SUZERAIN RULER OF THE MOROS IN MINDANAO IS KILLED IN A BATTLE WITH THE AMERICAN TROOI -TEN FORTS ARE CAPTURE


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 each set forth at a specified rate.
though he had found that $\$ 100$ went to one P. Jones, in the office of
the Assistant Superintendent of Public Works, and that such diversions of funds were a common thing and ought to be stopped.
Kumalae spoke next. Chillingworth proposed $\$ 6,000$ and Kumala poke again. The item was carried at $\$ 2,64$
The name of Pierre Jones again came up with the item of garbage
crematory Juifuing expenses, and Vida said he was working in the Icrematory Jubling expenses, and Vida said he was working in the
Public Works office and on the pay roll of the sewer pumping station, getting pay out of a fund not meant for him. Harris stated that he books. Chillingworth said that Auditor Fisher could be relied on to see that funds were not applied to any purposes for which they were not intended, and Vida suggested that he begin with Jones. Kumalae talk ed at length.
Harris said that the garbage machinery of great value was rusting - Vida said he supported the item but wanted to be sure the mone was spent as ordered. He remarked that $\$ 1,200$ for repairs to govern-
ment buildings had been used to put lockers in the drill shed, a federal building. Aylett and Kumalae and Kaniho did some more talking Kumalae lasting the longest and talking the others down.

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## COMES UP IN THE SENATE ON THE SIX MONTHS' SAL ARY BILL-MOTION TO MAKE THE PRESIDENT'S SALARY ONE DOLLAR A YEAR-FINAL REFERENCE

 SALARY. ONE DOLLAR A YEAR-FINAL REFERENCEIO A COMMITTEE.
There was quite a determined fight made in the Senate this morning There was quite a determined fight made in the Senate this morning
on the appropriations for the Board of Health, when the six months salary measure came up.
Senator Dickey started out by moving to strike out entirely the sal ary of $\$ 1,500$ of the president of the Board of Health. Senator Bald-
win thought that the item could be cut to $\$ 1,000$ for the period as it was, but just to give the president some compensation. The officer Senator Brown said that the legislature had to give the official some thing. Senator Dickey suggested giving him a dollar a year. When
the vote was taken it resulted in the item being passed at $\$ 1,500$. The executive officer of the Board of Health then came in for atten-
Then tion. Senator McCandless wanted his salary of $\$ 1,500$ stricken out.
Sonator Achi thought that a reduction to $\$ 1,200$ would be about the Sonator Achi thought that a reduction to $\$ 1,200$ would be about the
proper tining.
Senator Baldwin accused McCandless of being in a frame of mind to Senator Baldwin accused McCandless of being in a frame of mind to
favor general cuts and to oppose items. Baldwin called attention to
the fact that there was an increase of \$90,ooo proposed in the bill: In
reply Senator MeCandless stated that the total increase as proposed was considerably in excess of this sum, being $\$ 237,000$ over that of two
years ago. According to the provision of the bill $\$ 867,000$ was to go
to the Board of Health. to the Board of Health. down salaries. The employees should be paid something suitable.
Isenberg enumerated new various offices that the new law had
caused an increase in caused an increase in appropriations for salaries.
Paris was opposed to the cut and considered it ad precedent to
interfere so with the management of the Board of Health, as the Boar


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MOVE OF THE WHISKEY MEN

RESSURE TO REDUCE THE PRICE OF LIQUORS AND AND MIXED DRINKS TS SAID TO ORIGINATE WITH
THE WHOLESALE WHISKEY DEALERS OF THE For the present there is no further activity in the rate war in the price of drinks. The saloons which have ent prices are still stling at
the reduced rates, while those which have not are still doing busincss There was a meeting yesterday forenoon of nearly all the saloon a en as well as representatives of the wholesalers. It is said there were some
heart to heart talks on the situation, the arguments being practically alt
o the effect that this was no time to reduce the price of drinks, when there was no prospect of being able to redace expenses.
Some of the facts brought to light at this meeting have a considerable public interest aside from their bearing on the business of the men
who were discussing them. It was put forward and received consider-
able credence that the real pressure for a reduction of the price of Irinks comes from some of the big dealers in whiskey in San Francisco.
They find that with liquor and mixed drinks at twenty-five cents a
drink, and beer almost everywhere ten cents or two for a quarter, the drinking public shows its discrimination and the state of its pocket by
drinking beer. It is said that since the general price of beer went down the proportion of liquor drank has noticeably decreased. As one man
$\qquad$ ed to an increased proportionate consumption of beer, and a decreased
cons ind consumption of whiskey, he favors a reduction in the retail prices of ing him any, as he still gets the regular wholesale price
The coast whiskey wholesaler's interest is therefore to have the price herefore, and the dealers here believe it is the fact, that these wholesalers are exerting their efforts and influence to secure the desired re-
duction.
To the saloon-keeper however, the situation is different. A reduction in the price of drinks does not mean any reductiun in expenses. Cut-
ting the price in two means a reduction of fifty per cent in the price, ting the price in two means a reduction of fifty per cent in the price,
but more than fifty per cent in the profit, and without any strong probMost of the saloon-keepers say there is very little profit in the business now. As compared with San Francisco saloons, they sell a very are allowed to keep open only six days in the week instead of seven, and they are obliged to close up at $11: 300^{\prime}$ clock just when business is its best. Then they pay a license of $\$ 1,000$ a year while the San Fran-
As evidence that there is not much money in the business, even at the prevailing prices, it is stated, that three saloons which paid the
$\$ \mathrm{I}, 000$ license have gone out of business this year. one of them not hese three was in existence just a year and during that year had five
different ownerships. These three saloons were the Maile, on King street below Nuuanu, the Boston, on Hotel below Nuuanu, and the
First National on King street, between Smith and Maunakea First National on King strect, between Smith and Maunakea.
Another condition is shown in the fact that while four or five years nolulu paying a license of $\$ 1,000$ a year ,last year there were twenty-
ne ory pay $\$ 76,000$ a year into the Territorial treasury in licenses alone, At the meeting yesterday everyone present expressed his views on the o keep up the rates, as any such action as that would have made them lable to prosecution under the anti-trust act of congress, and the deal-
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