

HOLLOWAY SAYS WHITE-HOUSE IS CONTRACTOR

"Mr. Kendall has submitted no proof to me that H. Hackfeld & Co. are the real contractors for the Hilo armory," said Superintendent of Public Works Holloway. "Yes, I saw that he had made the charge, and said he had the proof. But he has not given me any proof. L. M. Whitehouse is the contractor, all our dealings are with him, and all our vouchers are made out to him."

"As to the changes made in the specifications, those are authorized by the department as having been sanctioned by G. H. Gere, who represents the department in that matter. I admit that it is the better practice to nail bridgings before flooring is put down but it is not always possible to do that where floors are low. The underpinning of the armory is really stronger than is called for in the specifications."

"As to the use of lumber that has been handled in a mill by Japanese, as I understand the law it forbids the employment of Asiatics in the direct construction work of public buildings."

Mr. Holloway had consulted the Attorney General on the law, and was sustained by that official in this view.

FEMININE IDEAS ON WAR MATTERS

Apropos of the capture of Port Arthur, a gentleman well known in town went home to his family on Monday and announced:

"Well, Port Arthur has fallen!" "Good!" exclaimed one of the young ladies of the family. "Who got it? The Russians?"

LETTER LIST.

List of letters remaining unclaimed in the Honolulu Postoffice for the week ending January 1, 1905:

Adams, Mrs N E	Kohler, F
Alexander, Mrs	Layng, Jao E
Rosa	Lyon, C
Beveridge, Mrs	Miller, L
Harry D	McEachern, Charles D
Escalle, Miss A	McLellan, A J
Bordley, Rowland	Markwood, A H
Brown, Miss Saly E	Milton, James
Brown, Maly	Maddock, Caroline E
Byron, Robt E	Niel, Chas H
Castle, Mrs I T	Nowlin, Sam'l
Christley, Mrs	Nunn, Mrs Helen
Davis, Mrs Ellen	Rees, W K
Davis, H G	Ricket, Dick
Desmond, J F	Rouwenhorst, Mr
Dorille, Harry	and Mrs M
Dunn, W J	Rosa, Mrs Matie
Evans, R R	Roda, Mrs Mattie
Foster, H W	Ross, J
Frazier, Mrs Eliza	Sarrah, Miss
both	Schrader, Mrs N
Green, Mrs E W	Shoemaker, Mrs L
Hagen, Mrs N	Shaw, Master Chas
Hanley, George	Springfield Fire &
Hose, Joe	Marine Ins Co
Holt, Mrs Ana	Williams, E A
Johnson, Cap Hol-	
mer	

JOS. M. OAT,
Postmaster.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Money put into newspaper advertising will come back and bring a lot of company.

Underwear bargains at Sachs's. * Muslin underwear sale on at Whitney & Marsh's.

A coral brooch, also a gold baby pin, with three small pearls, has been lost.

See James F. Morgan's advertisement today for some important sales for the week.

Underwear sale today at Sachs's. * Wash kimono dressing gowns 60c. at Whitney & Marsh's.

Nice large mosquito proof room and board can be had in a private family. Good neighborhood. See classified ads today.

Most skin troubles are induced by using impure soaps. If you wish a soft velvety skin use the well known toilet and nursery soap, Curative Skin Soap. Sold by Hobron Drug Company, Ehlers's block.

E. J. Walker has opened a produce warehouse in Honolulu at 1015 Smith street for the sale of Island produce, such as oranges, limes, vegetables, etc., which he will receive from now on by weekly steamers.

If you appreciate underwear values go to Sachs's sale.

The Royal School.

The Royal School opened yesterday with a full attendance of 700 pupils, fifteen regular teachers and three specialists. The pupils have filtered water and other conveniences, such as are found in large city schools on the mainland. Principal Mackintosh has now the conditions he has been working for during the last quarter of a century.

Wife—"Henry, what makes you in such a furious temper?" Husband—"I'm trying to read a Scotch dialect story. The plot is fearfully exciting, but I can't hurdle over the language fast enough to keep up with the hero!"—Detroit Free Press.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

See the live shark at the Aquarium.

George Lycurgus leaves for Hilo and the Volcano on the Kinau today.

Mrs. L. Tenney Peck will be at home on Thursdays at 1328 Wilder avenue.

Editor Robertson of Maui is in town doing business for his paper, the newsy News.

Olive Branch, Rebekahs, will hold their installation ceremony on Thursday evening. Polynesian Encampment holds its installation ceremony on Friday evening.

At the opening of Oahu College yesterday twenty-four new students who did not attend the school last term registered. These, with the unusually large registration of last term, make a record breaking attendance at Punahou.

A Japanese of Holoalua, by name Uchi, is under suspicion of having murdered his wife. About four days before Christmas the man and his wife disappeared and last Friday the mutilated body of the woman was found. The man is supposed to have come to Honolulu.

Mrs. Selma Kinney will deliver a lecture on Mary Wollstonecraft before the Kiloahana Art League next Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the pavilion of the Alexander Young Hotel. Miss Ramus, the violinist lately added to the musical ability of Honolulu, will play in public for the first time here at this lecture.

Governor Carter did not do anything to the game birds, but took a fall out of the lantana up Waipahu way. He had the scratches on his hands to show for it yesterday. "I had a good time," said the Governor, "passed a pleasant New Year's day, and got away out in the wilderness, free from the cares of office for a few days."

Judge Matthewman of the Kona circuit court was a caller on Governor Carter yesterday. It is said that Judge Matthewman would like to sit in Judge Gear's seat, but the gentleman himself declines to talk about it. There is a street tale, by the way, to the effect that Judge Gear is not coming back, but it is probably too good to be true.

United States Marshal Hendry and Internal Revenue Collector Chamberlain went down to Maui on the Likiep yesterday afternoon to gather in one Kondo, now in the custody of the Maui sheriff, on a charge of distilling kolehao. The territorial officers found the mash and all the paraphernalia for making the stuff when they arrested the Japanese a few days ago on another charge.

The Mails.

Mails are due from the following points as follows:

San Francisco—Per Mongolla, Jan. 5. Colonies—Per Miowera, Jan. 11. Victoria—Per Aorangi, Jan. 14. Yokohama—Per Doric, Jan. 7. Mails will depart as follows: Victoria—Per Miowera, Jan. 11. Yokohama—Per Mongolla, Jan. 4. San Francisco—Per Doric, Jan. 7. Colonies—Per Aorangi, Jan. 14.

An Enjoyable Outing.

The most attractive day's outing is that afforded by the excursion down the railroad line. The HALEIWA LIMITED, a first-class train, leaves Honolulu every Sunday morning at 8:22 o'clock making the run in two hours, the rate for round trip being only \$2.00. From 10:22 a. m. until 8:10 p. m. is spent at the beautiful HOTEL HALEIWA, with fresh and salt water bathing, tennis, golf drives and walks, shooting or fishing and you are back in town at 10:10 o'clock in the evening.

Copies now on sale at all book stores of the Hawaiian Forester and Agriculturist, a monthly magazine of forestry, entomology and agriculture, issued under the direction of the Board of Commissioners of Agriculture and Forestry. Price 10 cents a copy, \$1.00 per year by mail to any address. Subscriptions received at the Gazette office.

January Sale OF Ladies' Muslin Underwear

Beginning Tuesday, Jan. 3 For One Week Only.

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF LADIES' MUSLIN UNDERWEAR AT A

Tremendous Reduction

Ladies' White Skirts from 50c. Ladies' Night-Gowns from 50c. Ladies' Chemises 25c. Ladies' Drawers from 30c. Corset covers 25c.

A marvelous opportunity for getting extraordinary values in Under Garments. Prices are for One Week only.

N. S. SACHS DRY GOODS CO. LIMITED.

Corner Fort and Beretania Streets.

Skin Torture

Is caused, usually, by harsh, impure soap. Don't take chances when you can get a pure vegetable oil soap like

Curative Skin Soap

It is the ideal soap for the toilet and nursery. It cleanses every pore. It keeps the skin soft and velvety. Just try it. You're a judge of good soap.

Hobron Drug Co.

Ehlers's Block, Fort street.

The Demand Dominant

It's the demand of the purchasing public for the surpassing values and the meritorious merchandise, which, combined, makes our establishment the greatest toy house in the Islands. — WALL, NICHOLS COMPANY.

MANILA CIGARS IN TEA.

Or without. Just the thing for a Christmas present. Call at the HAWAIIAN TOBACCO CO., corner King and Bethel streets, and place your order for a box. Only a few left. New stocks of smokers' requisites just arrived.

New Year's Greetings

IN EVERY DEPARTMENT AT OUR STORE.

Ladies' Walking Skirts, \$2.00, \$2.75, \$3.25, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00.

Fashionable Cravenette Raglans, \$10.00, \$12.00, \$15.00.

Newest Styles in Jackets, \$5.00, \$8.00, \$10.00, \$12.00.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR SPECIALS.

Corset Cover Specials, 20c, 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 60c, 75c, 90c, \$1.00. White Skirts, 90c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$7.50.

Night Gowns, 50c, 60c, 75c, 90c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50. Chemises, 50c, 60c, 80c, 90c, \$1.00, \$2.00, \$2.50.

MILLINERY. MILLINERY.

Choice assortment of new millinery ex Ventura.

TAILORING DEPARTMENT.

Our Tailoring Department has now eased up from the holiday rush. We would be pleased to show you our new line of light weight suitings. We specially invite attention to a superior line of summer weight Indigo Blue Serge; a more magnificent material was never made.

L. B. Kerr & Co., Ltd.

ALAKEA STREET.

PEARSON & POTTER CO., LTD.

931 Fort Street.

Importers and Dealers in

FIRE AND BURGLAR PROOF SAFES, UNDERWOOD TYPEWRITERS, TYPEWRITER SUPPLIES, GLOBE-WERNICKE FURNITURE, TENTS, AWNINGS, AND ATHLETIC GOODS.

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P. O. Box 784.

Telephone Main 317.

Fine Oriental Goods

At Greatly Reduced Prices

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Honolulu Soap Works Co.

FRED. L. WALDRON,

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Sales Agent.

Splendid Display

Willow Hampers

Willow ware is the very best for all kinds of hampers and baskets of various kinds.

Many new styles and sizes arrived with our last lot.

Our stock now contains hampers, clothes baskets, office, waste paper, work, infants', butcher, fruit, flower and lunch baskets.

Prices within reach of all.

W. W. DIMOND & CO., LIMITED.

53, 55, 57 King street.

Honolulu Concrete Dray Co.

Builders of cement and stone buildings. Have for sale white and black sand. Monument, foundation and coral stones, ballast for ships. We also do grading and excavation and have garden soil for sale. Hauling at reasonable rates. Office: Emma Hall, Nuuanu and Beretania streets. Phone Blue 1211.

Ladies' Special Neck-wear and Real Lace Handkerchiefs

NEW YORK'S LATEST STYLES.

Ladies' Bags

WORTH \$3.00 AND \$2.00 FOR

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Pillows Pillows Pillows

GOOD, MEDIUM AND CHEAP.

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—AT—

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BULLETIN OFFICE BUILDING.

Patrons can see me daily at this office from 12:30 to 2:30 p. m., or at my mill office, 3128-3144 Beretania Avenue, from 9 to 10 a. m.

Will build you a house or sell you a lot in any part of Honolulu, or modernize your old home. TERMS REASONABLE.

W. MATLOCK CAMPBELL.

Heard on the 'Phone

Hello! Hello! What! All those good things today! I'll be down to the market at once.

German Westphalia Ham, Cervelatwurst, Mettwurst, Italian Salami.

Heinz' sweet, sour and dill pickles in bulk.

Spanish Queen Olives, Holland Herring, Bismark Imported Herring, Aberdeen Herring, Anchovies, Salt Salmon and Salmon Bellies, Mackerel, Findon Haddies, Smoked Halibut.

Metropolitan Meat Co., Ltd.

Telephone Main 45.

SMOKING AND HOUSE JACKETS

For the Holidays.

New line of swell TIES, SHIRTS, Etc.

—AT—

J. Lando

1056 Hotel Street.



MEN'S GNU KID BALMORALS WITH CAMBRIDGE TOE.

Price \$4.

Men who are seeking good footwear which combines these four qualities—i. e. fit, wear, style and comfort—will find their ideal in this shoe. It is especially serviceable during rainy weather.

MANUFACTURERS SHOE CO., Limited.

1051 FORT STREET.

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FOR

Wilder Steamship Co. Inter-Island Steamship Co. Oahu Railway & Land Co.

For Sale at

Hawaiian Gazette Co.

Von-Holt Block, King Street.