

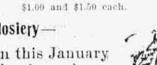
At 89c-Stylish Waist Silks-was \$1.25. At 49c-Novelties, medium and wide

stripes-was \$1.00.

\$3.50 Bonnets at \$1.75. \$2.50 Bonnets at \$1.25. \$1.75 Bonnets at SSc.

In this January

clearing sales



meeting the resolution would be consid-ered and probably be reported at once to

tions of the house were appropriately dec orated for the occasion. The Marine band furnished the music. The list of guests

Committee Will Hear Kasson. WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 .- The senate committee oneforeign relations today considered a number of pending questions. The bill

Black Brocade Novelties-\$1.00-to 49 Figured Taffetas-65c-to 35c. Brocades-\$1.25-to 59c

**Some January** A lot of notions Notion News—at greatly reduced prices.

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we have taken \$1.65 Bonnets at 83c. \$1.50 Bonnets at 75v. two lines of Please select carefully, as we cannot fleeced cotton exchange these goods. hose, one for Underwear—A chance to pick misses and one for boys. up a great many

which we are making during this Jan-

combor 18.

index as follows:

gage loan.

that have always been considered good values at 25c per pair-We have marked these for this great sale-15c uary sale. per pair.

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## Surgeon Carmichael, Stationed at Honolulu, Sends a Long Report on Deaths from Plague.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 .- Surgeon General Wyman today received a long report from Surgeon Carmichael, who is stationed at Honolulu, bearing on the condition of affairs there, regarding the bubonic plague. Under date of December 18 the report says that five cases and five deaths from what is pronounced bubonic plague have occurred in Honolulu on the 11th and 12th inst.

Dr. Carmichael says the presence of the disease was not suspected until the morning of the 12th, when a Chinese patient An autopsy was held, the examination pointing strongly to the fact that death was caused by the bubonic plague. Another case, also a Chinaman, who had died on December 11, was examined, with the

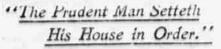
same result. The duration of illness in two of the cases was three days and from three to four in the other cases. The Chineso patient who died on the 12th was 22 years old and had resided in Honolulu for more than a year.

the part of the people. Three other Chinamen, all males and all 40 years old and over, died on the 11th. The fifth case was that of a South Sca. islander, 27 years of age, who died on the exhaustive report published in the columns chaplain, Father Fomandez, 12th. A sixth case was reported on De- of one of the ideal papers. He seems to be case is considered doubtful.

The bodies of the deceased have been cremated. All the places where deaths have planters are also in dire straits. occurred have been quaraniined and disinfected. The state council appropriated \$25 .-000 to begin the necessary sanitary work. A receiving hospital will be erected and a crematory is almost ready for use. Communi- This was done to relieve the financial dis- bishop was invested with mitre and cronier cation with the other islands, except under tress which followed the way. A large perquarantine restrictions, has been prohibited, centage of the agricultural property on the

The origin of the plague is obscure, but island is heavily mortgaged and were there it is supposed to have been in some article mortgages to be foreclosed on and after of food, clothing, merchandise or by rats January 19, as proposed, a large portion | from oriental steamers.

The report says that the United States render their property. military authorities were promptly notified



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REPORT ON BUBONIC PLAGUE and troops on shore leave returned to the pension of the mortgage law may be pro only United States transport in port, the longed. For these reasons we pray that Warren, with 800 colored soldiers for Ma- you resolve that there be no prolongation of take up the work of the session in earnest his duty to restore it to the enaximum of and Mrs. Robert Pitcairn of Pittsburg, Pa. nila. It arrived at Honolulu December the mortgage law, thus lifting the heavy and while the sitting was of a little more \$150,000,000. ) and as no disease was suspected in the stone that oppresses the credit of this than an hour's duration a large number city the soldiers were given shore leave island."

during the time the versel was taking on supplies of coal. It promptly left the harbor and anchored outside the reef, where the island lacks the necessary means to it was to remain until December 18, before finance many projects which would prove to o'clock temorrow, proceeding to Manila. All on heard were be valuable investments. The San Juan News comments editorially bathed and their clothing disinfected.

The transport Sherman arrived on the on the subject and says: "A guaranty of a loan to the island is a 13th, but did not stop, proceeding to Manila without delay. Dr. Carmichael says necessity." no new cases have been reported up to De

NEW BISHOP OF PUERTO RICO AGRICULTURE IN PUERTO RICO Rev. James H. Blenk of New Orleans is Duly Installed at

Coffee, Sugar and Tobacco Planters San Juan. in Dire Straits-Decree Suspending Mortgage Foreclosures.

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico, Dec. 26 -- (Correspondence of the Associated Press.)-Rt. SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico, Dec. 26 .- (Corres Rev. James H. Blenk, the new bishop of spondence of the Associated Press.)-Agri- Puerto Rico, arrived at San Juan December culture in Puerto Rico is in a languishing 21, after a pleasant voyage from Santingo, condition and remedial measures on the part Cuba. He left New Orleans November 18.

of the government are being called for on From Santiago to San Juan he was accompanied by Rt. Rev. F. W. DePaula Bar- senate: The condition has been investigated by mada, archbishop of Santiago, and his

The archbishop returned by the same trues is the injudicious expansion of the day. The ceremony attending the reception coffee inductry. The sugar and tobacco of Bishop Blenk was of great sclemnity. Immediately on landing the bishop was re-

While the late General Guy V. Henry was crived by the acting bishop, the priests and governor of Puerto Rico he decreed that all the so lytes of the Roman Catholic church. The procession marched to the Church of forecleaures of mortgages on the island St. Anne. The nutive band rendered solesshould be suspended to January 19, 1990.1 tions of shored music outside, while the

Muit Volcanoes Active.

SAN DIEGO, Cat. Jan, 3.-Reports ceived from the back country show the recent entifuquide was the cause of number of strange happenings. The of the planters would be forced to surstrange happenings a the deserv near t Nearly all merchants of San Juan and and are now spouling mill ankers and merchants of San Juan and

forcelosed. With this end in view they be cently drew up a petition to Governor Gen-cral Davis, in which they set forth at con-siderable length their objections to the con-tinuation of the summersion of the morigage aw. The petition says that the summersion

Government Tug Sinks.

has produced contrary effects to those ex-BOSTON Jan preted, for it really injurca agriculture, be-Loring cause it deprives it of all resources and con-"There exists in the island of Puerto Rico noney which can be loaned with good seurities, but surely, during the suspension

지물까지 of the law, it will not be exposed on a mort-"At present all the credit institutions have resolved to make no mortgage transactions so long as the least fear exists that the sus-lery. Mrs. Hatch and Miss Hatch. Fort Warren, and Fourth artil-

worth to yield an income of 25, per cent worth to yield an income of 25, per cent duction of interest effected the secretary of the treasury is authorized to pay to the holders of the cutstanding bonds surthe house. first and some chauges are likely to be made in the measure, by the omission of the two banks specifically named, thus making the inquiry relate to all banks. It is under-stood that personal inferences are likely to be avoided in the amended resolutions. In the form thus reported back to the aforesaid, and their par value, and the pay

In the form thus reported bars to the inforesant, and then par vide, and the pars without objection and that any de-bate on the question involved will be depass without objection and that any debate on the question involved will be deprovided further, that the 2 per cent bonds to be issued under the provisions of this act shall be issued at not less than par and they shall be numbered consecutively in the order of their issue, and when payment is mide the last numbers issued shall be first paid, and this order shall be followed forred until the secretary of the treasury has an opportunity to comply with the request for information.

Allen Offers a Resolution.

In the senate Allen presented a resolution In the senate Allen presented a resolution calling upon the secretary of the treasury for all letters passing between the Treasury department and the National City bank and three months after such call. Another amendment is to the second secthe Hanover National bank of New York, tion of the bill, where it provides for and also all agreements made between the Treasury department and those banks con- maintaining the gold reserve. The bill as resentative Cannon, Representative and Mrs. Wyman the treasury, in like capacities. reported made it the duty of the secretary cerning the deposit of funds. Aldrich objected to present consideration of the treasury to maintain the gold re-

row. The senate evinced h disposition today to reserve falls below that amount it shall be Mrs. Dalzell, Representative Babcock, Mr.

of important bills were introduced and a that the amendments are for the purpose Miss Hitchsock, Miss Sarah Duncan, Miss ville Evening Post. definite foundation laid for procedure on of making more clear the intention of the Grace McKinley, Adjutant General Corbin, continuing debate on this meaure for 2 struction of the law when enacted.

vasion

The most notable event of the day was a protest entered by Hoar to the summary disposition of resolutions asking for information about the conduct of the Philippine

war. He indicated a purpose to demand consideration for such measures, even at the following joint resolution: expense of the financial bill. The 10th inst. was named as the day for the delivery of sulogies in memory of late Vice President



### Bates and Wheaton Made Major Genernis-Three Named as Brigadier Generals.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 .- The president today sent the following nominations to the

State-To be United States consuls; an expert-Lucas Amadego-who has had an brother, Father Barnada, and the bishop's Thomas F. Prentiss of Massachusetts, at Rouen, France; George L. Darte of Pennsylvania, at Martinique, transferred to Teth. A sixth case was reported on her cooked and served, but the bills of far cooked and served. Patras, transferred to Martinique.

War-Brigadier General J. C. Bates, to be major general of volunteers; Brigadier General Lloyd Wheaton, to be major general of mit veterans of the Spanish and Philippine clunteens by brevet. To be brigadier gen- wars to the homes. erals: Colonel S. B. M. Young, Lieutenant Colonel Arthur MacArthur, Lieutenaut Colonel William Ludlow. Also a number of appointments and promotions in the regular and volunteer army.

# CLASH WITH U. S. CONSTITUTION.

Bawaiian Courts Hold that Laws of the Island Ace Supreme. WASHINGTON, Jun. 3 .- The secretary of

of Harold Z. Sewell, the United States special agent in Hawali, giving recent decisions of the Hawaiian courts, showing the condition now existing.

Mr. Sewell suys the decisions in Peacock & Co. and Lovejoy & Co. against Hawall Captains Taylor, Conk. Simbles, Chadwick, held that the Hawalian government may Goodrich and Commanders Mead, Dayton

constitution of the United States.

In another case, Hawali against Edwards, it is held that felons may be prosecuted now, as prior to the annexation of Hawaii o the United States.

chious has attracted much attention to them time, of A. C. Studer, United States con- States against Spain. The committee preand subjected them to much criticiam, cg. sul at sorrente. Mr. Studer had been in sents a schedule of claims amounting to pecially from members of the bar. He adds the consultr service for many years once over \$1,000,000 and adds: "It is impravibable to state even approx-

over seventy persons, as follows:

The president and Mrs. McKinley, the scoretary of state and Mrs. Hay, the secreary of the treasury and Mrs. Gage, the secretary of war and Mrs. Root, the attorney general, the postmaster general and Mrs. Smith, the secretary of the navy and Mrs. Long, the secretary of the interior and Mrs. Hitchcock, the secretary of agriculture and Miss Wilson, the president of the senate pro tempore and Mrs. Frye, the speaker of the house and Mrs. Henderson. Senator Allison, Senator and Mrs. Teller, Senator and Miss Morgan, Senator and Mys.

Foraker, Senator Hale, Senator and Mrs. Jones (Ark.), Scuator and Mrs. Chandler, Senator and Mrs. Platt (Conn.), Senator Mrs. Payne, Representative Richardson, Rep-

Grosvenor, Representative and Mrs. Hepburn, Representative and Mrs. McClellan, and the resolution went over until tomor- serve at \$100,000,000 by the sale of bonds. Representative and Mrs. Brosius, Repre-The amendment provides that when the sentative and Mrs. Hull, Representative and Mrs. E. E. Pierce, Mrs. Parsons, Mrs. Sher-

Trouble Began.

Cawley:

#### M'RAE OPENS PHILIPPINE QUESTION. PETTIGREW SEEKS Introduces Resolution Defining Posi-

tion of the United States. Presents a Resolution Asking Score WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 .- Representative tary of War How the Philippine McRao of Arkansas today introduced the

Resolved, That the United States hereby WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 .- Soon after the Resolved, that the United States hereby declare that their purpose in acquiring jurisdiction and control over the Philip-pine islands was and is to secure the fn-inabitants thereof, as soon as practicable after the suppression of the existing re-bellion therein, a free, independent, stable government, republican in form, and that the United States guarantee to said insenate assembled Pettigrew offered a of the commission to the five civilized tribes resolution asking the War department to known as the Dawes c camission. furnish the senate with information as to how the hostilities began between the

United States forces and the Filipines at Manila. Its consideration was objected t abitants protection against all foreign inby several senators. Senator Pettigrew's resolution was as fol-

Soldiers' Homes Crowded.

"Resolved. That the secretary of wat WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 .- The secretary of be and he is hereby directed to inform war has sent to congress a report from the senate whether General Torres one of Major Knox, inspector general of the army, the officers of the Philippine army, came to on the condition of the national soldiers' General Otia with a flag of truce on nomes. It shows the homes in excellent February 5, 1899, the day after the fighting condition; clean, modern and well policid. commenced between our forces and those Some of them are crowded. The food is well of Aguinaldo, and stated to General Otic cooked and served, but the bills of fare do that Aguinaldo declared that fighting had for been begun accidentally and was not feeble old men. The number of officers and authorized by Aguinaldo and that Aguinaldo members attending last year was 15,843. It wished to have it stopped and that to bring is recommended that law he framed to adabout a conclusion of hostilities he proposed the establishment of a neutral zone between

# Senate Confirms Postmusters

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 .- The senate has confirmed the following nominations: Postmnsters: outh Dakota-C. N. Cooper. Huron

Missouri-L. P. Robinson, Breckeuridge: to the grin end Was General Otis E. B. Pegram, Montgomery City William directed by the secretary of war to make A. Athright, Eirkwood, E. G. Winter, Jef-

orson Barracles. Jowa-R. M. Boyd, Sanborn; J. E. Lyons, state has sent to the house several letters Murray; M. Richmond, Armstrong. ccesation of hostilities and conference; have

declined to answer." and did General Otis Venezuelans Decorate Americans. afterwards reply that he was directed by WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.- The Venezuelan the secretary of war; and what answer, if government has conferred the order of any, did he or the secretary of war make "Bust of Bollyar" on Admiral Samoarr to the application to cease fighting?" The resolution went over until tomorrow

collect the customs duties prescribed by its Symonds and Told of the navy, and Repress PRIVATE CLAIMS AGAINST SPAIN. law, notwithstanding the provisions of the sentative Hitt has introduced a bill author. finns the acceptance of the decorations.

> Lplied States Consul Studer. WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 .- The State de

partment has received unlice of the death at a report upon Senator Hear's resolution in Mr. Sewell says the supertance of the de- Naples, where he has been ill for a long regard to claims of citizens of the United

"BECAUSE SHE LOVED HIM SO." effort will be made by a shipment from Ha- pointed consul at Sorrenco March 15, 1889. | imately the amount actually due on these

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on Hoar's Resolution.

was unusually large, covers being laid for of Senator Cullom, providing a territorial government for Hawall, was discussed, but

the subcommittee which has the subject under consideration not being ready to report, it was announced that another meeting would be held soon, when the bill would be reported to the full committee. There was also some talk about the French reciprocity treaty and it was decided to hear John A. Kasson, who conducted the negotiations, and members of the finance committee at the regular meeting next Wednesday.

## Delegates to Hygiene Congress.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 .- Surgeon General Sternberg has been designated to represent the War department at the International Congress of Hygiene, which moets in Parl McLaurin, Senator and Mrs. Fairbanks, Sen- this summer. It is believed that Surgeon ator and Mrs. Hawley, Representative and General Van Rypen will represent the United States navy and Surgeon General

President Advances Newspaper Man. WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 .- The presiden has nominated Archibald W. Butt of Georgia to be assistant quartermaster with rank a captain in the volunteer army. Mr. Built is the Washington correspondent of the At-It is stated by members of the committee Idan. Miss Hay, Miss Root, Miss Griggs, Ianta Journal, Nashville Banner and Louis-

Choctaw-Chickasaw Agreement.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 .- The secretary of the interior has transmitted to the senate the agreement recently entered into by the LIGHT commission of the government with the Chostaw and Chickasaw nations.

Expenses of Dawes Commission. WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 .- The secretary of the interior has sent to congress an estimate of \$641,105 for the expenses, surveys, etc.,

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the two armles of a width that would b M'INTYRE AND HEATH agreeable to General Otis, so that during

Comedians. THREE NAVAROS, STINE & EVANS, YOUNG AMERICA QUINTETTE DERENDA & BEREN, SMERRY NOSSES McWators & Tyson, The Great Hicknell, Prices: Evenings-luc, 2bc and 5cc. Mats messarile and 25c the peace negotiations there might he n further danger of conflict between the two armies, and whether General Otis replied that fighting having once begun must go on

directed by the secretary of war to make such answer? Did General Otis telegraph the secretary of war on February 5, 1899, as follows: "Againaldo now applies for a

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William Gillette's Hest Comedy.

NEXT ATTRACTION-Sunday Atternote and Night Only Douled Fromman's Contrary in