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GERMANY TO ANNEX BELGIUM, INDICATED TO U. S. NOW THREATENED BY AUSTRIANS, RUSSIA GIVES UP SIEGE OF CRACOW

TEUTON GOVERNMENT SAYS AMERICAN CONSULS MUST BE ACCEPTABLE; SOME NOT

State Department Notified of New Regime—U. S. Cruiser Carries Refugees From Turkey to Egypt—Petrograd Admits Investment of Cracow Again Raised—Says Russians Found Austrian Wedge Getting Dangerous, So They Retired—Little Change in Situation on Other Fields of Battle—Austria Thanks America for Christmas Gifts to Children

[Associated Press Service by Federal Wireless.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 28.—The German government has notified the state department that American consuls in Belgium must be acceptable to the German military authorities. The government also says it is desirable that some of the present consuls be withdrawn. This action by the Teuton government is believed to foreshadow the annexation of Belgium by Germany.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 28.—Menaced by the Turks since the outbreak of the war, foreigners of all kinds are fleeing from Turkish ports. So alarming did the situation become at Jaffa that the U. S. cruiser Tennessee took aboard 500 polyglot refugees and is conveying them to Alexandria.

Russians Besieging Cracow Forced to Abandon Plans and Retreat 50 Miles

PETROGRAD, Russia, Dec. 28.—Official—"The investment of Cracow by the Russian forces has again been raised. The Russians discovered that the Austrian wedge was attempting to split the Russian forces in Galicia and to avoid the cutting of the line, the Russians retreated fifty miles."

Paris Claims Considerable Progress and Defeat of German Counter-Moves

PARIS, France, Dec. 28.—Official—"Our advance near Lombardie has reached the sand dunes on which the forces of the enemy were established."

"Near Holleboke we lost one section of trenches. Near Lens we captured 800 yards of German first line trenches."

"We have made slight progress along the entire front on the Meuse."

"In Alsace the German counter-attacks northeast of Steinbach have been repulsed."

Berlin Says all of Enemy's Attacks Have Failed; Teutons Gain a Trench

BERLIN, Germany, Dec. 28.—Official—"All of the enemy's renewed attacks against Nieuport and St. George have failed."

"South of Ypres we have gained one trench. Southeast of Verdun we have repulsed several attacks."

"No news has developed in East Prussia or Poland."

Austria Official Thanks People of United States for Christmas Gifts

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 28.—Ambassador Frederic Courtland Penfield of the United States embassy at Vienna has communicated to Washington the thanks of Emperor Franz Josef for the Christmas gifts to Austrian children sent by the people of America.

War-Scene in Russian Poland, Showing Teuton Soldiers Advancing Over Bleak Countryside



The photograph above is from the Illustrated section of the Berlin Tageblatt, said to have been smuggled out of Germany to New York, from which it found its way to the Hawaiian Islands. It shows a German corps of engineers, heavily guarded, carrying forward a huge amount of bridge-building equipment to be used in crossing a river in Russian Poland. The photograph was taken during the German advance on Warsaw. Winter was falling over the bleak country but the roads were evidently in good condition as the heavy loads are being carried on rather narrow-tired wagons.

U. S. MARSHAL NOT SUCCESS AS AN AUCTIONEER

Jessie Fremont, Said to Be
Worth Thousands, Goes Under
Hammer for \$275

Bringing little more than one-third of the total awards made in the damage suit against the vessel and the costs of the proceedings in the federal court, the schooner Jessie Fremont was sold at auction by the United States marshal this morning for \$275, the highest bidder being F. W. and Walter Macfarlane. The costs of the libel brought against the schooner by Charles Howard, S. R. Palmer, Arthur Fields and Mrs. Ada B. Frair, and the amounts awarded them by Judge Charles F. Clemons upon the termination of the proceedings, amounted to \$630.33.

The Macfarlane brothers will not take possession of the Fremont until the sale is approved by the court. In case the sale is not approved, a re-sale is necessary.

Capt. George Frair appeared greatly concerned over the small amount for which the schooner in which he started from San Diego on a purported pearling expedition to the Admiralty Islands, was sold.

"The Jessie Fremont was a good schooner," he said, "and I guess her actual value would run into the thousands. She was a seaworthy craft and recently had been replanked and resailed."

The Jessie Fremont was ordered sold by Judge Clemons after he had handed down a decision favoring those who brought the suit against the vessel. The order devised the following amounts from the proceeds of the sale:

Charles Howard, \$164.33; S. R. Palmer, \$123.50; Arthur Fields, \$123.50; Mrs. Ada B. Frair, \$99; George Davis, \$100 and S. F. Chillingworth, \$20. The costs amounted to \$109.20. Howard, Palmer and Fields were seamen on the Fremont, and filed the libel following the abandonment of the pearling voyage at Honolulu and their discharge by Capt. Frair at this port.

MANY LEADERS IN CALIFORNIA MOURN ARCHBISHOP RIORDAN

[Associated Press by Fed. Wireless.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 28.—Chief Justice Sullivan of the supreme court of California heads the list of 45 pallbearers who will officiate at the funeral of Archbishop Patrick William Riordan, whose death occurred yesterday. The funeral will be held next Thursday in St. Mary's Cathedral. Many other leading business and professional men are among the pallbearers.

A hearing of the case of Lau Choy and Lau Chong, charged with having unlawfully possession of government property, is being had this afternoon before United States Commissioner George S. Curry.

LEO FRANK MAY BE FREED; U. S. JUSTICE ACTS

Man Convicted in Noted Atlanta Case Secures Writ of Habeas Corpus

[Associated Press by Fed. Wireless.]
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 28.—Justice Lamar of the supreme court of the United States today granted the appeal of Leo Frank for a writ of habeas corpus.

The Frank case has attracted nationwide attention and has resulted in severe criticism against the courts of Georgia. On April 26, 1913, a 14-year-old girl named Mary Phagan was killed in Atlanta, Georgia, and her body hidden in the basement of the pencil factory of which Leo Frank was superintendent. Frank and a negro were arrested, suspected of the crime. Frank was finally convicted of the murder. Even while the trial was under way, facts began to come to the surface which pointed to a hitherto unsuspected negro, as the real murderer. Public opinion ran high in Georgia against Frank during the trial and it has been charged that the jury was largely influenced by terrorism. Frank is a Jew and was alleged to be the victim of prejudice as well as of public passion.

After his conviction the case was appealed but the Georgia courts, it is explained, cannot reverse the verdict of a lower court on any ground but that of an error of law and the higher court refused to interfere. The case was given attention all over the United States. Collier's Weekly sent C. P. Connolly to Atlanta to make an investigation and in the latest issue of the weekly Connolly declares that Frank is not the murderer.

That a justice of the United States supreme court has granted the habeas corpus appeal indicates that Frank may ultimately be cleared. He has twice been condemned to death.

CONSUL UNDER ARREST; ARSON IS THE CHARGE

[Associated Press by Fed. Wireless.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 28.—A sensation has been created here with the arrest today of Senor Fernando Vivas, consul for Honduras, charged with arson. Firemen found his burning home was literally sprinkled with inflammables.

PRESIDENT WILSON 58 YEARS OLD; MANY SEND CONGRATULATIONS

[Associated Press by Fed. Wireless.]
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 28.—President Wilson is today receiving

REPUBLICANS OF HAWAII GET AID OF REED SMOOT

Utah Senator Pledges Aid in Holding Six Votes in National Convention

Reed Smoot, senator from Utah and one of the influential men in national Republican circles, has pledged his support to the Republican party of Hawaii in its effort to prevent representation being taken from this territory at national G. O. P. conventions.

Hawaii Republicans now have six voting delegates at each national convention but the national committee, in its wholesale revision of the plan of delegates in order to carry out needed reforms, lopped off the territory's representation until now it stands at two non-voting delegates. Local Republican leaders have protested against the reduction and received answer that the protests would be considered at the next meeting of the national committee, which may not be until late next year.

Writing to a prominent Honolulu G. O. P. man, Senator Smoot declares in favor of the local contention. He says in a letter just received:

"I have read your letter addressed to Hon. Charles D. Hilles, chairman Republican national committee, with interest, and as I expect to visit New York before long for the purpose of talking over political questions with Mr. Hilles, I shall take your letter with me and discuss the subject matter of the same with him."

"I shall do all I can to assist you at the next national committee meeting, at which this subject will no doubt be taken up for consideration."

UNCLE SAM WILL PUBLISH DAILY IN WASHINGTON

[Associated Press by Fed. Wireless.]
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 28.—The United States government will enter into the newspaper business in a small way on January 2. Arrangements have been made by the department of commerce to publish a daily commercial report, containing all the important cablegrams of attaches and consuls. The plan is devised in order to give greater publicity to the work of the department. The present consular reports sent out by mail will not be discontinued but will constitute a supplement to the daily summary.

congratulations upon his 58th birthday. Besides the felicitations extended to him by cabinet members, department heads and congressional and official leaders in Washington the President is receiving many telegrams and letters of congratulation.

CONGRESS URGED TO ENACT A NEW IMMIGRANT LAW

Dr. Gulick, Dr. Scudder and Others Join in Appeal to Senators and Representatives

ASK "ORIENTAL POLICY"
BE DEFINITELY SETTLED

Federal Council of Churches
Sends Petition Arguing For
Speedy Action

Dr. Sidney L. Gulick, noted missionary and closely-connected with Hawaii, and Dr. Doremus Scudder, pastor of Central Union church, are two of the signers of an appeal to Congress urging that the entire immigration problem be taken up at an early date and a new policy in the treatment of Oriental immigrants be worked out.

News of this line of activity by the Federal Council of the Christian churches of America has come from New York. It was announced on December 20 by many churches. Dr. Scudder has been in the states for several months, part of the time in California, endeavoring to convince legislators that further anti-alien legislation in that state is unwise and dangerous.

According to the plan announced in New York, a petition urging upon Congress the adoption of "an Oriental policy based upon a just and equitable regard for the interests of all of the nations concerned," has been sent out by the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, through its commission on relations with Japan. Congress is asked to take up the entire immigration problem at an early date.

The appeal which has been sent to each senator and representative, the President and members of the cabinet, is signed by Dr. C. R. Brown, dean of Yale divinity school; Professor Jeremiah W. Jenks of Columbia; Hamilton Holt, editor of the Independent; Dr. Sidney L. Gulick, representative on international relations; Bishop Hendrix of St. Louis; Dr. Fred-

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MAYOR TO GIVE ANNUAL BALL ON NEW YEAR'S EVE

Says It Will Not Conflict With
Governor's Ball Set for
Same Date

There will be two public balls in Honolulu on New Year's eve—the great ball at the National Guard armory given by Governor Pinkham, and Mayor Fern's annual outdoor ball.

A published statement this morning that Mayor Fern had given up his New Year's dance—his farewell dance, by the way—brought instant and vigorous denial from the mayor's office. Secretary Miles definitely announced that the ball will be held.

"The mayor's outdoor dance is an annual affair and it will be given this year," announced Miles. "It was established several years ago by the Merchants' Association and the mayor was asked to take charge of it. Thus it became the annual municipal outdoor dance and has attracted thousands of people. We do not believe it will conflict in any way with the governor's ball. There will be many hundreds of people who do not go to the governor's ball who will attend the mayor's function."

"Make it definite that the mayor's ball will be given on Bishop street on New Year's eve, beginning at 8 o'clock, and that Mayor Fern will lead the grand march."

Meanwhile preparations are going on for the governor's ball in the armory. This is to be one of the largest affairs of its kind ever held in Hawaii, from all indications. The governor is emphasizing the fact that everybody is welcome and everybody is invited. The following official notice has been issued:

"The governor of Hawaii begs to announce that as he desires the presence of the people of Hawaii, that he may meet them generally, at the reception and ball to be given by him on New Year's eve, December 31, 1914, at the National Guard armory."

"Invitations have been sent so far as lists have been obtainable. Should any fail of delivery or omissions occur he trusts the above invitation will be accepted."

NEW OFFICIALS FIND LITTLE IN CITY TREASURY

Incoming Administration Must
Hold to Closest Economy or
Meet Disaster

1915 REVENUE ESTIMATE
SHOWS NECESSITY OF CUT

Republican Regime Must
Reduce Expenditures \$41,000
Below Those of 1914

Strictest economy must be practiced by the new city administration if it is to live within its estimated income for 1915.

When the new mayor and board of supervisors take office on January 1—the first Monday of the new year—they will face an unwelcome financial situation.

They must make a cut of at least \$41,000 in current expenses to be within the estimated revenue, and must there will be nothing left for special or urgent appropriations. They must spend at least \$41,000 less than the outgoing board was able to spend in 1914 or run the danger of a financial smash.

The city's income for 1915 is not known and will not be known for several months. This uncertain feature of the taxation system is due to the fact that the tax rate is not fixed until the latter part of January and the income of the city and of the entire territory depends a good deal on such a fluctuating basis as the price of sugar, because on this plantation returns partly depend.

The city and county auditor's office makes a conservative estimate that the new board, to be on the right side, must cut \$41,653.32 from the expenditure of the present board for 1914. In order to leave something for emergencies, an even deeper cut is necessary.

The new administration confronts a financial situation declared at the auditor's office to be serious. For four or five months it will have to save every cent possible in order to be ready for contingencies. A large part of this saving must come from the maintenance fund.

Investigation made by the Star-Bulletin at the auditor's office this morning gave a good line on the situation. Upon request this paper was furnished with the following financial statement, which is brought up to date and shows exactly the status of city finances at the beginning of 1915:

1. Estimated revenue for 1914.
General fund—
Taxes, 2.3 of 1 per cent on \$84,000,000 (estimated assessments for 1915)..... \$500,000.00
One-fourth to permanent improvement fund..... 140,000.00

License fees..... \$420,000.00
Liquor license fees..... 40,000.00
City departmental receipts 70,000.00
Poll and dog taxes..... 20,000.00

Less—
Delinquent taxes (estimated)..... \$20,000.00
Transfer to cash balance fund..... 42,000.00— 62,000.00

Balance to appropriate..... \$604,000.00

2. Appropriation Bill,
January, 1914..... \$325,738.32

July, 1914..... 309,865.00

Total..... \$635,603.32—\$635,603.32

3. Not Required to be Appropriated During Same Period During 1915.

Matron shelter home \$450

Election expenses..... \$5,500

Maint. shelter home 1,250

Maint. of schools..... 6,900— \$12,200.00

Balance..... \$623,403.32

or \$19,403.32 more than the estimated revenue.

4. Road Tax.

This is estimated at \$60,000, or \$22,250 less than 1914 board spent.

5. Curtailment required both funds (road tax and general) \$41,653.32 to be within the estimated revenue and not leave a cent for special or urgent appropriations.

MISS M. OMSTED, for the past two years stenographer for the Promotion Committee, will leave for San Francisco early in February to take the position of secretary and stenographer to H. P. Wood, Hawaii resident commissioner at the Panama-Pacific exposition.

For Rent or Lease

One Store, 30x45 ft., Alakes St. Lot

65x100 ft., with barn, Miller St.

H. E. HENDRICK, LTD.

Merchant and Alakes Sts.

SKIPPER LEARNED TODAY OF TEUTON REVERSES

Kept in ignorance of the fate of what was supposed to be a man-of-war, the skipper of the British liner, Captain E. Coull, master of the Prince Line freighter Royal Prince, from New York by the way of Panama, learned for the first time this morning that the German fleet that has operated in the Pacific had been annihilated off the Falkland Islands some weeks ago.

The Royal Prince, while manned by an all-white complement of officers and seamen, is not provided with wireless telegraph equipment. At the time the vessel steamed from the Panama canal, the presence of the hostile fleet was reported near the extremity of the South American continent. Captain Coull was advised to employ caution in steaming to the Hawaiian Islands for a supply of bunker coal. Since December 7, when the British steamer Royal Prince left the Panama canal, no lights were displayed that might assist an enemy in locating the richly laden vessel.

The Royal Prince carries a miscellaneous cargo of 7000 tons, a large share being destined for Vladivostok. The vessel cleared from New York on November 27. A charter may be made whereby the vessel will take a shipment of Oriental produce to the east coast of the United States or the United Kingdom.

The Royal Prince is a sister ship to the Chinese Prince that a short time ago passed through Honolulu en route to Japan. The vessel will take a shipment of coal, it being the intention to despatch the freighter for the Siberian coast this afternoon.

Flourance Ward Back From Midway.
Back from Midway Island, where Captain George Pitz served in the capacity of Santa Claus to a colony of officers, operators and laborers stationed at the isolated little islet, about 1000 miles to the westward of Honolulu, the schooner Flourance Ward was brought into the harbor shortly before noon today. The vessel, with the assistance of its auxiliary power, was able to make fairly good time in returning to the home port. Captain Pitz found the delegation of cable people in good health and spirits. The Flourance Ward was discharged of a large miscellaneous shipment of supplies, included in which was much Christmas cheer. While meeting with some rough weather, the vessel is reported to have received no material damage.

Helena Brings Lumber from Sound.
Captain Otto Lemke, his officers and men enjoyed a merry Christmas at sea, reporting fine weather, while the good ship Helena, with a big shipment of lumber from Bellingham, Wash., for Honolulu, bowled along at a fast clip. The schooner Helena, down to her lines with more than a million feet of lumber, 30,000 bundles of shingles and 400,000 shingles, was brought into the harbor yesterday afternoon. The vessel and cargo are consigned to Allen & Robinson.

Radio from Manila.
The following wireless message has been received by the agents of the steamer Manoa, bound for Honolulu: For Honolulu, 25 passengers, 20 bags mail, 1 package express, 1500 tons cargo. For Kahului, 253 tons cargo. Ship arrives Monday evening at 7:30 and will dock at Pier 15.

HARBOR NOTES

The Matson steamer Manoa, following the Sonoma from San Francisco, will land a small mail at Honolulu this evening.

After remaining at the quarantine anchorage for some days, the German warship steamer Setos, lumber laden, has been brought to its former berth at the Waikiki side of Pier 15.

It is the intention to despatch the Japanese liner Shinyo Maru for San Francisco tomorrow morning, provided the vessel arrives at the port on its regular schedule. The Shinyo will bring about 1000 tons of Oriental cargo.

At the rate that coal is leaving the United States army transport Dix that vessel will be despatched for Seattle the latter part of the week. The U. S. quartermaster department expects to receive about 5000 tons of fuel.

S. A. R. TO MEET AT NOON TOMORROW

The officers and members of the board of managers of Hawaiian Society, Sons of the American Revolution, will meet in the Young Men's Christian Association building at noon tomorrow. Business of importance is to be considered, including three applications for membership, reports of special committees, approval of the current account and the discussion of plans for the advancement of the society. A full attendance is requested.

BIRTHS

WATSON—December 25, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Watson of Boston, a son. Mrs. E. B. Watson is the daughter of Curtis P. Laiken.

ANDREWS—At the Pacific Sanatorium, December 28, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Andrews, a son.

HELEKUNIHU—In Honolulu, to Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Helekunihui, 961 Alapai lane, December 27, 1914, a daughter.

MAILS BROUGHT DELAY TO THE SONOMA

In order to comply with the contracts for the transportation of a large quantity of mail, the Oceanic liner Sonoma was delayed some hours in steaming from San Francisco resulting in the vessel, well laden with passengers and freight, reaching a berth at Pier 10, shortly before 10 o'clock this morning.

About 300 sacks of mail were placed under the hatches of the liner at San Francisco. For Honolulu, 349 sacks were received at the local post-office. The mail trains operated by some of the transcontinental roads were late in arrival at San Francisco due to heavy snows and storm in the Sierras.

Capt. J. H. Trask reported fine weather on the voyage from the coast. The vessel brought 18 cabin and seven steerage passengers for Honolulu.

Officers in the Sonoma report a marked increase in travel between the Pacific coast and Australia, the vessel's accommodation being well filled with travelers in the several classes.

Captain Trask arranged for the transfer of three stowaways upon arrival this morning. They may be returned to the coast in the Ventura.

It is the intention to despatch the Sonoma for Australia direct at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Joining the liner are about a score of passengers.

A small cargo from the mainland was left at Honolulu, the shipment including refrigerated provisions and fruits. The vessel is reported to carry a record cargo for Australia, salmon and California fruits making up the greater portion of the consignment.

PASSENGERS ARRIVED.

Per O. S. S. Sonoma from San Francisco for Honolulu—Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. E. K. Borgine, A. Curtner, J. Behar, Mrs. M. E. Goldkre, J. Hawkins, Miss Sadie Levine, M. McFarlane, Miss M. A. Myrick, P. McQuillan, Mrs. H. F. Nobles, Miss E. Pritman, N. Pfeiffer, Mrs. E. Segalla, H. Seefeldt, J. W. White, Mrs. J. W. White, Mrs. J. N. Wood, Dr. J. Dawson, J. Gonsalves, G. L. Briggs, J. N. Fowler, G. Goodwin, G. J. Wilson, E. Okasaki, To Sydney—T. H. Ackland, Miss E. Atherton, E. C. Borghese, F. Bassett, Miss E. A. Bull, A. W. Boynton, Miss L. Buisson, Miss W. M. Crabbe, Rev. D. Fouhy, W. B. Finch, A. C. Hopwood, E. M. Hartman, W. J. Hanna, Mrs. K. McCormick, Miss K. McCormick, Master McCormick, Miss Duke, Miss J. Parrott, E. C. Lang, T. McNery, H. W. McClellan, Rev. J. McAnley, H. Nathan, Mrs. Jos. Pearl, J. Patrick, C. H. Richardson, H. Stokes, Mrs. H. Stokes and infant, J. H. Saunders, Justice Shand, J. H. Verlot, H. Warner, Mrs. E. Zelms, Miss N. Zelms, J. H. Dight, A. McDonald, J. C. Heighway, Mrs. J. Anderson, Miss E. Cox, C. Dongione, W. H. Brees, Mrs. W. H. Brees, G. Gubb, Thos. Feeley, T. H. Groves, G. Gilmore, Miss Helen Gilmore, Patrick Gilmore, R. L. Must, Dee Johnson, F. Jones, E. Jones, H. Kuellwolf, A. King, Miss D. Larimer, Mr. Tausig, Mr. Miller, A. B. McDonald, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. F. Miles, Master Miles, Mandio and family (6), Hatoli and family (6), Carl and Mrs. Norman, F. M. Rice, O. Salsella, W. D. Thompson, Mrs. W. D. Thompson, Mrs. E. F. Wood, Miss Wood, J. J. Watson, A. W. Bartie, N. U. Gross, B. Flaherty, G. Ferguson, T. Bunter, J. Hall, N. Cosovic, W. Larimer, M. Paradell, V. Palisi, F. Russo, M. J. Russell, Z. Kaptulos, H. T. Smith, P. Salsella, F. Taprowsky, E. Vancura, E. Walker, Rex Wood.

Per str. Kinau, from Kauai ports Dec. 27—L. Pah On, D. P. Kalana, Mrs. C. K. Bishaw, J. B. Fetherstone, Master Mahikoa, Miss Mahikoa, Mrs. C. W. Mahikoa, Mrs. Ida Mahikoa, J. Kawasaki, S. Sayegusa, In Kwal, J. Trowbridge, Mrs. F. Trowbridge, Miss M. Campbell, George Ho, Kato, Miss E. Neves, Allen Wilcox, Francis Gay, Mr. Martin, Nakaya.

PASSENGERS DEPARTED

Per str. Kinana for Hilo and way ports—H. Eocke, Miss Babs Eocke, Mr. and Mrs. Courvain, A. T. Spalding, A. S. Gibb, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Williams, Mrs. E. Sullivan, Miss E. L. Pitts, Miss M. E. Cooke, A. Gattley, R. I. Lillie, H. J. Lyman, Mrs. A. G. M. Robertson, J. S. K. Cushingham, H. T. Hayselden, G. R. Forbes, John Flemming, August McPhree, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Brownell, S. S. Paxson and wife, Mrs. J. Heins, V. MacCoughy, A. E. Kiama, Master Hully, M. A. Cheek, E. Waterhouse, Warren G. Marshall and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Gregor.

Shinyo Maru Here Today.

The big Japanese liner Shinyo Maru arrived off port this afternoon, bringing 800 tons of cargo gathered at ports in the Philippines, China and Japan. Castle & Cooke, the local representatives, plan to despatch 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. A large accumulation of mail will be forwarded to the mainland in the steamer. Among the 100 passengers expected to arrive here from the Far East is a delegation of Japanese and Filipinos.

VESSELS TO AND FROM THE ISLANDS

(Special Wireless to Merchants' Exchange.)

PORTLAND, Ore.—Arrived Dec. 26, ship Kinross-shire, hence Nov. 21.
S. S. Sonoma sails for Sydney at 3 p. m. today.

RADIOGRAMS.
S. S. Manoa arrives from San Francisco 7:30 p. m. today.

GERMANS HELD HERE BY WAR TO BE GUESTS

Teuton Colony Will Entertain Interned Officers and Crews in Port

German fighting men far from the Fatherland on this Christmas and German sailors whose peaceful pursuits of commerce have been interrupted by the war, will be the guests of honor tonight at a big reception and banquet to be given in the Phoenix lodge rooms, Fort and Beretania streets.

The officers and crew of the interned cruiser Geier and the interned steamer Lochsun, and the officers and crews of the many other German vessels that are refugees in this port, will be entertained with a reception and Christmas tree given by the local German colony. The affair, it is understood, was first proposed by the German Women's Association and then extended until the hosts included the entire German colony.

The evening's entertainment will begin with a banquet at 7:30 o'clock. Plans for the banquet have been under way for the past week, a committee of ladies having charge with Mrs. Carl du Roi as chairman. Among those who have been working with Mrs. du Roi are Mrs. A. E. Murphy, Mrs. E. Langer, Mrs. George Rodiek, Mrs. J. J. Lecker and Miss Grace Carroll.

An elaborate menu has been prepared for the occasion and, according to the ladies in charge, among the things which will be on the tables are roast pork, roast mutton, herring salad, potato salad, an abundance of chicken salad, boiled ham, roast veal, roast chicken, roast pig, fruit, nuts, ice-cream, cake, soda water and coffee. It is expected that several hundred persons will be present. A musical program will be presented during the evening.

It was said this morning that George Rodiek, German consul, would probably preside tonight, though informally and unofficially.

One of the officers of a German merchant vessel now in port is authority for the statement that special permission has been secured from Washington so that the interned crews can come ashore for the occasion.

WOULD BRING THE NATIONAL BOARD TO VISIT HAWAII

George R. Carter, president of the Chamber of Commerce of Honolulu, who now is in the East on business, is to be asked by the local commercial organization to use his influence when in Washington, D. C., to induce the 21 members of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce of America to visit the Hawaiian Islands in the fall of 1915, or early in 1916.

The matter of a visit of the national board to Honolulu was taken up at a recent meeting of the local chamber, no action having been taken at that time. The matter now is in the hands of the territorial affairs committee, however, and it was stated by Secretary Raymond C. Brown this morning that the members of that body are heartily in favor of such a visit, and will endeavor to see the project through.

It is the custom of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce of America to make an excursion each year, visiting a different section of the United States each time. The excursions have no special aim, except that the various chambers of commerce are inspected and given suggestions as to broadening the scope of their work.

MANOA TO ARRIVE FROM COAST THIS EVENING

Captain Youngren, master of the Matson Navigation steamer Manoa for one round trip, is apparently determined to make a record, a radio from the vessel to the agency of Castle & Cooke today predicting the arrival of the Manoa this evening, shortening the steaming time about 12 hours.

The Manoa left the Coast with 26 cabin passengers. A later mail amounting to 30 sacks was supplied the vessel. The freight included 1580 tons for Honolulu and about 400 tons for Kahului will be discharged before a large shipment of sugar goes into the ship.

The early arrival of the vessel will prove a pleasant surprise to those who have shipments of merchandise from the Coast. Arrangements were completed this morning for the berthing of the liner at Pier 15. The Manoa should reach the wharf about 8 o'clock.

A mail will be despatched for San Francisco tomorrow morning should the Japanese liner Shinyo Maru with 800 tons of cargo and 99 steerage passengers arrive at Honolulu from the Orient Monday.

FERN AND LANE GET TOGETHER ON PATRONAGE DEAL

Incoming Mayor to Be Allowed to Make Selections for Jobs to Be Filled

All present appointive employees of the city and county will retain their jobs until February 1, after which they will be at the mercy of the new Republic administration. This was agreed upon between Mayor J. J. Fern and Mayor-elect John C. Lane today. The former generously offered some time ago to serve notice on those whom his successor desired to replace but the offer has not been accepted. The law requires they shall be given a month's notice and Lane cannot give that until he assumes the duties of his office.

Lane evidently has practically completed his selection of municipal employees, for he stated in a conference with Mayor Fern and the outgoing board at noon today that he had notified his appointees they should be ready to take up their new work February 1.

The old board will step out and the new one walk into office next Monday, January 4, at high noon. The retiring body will hold almost daily sessions this week to finish up all detailed business that may come before it and have all in readiness for the change a week hence.

"We might just as well meet every day now," commented Supervisor E. H. F. Wolter in sad tones at the noon session today. "We're all out of jobs now—got nothing else to do, so we ought to be able to spare the time. At least I know I can." Whether this mournful note is to be taken as Supervisor Wolter's swan song, or whether he is waiting for a more propitious moment to sing it remains in doubt. Since the election Wolter apparently has supplanted M. C. Pacheco as the old board official songbird.

The board today authorized the building inspector to prepare plans and specifications for a double bungalow schoolhouse for the Royal school, to cost less than \$1000. A petition from the Honolulu skating rink asking a public dance hall license was referred to the dance hall inspectors. The board will meet again at 12:15 o'clock tomorrow.

SPLENDID FREE ENTERTAINMENT AT THE ARMORY

Former and present members of the National Guard of Hawaii and their families and friends, about 400 in all, were present at the armory last night for the first series of Sunday evening entertainments planned by the adjutant-general and carried on under the supervision of Capt. Valentine Franckx, N. G. H. Considering the rainy weather, and the fact that in spite of newspaper announcements many guardsmen were unaware of the entertainment, the attendance was large. However, it is probable that after the initial success the next Sunday evening recital will draw three times the number.

Chaplain Franckx opened with a short address, in which he welcomed the citizen-soldiers and their families to the armory, and expressed the hope that the venture would prove a success and lead to many more get-togethers of the same kind. After his talk, the chaplain sang "The Holy City" in excellent style.

The splendid six-part film drama "With Fire and Sword," was shown, the presentation of this high-class picture being made possible by Samuel Blair and Henry Bredhoff of the Popular Theater, who lent the film for the benefit of the guardsmen. Lighting arrangements were good and as a result of the public spirit of the Popular management guard members saw for nothing a show that has been bringing top prices at the local playhouse.

Music was furnished during the picture by the Filipino Orchestra and by the "Diamond Disc" records which Hawaiian News Co.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Pedro Delmino, Aiea 25
Victoria Baglio, Puuloa 25
V. D. Pereira, Honolulu 26
Atriam K. Kalawe, Honolulu 26
Wm. N. Kaina, Honolulu 23
Elizabeth Akiona, Honolulu 22
Chas. Cowan, Wailuku 32
Alice Darcy, Honolulu 26
Wpa. P. Pele, Honolulu 42
Julia Loa, Honolulu 22

MORE JAPANESE NURSES EN ROUTE TO WAR ZONE

En route to Europe to minister to the sick and wounded soldiers of the Allies, Japanese Red Cross nurses to the number of 16 will arrive in Honolulu this afternoon as through passengers in the Toyo Kisen Kaisha liner Shinyo Maru. This is the second detachment of Red Cross nurses to be sent to the front by Japan since the outbreak of the war. The first party went to the Russian frontier, and the second party goes to France via the Suez canal.

January 4th is the opening date of the new term of the Y. M. C. A. night school. Enroll tonight.—Adv.

DAN HANNA NOT FRIENDLY WITH POLICE ANYWHERE

Woman Companion Explains That She is Miss K. Landy and Not Mrs. D. R. H.

(By Latest Mail)
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 22.—D. R. Hanna, son of the late Mark Hanna, arrived here yesterday morning from the Orient on the liner Nippon Maru, and for a time presented a puzzle to the immigration authorities. Hanna was accompanied by Mrs. F. S. Clayton and Miss K. Landy, but on the passenger list the latter was listed as the easterner's wife.

When called upon to explain in the course of the usual examination by the immigration inspectors, "Mrs. Hanna" declared that she was not Hanna's wife. It took the inspectors some time to hunt up Hanna and straighten out the mystery.

Hanna was in a gay mood as he came down the gangplank of the Nippon Maru. Although he had not heard of the local crime wave and the suppression of crime intelligence by the chief of police, he seemed to be somewhat incensed against the police in general. So when Policeman Pete Whalen went to give him a helping hand into a taxicab, Hanna, announcing that he was "sore" against the chief of police, more than playfully tapped the guardian of pier 34 on the helmet.

As Whalen explained afterward, he knew Hanna's father, and therefore he felt inclined to be lenient with the son of the late politician. In the maze of speculation as to the identity of the handsome young woman who appeared on the passenger list as "Mrs. Hanna," the taxicab drove rapidly away.

Hanna and his fair companion did not remain long in town. After a rest at the St. Francis hotel from their trans-Pacific trip, the trio boarded the Overland for the East in the afternoon.

Hanna, accompanied by two women friends, left here a month ago for a tour of the world, but they decided to return home after reaching Yokohama.

The Kansas State report gives the corn crop as 87,060,000 bushels, the smallest in several years.

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Lady who lost Bracelet at Waikiki Inn can have same by identifying it and paying for ad. Call Mgr. Waikiki Inn. 6946-31

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Once convinced that coffee-drinking is actually harmful to health, few parents would give coffee to their children, or drink it themselves.

What proof more convincing than the unnatural aches and pains that many coffee-drinkers suffer?

What proof more conclusive than the scores of expert medical and scientific opinions against coffee?

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CONGRESS URGED TO ENACT A NEW IMMIGRANT LAW

(Continued from page one)

erick Lynch, secretary of the Carnegie Church Peace Union; John R. Mott, secretary of the International Young Men's Christian Association; Rev. Charles S. MacFarland, secretary of the council, and the following: William I. Haven, Charles H. Henderson, Albert G. Lawson, Francis J. McConnell, Dr. Frank Mason North, Dr. Remus Scudder, Robert and Amos P. Wilder.

Urges Fair Play.
The awakening of Asia and her rapid acquisition of important elements of Occidental civilization inaugurated a new era in world history in which Asia is to play a new and increasingly important role. Whether that role shall be one of peace, good will and mutual co-operation, or one controlled by increasing suspicion and fear between the East and West will depend largely upon the attitude of the Western nations themselves.

"It has seemed to many of our citizens who have become familiar with the questions raised by this more intimate and ever-increasing contact with the Orient that the United States might well adopt a more adequate Oriental policy."

Want New Oriental Policy.
Therefore be it resolved, that the committee on relations with Japan appointed by the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, urge upon Congress and upon the people of the United States the importance of adopting an Oriental policy based upon a just and equitable regard for the interests of all the nations concerned, and to this end suggests that the entire immigration problem be taken up at an early date, providing for comprehensive legislation covering all phases of the question, such as the limitation of immigration and the registration, distribution, employment, education and naturalization of immigrants, in such a way as to conserve American institutions, to protect American labor from dangerous economic competition and to promote an intelligent and enduring friendliness among the people of all nations.



MICHAEL CUDAHY.

The Packer King, Who Came From Ireland a Poor Boy.

Early in the last half of the nineteenth century a happy family left the Emerald Isle for America. Patrick Cudahy was rich in sons and nothing else. By trade a butcher, he soon moved his family from New York to Milwaukee, where the meat industry was then in its infancy. There the boys as they grew up followed in their father's footsteps and became butchers.

Michael Cudahy was a good butcher before he left school. Leaving his father's shop to make room for a younger brother, he found employment with a large packing house and before long his skill and ability secured for him the managership of the Plankinton & Armour plant. Here he continued as he had begun, "salting" his earnings and later through his thrift and wonderful initiative made such an impression on the late P. D. Armour that the latter invited him into a partnership, which lasted a number of years.

If a poor Irish boy can accomplish all this by saving his small earnings, what could you do if you systematically set aside a portion of the amount you receive each week or month?

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GRAND AND TRIAL JURORS FOR 1915 CHOSEN TODAY

Judges of First Circuit Court Select Personnel of Trial Bodies for Honolulu

The three judges of the first circuit court sitting in the first division this morning superintended the selection of the personnel of the territorial grand jury and the three trial juries which will serve at Honolulu in 1915.

The grand jury for the 1915 term will comprise the following men: Curtis P. Lauka, William F. Heithron, John T. McCrosson, William F. Charock, James H. Fiddes, James D. McNerny, Carl S. Holloway, Raymond C. Brown, William F. Wilson, Jas. M. Quaid, William Weirich, Jr., Henry H. Jemer, John W. Smithies, James T. Taylor, Lester Petrie, Edward Dekum, Emmet C. Winston, J. Morton Riggs, Thomas C. Dawkins, William Henry, Harold T. Hyselden, Henry L. Bertelmann and Frank K. Archer.

Trial Jurors, First Division—Charles W. Renear, Sherwood M. Lowrey, William T. Raposo, Frank M. Barrere, Arthur C. Aubrey, George K. Dwight, William L. Eaton, Alfred K. Smythe, Temple J. R. Bourke, George M. Nawaoka, William A. Cleghorn, Solomon K. Fukumura, Fred W. Wichman, Charles E. Frazier, Henry C. Meyers, George W. Wallace, Augusto H. R. Vieira, Louis A. Giacca, Joseph A. M. Johnson, William K. Rees, Gus. av C. Jechert, Jack Milton, Thomas L. Andrews, Ernest C. Gonsalves, Ernest F. Aguilar and Frank E. Colby.

Trial Jurors, Second Division—Charles Molteno, Albert McGurn, Joseph V. Fernandez, John M. Ali, Herbert M. Dowsett, Edward Joseph Hoke, Arthur Hyde Rice, Isaiah Bray, Samuel Mann, William Kahlbaum, James E. Steward, Joseph Fernandez, Job Batchelor, John H. Karratt, Frank Dennis Creedon, Thomas K. Ulukou, Vernon M. Gedge, James J. Crockett, George E. H. Baker, Elisha J. McCandless, Patrick O'Sullivan, James B. Mossman, Allan McKinnon and Thomas E. W. Johnson.

Trial Jurors, Third Division—Archibald P. Robertson, Frank H. Armstrong, William A. Ackerman, Bruce Cartwright, Jr., Spencer Bickerton, Charles P. Osborne, James K. Sakuma, John C. Crowder, Edward K. Wongham, James E. Jaeger, James M. Andrade, William A. Love, Edgar Henriques, Jesse Uluihi, Henry A. Wise, Manuel G. Santos, Jesse P. Makainai, Sylvester P. Correa, John H. Travis, Adolph B. Kroll, Christopher Lewis, Samuel W. Spencer, Thomas Cullen, George D. Mahone, George Meyer and George E. Gall.

The new grand jury has been ordered to appear before Circuit Judge Ashford at 1 o'clock Monday afternoon, January 11, for instructions. The new trial jury for the first division will be advised to appear also before Judge Ashford at 9 o'clock the morning of January 11. Judge Whitney has excused the new trial jurors of the second division until further notice.

SEVERAL INJURED IN COLLISION ON ROAD TO WINDWARD OAHU

No charge has been brought against Agashi, a Japanese chauffeur who today lies at the hospital suffering from serious scalp wounds following a collision with Glen McTaggart and Carl Wikander on the road leading to the windward side of the Pali yesterday afternoon.

McTaggart and Wikander were returning on bicycles from Kaneohe, when, at one of the hairpin turns, they were met by the automobile in which Dr. K. Haida and five Japanese were traveling.

Witnesses examined by Special officers Perry and Chilton state that Agashi the driver made a sharp turn to avoid running into the cyclists, resulting in wrecking of the car, which was left behind a mass of debris.

Dr. Haida suffered a broken arm. The other passengers escaped with slight bruises.

McTaggart and Wikander were taken to the hospital where each was treated for a broken leg. The boys state that they were riding on the right hand side of the road at the time of the accident.

DINNER ON NEW YEAR'S DAY AT WAIKIKI INN

The dinner to be served at Waikiki Inn on New Year's night promises to surpass anything that is at all ordinary. The menu now being prepared offers some very appetizing dishes and should prove a real treat. Phone in your reservations early. It'll be a jolly gathering.—Adv.

Sugar stocks were represented solely by Hawaiian Commercial on today's sale sheet. 15 shares having sold at session unchanged at 31.75. Behning Rubber sold down 3 points from last sale some time ago, in sales of 25 shares between boards and 5 on board at 10. Interisland was steady at 141 for 5 shares reported. Kohala Ditch sixes lost 3 points in a session sale of \$1000 at 90.

Twenty practical courses are offered at the Y. M. C. A. night school. Call and ask about them tonight.—Adv.

NEW CITY HEADS MAY MAKE MANY OFFICE CHANGES

Many are the rumors, authoritative and otherwise, coming out of municipal circles these days in anticipation of the change of administration on January 4. One of the rumors heard Saturday night is that there will be a complete change in the police and fire civil service board—that Commissioner Bodge, Haron and Makainai will all retire. Either Ella Long or F. D. Lowrey will be chairman of the board to be named by the new mayor, John C. Lane. It was reported, and the other commissioners are likely to be George G. Guild, Republican, and Attorney Clem Quinn, Democrat.

The report some time ago, that by February 1 there would be almost a complete change in the city employees is also revived. It is taken for granted that the new supervisors and mayor will not discharge every Democrat the first week in January, but it is known the element headed by Lane wishes to have "none but Republicans on guard." Yesterday a report was heard that all Democratic employees will be let out on February 1, thus giving them the 30 days' notice which a legal opinion was held to be advisable.

As has been previously stated, the attempt on the part of at least one supervisor to drop the Promotion Committee appropriation has been blocked, and it is even believed the appropriation may be augmented. Another report coming from recent caucuses is that the supervisors-elect hope to carry to fruition in the next few months the plan for a city hospital.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Sugar sold in New York today at 4.02 cents, according to a cablegram to Alexander & Baldwin. This is the same as last planters' quotation, under date of December 22.

The funeral services of Harold Chenery Giffard, the 10-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Giffard of Honolulu, were held from the family residence in Nuuanu Valley yesterday afternoon.

Argument on a demurrer filed in the case of Lee Leong, a Chinese, who recently filed his third petition for a writ of habeas corpus, has been continued until next Monday morning at 10 o'clock in the federal court.

En route by a tender to the world in the interest of education, the Prince and Princess Kampengphet of Siam will visit Honolulu January 15 as through passengers in the Pacific Mail liner Mongolia. The prince is the third brother of the king of Siam.

Under the auspices of the Epworth League, special services were held at the Leahi Home yesterday afternoon. Music was furnished by the Y. M. C. A. orchestra, and at the close of the services gifts of flowers and fruit were distributed among the patients.

Officers for the coming year will be installed at a meeting of the members of Oceanic Lodge No. 371, F. and A. M., which has been called for 7:30 o'clock this evening in the Masonic Temple. Visiting brethren and members of sister lodges are invited to attend.

Judge Reynolds of Allegheny county, New York, for 13 years a judge of the county court of that commonwealth, was a visitor in the first division of the first circuit court this morning, sitting with Judge Ashford for a time as an interested spectator of Hawaiian bench and bar procedure. Judge Reynolds is visiting his son-in-law, Capt. Demmer, of the medical department at Fort Ruger, and will remain in the islands until April.

Territorial Secretary W. W. Thayer today is sending forward to San Francisco the fifth voucher in payment for the construction of the Hawaii building at the exposition. The final payment will be made after Thayer and H. P. Wood have inspected the edifice, after their arrival there two weeks hence. Thayer says it is evident now that the building has cost less than the \$35,000 which had been feared as the estimate of its expense. The actual cost may not be more than \$33,000 or \$34,000.

Articles of incorporation have been filed at the territorial treasurer's office by the Japanese Mercantile Company, a firm intending to engage in general importing and mercantile business at Lahaina, Maui. It is capitalized at \$10,000, divided into shares having a par value of \$5 each. The officers and principal stockholders, and the number of shares held by each are as follows: Y. Nakamura, president, 53; M. Oda, vice-president, 40; T. Minami, secretary, 75; T. Sato, treasurer, 75; S. Ogata, auditor, 158; J. Umeda, 291 shares.

S. L. Akana and Lang Akana, brothers, who were found guilty in Judge Ashford's court a week ago of assault and battery, were fined \$50 and costs each by the court this morning. Judge Ashford remarked that this was a petty police court business which had no business in circuit court and the defendants had no right to expect clemency. He said he did not know whether the responsibility for the appeal from the district court lay with the defendants or their attorney; if the lawyers were responsible then defendants "could settle with their counsel," said the court.

KALIHI UNION CHURCH GIVES XMAS PROGRAM

"White Gifts for the King" Is Pretty Ceremony—Aid for Belgians

The Christmas exercises of Kalihi Union church Sunday school was held last evening. In spite of the stormy weather a large attendance gathered. The exercises took the form of bringing gifts by the scholars to the king, whose birthday was celebrated. The topic was "White Gifts for the King." The amount given by the school during the evening was \$20.60. These "white gifts" will be sent to the children in Belgium.

There was a large and beautiful Christmas tree with corresponding decorations on the walls, making the room very attractive.

The program was as follows:
Organ prelude; Processional Hymn, "O Come, All Ye Faithful;" The Legend of Cathay; Anthem by Choir; Hymn—"While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks;" Prayer; Scriptural Reading; Hymn—"It Came Upon a Midnight Clear;" Responsive Reading; Cradle Roll Department Bring White Gifts; Solo—"The Virgin's Lullaby;" The Beginners' Department Bring White Gifts; The Primary Department Bring White Gifts; Hymn—"Angels From the Realms of Glory;" Juniors' Department Bring White Gifts; Hymn—"O Little Town of Bethlehem;" Intermediate Department Bring White Gifts; Solo; Senior Department Bring White Gifts; Hymn—"Silent Night, Holy Night;" A Christmas Talk; Hymn; Hark! The Herald Angels Sing; Benediction.

NEW CYCLE CAR PUT IN P. O. SERVICE AND MORE CARTS COMING

A neat cycle car of the light auto-delivery type, bearing the inscription of Uncle Sam's postoffice department, made its initial appearance in the streets of Honolulu this morning and henceforth will be used to facilitate the collection of mails. This is the newest addition to the local postoffice equipment since the arrival of Postmaster William F. Young, at whose instance the postoffice department granted the Honolulu office an allowance of \$1080 a year to either purchase or hire an automobile for mail collections, and to provide for its maintenance.

Aside from the automobile, the local office probably will be provided with 12 new delivery carts within the near future. While the proposals for the new carts have not yet been accepted, several local firms have entered bids, and Mr. Young anticipates early action in this matter by the postoffice department.

"The government furnishes this office with \$420 a year for the purchase and upkeep of each delivery wagon and horse," said the postmaster today. "I have condemned the carts which are now in use."

Y. M. C. A. SWIMMING POOL COMMITTEE PLANS TO SPEND THAT \$5000

The receipt of \$5000 to be used in the erection of a swimming pool for the Young Men's Christian Association was the occasion of a special meeting of the officers of that institution at noon today. Action was taken expressing appreciation of the generous gift and some of the details of the proposed pool were discussed. The committee in charge of building the pool is composed of George H. Angus, chairman, George C. Potter, W. G. Hall, A. H. Tarleton, Dr. A. F. Jackson and Robert Anderson. This committee will engage an architect in January and push things as rapidly as possible. The committee has been working on the proposition for a month or more and has its ideas pretty well in hand.

MANY IN HONOLULU USE FAMOUS COMPOUND

The famous mixture of buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler-ika, is much used here in Honolulu. This is the most complete bowel cleanser ever sold, being even used successfully in appendicitis. Just ONE SPOONFUL relieves almost ANY CASE of constipation, sour or gassy stomach. ONE MINUTE after Adler-ika is taken the gasses rumble and pass out—the INSTANT action is surprising. The Hollister Drug Co.—advertisement.

DEATHS.

HELEKUNIHU—In Honolulu, December 27, 1914, Miss Hattie Helekunihui, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dimond K. Helekunihui.

ARMSTRONG TRIAL OPENS.

In attempting to get a jury for the trial of William F. Armstrong the regular panel in Circuit Judge Ashford's court was exhausted this morning and a special venire issued for 15 additional jurors, who will be present in court for duty at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. The special venire consists of J. D. Dougherty, Sylvanus T. Starratt, Augustine H. Guerrero, James W. Kershner, Emmet C. Winston, Edward L. Kauai, Raymond L. Young, George P. Thielens, James L. Young, Jesse Uluihi, Charles J. Fiebig and John C. Gall.

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The CLARION

NEW YEAR'S EVE DANCE AT WAIKIKI INN

The management of Waikiki Inn is arranging for an exceptionally entertaining New Year's eve, in connection with the special dinner to be served at this time.

There will be special music and the inn's entertainment will continue past the usual closing hour.

It would be well to make table reservations early, in order to be assured of satisfactory accommodations, as a large number of guests are expected.—Adv.

TEMPORARY CHANGE MADE IN TIME OF THE LOCAL FEDERAL COURT SESSIONS

From now until the end of the year, sessions of the federal court will commence at 9 o'clock each morning, instead of 10 o'clock. This announcement was made this morning by Judge Sanford B. Dole. Judge Dole is anxious to have the business of each day settled at as early an hour as possible, as he intends enjoying a brief vacation during the remainder of the week. Judge Charles F. Clemons also is favoring the early session because, as he said today, he "wants to have his desk clean by the first of the year."

THREE NEW VOTERS.

Residents of Honolulu to the number of three became American citizens this morning by taking the necessary oath as administered by Clerk A. E. Murphy before Judge Sanford B. Dole in the federal court. These were Richard Kalbe, a native of Germany; Karl Simon Haasenritter, a native of Germany, and Hugh MacNicol, a native of Scotland. Those naturalization cases which were scheduled to be heard this morning, but which were continued until later dates, are Claude Buffett, a native of Newfoundland; Georg Bernhard Vitus Isenberg, a native of Germany; Ralfus Aitakea, a native of the Fiji Islands; Henry Martin

ANDERSON GRASE, IN PRISON CELL, WELCOMES PAPER

Anderson Grase, from the confines of Leavenworth prison, is keeping in touch with the affairs of Hawaii, as witness the following letter received in the last mail:

"Leavenworth, Kansas, Dec. 14, 1914. Editor Honolulu Star-Bulletin, Honolulu, Hawaii.

"Sir: Enclosed please find money order for four dollars (\$4.00) subscribed for your paper for six months from November 21, 1914, to May 21, 1915.

"Permit me to thank you for your very quick response, and trusting that the Star-Bulletin is far ahead of the advertiser, I am, very sincerely, "ANDERSON GRASE."

OAHU PRISON INMATES GUESTS AT SOCIAL AND MOVIE SHOW LAST NIGHT

High Sheriff W. P. Jarrett and Mrs. Isador Scharin, manager of a local motion picture house, were host and hostess respectively at a social at Oahu Prison last night, at which the inmates were the guests of honor. That it was a jolly evening, and that every moment was highly enjoyed, goes without saying, from the fact that the social took the form of an entertainment of a nature which is not often seen at the prison.

The evening started off with the serving of a sumptuous lunch, including sandwiches, salad, soda water, fruit, cigarettes, cigars and tobacco. When the viands had disappeared, a moving picture show started which concluded the program. There were several interesting three-reel dramas, some comedies and one or two educational reels. It was the most successful and appreciated entertainment to be held at the prison in many months.

Jacob Conrad Frandsen and Caspar Ludwig Jacob Schmidt. In a letter to the clerk, Mr. Isenberg asked that his hearing be continued until the expiration of the European war. The request was granted by the court.

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RILEY H. ALLEN

EDITOR

MONDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1914.

There is no fear of the United States entering the war because her ship was fired on. Europe can't get us into the war. We don't want to get in, and we are going to keep out. That is all there is to it. We will not go into the war with Europe.—Vice-President Marshall.

THE ISSUE MUST BE FACED.

The issue of efficiency in municipal office arises at the outset of the new administration. Even before the mayor-elect and the supervisors-elect take office they must face this issue. It is an issue of the caucus as well as of the open board session.

The office-seekers, the job-hunters, the feed-trough crowd, are already gathering in anticipation of a feast. They demand a share of the spoils because they "voted the Republican ticket straight." They are pressing Mayor-elect Lane and all of the new supervisors; they are pulling wires and hauling strings and passing political salve—and if they have their way they will wreck the new administration.

It is up to Mr. Lane and those who were elected with him last month on a platform of efficiency to determine now which element they will line up with—whether it is to be the utterly selfish, blindly self-seeking, job-chasing crowd, or the element that expects decent government, that expects a dollar's worth of work for a dollar's worth of taxes. The first bunch will ruin any efforts for good administration, the second will get behind every such effort and cooperate with the new officials.

There are signs that there will be a split on the board of supervisors over this plain issue. If there is such a split, Mr. Supervisor, which side are you going to line up with—the side that plays partisan politics or the side that plays good government politics—the side that violates platform pledges, or the side that lives up to those pledges?

The Star-Bulletin will deeply regret a split on the new board. There is no good reason for it if every member does his duty. It is essentially "poor politics." We hope that during the next three days the Republicans elected last month—elected by an independent vote—will get together for the sake of decent government and for the sake of the Republican party.

THE GEIER INTERMENT.

Japan seems to be entirely satisfied with Uncle Sam's handling of the Geier affair. The Jiji, a Tokyo paper whose comment is often sharp, expresses itself as highly gratified at the report that the German cruiser Geier has been disarmed at last under the supervision of the American authorities at Hawaii. Though a great deal of disgruntled comment, it states, was raised in Japan regarding America's alleged breach of neutrality, the Jiji was sure from the outset that the United States would strictly respect the obligations of a neutral state in view of her fair dealings in the past. The Jiji goes on to cite the exemplary conduct of the United States in 1904 during the Russo-Japanese war concerning the Russian warships which had run into San Francisco and Manila. It is true that some delay was experienced in the disposition of the German cruiser but none the less gratified is the Jiji at the fact that the United States has acted in this matter in precisely the way the Jiji had believed she would act.

ITALY'S REVELATION.

Giovanni Giolitti, former premier of Italy, in a speech before the Italian Chamber of Deputies on December 5 declared that Austria was prepared to make war on Serbia in August of 1913.

In other words, nearly a year before the assassination of the Austrian heir-apparent furnished a new explanation of Austria's attitude, the Dual Monarchy was ready to force a European war.

Signor Giolitti laid before the chamber the diplomatic messages that passed between the Italian and the Austrian governments. It proves that Austria was ready to start war and that Italy prevented the Austrian attack on the Serbs. These statements, be it noticed, do not come from the Allies, from the enemies of Germany or Austria. They come from a neutral source.

The New York World, commenting on the former premier's revelations, says:

"No recent official statement concerning the war is more important than that made by ex-

Premier Giolitti, in the debate upon the vote of confidence in the Salandra ministry, that Austria communicated both to Germany and to Italy in August, 1913, her intention to act against Serbia."

"This lightning stroke from Rome confirms much that has hitherto rested upon deduction: That the German increase in the active army and the direct property levy for military purposes were preparations for a definitely expected war; that Austria, almost a year before the murder of the archduke gave her a pretext, was already planning her onslaught on the hapless land which, as Count Mensdorff told Sir Edward Grey in July, she had always regarded as being in the Austrian sphere of influence; and that the real cause of the greater struggle was the Balkan war and Serbia's growing power as a barrier on the Austrian road to Salonica."

"The Giolitti statement explains also why Germany at the opening of the great struggle showed so much more anxiety to keep Great Britain out of the war than to draw Italy into it; Austria had already been warned by the late Marquis di San Giuliano, with Giolitti's concurrence, that an attack upon Serbia would be considered "not defensive, because nobody thinks of attacking her." Berlin and Vienna knew a year in advance how Rome would interpret her treaty obligations. They felt themselves strong enough to deal with France and Russia. The failure to pacify England—the failure to see in advance that the German powers could not pacify her while invading Belgium and smashing France—was the great diplomatic blunder of the century."

"Incidentally, the fact that the most powerful Italian statesman is not averse at this critical time to throwing such a bombshell into the German-Austrian camp is in itself significant, and not impossibly prophetic."

LET'S BE FAIR.

Some very commendable work in artistic outdoor posters has been done by the local bill-posting company—and some very underhand work has been and is being done in opposition to this company. Mainland cities are victimized sometimes by billboard companies which scatter ugly, disfiguring signs indiscriminately over the landscape. That charge cannot be brought against the Pioneer Advertising Company and reference to opposition on the mainland has little application here. Some of the methods resorted to in fighting the billboards are losing instead of winning favor, and businessmen especially are beginning to talk of unfairness.

Charles S. Whitman is now governor of New York. His conduct of that difficult office will be watched with especially keen interest all over the country because Whitman is already looked upon as a presidential possibility. How about Whitman and Borah as the Republican candidates in 1916?

We hope the state department will not feel called on to apologize to Turkey because the commander of the North Carolina cleared for action off Tripoli and protected French and British subjects from the attack of fanatic Moslems.

No, that wasn't the spirit of Christmas hovering over the war-zone—it was a fleet of military Zeppelins and a squadron of armored biplanes.

If a bomb ever drops into one of those unpronounceable names on the Russian border there'll be an awful orthographical dislocation.

Cannot the police find the reckless chauffeur whose auto killed ten-year-old Natsu Hibatu on Christmas Day? If not, why not?

You can lead a new city administration into office, but you can't always keep it away from the partisan-patronage trough.

Gen. Scott's signal success as a talker on the Mexican border ought to awaken pangs of jealousy in the Bryan breast.

Chicago's death-rate from all causes is about the same as Honolulu's from auto accidents alone.

Evidently there's no "blue-sky" law to restrict airship raids.

Italy finds it only a short, short way to Albania.

Letters & TIMELY TOPICS

(The Star-Bulletin invites free and frank discussion in this column on all legitimate subjects of current interest. Communications are constantly received to which no signature is attached. This paper will treat as confidential signatures to letters if the writers so desire, but cannot give space for anonymous communications.)

JOHN BARLEYCORN STAGGERED.

Editor Honolulu Star-Bulletin.
Sir: I am in hopes that every right-minded person in this territory is giving serious thought to the cause of prohibition that is making its mighty way across the land, and it is hoped will continue across the water as far as Hawaii, at least.
Could anybody ask for better proof of the onward march of prohibition than the vote recently taken in the House of Representatives on the proposed amendment to the constitution that would bring about nation-wide prohibition?
I do not think that any opponent of liquor thought for a moment that this humanity-saving amendment would carry. It required the favorable con-

sideration of two-thirds of the members of the House to pass it. But the shining fact that a vote was taken on this all-important amendment is a most remarkable victory for the foes of drink. And the further fact that the number voting for the amendment exceeded a majority of the votes cast gives much encouragement to those who are marking the fight. It will be remembered that last year recorded a complete failure to get a vote on this same measure.

A few years ago if any man had proposed an amendment to the constitution calling for nation-wide prohibition he would have been considered somewhat off his mental balance.

Old John Barleycorn has received so many K. O. blows on the point of the chin that he does not now make his boasts from the house-tops with clarion acclaim. He has sure had a sorry time of it in many places where he thought he was safely entrenched. But it is with fear and trembling he now views the line of battle arrayed against him. We now have him on the defensive and it will be but a short time until we have him on the run with no mercy shown.

TOM MERLE.

Schofield Notes

[Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence]
SCHOFIELD BARRACKS, Dec. 26.
Interest in horsemanship and horse training has taken a new turn in the mounted regiments at Schofield since it has been announced that a team of several officers selected from the 4th Cavalry and 1st Field Artillery will be sent to San Francisco to take part in the "International Mounted Competitions and Exhibitions" at the Panama-Pacific exposition.
Word has just been received that the mounted military competition which had been set for May 3, 4 and 5, has been postponed to some time between Oct. 1 and 9. This will give the officers a longer period in which to prepare their mounts, and to obtain new ones for the Hawaiian team.
The officers to compose the team will be determined by a preliminary competition to take place at Schofield Barracks some time in July or August, in which all officers will have the privilege of exhibiting their mounts.

On account of the European war the competition at the Panama exposition will probably not be so international in its character as those which took place at Stockholm and London, in which our officers took part, or the one at Madison Square garden four years ago. The Canadian, Italian, Swedish and Swiss armies are certain to be represented, and possibly several others.

Fierce winds from Schofield have wrecked nearly all the canvas garages. The gale lessened Saturday carried the roof off the Lelehu department store and deposited it on the roof of the Cavalry-Artillery amusement hall 150 feet away. This started the roof of the latter building and 900 square feet were carried away. During the fiercest part of the storm Sgt. Burrows, foreman carpenter, risked his life by carrying a heavy rope over the part of the roof that remained and probably saved the building from being a total wreck. A two by six, twenty feet long, from the Lelehu department store went through the roof of the post exchange and then through the front of the building. A number of soldiers and employees narrowly escaped being struck by this intruding piece of timber.

Christmas trees in all of the regiments brought happiness to the children of the post Friday afternoon. Santa Claus visited the 25th Infantry amusement hall with presents for more than 60 children of that regiment. Chaplain Ignatius Fealy took the part of Santa Claus for the 1st Field Artillery and brought all the children of the regiment together at the Cavalry-Artillery hall, where they talked to Santa Claus, sang Christmas carols and received candy and pretty toys. In number of children the 4th Cavalry has all the other regiments topped. Toys were taken off the regimental Christmas tree for 87 children under 15 years of age. Lieut. H. H. C. Richards made a most realistic Santa Claus.

The service football series will come to an end tomorrow. A game will be played at Ft. Shafter between the 2nd Infantry and the 1st Infantry, and at Schofield between the Engineers and the 1st Field Artillery. Neither game can affect the standings of the teams. In the previous games between these teams, the Engineers defeated the Artillery 19 to 0, and the 2nd Infantry were the victims of the 1st by a score of 20 to 0.

Maj. William S. Guignard narrowly escaped serious injury Friday

Personal Mention

FRANCIS GAY is an arrival from the Garden Island in the steamer Kinau.

MR. AND MRS. PAUL R. ISENBERG returned to Honolulu from Kauai last night.

MRS. C. K. BISHAW was numbered with the passengers to arrive from the island of Kauai in the steamer Kinau Sunday morning.

SENATOR D. E. METZGER, who recently was admitted to practice law in the district courts in Hilo, intends to open a law office and remain permanently in the Crescent City, according to information which has been received from the big island.

PROF. FRED A. CLOWES, in charge of the agricultural station at Glenwood, Hawaii, is contemplating taking a postgraduate course in the agricultural college at the University of California and has applied for a year's leave of absence. Professor Clowes' successor may be given a permanent appointment, in which case the professor's resignation will be accepted.

WARREN G. MARSHALL has been appointed chemist for Hakalau plantation and left for his new post by the Kilauea Saturday. Quite a party of friends were at the wharf to give Mr. and Mrs. Marshall a pleasant farewell. Mr. Marshall is the son of Mrs. Lila G. Marshall, teacher at the Normal school. He gained his technical education in California and was engaged in beet sugar chemistry work. He returned to the islands with his bride some two months ago and intends to make his home here.

LITTLE INTERVIEWS

—SIDNEY JORDAN: This rain plays the very dickens with the gentle sport of angling at Black Point. But I should worry. Tuna hasn't got any strings on him as far as I'm concerned.

—H. P. WOOD: The Hawaii fair commission is rapidly completing its plans for the territory's exhibit at the Panama-Pacific Exposition. Hawaiian music is going to be one of the principal features, and there is no doubt but that the commission has selected the best orchestra to be secured in Honolulu.

—DR. WADMAN: I have just had a graphic illustration of how the devil of drink persistently, resourcefully and cunningly endeavors to turn even the best efforts to his evil uses. In last Saturday's Star-Bulletin I had a temperance sermon with the heading "Prohibition Don't Prohibit," and I attacked this on three points—that it was bad in grammar, lame in logic and false in fact. But the heading was corrected to read "Prohibition Doesn't Prohibit," and thus my first line of attack was baffled. I tell you, the drink-devil certainly is awake to his opportunities.

Returning from Honolulu alone in Capt. H. C. Williams' Ford driven by a Filipino boy, the machine struck a horse and went over an embankment, completely wrecking the automobile. The accident took place on the hill where the road crosses the two railroad tracks of the Honolulu Sugar Co., about a mile this side of Pearl City.

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Mainlanders Want Jobs in Hawaii; And Many Are Eager to Invest Some Money Here

Stenographers, bookkeepers, clerks, machinists, landscape gardeners, salesmen, engineers—in fact, a large number of persons engaged in various professions on the mainland, want to know of conditions in Hawaii, and what the chances are of obtaining employment in these islands.

Such requests, says Raymond C. Brown, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of Honolulu, have formed the gist of the majority of letters which he has received during the past month.

Mr. Brown says that he is between two fires, for not only are mainlanders writing for information as to obtaining positions here, but many persons evidently well-to-do want to know what the situation is from the standpoint of investing money in enterprises in the islands.

The secretary of the chamber appears to be in the same "fix" as was Paul Super, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., about a year ago, only the circumstances are different. Mr. Super made a statement for publication one day to the effect that jobs in Hawaii should be thrown open preferably to those young men brought up and educated in the islands. The story was "picked up" by mainland newspapers, and made to read that "there were plenty of jobs in Hawaii."

Consequently, for months after, Mr. Super's mail was flooded with letters from persons all over the United States and Canada, making applications for positions in Hawaii. To save the situation, Mr. Super got out a circular letter explaining the matter, a letter being sent to each person making an application.

"No circular letter for mine, however," said Mr. Brown today. "I'm going to answer every letter personally, and explain conditions—labor and financial—just as they are. The Chamber is not running an employment agency, of course, but I'm going to let those mainlanders know what is what. Perhaps I will be able to increase the 'tourist' travel."

To formally accept from the contrary. Mr. Thayer expects to return to the Hawaiian building at the Honolulu early in February. Panama-Pacific exposition, Wade Warren Thayer, territorial secretary and There was engaged at the subsidizing agent for the Hawaii Fair treasury \$10,000 in gold for shipment Commission, will leave for San Francisco to Canada and \$350 was transferred cisco in the transport Thomas Janu to New Orleans.

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J. F. HACKFELD IN ARTICLE ON WAR DECLARES RUSSIA IS RESPONSIBLE FOR MIGHTY CONFLICT

Head of Firm Says Imbroglio Largely Due to England's Policy, Started by King Edward, of Surrounding Germany With Circle of Enemies—Declares Germans Regret the Imperative Need of Violating Belgian Neutrality—Relies Upon "Strong Feeling for Justice and Fairness in United States" to Prevent Neutral Countries Being Drawn Into Fight With Allies

J. F. Hackfeld, well-known here and head of the firm of H. Hackfeld & Company of New York, San Francisco and Honolulu, who has been in Bremen, Germany, for the past several months, has written the following article on the war, which has just reached Honolulu by mail:

"After England had destroyed all German Atlantic cables in neutral waters as her first act during the war and had thus cut off Germany from nearly all communication with other nations outside of Europe the governments of the allied powers—Great Britain, France and Russia—supported by the news agencies and press of these countries, did everything in their power to throw the whole blame for the war upon Germany and to influence the public opinion of neutral nations, more particularly of the United States, against Germany and Austria-Hungary.

"Germany, not being aware of this campaign, was therefore for quite a while unable to defend herself and when she did so found it difficult to remove the wrong impressions which had been gained by influential men and by a large part of the press in the United States. Everybody with an unbiased mind must admit that the German government has used its best efforts in limiting the difficulties which had arisen in consequence of the assassination of Archduke Francis Ferdinand to Austria-Hungary and Serbia and that Russia made herself really responsible for the present war when she offered her full support to Serbia, which had been and still is her principal ally, for the purpose of weakening and destroying the power of Austria-Hungary, although the latter state had definitely and repeatedly agreed that the independence of Serbia and the present boundaries of her territory should suffer no change at the end of the war, which she had felt herself constrained to declare against Serbia. It must be borne in mind that the murderer of Archduke Francis Ferdinand was a Serb, who had been influenced in his criminal action by Serbian officials, as is now being proved before the court in session at Belgrade, and that Austria, according to former experiences with Serbia, could expect a lasting improvement in her relations with said nation only by adopting drastic measures.

"The English White Paper shows that Sir Edward Grey exerted himself to prevent the outbreak of a European war, but unfortunately he could hardly avoid supporting France on the strength of the secret military convention entered into between the two countries in November, 1912, which was just about to be supplemented by a secret agreement with Russia in regard to a joint naval action in case of war with Germany (as semi-officially published in Berlin a short time ago). In fact, Sir Edward Grey makes this clear in his despatch of July 30 to the British ambassador in Berlin and in his conversation with Prince Liebowitz when he declines to entertain any proposition from Germany having in view the neutrality of Great Britain. Furthermore, he made himself largely responsible for the war by assuring Russia of Great Britain's support, as reported by the Belgian charge d'affaires at St. Petersburg on July 30 to his government with the comment that this fact had greatly strengthened the Russian war party.

"Mr. de Bunsen, the British ambassador at Vienna, tries to place the blame for the war on Germany, claiming that had Germany postponed sending her ultimatum to Russia and France only a few days Europe would probably have been saved from one of the greatest wars in history, as Russia and Austria had on the 30th of July begun once more to confer in regard to the Serbian difficulties. He does not mention that these new negotiations had been undertaken at the urgent suggestion of the German emperor and does not explain why Russia suddenly ordered the mobilization of her whole army and navy during the night of July 30 to July 31; although Count Berchtold had just consented in a very friendly manner to continue the conferences. This shows clearly that Russia started the ball rolling and thus forced Germany also to mobilize her army and navy after having asked for an explanation from Russia in regard to her uncalculated action without receiving any reply. It is now generally conceded that Russia must have started mobilizing a large part of her army secretly long before the time stated officially by Russia, as otherwise she could not have had two large armies ready for action near her frontiers on Aug. 25.

"It has, of course, been a great disappointment to Germany that Great Britain has chosen to join her enemies in the present war. The German emperor and his advisers have for a long time used every effort in establishing more friendly relations between the two countries, but without success, as is now clearly shown. Already Bismarck has stated that England does not desire Germany's friendship, and this feeling against Germany has grown much more intense since Germany has further increased her power and has started to build a navy in keeping with her growing commerce. There is no question that the present war is partly due to the policy of Great Britain, started by King Edward—namely, to surround Germany by a circle of enemies (Einkreisung), which has been carried on without interruption by Sir Edward Grey and Mr. Churchill, ably assisted by Mr. Delcasse and Mr. Iswolsky, and which has forced Germany continually to increase her armaments, for, owing to her geographical location, no country in the world is so much exposed to the danger of a simultaneous attack by several enemies as Germany. Germany has met the opposition of the British government and her representatives against German interests for many years in all parts of the world.

"It is a well known fact and a matter of history that Great Britain has always been opposing and often made war on such nations as were liable to become dangerous to her own dominating world power. It is therefore no surprise that Great Britain has been looking forward to entering into a war against Germany as soon as a favorable opportunity should offer and as soon as the assistance of some powerful allies could be secured. This is very ably explained by Hober Lea in his book, 'The Day of the Saxon.'

"France had, of course, no choice in the matter of being bound to be a party to the war by her alliance with Russia. Germany would have liked nothing better than to see her remain neutral. The British and French news bureaus and a large part of their press have for many years through their powerful connections with all parts of the world tried to misrepresent the real intentions of Germany and have thus prepared the ground well for the fearful campaign of abuse which is now being carried on against Germany in many countries. While this is much regretted by the German people, it can shake in no way their confidence in the righteousness of their cause. On the contrary, they will defend their fatherland with increased courage and energy, being sure that the truth will finally prevail.

"The nations which are fighting against Germany and some writers in neutral countries make a great outcry about the German emperor, the German war party and German militarism, claiming that all these are to blame for the outbreak of the European war. This view is certainly not shared by the German people and can hardly be accepted by any one who thoroughly understands the history, the culture and the character of the Germans. Germany has not participated in any war for over forty years, excepting the Boxer trouble in China and the insurrection in her South African colony, and the German emperor

has often done much in removing the heavy war clouds which had gathered at various times over Europe. It is imperative for Germany to keep a large army owing to her exposed location in the center of Europe and considering the growing inimical feeling against her on the part of France, England and Russia during the last ten years. If it were not for her strong army Germany would have been attacked long before this. It would not have occurred now if England had not promised her support to France and Russia, who have not even refrained from openly referring to the time when they would be ready for a joint attack on Germany.

"Unfortunately European affairs have never been discussed very fully in the American press, and therefore these matters are little known to the American people, and whatever news has been sent out from Europe has originated mostly in England and France. The Americans, excepting those who have resided in Germany, do not understand the German people. They hear a great deal about the war lord and pan-Germanism as described by General Bernhardt and others, and probably many believe that whole of Germany is a military camp and that one of the principal occupations of the Germans is to make plans for attacking their neighbors and to conquer the whole world. They do not realize the great strides Germany has made in science, art, industry and commerce, as well as in legislation for the benefit of her laboring classes, nor are they aware of the military service which was started over a hundred years ago by Scharnhorst and Gneisenau has a most beneficial effect on the physical and mental development of the male population and that the views expressed by General Bernhardt and a few others on pan-Germanism and the impossibility of stopping warfare are in no way accepted by the military and other leaders of the nation. Germany has fewer analphabetes than any other country in the world, the same amounting to only 5 per cent.

"The German people are always in favor of peace as long as the same can be upheld with honor. The attacks upon the German emperor are entirely uncalled for, he being today the most popular person in Germany, as all parties, even the Social Democrats, feel fully convinced that the emperor has done everything in his power to avoid war. Today all Germans are fighting shoulder to shoulder for their fatherland. Alongside the laboring classes you find artisans, students, professors of science, ministers of the gospel, physicians, artists, merchants, members of the nobility, princes and reigning sovereigns, all filled with enthusiasm for a just cause and ready to sacrifice their lives if need be. German patriotism is further evidenced by the success of the recent war loan, about \$1,100,000,000 having been subscribed, of which \$750,000,000 has already been paid in.

"One of the most influential men of the United States says that Great Britain owes it that she is not in worse plight than Belgium today solely to the fact that with far-sighted wisdom her statesmen have maintained her navy at the highest point of efficiency. How about the far-sighted wisdom of the statesmen of Germany who have provided a strong army and navy in order to save the state from destruction by the simultaneous attack of many powerful nations? I presume they deserve no credit, but must be condemned as believing in militarism, and the whole world is to be called upon to take a stand against them. Some writer even claims that 'militarism is a greater danger than barbarism because it cannot be educated, while barbarism can, which simply shows that he has very little knowledge of German culture and national life. What real barbarism is Germany has had ample opportunity of experiencing during the present war. Not only have the Belgians committed the most awful crimes against German residents in Brussels and Antwerp and later on against Ger-

man wounded soldiers, but the German government has just delivered a complaint at Geneva, consisting of fifteen cases in which French soldiers have violated the Red Cross convention in a most brutal manner.

"Furthermore, the Prussian government is now collecting evidence in East Prussia as to the atrocities committed by Russian Cossacks and other soldiers against the population of that province, some of which have already been published by the war correspondents of neutral countries. British soldiers have repeatedly, as reported authentically by German officers, raised a white flag to signify their wish to surrender and thereupon have coolly shot down the unsuspecting advancing German troops, the same trick having been performed by Russian soldiers. The use of dum-dum bullets by the Allies has been proved repeatedly. The accusations made by the Belgians, which have gone to the United States in regard to cruelties perpetrated by German soldiers are mostly based on the punishment dealt out to Belgians who, joined by women, treacherously attacked German soldiers from ambush and have otherwise been fully contradicted by the reports of the American war correspondent, J. O'Donnell Bennett, and others. It is very peculiar that shortly after the beginning of the war many French prisoners showed a great deal of anxiety and when questioned about it stated that they had been informed that all prisoners falling into German hands would be executed. Similar fears were expressed by French wounded prisoners. In this connection the French leading paper, Le Temps, published recently the statement that Indian soldiers arriving at Marseilles had been shown letters from English officers describing in detail how German soldiers had acted in a most atrocious manner against women. Such misinformation can hardly be conducive to humane warfare, and it is no wonder that the most ghastly trophies removed from the bodies of German soldiers have been found in the possession of African Turks.

"In spite of these facts, the allies, who bring into the war many and many soldiers they can get hold of whether they be zouaves, Turcos, Senegal negroes or Hindus, claim that they represent civilization as against militarism and that a victory on their side would be for the interest of the whole world, and it is most surprising that they are supported in this view by many members of the American press. It is easy to discuss the horrors of the war far from the field of action and to represent Germany as the bully, the mad dog or the wild pig of Europe, but one is bound to shudder at the thought that the African and Asiatic hordes of the allies and the Russian Cossacks should ever enter the heart of Germany and have defenseless women and children at their mercy. All Germany asks for are justice and a fair judgment.

"Much has been published about the damage done to the city of Loewen and to the cathedral of Rheims. As was to be expected from the Belgian and French governments, they at first published the news that the whole city of Loewen had been destroyed and that hardly anything was to be seen any more of the beautiful cathedral of Rheims. At Louvain a large part of the population suddenly and treacherously attacked German troops with machine guns and rifles at a given signal, apparently instigated by the Belgian authorities, after the soldiers had entered the city peaceably and had been received in a most friendly manner. The ensuing fight lasted for a whole day, and this unwarranted attack caused the destruction of about one-fifth of the city, the town hall being saved by the exertions of the German soldiers. Certainly this episode of the war can be in no way compared with the sniping of a few American soldiers at Vera Cruz. Nothing at all would have happened to the cathedral at Rheims, which was not seriously damaged, if the French had not used this fine edifice as a post of observation and as a shield for their artillery, as can be definitely proved. Certainly the Germans appreciate art just as much as any other nation and will never wantonly destroy any monument of high value. A strong protest against this campaign has been published by all German universities, as well as by the principal representatives of German science and art.

"The allies, not having so far succeeded in suppressing the German forces, are doing their utmost to annihilate Germany morally by the most gigantic system of spreading lies about the German army and people that has ever been experienced before in this world. This is confirmed by influential impartial men like Sven Hedin. A book could be filled with the fabrication of such news. As a few examples are here mentioned—the illustration of a machine gun in action on a German Red Cross wagon, which appeared on the front page of a London illustrated paper, and the report to the London Times by its correspondent in Copenhagen that the population of Berlin had shown great joy upon hearing the news of the destruction of the cathedral of Rheims—further comment is unnecessary. While it has been reported that the populace of Belgium have incited the soldiers of the enemy, quite an opposite stand has been taken by the mayors of those cities in East Prussia which have been in possession of the Russian army for a short while. For instance, the mayor of Tilsit at once requested the delivery of all arms and warned even children not to play with toy cartridges in order not to endanger the city.

"It is a great satisfaction that the people of Alsace and Lorraine have, with a few exceptions, proved very loyal to Germany, about 20,000 men having offered themselves for voluntary military service at the beginning of the war. So far they are not at all delighted with the treatment accorded to them by the French army during its short stay.

"As regards Belgium, certainly no nation regrets more than Germany that the German government, in order to forestall a similar action on the part of France, found it imperative as a matter of life and death to disregard

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MAN WANTED ON COAST MAY BE A LOCAL RESIDENT

Ferdinand Hauss, Jr., Sought By Marysville, Cal., Authorities, Believed to Be Here

Ferdinand Hauss, Jr., prominent in business and social circles of Marysville, California, who suddenly departed from that city under suspicion of having defrauded creditors to the extent of \$12,000 or more, and Mrs. Hauss, may be in Honolulu.

This much is believed since the receipt of advices from Marysville in Honolulu yesterday. The information stated the belief that Hauss' destination was Honolulu and it further declared friends of the alleged Marysville absconder had "tipped off" a newspaper in the California city to the alleged fact that Hauss was Honolulu-bound.

No warrant had been sworn out at the time the information was despatched from the California city, a few days ago, but it was expected at that time that a criminal complaint would be filed by Hauss' creditors at any time. It is believed that if Hauss came to Honolulu he did so under an assumed name, which in any event was probable, as the passenger lists do not identify Ferdinand Hauss, Jr. He did so under an assumed name, which in any event was probable, as the passenger lists do not identify Ferdinand Hauss, Jr.

Hauss, as near as can be ascertained at this time, went to Marysville several months ago and during the drying season he leased a place near the city and started a drying plant, according to the Marysville Democrat.

After completing this he commenced to purchase grapes and in a few weeks bought up a large quantity from the various vineyardists throughout Sutter county. The grapes were hauled to his drying plant near Bogue, where a large force of men were kept at work and the plant was kept in operation throughout the greater part of the drying season. Young Hauss sold the greater portion of his raisins to Rosenberg Bros., and made delivery to their packing house in Yuba City. Several hundred cases of raisins were purchased from Hauss by Rosenberg Bros., and as soon as delivery was made Hauss would draw the money for the raisins. In this way he managed to keep his account with Rosenberg Bros. pretty well drawn on.

With the money which he drew from Rosenberg Bros. it is said Hauss paid off some of his old creditors and a few of those from whom he purchased grapes, besides also paying for the operation of his drying plant through which he was under a heavy expense, and after doing this it is thought he departed for the fields anew, leaving a few of those from whom he had purchased grapes unpaid.

It is stated by Hauss' friends that he has come to Honolulu, although this could not be verified. It is alleged that Hauss owes one of his creditors as much as \$3000 for the crop of raisins which he purchased.

As yet there has been no complaint sworn out against Hauss, although it is probable that one will be issued in the near future, if the rumors are not unfounded. The sheriff's office of Sutter county, when asked concerning the case, denied any knowledge of the matter. It is alleged that some of Hauss' creditors knew him from other experiences in their dealings with him and kept his trail hot until he paid them and that they are the only ones now who can congratulate themselves for being shrewd enough to secure their money.

NOTICE OF SALE.

The undersigned, Assessor and Collector of Taxes in and for the First Taxation Division, Territory of Hawaii, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the front entrance to the Judiciary building in said Honolulu, at 12 o'clock noon of the 24 day of January, A. D. 1915, the following described property:

All of the right, title and interest of William L. Welsh both at law and in equity in and to one red-painted, 7-passenger Locomobile Touring Automobile as is said automobile having been seized for delinquent tax under Section 1269 and 1263 as amended by Act 146 of the Session Laws of 1911.

The above mentioned property may be inspected during business hours at the Hawaiian Carriage and Manufacturing Co., Ltd., on Queen street, Honolulu.

BUSY MONTH IS AHEAD OF THE FEDERAL COURT

January will be a busy month in the federal court, according to the large number of cases which are on the calendar and which are subject to trial during that period and February. The members of the petit jury have been notified to meet in court at 8:30 o'clock Monday morning, January 4. It has been stated in the district attorney's office that a meeting of the federal grand jury will be held early next month. Clerk Augustus E. Murphy said today that the members of the petit jury for the April term of the court will be drawn in February.

Following is a list of the cases now on the docket and awaiting trial: Joseph Baker, opium; Akaka Kichika, bigamy; George A. "Bert" Bower, two cases, opium and white slavery; Albert Machado, white slavery; Ki Kong, selling liquor without a license; Edward Cluney, white slavery; Nishikawa, selling liquor without a license; Isagawa, selling liquor without a license; James F. Field, liquor; Kalipi Kallilul and Hattie Chun Duck, statutory; Claude F. Redenbaugh, statutory; Libby Kaiawe and Ah Chow, statutory; Pu Chai Tong, opium, and Manuel M. Pavo, statutory.

There were no further developments today or over Sunday in the opium situation.

DAILY REMINDERS

Round the Island in auto \$5.00. Lewis Stables. Phone 2141.—Adv. Look for the "Arrow S" brand when buying ham or bacon. These products—Swifts—are the wholesome and are of the finest flavor. After the first taste you are assured of the superior excellence.

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Michael Mathew and a man named Rely, sailors, were found dead from suffocation in the cell at Branford, Conn. The bedding in their cell caught fire from the men's pipes.

Daniel McKay, for many years coachman in the family of Samuel Dodd, president of the International Silver Company, was found dead in his room at Meriden from gas poisoning.

Henry C. Tinker of New York, director of several corporations, died as a result of internal wounds he received when he swallowed a small steel instrument while in a dentist chair.

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NOTICE.

The Governor of Hawaii begs to announce that he desires the presence of the people of Hawaii, that he may meet them generally, at the reception and ball to be given by him on New Year's Eve, December 31, 1914, at the National Guard armory.

Invitations have been sent so far as lists have been obtainable. Should any fail of delivery or omissions occur he trusts the above invitation will be accepted. 6046-41.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that all Police Commissions issued prior to January 4, 1915, will be revoked and cancelled on that date.

All persons holding police badges and keys other than the members of the Police Department are hereby requested to immediately return said badges and keys to the Sheriff's office, Police Station, Honolulu.

CHARLES H. ROSE, Sheriff, City and County of Honolulu 6046-28, Jan. 2, 1915.

NOTICE.

INSTALLATION CEREMONY. The officers of Honolulu Lodge No. 409, F. and A. M., will be installed at the Masonic Temple on Tuesday evening, December 29th, at 7:30 o'clock. Members and all visiting brethren are cordially invited to be present. 6046-11.

Auction Sale!

1150 Cases of ASCO HONEY On Account of Whom It May Concern

I have received instructions to sell at Public Auction, at my Salesroom, cor. Fort and Queen Sts., opp. M. Hackfeld & Company, Honolulu, T. H., on Saturday, December 12th, at 12 o'clock Noon, the following designated cases of Honey, for sale on account of whom it may concern:

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O. A. STEVEN, Auctioneer. The sale of the above Honey is postponed until Saturday, January 2, 1915, at the same hour and place of sale.



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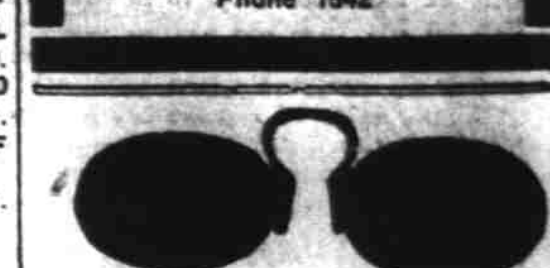
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[Associated Press]

PARIS, France.—The chateau du Soupir, near Vailly sur Aisne, transformed into a military hospital and sheltering a number of wounded of both armies, has been bombarded and destroyed by the Germans. The chateau belonged to Madame Boursin, who was the principal heiress to the great fortune left by Chaudard, the department store magnate, and it contained a considerable number of rare works of art that have been lost. Madame Boursin's name was frequently mentioned by Calliaux in the Calmette affair. Calmette and Chaudard were close friends.

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E. H. Paris: An excellent piece of promotion work. Very fine.

SEND IT TO YOUR FRIENDS.

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James D. Dougherty: From the standpoint of the printer—the artistic—it is excellent.

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Julius Asch: I was delighted with the appearance of the special number of the Star-Bulletin.

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Augustus E. Murphy: A beautiful edition—a credit to the Star-Bulletin and to Hawaii.

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D. L. Conkling: The Star-Bulletin's supplement reminds me of fifteen years ago in Hawaii, because it shows the newspaper business today is so different. The financial end of the thing must have been a tremendous proposition.

HAWAII-PANAMA EDITION

W. W. Thayer: I wish it were possible to have a big supply of that supplement on hand at the Hawaii building during the exposition to distribute among tourists and visitors. I should like to see it spread broadcast throughout the United States.

SEND IT TO YOUR FRIENDS.

J. W. Pratt: That Panama special of the Star-Bulletin is by all odds the finest publication ever issued from these islands. It is as good as the best that I have ever seen from the mainland. Everyone who had anything to do with it is to be congratulated.

50 CENTS AT NEWS STANDS

Harold Giffard: That supplement is a corker. I didn't think newspaper work in Hawaii had reached such a high state of development, particularly in printing and art work. One thing that especially interests me, of course, is the picture of the scenes near my parents' home.

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C. P. Morris: I want to add that the Honolulu Star-Bulletin special number is about the finest thing of its kind that has ever been brought to my attention. It is a credit to the city from which it emanates. I shall do my share in its circulation among prominent mainland shipping centers.

HAWAII-PANAMA EDITION

Mayor J. J. Fern: I have never been on the mainland and I don't know just how far big publication firms there can go in getting up this sort of thing, but I bet they can't beat this here Star-Bulletin supplement very much. I bet even money nothing better than that is done during my successor's term of office.

SEND IT TO YOUR FRIENDS.

Col. C. J. McCarthy: The supplement is certain to open the eyes of our friends on the mainland, both by the great mass of information and fine art work it contains and by the way in which it has been handled. It looks more like the product of some big publishing house of Chicago or New York than an issue by a Honolulu daily newspaper.

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Emil A. Berndt: The edition is the last word in printing as far as Honolulu goes. I can hardly realize that the work was done in this city. The color work is something wonderful. It is a great credit to the Star-Bulletin plant, and is the best promotion literature we have. I am going to send a copy to all my mainland friends, as well as to the head of every branch store of this firm.

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H. Gooding Field: The Star-Bulletin special edition is a wonder. It is hard to believe that a local plant can afford to be equipped to turn out such elegant work.

W. H. C. Campbell: All districts in the territory were equally favored in the splendid promotion matter brought out in the Honolulu Star-Bulletin special.

Reger Taylor: The resources of the islands were never shown to better advantage than in the pages of the Hawaii special edition gotten out by the Star-Bulletin.

Sidney R. Jordan: The finest edition of its kind ever gotten out in Honolulu. Look at those cuts—simply magnificent. It is a Christmas present in itself.

Chester Doyle: That Star-Bulletin supplement is a wonder in artistic color schemes. I am going to keep a copy on hand to study suggestions for my neckties hereafter.

W. L. Howard: Please increase my order, and how soon will they be sent out? I consider the Panama edition very fine and surely a credit to your company.

HAWAII-PANAMA EDITION

James Bicknell: A beautiful piece of work, especially so in the illustrations, with which it is so profusely decorated.

SEND IT TO YOUR FRIENDS.

James I. Arcia: The Panama-Hawaii special Star-Bulletin is truly a work of art. It has made good as a factor in promotion.

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Lieut. J. D. Reardon: Up to anything of the kind that I have ever seen before. I had no idea such fine book work could be done here.

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P. T. Phillips: I was surprised at the typographical appearance of the Hawaii-Panama special edition of the Star-Bulletin. I hope to be one of the first to carry a number of copies to Hilo.

HAWAII-PANAMA EDITION

C. A. Gettrill: It's a glowing colorful tribute to the natural beauties of Hawaii. It comes the nearest of anything I've yet seen to give a true impression of the vivid colorings of our natural scenery.

SEND IT TO YOUR FRIENDS.

Fred Turrill: Your supplement is the best promotion literature that has ever been published in these islands. I want to tell you, up. And I was astonished to know that you did it all in your own office. I didn't know such work could be done here.

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E. W. St. George: The Promotion Committee should see to it that every newspaper in the United States is supplied with a copy of the Star-Bulletin's special edition. That would be real promotion.

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R. F. Lange: I received my subscription copy of the Star-Bulletin Panama extra, but I am going to buy some copies. It is very excellent and ought to do a great deal toward making Hawaii known abroad.

HAWAII-PANAMA EDITION

L. B. Reeves: Too much praise cannot be bestowed upon the special number of the Star-Bulletin, which gives a splendid idea of the vast amount of shipping that annually visits the port of Honolulu.

SEND IT TO YOUR FRIENDS.

Chas. A. Frazier: It represents the biggest forward step ever made in the printing art in Hawaii. If every individual in this territory will send a copy abroad the result, from an advertising standpoint, will be stupendous.

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Collector M. A. Franklin: The Hawaii-Panama edition of the Star-Bulletin will certainly be forwarded to my friends in the southern states. It's simply great. It tells more than I could set forth through a year's letter writing.

POSTAGE, 15 CENTS

J. W. Sains: There is the true ring of the promotionist found in the columns of the Star-Bulletin Panama special number. I was pleased to note that the island of Hawaii was well represented in pictorial as well as letter press.

HAWAII-PANAMA EDITION

Judge C. W. Ashford: The Star-Bulletin's Hawaii-Panama supplement is a revelation of the remarkable advance in printing and newspaper work made in these islands in the last decade. The publication is the best thing of its kind I've seen prepared in Hawaii. The photographic and color work was especially surprising in its good quality. Altogether it should prove a real live promotion asset for the territory.

SEND IT TO YOUR FRIENDS.

Judge T. B. Stuart: I think the Star-Bulletin must have sprung a huge surprise on the people of the territory with that special edition supplement. Everyone knew something in the way of a special edition was forthcoming, but I doubt if they dreamed it would be anything so elaborate and really expensive. And the surprise certainly has been an agreeable one. I surmise it will astonish the people on the mainland who see it and learn that it is strictly the product of Hawaii, from cover to cover.

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L. R. Kilham: The Hawaii-Panama edition of the Star-Bulletin is a fine feature and very attractive. It is good advertising for the territory in every way.

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L. A. Thurston: The Star-Bulletin is certainly to be congratulated on the magnificent work in the special edition.

John Detor: The Hawaii section is a credit to the islands. It is a great number and a real booster for our resources and attractions.

E. A. Robbins: Way ahead of anything I've seen of the kind since I've been Hawaii. It should prove a great boost for the territory.

E. W. Raphael: I want to congratulate the Star-Bulletin upon this splendid edition. It is one for Hawaii to be proud of and it should be sent all over the world.

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ARMY RELIEF SOCIETY BENEFIT AT BIJOU FOR NEXT THREE NIGHTS

Webb Players Will Present Comedy "Our Wives" For Soldiers' Fund

"Our Wives," a screaming comedy, will be the offering of the All-Star players at the Bijou Theater commencing tonight and concluding Wednesday night and the proceeds from all three performances will go to the Army Relief Society for the benefit of the widows and orphans of Uncle Sam's soldiers.

Tonight has been specially designated Fort Shafter, Fort Kamehameha and National Guard night and special invitations have been extended to members of these organizations. Under the direction of Mrs. Charles Chillingworth and several score of army and national guard men the theater has been decorated in the national colors.

A packed house has been predicted for all performances and members of the Relief Society are further assisting the cause by selling tickets about the city. Captain Demmer and a detail of enlisted men from Fort Ruger have been assisting the society in decorating the show house in an artistic manner.

The entertainments for the benefit of the relief fund were originated by Mrs. Edward Timberlake two years ago when the lawn party was given at Kapiolani Park with great success. Similar functions have been held since with equal success. Tickets are on sale at Benson, Smith & Co.'s, Gunst's, the Moana and Young hotels and at the Bijou theater box office. The curtain will rise at 8:15 o'clock tonight.

Those who have charge of the benefit are: Colonel W. C. Raftery, Lieut. Col. and Mrs. W. E. Ellis, Maj. F. W. Coe, Major George Blakely, Captain H. J. Hatch, Captain G. A. Taylor and Lieut. G. L. Van Deusen. "Our Wives" is an offering without a serious vein and should keep the audiences holding their sides with laughter from start to finish.

The plot, if such it can be called, starts when members of a circle of young men announce their engagements, each to the sweetest girl in the world. They all marry but instead of strengthening the young men's friendship, they follow the supposedly usual womanly customs and things begin to happen.

The Army Relief Society is an organization of people desiring to assist widows and orphans of American soldiers and its main object is explained in the following extract from the organization's constitution:

Section 1. To collect funds and provide relief in case of emergency for dependent widows and orphans of officers and enlisted men of the regular army of the United States.

Section 2. To aid in securing employment for such beneficiaries.

Section 3. To solicit and create scholarships and supervise educational opportunities for beneficiaries.

Article III—Membership.

Section 1. Men, women and children are eligible for membership.

Section 2. (a) Any person contributing annually to the society becomes a member.

(b) Members at large shall pay five dollars annual dues.

(c) Life members shall pay no dues, such membership being granted upon the payment of \$100.

The society was incorporated in 1900. Its present president is Mrs. Daniel S. Lamont of New York City, widow of a former secretary of war. Its senior vice president is Mrs. E. H. Liscum, widow of Colonel Liscum, who was killed in action in China.

Although this country had groaned under its expenditure for pensions ever since the civil war, the widow of an officer or enlisted man, unless she has outside resources, finds the wolf at the door. To meet this need the Army Relief Society in a quiet, unostentatious manner helps those who cannot help themselves.

Another big "crook" play is being offered at the Popular theater. "The Master Mind" was shown Saturday matinee and night and will be repeated again today and tomorrow at the matinee and evening performance.

Edmund Breese, a new face to Honolulu but one who has gained the highest praise of the mainland critics in a number of strong characters he has created, appears in the title role and is easily one of the best and most efficient artists ever seen in this city.

"The Master Mind" breaks away from the usual rut of "crook" dramas and gives the auditor an insight into the finer workings of the underworld where the trade of a criminal is developed into a science by the master mind. This leader of a band of crooks that baffles the police and district attorney of the great city of New York is at all times in complete control of his underlings, who are forced to carry out the schemes which he evolves.

The district attorney sends the brother of the Master Mind to the electric chair for murder and the great criminal swears to be avenged. By the use of his protégé, known in the crook's world as "Three Armed Magie," he decides to strike at his enemy. The girl is educated in Europe, fascinates and is married to the district attorney, who has ambitions to become governor of the Empire state. "You will receive four aces and when you get the ace of spades the end will be near," the Master Mind tells the district attorney. During the action of the drama the aces are mysteriously received by the attorney.

The Master Mind plays on the jealousies of the district attorney and finally exposes the family which he has manufactured for his protégé, also advising the district attorney that his wife is one of the smoothest women crooks known to New York. The resignation of the district attorney from the gubernatorial race is demanded and reluctantly given and, with his revenge completely worked out, his love for the girl proves stronger than the Master Mind's hatred of the district attorney. Her husband's resignation is handed to the girl and the Master Mind disappears from the scene.

The workings of the Master Mind and the appointments of his den are of the highest scientific order and are well worth seeing by both layman and professional. Brief catches.

The "Perils of Pauline" are up to the standard and serve to introduce an excellent automobile accident in which a car is shot over a precipice that reminds one of the Fall scene in a picture shown at the Popular several months ago.

OPEN HOUSE AT THE Y. M. C. A. NEW YEAR'S EVE

One of the features of New Year's night will be the open house at the Y. M. C. A., to which members may invite their friends, both ladies and gentlemen. Mrs. Charles L. Hall and L. G. French, two of Honolulu's best vocalists, will appear on the concert program.

Prof. L. A. de Gracia is drilling the Y. M. C. A. orchestra for its part in the evening's program. The orchestra will play during the dinner hour from 6 to 8, when a special cafeteria dinner for ladies as well as men will be served.

On the concert program, which takes place in the gymnasium at 9 o'clock, the orchestra will present four of its best selections, while Prof. de Gracia will contribute a violin solo. A banjo trio, "The White Coons," will be a novel feature.

Preceding the concert will be an athletic program in the games hall from 8 to 9 o'clock. A basketball game between two crack teams known as the All-Americans and All-Nationals, will be a feature. An exhibition of tumbling and other gymnasium stunts will take place during intervals.

There will be bowling throughout the evening from 6 o'clock on, with a special committee in charge. It is expected that many members and ladies will enjoy the New Year's open house at the Y. M. C. A. on January 1.

OLD HAWAII TO BE REPRODUCED IN MUSIC FORM

An entertainment that is educational as well as entertaining is to be given at the Opera House tomorrow night, Tuesday the 29th, by the Young People's League. A chorus of 50 good voices, a glee club of 25 and an orchestra of 30 members are to appear on the program and a treat is in store for the music lovers of Honolulu.

"Music of Hawaii" is the offering for that evening and the musical organizations of the league have made a specialty of the music of the islands and those who have heard the chorus and glee club have pronounced their singing to be the best in the city. Five members of the club secured the contract for furnishing the music in the Hawaii building at the San Francisco exposition the other day in competition with six other clubs. This speaks well for the training they have received. The weird music of olden days and the beautiful songs of more recent times are to be sung, accompanied by instruments of the different periods. There is a demand for entertainments that are distinctly Hawaiian and tomorrow night's musical affair will be decidedly characteristic of the islands.

The program is as follows:

1. Hawaiian Chorus.
2. Pale in the Amber West. Parks King's Glee Club.
3. Selection. Berger's Orchestra.
4. Favorites of Olden Days (Typical Scenes of Life in Hawaii.) The Serenaders.
5. Selection. Berger's Orchestra.
6. In the Wilds of Puna. Young People's League Chorus.
7. Waimea Cowboy (song). Kauwe King's Glee Club.
8. Songs by Royalty—Compositions by Queen Liliuokalani, King Kalakaua, Princess Likelike and Prince Lelelohu, to show different styles of native songs.
9. Glee Club and Chorus.
10. Selection. Ukulele Orchestra.
11. Selection. Berger's Orchestra.
12. Mrs. Kalani's Party—Introducing songs and melodies of different periods. Modern—Mauna Loa, Lei Poia-Ole, Malanai and Lei Lehu. Ancient—Paeeae, Puili, Kuolo Ipu, Ka Laau, Hula Kake, Hula Ohelo, Hula Pahur and Pi-a-pa.

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At the Aloha store, Beretania and Fort streets, 500 suits for men and boys positively must be sold within three weeks. The prices have been cut to be within reach of the poorest man. These are rich men's clothes at poor man's prices—blue serges, browns and various other shades; cashmere, Scotch tweeds and all the latest materials. Stylish models. Boys' suits run mostly in Norfairs. Now is your opportunity to buy two suits for the price of one. Remember the place—corner Fort and Beretania streets. Every suit guaranteed or your money back. Ask to see the Decker name on each suit. S. Decker & Sons, props.—Adv.

"The Year's Valedictory" was the subject of an address delivered in Central Union church yesterday morning by Dr. Willert Perry Ferguson, principal of Mills School, in which he reviewed the work which the church has accomplished during the past year. Special musical programs were given at both the morning and evening services.

Residents of Kalbi to the number of more than 100 gathered in the Kalbi Union church last night to attend Christmas exercises held under the auspices of the members of the Sunday School of the church. A feature of the entertainment was a playlet entitled "The White Gift to the King," given by the Sunday school pupils. The children contributed \$20, which will be added to the local Belgian relief fund.

BIJOU THEATRE TONIGHT, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY

The Oahu Coast Defense Section of the Army Relief Society will have the Bijou Theater for

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OUR WIVES

Box seats (\$2.00) are sold by Lieut. Van Deusen, Fort De Russy, Phone 4908. Orchestra (\$1.00), Dress Circle (50c), and 25-cent seats may be obtained at the Bijou box office. One dollar seats may also be obtained at the Young Hotel, Moana Hotel, M. A. Gunst's, and Benson, Smith & Co.; also from Lieut. Van Deusen. Dollar tickets are good for December 28, 29 or 30, but must be exchanged at the Bijou box office for reservations. Tickets are also on sale at all Post Exchanges.

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The Christmas celebration of the Phoenix Lodge will be held Tuesday, December 29, at 7:30 p. m. All members and their families are cordially invited.—Adv.