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## FALLS INTO A FORTUNE

### HARRY EVANS GETS \$400,000 FOR A HOTEL IN WALES.

#### Will Go to England on The Next Boat. Railroad Wanted the Property of an Old Estate in Wales.

Harry L. Evans, manager of the Hawaiian Balingsting Company, has fallen heir to a small fortune that is said to amount to eighty thousand pounds sterling of good English sovereigns, or nearly half a million dollars. Evans, who has been in the Islands long enough to be esteemed a kamaaina, is a Welshman by birth and is heir to a public house of semi-hotel, semi-inn in his native Wales.

Sometime ago the late Horace Wright was detailed by instructions from the old country to look up Evans and open negotiations between him and the attorneys of a railroad in England who were desirous of cutting through the property, the public house being surrounded by considerable ground. Evans promptly placed himself in communication, this all occurred some three years ago, and received in the course of time \$25,000 on account of the deal. Since then the matter has been tied up in involutions of the British law courts.

Yesterday the Hong Kong Maru brought the glad news that the affair has been settled and today Evans is setting up champagne with his friends. He will take the first steamer back to Liverpool and to Wales to claim his windfall and make sure that the eighty thousand golden sovereigns are not a chimera.

As far as present seeming goes, the money is no myth and congratulations will not prove premature. Evans has not decided yet what he will do with his fortune when he gets it, whether he will stay in the land of the leek or come back to Honolulu, build a palatial mansion and afford an object lesson of how to enjoy life in the tropics.

## SCHLEY'S FORTUNE GONE

### SAVINGS OF YEARS SPENT ON HIS TRIAL.

#### The Court of Inquiry by Which He Sought to Clear His Name Has Left Him Penniless.

NEW YORK, November 15.—A special to the Times from Washington says: The savings of forty-five years of active service in the United States Navy have been eaten up by expenses of inquiry by which Admiral Schley hopes to clear his record as a court officer. Since the final adjournment of the public sessions of the court the Admiral has been staying at the Arlington Hotel, attempting to extricate himself from the financial tangle caused by the inquiry. He has ended with his accounts, and he finds that every cent of the \$30,000 which he had expected to leave his family, in addition to all the prize money which he will get for his part in the Spanish-American war, has been expended on the inquiry. Financially the Admiral is worse off than he was almost half a century ago, when he entered the Naval Academy as a cadet.

Mrs. Schley insists that the money, has been well spent. Her children agree with her. They say that the clearing away of the cloud placed on the Admiral's naval record will be of more lasting satisfaction than anything money could buy. During the inquiry witnesses were brought from long distances, stenographers were employed and clerks were kept busy.

"I cannot say I wish I had it back," said Admiral Schley, "but I do wish that I had the assurance now that I had a year ago that my wife would never come to want."

### HANDSOME SCENIC CALENDAR.

The Golden Rule Bazaar has the handsomest line of Hawaiian Scenic Calendars in the city, they are beautiful, and the price is right—50 cents each. The Great Book Sale still continues to draw book lovers, reason: the 20 per cent reduction in price. An opportunity of a life time—it pays to buy books there.

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## INSPECTION OF "FINEST"

### FIRST EXAMINATION OF POLICE SINCE ANNEXATION.

#### High Sheriff Brown Well Pleased With Showing Made by the Force—Will Make Inspection Monthly.

The first inspection of the police force, since the islands became a United States territory, was held this morning at the police station by High Sheriff Brown. All of the members of the force who were not required on duty were present in line and were given a careful inspection.

This inspection was interesting, from the fact that it was the first time the Honolulu cops were gathered together and could be christened "The Finest," that distinctively American appellation of the police. In every way, the men showed themselves worthy of that characterization. They made a splendid showing and were a credit to the department and to the Territory of Hawaii. The men would compare both in size and neat appearance with the forces of the biggest cities on the Mainland. What they lacked in numbers was compensated for by the "front" which the men put up.

At the last inspection, over a year ago, Mr. Cooper was then attorney-general, and he attended the gathering of the men. Attorney-General Dole was unable to attend the inspection today, so High Sheriff Brown was alone in the work. Deputy High Sheriff Chillingworth was unable to attend on account of having broken two ribs while playing football, several days ago. The men were in charge of Captain Parker, the senior captain of the force. There were 25 men and officers of the patrol division, and twelve men from the mounted police present.

The inspection today was held principally for the purpose of ascertaining the condition of the equipment of the men. They appeared in their regular uniforms of blue helmets and coats and white trousers and carried clubs. The mounted division wore the regulation blue uniform and high cavalry boots and clubs. The mounted men were also given an inspection with their carbines and slings.

High Sheriff Brown was very much pleased with the showing made by the force. The men had kept their equipment in excellent condition, and, in consequence, were able to make a satisfactory showing.

High Sheriff Brown will have another inspection next week, when the men will be given an opportunity of showing their efficiency in the drill, which the force has been learning for some time past. The men will on that occasion, wear felt hats, blue shirts, handkerchiefs, khaki trousers and leggings and carry rifles. The hats have not, as yet, been finished but will be ready in time for the drill. Attorney-General Dole will probably be present at the inspection next week and watch the maneuvers of the force.

### GALE OFF NEWFOUNDLAND.

ST. JOHN'S (Newfoundland), November 15.—A terrible gale has been raging along the coast since last night, and it is feared that many fatalities have occurred among the fishermen. The hulls of all the steamers which were wrecked on the Cape Race peninsula during the past season have been broken to pieces, and the cargoes which were still on board washed away. One man who was working on the wreck of the Swedish steamer Vera, wrecked near Rebnæs on August 2d, was killed by a stone blown from a cliff. Another man perished from exposure while crossing from the wreck through a forest to his home.

### TRANSPORT MEADE SAILS.

At noon on the 16th the transport Meade, Captain Wilson sailed for Manila, laden with supplies. The passenger list includes thirty-four women and children, sixteen men of the Signal Corps and about twenty-five non-commissioned Army officers. The Meade and Grant will both bring back large numbers of term-expired men from the Philippines.—San Francisco Chronicle.

### THE CHEAPEST HOUSE FOR TOYS.

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## RACED IN THE EARLY DAWN

### THE BOLD BAD BURGLAR AND THE ENRAGED BOARDER.

#### An Attempting Burglar Chased Down King Street—Effort to Rob Boarding House Frustrated.

An attempt at burglary, culminating in a foot race between one of the would-be robbers and an occupant of the house, clad strikingly and ardently in jersey, hoisted the Myrtle colors, started the residents of King street in the neighborhood of the Catholic cemetery at an early hour this morning.

W. E. Sharp, director of the orchestra is the proprietor of the boarding house on the mauka side of King street immediately opposite the Catholic cemetery. Several boarders are several well known young men of this city employed in various stores all of whom were treated to a thrilling experience in the "sma" hours this morning.

Yesterday afternoon the cook of the establishment was greeted by a hostile, pleasantly spoken and fairly dressed, who looked like a decent enough fellow temporarily down on his luck. The man asked for what is termed in trampdom a "hand out" and was given a square meal by the chef of the Sharpe's. The man is described as of broad build, medium height, with a fair complexion, dressed in a somewhat shabby suit with the boots of the man who later visited the premises.

The front door of the Sharpe's leading on to a wide passage which runs through the front portion of the house and opens on the large dining room at the back is always left open at night, both for convenience and because no suspicion of a burglar attempting to break into a house where at least half a dozen men reside has heretofore been thought of by Sharpe. Both ends of the hallway are closed with double doors.

About four o'clock this morning a lady sleeping downstairs was awakened by the stealthy sound of tip-toeing footsteps stealing twice or thrice up and down the main passageway. A mosquito door into the dining room was tried cautiously, but returned without making any headway. She stopped further efforts. The footsteps came back towards the hall door and a hand tried the handle of the lady's sleeping chamber.

Uneasy terror sprang into action and the occupant hastily sprang from the bed and silently looked at his efforts. The burglar, disheartened at his efforts, would be burglar retreated out of the house. Summoning her courage the alarmed sleeper ran upstairs and awakened Mr. Sharpe, James Dougherty, Guy Livingston, Joe Mariner and other male occupants, several of whom sleep upstairs.

"Ah, then and there was hurrying to and fro." The night was sultry and the boys were sleeping on top of the covers "sans everything". One man was detailed at the window where he reported one figure sulking in the night. In the meantime the burglar, who had been frustrated by the squeaking door, sitting on the Waikiki end of the fence.

Sharpe had a revolver but it was in his trunk and in his excitement he had not the time to get it. He was in the kitchen, and pounce on the burglar from behind.

That gentleman had meantime made up his mind to effect an entry by the self same way, so that when Mariner attempted to open the door the burglar was trying to get the same way. The visitor recovered first and ran like a startled deer towards Waikiki and liberty. Mariner, with a wild whoop which brought all the others to the spot, was after him.

When they got to the front gate the burglar was running well with a start of almost half a block. The moon was just down and the dawn had not yet broken so that the flight of the leader could not be followed far beyond Thomas square, but the bare legs of Joe Mariner, working like a piston, and chilly beneath the red and white sweater were plainly visible for a long time as they twinkled away in pursuit, their owner wasting his breath meantime in idle adjurations to his quarry to stop.

The hunted, evidently persuaded that a man who would run in pursuit clad in nothing but a sweater was a desperate character, flew on the wings of fear.

The early morning air was keen and Mariner's feet soon chafed as he hurried along. Over the smooth side walk of Thomas square he galloped but later found ground despite his light attire until the man ahead took refuge in some garden leading through to Young Street and slipped his pursuer.

Shivering back through the dawn came Mariner to the house wishing that the sweater was more liberal in length. With chattering teeth and chilly feet he announced his failure to catch his quarry and went back into the house to regain his bed and his breath.

The other man meantime had long ago disappeared so the crowd were in the condition of My Lord Tomnoddy.

It is thought that the disappointed team of burglars were those who were frightened away earlier in the morning from an attempt on Castle and Cooke's offices by a passing patrolman. The man on watch across the street in the opinion of those who saw him from the window was a water front character of rougher appearance than the one who attempted to do the actual work.

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## FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

### PHILIPPINE TARIFF BARRIERS MAY COME DOWN.

#### A Transition Period That Puts Hawaii In the Shade—Dispatch Received by Collector Chamberlain.

Internal Revenue Collector Ray H. Chamberlain received by the Hong Kong Maru the following dispatch from Collector Lynch, San Francisco:

"WASHINGTON, D. C., November 15, 1901.—Collector Lynch, San Francisco Cal: Accept no more export bonds on goods for Philippine Islands. Require payment of tax on goods destined to Philippines, treating them as domestic territory. Cancel no export bonds already approved on Philippine shipments until further directed.

"J. W. JERKES, Commissioner.

It is thought by some that this ruling foreshadows a ruling that will make the Philippines American territory, as to customs laws as well. This would mean the free admission of Philippine products into the United States. It would be chiefly of interest to Hawaii in that it would result in growth of shipping business between the Pacific coast and the Philippines, and Honolulu might be a stopping place. The Manila sugar, once so plentiful in Hawaii would again be taxed the internal revenue tax as well. Whether the government will keep on this basis or not remains to be seen. The Treasury department is waiting for a decision from the United States Supreme court, before making any rulings as to custom laws.

The decision brought news of the decision of the Internal Revenue Commissioner that the Philippines were to be treated as a domestic territory, brought a decision of the Treasury Department sticking, at least temporarily, to the position that they are domestic territory. This is why the shippers of dutiable goods to the Philippines will have to pay domestic duty to the internal revenue officers, and also foreign tariff to customs men under the control of the War Department, which installed the Philippine tariff system. One tariff will be probably refunded, when the Supreme court decides whether the Philippines are domestic or foreign territory. The Treasury ruling is as follows, addressed to a brewing company that made inquiry:

"The Department is in receipt of your letter, in which, advertising to your dispatch to the effect that 'within a week or ten days the Philippine Islands are domestic territory,' you refer to the decision and state: 'As regards the other will probably be refunded, when the Supreme court decides whether the Philippines are domestic or foreign territory. The Treasury ruling is as follows, addressed to a brewing company that made inquiry:

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### SPORTING NOTES.

There is no association football today and no polo. There is a rumor that the police may organize a quartet for the latter sport. The Harriers failed to run last night, owing to the accident to a man named Miller in the Y. M. C. A. gym, who fell last night and dislocated and severely wrenched his arm.

The second round of the Golf tournament will be played tomorrow at Moanalua.

### CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY IN CHICAGO.

Hagen Bros., the popular South Side druggists, corner 69th street and Wentworth avenue, say: "We sell a great deal of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and find that it gives the most satisfactory results, especially among children for severe colds and croup." For sale by all dealers. Benson, Smith & Co., general agents, Hawaiian Islands.

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## ALL NIGHT SERVICE PAU

### POST OFFICE CLOSERS NOW AT MIDNIGHT.

#### Not Enough Business to Warrant Keeping Open All the Time—Plenty Up to Midnight.

The all-night post office system has been abandoned, as it was found that there was not enough business during the wee small hours to warrant keeping the office open. Up to midnight, there was a good deal of business, some nights making a surprising record in money order and other important business, but the night rounders who were up after eleven, somehow didn't seem to be looking for postage stamps, and they kept away from the post office.

"The experiment has shown that it is well to keep the office open until midnight," said Assistant Postmaster Louis Kenake, "but that after that hour there is not enough business to make it worth while. One of the ideas was to keep someone in the office all the time, keeping the window open made the presence of two men necessary, however, and that was a needless expense. In inaugurating the system it was well to ask for men for an all-night service under the circumstances. The result shows clearly the need of a service up to midnight, and that will be continued.

The general delivery window is open now from 8 a. m. until midnight, for the delivery of ordinary mail. Between 6 a. m. and 8 a. m. and between 6 p. m. and midnight, the general delivery window will handle stamps, registered mail matter and Money Orders. During the rest of the time between six in the morning and midnight, the Money Order, stamp and registering business is done by the departments to which such matters belong.

## A TRICK THAT IS VAIN

### SHIPPERS UNDERVALUING THEIR GOODS.

#### Japanese Merchants Send a Representative to Straighten Out Shipping Matters in the Far East.

The Japanese Merchants' Association here has sent a representative to Japan to give some much needed instructions to shippers there, on the lines of the recent exposure of the practices of the shippers in making out too small invoices. The custom of undervaluing goods sent here is very general throughout the orient, and under Hawaiian laws it was to an extent a success as a means of avoiding paying full duties, but under American laws it is not only useless, but subjects the consignee to a heavy fine, if he does not come to time.

The practice of undervaluing shipments in the orient is very general, said custom house broker Johnson, who represents the Merchants' association in such matters, "but as far as the shippers to Japanese are concerned, it will soon be done away with. Possibly some duty might be escaped under the Hawaiian customs system, but none can be escaped under American laws, by such methods. The entry of such an invoice would subject the consignee to a fine and the Japanese have soon learned this. The undervaluations are just the same, but the consignees here do not use them at the custom house. They are obliged to make out correct invoices for entry, and so the work at the other end is useless."

In some other respects the shippers who send goods to Hawaii do not seem to understand the American laws, or else do not appropriate the fact that the laws apply here, and the agent who has been sent will explain matters thoroughly, so that there need be no trouble in the future.

### GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL.

In a paragraph announcing the leaving of the Hongkong Maru on the sixteenth for the Orient and this port. Harbour Lathrop is stated to belong to the Agricultural Department at Washington and is further scheduled as proceeding to Manila by the Maru.

### GRAND SHOW OF XMAS GOODS.

L. B. Kerr & Co., Ltd., Queen Street are showing a big variety of Xmas presents for old and young. For toys or useful articles for presents go to Queen street.

### THE LATEST FAD.

Evening parties at the "Tea House" on the Heights is the latest fad.

"A Widow and Her Friends"—C. D. Gibson's new book, has just been received by the Golden Rule Bazaar, and is included in their Great Book Sale. Call and take a look at it.

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## AN OFFICIAL KRIS KRINGLE

### MEADE WILL TAKE SOLDIERS' XMAS GIFTS.

#### Service Limited to Army Except Matter Libraries—Honolulu Sending Few Presents.

The last day for taking advantage of the offer of trade stamps to act as an ex-officio Kris Kringle in conveying free to the Philippines all Christmas parcels consigned to the army in the Philippines comes probably today the opportunity closing with the arrival of the transport Meade which is expected tomorrow on the next day.

So far there do not seem to be very many taking advantage of the opportunity to despatch a Christmas token reminder of some hard frozen winter of their home days to the boys in blue holding their festival beneath a scorching tropic sun and only a scant half dozen packages have so far come to hand.

The Meade will however undoubtedly carry many a friendly package from relatives and acquaintances to the soldiers of the Great Republic. Some little home-made comfort, perhaps, a home-made stitched by loving fingers, perhaps money, a pipe or other creature comforts that will speak of home to many a big, bronzed fellow and bring a lump to his throat and a tear to his eye as he sees the dear familiar writing on the envelope while the sparkle of tropic leaves beneath the perpetual rain of the wet season seems but a poor substitute for the hoar frost at home or the languid heat a sorry change for the eager air that set the blood to tingling in the veins.

Although the use of the Meade as a free mail carrier is limited to connections of the army, a fact not perhaps thoroughly understood, magazines and novels for the libraries can be sent free at any time by the Meade or other transports if clearly marked for that purpose and will serve to lighten the heart of many a downhearted man who was neither friends or relatives who have remembered him. The parish of many a company has been kept from a periodical outbreak by something to read.

## TWO MORE DECISIONS

Two more decisions overruling the First Circuit court were handed down this morning by the Supreme Court, making three this week. In both cases this morning it is the First circuit, and the other from Humphreys and the other from Edgings. One is the case of the Waikuku Sugar Company against the Hawaiian Commercial and Sugar Company, in which the court granted an injunction to restrain the respondents from constructing a stone wall in Waikuku stream. The other decision was in the case of Lum Sung, Lo Pau and Pong Chong, doing business as the "Yee Sing Tea Company." When it was found that the right name of the company was Yee Sing Tai, the court refused to allow an amendment to the declaration to make it conform to the proofs.

In the Kamalo case the defendants have filed a motion to be allowed to take the deposition of Martin Smith, in San Francisco.

The De Greenava divorce case was heard this morning before Judge Humphreys, taking up all the morning. It is the second suit to separate the couple. The wife brought the last one, charging adultery, but the husband successfully defended it. Now the husband has a suit on the same grounds.

### A SAFE COMPANY.

Among the safe and liberal companies, where sound life insurance may be secured, the Provident Savings Life Assurance Society, of 24 Broadway, New York, may be especially mentioned. It has risen to the first rank, under the splendid administration of its president, Mr. Edward W. Scott. The Provident is represented in Honolulu by A. Newhouse, office 15-16 Progress Block.

### SEMI-WEEKLY STAR.

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