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# REOPEN CONTEST FOR MAYOR

## WALDEYER LOSES DAMAGE SUIT

VERDICT FOR WAILUKU SUGAR COMPANY IN SUIT FOR OVER \$35,000  
DAMAGES FOR BREACH OF CONTRACT—LIBEL SUIT FOR \$20,000  
ENTERED AGAINST FORMER MANAGER WELLS BY WALDEYER—  
LIGHTFOOT THROWS UP RETAINER.

After three hours deliberation the jury in the suit of Carl Waldeyer vs. the Wailuku Sugar Company, which has been tried before Judge Kepoikal in Wailuku, a verdict for the defendant was brought in last night. The suit was for \$35,379.8 in damages for alleged breach of contract.

The trial of the case commenced on November 20, and has continued without pause ever since. The firm of Kinney, Prosser & Anderson represented the defendant and Judge Quarles and J. Lightfoot the plaintiff. W. A. Kinney has spent his entire time on the case in a most painstaking manner, the thoroughness with which he has examined every detail being shown by the fact that he spent nine days in the cross-examination of Waldeyer alone.

The suit arose through alleged breach of contract on the part of the Wailuku Sugar Company, who Wal-

deyer asserted had failed to approve sites and furnish supplies for a number of long tunnels in accordance with an agreement which was part of the contract under which Waldeyer was to build the tunnels.

Within the last few days a new complication in the matter arose through the filing of a suit for libel against C. B. Wells by Waldeyer. Claim is made for \$20,000 by Waldeyer who alleges that, in statements made in regard to the matters just settled through the verdict brought in last night, his character was defamed by Mr. Wells, who was, until a few months ago, manager of the Wailuku Sugar Company. Mr. Wells is at present in this city.

It is understood that, as the result of a quarrel over the work to be taken up in the libel suit, Attorney Lightfoot has quit Waldeyer's services, which will leave him in the hands of the firm of Atkinson & Quarles.

## CAMPBELL TRUSTEE

The contest between R. W. Shingle and Harry Von Holt, for the position of trustee of the Campbell estate, was ended this morning by the filing of an answer to the petition of J. O. Carter and Cecil Brown in which the respondents agree on the selection of Von Holt as the third trustee of the estate. The petition was signed personally by Princess Abigail Kawananakoa, Alice K. Macfarlane and Muriel Campbell, the other heirs signing through their guardians.

This ends the trouble which was first brought up by the petition of

Princess Kawananakoa and her children that Shingle be appointed trustee. This petition was dismissed by Judge De Bolt, and an appeal from this decision taken to the Supreme Court. In the meantime J. O. Carter filed a petition asking that Von Holt be appointed. A motion was entered against this by the respondents on the ground that the petition to appoint Shingle was still before the Supreme Court. Now the whole matter has been settled and the appeal will be withdrawn.

In addition to this, other matters in the Campbell family came up before the court. The withdrawal of Samuel Parker as the guardian of Mary Beatrice Campbell was received and accepted by the court and R. W. Shingle appointed in his stead.

Best cups of coffee in the city at New England Bakery.

## New Election For Kauai Auditor

After a scene in court which might well be styled a comedy of errors, the Supreme Court this afternoon declared the contest between George Baker and Charles Blake for the office of auditor of Kauai to be a tie, each contestant receiving 425 votes. A new election will be held.

The case was continued yesterday afternoon till ten o'clock this morning for a decision on the motion of Blake's attorneys that they be allowed to subpoena the election inspectors of one precinct. Instead of taking this matter up in open court the justices retired to chambers and recounted all the ballots. Decisions were made in three cases, one of which was in favor of Baker and two in favor of Blake.

When the court met at 2 o'clock Chief Justice Hartwell announced that one ballot was very heavily marked for one candidate, and the court was in doubt whether to count it or not.

He refused to say for whom it was but asked for argument by the attorneys on their views of the matter. Peters and Davis held that the ballot should be counted and Watson and Thayer that it should be rejected. The vote, after a short recess, was decided on as valid and then the attorneys found that each side had argued against its own client. Naturally there was laughter.

The court decided that the costs of the recount should be equally divided between the two contestants and adjourned after being wished a Merry Christmas in the name of the local bar by Judge Davis.

Only three nuisances in the mosquito breeding line had to be abated last month. Some residents have reported to the health officers an almost complete absence of mosquitoes. Nearly 700 gallons of oil were used in the campaign in November.

## ISBELL TO MANAGE HAWAIIAN WIRELESS

NEGOTIATIONS TO BUY OUT J. A. BALCH WHO HAS HEARD THE  
CALL OF THE MINES—WIRELESS WIZARD GOES TO COAST TO  
SETTLE AFFAIRS PREPARATORY TO TAKING CHARGE HERE—  
WILL HANDLE AUTOMATIC TELEPHONES.

There is pending a change of management in the Hawaiian Telegraph and Telephone Company, formerly the Wireless Telegraph Company, a change that will be regretted because of the going out of Manager J. A. Balch and a change that will be welcome, since Balch has decided to seek other fields of usefulness, in that Arthur A. Isbell, Wireless Wizard, is to take charge of the system, a system that will someday embrace all the Pacific, if present signs materialize.

It was the intention of the controlling interests not to announce this change, but the information comes through one who is to some extent interested in wireless stock and one who, while he is consoled by the fact that none other than Isbell is to take charge, deeply regrets the contemplated departure of the present manager, J. A. Balch, from these islands and from the management which he has so well conducted.

Isbell, he who installed the more than successful long-distance wireless station at Kahuku, this island, left here in the steamship Claudine last Friday and took the S. S. Lurline from Kahului the following afternoon for San Francisco.

Isbell, it is reported, went to the coast to close up his business affairs there and to prepare to return to Hawaii to take full charge of the Hawaiian Telegraph and Telephone Company upon the retirement of J. A. Balch.

Balch is financially interested in the local wireless system and is, it is said, now awaiting the closing of a deal by which his stock is to be purchased. Wireless stock has boomed since the inception of the system in these islands, and, necessarily, there is more or less delay in reaching an understanding as to the price to be paid.

Balch is a mining engineer and has flattering offers from a Nevada mining syndicate to manage large interests there. He feels again the call of the mines and, as much as he dislikes to leave his host of Honolulu friends, feels that fortune awaits him on the mainland.

At any time the deal which buys out Balch is likely to be consummated. It is understood that Berry, the banker who came here some weeks ago with President Clinton J. Hutchins, of the Hawaiian Telegraph and Telephone Company, is the man who is negotiating for Balch's stock.

When Isbell returns from the coast he will in all probability be accompanied by Chief Electrician Hanscom of the Mare Island Navy Yard who will come to survey for Naval wireless stations in these islands.

Isbell may buy into the company, but in any event he will assume the management of the wireless in these islands and of the automatic telephone system which is to be installed on Oahu by the same company.

With the automatic telephone it will be a simple matter for anybody on this island to ring up wireless headquarters and send a wireless to any point on the mainland coast or to any ship in reach, and to receive messages from friends on other shores and abroad.

Balch's management of the wireless has been historical not only in these islands but in the world, for it was under his regime that Oahu reached out and talked with the world and it is owing largely to his careful and energetic enterprise that the genius of Isbell had opportunity of expression.

As previously reported, Hutchins, as president, has many wireless schemes in view which someday may embrace the South Seas.

## CASTRO GIVES UP HIS JOB

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

BERLIN, December 24.—Castro, the deposed president of Venezuela, has virtually abandoned his claims to the office and will not cause trouble for the present administration in that republic.

## RUEF STILL GETS DELAY

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

SAN FRANCISCO, December 24.—The sentence of Abe Ruef, convicted of accepting a bribe, has been postponed once more, this time till next Tuesday. On that day affidavits will be introduced in support of a motion for a new trial alleging misconduct on the part of the jurors.

## BURNS IS FAVORITE

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

SYDNEY, Australia, December 24.—Hugh McIntosh will referee the great fight tomorrow between Burns and Johnson. The betting here is four to five in favor of Burns.

Considerable wagering on the fight has taken place in this city at even money. Some bets have been made on Johnson, who appears to have many admirers, a slight favorite. The fight will be of twenty rounds duration. Burns gets the lion's share of the purse, win, lose or draw.

## READY FOR ACTION

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

WILLEMSTAD, Dutch West Indies, December 24.—The United States naval despatch boat Dolphin has arrived in this port. The protected cruisers Des Moines is due to arrive today. Both vessels have been sent here to be on hand in case of international complications over the blockade of Venezuelan ports by the Dutch warships.

## RAISED TO EMBASSY

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

PEKIN, December 24.—Minister Tang cables that the Washington legation will probably be raised to an embassy.

IT HAS COME.

We have received that large shipment of Tengu Japan rice and we are selling it fast, as the demand is very great. It supersedes all others in flavor and quality. K. Yamamoto, sole agent, Hotel near Nuuanu.

## CHIEF JUSTICE ALLOWS REHEARING OF FERN'S CONTEST

THE SUPREME COURT READY TO LISTEN TO FURTHER ARGUMENTS  
WHICH MAY RESULT IN A RECOUNT OF ALL THE BALLOTS  
CAST FOR MAYOR OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU.

The contest against Joe Fern for Mayor will be reopened on Monday morning before the Supreme Court and John Lane still has a chance to become the first chief executive of the City and County of Honolulu.

As the result of the motion made this morning by Judge George A. Davis, Chief Justice A. S. Hartwell consented to a re-hearing of argument upon the dismissal of the petition.

The petition was dismissed on Tuesday on the ground that thirty of the petitioners would not combine in their

knowledge of any one fact alleged in the petition, this opinion being held by Chief Justice Hartwell and Justice Wilder, Circuit Judge De Bolt, sitting in the place of Justice Ballou, dissenting.

Judge Davis held that, since in the contest for the auditorship of Kauai, on the petition of one man, with little showing, the court allowed a recount of all the ballots in the county, it was manifestly but fair that where twenty petitioners showed knowledge of the facts sworn to on information and belief, recount should also be granted.

### CHRISTMAS DINNER.

The Alexander Young Cafe will serve a Christmas dinner Friday from 5 till 8:30 at 75c and \$1.00.

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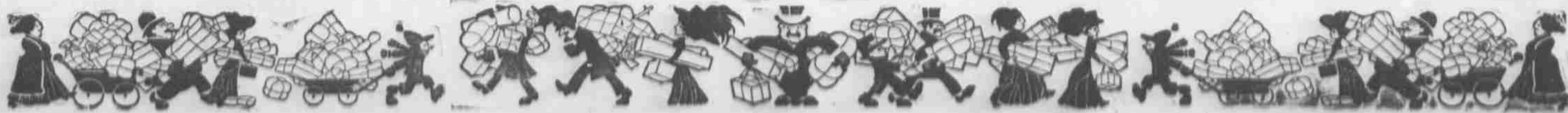
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JAN. 30.....	FEB. 5	FEB. 10.....	FEB. 16
FEB. 20.....	FEB. 26	MAR. 3.....	MAR. 9
MAR. 13.....	MAR. 19	MAR. 24.....	MAR. 30

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S. S. HILONIAN.....MAR. 17TH	MAR. 23RD
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## Shipping in Port

(Army and Navy).  
U. S. S. Iroquois, station tug.  
(Steamships.)

S. S. Rosecrans, Gaviota, Dec. 23.  
S. S. Hyades, Seattle, Dec. 22.  
Nor. S. S. Mathilda, Newcastle, Dec. 22.

(Sailing Vessels.)

Am. sc. Helene, Gray's Harbor, Dec. 7.  
Am. sc. C. A. Thayer, Peterson, Aberdeen, Dec. 9.

Am. bk. St. Katherine, Saunders, S. F., Dec. 9.  
Am. bk. Nuanuu, Josselyn, New York Dec. 14.

## The Mails

(INCOMING.)

From S. F., Alameda, Dec. 25.  
From Orient, Siberia, Dec. 26.  
From S. F., Korea, Dec. 28.  
From Colonies, Aorangi, Jan. 6.  
From Vancouver, Makura, Jan. 8.

(OUTGOING.)

For S. F., Siberia, Dec. 26.  
For Orient, Korea, Dec. 28.  
For S. F., Hilonian, Dec. 29.  
For S. F., Alameda, Dec. 30.  
For Vancouver, Aorangi, Jan. 6.  
For Colonies, Makura, Jan. 8.

U. S. A. TRANSPORTS.

Thomas at S. F.  
Buford from Hon. for Manila, Dec. 15.  
Dix from Nagasaki for Hon., Dec. 10.  
Sherman at S. F.  
Crook at S. F.  
Sheridan left Nagasaki for Hon., Dec. 21.

PASSENGERS BOOKED.

Per M. N. S. S. Hilonian, for San Francisco, Dec. 29.—Captain Tulliet, Mrs. Tulliet and two children, Mrs. J. S. Sharp and infant, Miss Jennie F. Stevenson, Mrs. Podmore, H. Podmore Sam Souza, C. H. Brown, Mrs. Tomlinson.

Per P. M. S. S. Siberia, for San Francisco, Dec. 26.—L. L. Harding, Col. Spalding, C. B. Wells, Mr. Halvorsen, Mr. McCann, Princess Kawana-nakoa, Mrs. Reeves, Mr. Tottenham, Tarn McGrew, Miss Winnifred C. Wheeler, H. R. Berry, Francis B. Smith, L. M. Cohn and wife, T. Costello and wife, A. C. Beach and wife, Misses Ada and Irene Brougher, Wharton Thurston, D. W. Cooke, Walter A. Fischer and wife, Wm. F. McGee and wife, Geo. F. Drake, Alex. Cross, L. Hope Robertson, A. Hope Robertson, Miss Robertson, Miss G. Robertson, L. F. Moulton and wife, Miss Beatrice Campbell, Mrs. A. Whitney, Harry Griswold, Samuel Poorman, C. Bolte, W. D. Wainwright, Miss Anna D. Wahlworth, Leeds Gulick, W. W. Harris, E. F. Blaine, Mrs. Blaine, Master Blaine, S. O. Fry, Miss M. Jorgensen, K. Ito, wife and two children, Miss B. Helen Skelly.

## THE LOG-BOOK

MAY CALL HERE.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 14.—The whaler John and Winthrop leaves Wednesday on what her captain, W. J. Joseph, believes will be the most prosperous trip she has made in years. Not only does Capt. Joseph expect to have a voyage free from troubles with weather or crew, but he hopes to secure many more whales than have been killed on any of her more recent trips.

To hold the oil taken from the sperm whales, after which the whaler is sailing, 700 barrels have been loaded on the vessel—twice as many as were taken out on her last departure from San Francisco. Twenty-seven whales were taken by the John and Winthrop on her last voyage, and it will take in the neighborhood of forty of the mammals to fill the casks now on board. Each whale yields from eight to 150 barrels of oil, according to the size of the monster.

This voyage of the whaler, to be started so soon after her return from her last cruise, was decided on as a result of the increased price of oil. The cargo brought in by the John and Winthrop this fall was snapped up by the Standard Oil Company before the anchor had been dropped, and the vessel's owners are eager to obtain another and larger cargo while the present high price obtains.

The John and Winthrop has been equipped with new masts and yards, new davits and boats, and her new try-works are being constructed by "Try-works" Litchfield, the old Nantucket mariner, the only man in San Francisco able to construct them successfully, as no other person possesses the knowledge of just how to mix the mortar put between the bricks so that it will withstand the effect of the oil-filled scraps with which the fire under the trying-out pots is kept going.

The John and Winthrop will go first

to the South seas, around the Gilbert and Marshall islands, then in February, north through the Bonin group and the Carolinas, and end her cruise off the Japan coast about September.

Though this is Captain Joseph's first trip as master of the John and Winthrop, he has been whaling many years. His crew for this voyage is composed of men who have sailed with him on previous voyages, and exclusively old whalingmen, the pick of the Arctic whalers.

WHAT FRISCO SAYS.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 13.—Captain Peter Johnson, a jolly martner, will be Santa Claus for not only the crew and the two-score passengers aboard the steamer Hilonian on the coming voyage to Honolulu, but all the islanders of Hawaii. To begin with, he knows nearly all of them personally, for he has been sailing to and from the island, in windjammer and steamer for almost a generation.

On this coming voyage, leaving here tomorrow evening, nearly a day ahead of time, Captain Peter Johnson will carry in his steamer one of the biggest loads of holiday supplies ever taken to the land of the Kamehamehas. It consists of 200 Christmas trees, tons of turkeys and other fowls, tons of fruit, tons of sweatsuits and Christmas "fixings" and a wide array of things for the great holiday celebration.

The Hilonian will arrive at Honolulu in time to enable the inter-island steamers to reach every part of the archipelago before Christmas day, with their loads of good cheer. Dr. Frear, brother of Governor Frear, is returning to his home in the islands with his wife. J. McBride the Governor's secretary, will also sail in the Hilonian.

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WASHINGTON, December 11.—Mrs. Roosevelt today received the gifts

brought from China by Special Chinese Ambassador Tang Shao Yi. They consist of a handsome tiger skin lined with yellow silk and said to be one of the largest in existence, as well as bolts of beautiful silk sabres and silver.

Fine Job Printing, Star Office

Henry Newell Langford, a resident of Maui for forty years, died at Kahala, Paia, on Monday. He was nearly 79 years old and a native of Vermont. A native wife, with a family by a former marriage, survives him. A granddaughter is the wife of Senator Kalamia.

**LABOR PEOPLE ARE EXCITED**

Sentences of Leaders Cause Deluge of Protests to President Roosevelt.

VENEZUELA IS AGAIN IN GOOD ODOR.

Dynamiter of Grafters Gets His Deserts—Assassin of Stevens Just Saves His Neck.

WASHINGTON, December 24.—The sentencing of President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor to jail for one year, and Secretary Frank Morrison and Vice President John Mitchell to six and nine months, respectively, by Justice Wright of the District of Columbia Supreme Court, has created a sensation throughout the labor circles of the country. President Roosevelt is being deluged with telegrams protesting against the carrying out of the sentences.

**LIFE FOR DYNAMITER.**

OAKLAND, December 24.—Claudine, the Greek, arrested as the perpetrator of the dynamiting outrage at the home of ex-Supervisor Gallagher, has been found guilty. He waived time and was immediately sentenced to life imprisonment at San Quentin. The jury was out only eight minutes before arriving at a verdict.

**GOOD FRIENDS AGAIN.**

WASHINGTON, December 2.—The Government of the United States has resumed friendly diplomatic relations with the government of Venezuela. Yesterday, W. I. Buchanan, who was the first American Minister to Panama and who has served in various diplomatic capacities in Central America since 1894, sailed on board the cruiser North Carolina for Caracas. He will investigate conditions in Venezuela and report to the State Department.

**STEVENS' SLAYER CONVICTED.**

SAN FRANCISCO, December 24.—Chang, the Korean patriot, has been found guilty of murder in the second degree for the killing of D. W. Stevens, the political adviser of the Japanese government, in San Francisco.

**OFFICIAL COMING WEST.**

SAN FRANCISCO, December 24.—W. R. Wheeler, Assistant Secretary of the Department of Commerce and Labor, has accepted the position of manager of the Traffic Bureau of the San Francisco Merchants' Exchange.

**PEER'S SON IS CRUEL HUSBAND**

TACOMA, (Wash.), December 12.—Mrs. Jessie Drummond-Hay, claiming to be the daughter-in-law of Lord Drummond-Hay, the British peer and former Ambassador to Russia, was divorced from Edward Drummond-Hay yesterday by Judge Clifford. The defendant, with their two sons, is traveling in Europe.

In court Mrs. Drummond-Hay stated that her husband had exhausted two fortunes in high living, and, although wealthy yet, he had always been penurious toward her, according to her "coarse and brutal" treatment in return for her care and attention. When he added blows to his abuse, she said, she left him and came to Shelton, Mason county, and, preferring the life of a simple country "school ma'am" to the existence he forced upon her, she taught school.

"Although my husband was in Canada and I was here, I was not safe from his persecutions, for he even attached my miserable pittance from the school to pay an old grocery bill which had been incurred by me while I was living with him. My love for our two sons was the only tie which has bound me to my husband all these years. When I notified him of my intention to secure a divorce he told me that I could go to — and get 'a cheap American divorce,' and he would keep the children. He has our two sons, Leonard and Eric, 13 and 11 years. I believe they are being educated in London, for the last address of my husband was Hotel Cecil, London."

Mrs. Drummond-Hay owns considerable property in Minto and Belmont, Manitoba. They were married at Brandon, Canada, October 3, 1893. The decree issued by Judge Clifford awards the custody of the boys to her. The court has no jurisdiction to bring them away from their father, but Mrs. Drummond-Hay anxiously inquired if she would have the power of the law with her should she succeed in bringing the boys across the ocean. She was told that if her husband was not a fit and proper person to have custody of them any court would sustain her decree.

A Japanese collector for Madros, a Wailua saloonkeeper, committed suicide on Monday while despondent from ill health.

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GEORGE F. HENSHALL .....MANAGER

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1908

## THE GREATEST HOLIDAY OF ALL.

Christmas is the greatest anniversary the world knows. If one should leave aside its religious aspect this would still remain the truth. As the years go by the spread of the Christian civilization over the world presages a day not far off when all the human race will date its calendars from the birth of Christ. Every time the modern business man dates a letter he dates it, inferentially, Anno Domini,—"in the year of our Lord,"—thus recognizing that a supreme turning point in the history of the human race was marked by the birth of the sublime Leader in honor of whom most of the world makes Goodwill the motto of tomorrow. Thus unconsciously the infidel and the atheist are ruled by the all-important event of the birth of Christ. No matter in what light He is viewed, or how understood, the fact stands out that His birth marks a turning point in the history not of one people or nation but of them all. It is a point from which we date all records, as from a creation or starting of a world. Is there any more striking fact in history than that a simple Teacher, by the mere force of his character and precepts, should have so affected all mankind?

Christmas,—and Christianity,—have found their way now into the heart of China and spread their influence in spots over most of the Dark Continent. All over teeming India the day is observed by home-sick Britons, and the scattered isles of Oceania know its human warmth. Thanks to the wonderful modern facilities for communication and travel,—themselves a product of Christian civilization,—there is no considerable area of the inhabited globe where the day will not be remembered to some extent at least. This is more and more the case every year. More and more Christmas day is becoming a World's holiday. It is peculiar to no nation or race, and its motto, "peace on Earth and good-will toward man" appeals to all mankind more and more every year. The dreamed-of universal peace may be a long time ahead, but the spread of Christmas observances helps to bring it nearer.

In Honolulu, more than in any other community in the world, we believe, the different races of mankind meet together and participate in the spirit of the occasion. Locally the day will be as completely a holiday for all as it can be made, and in harmony with this idea The Star will not be issued. It takes this occasion of wishing everybody a Merry Christmas.

## FINISH THE NUUANU DAM AT ONCE!

Wouldn't it be a good idea to abandon the sluicing plan at the Nuuanu dam, in favor of some plan that can be depended upon for results? A long experience has shown that the completion of the work is a very uncertain matter as long as rainfall on the upper levels is relied upon for water with which to do the sluicing. But if some other method had been adopted the reservoir might have been finished now and winter rains would begin to fill it so that next year the city would be in no danger of another water famine. As it is we are likely to begin a dry season next year with no better water supply than we had this year and with an increased population, and some army stations, notably the cavalry camp, which will call for a great quantity of water. Lawns and gardens will suffer again, and public health will be endangered.

The Nuuanu reservoir is an urgent need of the community. Hauling dirt might be more expensive than sluicing, but not more expensive than continued delay. Some plan should be adopted at once that will enable the contractors to do steady, continuous work from day to day until the dam is completed and our water supply system made adequate. Honolulu does not want another season of water shortage.

## IMPRISONING LABOR LEADERS.

The imprisonment of Samuel Gompers and other labor leaders, is for a plain violation of an order of a court. If citizens can defy courts in such a manner, there is an end of government, and Gompers is only getting what he deserves. Since his case was heard he has announced that if found guilty and fined for contempt he would refuse to pay the fine, preferring rather to serve his time. Justice Wright has not allowed him the alternative, but has sentenced him to one year in prison. The sentence will create a tremendous uproar and Gompers and his associates will become martyrs in some eyes, like Debs, but they made such a clear issue of contempt of a high court that their offense will appear to a majority of people as justifying the punishment. Where the labor leader union labor partisans will have their effective protests, will be in comparisons of punishments of their leaders and the leaders of lawbreaking corporation forces. President Roosevelt has consistently steered an even course between the two, declaring over and over again that he stands just as much for the punishment of the wealthy lawbreakers as the labor union lawbreakers. The labor agitators are certain to point to the fact that though one great violator of law,—probably the greatest, in its field, that this or any other country has seen,—has been found guilty enough to be fined \$29,000,000, none of the "malefactors of great wealth" have been sent to jail, and the \$29,000,000 fine is far from being collected, while in one day three national leaders of the Federation of Labor are sent to jail.

It was during the campaign that Gompers and others were on trial, for refusal to obey an injunction of a federal court, which prohibited certain boycotting practices being carried on against the Buck Stove Company. In the campaign Gompers, with the aid of Bryan, made an issue of destroying, or vastly curtailing, the injunction powers of the courts, just as Debs did years ago. The refusal to obey the court therefore has every appearance of being well considered, intentional contempt. It was done by labor leaders of national prominence, before all the nation. It is not surprising therefore that Justice Wright should have decided that a severe and impressive punishment was called for.

The Honolulu Times for January has been issued. Mrs. Prescott, in this number, has selected liberally from the Bible and the Advertiser.—P. C. Advertiser.  
"Twas ever thus—from the sublime to the ridiculous—with some folks." This, we are told, was the whispered comment of some readers of our estimable morning paper this morning. Others spoke of extremes meeting, and remarked that the editor of the Times appreciated that variety is the spice of life. Still another comment dealt with the

effectiveness of contrasts, while one unkind citizen murmured that Miss Prescott, having got the Advertiser-quoting habit, naturally turned to another source for Truth, in a diplomatic endeavor to please all classes. However, wondering why the Bible was mentioned first, we can only say that the Times is as entertaining as usual.

## AN EARLY PARDON PROBABLE.

A petition to the President for the early pardon of the labor leaders committed for contempt would be quite proper and probably be granted. The lesson of the sentences would stand while obedience to law would not be impaired. On the other hand, the labor people are placing themselves in a false light by protesting to the President against a happening in the course of justice. In another situation their action of this kind might be made a precedent for interference of the Executive with the Judiciary which would be against the interests of labor. If the law of contempt or of injunction is capable of being made the channel of injustice the people have the power to change the law. Any way, in the Buck Stove Company contempt case an appeal is to be taken and while it is pending the making of protests against the court by labor men is only a crying out before they are hurt.

## ON A MARVELOUS CHRISTMAS TREE.

BY WILL SABIN.

I would walk with the Lord in the garden,  
In the intimate evening light,  
And list to his sweet translation  
Of the sounds of the mystic night.

I would walk with the Lord in the garden,  
In the garden of life and love,  
Where ever a lambent language  
Whispers of realms above.

I would walk with the Lord in the garden,  
In a garden afar or near;  
Tho at times it be far beyond me,  
Today is the garden here.

For the world is today rejoicing,  
And merriment holds full sway  
While myriad men are voicing  
The blessings of Christmas day.

I know not, nor can I fathom  
The song that the world may sing  
Again and again, to ease its pain,  
Ere Christmas anthems ring—

But there's all in the Christmas story,  
Be it fable, or legend, or sign,  
That we need for a lasting glory  
Of joy and a hope divine.

Love ye the gentle Jesus,  
Or call ye Mahomet lord;  
Bless ye the name of Buddha,  
Or have ye some other god?

I care not whom ye pray to,  
Or if ye can pray at all:  
The One, and the All, and the Always  
Will answer your spirit's call.

And a call of the soul on Christmas,  
Invoking a right good will,  
Is a prayer that is always answered,  
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I would walk with the Lord in the garden,  
Where eyes that can see may see  
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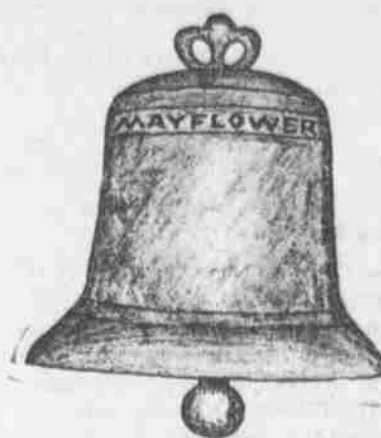
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Considerable interest has been aroused in this city through the announcement made in the Star a few days ago that Governor Frear proposed to have the Territorial Government lend its credit to local railroad concerns. In order that this may be done the Organic Act must first be amended, for the Territory is specifically forbidden in that Act to lend its credit.

The majority of those who have been spoken to in regard to the matter are very much opposed to the plan. It is said that there are but two concerns which could possibly benefit by being able to borrow under the plan proposed, the Kaula railroad and the Hilo railroad. Whether or not both of these are behind the scheme is in doubt for, until given out after presentation to Congress, the local people were kept completely in the dark in regard to the proposition.

In speaking of the bill yesterday one prominent business man said: "In the first place I don't like the scheme, because it has been handled just like the Mahuka site and land law proposition, that is, taken back to Washington and sprung from there."

**AT THE PENITENTIARY.**  
High Sheriff Henry has arranged for Christmas cheer in Oahu Prison. At his own expense he provides the differential fare to make the victims of justice forget a day the prison ration. There will be religious services also and an entertainment will be given by little oriental waifs from the Susanah Wesley Home.

**KOREAN CHRISTIAN.**  
The Christmas exercises of the Korean Christian church and Sunday school will take place this evening at 7:30 at the Korean compound, Beretania avenue and Punchbowl street.

**CENTRAL UNION CHURCH.**  
There will be no service at Central Union church on Christmas Day. For the Sabbath after Christmas elaborate services have been arranged.

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### PAYMENT OF WATER RATES.

As provided for in Chapter 45 of the Revised Laws of Hawaii, 1905, all persons holding water privileges or those paying water rates are hereby notified that the water rates for the Six (6) months ending June 30th, 1909, will be due and payable on the First day of January, 1909.

On all such rates remaining unpaid on January 15th, 1909, and additional charge of 10 per cent. will be made. All privileges upon which rates remain unpaid on February 15th, 1909, are subject to immediate shut off without further notice.

Rates are payable at the office of the Honolulu Water Works, Capitol Building.

**J. M. LITTLE,**  
Superintendent of the Honolulu Water Works.

### SEALED TENDERS.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Superintendent of Public Works until 12 m. of Thursday, January 7th, 1909, for furnishing and delivering the Paia Schoolhouse, Paia, Maui, Weber Triumph or equivalent double desks. In accordance with proposals on file in the office of the Superintendent of Public Works, which may be had on application.

The Superintendent of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

**MARSTON CAMPBELL,**  
Superintendent of Public Works,  
Honolulu, December 23, 1908.

### STOCK BOOKS CLOSED.

The Stock Book of the Pioneer Mill Co., Ltd., will be closed to transfers from December 26th 1908 to January 1st, 1909, both dates inclusive.

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Mandamus proceedings, in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court in the case of Benson, Smith & Co., Ltd. vs. the Treasurer, will be instituted against all corporations which fail to file the exhibits above referred to by December 30, 1908.

The Section of the Revised Laws referred to reads as follows:

"Every corporation not eleemosynary, religious, literary or educational, shall annually present a full and accurate exhibit of the state of its affairs to the treasurer, at such times as the treasurer shall direct."

Forms on which to make returns will be furnished upon application at the Treasurer's office.

**A. J. CAMPBELL,**  
Treasurer, Territory of Hawaii.

Territory of Hawaii,  
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# SPORTS

## HOW SAM LANGFORD BROKE INTO GAME

SAN FRANCISCO, December 13.—

The sporting public is always interested in the manner in which prominent pugilists happen to butt into the roped arena, and the appearance of Sam Langford, the black wonder from Boston, on this Coast has aroused considerable curiosity on the part of San Francisco fans as to how the scientific colored boxer ever adopted pugilism as a means of livelihood. Like nearly all of the men who have achieved success in the ring, Langford's debut as a wielder of the padded mits was in the nature of an accident. In fact, the smiling "smoke" was more of an accident as a fighter than any of his predecessors who jumped into the front rank in the world of pugilism. Sammy blew into the gymnasium of the Lenox Athletic Club of Boston one night flat broke. In fact, the fighter who today is making thousands of dollars by indulging in a few weeks' exercise and then facing an opponent in a ring to engage in a battle combat that cannot last to exceed an hour and twenty minutes didn't have a copper and was having a very empty feeling in the region of his stomach. Joe Woodman, who is his present manager, was conducting the Lenox Club at the time, and he staked him to a dinner and gave him permission to use the gymnasium as a bedroom. Sammy was tickled to death with his new quarters and rolled himself up in a blanket and used the padded ring for a bed.

It was only a short time after Langford dropped in to avoid the cold and wintry blasts of a New England winter that Woodman pitted him against two fighters in a single night. Each managed to stick three rounds with the ebullient wonder, who was wholly lacking in science, but whose natural fighting ability enabled him to wade in and clean up his adversaries without much trouble. Seeing that Sammy had the ear-marks of a fighter, Woodman turned him over to Jimmy Walsh, the clever bantamweight champion, who taught him the first tricks he ever picked up in the art of boxing. Langford proved to be an excellent pupil

and soon was able to take care of himself against any kind of customers, big or little.

The back scrapper's meteoric rise to the top created such a stir in the camp of the boxers that none of the men in his own class could be persuaded to tackle him and in consequence he was obliged to take on heavy weights to keep busy. However, it didn't make much difference to Langford whether they weighed 190 or 160 pounds, he came out on top, and since he made his initial appearance in 1902 he has engaged in almost a hundred battles and but five have been chalked up as defeats. The boxers who managed to get the winner's end from the Bostonian are Jack Johnson, Dave Holly, Larry Temple, Young Peter Jackson and Danny Damm. The latter boxer was the first and only white man who ever defeated him.

Unlike most fighters, Langford is true blue, and although he has repeatedly been approached by others to side-track Woodman and tie up with another manager he has turned a deaf ear to all such offers. Whenever someone else wants to add him to his stable and writes or telegraphs Langford in an effort to steal him from Woodman, the colored "meal ticket" turns over the document to his manager with a request that he answer it. You can judge what the reply will be.

In speaking of Langford, Manager Woodman says he is the easiest man in the profession to handle, as he likes to fight, and although it usually is a hard matter to make sons of Ham indulge in much work preparing for a contest, he claims that he never has to worry about the Bostonian shirking anything in the training line. Woodman also states that he is a very careful boxer and after sizing up his adversary follows out a studied campaign until the right opening arrives to rip in the decisive wallop. He isn't like Joe Wolcott, who was more of a slugger. In fact, he is somewhat on the order of Gans when it comes to feinting, dodging blows and ring generalship—that is, so far as can be judged from watching him perform in the gymnasium.

being a natural-born contortionist is not clear. Maybe Sam has held fast to some elementary traits, and it may be that he simply clings to his opponent in such a manner that Mr. Opponent cannot let him go.

Anyway, while in such a fix, seemingly, that if he were to lose his balance his shoulders would strike the floor, he curves his right glove clear around the tangle of elbows, arms and shoulders and pokes the other man solidly in the jaw. He does it not once, but often, and it is easy for him to do. The inference is it is one of Sam's favorite ways of embarrassing an opponent.

TAFT WINS INDORSEMENT OF FILIPINO FREE TRADE. WASHINGTON, December 11.—Free trade with the Philippines was one of the most important matters agreed upon by President-elect Taft and the Republican members of the Ways and Means Committee at the conference on tariff revision. While Mr. Taft favors free trade with the insular possessions without any restrictions, it is understood that in order that there shall be no dissension he has agreed that the amount of sugar and tobacco which should be allowed free entry should be restricted.

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## FOR A THAT AND A THAT

(By E. S. Goodhue, C. D. Honolulu.)

How persistently we forget that it  
is the Man who should confer honor  
on the office and not the office which  
should honor the man.

That it is not what a man possesses  
in material wealth, but what he is  
able honestly to acquire and properly  
use.

That it is not what a man acquires in  
learning but what he is capable of  
assimilating for the interest of his  
fellows.

That the life of an individual is of  
no value at all unless it perpetuates  
something beneficial.

We are apt to look upon the newly  
elected President or Senator as we  
might upon a Seven-day wonder.

He has been transformed in an hour;  
suddenly converted into a great man!  
Alas, for the misnomer!

We "honor" him, that is, lionize  
him; we stand in a measure of awe in  
his presence.

Let us shake hands with him, not  
because we are particularly glad to  
see him, or because he has deserved  
his prominence, but because he is  
prominent.

We fancy the intimacy honors us.  
Possibly the new man is less deserv-  
ing of the position he occupies than  
his predecessor was, but that is not  
material.

The out-of-office man in America is  
little sought after or talked about. He  
sinks into "innocuous desuetude."

Even in honoring one of our greatest  
heroes, Abraham Lincoln, we are apt  
to forget that he was great from boy-  
hood up; that his qualities of heart and  
head were largely developed in young  
manhood; that his soul was what was  
great about him.

He was just as great when he was a  
struggling lawyer in Illinois as when  
he signed the Emancipation Proclama-  
tion.

It was in him to be President of the  
United States when he was a boy chor-  
ing for old Crawford, "the meanest  
man in his county."

And it was not egotism but a self  
recognition of his own abilities that  
made him say to his mistress one day  
that he would yet be president of the  
United States.

The point I wish to elucidate is that  
Lincoln's transcendent qualities though  
brought out by the responsibilities of  
office, were still intrinsic, and during  
his obscure life he had shown the  
same sort many a time.

But he had not reached the position  
when he could command the respect  
and praise of people; when he could  
force them to recognize him as great.

When Johnson was President people  
talked about him, and as many sought  
him for this and that as sought Lin-  
coln. He was President of the United  
States whether by virtue of ability or  
not, did not matter. The lackey in  
us which persists through all these  
Democratic years, inclines us to wor-  
ship office.

What does it matter to the society  
woman who is seeking recognition  
whether the President or Senator or  
Governor be a great man or not?

And the mass of us is infected with  
the same taint.

It is this failure to distinguish be-  
tween men and their accidental hold-  
ings, which makes political success of  
so little value in the United States.

With a few exceptions the great men  
have failed to secure office.

One or two great Senators only. A  
very few Presidents. One Governor  
may be. The rest deserve little no-  
tice except as historical figureheads.  
But in the rank and file, how many  
great names we have had. These  
whose lives were an example in vir-  
tue and goodness; who said and did  
something worth while, will be re-  
membered and loved for their con-  
tribution to the permanence and sta-  
bility of the government.

Time, however, tears away the mask  
of political fame.

The real hero finds his niche. The  
real man persists in the records. While  
the memory of the self-seeker passes  
away like letters written in the sand.

There is always room in the Hall of  
Fame.

Political preferment today largely  
depends upon a combination of circum-  
stances outside of the control of one  
man.

Good men like Mr. Roosevelt get to  
be President, but even in his case  
how very accidentally he rose to his  
office.

He made a successful charge at San  
Juan hill—he became Governor of New  
York, let us be frank and say not be-  
cause of any very great ability or per-  
formance on his part.

Then he was forced to accept the  
Vice Presidency—and the rest follow-  
ed.

And it is a fortunate thing in a De-  
mocracy that nearly every citizen of  
ordinary ability, education, judgment  
and experience, has enough to fit him  
to be an ordinary good President.

The assumption of the responsibil-  
ities of the office develops capabilities,  
and every president has able helpers.

The selection of an American Presi-  
dent is not always Providential by any  
means, though in two cases at least,  
the choice has seemed to be determined  
by some power higher than man.

The attention paid to a prominent

man is shifting, of short duration, and  
may react.

Admiral Dewey is only one example  
of the foolish frenzy of a people who  
quickly turn from one thing and one  
person to another.

It is true that even while holding  
office, the incumbent may be extra-  
ordinary force of character or men-  
tality, lift himself above the plane of  
his position, and stand a man in every  
sense of the word, loved and respect-  
ed by all.

Washington's character or reputation  
cannot suffer by the analysis of his-  
torical events. It was and perhaps is  
true of him "First in peace, first in  
war, first in the hearts of his country-  
men." His predominant figure dis-  
closed enemies, and set loose anta-  
gonisms, but all were ready soon to ac-  
knowledge that he conferred honor on  
his office.

John Adams needed no office to ad-  
vertise his sterling qualities, and the  
same may be said of John Quincy  
Adams. Jefferson cast his high office  
in shadow.

How disassociated is Lincoln's  
greatness from the incident of office  
holding, though he made it noble?

And rare old Ben Franklin, how  
fortunate for us that his time and  
philosophy were not disturbed by polit-  
ical chicaneries.

He would have been less remember-  
ed and revered probably had he been  
President.

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NEW TRIALS DENIED  
PENN. CAPITOL GRAFFERS.

Court Refuses to Grant Petition of  
Four Defendants in Notorious  
\$13,000,000 Conspiracy.

HARRISBURG (Pa.), December 11.  
—A new trial was refused to four of  
the defendants in the Capitol conspi-  
racy case today by Judge George Kun-  
kel in the Dauphin county court. They  
are John H. Sanderson, contractor for  
the furnishings and decorations in the  
\$13,000,000 capitol; James S. Shoemaker,  
Johnstown, Pa., who was superin-  
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THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE  
United States, for the Territory of  
Hawaii.

The United States of America, plain-  
tiff, vs. Joseph O. Carter, et als., de-  
fendants.

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

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED  
STATES OF AMERICA, GREET-  
ING:

To JOSEPH O. CARTER, SAMUEL  
M. DAMON, WILLIAM O. SMITH, E.  
FAXON BISHOP and ALBERT F.  
JUDD, Trustees under the Will and  
of the Estate of BERNICE P. BISHOP,  
deceased; YAMAMURA, whose true  
and full name is unknown; S. O. FU-  
GITA, whose true and full name is  
unknown; T. NAKAFUGI, whose true  
and full name is unknown; M. TABA-  
RA, whose true and full name is un-  
known; YAMADA, whose true and full  
name is unknown; HARAMOTO, whose  
true and full name is unknown; NA-  
KAGAWA, whose true and full name is  
unknown; YASIDA, whose true and  
full name is unknown; GOO PING;  
WONG HUNG WAH; CHUNG CHONG  
and LAI SEE; YUKUTA, whose true  
and full name is unknown; NAKA-  
MURA, whose true and full name is  
unknown; JOHN ALFRED MAGOON;  
EMMELINE M. MAGOON, wife of  
JOHN ALFRED MAGOON; ARTHUR  
M. BROWN; KALAEONE; JUDAS  
KALAEONE; MARY KALAEONE;  
JOHN KALAEONE and JAMES KA-  
LAONE, unknown heirs at law of  
KALAEONE; KAIMOLA NAKOOKOO,  
otherwise called KAIMOLA NAKOO-  
KOO GRAY; SARAH NAKOOKOO;  
ANNA HELEN NAKOOKOO, other-  
wise called ANNA HELEN THOMP-  
SON; JANE NAKOOKOO; JAMES NA-  
KOOKOO, MARY NAKOOKOO and  
SAMUEL NAKOOKOO unknown heirs  
at law of KAHUNE NAKOOKOO, de-  
ceased; JOHN DOE RICHARD DOE,  
MARY STILES and MARTHA STILES,  
unknown heirs at law of HAIRAMA,  
otherwise called HAIRAMA, otherwise  
called HIRAMA, deceased; KEIKO-  
NUI; HENRY GILES; ANNA GILES;  
SAMUEL GILES, JANE GILES and  
PETER GILES, unknown heirs at law  
of HENRY GILES; deceased; MELE;

PAOA; JULIA PAOA; HENRY PAOA;  
DAVID PIKOT OKUU; MARY K.  
HARBOTTLE; MARIA K. PIKOT;  
JOHN SMITH and JAMES THOMP-  
SON, unknown heirs at law of MELE,  
deceased; ELIZABETH K. PRATT;  
GORDRICH PRATT; KATE KEN-  
NEDY; MARIA BREWER; EMMA  
PRATT; LEVI GORDRICH PRATT;  
EMILY G. PRATT; ELIZABETH S.  
NOYES; SARAH F. WALSH; WIL-  
LIAM PRATT; ROBERT PRATT;  
EVELYN PRATT and FRANCES  
PRATT, unknown heirs at law of  
FRANKLIN S. PRATT, deceased;  
JAMES M. MONSARRAT, Trustee for  
SUSIE F. CARTWRIGHT; SUSIE F.  
CARTWRIGHT; KATE L. VIDA;  
SARAH SAVIDGE; CHARLES J. LUD-  
WIGSEN; SUSIE E. LUDWIGSEN;  
MARY PORTER, MARY ALICE POR-  
TER, a minor; J. H. MACPHERSON,  
whose true and full name is unknown;  
ABRAHAM S. HUMPHREYS; CHARLES  
F. PETERSON; EMMA DREIER;  
EMILE THOMAS DREIER; ADELE  
DREIER; AUGUST DREIER JR.; ED-  
WARD DREIER; DOROTHEA  
REINCKE; ANNA MARKHAM; W. A.  
KINNEY, Guardian ad litem of EMILE  
DREIER; F. A. SCHAEFER and CE-  
CIL BROWN, Executors and Trustees  
of the last Will and Testament of  
AUGUST DREIER, deceased; EMMA  
DREIER, Guardian of the persons of  
the minor children of AUGUST DREIER,  
born of her body; F. A. SCHAE-  
FER, Guardian of the property of the  
minor children of AUGUST DREIER,  
born of the body of EMMA DREIER;  
PHILIP OFFERGELT; JOHN OFFER-  
GELT and MARY OFFERGELT un-  
known heirs at law of PHILIP OFFER-  
GELT; LILIANET L. COOKE; A. F.  
COOKE; EMILY F. DAY; SEELY I.  
SHAW; ANNA L. SHAW, wife of  
SEELY I. SHAW; GEORGE F. Mc-  
LEOD; THE FIRST NATIONAL  
BANK OF HAWAII, a corporation or-  
ganized and existing under and by vir-  
tue of the laws of the Congress of  
the United States of America; FRANK  
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ritory of Hawaii; COMMERCIAL PACI-  
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York; EDWARD M. WALSH; HARRI-  
RIET BROWN WALSH; JOHANNA  
ADELE DREIER; JOHN BROWN;  
JAMES BLACK, MARY PURPLE and  
JANE BLUE, unknown owners and  
claimants. DAVID NOHOLOA; ENO  
JOHNSON; HENRY SMITH, S. M.  
KANAKANUI; WILLIAM R. CAS-  
TLE; J. J. SULLIVAN; and COIT  
HOBSON; claimants, Defendants;

You are hereby Directed to Appear,  
and answer the Complaint in an action  
entitled as above, brought against you  
in the District Court of the United  
States, in and for the Territory of Ha-  
waii within 20 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 un-  
less you appear and answer as above  
required, the said plaintiff will take  
judgment for any money or damages  
demanded in the complaint, as arising  
upon contract, or it will apply to the  
Court for any other relief demanded  
in the Complaint.

WITNESS the Honorable  
SANFORD B. DOLE,  
Judge of said District  
Court, this Fifth day  
of December, in the year of  
our Lord one thousand  
nine hundred and eight  
and of the independence  
of the United States the  
one hundred and thirty-  
third.

A. E. MURPHY,

Clerk.

By, Deputy Clerk.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ss.

Territory of Hawaii, City of Honolulu.

I, A. E. MURPHY, Clerk of the Dis-  
trict 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 cor-  
rect copy of the original Petition and  
Summons in case of UNITED STATES  
OF AMERICA vs. J. O. CARTER, et  
als., as the same remains of record  
and on file in the office of the Clerk of  
said Court.

IN WITNESS WHERE-

OF, I have hereunto set

my hand and affixed the

(SEAL) seal of said District Court

this 5th day of December,

A. D. 1908.

A. E. MURPHY,

Clerk of United States District Court,

Territory of Hawaii.

By, Deputy Clerk.

Endorsement, No. 57, District Court

of the U. S. for the Territory of Ha-

waii, United States of America vs.

Joseph O. Carter, et al. Summons.

Robert W. Breckons, Plaintiff's At-



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**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.****THE WEATHER.**

Local Office, U. S. Weather Bureau, Young Building.

Honolulu, T. H., December 24, 1908.  
Temperatures, 6 a. m.: 8 a. m.; 10 a. m.; and morning minimum.  
70; 71; 74; 75; 66.

Barometer reading: absolute humidity (grains per cubic foot); relative humidity and dew point at 8 a. m.: 30.11; 5.191; 63; 58.

Wind: Velocity and direction at 6 a. m.; 8 a. m.; 10 a. m.; and noon: 7 NE; 11 NE; 8 NE; 10 NE.

Rainfall during 24 hours ending 8 a. m.: .05 inch.

Total wind movement during 24 hours ended at noon 202 miles.

WM. B. STOCKMAN,  
Section Director.

**NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.**

Paragraphs That Give Condensed News of the Day.

Bird's Transfer Co., Phone 583.  
A copartnership notice appears in this issue.

For candies that are good, try the Honolulu Candy Co.

For fashionable millinery go to Dunn's Hat Shop.

Our candies are made fresh every day. Honolulu Candy Co.

Great reduction on prices. Sunday schools and others. Honolulu Candy Co.

An appropriation for a breakwater at Nawiliwili, Kauai, is to be asked of Congress.

Bring the best girl and take your Xmas dinner at the Royal Annex.

The stock books of Pioneer Mill Co. will be closed to transfers from Dec. 26 to Jan. 1.

The Supt. of Public Works advertises for tenders for double desks for the Paia Schoolhouse.

Thurlo's Royal Annex for meals. Frog Legs, Lobsters and Oysters.

Princess Kawannakoa will leave in the Siberia for a tour of six months, extending probably to Switzerland.

The Golden Rule is our rule. Come in with us—you'll be treated right. Buy "Mayflower" stock. Buy it now!

H. E. Kelsey, formerly in Wall, Nichols Co. store, has returned from Denver to stay.

Permits for five lodging houses with total accommodation for 98 persons were issued in November.

The new Senate chamber, formerly the Public Works office, is in the hands of the painters.

Makino and Nagoro have started a postal card campaign for higher wages among Japanese plantation laborers.

A chance for the small investor to get in on a good thing at a low introduction price. Buy "Mayflower" stock. Buy it now!

Oh, say! Did you see Fitzpatrick Bros' new Xmas box of Adeline Patti cigars, made expressly for Xmas presents? Both stores: Fort below King, Fort and Hotel.

Get the habit of talking by wireless with friends on the other islands or on arriving and departing steamers. The rates are low.

One case of glanders was discovered by a health inspector last month and reported to Dr. Norgaard, the Territorial veterinarian.

Lowest bidders receive the Board of Health contracts excepting for bread and soap, in which home manufacturers receive a preference.

Mark P. Robinson has issued cards for the housewarming of the Kalihi Manual School on Saturday, January 9; 10 a. m. to 2 p. m.

The City Mill Co., Ltd., has a beautiful calendar for 1909. The illustration represents "Capturing the Grizzly" in the Rockies.

Rapid Transit cars will run an hour later than usual tonight over the entire system. This will extend the service to 12:30 a. m., Christmas Day.

U. S. District Attorney Breckons presented a box of fine cigars to each and every clerk in the Territorial judicial department.

Fitzpatrick Bros. have a line of pipes that are very attractive. C. B. Briars, calabashes, large assortment of meerschaums and many novelties that are sure to please as gifts.

Twenty-seven nuisances were complained of, investigated and abated in the work of the sanitary corps of the Board of Health last month.

L. L. McCandless has obtained a decision in his favor in his suit for summary possession against C. F. Peterson, recently tried in Judge De Bots court.

Primo Beer is a boom to those who are run down and nervous. A glass with meals insures easy digestion and restful sleep. Order a case for the holiday festivities.

Makaha Coffee Co. by G. N. Wilcox, president, and J. M. Dowsett, secretary, petitions to have its capital stock reduced from \$40,000 to \$7000 on account of contraction.

The new year is fast approaching. Come in and get the pick of our handsome diaries for 1909, bound in cloth and leather. Pocket and office sizes, Hawaiian News Co., Ltd.

Today is souvenir day at Sach's. Handsome silk fans given away with every dollar purchase. Big dressed dolls given away with \$2 and \$5 purchases. Doll contest closes tonight.

The streets were swarming with shoppers, curiosity inspectors and Christmas cheer seekers generally last night. Moving picture shows were taking the overflow all the evening.

The author of a projected handbook

of United States political history has written to the Governor for information regarding the Hawaiian national dish. He wants to know the derivation of the word poi, also what poi is. Senator W. J. Coelho of Maui has announced that he is out after Treasurer Campbell's scalp because he promoted an employee in the tax office instead of appointing a man recommended by the Maui Committee.

There is no more appropriate gift to a lady than a bottle of Maile Cologne. Benson, Smith & Co., Ltd.

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We want you to see our immense stock of Spring styles in Regal Shoes. We guarantee you a fit in our quarter sizes, and the name of Regal itself is a guarantee of high quality and style—correctness. Regal Shoe Store.

Captain Falls, Depot Quartermaster, U. S. A., has made a proposal to the Bishop street estate through F. S. Dodge, agents, to acquire by lease or otherwise some of the lands of the estate in Kakaia near Atkinson park for coal storage and coral purposes.

Thos. F. McTigue & Co., has just received a choice selection of wines, liquors and fine old whiskies for Xmas and New Years trade. Box 755, Phone 140.

Secretary Wood of the Hawaii Promotion Committee has received a letter enclosing the program of an afternoon's exercises in the Spring Valley, Minnesota, high school which is devoted to Hawaii. It was partly derived from a promotion folder.

Benson, Smith & Co., Ltd., sell Maile Cologne. Its fragrance is found in no other perfume.

Mrs. Mack, superintendent of the Savannah Wesley Home, acknowledges the promise of three scholarships for the children and two cash donations of \$50 each to the maintenance fund. The children of the home will have their Christmas exercises on Saturday evening.

Let the lady's happiness be increased by a gift of a bottle of Maile Cologne. Benson, Smith & Co., Ltd.

J. Venhuizen, chief sanitary officer, has recommended to the Board of Health that all graves should be marked with a headstone to prevent trespass on old graves in digging new ones. He suggests a plain block of stone where no better monument is provided by those who have buried their dead. Six coffins were exposed in excavating for burials last month.

The Governor's report gives the following estimate of the population of this Territory: Japanese, 72,000; Hawaiians, 35,000; Chinese, 18,000; Koreans, 5,000; Portuguese, 23,000; Spaniards, 2,000; Porto Ricans, 2,000; and Tontons (including Americans, British, German and all other whites exclusive of Portuguese), 12,000. These figures total 169,000.

**METHODIST CHRISTMAS**

The Methodist church was packed to the doors last evening, being the occasion of the Sunday School Christmas exercises. All the members of the school from the kindergarten up to the senior Bible class were present, accompanied by their parents and friends. R. H. Trent, who has been the faithful and efficient superintendent for several years, presided in his usual genial manner, and Rev. John W. Wadman offered the prayer.

The exercises, consisting of songs, solos, recitations, dialogues, etc., lasted over an hour and were all exceedingly well rendered. Two or three performances, including "The Shepherds," "The Lantern Song," etc., won exceptionally good and each and all reflected great credit upon those who had the children in training, namely, Miss Oliver Walker, Miss Moyer and Miss Iwanali Ripley. Misses Blaisdell and Ripley presided at the piano.

In the course of the evening, old St. Nicholas appeared on the scene and took a prominent part in one of the plays to the great delight of the children. He afterward distributed gifts, which had been placed on a beautifully decorated Christmas tree, to all the little ones, who departed to their homes exclaiming "The Best We Have Ever Had."

**THE ART THEATRE.**

The Christmas program of the Art surpasses any line of pictures that were ever shown at that theatre. The principal film, the Holy City is a wonderful 1000 foot reel of the life of Christ in and around Jerusalem. The Haunted Castle represents a weird subject and is sure to please. Japanese Butterflies a colored scene of beauty and creation, is sure to get applause. With the Holy City, two selections will be played. Selections to fit the scene. The Messiah and Murillo are beautiful musicals.

The pictures will be shown this afternoon and to the patrons of the Art is promised an excellent program.

Phone 140. Star Office.

**The Main Issue**

Revision of the tariff no more looms up as the one And most important event underneath the shining sun; Nor what Joe Cannon has to say nor what Bill Taft has planned— Nor John D.'s airy peregrinations upon the witness stand; No longer rock of rebates nor Archbold's golden power— The times have changed and such are not the topics of the hour; They sink to deep oblivion before this thought that haunts— That every kid on Christmas day gets everything he wants.

All manner now of statesmanship is null and void and nil— Go, let the dippy kaiser throw another verbal fit; What member of the cabinet that Billy Taft's appointed, Or what Supreme Court judges in the future are anointed; Affairs of law and order, though important to the state, Like other leading matters, in their turn must stand; and wait; The octopus no longer scares—the trust no longer daunts If every kid on Christmas day gets everything he wants.

—Nashville Tennessean.

**LATEST SHIPPING**

Thursday, December 24, 1908.  
Port Townsend—Arrived Dec. 23.  
Bk. S. C. Allen, hence Dec. 2.  
Port Townsend—Arrived Dec. 24.  
Bk. W. B. Flint, hence Dec. 5.

**SATURDAY CLOSING.**

Most of the dry goods stores and some others will close on Saturday, giving three straight days of rest and recreation to the working forces.

**DAILY STOCK REPORT**

NOTICE—No sessions of the Exchange Friday, December 25, Christmas Day, and Saturday, December 26.

Between Boards: 70 Oahu Sugar Co. \$27.625; 30 Oahu Sugar Co. \$27.625; 10 Oahu Sugar Co. \$27.625; 30 Oahu Sugar Co. \$27.625; 30 Ewa, \$26.125; 20 Waimea \$50.00.

Stock.	Bid.	Asked.
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Ewa Plant, Co.	26.25	26.25
Hawaiian Agri.	155.00	170.00
Hawaiian Sugar.	35.00	36.00
Honokaa Sugar Co.	14.25	14.25
Kekaha Sugar Co.	160.00	160.00
Koloa Sugar Co.	147.50	160.00
McBryde Sugar Co.	3.50	3.50
Oahu Sugar Co.	27.50	27.75
Ookala Sugar Co.	13.25	13.25
Olaa Sugar Co.	4.625	4.75
Paauhau Sugar Co.	19.50	19.50
Pioneer Mill, Co.	135.00	135.00
Waialua Agri.	73.00	75.00
Waimanalo	177.50	177.50
Waiman Sugar Co.	48.00	48.00
Inter Island	125.00	125.00
Nahiku Rub. Co.	30.00	30.00
O. R. & L. Co.	110.00	110.00
Hon. B. & M. Co.	20.00	20.00
Haw. Pineapple	23.00	24.00
Cal. Ref. Co. 6s.	101.25	101.25
Hilo R. R. Co. 6s.	91.50	91.50
Honokaa 6s.	101.00	101.00
Kahuku 6s.	100.00	100.25
McBryde 6s.	94.50	94.50
Oahu R. & L. Co. 6s.	101.25	101.25
Oahu Sugar Co. 6s.	100.00	100.00
Pacific Mill 6s.	101.00	101.00
Pioneer Mill 6s.	105.00	105.00

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**New Advertisements****CLOSING NOTICE.**

C. Q. Yee Hop will close at 9 o'clock Friday (Christmas). Only one morning delivery will be made.

**CLOSING NOTICE.**

The Metropolitan Meat Co.'s market will be closed all day Friday (Christmas). There will be two deliveries Thursday. Place your orders early.

**CLOSING NOTICE.**

The Paragon Market will be closed all day Friday (Christmas). Customers are asked to place their orders early.

**AMERICAN EPISCOPAL.**

Services at St. Andrew's Cathedral on Christmas Day will be as follows: Celebrations of the holy communion at 6 and 7 a. m.

At 9 a. m. the Hawaiian service will be held, the Rev. E. T. Simpson being the preacher.

At 10:30 a. m. the service will be choral. The Bishop will preach.

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