

# Our February Clearance Sale

MANY YEARS AGO THE BON MARCHE OF PARIS BEGAN A CLEARANCE SALE OF WHITE GOODS IN THE MONTH OF JANUARY. IT WAS A SUCCESS AND THE BEGINNING OF A CUSTOM THAT HAS GROWN UNTIL IT IS A FIXED PRINCIPLE OF BUSINESS MEN ALL OVER THE WORLD. THE MILLS IN SWITZERLAND HAVE ORDERS AHEAD FOR THE NEXT EIGHT YEARS FROM THE BON MARCHE, AND DECLINE ALL OTHER ORDERS. WE ARE BREAKING AWAY FROM THE CUSTOM AND WILL BEGIN A SALE OF DRY GOODS, INCLUDING WHITE GOODS, ON SATURDAY. IT WILL BE A GENUINE BLOW BARGAIN SALE OF DEPENDABLE ARTICLES AND THE OPPORTUNITY TO SECURE THE GOODS AT LOW PRICES SHOULD NOT BE OVERLOOKED BY ANY HOUSEWIFE IN HONOLULU.

We Call Special Attention to the Prices in the Following:

**Children's Wash Dresses**  
in stripes, checks, plaids and plain colors, suitable for girls from five to fourteen years old, will go at greatly reduced prices.

**Fine Embroideries and Insertions**  
IN NAINSOOK, BATISTE, CAMBRIC AND SWISS EDGINGS AND INSERTIONS AT HALF REGULAR PRICES  
Regular ..... 10c yd. 15c 20c 25c 35c and 40c 50c 75c \$1.00  
Sale ..... 5c 3 25c 3 25c 10 2 25c 20c 25c 40c 50c

**Shirt Waists**  
newest and most desirable designs and shapes. Note the reduction in prices:  
Regular ..... \$1.50 \$1.75 \$2.00 \$3.00 \$3.50 \$4.00 \$5.00  
Sale ..... \$1.00 \$1.25 \$1.35 \$1.50 \$2.25 \$2.75 \$3.00

**Inexpensive Lace Curtains**  
NOTTINGHAM AND SCOTCH NET  
Regular Price ... \$1.25 \$1.75 \$2.50 \$3.00 \$3.50 \$5.00 \$7.00  
Sale Price ..... \$ .90 \$1.25 \$1.75 \$2.00 \$2.50 \$3.75 \$4.00

**Muslin Underwear**  
Splendid Bargains in French and Domestic Goods

**Blankets**  
IN WHITE, GREY AND RED  
Regular, per pair. \$1.00 \$2.00 \$2.50 \$3.00 \$3.50 \$4.00 \$5.00  
Sale, per pair. ... \$ .65 \$1.25 \$1.75 \$2.00 \$2.50 \$3.00 \$3.50

## LADIES' LINGERIE and EVENING DRESSES

To clean up our entire line of dresses we have made the prices irresistible to women who like to wear FASHIONABLE PROCKS and costumes,

We are going to sell for FIVE DOLLARS Lingerie Dresses same material and make that have sold for Fifteen Dollars in the past

**Towels**  
IN LINEN, COTTON AND TURKISH, FACE AND BATH TOWELS, EXCELLENT QUALITY, GOING WAY BELOW VALUE DURING THE SALE.  
Regular, per dz. \$1.50 \$1.75 \$2.00 \$3.50 \$4.50 \$6.00 \$10.00  
Sale, per dz. .... \$1.15 \$1.25 \$1.50 \$2.25 \$3.00 \$4.00 \$ 7.00

FLANNELETTES ..... 11 Yards for a dollar  
GINGHAMS ..... 12 Yards for a dollar  
FARWELL COTTON ..... 11 Yards for a dollar  
LONSDALE SHEETING ..... 11 Yards for a dollar  
FRUIT OF THE LOOM ..... 11 Yards for a dollar  
LONSDALE CAMBRIC ..... 8 Yards for a dollar  
INDIAN HEAD ..... 8 Yards for a dollar

**Quilts**  
FOR SINGLE AND DOUBLE BEDS  
Regular price, each ..... \$1.00 \$2.50 \$3.00 \$4.00 \$6.00  
Sale price, each ..... \$1.25 \$1.75 \$2.00 \$2.90 \$3.90

**SHEETINGS, SLIPS and PILLOW SLIPS**  
at Special Prices

# A. BLOM,

(The Bargain Maker)

PANTHEON BUILDING FORT AND HOTEL STS.

REMEMBER THAT THIS IS A GENUINE REDUCTION SALE AND UNPRECEDENTED VALUES WILL BE OFFERED AT A LITTLE ABOVE HALF THE REGULAR.

## ARMSTRONG PROGRAM IMPRESSIVE

### GENERAL ARMSTRONG

Archibald Hopkins.  
Born to the music of far tropic seas,  
Where Mauna Loa with her smoky crown,  
O'er verdant sunny slopes looks regnant down,  
He took, in Nature's school, her high degrees,  
The ocean's sweep in storm or rippling breeze,  
The midnight stars, the dizzy mountain trail,  
Life 'neath the sky, the saddle, and the sail,  
The tumbling surf, the hills, the lofty trees,  
His spirit formed, till lusty manhood came  
Full of high purpose to uplift and bless,  
Strong to endure life's utmost toil and stress,  
In learning's quest he left his island shore,  
Thirsting for truth, careless of pelf or fame,  
Eager to serve; and found the open door.

Straight from the sheltered charm of college days,  
Stirred by the mighty conflict's high appeal,  
He buckled on his sword with flaming zeal,  
Not, in the strife to win a soldier's bay,  
But up from lowliest lot 'twa oppressed to raise  
To manhood's plane; and when the goal was won,  
Rank and renown, crowned duty nobly done,  
Back from the field returned to peaceful ways,  
Charged with the care of helpless thousands here,  
He ceaseless strove, and toiled and wrought and planned,  
To train the darkened mind, the heart, the hand,  
All that we see today in his, and him,  
Hero and founder, leader beloved, and seer,  
A beacon light the years can never dim.

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Address—In Punahou: Armstrong's classmates and schoolmates.....  
Rev. William H. Gulick  
Address—Armstrong and Hawaii.....  
Mr. W. R. Castle  
Poem—A Tribute  
Mrs. Emma L. Dillingham  
Address—Armstrong in College and in the Civil War.....  
Dr. N. B. Emerson  
Address—Armstrong and Hampton.....  
Mr. C. A. Cottrell  
Oli—"Limaikala" written by Dr. N. B. Emerson.....  
Chanted by Mr. J. P. Kapihenui  
Dedication—Unveiling.....  
Mary Weaver, Ida Weaver  
Dedication—Louis Erdman, Anna Cooke, Martha Cooke, Dorothea Cooke, Bernice Judd, Elizabeth Waterhouse, Martha Waterhouse, Kinai Wilder, Pauline Kneegel, Heather Damon, Emma Damon, Jessie Baldwin, Ruth Cartier, Margaret Austin, Emily Cooke, Marian Forbes, Edith Carter, Juliette Carter, Catharine Pratt, Laura Pratt.  
Hymn—Armstrong  
Oahu College Boys Glee Club  
In the list of those participating in the program will be found many names written in the history of the islands, names of sturdy families and individuals whose work has contributed to progress here as did that of General Armstrong here and elsewhere.

Life of General Armstrong  
General Armstrong was born at Walluku, Maui, on January 30, 1839, his parents having come here early in the history of missionary work. He graduated from Williams College, Massachusetts, in the class of 1862, entered the Union Army in August of that year as a captain in the 125th New York Volunteers, took command of the Ninth U. S. colored troops in the fall of 1863 and was mustered out with the rank of brevet brigadier-general, in November, 1865, having rendered distinguished service.  
During his college course the young man had imbibed the spirit of freedom and equality of mankind. He was taught by Mark Hopkins, president of Williams College from 1836 to 1872, and from this wonderful man he learned more than text books could furnish.  
After bearing his part in the Civil War, Gen. Armstrong turned to peace. He was made an officer of the Freedmen's Bureau in March, 1865, having the care of ten counties in Virginia peninsula. It was during his work there that he developed the idea of founding a school to educate teachers for the black race. The result of this was the establishment of Hampton Institute for Negro Youth, in 1878. At the same time and place he began work for the Indians. This great dual work was continued until his death, on May 11, 1893. Meanwhile his labors had been widely recognized, and his alma mater, Williams, conferred upon him the degree of doctor of laws in 1887.

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At his grave in the school cemetery at Hampton in Hawaiian turf from Koko head and Williams' marble. His life and work been highly honored on the mainland, and Hawaii today, in unveiling the memorial, adds to the laurels of a Hawaiian-born leader and doer of deeds.

The proposal for an Armstrong Memorial came originally from the Civic Federation. A special Armstrong Memorial Committee was appointed which had general charge of the plan. This committee consisted of Judge S. B. Dole, Geo. R. Carter, W. F. Frear, P. C. Jones, Rev. H. B. Restarick, W. O. Smith, Ed Towse, H. P. Baldwin, G. N. Wilcox, F. A. Schaefer, W. D. Alexander, Jas. B. Castle, Mrs. B. P. Dillingham, A. F. Griffiths, Theo. Richards, Rev. Doremus Scudder, L. A. Thurston, Mrs. Ellen A. Weaver, S. L. Lyman, Perley L. Horne.

### MILITARY FIELD DAY

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be able to do themselves justice with the short amount of training they have had. This may be remedied though by holding a second tryout for places later. Below is the program of events which is being held today, described by headquarters memorandum as follows:  
In place of the regular drill on the 30th instant, exercises will be held for the purpose of making selections of entries for the department athletic meet to be held on February 22, 1913. Tryouts for the following events will be made and names of successful contestants will be furnished this office by the clerk of the course:  
1. Equipment Race—One entry from each troop.  
2. 100 yard dash—One entry from each troop.  
3. Retiring Sharpshooters—One entry from each troop.  
4. 440 yard run—One entry from each troop.  
5. Mounted Fencing—One entry from each troop. Contestants to draw for opponents. Referee to select fourth man for semi-finals.  
6. Wall Scaling Contest—One non-commissioned officer and seven men from each squadron, to be selected by squadron commanders. Final team to be selected by judges.  
7. Machine Gun Contest—Under special instructions.  
Officials.  
Referee—Captain L. C. Sherer.  
Athletic Officer—Captain J. E. Fehet.  
Judges—Captain J. S. Fair, Captain V. D. Dixon, First Lieutenant W. C. Gardenhire.

## SUPERVISORS OF MAUI HOLDING TAXES DOWN

The supervisors of the County of Maui have seen the advantage to the taxpayers of the new tax law and by carefully revising their estimates have reduced their needs so that the rate in their county will be greatly lowered as compared with the rate of last year.  
Instead of holding to the 2.3 of one per cent of the last assessed valuation of the real and personal property of the Valley Isle, they have cut their demand down to a shade less than the 2-3 and so the rate for 1913 will be about \$1.10 on the hundred-dollar valuation instead of \$1.15 as it was last year, and not \$1.18 as it would have been this year had they demanded the full amount the law allows.  
The new tax law was passed by the 1911 legislature to put a virtual power of taxation into the hands of the country fathers and the Maui board was quick to take advantage of it. They have shown by their action that they thoroughly understand the good points of the tax law.

### TRUE TEST OF MERIT.

You judge a man not by what he promises to do, but by what he has done. That is the only true test. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy judged by this standard has no superior. People everywhere speak of it in the highest terms of praise. For sale by all dealers. Benson, Smith & Co., Ltd., agents for Hawaii—advertisement.  
Radium spray is used in schools, hospitals and public libraries.—Advertisement.  
Visit Blom's store, corner Fort and Hotel, and note the tremendous clearance bargains.—advertisement.  
Time Keepers—Second Lieutenant R. S. Donaldson; Second Lieutenant H. H. C. Richards.  
Announcer—Second Lieutenant P. J. Kieffer.  
Clerk of the Course—Second Lieutenant H. A. Flint.  
Troops A and E are designated to give an exhibition drill at the department meet and will not be required to furnish contestants for above events.  
By order of Colonel Beach:  
O. N. TYLER,  
First Lieut. and Squadron Adjutant,  
Fourth Cavalry; Acting Adjutant.  
Photo-Engraving of highest grade can be secured from the Star-Bulletin Photo-Engraving Plant.

## NOT BEAUTY AND THE BEAST, BUT BEAUTY AND THE 'GOAT'

Another hasty decision of Dan Cupid has been nipped in the bud, for the Fates have decided that a certain young Honolulu business man shall not be lured away from the shores of the Paradise of the Pacific by the wiles of Miss Mae Bennett, the San Francisco beauty who was awarded a trip to Honolulu by the Call for being judged the prettiest working girl in the Fair City.  
Shortly after Miss Bennett's arrival in San Francisco, the newspapers of that city came forth with glaring accounts of how Miss Bennett had captured the hand and heart of a prominent and wealthy young Honolulu druggist, and the Post quoted the beauty as saying that she was tentatively engaged to him. R. J. Schoen, who is the party in question, and who piloted Miss Bennett around the city during her stay here, emphatically denies the statement this morning that he is engaged to Miss Bennett, and furthermore he stated that he has never entertained any idea of ever becoming engaged to her.  
"I am not engaged to Miss Bennett, and what's more, the thought of ever becoming engaged to her never entered my mind while she was here," said Mr. Schoen this morning. "I was asked by the firm to entertain her during her stay here in Honolulu, and that is all I did, and I do not believe that Miss Bennett ever made the statement that I was engaged to her." He went on to say that he received a letter a short time ago from Dr. M. Schultz, of the Sierra, in which the doctor stated that upon the arrival of the Sierra in San Francisco, a reporter from one of the papers came aboard and interviewed both he and Miss Bennett. During the interview with Mr. Schultz, the reporter said that it was absolutely necessary that the beauty be mentioned as becoming engaged to some wealthy young bachelor of Honolulu.  
"So you see," said Mr. Schoen, "that Doctor Schultz, Duke Kahanamoku, and myself were chosen as the 'goats.' I notice that the San Francisco papers got my initials wrong, and as they got my name from Miss Bennett, it looks mighty funny that a girl would be engaged to a fellow and not even know his initials. What's more, I'm not rich. It is simply a case of being chosen to play the goat."

# AUCTION SALE

GEORGE V. JAKINS has been instructed by  
**L. B. Kerr & Co., Ltd.**

to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION at 1118 FORT STREET, OPPOSITE CATHOLIC CHURCH, stock of DRY GOODS and MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS, BLANKETS, BED SPREADS, SHEETS, PILLOW CASES, WOMEN'S HOSE, CHILDREN'S SOX, RIBBONS, LACES, ALLOVERS, HANDKERCHIEFS, GLOVES, VEILINGS, CHIFFONS, BAGS, PURSES, BUCKLES, MEN'S SHIRTS, UNDERSHIRTS and DRAWERS, BOYS' SUITS, MEN'S PANTS and HATS.

**Sale will commence on Saturday, Feb. 1**

at 10 o'clock and will continue until the entire stock is sold out.  
This is an unreserved sale and everything will be cleared out to the highest bidder, regardless of cost. Don't miss this opportunity.