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HAVANA, January 25.—The town of Sabanita in the province of Matanzas was captured by the insurgents on last Wednesday.

South Carolina Says Recognize the Insurgents.

COLUMBIA, January 25.—The State Legislature now in session here passed a joint resolution yesterday asking Congress to recognize the Cuban insurgents as belligerents.

Gomez Reported Defeated.

HAVANA, January 25.—A battle is reported between Gomez and Colonel Linares in which the former is reported to have been defeated. No particulars however, are given.

To Increase the Duties.

MADRID, January 25.—In order to raise money for prosecuting the war in Cuba, this Government will at an early day increase the customs duties on all goods entering Cuban ports.

American Line to Protect Their Ships.

PHILADELPHIA, January 25.—The Hart line of American steamers plying between this port and Cuba have been greatly annoyed by the Spanish officials and have declared their intention to arm their ships in future and protect their vessels from seizure and other annoyances at the hands of the Spanish officials.

Press Censorship Changed.

HAVANA, January 25.—It seems that too much war news has been allowed to go out of Havana by telegraph. Consequently the government decided to make a change in the censorship. Major Inclan has been appointed to succeed Casanas resigned.

Operating South of Havana.

HAVANA, January 25.—Large bands of insurgents under Oliva and Laso are operating south of this city. They are capturing villages, burning plantations and seizing all cattle and horses in the neighborhood.

A Three Hours Fight.

HAVANA, Jan. 25.—A three hours

engagement between the insurgents and the troops under Major Alonzo is reported by telegraph from Cienfuegos. It is stated that the battle was a severe one and the loss was heavy on both sides.

Hon. Robert T. Lincoln Presides.

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.
CHICAGO, January 25.—Hon. Robert T. Lincoln, son of the great emancipator, will be the presiding officer at the Burns Anniversary celebration to be held here this evening. The orator of the occasion is Wallace Bruce, the poet lecturer and "laureate of the Hudson."

The Same Old Story.

HAVANA, January 25.—Spanish reports state that Gen. Gomez is very ill, in fact dying with consumption. This report however is denied here by Cubans who are in position to know.

One Hundred and Twenty-Seventh Anniversary.

NEW YORK, January 25.—This is the one hundred and twenty-seventh anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns, and in forty or fifty cities and towns of this country the bonny Scots will celebrate the event with orations and musical exercises.

Poblacion Tomada Por Los Insurgentes.

HABANA, Enero 25. El pueblo de Sabanita, en la provincia de Matanzas, fue tomado por los insurgentes, el miercoles proximo pasado.

Un Futuro Puertapio Entre Faldon y Faldon al Tio Ca-

Special para el Herald.

PHILADELPHIA, Enero 25.—La linea de vapores americanos de Hart, que hacen la carrera entre esta puerto y Cuba, ha sido grandemente molestado por las autoridades espanolas; y ha declarado su intencion de armar sus buques en lo futuro, y proteger sus embarcaciones de arrestos y otras molestias, de parte de los oficiales espanoles.

Se Da a Gomez por Derrotado.

HABANA, Enero 25.—Se cuenta de una batalla entre Gomez y el Coronel Linares, en la que se dice que el primero ha sido derrotado. No se dan particularidades.

Operando al Sur de la Habana.

HABANA, Enero 25.—Grandes partidas de insurgentes capitaneadas por Oliva y Laso, operan por el sur de esta ciudad. Se apoderan de los pueblos, queman las fincas, y secuestran todas las reses y caballos del vecindario.

Tres Horas de Retriega.

HABANA, Enero 25.—De Cienfuegos, se da cuenta, por telegrafo de un combate de tres horas, entre los insurgentes y las tropas bajo las ordenes del Comandante Alonzo. Se asegura que la batalla fue reñida, y que hubo grandes perdidas por ambas partes.

La Vieja Tomada de Siempre.

HABANA, Enero 25.—Los informes espanoles dicen que el General Gomez esta muy enfermo, de hecho, muriendo de consuncion. Este informe lo contradicen aqui, sin embargo, los cubanos que estan en posicion de saberlo.

Aumentos de Derechos.

MADRID, Enero 25.—Para crear fondos con que continuar la guerra en Cuba, este Gobierno, aumentara en dia no lejano, los derechos de aduana sobre todas las mercancias que entren en los puertos de Cuba.

La Carolina del Sur Habla de Reconocerles.

COLOMBIA, Enero 25.—La legislatura del Estado, que se encuentra aqui ahora en sesion, paso ayer una

resolucion unida, pidiendo al Congreso que reconozca beligerantes a los cubanos.

Cambio en la Censura de la Prensa.

HABANA, Enero 25.—Por haberse consentido que muchas noticias de la guerra saliesen de la Habana por telegrafo. Consecuentemente, el Gobierno decidio efectuar un cambio en la censura. El Comandante Inclan, ha sido nombrado para suceder al renunciante Casanas.

Notice of Election.

I James A. Waddell, Mayor of the City of Key West, do hereby give notice that on the 4th day of February, 1896, there will be an election of the following named municipal officers for the City of Key West, same to serve one year:

ONE CITY CLERK,
ONE CITY TAX ASSESSOR,
ONE CITY TAX COLLECTOR,
ONE CITY MARSHAL,
ONE CITY TREASURER.

The boundaries of the several wards are as follows:

The boundary of the first ward is all that portion of the City of Key West, lying southwest of the southwest side of the entire length of Duval street, from water to water, including the southwest side of said street.

The second ward: All that portion of said city between the northeast side of the entire length of Duval street, from water to water; including the northeast side of Duval street and the southwest side of Elizabeth street.

The third ward: All that portion of said city lying northeast of the northeast side of the entire length of Elizabeth street, from water to water, including the northeast side of Elizabeth street.

The polling place of the first ward shall be at the County Court House.

And the inspectors of said ward are as follows:

Wm. McKillop, N. F. English, Louis Otto, Jas. H. Curtis, Clerk.

The polling place of the second ward shall be at the City Market, and the inspectors are as follows: Wm. N. Watson, Fred Johnson, Miguel Brinas Jr., Jas. H. Carey, Clerk.

The polling place of the third ward shall be at the corner of Elizabeth and Fleming streets.

Only qualified electors under the laws of the State of Florida will be allowed to vote.

JAMES A. WADDELL,
Mayor.

An Old Soldier's Recommendation.

In the late war I was a soldier in the First Maryland Volunteers, Company G. During my term of service I contracted chronic diarrhoea. Since then I have used a great amount of medicine, but when I found anything would give me relief would injure my stomach, until Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was brought to my notice. I used it and will say it is the only remedy that gives me permanent relief and no bad results follow. I take pleasure in recommending this preparation to all of my old comrades, who, while giving their services to their country, contracted this dreadful disease as I did, from eating unwholesome and uncooked food. Yours truly, A. E. BENDING, Falsay, Oregon. For sale by all Druggists.

A Splendid Corner Lot for Sale.

Commissioners Sale.

The undersigned Commissioners under and by virtue of an order and decree of the Circuit Court of Monroe County, in conformity, in a cause of bill for partition where in Arthur Douglas is complainant and Washington A. Cornell is defendant, will sell at public auction, in front of the County Court House door, in the City of Key West, State of Florida, on Monday the 2nd day of March 1896, between the legal hours of sale, lot containing and best bidder for cash, the following described lot:

On the E. end of Key West and known as W. A. Whitehead's map of said city as part of lot one (1) in square thirty nine (39) and having a front of Whitehead and of forty-six (46) feet and a front on Fleming street of one hundred (100) feet.

JERRY J. WARREN,
HUGH GUNN,
ELGIN E. CHERRY,
Commissioners.

(W. Hunt Harris Solicitor for Complainant.)

Electric Bitters.

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season but perhaps more generally needed, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the blood of a toxic and alterable nature. A prompt use of the medicine has often averted long and perhaps fatal bilious fevers. No medicine will act more surely in countering and freeing the system from the malarious poison. Headache, indigestion, constipation, biliousness, and all the ailments of the liver, are cured by Electric Bitters. 50c and \$1.00 per bottle at Perry's, Pannum's, Fraga's, and Otto's Drug Stores.

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IF YOU WANT THE NOBBIEST, NEATEST and CHEAPEST CLOTHES IN THIS CITY. DROP IN AND SEE

THE NEW LINE WHICH WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED. WE NOW HAVE IN STOCK:

MEN'S SUITS, in Black and Blue, Plain and Fancy Worsted, Round and Square Cut Sacks, three and four button Cutaways, Frocks, also Black Prince Albert Suits, ranging in price from \$8 to \$16 per suit.

MEN'S SUITS, Plain and Fancy Cassimeres, dark and light colors, in round and square cut sacks also in Three and four button cutaways, ranging in price from \$5 to \$15 per suit. Men's Blue and sold Grey and other shades Serge Suits \$8, \$10 and \$12 single and double breasted sacks. We sell the best \$8 and \$10 BLUE FLANNEL SUITS on the top side of the earth.

MEN'S PANTS, Our line of Men's Trousers is the largest in the city and our prices are the lowest. A beautiful line of Men's Pants @ 75c, \$1, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50 to \$5.50.

BOYS' SUITS, Boys and Children's Suits from \$1, up to \$5.50, Sizes 6 to 15 years.

NECKWARE, A Beautiful line of Men's Neckwear, all the latest shapes and patterns, from 25c to 50c.

A FULL LINE OF MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS. Men's Top Shirts from 25c to \$1.50. Men's Under Shirts and Drawers from 20c to 75c.

MEN'S HATS, Complete line of Men's Soft and Stiff Hats, latest shapes and in all colors, from 50c to \$3.

SHOES, SHOES, Men's and Boy's Shoes, the best and cheapest in the city

GEO. S. WAITE,
Cor. Duval and Wall Sts.

La Brisa.

This Elegant Pavilion Has Been Constructed By The KEY WEST STREET CAR COMPANY. At the End of its Present Line For the Rest and Recreation Of the Company's Patrons

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The Patrons of the Cars will be Presented by our Conductors with tickets to the Pavilion on their outward trip to the Beach. KEY WEST STREET CAR COMPANY. JOHN JAY PHILIP, President. Vice President And T. J. C. WHALTON, Jr. Secty. GEO. W. ALLEN, H. G. FULFORD, Supt.

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Full Line First-Class Christmas Candies, Fruit Cakes, etc. California Canned and Evaporated Fruits. C. & B. Specialties, Appolonaris Water, Ginger Ale, Lemons, Fresh Cranberries, Philadelphia, Cream, Neufchatel and Pineapple Cheese. SPECIAL PRICES ON LARGE QUANTITIES CORNER GREEN AND SIMONTON STREETS.

