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FRAUD IN THE PETITION GALLINGER READS THE DOOM OF SPAIN SUFFERERS BY THE FLOOD AMONG THE KLONDIKERS



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ANTI-ANNEXATION MEMORIAL FULL OF FORGERIES.

Startling Report of an Agent Who Examined It—Long Rows of Names in the Same Handwriting.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The advocates of the annexation of Hawaii are prepared to meet a surprise on the Senate. One of the chief arguments by the anti-annexationists has been that a large majority of the natives of Hawaii are opposed to annexation. As evidence of the sentiment of the natives there was presented early in the consideration of the treaty a petition bearing the signatures of over 20,000 natives, appealing to the United States not to deprive them of their national existence.

The presentation of this monster petition which has been cited as a true representation of the feeling of the native population of Hawaii, undoubtedly carried great weight, many Senators being influenced by it against the treaty. The surprise that the annexationists will spring on the Senate is evidence tending to show that the monster petition is full of a mass of forgeries.

A special agent was engaged to make an investigation of the manner in which the petition was prepared, and the genuineness of the signatures. A report from this agent has been received. He says his investigation has shown that the total number of the names on the petition is 21,260, of which 10,387 are males, and 10,873 are females.

On the male petition there is a summary which states that the number of minors between the ages of 14 and 20 years is 2,262, while the female petition has no such summary. There are in all 2,976 names of persons under 20 years of age, showing that 23 per cent of the petitioners are minors.

An analysis of the petition disclosed that there are five facts which tend to discredit both the genuineness and good faith of the memorial. The first one is that while the summary says the minors are all between 14 and 20 years of age, the petition on the face of it shows that there are 350 males and 327 females under 14 years of age, of whom seven boys and six girls are put down as two years of age, the names of the latter being signed in a clear round hand.

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ART AND SCIENCE.
At the World's Columbian Exposition art and science was thoroughly exemplified. The greatest achievements of modern times were on exhibition. Among the many beautiful displays none attracted more attention than that made by the Singer Sewing Machine Company. It won the enthusiastic praises of all. B. Bergersen, Agent, Bethel street.

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HE DEMANDS INTERVENTION IN CUBA.

Tells the Senate of the Awful Suffering There as He Saw It—The Very Latest War News.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—In accordance with the announcement that was made yesterday, Senator Gallinger today addressed his colleagues in regard to the situation in Cuba. He has just returned from a visit to the island, and much interest was felt in what he would have to say.

In opening his speech Mr. Gallinger referred to the efforts made by the Cubans in 1829, in 1844, in 1850, in 1851, in 1868, and again in 1895, to break the chains that bound them to Spain in order that they might establish for themselves a free government "upon the soil that was rightly theirs."

Save the last all these efforts have ended in failure. That failure is history and need not be recounted.

Referring to his call upon the Autonomist Cabinet, Mr. Gallinger said it was evident that the President of the Cabinet was not encouraged in the work.

"The truth is," Mr. Gallinger said, "autonomy is a flat failure, opposed alike by the ultra-Spaniards and the Cubans. The leaders of the insurrection have not forgotten how they were treated by Spain in 1878, and the blandishments and bribes now being offered them are spurned with contempt. 'Better death than autonomy' said a leading Cuban to me, 'for autonomy is only a pretense under which we would again be the slaves of the Spaniards.'"

Mr. Gallinger recalled that he had heard during the debates in the Senate denials made that a state of war existed in Cuba, but it required only a brief personal observation to convince one that war actually did exist. A desolated country and its stricken people told the story more eloquently than it could be conveyed in words.

"The war in Cuba, however," he said, "is a war of starvation and extermination—a war more cruel than the world has ever before known."

"The scene in the streets of Havana are harrowing beyond description. People in want and suffering are everywhere seen and walking skeletons meet one on every hand. Naked children, emaciated and ragged women, diseased and starving men through the streets, the hotel lobbies and every place of public resort. It is a terrible sight, one that sickens the heart and quickens every impulse of human sympathy and love."

"What a chapter of horrors and of death is that, and still the tragedy is going on. How much longer it shall continue depends largely upon the forbearance of a great people, who, through suffering and sorrow, achieved their own independence, and whose sympathies have always gone out to the oppressed of all nations of the world."

"The number of people who have starved in Cuba will never be definitely known. It is estimated that 800,000 were driven from their homes into the cities and towns. I had it from a Spanish authority that according to their figures, 225,000 already have perished, but it is said that the Red Cross Society is in possession of figures that showing that 425,000 Cubans have died as the result of starvation, and that 200,000 more must inevitably die."

"I have been asked many times, what of the Maine? I do not know. This, however, I do know. A government that will deliberately starve 400,000 of its own people will do pretty much anything. If she ship was blown up from the outside, what should our government do? Perhaps I should forbear to discuss that question now; but this I will venture to say: Human life purposely taken cannot be paid for in gold or silver. Mark my words—'purposely taken'—and if it shall appear that such was the fate of 350 brave American sailors then heaven pity the guilty parties. It will not be a question of arbitration, but a question involving the dignity and honor of this great republic."

"American interests in Cuba," said he in conclusion, "have already suffered enough. We have patrolled our coast in the interest of Spain as long as we should, and we have sent quite too much money in protecting our people from epidemic diseases coming

to our shores because of the unsanitary condition of the harbor and the city of Havana. Spain has failed to meet the requirements of an advanced civilization. Let the United States or Cuba take up the problem and solve it."

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Senator Bacon of Georgia introduced a joint resolution in the Senate today, setting forth that, while it is the policy of the United States to maintain its honor at all times, it is also its policy at all times to maintain peace so long as it can be consistently done, and especially in the present emergency.

He gave notice that he would ask the Senate to take up the resolution tomorrow.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The Evening World says: An ominous sign that the strained relations between the United States and Spain will result in war is furnished by English ship owners, who have cabled to their agents that all charters must contain the war clause. This clause which is posted in the Maritime Exchange is as follows:

"It is understood the steamer is to be employed in strictly neutral trade; is not to carry contraband cargo or to trade with ports declared under blockade; also, in the event of war being declared by or against Great Britain by maritime power this charter is to be null and void at the end of the current voyage."

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Secretary Long determined this afternoon to order the double turreted monitor Puritan to Key West, where she will be attached to the squadron under Admiral Sigsbee. She is the largest monitor in the service, is of 6,000 tons displacement, and carries ten guns.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Secretary Long today determined to bring into service the eight old single turreted monitors used during the war, and now lying at League Island navy yard, New York. He issued orders that the monitors Catskill and Lehigh proceed to Boston, and the monitors Nahant and Jason to New York. The other monitors—Manhattan, Mahopie, Montauk and Canonicus—will remain at Philadelphia, where the work of preparing them for service will begin immediately.

Secretary Long today telegraphed orders to Captain Ludlow of the monitor Terror, to proceed at once to Key West and report to Admiral Sigsbee. The Terror will be permanently attached to the squadron at Key West. It is said that she takes the place of the Massachusetts and Texas, which have gone to Hampton Roads, and that this move has been contemplated for more than a week.

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ELECTION OF OFFICERS.
At the regular meeting of the stockholders of E. Peck & Co., Limited, held this day, the following officers and directors were elected to serve for the ensuing year:
James L. McLean President
W. Walters Vice President
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C. C. CONRADT, Secretary.

Honolulu, March 25, 1898.

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RICH PRIZE FOUND AT SEA.
A valuable prize, consisting of the abandoned Norwegian bark B. D. Mercault, with her hold filled with Sterling bicycles, was towed into St. Thomas last week. The vessel and cargo are valued at \$25,000. It is supposed that these ever popular wheels were to be used by the Norwegian government. For details apply to Pacific Cycle and Manufacturing Company.

MARSHAL BROWN REPORTS TO THE HOUSE.

Over Three Hundred Persons Included in the List for Whom Government Aid is Recommended.

In the Senate this morning nearly the entire session was taken up with a consideration of the loan bill. When the item of \$257,000 for a sewerage system for Honolulu was reached, a short recess was taken while the Senators inspected the plans and detailed drawings of the system which has been adopted. Most of the items in the bill were approved and the others were referred to committees.

The appropriation for the completion of the light at Diamond Head was referred to a committee with instructions to investigate the mechanism and engineering qualities of the present structure, the question of its sufficiency having been raised.

Several House bills were passed second reading.

IN THE HOUSE.

It looked for a while this morning as if the House would again have to adjourn on account of lack of a quorum. After a wait of ten minutes, however, the eighth man arrived and business proceeded.

On behalf of the Minister of Foreign Affairs Minister Damon reported that House Bills Nos. 9 and 10 had been signed by the President.

On behalf of the Minister of the Interior the same official reported the answer of Marshal A. M. Brown to the resolution respecting the condition of sufferers by the flood at the Nuuanu stream. The report states that the chief cause of suffering and damage at present is wet homes and clothing. Mud carried into the houses did most of the damage. Beds, blankets and clothing for women and children were all the assistance required. A count of those suffering from the flood gave the following results: 98 male adults, 93 female adults, and 117 children. A few wagons or expresses would be of service. Clothing and bedding should be supplied by the government.

Bills of the Minister of Foreign Affairs respecting foreign corporations and private lands were introduced and passed first reading.

Rep. Kahaloalelo introduced a memorial from Lahaina in which the voters and taxpayers protested to the House against any amendments whatever to the Constitution at this time.

Rep. Achi read a minority report of the Judiciary Committee on the bill confirming additional criminal jurisdiction upon the district magistrate of Kauai, recommending that same do pass.

Rep. Loebenstein read a petition from residents of Hamakua asking for a road from Waimea to Huihui; also a second petition praying for an appropriation of \$2,500 to aid a telephone line from Honolulu to Waimea.

For the special committee on rejection of House bills by the Senate, Rep. Robertson submitted a report recommending that all communications and matters in connection therewith be filed. It had been found that while the Senate had acted hastily, no discourtesy was intended and the course will not be repeated.

Notice of bills to be introduced was given as follows: Rep. Loebenstein, for an electric or steam railway franchise on Hawaii; Rep. Robertson, to amend the law relating to the recovery of rent.

Questions of the Ministry were asked: By Rep. Achi, as to the number of postmasters and their pay; by Rep. Loebenstein, as to the amount of alcohol withdrawn from the Custom House by the Queen's Hospital and the Bishop Museum.

Minister Damon spoke at some length in favor of abolishing the poll tax.

The speaker was excused from attending the afternoon session on account of illness.

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BRAVE WOMEN WHO WILL GO TO THE FRONT.

One Leaves a Family of Six Children in Australia—Life on Board the Cape Otway.

An hour on board the steamer Cape Otway with her human freight is interesting. The passengers are a happy lot and apparently have little fear of the hardships that await them at their destination.

There are thirty-three saloon passengers and 170 steerage. In the Cabin are six French women, who are booked through to Dyce and Juneau. Four women are traveling in the steerage, unattended. They will all brave the terrors of Chilcoot pass and are determined to go into the very heart of the Klondike region. One of these women is the mother of six children, all of whom she left behind in Australia.

Among the cabin passengers are Mr. and Mrs. Cuthbertson and their ten year old daughter, of Sydney. Mr. Cuthbertson is a wealthy Englishman who has done considerable traveling. He goes to the great northern gold fields in the interests of an English syndicate.

The youngest person on board is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Harris, prominent residents of New Zealand. The little fellow is but four years old, but insists that he can stake off a claim just the same.

Pluto, the colored pugilist, who a few years ago was Griffo's most formidable opponent, is aboard and affording considerable amusement for the passengers with his boxing contests. He has arranged a championship pugilistic contest for the brawny Australians, to take place during the coming fortnight. Pluto is having medical made here.

Nearly all of the steerage passengers are hardy miners from the West Australian gold fields. They all have a bit of money and are confident of making their fortunes up north.

While on the trip up from Auckland the passengers, both cabin and steerage, devoted their entire time to sport. A tug of war contest was the chief feature. The New Zealanders came out the champions, besting six other teams, including the Scotch, the English, the Irish, the Foreigners, the Victorians, and the New South Wales.

The vessel will dock after the China leaves this afternoon. She expects to sail tomorrow morning.

GLADSTONE NEAR TO DEATH.
LONDON, March 23.—Sir Thomas Smith, surgeon extraordinary to the Queen, who was called in consultation upon the case of Mr. Gladstone, said to an interviewer today that after the examination, Mr. Gladstone begged him not to say a word about his condition unless the Queen asked for information on the subject. The surgeon confirmed the report that Mr. Gladstone was suffering intense pain and was very ill.

Rev. E. Edwards, pastor of the English Baptist church at Minersville, Pa., when suffering with rheumatism, was advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. He says: "A few applications of this liniment proved of great service to me. It subdued the inflammation and relieved the pain. Should any sufferer profit by giving Pain Balm a trial it will please me." For sale by all druggists and dealers. Benson, Smith & Co., wholesale agents for the Hawaiian Islands.

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TIME TABLE WILDER'S STEAMSHIP COMPANY 1898.

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LEAVE HONOLULU.

Tuesday	Jan. 4	Tuesday	July 12
Friday	Jan. 14	Friday	July 22
Tuesday	Jan. 25	Tuesday	Aug. 2
Friday	Feb. 4	Friday	Aug. 12
Tuesday	Feb. 15	Tuesday	Aug. 23
Friday	Feb. 25	Friday	Sept. 2
Tuesday	Mar. 8	Tuesday	Sept. 13
Friday	Mar. 18	Friday	Sept. 23
Tuesday	Mar. 29	Tuesday	Oct. 4
Friday	Apr. 8	Friday	Oct. 14
Tuesday	Apr. 19	Tuesday	Oct. 25
Friday	Apr. 29	Friday	Nov. 4
Tuesday	May 10	Tuesday	Nov. 15
Friday	May 20	Friday	Nov. 25
Tuesday	May 31	Tuesday	Dec. 6
Thursday	June 9	Thursday	Dec. 16
Tuesday	June 21	Tuesday	Dec. 27
Friday	July 1		

Will call at Pohoiki, Puna, on trips marked *.
Returning, will leave Hilo at 3 o'clock a. m., touching at Laupahoehoe, Mahukona, Maui Bay and Lahaina the following day, arriving at Honolulu the afternoons of Tuesdays and Fridays.

ARRIVE HONOLULU.

Wednesday	Jan. 12	Wednesday	July 20
Saturday	Jan. 22	Saturday	July 30
Wednesday	Feb. 2	Wednesday	Aug. 10
Saturday	Feb. 12	Saturday	Aug. 20
Wednesday	Feb. 23	Wednesday	Aug. 31
Saturday	Mar. 5	Saturday	Sept. 10
Wednesday	Mar. 16	Wednesday	Sept. 21
Saturday	Mar. 26	Saturday	Oct. 1
Wednesday	Apr. 6	Wednesday	Oct. 12
Saturday	Apr. 16	Saturday	Oct. 22
Wednesday	Apr. 27	Wednesday	Nov. 2
Saturday	May 7	Saturday	Nov. 12
Wednesday	May 18	Wednesday	Nov. 23
Saturday	May 28	Saturday	Dec. 3
Wednesday	June 8	Wednesday	Dec. 14
Saturday	June 18	Saturday	Dec. 24
Wednesday	June 29	Wednesday	Jan. 4
Saturday	July 9		

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No freight will be received after 4 p. m. on day of sailing.

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Consignees must be at the landing to receive their freight. This company will not hold itself responsible for freight after it has been landed.

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This company will not be responsible for money or valuables of passengers unless placed in the care of pursers.

Passengers are requested to purchase tickets before embarking. Those failing to do so will be subject to an additional charge of twenty-five per cent.

Packages containing personal effects whether shipped as baggage or freight, if the contents thereof exceed \$100 in value, must have the value thereof plainly stated and marked, and the company will not hold itself liable for any loss or damage in excess of this sum, except the goods be shipped under a special contract.

All employees of the company are forbidden to receive freight without delivering a shipping receipt therefor in the form prescribed by the company and which may be seen by shippers upon application to the pursers of the company's steamers. Shippers are notified that if freight is shipped without such receipt it will be solely at the risk of the shipper.

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ZEALANDIA	APR. 13
ALAMEDA	APR. 27
ZEALANDIA	MAY 11
MARIPOSA	MAY 25
ZEALANDIA	JUNE 8
MOANA	UNJE 22

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ALAMEDA	MAR. 31
ZEALANDIA	APR. 19
MARIPOSA	APR. 28
ZEALANDIA	MAY 17
MOANA	MAY 26
ZEALANDIA	JUNE 14
ALAMEDA	JUNE 23

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Belgie	April 9
Peru	April 19
Coptic	April 28
City of Rio	May 7
Gaelic	May 17
City of Peking	May 26
Doric	June 4
China	June 13
Belgie	June 23
Peru	July 2
Coptic	July 14
City of Rio de Janeiro	July 23
Gaelic	August 2
City of Peking	August 11
Doric	August 20
China	August 30
Belgie	September 10
Peru	September 20
Coptic	September 29
City of Rio de Janeiro	October 8
Gaelic	October 18
City of Peking	October 27
Doric	November 5
China	November 15
Peru	December 6
Coptic	December 15

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City of Rio de Janeiro	April 12
Gaelic	April 22
City of Peking	April 30
Doric	May 10
China	May 21
Belgie	May 31
Peru	June 10
Coptic	June 19
City of Rio de Janeiro	June 28
Gaelic	July 8
City of Peking	July 17
Doric	July 26
China	August 6
Belgie	August 16
Peru	August 26
Coptic	September 3
City of Rio	September 13
Gaelic	September 23
City of Peking	October 1
Doric	October 11
China	October 21
Belgie	November 1
Peru	November 11
Coptic	November 19
City of Rio de Janeiro	November 29
City of Peking	December 7
Doric	December 27

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S. S. MOANA ARRIVES FROM SAN FRANCISCO.

Latest Shipping News From the Coast
—S. S. Alameda Due—Local News and Gossip of the Docks.

The S. S. Moana sailed for the Colonies at 2 p. m.

The S. S. China will sail for Yokohama and the Orient ports at 5 p. m. The American ship Kenilworth has been chartered to load sugar at Hilo for New York.

The barks Andrew Welch, C. D. Bryant and Martha Davis, and the barkentine W. H. Dimond were up and loading at San Francisco for this port when the S. S. Moana sailed. The Martha Davis was advertised to sail on the 24th and the Bryant on the 26th.

The S. S. China came alongside the dock about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, having previously sent her passengers and mails ashore in scows. The S. S. Aztec finished discharging and proceeded on her way to San Francisco. The China is crowded with through passengers.

The S. S. Moana arrived this morning from San Francisco, having sailed from that port at 11:30 p. m. on the 23rd inst. She experienced fine weather on the way down. The Moana brought 32 cabin and about the same number of steerage passengers. Her freight list was not heavy for this port.

The brig W. G. Irwin sailed from San Francisco on the same day as the bark S. C. Allen, but has not yet put in an appearance. The Allen's trip was one of the fastest of the year and Captain Johnson is very proud of it.

The S. S. Alameda is due from the Colonies in the morning, but is confidently expected tonight.

The keel of a large four masted schooner was laid recently at Hay & Wright's shipyard in Alameda. The vessel will be built on the lines of the schooner Muriel, which has gained a reputation as a fast boat. The new vessel will be called Honolulu and is intended to ply in the Hawaiian trade. She is being built for Hind, Ralph & Co. The Honolulu will be 162.8 feet long. Custom House measurement; 37 feet in breadth of beam and 13 feet in depth of hold.

The Hawaiian bark Andrew Welch reached San Francisco on the 13th, 18 days from Honolulu. Captain Drew reports having had one of the roughest voyages on record, and says that at times he thought his ship was foundering. Two days out from Honolulu the bad weather commenced, and on March 5th a terrible gale from the northwest was encountered. The northwester was accompanied by tremendous seas which broke over the vessel from every direction, and kept her decks awash for four days.

The bark Edward May and the barkentine W. H. Dimond both reached port yesterday, after a terribly rough passage, says the San Francisco Chronicle of the 14th. The Dimond made the trip in fifteen days, but the Edward May was twenty-seven days out, and Captain Johnson said that he had been driven away out of his regular course by northeasterly gales, which lasted without ceasing for twenty days. The Edward May's figurehead was smashed by a sea and her channels were washed away. She has been off the port for two days in a heavy hailstorm.

ARRIVALS.

Wednesday, March 30.

S. S. Moana, Carey, from San Francisco.

Stmr. James Makee, Tuleet, from Kapaa.

Stmr. Waiialeale, Parker, from Oahu ports.

Stmr. Ke Au Hou, Thompson, from Lahaina.

DEPARTURES.

Wednesday, March 30.

S. S. Moana, Carey, for the Colonies, at 2 p. m.

S. S. China, Seabury, for Yokohama, at 5 p. m.

Am. sh. Henry B. Hyde, Colcord, for New York.

Ger. bk. H. Hackfeld, Barber, for San Francisco.

VESSELS LEAVING TOMORROW.

Br. S. S. Capt. Otway, Savage, for Victoria and the Klondike.

S. S. Alameda, Van Oterendorp, for San Francisco.

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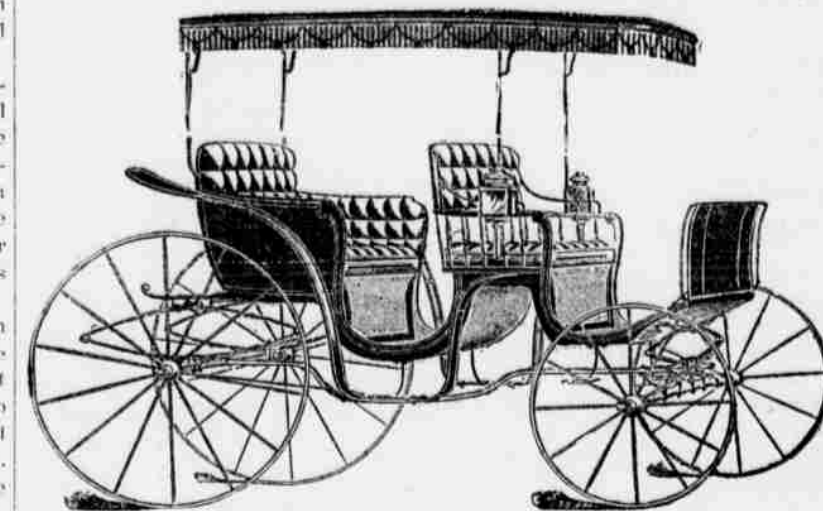
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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30, 1898.

ANNEXATION NEWS.

The reports upon the prospects of annexation are the most encouraging we have had for some time. It is presumable that the tactics followed out by Senator Davis have enabled him to feel assured that the joint resolution will prove a certainty, where the passage of the treaty was doubtful, and by concentrating attacks upon the treaty has drawn the fire of the opponents of annexation, leaving them very little to go on with.

From newspaper accounts, from official and private letters, it looks as if the end was now not so far off. Several times it has looked that way, but the cup has been dashed from our lips. This time, even those who were skeptical of the treaty passing seem to think that annexation will pass by the joint resolution, and the people of these Islands will become one with the United States.

The amendment of Senator Bacon of Georgia will be defeated in the Senate. Of that there can be little doubt, the true blue annexationists are too strong in the Senate to allow that to go through. In point of fact, the majority in both houses is so powerful that any filibustering tactics can be beaten by sheer strength. The party in favor of annexation can wear out those who are opposed to it.

A SOUND REPORT.

Benjamin Cluff's report upon the attitude of the Hawaiians towards annexation has been made public and will have a distinct effect upon the opinion of both houses of Congress. Mr. Cluff came here on behalf of Senator Frank J. Cannon. He had been resident here and spoke Hawaiian fluently. He made a thorough examination of the mental attitude of the Hawaiians.

It should be thoroughly understood that the Mormons have the confidence of the natives. The Mormon missionaries, who go about the Islands, live with the Hawaiians in their little homes, talk with them familiarly, enter into their life. It was easier for Mr. Cluff to reach a result than it probably would be for any other. The main religious bodies, outside of the Mormons, are pronounced in their opinions one way or the other. Therefore when Mr. Cluff states that half of the Hawaiians of intelligence are pronounced advocates of annexation, he can be trusted. His further statement that of the rest the majority are in favor of monarchy, but are willing to accept annexation to the United States as against the continuation of the present condition of affairs, may also be taken as a fact. The balance therefore is strongly in favor of annexation.

The plans of the Royalists as set forth by Mr. Cluff show the simplicity of those misguided people. The various nations of the earth are not sufficiently interested in Hawaii to take any active part in the restoration of monarchy. They are interested in their own aggrandizement. These nations, if they obtained power over these Islands, would care nothing for the independence of Hawaiians. They would be a mere cipher. The United States, however, offers the Hawaiians a position as one of a sovereign people. In the one case they would be thrust aside and go to the wall, in the other there is the opportunity of rising.

IMPENDING WAR.

Besides what one reads of in the newspapers, private letters all speak of the war spirit in the United States. "It will be impossible to hold the people," writes one, "if the fact is proved that the Maine was blown up by Spanish agency." There are plenty of instances on record where the war fever has struck a people and where the government has almost against its will been obliged to declare war.

That the situation is very grave is evident. But President McKinley seems the right man in the right place. He wishes to avoid war if possible, but at the same time he is preparing for war. The purchase of the two protected cruisers, the Amazonas and the Abnail, from Brazil, which are now called respectively the New Orleans and the Albany, are cases in point. It is also evident that the many

fast yachts which the wealthy have had built for pleasure, will be, in a majority of cases, used as torpedo boats. Activity in both naval and military departments is great.

But it is not the Maine that the United States will fight about. The plan of the President will be to interfere in Cuba and insist that the horrors on that Island should come to an end. The United States will inform Spain that she intends to supply relief to the suffering pacificados when and how she pleases, and will support her desires with an armed force if necessary. This will undoubtedly bring about a collision, unless Spain takes a very different tone to what she has been in the habit of using. Moreover Spain has plenty of fighting blood, and whether her ministry might wish it or no, the war spirit might force on hostilities, where the statesman would counsel conciliation. When two nations feel as belligerently towards one another as Spain and the United States, it requires but a spark to blow up the magazine.

One means there may be of peace, and that is through the large financial houses. This has been ably reasoned in a series of magazine articles recently. Their transactions with Spain are such that they may be unable to allow her to fight, but this does not look quite likely, because the Spanish government, it is well known, received a loan, which was practically a war loan, only the other day. And it should also be kept in mind that though these mighty financial princes sometimes throw their influence on the side of peace, they are also, if it suits their pockets, quite ready to stir up war.

It is said of the late war between Greece and Turkey, that it was stirred up by the financiers of Europe. That to them was due the massacre of the Armenians and to them the discomfiture of Greece. The hand of this huge and mysterious money power is seen in the affairs of Spain and Cuba; will it, or can it, appear in the affairs of the United States?

It is a mysterious power indeed, which to make more wealth, to pile golden millions upon golden millions, can play with the lives of hundreds of thousands and with the destinies of nations. One almost doubts whether it exists, but it is certainly a factor which cannot be ignored.

The petition which was sent forward to the United States purporting to come from twenty thousand native Hawaiians, has been analyzed as to the names, as was stated in The Star at the time it was sent, and has proved fraudulent in a number of cases. From information received at the time, this journal was well aware that names were written on the petition which were not genuine. The facts, as found, appear in another column, and the evidence is overwhelming. The petition was examined by an expert and also by a gentleman thoroughly acquainted with the Islands. Such tactics as these defeat their own ends.

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Timely Topics.

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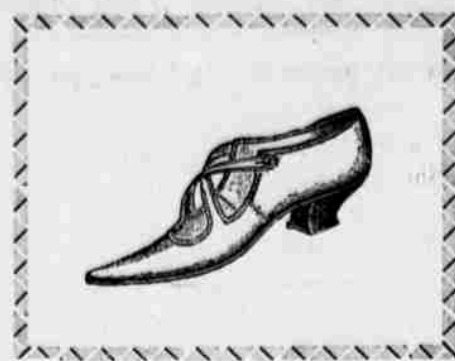
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SPAIN'S DOOM SEALED

(Continued from Page One.)

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The Navy Department has purchased no further ships abroad and the negotiations are not proceeding in a manner to indicate success. It was definitely determined today that the Chilean battleship General O'Higgins could not be secured.

MADRID, March 23.—Senor Sagasta, the Premier, is quoted as saying in an interview today: "The government entirely approves of Captain General Blanco's conduct in denying that the Maine's magazines were blown up with dynamite, as the Americans alleged."

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Mr. Hale, chairman of the Senate Naval Committee, called up in the Senate the Maine relief bill, and it was passed without a word of debate.

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NATIVE MEETING.

There was a gathering of 400 or 500 at the public meeting last night called to hear the report of the anti-annexation delegates sent to Washington. The speakers were William Auld, James K. Kaui, and Kalaupokalani, the president of the Kalai Anna Society. A letter, received on the China, was read which declared annexation dead.

TRIP POSTPONED.

The joint legislative committee has postponed its visit to the settlement on Molokai for a couple of weeks or until the weather is settled.

MARSHAL'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Execution issued out of the District Court of Honolulu, Oahu, Republic of Hawaii, on the 7th day of March, A. D. 1898, against CHAS. CROSS, defendant, in favor of E. H. PLEPER, plaintiff, for the sum of Thirty 84-100 (\$30.84) Dollars, I have levied upon and shall expose for sale at the Station House, Kalakaua Hale, in the District of Honolulu, Oahu, Republic of Hawaii, at 12 o'clock noon of Wednesday, the 6th day of April, A. D. 1898, to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest, of the said CHAS. CROSS, defendant, in and to the following property, unless said judgment, interest, costs and my expenses be previously paid.

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FRAUD IN THE PETITION

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The second point raised is that the ages of fifty-three males and 228 females have been fraudulently changed from lower to higher figures.

The third point is that the signatures of over 1,000 of the adult petitioners are not original. This is a total of clear cases, and there are hundreds of others which appear to be in the same class.

One Royalist, who was formerly a member of the Legislature, not only signed eleven other names than his own on one page, according to the report, but contributed an entire page to the women's petition. The page contained sixteen names, many of which are repeated on other pages of the petition.

At one point in the women's petition three pages, 126 names, are in one handwriting, and a little further on 178 names are contributed in one penmanship.

The fourth fact is based upon the evidences of changes in the ages of petitioners, and that in many cases numerals were put in the column purporting to show them not only in different handwriting, but in different colored ink or pencil from that in which the name is signed. In some instances entire pages have numerals in round numbers in black ink, when the names were written with a lead pencil.

The closing point raised by the commissioner who analyzed the petition impugns the motives of the officers of the Hawaiian Patriotic League, who countersigned each page of the big petition. H. Enoch Johnson, secretary, and James K. Kaui, president of the Men's League, and Mrs. Lilia Aholo, secretary, and Mrs. K. Campbell, president, attested the genuineness of the memorial.

In addition to this information the annexationists have also, they claim, secured some new evidence of the part played by the sugar trust in stirring up anti-annexation sentiment.

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THE CANVASS OF NATIVES

RESULT OF BENJAMIN CLUFF'S INQUIRY.

Half of Them Favor Annexation—The Royalists Propose to Appeal to Europe for a Restoration.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Benjamin Cluff, Jr., president of the Brigham Young Academy, at Provo, Utah, has returned from a several weeks' visit to the Hawaiian Islands, where he was sent at the solicitation of Senator Frank J. Cannon, to determine the status of the annexation sentiment among the Hawaiian people. He arrived here yesterday on the steamship China, and brings with him the results of a thorough canvass among the natives of the Islands of Oahu, Maui and Hawaii, all of which he intends to immediately forward to Senator Cannon at Washington. Mr. Cluff considers that his investigation of the question was about as thorough and conscientious as it is possible for an investigation of the kind to be, and the circumstances under which he visited the Islands, coupled with the advantages which he possessed of being able to talk the language of the Kanakas, enabled him to accumulate much information which other investigators have failed to secure.

"As a result of my investigations I would say that probably one-half of the intelligent natives of the Islands are pronounced advocates of annexation," he said, when seen at the Occidental yesterday afternoon. "Of the remainder I would say that the great majority are, primarily, in favor of the restoration of the monarchy; secondly, they much prefer annexation to the United States to a continuation of the present government."

"I reached these conclusions by talking with the natives themselves. The royalist papers warned the natives against me when I first began my investigations, but I happen to understand the language of the natives, having lived in the Islands in my youth, and managed to gain their confidences without much difficulty. At several places I called meetings of the natives and listened to their arguments for and against annexation. At other places I went quietly among the natives and interviewed them in person."

"Many who opposed annexation said that they wanted the monarchy restored. They stated that should the United States refuse to restore the Queen, the petition already forwarded to Congress, which contains some such request, would be withdrawn and sent to England. The natives did not rise in a body and declare that they wanted to be annexed to England, but they would petition England, some of the members said, to restore the deposed Queen to the throne should the United States fail to do so. Their plans go still further. Should England fail to restore the Queen, they will invoke the aid of Russia, then of France, Germany, and all the other powers of the earth in order."

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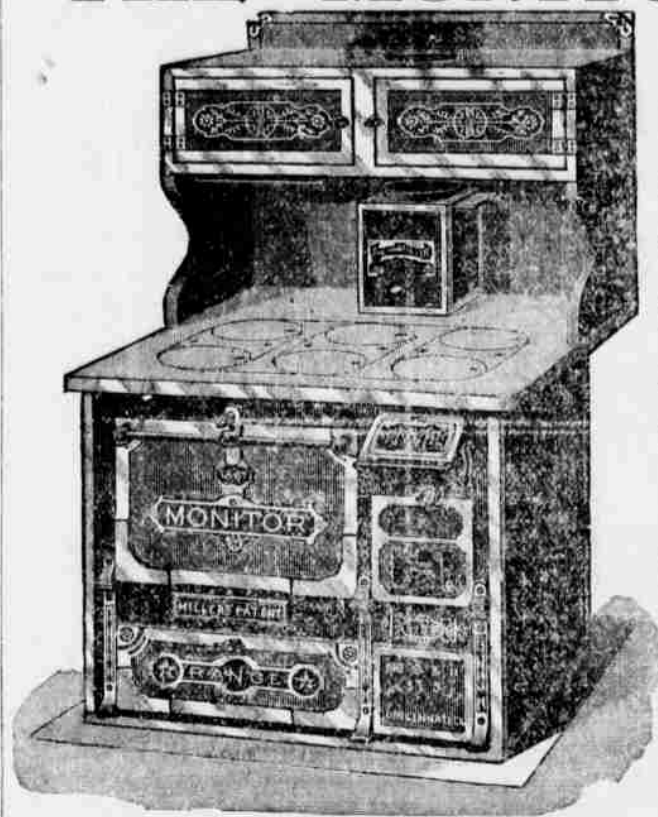
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Puerto Principe, and the remainder

are in the provinces of Santa Clara,

Matanzas, Havana and Pinar del Rio.

There are about 30,000 members of

what is known as the volunteer ar-

my. These are mostly in the province

of Hachua and are largely in the na-

ture of home guards, corresponding

to our state militia. There are 55,000

who are not effective for military du-

ty for various causes.

The strength of the Spanish army

at home and including her nearby

possessions, is 100,000 men, which in

time of demand for additional soldiers may

be increased as follows: First reserve,

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NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.

Bits of Paragraphs that Give Condensed Notes of the Day.

The China sails at 5.
Band concert this evening at Thomas Square.

The Hayselden-Kinney nuptials will take place next month.

The S. S. Alameda from the Colonies was reported at 1:45 p. m.

A black silk bag has been lost. Finder will please return to the Star office.

Nothing of the sort has ever been sold in Honolulu like Semola. Everybody likes it.

Mrs. R. F. Woodward and Miss Puanani Judd have gone to the other side of the Island on a brief vacation.

The Temple of Fashion notifies all who hold music box coupons to return them by April 1st.

H. E. Walker is agent for the Goddard windmills, and will furnish an eight foot wheel for \$50.

Hiram Bigham, Jr., who graduated at Yale college this year, has accepted the pastorate of Palama chapel.

Charles L. Rhodes of The Star staff received by today's mail the sad news of the death of his father, at Nevada, Mo., on the 22nd inst.

The town Rugby football players will have a match this afternoon on the Drill Shed grounds with a team of the Klondikers on board the Cape Otway.

The funeral of Frederick Maltby Weed, who died yesterday of paralysis will take place at 4 o'clock this afternoon, from the Roman Catholic Cathedral.

The Pacific Cycle and Manufacturing Company are pushing the Sterling wheels. See their change of advertisement in this issue.

The steamer Cape Otway will leave for the Klondike at 10 a. m. tomorrow. For freight or passage apply to Theo. H. Davies & Co., Limited.

Robert C. Montague, formerly of Honolulu, but now of Philadelphia, will be married to Miss Marie Helene Elsie Berg, in San Francisco, on April 12th next.

Attention is called to the grand Eastern opening at Miss Killeen's, Arlington block, Hotel street, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

M. G. Grinbaum & Co., have just received a fine lot of Havana cigars. Smokers and dealers will find it to their advantage to call and see samples and get prices.

The Manufacturers' Shoe Company carry the largest stock of shoes in the Hawaiian Islands. This reliable and old established firm use every effort to please their patrons. Attention is called to their announcement in this issue.

A SOCIETY EVENT.

Next week for three days, commencing on Monday, Miss Killeen will hold her Easter opening of millinery goods. This will be no ordinary affair, as Miss Killeen has just returned from the Coast, where for weeks she has devoted her whole attention to securing a stock of millinery that will attract the ladies of Honolulu. Having no other line to divide her efforts the stock that will be displayed at her Hotel street store on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of the coming week, will be a society event. In addition to a fine stock of goods, Miss Killeen has secured the services of Madam Skidmore, an experienced lady, who has recently returned from Paris, and is familiar with the latest French styles.

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When the Belgic arrived in San Francisco, despite the fact that there was no sickness on board, the vessel was held in quarantine. However, the cabin passengers were allowed to go ashore.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LOST.

On Waikiki Beach Road, a lady's black silk travelling bag. Finder will please return to The Star office.

POSITION WANTED.

A young lady wishes a position as stenographer. Address R. W., care of Young Men's Christian Association.

NOTICE OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the interests of Yuen Chong Co., heretofore carried by them in Kekaha, Kauai, have been sold to Wo Chong Co.

And notice is hereby given that the following named persons have this day formed a co-partnership, under the firm name and style of Wo Chong Company, doing business in general merchandise at said Kekaha, Kauai, and that Ho Ping is manager of said firm, and has authority to sign the firm name in all transactions.

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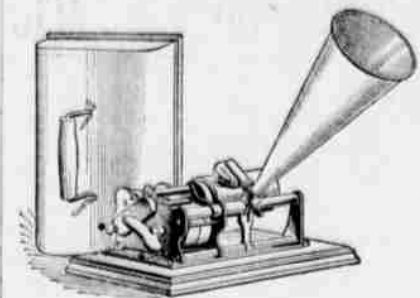
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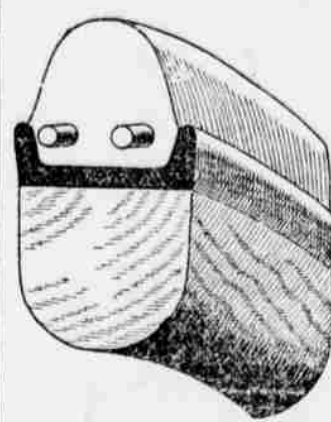
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