bring order out of the chaos that exists in the South American war-torn republic, and the conference between Secretary Knox and Envoy Creel may result in a decision as to the course of action to be pursued by the two countries.

TRANSPORT AT COLON.

(By Associated Press.)

COLON, December 13.—The transport Dixie has arrived here, and the 500 marines destined for Panama have already been disembarked.

SAMPAN LOSES MAN OVERBOARD

Fell From Boat and Could Not
Be Found, Though the Crew
Searched for Him.

Half way between Oahu and Kauai, shortly before midnight on Saturday, Oshima, a member of the crew of the gasoline fishing sampan Waka Bisu Maru, No. 202, was lost overboard. Although the sampan circled about the vicinity all night, no trace of the missing man was found, and the sampan returned to Honolulu last night.

The sampan left Honolulu on Saturday morning, with her compartments packed with ice and supplies aboard for a long outing. The boat sped along easily until late in the evening, when heavy swells were encountered. Oshima was walking from the after end of the boat toward the engine-house, when the sampan veered, and, losing his balance, he fell overboard. The other members of the crew brought the boat about quickly, but they heard no sound from him. They yelled and called his name, but got no response.

The captain of the sampan called at the police station yesterday and made a report of the tragedy.

NICARAGUA OLD TROUBLE GROUND

The Present Situation in Central
America Recalls William
Walker's Adventures.

The present strained relations between this country and Nicaragua, because of the execution of two Americans, recall the time, a little more than half a century ago, when other Americans, on their own warrant, were taking a hand in the affairs of that turbulent republic, never for a long time together at peace with herself. In the early fifties, William Walker's name was unpleasantly familiar to both sides of our southern border. He was a finely educated young man, a graduate of a southern university, afterward a lawyer, and later a doctor of medicine and a journalist; but all these callings failed to satisfy his adventurous spirit and unscrupulous ambition. He was a "glory-seeker" of a time when filibustering was not uncommon.

His first invasion was of the Mexican State of Sonora, where he was captured, and, with a clemency not easy to understand, was sent back to the United States, tried for violation of the neutrality laws and acquitted. His widest swath, however, was cut in Nicaragua, then, as usual, in a state of civil war. He succeeded in capturing Granada, and by an arrangement with General Corral, president of the republic, he was appointed secretary of war and commander-in-chief. Afterward quarrelling with his benefactor, he had him tried for conspiracy and shot. Being in complete control, he was pro- (Continued on Page Four.)

KING LEOPOLD IS NEAR TO DEATH

Aged Ruler of Belgium Has Had
a Relapse and Recovery
Is Doubtful.

MONARCH IS 74 YEARS OLD

Sacraments for the Dying Will
Be Administered
Tomorrow.

(By Associated Press.)

BRUSSELS, December 13.—King Leopold, who has been sick but who was thought to be improving, has had a serious relapse and grave fears are entertained that he will not be able to recover. His condition is regarded as so hopeless that the sacraments for the dying will be administered tomorrow.

King Leopold is about seventy-four years old and has been ruling Belgium for forty-four years. He ascended the throne about the time of the close of our Civil War, and has held his own through all the changes in the governments of other countries of Europe. Leopold II. is the second king that Belgium ever had, succeeding his father, Leopold I., who reigned from 1835 to 1865.

Leopold II., aside from his income of \$700,000 a year allowed by the Belgian government, is one of the richest monarchs in Europe. Though he lives simply, it is said that he has squandered immense amounts in speculation, and has also made large amounts. His connection with the Congo outrages, for which the responsibility has been laid on his shoulders as the actual head of the Belgian Congo, has placed him of late years in a very poor light in the eyes of the world.

Leopold has no son to succeed him, his three children all being daughters. Under the constitution the succession can only go in the male line, and should the king die, the crown would have to go to another branch of the family.

SITUATION PEACEFUL
NOW AT NICARAGUA

(By Associated Press.)

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, December 13.—The situation here at present is peaceful on the surface and there are no military preparations being made. The revolutionists, however, are, as usual, busy intriguing in the cafes.

TWENTY-SIX EXECUTED
FOR MOSLEM MASSACRES

(By Associated Press.)

CONSTANTINOPLE, December 13.—Twenty-six Moslems have been executed here. They were convicted of having been concerned in the bloody massacres of last April in which hundreds of people were killed.

BIG LOSS FROM FIRE.

(By Associated Press.)

RACINE, Wisconsin, December 13.—A big manufacturing plant was destroyed in a fire here yesterday. The loss is estimated at \$650,000.

NINE FROZEN BODIES
FOUND IN LAKE BOAT

Twenty-Three Others Missing
and Are Believed to Have
Been Lost.

(By Associated Press.)

ERIE, Pa., Dec. 13.—A yawl containing nine frozen bodies of passengers from the car ferry has been found. There are twenty-three others still missing, and no hope is entertained that they will be found alive. It is believed that the ferry has foundered in the great storm that is raging over Lake Erie. Fifty-nine other lives have already been reported lost and several steamers have been wrecked by the violence of the storm.

POLICE NAB TWENTY
FAN-TAN PLAYERS

Deputy Sheriff Charles Rose and a force of police made a flying trip over to Kalaala, among the rice fields, yesterday afternoon, and late last night they returned with a bag of twenty Chinese wagers of the goddess Fortune, who were nabbed in the act of playing fan-tan.

Every pake in the building where the game was in progress was caught, although the officers had an exciting tussle with some of them to prevent their escape.

TWO AMERICANS WERE OFFICERS

Cannon and Groce, Executed in
Nicaragua. Held Com-
missions.

BOSTON, November 28.—Groce and Cannon, the two Americans executed by order of President Zelaya of Nicaragua, last week, held commissions in the insurgent army, according to advices received here from Bluefields, where the revolutionists' government is located. The dispatch stated that the state department of the United States had been notified to this effect. The state department has been anxious to clear up the point whether the two men had commissions or were merely acting in their individual capacities, for in the former event they would have been entitled to treatment as prisoners of war. This information came to Salvador Castriello, the representative of the revolutionists here. The cablegram follows:

"Groce, ex-superintendent of La Luz and Los Angeles Mining Company, and Cannon, a most esteemed person, were serving as volunteers with the rank of colonels in the revolutionary army, and consequently did not deserve the penalty of death, among other powerful reasons because they were not military personages in the actual service of Zelaya. A similar crime of Zelaya has never been witnessed in the history of Central America."

The cablegram was signed by Estrada, the provisional president of Nicaragua. Another cablegram declares that the Estrada party in Nicaragua is growing every day, and that it is becoming more and more a working organization. The message expresses the greatest confidence in the success of the revolutionary movement.

Senor Castriello also received word of the landing of munitions of war by the Norwegian steamer Utstein. He declared that this was only the first of a number of shipments already planned by the revolutionists, and that within the next two or three days a much larger quantity of arms and ammunition would be landed.

Nothing could be learned from the officials of the state department as to the action to be taken over the clearing of the Utstein from New Orleans with its contraband cargo. The fact that no reply was made to the authorities at New Orleans, however, when they strove to get instructions and that the vessel was allowed to sail is accepted as evidence that this government is not inclined to be too severe in dealing with the insurgents' plans.

MAN'S WEAKNESS AND GREATNESS

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ture for a few moments—man in his greatness; man in his weakness.

"Firstly, man is great in his physical organization. How wonderfully and fearfully made! Put your finger upon the pulse which beats in your wrist. Think of it as being so many times more delicate than the hairspring of your watch, and yet recall the regularity of its day-in and day-out activity. How frequently one is impressed with the wonderful operation of the human heart as in its continual throbbing motion it pumps the vital fluid out of one set of blood vessels and forces it into another and so maintains a system of circulation upon which one's life every moment depends.

"If, with a needle, you gently prick the sole of your foot or the end of your little finger, quicker than a flash of lightning will the sensation pass along the nerves of the body and affect the brain. Have you ever yet been able to detect any time elapsing between prick of the needle and the painful sensation produced? More wonderful than the telegraph and cable wires which now bind the nations and continents together as one are the nerves of the human body, whose seat and center are in the brain.

"Secondly, man is great in his intellectual nature. He thinks. There is no question greater than the problem, how does a man think? Of what are you thinking now? Stop thinking, can you? Behold the grandeur of human thought! To what heights it will soar and mysteries it will solve! See man as he stands before his canvas or carves his piece of marble or controls the elements of nature—building his bridges, tunneling the mountains, sailing the seas, flying the air, remodeling the face of the earth!

"Thirdly, man is great in his spiritual nature. Upon his shoulders there has fallen the robe of a never-ending existence. 'There shine in all our earthly dress, bright shoots of everlastingness.' His soul never dies. He can not sell it, nor quench it, nor lose it. Is there aught in earth or sea or sky to be compared to its value? What will a man give in exchange for his soul?

"Well might we, then, take up the old refrain: What a piece of work is man! How noble in reason! How infinite in faculty! In form and movement, how express and admirable! In action, how like an angel! In apprehension, how like a god! The beauty of the world, the paragon of animals, the masterpiece of creation!

"There ought not to be on man's part any hesitation in expecting or any doubt in accepting a Divine Revelation. It would have been a far greater surprise had no Bible been given us containing the revealed Law and the blessed Gospel. God is great. Man also is great. God is the creator; man is His creature. God is the Father; man is the child. God is love; man is love. God in Christ becomes man; man in Christ becomes divine."

The speaker then proceeded to treat the second part of his subject—man in his weakness—and closed with a

statement regarding the Divine provision, showing clearly how amply God has provided in His wonderful plan of Redemption for man's sin and his eternal salvation.

Methodist Church.

A large congregation was present at the First Methodist Episcopal church on Sunday morning. Three persons united with the church, making nearly forty new members that have been received since the present pastor, Rev. J. T. Jones, took charge of the church last January. The pastor preached Sunday morning on, "Heroic Self-sacrifice." He said, in part: "Among the epithets which were again and again repeated in the hearing of our Saviour, our text, 'He saved others; Himself He can not save,' was hurled at Him with wrath and indignation. Although spoken in derision and false in the sense in which it was uttered the text is a statement of a great principle—the principle of self-sacrifice for the benefit of others.

"Christ could not save Himself from the taunts and sneers of the cruel mob. While divine, Christ was preeminently a man with sensibilities like other men. Men generally are more or less sensitive to any intentional slight or unkindness, to any satirical or ironical expression, to any infamous insinuation or false accusation; so Christ keenly felt the insults and blasphemous utterances of his enemies. But he did not retaliate; he did not complain, but endured it all patiently, knowing that he was doing the will of the Father. He allowed nothing to interfere with the consummation of the plan for the redemption of the human family.

"Even so all Christian workers may expect more or less opposition, and will necessarily have to endure the scoffs and sneers of the wicked, the jealous, and the envious, if they accomplish anything of value in this world.

"Christ could not save Himself from mental anxiety and distress. The tragical scene in the Garden of Gethsemane when our Lord agonized in prayer, saying, 'Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass from me,' is an exhibition of the anxiety from which he was unable to save Himself.

"The teacher can not save herself from anxiety if she succeeds in training the mind and heart of her pupils. Likewise, all Christian workers, preachers, class leaders, Sunday school superintendents, etc., who try to save themselves from care and anxiety concerning their work will not make necessary preparation for it and will completely fail.

"Christ could not save Himself from physical suffering and death, and accomplish His mission. Christ doubtless could have saved Himself from the death of the cross. Nails could not have held Him had He willed to come down from the cross. But in order to accomplish His mission—to provide for the salvation of the world, He could not save Himself from the death of the cross."

A Practical Ministry.

At St. Andrew's cathedral yesterday morning Canon Simpson preached on the Ministry and made a strong plea for a more practical ministry. He said that men of action were needed in the ministry, not merely preachers and talkers.

He described a practical minister as an assistant to Christ and said that people should regard them as such and go to them for the assistance for the giving of which they were placed on earth by their master.

The Second Coming.

Rev. Mr. Kroll, of Lahaina, preached in the evening at St. Andrew's cathedral, on the second coming of Christ. He said that the Kingdom of God on earth, that is the Church, is probationary for our preparation for the fulfillment of the kingdom. At the last day he said that the question would be "What have you done towards this preparation and what have you done for the Church?"

Inspiration of the Bible.

Dr. Doremus Seudder preached yesterday morning at Central Union church on "The secret of the overflowing church," taking for his text Isaiah 62:12. In the evening he took up the fifth of young America's religious questions—"The Bible—magic or historic record?"

In replying to this question Doctor Seudder said that the idea that every word of the Bible was actually dictated by God had passed. That the writers of the Bible were not mere stenographers who took down what they were told.

He said that they were inspired in that they responded to the influence of the divine spirit. That they were inspired much in the same way as a musician, a painter or a poet is inspired but directly by the Holy Spirit.

Prison Service.

Rev. W. D. Westervelt and Frank Cooke had charge of the service at the Prison yesterday. The subject for the day was "Lessons from the potter's clay" with reference to character and how it must be moulded, like the clay, while it is yet pliable and has not become hardened by time.

Church Notes.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Christian church had charge of the service at Leahi Home yesterday.

The members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church will be the guests of Mrs. Alice Lytle at Mrs. Cassidy's place at Waikiki all day tomorrow.

At the Wednesday evening prayer meeting at the Methodist church Dr. J. W. Wadman will give an account of his recent trip back East.

The Young People's Union of the Christian church will meet tonight at half-past seven. The president requests a full attendance.

There was special music at the Central Union church yesterday morning, appropriate to the season. Spinnery's "How beautiful upon the mountains" was sung by the choir.

The theme at the Epworth League meeting yesterday morning was "The strength of humility." Mr. Arthur Robbins, the leader, emphasized the importance of learning the lesson of humility as that which will make life a joy and bring genuine success.

Dr. Carl Hertzell of Berlin has devised an instrument to be known as the ophthalmodiaphanoscope. It is for use in examining the fundus, or back of the eye. The claim is made that together with its accessories this instrument is far in advance of anything of its kind. It consists of an

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DAY	Month	Year	THERM.		WIND	Direction	Ave. Vel.
			Maximum	Minimum			
Dec	12	1909	76	66	SE	10	4
Nov	11	1909	75	65	SE	10	4
Oct	10	1909	74	64	SE	10	4
Sep	9	1909	73	63	SE	10	4
Aug	8	1909	72	62	SE	10	4
Jul	7	1909	71	61	SE	10	4
Jun	6	1909	70	60	SE	10	4
May	5	1909	69	59	SE	10	4
Apr	4	1909	68	58	SE	10	4
Mar	3	1909	67	57	SE	10	4
Feb	2	1909	66	56	SE	10	4
Jan	1	1909	65	55	SE	10	4

* 71.9. ** NE. and E.
Note.—Barometer readings are corrected for temperature, instrumental errors, and local gravity, and reduced to sea level. Average cloudiness stated in scale from 0 to 10. Direction of wind is prevailing direction during 24 hours ending at 8 p. m. Velocity of wind is average velocity in miles per hour.

WM. B. STOCKMAN,
Section Director.

LOCAL OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES WEATHER BUREAU.

Honolulu, Sunday, December 12, 1909.

Year	Month	Day	THERMO.		WIND	Direction	Ave. Velocity
			Max.	Min.			
1909	Dec	12	76	66	SE	10	4
1909	Dec	11	75	65	SE	10	4
1909	Dec	10	74	64	SE	10	4
1909	Dec	9	73	63	SE	10	4
1909	Dec	8	72	62	SE	10	4
1909	Dec	7	71	61	SE	10	4
1909	Dec	6	70	60	SE	10	4
1909	Dec	5	69	59	SE	10	4
1909	Dec	4	68	58	SE	10	4
1909	Dec	3	67	57	SE	10	4
1909	Dec	2	66	56	SE	10	4
1909	Dec	1	65	55	SE	10	4

WM. B. STOCKMAN,
Section Director.

TIDES, SUN AND MOON.

Days	High Tide		Low Tide		Sun Rises	Moon Rises
	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.		
Dec 13	4:13	2:11	8:55	9:12	11:46	8:15
Dec 14	4:49	2:11	8:51	9:12	11:46	8:15
Dec 15	5:29	2:11	8:45	9:10	11:46	8:15
Dec 16	6:11	2:00	8:35	9:10	11:46	8:15
Dec 17	6:52	1:48	8:24	9:07	11:46	8:15
Dec 18	7:32	1:36	8:12	9:03	11:46	8:15
Dec 19	8:10	1:24	8:00	8:59	11:46	8:15

First quarter of the moon, Dec. 19.
The tides at Kahului and Hilo occur about one hour earlier than at Honolulu.

Hawaiian standard time is 10 hours 30 minutes slower than Greenwich time, being that of the meridian of 157 degrees thirty minutes. The time whistle blows at 1:30 p. m., which is the same as Greenwich 0 hours 0 minutes. Sun and moon are for local time for the whole group.

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ENORMOUS CROWD WATCHES ELIMINATION WALKING RACE

Ten Walkers Qualify for Final Race—A Mean Trick Played on Kaoo Spoils Exciting Finish.

	Mins.	Secs.
1. Dick Sullivan.....	15	24
2. H. M. Ayres.....	16	09
3. Nigel Jackson.....	16	24
4. M. G. Jardine.....	16	24
5. L. O. Rosa.....	16	42
6. G. B. Henderson.....	17	27
7. Wilson Feagler.....	17	38
8. Geo. Kaanae.....	18	50
9. Sam Hop.....	19	00

The above is the list of those who qualified to enter the final race next Sunday. Antone Kaoo will also be allowed to walk as he quit through a mistake. All the above are requested to keep their numbers as they will wear the same numbers in the final race.

The largest crowd ever seen at a public athletic event thronged Kalakaua avenue yesterday afternoon to watch the elimination walking race. Hundreds of rigs and automobiles followed the walkers and the police had to work hard to stop the crowding and blocking of walkers by the vehicles.

Luckily enough it did not discommodate any of the walkers to any great extent, as everybody wanted to watch the duel between Dick Sullivan and Antone Kaoo and the walkers behind had a clear space to walk in but were forced to breathe the concentrated exhausts of numberless buzz wagons.

Why Kaoo Quit.

Antone Kaoo, the Waialua horse, who was making it mighty hard for Sullivan, was deceived into quitting by one of the nastiest and meanest tricks that was ever played. One Jack McFadden was the instigator and cause of the trick.

This McFadden was riding in an automobile close behind the leaders. When the race was three-quarters over he suddenly jumped from the machine and ran close to the two leaders, Sullivan and Kaoo, and shouted to Kaoo that the judges had disqualified him. The Hawaiian had no reason to suppose that McFadden was not sent by the judges and so stopped. The judges shouted to him that it was a mistake but Kaoo did not hear until too late and one of the most exciting and brilliant finishes ever seen here was spoiled by a mean trick.

The reason for McFadden's action everybody can guess. Luckily his object was frustrated by the judges who took prompt action in the matter. What made McFadden's statement plausible was that Kaoo had already been warned officially twice. But, at the time that the trick was played, Kaoo was walking perfectly straight heel and toe.

The judges decided after the race that Kaoo was qualified to walk in the final race next Sunday, as it was evident that he could easily have made

the distance within nineteen minutes had he not been interfered with.

A Close Finish.

Apart from that one unpleasant incident, the race was a huge success. The most exciting finish of the day was that between Nigel Jackson and M. G. Jardine. Jackson bent forward a trifle at the finish and just managed to push his head across the line in front of Jardine and so took first choice of third prize. As a matter of fact both men were breaking at the finish but they were so hemmed in by the crowd that the judges had no chance to see.

A Stricter Ruling.

Next Sunday in the final race the ruling will be more strict. Every competitor will be expected to wear short pants so that his knees are visible and the judges can tell whether they are locked after every step or not. Kaoo claims that he was walking straight heel and toe at the time he was warned, but that his long trousers made it appear as if his knees were bent all the time.

However that may be, there will be no chance for any argument in the final race as all knees will be bare and thus visible to the judges who can then tell at once whether a man is walking straight heel and toe.

A Perfect Style.

So far as style is concerned, Ayres, the veteran walker, had it on all of them. His style is perfection, and, as he always stands erect when walking, there is practically no possibility of his breaking into a run.

Sullivan has a good style, but he leans forward a trifle, and, while he did not break at any stage of the game yesterday, there is always a chance of his doing it unknowingly when he walks in that position.

Police Did Well.

Considering the enormous crowd that was out, the police did very nobly. The leaders were kept clear, and McFadden might have got something he did not like if he had not dodged from the machine and back again so quickly. His action was so entirely unforeseen that nobody knew what he was doing till it was all over.

Next Sunday, after the great showing that the Waialua horse made and the possibility of a terrific three-cornered finish between him, Ayres and Sullivan, there will probably be a much greater crowd. The judges talked the matter over yesterday after the race and decided to ask the sheriff to allow some of the patrolmen to take out fire ropes and thus keep the crowd back at the finish. Keeping the road clear will be a very difficult matter, as drivers of rigs and autos insist on getting on the course. But with only ten walkers in the race it will not require so large a space to be kept clear. It is hoped that Ayres will not be forced to do the amount of rig-dodging which he did yesterday in order to reach the finishing line.

The Choice of Prizes.

There were six prizes for this race, and, after it was all over, the first six competitors chose their prizes as follows: Dick Sullivan, Manufacturers' Shoe Company prize; H. M. Ayres, Dimond & Co.'s prize; Nigel Jackson, Honolulu Brewing and Malting Company's prize; M. G. Jardine, Fitzpatrick Bros.' prize; L. O. Rosa, Archie Robertson's prize, and G. B. Henderson, Dick Sullivan's prize.

Ayres Took No Chances.

With the exception of Sullivan and Kaoo, none of the walkers exerted himself to any great extent, except those who did not make it in the time, and so it is hard to say whether there were any real dark horses or not. Ayres

walked a steady gait all the way through, but it was plain that he was quite content to come within the time limit in third place and take no chances of overdoing it one week before the final race.

Rosa walked a very good race at the beginning; he showed excellent form, and, if he is in better condition next Sunday, there is no reason why he should not make it hard for the winner.

Rural telephone systems are greatly interested in the invention of a citizen of Minnesota, whose device prevents third parties from listening or "cutting in" on a party line. It is called a look-out system. On the face of a brass attachment are a number of steel buttons each bearing the number of a separate connection. To call another party it is necessary to push the button bearing his number and take down the receiver. When the button is pushed the machinery of the invention works automatically and connects that phone and the one called and disconnects all others on the line. The placing of the receiver back in its place puts the whole line in service again.

GIMLET'S TURN TO WIN A RACE

Wrens and Pearls in Another Mixed Race Have Very Close Finish.

The Honolulu Yacht Club held another race yesterday afternoon for wrens and pearls, and the wrens again slipped it to the Pearls, as there was only a light breeze.

The Roaring Gimlet, well sailed by Bob Hendry and George Turner, came in an easy first, with the Ehakamano five minutes later, the Pearl forty-five seconds after her, and the Galloping Mary thirty seconds after the Pearl.

The Kolos and Ivy were left hopelessly behind.

The finish of the two wrens and Pearl was a very close thing, only a matter of a few yards separating them, as the wind was light, and it was nip and tuck up to the very last.

The Galloping Mary was sailed by C. Hebel, owner of the Kolos. He was alone in the boat and had nobody to work his centerboard for him, so that, under the circumstances, he did remarkably well.

The live ballast on board stayed entirely aft on all points of sailing. Before the wind she did not seem to do so well as the others, but on the wind she seemed to have an advantage. The other wrens have their ballast well aft.

Mary got away well at the start and reached the bell buoy first, but was overtaken before she gained the spar buoy on the return. Thence the course

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How does the following look: Second Federal Judge Perry; Supreme Court Justices Lewis and Anderson?

KUHIO AND THE GOVERNOR.

Kuhio's application to Governor Frear of the "snorter and uglier word" can not under any circumstances, by those who know the Chief Executive of the Territory, be taken as evidence that the Governor has been guilty of prevarication. Even among his enemies it is doubtful if there is any other man in Hawaii who would accuse Walter F. Frear of lying.

The Delegate's denunciation of the Governor as a falsifier comes at a peculiarly inopportune moment. The Governor is away from the Territory and consequently no full explanation can at this time be made of the Kamaoia lands matter. It is possible that Mr. Frear did tell the people of Waiohinu that he would throw open the lands for homesteading, but there is probably good reason for his failure to do so, and there is no doubt but that, upon his return from Washington, he will be able to give a satisfactory explanation. Every man, even a Governor, is privileged to change his mind if circumstances warrant it, and if Governor Frear changed his mind in regard to opening up the Kamaoia lands, he must have believed it was for the best interests of the Territory for him to do so.

Kuhio has not waited to find out from headquarters why the Kamaoia lands were not opened up to homesteading. On the simple assertion that they were not, he accuses the Governor of insincerity and untruthfulness. If the Governor were in Hawaii at this time, the matter would resolve itself into a question of veracity between the two men. But he is in Washington and can not state his side of the case until he returns home.

The affair is especially unfortunate at this time, indicating, as it does, future unpleasantness and dissension. But the people of Hawaii should know Governor Frear well enough by this time to be assured that when his side of the question is stated, it will be found that there is no foundation for any accusation of insincerity or prevarication.

SPORT AND "SPORTS."

It is unfortunate that sport in Honolulu is so often spoiled by "sports." Tin-horn sports some of them are, too. It is getting to be the regular thing of late for almost every athletic event to be marred by some display of unsportsmanlike conduct, such as tricky play, disgusting language, unnecessary roughness and endless bickering and squabbling.

Baseball is the national game of America, but if it were characterized everywhere by as much quarreling and petty jealousy as it is in Honolulu, the game would quickly lose its popularity. The baseball fans want to see the game played; they don't care a straw about the personal differences of managers and players, and if those connected with the game persist in airing their dirty linen in public, the public will eventually turn to something less odorous.

The chief trouble in Honolulu seems to be that there is too great a regard for the gate receipts and too little for the game itself. This applies not only to baseball but to almost all other sports. The betting on the side does not help matters. Too many of the contestants in athletic events go in for the prize, not for the sport. To win with them the main thing—to often to win by fair means or foul—and if the gate receipts are not large enough to give them a little profit on the time they have spent playing the game, they feel themselves aggrieved, and say so loudly.

There is need of a thorough and complete revolution in sport in Honolulu, an inculcation of more of the spirit of fair play and an elimination of the overweening love of the Almighty Dollar that is the cause of some of the incidents that have disgraced Honolulu sport of late. Incidents such as that which occurred during the walking match yesterday are enough to disgust the people whom the athletes depend upon for support and financial assistance.

The thing to do is to get rid of some of the "sports," and learn the real meaning of sport.

THE TIME TO KICK.

Every freeborn American citizen has the inherent and constitutional right to kick when things don't go to suit him. If the beefsteak is tough, the coffee weak, or the neighbor's piano out of tune, a citizen of this free country has the privilege of expressing his feelings in regard to the matter. If he doesn't like the way the legislature or the board of supervisors spends the public money, and he wants to say so, there is no one to stop him. The American citizen can criticize anything, from the way the mayor parts his hair to the kind of hat his own wife wears—though it doesn't do him much good to criticize his wife's headgear. To kick is human; the mule has no monopoly on the exercise.

But there are times when kicking does no good, except to relieve the feelings of the kicker. For instance, it does no good to kick about a city and county ordinance after it has been passed by the supervisors and approved by the mayor. If there is anything wrong with it, the time to kick is before the measure is enacted into law. There are a number of ordinances on the books of the City and County of Honolulu that are useless, or worse than useless, and sometimes we kick because they are enforced—or perhaps because they aren't. But how many citizens of Honolulu kicked while the ordinances were being considered by the supervisors? And yet, vigorous and judicious kicking at that time might have had the effect of preventing poor laws being enacted.

At the present time several measures are under consideration by the supervisors, notably a milk ordinance and an automobile and hack ordinance. It is probable that these two proposed ordinances will be passed, with or without amendment. It is certain that they contain provisions which will prove distasteful to some residents of the city. How many Honoluluans have gone to the meetings of the board to hear the ordinances read and discussed, or have told the supervisors personally what they think about the proposed laws?

It is improbable that the supervisors, strangely as they act sometimes and weird as are some of their antics, would dare to pass an ordinance against which vigorous protest had been made by a considerable proportion of the community. Yet few individuals of the community take any interest in what the supervisors may be about to do. They wait until after it has been done—and then kick.

The time to kick is before unwise or unjust provisions have been allowed to slip through, not afterward. True, a man has a right to kick whenever he pleases. So has a mule. But there is no use in wasting effort and energy kicking when it is too late to hit anything.

It is possible, of course, that the presence of a large number of citizens in the council chamber might move some of the members of the board to unusual oratorical effort, but when their wind gave out, they would probably sit down and let some one else talk. Then the private citizen whose interest in public affairs was large enough to cause him to come out and attend the meeting could do his kicking with some hope of its proving effective.

There is a time and a place to kick.

If, as appears from the despatches from Nicaragua, the two Americans, Cannon and Groce, who were shot to death by order of President Zelaya, held commissions in the revolutionary army, their execution is absolutely inexcusable and contrary to all the rules of civilized warfare and to international law. If the United States had taken the same bloody course at the time of the Civil War that Zelaya has adopted, every soldier or officer of the Southern army who was captured would have been liable to summary execution. But a man who lines up five hundred prisoners of war and inoffensive noncombatants against a dead wall and shoots them can hardly be expected to have any regard for the rules of warfare or for the laws of nations. Fortunately the United States appears to be about ready to attend to Mr. Zelaya.

Perhaps the success of the Japanese and the rapid progress of their nation may be explained by the account in the Kohala Midget of the death of a seven-year-old Japanese by at Kohala. He climbed a tree and, falling out, was severely injured. Before he had entirely recovered, he climbed the same tree again and once more fell, the second time with fatal result. If he had survived the second fall, his Japanese persistency would probably in the end have been rewarded with success in getting to the top.

Maui is beginning to talk seriously of a belt road. The island needs it badly, and the Mauiites appreciation of the fact indicates that the Valley Island does not intend to occupy a position at the tail of the procession.

PEARL HARBOR WILL MAKE U. S. SUPREME

The decision of the army and navy board, approved by President Taft, to make Pearl Harbor the greatest naval station in the Pacific Ocean is much more important than most Americans realize. The famous Hawaiian harbor adequately fortified and manned as a base for the warships of our nation solves the problem of supremacy on the Pacific.

Pearl Harbor, more than 2000 miles west of San Francisco, is more valuable to the United States than a squadron of the most powerful dreadnoughts. It is a first defense within which no enemy would care to risk its battle-ships. A fleet stationed at the great island port would have at its mercy most any hostile force that could be brought within fighting distance. No enemy could get to our west coast without steaming thousands of miles from its base of supplies and taking chances on being cut off from behind by our island squadron.

Pearl Harbor is the key to the situation in the Pacific. It is of such a character that it can be made practically impregnable. The harbor is capacious enough to shelter any naval force this nation ever is likely to have. It is so surrounded by hills that ships in the harbor are out of sight of those approaching. It is an ideal ocean stronghold, the Gibraltar of the Pacific. The government is making a wise move in proposing to improve the opportunity nature has given to us.

LITTLE HOPE LEFT FOR POOR FINLAND

ST. PETERSBURG, November 23.—The Russian members of the Russo-Finnish commission have submitted a counter proposal for the revision of the legislative relations between the empire and the grand duchy. On November 12 the Finnish members of the commission submitted to the whole committee the draft of a bill defining the constitutional status of Finland and which would reserve to Finland a voice in imperial legislation, treaty making and the laws of the military service affecting her.

The new proposal defines Finland's status as a province of the empire and extends the scope of the laws of general and imperial interest adopted by the Russian parliament so as to make them effective in Finland. It also provides that Finland shall be given five representatives in the Duma, one of whom is to represent the Russian residents in Finland; while one representative of the diet shall sit as a member of the council of the empire. The majority of the Russo-Finnish commission is Russian.

NICARAGUA OLD TROUBLE GROUND

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claimed president. But his rule was so arbitrary that another insurrection took place and he was expelled from Grenada, surrendering to a United States naval officer to save himself. Though put under bonds to keep the peace, the year was not ended before he was back in Nicaragua with a strong force of Americans and natives, but was again driven out. Three years later he came to grief in Honduras, into which he had led an expedition, and was shot by the authorities. One of his lieutenants was an adventurous young man from Berkshire county, named Potter, who escaped the fate of his chief, and lived to do good service as a colonel in the Union army.

What is denounced as a "menace to Judaism" has been made by Chief Rabbi Adler of the Jewish Religious Union of London of the recent attempt of London Hebrews to hold their services on Sunday instead of Saturday. Jewish services on Sunday were first attempted in this country and services supplementary to those of Saturday are now being held in a number of Jewish churches in New York city.

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WATERFRONT NEWS

MAUNA KEA'S LINE INDENTED MIZZENMAST

The line which the Mauna Kea first used aboard the Celtic Chief on the first day's trial to bring the British ship off the reef, not only parted, but made an indentation on the Celtic Chief's mizzenmast. The line was passed about this mast, and the Mauna Kea did her level best to get something loose, particularly the stranded ship. But the line parted, and when the broken end aboard ship was unwound from the mast it was found the line had sunk deep into the big stick.

It is expected that today the various steamship companies will go into court with their claims for salvage. The Inter-Island company may claim \$25,000; Miller Salvage Company, \$15,000; Young Brothers, \$5,000. The Inter-Island may claim \$50,000, as it had three to four vessels engaged in working on the ship, and in addition had small boats out transferring fertilizer cargo from the Celtic Chief to small steamers, to lighten the vessel.

The Celtic Chief's captain has never before been in Hawaiian waters, and his first experience looks to be a costly one for his vessel's owners. The British consul will hold a hearing for the British captain. Pilot Macanlay, who was aboard the vessel from Sunday evening until she was pulled off the coral, will probably hand in a lengthy report to Superintendent of Public Works Campbell this week.

The Celtic Chief is one of the vessels that still bear painted counterfeits of the old-day gun portholes. In the old days of wooden warships, portholes for gun work looked like the painted ones of today. When traders began plying in oriental, and particularly in Chinese and Malay, waters, they were often attacked by pirates. The peaceful merchantmen finally painted portholes on the sides of the ships, and this device served to deceive pirates.

Tuning-Out Device.

Wireless Operator Mulroney aboard the Makura is using the very latest tuning-out devices, by which he is able more closely to connect up with the station he desires to "talk" with.

Lurline Sails on Seventeenth.

When the Matson steamship Lurline sailed for Kahului last evening it was learned that she would return here on Tuesday and load and be ready to return to San Francisco on Friday, December 17, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. This will put her in San Francisco on Friday, December 24, the day before Christmas, and will leave time enough almost for Christmas packages to be delivered in California on Christmas Day or the day after. The departure of the Lurline on the seventeenth is due to the desire of the agents and Captain Weeden to accommodate Honolulu in the matter of an extra opportunity to get Christmas presents to friends on the Coast at the right time.

Matson's Wilhelmina.

The officials of the Matson Navigation Company will soon be in receipt of information concerning the speed tests of their new steamer Wilhelmina, which will soon begin her voyage from the shipyards at Newport News, on the Atlantic, for this Coast. The fine big steamer is practically completed, and her arrival here after a voyage of about sixty days, via the Strait of Ma-

gellan, will mark an epoch in local maritime history.

The placing of the Wilhelmina in the Pacific service is calculated to lend an impetus to the freight and passenger business between this port and Hawaii, as well as to stimulate shipping on the Sound. It is reported that with the inauguration of the new service the Oceanic Steamship Company will put on another steamer to run with the Alameda between San Francisco and Honolulu. This will in all probability be the Sierra, which is now being extensively remodeled and fitted for fast service. The American-Hawaiian Steamship Company, it is said, is also planning to get some of the business which will naturally fall to the new line, and to this end will increase its fleet and sailings to the Islands after the first of the year.

It was said yesterday that the Matson company was negotiating for a new wharf. The one, Howard No. 3, occupied by the company at present is hardly big enough to take care of the Wilhelmina and the other steamers and sailing vessels flying the Matson house flag. The new concrete pier No. 38 is said to be ideal for the steamship company's requirements.—Chronicle.

Inspectors Worked Hard.

The force of customs inspectors had a strenuous week, with so many steamers and sailing vessels in port, and with big cargoes being delivered. Some of the night-shift men worked extra, and the day men put in extra time also. One of the customs men said this was the hardest week any of them had had in a long time.

We Have 25,688 Ships.

The total documented shipping of the United States on July 1, 1909, comprised 25,688 vessels of 7,388,755 gross tons, a larger tonnage than under any foreign flag except the British, 18,800,000, according to the report of the commissioner of navigation made recently to Secretary Nagel of the department of commerce and labor at Washington, D. C.

American shipping is almost wholly engaged in domestic commerce, and 6,501,250 tons are enrolled or licensed for this purpose, while Germany's 4,266,000 gross tons are almost wholly, of course, in foreign trade. American tonnage registered for foreign trade amounts to only 887,505 tons, a loss of 53,000 tons since last year, and much of the tonnage yet registered is permanently laid up. The Great Lakes employ 2,782,481 gross tons.

During the fiscal year shipbuilding shared in the general business depression here and abroad, and only 1247 vessels of 238,000 gross tons were built, the smallest amount since 1898. In Great Britain, however, shipbuilding also declined from 1,580,000 tons to 914,000 tons. Prospects and contracts show a decided improvement in shipbuilding at home during the current fiscal year.

Tonnage duty amounted to \$1,052,374, a decrease of \$24,197. American ships paid \$80,397. British ships \$595,737. German ships \$149,879. The United States paid British and German ships for carrying its mails, however, more than these amounts. The exemption of vessels in fresh water trades from tonnage tax is recommended. Under the new tariff law five foreign built yachts have paid \$35,854 taxes since September. The constitutionality of the law has been questioned by some yacht owners, and awaits judicial determination. Shipping commissioners shipped and discharged 341,980 men (counting repeated voyages) on American ships. Only 49 per cent. of the crews of those

ships are American citizens, born or naturalized.

Laws enacted in 1895, when motor or power boats were practically unknown, prescribe equipment unnecessary on the smaller types of these boats, and modification of those laws is recommended.

The bill requiring wireless apparatus on ocean passenger steamers is favored. The report recommends various changes in the navigation laws, but is principally devoted to a consideration of the subsidy question.

Mail subsidies, admiralty subventions and navigation bounties of foreign nations are considered at some length in the report. Commissioner Chamberlain shows that under these heads, including also ship building and fisheries bounties and retainers for naval reserves, these expenditures now amount annually to \$46,896,000. The United States for ocean mails in 1908 paid to American steamers \$1,467,255, and to foreign steamers \$1,228,032, our subsidies being less than those paid by Canada.

Notice to Mariners.

San Francisco, December 2, 1909. ALCATRAZ ISLAND, CALIFORNIA.

Notice is hereby given that on December 1, 1909, the light at this station was moved to and established in the new tower built about 40 feet 156 deg. true, (SE. 5-16 S. mag.) from the old light.

The light is 214 feet above the water and 84 feet above the ground, and is shown from a gray, octagonal, pyramidal, concrete tower surmounted by a black cylindrical lantern, rising from a gray dwelling with red roof, and should be visible about 21 miles in clear weather, the observer's eye 15 feet above the water.

The approximate geographic position of this light, as taken from Coast and Geodetic Chart No. 5532, is: Latitude, north, 37 deg. 49 min. (28 sec.); longitude, west, 122 deg. 25 min. (21 sec.).

Angel Island, right tangent, 6 deg. 45 min. true (N. by W. mag.); Goat Island, right tangent, 113 deg. 00 min. true (E. 7-16 S. mag.); Fort Point Lighthouse, 250 deg. 45 min. true (SW. 11-16 W. mag.).

CARQUINEZ STRAIT, CALIFORNIA.

Notice is hereby given that Selby Wharf Light, fixed red, will be established this day at the west end of Selby Wharf, entrance to Carquinez Strait, California, on the following bearings:

The California Redwood Company's wharf, right tangent, 66 deg. 00 min. true (NE. 1-4 E. mag.); Mare Island Lighthouse, 335 deg. 00 min. true (NW. 3-16 N. mag.); Starr Mills, northwest corner, 359 deg. 00 min. true (N. by W. 11-16 W. mag.).

Shipping Notes.

Purser Logan of the Kinuau reports the following sugar on Kauai awaiting shipment: K. S. M., 3270 bags; V. K., 2000; M. A. K., 7600; McB., 3300; G. & R., 591; K. P., 304.

Included in the cargo list of the Ke Au Hou were 30 head cattle from the Molokai Ranch, 5 crates turkeys, 28 crates chickens, 63 pigs, 40 bags corn, 291 bags charcoal.

PORT OF HONOLULU.

ARRIVED.

Sunday, December 12.
Str. Keauhou, from Molokai and Maui ports, 1:50 a. m.
Str. Noeau, from Kealia, 3:25 a. m.
Str. Kinuau, Gregory, from Kauai ports, 3:30 a. m.
Str. Iwalani, from Hawaii ports, 5:50 a. m.

DEPARTED.

M. N. S. S. Lurline, Weeden, for Ka-

hului, 9:15 p. m.

DUE TODAY.

U. S. A. T. Logan, from San Francisco, p. m.
P. M. S. S. Asia, from San Francisco, p. m.
Br. S. S. Swanley, from Funchal, with immigrants, p. m.

SAIL TODAY.

Str. Noeau, for Kauai ports; general cargo.

DUE TOMORROW.

Str. Mauna Loa, from Kona and Kau ports.

SAIL TOMORROW.

Str. Mikahala, for Maui and Molokai ports, 12 noon.
Str. Kinuau, for Kauai ports, 5 p. m.
Str. Mauna Kea, for Maui and Hawaii ports, 12 noon.

DUE FRIDAY.

O. S. S. Alameda, from San Francisco, a. m.

SAIL FRIDAY.

M. N. S. S. Lurline, Weeden, for San Francisco, 10 a. m.

PASSENGERS.

Arrived.

Per str. Kinuau, from Kauai ports,

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Per str. Noeau, from Kealia, Dec. 12.—W. E. Smith.
Per str. Ke Au Hou from Molokai and Maui ports, Dec. 12.—Otto Wix, Mrs. E. K. Duvauchelle, J. D. McVeigh, Miss C. Akina, D. McCorrison, A. K. Smythe.

VESSLS IN PORT.

(Army and Navy.)

Iroquois, U. S. station tug, Shepley.
Kukui, U. S. lighthouse tender, Midleton.

(Merchant Vessels.)

Alexander Isenberg, Ger. bk., Behring, Hamburg, Nov. 19.
Churchill, Am. sch., Columbia River, Dec. 5.
Celtic Chief, Br. shp., Hamburg, Dec. 5.

Danntless, Am. schr., Jonsien, Grays Harbor, Nov. 26.
James Rolph, Am. schr., Olsen, Port Ludlow, Dec. 5.
Kailani, Am. bk., Colly, Auckland, Sept. 20.
Nuanuu, Am. bk., Josselyn, New York, Dec. 8.
Robert Lewers, Am. schr., Anderson, Port Ludlow, Nov. 24.

TRANSPORT SERVICE.

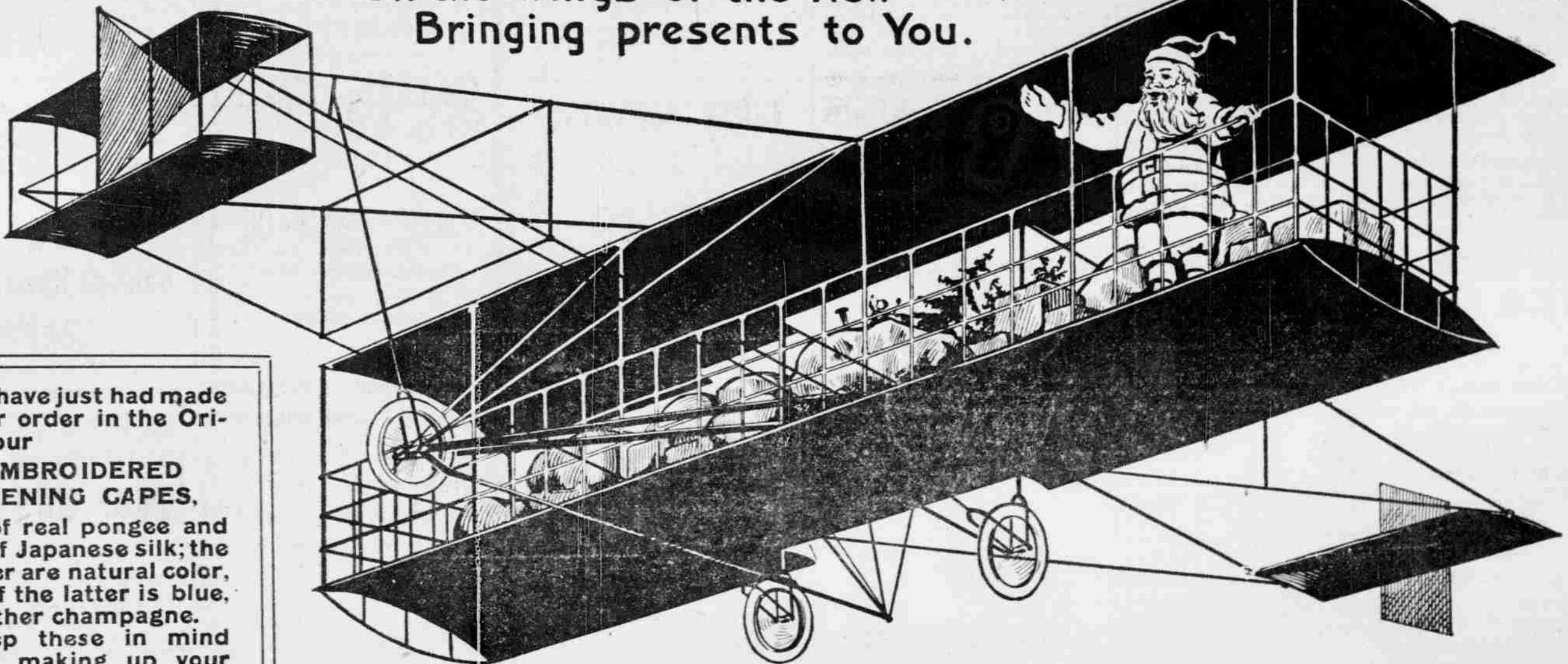
Buford, ar. S. F. from Hon., Oct. 15.
Dix, from Seattle for Manila, via Hon., Dec. 6.
Logan, from San Francisco for Hon., Dec. 6.
Thomas, from Hon. for San Francisco, Dec. 7.
Sheridan, at Manila, Dec. 3.

MAILS.

Mails are due from the following points as follows:
San Francisco—Per Asia, today.
Yokohama—Per Korea, Dec. 20.
Vancouver—Per Aorangi, Jan. 8.
Colonies—Per Moana, Jan. 5.

Mails will depart for the following points as follows:
San Francisco—Per Lurline, Dec. 17.
Yokohama—Per Asia, tomorrow.
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THERE WILL BE A STATED
meeting of Pacific Lodge No. 822, A. F.
& A. M., at its hall, Masonic Temple,
corner of Hotel and Alakea streets,
THIS (Monday) EVENING, DEC. 13,
at 8 o'clock.

TRANSACTION OF BUSINESS AND
ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Members of Hawaiian and Oceanic
Lodges and all sojourning brethren are
invited to attend.

By order of the R. W. M.,
C. F. JENKINS,
Secretary.

POLYNESIA ENCAMPMENT NO. 1.

L. O. O. F.
Meets every first and third Friday of the
month, at 7:30 p. m., in Odd Fellows' Hall,
Fort Street. Visiting brothers cordially
invited to attend.

W. ELLERBROCK, C. P.
L. L. LA PIERRE, Sec'y.

EXCELSIOR LODGE NO. 1, I. O. O. F.

Meets every Tuesday evening, at 7:30, in
Odd Fellows' Hall, Fort Street. Visiting
brothers cordially invited to attend.

M. W. TSCHEIDT, N. G.
L. L. LA PIERRE, Sec'y.

HARMONY LODGE NO. 3, I. O. O. F.

Meets every Monday evening, at 7:30, in
Odd Fellows' Hall, Fort Street. Visiting
brothers cordially invited to attend.

W. ELLERBROCK, C. P.
E. R. HENDRY, Sec'y.

PACIFIC REBEKAH LODGE NO. 1.

L. O. O. F.
Meets every second and fourth Thursday,
at 7:30 p. m., in Odd Fellows' Hall. Visiting
Rebekahs are cordially invited to attend.

FREDERICK W. BREG, N. G.
ALICE NICHOLSON, Sec'y.

OLIVE BRANCH REBEKAH LODGE NO. 2.

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7:30 p. m., in Odd Fellows' Hall. Visiting
Rebekahs are cordially invited to attend.

SALLIE L. WILLIAMS, N. G.
ALEXANDRA BATH, Sec'y.

OCEANIC LODGE NO. 571, F. & A. M.

Meets on the last Monday of each
month, at Masonic Temple, at 7:30 p. m.
Visiting brethren are cordially
invited to attend.

R. H. BEMROSE, W. M.
W. H. GOETZ, Sec'y.

LEAHY CHAPTER NO. 2, O. E. S.

Meets every third Monday of each
month, at 7:30 p. m., in the Masonic
Temple. Visiting sisters and brothers
are cordially invited to attend.

ANNA S. WRIGHT, W. M.
ADELAIDE M. WEBSTER,
Secretary.

LEI ALOHA CHAPTER NO. 3, O. E. S.

Meets at the Masonic Temple every
second Saturday of each month, at 7:30
p. m. Visiting sisters and brothers
are cordially invited to attend.

MINNIE RHODES, W. M.
MARGARET LISHMAN, Sec'y.

OAHU LODGE NO. 1, K. of P.

Meets every first and third Friday at 7:30
o'clock, Pythian Hall, corner Beretania and
Fort streets. Visiting brothers cordially
invited to attend.

R. NUGENT, C. O.
R. GOSLING, K. of R. & S.

WILLIAM MCKINLEY LODGE NO. 9.

K. of P.
Meets every second and fourth Saturday
evening at 7:30 o'clock, in Pythian Hall,
corner Beretania and Fort streets. Visiting
brothers cordially invited to attend.

F. M. McGREW, C. O.
E. A. JACOBSON, K. R. S.

COURT CAMERON NO. 8110, A. O. F.

Meets every second and fourth Tues-
day of each month, at 7:30 p. m., in
San Antonio Hall, Vineyard street.
Visiting brothers cordially invited to
attend.

CAESAR MEDEIROS, C. R.
H. PEREIRA, F. S.

CAMERON CIRCLE NO. 240, C. O. F.

Meets every second and fourth Thurs-
day of each month, at 7:30 p. m., in
San Antonio Hall, Vineyard street.
Visiting companions are cordially
invited to attend.

MRS. M. R. MEDEIROS, C. O.
MR. L. A. PERRY, F. S.

COURT LUNALILO NO. 6800, A. O. F.

Meets every first and third Wednes-
day evening of each month, at 7:30
p. m., in Pythian Hall, corner Fort
and Beretania streets. Visiting brothers
cordially invited to attend.

W. KELLE, C. R.
JAS. K. KATLIA, P. O. F. S.

HONOLULU AERIE 140, F. O. E.

Meets on second and
fourth Wednesday even-
ings of each month, at
7:30 o'clock, in Pythian
Hall, corner Beretania and Fort streets.
Visiting Eagles are invited to attend.

W. C. MCCOY, W. P.
H. T. MOORE, Sec'y.

HONOLULU HARBOR NO. 54, A. A. of M.

M. & P.
Meets on the first Sunday
evening of each month, at 7
o'clock, at Odd Fellows'
Hall. All sojourning brethren
are cordially invited to
attend.

By order Worthy President,
J. B. SEARLE
FRANK C. POOR, Sec'y.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT

CAMP NO. 1, U. S. W. V.
Meets every first and third
Wednesday of each month in
Waverley Hall, corner Bethel and
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By order of the Camp Com-
mander.

J. K. BROWN,
Adjutant.

HAWAIIAN TRIBE NO. 1, O. E. M.

Meets every first and third
Thursday of each month, in K.
of P. Hall, corner Fort and
Beretania streets. Visiting
brothers cordially invited to
attend.

E. V. TODD, C. of R.
L. A. PERRY, Sachem.

HONOLULU LODGE 618.

B. F. O. E.
will meet in their hall,
Kilauea street, next Fort, every
Friday evening. Visiting
brothers are cordially in-
vited to attend.

E. A. DOUTT, E. R.
H. C. EASTON, Sec'y.

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HAWAII CHAPTER NO. 1, ORDER OF

RAMBAMBA.
Meets every first and third Thursday
evening of each month at 7:30 o'clock in
Fraternity Hall, Odd Fellows' building, on
Fort street.

N. FERNANDEZ,
Knauba.

DAMIAN COUNCIL, NO. 563, Y. M. I.

Meets every second and fourth Wednesday at
7:30 o'clock p. m. in St. Louis College
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Sports

ROSS WINS THE CHRONICLE CUP

Official scorer Nigel Jackson, of the
Oahu league, has figured out the bat-
ting average for the season. The fol-
lowing list includes all players who
played in four games or more.

J. Ross wins the cup given by the
Japanese Chronicle for the best batting
average in the J. A. C. While his
average is not so high as some other
players in the league, he thoroughly
deserves to win the cup, for he has
played in more games than any other
player on the list and has actually
come close to averaging a hit for every
game. He has been a steady binger
when bingles were wanted and all his
friends will join in congratulating this
mighty batter on his success.

The stolen base list is also appended.
As might be expected, that fast little
runner, Sing Chong, heads the list, while
Akana and Ross tie for second place.

	G	AB	BH	Pct
Moses, K. A. C.	6	23	7	.343
Butler, K. A. C.	4	16	5	.312
Young, K. A. C.	6	23	6	.268
J. Ross, J. A. C.	16	59	15	.254
Gibson, M. C.	14	56	14	.250
Josiah, K. A. C.	9	36	9	.250
Coll, M. C.	6	12	25	.240
Tong, K. A. C.	7	21	5	.238
Kahaawini, J. A. C.	12	48	11	.229
Shepard, K. A. C.	7	27	6	.222
Asam, C. A. C.	12	45	10	.222
A. Akana, J. A. C.	12	45	10	.222
J. Lo, C. A. C.	11	43	9	.209
Akina, C. A. C.	8	29	6	.206
Britto, J. A. C.	7	23	3	.200
Francis, J. A. C.	14	56	10	.196
H. Zerbe, J. A. C.	10	41	8	.195
Davis, M. C.	16	67	13	.190
Che Bui, C. A. C.	11	42	8	.189
Hong Chack, C. A. C.	11	48	9	.187
H. Walker, J. A. C.	11	43	8	.186
G. Clark, K. A. C.	10	37	3	.181
Hayes, M. C.	15	12	67	.179
En Sang, C. A. C.	9	28	5	.178
Wakita, J. A. C.	5	17	3	.176
Brannon, K. A. C.	5	17	3	.176
Ching Yet, C. A. C.	9	29	5	.173
Thompson, M. C.	13	40	7	.170
Peyton, M. C.	12	40	7	.170
Gaw, M. C.	15	62	10	.160
Sing Chong, C. A. C.	15	58	9	.155
Siorp, M. C.	15	12	63	.151
Hines, M. C.	9	33	5	.150
McCall, K. A. C.	8	27	3	.148
Rice, K. A. C.	10	41	6	.147
Knight, M. C.	6	21	3	.142
J. Flores, J. A. C.	8	13	21	.134
S. Flores, J. A. C.	7	23	3	.132
Apan, C. A. C.	13	45	6	.132
L. Akana, C. A. C.	15	53	6	.124
Williams, M. C.	15	57	7	.120
H. Kaipo, K. A. C.	6	26	3	.115
A. Dreier, J. A. C.	12	14	5	.113
W. Espindola, J. A. C.	8	13	27	.111
D. Kaipo, J. A. C.	10	35	4	.100
Ah Toon.	36	4	100	

Stolen Bases.

Sing Chong, C. A. C.	13
L. Akana, C. A. C.	11
J. Ross, J. A. C.	11
Francis, J. A. C.	10
Che Bui, C. A. C.	10
Asam, C. A. C.	9
Davis, M. C.	9
Hong Chack, C. A. C.	8
Siorp, M. C.	7
Williams, M. C.	7
H. Walker, J. A. C.	7
Hayes, M. C.	7
A. Akana, J. A. C.	7
H. Zerbe, J. A. C.	7

GIMLET'S TURN

TO WIN A RACE

(Continued from Page Three.)

was to the quarantine dolphin and
back again to the spar buoy. Always
on the run out the Wilder boat with
the long name and Mary gained, but
dropped behind a trifle when on the
wind.

Luther Hough sailed a particularly
heavy race in the Pearl and made the
very most of his job when off the wind
and also kept in places where there
seemed to be the most breeze. He
probably saved the channel in light
weather as well as anybody, and made
good use of his knowledge.

It is about time that the small-boat
sailors had a little wind for a change.
For the last six or seven Sundays the
breeze has been very light and fluky.
Next Sunday the first of the three
freak races will start. This will be a
start-and-stop race, and, especially if
there be any wind, should be produc-
tive of great excitement.

NAVAL POLICY CREATES HUBBUB

(Continued from Page One.)

Departmental Changes.

Coming to the department proper
Secretary Meyer abolished the board of
construction. This has been composed
of the chiefs of the several bureaus
who have been passing upon and super-
vising the different features of ship
designs and deciding questions in dis-
pute between the bureaus when their
duties overlapped. A ship is neces-
sarily a compromise of conflicting in-
terests and the board of construction
generally decided upon such compro-
mises. Hitherto the general board, of
which Admiral Dewey has long been
chairman, has recommended general
types and military characteristics of
warships and has been of material as-
sistance in the formation of up-to-date
designs. But when such designs have
been prepared they have been passed
on to the bureau chiefs, composing the
board of construction.

Now that is to be changed and quite
a different organization installed. Sec-
retary Meyer has a tentative organiza-
tion plan, which goes into force Decem-
ber 1, by which he is to have four
expert advisers. These advisers are to
head the four new divisions of material,
personnel, the operation or management
of the fleet, and, fourth, inspections.
The division of material will have su-
pervision over the bureaus which have
to do with the construction, equipment
and maintenance of the fleet and will
include the navy yards. The adviser
at the head of that department will

have no executive or administrative
duties to perform but will be expected
to keep the secretary informed about
all important matters pertaining to
that division. The adviser on person-
nel will have oversight of the navy
bureaus that have to do with the of-
ficers and men, including all matters
relating to the supply and transfer of
officers and men for ships or stations,
training, education and discipline of
officers and men.

Most Important.

These advisers will be known as
aides and, of the four, the aide for
operations will be, presumably, the most
important officer. He will be a mem-
ber of the general board, which will
make recommendations as to the mili-
tary features of the new ships, as to
the proposed repair or alteration of a
ship which will affect the military fea-
tures, and also as to the expediency
of undertaking extensive repairs in a
given instance. He, in conjunction
with the general board, will recommend
the number, type, and military features
of dry docks, the war college, at New-
port, and the naval intelligence bureau
in the department will be closely allied
with the aide for operations.

Bureau Abolished.

The only other change of importance
is the abolition of the bureau of equip-
ment, over which Admiral Cowles,
brother-in-law of former President
Roosevelt, has long presided. But leg-
islation by congress will be necessary
to complete this change. It is proposed
that the present duties of the bureau
of equipment shall be divided between
three other bureaus. The purchase of
coal and the transportation of the same,
it is proposed, shall go to the bureau
of supplies and accounts, while rope
making, canvas work, flag bunting and
the like shall go to the bureau of con-
struction and repair and the prepara-
tion of electrical machinery, signal ap-
paratus, chair and anchor manufacture
shall go to the bureau of steam engi-
neering.

Much Expected.

These constitute all the changes of
importance which Secretary Meyer is
now undertaking to put into operation.
Much is expected of it by the so-called
navy reformers, who believe that they
have won something of a victory. But
the navy officers generally like the idea
of four naval aides of high rank for
the secretary. They have long been
contending for something like that. It
approximates a general staff, such as
the army has by authority of law and
which congress has refused to give the
Navy. Probably there will be opposi-
tion to the changes in congress be-
cause it will be claimed that civilian
authority is all but entirely eliminated
and navy officers, who are always eager
to enlarge the Navy, and to augment
its operations and importance will vir-
tually have full swing. Of course, ev-
erything eventually comes down to the
secretary, but the history of such rela-
tions in the government is, that the
trained service men have their way,
more than ever, when they are called
in as advisers and given an opportunity
to acquaint themselves with all that
is going on. However, Secretary Meyer
believes the plan is a step in the right
direction and he proposes to give it a
thorough trial.

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NOTICE OF MEETING

Manoa Improvement Club.

A meeting of the Manoa Improvement Club will be held at the residence of Judge H. E. Cooper, Punapea, Manoa Valley, on Tuesday evening, December 14, 1909, at 7:30 o'clock.

S. DE FREEST, Secretary.

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BUSINESS LOCALS.

Sale of dressed dolls today at Sachs'. A Winchester rifle is offered for sale. See classified ads.

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A pineapple ranch at a bargain. Inquire of Trent Trust Company, Ltd.

Order White River flour from your grocer. It beats all others for quality.

Whitney & Marsh are ready at all times to show goods and make suggestions as to suitable holiday gifts.

Christmas cases of six to two dozen jars of Mrs. Kearns' Gold Medal preserves can be sent for half usual rates.

Doctor Katsuki has returned from his vacation and has resumed his practice in his office, 125 Vineyard street.

Have your typewriter cleaned and repaired at Wall, Nichols Company, Ltd. They have a repairer whose work is guaranteed.

It is time to book for seats and accommodations at Haleiwa on Christmas. There is to be a good time there and a dinner fit for the gods.

Isohima, Fort, below the convent, has a fine stock of goods exactly adapted to the wants of individuals at this season. The prices are reasonable.

There is quality in the art goods shown in the Arts and Crafts Shop on Fort street, below King. The goods are exquisitely elegant and must appeal to everyone with refined taste.

Telephone your order for wood or coal for household use to Honolulu Construction and Draying Company. Full measure, best quality, prompt delivery, lowest prices.

Jane Lishman More, Harrison building, Fort, below Beretania avenue, carries many articles suitable for Christmas gifts. Many of them are painted from original designs.

The Pacific Picture Framing Company, Nuuanu avenue, below Hotel street, has a large assortment of Copley prints suitable for Christmas gifts. The prices are reasonable. Telephone 222.

There is no reason why anyone should grope through the halls in the dark before reaching the door when a switch can be put in by the Union Electric Company at little cost. Phone 315.

Another grand buying event at Sachs Dry Goods Company. Real hand-made and hand-drawn Battenberg scarfs and squares of values up to \$2.75 will be sold Wednesday, December 15, for \$1.25. Goods now on display in Fort street windows.

The Young Hotel Laundry calls for and delivers laundry to all parts of the city. Special attention given to ladies' fancy dresses and delicate waists, also guarantee first-class work in our dry-cleaning department. Telephone 361.

J. A. Haskell, who knows all of the intricacies of safe locks, has opened a place at 133 Merchant street, telephone 146. He is prepared to do all manner of expert work on safe locks and combinations and guarantees the work. His experience of twenty years in this line qualifies him in this respect.

There should be no scarcity of candy in the house on Christmas morning. You can get a supply of the best there is in the city at the Palm Cafe. There is a lot of it exactly suited for the purpose for which candy is used in church and school entertainments, in addition to the finest grades of chocolates and French bonbons. Order your Christmas supply now or you may be disappointed.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Harmony Lodge, I. O. O. F., meets this evening at half past seven o'clock.

The Manoa Improvement Club will hold a meeting tomorrow at the residence of Judge H. E. Cooper.

The band will play for parade and inspection this morning at Atkinson Park for the marine battalion.

Among the passengers booked to leave on the Lurline are Admiral and Mrs. Whiting and their charming young daughter, Miss Marie Whiting.

Pacific Lodge meets this evening at half past seven o'clock for election of officers and transaction of some important business. All members are requested to attend.

A Hawaiian who looks after the cultivation of the taro of Police Officer John Ferreira was attacked by an angry Chinaman Wednesday. The Chinaman picked up the Hawaiian and was about to bury his head in the soft mud when other Hawaiians rushed to the rescue. Ah Sung, the Chinaman, pleaded guilty and was fined \$5.—Maui News.

The regular December meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be held this afternoon at three-thirty o'clock. The society will meet with Mrs. A. Gartley, Manoa, instead of with Mrs. P. C. Jones. It is hoped there will be a large attendance of members and friends to hear the paper on "The Scotch-Irish of Revolutionary Days," as presented by Mrs. M. F. Scott.

WHAT THE PRESS AGENTS SAY

The program for the band concert this evening at Emma Square will be:

March—Hands Across the Sea... Sousa
Overture—Semiramide... Rossini
Intermezzo—Curly... Powell
Selection—Jerusalem... Verdi
Vocal—Hawaiian Songs... Ar. by Berger
Selection—The Newly Weds... Bratton
Waltz—Loves' Sparks... Holzman
Finale—Lalala... Scott
The Star Spangled Banner.

Bonine.

A trip across the wonderful Panama Canal country, from Colon to La Boca and Panama City, will be the subject of great interest at The Bonine tomorrow evening—something everyone in Honolulu should see and become familiar with—as no one section of the world can be of greater interest to the welfare of these Islands than Panama and the completion of the famous canal.

This interesting series has never been reproduced before—this being their first presentation, and is made up of an exceptional series of optical slides and scenes in animation.

Many other scenes of humor and historical drama will add to the feature of entertainment; one in particular, "Washington under the American flag," will send you away with something to remember.

Orpheum.

The Orpheum changes its bill tonight. In addition to the vaudeville stunts the Jack Golden company will give the musical comedy "The Baron of Berlin." Jack Golden is at his best in the title role and the entire bill is claimed to be fully up to the Golden standard which is now accepted as "classy" by the theater-goers of Honolulu.

The box office is open from ten a. m. and good seats can be reserved by ringing up 681.

The Messenger.

There is to be something at the Park tonight that will be so full of dramatic situations that it will create a mild sensation. And it will be free from suggestions. Manager Congdon calls the film "The Messenger," and he said yesterday that it is thrilling from beginning to end. Congdon has a reputation for telling the truth and refusing to exaggerate. The little girls will do their part with their usual cleverness, aided by Miss Kenney—that is, they are taught dramatic expression, etc., by her, and they are apt pupils. The Vierra orchestra will furnish the music.

If buying, selling or renting, see real estate department of Bishop Trust Company first. Bethel street.

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THE MALIHINI CHRISTMAS TREE

Most of the young peoples' societies connected with the churches have endeavored to secure the attendance of a larger percentage of young men at their services, the claim being made that the efficiency of the church would be increased many fold if the male element could be induced to attend in proportionate numbers with the fair sex. From Manila, Philippine Islands, comes the news that the situation is reversed there. A chapter of the Epworth League having a large attendance shows an attendance, on the average, of eleven young men to three young women. This is said to be due to the fact that when the homeless young men from this and other lands wind up in the hospitals, the young women of the League do effective work in soliciting their attendance at church services upon recovery.

A matter of interest to farmers and rural gardeners is found in the fact that recent experiments have proved that graminivorous birds exhibit a marked aversion to certain flavored and colored seeds. These experiments have shown that these colors and flavors do not in the least effect the germinating qualities of the seeds. Suitable colors were found in Prussian blue, signal red and aniline green. The seeds were first moistened in gum water and the pigments then strewn over them. Grains and seeds so treated were left unmolested by birds of all kinds.

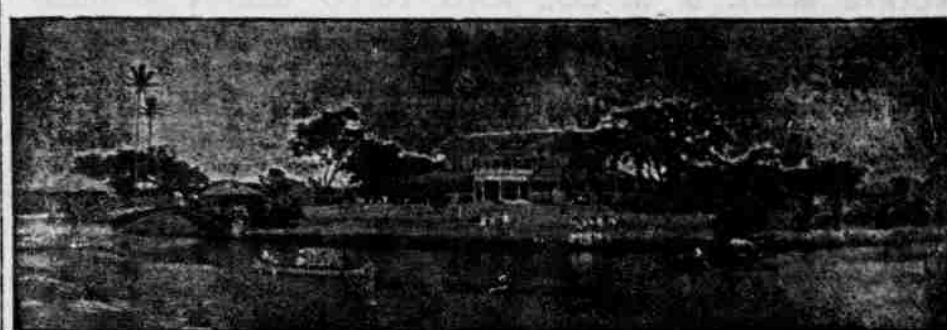
At Nottingham a machine has been devised which will spot veilings with chenille, a work that has previously been done by hand. The machine does in a few minutes what has previously occupied months of labor, in many instances. A number of lengths of chenille are placed in a frame over the new machine and pass down into it, being automatically inserted and cut as the veiling moves through. The machine promises to revolutionize the entire industry of spotting fabrics and it is regarded as highly probable that when further perfected it will work an enormous change in the lace making industry.

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HONOLULU, HAWAII TERRITORY, MONDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1909.

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

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Exquisite Lingerie Gowns (no duplicates) in 16 styles..... \$20.00 to \$40.00
 Charming Novelties in High-Class Waists..... \$12.00, \$15.00, \$20.00 and \$25.00
 New Moire Rain Coats, in green, navy, brown, grey and black Specials at \$18.00
 Long White Wool Sweater Coats; all sizes; new styles..... \$12.00

AS WELL AS MANY OTHER BARGAINS UPSTAIRS IN OUR READY-TO-WEAR DEPARTMENT.

HANDKERCHIEFS.

Our line of Handkerchiefs for Ladies, Gentlemen and Children has created big business all the week, and, although many numbers are entirely sold out, the purchase was so big we have still a very good selection. Place our name first on your list for Handkerchiefs.

FANCY GOODS.

There are such a lot of Novelties here we must not attempt description.
 "SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY."

RIBBONS.

Ribbons in every width and shade. You cannot make any mistake if you come to us for Ribbons. Our line of Fancy Ribbons is certainly great.

UMBRELLAS AND SUNSHADES.

Just opened a shipment of the New Long Handle Sunshades, in white, navy, green, red, tan, brown, etc. Men's Gold Mounted Umbrellas in holly boxes, \$6.50 to \$15.00.

A new line of Holiday Neckwear received yesterday by express. Elegant creations of the latest novelties.

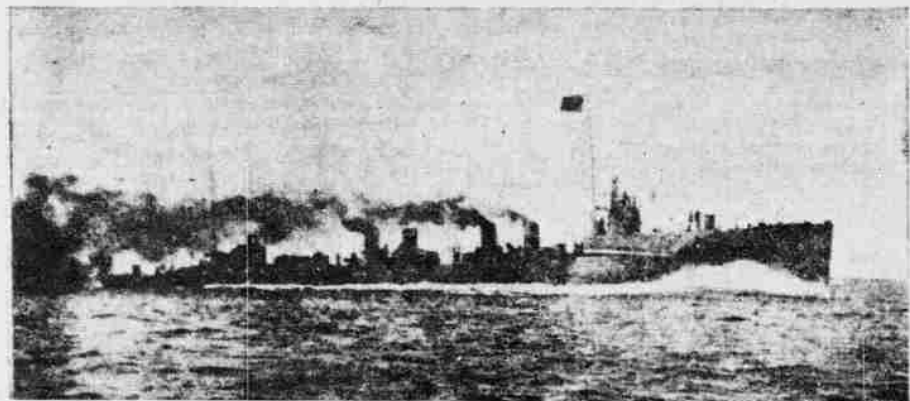
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Strong Iron Wagons....\$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00
 Wheelbarrows.....\$1.25, \$1.50 to \$5.00
 Irish Mails, rubber tires.....\$6.50 and \$7.50
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ARMY AND NAVY NEWS



U. S. S. Reid on Trial Trip.

Fortified Island at Virginia Capes.

It is estimated at the war department that the fortified artificial island for the defense of the entrance of Chesapeake Bay, recently advocated by President Taft in one of his speeches before the waterways convention at Norfolk, can be constructed for about \$3,000,000. This is far below the original estimates of from \$10,000,000 to \$12,000,000. The necessity for such a structure was pointed out by the Taft defense board in 1906, but the proposition was dropped because of the great expense. The plan contemplated the building of an island on what is known as the "middle ground" in the entrance midway between Capes Charles and Henry with heavy batteries so arranged as to command the five-mile channel of navigable water constituting the only entrance from the ocean. That point is about eighteen miles below Fort Monroe and beyond the effective range of the heaviest guns at that fort.

The original plans have been materially changed and the cost considerably reduced. It is now proposed to construct a fortification similar to that on El Fralle in the Philippines. That consists of a small inclosure surrounded by a wall of concrete forty feet thick and containing two steel turrets each mounting two fourteen-inch guns, together with a secondary battery of four six-inch guns.

The use of turrets instead of disappearing guns is a saving in space and expense. On the Chesapeake Island it is proposed to erect the largest and most effective guns obtainable. It is said there are no engineering difficulties in the construction of the island, as there is a good sand foundation about seventeen feet below the surface. The plan is to confine the allotted space with rows of piling, fill it with finely broken stone and cap the mass with solid concrete, having outer walls forty feet thick. Ammunition, mines, casemates, etc., will be placed beneath the floor forming the base of the gun turrets.

It is contended by military and naval experts that the proposed fortifications would make the entrance to Chesapeake Bay invulnerable and effectually safeguard the National Capital, Baltimore, Annapolis, Norfolk, Newport News, Richmond and the other cities and towns on the bay or its tributaries.

Deficiency in Army Food.

An unusual state of affairs prevails in the war department on account of a deficiency of nearly \$300,000 in the appropriation for commissary stores for the fiscal year ended June 30 last. Congress failed to appropriate by that amount the money needed to purchase material for provisioning troops. The demands exceeded the amount appropriated mainly because of an unexpected increase in the force from about 64,000 to more than 77,000 men. These troops had to be provided with the regular rations. The expense was greater than usual on account of the general rise in the price of food products entering into the composition of rations. Contracts had to be made in the regular way, however, for periods in some cases covering one year and in other cases six months, and remittances were made under such contracts periodically as deliveries were made at military posts. With a shortage of nearly \$300,000, many of these contractors have found that the war department was un-

able to meet the bills. They will have to wait until congress makes a deficiency appropriation, and this will certainly not be until early in the coming year.

Commissioned from Ranks.

WASHINGTON, November 27.—As the result of competitive examination the following enlisted men have been appointed second lieutenants in the field artillery arm of the Army: Sergt. Frank A. Turner, Troop L, Second Cavalry; Squadron Sergt. Maj. George G. Seaman, Second Cavalry, Sergt. Charles C. Reynolds, Troop L, Eleventh Cavalry, and private Armine W. Smith, Troop H, Fifteenth Cavalry. Those appointed to the infantry arm were: Sergeant McGrath, Company I, Ninth Infantry; Sergt. Cornely H. Hodges, Company L, Seventh Infantry; Sergt. Rollo C. Ditto, 166th Company, Coast Artillery Corps, and Sergt. Samuel S. Stribling, Twentieth Infantry.

New Ration Satisfactory.

The new army ration appears to be giving general satisfaction, according to reports received by General Sharpe, commissary general of subsistence. The chief commissary of the department of the East says that from the absence of criticism, complaint or even suggestion, it is a safe assumption that the ration is satisfactory in kind, quantity and variety to the troops. He adds that the liberal savings made on some of the components at nearly all posts, especially in the articles of lard, sirups, spices and flavoring extracts, indicate that the allowance of these is generous perhaps to an unnecessary degree. In his opinion the time has not yet arrived for a thorough and decisive test of the merits of the new ration regarded from an economic point of view, but that another year's experience may furnish an answer to many queries now hard to satisfy. It is the intention during the present winter and coming spring to send all commissaries a circular letter asking report covering such matter as is now debatable, the result of which will be stated in the next annual report.

Details to Ordnance Corps.

It is announced at the war department that an examination will be held February 28 next of captains and first and second lieutenants of the Army at large with a view to their selection for detail for a period of four years as captains and first lieutenants in the ordnance department to fill fourteen vacancies in those grades. The details will be made on the recommendation of a board of ordnance officers which will be convened as soon as practicable after the receipt of the examination papers.

To Be Confined to Military Post.

Maj. Daniel L. Howell, Eighteenth Infantry, has been ordered to proceed to Memphis, Tennessee, and transfer the public property and funds for which he is accountable as recruiting officer to Maj. Frank R. Lang, United States Army, retired, and then proceed to his station, Fort Macon, Wyoming, and serve out that portion of the sentence of general court-martial as imposes confinement to the limits of his posts.

Army and Navy Personals.

Following the latest personal notes relative to army and navy officers who (Continued on Page Ten.)

Choice Delicacies

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Christmas Dinner

The selection of Good Things for the Christmas Dinner will cause you no worry if you consult this List:

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- Maraschino Cherries, Marrons in Brandy and Syrup,
- Sweet Cider, Boiled Cider, Cranberry Sauce,
- Fancy Table Raisins, Citron, Lemon and Orange Peel,
- Olives (All Varieties, Stuffed and Plain), Pickles,
- Assorted Nuts, Frozen Eastern and Cocktail Oysters,
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For our Boys

"Mother's Friend" Wash Sailor Suits, from 2½-year to 8-year-old, selling from.....\$1.50 to \$3.00 a suit
 Grey Wool Mixed Sailor Suits, ages 2½ to 5 years; selling at\$4.50 a suit
 Blue Serge Wool Sailor Suits, ages 2½ to 6 years; selling from\$4.50 to \$8.00 a suit
 Mixed Tweeds, plaids, stripes and plain colors; all shades and ages; from\$3.50 to \$9.00 a suit
 Black Ribbed Hose from.....10c to 35c a pair

For the Home

Pillow Slips, plain and hemstitched; all widths and lengths; from25c to 50c each
 Sheets, plain and hemstitched; all lengths and widths; from90c to \$1.25 each
 Linen and Part Linen Huck Towels; all sizes; from\$1.50 to \$6.00 dozen
 Turkish Towels; all sizes; from.....\$1.50 to \$4.00 a dozen
 Sheeting; all widths and qualities; from 22½c to 40c a yard

For our Girls

Rubberized Silk Rain Coats; all the latest shades and colors\$6.00 to \$10.00
 Figured Lahma Cloth Dressing Sacques and Dressing Gowns\$1.00 to \$4.00 each
 Plain Black Cotton Hose from.....10c to 35c a pair
 Fancy and Openwork Hose from.....25c to 40c a pair

Remember every 50c. purchase entitles you to one vote in the **Santa Claus** contest.

Ladies' Handkerchiefs

Plain Hemstitched20c to 35c
 Embroidered20c to 75c
 Linen Lace40c to \$1.25

The assortment is too large to enumerate, so call and examine them.

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1500 Men's Suits

of all the latest patterns, styles, and cuts being sacrificed at prices ranging from
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Embroidered15c to 35c
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Cuff Buttons, Stick Pins,
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 Neckties, Handkerchiefs,
 Garters, Suspenders, Belts,
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A Prize for the Boys

and

A Prize for the Girls

TOYS

Tea Sets.....15c, 25c, 35c, 50c, up to \$4.00
 Musical Christmas Tress from.....\$3.50 to \$5.00
 Paper Fans5c up to 20c each
 Cook Stoves, made of iron.....75c each
 Surprise Boxes from5c to 35c each
 Baa Sheep from50c to \$1.50 each
 Wheel Chimes25c to \$2.75 a piece
 Paint Boxes15c to 50c each

DOLLS

From 5c to \$25.00, dressed, undressed, kid, celluloid, and rubber; all sizes.
 Christmas Tree Ornaments from.....15c to \$6.00 a dozen
 Xmas Bells from5c to 50c each

TOYS

Horns from5c to 75c each
 Picture Blocks in nests.
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 Car Games of all description.
 Babies' Rattles and Knockabouts.
 Drawing Slates, Dolls in Carriages, Dolls in Cribs, Etc., Etc.

Santa Claus will deliver toys on Christmas morning and is in attendance at the store every evening with music. Call and bring the kiddies.

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Going East!

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We sincerely believe Kaimuki to be the coming residential district of Greater Honolulu, and the person who buys a lot in Kaimuki today at the prevailing prices, regardless of whether purchased from us or not, will be making a safe and profitable investment, as well as secure a splendid homesite.

Honolulu Is Building Toward the East

Kaimuki, in fact, is Honolulu's east, and just as sure as the sun rises in the east over Koko Head, so sure will Kaimuki rise to be the best and select residential district in the city, with her property selling at \$2,000.00 and \$3,000.00 per lot.

Being an oblong shape and running parallel with the beach on one side and the Koolau Mountains on the other, it is absolutely certain that the city can never spread out on the north or the south, and that its extension must necessarily be either east or west. On the west we find the oriental quarters and the lower levels that will always prove objectionable for home-building, while on the east we find everything favorable for residential extension. The farther east you go toward the higher levels around Diamond Head, the cooler you find it and the better you like it. Kaimuki is generally recognized by all to be the most delightful and desirable residential district in the city, with its beautiful location between Diamond Head and the Waimanalo Mountains, its high elevation so near the sea, and its open, dry, cool, and healthful condition.

BUY A LOT IN THE NEW OCEAN VIEW DISTRICT

Put your deed aside and wait until the development of the city, which is absolutely assured, increases its value to \$2000 or more per lot. Remember we are selling lots today in Kaimuki cheaper than the property was sold for ten years ago, when Honolulu had practically no future compared with what she is assured today. The most profitable way to buy property is to buy in the right district at the right time. Now is the accepted time.

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ROOMS 37 AND 38 YOUNG BUILDING, HONOLULU, T. H.



For the Holidays

A case of good beer is a pretty good thing to have in the house during the holiday season.

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Letters From the People

JACK LONDON'S LURE.

Editor Advertiser:—Kindly permit us to say, that Jack London had the foresight, the premonition (as we remarked at the time of his visit to Molokai), that there was one, as yet, unploughed field, for a stirring, yellow sensational quill, that would doubtless yield a rich harvest; and, fortune-hunter as he is for that field he "went", (pardon the word of slang so fitting for him.) He has made out of his brass, (his brazen, untruthful output) a gold farthing, by mistreating the subject-matter, of the beautiful, bountiful homes provided and supported, for the afflicted ones of Hawaii. To those "homes" let me aver, he was given, not only (for days and days), the generous passage and hospitality of ship and shore, but the most unstinted freedom, into every nook and corner, that the author-spirit might see fit to lead him—fact. The cunning, adroit, schooled hand of the literary knave has now turned in and turned out, its bogus counterfeit plant for the promotion, of the Territory; and, even they, of whom it may be said, would not believe a word, "well," they will be impelled, to look the same over! And now may all that coinage (Molokai mint), turn to Dead-sea apples in their hands!—"Jack and Mrs. London"! "Achilles was vulnerable in the heel and they (the enemy of all good!) thrust in the dart." We must be pardoned for saying, that we have often pleaded for more care and nice, wise discrimination, in the vital matter, of board and lodging, for transients. There will doubtless come others, seeking to follow in J. L.'s wake—money kneaders. A. M. P.
Dec. 12 p. m., 1909.

HUTCHINSON PLANTATION DEAL IS DISCUSSED

Hilo Herald.—Negotiations for the purchase of the Hutchinson plantation have been in progress, whereby it was thought that the agency might be transferred to Theo. H. Davies & Co., Ltd. Mr. T. Clive Davies, Mr. C. C. Kennedy, and Mr. A. N. Campbell, representing the Henry Waterhouse Trust Company, which had the negotiations in hand, visited Hutchinson less than two weeks ago. The fields, mill and laborers' cottages were carefully inspected, and the two Honolulu men at once returned home.

It is believed that the price asked for Hutchinson stock control was \$22 a share, though it is said that it had been offered at \$20 only a short time previously. Hutchinson and Paauhau pay about the same rate of dividend, the par value of the former being \$25, and of Paauhau \$50 a share. The market quotations of the stock are \$17.50 for Hutchinson and \$30 for the Hamakua plantation stock. Unless the selling price of Hutchinson, as reported to have been offered to the Davies house be lowered, it is hardly thought that any transaction will take place.

HONORABLE AFFONSO TURNED DOWN HARD

G. F. Affonso failed last week to land the job of assistant county clerk of Hawaii, which he was eagerly seeking. The board of supervisors turned down his application, holding that one job ought to be enough for him, and that, in any case, a member of the legislature ought not to hold a county office.

Supervisor Lyman, speaking on the matter of the appointment, said: "This would be a new procedure. It would be as it was under the monarchy, when the legislators created offices for themselves to fill. I don't speak against the man who is recommended. I backed him for a position which I thought was temporary, but this is a position which, I think, no legislator should hold. I am out open and above board and play no politics or nothing else, just because he is a Portuguese, and because the Portuguese are playing a game of politics."

HAWAII GRAND JURY INDICTS EIGHTEEN

HILLO, December 7.—The grand jury did its work in quick time, returning its final report to the court last Friday afternoon. Eighteen indictments were returned, these constituting the entire report. The indictments were as follows:

Henry Drolette, perjury; John Apio, perjury; Murakami Kisataro, perjury; Kong Sin Chong, perjury; Ah Sam Lee, arson, first degree; Ung Chew, burglary, second degree; John Moniz, two charges of burglary, second degree; Akoboshi Shinkichi, assault and battery with a weapon dangerous to life; Francisco Cruz, assault and battery with a weapon dangerous to life; Sumii Kunichi, forgery; Manuel Lopez, assault and battery with a weapon dangerous to life; Chong, alias Chunga, polygamy; Choy Fung Hak, alias Cha Boon Huk, accessory in polygamy; Kahoolawe, murder, first degree; G. B. Faxon, embezzlement, two charges.

One of the vital questions to be considered by the general assembly of the Presbyterian Church relates to confessional statements. Among the first to act on the matter was the Presbyterian synod of Baltimore, which decided to send to the central body an overture deprecating the "prevalent toleration and increasing assertion of doubts and denials concerning confessional statements," it being alleged that the "prevalent toleration" encourages forms of belief which unsettle the Christian faith.

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Army and Navy News

(Continued from Page Nine.)
are or have been stationed at Pacific
Coast points:

Maj.-Gen. Thomas H. Barry, U.S.A.,
is expected to arrive from the East
today (Saturday) and will assume com-
mand of the Department of California
on Monday morning next.

Brig.-Gen. Edward B. Pratt, U.S.A.,
formerly Colonel Thirtieth Infantry, U.
S. A., and temporarily in command of
the Department of California, was pro-
moted to his present rank last week.

Comdr. G. R. Salisbury, U.S.N., is
ordered to command the Mohican and
the Monterey.

Comdr. Victor Blue, U.S.N., is com-
missioned commander to date from
July 1.

Surgeon G. L. Angeny, U.S.N., is or-
dered to duty at the Navy Recruiting
Station, Baltimore, Maryland.

Lieut. S. B. Thomas, U.S.N., is de-
tached from the Maryland and ordered
to the Naval Hospital, Mare Island, for
treatment.

Lieut. E. W. McIntyre, U.S.N., is or-
dered, when discharged from treatment
at the Naval Hospital, Mare Island, to
await orders.

Ensign R. E. Gilman, U.S.N., is de-
tached from the St. Louis and ordered
to duty in connection with fitting out
the New Orleans, and duty on board
when placed in commission.

Ensign R. S. McDonald, U.S.N., is de-
tached from duty on the Ohio, to duty
in connection with fitting out the New
Orleans, and duty on board when placed
in commission.

Ensign W. C. Barker, U.S.N., is or-
dered to duty on the Milwaukee.

Passed Assistant Paymaster E. A. Mc-
Millan, U.S.N., is detached from duty
as general storekeeper and pay officer,
Naval Training Station, San Francisco,
to duty as pay officer and general store-
keeper, Naval Station, Guam, M. I.

Maj. Harry C. Hale, adjutant-general,
U.S.A., has been relieved from duty as
assistant to the adjutant-general, De-
partment of California, and has been
ordered to proceed to Chicago for tem-
porary duty as adjutant-general, De-
partment of the Lakes.

Maj. Frank R. Keefer, Medical Corps,
U.S.A., has been granted leave of ab-
sence for one month and seven days,
which took effect November 24.

Changes Army Surgeons.

WASHINGTON, December 1. — A
number of changes in the assignment
of officers in the medical corps, as a
result of the retirement of Col. Charles
B. Byrne as chief surgeon of the de-
partment of the East, was announced
at the war department today.

Col. John Van R. Hoff of the depart-
ment of the lakes, succeeds Colonel
Byrne; Colonel Hoff will be succeeded
by Col. Louis M. Mans, chief surgeon
of the department of Dakota; Colonel
Mans by Lieut.-Col. Henry I. Raymond
of Fort Sam Houston, Texas; Colonel
Raymond by Maj. Allen M. Smith of
the Presidio of Monterey, California,
and Major Smith by Maj. Philip G.
Wales of Fort Apache, Arizona.

Urges Changes in Methods.

WASHINGTON, December 1. — Many
changes in the military establishment
are suggested today by Secretary of
War Dickinson in his annual report.
He recommends:

A change in the Roosevelt physical
tests so as to require of officers, in ad-
dition to the annual, a weekly riding
or walking test.

The division of the United States
into territorial and tactical districts so
that the organized militia of the States
may be conveniently combined with the
Regular Army stationed therein into
permanent brigades, divisions and
corps for instruction and tactical or-
ganization.

The location of troops in or near
the principal cities, instead of distrib-
uting them at remote forts, to meet
the three requirements of economy,
possibility of rapid movement and the
training of the militia.

More officers for the Army and pro-
motion on the merit system.

Liberal appropriations for the com-
pletion of fortification projects of the
Philippines, Honolulu and Pearl Har-
bor.

Encouragement of rifle practice
among citizens and schoolboys.

The establishment of a national park
at Niagara Falls to preserve its scenic
features.

The secretary made public his esti-
mates to congress for the coming fiscal
year, amounting to \$95,325,399, or \$8,
000,000 less than appropriated for the
present fiscal year.

Politeness in the Army.

All sorts of suggestions for the ame-
lioration of the condition of the enlist-
ed men are contained in reports re-
ceived at the war department. One of
the most interesting of these is that
made by Maj. C. G. Morton of the in-
spector-general's department. It is, in
effect, an appeal for better manners on
the part of the officers in their deal-
ings with enlisted men. Major Morton
says that the use of profanity and the
"bawling out" of orders are more
common in the Army than is realized,
and are a prolific cause of discontent
among the men. It was his experience
that the fault complained of was more
common among the non-commissioned
and junior officers than among those of
mature years. His suggestion is that
whenever and wherever the fault oc-
curs it should be checked by superiors
as something as important to the regu-
lars as the supervision of mess and
clothing.

Much is done by the war depart-
ment to make the soldier's life as
agreeable as possible, consistent with
its character. Places and forms of en-
tertainment are provided, and his sur-
roundings are made as attractive as
possible, in order to make him content-
ed and willing to remain in the ser-
vice. But Major Morton points out
that inconsiderate or harsh treatment
causes more discontent in the ranks
than almost anything else, a fact, he
says, that appears to have been gener-
ally overlooked by some of those in
command.

Allowance for Officers' Mounts.

Officers of the Army are to have ad-
ditional pay provided they furnish
their own mounts in place of the horses
furnished by the government. An of-
ficer furnishing one horse will be al-
lowed \$150 in addition to his regular
annual pay, and for two horses he will
be allowed \$200 additional. He will
be required, however, to pay for the
transportation of the animal or animals
from place of purchase to his mili-
tary station. The only transportation
charges the government will assume for
horses will be where the officer is
transferred from one station to an-
other.

Must Wear Their Hats.

According to General Duval, com-
manding the troops in the Philippines,
the prescribed article of headgear is a
part of the uniform for outdoor wear
and must be worn and not carried in
the hand or laid aside, regardless of
the heat or state of the weather. He
has issued a general order to that
effect.

Proposed Littoral Defense Corps.

Considerable interest is taken in mi-
litary circles in a proposition advanced
by coast artillery officers for the es-
tablishment of a littoral defense corps.
The plan involves the separation of the
Coast Artillery Corps from the Army
proper and combining it with the United
States Marine Corps into what is
described as the littoral defense corps,
to be commanded by an officer of the
rank of major-general. The corps to be
divided into three territorial dis-
tricts, each commanded by a brigadier-
general. Bitter opposition to the plan
is made by other arms of the service,
principally the infantry. Generally it
is maintained that the separation of
the coast artillery would deprive the
Army of an important element of its
strength and would seriously cripple
it in its operations in the event of a
war. It is represented, however, that
the Navy proper would offer no seri-
ous objection to the transfer of the
marines to the land forces.

These questions have been consid-
ered by the officers of the general staff
and may be presented to the secretary
of war for his consideration. It is
probable that the plan for the orga-
nization of a littoral defense corps may
be considered in some of the military
reports submitted to congress.

Identified by Finger Prints.

The utility of the finger prints
adopted by the Army and Navy as a
means of identification was recently
demonstrated in the case of a man
who was believed to be a soldier, found
wandering in a delirious condition on
the streets of Columbus, Ohio. He was
taken in charge by the police authori-
ties of that city and taken to the
army recruiting depot at Columbus bar-
racks. There his finger prints were re-
corded and forwarded to the war de-
partment in this city. Their examina-
tion there led to the prompt identifica-
tion of the man as a soldier, and no-
tice was sent to his company com-
mander of his whereabouts. He was
sent to an army hospital and given
proper treatment.

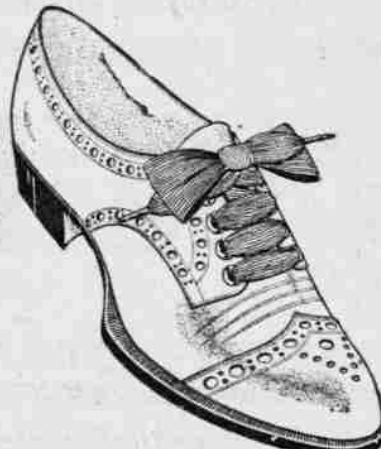
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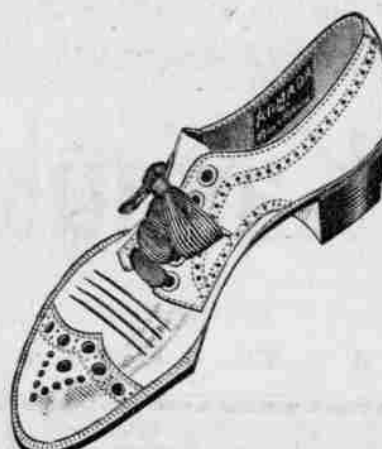
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LITTLE NEWS NOTES FROM BIG ISLAND

Doctor and Mrs. Grace last week became the parents of a baby boy.

Mrs. Jarret T. Lewis returned last week after an absence of some months on the mainland.

Sheriff Pua was last Sunday advised that a Chinese at Niuli, Kohala, had been robbed of \$1600. Another Chinese was suspected of being the guilty party.

Wm. Russell, the head carpenter of the Honokaa Sugar Co. who met with an accident some time ago, died last Friday at 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon. The funeral took place the following day at Honokaa under the direction of Maile Lodge No. 4, Knights of Pythias.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Henry celebrated the completion of their new home at Makaolu last Saturday night by giving a housewarming dance, which was well attended and much enjoyed. The event was significant in that it marked the first occupancy of the new Makaolu lots which were recently opened.

The balance of \$181.21 for the Kukuiahele bridge, the balance of \$9.95 for the Kukaia bridge, and the balance of 57 cents for the Kukuiahele road, amounting to a total of \$191.73, have been transferred to the credit of the Hamakua road tax fund.

The county fathers have referred the matter of securing estimates for the repairing of the jail at Kailua, to Sheriff Pua and Supervisor Kalaiwaa. Supervisor Shipman has been authorized to have the Pahala jail connected with the water main.

The requests of J. H. Maby, S. W. A. Kaleiho-a and J. K. Lelepoli for raises of salary have been turned down by the board of supervisors on account of lack of funds. The matter of the appointment of another police officer for North Kona was tabled for the same reason.

Captain Fetter has received notification that the local company of the National Guard of Hawaii will be inspected by Major Dunning some time during February, and has been asked to name a convenient date. Sergeant Fred S. Bancroft of the Fifth U. S. Infantry has been assigned to come to Hilo during January to assist in getting the company into good shape.

Samuel C. Shaw, the well-known local tobacco merchant, will leave Hilo and the Hawaiian Islands for good on or about February 1 of next year. He intends to sell out his business as well as his home at Puuoe, and expects to settle in Texas.

P. C. Beamer returned last week from an extended business and pleasure trip during which he traveled over the States, north, east, south and west. He saw President Taft during his travels, seeing him first at Chicago and later on in Houston, Texas.

Auditor Maguire made a flying trip to Kau last Saturday returning the following day. He reports that the district was much benefited by a rain of about two and a half inches which fell last Friday, and which was pretty general throughout the district.

W. C. Achi, the astute Honolulu politician, visited Hilo for the first time in nine years, last week. He states that he does not think he will start another labor party at the next election, as he was disappointed with his followers last year, and he does not wish to waste his time for nothing.

A burglarious attempt was made on the box office of the Gayety Theater last Thursday night. Both the till and one of the lockers had been pried open, but as Manager Girdler had taken all the cash with him, the intruder got nothing for his pains. As there was no sign of any doors or windows having been broken open, it is believed the thief concealed himself after the performance was over, and remained hidden until everybody had left the place.

School Inspector Charles King estimates that \$63,500 is needed for the erection of schools needed in this county, and that \$13,175 is needed for repairs for schools during the year 1910. The supervisors, when this report was presented to them last week, gasped, and then deferred consideration thereof until next year.

Saturday was a bad day for automobiles, which were towed into Hilo from all directions, even from the direction of Kau unto Waimea. Machines belonging to plantation managers as well as those plying for hire were alike the victims of disasters, and it was amusing in places to see the little fellows trying to haul the big chaps out of their difficulties.

Delegate Kuhio, Speaker Holstein, Senator Lane and Judge Archie Mahala were the guests of Rev. S. L. Desha during their stay in Hilo. On Saturday evening they were entertained at dinner by County Clerk Kai, meeting some of their Hilo friends.

The whole district of Kau enjoyed the benefit of good rain last week, no less than two and one-half inches of rain falling on Thursday night and on Friday.

Mrs. Annie Kaea purchased the license to take dry awa, from unoccupied government lands in Puna, for \$700 for a period of ten years. Other bidders were Mr. Conroy of California, Carl Smith and Herman Elderts.

Deputy Sheriff Overend gathered in five gamblers and a vag from Kukuiahele this week, and a malicious injurer at Waimea, the latter having to put up \$50 bail.

Wm. H. Heen was last week appointed deputy attorney by the board of supervisors, but the appointment was the cause of quite a battle, and the salary of the office was reduced from \$150 to \$100 a month. This was the result of the argument on the part of some of the county fathers to the effect that no deputy was needed at all, and that they had supported Beers for the position of county attorney on the understanding that he would not ask for a deputy. Heen has accepted the position, and will prosecute throughout the term.

REPORT BAGASSE MADE INTO PAPER

Consul-General Richard Guenther of Frankfurt furnishes the following information, published in a German jour-

nal, concerning the invention of a Trinidad planter for the manufacture of paper from sugar cane bagasse:

For a long time the bagasse had been experimented with in order to make cellulose out of it for paper manufacturing, but without success. It is now reported that a Trinidad sugar planter has, after several years of experiments, arrived at the conclusion that a superior article of paper can be made from the bagasse of sugar cane, as also of the bagasse of other plants of that district. It is stated that he has erected paper works in connection with his sugar factory at an expense of \$85,000. The bagasse, after having been three times ground and pressed in sugar presses, is carried, automatically, to the paper mill and is there treated by a process of the inventor. It is then boiled for several hours, passed through rotating millstones, put into the usual machines for manufacturing paper pulp, and afterward cut up under hydraulic pressure.

SIGN-POSTING ON FARMS.

Suburban Life takes up the question of advertising by means of barn roofs and walls, etc., in farms. The income to the farmer for thus letting out his waste surfaces for display is rarely over \$5 a year. Progressive farmers would pay that amount several times over rather than have their property so disfigured. There is no point in keeping buildings in trim repair and neatly painted if they are to be thus defaced. And the grayest weather-beaten shed is beautiful compared with the most modish barns if the latter announce the virtues of shoe polish or chewing gum in blatant fashion—or any fashion. If it comes to the selling value of a farm, the one scrawled over with advertising is, other things being equal, not half so attractive as the unadorned group of buildings. Surely in no other way can a cost of \$5 add so much to the respectability of a homestead as the \$5 that is not earned by allowing the signposter to smear the barns and sheds with his thin and cheap paint.

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The real problem in wireless is to project the vibrations with sufficient force in the desired direction and then pick up the sounds with instruments delicate enough to record the faintest impression, says Harper's Weekly.

Doctor DeForest has recently perfected a receiver, known as the audion, so susceptible that a man with one attached to an ordinary umbrella on a rainy night can pick up wireless messages being transmitted within hundreds of miles. And now has been solved the problem of aiming the waves, sending them in the direction desired, and thus saving force hitherto wasted in all directions.

Not only has this revolutionized the wireless transmission of sound, but it has also made possible the wireless transmission of power. More than a year ago Dr. Frederick Miller, wireless expert of the Union Pacific railroad, showed that a motor car could be driven by electricity transmitted through the air from a distant power station. On May 12 last wireless energy at a distance of five miles was used to turn on and off the switch that regulates the Edison current of electricity which lighted the Omaha electrical exposition.

So intense was the power that 40,000 incandescent bulbs were lighted, the current being switched off and on at will, and the illumination being maintained more than four hours. One has only to survey what has been accomplished to be convinced that wireless telephoning must become the greatest factor in economies the world has ever known.

BIBLICAL TEACHING.

CHICAGO.—Professor Charles Zuehl, of the University of Chicago, was discussing at a dinner the Easter myths and legends of the world.

"The legends that are beautiful and immortal," he said, "have in them truths that we all, according to our kind, take home. That is true, likewise, of immortal works of art—pictures, poems, songs. For different people they have different messages."

"For instance," said a young girl. "For instance," smiled Professor Zuehl, "in my native Penderon some of the mothers used to cut the children's hair. They did it with shears and a bowl. The operation was often painful, and the result was never elegant."

"In Sunday school a Penderon teacher once told her pupils the tragic story of Samson and Delilah. Then she turned to a little boy.

"What do you learn, Joe," she said, "from the Samson story?"

"I don't never pay," piped Joe, "to have a woman cut a feller's hair."

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

Entered of Record December 11, 1909.

Y Eguchi to C F Bradshaw.....CM
D K Eguchi to C F Bradshaw.....CM
T M Rowland et al adv E N Holmes.....Attachment
S Egawa to T Toshiyuki.....CM
R A Wadsworth to Miot Kekua.....Rel
Theo H Davies & Co Ltd to Antonio M Cabrera.....D
First Bank of Hilo Ltd to Johanna Lehmann and hsb.....Rel
Johanna Lehmann and hsb to First Bank of Hilo Ltd.....M
G B Ferreira to Maria Cordeira and hsb.....Rel
Maria Cordeira and hsb to G B Ferreira.....M
David Kawehano to W M Kalaiwaa.....L
M M Chiquita to Mrs S W Wai-ono.....A
Alau (k) to Alexander Bishaw.....D
J D McVeigh and wf to Chun Kim Sut et al.....D
Mrs H Kane Mana et al to Hutchinson Sug Plantn Co.....D
P E R Strauch and wf to Koozuchi Sunouchi.....D

Recorded December 2, 1909.

W L Hopper to E Wells Peterson, P A; general powers. B 331, p 131. Dated Dec 2, 1909.
John I Estate Ltd to Koolau Railway Co Ltd, L R W for rd over por kul 8308, at 2, Makana, Koolaula, Oahu; — at \$5 per yr. B 320, p 399. Dated June 1, 1909.
N Kubata et al to K Hirata, C M; 1 gasoline fishing boat, etc. \$2566.60. B 325, p 168. Dated June 16, 1909.
W E Shaw to Clarissa M Davis and hsb. Rel; por ap 49, R Ps 4475 and 7793, kul 7713, bldgs, rents, etc, Liliha St, Honolulu, Oahu; \$350. B 325, p 172. Dated Oct 20, 1909.
Bank of Hawaii Ltd to Farm Cornn. Rel; por gr 177, cor McCully and King Sts, Honolulu, Oahu; \$2000. B 325, p 173. Dated Dec 1, 1909.
Farm Cornn to Bank of Hawaii Ltd. M; por gr 177, cor McCully and King Sts, Honolulu, Oahu; \$1000. B 325, p 173. Dated Dec 1, 1909.
Liliuokalani (widow) to A S Cleg-horn et al, Trs; D; int in real, personal and mixed property; \$1, etc. B 319, p 447. Dated Dec 2, 1909.
Paul Bartels and wf to George C Beckley, D; por lot 2, blk 6, and 20 ft B W Puna, Lots, Hilo, Hawaii; \$200. B 319, p 445. Dated Aug 23, 1904.
Morimoto Isokichi to C F Bradshaw, C M; 2 horses, harness and stage No 176, Hilo, Hawaii; \$100. B 322, p 426. Dated June 23, 1909.
Titus M Coan et al by atty to L Ahip, L; pe land, Front St, Hilo, Hawaii; 5 yrs at \$300 per yr. B 320, p 396. Dated Oct 18, 1909.
S W Mahi Hakoo (k) to Mrs Esther K Baker, D; 1-4 int in kul 7277 B, Koolau, Hawaii; \$30. B 327, p 53. Dated Nov 2, 1909.
David Kapuku and wf to A N Hayselden, M; R P 2812 and ap 4, R P 4586, Nihoa, etc, Honolulu, Mani; R P 4747, kul 6148, Kahakoa, Kahakoa, Mani; \$100. B 322, p 427. Dated Oct 5, 1909.
Lily S Eldredge to G Masuda, Can L; pe land, Pakala, Lahaina, Maui, B 320, p 394. Dated Nov 24, 1909.
Lily S Eldredge to Ishi Torikichi, L; pe land and bldgs, Pakala, Lahaina, Maui; 10 yrs at \$195 per yr. B 320, p 395. Dated Nov 24, 1909.
Recorded December 7, 1909.
John S Aca and wf to Kanni Aca, D; por ap 1, R P 4462, kul 5697, Auwaolimu, Honolulu, Oahu; \$1, etc. B

319, p 468. Dated Nov 27, 1909.
Oahu Railway & Land Co to United States of America, D; por L Ps 8150 and 4417, Koolaula, Honolulu, Oahu; \$1, etc. B 327, p 58. Dated May 11, 1908.

Est of Bernice P Bishop by Trs to Keoni Keshipaka, D; por R P 4475, kul 7713, bldgs, rents, etc, Paalaa govt rd, Waiwala, Oahu; \$514. B 326, p 95. Dated Nov 19, 1909.

James Maunakea et al to Frank K Archer, Tr; D; int in pe land, Nuuanu st, Honolulu, Oahu; int in real and personal property in Ter of Hawaii; \$300. B 326, p 97. Dated Dec 7, 1909.

Levi Halualani by Gdn et al to Honolulu Plantn Co, L; R P 456, aps 1 and 2 and R Ps 455, aps 1 and 2 and 768, aps 1, 2 and 3, Halawa, Ewa, Oahu; 5 yrs, 4 mos, 28 dys at \$55 per yr. B 320, p 404. Dated Nov 24, 1909.

Honolulu Plantn Co by Atty to Gdn of Levi Halualani et al, L; por ap 1, R P 456, kul 2057, Halawa, Ewa, Oahu; 8 yrs, 10 mos, 2 dys at \$10 pr yr. B 320, p 407. Dated Nov 24, 1909.

Francisco de F Lopez and wf to Mary Lopez, D; por lot 2 of R P (gr) 177, King st, Honolulu, Oahu; \$300. B 326, p 98. Dated Sept 11, 1909.

Mary Lopez and hsb (M) to Gustave A Meyer, D; por patent 3459 and 10ft r w, rents, etc, Kalihi, Honolulu, Oahu; \$700 and mtg. \$300. B 326, p 99. Dated Dec 7, 1909.

Gustave A Meyer and wf to Fritz Meyer et al, M; por gr 3459 and 10ft r w, Kalihi, Honolulu, Oahu; \$500. B 324, p 301. Dated Dec 7, 1909.

Annie Edwards and hsb (J) to Manuel J Raposo, D; por kul 3660, Ohia, N Kona, Hawaii; \$1200. B 319, p 463. Dated Oct 2, 1909.

Recorded Dec. 3, 1909.

Young Hawn Loan & Sav Co Ltd to James K Kaalia, Rel; por R P 401, kul 8305, cor King St and Asylum Rd, Honolulu, Oahu; 4 shs in The Young Hawn Loan & Sav Co Ltd; \$400. B 324, p 281. Dated Nov 30, 1909.

Kela K M Kekua and hsb (M) to Mary Stewart, D; 1 share in hilly land, bldgs, rents, etc, Kahana, Koolaula, Oahu; \$220. B 326, p 84. Dated Dec 3, 1909.

Lo Gin to Bishop Trust Co Ltd, M; lot 22, blk 4, Kapahulu, Honolulu, Oahu; \$200. B 324, p 282. Dated Dec 2, 1909.

Est Clarissa M Davis by admr to Bill D Bray, D; int in por ap 49, R Ps 4475 and 7793, kul 7713, Liliha St, Honolulu, Oahu; \$1580. B 326, p 86. Dated Nov 30, 1909.

Aoe Like (widow) to Meleana M Kalawala, B S; int in rents, etc, on lot 36, gr 5191, Oahu, Puna, Hawaii; \$450. B 331, p 132. Dated Nov 30, 1909.

John Umuivi to Charles E King, M; lot 51, gr 4950, Oahu, Puna, Hawaii; \$375. B 322, p 429. Dated Nov 29, 1909.

Bishop & Co to Thomas J Higgins, Rel; por lot 141, patent 4129, Volcano Rd, Oahu, Hawaii; \$2000. B 324, p 281. Dated Dec 2, 1909.

Ookala Sugar Plantn Co by trs to Kaiwika Sugar Co Ltd, D; por gr 2467, rents, etc, Ookala, Hilo, Hawaii; R P 7678 and gr 2333, rents, etc, Manowai-ale and lands, rents, etc, on Hamakua, Hawaii; \$10,000. B 326, p 81. Dated Nov 4, 1909.

Record Dec. 6, 1909.

Kealoa (k) to Kealoa (k) et al, D; grs 718, 1122 and 1110, Maili, etc, Waiwala, Oahu; \$7, etc. B 326, p 92. Dated Aug 27, 1909.

Man' K Cook to Cyrus J Green, Rel; 4095 sq ft land, Kuakini St extn, Honolulu, Oahu; \$350. B 324, p 297. Dated Nov 3, 1909.

Peter C Jones Ltd to Robert J Pratt, Rel; lot 8, blk 6, College Hills, Honolulu, Oahu; \$3500. B 324, p 297. Dated Dec 4, 1909.

Otto Graef et al by mtgee to Wm L Whitney, Fore Adm; pe land, cor Puna-ale and Willie St, Honolulu, Oahu. B 324, p 297. Dated Dec 6, 1909.

A N Campbell tr and wf to Otto Wix, D; por R P 2247, kul 1092, Bruce lane, Honolulu, Oahu; \$1600. B 326, p 94. Dated Dec 6, 1909.

H Baekfeld & Co Ltd by attys to Notice, Notice; applan for reg title of grs 3123, 3353 and pers gr 3230 and kul 164, Honolulu, Oahu. B 331, p 133. Dated Dec 6, 1909.

Recorded December 8, 1909.

Laahwa Kaakimaka (widow) to Antonio Fernandez and wf, D A; female child, Hannah Kaakimaka, 2 yrs 11 mo old, and name changed to Hannah Fernandez. B 331, p 134. Dated Dec 6, 1909.

Sai Jay to A S Humphreys, D; 1-3 of int in premises, Peleula, Honolulu, Oahu; \$1. B 319, p 469. Dated Apr 7, 1909.

Surah C R Stocks and hsb (H B) to Bank of Hawaii Ltd, M; por lot 6 of L P 4619, bldgs, rents, etc, Waiwala, Waiwala, Oahu; \$3000. B 324, p 303. Dated Dec 8, 1909.

Charles G Sylvester and wf to John P Dias, Tr; M; premises, Kewalo Tract, Honolulu, Oahu; \$200. B 324, p 306. Dated Dec 8, 1909.

L H Wolfe and wf to J A Magoon, Tr; D; lots 9 and 10 of Kalia Lots, Honolulu, Oahu; \$550. B 319, p 472. Dated Dec 7, 1909.

Ane H Keama and hsb to Kukumano Kaolelo (w), D; int in R Ps 756 and 748, Kalawao, Ewa, Oahu; \$1. B 319, p 473. Dated Dec 8, 1909.

Kukumano Kaolelo (w) to William Henry, M; R Ps 756 and 748, rents, etc, Kalawao, Ewa, Oahu; \$160. B 324, p 308. Dated Dec 8, 1909.

Tom May and wf to Kaiwika Sugar Co Ltd, D; 1-2 int in gr 2500, bldgs, rents, etc, Kealakaha, Hamakua, Hawaii; \$1200. B 319, p 470. Dated Nov 9, 1909.

Kanaliwahine Malakiali (w) to Koolau Sugar Co, L; int in R P 3673, gr (kul) 3259, Koolau, Kona, Kauai; 12 yrs for addn to house. B 320, p 409. Dated May 7, 1909.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

Haiku Sugar Company.
Notice is hereby given that new certificates for the increased capital stock of the Haiku Sugar Company will be issued to stockholders on December 15, 1909.

Stockholders are particularly requested to exchange their present certificates for those of the new issue without delay.

The stock books of the company will be closed to transfers from December 8th to December 15th, inclusive.

J. P. COOKE, Treasurer, Haiku Sugar Company, Honolulu, December 6, 1909.

5229—Dec. 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15

BY AUTHORITY

RESOLUTION

MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE VARIOUS SERVICES OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of Honolulu, Territory of Hawaii, that the following sums, amounting to THREE HUNDRED FORTY-NINE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-SIX Dollars (\$349,156.00), are hereby appropriated to be paid out of moneys in the General Fund of the Treasury of the City and County of Honolulu for salaries fixed by law and other salaries, wages of labor, donations, maintenance of jails, schools, and general expenses of the said City and County for the period beginning with the First day of January, A. D. 1910, and ending with the Thirtieth day of June, A. D. 1910, said payment to be made in pro rata monthly subdivisions of said amount as stated in the schedule hereinafter contained:

	Per Month.	Six Months.
Salaries fixed by law	\$ 3,005 00	\$18,030 00
Advertising, not pro rated	1,500 00	9,000 00
Associated Charities	100 00	600 00
Attorney, Deputies and Office Employees	650 00	3,900 00
Attorney, Expenses, Civil and Criminal Cases, not pro rated	300 00	1,800 00
Attorney, Material & Supplies	50 00	300 00
Auditor, Office Employees	225 00	1,350 00
Auditor, Material & Supplies	75 00	450 00
Building & Plumbing Inspector, Payroll	255 00	1,530 00
Building & Plumbing Inspector, Material & Supplies	10 00	60 00
Building & Plumbing Inspector, Keep of Horse	28 00	168 00
Burial, Indigent Dead, not pro rated	800 00	4,800 00
City & County Physician, Payroll	250 00	1,500 00
City & County Physician, Material & Supplies	75 00	450 00
Clerk, Office Employees	455 00	2,730 00
Clerk, Material & Supplies	100 00	600 00
Collection & Disposition of Garbage	1,400 00	8,400 00
Commission, Collecting Road Tax, not pro rated	1,000 00	6,000 00
Coroner's Inquest, not pro rated	450 00	2,700 00
District Court, Employees	420 00	2,520 00
District Courts, Material & Supplies	50 00	300 00
District Magistrate, Second, not pro rated	150 00	900 00
Donation, Hawaii Promotion Committee	250 00	1,500 00
Donation, Kapiolani Park (To be expended under the direction of the Board of Supervisors)	700 00	4,200 00
Donation, Leahi Home	125 00	750 00
Engineering & Surveying Work, Payroll	480 00	2,880 00
Engineering & Surveying Work, Material & Supplies	100 00	600 00
Fish Inspector, Payroll	170 00	1,020 00
Hospital Expenses	1,150 00	6,900 00
Janitors, Payroll	400 00	2,400 00
License Collectors, Payroll	250 00	1,500 00
License Collectors, Material & Supplies	25 00	150 00
Maintenance of Fire Stations & Fire Apparatus, Payroll	3,695 00	22,170 00
Maintenance of Fire Stations & Fire Apparatus, Material & Supplies	700 00	4,200 00
Maintenance of Hawaiian Band, Payroll	1,725 00	10,350 00
Maintenance of Hawaiian Band, Material & Supplies	75 00	450 00
Maintenance of Jails, Payroll	1,045 00	6,270 00
Maintenance of Parks, Payroll	470 00	2,820 00
Maintenance of Parks, Material & Supplies, not pro rated	350 00	2,100 00
Maintenance of Police & Fire Alarm System, Payroll	200 00	1,200 00
Maintenance of Police & Fire Alarm System, Material & Supplies	125 00	750 00
Maintenance of Police Force, Payroll	6,960 00	41,760 00
Maintenance of Police Force, Material & Supplies	1,100 00	6,600 00
Maintenance of Pounds, Payroll	50 00	300 00
Maintenance of Prisoners	685 00	4,110 00
Maintenance of Roads, Honolulu District	16,000 00	96,000 00
Maintenance of Ewa Road District	2,500 00	15,000 00
Maintenance of Waiwala Road District	400 00	2,400 00
Maintenance of Waiwala Road District	2,250 00	13,500 00
Maintenance of Koolaula Road District	2,000 00	12,000 00
Maintenance of Koolaula Road District	2,000 00	12,000 00
Maintenance of Waimanalo Road District, not pro rated	600 00	3,600 00
Maintenance of Schools, not pro rated	6,000 00	36,000 00
Maintenance & Construction of Electric Light System, Payroll	790 00	4,740 00
Maintenance & Construction of Electric Light System, Material & Supplies	1,018 00	6,108 00
Mayor, Incidentals	150 00	900 00
Mayor, Entertainment Fund, not pro rated	500 00	3,000 00
Meat Inspector, Payroll	150 00	900 00
Meat & Food Inspector, outside districts	100 00	600 00
Milk Inspector, Payroll & Transportation	100 00	600 00
Morgue Attendant, Payroll	85 00	510 00
Municipal Offices Rents	325 00	1,950 00
Road Signs, not pro rated	300 00	1,800 00
Sanitary Inspectors, Payroll	170 00	1,020 00
Supervisors, Material & Supplies, not pro rated	60 00	360 00
Treasurer, Office Employees	150 00	900 00
Treasurer, Material & Supplies	25 00	150 00
Witness Fees, not pro rated	900 00	5,400 00
Meat & Food Inspectors	170 00	1,020 00

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the following sums amounting to TWENTY-ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED (\$21,900.00) DOLLARS are hereby appropriated to be paid out of moneys in the Road Tax Special Fund of the City and County of Honolulu, for the building and maintenance of roads and bridges in the respective districts named herein, said payment to be in pro rata monthly subdivision of said amount as stated in the schedule thereof herein contained:

	Per Month.	Six Months.
Honolulu District	\$ 2000 00	\$12,000 00
Ewa & Waiwala District	1,000 00	6,000 00
Waiwala District	450 00	2,700 00
Koolaula District	200 00	1,200 00

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Auditor of the City and County of Honolulu is hereby authorized and directed to draw warrants on the City and County Treasurer for any of the sums named herein, or parts thereof, upon having filed with him schedules of salaries fixed by law, and other salaries, of donations named herein, of payrolls and of accounts for material and supplies, accompanied by original vouchers and certified by the Clerk as having been duly passed and allowed by the Board of Supervisors at any regular meeting, or any special meeting called for the purpose of considering expenditures;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That to make expenditures under this Resolution, it shall be necessary that all salary lists, items of donations, payrolls, items of material and supplies and accounts of general expenses shall, before being presented to the Board of Supervisors, be passed upon by a Committee or Committees and by such be reported to the Board of Supervisors with the recommendation of such Committee or Committees, and sums found to be lawfully due and payable may then be voted upon singly or collectively as convenient on a call of the ayes and noes. In the event of any such Committee failing or neglecting to so pass upon any such matters, or to make any recommendation in regard thereto, the Board may thereupon act.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That no payments under this Resolution be incurred in any month in excess of the monthly pro rata sums herein authorized.

Introduced by Supervisor DANIEL LOGAN.

Honolulu, T. H., December 7, 1909.

The following Resolution was, at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of Honolulu, held on Tuesday, December 7, 1909, passed to print on the following vote of the said Board:

Ayes: Ahia, Cox, Logan, Quinn.—Total, 4.

Noes: Aylett.—Total, 1.

Absent and not voting: Kane, McClellan.—Total, 2.

D. KALAFOKALANI, JR., Clerk, City and County of Honolulu.

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By Authority

Office of the Board of Health.
Honolulu, Hawaii, December 8, 1909.
TENDERS FOR PAIAI—LEPER SETTLEMENT.

Sealed tenders, in duplicate, endorsed "TENDER FOR PAIAI—LEPER SETTLEMENT," will be received at the office of the Board of Health, until 12 o'clock, noon, Tuesday, December 21st, 1909, for supplying the Leper Settlement, Molokai, with paia during the period of six months from January 1st, 1910, to June 30th, 1910, under the following conditions, namely:

Tenders to be for price per bundle of paia weighing twenty-five (25) pounds net. The paia to be freshly made and securely packed in ti leaves and delivered in good condition at the Leper Settlement, Molokai.

Tenders to be based on the supply of 900 to 1000 paia per month to be delivered as ordered by the Superintendent and the supply to begin with the first week of January, 1910.

For further information apply at the office of the Board of Health, Honolulu.

The Board reserves the right to purchase taro from Waikolu Valley.

All bids must be submitted in accordance with, and be subject to, the provisions and requirements of Act 62, Session Laws of 1909.

BOARD OF HEALTH,
By its President,
E. A. MOTT-SMITH.

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Office of the Board of Health.
Honolulu, Hawaii, December 8, 1909.
TENDERS FOR PURCHASE OF HIDES.

Sealed tenders, in duplicate, endorsed "TENDERS FOR PURCHASE OF HIDES," for the purchase of hides belonging to the Board of Health, for the period of six months from January 1st, 1910, to June 30th, 1910, will be received at the office of the Board of Health until 12 o'clock, noon, Tuesday, December 21st, 1909.

Tenders must be for the price per pound for hides delivered on the wharf at Honolulu, on weights approved by an agent of the Board of Health.

Payments required in U. S. Gold Coin immediately after delivery.

The Board does not bind itself to accept the highest or any bid.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH,
By its President,
E. A. MOTT-SMITH.

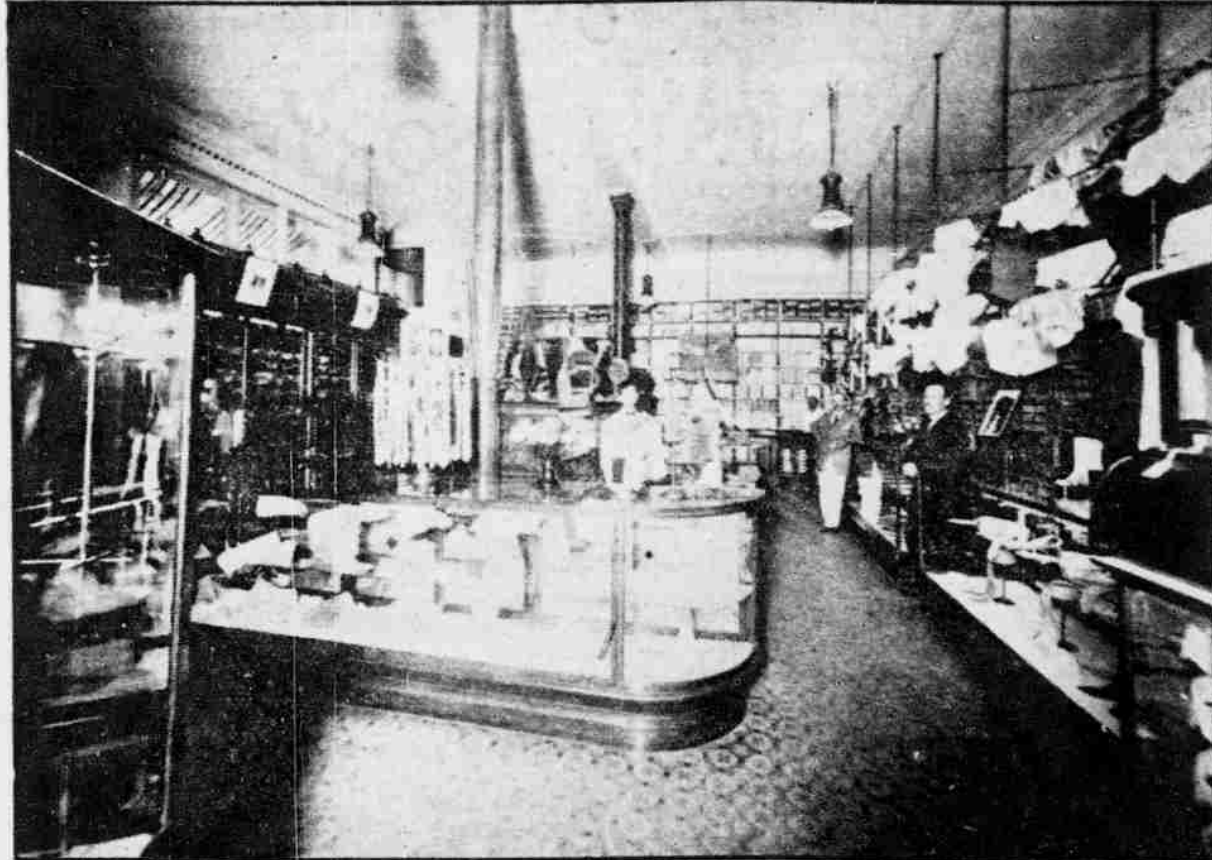
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IN A GENERAL WAY

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IMPORTANCE OF PEARL HARBOR

Secretary of the Navy Meyer Says It Can Not Be Over-Estimated.

The importance and strategic value of the Pearl Harbor naval base, in the opinion of Secretary of the Navy Meyer, can hardly be overestimated. In his report for the fiscal year of 1909, Secretary Meyer says: "Owing to the changed conditions, the past differences of opinion in regard to the establishment of a naval base in the Philippine Islands have been entirely overcome. The joint board has recently considered this important matter, including the whole strategic field of the Pacific, and has made a report recommending that we maintain a small docking and repair station at Olongapo, in the Philippine Islands, but that our main naval base in the Pacific Ocean should be established at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii."

"This definitely disposes of any contention as to the locality for a repair station in the Philippines, and enables us to concentrate effort on the building up of the naval base at Pearl Harbor and of the necessary defenses in connection therewith."

"The joint board gave close attention to the various plans presented for establishing a naval station in Manila Bay, but finally decided that no location presented had the necessary natural advantages; that while a few could be made into suitable naval bases at great expense, the changed conditions in the Pacific made such expense unnecessary and undesirable. It was found that Olongapo was ideally situated, as far as natural advantages go, and that in confining its facilities to the use of the floating dock and small repair shops, its defense would not become one of serious moment."

"The department desires to invite your favorable attention to the extreme desirability of developing the naval station partly established at Guantanamo, Cuba. Certain facilities exist there, and a drydock has been partly excavated, but funds are lacking to continue the building up of this important insular station."

"With the opening of the Panama Canal, the Caribbean Sea will become the scene of great commercial activity, and our responsibility as to the police and maintenance of the canal and our interest in the whole Caribbean region

urgently call for an adequate naval repair base in that locality."

"The naval base at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, has been started under favorable appropriations and conditions, and it is hoped that the building up of this important station can be rapidly and economically carried on. Its importance and strategic value can hardly be overestimated."

ENGLISH BIRDS ARE UNWELCOME VISITORS

Uncle Sam has found the beautiful English starling which he imported from England some time ago, with the hope that it would be a good friend to the fruit growers of this country, not the helpful little visitor that he had expected, but, instead, rather a naughty little bird with a particularly strong passion for indulging in fruit on its own account.

About twelve years ago the starling was introduced from England, several pairs being placed in Central Park, New York. The numbers have increased so enormously since then that in some parts of the east, especially in Staten Island, they are more numerous than the native birds. They were originally brought to this country by the United States government to help the wren, the sparrow and the chickadee and other feathered friends of the farmer to rid orchards and forests of destructive insects. With the increase in numbers of the starlings, however, has come the discovery that they have wholesale appetites for the succulent fruits of late fall, nor have they shown any reluctance to indulge these appetites at the expense of the orchards. Another and a worse crime that is charged against them is their bloodthirsty tendency in relation to their fellow-birds, attacking other birds in their search for food and destroying large numbers of the weaker ones.

As yet the starling is not generally known in most sections of the United States. It is about the size of the robin and it is supposed to have gained its name from the starlike yellow spots on its dark plumage. It is seen mostly in the late fall and winter and seems to be as impervious to cold as its fellow-visitor from England, the sparrow. Its note is a sharp whistle precisely like that made by a human being. In the tradition of the starling it is said to have been taught to talk like the crow.—Portland Oregonian.

The Utah Supreme Court holds that interference with religious services by the noises incident to the rightful operation of a railroad and train yards near a church without any interference with the church property, does not give the religious society a right of action for damages against the railroad company. The fact that the degree of annoyance to the worshipping congregation might be greater than the annoyance would be to a home from the same cause is held to create no right to damages in favor of the church.

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By the Month, \$1.50

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SPERRY'S

Drifted Snow

FLOUR

30 YEARS THE STANDARD.

LEWIS & CO., LTD.
PHONE 240.

A FORMER HONOLULU ELOPES WITH AFFINITY

SAN LUIS OBISPO, December 2.—
Embert M. Brown, a real estate opera-
tor of Santa Cruz, who has a wife and
child at his home in that city, has been
arrested on a southbound train in com-
pany with pretty seventeen-year-old
Ora Flagg and charged with abduction.
The two were in a sleeping compart-
ment of the train when awakened at
2:40 o'clock in the morning. Brown
made no attempt to conceal his identity.

Miss Flagg, who is the daughter of
C. E. Flagg of Santa Cruz, recently
graduated from a business college
there and entered Brown's office as a
stenographer. On pretense of visiting
friends, she went to San Jose some time
ago, and was followed by Brown, who
was seen in her company in the Gar-
den City. The girl's father heard of
their departure for the south and had
them intercepted at this city. Brown
was taken back to Santa Cruz in hand-
cuffs and the girl went north in the
custody of her father.

Embert Brown is a former resident
of Honolulu. He was employed for
some time by the Hollister Drug Co.
He was married and divorced here.

NEWS BUDGET FROM FAR EAST COUNTRIES

VICTORIA, B. C., November 27.—
The Blue Funnel line steamer Bellerophon, from Asiatic ports today bound
to Tacoma, brought news from Macao
that the French gunboat Argus was
driven into a paddyfield 600 yards
from a river in which she took shelter
from a violent storm last month, and
that Chinese farmers have demanded
\$7000 compensation for destruction of
their rice crops by the gunboat's
travels. The Chinese insist also that
the French sailors remove their gun-
boat from the fields.

The British warships Hyacinth and
Prosperine went from Singapore to
Batticaloa a month ago to destroy the
wreck of the steamer Sir John Jackson,
laden with chemicals, and abate the
nuisance caused by her fumes, which
killed twenty men engaged in wreck-
ing the vessel before the work was
abandoned. Seventeen bodies were
found by bluejackets in the wreck. It
had been intended to bombard the ves-
sel and destroy her with the warship's
guns, but it was decided to blow up
the hulk with gun cotton. Divers were
sent down and eight holes made; 800
pounds of gun cotton being used to blow
up the vessel. The explosive was fired
by means of a cable laid to the Pros-
perine. Fumes of poisonous acids
from the wreck overpowered the divers
on one of the two occasions. The
steamer went ashore a year ago when
bound from Singapore to the United
Kingdom.

Sensational charges have been made
by the directors of the Dai Nippon
Sugar Company, involved in the sugar
scandals of Japan, against cabinet
ministers and elder statesmen of shar-
ing in the graft of \$3,000,000 secured
by the Formosa Sugar Company. Di-
rector Isonuma made a statement to
the court that his company had sought
to monopolize the sugar industry in
the Orient and that the government
permitted the exemption of taxes to
the Formosa company alone. This made
possible profits of 6,000,000 yen, in
which elder statesmen, cabinet minis-
ters and other distinguished person-
ages shared as compensation for their
assistance. He excused the bribing of
Japanese members of parliament by
his company on this ground.

The Japanese government ordered
that geisha girls be eliminated from
entertainments given for Field Mar-
shal Lord Kitchener owing to the be-
lief that he was a woman hater. At
the entertainment given at Tokio mu-
nicipality, the geisha girls, usually so
prominent at such entertainments,
were replaced by men in ancient armor
carrying weapons used in medieval
days. The girls who usually act as
waitresses at the Maple Club were for
the occasion replaced by men.

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This is being received with enthusiasm in the States and in
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BROWN & LYON CO., Ltd.

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Ask to see the Buchley Bindings



We Can Shoe the Whole Family

Why not let us show you our Christmas stock?

Men's House-Slippers, in eleven different styles.

Men's and Women's House Scuffs, in seven different styles.

Hanan's Smart Creations. Laird, Schober & Co.'s Bronze, Undressed Kid
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There never was a better assortment of shoes exhibited in this city than we are showing today.

McINERNY'S SHOE STORE

HOLIDAY ANNOUNCEMENT

We are pleased to offer at this season an assortment of toilet articles larger and better than we have ever had. The quality is not surpassed anywhere.

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ROGER & GALLET—Violette de Parme, Heliotrope Blanc, Bouquet d'Amour, Indian Hay, Fleur d'Amour, Souvenir de la Cour, Perle de Chine.

HUDNUTS—Parfum du Barry, Yanki Clover, Extreme Violet.

RICKSECKERS—Gyp, Ping Pong, Attar Tropical, Violet, Edgewood Violet, Attar Violet.

PIVERS—La Trefle Incarnat, Azura, Floramye, Safranor.

GUERLAINS—Jicky.

KERCHOFFS—Djer Kiss.

GOSNELL'S CHERRY BLOSSOM.

CROWN—Crabapple Blossom.

JERGENS—Crushed Roses.

MUHLER'S RHINE VIOLETS.

PINAUDS—Violette Embaumée.

ROYAL—Violette Ambre.

WHITLACHS—Flower Perfumes.

Toilet Waters

Violet, White Rose, Floramye, Safranor, Trefle, Maybells, Ideal, Lavender, Crushed Roses, Azura, Dactylis, Ping Pong, Golf Queen, Violette de Parme.

Sachet Powders

Golf Queen, Violet, Trefle, Djer Kiss, Ping Pong, Du Barry, Carnation Pink, Ideal, Safranor, Violette de Parme.

Toilet Powders

Colgates, Eastmans, Hudnuts, Rickseckers, Mennens, Houbigants, Riveris, Roger & Gallet, Williams, Jergens, Kerchoffs.

Toilet Accessories

Hand Mirrors, Hair, Tooth and Nail Brushes, Gillette Razors, Manicure Sets, Manicure Scissors, Files and Clippers, Dagget & Ramsdell's Cold Cream.

BENSON, SMITH & CO., Ltd.

BIG PROGRESS IN ADVERTISING

Spontaneous Recognition by the Honolulu Firms of the Value of Printer's Ink.

It would be interesting to see published the advertisements of some of the houses a few years ago at the side of the announcements by the same firms in yesterday's and this issue. Never in the history of the press in Honolulu has there been such a spontaneous recognition of the value of printer's ink as is shown today. Men in business are telling the public in quarter and half pages what they have for Christmas offerings, and they tell it in The Advertiser because more people see the advertisements there than would if they were printed in other advertising mediums.

The largest single advertisement, with the exception of that announcing the sale of the Isenberg property, that has ever been in The Advertiser, is that of the Kaimuki Land Company, which occupied two pages of this paper yesterday. Manager Stanton of that company puts Kaimuki squarely before the public, and he believes what he says in his advertisements. There are many other residents of the Territory who have the same faith in that section of the city, and are buying to the extent of their means.

It is like getting a letter from home to read the announcement that James W. Bergstrom and his brother have returned to active piano salesmanship in their own establishment. A location exactly suitable to their line is not easy to secure except at what is to them an exorbitant rental, hence the Masonic Temple. The famous standard piano, Knabe, is the instrument to which this new business enterprise has been anchored. It is a piano used by the greatest of the European professionals and by pianists in private life. There is a deficiency of tone claimed for the Knabe that is not to be found in many of the other makes, and its popularity hangs on this point and the superior construction. The Bergstroms are prepared to sell the Knabe on the usual easy terms to responsible parties. A demonstrator is at the rooms to show them and play anything that may be brought. Besides the pianos, the Bergstroms are selling the records and Victor talking machines, the instrument that has done as much to soothe the savage beast as any educational campaign ever made. Catalogues containing complete lists of records are in the store.

Automobiles have done much to boost advertising in Honolulu, and elsewhere, during the past few years. It is a line of trade that is responsible for two and a quarter pages of advertising in this issue, something unprecedented in the history of The Advertiser in space dimensions bought by a single firm for one issue; von Hamm-Young Co., Ltd., are the leaders in advertising automobiles here. They use more printer's ink than any firm, using the columns of The Advertiser as a spreader, and they get returns.

The Pope-Hartford machine is something worth advertising. It is a machine that has done things, and, like the Cadillac, will continue to do them. If these machines were not worth while, if they had not made records, they would not enjoy the popularity they do. The von Hamm-Young Co., Ltd., are agents for their sale, and several others of the best on the market. They have demonstrators who enjoy nothing better than to take out the owner of a machine of a different make and let them enjoy a ride without a jolt. And they will take out those who merely think they would like to buy. Arrangements for demonstrations may be made at the garage or the office.

The two haberdashers, McInerney and Silva's Toggery, have been doing a great deal of advertising during the year. McInerney, Ltd., have brought their goods to the attention of the public in pages and half pages of advertiser space, as well as by the publication of a handsome booklet. That the publicity has been of the paying kind is shown by the fact that it is continued, the size of the space varying according to their advertising manager deems necessary. Liberal use of illustrations has added to the telling points of their advertisements, and they have brought business. Fifty-five years of doing business in Honolulu, catering to the wants of the people, filling those of the older generation, and keeping pace with the demands of the younger set, has kept the House of McInerney on a plane from which nothing can move it. The line of Christmas goods in the two floors of the establishment would remind a recent arrival of the stores on the mainland, and pretty big stores at that. Nothing that man can wish for has been omitted from the stock, from a bone collar button to a suit of evening clothes of the highest character.

In point of stock it is a toss-up which of the two places has the largest assortment. The Toggery is a new store, comparatively, and it is one that is rapidly forging ahead. The business has grown until it is now one of the leading houses in the Islands. While not as old as the establishment mentioned above, it is a strong and healthy child, with a constitution that will carry it through all right. The stock of goods is well displayed, the articles are all within view, and the clothing put away so it is easy to show. Quality is the slogan of the Toggery, and the management does not care to have anything mentioned as being cheap or to have an advertisement contain the announcement that an article may be had there cheaper than elsewhere. He believes it indicates a falling off in quality and will not allow it. A child or a man may be fitted out completely, except his shoes, in the Toggery, and when he wears the clothing he buys there he will know he is well dressed.

New blood has been infused into the old Kash, new Clarion, at the corner of Hotel and Fort streets, and their advertisements are the signposts to an

establishment where medium priced trade may be accommodated with a rare good quality of goods. The twenty-dollar suits being sold at the Clarion are said to be so good that the stock may not hold out until Christmas. This is one of the best illustrations of the value of publicity. For a long time before the place changed hands its wares were advertised in one newspaper. With the change the space was trebled and two newspapers used with the result stated. The Clarion keeps everything for men, and the men are fast finding it out.

Another firm believer in printer's ink is L. B. Kerr and the business done in that big store proves his judgment. The sales there have been made successful through the advertising. The ladies have gone again and again because the quality is invariably satisfactory. A small advertising space-order from Mr. Kerr is as unusual as a day of small transactions are to him. Some time ago he decided to give up ladies' wear but the ladies would not agree to it and it took several pages of print to advise them the idea had been abandoned. Since then he has been playing fair to both sexes by adding an unusually good line of men's clothing, the Adler-Rochester, which is being sold as rapidly as the customers are fitted and the clerks can wait on them. He is making a great showing of toys this year and Santa Claus is on hand every night to greet the children. As usual there is good music at Kerr's and this draws the crowds. The Christmas goods are rapidly going.

"Blom the Bargain Maker" cut his space below normal yesterday because it took all of his time to mark the goods for a big sale he will hold next week. He reports his sales during October and November to have been larger than the business done just prior to Christmas last year. He has a large stock of goods for ladies in addition to toys for the million. It is a specialty with Blom to give about three times the value in goods for the dollars that drift over the counter and to that is due much of his success.

"For smokes go to Fitzpatrick's," is the advice given to men who use the weed because the quality and assortment of cigars there is unsurpassed. The best grades of Manila smokes are sold at the stores owned by this firm and they have the agency for the exclusive sale of two of the most popular of the Walter E. Olsen's make. A specialty of smokers articles is made of pipes in these establishments. Calabash pipes are something beyond the ordinary, and he has a stock that is large enough to supply the entire Territory. They are pronounced by smokers to be superior to any make of pipe because they draw absolutely free. The assortment of accessories is unlimited. There is to be found ponies of every description, tobacco jars, match boxes, thermometers, cigar and cigarette holders, and a thousand other things in which smokers delight. The Fitzpatrick brothers will tell you that they hit the nail on the head by using liberal space in The Advertiser, that they have done more business than ever and are constantly adding new customers to their list.

Whitney & Marsh are doing a fine business in high grade materials for ladies' wear and made up garments. Manager Braseh of this firm makes annual trips to Europe and gets on the inside of the market in the principal cities. His stock is always fresh and includes the latest Parisian novelties in trimmings as well as materials for dresses. This year the firm has a contest in which a handsome Victor Talking Machine is the prize.

One of the regular advertisers taking the same space year after year is Sachs. He advertises his wares regularly and has the best possible results from printer's ink. His usual voting contest is now on and the sales are large in consequence. He has a large stock of holiday goods including dolls and the prices are moderate in the extreme. Mr. Sachs makes annual trips to the mainland and has the advantages the markets offer, and, being a careful buyer, gets what the people here want.

Reliable goods for Christmas are to be had at Hackfeld's. There is everything to make the table groan and much to make the man or woman of the house happy during the holiday season. The advertisement on the back page of one section of yesterday's issue told in few words some of the goods to be had there.

Gunst is a household word on the Pacific Coast and during the past few years the indefatigable "Mose" has broken through the cordon in New York and established himself in a part of the city where his firm gets the best paying business of the metropolis. Here in Honolulu the house is well patronized because the brands of cigars are standard and the quality, consequently, good. There is a goodly supply of smokers' articles in the store at the corner of Fort and King street where the wants of those who use the weed will be attended to.

Toys of a dependable sort are offered by Wall, Nichols Co., Ltd. in their Fort street establishment. The selection was personally made by Mr. Wall and includes about everything needed to make the heart of the small boy glad. There are books, too, that will please persons of all ages and any taste. Christmas mottoes, calendars and what not for every one.

Activity in real estate usually means activity with the builders and those who deal in builders' material. Roofing is an article to be selected with unusual care, because the safety of the furniture and decorations during a storm depends upon the omission of openings through which the rain may come by way of the roof. Malthoid, which is sold by the von Hamm-Young Company, Ltd., is said by builders and owners of houses to be superior to most of the articles or preparations used for covering that portion of a building. The thousand reasons why it should be used are furnished by the agents.

You may live without many things offered in the shops, but it is a difficult matter for anyone to get along without books. Honolulu is possessed of a good library, but one feels that to own is more satisfactory. Messrs. Brown & Lyon, in the Young building, have a stock that exceeds the expectations of the most exacting. From the deepest classic to the shallowest novel may be found there, in bindings that vary from the staid to the flimsy, gold-bedecked boards that are a lure to many who are not wise on the subject. But let it be said that the majority of books sold by the firm are as distinctive in their binding as

they are pure in content. The buyer for the firm knows books and bindings, but all tastes must be satisfied, even to the jarring of one's own particular ideas on the subject.

Pau Ka Hana soap and White River flour are two articles that are being sought after by the anxious housewife—because she wants the articles that will keep the cleanest house and furnish the lightest bread. Sunny Monday soap is having the call on other cleansers and the demand for it is increasing.

Hackfeld & Co., agents for the famous Hall safe, report good business in recent sales. Hall of Cincinnati makes safes that smile at the efforts of the enterprising burglar, because they have had the hand of the most experienced workmen in their manufacture. They have been submitted to severe tests in the way of attempts to break through the sides and doors, and as a rule they successfully ward off the attempts of the oldest safe-breakers as well as the less experienced.

The frequent large advertisements of E. W. Jordan & Co. have been the means of drawing to that establishment hundreds of buyers where, in the former days, one crossed the threshold. Manager Curtis believes in printer's ink, and the day he took charge of that establishment he backed his faith with a showing which, for the house, was a surprise and must have made the old walls tremble. Half and full pages have followed with gratifying results. Mr. Curtis writes advertisements with the same skill that marks his purchase of goods. Wisdom in advertising and care in buying are two factors which spell success. The selling is a mere matter of form. The place has always been noted for the quality of its goods, and the indifferent business done was due to the fact that there was no publicity of an organized kind before Curtis took hold.

B. F. Ehlers & Co. are methodical in their advertising. They tell of their stock in a concise advertisement in a certain limited space each week, with a larger space on Sunday, because the manager knows that the Sunday paper is the one that is more carefully read than the daily, and it will stand a more detailed advertisement. This week the firm is running something over a quarter page, with but a sparse statement of facts concerning the stock. The picture catches the eye and the little story creates a desire for the ladies of Honolulu to go and see the goods.

Harry Wilder is advertising the fact that he sells automobiles, and yesterday he told it to the readers of The Advertiser in a quarter-page advertisement. His Regal is making records, and he is selling them because they are good machines.

Messrs. W. C. Peacock & Co., who make a bid for the family trade that will be relinquished by Lewis & Co. on January 1, do so in a crisp quarter-page advertisement in the Sunday Advertiser. The firm has been in business so many years that special mention is not necessary. Manager Buchly is ready to talk to purchasers and tell them that the goods purchased there will be delivered in hermetically-sealed packages, if requested, so that even the cook will not know what is inside. And the packages are delivered free of cost.

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DANDRUFF REMOVER?
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LEWIS & CO., Ltd.

HOUSEHOLD EMPORIUM.

169 KING STREET.

TELEPHONE 240.

**Buy a Nice Rug
FOR CHRISTMAS**

We have the twisted matting rugs, made in China. These are not expensive, yet they make very desirable floor coverings in any house. We have imported a specially large stock for the large holiday trade we have in them every year.

We have a fine assortment of blue and white Japanese cotton rugs. Prices very low.

Lewers & Cooke, Ltd.

177 SOUTH KING STREET, NEAR ALAKEA.

White Dress Goods

K. L. WONG STORE
32 Hotel Street, opp. Bethel.

CHAN KEE

Waverley Building

Hotel Street

LADIES' UNDERWEAR

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Combings

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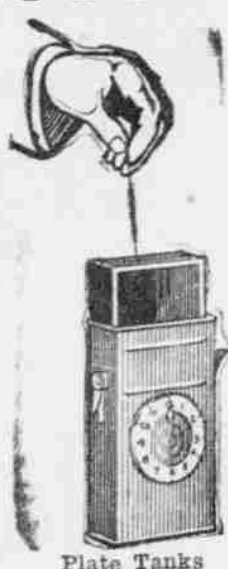
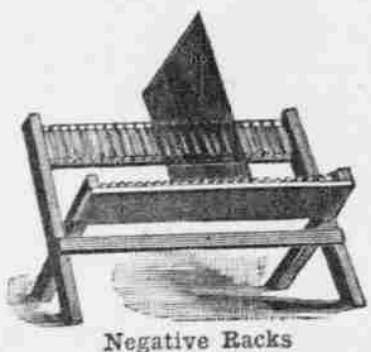


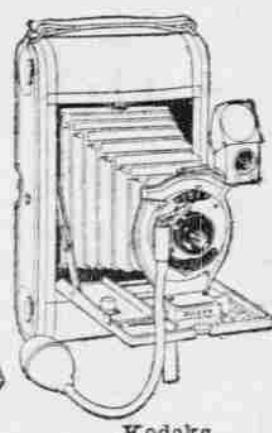
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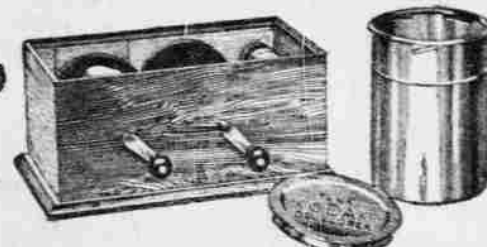
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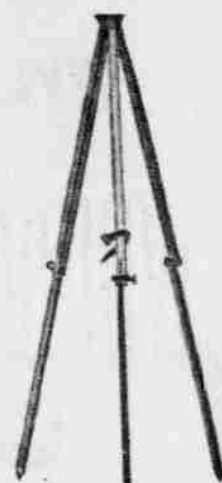
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WILL DOUBLE-TRACK SIBERIAN RAILWAY

Russia May Give Contract to
American Syndicate—Road
Is 5000 Miles Long.

BERLIN, November 23.—The Lokal Anzeiger learns from an authoritative source that the Russian government intends to close a contract with an American syndicate to develop the trans-siberian railroad, which will be double-tracked its whole length. The project involves hundreds of millions, and, according to the paper, representatives of the syndicate are now in Europe awaiting the emperor's return to St. Petersburg from Livadia. They will then proceed to St. Petersburg to complete the contract.

The double-tracking of the trans-siberian railway is a matter which was forced on the attention of Russia during the war with Japan, owing to the difficulty met at that time in forwarding troops and supplies from Russia, five thousand miles away. At present the distance between the Russian frontier and Vladivostok is spanned by a single track, the cost of the construction of which exceeded \$200,000,000.

Of course, the laying of a second pair of rails would be nowhere near this total, probably less than half of it, and could be accomplished in much less time, owing to the facility with which supplies can be transported now, and the great number of sidings already built. Furthermore, as the road was originally built for two tracks, the tunnels throughout will need no enlargement, a feature which will not only expedite construction, but will cut down expense.

COUNT TOLSTOI WOULD PUT END TO ALL WAR

Appeals to People of the World
to Refuse to Serve in
the Armies.

GENEVA, November 23.—Count Leo Tolstoi, by way of Switzerland, has given another message to the world. At an antimilitary meeting held at Bienne, when one hundred Swiss and foreign delegates were assembled, Count Tolstoi's appeal to the people was read amid great enthusiasm. The appeal was especially written for the recent Peace Congress at Stockholm, and would have been greatly embarrassing, on account of its violence, to the Swedish authorities, who were saved by the timely strike which caused a postponement of the congress.

Later it was arranged to read the appeal at Berlin. The largest hall in that city was engaged and all the tickets were sold, but the police prohibited the reading. Sunday, Tolstoi's friends in Geneva, having obtained permission, delivered his message at Bienne. Count Tolstoi appeals to the good sense of the world's peoples to refuse to serve as soldiers, either vol-

untarily or under pressure, even if that refusal entails punishment. Killing by soldiers, he asserts, is a criminal act. The message appeals not to governments, but directly to peoples and their good sense to stop the growth of armies and navies.

ROOSEVELT IS PROUD OF CAPTAIN PEARY

NEW YORK, November 26.—A letter from Theodore Roosevelt was received by Secretary Bridgman of the Peary Arctic Club today, replying to the cable announcing that Commander Peary had reached the North Pole, as follows:

"On Safari, North of Mount Kenia, September 22, 1909.
"Dear Mr. Bridgman:—Your cable has just been brought me by a native runner, here in my camp by the Guaso Nyiro. I am writing to Mrs. Peary and to Captain Peary; I have no idea where he is. I am inexpressibly rejoiced at his wonderful triumph, and proud beyond measure, as an American, that this—one of the great feats of the ages—should have been performed by a fellow countryman of ours. It is the great feat of our generation. We are Captain Peary's debtors, all of us who belong to civilized mankind. Faithfully,
"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

RABBI FLAYS GRAFTERS.

KANSAS CITY, November 19.—Dr. Stephen D. Wise, rabbi of the Free synagogue of New York, who was a speaker tonight at the chamber of commerce banquet, declared that the most deadly enemy of the republic who must be met and overcome is the "city grafter."

"The power of Tammany halls, not Tammany hall of New York, but of Philadelphia, Chicago and San Francisco, is made possible by the corrupt leadership of a few and inert acquiescence of the many," said Doctor Wise. "The difference between most political corruptionists and the purist is that the former is dead in earnest and the latter are in earnest dead."

"The reform must be a matter of continuous and ceaseless striving. The civic reformation will not be attained if municipalities grow tired after a few years of earnest effort as San Francisco has grown tired. Leaders of the cause of civic reform like the churches, spend too much time and strength in fighting each other instead of waging united warfare upon the common enemy."

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