

## DR. WAYSON MAY BE IN LINE FOR A NOBEL PRIZE

The suggestion has been made that, the calling in and propagating of peace in view of his reported discovery of a cure for leprosy Dr. J. T. Wayson may be in line this year for the Nobel prize for medical discovery, and it is probable that the cure will be reported to the proper authorities with a view to having his claims considered. The prize amounts to about \$40,000.

The Nobel prizes were established by the Swedish scientist, Alfred B. Nobel, inventor of dynamite, who died in 1896, bequeathing his fortune estimated at \$9,000,000, to the founding of a fund, the interest of which should yearly be distributed to those who had mostly contributed to "the good of humanity." The interest is divided into five equal shares, given away, "One to the person who in the domain of physics has made the most important discovery or invention, one to the person who has made the most important discovery in the domain of medicine or physiology, one to the person who in literature has provided the most excellent work of an idealistic tendency, and one to the person who has worked most or best for the fraternization of nations, and the abolition or reduction of standing armies, and

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## KAU TESTS MAY SETTLE HOMESTEADING QUESTIONS

Governor Frear approved of three special Kapaa homestead agreements this morning. The land concerned is in the tract lying between the ridge mauka of the beach homesteads and the mountains.

When the drawing took place there were no applications for these lots. Since then five lots have been taken up and there have been many inquiries about others.

In this connection it may be stated that the land can now practically be taken up on sight, upon application being made. When once the lots have been advertised and their prices appraised, no additional advertising of them is necessary, should they have been undisposed of at the first drawing. This works in favor of strangers coming from the mainland looking for land on which to settle.

It is planned to give ten homesteads at Hailu, Maui, to Americans who intend to engage in the cultivation of pines.

D. A. Smith, deputy attorney general, leaves today for Kaimanui, Kauai, whither he goes to investigate the status of the homesteaders there with regard to whether those who have applied for patents have fulfilled the conditions of the homestead agreement under which they obtained their land, in the matters of cultivation, residence and sub-leasing.

It is probable that any differences of opinion in this connection will be brought to the attention of the judge of the circuit court in order to settle once for all several matters which have in the past befogged homesteaders, to clear the homestead atmosphere generally, to make plain to homesteaders just what they may and may not do, and, in short to put homesteading on a surer basis than has been the case heretofore.

Under the amendment to the Organic Act, if the homestead conditions be unfulfilled an extension of time in favor of the homesteader may be granted.

Governor Frear has reappointed F. C. Smith a member of the Board of Health, his commission expiring tomorrow.

## POLLITZ HERE WITH INVENTION TO INCREASE SUGAR OUTPUT

Four per cent increase in the sucrose content to be got out of the sugar cane is the promise of a new invention about to be tested in one of the local plantation mills. Edward Pollitz, the San Francisco capitalist, who has long been heavily interested in the Hawaiian sugar industry, is visiting Honolulu, on this occasion, chiefly in connection with the invention just mentioned.

Mr. Pollitz, when seen by a Star representative, talked a little about sugar stocks and prices, and then remarked:

"What I am particularly down here for is that I am interested in a patent for an improved process for the extraction of sugar, which will increase the sucrose content, derived by four per cent. I am here to give the process a proper test. This will be done in one of the mills—which one I cannot say yet, not having been here long enough to look around."

"It is an inexpensive process," Mr. Pollitz said in reply to a question. "We will use the molasses."

Asked if this fact would affect the

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## HIGH PRAISE FOR HAWAII IN LAST OFFICIAL REPORT

(Special Correspondence of the Star.)

By J. A. BRECKONS.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—"The mass of working people on Hawaii plantations are now better off than ever before. Their wages are larger, their housing better, their standard of living higher, their opportunities for advancement broader. Moreover, the public opinion of the islands and the sentiment of plantation managers and overseers as a class is predominantly in favor of the changes in administering labor that have occurred, and sympathetic with the progress made by plantation workers under the new system."

These are the conclusions reached by the Commissioner of Labor in his fourth report on conditions in Hawaii, just issued. The material for this report was collected and the text prepared by Dr. Victor S. Clark, who also assisted in the preparation of the second and third reports of the bureau in 1902 and 1905. The present report on labor conditions in Hawaii is the fourth of its kind, previous reports having been published in 1901, 1902 and 1905. In the introduction Dr. Clark states:

"The completion of the second decennial census of the Territory renders it possible to make for the first time a comparison of social and industrial conditions for two dates from data obtained by uniform methods and containing identical items. We can thus infer with much confidence the tendencies that have shaped during the past ten years—the period since Hawaii became a Territory of the United States—the character of its population and the pursuits of its inhabitants. These more authoritative and general statistics enable us to dispense in the following discussion with less certain sources of information which in previous reports afforded material for several miscellaneous text tables."

### Comprehensive Report.

The complete report embraces more than 250 pages and is the most exhaustive discussion of the Hawaiian labor question ever issued. More than 200 pages are devoted to tabu-

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## PIG RANCHES AND SLAUGHTERHOUSES GIVE HEALTH OFFICIALS A SHOCK

Dirty little piggie-wiggies  
Crowded in a sty,  
Sick and sore and noisome  
(Island pork, who'll buy?)  
Mott-Smith's been and seen them—  
Smelt their fragrance too,  
Pigmen down Kalihii way  
Are in an awful stew.

President Mott-Smith, Dr. Pratt and Secretary Kirk Porter of the Board of Health visited the pig ranch and slaughterhouse belt yesterday and had not recovered from the effects at the hour of going to press.

Said belt is located in Kalihii, ewa of the fertilizer works and on the makai side of the road.

For some time past a strange smell has been wafted to town but until the official visit yesterday no one was able either to diagnose or locate said stink.

Chief of the slaughterhouses visited were those of the Metropolitan Meat Company, Yee Hop, Se Wo and Tuck Yuen.

The Metropolitan Meat Company's place was found in very fair shape. This concern has erected a new and up-to-date slaughterhouse which will be ready for use in a few days. It will be an ideal building of its kind, fitted with modern sanitary conveniences.

Of the other slaughterhouses little can be said. In one place which was in a filthy condition, pigs were being raised for market on the same premises as were cattle and slaughtered.

Another house stank to high Heaven and fairly reeked with accumulated filth. Millions of flies buzzed about the premises, blood streamed away along an open drain, and bones an offal were scattered all over the place and were

alive with maggots. The other Chinese slaughterhouses were in little better condition.

The Board of Health was given jurisdiction by the last legislature over slaughterhouses and pig ranches, conditions having for a long time been little short of awful.

As a result of the official visit President Mott-Smith is busy today drafting regulations to remedy the evil.

One of these regulations will be that no pig ranch may be maintained within a certain distance of any slaughterhouse, and from now on all pig pens must be provided with an impervious floor of wood or cement and be furnished with screens against flies. Provision must be made for frequent and thorough cleaning of the pens and the speedy removal of offensive matter. In short the pens will have to be made inoffensive and healthful.

The new slaughterhouse regulation will provide for the disposal of blood, the removal of offal, the proper flooring of the killing sheds, and the prevention of blood and refuse finding their way into Kalihii harbor via numerous small streams.

In this connection Mott-Smith hopes to devise some scheme whereby a common sewer may be provided for the purpose of carrying refuse and blood into deep water.

The regulations will be drafted and put into effect as speedily as possible. Meanwhile President Mott-Smith intends to pay a visit to the piggeries conducted in the algaroba forest at Moiliili opposite the league baseball ground and on the makai side of the carline. There have been rumors of uncleanness in these places and the conditions will be thoroughly investigated.

## PEACE TALKED AGAIN SOUTH OF THE RIO GRANDE

(Associated Press Cable to the Star.)

JUAREZ, May 16.—A general armistice is hourly expected as a result of the progress of peace negotiations.

### Pillaging Banks.

CITY OF MEXICO, May 16.—Drunken rebel captors pillaged the banks of Pachuca and dynamited them. The residents are barricaded.

### Federals Going South.

NOGALES, May 16.—Chiapas and 300 troops have escaped southward.

### AFTER THE BRIBE-TAKERS.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, May 16.—The grand jury investigating charges of legislative bribery has returned eleven unnamed indictments.

### DECISION MAKES STOCKS BUOYANT.

NEW YORK, May 16.—Stocks are unexpectedly buoyant. The Standard Oil decision is interpreted as "favorable to business."

### COMING TO BE TRIED.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—Chris Synder, ordered tried in Honolulu, sailed today.

### HAWAII'S STATEHOOD RESOLUTION.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The Hawaiian state admission resolution has been received and referred to the Senate committee on Territories.

### CAVALRY BARRACKS BILL.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The cavalry barracks bill has passed the Senate.

### BASEBALL RECORDS.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—National League: Brooklyn 3, Chicago 2; Boston 7, Pittsburgh 11; Philadelphia 4, Cincinnati 11; New York 6, St. Louis 8. American League: St. Louis 4, Washington 0; Chicago 6, Philadelphia 1; Cleveland 2, New York 1; Detroit 7, Boston 6.

### ANOTHER WRECKED ZEPPELIN.

DUSSELDORF, May 16.—The latest Zeppelin dirigible has been completely wrecked.

### GOMPERS STILL IN TROUBLE.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The District Supreme Court is proceeding against Samuel Gompers for criminal contempt.

### MORNING CABLE ABSTRACT.

JUAREZ, May 16.—Madero has modified his demands on the Diaz government regarding a share in it, and expects peace. The rebels will dispatch an expedition against Dabago, near Chihuahua.

CHICAGO, May 16.—The Standard Oil will reorganize. WASHINGTON, May 16.—The Standard Oil decision generally satisfies the business world as mitigating the rigors of the Sherman Act.

GRAND RAPIDS, May 16.—A mob of strikers and other union men attacked strike-breakers here and a riot ensued in which a score of police were wounded and hundreds of rioters hurt. The mob was finally dispersed by the firemen, who turned on the hose.

## CURBSTONE ICE CREAM MEN HIT BY "PURE FOOD BLANCHARD'S" RULE

The Japanese icecream folk are having a chill over Food Commissioner Blanchard's rule that their food product shall carry more butter fat. They sell the frozen dainty at five cents a plate, as all the street urchins know. But they have to put real Hawaii cream into their mixture, the cost per plate will be seven cents and there won't be much profit in selling at ten. The curb customers will never go above a nickel or take smaller portions for their money, so the Japs think they may have to drop the business. Incidentally they can't figure the Blanchard theory out. The Japs use Carnation cream and Borden's condensed, which are products that meet the pure food test. They don't quite see why, when they freeze the canned cream up with a little Vanilla extract the product becomes impure. So they will ask Mott-Smith about it, being dissatisfied with Chester Doyle's advice to put cows on ice and just milk 'em.

## PRINCESS CALLS ON PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, D. C. May 1.—Among the callers upon President Taft today was Princess Kawananakoa, of Honolulu, who was introduced to the President by Representative Campbell of Kansas. The Princess is on her way to London to attend the coronation exercises of King George V.

## LARNACH IS SECOND JUDGE

Alexander D. Larnach has been appointed by Chief Justice Robertson as second district magistrate of Honolulu, in place of Judge P. L. Weaver, resigned.

## NOTICE OF THE SCHOOLS' NEEDS

President Pope of the Board of Education is sending a letter to the Board of Supervisors setting forth certain needs of the public schools of the Territory in the matter of repairs, maintenance, building grounds, etc.

This will give the Board of Supervisors an opportunity to get acquainted with needs of the schools which might not otherwise be brought to their notice.

A meeting of those interested in promoting the boy scout movement will be held at the public service rooms, 120 South King street at four-thirty o'clock tomorrow afternoon. James A. Wilder, Paul Super, D. Howard Hitchcock and other enthusiasts will speak.

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# Shipping And Waterfront News

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## CHINA IS AGAIN SEARCHED FOR OPIUM

When the China came through here from the Orient the Customs authorities received word that there would be an attempt to smuggle some opium ashore. The usual vigilance was augmented by a thorough search of the ship. Several of the customs men were put to work to search. They were dressed in denim overalls, and armed with lanterns and prying devices. Every corner of the ship was searched, and eventually several tins of opium were found. Captain Emory Rice was promptly fined, and the ship proceeded on her way, after having been held for half an hour. It was felt then that there was more opium there, but time precluded the officers from making the search as far as intended.

No word was received here that any opium had been smuggled ashore, so it seemed reasonable to assume that the poppy drug was still there. Accordingly before the China was tied up this morning another gang, or it might have been the same one for it looked so much like the other, was ready to board her, and begin searching right away. The search was kept up until eleven o'clock, when it was evident that if there was any opium on board it had been effectively concealed, so the men were withdrawn, not having come across a single tin. Whether there was any more than that found on the last trip cannot be said. It may be true that the owners had been successful in smuggling it ashore in San Francisco.

### Pacific Mail's Youngest Captain.

Chronicle, May 9.—The distinction of being the youngest commander of the Pacific Mail service belongs to Captain Emory Rice, who will begin his third voyage as master of the liner China when she steams out tomorrow for far eastern ports. Captain Rice, who is 34 years of age, stepped into the shoes of "Ninety-Fathom" Daniel Friele, the commodore of the Pacific Mail fleet, when the latter was placed on the retired list recently, after nearly half a century of service on the transpacific run. The China will take out a large list of passengers and a full cargo of general freight for the various ports of call. G. A. Cleghorn, who was transferred to the Siberia as freight clerk, will be succeeded by G. Caldwell, formerly storekeeper on the Manchuria.

### Called at Midway Island.

Chronicle, May 9.—Sending a boat ashore at Midway Island to get some fresh fruit and provisions, the officers of the British bark Antiope, arriving yesterday from Newcastle, Aus., found that the few inhabitants of the lonely cable station had received no supplies from the outside since last Christmas. Although they were short themselves those on the island gave the Antiope some provender. The Antiope brought 2073 tons of coal to Hind, Rolph & Co. Captain Mathieson reported head winds and long spells of calms to account for the slow passage of eighty-seven days, during which 10,000 miles were logged. The call at Midway island was made on April 4. Two weeks later the bark passed through great masses of "Portuguese man-of-war," a strange species of sea life found in tropical waters.

### Crook Laid Off.

Chronicle, May 9.—The United States army transport Crook, which returned a few weeks ago from the Philippines, where she was in the inter-island service, has been ordered out of commission. She came in from the stream yesterday and took a berth at the Folsom street wharf, whence she will be stripped preparatory to being sent out into the lower bay for a rest of many months. Before going into active service again the Crook will have to receive considerable repairs, for which, at present, there are no funds available.

The troop ship Logan, Captain Stinson, which is expected home Friday from Manila, will be laid up for a short time on her arrival to undergo a general overhauling. The June transport sailing will be taken by the Buford, which returned recently from a special trip to China with provisions for the famine sufferers.

The Logan is bringing the usual list of cabin passengers, troops and casuals. The organizations include Battery Seven of the Second Field Artillery and Companies Fifty, Fifty-one, Fifty-four and Fifty-five of the coast artillery corps, which have completed their tours of duty in the islands and are destined for forts in the East.

Crown of Castile For Honolulu. Advances have been received by Fred L. Waldron that the S. S. Crown of Castile will load at London, Bremen, Antwerp, Glasgow and Liverpool during June for this port. Considerable space has already been reserved

for Honolulu and if enough encouragement is given this voyage it is probable a regular line between those ports and Honolulu will be established. The steamers in the Harrison line are all A. 1. making about thirteen knots and quick discharge. It is expected that the Crown of Castile will make the voyage out in seventy days. Full information can be obtained at F. L. Waldron's office.

### Lurline on the Mud.

San Francisco Chronicle, May 4.—While shifting from pier 38 to the Western Sugar Refinery yesterday morning to discharge a part cargo of raw sugar, the Matson steamer Lurline, which arrived Tuesday night from the islands, got stuck in the mud off the Union Iron Works. The steamer spent the afternoon resting on the soft bank and did not get afloat again until high water in the afternoon. The Lurline discharged her forty-five passengers early yesterday morning after an uneventful passage up. Captain Weed and his officers had plenty to keep them busy in addition to navigating the vessel, the source of their anxiety being the unusual number of small children on board. Seeing that the little tots did not tumble down into the engine-room or roll over the side was the principal pastime of the officers.

### Wilhelmina With Schoolgirls.

The Wilhelmina is usually known as the "brideship." This time she was a large number of girls returning from schools on the mainland to their homes in the islands for vacations. Naturally, the Wilhelmina was a lively ship on the way over. After the first night out of San Francisco, the weather was extremely favorable, and the rest of the trip was ideal. The deck was occupied by a happy crowd of young and old, who played all sorts of games, and wound up last night with a mock marriage. It was indeed an excellent trip.

It would seem that the cholera scare is abating, for there were seventy cabin passengers and thirteen in the steerage. There were many tourists, and some were prominent island people returning from holidays on the mainland.

There was a big cargo, and this included a record shipment of beef for here, there being no fewer than 60,000 pounds of fresh beef in the chambers. The rest of the cargo was general, for it embraced feed, fertilizer and 800 tons of cement for the Hawaiian Dredging Co. This is a part of an order for 3,000 tons. In all there were for Honolulu 2,500 tons, for Hilo 1,200 tons, chiefly fertilizer. There were 342 bags of mail.

All the crew seemed happy, for there were no quarantine restrictions on the boat, and they did not have to look forward to any when they returned from Hilo, as they did on several previous trips.

### Kukui on Repairing Mission.

The lighthouse tender Kukui left at daybreak today for Hawaii, where she will effect some necessary repairs along the coast, as well as replenish some of the reservoirs that have become almost empty. She will be away about a week.

### PASSENGERS.

#### Arrived.

Per S. S. China, from San Francisco, May 16.—B. M. Alexander, Miss Winfield Brailsford, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bretell, Mrs. Albert E. Clay, O. J. Clomcon, W. J. Conroy, Frank Coombs, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Dinkelspiel, W. Duisenberg, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Enders, H. R. May, Miss L. May, Miss A. May, Miss Myrtle Radcliffe, Mr. and Mrs. A. H.

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### TIDES, SUN AND MOON.

Full moon, May 12, at 7:38 p. m.

Time	High Tide	Low Tide	High Tide	Low Tide	High Tide	Low Tide	High Tide	Low Tide
P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
28	1:37	1:3	0:15	7:00	8:25	5:23	8:30	2:57
9	2:10	1:4	1:10	7:25	8:22	5:23	8:30	3:29
10	2:45	1:6	1:50	7:50	9:14	5:22	8:31	4:01
11	3:18	1:8	2:54	8:15	10:04	5:22	8:31	4:34
12	3:53	1:9	2:54	8:44	10:54	5:21	8:32	5:08
13	4:27	1:9	2:20	9:08	11:40	5:21	8:32	5:42
14	4:56	1:9	3:45	9:25	—	5:21	8:33	6:08

Times of the tide are taken from the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey tables. The tides at Kahului and Hilo occur about one hour earlier than at Honolulu. Honolulu standard time is 10 hours 39 minutes slower than Greenwich time, being that of the meridian of 157 degrees 30 minutes. The time whistle blows at 1:30 p. m., which is the same as Greenwich 9 hours 9 minutes. The sun and moon are for local time for the whole group.

## HIGH PRAISE

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because it is more securely established. The property holdings of these races have increased much more rapidly than the population. Their competition has extended to a greater variety of occupations and is backed by larger and more varied resources, both of skill and capital. On the other hand, this population is less shifting, has a rising standard of living, is more exigent for higher wages and better terms of employment than formerly. The oriental population promises by natural increase far to outstrip all other elements of the population, and upon this increase immigration restrictions are not likely to have determining effect. Some unpredictable change in population movements may reverse present tendencies, and the next decennial census may show a smaller number of orientals than at present. But up to date there is no indication of such a change. The smaller proportion of Japanese working on plantations is about compensated by the increase of Filipinos, and it will take a series of years—until the field of employment sought by the Hawaiian-born oriental population that will within a few years reach working age is ascertained—to settle the probable constitution of the future plantation force.

### Seeking Caucasians.

"Meantime a bona fide effort is being made by the Territorial government, backed by the large employing interests, to settle a larger proportion of Caucasian workers and settlers in Hawaii. It is doubtful if any large industry upon the mainland has in the past been willing to disregard the economic demand for cheap labor, in consideration of what are at least partly civic motives in securing more costly labor, to the same extent as have the Hawaiian planters. They are willing without reserve to employ all Caucasian workers the Government can bring to the islands, at a wage one-third larger than they pay for nearly as efficient labor brought from Asia.

"Little progress has been made in settling American farmers in Hawaii. Recent changes in the land laws may remedy this to some extent. The Territory is now providing for a public marketing department, to handle produce, and promote markets for small farmers."

One section of the report is devoted to a discussion of plantation laborers, with a comparison of their condition with that of other countries. The following conclusion is reached:

"Even a person cautious in generalizing would conclude, did his actual observations cover a large field, that the condition of plantation workers in Hawaii is probably better than in any other tropical country in the world where colored races are employed; and from a purely economic standpoint better than in any insular tropical country inhabited by white people. On the other hand, the condition of these workers will not stand comparison with that of large classes of workers in the white labor countries of the Temperate Zone."

### Personal Liberty Protected.

Flatly contradicting recently published statements to the effect that vassalage or peonage existed on Hawaiian plantations, the report of the Commissioner of Labor asserts that the personal liberty of the Hawaiian laborer is as fully guaranteed there as anywhere in the United States. On this subject the report says:

"Doubtless some managers and overseers would like to see the old conditions re-established and are coerced by changing legislation and public opinion to adopt new methods while still in their hearts cherishing the spirit of the old regime. Probably also laborers were in individual instances better off under the severe discipline of the contract system than they are under their present freedom, which leaves them victims to their own shiftlessness and vices. But no unbiased observer would question that the mass of working people on Hawaii plantations are now better off than ever before. Their wages are larger, their housing better, their standard of living higher, their opportunities for advancement broader. Moreover, the public opinion of the islands and the sentiment of plantation managers and overseers as a class are predominantly in favor of the changes in administering labor that have occurred, and sympathetic with the progress made by plantation workers under the new system.

"All laborers are free to quit their jobs and to move from plantation to plantation at any time. Laborers desiring to leave in the middle of a

month can usually get their pay to date with little difficulty, and in all instances, so far as observed, without discount. Repeatedly while the agent gathering material for this report was working over plantation books laborers called for their pay, in order to go to other parts of the islands or to their home country. Such payments, except for the delays incident to checking up their time and referring to overseers or timekeepers for data regarding their work and overtime, if any, were never deferred. Unpaid debts of laborers, not covered by wages due them, are a frequent source of loss to plantation stores. Neither the laws of the Territory nor extra legal customs permit the coercion of laborers for debt or to enforce a labor agreement, and nothing resembling peonage exists in Hawaii.

### Room for Improvement.

"Nevertheless, room still remains for improvement in plantation labor conditions—a remark that applies equally to mainland occupations. While five years have seen a betterment of plantation housing and camp sanitation, and in many places within another half decade every married couple will occupy a detached cottage and garden, yet the substitution of new residences and the introduction of improved sanitation take time, and occasion expense that in any business enterprise will be distributed over several years. It appears to be the rule that bad housing, poor sanitation, and overcrowding are more common in privately owned tenements outside the plantation limits than upon the plantations themselves. The rate of wages obviously does not permit plantation laborers to adopt the standard of living enjoyed by white laborers in the United States; nor can wages be raised immediately to such a rate. We have no reliable way of knowing whether, taking into account cost of living as well as actual wages, the economic condition of Hawaiian workers is improving faster or slower than the condition of workers upon the Pacific coast. But there is no immediate prospect that conditions in these two places will be equalized. The differences of industries, traditions and race are too great.

### High Wages Here.

"However, a comparison of Hawaiian conditions with those of California is hardly a fair one. More properly Hawaii should be compared with other tropical and insular countries, having similar industries. Yet this comparison must be conditioned by important distinctions. Without attempting either to confirm or deny a casual relation between the two facts, there is no cane-producing country in the world, outside the American tariff area, where sugar is so highly protected as in Hawaii. There is no cane-producing country, except Queensland, where the rate of wages is so high for common field labor as in Hawaii. The condition of labor in Hawaii is better than in Madeira and the Azores—white labor countries—for the Territory is now drawing main supply of immigrants from those islands. Wages are higher than in Porto Rico or Cuba, and the material environment of labor is better than in most parts of the West Indies.

### Favorable Conditions.

"Furthermore, the autonomy of industry, which reflects itself directly in the general welfare of workers, is probably greater in Hawaii than in any other tropical country. Hawaii is not and never has been a colony. Its industries were built up when it was a self-governing kingdom, almost entirely with its own capital, and instead of borrowing abroad Hawaii is now supplying money to develop plantations in the Philippines, Formosa and the West Indies, and oil fields and mines in California and other Western states, and its capitalists are heavy investors in manufacturing and business enterprises, and owners of business property all along the Pacific coast. Consequently most of the plantations are home owned. Less than 10 per cent of the sugar property in the Territory is subject in any material degree to absentee capital. Men who have become rich in Hawaii sometimes later in life make their homes more or less permanently in Europe or upon the mainland; but their administration of property is conducted in a local spirit. The mere proximity of habitation creates common interests affecting both employers and employees. To illustrate by a single instance from many, it creates a direct personal interest on the employer's part in preventing and combating contagious diseases to which his family may be exposed, far greater than the mere economic motive would be to keep good health among his laboring force did he reside in different country from those laborers."



## OVER THE TEACUPS.

By Lady Gay.

Attention ladies, all of you whose bump of curiosity is fully developed for a mystery lies shrouded in this wonderful little tale.

Far from the wilds of one of the other islands the trumpet call of wisdom and "book larnin'" has sounded, so that the writer of this paragraph is forthwith compelled to sit up, as it were, and take notice.

In vain had been her desperate search for "copy."

In vain had she courted the recreant muse.

When the basso-baritone a la staccato of the postman's "mail!" heralded an envelope, measuring exactly three and one quarter by five and one quarter, which came hurrying through space alighting with frivolous contempt in front of an inky nose.

Subsequent and minute examination of the mysterious budget revealed a post mark whose blurry stamp of "Kolo" left much to the imagination, till a half printed "a" supplied an important clue.

Its May 13th aroused a tremor of foreboding for one superstitiously inclined, and the address boldly described in circles and tangents, was straight and to the point.

It said "For Lady Gay, care Haw'n Star, Honolulu."

Could anything be more original?

Could anything be more dreaded than the anticipatory thrill of some gossamer call-down that flooded the journalistic breast?

Could anything be more deliciously whimsical, and naive withal than the few immortal lines which upon unfolding the letter were revealed, and which shall go down to posterity in the confines of a treasured scrapbook.

Here they are and piquant.

"Dear Lady,"

"'Twas that bloom'n' biote Whittier, not Bryant, that wrote of the 'Bare-foot Boy.' Don't y' know

"Yours for healthful quotations,  
"Lydia E. Pinkham."

## SOCIAL NEWS OF THE DAY.

The ladies of the United Service Bridge Club gathered pleasantly together yesterday afternoon at the University Club where, after a delicious luncheon served at small tables in the Ladies' Annex, the card tables were arranged. Spring flowers were effectively used for decoration.

The first bridge prize, an artistic Madonna portrait encased in a rich brown frame, was awarded to Mrs. Arthur Marix, the second bridge prize, a handsome, a hammered brass candle stand, was presented to Mrs. Putnam of Fort de Russy.

Mrs. Johnston of Fort Ruger captured the prize for hearts, a handsome Canton cup and saucer.

Three visitors were present at this interesting meeting, Miss Onie Kennedy being the guest of Mrs. James Kennedy of Fort Shafter, Miss Catherine of Texas, being the guest of Mrs. Roy Francis Smith of the navy, and Mrs. Tuttle of Fort de Russy and her house guest, Miss Veibler of Portland, Oregon, being the guest of Mrs. Ernest Kinloch Johnstone of Fort Shafter.

Those present were: Mrs. Montgomery Macomb, U. S. A. Mrs. Walter Cleveland Cowles, U. S. N., Miss Edith Cowles, Mrs. Wendell C. Neville, Mrs. James Kennedy, Mrs. Onie Kennedy, Mrs. A. T. Baldwin, Mrs. Chapman, Mrs. Johnstone, Mrs. Tuttle, Miss Veibler, Mrs. W. B. Graham, Miss Cartwright, Mrs. Pardee, Mrs. Putman, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Wilbur, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Faulkner, Mrs. Koester, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Roy Francis Smith, Miss Kathryn Stephens, Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Roy Francis Smith, Mrs. Walcutt, Mrs. Arthur Marix, Miss Cuteman, Mrs. Ross Kingsbury, and Mrs. Widdfield.

A spirit of sadness has settled over the community owing to the recent death of Mrs. Alatau Atkinson in New York City, whose ashes were received today.

A solemn service was held this afternoon at St. Andrew's Cathedral, only the immediate relatives being present.

Mrs. Atkinson was a most noble woman and besides a large number of grieving relatives she has left innumerable friends in the community.

The ladies of the Service Bridge Club will meet tomorrow afternoon at the quarters of Mrs. Ward of Fort de Russy. This little club is quite interesting and unique, its prizes being always highly valued. Each service matron of the organization in turn entertains the members, and there is quite a spirit of friendly rivalry between them.

A cable was received announcing the

roses and Australian maidenhair and covers were arranged for twelve.

After luncheon the bridge tables were arranged.

Among those present were Mrs. Ella Bruncorst, Mrs. Armin Haneberg, Mrs. Arthur Wall, Mrs. F. J. Lowrey, Mrs. Frank Halstead and Mrs. Penhallow.

Mrs. Frank E. Richardson is entertaining at a bridge party this afternoon at her home on Thurston Avenue.

The afternoon was postponed from last Friday owing to the news of the death of Mr. Klamp's father.

Great enthusiasm is being displayed over the golf tournament which will be held at the Country Club on Thursday.

On that auspicious day the links will be turned over to the ladies, and all gentlemen will be politely excluded.

Fourteen ladies are entering the tournament and many are inviting friends for luncheon parties at the club.

The following ladies have already entered their names: Mrs. C. Montague Cooke, Mrs. Armin Haneberg, Mrs. Manuel Phillips, Mrs. George Potter, Mrs. Bernice Walbridge, Mrs. Southgate, Mrs. Richard Ivers, Mrs. E. W. Sutton, Miss Beatrice Castle, Miss Jessie Kennedy, Miss Muriel Howatt, Miss Helen Achilles, Miss Wilhelmina Tenney and Miss Bernice Hartwell.

Miss Grace Carrol entertained at a very pretty fish dinner at the Union Grill last evening.

Covers were laid for thirteen. A handsomely appointed dinner table was set in one of the large private dining rooms, a tall basket of crimson pinks and lace fern being an attractive centerpiece.

The guests cards were Hawaiian colored fishes inscribed with appropriate and amusing jingles. After dinner the hostess and her guests attended the theater. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Du Roi, Mr. and Mrs. Falke, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weight, Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Murphy, Mrs. Armin Haneberg, Miss Greta Falke, Mr. Schultze and Mr. Bruns.

Mrs. Harold Danzig writes very interesting descriptions of her visits to Portland, Sacramento, and San Jose, and has been reveling in California roses which are riotously in bloom all over the state.

She is at present the house guest of her cousin, Mrs. Henry Wilkotchill, at her handsome apartment in San Francisco and is enjoying life in the gay metropolis.

Professor and Mrs. Gilmore entertaining with an "At Home" this afternoon from four to six o'clock to meet the faculty and students of the College of Hawaii.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dillingham have issued cards to a dinner party, at which they will entertain this evening at their home on Beretania Avenue.

Mrs. James A. Kennedy entertained at a handsome luncheon in honor of Mrs. Ella Bruncorst.

The table was gracefully arranged with a low basket filled with red

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MISS ORALEE LIST, THE YOUNG WOMAN FROM TULSA, OKLAHOMA, NOW BREAKING HER JOURNEY AROUND THE WORLD BY A SHORT SOJOURN IN HONOLULU, WILL BE IN ATTENDANCE DAILY TO DEMONSTRATE THE LINE. EACH ONE OF THE MANY TOILET PREPARATIONS WILL BE OPEN FOR INSPECTION BY PATRONS OF THIS STORE.

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An excellent, harmless preparation for removing Tan, Freckles, Sunburn and all blemishes caused by exposure to sun, wind or weather.

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A splendid Liquid Shampoo, pleasant of fragrance and an article rapidly taking the place of the old fashioned strong-smelling tincture of green soap.

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## LEPROSY AND ITS CURE.

During the last two or three years cures for leprosy have been reported from Manila and Louisiana, and the Boston papers said, in reviewing the career of the late Dr. Brinckerhoff, that he was about to announce one when he died. Now comes Dr. Wayson, City Physician of Honolulu, with an announcement of a cure. He has produced a leper whom he believes he has made clean and a formula of treatment which looks sensible to the layman as well as scientific to the doctor. Whether leprosy will reappear in the Wayson patient it will take time to tell; but at present the hope that Dr. Wayson may have found the antidote for one of the most dreaded of human bane and thus earned the Nobel prize for himself, seems as well founded as it is general.

Leprosy had been deemed incurable from the dawn of written history until the present era of research and discovery; but we cannot say that, during much of this time, it "baffled medical skill." The trouble was that, for six thousand years, medical skill avoided it. The disease, terrible as its physical results are, was and is but feebly contagious. It did not attack great masses of people, and being chiefly confined to the lower classes, the beggars, the filthy and the outcast, it did not draw that acute medical and surgical study that it would have done if its menace had been felt in all ranks of civilized society. For a century or two, the lands where medical science had the most resources, had no leprosy patients. There were not enough lepers in England, France, Germany or the United States to even create an interest in their welfare. Generally poor, they could not compensate science for long study or treatment. Philanthropy stopped short of building hospitals for the treatment of the rotting plague; scientific men intent on the cure of more general and destructive ills, like tuberculosis, smallpox, typhus and cancer, did not bother with leprosy bacilli, and few felt the call to go to the Orient and other out-of-the-way places, to study them. Then there was the fear born of thousands of years of aversion or disgust such as was personally felt and shown by so able and devoted a scientist as the late Dr. Brinckerhoff. He personally dreaded to come in contact with a leper, and of all the medical fraternity the world over, few do not. Of that few Hawaii has supplied some notable men, among whom Dr. Wayson may come to be reckoned in medical history as the chief.

But whether the Wayson patients prove up or not in the long run, science has made more than a fair start towards finding the cure which, somewhere in the laboratory of nature, has been waiting all these centuries for discovery. At the little outposts of science here and elsewhere among the leper colonies, there has been awakened the keenest interest, the most tireless inquiries; and there have been results of moment. Some years ago the doctors learned how to arrest leprosy and how to alleviate it. Lately they isolated the leprosy germ. Perhaps a cure has now been found, but if not, it is surely near at hand because of the discoveries of Wayson and others in this field of patient, humane and skilled research.

## BORROWED ARCHITECTURE.

It is hard for any architect to get away from the local ideas of his school and adapt himself to those suggested by a different climate. We laugh now at the building notions of the early missionaries here, but they were, at base, no stranger than those which, with ample architectural knowledge behind them, apply their eastern ideas to tropical conditions. Observe the pioneer missionary buildings on King street near the Kawaiaho church! Their roofs are pitched to shed snow. Their rooms are small so that they may be easily heated in winter. The window panes were made little so that they could not be blown out by wintry blizzards. They have cellars in which to keep things cool when the weather is warm. And in true New England style, they have stoops to protect the storm-bound lingerer at the outer doors, rather than wide porches for family comfort. In the old rural New England day people were too busy in planting, hoeing or harvest time to use porches and in the winter such open air receptacles were filled with snow and ice, to the detriment of the paint. When the missionaries came to build here they stuck, with arrant conservatism, to the old architectural ways. They knew no better than to stay in the old rut. They did not even borrow the braided cocoanut lanais of the natives.

Honolulu public architecture is not tropical. The capitol, once the palace, came of an English model. The judiciary building is a mixture of temperate zone and semi-tropical ideas. The new high school is Californian; the normal school seems to have been modeled on a German brewery—north German at that. And how fit the magnificent Young Hotel would look on Market street, San Francisco. Its one tropical suggestion, the roof garden, was borrowed from New York or Chicago, and has not lived up to its opportunities. In all Honolulu we have but one hotel, the Royal Hawaiian, which has a really tropical appearance, and part of that was spoiled some years ago by heavy Turkish embellishments on the band stand and the back porch.

San Francisco always has a fight with the Supervising Architect of the Treasury over the application of polar ideas to Federal architecture there. The postoffice fight lasted for years and now complaint is general over the new custom house. The rooms of busy officials are so small—to conserve heat in winter—that they hinder the business in hand; and so much steel, concrete and thick glass were used to construct the skylight roof over the main business room, and enable it to withstand a drift of snow, that there was no money left to install the electric clocks. Everywhere one can see the traditional ideas of the Eastern architect; nowhere is the influence of the California climate recognized. And do we not ourselves recall the Federal provision made in an early measure to heat Hawaiian school houses?

Some day a school of tropical architecture will grow up among us, borrowing from Greece, Japan, Spain and old Hawaii itself, an architecture which makes much of open-air spaces and open-air life, as distinctive as the tiled and patio built houses of old Mexico and as delightful to the body as to the eye. Then we shall see the last, in all new structures, of the influence which has confined us to models which, under no circumstances, could have been indigenous here.

## MADERO THE JOB-CHASER.

We get so little of the Mexican news here and some of it is so uncertain, that comment on Madero's case is not always just in the light of the next day's story. But such corroborated data as we have, reveals the rebel chief as a vacillating leader of scant principle. Reforms of an administrative or judicial nature do not find a place in any of his ultimatums; it is pretty clear that he is after the loaves and fishes only. As soon as it seemed difficult to get rid of Diaz, Madero was ready to go in with him and take four seats in his cabinet. He also wanted to control fourteen governorships, doubtless to appease his unruly generals. There being some hitch about this, he was eager to take less and stop the war. There is no word about relieving the woes of the peons, by giving them a show to own land. Far from it. Madero is himself a dual land-owner. This family is one of the two thousand who hold title to all Mexico. As to the judges, Madero seems to be quite willing to keep them in subjection to the great estates. Why not? His whole cry is that of the out who wants to get in, and it is a recognition of a purely selfish motive which makes his influence over the generals at a distance so weak and which could not keep him free from arrest by his right-hand general at home. Is it not within bounds of possibility that such a leader would abandon his cause at any time to feather his own nest?

## Uncle Walt The Poet Philosopher

One day she wears a harem skirt (which has but few defenders); the next she wears her brother's shirt, and likewise his suspenders.

She joins the lodge and rides the goat, does many things that shock us, and now she's learning how to vote, and lift her voice in caucus. When she goes forth on Dobbin's back, she needs no lady's saddle; she gives her trusty steed a whack, and jogs along astraddle. She doesn't know the works of Pope from Thackeray's "Pendennis," she's training as the white man's hope, and she is strong at tennis. When whiskers sprouted on her face it didn't much amaze her, and oft I hear her singing bass while hunting for her razor. She is pathetic, and she's droll, she's more or less than human; she is that trial to the soul, the modern mannish woman. You'd hear the countryside complain if I wore waists and dresses that I had swiped from Sarah Jane, her rats and store-made tresses. The girls would hoot me out of town; they'd say I tried to shame them; they'd lynch me in my borrowed gown, and not a soul would blame them.

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WALT MASON.

Congressman Wm. Kent takes a drive at the planters and marks his speech with (loud applause) and (much laughter). When Kent was here he uncannied his wit against the small farmer, taking the side on that issue with the most reactionary sugar men. The general impression he left here was that of a talkative and meddlesome fellow who loved to pose. It has not been changed much since by his appearances in public life.

The fall of Richmond has occurred again.

The Standard Oil company will reorganize but competitors had better keep their eyes skinned in the same old way.

Perhaps Canton doesn't get enough opium now to stay asleep.

## LITTLE INTERVIEWS

**CAPT. GARTENBERG**—If it is true about the new leprosy cure Dr. Wayson ought to get the Nobel prize.

**REPRESENTATIVE TOWSE**—The forestry bureau is one department of the government that is making a splendid record of efficiency.

**FRANK KING**—There is no difference now between the Sydney and Melbourne times. They were made uniform some time ago for the sake of convenience.

**H. M. AYRES**—The cemeteries are doing their share against the Mahuka site. I see my old friend Nick Peterson got out of one long entanglement to sign the petition and earn a nickel for the canvasser.

**WALTER DILLINGHAM**—I've got the Hawaiian-bred Indigo on my string of polo ponies. He's as pretty as a picture but whether he has the temperament necessary for a polo pony remains to be seen.

**L. G. BLACKMAN**—There is no doubt about it, Kaimuki is advancing by leaps and bounds. There are great things in store for it, of that I am sure, and it is destined to become and remain Honolulu's best and favorite suburb.

**ENTOMOLOGIST EHRHORN**—Judging by the description it was a snake all right that came down in the sand ballast of the William P. Frye from the coast. They often came down in hay, but they are killed immediately they are discovered.

**WIRELESS FROM THE EARTH.** Honolulu, Hawaii, May 16, 1911.

Editor Star: May I once again break in upon the starlit chambers where bidders bore and state a fact or two at the risk of disturbing astral thoughts. Ordinarily the evening star is considered beautiful. Surely it has its place in the heavens. No one should attempt to detract from its lustre, beauty or place. But in its course, if it should happen to catch sight of the islands, by all means let it pay us a visit, at the risk of being polluted with mundane facts, and we will show it around on common ordinary earth and demonstrate to it in part what is being done here.

That \$50,000 appropriation you spoke of during your course through the heavens last evening was worked to the limit while it lasted. It did not last long. Shall I say it turned out to be only a meteor, for in response to the call for tenders under the appropriation no bids were filed. Hence a slow earthy crawling thing was substituted in place of it, the \$250,000 appropriation, one-half of which arrives in Honolulu on June 1st, 1911, and the other half on February 1st, 1912. This thing is a kind of microbe never met with here before, but bids fair to do the business. It must look small from the sky, but I think you will have faith in it when it begins to work on June 1st, 1911.

Now, Mr. Editor, I do not intend to employ myself exclusively in sending messages like this to the planets, however diverting that may be. I have my work to do on earth. I am gratefully content to admire your course in the heavens and to leave

**PALAMA RATH**—While I'm on the mainland for health and rest I intend to study social conditions and settlement work wherever I may be and hope to apply my observations and experience to the amelioration of conditions in the slums and settlements of Honolulu.

**JUDGE EDINGS**—Because things look rosy for Democracy it would be a sad mistake for local Democrats to take things too easily and rest on their oars. While the present is the off season for politics, it is just the time for quiet, unostentatious work along the lines of organization and systemization.

**WILL J. COOPER**—Honolulu is soon to have a bureau that will look after visitors as they are looked after in California, and there will no longer be any excuse for tourists coming here, taking a look at the Pali and then saying there is nothing to do. There are many splendid side trips of which even the people of Honolulu do not know.

**R. R. JORDAN**—Cricket is far from dead in Honolulu. The club will hold its annual meeting soon and then there will be a few practices in preparation for the great coronation game which will be the official opening of the season. After this game a British warship will be in port and that will insure a game or two. The season will then be in its stride and practice and matches will continue as usual.

you in full charge thereof to blaze away in all your glory. But should you wish at any time to visit this sphere, I will cordially welcome you here, and more than that, join with you in any rational terrestrial scheme for common good in Hawaii in health and sanitation. Yours astronomically, E. A. MOTT-SMITH.

**FORTUNE FOR REMOVING A WRECK.**

It was a strange task which confronted the contractor who undertook to remove the wreckage of the collapsed Quebec bridge. Nine thousand tons of steel, bent and twisted into indescribable confusion, lay between the shore and deep water. There was no place to begin, for there were no loose ends. So well had the steel makers done their work that but a single eyebar was broken in the collapse. Starting in January, 1910, the contractor was allowed until May 1, 1911, a period of less than sixteen months, in which to clear away the wreckage, including all that showed in the river at low water.

Two months were spent in experimenting, trying to find a vulnerable spot in the wreck and some efficient method of cutting up the ponderous members of the bridge into bits that could be handled. These experiments brought out the fact that there were just two means at hand, one being dynamite, the other the oxy-acetylene flame. Each was peculiarly adapted to certain conditions, so that each supplemented the other. Together they have performed feats not matched in the annals of engineering.

Dynamite worked particularly well

under water. One stick of the explosive would break a plate half an inch thick, while to break a plate an inch thick two sticks were required. In order to cut one of the great girders, sticks of dynamite were placed end to end across it, usually tied to a stick of wood or placed in a piece of cheap rubber hose. If the cut was to be done on the water the explosive was placed in position a low tide. Then the workmen waited until the tide rose, thus affording a water tamping. Above high water the charge was covered with a few inches of earth. Extra precautions had to be taken in seeking shelter when a charge was to be fired, for pieces of steel were thrown great distances. One piece was thrown across the river. Twelve tons of dynamite were used in breaking up the south anchor arm.

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# SPORTS

## Records Of The Pitchers

"Scrappy" Hayes pitched well on Sunday, so well that his work passed without the bantering comment with which the fans assailed him on the two previous Sundays. He got away with the game against the Portuguese, being well supported in the field and assisting materially himself. He struck out eight, had seven assists to his credit, did not issue a pass and only allowed six men to reach the bases. Four of these were on hits, one on an error and one on a bunt. Altogether Hayes pitched 10 1/2 balls down the alley, of which thirty-two were called balls, fifteen were fouled and only four were hit cleanly. Only once did the umpire call three balls on him. He certainly pitched some, and his record compares favorably with each of the other twirlers.

Lota, for the Native Sons, had the Japanese guessing the whole time they were in front of him. He struck out ten, walked one, had three hits made off him, brought off four assists and one put out, but had one error tagged against him, a bad throw to first. Only six of the Japanese got to first, and of these three were on hits, one on an error and one on a pass.

Pedro had thirty-seven men before him, of whom seventeen reached the first sack, eight on hits, four on base on balls and three on errors. He

struck out nine, made two put-outs, figured in three assists and had a single error debited against him. But Pedro was not in the form he showed the previous week, or on the opening day. He sends over a very fast ball, but at times he lacks control.

Espinda also had thirty-seven men before him during the course of the game and seventeen of them safely negotiated the distance between the home plate and first. Nine made hits, two walked and one got his passage on an error. Espinda had trouble with Umpire Bill Hampton and that sure got his goat. Time after time Espinda pitched low, only to hear "ball" called against him. He showed his disapproval, but that does not help any. He did not do badly, for he struck out eight and made two assists.

The records of the pitchers to date are: Pedro, innings thirty-one; strikeouts thirty-nine; base on balls, nine; wild pitches two; hits twenty. Espinda, innings twenty-seven; strikeouts twenty-two; base on balls seven; wild pitch one; hits fourteen. Hayes, innings twenty-seven; strikeouts sixteen; base on balls three; hits fourteen. Lota, innings twenty-two; strikeouts thirteen; base on balls three; wild pitch one; hits nine. Milikan, innings nine; strikeouts eight; base on balls four; hits five.

Hayes is a comer! Look out for his slow curves!

## Punahou See Victory In Sight

Though only two games are yet to be played to complete the schedule of the Grammar School series the competition for the Advertiser cup is by no means over, for it might well happen that either the Saints or Punahou will win out or that the Saints, Punahou, Kamehameha and Kaahumanu will finish level on the .600 mark. Of course, the chances are in favor of the cup going to either the Saints or Punahou, the last-mentioned moment of winning it. This will depend entirely on the next match, for if the Puns down Iolani, and on performances to date they should, then it will be up to the Saints to beat Kaahumanu to break even with Punahou. There have been so many upsets in this competition that the fans might well expect anything to happen in the next two games.

Yesterday the Kams received their second set-back, being beaten by the Saints, victory being due to the pitching of F. Jansen and errors in the field. The game was played on Aala Park in the presence of a host of students who followed the incidents of the game with absorbing interest. The Saints won 4-2, holding the lead from the first inning.

Pandemonium reigned at the end

of the game, when the Saints' pitcher was carried off the diamond shoulder high, surrounded by a gathering of young maniacs. How the boys did yell! But it was worth it. The Kams had been tipped as winners almost from the commencement of the series and the defeat of the Saints by Iolani seemed to make the Kams' ultimate success a foregone conclusion. But the downfall of the Kams to Punahou and the defeat of Kaahumanu by the Puns gave heart to the Saints, for these results gave them a chance of drawing level with the Puns and outing the Kams. And so it has happened.

Tomorrow the Puns and Iolani meet at Makiki, and on Friday the Saints and Kaahumanu meet on the same field. These two games will decide the competition, unless there is a tie, which is possible but not probable. The Puns have only lost one game, that to the Saints, while the Saints fell down to Iolani.

The standing of the teams are:

	W.	L.	Pct.
Punahou	3	1	.750
St. Louis	3	1	.750
Kamehameha	3	2	.600
Kaahumanu	2	2	.500
Iolani	1	3	.250
Central Grammar	1	4	.200

## Ex-Secretary Gault Heard From

Robert S. Gault, ex-secretary of the boys' department of the local Y. M. C. A., now located in charge of the Boys' Department of the Illinois Soldiers' Orphans' Home, has written a lengthy letter to the members of the Kauluweia Boys Club, in the course of which he relates his experiences whilst going home. After spending a day in 'Frisco, writes Mr. Gault, he and his wife took the Western Pacific train in the evening, but during the night the train was held up by a landslide, which necessitated a delay of two and a half hours. A few miles further on the second and more serious landslide was met. The steam shovels were used to clear away the fallen earth but it was a thirty-hour job, and the passengers had to amuse themselves as best they could during that time. Eventually the line was

clear, but the train was thirty-three hours late in making Salt Lake City. This delay meant that Mr. Gault could not catch the train he proposed proceeding on, but gave him a day in Salt Lake City. He visited the big temple and tabernacle and was fortunate in being able to hear the magnificent pipe organ playing, as a meeting was in progress when he reached the temple. The delay which lost Mr. Gault his train he regards as providential, for on the way to Pueblo Colorado the train he had missed was passed by the way-side, it having been derailed. Pueblo, Colorado, was reached forty-five minutes late and here, too, Mr. Gault missed his connections and by an extraordinary coincidence a similar occurrence happened with regard to the trains, the preceding train having fallen over an

embankment. Thus, by being late, Mr. Gault had twice missed being in a railway smash.

Immediately on arriving home Mr. Gault was offered the control of the Boys' Department of the Illinois Soldiers' Orphans' Home and he accepted the post, leaving the same day for Normal, where the home is situated. Mr. Gault writes entertainingly to the boys and sends them all his best wishes. He speaks of the work of the home of which he is in charge and expresses a wish to some day again meet the boys of the Kauluweia club.

## Y. M. C. A. PLAYERS WIN THE SERIES

After a series of five games the Y. M. C. A. basketball team won out against Kalihi last night at the Palama Y. M. C. A., after a game lasting forty-five minutes. Play was of a fairly even character, though the Association boys had twenty-nine points to seventeen at the close of play, but the difference in points was mainly due to the number of scores made by the Y. M. C. A. from fouls by Kalihi. Altogether, Kalihi committed fourteen fouls against the Y. M. C. A.'s seven, and off these fouls the Association boys scored nine points as against Kalihi's one. The winning team threw ten goals, against the loser's eight.

The series has been a particularly interesting one. The Kalihi boys won the first and third games, and won them with comparative ease, but in the second and fourth the Y. M. C. A. team drew level, which necessitated the fifth game on neutral ground. Other series of a like nature should be arranged, but it would be better for the sport if Palama came in and participated in a triangular series.

## SPORT NOTES

**Hawaii Yacht Club Meeting.**  
There will be a meeting of the Hawaii Yacht Club in the offices of Magoon & Weaver, at 7:30 on Wednesday to further consider plans and report progress for the stunts proposed for the 27th and 28th insts. The dance at Pearl Harbor is fixed for the night of the 27th and Sunday will be devoted to races for the second class yachts and the Wrens. Special trains will run to and from Pearl Harbor to suit the convenience of those attending the dance who wish to get home before morning.

**King-Hubbenette Race Open to All Comers.**

The race scheduled for June 12th between Soldier King and Con Hubbenette is open to all-comers but there will only be two prizes. The event is for the fifteen-mile championship.

of the islands and affords a chance to other runners to make good. Nigel Jackson may enter, as he has stated he can beat King over any distance. Here is a chance for him. Jackson has already started to hit the track and will announce his progress as time goes on.

**Barron Off to Maui and Kauai.**  
Charles Barron, who is promoting the King-Hubbenette race for June 12th, leaves today for Maui and Kauai. He expects to be away until the 3rd prox., but he has left a certified check with the manager of the Athletic Park as evidence of his good faith in promoting the race. Barron has other events in view provided that he makes good on this proposition. He wants to get Hubbenette and King in a marathon and still awaits advices from Jimmie Fitzgerald. These advices are not expected for a month or more yet, but it is probable that news of Fitzgerald will be received on Tuesday next by the Marama.

### THE SPORTING CALENDAR.

May 17—Tennis championship singles, various courts.  
" 17—Baseball: Punahou vs. Iolani at Makiki, juniors.  
" 19—Baseball: Kaahumanu vs. St. Louis at Makiki, juniors.  
" 21—Yachting: Honolulu Yacht Club opens season.  
" 21—Baseball: Oahu League: 1:30, J. A. C. vs. Stars; 3:30, P. A. C. vs. Native Sons.  
" 21—Baseball: Waianae vs. Ewa at Waianae; Alex vs. Waipahu at Alea.  
" 21—Yachting Races: Hawaiian Challenge Cup, first class; Macfarlane Cup, second class.  
" 22—Baseball: Oahu vs. St. Louis at Alexander Field.  
" 27—Hawaii Yacht Club's cruise to Pearl Harbor; dance at night.  
" 28—Hawaii Yacht Club's races at Pearl Harbor. Cooper cup for second-class boats; Spalding cup for Wrens.  
" 28—Baseball: Oahu League: 1:30 Native Sons vs. Stars; 3:30 J. A. C. vs. P. A. C.  
" 31—Golf: Bogey play on Nu-anu links, Country Club.  
June 4—Baseball: Oahu League: 1:30, P. A. C. vs. Stars; 3:30, J. A. C. vs. Native Sons.

**NOTE**—Secretaries of sporting organizations and promoters of sporting events are requested to notify the Sporting Editor of "THE STAR" of any events set down for decision.

### CHRONIC DIARRHOEA.

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## Athletic Park

### Baseball For Sunday

#### OAHU LEAGUE.

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3:30—P. A. C. vs. NATIVE SONS.  
Reserved Seats for center and wings of grandstand can be booked at E. O. Hall & Son's Sporting Department, Entrance, King Street.

Prices—grandstand, 35c and 25c; general 15c.

#### BY AUTHORITY NOTICE.

Office of The Board of Health.  
Honolulu, T. H., May 15, 1911.  
Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Health, held May 15, 1911, the following action was taken:  
That the regulation passed April 16, 1911, be amended to read as follows:

1. Until further notice the taking of fish, shell-fish, or any product of the sea from the sea between the shore and outer reef between the outlet of Pinnalo Stream and the easterly side of Kalihi Channel, District of Honolulu, is strictly prohibited.  
2. Until further notice all bathing in the sea in the above described area is strictly prohibited including Honolulu Harbor.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH,  
By its President,  
E. A. MOTT-SMITH.

Attest:  
K. B. PORTER,  
Secretary, Board of Health.  
I hereby consent to the foregoing regulation.

W. F. FREAR,  
Governor, Territory of Hawaii.

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Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Health, held May 15, 1911, the following action was taken:

That the regulation passed April 16th, 1911, be amended as follows:  
Until further notice the pulling of taro in Manoa or Manoa Valley, District of Honolulu is strictly prohibited except under such restrictions as may be imposed by an agent of the Board of Health.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH,  
By its President,  
E. A. MOTT-SMITH.

Attest:  
K. B. PORTER,  
Secretary, Board of Health.  
I hereby consent to the foregoing regulation.

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## ROE PROPERTY SALE CONFIRMED

Judge Robinson confirmed the sale of the Roe properties, respectively to Thos. F. Kennedy for \$1200 and to Mrs. A. H. Smith for \$1010, notwithstanding objections of the administrator. It was shown that the sale was duly advertised and fairly conducted, and the court quoted the Supreme Court in the doctrine that where the price, in such circumstances, was not so inadequate as to shock the conscience a sale should be confirmed.

Judge Robinson confirmed the commissioner's sale by James F. Morgan of property in Nuuanu Valley, mentioned in the partition suit of Kaluka Keaka and John Manula vs. Menal Kekeua, to William Savidge, trustee, for \$330.

Cecil Brown petitions for modification of the decree in the equity suit of Emma Kreier vs. Cecil Brown and F. A. Schaefer, trustees under the will of August Dreier. The decree contained a mistake in the area of a piece of land on Tantalus Heights ordered sold, making it 2.21 acres instead of 4.18 acres as it should be. The purchaser has asked the petitioner to have the decree amended so that the acreage recited therein shall conform to the acreage actually sold.

## KANEOHE WATER CONTROVERSY

Judge Robinson has rendered a decision sustaining the demurrers of Kaneohe Rice Mill Co., Ltd., and others to the amended petition in equity of Kaneohe Ranch Co., Ltd., with leave to petitioner to file an amended petition within ten days if so advised. Petitioner claims all of the water of Kaneohe stream, save 20,000 gallons per acre per day ceded to respondents. The court holds that something more than a mere allegation of ownership is necessary, as such an allegation without a statement of facts upon which such ownership is based asserts a mere conclusion of law.

## MAKING BRICKS OF SAND LIME

Consul General Skinner at Hamburg has sent to the bureau of manufactures as Washington a report giving new facts about the brick business in Germany. He says the annual product of sand lime bricks in that country has increased to nearly a thousand millions. There are 280 sand lime brick plants in Germany. The bricks cost less than \$3 per 1,000 to manufacture and sell for 50 cents per thousand less than clay bricks, to which they are superior in hardness and in smoothness. Nothing but sand and lime enters into their composition, and they are ready for use immediately after being taken out of the steam ovens in which they remain under pressure for eight hours.

The fact that anybody who owns a bank of good clean sand can, with a small plant, produce bricks, which are preferable to clay bricks for all purposes, ought to revolutionize the business of brick making in this country. But manufacturers are slow to change their methods when there is no developed demand for an improvement. Probably the extensive substitution of cement construction for bricks has had something to do with delaying the introduction of sand lime bricks in the United States. But these bricks at \$3 per 1,000 must be much cheaper than concrete, either poured or laid in blocks. Sand lime bricks can be made much larger than the ordinary clay bricks, thus making it possible to reduce the amount of labor in laying them. The consul-general at Hamburg says: "Because of their regular form and uniform dimensions these bricks can be laid more easily, and can also more readily be cut. This regularity of form and trim appearance has led to a frequent use of lime sand bricks as facing stones, it being also possible to color them."

## ABSOLUTELY PURE MILK.

Marchant Bros., of Plainfield, N. J., requested the Board of Health, through its milk inspector, to investigate the Goucher Electric purifying system. After investigation they reported to Marchant Bros. everything as represented and advised Marchant Bros. to install the system. The Honolulu Dairymen's Association, Ltd., are using this system and furnish the only milk known to be absolutely pure on the Islands. Call between nine and eleven o'clock and investigate.

## WAYSON CURES A CASE OF LEPROSY

An officially acknowledged cure of a case of leprosy is reported in the case of a boy five and a half years old, treated by Dr. J. T. Wayson at the Kalihiki receiving station for about a year past. He was taken to the station on January 21, 1910. His body bore external evidences of the ravages of leprosy and bacteriological tests proved the presence of the bacilli of leprosy in his flesh. He is now officially declared cured.

The cure is proved by bacteriological tests, clinical examinations made by three leading physicians and every proof that can be obtained in any way.

The new feature of the treatment consists in the use of "carbon dioxide snow," a substance resembling yellow ice cream, formed by compressing carbon dioxide gas into a solid form. This substance is intensely cold, having a temperature of 110 degrees below zero, Fahrenheit. This "snow" is applied to the leprosy lesions, and so cold is it that it immediately freezes the flesh.

The bitter cold apparently kills the bacilli, the lesion sloughs off, as does the skin of a healthy person after a frost bite, and there remains pink, healthy flesh.

## THE CUMMINS APPROPRIATION

Attorney General Lindsay is working on the answer to the briefs which Lorrin Andrews recently filed in connection with the J. A. Cummins case.

It will be remembered that the legislature appropriated \$5,000 to repay Cummins the \$5,000 fine imposed by the military commission sixteen years ago.

Auditor Fisher refuses to issue the warrant on the grounds that it was an attempt on the part of the legislature to appropriate public money for private purposes.

Attorney Andrews' contention, as expressed in his brief, is that the auditor, not being a party whose right is affected by the appropriation, has no right to contest the constitutionality of the act.

Replying to the brief the Attorney General holds that the auditor, acting in his official capacity, is interested, being the watch dog of the treasury, in the proper disbursement of public monies, and that this is not only a right but a duty.

## COMMERCE A PEACEMAKER.

Kuhlow's German Trade Review thus concludes an article on Germany and the peace movement:

"The nations of Europe not only dead war. We believe they are becoming increasingly conscious that war, under the conditions now obtaining, is rapidly tending to become impossible. Industry and commerce have made such bonds of neighborliness among the peoples of the world that no great nation can attack another without running the risk of self-destruction. As propagandists of peace, the market and the counting-house are gradually effecting what neither the Senate nor the school nor the Church has been able to accomplish."

Fine Job Printing at Star Office.

## BY AUTHORITY.

The Board of License Commissioners for the City and County of Honolulu will hold a meeting at the Executive Building on Friday, June 16, 1911, at 3 p. m., to consider the Application of K. Sunouchi for a renewal of the Second Class Restaurant License now held by him, to sell intoxicating liquors at No. 1388 College Walk, Honolulu, under the provisions of Act 119, Session Laws of 1907.

All protests or objections against the issuance of a License under said Application should be filed with the Secretary of the Board not later than the time set for said hearing.

CARLOS A. LONG,

Secretary Board of License Commissioners.

4ts—May 16, 23, 30, June 6.

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The Board of License Commissioners for the City and County of Honolulu will hold a meeting at the Executive Building on Friday, June 16, 1911, at 3 p. m., to consider the Application of Chas. Lambert for a renewal of the Second Class Saloon License now held by him, to sell intoxicating liquors at Southeast corner of King and Nuuanu Sts., Honolulu, under the provisions of Act 119, Session Laws of 1907.

All protests or objections against

the issuance of a License under said Application should be filed with the Secretary of the Board not later than the time set for said hearing.

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The Board of License Commissioners for the City and County of Honolulu will hold a meeting at the Executive Building on Friday, June 16, 1911, at 3 p. m., to consider the Application of Chun Ming, for a renewal of the First Class Wholesale License now held by him, to sell intoxicating liquors at Nos. 36 and 38 King street, Honolulu, under the provisions of Act 119, Session Laws of 1907.

All protests or objections against the issuance of a License under said Application should be filed with the Secretary of the Board not later than the time set for said hearing.

CARLOS A. LONG,

Secretary Board of License Commissioners.

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The Board of License Commissioners for the City and County of Honolulu will hold a meeting at the Executive Building on Friday, June 16, 1911, at 3 p. m., to consider the Application of Gustave Cordes for a renewal of the Second Class Saloon License now held by him, to sell intoxicating liquors at No. 74 North King St., Honolulu, under the provisions of Act 119, Session Laws of 1907.

All protests or objections against the issuance of a License under said Application should be filed with the Secretary of the Board not later than the time set for said hearing.

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The Board of License Commissioners for the City and County of Honolulu will hold a meeting at the Executive Building on Friday, June 16, 1911, at 3 p. m., to consider the Application of James Edward Thompson for a renewal of the Second Class Saloon License now held by him, to sell intoxicating liquors at "Empire Building" Bethel St., Honolulu, under the provisions of Act 119, Session Laws of 1907.

All protests or objections against the issuance of a License under said Application should be filed with the Secretary of the Board not later than the time set for said hearing.

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The Board of License Commissioners for the City and County of Honolulu will hold a meeting at the Executive Building on Friday, June 16, 1911, at 3 p. m., to consider the Application of Conrad Bollman for a renewal of the Second Class Saloon License now held by him, to sell intoxicating liquors at "Royal Annex" near corner of Merchant and Nuuanu Sts., Honolulu, under the provisions of Act 119, Session Laws of 1907.

All protests or objections against the issuance of a License under said Application should be filed with the Secretary of the Board not later than the time set for said hearing.

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The Board of License Commissioners for the City and County of Honolulu will hold a meeting at the Executive Building on Friday, June 16, 1911, at 3 p. m., to consider the Application of Mrs. Bertha Klemme for a renewal of the Second Class Restaurant License now held by her, to sell intoxicating liquors at "Aloha Alina Cafe" foot Punchbowl St., Honolulu, under the provisions of Act 119, Session Laws of 1907.

All protests or objections against the issuance of a License under said Application should be filed with the Secretary of the Board not later than the time set for said hearing.

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The Board of License Commissioners for the City and County of Honolulu will hold a meeting at the Executive Building on Friday, June 16, 1911, at 3 p. m., to consider the Application of K. Ono for a renewal of the Second Class Saloon License now

held by him, to sell intoxicating liquors at No. — Hotel St., opposite Keolu St., Honolulu, under the provisions of Act 119, Session Laws of 1907.

All protests or objections against the issuance of a License under said Application should be filed with the Secretary of the Board not later than the time set for said hearing.

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The Board of License Commissioners for the City and County of Honolulu will hold a meeting at the Executive Building on Friday, June 16, 1911, at 3 p. m., to consider the Application of S. Kojima for a renewal of the First Class Saloon License now held by him, to sell intoxicating liquors at No. 150 Hotel Street, Honolulu, under the provisions of Act 119, Session Laws of 1907.

All protests or objections against the issuance of a License under said Application should be filed with the Secretary of the Board not later than the time set for said hearing.

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The Board of License Commissioners for the City and County of Honolulu will hold a meeting at the Executive Building on Friday, June 16, 1911, at 3 p. m., to consider the Application of Manuel G. Silva for a renewal of the Second Class Saloon License now held by him, to sell intoxicating liquors at No. 161 Maunakea St., Honolulu, under the provisions of Act 119, Session Laws of 1907.

All protests or objections against the issuance of a License under said Application should be filed with the Secretary of the Board not later than the time set for said hearing.

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The Board of License Commissioners for the City and County of Honolulu will hold a meeting at the Executive Building on Friday, June 16, 1911, at 3 p. m., to consider the Application of George Lycurgus for a renewal of the Second Class Restaurant License now held by him, to sell intoxicating liquors at Union Grill, King St., Honolulu, under the provisions of Act 119, Session Laws of 1907.

All protests or objections against the issuance of a License under said Application should be filed with the Secretary of the Board not later than the time set for said hearing.

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The Board of License Commissioners for the City and County of Honolulu will hold a meeting at the Executive Building on Friday, June 16, 1911, at 3 p. m., to consider the Application of Louis D. Warren for a renewal of the Second Class Saloon License now held by him, to sell intoxicating liquors at Encore Saloon, corner of Hotel and Nuuanu Sts., Honolulu, under the provisions of Act 119, Session Laws of 1907.

All protests or objections against the issuance of a License under said Application should be filed with the Secretary of the Board not later than the time set for said hearing.

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The Board of License Commissioners for the City and County of Honolulu will hold a meeting at the Executive Building on Friday, June 16, 1911, at 3 p. m., to consider the Application of Wing Wo Tai & Co., for a renewal of the First Class Wholesale License now held by them, to sell intoxicating liquors at No. 941 Nuuanu St., Honolulu, under the provisions of Act 119, Session Laws of 1907.

All protests or objections against the issuance of a License under said Application should be filed with the Secretary of the Board not later than the time set for said hearing.

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The Board of License Commissioners for the City and County of Honolulu will hold a meeting at the Executive Building on Wednesday, June 14, 1911, at 3 p. m., to consider the Application of Y. Muraoka for a renewal of the Second Class Saloon License now held by him, to sell intoxicating liquors at Waimanalo, Oahu, under the provisions of Act 119, Session Laws of 1907.

All protests or objections against the issuance of a License under said Application should be filed with the Secretary of the Board not later than the time set for said hearing.

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The Board of License Commissioners for the City and County of Honolulu will hold a meeting at the Executive Building on Wednesday, June 14, 1911, at 3 p. m., to consider the Application of Moritaro Yamasaki for a renewal of the Second Class Saloon License now held by him, to sell intoxicating liquors at Waimanalo, Oahu, under the provisions of Act 119, Session Laws of 1907.

All protests or objections against the issuance of a License under said Application should be filed with the Secretary of the Board not later than the time set for said hearing.

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The Board of License Commissioners for the City and County of Honolulu will hold a meeting at the Executive Building on Wednesday, June 14, 1911, at 3 p. m., to consider the Application of C. A. Peacock (Criterion Saloon) for a renewal of the Second Class Saloon License now held by him, to sell intoxicating liquors at the corner of Bethel and Hotel Sts., Honolulu, under the provisions of Act 119, Session Laws of 1907.

All protests or objections against the issuance of a License under said Application should be filed with the Secretary of the Board not later than the time set for said hearing.

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The Board of License Commissioners for the City and County of Honolulu will hold a meeting at the Executive Building on Wednesday, June 14, 1911, at 3 p. m., to consider the Application of William Lishman for a renewal of the Second Class Hotel License now held by him, to sell intoxicating liquors at "Honolulu Seaside Hotel," Waikiki, Honolulu, under the provisions of Act 119, Session Laws of 1907.

All protests or objections against the issuance of a License under said Application should be filed with the Secretary of the Board not later than the time set for said hearing.

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The Board of License Commissioners for the City and County of Honolulu will hold a meeting at the Executive Building on Wednesday, June 14, 1911, at 3 p. m., to consider the Application of Seeley I. Shaw for a renewal of the Second Class Saloon License now held by him, to sell intoxicating liquors at Ewa mauka corner of King and Nuuanu Sts., Honolulu, under the provisions of Act 119, Session Laws of 1907.

All protests or objections against the issuance of a License under said Application should be filed with the Secretary of the Board not later than the time set for said hearing.

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The Board of License Commissioners for the City and County of Honolulu will hold a meeting at the Executive Building on Friday, June 16, 1911, at 3 p. m., to consider the Application of Alfred O. Ross, J. G. Correa and J. G. Pregli for a renewal of the First Class Wholesale License now held by them, to sell intoxicating liquors at corner of Queen and Alakea Sts., Honolulu, under the provisions of Act 119, Session Laws of 1907.

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## Classified "Ads"

## WANTED.

Efficient bookkeeper for country store, one with experience in similar situation preferred. Apply "Book-keeper" this office.

## LOST.

Gold watch with Chicago fob; Pili-koi street near Kaahumanu school; call at this office for reward.

On Saturday night, between main road and Lighthouse, Diamond Head, a Koa Ukulele. Finder please return to this office.

SA camera, No. 224015A, between Honolulu and Pearl City, on nine-fifteen train. Return to Thurn's Book Store. Reward.

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN. From premises of J. F. Brown, Wai-kiki, a reddish brown Spanish Collie. Finder please return to premises and receive reward.

## FOR SALE.

Desirable property, 15,339 feet, Kapiolani Park Addition, by James Sheehan, 1249 Fort street; land clear; No agents.

## FOR SALE.

Two good lots, Kaimuki, 75x140 each. Excellent location, \$575 each. Address XYZ, this office.

## WANTED.

Employment as yard boy. Willing to do any kind of work. Address "B", Star office.

Cottage or Bungalow, furnished, in desirable locality, on June 1, by a married couple. No children. One with electric lights and gas preferred. Address H., Star Office.

Furnished cottage of 2 or 3 rooms, with big yard, preferred. Address A. B., Star office.

## FOR RENT.

Large mosquito-proof room, furnished; \$9.00 a month. 767 Kinau street.

Large Mosquito Proof Room on beach suitable for two gentlemen. Bathing and Boating convenient. Address "Beach" Star Office.

## FOR SALE.

New buggy and harness. Can be seen at American Stables.

## FURNISHED ROOMS.

Furnished Rooms, No. 73 Beretania street. Running water and electric light in each room. Rent reasonable. J. H. Townsend, proprietor.

## MEN'S CLOTHING

Men's Clothing on credit—\$1.00 a week. Suit given at once. Francis Levy, Outfitting Co., Sachs Bldg., Fort Street.

## BUY AND SELL.

Diamonds and jewelry bought, sold and exchanged. Bargain in musical instruments. J. Carlo, Fort St.

## FOR SALE.

Good Pianos and Organs for sale at 162 Hotel street, James Sheridan, tuner and repairer.

## HONOLULU GAS COMPANY, LIMITED.

By order of the President, a Special Meeting of the above Company is called, to be held at the office of Castle & Withington, Honolulu, on Tuesday, May 16, at 9 a. m., to consider amendments to the Articles of Association and By-Laws.

Dated, Honolulu, May 12, 1911.  
A. L. CASTLE,  
Secretary.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE First Judicial Circuit, Territory of Hawaii. At Chambers, n Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Clara Louise Herbert, Deceased.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

The undersigned, having been duly appointed Executor of the will of Clara Louise Herbert, deceased, hereby gives notice to all creditors of said deceased, to present their claims, duly authenticated and with proper vouchers, if any exist, even if the claim is secured by mortgage upon real estate, to it at the office of the Hawaiian Trust Company, Ltd., being May 16, 1911, or within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, said date being May 16, 1911, or within six months from the day they fall due, or the same will be forever barred.

Honolulu, May 16, 1911.  
HAWAIIAN TRUST CO., LTD.,  
Executor of the will of Clara Louise Herbert, Deceased.  
KINNEY, PROSSER, ANDERSON & MARX,

Attorneys for Executor.  
5ts—May 1 vx vx vx vx ? 7x? 13  
5ts—May 16, 23, 30, June 5, 12.

Fine Job Printing at Star Office.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

## THE WEATHER.

Local Office, U. S. Weather Bureau, Honolulu, T. H., May 16, 1911.  
Temperature, 6 a. m.; 8 a. m.; 10 a. m.; and morning minimum:  
72; 75; 78; 79; 68.  
Barometer reading. Absolute humidity (grains per cubic foot); relative humidity and dew point at 8 a. m.: 30.08; 5.708; 61; 61.  
Wind velocity and direction at 6 a. m.; 8 a. m.; 10 a. m.; and noon:  
7NE; 12E; 13E; 13E.  
Rainfall during 24 hours ending 8 m.: .02 inches rainfall.  
Total water movement during 24 hour ended at noon, 219 miles.

WM. B. STOCKMAN,  
Section Director.

## NEWS IN A NUTSHELL

Paragraphs That Give Condensed News of the Day.

A Koa ukulele was lost on Saturday night near the Diamond Head light-house.

A notice to creditors of the estate of Clara Louise Herbert is published in this issue.

President and Mrs. Gilmore are giving a reception this afternoon for the faculty and students of the College of Hawaii.

You can always buy cheap for cash at the stores that give Green Stamps.

A gold watch with a Chicago fob was lost near the Kaahumanu School. A reward is offered for its return to this office.

Augustus Knudsen will speak to-night at the Theosophical Society's rooms, second floor of the Elite building, at 8:45.

Watches promptly and properly repaired by Redhouse, Masonic building, Alakea and Hotel streets.

The Union-Pacific Transfer Co. has specially constructed wagons and experienced men for moving household goods. Telephone 1875.

John Kohler, indicted for concealing opium, was arrested by U. S. Marshal Hendry this afternoon.

An efficient bookkeeper for country store is wanted. See classified ads.

A notice in re bottles of Ryecraft's Soda Works is published in this issue.

The habit of saving is easily acquired if you have a Savings Account. Open an account at the Bank of Hawaii, Ltd., and get the habit.

The office of the Wireless is open on Sunday mornings from eight to ten and on other days from seven in the morning to five-thirty in the afternoon.

Subscribe for the Car, Chronicle, or Examiner, \$1.00 per month. Wall, Nichols Co., Ltd., agents.

The banks will begin to receive early next week, deposits from the territorial treasurer, this money being the first half of this year's taxes which became delinquent today.

There will be a meeting of the Hawaii Yacht Club at J. A. Magoon's office tonight at half-past seven o'clock. Final arrangements are to be made for ladies' day, which comes on May 28.

This hot weather a shampoo, shave and a massage is just the thing to brace you up. The Union Barber Shop has four first-class artists in attendance.

Men's shirts are ironed by hand at the French Laundry which accounts for the perfect finish and the freedom from wear. Remember that this laundry has no branches. Office 777 King, telephone 1491.

The Gleaners will have a delicatessen sale Saturday morning in the Collins building on King street, west of Fort, opposite Union Grill. There will be sold bread, cakes, candies, ducks, chickens, jellied tongue, pickles, jellies and unique dinner cards. The articles are strictly home made.

In the men's doubles Atherton Richards and R. A. Cooke, F. E. Steere and Theodore Richards, A. M. Nowell and A. L. Castle, and L. M. Judd and S. A. Baldwin have entered the competition, while for the mixed doubles, only one pair, Miss Ruth Richards and Theo. Richards, is down.

Loose Leaf Ledgers and Devices of all kinds together with sheets in special and stock rulings in a variety of sizes, weights and colors. Hawaiian News Co., Ltd., Alex. Young Building. Dekorato is a dry powder which mixed with cold water makes the ideal covering for walls and ceilings. It can be applied over old wall paper. See Lewers & Cooke about it.

A miscreant, evidently imbued with a desire for revenge, went on the premises being erected by Ah Long on Beretania street near Aala Park last night and wantonly cut away all the lead pipe connections which had been put in. Nothing was stolen from the works, but considerable damage was done by the cutting of the lead pipes.

By an advertisement in this issue the Honolulu Chamber of Commerce recommends its members and the business community generally to observe June 22 next as a public holiday in

## CHINA TAKING GUGGENHEIMER MEN TO A MINE IN RUSSIA

The San Francisco papers refer to the China as the missionary ship. This may be an appropriate title for most trips, but it certainly is not for the present, for the China has on board on this occasion a crowd that would seem to represent almost every profession. There are university professors, mining experts, diamond experts, engineers, a journalist and some missionaries, and there are half a dozen honeymooners.

The China, which is berthed at the channel wharf, has sixty-eight cabin passengers and sixty-three orientals in the steerage, through to the Orient, while for here she had twenty-two in the cabin and one in the second class. Her cargo for this port amounted to 476 tons and comprised 275 tons of hay and ninety-five tons of soft, 1,500 barrels of wine, 3,005 bundles of pine shooks, and for the Far East she has about 531 tons, principally leather and various lines of groceries. She also has specie valued at about \$1,000,000.

She had an excellent trip down, but the crowd was not a lively one at all, and therefore the passage was dull. Among the passengers are six men who are going to a mine in Russia, about forty miles from the Amoy river. This mine is the property of the Azore Mining & Milling Company, of London and New York. The Guggenheims are said to be interested in the venture. It is looked upon as about the richest in the world, for already \$2,500,000 worth of gold has been won from it by panning. The six men now on their way to Russia comprise four constructors and two operators. The

honor of the coronation of George V. King of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the seas, and Emperor of India.

The continuous filament Tungsten lamps carried by W. W. Dimond & Co. have been thoroughly tested before being put on the market and were found to be practically indestructible. They save half of your light bill.

## CORONER'S CASE.

Sheriff Jarrett left for Makapu in an auto this morning, word having been received from Deputy Sheriff Davis that the body of a dead Hawaiian had been found.

## WOMEN DECLARE MOSQUITO WAR

The local Branch of the Woman's National Rivers and Harbors Congress has arranged for a public meeting to be held at the Commercial Club Room, Friday, May 19, 1911, at 4 o'clock, for the purpose of enlisting the cooperation and interest of the entire citizenship of Honolulu, in the campaign to exterminate mosquitoes. Governor Frear has agreed to be present and addresses will be made by President Mott-Smith of the Board of Health, Gerrit P. Wilder, Willis T. Pope, Supt. of Public Instruction, and Dr. Hobdy. Not only are the members of the Congress invited, but the public generally is urged to attend the meeting.

## NEW RICE MILL

The K. Yamamoto Rice Mill is the largest as well as the finest in the islands. All machinery is of the very latest pattern. The famous Tengu Rice is cleaned at this mill. With the large cleaning capacity they are able to handle considerable outside particular work which they guarantee.

## PERSONS IN THE NEWS

E. POLLITZ was a returning Honolulu this morning by the Wilhelmina from the coast.

C. C. VON HAMM returned to Honolulu this morning by the Wilhelmina from the mainland.

W. DUISENBERG returned this morning by the P. M. S. China from the coast.

MRS. CAMPBELL, wife of W. H. C. Campbell of Hilo, returned from the mainland this morning by the Wilhelmina.

SAMUEL SUSSMAN, of the firm of Sussmer and Wormser of San Francisco, was a passenger to Honolulu this morning by the Wilhelmina.

A. G. SMITH, deputy attorney general, went to Kau by the steamer Mauna Loa today, to investigate the Kaunamannu homesteads.

JOHN A. BUCK, president of the Honolulu Plantation Co., and vice president of the Matson Co., came to Honolulu this morning on the Wilhelmina. He is accompanied by his wife and daughter.

four are going to superintend the construction of the machinery and the other two will supervise the operations of the two big dredgers that are to be installed.

It will be recalled that when the China was here last a thorough search was made to find out whether any opium was being smuggled ashore. As a result, several tins were found, and four Chinese were taken into custody. They are still here, and the ship is, therefore, short of those four men, because it is against the law to obtain Chinese crews on United States soil. The boat will, therefore, have to bring her crew up to its full strength in Hongkong or Shanghai. Although the China left only two hours after the Wilhelmina, sixty-five bags of mail accumulated in that short time. The mail boat will leave again for the Orient at five o'clock this afternoon.

## Marama Will Be Full Ship.

Theo. Davis & Co., agents for the Canadian-Australian line of steamers, yesterday received a cablegram from their agents in Fiji to the effect that the Marama had left there on that day and that she would have room for only sixteen first-class passengers from here. There will be no second-class accommodation available. This is the last available boat by which Australians can reach London in time for the coronation celebrations. She is due here next Tuesday, but it is possible that she will arrive on Monday afternoon, as she had just completed her periodical overhaul while in New Zealand waters.

## POLLITZ HERE

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remark upon the Kau ditch proposition.

## Hawaiian Sugar Stocks.

"Business in Hawaiian sugar stocks has been quite active in San Francisco. Sugar prices have been good, as I predicted, which has acted favorably on the stocks.

"Hawaiian Commercial is, of course, the leader. Then there has been a good demand for Paauhau. Yes, and Makaweli is always in favor. Hutchinson has not been so active on account of people waiting for the Kau development. I mean with regard to the ditch proposition. That seems to be in better shape now.

## Forecast of Market.

"I believe sugar will reach about four and a quarter cents before we get to the end of the present campaign. The surplus of sugar, as predicted, is being rapidly consumed."

Answering a remark on a recently published statement that the Russian surplus was not causing alarm in the sugar world, Mr. Pollitz observed:

"The trouble about European beets was not caused by overproduction, but by an excess of sucrose contents in the beet in Europe. This is something which has never before occurred, at least so far as any living sugar man can remember."

Fine Job Printing at Star Office.

## IT WILL PAY YOU

To look into the merits of the

"MAZDA"

The Improved Tungsten Lamp

These Lamps are current savers and will cut down your lighting bill while giving you more light and better light than you ever had before.

The Hawaiian Electric Co., Ltd.

Just Received a New Shipment of the Genuine

VERMONT

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IN PINT AND QUART TINS

Nothing More Delicious

J. M. LEVY & CO.,  
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## Tender Beef

IS NO DELICACY WITH OUR PATRONS OUR PURCHASES ARE CONFINED TO THE HIGHEST GRADES OF WELL FED CATTLE; WE BUY NO CHEAP STAGS AND WORK OXEN.

## Metropolitan Meat Market

W. F. HEILBRON and A. LOUIS, Proprs.  
Telephone 1814.

## Crushed Rock

If you contemplate doing any work about your home requiring cement, communicate with us and hear what we have to say about Nos. 2, 3 and 4 crushed rock.

Honolulu Construction & Draying Co., Ltd.  
Robinson Block, Queen Street.



## SHIRTS

The Young Hotel Laundry

is now using the latest steam methods in Laundering Shirts.

Phones 1861 and 1862



THE "CONTINUOUS FILAMENT"

## Tungsten

is the lamp that gives perfect satisfaction. Has only two flexible joints, where all others have sixteen or twenty rigid ones.

## Is Practically Indestructible

No sagging of the filaments because it is one continuous wire. Has long and uniform life. Saves you 50 per cent. on your light bill.

25 Watt Lamp 75c  
40 Watt Lamp 85c

W. W. Dimond & Company, Ltd.,

53-57 KING STREET.

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## TOBACCO TRUST CASE NEXT; THE CASE DECIDED YESTERDAY CALLED MOST IMPORTANT IN HISTORY

The Standard Oil case decided yesterday by the United States Supreme Court has been described by Attorney General Wickersham as probably the most important case that ever came before the Court. The decision, according to prominent attorneys, means a commercial revolution in the United States, as it calls for the dissolution of "holding corporations" all over the land and may put an end to the combinations, commonly called trusts, which practically control big business. Closely allied to the Standard Oil case is the Tobacco Trust case, which was submitted before the Standard Oil case but has not been decided yet. Monday is the usual day for handing down decisions and it is not unlikely that the tobacco case will be decided next Monday.

The Standard Oil and the Tobacco cases put the Sherman anti-trust law to the most crucial test in which it has been subjected during the twenty years of its existence. The corporation tax cases place on trial the power of the federal government over corporations. The contention has been made that if the Standard Oil and the Tobacco organizations are dissolved the government will be forced to license corporations in order to allow legitimate business to be carried on. The corporation tax decision may define the power of the federal government over corporations so as to guide this proposed subsequent legislation. Incidentally, about \$25,000,000 annually in taxes depend upon the decision.

Although the Tobacco case was argued first, the Standard Oil suit has attracted more attention. Attorney General Wickersham has referred to the Standard Oil case as probably the most important that ever came before the Court.

### The Tobacco Case.

The Tobacco case was instituted in 1907 in the Circuit Court of the United States of the Southern District of New York. The government here, too, was the complaining party.

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## THE WORLD'S NEWS CONDENSED

(Special mail report to The Star from San Francisco.)

### LATEST NEWS BULLETIN.

(Originating on the day that the steamer sailed.)

Queen Mary of England has not only forbidden harem skirts and hobble dresses, but has let it be known that rouge and lip salve shall not be used by ladies who are to attend any of her courts.

It is reported that Roosevelt, instead of running for office in 1912, is planning an excursion into the Arctic regions to hunt Polar bears.

Signor Enrico Caruso is again suffering from ptyphus of the throat since his return to Italy, and it will be necessary to have a third operation performed.

The stars of the suffragette parade in New York last week visited Albany forty strong, carrying banners written in Greek. The legislators couldn't read them, so nothing happened—not even a demonstration.

Frank K. Mott and the administration progressive ticket was elected in Oakland. Mott succeeds himself as mayor.

It is shown by statistics recently gathered by the Interstate Commerce Commission that one-fourth of the coin in the United States is in the grip of the directors of the Steel Trust—which means Morgan.

The House of Representatives have agreed on two resolutions calling for an investigation of the Sugar Trust and the postoffice.

Final arguments in the hearing on the Cunningham Alaskan coal claims have been presented before the Land Office Board.

The second division of the Atlantic fleet, consisting of four battleships, has sailed for an international courtesy cruise to ports of northern Europe.

Ball has been refused to the McNamara, accused of the Los Angeles Times dynamiting outrage. It is unlikely that the case will come to trial before September next.

has been shot. He was slowly dying of paralysis.

### WESTERN NOTES.

(Originating West of the Mississippi River.)

Speyer & Co., the New York bankers, are behind the defunct Ocean Shore Railroad, planned to run along the coast from San Francisco to Santa Cruz. The road will be completed and a first-class service established as soon as possible.

Keepers of disorderly houses in San Francisco testified before the grand jury that they had paid "hush money" to the police officer detailed for duty at the mayor's office and to McCarthy's private secretary.

An inhabited island has been discovered off the Washington coast, where forty-two people live who were missed by the census takers. They make their living fishing and gardening.

After a graft exposé, in which the President of the San Francisco Board of Health and the attaches of Mayor McCarthy's office were implicated, the police have determined to close the "cribs"—supposed to run under municipal protection.

More than 200,000 trout have been placed in the streams of Colorado by the State Game and Fish Commissioner. The open trout season in Colorado begins on May 25.

A poker club has been raided in San Francisco which was maintained exclusively for women patrons. One of the "ladies" lost so much money that she became peeved and complained to the police.

Meetings are being held by those interested looking toward a community of interest between New Orleans and San Diego. The matter came about as a result of acquaintances made during the hot fight for the 1915 fair.

A watchman at an Oakland ostrich farm terrified by queer faces at his office window, fired at what he supposed were desperate thugs, and instead killed a curious ostrich.

The Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis, the eminent Brooklyn divine, is charged with fraud in illegally selling coal

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## OBJECTS TO SITE AGITATION AND TO HIS NAME ON PETITION

Editor Star: The business men about town are greatly exercised over the reopening of the much-debated and many times defeated Irwin site for the proposed Federal building. If the civic center idea is the only object the artistically inclined citizens have in mind, I would suggest we reserve the Irwin site for our future city hall.

Honolulu will be a great and rich city after the opening of the Panama Canal, and it would be in keeping with the dignity and standing of the port of Honolulu to erect on the famous Irwin site a magnificent city hall, in which all the numerous city officials, supervisors, mayor, etc., etc., could be comfortably located instead of now, renting offices in various buildings all over town. This would be a solution of the difficulty and ought to satisfy the civic center idea. Most practical business men favor the centrally located Mahukula site, and in order to speed the work along subscribed nearly \$35,000 to open Bishop street from King to Merchant street.

It would certainly be an outrage and a disregard of the wishes of the business men to locate the postoffice on the far-off Irwin site. The postoffice in Honolulu is a vastly different proposition than on the mainland. There, railroad trains, with mail, arrive at all hours. Business and private people on the mainland rarely go to the postoffice for their mail. Here in Honolulu it is quite different. Our mail comes from the coast, the Orient, the antipodes in long intervals. Our island boats bring weekly mails.

As soon as a mail boat enters port here, eager crowds flock to the postoffice to receive their mail. The people here don't wait for many hours till the mail carrier comes around, maybe next day.

This being the condition of our isolated and infrequent mail service, the public demands, and should insist on as central a location for a postoffice as is possible to obtain. The Mahukula site is the most logical for the purpose and certainly the most convenient and central of all, for many years to come.

I am sure, Mr. Editor, we have voiced the majority of the people that have business with the postoffice.

By the way, my name appears on a recently circulated petition favoring the Irwin site, to which I most strenuously protest. Respectfully,

JAMES STEINER.

Honolulu, May 16, 1911.

## A SNAKE ARRIVED HERE IN BALLAST

A snake has been found in Honolulu, but it was not of the red rattlesnake variety, as described by the Onlooker in Saturday's Star. From all accounts it was just an ordinary little snake, but it would seem to have been of the elastic variety, for everyone who saw it puts a different length on it. No one, however, could be obtained who would describe it at all, and no one seemed to know what species it was.

It was first discovered by a hard-working Portuguese boy, who had no reason to distrust the evidence of his eyes. He knew immediately that it was a snake, notwithstanding that it was devoid of colored ribbons and just wriggled along without doing any fancy stunts. Needless to say, when it was discovered, it caused a lot of excitement, and inquiries were instantly made as to where it came from. It was soon established beyond all doubt that it arrived in the sand ballast ship William P. Frye, which arrived here some time ago from San Francisco.

The sand was taken to the building in course of erection at the corner of Hotel and Fort streets, in a cart in charge of George de Mello. When the cart was tipped the snake wriggled out, evidently full of life, and not affected at all by its long fast in the sand on the voyage over. Its length by one was said to be about a foot. Another stated that it was fifteen inches over all, while another does not think that it was much longer than an ordinary lead pencil. All are firmly convinced, however, that it was a snake.

It is said that it was taken away by Shoeblack de Mello, brother of the boy who found it, and that he has it in captivity. Entomologist Ehrhorn, when apprised of the story, took it as a snake yarn, for he had not been informed of its arrival, and he never thought to look through sand ballast for prohibited immigrants. It is felt that there are more in the sand, but so far none has been discovered.

## KUHIO AND THE FAIRCHILD PLAN

Delegate Kalandanale was not prepared, when seen by a Star reporter, to declare his attitude toward the Fairchild resolution, whereby the Legislature asks Congress to amend the Organic Act so that cultivated lands may be utilized, for their full value with relation to the sugar industry, to produce revenue for the maintenance of education and of immigration. "I have nothing to say on the matter yet," the delegate answered. "So far I have not studied the question."

"No, I cannot promise that I have anything to give out on the subject before leaving, which I intend by the Wilhelmmina on the 24th."

"Probably I shall not come to a decision until I reach Washington. I will have to look over the resolution and, if everything is satisfactory, prepare the bill to carry out its purpose."

## STATISTICS OF THE EMIGRANTS

The Department of Immigration, Labor and Statistics is busy working on the compilation of records covering the disposal of the immigrants who arrived by the S. S. Orteric a few weeks ago.

Their places of birth are also being recorded, together with the ages of the children who arrived, a list of the latter to be supplied to the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

All these things are required by Senate Bill No. 123, and even Secretary Kearns, who loves the statistics like a brother and to whom a column of figures is a thing of beauty and an abiding joy, wears a worried look on his Apollonian countenance these days.

## BIGAMY VICTIM GIVEN RELIEF

A decree of annul marriage has been granted by Judge Robinson in the suit of Louisa Olmes vs. Donato M. Attienza. The grounds were that at the time of the marriage in Honolulu, July 24, 1909, Attienza had an undivorced wife living in the Philippine Islands. Before and at that time he told plaintiff he was an unmarried man, and she lived with him as his wife until February last year. Now he is serving a sentence on two years in Oahu prison, consequent on his plea of guilty to the crime of bigamy. W. T. Rawlins represented the deceived woman.

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## TOURIST TO BE BROUGHT BACK HERE AS SMUGGLER TELLS OF HIS HONOLULU EXPERIENCES

The Chronicle has the following regarding the tourist arrested on the Manchuria by cable request from here:

United States Marshal Elliott received a cablegram last Thursday from Honolulu instructing him to arrest himself the steward and watchman Chris Snyder, a passenger on board the Manchuria, an indictment having been returned on the same day by the Federal grand jury at Honolulu charging Snyder with importing opium. On the arrival of the Manchuria yesterday morning Deputy United States Marshals Paul J. Arnerich and B. F. Towle went on board the vessel as she lay in the stream and placed Snyder under arrest. The date of the illicit importation of opium is given in the indictment as April 28th.

Snyder expressed surprise at his arrest, and said that he was willing to return to Honolulu and stand trial on the indictment. He said that he never imported a grain of opium in his life.

Snyder is Surprised. "My home is in Dillon, Montana," he added, "where I have mining and agricultural interests. This is the first time that I have made a trip to the Orient, and it was solely a pleasure trip. I presume that I am charged with this offense because I was in company with A. S. Howard, the second steward, and Paul Wessing, the watchman, on the night before the steamer left Honolulu. We visited several saloons together, and in the last one they asked me to wait about five or ten minutes and they would return. I waited ten minutes, and, as they did not return, I went on board the steamer. I learned that the steward and the watchman were arrested that

evening, and if the authorities wished to arrest me they could have got me on board the steamer the next morning before she sailed.

Declares His Innocence. "Well, I suppose in order to save themselves the steward and watchman shoved it on to me. I am not going to resist removal to Honolulu, and I will not make any fight for delay. I am innocent of this charge and can charging Snyder with importing opium. On the arrival of the Manchuria yesterday morning Deputy United States Marshals Paul J. Arnerich and B. F. Towle went on board the vessel as she lay in the stream and placed Snyder under arrest. The date of the illicit importation of opium is given in the indictment as April 28th.

Considerable opium has been smuggled into Honolulu during the last few years, and the Federal authorities are making a desperate attempt to break up the traffic. The nature of the evidence against Snyder has not been divulged, but is supposed to be founded on statements or confessions made by the two ship's officers under indictment and arrest in Honolulu.

Customs officials have been notified that thirty-five five-ounce tins of smoking opium were found on the persons of Howard and Wessing on the night of their arrest in the Honolulu Chinatown, where they were disposing of the drug. It was reported further that the Honolulu authorities believe that there is a large quantity of opium concealed on the Manchuria. Twenty customs searchers were put to work on the vessel to search for the contraband drug, but up to the close of business yesterday Deputy Customs Surveyor Blinn had not been informed of any seizures.

## HAUULA HOMESTEADERS WIN TITLES

Josh Tucker was sitting on the lid of the land department this morning, and judging from his activity the lid was hot.

He stated that in a short time the Haula homesteaders will receive the 999 years homestead leases for which they have been waiting so long and anxiously.

There are between twenty and thirty of these homesteads and the majority of the homesteaders long ago fulfilled the conditions required during the six years' probationary period, at the expiration of which they were told to come to town and get their papers.

They have been coming to town ever since, on foot, horseback and in pake vegetables wagons, and now, probably because of their impatience, they are going to get their papers.

These homesteads are mostly held by old natives whose forebears received the land from Kamehameha and whose descendants have lived on it ever since.

They live a simple, quiet and happy life, fishing when the weather permits and living on their pigs, poultry and garden truck when the elements are unfavorable to the pursuit of the succulent crayfish and the elusive squid.

THE LID IS OFF AT WAIKIKI

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Surf-boards are now in large demand And bathing suits have "riz." There's sweat upon the brow of him Who brews the festive fizz;

—H. M. Ayres.

APPEALS DROPPED. Ah Sing by his attorneys, Castle & Winton, has withdrawn his appeal to the Supreme Court from the district magistrate of North Kohala, who fined him \$25 and costs for selling merchandise without a license.

The Supreme Court heard and took under advisement motions to quash writs of error in Ane Kaehu vs. Meeau Nemesloha and James Cornwell and others vs. Wailuku Sugar Co.

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## TOBACCO TRUST

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Is "commerce?" What is "restraint" of trade or commerce? and What is it to "monopolize?"

What is Commerce?

Around "What is commerce?" the principal fight in the Tobacco case probably is to be found. The commerce which the government claims is being restrained and monopolized is not commerce, according to the Tobacco attorneys. It is nothing more than the manufacture of an article which later enters into commerce. The bulwark behind which the Tobacco organization is making its fight along this line is the famous Knight decision, made even more famous by the reference to it by former President Roosevelt last fall in criticizing the decisions of the Supreme Court. In that case the court declined to suppress an alleged monopoly in manufacture of sugar, on the ground that it had authority to monopolies in commerce. The tobacco corporations claim that they are concerned only incidentally in commerce.

Again the dispute as to what is included in the word "Commerce," as referred to in the Sherman anti-trust law, arises in connection with the character of a holding company. Both the Standard Oil and the Tobacco organizations contend that the power granted by the constitution to regulate interstate commerce is not so extensive as to include regulation of the acquisition and ownership of a holding company of stock in other corporations. The government argues that whenever a holding company necessarily stifles or directly and substantially restricts free competition in commerce, the United States has power to protect such commerce.

Restraint of Trade.

In the contest regarding the answer to the question of "What is 'restraint' of commerce?" the first dispute is over the interpretation of "restraint of trade" as equivalent to the absence of free competition. The government advances the theory that reduction of competition means a restraint on trade and consequently higher prices. The corporations urge that a combination of producers may mean a reduction of expenses and consequently lower prices.

The government further contends that the Sherman anti-trust law refers only to such restraints as are direct and material. One judge in passing on the Tobacco case in the circuit court held that the law referred to every restraint without regard to directness or materiality. It is said that this doctrine would stifle legitimate business. The defendant organizations do not press this argument so much, because they claim in their cases that no direct and material restraint of commerce exists. This claim is based upon the argument that they are engaged principally, not in interstate commerce as were the railroads in the Northern Securities case, but in the manufacture of goods, which may go into interstate commerce later.

Standard Oil Success.

The third division of the contest is over the interpretation of the word "monopolize." The Standard Oil is particularly concerned with this phase of the controversy, because the lower court found that it was attempting to monopolize. Attorneys for the company advance the argument that under the law it could legally acquire the trade of the world in an article provided it did nothing to prevent others from competing with it. They declare the Standard Oil has done nothing to prevent others from competing. Success has come to it, so they claim, because of "untiring energy, indefinite skill, abundant capital and steady reinvestment of early profits." The government has piled up volume on volume to support its contention that success was achieved by unfair competition.

Corporation Tax Cases.

The corporation tax cases, eighteen in all, involve entirely different arguments. The corporation tax provisions of the Payne-Aldrich tariff act provide for "a special excise tax with respect to the carrying on or doing business" by corporations, "equivalent to one per centum upon the entire net income over and above \$5,000." Each of the cases was originated in various circuit courts by persons financially interested in the tax not being paid. These persons asked the courts to enjoin the payment of the tax by respective corporations because the tax was unconstitutional. The validity of the tax was upheld in each case.

The law is opposed principally on the ground that it attacks the sovereignty of the states by taxing state franchises; that it invades the right to due process of law by levying a tax on classes fixed arbitrarily; and that it is a direct tax not apportioned among the states, as required by the constitution.

Many Other Cases.

Prosecutions for violations of the anti-trust law were foremost in the work of the past year in the Department of the Attorney General. Actions, says the Attorney General, are now underway or pending against the following so-called trusts:

Tobacco Trust.  
Standard Oil Company.  
Sugar Trust.

Harriman Lines.  
Hard Coal Trust.  
Powder Trust.  
Terminal Railway Association of St. Louis.  
Towing Trust, on the Great Lakes.  
James A. Patton and others for an alleged corner in cotton.  
Beef Trust.  
Wholesale Grocers Trust.  
Butter & Egg Trust.  
Brick Trust.  
Bath Tub Trust.  
The following convictions were secured and fines imposed during the year:  
Paper Trust, fined \$57,000.  
Night Riders, fined \$3,500.  
Window Glass Trust, fined \$10,000.

Organized Frauds.

There are now suits under way to recover \$700,000 of which the customs revenue is said to have been defrauded in imports of cheese and figs from Mediterranean ports; indictments are pending and some convictions have been secured. A highly organized system to defraud the government has been disclosed.

More than 30 individual indictments are pending against persons charged with smuggling with "sleeper trucks." Offers of compromise and prayers for immunity are in the hands of the attorney general from several firms of importers who have confessed to frauds in undervaluations.

Criminal Charges Brought.

Twenty-five criminal indictments charging rebating and other illegal discriminations are pending against railroads, private corporations and individuals. Two convictions with fines were secured during the year.

Land frauds are probably entitled to place with the customs frauds and violations of the anti-trust law. The department won signal victories during the year against unlawful fencing of the public domain. In 98 civil suits and 28 criminal prosecutions more than 400,000 acres of land illegally fenced were restored to the government.

Prosecutions against the Oregon & California Railroad Company and 45 other defendants to recover 2,300,000 acres of land valued at \$50,000,000 which the government claims are illegally held, are now pending. There are also under way 24 suits against the Central Pacific Railway Company acres of valuable lands, which the government contends were illegally patented, probably with the private knowledge that they were valuable for the mineral and oils underneath.

In the department's campaign against Bucket Shops, 350 such places were closed, others voluntarily closed as a result of the crusade and indictments are pending against men and corporations and the telegraph company which allowed the use of its wires.

### FAMOUS INVENTOR OF PUZZLES.

In the May American Magazine W. P. Eaton tells about Sam Loyd, the best known and most successful inventor of puzzles—the man who invented "Pigs in Clover." Following is part of the account of this remarkable man, who died last month:

"To the present writer, who never got the hang of a single puzzle in all his life without help, Sam Loyd is the most remarkable person in the world, for he has invented 10,000 puzzles in more than half a century of diabolical activity. He began when he was six by scaring the cook with ventriloquial voices in the kitchen chimney and taking rabbits out of the pockets of his mother's guests in the parlor. At ten he was a noted chess player and invented many chess problems. He studied to be an engineer, along with side dashes into painting and drawing, languages and mathematics. But his propensity to puzzle was too much for him. While still almost a youth, he invented and drew a puzzle in fifteen minutes, printed the first edition at a cost of less than \$5 and ultimately made \$10,000.

"Who," said he, "would have remained an engineer when he could make \$10,000 in fifteen minutes?"

"At any rate, Sam Loyd didn't. He went into puzzle-making as a profession, and he stayed with it. He was born in 1841, in Philadelphia, and is a cousin of John S. Sargeant, the great portrait painter. His first puzzle to be put on the market—the one which brought him the big returns just mentioned—was the famous donkey puzzle. The pictures of two donkeys and two men are printed on a card. You cut the card in three pieces and try to lay them in such a manner that you put a rider on each donkey. One thousand million of these puzzles have been sold in the last fifty years. It used to be known as Barnum's Donkey Puzzle, because Barnum bought thousands a week to distribute ahead of his show. Barnum himself, Sam Loyd said, could never remember how to do his own puzzle.

"Another of Loyd's 'best sellers' was the 'Fifteen-block Puzzle.' A still more famous one was 'Pigs in Clover,' which appeared simultaneously with Mrs. Ward's 'Robert Elsmere,' enjoyed quite as large a sale and left nearly as lasting an impression. Poor Sam Loyd, however, didn't get the benefit of this inven-

the Government wouldn't patent 'Pigs in Clover' because the patent laws call for a working model, and the department affirmed that his model wouldn't work. So the market was flooded by other makers. Loyd was also the inventor of 'Parcheesi,' 'Get Off the Earth' and 'Teddy and the Lions,' a recent puzzle, which shows eight lions printed partly on a square card, partly on a circular disk revolving within the square. Turn the disk and one of the lions vanishes from sight. The question is, where does he go? Nothing, naturally, happens to Teddy."

## DOUGHT TO HAVE CONVENTIONS HERE

E. Wobber of the firm of Wobber Incorporated, printers, stationers and engravers of San Francisco, is spending a few weeks in Honolulu with his family, having arrived by the S. S. Siberia.

Mr. Wobber is greatly charmed with the scenery and climate of the islands. Of local business conditions as they impress him he has the following to say:

"Honolulu is a mighty good business city and it would certainly profit some business people from the eastern and western states to locate here.

"Competition is not so keen here as on the mainland and with advanced ideas of merchandising, which they would bring here newcomers should do well."

"They could introduce modern methods of window and interior display of goods and could arrange and systemize their different displacements in a way which would, in my opinion, get the money."

"What Honolulu wants to do is to make an effort to get conventions held here with the cooperation of the steamship companies and through the medium of special excursions. It would be a great thing for the town, particularly if special care was taken of the visitors during their stay here."

Mr. Wobber is a member of the San Francisco Convention League.

### THE TELEPHONE CASE.

Further time, to May 25, has been stipulated between the attorney on both sides in the telephone injunction case within which the plaintiff may file an amended bill.

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## AN AFTERMATH OF BIERCE CASE

It would seem as if there was to be no rest, ever, to the celebrated Bierce litigation and its complications. A petition has just been filed by the Henry Waterhouse Trust Co., Ltd., against one D. Paris of Kealaekua claiming \$3079.11, together with interest thereon, upon a certain obligation made and executed on September 22, 1904, to the petitioner.

A copy of the obligation is attached, being a receipt from defendant to plaintiff for \$3079.11, being the share of John D. Paris, Eliza Roy, Hannah J. Paris, W. H. Johnson, J. D. Johnson, W. H. Shipman and Caroline J. Robinson due then as a pro rata payment on account of their total claim of \$6000 for rents under their several leases of land theretofore held by the Kona Sugar Co., Ltd. This receipt contains a covenant that in the event that the Henry Waterhouse Trust Co., Ltd., should be held liable to pay to any other person, or in the event that A. H. Wood or the estate of Henry Waterhouse, deceased, should be held liable on account of any claim arising out of a certain redimentary bond executed by Clinton J. Hutchins, trustee, as principal, and A. B. Wood and Henry Waterhouse as sureties, in a suit pending between W. W. Bierce Co., Ltd., plaintiff, and Clinton J. Hutchins, trustee, and others, defendants, Paris would save and hold harmless the H. W. T. Co., Wood and Waterhouse therefrom to the extent of the sum acknowledged as received by him.

It is shown by the petition that the executors of Henry Waterhouse were held liable on the bond in question and that they had fully satisfied a judgment in that regard of \$36,002.08. They had assigned the claim against Paris, but he had neglected and refused to pay the claim until this date.

Castle & Whittington are attorneys for plaintiff, and W. R. Castle, first vice president of the H. W. T. Co., Ltd., attests the petition.

## MME. CURIE ACCEPTS HONORS

PARIS, April 19.—Mme. Curie, the famous French woman scientist, who, with her husband, the late Professor Curie, is responsible for the epoch-making discovery of radium, has broken through her rule to accept no honors by consenting to receive the signal honor bestowed on her by England—the Albert medal of the Royal Society of Arts, which was established in 1862 in memory of the Prince Consort. Mme. Curie was one of the few women who was asked by the French government to accept the Legion of Honor, but she flatly refused not only that, but many other political distinctions.

Mme. Curie is the second woman to receive this medal. The first was Queen Victoria, to whom it was given in 1887, on the fiftieth anniversary of her reign.

Mme. Curie is of medium height, thin, almost angular, with a very high forehead, which gains an unusual prominence by her blonde hair being drawn straight back on the head. She is pale—probably from her continuous work in the laboratory. Perhaps her most prominent features are her eyes of bluish gray, which have the clearness of youth, with the penetration and depth of a profound thinker. They are set very far back in her head. Her attitude is one of reserve, and her speech is calm and slow. Mme. Curie is a Pole, but has been naturalized as a French citizen.

Her pretty cottage, which is enclosed by an attractive little garden is just on the outskirts of Paris. Two daughters, one thirteen years old, and the other nine, complete the family circle. Each day she seeks her work at her laboratory in the Rue Curvier, next door to the Faculty of Sciences.

When Mme. Curie was asked about the medal, she seemed loath to discuss it, and it took a lot of persuasion to make her talk.

"Yes, I shall accept the medal after having refused the Legion of Honor and the other political distinctions," she said. "I would be more than presumptuous for me not to receive it, since the same honor has been accepted by such great men as Pasteur and Sir Thomas Lister. It is an honor that is not associated with politics—a recognition of science by a learned society; that is my reason for making an exception to my rule. The honor is merely scientific, the same as the medal that the English Royal Society conferred upon my husband and myself. My husband shared my dislike for the majority of decorations."

When asked about the future possibilities of radium, Mme. Curie said:

"The importance of radium can hardly be overestimated. The future possibilities of this discovery are beyond imagination. The birth of radio-activity, which is based on the now established principle of the transformation of atoms, was formally admitted by the alchemists and denied by the savants. However, the scientific world now knows that radio-activity can produce this transformation, although no one has yet accomplished it. The practical results of this science are immense, especially as applied to medicine. The use of radium has already revolutionized the treatment of cancer and other diseases."

When asked if her work now consisted in trying to change atoms by radio-activity, Mme. Curie smiled sadly and said: "My life is devoted to scientific study and research," but the very evasiveness of the answer and the evident disinclination to give to the world a yet immature experiment gives credibility to the rumor that she will soon startle the followers of science with a new discovery that may be the greatest of our epoch.

## CRUELTY MARS TWO MARRIAGES

William Wallace Blaisdell sues his wife Malle Mersberg Blaisdell for divorce, on the grounds of cruelty and threats to kill him.

A divorce suit has been brought by Mary Kanakalehua Wallace against

Samuel Wallace on account of excessive and habitual ill-treatment, including a blow in the eye with his clenched fist on April 22, for which Samuel pleaded guilty in the Honolulu district court and was sentenced to serve forty-five days in the county jail.

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**WORLD'S NEWS**

(Continued from page 9)

mines in which he was interested and which were located off the coast of British Columbia. The suit was filed in Victoria, B. C.

Application has been made by railroads entering Southern California for an injunction forbidding the enforcement of the commerce commission order reducing the rate on shipments of citrus fruits by the pre-cooling process.

Americans have been killed on a ranch near Acapulco, Mexico, as a result of which the United States may dispatch a war vessel to that West coast port.

Two negroes attempted to hold up the crew of the Panama liner San Juan while the steamer lay at the dock in San Francisco, and barely escaped with their lives when attacked by the infuriated crew.

There is considerable mining excitement in Nevada owing to the discovery of almost unlimited deposits of phosphates with an underlying deposit of nitrate rock, about twenty-five miles east of Mina.

The Board of Supervisors of San Francisco passed a resolution calling upon the directors of the Panama-Pacific Exposition to declare a selected site without further delay, so that work of construction might begin.

A bill is before the San Francisco Supervisors providing for "no seat no fare" in the street cars. It meets with considerable approval. The new pay-as-you-enter cars have not met with the greatest approval in the city.

**EASTERN NOTES.**

(Originating East of Mississippi.) Johnston Livingston, president of the National Express Company is dead. Plans are being formulated in New York to launch an insurrection to depose President Juan Vicente Gomez of Venezuela.

Oil is displacing coal as a fuel on many Atlantic steamers. Two of the new ocean liners to be ready this fall will burn oil, and it is predicted that within a few years all the big "grey-hounds" will be using liquid fuel.

The new Yale catalog shows that there are 26,313 graduates, and of that number 15,965 are living. The list of living graduates increases at the rate of 537 a year, while the death list increases 176 a year.

Thousands of New York women marched in a monster parade to aid the cause of suffragism and protest against inaction of the Legislature.

Mrs. Winfield Scott Hancock, widow of General Hancock, has died in Memphis, Tenn. She married Hancock just previous to his presidential race as the head of the Democratic Party against Garfield.

A labor union in Duluth, Minn., has asked Congress to impeach Governor Johnson of California, Governor Marshall of Indiana, and others, as a result of the arrest and extradition of the McNamara's, the Los Angeles dynamite suspects.

With the coming of summer several strikes are contemplated according to labor leaders. The strikes in the East will include seamen, barbers, machinists and Kosher bakers.

Universal suffrage was advocated in Congress by Representative Mondell of Wyoming.

The original Declaration of Independence and the Constitution have been examined in Washington and found to be in excellent condition. The priceless documents are kept in air proof, waterproof, fireproof, light proof and burglar proof compartments.

The former wife of Brede Duke, the millionaire tobacco man, is dying in the Illinois Insane asylum, a pauper. Six years ago she was mistress of a fortune of nearly \$25,000,000.

The latest military project is to use Uncle Sam's obsolete warships as forts teaching them at entrances to harbors, after they have become unfit as units of a great modern fleet. This would make an auxiliary coast defense.

A supply of ambergris valued at \$15,000 was obtained from a sperm whale captured off the coast of Africa by a whaler which has just arrived at Boston.

Two monuments are to be erected to the memory of Grover Cleveland in the East. He is the thirteenth president of the United States to be honored with a public monument.

Andrew Carnegie has offered to give Santa Rosa Sonoma Co., Cal a \$5000 library providing a site is donated and \$600 yearly be raised for the maintenance of the building.

The sale of one half of the famous Hoe library of New York has been brought to a close. The amount realized from the books was \$997,363.50.

A petition signed by the majority of the students at Wellesley, asks that the trustees refuse a present of \$150,

000 tendered the famous girl's college by John D. Rockefeller.

Redcliffe College will receive a bequest of at least \$500,000 from the estate of Francis B. Greene of New Bedford, Mass.

Representative Warburton of the State of Washington, a Republican, says that the Democrats have taken a step in the right direction and that he will support the Democratic free list bill.

Margaret Anglin, the actress, has been married to Howard Hull, a magazine man on "Everybody's." Hull was formerly an actor, and Miss Anglin met her husband first in California last summer.

Twenty-two people exchanged telephone messages between Denver and New York, a distance of over 2000 miles, via an improved telephone service. The operators declare the line will be extended to San Francisco in the near future.

Farmers from the Canadian border states, supported by other farmers distant from the boundary have protested to the Senate Finance Committee against the Canadian reciprocity treaty, saying its enactment will be ruinous.

Harry Payne Whitney, and Captain Bartlett, who commanded Peary's ship, are to start for the Arctic this summer in an endeavor to secure the records Dr. Cook said he left at Etah.

Postmaster General Hitchcock has designated thirty-six additional post-offices as postal saving depositories making a total of 129 postal savings banks established since the first of the year.

A mob at Louisville, Miss., hanged two negroes suspected of trying to poison a white family.

A change of the date of the inauguration of the President, and a change of date for holding national elections will probably be effected by the Sixty-second Congress.

**FOREIGN NEWS.**

(Originating Outside North America.) A party of forty Australian and New Zealand boys are to visit Canada, the United States and Great Britain this summer. They will come to San Francisco first and be entertained by the Columbia Boys' Club.

The Switzerland police have broken up a gang of international hotel thieves, the members of which have stolen over \$60,000 worth of jewelry from hotels during their operations.

The Kaiser is to give \$750,000 of the \$5,250,000 needed for the erection of a new Royal Opera House in Berlin. The old opera house Unter den Linden will probably be sold, or used as a museum.

George Vanderbilt paid \$15,000 for a painting of his wife by Bordini, the famous portrait painter of Paris.

The complete investment of Fez, the capital of Morocco, has been completed by the tribesmen rebels. The food supply of the city has been cut off.

The Royal Geographical Society of London is to hold a great celebration during the coronation by having a convention of all the great explorers of the world.

Paris is to try a system of semaphores such as railroads use, to handle traffic in the most crowded sections of the city.

Three steamers have left Glasgow bringing 3,500 Scottish emigrants to the United States and Canada.

The Court mourning for King Edward of England was ended on May 6th, and festivities leading up to the coronation began the next day.

Lady Decies, formerly Vivian Gould, is to be presented at the English Court in the near future, and the day after will have an operation for appendicitis.

The newly elected Assembly of Nicaragua has given authorization to President Estrada to negotiate a loan of from \$12,000,000 to \$20,000,000 with the United States.

It is reported that Queen Alexandra, the Queen mother, will not attend the coronation ceremonies, but will leave London and remain away until all the festivities are over.

Germany has warned France of the dangerous consequences likely to follow the occupation of Fez by the French troops.

**CHILDREN'S COMPLAINTS.**

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**PROBATE MATTERS.**

Judge Robinson approved the account of E. A. Southworth, administrator of the estate of Harold Lord, showing receipts of \$651.22 and payments of \$339.25.

Barbara Telles files an inventory of the estate of Antonio Thome Telles, showing half an acre of land at Nawaia and furniture and personal effects.

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**PROPOSALS FOR MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.** Office of the Depot Quartermaster, Honolulu, H. T., April 18, 1911. SEALED proposals in triplicate will be received at this office until 10 A. M., May 18, 1911, and then opened for the following services during fiscal year beginning July 1, 1911, and ending June 30, 1912: Coaling transports; discharging, hauling and piling coal from transports on pile or scow or wharf; discharging freight from transports or other vessels; laundry work for transports; laundering towels for offices; furnishing ice to offices and corral; hauling freight from docks to Forts and stations in the vicinity of Honolulu; printing for District Headquarters and Quartermaster's Departments. For blank proposals and further information apply to M. N. Falls, Captain 28th Inf., Acting Quartermaster, Depot Quartermaster, 6t-Apr 19-20-21-22 May 16-17.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES IN AND FOR THE TERRITORY AND DISTRICT OF HAWAII.

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff, vs. THE WAIMANALO SUGAR COMPANY, et al., Defendants.

Action brought in said District Court and the Petition filed in the office of the Clerk of said District Court, in Honolulu.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, GREETING:

The WAIMANALO SUGAR COMPANY, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the Territory of Hawaii; THE TERRITORY OF HAWAII; WILLIAM O. SMITH, SAMUEL M. DAMON, E. FAXON BISHOP, ALBERT F. JUDD, and ALFRED W. CARTER, Trustees under the Will and of the Estate of BERNICE P. BISHOP, deceased; JOHN A. CUMMINS; KAPEKA M. CUMMINS, wife of JOHN A. CUMMINS; CUSHMAN CARTER, Trustee; JOHN KIMO; KAHALELAU PE, wife of JOHN KIMO; ANNIE AKONG; JOHN AKONG, JAMES AKONG, LUCY AKONG and AMELIA AKONG, unknown heirs at law of MARY AKONG, deceased; HENRY KAHUNANUI, CHARLES KAHUNANUI, WILLIAM KAHUNANUI, JANE KAHUNANUI, CLARA KAHUNANUI and MARY KAHUNANUI, unknown heirs at law of KAHUNANUI, deceased; THOMAS LAUHEIKU, ROBERT LAUHEIKU, GEORGE LAUHEIKU, ELIZABETH LAUHEIKU, HARRIET LAUHEIKU, and EDITH LAUHEIKU, unknown heirs at law of LAUHEIKU, deceased; and JAMES BROWN, JOHN BLACK, HENRY WHITE, GEORGE SMITH, MARY JONES, CLARA HILO, HELEN LANAI and ELSA KONA, unknown owners and claimants,

You are hereby directed to appear, and answer the Petition in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the District Court of the United States, in and for the Territory of Hawaii, within twenty days from and after service upon you of a certified copy of Plaintiff's Petition herein, together with a certified copy of this Summons.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said Plaintiff will take judgment of condemnation of the lands described in the Petition herein and for any other relief demanded in the Petition.

WITNESS THE HONORABLE SANFORD B. DOLE and THE HONORABLE CHARLES F. CLEMONS, Judges of said District Court, this 15th day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and thirty-fifth.

(Sgd.) A. E. MURPHY, Clerk.

(Seal)  
(Endorsed)

No. 74, DISTRICT COURT OF THE U. S. for the Territory of Hawaii. THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA vs. THE WAIMANALO SUGAR COMPANY, et al., SUMMONS. ROBT. W. BRECKONS, United States Attorney.

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, District of Hawaii, ss.  
I, A. E. MURPHY, Clerk of the District Court of the United States of America, in and for the Territory and District of Hawaii, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a full, true and correct copy of the original Summons in the case of THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA vs. THE WAIMANALO SUGAR COMPANY, et al., as the same remains of record and on file in the office of the Clerk of said Court.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said District Court this 25th day of March, A. D. 1911.

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