

QUAY CASE TAKEN UP

Senate Voted 34 to 28 to Consider It.

DANIEL OPENED THE DEBATE

Resumption of Discussion of the Hawaiian Bill—Pettigrew's Boer Resolution.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Today's session of the Senate was unusually interesting from the very beginning. In spite of vigorous and influential opposition, the Quoy case before the Senate, and during the afternoon three notable speeches were delivered. After a sharp parliamentary squabble, Pettigrew moved that the resolution involving the Quoy case be taken up for consideration.

THE NEW GOLD BILL

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revised Statute is hereby amended so as to read as follows: "Sec. 615. No association shall be organized with a new capital than \$100,000, except that banks with a capital of not less than \$50,000 may, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, be organized with a capital of less than \$100,000, and banks with a capital of not less than \$25,000 may, with the sanction of the Secretary of the Treasury, be organized with a capital of less than \$50,000."

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of the question and concluded as follows:

"May our flag float over the whole Republic, in the Pacific, in the Atlantic, over the Pearl of the Antilles and the 10,000 islands near far off Cathay, upon land and sea, over school, home and church, the emblem of our integrity and good faith to liberty and freedom, of the inestimable blessings of Christian civilization, of human rights guaranteed by the Constitution, not dependent upon the transient will of State or National Legislators, of opportunity not of oppression, and of regeneration not of repression. Thus, and thus only shall it be and ever remain, by the blessing and favor of Almighty God, the unspun and unshorn symbol of our honor, our glory and our splendor."

Lacey (Rep. Ia.) followed in support of the bill. He had visited Puerto Rico and he spoke with the advantage of personal observation. He urged that the needs of the island could be met by the bill without the necessity of having tax-gatherers go among the people. Gardner (Rep. Mich.) said the same gloomy forebodings as were heard on this bill had been at every great national movement in this country. The speech of Littlefield and others in opposition would do much mischief in spreading doubt and discontent among the Puerto Ricans.

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TURNING POINT REACHED

ALL THE DEFENSES WITNESSES EXAMINED IN THE CLARK CASE.

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Prosecution Put Attorney-General Nolan on the Stand for the Purpose of Rebuttal.

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WALCOTT DEFEATED CHOYNSKI

The Big Californian Outclassed by the Negro.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Joe Walcott the California negro, won a decisive victory over Joe Choynski, of California, in the seventh round of what was to have been a 25-round bout before the Broadway Athletic Club tonight.

SURRENDER OR ANNIHILATION

Apparently the Only Things Left for Cronje.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Every hour is expected to bring news of the progress of the Boer war. On all sides wonder is expressed that the gallant yet ghastly battle at Paardeberg Drift has not yet been ended in what is considered to be the inevitable Boer surrender.

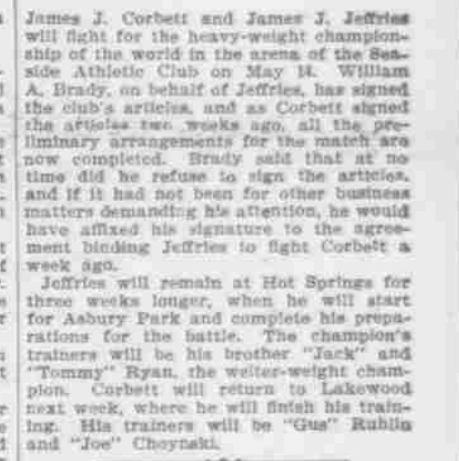
Return of Spanish Islands.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Concerning the concession to Spain of the islands of Ceylon, Sulu and Sibutu, the former in the Sulu Sea and the latter near the coast of Borneo, and both outside the southern limit of the Philippine archipelago, by the treaty of Paris, the Herald says:

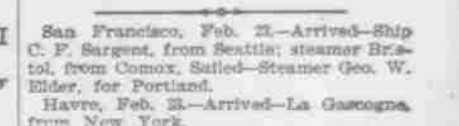
Funeral Ship Hancock

Transport Reaches San Francisco With Five Hundred Bodies.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—The United States Army transport Hancock arrived today, 20 days from Manila, via Nagasaki. She had on board five Army officers, including the distinguished General Canby, and two former Colonels of the Eighteenth Infantry, stationed on the Island of Panay; also about 100 discharged soldiers.



James J. Corbett and James J. Jeffries will fight for the heavy-weight championship of the world in the arena of the Seaside Athletic Club on May 14.



James J. Jeffries will remain at Hot Springs for three weeks longer, when he will start for Asbury Park and complete his preparations for the fight.

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