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## GREAT CHAMBER MERGES MANY PUBLIC BODIES

### PLANS SHOW IMMENSE SCOPE CALL FOR UNITED HONOLULU

Special Committee of Businessmen Finish Preliminary Draft of Scheme—Many Features of Commerce, Industrial Development, Benevolent And Charitable Work And General Public Welfare Are Proposed

#### WILL MERGE INDIVIDUAL BODIES.

Chairman L. Tenney Peck, discussing the plans for the Greater Honolulu Chamber of Commerce this morning, said: "The Greater Chamber of Commerce will probably use the charter of the present chamber for awhile. As the basis of action, first of all, the Chamber of Commerce and the Merchants' Association will come together in one body. Then the doors will be opened to a more comprehensive membership, and the activities of the Greater Chamber of Commerce enlarged on lines somewhat similar to those adopted in recent years by Boston, Rochester, Cleveland, Los Angeles and San Francisco, so that the organization will be in touch with all the currents of community enterprise and development, civic as well as commercial.

"The joint committee held two meetings. It met yesterday and adjourned to the call of the chair. In the meantime the members will consult with their respective organizations, by which the proposal will be discussed and altered perhaps in many ways before being finally adopted, if the movement is to go on to consummation.

"The civic union is not an organized body," said Mr. Peck when asked if there would be a reference also to that constituted part of the joint committee. "It is simply an expression of community opinion upon the question of amalgamation which has been discussed for some years past."

"Undoubtedly the promotion committee will disappear as a self-contained body if the scheme goes through," said Mr. E. A. Berndt when questioned on that point. "There will be no commercial body outside of the Greater Chamber of Commerce."

L. Tenney Peck is chairman of the joint committee, formed as follows:

Chamber of Commerce—E. D. Tenney, E. I. Spalding, F. C. Atherton.  
Merchants' Association—W. H. McNerny, Charles Bon, M. Phillips.  
Civic Union—J. R. Galt, G. W. Smith, E. A. Berndt, L. Tenney Peck.

A plan of organization for the proposed Greater Honolulu Chamber of Commerce has been drafted by the special joint committee having the matter in charge, and the Star-Bulletin is able here with to publish the by-laws now under consideration, giving the plan in detail.

This scheme of organization has been worked out after more than a year of consideration by prominent business and professional men of Honolulu. For many months a special committee has been at work making researches into the plan of operation of mainland chambers of commerce, including those of San Francisco, Cleveland and other large cities. The committee was named after a dinner at the University Club nearly a year ago, at which the advisability of uniting a number of Honolulu's commercial and civic bodies was discussed.

The plan as now set forth in the by-laws provides a body of exceeding wide jurisdiction and activities. The provisions for membership are simple, practically the only restriction being that the application may be rejected by three votes out of the twenty-one directors. The admission fee and dues are comparatively small.

The activities of the chamber are to be carried on through standing committees as follows:

Executive.  
Finance and Audit.  
Trade, Commercial and Industrial Development.  
Maritime Affairs.  
Agriculture.  
Public Utilities.  
County and Municipal Affairs.  
Territorial Affairs.  
Public Finance, Taxation and Insurance.  
Public Health and Sanitation.  
Legislation.  
Charities and Social Welfare.  
Membership.  
Reception and Entertainment.  
Arbitration.

The by-laws have not been entirely decided upon by the special joint committee, but the plan as published below may be taken as practically that which will be reported favorably and will in all likelihood become the basis of the organization of the Greater Chamber of Commerce.

Article I.—Name and Object.  
Section 1. The name of this association is the Greater Honolulu Chamber of Commerce.

Section 2. The object of this association shall be to advance, foster and encourage the domestic and foreign

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### PLANS MAIL IMPROVEMENT FOR HAWAII

Inspector Hall Here to Work Out Important Changes—The Man Who Helps Put Postal Frauds Out of Business

Plans for reorganization of the mail service between the Coast and the Hawaiian Islands, resulting in an immense increase in the rapid handling of mail throughout the territory, are contemplated by Harry B. Hall, inspector in charge of the San Francisco division.

Inspector Hall, who is one of the best-known men in the postoffice department, arrived on the Ventura yesterday and will be here until February 3, when he will return to the coast on the Sierra. He is in charge of the work throughout Arizona, Nevada, California and the Hawaiian Islands. Besides this, his activity in handling various features of postoffice work takes him into many other states, particularly up and down the Coast. A veteran postal official, he is known throughout the country not only as an efficient organizer and fine executive, but as a terror to the evil-doers who attempt to carry on their get-rich-quick schemes by the use of Uncle Sam's mails.

However, said Mr. Hall with a smile this morning in response to a question, he is not here in the pursuit of malefactors, but to see what can be done about giving Honolulu and Hawaii better mail facilities.

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### FISHER NOT TO REPORT ON HAWAII YET

Magnitude of Task of Wading Through Evidence Staggers Secretary

By C. S. ALBERT

[Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence]  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 10.—Secretary Fisher has deferred framing a report of his investigation in Hawaii and formulating recommendations for such legislation as will be of advantage to the Territory. He seems astounded by the extent and size of the undertaking before him.

After returning from Honolulu to this country Secretary Fisher prepared a brief report concerning his inquiry into the administration of Governor Flear, based on charges preferred by Delegate Kalanikouale. This he forwarded to President Taft, then in Beverly, recommending the reappointment of Governor Flear. The president accepted the conclusion reached and sent in the nomination immediately after Congress convened December 2.

It was then announced by Secretary Fisher that after he received a transcript of the testimony taken before him in Hawaii he would arrange an elaborate report. In addition, he made suggestions along various lines for the betterment of the islands and the increase of prosperity.

The transcript came along early in December. The secretary said he would have his report and recommen-

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### Captain Allman On Mysterious Mission

"You can state positively that the berthing of the China at Alakea wharf after sun-down on the last visit of the liner from the Orient, had nothing whatever to do with my resignation from the service," insisted Captain Roger Allman, a passenger in the Matson Navigation steamer Wilhelmina, in reply to the report circulated to that effect.

"I expect to remain in the islands for some time," continued Captain Allman, who for fourteen years has been identified with the Pacific Mail Company, and but recently stepped down from the command of the intermediate liner China.

"I do not care to speak of my mission here at the present time," he added.

In certain government circles today it was stated that the belief is that Captain Allman has come here on a special mission connected with the smuggling of opium. The skipper himself utterly declined to discuss this phase of his visit, nor would he give a hint of the object that brought him back to Honolulu so soon after resigning from the Pacific Mail service.

### WIFE COMES FROM THE COAST TO TESTIFY AGAINST HER HUSBAND

Following the arrival on the Wilhelmina this morning of Mrs. Theresa Steele and Miss Virginia Scaroni, of San Francisco, and their interview with United States District Attorney R. W. Breckons the latter announces his belief that he has sufficient incriminating evidence to prove J. C. Steele, alias Jesse Clark, the former street car conductor, guilty of a statutory offense which will send the latter to prison for a considerable number of years.

That Jesse Clark, the man known in Honolulu and J. C. Steele, who married Miss Theresa Scaroni in San Francisco a number of years ago, are one and the same person Breckons is thoroughly convinced.

In fact, when Mrs. Steele, his San Francisco wife, and her sister came of the Wilhelmina this morning Miss Scaroni asserts she recognized Steele standing on the pier. He made no effort to identify himself to his relatives however. They were escorted from the vessel by federal officials. Both will remain here until January 27, when the affair will be placed before the grand jury.

So sure is the district attorney of the strength of his evidence that he issued a new warrant for Steele's arrest this morning, charging him with adultery. The man's former arrest was on a charge of bigamy and he was released on \$1,000 bail, but this will be changed today and Breckons will urge a much higher bond, which Steele probably will be unable to get and will thus compel him to remain in

confinement until his case is called in court.

In their interview with Breckons the wife and sister substantiated the theory that Steele was living in Honolulu under the nom de plume of Clark. Mrs. Steele explained that she and the man's mother had been in communication ever since he came to the islands, always sending his mail addressed to "J. C. Steele, Lockbox No. 755, Honolulu."

This information was confirmed thirty minutes later when a receipt was found at the local postoffice showing J. C. Steele had rented a lock box there in 1911 and still retained it.

Mrs. Steele said his use of the name Clark was not a new feature. During a part of his residence at San Francisco he had traveled under that cognomen. To avoid trouble with the streetcar unions and strikebreakers during the trouble there he had gone into the traction service under the assumed name, and was known to all the streetcar men there as Clark.

When he came down here his recommendations from the company's officials of San Francisco bore the name Clark, thus virtually compelling him to continue its use in his new job.

As yet the district attorney has been unable to confirm the suspicion that Steele, or Clark, has more than the two wives already thought to have been found. Mrs. Steele's statement that he is receiving mail from his mother under the name of Steele would seem to indicate that this is the family title and true name.

### Puts Ban On Spoils System



President-elect Woodrow Wilson

### STRONG BACKING FOR HILO'S CAR LINE

[Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence]  
HILO, Jan. 20.—The final arrangements for the incorporation of the Hilo Traction Company, as the street car organization for the local use will be called, are practically completed and the articles of incorporation will be filed in the near future. The capital stock has been decided upon at \$100,000, with the privilege of increasing to \$500,000, and it is expected that all this will be taken in the territory and the larger part in the city of Hilo. An issue of bonds will probably be made to complete the financing of the concern.

The incorporators of the company, so far as given out at present, will include the following: H. V. Patten, cashier of the First Bank of Hilo; Charles F. Wood, vice-president of the Breakwater Company; D. E. Metzger, local manager of the Breakwater Company; Attorney Carl S. Carlsmith, Manager C. E. Wright, of the Volcano Stables; L. S. Connors, editor of the Hawaii Herald; W. H. Johnson, manager of the Hawaii Herald; Col. Sam Johnson, manager of the Pahoa Mill Co. Other names will probably be added before the papers are filed. Arrangements are being made at the present time to bring down a

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### MUST REOPEN THE SPRECKELS CASE

That the old Spreckels will case, involving property on the mainland worth \$10,000,000 and \$500,000 worth of property in Honolulu, and which has been undergoing bitter litigation in both local and San Francisco courts since 1908 will be reopened and threshed all over again was made practically certain this morning when Circuit Judge H. E. Cooper entered judgment in accordance with his decision of January 9, involving the Hawaiian holdings of the estate.

He gives John D. and Adolph B. Spreckels, the plaintiffs, right to share immediately in the ownership of the Honolulu real estate. Attorney D. L. Withington, counsel for the heirs under the will, immediately filed notice of appeal to the supreme court of the territory and the court gave its approval to the \$1000 bond required for the appeal.

Withington already has announced that if the higher tribunal sustains Judge Cooper's findings he will carry the case to the United States supreme court. If it does not, Attorney R. B. Anderson, counsel for John D. and Adolph B. will appeal.

While the decision applies only to the Hawaiian property and the ultimate court would be unlikely to review the California supreme court in matters of state law, yet in arriving at its own finding the U. S. supreme court must interpret the will, and if its interpretation differs from that of the California court there is strong probability that the entire case would be reopened in California.

The important feature of the judgment entered this morning, and to

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### SPOILS SYSTEM NOT FOR HIM WILSON JOLTS THE BOURBONS

President-elect, Acting as Governor of New Jersey, Declines to Remove Republican Commissioner of Labor "Because This Man Has Made Good"—Adds That "Justice Alone Shall be" His Guide In Appointments—Action Shock to Hungry Office Seekers All Over the Country -- Democratic Labor Leader Turned Down

[Associated Press Cable]

TRENTON, New Jersey, Jan. 21.—New Jersey Democracy today is quivering from a body blow dealt by no less a person than the President-elect, and present governor of the state, Woodrow Wilson. In effect Wilson has declared himself as unalterably opposed to the spoils system of running an administration and has come out for clean-cut business methods in government.

In fact, he today declined to remove the Republican commissioner of labor of the State, and to appoint as his successor, a Democratic labor leader, who stands high in the councils of the party in New Jersey, besides being most influential in the labor union circles. In refusing to remove the incumbent and appoint another man, Mr. Wilson declared that he could "see no reason for the move other than a purely political one, as the present office holder has made good in every respect." He added in effect that the spoils system shall not have place in his administration and concluded by saying that "justice and not gracefulness shall guide me in my distribution of patronage."

The plans of the President-elect for the coming inauguration have been completed far enough to enable him to announce that he will resign from the governorship March 3 and will travel to Washington in an ordinary coach, on one of the regular trains. It is reported that offers of special cars and even special trains have been made him, but that he has refused them all.

### Peace Prospect Rosy

[Associated Press Cable]

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 21.—Most marked is the feeling here that Turkey will accede to the demands made upon her by the powers and the allies. It is generally believed that the Great Powers will refuse to permit the allies to resume hostilities on the ground that they have won all that they could hope to win, and that further shedding of blood would be useless.

Still another feature of the situation is pointed out. The proposal from London that Turkey relinquish only that portion of Adrianople at present occupied by the Christians, while retaining the part of the city regarded by the Mussulman as sacred is meeting with much favor here. The Christian world appears to have found it difficult to understand why Turkey clung to the city. The fact is that second only perhaps to Mecca, Adrianople is one of the most sacred cities under the rule of the Ottoman. There is buried the bodies of many of the most famous sultans and the feeling in official circles was that Islam would not tolerate its abandonment.

This feeling, however, it is now pointed out, applies to the so-called Turkish quarter of the city only. It is there that the mosques and tombs of the dead are situated. For the rest the average Turk does not care what happens to it. It is filled with Christians. It is believed that there will be little difficulty in making arrangements for the occupation of the sacred portion of the city, and turning over of the remainder to the allies to be held by them jointly.

### Mexican Volcano Erupts

[Associated Press Cable]

GUADALAJARA, Mexico, Jan. 21.—Colima, the great volcano some miles from this city, is in active eruption. The shocks as the violent explosions that for a day have been shaking the mountain at frequent intervals can be felt here plainly, resembling the tremors of a violent earthquake.

Thousands have been forced to flee from the surrounding country, which is being engulfed in vast volumes of suffocating gases. But little lava has been reported flowing as yet, but the fall of hot ashes is large and steadily increasing. It is feared that many deaths have occurred in the rural districts, of which no reports have as yet been made. The government of the city is sending out rescue parties and the Americans are helping in every possible manner. The sky is overcast as though a thunder storm was about to break over the city, and the people are filling the churches.

### Another Cruiser Rushed South

[Associated Press Cable]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—The U. S. S. Annapolis has received orders to hasten to Mexican ports as soon as possible and to join the cruiser Denver in protecting American life and property, said to be in grave danger at the hands of the rebels in the southern republic. Dispatches from Mexico City declare that the disorders are continuing and they are becoming widespread. The government, it is said, is utterly unable to cope with the situation and is making no effort to meet the danger confronting foreign residents in the country. Washington today ordered a gunboat to Vera Cruz, to care for the Americans driven from their homes in the interior.

### Root Argues For Free Canal

[Associated Press Cable]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—In a really impassioned address before the senate today, Senator Root of New York, argued in favor of his amendment to the Panama canal bill passed at the extra session of congress. Mr. Root declared that "we hold our property rights in Panama not for ourselves but in trust for all civilization." He pointed to the provisions of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty and asserted that the present law violates them shamelessly. He urged arbitration of the dispute between this country and Great Britain over the question of canal tolls and wound up by declaring that our "authority in the canal zone is based solely upon the principle of neu-tralization and the giving of equal terms to all."

### Millions For Big Fair

[Associated Press Cable]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The House, committee on appropriations today by an unanimous vote decided to recommend to congress the appropriation of two million dollars for the Panama Fair, to be held in San Francisco in 1915. It is more than likely that the measure will pass.





## Few Skippers are Available.

With the resignation of Captain Rodger Allman from the Pacific Mail line, it is said that the company has but few available skippers from which to draw to fill the vacancy. Owing to the many and constant changes in the personnel of officers in the Pacific Mail Company, the concern is now suffering from a shortage of able men. It is understood that inducements have been made to commanders now employed by other concerns to come to the Pacific Mail. There are practically no reserve commanders left in the Pacific Mail service. Chief Officer Stewart of the Siberia did not go out with his ship which passed through here recently, and for a time it was believed he would become the successor of Allman.

## Kilauea in From Kona Ports.

Bringing a varied assortment of general cargo as well as live stock, the interisland steamer Kilauea is an arrival from Kona and Kau ports today.

This vessel returned with freight including dogs, turkeys, horses, goats, pigs, bales of hides, 13 bales of wool, 25 head of cattle, 24 crates of poultry, 34 pieces of hardware, 85 bunches of bananas, 175 sacks of taro, 1200 cases of pineapples, 8000 sacks of sugar, 1767 sacks of coffee, and 265 packages of supplies.

The vessel is reported to have met with light winds and smooth seas on the homeward voyage.

## Rithee to Bring Ten Passengers.

Presumably disappointed in securing a satisfactory assignment in the trans-Pacific liners from San Francisco to the islands, ten passengers are reported to have booked for Honolulu in the bark R. P. Rithee, which is expected to leave the coast within the next few days.

The Rithee has been given a general overhauling while on the coast, the windjammer doing dock work for a cleaning and repainting. The vessel will bring down a large general cargo consigned to the agency of F. A. Schaefer & Company.

## Heavy Rain Along Windward Hawaii.

Heavy rain has prevailed along the windward coast of Hawaii according to a report brought to this city today with the arrival of the interisland steamer Mauna Kea. The vessel is said to have met with moderate sea and trades. The Hilo boat brought a small amount of freight and a fair-sized list of passengers. Pursue Jones reports the steamer Helona at Kilauea, the Keahon at Pahoa and the Matson Navigation steamer E. K. Kilauea as having arrived at Hilo on Sunday.

## Makura Has Room for Many.

A cabin received at the agency of T. H. Davies and Company today is the effect that the Canadian-Australian liner Makura, from Sydney by the way of Auckland and Suva, is due to arrive at Honolulu on or about January 28.

The vessel is reported to have sailed from Suva yesterday. There is plenty of room for all applicants for transportation to the Pacific coast in this vessel.

## Nile In From the Orient.

Bringing less than three hundred tons of freight from oriental ports, and a delegation of Asiatic steamer passengers, the Pacific Mail intermediate steamer Nile is an arrival at the port, and should reach here about shortly before four o'clock this afternoon. The vessel was sighted at one thirty this afternoon. It is expected that the Nile will be dispatched for San Francisco on or about ten o'clock tomorrow morning. The vessel will carry the latest mail.

## Blooded Stock for Hawaii.

Blooded stock for importers on the island of Hawaii, including consignments of horses, mules, cows, and also shipments of poultry are to be forwarded from the mainland to Hilo in the next voyage of the Matson Navigation steamer Enterprise. A report received at the local agency of the Matson line today indicates that the Enterprise is sailing from San Francisco with 3500 tons general cargo and material for railway lines on the big island. At least a dozen large automobiles and motor driven trucks are included in the shipment.

## Hawaii Sugar Report.

Sugar accumulating at several plantation warehouses on the island of Hawaii includes the following consignments awaiting shipment to the coast: Olan 13,500, Waiakoa 6,300, Hilo Sugar Co. 5,500, Onomea 3,600, Honoumuli 1,600, Lanipahoehoe 5,800, Hamakua Mill 1,400, Honokaa 2,000, Kukuhaele 335, Panalua 1903 sacks.

## WILHELMINA IN PICTURE DRAMA

The Matson Navigation liner Wilhelmina, the pride of the fleet, in arriving at Honolulu this morning, is declared as figured prominently in a motion picture scenario, that at some future date will be displayed by one of the large mainland photo play manufacturers.

R. Gaumont, at the head of a motion picture film company bearing his name, was a passenger in the Matson Navigation liner this morning, and is said to have taken a series of interesting pictures aboard ship.

Strong gales accompanied by high seas, prevailed throughout the better part of the first four days of the voyage. The moving picture operator was given every opportunity of securing some thrilling scenes for a later presentation on the screen.

Gaumont had his camera set and ready for action as the fleet of launches bearing quarantine, customs and immigration officers approached the big liner then at quarantine.

"Ninety per cent of these passengers are tourists," insisted Pursue Levy, in submitting his list of travelers to the Federal officials this morning.

Among the passengers is a party of Chicago people, who propose making an extended stay in the islands. Many of the new arrivals will remain here for the better part of the winter.

The Matson Navigation liner simply ploughed through the roughest sort of weather in starting out from San Francisco. It is said that the vessel fared even worse than the Oceanic liner Ventura.

The Wilhelmina was considerably delayed in arrival this morning. While enroute to reach quarantine at six thirty, the vessel failed to show up off the harbor mouth before nine o'clock with the result that it was an hour later before passengers stepped ashore at the Hackfeld wharf.

One hundred and twenty-seven cabin and 17 steerage passengers arrived in the liner.

One death, Mrs. W. M. Thummel, daughter of William P. Hepburn, a former congressman and aunt of Manuella Hepburn of the Hawaiian electric company occurred on the voyage. Mrs. Thummel passed away the first evening out from San Francisco, the cause of death being assigned as heart failure. The remains were embalmed and upon arrival here were taken in charge by H. H. Williams.

The Wilhelmina is expected to be dispatched for Hilo on Friday evening, the vessel having 195 tons freight for discharge at that point.

Honolulu cargo amounts to 2943 tons, including a half dozen automobiles and a quantity of U. S. quarter-master supplies.

One hundred sacks of late mail were received with the arrival of the vessel.

## Ship Lewis Laden With Fertilizer.

The entire cargo brought from European ports in the British ship W. T. Lewis consists of fertilizer. The sailing vessel has been undergoing a general fumigation for rats, and is expected to leave the quarantine wharf for the other side of the harbor this afternoon.

Captain E. E. Manning, master of the windjammer that made the passage between Hamburg and Leith to Honolulu in 167 days, reports some bad weather with contrary winds. No serious damage was done this vessel through contact with gales and heavy seas.

The Lewis reached Honolulu last evening, with considerable marine growth on bottom plates. The vessel has 3455 tons fertilizer consigned to the Hawaiian Fertilizer Company.

## Shanghai Shipping Figures.

The total amount of shipping entered at Shanghai during the quarter ended September 30 was 3,780 vessels of 2,300,980 tons, against 3,582 vessels of 2,261,376 tons in the same quarter of the year before. Of these, 914 were foreign ocean and river steamers aggregating 1,951,131 tons, and 29 vessels of 344,244 tons Chinese ocean and river steamers. The number of foreign ocean-going steamers entered during July was 263 of 546,824 tons, during August the tonnage of foreign ocean-going steamers had fallen to 507,323 tons and in September to 433,196 tons.

The Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, the largest steamship company in the world, has representatives in San Francisco completing terminal arrangements for a line to be established with the opening of the canal.

## Captain Johnson Buried with Military Honors.

The late Captain Lucien Field Johnson, master of the steamer Rosecrans when she went down at the mouth of the Columbia river, was buried in the National Cemetery, San Francisco, with full naval and Masonic honors. Chaplain Sydney K. Evans, United States Navy, officiated.

A short service was held at the family residence, 29 Johnston avenue, in the Richmond district, for relatives and close friends early in the afternoon. The body was then escorted to the Richmond Masonic Hall and thence to the Presidio by the United States Naval Training Station Band, Coast Island, and a detachment of sailors and marines from the cruiser Markland under charge of Lieutenant B. G. Bartholomew, chief of the local hydrographic survey and a former brother officer of Captain Johnson.

Mission Lodge, No. 169, Free and Accepted Masons, of which Captain Johnson was a member, held a public funeral service in the Richmond Masonic Hall, which was crowded with friends of the family.

Captain Johnson served on Dewey's flagship, Olympia, during the Spanish-American War, and was one of the youngest and most popular shipmasters on the Pacific Coast, being but 30 at the time of his death.

## PASSENGERS ARRIVED

Per M. N. S. Wilhelmina from San Francisco. For Honolulu—J. L. Flannery, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Ross, Mrs. W. S. Hall, Miss M. Chambers, Miss H. Fant, Mrs. C. H. Foster, Miss M. E. Averill, Mrs. L. M. Alexander, Mrs. L. W. Ostrander, Mr. and Mrs. J. McConnell, Lee Cochran, Mrs. J. B. Taylor, Mrs. M. E. Berry, Miss M. Berry, Miss Fanchon Davis, Mr. and Mrs. George Davis, Mrs. L. M. Cyprian, Mrs. C. J. Symonds, Miss Shaver, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Roman, Mrs. J. B. Davidson, A. Leibes, Mr. and Mrs. M. Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. B. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Knowlton, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Bias, Mike K. Tucker, A. Cook, O. H. Stepard, C. M. Symonds, Miss A. Nuss, Miss I. Nuss, Mrs. E. F. Gay, W. H. Jackson, Mrs. S. L. Gerald, W. J. Smith, A. Hedline, H. Perry, Miss Rüdte Brems, Miss Rollins, Mrs. Geo. Tyson, Miss Marie Tyson, Misses C. E. L. Schuler, Miss M. R. Conchete, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Huseman, Miss Ruth Huseman, Mrs. I. N. Blodgett, Mrs. A. F. Blodgett, R. R. Milken, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Potter, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Potter, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Neill, Mrs. C. H. Wilhoit, Miss Wilhoit, Miss G. Wheeler, Miss L. Wheeler, Miss G. W. Bibby, Mrs. M. E. West, Miss V. Sciaroni, Mrs. J. C. Stewart, Miss E. D. Allen, Mrs. J. S. Strawbridge, C. H. Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kennedy, Miss Jessie Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. E. Behr, Miss E. Ellis, Miss M. C. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Stearns, Mrs. S. J. Harris, J. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. A. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Mark A. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hall, Mrs. L. L. La Pierre, Mrs. T. Warriner, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Lufkin, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Pickle and child, W. F. McLaughlin, Miss Mary Colvy, Mr. and Mrs. T. Stewart, R. A. man, Paul Benedict, John Robertson, E. D. Melvins, Miss A. F. Thewlis, Dr. P. M. Woodworth and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Towler, Mrs. J. A. Black, Geo. Schular, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Redington, Mr. and Mrs. H. Eitel, A. ose, R. Gaumont, Mrs. J. C. Steele.

Per str. Mauna Kea from Hilo and way ports—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Nebley, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Dern, Miss M. McLaren, C. E. Wright and wife, D. Young and wife, W. A. Swinerton and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hudspeth, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Lyman, Mrs. J. Leale, C. L. Schorning, Yamashita, Geo. F. Bush, Mr. Rosenberg, W. F. Coston, Miss K. Kalate, Chung Tong, H. J. Allen, Mr. Cummings, J. J. Morehouse, B. Keeler, Bishop, Rosch, C. Hagen, Carl Wolton, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Pusey, G. W. Lockington, Carl F. Heintz, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Puey, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hummell, E. W. Hussey, Mr. and Mrs. Goldwater, Mrs. Mosher, P. S. Lea, R. D. Wall, Lom Bing, Mrs. L. Ping and child, Maide and wife, Mr. Kuba, K. Kabayashi, Mrs. Carlson, Hiram Kanai, F. Yano, Miss Batterman, Miss A. Sam, C. L. Schoening, Yamashita.

Per str. Kilauea, from Kona and Kau ports—W. G. Ogg, Mrs. Ogg, Jas. Morse, H. E. Elto, Dr. O'Neill, W. C. Cline, C. W. Buckett, Mrs. Akona, W. A. Greenwell, W. H. Drake, L. S. August, Mrs. W. A. Child, Robt. Paris, Miss Pratt, Mary Lincoln, Jas. Aho, P. Jones, Mrs. Medeiros, Mrs. H. E. Moen, H. Harada, W. P. McDougall, B. H. Austin, H. P. Rotto.

## SUGAR

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 20.—Beets: 88 analysis, 98. 41-2d. Parity, 3.96 cents. Previous quotation, 98. 41-4d.

Registrar M. H. Lemon, of the territorial board of health has filed the semi-annual report of that department, showing that during the first sixteen days of January there were eight deaths in the district of Honolulu from contagious diseases; also that seven of these were caused by tuberculosis, the other resulting from typhoid fever.

## TIDES—SUN AND MOON

Date	High Tide	Low Tide	High Tide	Low Tide	High Tide	Low Tide
Jan. 20	4.44	2.75	2.13	7.36	10.08	6.40
21	3.18	2.4	2.94	8.20	10.43	6.40
22	3.50	2.4	4.00	9.16	11.14	6.40
23	4.38	2.3	4.48	10.06	11.33	6.39
24	5.15	2.2	5.44	10.26	10.58	6.39
25	5.52	1.9	6.48	10.58	11.30	6.38
26	6.26	1.6	7.50	1.29	—	6.38

Full Moon, Jan. 22, at 5:09 a. m.

## VESSELS TO AND FROM THE ISLANDS

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 21.

SALINA CRUZ—Arrived, Jan. 19, S. S. Missourian from Hilo, Jan. 19, S. S. SALINA CRUZ—Sailed, Jan. 19, S. S. Alaskan for San Francisco. SAN FRANCISCO—Sailed, Jan. 20, S. S. Virginian for Seattle. PORT ALLEN—Sailed, Jan. 17, S. S. Hillman for San Francisco. HILLO—Arrived, Jan. 19, 8:30 p. m. S. S. Enterprise from San Francisco. YOKOHAMA—Arrived, Jan. 21, S. S. Shinyo Maru, hence Jan. 10. AEROGAMS S. S. NILE—Arrives from Yokohama at 4 p. m. today.

## SPRECKELS CASE

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which Attorney Withington, for the heirs under the will, objected, reads as follows:

"Ordered, adjudged and decreed that each of the plaintiffs is the owner in fee simple of and entitled as tenants in common to the immediate use and possession of an undivided one-fifth interest in and to all those certain pieces or parcels of land situated on Merchant street, Bishop street, Queen street and Alameda street, in the city and county of Honolulu."

Then follows a description of the lots involved, and the document concludes with these words: "That plaintiffs' title and ownership in fee simple of an undivided one-fifth interest each in and to said lands is quieted and confirmed accordingly."

The following comment on Judge Cooper's recent decision was made public in San Francisco papers by Attorney W. I. Brobeck, one of counsel in charge of the California litigation:

"Subsequent to the decision of the supreme court of this state declaring the trust clauses of the Spreckels will valid so far as they affect property in California, an attempt was made on the part of Rudolph and Claus A. Spreckels and Mrs. Emma Ferris to make transfer of properties in Hawaii valued at about \$500,000."

## STRONG BACKING

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street railroad expert from the mainland who will make a thorough investigation of the entire proposition and upon whose report a number of the plans of the company will be based. The auction of the waterpower on the Waikuku river which is desired by the company will be held on Thursday, bidding being done for the street railroad interests by one of the incorporators upon the return of the articles of incorporation from Honolulu.

If the Hilo Traction Company obtains the desired waterpower, it will mean that from now on the work of actual construction will be hurried in every manner possible. The proposed lease of water rights includes a requirement that within nine months the sum of \$15,000 shall have been expended upon the construction of a power plant and that thereafter the work shall be carried on continuously till the plant is completed. This should mean that the first section of the street railroad will be in operation in about a year, which will be more than eighteen months before the expiration of the time allowed under the franchise.

A rehearsal of The Tourist, the musical comedy to be presented during the carnival will be held this evening to which all principals as well as members of the chorus are urged to be present.

Director Douthitt, requests that all participants be at Kiloana Art League hall at seven-thirty.

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## HAWAII MAY FEEL THE AXE

One or more officials connected with the federal customs service in these islands may feel the keen edge of the axe that is predicted to be swung at the hands of the treasury department at Washington following the tentative plan for a more or less complete reorganization of the service.

Collector of Customs Stackable remained non-committal concerning the pending changes in the administration of customs affairs which, when it goes into effect, is predicted will affect 165 existing districts.

From what has been learned today, the abolition of all customs naval officers and surveyors of customs is contemplated. With this end in view, the administration of the port would therefore be confined solely to collectors and deputy collectors at the respective ports.

In the mooted reduction of 165 customs districts to a figure believed to be less than a half hundred, the Treasury department's plan provides for placing each district in charge of a collector and each port in charge of a deputy collector. No existing port will be abolished and many sub-ports will be made ports.

## HEAVY TRAVEL FOR ORIENT

The tide of tourist travel is turning orientward, according to the story brought down from the coast in the Wilhelmina this morning.

The Toyo Kisen Kaisha agency at San Francisco is said to have been swamped with applications for transportation from prospective passengers destined for various points throughout the Orient.

That a number of these people will be prevailed upon to remain over at Honolulu seems almost certain.

The Chiyu Maru, to arrive here on February 7, is declared as booked to the limit, with passengers who are to continue the tour of the world, or a round trip to the Far East.

The Manila carnival, to be held at the Philippine capital during the early part of February, is said to be responsible for the increased demand for passage in the Pacific Mail steamers China, that is due to arrive here on Thursday.

The Shinyo Maru is also in line for a large delegation of travelers if the advance booking at the coast can be considered as a criterion.

It is stated that a number failed to secure passage in the Pacific Mail steamer China, that is due to arrive here on Thursday.

## PALOLO WATER WORKS SOLD FOR \$80,000

With the placing of the deed on record, the sale of its water works by the Palolo Land and Improvement Co., Ltd., to the territory is consummated. The consideration is \$13,000. It is stipulated that the territory shall pay pipes over and through the land of the company in such manner as to cause the least possible disturbance to the surface of the ground. Following is a condensed description of the property conveyed by the company:

- 1—Reservoir lot containing 125 acres.
- 2—Pipe lines, containing 14,625 feet of various sizes of pipe.
- 3—One ten-foot windmill located on Center avenue, Palolo.
- 4—All rights-of-way for pipe lines now constructed, or that may be constructed, through the property of the company in Palolo valley.

A. F. Cooke, president, and W. L. Howard, treasurer, sign the deed on behalf of the company.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL

T. Sakamoto was granted a divorce from Toki Sakamoto this morning on statutory grounds.

Margaret Van Guisen was granted a divorce today from Henry Van Guisen on the grounds of extreme cruelty.

Hattie Chong was granted a divorce from Charles Chong this morning by Circuit Judge Whitney, on her showing of desertion.

The Knights of Pythias will publicly install officers tonight in the K. of P. hall. All Knights and Pythian Sisters and their friends are cordially invited to attend.

The final accounts of Alice P. McTigue, executrix of the estate of Thomas P. McTigue were approved by Circuit Judge Whitney this morning and the executrix discharged.

Henry Wagborne Burden, a cable operator residing now at Keesaukoku, Hawaii, and who is a native of London, England, today filed a petition for naturalization as a citizen of the United States.

The Maui Volcanic Works, Ltd., of Walluku has filed articles of association in the office of the territorial treasurer, showing a capitalization of \$5000 with \$15,000 maximum limit. There are about fifty stock holders among the Portuguese of Walluku. A. Enos is named as president, A. Garcia as vice-president and F. M. Correa as secretary and treasurer.

Articles of incorporation have been filed with the territorial treasurer by the Hawaiian Soda Works, which takes over the co-partnership business of John and William J. Hills and continues the manufacture of soda water in Honolulu. The capital stock, which is given a par value of maximum of \$50,000, Charles R. Frazier, holding fifty shares of the stock, which is given a par value of \$10, is named as president and treasurer; John Hills is vice-president, holding 915 shares; William J. Hills is secretary and auditor and holds 915 shares, while C. G. Helser and L. J. Warren hold one share each.

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Furniture and fixtures ..... 1,726.24	Deposits ..... 41,416.98
Cash on hand and in banks ..... 7,579.88	
Other assets ..... 6,430.70	
<b>\$71,554.70</b>	<b>\$71,546.70</b>

I, M. Komeya, manager of the Japanese Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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# INSPECTOR HALL VISITS HAWAII

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Inspector Hall is not a stranger to Hawaii, but he is a stranger to the "New Hawaii." Many of the old-timers remember him when he came down here in 1900 to organize the U. S. postoffice service after annexation. At that time he visited every plantation and camp in the islands, laying the foundation for the present postal system.

"But I haven't been down here since I took charge of the division three years ago, so I thought it was about time I should take a trip to Hawaii and look into postoffice matters here," said Inspector Hall this morning.

Although he has been here but a few hours, the inspector has already made some tentative plans for bettering the service, and these plans are of interest to every person in the islands. Recognizing the unavoidable manner in which mail piles up on the Honolulu office because of the steamship arrivals, and recognizing also that in the local office very often a mass of incoming mail has to be handled at the same time a mass of outgoing mail clamors for attention, Inspector Hall is now at work upon a plan based on the "routing" of mail by the San Francisco office. Under this plan, the mail reaching here would be made up for carriers and boxes in the San Francisco offices, as well as routed for various island ports. The details of the plan have not yet been decided upon, but Inspector Hall this morning expressed confidence that a much-improved scheme for handling the mail can be worked out and that some of the strain can be taken off the local office with a consequent increase in efficiency that will be felt throughout the territory. As Mr. Hall puts it, Honolulu is trying to handle the mails of 1912 with the facilities of 1900.

Hawaii's postal service has a firm friend in the inspector. A talk with him this morning shows that he is deeply interested in this part of his division and appreciates the difficulties encountered here and will bend every energy toward doing away with them.

Another thing that Inspector Hall will look into during his stay is the matter of a postal savings bank for the territory. More than a year ago the plan was approved and later the Hilo office was designated for the first bank. Since that time the postal officials here have forwarded much data to the mainland about various offices, but as yet no steps have been taken to establish the postal bank in the territory. It is understood there is some question as to whether, with Hawaii's large alien population, the bank should be established now.

## Like "Blue Sky Law."

Inspector Hall was interested this morning in the report that a "blue sky law" will be presented to the next legislature, with the view of preventing fake-stock swindles and the like. The postoffice department long ago declared war on the vendors of fake stocks and those who attempt to "put over" swindles through the mails, and this federal branch of government heartily supports and indorses moves by states or territories to pass legislation dealing with the vital subject.

"California is now considering a 'blue sky law' and I tell you if it passes it will be one of the greatest things for my division that ever happened," said Hall this morning.

Inspector Hall is one of the best men in Uncle Sam's service at breaking up just these swindles. For years he has roamed up and down the coast putting get-rich-quick people and schemes out of business. Shrewd, resourceful, "wise" to all the tricks of the fraternity of crooks, a regular Sherlock Holmes in running down criminals, the Coast Inspector has made his division one to be avoided by those who would use the mails in their efforts to defraud the public.

Not long ago orders went out from Washington for a simultaneous and country-wide raid upon fake medicine concerns, quack doctors who were a menace to the public and other similar gentry who were using the mails to promote their plans. Inspector Hall had been gathering evidence for months. The result was that in his division his postoffice inspectors nabbed twenty-two of the malefactors. Then there was a fight in the courts. Those who had been arrested counted upon getting off with comparatively light fines. But Hall and his men had line up their evidence so well that when they went into court and showed the dangerous character of these quacks, the judge, after conviction, gave one of the men a year in jail at hard labor and added a heavy fine for good measure.

"And," said Hall this morning, smiling his genial smile, "the rest of them are getting ready to plead guilty, now that they see what they are likely to get."

Inspector Hall has played a prominent part in many sensational exposures of swindling schemes unearthed by the postal officials. In fact, if he wished to be could spin off detective romances by the hour. However, what seems to appeal to him more than the romance of this detective work in the fact that all the time the postoffice department is serving the people by giving better and safer service. He is one of the men who have helped Postmaster-General Hitchcock put an end in the last three years, to fraudulent schemes that had robbed the American people of more than one hundred millions of dollars of money.

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE P. CASTLE announce the engagement of their daughter Margaret to Mr. Alfred M. Tozzer, assistant professor of anthropology, Harvard University.

# EASTERN STAR HOLDS BIG BANQUET

The reception banquet of the Lehigh Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star was held last evening in the Masonic temple, there being present the members of the three chapters of that order in Honolulu.

The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion with palms and ferns, the work being done under the direction of Sister Emma L. Crabbe. Following a short business meeting of the Lehigh Chapter, the guests adjourned to the dining room for the banquet, during which several talks were made by a number of the members. The principal address of the evening was that given by Mrs. M. Alice Miller, Most Worthy Grand Matron of the order, who is in Honolulu on a visit. Several toasts were given. M. P. Robinson responding for the Lehigh Chapter and Dr. M. S. Fairweather for the Harmony Chapter. Mrs. Miller and her party leave for Hilo and the Volcano tomorrow morning, where an inspection of the chapter in Hilo will be made. She will return to Honolulu February 8.

## FISHER REPORT DELAYED

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ditions thrown together in two weeks. The President would be absent in Panama, and he would hold them until after January 1. At the least Mr. Taft could read the entire matter the day after New Year's and transmit such portions as he desired to Congress for action.

"That bunch of transcripts is fully twenty four inches thick," said Secretary Fisher to the Star-Bulletin correspondent, early in January. "It is such an undertaking that I have not even begun looking it over and digesting it. I have no idea now when I will be able to perform this task. I hope to begin within a brief period but it will be some time before my recommendations can be completed."

The Secretary waved his hand in the direction of a big batch of paper, which apparently was the transcript.

It follows that the report and recommendations of Secretary Fisher may not be available in time for action at this session of Congress, there being less than eight weeks of time remaining.

Contractor Marshall put a large gang to work on the new street construction in the Punchbowl tract at Iolani and Magellan avenues this morning.

# GOVERNOR WILL TAKE UP HILO MATTER

Based on the report of Sanitary Inspector D. S. Bowman, which came to Dr. J. S. B. Pratt this morning and a copy of which has been placed in Governor Frear's hands, recommendations for a general overhauling of the Hilo county jail will be sent to the supervisors on the Big Island by the Chief Executive. The governor made the announcement to the effect this afternoon.

While his suggestions will contain no threat of territorial interference in a county matter the Governor's communication will urge the supervisors to take immediate action to remedy conditions in the bastille which Inspector Bowman reports are extremely bad, from a health and sanitation standpoint.

Though Bowman's report of his investigation was not made public this morning it is understood to emphasize the need of immediate improvement, though placing no blame on any particular official. While none of the illness in the jail now is thought, by Bowman, to be due to the inadequate accommodations, the latter might cause an outbreak of a virulent disease almost any time.

Among other things the report states that the prison is over-crowded. It is built to accommodate something like forty-three, but there are about seventy-two inmates compelled to exist within its confines.

"It is evidently a condition that has been permitted to grow unnoticed, probably largely because the supervisors have never had their attention called to it in very strong terms," said the governor. "But since the wave of public sentiment has developed, demanding improvement, it looks like it is up to them to make some kind of change."

"I have no present intention of doing more than call their attention to the matter. I believe that is all that will be necessary. Their good sense will dictate the rest."

# BLACK CAT POPS IN ON ACCOUNT OF WITCHCRAFT

Sons and Daughters of the American Revolution held a very pleasant and instructive joint meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cooke last evening. The notorious Salem witchcraft was the topic of the evening and a very interesting paper was read by Miss Lawrence on this subject. She presented to her hearers the atmosphere of the times and the most peculiar idea which the people of the eighteenth century held of the devil. Just to add spice to the topic of the evening a black cat ran through the hall as Miss Lawrence was reading the portion of her paper telling the forms that the devil took.

W. R. Castle followed Miss Lawrence with a talk on witchcraft of the period. He called attention to the prevailing idea that New England and Salem held the palm for all witchcraft follies. He then pointed out the error of this impression. Punishment by death for witchcraft was general throughout Europe in the seventeenth century. The last witch was put to death in Aberdeen, Scotland, in the latter part of the eighteenth century. Pope Innocent issued a bull against the practice of witchcraft and in every European country many people were put to death as either witches or wizards.

The last known case of capital punishment for witchcraft was in Peru as late as 1838. This seems unbelievable, but is nevertheless true.

The literary program was interspersed with musical numbers by Mrs. Howard, Mr. Love, Miss Kemp and Mrs. Westervelt.

## PERSONALITIES

MRS. L. L. LA FIERRE, has returned from an extended visit to the mainland.

MR. AND MRS. C. D. LUFKIN of Walluku, Maui, are back from a visit to the mainland.

MR. AND MRS. BARRY are registered at the Young and will make a short visit. They came from Hamilton, Ontario.

R. GAUMONT, a well-known moving-picture manufacturer, is a visitor to Honolulu as a passenger in the liner Wilhelmina.

MR. AND MRS. MARK DOBERTSON are back from a honeymoon spent on the mainland. They returned in the Wilhelmina this morning.

B. C. STEARNS, is an arrival from the coast this morning to take up his duties with the Star-Bulletin. Mr. Stearns was accompanied by Mrs. Stearns.

Mrs. F. T. Warriner, wife of the master of the United States lighthouse tender Kukui, was among the passengers to arrive this morning in the steamer Wilhelmina.

DR. AND MRS. J. W. ROSS of Chicago were members of a select party of travelers who arrived in the Wilhelmina this morning. They will make an extended stay in the islands. O. G. PICKLE, who takes over the management of the Federal Wireless Company plant in the islands, was a passenger in the steamer Wilhelmina this morning. Mrs. Pickle, accompanied her husband.

GEORGE DAVIS, general manager of the Alcazar theater of San Francisco, accompanied by Mrs. Davis and Miss Fanchon Davis are visitors to

# SUPREME COURT CHECKS LABOR OF PRISONERS

"People who are getting all stirred up over alleged labor of prisoners and who are calling for 'prison reform' might look up the well-known supreme court decision on the subject," said a territorial official this morning.

"I notice the morning paper says there is no reason why the territory should not have laws permitting jailers to work county prisoners on public works 'without securing the written consent of the lordly vagrants,' etc. Well, there is a supreme court decision on the subject, and as Governor Frear is quoted this morning on the subject, it might be interesting to see what he, the chief justice of the territory, said about prison labor in 1905. It will be found on page 186 of Volume 17, Hawaiian reports."

The decision referred to is "in the matter of the application of Wong Lung for a writ of habeas corpus." The case was decided November 22, 1905, the supreme court, consisting of Chief Justice Frear and Justices Hartwell and Wilder, holding as follows:

"Inasmuch as punishment—unlawfully imposed by jailer on misdemeanor—

"Compelling a prisoner to go through public streets and labor on the public parks in public view in jail uniform, though not striped, is infamous punishment, and cannot lawfully be imposed on one convicted of a misdemeanor, even on the pretense that it is for the health as distinguished from the punishment of the prisoner; but the fact that such misdemeanor is subjected to such punishment by the jailer, without authority of law, does not entitle him to a discharge on habeas corpus, at least when the unlawful punishment was inflicted only for a brief period and had ceased sometime prior to the application of the writ."

Owen Wister's "The Virginian" lost nothing by the method in which the World's Fair Stock Company presented it at the Bijou last night. In this production which burns from start to finish with the thrills of the west, Miss Virginia Brissac, as Molly Wood, the eastern school marm, James Dillon, as the Virginian, and J. W. Wray, as Tampus, gained new laurels by the manner in which they handled their parts.

Wray's acting of the role of Tampus, the western bad man, and the villain of the plot, was undoubtedly the finest piece of work which he has done since the company's arrival in Honolulu. Tampus is not the type of ordinary villain which one finds in the every day novel, but simply a born cattle thief whose one object is to "get" the Virginian. His grudge against the Virginian starts when he is made to acknowledge himself a liar before the other cowboys, and continues throughout the play until his "bluff" is called by the Virginian in the last act. There is perhaps no other member of the company who could have "done the justice to the role which Wray did."

A strain of comedy ran through the entire play, provoked by the presence of four cowboys, friends of the Virginian, and the mix-up of the babies in the first act brought down the house. Rodney Brandt, who took the part of Steve, the friend of the Virginian, who turned cattle thief, was among those whose acting was above par. In his scene with the Virginian after he has been caught by the vigilance committee, there was a perfect silence throughout the crowded house, and after he had been led away to pay the penalty which was inflicted upon cattle stealers in those times, and the Virginian read his note which said, "I couldn't say good-by to you without playing the baby," there were many in the audience who felt the same way about it as Steve did.

It was the last part of the final act which caused a nervous tension among those who saw the play. This act was perhaps the best played of the four and when the lights were lowered to signify the close of day, the time set by Tampus for the Virginian to leave the town, and when the former started, gun in hand, to "get" his enemy, the audience was on edge and it was not until the curtain had dropped with a bang that anyone started to leave.

That the play will meet with unbounded success this week is the opinion of those who saw it last night, and many who have seen the play on the mainland when Dustin Farnum made it famous declare that the production last evening was every bit as good.

The islands, as passengers in the Matson Navigation steamer Wilhelmina.

W. HUSSMAN, an arrival in the Matson Navigation liner Wilhelmina this morning, has been appointed general freight agent for the Hilo Railway. He is accompanied by Mrs. Hussman, and will take up his new duties at once.

MR. AND MRS. CHARLES B. HALL, were numbered among the large list of returning passengers in the steamer Wilhelmina this morning. Mr. Hall visited the coast on a business and pleasure trip, having been absent from the island for some weeks.

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Fixtures and furniture.....15,799.31	All other liabilities.....5,444.42
All other resources.....185,776.28	
Cash.....66,307.35	
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I, Yu Akai, Manager of The Yokohama Specie Bank, Ltd., Honolulu Branch, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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Such is the splendid spirit of cooperation, of ambition and aggressive civic effort fired by the plans of the special committee of businessmen who are proposing the "Greater Honolulu Chamber of Commerce."

The Star-Bulletin has seen the plan of organization but a short time and is not yet prepared to discuss the scheme in detail. With the general features of this plan this paper agrees most heartily. There is room here for every branch of civic, commercial, charitable, industrial and social effort. In this plan there is breadth of view; there is vision!

One feature, it seems, is perhaps rather too restrictive, and this is the provision for membership. Under the plan as set forth in the by-laws, an applicant for membership, after having passed the scrutiny of the membership committee, has still to run the gauntlet of the board of directors, and three negative votes in this board defeat his membership. He cannot then be pre-

posed for at least twelve months. It is quite possible that an applicant of very desirable qualities could be rejected by the votes of three men personally opposed to him. So long as the membership committee canvasses an applicant carefully before reporting, there is room for doubt as to whether three members of the board should have the arbitrary power thus given them.

The general plan is exceedingly broad in scope and popular in character. Membership fees are low and requisites for membership are easy. A chamber organized under this plan ought to be very large and representative.

The benefits to be derived from such an organization would be tremendous. Not the least could be that of doing away with the present multiplicity of societies, clubs and semi-public bodies of all kinds whose insistent demands for funds are a constant burden to the community and whose work is handled with comparatively little regard for any general and efficient scheme of getting the best results out of public welfare movements.

## OLD WORDS FOR NEW

That history repeats itself in freak ideas as well as in other things is illustrated in an article going the rounds of the press over the world, which originally appeared in the New York Herald and which describes "a scheme to make Siberia a summer resort, start for famines in Labrador, give Scotland an all-day summer with a temperature like Japan's, change the climate of the Atlantic coast to one like that of southern California, and melt all the ice on and around the North pole and open it to gardening."

C. L. Riker, "a distinguished engineer" of Brooklyn, is credited with the authorship of the scheme. According to the account he estimates that it would cost about \$200,000,000, and "all that is needed is to build a jetty about 200 miles long across the shoals extending eastward from Newfoundland, near Cape Race." The results of this work are described in part as follows:

This would stop the Labrador current, whose cold is capable of making 2,000,000 tons of ice every second, from running right into the Gulf stream, whose heat is equal to the burning of 2,000,000 tons of coal every minute. They meet now on the Grand bank, where the water is only about 250 feet deep.

If such a jetty were built the Labrador current, coming down from the Arctic, would be turned eastward and would be sunk so far when the Gulf stream met it that the latter warm, blue river of the ocean would pass over the great cold river from the North pole.

The warm Gulf stream would continue in almost undiminished volume to the northward, and the Labrador current would run a mile deep through the great depths of the Atlantic, making the torrid zone about the equator cooler, while the Gulf stream would require only three months to melt every inch of ice around the pole.

No more icebergs in the tracks of steamship lines, no more such fogs as now prevail about the meeting of the cold and warm currents, storms reduced to a minimum, and the whole of eastern North America a garden of paradise with no great cold or heat, are some of the results Mr. Riker foresees from building the jetty. Cape Hatteras, he believes, would disappear owing to the increased speed of the Gulf stream, which he estimates would flow closer to the Jersey coast and incidentally re-deposit along the coast about 6,000,000 acres of land.

The melting of the Arctic ice cap, he estimates, would shift the equatorial balance of the globe, and the then preponderating weight of the Antarctic ice cap would make what is now the North pole shift toward northern Europe, with the result of producing a nightless summer in the area of Scotland without a dayless winter.

An idea of similar kind was exploited many years ago, when it was proposed to dam the narrow Belle Isle strait between Newfoundland and Labrador. This, it was suggested, would stop the Arctic current from entering the gulf of St. Lawrence, with the result of adding two or three months to the summer of the lower provinces and the New England states, if not actually converting those regions into sub-tropical countries. The Gulf stream was going to do the rest, after the polar current was shut off, just the same as in Riker's scheme.

## GOVERNOR OSBORN ON THE DRINK EVIL

Governor Chase S. Osborn, the fighting executive of Michigan, declares that the Republican party is sick. He asserts that it must do things as it did in its "stout young manhood."

One of the things that the vigorous Michigander urges the Republican party to do is to take up the temperance question. Here is what this governor has to say about the drink evil:

"The greatest curse in our nation is commercialized alcohol. I am neither a total abstainer

or a Prohibitionist, but I cannot close my eyes to the facts obtained through every channel of social survey that ninety per cent of crime, degeneracy, disease and pauperism is caused by the sale and immoderate use of alcohol. It is the greatest peril, but so huge is its influence and so ramified its tentacles that not one great party or great leader has dared to grapple with it.

"If the Republican party is seeking a worthy task let it undertake this one and follow it courageously, tolerantly, rationally and persistently. It need not advocate prohibition, but it would have to destroy the saloons and replace them with sufficient municipal clubs or substitutes of that character where pure liquors and beers made in distilleries and breweries supervised by the government could be sold in temperate quantities at cost. Liquor always will be used in some homes, clubs and hotels, to which there may be no objection."

## ENTRIES TALK

Director-general Charles F. Chillingworth of the 1913 Floral Parade, makes an excellent suggestion for the participation of floats in the big procession. He says: "I would like to make a suggestion to the Kiloheana club and other organizations, and it is that they enter not one but half a dozen autos or floats and compete among their own membership for their own prizes. As far as autos are concerned, the parade management has cut out official prizes this year. There are a dozen local clubs and societies which could put up their own prizes, to be competed for by members. They could get together and put in half a dozen floats. Most of their members happen to be people who during the coming year will derive direct personal benefit from the parade."

There is sound logic and hard sense in this. As a matter of fact, there ought to be double the number of floats entered and five times the number of autos. If the organizations of the city are sincere in their protestations of support for the annual carnival, they can show it in a concrete way by putting entries in the parade. Entries talk, at this stage of the game.

L. S. Connors has certainly succeeded in lining up strong support for his Hilo street-railway plans. When Connors tackled the job of getting a franchise from the last legislature, there were smiles and laughter on the part of the knowing ones of the territory. When the legislature approved a franchise and he went to Washington, there were more smiles and laughter. When he came back from Washington with the approval of Congress, the laughter began to disappear, but the smiles of doubt and incredulity remained. Now that he is ready to incorporate, with the backing of a number of Hilo's best men, who are used to handling hard coin of the realm, there will be more smiles. Truly, the way of the promoter is hard. But in the phrase of the day, Hawaii has to "hand it to" Connors for carrying his proposition thus far. Good luck for the rest of the way!

Delegate Kuhio evidently reserves the right to change his mind about Frear's confirmation.

Wyoming is getting jealous of the Balkans.

## LITTLE INTERVIEWS

JAMES DUNCAN—Have you noticed that the mornings seem to get darker instead of lighter as the day is supposed to lengthen? Don't you forget it, the Democrats have something to do with that!

WILLIAM MANN—It was announced that the box office would be open at 9 o'clock this morning for the sale of seats for "Old Hawaii." At that hour forty people were on hand to obtain tickets, but they were kept waiting until 9:45 while tickets were dealt out five, ten and twenty at a time to one man, and when he was served the process was repeated in favor of a messenger service agent before the general public was given a look-in. All this time women among the rest were compelled to stand, the Promotion Committee rooms not being provided with seats for such a number. There is something wrong when the public has to put up with such treatment.

## CAPT. ALLMAN

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coast. He was formerly in command of the U. S. S. Albatross and later passed through Honolulu as chief officer in the Manchuria.

Captain Allman resents the published statement that he has promised the Federal authorities all possible aid in their efforts to get at the bottom of the recent smuggling aboard the China. Result of Disagreement.

Discussing the situation he said: "My resignation simply grows out of a disagreement with the officials of the Pacific Mail Company," he said. "I don't care to say anything more than that, except that I will never know-how to anybody for a job. I have never had to know-how to anybody for a job in all my life, and before I would do anything like that I would shovel mud in the streets."

When opium was smuggled aboard the ship I had to "fire" some subordinate to hold on to my job, and I don't care to do anything like that. I am going into a different business. I don't care to say what it is, but I may bring a ship out from New York."

"I have nothing against the Pacific Mail Company. The company has always treated me white, and I don't want them to think that now that I am no longer in their employ I'm going out of my way to talk about things pertaining to their business."

"I have not undertaken to give the Federal authorities any information at all. But I don't know anything more about this opium traffic than the Federal people themselves. I gave everything I knew to United States District Attorney McNab months ago, and I can't tell them anything more than they already know."

Smuggling Operations—"The idea of asking a captain of a ship to throw light on smuggling operations is absurd. Don't you know that the Federal people themselves have been mixed up in opium smuggling? You know all about that, don't you?"

"There's a million and one ways of getting opium aboard a ship, and a million and one ways of getting it ashore. They know all about that. In Hongkong, where we have several hundred Chinese loading and unloading cargo in seven different parts of the ship with a substitute crew aboard painting and sealing the ship and making repairs in all parts of the vessel, how do I know what happens when I am asleep?"

"The captain is made responsible for a 'carpet-bagger' Congressmen from the interior, and they may even attempt to fine me in this case. But how are they going to collect it? Do they think me a millionaire?"

The Government's examination into the alleged attempt upon the lives of Customs Agent John W. Smith and Customs Inspector E. E. Enlow while they were searching a water tank of the Pacific Mail liner China for opium has been concluded and although the Federal officers claim the investigation was a rigorous one, it failed to develop any clue as to just who turned the water into the tank.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS INSTALLATION—This evening, Mystic Lodge, K. of P., will publicly install at their Castle hall, corner Fort and Beretania streets, the following officers for the ensuing term: Chancellor commander, H. A. Giles; vice chancellor, F. Davis; prelate, E. W. Bull; master of work, Wm. Gill; keeper of records and seal, A. B. Angus; master of finance, C. J. Hummel; master of exchequer, J. F. C. Abel; master at arms, A. Anderson; inner guard, B. S. Nott; outer guard, Thos. Foley; trustee, J. M. McChesney. All brother Knights and Pythian Sisters and their friends are cordially invited to be present.

## PERSONALITIES

E. E. PAXTON, secretary of the Alexander & Baldwin Company's sugar interests in Hawaii, is at the Bellevue—San Francisco Examiner.

WALTER DILLINGHAM, of Honolulu has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Driscoll at their home in the Howard hills—San Francisco Call.

MR. AND MRS. A. G. HAUKE were arrivals from Salt Lake City. They will see the island sights and then continue their journey to the Far East.

MR. AND MRS. C. A. BROWN, with Mrs. Brown's mother, Mrs. S. J. Stone, are registered at the Young. They plan to spend the winter here. Their home is in Lowell, Mass.

LAND COMMISSIONER JOSHUA TUCKER intends going to Ito Wednesday to investigate the nature of the objections recently raised there with regard to the Waialea tract which has been released to the territory by the mill company and which is to be opened for settlement to help Hilo grow.

MRS. GEORGE NELLIS left today for Los Angeles having changed the date of her sailing for the Hawaiian islands to January 27 when she will be accompanied by Mrs. S. E. Abramson of Los Angeles, but formerly of Alameda. Mrs. Nellis will be in the south for two weeks returning in time to make her final preparations for the three months visit in the islands. Mr. Nellis left on Saturday for his annual tour of the eastern states—Alameda Call Times.

MRS. G. W. WARRINER is visiting friends in this city for a few days, preparatory to leaving for Honolulu to join her husband, who is stationed there in the U. S. lighthouse service. Mrs. Warriner was prevented from accompanying the Captain when he left for the island some months ago by the serious illness of her mother in Portland. Since the latter's recovery she has been visiting relatives and friends at Cascade Locks for a few weeks—Astoria, Ore., Budget.

MR. AND MRS. CHARLES BALDWIN, who arrived here from their home in Colorado Springs yesterday, will sail on the Siberia today for Honolulu and the Orient. Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin are contemplating a world tour before returning to their home in Colorado. This decision on their part will be regretted by a wide circle of friends here and in the bay cities who have been planning a variety of entertainments with which to welcome the former belle home, Mrs. Baldwin was formerly Miss Ella Hobart, a sister of Walter Hobart of San Francisco.

## MAUI LIBRARY HAS FINE YEAR

Annual Meeting of Association Held at Wailuku Last Monday

(Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence)

WAILUKU, Maui, Jan. 17.—The annual meeting of the Maui Library Association was held at the library rooms in Wailuku last Monday evening. Reports from the various officers and committees were read, which showed a total membership in the library for the first year of eighty-four, that the library had an accession by gift and purchase in one year of 1,152 volumes, 420 of which are fiction, 217 on religion, ethics and sociology, 185 on history, travel and biography and 177 juvenile. The receipts for the year, all of which came from membership dues and fines, amounted to \$231.70. The expenses, the larger portion of which were for new books, amounted to \$141.98, leaving a cash balance of \$89.72 with which to start the new year. The members present at the annual meeting expressed themselves as very much pleased with the results of the work of the library for the first year. The prospects for the coming year are even brighter than the members dared to hope for at the beginning of the venture of a library for Maui.

Trustees elected last Monday for three years are as follows: Judge S. B. Kingsbury, Capt. W. E. Bal, E. J. Walker, C. E. Copeland, and Rev. R. B. Dodge. Judge Kingsbury was elected president, D. H. Case, vice-president; R. B. Dodge, secretary; and D. C. Lindsay, treasurer. E. K. Bevins was elected in place of Dr. John Weddick, who died before his term of trusteeship expired.

The following committees for the year were elected by the trustees: Administration—D. C. Lindsay, D. H. Case, Wm. Seaby. Auditing—C. E. Copeland, E. J. Walker, Chas. E. Willcox. Book—R. B. Dodge, Mesdames Wm. Seaby, F. F. Baldwin, H. B. Penhallow, W. S. Nicholl.

A few amendments to the by-laws were made, the most important of

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PUNAHOU—6-room house and cottage ..... \$6000  
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which was an increase to 85 per cent of the receipts to be expended for books without authorization by the administration committee, the making of the president of the association ex-officio of all committees, and the addition to the rules of rule 9, which reads as follows: "Members of the library have the privilege of selecting for purchase one or more books each year, provided the cost of the same comes within the amount of their dues. The library, through the librarian, secretary and chairman of the library book committee shall purchase the books in the order named as their first, second and third choice of

members, who submit lists of books, unless the choice of books is otherwise indicated. This rule shall apply to lists of books sent in during 1912 and thereafter."

It was voted to authorize Mrs. Louise Chisholm Jones, the librarian, during the absence of Mrs. Gossin, to give under the auspices of the library association an operetta, "Little Red Riding Hood", and that all children taking part in the play should be given two years' free juvenile membership.

Franklin K. Lane of California has been elected chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

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# In the Woman's World

## OUTDOOR CIRCLE OPPOSES WATER-METERS; MAKES WORK IMPOSSIBLE

The Outdoor Circle of the Kilauea Club having been organized one year the members met at the home of the chairman, Mrs. Frederick J. Lowrey, yesterday afternoon. The work done by the circle the past year and the work to be done in 1913 was the subject of conversation.

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red hibiscus hedges have been put in. As there has been no lack of water at the reservoir the trees and shrubs that have been placed in the ground have thrived wonderfully.

Mrs. A. P. Taylor reported for the Japanese in upper Manoa and Mrs. A. J. Gignoux told of the work accomplished in the Manoa district. The Japanese have co-operated with the women of the circle and have done their part towards making their part of Manoa artistic and beautiful. They have readily accepted the color-schemes proposed by the white ladies and have not delayed in laying out their plants. There will be a much Jacaranda seen in Manoa.

Mrs. A. J. Gignoux told of the work done in Manoa. The ladies have been at work ever since the circle was started and have made a great deal of progress. The vacant lots are being cleaned up, the hedges are being made attractive and Manoa itself is to be made even more beautiful than it ever has been.

Mrs. Arthur F. Wall reported for Kakiki and spoke of the progress made in that district. Mrs. George Sherman reported for Kalaheua avenue. Mrs. Frederick J. Lowrey spoke for the oleander committee. This committee has planted a great many of the oleanders but they want two thousand more plants.

Miss Bertha Young, of the Waikiki committee, in her report said that comparatively little had been done there. And so it was with a good many of the committees. The lack of water has made it impossible to do much planting and the women are still waiting for the rains.

Mrs. J. M. Dowsett reported for Beretania street and said that the plan is to have Beretania street an avenue of royal palms. It was then suggested that King street be planted with another species of the palm.

Mrs. Isaac Cox of Kaimuki made a suggestion that the women of the Outdoor Circle preserve the natural beauty of the tropics and instead of planting trees that thrive in California plan those more suitable to the tropics. She advised that they plant more of the algeria, the palm, the Hawaiian holly and other trees that are characteristic of Hawaii. This suggestion was readily accepted and the members of the circle will from this time on plant more of the Hawaiian trees.

It was also suggested that the women of the Outdoor Circle do all in their power opposing the installation of water meters in Honolulu. Berkeley, which formerly was a very beautiful city, has been neglected since the water meters have been installed because the residents were unable to pay the high prices for water. While they cannot economize with the water used for household purposes they have economized with their lawns. Experiences were given at the meeting yesterday concerning the experiments with the meter here. In the instances where they have been installed the price of the water has been trebled. The women of the Out-

door Circle feel that their work towards making Honolulu a City Beautiful will be useless if the water rates are increased.

The ladies also declare that the trees shall hereafter be planted at the property line or within the yards so that they shall cast their shade over the sidewalks but will be out of the range of the vandals and horses and cattle.

## PRINCESS ACCOMPANIES KUHIO TO CONGRESS

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 15.—To join her husband, Prince "Cupid," Hawaiian delegate to congress, Princess Kalaniana'ole, descendant of island royalty, arrived here yesterday from Honolulu on the Pacific Mail liner Manchuria.

Prince "Cupid" met his wife at the pier, and, after a brief stay in this city, they will proceed to Washington, where the Hawaiian representative, during the coming session, will work for several measures of interest to his countrymen and the residents of the islands.

"I am always glad to come to San Francisco," said the Princess, "for it is, perhaps the most interesting city in the states. I have not been here for nearly a year and I am sure I will enjoy the time we will spend in San Francisco. The trip up from the islands was delightful."

Princess Kalaniana'ole was in company with Mrs. Mildred Gear, widow of the late Judge Gear of Honolulu. J. F. Colburn, representing the Kalaniana'ole estates, and his little grandson were also passengers on the liner. Colburn's mission was in the nature of an escort for the Princess and he will return to Honolulu on the liner China, leaving Friday.

The member of former Hawaiian royalty kept to her cabin most of the voyage, not mingling with the passengers until the liner approached the coast yesterday morning.

Mrs. Gear, who accompanied the Princess, was divorced two years ago from J. F. McKenize, a mining man, adopting the name of her deceased husband. A rumor that she contemplated another excursion on the seas of matrimony was denied by Mrs. Gear, who laughingly said: "No, it's never again."

## FINE HOTEL FOR WAHIAWA

An instance of community enterprise truly admirable is being exhibited by the Wahiawa Settlement Association in the erection of a hotel in that Salubrious village. As shown in the list of building permits in this paper the other day, the building is estimated to cost \$3650 and the plans have been prepared by Emory & Webb, architects. Its location is 300 feet from the railway station.

There are two buildings in the establishment as planned, the main building to be an auxiliary cottage the old assembly hall reconstructed. In the main building there will be six bedrooms, a parlor and a dining room, the last being utilizable also as a living room. The remodelled cottage will have four bedrooms. A veranda ten feet wide will extend along the four sides of the main building. The bedrooms are of good size, the four on the ground floor of the main building being 12 by 13 feet. There is a gable outlook on every side of the house, each commanding beautiful scenery. Each house is equipped with all needed conveniences, including linen closets. Guests will have pure water from the clouds, a large tank for rain water being provided. This is exclusively for drinking purposes, as for other uses the hotel will be connected with the piped mountain water system of the settlement.

This hotel scheme was taken up by the association as the best way to expend a snug balance in the settlement funds, as well as to utilize the hall that had been erected for community gatherings. Originally the structure was used for a schoolhouse, but ultimately the government provided a school building for itself. Besides erecting the hotel, the association is going to provide Uncle Sam with a postoffice building.

The association is managed by a board of three trustees, A. W. Eames being the president, Dr. Wm. F. James the treasurer and Henry Davis the secretary. There is a considerable area of land still available for country residences at Wahiawa, where several town people have elegant homes. Besides having a magnificent climate, Wahiawa boasts of a lake formed by the Wahiawa dam. At present this is filled to its utmost capacity, presenting a rowing course 10 to 15 miles long. Two or three years ago the late C. M. Cooke put up the money to have this pond stocked with bass, and last summer the fish having attained catchable size, the Wahiawa Water Company kindly made the fishery open to the public. It is intended to ask the legislature to make a close season for the bass, so that the privilege will not be abused and the fishery destroyed.

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The local correspondent of the New York Herald received a query from his paper last night by cable, asking if the report in circulation on the mainland of the recent death of Brother Dutton had foundation in fact. As Brother Dutton sent a number of letters to the city yesterday and in no one of them spoke of being at all ill, a prompt denial of the report was cabled back in answer.

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Honolulu Lodge, first degree.  
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FRIDAY:  
SATURDAY:  
All visiting members of the order are cordially invited to attend meetings of local lodges.

## HONOLULU LODGE, 416, E. P. O. B.

Honolulu Lodge No. 614, E. P. O. B. meets in their hall, on King St., near Fort, every Friday evening. Visiting Brothers are cordially invited to attend.  
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Meet on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month at K. P. Hall, 7:30 p. m. Members of other Associations are cordially invited to attend.

## W. L. MCINLEY LODGE NO. 4, E. P. B.

Meets every 2nd and 4th Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock in E. P. Hall, cor. Fort and Beretania. Visiting brothers cordially invited to attend.  
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will meet in Odd Fellows' building, Fort street, near King, every Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting brothers cordially invited to attend.  
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Haw. Com. & Sug. Co.	35 1/2	36
Hawaiian Sugar Co.		
Honolulu Sugar Co.	25	
Honokaa Sugar Co.	7	
Hoku Sugar Co.	13	14
Kahuku Sugar Co.		
Koloa Sugar Co.	4 1/2	4 3/4
McBryde Sugar Co.	23 1/2	24 1/2
Oahu Sugar Co.	32 1/2	33 1/2
Oahu Sugar Co. Ltd.	4 1/2	4 3/4
Panama Sugar Plant. Co.		
Pala Plantation Co.	125	
Pepee Sugar Co.	10	
Pioneer Mill Co.	50 1/2	
Waialae Agric. Co.	95 1/2	97 1/2
Wailuku Sugar Co.		
Waimanalo Sugar Co.		
Waimanalo Sugar Mill Co.	47 1/2	

MISCELLANEOUS		
Inter-Island Steam N. Co.	175	205
Hawaiian Electric Co.	225	
Hon. R. T. & L. Co. Pref.	150	
Hon. R. T. & L. Co. Com.	132 1/2	
Mutual Telephone Co.	135	25
Oahu R. & L. Co.	135	
Hilo R. R. Co. P.M.		
Hilo R. R. Co. Com.	7	
Hon. B. & M. Co.	23 1/2	24 1/2
Haw. Irrig. Co.	15	45 1/2
Hawaiian Pineapple Co.		
Taniguchi R. Co. pd. up.	19 1/2	20
Pahang Rub. Co.		
Hon. B. & M. Co. Ass.		
BONDS		
Haw. Ter. 4 1/2 (Fire Cl.)		
Haw. Ter. 4 1/2		
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Haw. Ter. 4 1/2		
Haw. Ter. 4 1/2		
Cal. Beet Sug. & Ref. Co.	100	
Hon. Gas. Co. Ltd. 5s		
Law. Com. & Sug. Co. 5 1/2	101	
Hilo R. R. Co. 1901	99	
Hilo R. R. Co. 6 1/2	94	94 1/2
Honokaa Sugar Co. 6 1/2		
Hon. R. T. & L. Co. 5 1/2	107	
Kahuku Ry. Co. 5s		
Kahuku Ry. Co. 6s	100	
McBryde Sugar Co. 6s	103	
Mutual Tel. Co.	103 1/2	
Oahu R. & L. Co. 5 1/2	103 1/2	
Oahu Sugar Co. 5 1/2		
Oahu Sugar Co. 6 1/2	91	
Pala Plantation Co. 6s	100	
Pioneer Mill Co. 6 1/2	101	
Waialae Agric. Co. 5 1/2	102 1/2	
Waialae Agric. Co. 6 1/2	94 1/2	95
Wailuku Sugar Co. 6 1/2		
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Pioneer 26 1/2, 12 Pioneer 26 1/2, 30 Pioneer  
26 1/2, 50 Haw. C. & S. Co. 33 1/2, 50  
Haw. C. & S. Co. 33 1/2, 25 Hon. B. &  
M. Co. 24, 25 Hon. B. & M. Co. 24, 10  
Hon. B. & M. Co. 24, 20 Haw. C. & S.  
Co. 33 1/2, 10 Haw. C. & S. Co. 33 1/2.  
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4 1/2, 12 Oahu Sug. Co. 23 1/2, 13 Oahu  
Sug. Co. 23 1/2, 100 Pahang Rub. Co.  
19 1/2, 50 Pahang Rub. Co. 19 1/2, 50 Pa-  
hang Rub. Co. 19 1/2, 20 Pioneer 26 1/2,  
5 Haw. C. & S. Co. 33 1/2, 25 Oahu Sug.  
Co. 23 1/2, 30 Haw. Pine. Co. 45, 50 Haw.  
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Notice.  
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Oahu Lodge No. 1, I. O. G. T., will  
assemble in the roof garden on Odd  
Fellows' building at 7:30 tonight.

Wanted—Two more passengers for  
around - the - Island at \$6.00. Lewis  
Stables and Garage. Tel. 2141.—ad-  
vertisement.

A large circus tent has been erected  
on the Japanese school grounds at Mo-  
hill for the purpose of holding the an-  
nual festival.

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There will be a special meeting of  
Honolulu Lodge No. 409 F. & A. M.,  
in Masonic Temple at 7:30 this even-  
ing for work in the first degree.

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chickens lay more eggs, also makes  
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Report comes from the east that  
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titled to a chance free on a whole  
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The Junior Christian Endeavor So-  
ciety of Kaunakapili Church, in order  
to start a fund, is planning to give a  
concert in the old Kaunakapili  
Church Thursday at 7:30 o'clock p. m.  
Admission will be 25 cents.

The principals and chorus of "The  
Tourist," the operetta to be given at  
the opera house during Carnival week,  
will gather for another rehearsal at  
the Kilauea Club rooms tonight un-  
der the direction of Master Dentist.

Tourists now here will find it to  
their advantage to return on their  
mainland voyage via the Western Pa-  
cific from San Francisco. Bookings  
may be made with the local agents,  
Fred L. Waldron, Ltd., Fort street op-  
posite the Bank of Honolulu.

An "At Home" will be given at the  
Susannah Wesley Home, 1444 S. King  
street, Saturday, January 25, 1913, from  
2:30 p. m. to 5 p. m. All those having  
invitations for the "At Home" dated  
November 2nd or interested in this  
work, will be "welcome.—advertisement.

Although the law does not permit  
the governor to make any change in  
the school budget submitted to him by  
the school commission and budget  
committee, he has intimated that he  
will probably append some suggestions  
for revision to the budget when he pre-  
sents it to the coming legislature. Just  
what these suggestions may include  
he has not yet determined. He says,  
however, that he has found several  
places in which the budget has "rough  
edges" which conflict with other laws.  
His advice for revision are to be  
based on these.

## STOCK MARKET MUCH IMPROVED

Increased activity is shown on to-  
day's stock exchange list. Prices also  
evidence greater firmness. Two sugar  
stocks have advanced, also one other,  
and the only decline is that of an  
eight point in Pahang Rubber.

Pioneer sold up an eighth point to  
26.50 for 132 shares in recess and 20  
on the board. Hawaiian Commercial  
registers a gain of one-half point for  
200 shares reported at 33.25 and one-  
eighth additional for 10 shares on the  
board. Oahu is unchanged at 23.75 for  
50 shares on the board. McBryde  
holds 4.50 for 5 shares at the session.  
None of the sugar stock sold in blocks  
exceeding 50 shares.

Pahang Rubber brought 19.87 1-2  
for 100, 50 and 50 shares on the  
board. Brewery advanced a quarter  
point to 24 for two blocks of 25 shares  
each reported. Pineapple is un-  
changed at 45 for 30 and 50 shares  
at the session. A sale of \$1000 Cali-  
fornia Refinery sixes at par as before  
took place on the board.

## NEW MAHUKA BILL PRESENTED TO SOLONS

R. W. Shingle has received word  
from the national capital to the effect  
that the new Mahuka site bill, carry-  
ing \$1,500,000 and providing for the en-  
tire expense of acquiring the land and  
constructing the edifice according to  
the plans and specifications of the su-  
pervising architect, has been reported  
favorably by the treasury department,  
and that it now stands an excellent  
chance of passing both branches of  
Congress and receiving the president's  
approval.

It is to be included in the Omnibus  
Public Building Bill, now in prepa-  
ration by the house committee on public  
buildings and grounds. The bill has  
been introduced in the house under the  
delegate's name, and in the senate by  
Senator Clark, of Wyoming. Among  
other things it provides that the sum  
of \$200,000 shall be made available im-  
mediately. The original Mahuka site  
bill called for an appropriation of only  
\$1,000,000.

BORN.

MACELWEE—In Honolulu, January  
20, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter  
Macelwee, a son.

## MERE BABES ARE HALED INTO COURT

Charged with using "vile and ob-  
scene language," two young children,  
a boy of two years and a girl of four  
years, were brought before the juve-  
nile court yesterday morning and up-  
on the recommendation of Judge  
Whitney were dismissed. "This court  
is intended for the correction of chil-  
dren," said the judge, "but I do not  
think it was intended that we search  
in the cradle for our delinquents."

From the facts surrounding the  
case of the two youngest prisoners  
ever arrested here, it appears that the  
parents of the girl, Mr. and Mrs. Wil-  
liam K. Luther, and the mother of the  
boy, Mrs. Tavash, who reside on Asy-  
lun road near School street, are not  
on good terms, and in answer to a  
summons, Probation Officer John C.  
Anderson made a visit to that neigh-  
borhood yesterday afternoon. Upon  
his arrival he was met by Mrs. Luther,  
who is a Hawaiian woman, who told  
him of the vile language alleged to  
have been used by the Tavash child.  
From the way she told it, it  
seemed almost impossible to believe,  
and then the matter grew warmer  
from a statement made by Mrs. Tavash,  
in which she told of the alleged use  
of vile language on the part of the  
little Luther girl.

After hearing both sides of the mat-  
ter, Officer Anderson came to the con-  
clusion that the case was worthy of  
an examination before Judge Whitney  
and therefore ordered the mothers to  
appear on the following morning be-  
fore the juvenile court. During the  
course of the proceedings yesterday  
morning it was learned that the two  
youthful "offenders" could scarcely  
make their wants known, and as a re-  
sult Judge Whitney refused to recog-  
nize the charges and dismissed the  
case, after instructing the mothers to  
cease their quarreling and pay more  
attention to teaching the youngsters  
their prayers.

## BUSINESS ITEMS

Attorney Callon has filed a brief in  
favor of the retention of the duty on  
sugar before the house committee on  
ways and means.

The Hawaiian Soda Works, Ltd., has  
been incorporated with a capital stock  
of \$25,000 in 2500 shares of \$10 each,  
of which 1822 are subscribed. Wil-  
liam J. Hills, John Hills, Charles R.  
Frazier, C. S. Heiser and L. J. War-  
ren are the incorporators.

Closing quotations for Hawaiian  
stocks in San Francisco yesterday  
were as follows: Hawaiian Com-  
mercial, 32.50 bid, 33 asked; Hawaiian  
Sugar, 34.50 bid; Honokaa 7.12 1/2 bid;  
Hutchinson, 18.25 bid; Kilauea, 12 bid;  
Onomea, 31.50 bid, 32 asked; Pauhanu,  
16.25 bid; Union, 30 asked, Honolulu,  
30 bid.

A rumor that the supreme court was  
going to give a favorable decision to  
the railroads in the Minnesota rate  
case sent stocks flying up in the New  
York exchange yesterday. Then a  
statement that the decision would not  
be given that day caused prices to  
tumble again. There was some recovery  
before the close.

Lakeview well No. 2, which is being  
put down as a test for deeper territory,  
has reached a depth of 2,375 feet. It  
is the deepest well in the territory  
and will determine what lies below  
the strata of the famous gusher. The  
bit now is in blue shale and indica-  
tions are said to be excellent for strik-  
ing a lower strata.—S. F. Examiner,  
Jan. 10.

Indications are that the famous  
Lakeview gusher, which in its day  
produced more than 10,000,000 barrels of  
oil, will again be brought back to the  
production list. A perforating job has  
been in progress the last several days,  
and when this is finished, the manage-  
ment believes that the old well will do  
at least 200 barrels a day.—S. F. Ex-  
aminer, Jan. 10.

According to the Garden Island, the  
recent visit of Land Commissioner  
Tucker to Kauai was in connection  
with a proposal to lease to the Cali-  
fornia Canning Co., represented by Is-  
idor Jacobs, several hundred acres for  
the growing of pineapples and a site  
for a cannery at Kapaa. Besides this  
acres of the best pineapple land in the  
territory will be thrown open to set-  
tlers to be divided into 20 acre tracts,  
with the privilege of taking two lots  
adjoining which will practically allow  
each owner 40 acres of land. As a  
guarantee of fair dealing to the set-  
tlers the lease to the company will be  
subject to certain conditions. It is  
stated that the cannery will cost about  
one hundred thousand dollars, and the  
improvements run up to nearly half a  
million dollars.

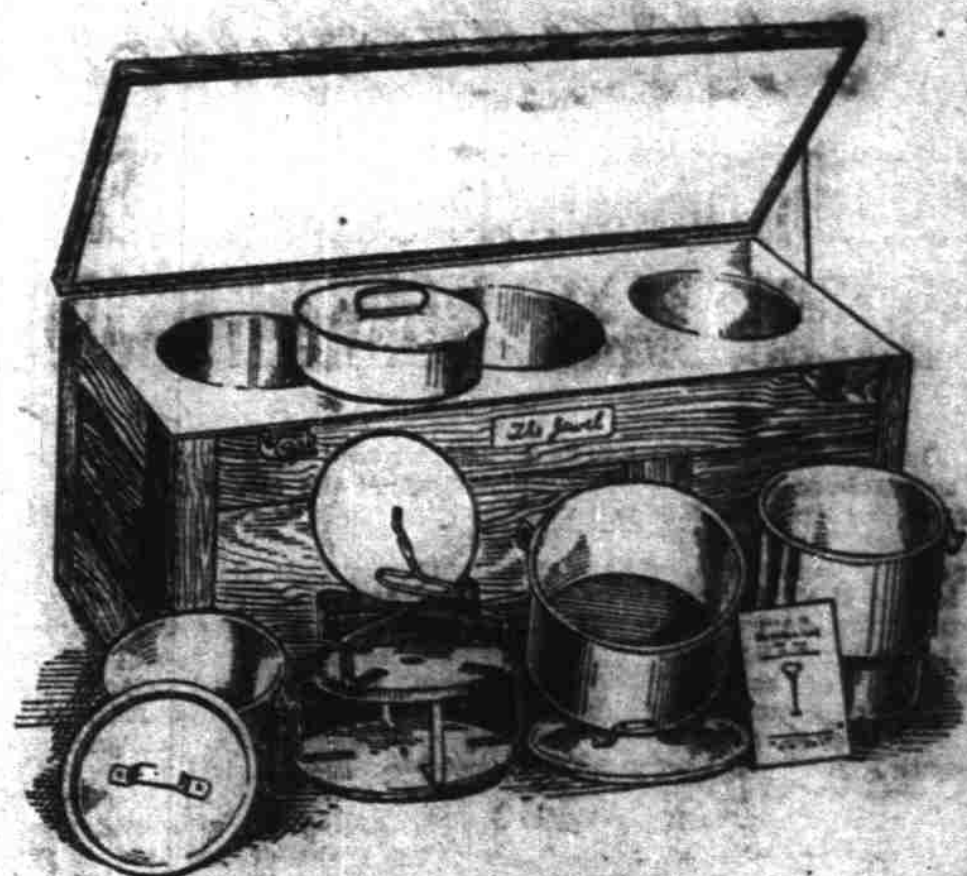
## TWO MEETINGS ON CITY IMPROVEMENT

Members of the outdoor circle of the  
Kilauea Club have a busy evening  
before the board of supervisors to ex-  
plain their plans for beautifying Ho-  
nolulu, while the same matter is a spe-  
cial order of business at the regular  
meeting of Oahu Central Improvement  
Committee, tonight. At the latter they  
are to have a spokesman to open the  
subject, in the person of Theodore  
Richards, after whose remarks a gen-  
eral discussion will be in order. There  
are other matters of great interest to  
come before the meeting, and a large  
attendance of delegates is expected. C.  
W. Ashford has an amendment of the  
automobile ordinance in hand, and A.  
Lewis, Jr., is chairman of a special  
committee to confer with certain im-  
provement clubs on organization.

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must be so.

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## FORESEE GREAT SUCCESS OF MEN AND RELIGION MOVEMENT HERE

Now that the arrangements are complete, everything indicates that the Men and Religion Forward Movement campaign, which is to begin in Honolulu next Thursday with the arrival of Fred B. Smith and Raymond Robins, accompanied by the International Quartet, will be a great success.

The reply cards to the opening banquet at which the business and professional men of the city will have an opportunity to meet the leaders of the campaign, are coming in at a rapid rate, and already over seventy acceptances to attend the dinner have been received by the secretary of the local campaign. The reply cards to the invitations to the afternoon institutes are also very satisfactory and show that both Smith and Robins will have a large attendance of men at these afternoon sessions. The afternoon meetings, like the night meetings, will be open to all the men of the city and those who have not received invitations to attend one or the other of the meetings are requested to attend the one which attracts them most. These institutes will be held at half-past four o'clock on Friday, Monday and Tuesday afternoon.

Fred B. Smith is a man who makes good wherever he goes. A local business man who has known him for a number of years told the following incident this morning:

"It was just after the close of the Spanish-American war, and Fred Smith had returned from his great evangelistic meetings among the 55,000 soldiers at Chickamauga, and so was especially interested in anything military. I was standing in the lobby of the Springfield association, in the uniform of a corporal, when a big man with black hair walked up to me, and in a very cordial manner said: 'How do you do, corporal,' and then began a conversation. I little thought at the time that I was talking to the great evangelistic leader, Fred B. Smith, for a preacher is the last thing one would take him to be. To tell the truth, I thought he was a gambler who was standing around the building. Two days later I heard my unknown friend speak at an evangelistic meeting which marks one of the turning points in my life."

This story illustrates the ready approach of Mr. Smith to men and the way in which he has influenced them almost wherever the English language is spoken. He is popular in New York; he has drawn immense crowds throughout the west; they crown him in South Africa; his name is a name to conjure with in Australia and New Zealand, and now this world tour will add the Hawaiian Islands, Japan and China to the wide variety of places in which he is known and admired. Many men have

studied Fred B. Smith to find the secret of his wonderful success and copy his methods, and you will find men all over North America today who are imitating his ways. He gets a remarkable grip on men from capitalists and leading business men down to the plain working man. The man of Washington, D. C., claim him as their own, and have carried his salary for a number of years, although Smith is not a Washington man.

Smith comes from Iowa. After leaving college he went into Y. M. C. A. work as secretary at Dubuque, Iowa, where his religious work was especially successful. He was anxious to give all his time to distinctive religious work rather than the exacting and administrative duties of an association secretary, and for a number of years after leaving Dubuque, he devoted his time to religious work for men. It was at this time that the war with Spain broke out and the International Committee of the Y. M. C. A. at once put Smith into the field to organize religious work among the men of the American army. Here his powers not only as a speaker but as a leader of men were demonstrated and at the close of the war he was asked to be a member of the International Committee to have charge of the promotion of the religious work.

Fred B. Smith's great achievement was the formation of the Men and Religion Forward movement. This movement attracted world-wide attention and the two leaders of the campaign, Smith and Robins, were called upon to make a tour of the world. Their salaries while on the tour are provided by men of means in the States so that all that each committee in the cities which they will visit has to do is to take care of its due share of the traveling and local expenses.

The financial arrangements for the Honolulu campaign are in the hands of John Waterhouse, chairman of the finance committee, and John Guild, treasurer of the same body. The first meeting of the campaign will be held next Thursday noon at the University club, where the visitors will meet with the local committees to discuss the arrangements which have already been made for the local campaign.

### HAWAII SOLON DEAD

J. W. Moenau, representative of Kohala, Hawaii, at the last session of the legislature died at Waikiki, about ten o'clock this morning. Mr. Moenau came to Honolulu from his Hawaii home last Saturday. He has been ailing for some weeks and his death was not unexpected. Mr. Moenau's name does not appear on the list of successful candidates at the last election, although he was a candidate to succeed himself.

## KAHI TROUBADOURS IN A BIG SHOW



MISS NEALA KAHU

In years gone by when royalty in the islands wore cloaks and capes of feathers, bird-catching was a profession and the forests on Hawaii back of the coast line were traveled over by men who carried bamboo traps which they placed in the trees, the haunts of the o-o. Special feed lured the birds into the basket from which they were removed and skillful hands plucked a yellow feather from under each wing. They were golden yellow and from another species they got the black tuft, the combination forming the royal Hawaiian colors. It took years of patient work to provide the base of the cloak or the cape. Kings and Queens were the only persons in the kingdom who could afford the luxury. Members of the court were satisfied to wear short capes on state occasions. Some wore only a lei around their necks or in the case of a woman member it would be wound around her hair.

With the passing of the monarchy twenty years ago went the custom of wearing the yellow feather leis; those in the possession of Hawaiians are heirlooms of priceless value worn on gala occasions; cheap jute colored the

shade of the o-o has succeeded to the real feather and at a distance the effect is the same.

When the Kahi troubadours appear at the Opera House on Thursday night there will be some of the old feather leis worn by the quartet composed of Tom Carter, Ernest Kahi, Bob Kahi and Kamakani. The singing by this quartet is to be one of the great features of the entertainment for the Hawaiians. Each voice is of peculiar sweetness and the harmony is entrancing. Another feature, of course, will be the hula dances. Mr. Kahi is of the opinion that Hawaiian singers are frequently heard on the coast but the real thing in hulas is rarely seen away from the islands for that reason he has gathered around him this concert the most expert dancers known in the territory.

Coupled with these attractions will be a stage setting so really Hawaiian as to astound strangers; such stage craft is not expected so far from the mainland but Mr. Kahi has given great study to the matter and the result shows it. The concert Thursday night will be an event. Seats are on sale at the Hawaiian Promotion Committee rooms in the Young building.

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## VISITORS ASKED TO TAKE PART IN PARADE

A special invitation to visitors in Honolulu to take part in Hawaii's celebration of Washington's birthday week, is being extended by Director General Charles F. Chillingworth. Last year it was found that there were a number of patriotic Americans here, from various mainland communities, who had brought autos with them, and wanted to take part in the parade, either from patriotic motives, or for the pleasure of the day.

Director Chillingworth is extending the following invitation to visitors here who are likely to be interested enough to get in the line of the parade with which all Hawaii will show respect to the memory of Washington.

"I beg to extend to you Honolulu's cordial invitation to take part in the celebration of our great National Holiday, the birthday of George Washington. The plans made call for almost a week of celebration, beginning February 18, and ending with a grand patriotic demonstration on February 22, when there will be a military parade in which probably about 5000 soldiers will take part and there will be a floral parade arranged by residents of the Territory. It will consist of decorated automobiles, horse-driven floats, etc.

"Your participation in the patriotic celebration, especially by an entry in the parade, will be much appreciated by the people of Hawaii, our country's only remaining Territory, which also celebrates the birthday of Washington as its principal annual holiday. Any information you may wish to receive, regarding entries in the parade, plans of decoration, etc., will gladly be furnished you by a representative of the committee in charge, if you write or call upon the undersigned, or the Secretary at 1062 Bishop St., the Young Hotel. Letters of inquiry will be promptly answered.

Sincerely yours,  
"CHAS. F. CHILLINGWORTH  
"Director General."

## OCCIDENTAL FASHIONS PART ORIENTAL PAIR

American styles in the way of hobble skirts, picture hats and suede pumps which were being continually adopted by his wife, Mary Ho Leong, proved to be the undoing of Leong Fat, who was yesterday granted a divorce in the circuit court, on the grounds of desertion.

In April, 1910, Leong Fat and Mary Leong came to an agreement whereby they decided to live together as man and wife. It was just to be an experiment, of course, and it was further decided that if it was found that the two were not ideally mated, they would separate, and that would be the end of it. Extreme peace occupied the first few months of their "married" life, and then the "wife" slowly but surely began to fall into the ways of her Occidental friends. Hobble skirts, Parisian hats, and other expensive articles of dress played the leading roles in this part of the drama, and Leong Fat soon found that such extravagance on the part of the woman whom he had married according to his own custom, was making great rents in his bank roll, besides shocking him.

This went on for some time and then an attempt on the part of Leong to remonstrate with his "wife" led to a quarrel, and the haughty spouse left home, and has not returned since. Then Leong learned that under the law he had become the husband of the woman by cohabitation, and this necessitated his getting a divorce on the grounds of desertion. A decree in favor of the husband was issued in the circuit court yesterday by Judge Whitney, which will become effective on the first of next month.

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## NEW OFFICERS OF 'CHARITIES' ELECTED

The annual meeting of the Associated Charities was held at four o'clock yesterday afternoon in the board rooms of the sugar planters' association, at which time the reports for the past year of the treasurer, secretary and manager were read and officers elected for the ensuing year.

In the absence of Sanford B. Dole, president of the association, W. D. Westervelt presided at the meeting and officers were elected as follows: Sanford B. Dole, president; John R. Gall, second vice-president; Mrs. J. M. Whitney, secretary; and P. H. Devorill, treasurer. Following the reading of the reports of the secretary and treasurer, Mrs. A. C. Jordan, manager of the association, made her report for the past year.

Beginning with a quotation from the Survey, Mrs. Jordan points out that the ravages of liquor in Honolulu are, as elsewhere, the chief cause of poverty. Continuing, she declares that during the last year the number of wife desertions by drinking, gambling young men has shown an increase, and urges legislation to cover such cases. She also suggests legislation providing for payment of prisoners in the county institutions for labor done by them, this money to be paid over for the care of their family.

All in all, she says, the year was an easier one than the year before. Work, she adds, was plentiful, and only the sick needed to be idle.

There is plenty of room in the Fred Baldwin Home, says the report, and the patroness of the institution, Mrs. H. P. Baldwin, is anxious to see it filled—if there are people outside who should be there.

Mrs. Jordan urges the need of an almshouse or county farm, where the worthy poor can be looked after. The manager of the Associated Charities thanks again the pupils of four schools for the donations which make possible a full Thanksgiving dinner for many poor families. She also urges the need of caring for the teeth of children, and suggests a dental inspection of all pupils in the public schools.

Summing up, she says there were 121 new applications for aid during the year, 49 recurrent cases, 1936 calls at the office and the manager made 288 visits. Including the balance on hand from 1911, the receipts totaled \$3610, and the expenditures were \$3436.50, leaving a balance this year of \$173.50.

## MOTHER APPEALS FOR AID IN HUNT FOR HER DAUGHTER

Letters are continually being received in Honolulu asking for aid in the location of lost friends or relatives, and the latest communication to this effect comes from Mrs. Emily Alves, of 2716 Bush street, San Francisco, inquiring as to the whereabouts of her fifteen year old daughter, Rosa Alves, who disappeared on December 12.

The letter was received by Sheriff Jarrett yesterday, and he will commence a search for the missing girl immediately to find out if she is living in Honolulu or in the Islands. The letter from the mother is intended for the public in general and is as follows: "From mother to Rose: Wherever you are or whatever has happened to you, don't let me hold you from coming home to me or writing. Let me know if you are still alive and well. Do not keep me in suspense and longer for my health is about to give out and my poor heart also.

"Any one connected with the case or any one that has seen her or knows of her whereabouts, please just drop me a line or let the girl herself write me. Please stop and think that you have a mother and you would not like to have any one break her heart in this manner, would you? Just stop and think it over, and remember that there is a stronger person above us who knows it all, and you will have to give your accounts when he calls you, and there is no hiding from him. So do not do anything wrong and longer, or keep my child from coming home to me, who so much misses her companionship.

"Please come home right away.  
"From your poor heartbroken mother,  
"MRS. EMILY ALVES."

## HAWAIIAN SCENES FOR THE TOURIST

All the most interesting scenes and events of the other islands have been brought here to Honolulu for the tourist for next Thursday evening and may be seen at the Popular theatre on Hotel Street, opposite the Y. M. C. A. The volcano in full action and color; the wonderful surf-riding scenes of Waikiki; the beautiful floral parade of 1912, scenes and incidents on a sugar plantation; the great sheep industry of Humuila, and a great lot of choice old time scenes; these being only a few of the great lot to be shown next Thursday evening at the Popular.

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## POPULAR MAKES INSTANT HIT

Cosy Theater Added to List of Vaudeville Houses with Strong Attraction

Honolulu's newest vaudeville theater, the Popular, on Hotel street, opposite the Y. M. C. A., started its vaudeville career last night under very favorable auspices. The program consisted of two vaudeville acts and five reels of late release photographs.

The vaudeville program consisted of a turn by the Gladstone Sisters. These youngsters made new friends

by their clever acting last night. Their Spanish dance was the very essence of grace and exceeded anything seen on a local stage. Their voices, though not very clear, blended harmoniously in their song. They excelled in their acrobatic stunts and went through many difficult feats with grace and ease which showed the result of patient and continuous application to their art.

Miss Edna Randall in songs and monologues concluded the vaudeville program. Miss Randall has a very clear voice and withal is a very pleasing performer. Her staccato mannerisms show her up as a finished performer. Her monologues were all new and kept the audience laughing and in good humor. The five reels of pictures were very interesting, ranging from grave to gay. The performance as a whole is well worth seeing.

The boom in freights which has made itself felt for several months in English markets has extended to the China coast and all available tonnage finds ample employment. On the Yangtze, says "Shipping and Engineering," the river steamers are arriving and leaving with every ton of space occupied, while on the southern trade cargo to Hongkong and Swatow is offering in greater quantities than the available tonnage can cope with. The rush of cargo has necessitated the Hongkong steamers of the Indo-China Company abandoning their regular sailings and leaving as soon as loaded.

An explosion on the yacht *Huntress*, owned by F. W. Cheesbrough of New York, killed the cook, a steward and a seaman. Cheesbrough and his wife barely escaped in a small boat before the yacht sank.

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