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TO SUCCEED JUDGE GEAR

ALL INDICATIONS GO TO SHOW THAT G. D. GEAR WILL BE RE-APPOINTED—LITTLE INTEREST IN THE MATTER IS MANIFESTED BY MEMBERS OF THE LOCAL BAR—FEW NAMES SUGGESTED FOR SUCCESSOR.

Considering the importance of the appointment, the matter of the choosing of a Second Judge for the Circuit Court of the First Circuit is regarded with the utmost apathy by the members of the bar of Honolulu. Judge Gear's commission expires in March next and it might reasonably have been supposed that there would be a scramble for the post but if there is any such scramble it is managing to keep itself under cover in a most remarkable manner. The Bar Association as a body will not move in the matter at all either to ask for a re-appointment of Gear or to recommend another appointment. The members of that Association feel that it would be going out of its province to suggest appointments to the bench. It is possible however that the Republican Central Committee will take the matter up.

That Judge Gear will meet with active opposition from the Robin's egg-blue chamber has already been a matter of public record but his friends assume to count this as a source of strength rather than of weakness they claiming that it is not desirable that

the judicial and executive branches of the government shall be too closely allied. Gear is now away on the mainland and, if he desires a re-appointment at all there can be no doubt that he has been doing a little politics on his own account. He has a strong supporter in Senator Dollover of Iowa, who was appointed to the United States Senate to succeed the late Hon. J. H. Gear.

Of local men whose names have been mentioned in connection with the judgeship T. McCants Stewart and A. F. Judd have both announced that they have no aspirations at present towards wearing the ermine. Judge Matthewman of the Third Circuit has been mentioned but the foundation for the rumor that he is after the place may probably be found in the fact that he is at present in Honolulu sitting on the Supreme bench in cases where either of the justices are disqualified the other judges having their hands full with the January term cases. Assistant Attorney General W. S. Fleming's name is the only other that has been even whispered in connection with the appointment.

FACTORS LOOK FOR A BETTER AVERAGE

CHANGES AND MODIFICATION IN CONTRACT WITH SUGAR TRUST WILL HELP MATTERS.

E. D. Tenney who signed the new sugar contract for the Sugar Factors was asked this afternoon regarding some of the details of the contract. He made the following statement regarding the agreement: "The new contract with the American Sugar Refineries Company has been made for three years. With some few changes and modifications it practically follows the line of the past contract. With the changes made we expect to receive a more favorable average in the prices of sugar."

MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION

The Merchants' Association was called to meet this afternoon at three o'clock up to fifteen minutes past that hour there was no quorum. Members kept dropping in however and there is every reason to suppose from individual expressions of opinion, that the memorial the text of which appears in another column, will be adopted.

THE MARION CHILCOTT.

The ship Marion Chilcott arrived this afternoon from Monterey, 15 days out. She has a cargo of fuel oil.

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WOULD MAKE BOTH GUILTY

SUGGESTION TO THE GOVERNOR THAT BOTH BUYERS AND SELLERS OF LIQUOR BE PUNISHED.

"I am getting suggestions for improvement in legislation every day," remarked Governor Carter this morning, "some of them are of no value and others I think may be of the greatest value. One reached me today from a liquor man which it appears to me might well be worth considering. It is in regard to the illicit selling of liquor and is to the effect that the purchaser shall be equally guilty with the vendor of illicit liquor. It seems to me that that is the only justice. It takes two to make the offence and both are guilty."

The Governor was asked how he would propose to get evidence in such cases and replied that if public sentiment was strong enough in its determination to stamp out the illicit traffic in liquor there would be no difficulty in getting evidence. "Where two are guilty both should be punished," repeated the Governor. "When I lived up in the Puget Sound country the number of fights and assaults that occurred was surprising. The reason was that the man who struck the first blow was held to be the guilty one, so that with the conflict of testimony and the legal complications over what constituted a blow convictions were very rare. Down here it does not matter who strikes the first blow. If two men are fighting they are both held guilty and the result is that we have very few fights indeed."

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Russia's Own Affairs May Force Peace

(Associated Press Cable to The Star).

ST. PETERSBURG, January 5.—The affairs of the Russian Empire are to be reviewed by an Extraordinary Council. The grave condition of affairs in the interior of the country may force the conclusion of peace with Japan.

BALTIC FLEET TURNS BACK

ST. PETERSBURG, January 5.—The Baltic fleet has been ordered to return to European waters.

MORE PRIVATES THAN GENERALS CAPTURED

TOKIO, January 5.—The total number of Nogi's prisoners from Port Arthur is 48,000. They include eight generals and four admirals. Ten steamers have been turned over to the Japanese at Port Arthur.

JAPS REFUSE BRITISH MEDICAL AID

WEIHAIWEI, January 5.—The British steamer Andromeda which left here with hospital stores and surgeons for Port Arthur was not allowed to land there, the Japanese saying that they were not required.

ITALIAN MINISTER HAS APOPLEXY.

ROME, January 5.—Foreign Minister Tittoni was stricken with apoplexy today.

STOESSEL HAS CANCER.

ST. PETERSBURG, January 5.—General Stoessel is reported to be suffering from cancer.

Fifth District Committee Against Office Holders

INTERESTING MEETING OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE LAST NIGHT TO DISCUSS IMPORTANT PARTY MATTERS—DECIDED AGAINST OFFICE HOLDERS BEING MEMBERS OF REPUBLICAN CENTRAL COMMITTEE—WANT VOTE TAKEN AT NEXT PRIMARY ELECTION.

The executive committee of the Fifth District Republican Committee held quite an interesting meeting last night at the club headquarters on King street. The meeting was called for the express purpose of discussing the matter of office holders participating in politics. Eleven members of the committee were present.

There was a disposition on the part of some of the members to exclude office holders even from sitting in conventions but after considerable debate, the following resolution regarding the party organization was passed:

"Resolved, That it is the sense of the executive committee of the Fifth District committee that no members of the Republican Territorial Central committee shall be eligible to any appointive government office during the term for which he is elected and that no gov-

ernment officer shall be elected or appointed as a member of said committee nor hold the proxy of any member of said committee."

In the opinion of some of those present membership in district committees should have been included in this resolution but as it was thought that this would perhaps work a hardship in some of the outside district, the resolution was not worked to shut out office holders from entire participation in party management.

A second resolution was passed asking that the central committee have the matter of such changes in the rules and organization presented at the next primary election so that all the voters of the party could have an opportunity of expressing their desires in the matter.

THE IDOL OF THE BRITISH NAVY



NEW POST FOR BERESFORD. appointed to succeed Admiral Dom-LONDON, December 27.—Vice-Ad-ville, in command of the Mediterranean miral Lord Charles Beresford has been squadron, on May 1st.

TRUST TAKES ENTIRE HAWAIIAN SUGAR CROP

DETAILS OF THE NEW CONTRACT MADE BY SUGAR FACTORS WITH TRUST—DETAILS ARE PRACTICALLY THE SAME AS THOSE OF OLD AGREEMENT—SHIPMENTS TO CALIFORNIA REFINERIES TO BE SETTLED LATER.

The details of the new contract of the Hawaiian Sugar Factors Company with the American Sugar Refineries Company, popularly known as the trust are gradually becoming known.

The contract is in effect, practically the same agreement that has been in force with the sugar trust. Like the old contract which expires September 30, 1905, the new contract is signed for a period of three years. The most vital feature of the new contract is of course the basis of payment. The basis of the new contract of payment of the sugar is the Cuban basis 56 test polarization, the same that is in force in the present contract. The sugar trust agrees to take the entire product of the sugar factors plantation but the factors reserve the right to ship up to 150,000 tons to San Francisco to the Crockett and Western Refineries. The sugar trust reserves the right of deciding whether the sugar shipped to it shall be delivered at the New York or Philadelphia refineries but so far as any routing whether by way of Cape Horn or overland by rail from San Francisco is concerned that is a matter

that rests entirely with factors. The trust's sugar goes either to New York or Philadelphia. In the factors desired they could ship their sugar in air ships or balloons so far as the trust cares. The factors control the sugar output of these islands with the exception of the W. G. Irwin & Company plantations and one or two smaller concerns.

The details regarding the sugar that is to go to San Francisco are uncertain for the present. The handling of that sugar is effected by a contract with the refineries which are controlled principally by Claus Spreckels. The differential which was enforced on sugar landed at San Francisco for the California refineries had nothing whatever to do with the sugar trust but was a detail of a different contract with the Spreckels refineries, in which the trust has an interest, will expire September 30, 1905 but no new contract has been signed yet.

The Honolulu Plantation's output is not concerned in the contract with the sugar trust. The sugar for which the trust has contracted is the 96 test raw sugar and not the refined product.

INTEREST AROUSED

DELEGATE KALANIAOOLE'S CABLEGRAM OF INQUIRY TO GOVERNOR CARTER REGARDING THE YOUNG BUILDING PROPOSITION HAS CREATED MUCH ACTIVITY IN CRYSTALLIZING INTEREST ON THE SUBJECT—MEMORIAL IN CIRCULATION.

The cablegram of Delegate Kalanianoole inquiring as to public sentiment here in the matter of the Young Building for a federal building, has aroused the greatest interest in the subject. A call for a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Merchants' Association for 2 o'clock this afternoon to consider the question has already been issued. It is not known just what proposals will come before this meeting, whether the directors will take it on itself to act for the whole association or whether action will be taken to ascertain the sentiments of the members. It is thought this latter will probably be the case.

The Builders' and Traders' at a meeting yesterday, appointed a committee to ascertain the sentiments of the individual members and to report at the annual meeting to be held January 19. This committee is to take into consideration the whole subject of a federal building and not merely the Young Building proposition.

The following memorial was in circulation this morning and was signed by most of the sugar factors and other large firms:

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*SIERRA.....	JAN. 18	*SONOMA.....	JAN. 17
*ALAMEDA.....	JAN. 27	*ALAMEDA.....	FEB. 1
*SONOMA.....	FEB. 8	*VENTURA.....	FEB. 7
*ALAMEDA.....	FEB. 17	*ALAMEDA.....	FEB. 22
*VENTURA.....	MAR. 1	*SIERRA.....	MAR. 23
*ALAMEDA.....	MAR. 10	*ALAMEDA.....	MAR. 15
*SIERRA.....	MAR. 22	*SONOMA.....	MAR. 21
*ALAMEDA.....	MAR. 31	*ALAMEDA.....	APR. 5
*SONOMA.....	APR. 12	*VENTURA.....	APR. 11
*ALAMEDA.....	APR. 21	*ALAMEDA.....	APR. 26
*VENTURA.....	MAY 3	*SIERRA.....	MAY 2
*ALAMEDA.....	MAY 12	*ALAMEDA.....	MAY 17
*SIERRA.....	MAY 24	*SONOMA.....	MAY 23

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AORANGI.....	JAN. 14	MIOWERA.....	JAN. 11
MIOWERA.....	FEB. 11	MOANA.....	FEB. 8
MOANA.....	MAR. 11	AORANGI.....	MAR. 8
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CHINA.....	JAN. 17	COPTIC.....	FEB. 3
MANCHURIA.....	JAN. 28	SIBERIA.....	FEB. 14
KOREA.....	FEB. 21	MONGOLIA.....	FEB. 24
COPTIC.....	MAR. 4	CHINA.....	MAR. 10
SIBERIA.....	MAR. 15	MANCHURIA.....	MAR. 21
MONGOLIA.....	MAR. 25	DORIC.....	APR. 1
CHINA.....	APR. 4	KOREA.....	APR. 14
MANCHURIA.....	APR. 15	COPTIC.....	APR. 25
DORIC.....	APR. 27	SIBERIA.....	MAY 6
KOREA.....	MAY 9	MONGOLIA.....	MAY 16
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S. S. "NEBRASKAN".....	To sail January 15th
S. S. "NEVADAN".....	To sail February 5th

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(For additional and later shipping see pages 4, 5, or 6.)

First Quarter of the Moon Dec. 14th.

Date	High Tide	Low Tide	High Tide	Low Tide	High Tide	Low Tide
Jan. 5 a.m.	1.29	1.13	6.52	8.36	6.38	5.31
Jan. 6 p.m.	2.14	1.9	2.03	7.36	9.27	6.52
Jan. 7 a.m.	2.55	2.0	2.50	8.20	10.10	6.39
Jan. 8 p.m.	3.33	2.0	3.24	8.59	10.50	6.40
Jan. 9 a.m.	4.10	2.0	4.20	9.36	11.23	6.40
Jan. 10 p.m.	4.43	1.9	5.03	10.14	11.52	6.40
Jan. 11 a.m.	5.15	1.5	5.55	12.20	10.52	6.40
Jan. 12 p.m.	5.45	1.6	6.48	12.54	11.35	6.40

Times of the tide are taken from the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey tables. The tides at Honolulu and Hilo occur about one hour earlier than at Honolulu. Hawaiian standard time is 10 hours 30 minutes slower than Greenwich time, being that of the meridian of 157 degrees 30 minutes. The time whistle blows at 1:30 p. m., which is the same as Greenwich, 3 hours, 0 minutes. The Sun and moon are for local time for the whole group.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE-WEATHER BUREAU.

The following data, covering a period of 28 years, have been compiled from the Weather Bureau and McKibbin records at Honolulu, T. H. They are issued to show the conditions that have prevailed, during the month in question, for the above period of years, but must not be construed as a forecast of the weather conditions for the coming month:

Month of January for 28 years.
Temperature. (1880-1904, inclusive). Mean or normal temperature, 71°. The warmest month was that of 1898, with an average of 72°. The coldest month was that of 1892, with an average of 69°. The highest temperature was 84° on January 19, 1881. The lowest temperature was 54° on January 27, 1895. Precipitation (rain), 1877-1894, inclusive. Average for the month, 3.25 inches. Average number of days with .01 of an inch or more, 13. The greatest monthly precipitation was 10.05 inches in 1897. The least monthly precipitation was 0.17 inches in 1878. The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hour was 5.30 inches on January 25, 1897. Clouds & Weather (1884-1904, inclusive). Average number of clear days, 14; partly cloudy days, 12; cloudy days, 5. Wind, (1884-1904, inclusive). The prevailing winds have been from the northeast. Station: Honolulu, T. H. Date of issue: December 30, 1904. ALEX. McC. ASHLEY, Section Director, Weather Bureau. Note:—Only precipitation data taken from record of Dr. Robert McKibbin.

ARRIVING.

Thursday, January 5.
Stmr. Likelike, Napala, for Maui, and Molokai ports at 4:25 a. m.
U. S. A. T. Sherman, Brugierre, from Manila and Nagasaki due.
Friday, January 6.
S. S. Doric, Smith, from the Orient, due.
S. S. Alameda, Dowdell, from San Francisco, due in morning.

DEPARTING.

Thursday, January 5.
Stmr. Mikahala, Gregory, for Kaula ports at 5 p. m.
Stmr. Likelike, Napala, for Lanai, Maui and Molokai ports at 5 p. m.
Friday, January 6.
Stmr. Maui, F. Bennett, for Maui and Hawaii ports at 5 p. m.
S. S. Doric, Smith, for San Francisco may sail.
Stmr. W. G. Hall, S. Thompson, for Lahaina, Maui, Kona, and Kau ports at noon.
U. S. A. T. Sherman, Brugierre, for San Francisco, probably sail.

PASSENGERS.

Per stmr. Likelike, January 5, from Maui and Molokai ports—E. R. Hendry, R. H. Chamberlain, W. L. Emery, D. K. Hayselden, Charles Gay.
SHIPPING CREW FOR PHELPS.
The ship Erskine M. Phelps is shipping a crew for the trip to Delaware Breakwater. The crew will probably be composed of whites and natives in equal number. The vessel will probably sail tomorrow.

ISLAND STEAMERS SAILING.

The steamer Likelike arrived this morning from Maui and Molokai ports and will sail at 5 p. m. tonight for Lanai, Maui and Molokai ports. The steamer Maui will sail on her regular Maui and Hawaii run tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock and the steamer Mikahala goes out this afternoon at 5 o'clock to Kaula ports. The steamer W. G. Hall sails tomorrow at noon on the Matua Loa's run to Maui and Hawaii ports.

BOTANISTS LEARN SOMETHING.

Soll brought up from the 326-foot level in one of the Belgian coal mines has grown weeds which are unknown to botanists.
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BURGLARS CONVICTED.

Chang Hung and Tung Kan alias Akana, who were placed on trial before Judge Robinson yesterday on the charge of burglary in the first degree for robbing Mikano, Higginbotham & Co's warehouse, were found guilty. The men belong to the crowd known as "the Moanua gang."

Fine Job Printing, Star Office.

TONY AFONG'S RAILWAY CONCESSION

THE GENERAL TERMS AND COMMENTS ON THEM BY THE SOUTH CHINA MORNING POST.

The South China Morning Post thus comments on the recently concluded Macao-Canton railway concession in which Tony Afong is said to be largely interested. Senhor Castello Branco, the Portuguese Minister who negotiated the convention recently passed through Honolulu, and was the guest of Senhor A. de Souza Camavarr, the Portuguese Consul.

The Macao-Canton Railway Convention, a translation of which has appeared in the "Shanghai Mercury" is an interesting and an informing document. The convention is the outcome of deliberations between H. E. Jose d'Azevedo Castello Branco, the Portuguese Minister to China and H. E. Sheng, Chinese Imperial Commissioner and Director-General of Railways. The concession is represented by thirty-nine articles and an appendix. We cannot congratulate the Portuguese Government on either the language of the convention or the concession secured. That astute official, Sheng Tajen, has decidedly scored from every point of view; and although the Macao community may be sanguine of the scheme advancing the interests of that ancient port, we shall be agreeably surprised if the railway ever comes into existence. Its very title is enough to kill any respectable undertaking at its birth, for it has been christened with the euphonistic name of the Chum-pu-Kuang-Ao-Tie-Lu-Cum-Sai which translates means Portuguese-Chinese Company of the Canton-Macao Railway. We think the Portuguese Minister, in the interests of his country, might well have done his work better. A survey of the articles of this precious convention will interest our readers. The head office of the company is to be at Macao, and the shares are to be equally divided between Chinese and Portuguese subjects. Then comes the extraordinary proviso that the Portuguese Government "can under no pretext interfere with the affairs of the company." The Chinese, rightly enough have evidently profited from their experience of the Canton-Hankow concession, for the articles provide that the administration must always be conducted by Portuguese and Chinese, and infraction of this may render the agreement liable to be cancelled. As the majority of the shareholders are Chinese and the railway is mostly to be located in Chinese territory "it is agreed that the regulations concerning shares, shareholders' rights, directors and general meetings of the shareholders, will be framed in accordance with the Chinese law concerning commercial companies sanctioned by the Imperial Decree of 5th day of 12th moon of 29th year of Kuangsu (21st January 1841)." This gives the legal control of the undertaking to the Chinese Government, and, considering that in China it has never been possible to obtain redress against a Chinese shareholder who chose to evade his responsibilities, it is a clause which cannot possibly commend itself to the foreign investor. The decree quoted may protect the company, but we have yet to see it enforced, and very much doubt its ability to deal with a defaulter. It is a clause giving the Chinese officials absolute legal power in disputes which must arise without affording any safeguard to the Portuguese beyond appeal to Peking. The interpretation and administration of Chinese commercial law—if there is such a thing—despite the decree is purely a personal matter to Chinese officials, who are susceptible to manifold influences not usually diagnosed as legal. The route of the railway is to depend upon the survey, after it has been approved by Commissioner Sheng. Competition with the company is limited to within a distance of ten English miles to the right or left of the line. Such scope for the expenditure of capital is provided for in the conditions that ground rent must be paid for Chinese Government land, private or municipal lands must be purchased by mutual agreement, and municipal taxes and rent paid in accordance with custom. If land cannot be purchased with the consent of the holder then the local authorities must be referred to for arranging the sale at current prices. If the land should be occupied by cemeteries, a detour must be made; but in the case of isolated graves and if no detour is possible, the company will liberally pay the expenses of the removal of the graves, in addition to the price of the land. All manual labor must be Chinese. Police must be employed to guard the company's property and buildings, who must be Chinese, and the foremen are to be chosen by the Chinese authorities. The utility of Chinese guards has been proved on the Samshul Railway, where they squeeze and steal more from the rogues from Fatahan and Samshul combined.

As a precedent it does not bode well for future railway concessions in China for no foreign syndicate would possibly dream of investing its capital on such terms, absolutely at the disposal of Chinese without means of redress in case of wrong, or the possibility of protection, which China is absolutely incapable of bestowing. We trust our Portuguese friends will be able to appreciate the convention. They are a long-suffering people, and may be willing to embark their capital under such conditions, trusting for a big return in their fifty years' tenure of the line. The average syndicate would prefer to treat with the Chief Commissioner and all his works on quite a different footing.

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PROPOSAL TO REDUCE THE REPRESENTATION OF THE SOUTH IN CONGRESS.

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CLOSE TO THE PENNANT.
The Osage Wild Cats, a base ball team, did not lose a game during the season just closed; but they only played three, one of which they won. The other two broke up in fights to keep from losing them.—Kansas City Star.

IS THE CZAR OF RUSSIA INSANE?

REMARKABLE STATEMENT BY DR DAVID STARR JORDAN OF STANFORD UNIVERSITY.

PORTLAND, Or., Dec. 26.—David Starr Jordan, president of Stanford University, who is in this city, says he has recently received reliable information from Russian sources to the effect that Czar Nicholas is now thoroughly insane at times and that perma-



THE CZAR.

nent insanity is creeping upon him recently. This is the result of the blow upon the head received by the Emperor while in Japan on his tour of the world several years ago. The blow came from a Japanese crank and was not considered serious at the time. The people of the village where the assault was committed have become so ashamed of the incident that they have petitioned to have the town's name changed.

"I have learned from an authentic Russian source," said Jordan, "that the Czar is yet suffering from the effects of the blow he received years ago. No, I cannot tell you my informant's name, for obvious reasons, but it is said to be well known in St. Petersburg court circles that the Emperor is at times entirely bereft of his senses.

"Russia cannot be rated as a world power," continued President Jordan. "It is in the hands of an hereditary association of grand ducal grafters. It probably can never be successfully invaded, but it is too disorganized to be powerful.

"Japan is making herself a world power, however. The effect of this war upon the Japanese is hardly understood anywhere. They are fighting in a manner that is full of medieval patriotism. They forget the individual and look only toward the final result."

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PEACE.
Mexico has signified her desire to enter into a treaty of arbitration with the United States. They say of universal arbitration treaties may not be far off, and when it comes, the era of universal peace is not so remote.—Atlanta Constitution.

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A Successful Year's Work

With the December number there was completed the first volume of one of the most serious purposes, vitally in earnest, and intelligently directed monthly publications in the Islands—The Hawaiian Forester and Agriculturist. It is now possible to judge of the purposes of the publication, from the standpoint of its achievement. From this standpoint the purposes have been fully justified.

Mr. Giffard as a member of the Board of Agriculture and Forestry, conceived the utility of such a publication, and planned it not to be a mere record or gazette of the Board's proceedings, but an active and virile factor in promoting, through research and publicity, those objects which the Board itself was established as the agency of the government to promote.

Primarily the periodical has had for its field the forestry, agriculture and entomology of these Islands. But it has not confined its treatment of them to the merely local view point. Whatever could throw light on these subjects, whether the experience of growers elsewhere, the research of scientific institutions or governmental departments, legislation of other countries, trade conditions, business organization, and even such matters as are usually considered more altruistic than practical, such as urban and suburban beautification, have been made to yield results to the purpose and objects of the periodical.

The results have been manifest in many ways. There has been a very largely increased local interest in such matters. Agriculture, which of course includes horticulture, floriculture and other branches of soil cultivation, are held in higher esteem than they were. Outlook has been broadened. Suggestions for new developments of resources are received with more seriousness than they were. Experiment and research have not only been stimulated, but their scope has been broadened and their methods made more scientific.

For the accomplishment of these results, not of course disregarding the support accorded him by his fellow members of the Board of Agriculture and Forestry, nor that of the many persons and agencies who have co-labored and assisted, credit belongs to Mr. Giffard, who out of the exceedingly busy hours of a man of large affairs has given the time, the thought and the labor to plan the publication, and to carry it out at the expense of how much zeal, earnestness, and drudgery, those only can appreciate who have undertaken similar work.

Mr. Giffard now retires from the active editorial charge of publication, though he will still retain his lively interest in it and maintain a supervisory direction of its general scope. L. G. Blackman who becomes now the honorary editor, has been an important contributor during the past year.

Archaic Police Methods

Are we never to be allowed to think that Honolulu is no longer a village? The waking up and disturbance of the whole town last night by the blowing of whistles for a general alarm of the police for a so-called "riot drill," was very amusing as a police proposition, and unnecessarily alarming to not only timid people, but to people who are not timid, but who do not like to be disturbed by panic stricken neighbors.

Of course, the general alarm and the "riot drill" is probably a survival from the time when this was a village, and when there was the constant danger of a "revolution," albeit the revolutions of Hawaii have not been very bloody ones. But the danger of "revolution" passed with annexation, and the village stage of arousing the town with the shrieking of whistles for a riot drill of the police was supposed to have passed when police alarm boxes were put in.

The drill itself is as obsolete and archaic as the means of signalling for it. The idea of arming police with rifles and bayonets, is one that survives only in a few places and there mostly for show purposes. In cities where the police have actual experience with rioters, the policeman's club has been found far and away the most effective weapon to quell a riot. It is more effective, and safer for both police and the people who may be unavoidably in the vicinity and yet are not rioters. The duties, drill and service of police, does not adapt the rifle or the bayonet to their use.

High Sheriff Henry will much better display his grasp of the duties of superintendent of police by studying and applying the advances and development of police organization, drill and management, than by following outgrown methods of alarm, arming, and drill, however spectacular they may be, and however large a crowd of gaping sightseers they may attract.

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The dispatches from St. Petersburg this morning state that the Czar will probably issue a decree waiving a court martial for General Stoessel. The fact that a court martial may be held should not be taken as an indication that Stoessel by being defeated, is in any way likely to be dishonored.

The proposal of the Fifth District Committee, that changes in the rules governing the Central Committee of the party, shall be submitted to a vote of the voters of the party at the next party primary, is an application of the referendum which gets right at the views of the rank and file.

The cable dispatches have briefly outlined the Japanese budget as decided on by the budget committee and already passed by one house of parliament. A fuller statement of the proposed fiscal arrangement is here given, which also illustrates some of the differences between Japanese methods of revenue and ours.

The land, sake, sugar consumption, customs, textile consumption and transit taxes are to be effected and a cocoon tax is to be created. The rate of land tax was fixed at 20 per cent for urban building lots, 8 per cent for rural building lots, 5.5 per cent for agricultural lots. The new rates on sake, as proposed by the Government, were left intact, while the rate on beer is to be raised by Y. 1.00 instead of 50 sen. The sugar consumption duty is to be increased by 50 sen for all classes. The transit duty on trains and electric trams, as proposed by the Seiyukai, was adopted. For instance, first class passenger fares for over 200 miles are to be increased by 50 sen, but the increased rate for third class passengers is only 4 sen, as suggested by the Government. The 3 sen uniform fare on the electric tramways, in Tokyo, for instance, is to be increased to 4 sen. The textile consumption duty was converted into a stamp duty; an ad valorem duty of 10 per cent being payable in stamps by the weavers. The import tariff is to be altered so as to increase

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the proceeds by one million yen. The revision of the rates and classification for that purpose has been left to the authorities concerned. The new cocoon import duty is to be collected at the rate of 10 per cent.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Includes Land tax, Sake tax, Sugar consumption duty, Import tax, Textile tax, Transit duty, Cocoon Import duty, and total decrease/increase.

Decrease in total Y.10,011,970 Out of the above 10,000,000 yen, 5,000,000 yen is to be covered by the saving debentures and the rest by some sundry revenues, which, however, does not imply further enhancement of the taxation rate.

The question of street and road improvement is one that will naturally enter into the consideration of appropriations for such purposes, by the legislation. A full and detailed report by the Superintendent of Public Works on the result of the oil experiment on the Walkiki road would be of value in such consideration.

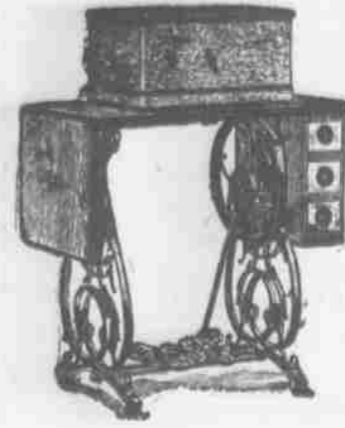
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The play by Mrs. Craigie, that Miss Nethersole appeared in in London was so bad that even the charming actress could not save it from failure, and as a result of the hissing, the unusual scene of a star playing the last act, in tears, was witnessed.

MRS. HEARST *STOPS ALL GIFTS

California has two of the most richly endowed educational institutions in the world. Leland Stanford, Jr., University undoubtedly has the largest endowment that was ever bestowed upon any educational or benevolent institution, while the University of California, a state institution, has been the recipient of nearly \$8,000,000 in gifts. It is situated in the village of Berkeley, across the bay from San Francisco, was chartered in 1868, has about 2,000 students and graduated 506 last June. Its facilities comprise more than 300 men, some of them eminent in their professions, with Benjamin Id. Wheeler as their president. The academic and scientific departments are at Berkeley; the colleges of art, law, medicine, pharmacy and dentistry are, for the sake of convenience, located in the city of San Francisco, in buildings provided by the late Adolph Sutro. The endowment of the university by the state and by individual patrons is capitalized at about \$11,000,000, which produces a yearly income of \$500,000.

Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst, widow of the late Senator George Hearst, has been its most generous benefactor, and in looking through the reports of the president and the deans of the different colleges you can find evidences of her munificence on almost every page.

The University Chronicle for the last year contains the following summary of her munificence:

For buildings	\$ 599,875.53
For salaries (exclusive of those paid at the affiliated colleges)	21,760.00
For scholarships	63,363.00
For department of mining (exclusive of amounts for erection of Hearst memorial mining building, and of mining laboratory, included under "building")	5,200.00
For archaeological research and department of anthropology	226,674.45
Other gifts to departments at Berkeley	56,142.16
For Lick Observatory	8,100.00
For affiliated colleges	45,672.10
For the Hearst architectural plan	149,262.07
Gifts not immediately to the university	45,142.94
Total	\$1,221,192.25

In order to stimulate public interest in the university, and to provide a harmonious and dignified architectural scheme for the future, Mrs. Hearst expended nearly \$150,000 a few years ago in an international architectural competition, which attracted universal attention at the time. She invited all of the great architects of the world to submit designs for a group of buildings for an ideal university, to include library, chapel, lecture halls, laboratories, dormitories, museum, gymnasium and other buildings, the entire group to cost \$20,000,000. The highest architectural authorities were invited to serve as a jury, and plans were submitted by a number of famous architects in Europe and America. The jury sat at Antwerp; it did not accept the entire proposal of any one competitor, but from the plans of a dozen or more different competitors it selected the best features and the group as finally determined upon was adopted by the regents as a harmonious and noble plan to guide them in building up a university city.

It has not been the intention of Mrs. Hearst to erect all these buildings at her own expense, as many people have supposed. It has been her hope and expectation that other patrons would assist in carrying out the scheme, and she has set them a good example and has inaugurated a great undertaking by erecting a building for the school of mines as an appropriate memorial to

her late husband; and her son, William R. Hearst, has provided the second building in the form of a novel Greek theater. The alumni have pledged themselves to erect an alumni hall at a cost of \$100,000, which shall serve as a center for the social life of the university; the state of California will erect the fourth building, to be called California Hall, and Charles F. Doe will erect a library building, at a cost of \$700,000, all from Mrs. Hearst's designs.

John Galen Howard of New York, who was educated at the Boston Institute of Technology and at the School of Fine Arts at Paris, is the permanent supervising architect of the university, and his salary until now, has been paid by Mrs. Hearst, but for some mysterious reason yet unexplained that good woman, whose extraordinary munificence I have recited, has suddenly and without warning cut off that and all of her benefactions to the institution. She has withdrawn her support from every enterprise and benevolence she has ever inaugurated or assisted or sustained, except the mining building now being erected as a memorial to her husband, and twenty-one scholarships for which permanent provision had been made.

The faculty and friends of the university were almost paralyzed by the shock. They would not have been more surprised if the legislature of California had repudiated the institution. The university year began in September, and for the first time in its history without a dollar from Mrs. Hearst. The several departments she has supported have been closed; her exploring expeditions have been recalled; the Hearst domestic industries have been closed, Hearst Hall is without visible means of support, and the clubs and associations that have depended upon her generosity for so many years are paralyzed. It is impossible for a stranger unfamiliar with the situation at the University of California to comprehend what all this means, and the calamity is aggravated by the fact that no explanation has been offered.

The popular opinion is that Mrs. Hearst is indignant because of the indifference of the people of California, and the university in particular, to her son's presidential aspirations. It is also generally assumed that she was compelled to pay his campaign expenses to such an amount as to cripple even her enormous resources and to compel her to retrench in her expenditures. But President Wheeler assured me that there is not the slightest foundation for either of these conjectures, and they do a noble woman gross injustice. Mrs. Hearst has not cut off all her charities and benevolences in California alone, but everywhere. She has closed several philanthropic institutions which she has been supporting for years at Washington, Albany, New York and elsewhere, and has offered no explanation in either place. She has sold her palatial residence at Washington, and last winter lived with her son in a hired house.

JOYOUS JAPS GIVE NO JOY TO MAUI

REFUSED TO WORK THIS WEEK AND CAUSED ALL PLANTATIONS TO SHUT DOWN.

The station on the part of the Japanese on the island of Maui over the fall of Port Arthur has played the mischief with the plantations on that island. News by the steamer Lakelike this morning is to the effect that ever since the announcement of Port Arthur's fall was received on Maui the Japanese laborers on the plantations refused to work as they proposed to celebrate the victory of their armies. They have been taken a general holiday and work has had to be generally suspended this week.

It has been planned to load the schooner Aloha at Kaniapail but owing to the Japanese being idle there was a delay. Natives were secured however to fill in the places made vacant by the celebrating Japs and the work will be hurried. It is expected that the Aloha will get away for San Francisco next Tuesday with a full load of sugar.

On the island of Oahu there does not appear to have been any such condition as exists on Maui. The Japanese on the various plantations laid off work for a day or so but reports are that they have generally returned to work.

DEAD PRESENTS FOR SMITHIES

KUHIO SENT PLANTS AND ROOTS WHICH WERE "MAKE" WHEN THEY ARRIVED IN HONOLULU.

George Smithies, deputy insurance commissioner, was the victim of misplaced confidence yesterday. When the Mongolia's mail was distributed he was notified that there were several parcels for him at the Post office from Washington and naturally enough he concluded that his friend Delegate Kuhio had been sending Christmas presents which had arrived a little late. He received the first set-back when he went to the Post Office and was informed that his parcels were being fumigated and he concluded that presents which have to be fumigated have their drawbacks, to say the least of it. This morning the presents arrived and they were found to consist of grape cuttings, strawberry plants, flower roots, shrub cuttings and similar articles of value to gardeners and botanists. There was one thing wrong with them. To all appearances they were all dead and mouldy. Whether they were not packed to stand the severe weather crossing the continent or whether the fumigation was too much for them could not be told. As the different specimens were sent from the Government green houses in Washington for distribution here the remains were turned over by Smithies to the Territorial department of Agriculture and Forestry for the purpose of fanning into flame any possible spark of life that may be left in any of them.

PRACTICE TOWER FOR FIREMEN

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT WILL ERECT A BUILDING FOR THAT PURPOSE.

According to the request of Fire Commissioner Arthur Berg, Superintendent Holloway of the Public Works Department has authorized the construction of a practice tower for the use of the Honolulu Fire Department. The structure, which will be five stories in height will be placed in the rear of the Beretania street fire hall and when completed will be used for drill by every man on the force. A regular system of drill, modeled after that in use by the San Francisco department and modified to the needs of this city, will be introduced.

The skeleton structure will provide a place where the men may exercise with their scaling ladders and may practice carrying hose to upper stories of buildings. A particularly useful practice is the jumping from high places into the life saving nets held below. It is understood that in order to show their regard for Commissioner Holloway for putting up the practice tower, the Fire Commissioners are going to accord him the privilege of making the first jump from the extreme top of the tower as soon as it is completed. There is already considerable competition among the firemen for the honor of holding the net.

EXONERATING THE TRUSTS.

The result of the election seems to indicate that stories of trust contributions to campaign funds were untrue. The republican vote was too large to have been bought, and big majorities were rolled up in states that no republican would have thought of buying. The democratic vote was so small as to warrant the conclusion that the trusts did not invest on that side since they got nothing for their money something that nobody would suspect a trust of doing.—Topeka State Journal

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Kahuku 68.	100.00	100.00
Oahu R. & L. Co. 68.	102.00	102.00
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THE CZAR'S HUMOR.

The czar's aversion to any talk of universal peace would indicate that he has a certain grim sense of humor which recalls from such a jest.

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RE-ADVERTISEMENT.

NEW BEACH ROAD FROM KALIHIWAI TO HANAIEI, KAUALA.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Public Works until 12 o'clock m., of Jan. 23, 1906, for furnishing all labor, tools and materials, etc., and construct a portion of New Beach Road from Kalihiwai Bay to Hanaiei, District of Hanaiei, Kauai, T. H.

Revised plans and specifications are on file at the office of the Asst. Supt. of Public Works, and with C. H. Willis, Chairman of the Hanaiei Road Board, Kauai, copies of which will be furnished intending bidders on receipt of \$5, which sum will be returned intending bidder after he has deposited his bid and returned the plans and specifications.

Proposals must be submitted on the blank forms, which will be furnished by the Asst. Supt. of Public Works, and C. H. Willis, and enclosed in a sealed envelope addressed to Hon. C. S. Holloway, Superintendent of Public Works, Honolulu, T. H., endorsed "Proposal for a portion of New Beach Road, Kalihiwai Bay to Hanaiei, Kauai."

Each proposal must contain the full name of the party or parties making the same and all persons interested therein and must be accompanied by a certified check of 5 per cent of the amount of the proposal, payable to C. S. Holloway, Superintendent of Public Works, as surety that if the proposal be accepted, a contract will be entered into.

No proposal will be entertained unless made on the blanks furnished by the Asst. Supt. of Public Works and delivered at the office of the Superintendent of Public Works previous to 12 o'clock m. on the day specified.

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

C. S. HOLLOWAY, Superintendent of Public Works. Honolulu, T. H., January 5, 1906.

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ON SATURDAY, JANUARY 14th, 1906, at 12 o'clock noon of said day,

At the front (mauka) entrance of the Judiciary Building, in Honolulu, Island of Oahu, Territory of Hawaii, the following described property to wit: All that certain piece or parcel of Land known as the Kula of Punaloa, mauka of the King street road, at Kalihi, Honolulu, Island of Oahu, Territory of Hawaii, the same being a portion of the land described in L. C. A. No. 803 to A. Adams and more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows:

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TERMS OF SALE: 10 per cent of purchase price to be paid in United States Gold Coin on fall of hammer at sale, balance in like coin upon execution and delivery of deed, drawn at the expense of purchaser.

Further particulars furnished by Frank Andrade Esq., Attorney for plaintiff, Stangenwald Building, or by the undersigned at the said Judiciary Building.

WM. R. SIMS, Commissioner. Honolulu, January 3, 1906. 10ts—Jan. 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13.

AN ENJOYABLE OUTING.

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MORE. Boston papers now give Lawson as much space as they used to give Lowell or Longfellow.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

LEPROSY PROVED BEYOND DOUBT

PHYSICIANS CALLED BY MRS. KAIPU TESTIFY THAT SHE HAS THE DISEASE.

Mrs. Mikala Kaipu is a leper. The statement was made this morning in Judge Dole's court by Dr. Day uncompromisingly and the testimony was a signal confirmation of the action taken by the Board of Health and its surgeons in the unfortunate woman's case. It will be remembered that C. W. Ashford, acting for Emma Kaipu, daughter of the afflicted woman, made application for a writ of habeas corpus in the Federal Court to secure her release from the Kalihi detention station and to prevent her being sent to the settlement on Molokai. The Board of Health produced physician after physician who testified that they had examined Mrs. Kaipu and that in their opinion she was a leper, but Ashford was not satisfied. He wished an examination made by physicians of his own naming, a request which the Court allowed.

Dr. Day and Dr. Uchida, the latter the Japanese expert, were named by Ashford, and they consented to undertake the examination.

Dr. Day was the first witness called when the adjourned sitting of the Federal Court opened this morning. He gave the usual answers to the technical questions and then pronounced the words which will assuredly send the woman to Molokai to end her days. He had made a thorough and complete examination of portions of tissue taken from the suspect, he said, and found that they contained the bacillus of leprosy in large numbers. In order to make sure beyond any possibility of doubt the witness had made experiments by both methods of determination, that used by the Board of Health and that ordinarily used by himself. The disease in the case, he said, was locally developed, but it was at the same time constitutional, by that the doctor meant that if the leprosy spots on the woman's body were thoroughly excised the disease would not be eradicated, but would remain with her just the same.

A long examination followed but Dr. Day would not give any evidence as to how long the course of the disease might remain with the woman as from experience he knew how erratically it progresses in different cases. He instanced one case he knew of a person's dying a year after being inoculated and on the other had he knew of a woman who at the age of 25 lost all of her fingers through leprosy and was in very bad condition with the disease, yet she lived to be 70 years old.

Dr. Uchida, whose testimony was translated by C. Shiozawa, followed with testimony directly in line with that of Dr. Day. He had made independent examinations of specimens taken from Mrs. Kaipu and found that in every case they contained the leprosy bacillus in large numbers. In his opinion the woman was in a dangerous condition as regarded her ability to spread the disease.

Dr. McDonald was recalled, Attorney Ashford seeking to prove that when he made the first examinations for the Board of Health as its bacteriologist it might have been possible that some bacilli from former investigations had remained on the pestle or in the mortar used. Dr. McDonald showed how he cleaned his apparatus beyond any such possibility by burning alcohol.

Attorney Ashford combated this by suggesting that the heat from burning alcohol always ascended and offered to allow anyone to burn alcohol on his hand. He withdrew the suggestion when it was proposed to make the test, allowing Dr. McDonald to stir the alcohol while it was burning, as he did when cleaning his mortars.

Judge Dole, upon the conclusion of the evidence, gave an oral decision refusing the writ of habeas corpus. Attorney Ashford gave notice of appeal, which if it is pressed, will be heard in San Francisco. Meanwhile Mrs. Kaipu will remain a prisoner in the Kalihi detention station.

NOT A TEST.

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PRINCE TO GOVERNOR.
As a memento of his visit to Honolulu and an expression of his appreciation for the courtesies shown him here, General Prince Pushimi yesterday sent a silver punchbowl to Governor Carter. The piece is a magnificent specimen of the silversmith's art and is quite one of the most valuable pieces of plate in Hawaii.

FRANCE AND THE CONCORDAT

AN INTERESTING ACCOUNT OF THE PRESENT CRISIS IN FRANCE, THE HISTORICAL CAUSES OF IT—THE CONDITIONS THAT HAVE BROUGHT IT TO ITS PRESENT ACUTE STAGE AND WHAT THE POSSIBILITIES OF IT ARE.

The Outlook in a recent number contained the following interesting article on "The Crisis in France." After a series of conflicts between the religious and the civil power, France is face to face with one of the gravest crises of her history, the parliamentary assault which promises to bring about the abolition of the Concordat and the separation of Church and State. The Catholics must have made grievous mistakes, since 1871, to have come to their present condition for in the early years of the Republic they had absolute control of affairs, and directed every functionary from the President of the Republic to the smallest hamlet. They had their bishops in the Superior Council of education; their clergy controlled the common schools; their catechism and their creed were taught in the schools; their religious processions had right of way everywhere. The indices of their power were in most of the national institutions. Their nuns were in the common schools, in the lycées and the hospitals. Members of the Cabinet were waging war upon freethinkers, who were not allowed to have schools without religious teaching, and whose priestless funerals were forbidden after seven o'clock in the morning. Protestants were also restrained in their work, while their sons in the army were compelled, like those of Jews and freethinkers, to attend Catholic churches at stated times, and to kneel at the command of their officers. Catholic leaders openly discussed the recovery of the temporal power for the Pope while they prepared in their own country a monarchical restoration. These leaders made such a use of their power as to create an irresistible Republican and anti-Clerical reaction. The Orders had so baffled the liberal aspirations of the most progressive elements of the nation that the whole movement was directed against them. "Le Clericalisme, voilà l'ennemi," of Gambetta, and "Paix aux cures et guerre aux moines," of Paul Bert, were war cries which indicated deep resentment against the Clericals on the part of the French democracy. M. Combes is now leading this movement of secularization. This task is not an easy one. His party is pledged to the absolute dispossession of the clergy from all privileges which are not essentially religious. Doubtless these men are very radical in their purpose, but it must not be forgotten that, in 1822, the Republicans endeavored to be conservative in their educational policy. Their programme of morals was so framed that every religious man ought to have supported it, but, on the contrary, it met with the most inexplicable opposition of many of the Clericals. As a rule, the supporters of M. Combes stand for free philosophy, free science and free religion. They often draw radical conclusions from their principles, but, when allowances have been made for the violence of present discussions, it will be seen that they lean on the side of freedom. M. Combes himself is a theist, and neither responsible for nor sympathetic with the irreligious spirit of some of his friends. There is nothing anti-religious in his platform. His aim is to leave religion to itself. He has dispersed many orders and succeeded in securing the interdiction of the teaching of monastic associations, and has accomplished these ends in harsh and drastic ways. He has not, however, as is sometimes stated, prevented Catholics from having their own schools. Such schools may exist, and do exist, but cannot be taught by members of the Orders. Catholics may have secondary schools subject to similar laws. They will continue their university work, as it is carried on in the Institut Catholique of Paris, and in other institutions of a similar nature in other parts of France. Unfortunately, the establishment of parochial schools was a declaration of war upon the common schools, which, by inevitable reaction, became strongly anti-clerical and sometimes anti-religious. Yet the greater number of the books of morals used in these schools incline to the religious side, and the philosophy taught in the secondary schools is predominantly theistic and idealistic. When the present struggle has lost some of its intensity, and irritating questions are solved, these irreligious tendencies will probably disappear. They certainly will when liberal Catholics and conservative Republicans unite on this issue. Recent events have placed this solution of educational problems in the



PREMIER COMBES WHO IS SECULARIZING SCHOOLS OF FRANCE.

background, and made the abrogation of the Concordat paramount. This has been made possible by the shortsighted policy of many French ecclesiastics, who have taken advantage of its privileges and evaded the greater number of its obligations. Some of the violations of this compact, like the sacrifices of the liberties of the Gallican Church, for instance, have been fundamental, while other are petty and humiliating. The recent discussions of the bulls of investitures of the French bishops is a case in point. By the terms of the Concordat, bishops are nominated by the Government, while the Pope gives a bull of investiture. It was discovered that the Vatican had inserted in the text a notice which caused the bull to appear as if the nomination was to be made by the Pope. The whole moral sense of France protested against such methods of proceeding. Then came the incident of M. Loubet's visit to Rome and the virtual deposition of the Bishops of Laval and Dijon followed by the cessation of all diplomatic relations between the Vatican and the Quay d'Orsay. The anti-Clerical found in this the golden opportunity to abrogate the Concordat. M. Combes was prompt to use the occasion, and if no unforeseen contingency affects his supporters, he will have a majority in both houses for his proposal. This is probably the most troublesome question every decided by the French Parliament. What increases the difficulty is the question of the edifices devoted to the service of the Church. By the Concordat they belong to the State; although, it must be remembered, they had belonged to the Church before the Revolution. The cathedrals, the churches, the chapels, the episcopal palaces, the mannes, and innumerable buildings used by the clergy were not only considered State property, but have been improved and restored at the expense of the State. In addition to the use of these buildings, the clergy received emoluments now reaching the sum of forty-two millions of francs a year, not to speak of important appropriations to theological schools, to missionaries, and to kindred purposes. Several projects of reparation have been proposed, but all agree that all State privileges must cease—that the Church shall no longer be supported by skeptics, Jews, and protestants; that it shall provide for its own life by exclusively a religious organization, and not a State within a State. The Church will continue to enjoy the essential liberties of religious bodies—liberty of meeting, liberty of praying, of teaching religion, of giving

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religious instruction to the young and preparing the future clergy. It must, however, remain a great association devoted to religion and not to other pursuits. One of the great obstacles to a satisfactory solution of the task before Parliament is the predominance of the belligerent spirit. Rightly or wrongly, Catholicism stands thoroughly discredited in the eyes of the anti-Clericals. They consider the priesthood as ever ready to carry out "the sinister designs of Rome" and as signally incapable of loyalty to the State. The adroitness of the Jesuits and of representatives of other orders has done much harm to the Church by creating mistrust. The state of mind of anti-Clericals is such that the legislation following the rupture of the Concordat is likely to be made against assumed unscrupulous lawbreakers rather than to regulate the acts of free citizens. Special measures will be taken because the Roman Catholic Church has a head absolute in his authority, who is a foreigner, and therefore not amenable to the coercive jurisdiction of France. Notwithstanding the drastic character of the present policy, it remains true that the majority of the followers of M. Combes, and M. Combes himself, are not the iconoclasts and fanatics that their antagonists have represented. Notwithstanding their harsh methods, there are processions in Catholic villages and even in cities, crucifixes in the school-houses, nuns in the infirmaries, lycées, State schools taught by militant Catholics, and independent institutions whose teachers are secularized Jesuits. Religion has suffered much, precisely because of the signal injustice of State-Churchism. The movement headed by M. Combes may yet be reckoned as ultimately favorable to religion. De Tocqueville said that it was rather in appearance than in reality that the French Revolution was anti-Christian. When disestablishment has become a fact—if it does—it will be seen that it was in appearance rather than in reality that the secularizing movement in France was irreligious. It is not easy for Americans fully to understand the situation in France, and the Outlook has endeavored to state the position dispassionately and frankly. Americans are accustomed to a Catholic Church so radically different from that in France that it is difficult for them to understand how exasperating a reactionary type of Catholicism can be. With any honest effort to separate Church from State, to put all religions on a basis of equality, to confine all religious organizations absolutely to religious functions, Americans of all schools will thoroughly sympathize; any attacks on religion, under any form or under any guise, they will as unanimously condemn. The situation in France, like all situations which deal with long-established conditions, is a mixed one; there has been a good deal to irritate on both sides. It is in one sense a misfortune that the broad intelligence and statesmanlike influence of Leo X could not have been employed in settling this difficult matter. It is highly probable that he would have given no occasion for the present attack on the Concordat; it is quite certain that if his lead had been followed much of the present antagonism to the Clerical party would not have developed. It must be said frankly that priests of all religions are rarely good political leaders. They are not, as a rule, sufficiently in touch with the realities of political life; they do not understand thoroughly modern conditions, and, from the standpoint, of laymen, they often lack frankness and fairness in their dealings. It is the belief of the Outlook that the detachment of the Roman Catholic Church from all relations with the State and the rigid confinement of its activities to the religious field would be an immense gain to the Church.
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CORPORATION NOTICES

Kahuku Plantation Co. SPECIAL MEETING OF STOCK-HOLDERS. A special meeting of the stockholders of the Kahuku Plantation Company will be held at the office of the Company, Stangenwald building, Honolulu on Wednesday, January 11, 1905, at 10 a. m., for the purpose of amending the By-Laws of the Company and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting. GEO. M. ROLPH, Secretary. Honolulu, December 31, 1904.

HAWAIIAN COMMERCIAL & SUGAR COMPANY CLOSING OF BOOKS. Notice is hereby given that the Stock books of the Hawaiian Commercial & Sugar Company will be closed for transfers from Tuesday December 27, 1904, to Thursday, January 5th, 1905. ALEXANDER & BALDWIN, LTD. Honolulu Transfer Agents. Honolulu, December 27th, 1904.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE SITUATE AT Kaluapalena, Kalihi, ISLAND OF OAHU, TERRITORY OF HAWAII.

Pursuant to a decree made by the Honorable W. J. Robinson, Third Judge of the Circuit Court of the First Judicial Circuit, Territory of Hawaii, filed on the 22nd day of December, A. D. 1904, in an action entitled Allen & Robinson, Limited, (a corporation), complainant, vs. J. K. Nakookoo and E. K. Nakookoo, respondents, Bill for Foreclosure of Mortgage, Equity Division No. 1440, the undersigned, as Commissioner, duly appointed, will sell at Public Auction, to the highest and best bidder, subject to confirmation of the Court.

ON SATURDAY, THE 7th DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1905. AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON OF SAID DAY, at the front (mauka) entrance of the Judiciary Building, in Honolulu, Island of Oahu, Territory of Hawaii, the following described real property, to-wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate at Kaluapalena, Kalihi, Honolulu aforesaid, the same being a portion of the premises described in Royal Patent (Grant) 3605 to Pomakalani and known as Lot No. 10 of the Government Map of Kaluapalena and known and designated as Lot 3 of a subdivision of said Lot 10 and more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Commencing at the West corner of the premises, the same being also the corner of Middle Street and a 20-foot lane at a point which bears N. 45° 0' E. and is distant 438.5 feet from the E. corner of Middle and Rose Streets and running thence N. 45° 00' E. 52.5 feet along said Middle Street to Lot 2; thence S. 42° 00' E. 131.5 feet along said Lot 2; thence S. 45° 00' W. 52.2 feet along Lot 4 to the above described lane; thence N. 42° 00' W. 131.5 feet along said lane to the initial point and containing an area of 6,865 square feet. Terms of Sale—Cash in United States Gold Coin; deed at expense of purchaser.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Holmes & Stanley, attorneys for complainant, at their office, corner Merchant and Kaahumanu Streets, Honolulu, or to the undersigned at his office in the Judiciary Building. M. T. SIMONTON, Commissioner. Dated: Honolulu, Oahu, December 23rd, A. D. 1904.

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NOTICE. All outstanding bills must be paid at once; otherwise they will be placed in the hands of a collector. H. J. NOLTE, Honolulu, December 29, 1904.

NOTICE. The undersigned gives notice that Leong Pun has sold his interest and is no longer connected with our company. C. K. CHOW & COMPANY, Honolulu, January 4, 1905.

BAND CONCERT. The Territorial Band will give a concert at Thomas Square this evening at 7:30, with the following program: PART I. March, "Governor Carter".....Berger Overture, "Call of Bagdad".....Boeldieu Selection, "The Messenger Boy".....

Selection, "Belleville".....Millocker Intermezzo, "The Gondolier".....Powell Waltz, "Remembrance".....Waldteufel March, "Pedro".....Berger "Star Spangled Banner."

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MISSION BOARD MAKES ITS REPORT

STATEMENT OF WORK IN FOREIGN FIELDS SHOWS INCREASE DUE TO YOUNG PEOPLE.

BOSTON, Dec. 24.—The annual report of the American Board of Foreign Missions shows disbursements during the past year of \$748,208, an increase over the previous year of \$7905. The excess of expenditures above receipts was \$22,555. The increase was due largely to the new efforts to enlarge the constituency through the Young People's Department. The report says of the work of the European-Turkey mission: "The last year has witnessed the continuance of the efforts of our Government to secure the authoritative recognition of American institutions and of American citizens in the empire which Turkey has long since conceded to the institutions and the citizens of France, Germany, Russia, Italy and England, strangely thus far without success. There is no abatement in the demand which our Government is making. There is a definite purpose to secure what is our manifest right, and unreasonable delay on the part of Turkey will only strengthen the pressure and call forth whatever measures may prove to be beneficial."

COUNTY ACT COMMISSION

BOUNDARIES OF THE COUNTIES DEFINED BY CHAIRMAN COOPER—ONE COUNTY FOR HAWAII.

At last night's meeting of the County Act Commission the draft of the County bill prepared by Chairman Cooper was read by him. It defined the boundaries of the counties, commencing with Oahu, "under the jurisdiction of the Circuit Court of the First Circuit," eliminating all reference to its political position as a taxation and Senatorial election district, as in the county act passed at the last session. These, Judge Cooper said, were territorial definitions.

Mauli was to include that island, Ka-hoolawe, Lanai and that portion of Molokai not devoted to the leper settlement, the county seat to be at Wailuku.

Hawaii to be one county with the county seat at Hilo.

Kauai, including Nihaui, with county seat at Lihue.

McCants Stewart said that he had it on the authority of Coar Smith of Hilo that Hawaii favored two counties. The chair stated that the conservative element favored but one county.

The matter of the leper settlement was passed temporarily the view being that a separate act should be passed placing it under control of the Board of Health.

After a discussion on powers and liabilities of counties and on the number of supervisors, the meeting adjourned until this evening.

REALTY TRANSFERS

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ESCAPED CONVICT RECAPTURED. Lee Yuk, a Chinese convict serving 15 years for highway robbery, escaped from the chain gang at Makiki quarry yesterday afternoon. He ran away when the guard was looking in another direction from where the Chink had been working. Mounted Officer C. F. Rose caught the Chinese near the end of the Punchbowl car line last night.

Want ads in the Star bring quick results. Three lines thrice times for 25 cents.

BRIGHT PROSPECTS ARE AHEAD

HONOLULU SYMPHONY SOCIETY HAS RAISED MONEY TO SECURE THE SERVICES OF STOCKTON.

The following in relation to the Honolulu Symphony Society will be of interest to all music lovers. The fund to secure the services of John Henry Stockton as leader of the orchestra has been subscribed, and the fact has been cabled to him, and a letter written making a formal offer for his services. If he accepts the terms the orchestra may rehearse under his baton by the beginning of March. The regular rehearsals will be held as usual at the Club House at 8 o'clock Friday evenings. Carl Busch will lead such rehearsals until the arrival of Stockton. A faithful attendance is urgently requested. Mr. Busch is a very capable musician and made his first appearance as a musical leader at the German fair, conducting the "Little German Band," the music consisted principally of German airs arranged by him for this occasion. The Society intends to give another of its well liked smokers by the end of this month. The House Committee has already set to work, also the Musical Committee. It promises to come up to the standard set by previous entertainments of the Society.

The annual meeting will be held on the first Friday in February and promises to be interesting. Arrangements in the matter of Stockton and a proposed Mannerchor may then be made, as by that time word should be here from Stockton.

Rehearsals are not only for active members, but for associate members also. The attendance of associate members will stir the ambition of the players and insure much better work. The club house is open every day and offers a great many features of club life, which of course can be greatly improved, but the easier so when support is given by the members through constant use of the property for social purposes.

The prospects for 1905 of the Honolulu Symphony Society are of the brightest. The new leader of course is the center of expectations and if he fulfills them the Honolulu Symphony Society will prove a big success in a musical and social way. More members are needed. The Society has not always been able to give what members have a right to ask, but the board of directors is gradually improving conditions and there is no doubt but what the membership list will show a big increase before the close of 1905.

W. H. Pilger deserves great credit for his efforts in the movement to secure Mr. Stockton.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL

The first game of association football this season will be played at the ball grounds on Saturday between the Iolani and the Mailers.

The Mailer team will be picked from the following players: Catterall, Anderson, Beardmore, Bell, Belsor, Fildes, Churton, Foster, Greig, Guild and McGill.

The Iolani will be: E. Kellett, J. Kelett, Desha, M. Anderson, J. Anderson, Gleason, Fernandez, Woo, C. Campbell, Williams, Kea, Boss, Macfarlane and Sherwood.

ANGUS WON OUT

G. H. Angus won the Hall & Son medal play handicap cup for the best four rounds, two consecutive, made during November and December, at the Manoa links, with the following scores: First 18 holes 84 gross, less 10 handicap, 74 net. Second 18 holes 90 gross, less 10 handicap, 80 net.

E. C. Brown with a 15 handicap was second, scoring 158, and William Williamson third, scoring 166. On Sunday, January 15, the club intends holding a foursome handicap tournament. First and second prizes will be awarded. Entry fee will be 50 cents.

HALEIWA CHALLENGE CUP

R. B. Booth won the Haleiwa challenge cup in the golf tournament on Monday. He is a new player and his win was a popular one. The scores were:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. IR. 2R. G. H. N. Dr. C. B. High.....51 56 107 7 100 A. S. Mahaulu.....51 52 103 7 96 Dr. H. Wood.....54 51 105 7 98 H. Mahaulu.....57 54 111 7 104 Dr. A. C. Wall.....55 60 115 12 103 R. B. Booth.....62 55 117 50 87 Dr. O. E. Wall.....Unfinished F. C. Smith.....Unfinished J. S. Orme.....63 56 117 20 98 H. Johnson.....61 60 121 15 106 H. R. Grant.....Unfinished

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NEWS BY CABLE

A HARD WINTER EAST. LONDON, Jan. 3.—The severity of the present weather is most unusual. The streets of Paris are icy, Switzerland has the fiercest blizzard it has known since 1873. Naples is covered with snow and the cold is severe in Rome and Spain.

NEW YORK, Jan.—This city is suffering from the severest storm in years. There are nine inches of snow on the level and traffic has been paralyzed. Seven deaths from cold and great suffering among the poor are reported.

SICK AND WOUNDED. Washington, January 4th, 1905. To the Japanese Consul General, Honolulu.

Our Port Arthur army reports as follows: Order is maintained in the town of Port Arthur. The population is composed of 9,000 civilians and 25,000 combatants, whereof there are 20,000 sick and wounded. There are some provisions, but sanitary materials being exhausted the Japanese are very busy in giving their aid. TAKAHIRA.

JAPANESE OCCUPY THE FORTS. Washington, January 4th, 1905. To the Japanese Consul General, Honolulu.

General Nogi reports that the Itushan and other forts were delivered to us at 1:30 p. m., as a guarantee of capitulation. TAKAHIRA.

FATAL EXPLOSION. HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Jan. 3.—Eight were killed in a steamboat explosion here.

THE JAPANESE ENTRY. NAGASAKI, Jan. 5.—The Japanese now have possession of Port Arthur, but will not make their formal entry until the 8th.

JAP WARSHIPS OFF SUMATRA. BATAVIA, Jan. 5.—Four Japanese warships are off the coast of Sumatra.

THE NIGRETIA CONDEMNED. NAGASAKI, Jan. 5.—The British steamer Nigretia has been condemned at Port Arthur. She was a blockade-runner.

GLOOMY CHRISTMAS. ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 5.—It is proposed to dispense with all public decorations at Christmas (Greek) owing to the Port Arthur calamity. The churches are filled with mourners and the War Office is besieged with inquiries about relatives. The press is blaming officials for concealing the facts.

It is believed the Emperor will issue a "sergei" waiting a court-martial for General Stoesse. The Government has stopped the street sales of The Russ, owing to its ditorial criticisms.

GAS COMPANY GOING AHEAD

W. R. CASTLE EXPECTS TO BE ABLE TO DELIVER THE GOODS IN HONOLULU BY JUNE.

W. R. Castle, who is prominently connected with the new scheme for supplying Honolulu with gas and who returned from the Coast on the Mongolia yesterday thinks that it is altogether probable that gas will be available for household purposes by June 1. While in San Francisco he signed contracts for the construction of gasometers and the Honolulu Iron Works has already commenced to make fifteen miles of pipe according to contract. All of the gas making machinery has been ordered and experts have been engaged to arrange its installation.

The contracts call for the completion of the work in sixty days," said Mr. Castle yesterday and we figure that by April 1 we may be able to get down to actual construction work here. The contractors will send some men here on a steamer about the middle of the month. They will look over the field to lay out the entire plant and then we shall get to work at once. We will have everything finished by June 1. A regular gas canvasser, who is thoroughly conversant with gas business, will find out exactly what we can depend upon for support among the residents, so that connections can be made. We have stipulated all the way through that the coast contractors are only to send men here who are experts in matters connected with gas installation and whose services are indispensable. All other people will be hired here.

The system which has been adopted is the Lowe process for making gas from crude oil. There will be more or less water gas manufactured. We are going to produce a first class heating fuel. It is the same system in use in Oakland. We expect to be able to supply hotels, restaurants and houses with gas for ranges whereby they can cook with every comfort and at a reasonable cost. It will also be supplied as power for use in driving gas engines, etc.

"We have not decided upon the location of the gas works, but we will place them away from residence centers and somewhere near the water front, so as to cheapen the expense of the transportation of the crude oil."

WAR VETERANS INSTALLED

The officers of the U. S. War Veterans of Theodore Roosevelt Camp No. 1, Department of Hawaii, were installed last night. They were Commander, Paul Smith; senior vice commander, Otto Schwedtfager; junior vice commander, George Benzley; officer of the day, R. N. Spencer; officer of the guard, L. E. Twomey; chaplain, G. H. Guntler; adjutant, R. H. Long; quartermaster, H. T. Moore.

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BY AUTHORITY

WAILUKU JAIL AND FIRE STATION. Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Public Works, until 12 o'clock m. of January 23, 1905, for constructing the Wailuku Jail and Fire Station, Wailuku, Maui, T. H.

Revised plans and specifications are on file at the office of the Asst. Supt. of Public Works, and with L. M. Baldwin, Sheriff of Wailuku, Maui, copies of which will be furnished intending bidders on receipt of \$5, which sum will be returned intending bidder after he has deposited his bid and returned the plans and specifications.

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FAIL TO MEET CUT IN PRICE OF SUGAR

FIRMS THAT HAVE WITHDRAWN FROM THE TRUST ARE STILL QUOTING IT AT 5 1/2 CENTS.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 27.—There was no new phase in the local sugar war yesterday. The opposition firms who have withdrawn from the compact were still quoting 5 1/2 cents per pound for granulated sugar. The refiners have not yet met the cut and report their prices unchanged. The story published that two of the four firms that have left the compact are short of sugar and have been forced to buy from association members, is declared to be untrue. Representatives of these independent firms say that they have plenty of sugar on hand and that it is possible for them to buy from the refineries at the ruling prices in case they need the sugar.

The "Grocer and Country Merchant," is a leading exponent of opinion among the grocery jobbing trade, commenting on the withdrawal of four of the leading jobbers from the Pacific Traffic and Commercial Company, the organization which was formed to secure uniformity in selling prices and the distribution of rebates to the various members, constituting the wholesale grocery trade of the Coast, says: "The results of this important step are still largely in embryo, but an immediate one has been the throwing open of the market and the sale of sugar at the retail trade at all sorts of prices down to net cost. Though the organization in question has not yet been altogether abandoned, this would appear to be unavoidable, since on the one hand the remaining members cannot afford to allow themselves to be undersold by the outside firms, nor on the other hand can the refiners discriminate against the latter, by depriving them of their rebate, without subjecting themselves to the penalties of the Federal anti-trust law."

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ASSESSORS' NOTICE

TO THE INHABITANTS AND OTHER PERSONS LIABLE TO PAY TAXES IN THE TERRITORY OF HAWAII: The Assessors of the Territory of Hawaii hereby give notice that their offices will be open from the FIRST TO THE THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF JANUARY, 1905, inclusive, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. (Sundays and Holidays excepted), and on SATURDAYS until 12 noon, and all persons liable to be taxed in said Territory of Hawaii, either in their own right or as guardian, administrator, executor, trustee or otherwise, are required by law to bring in to the Assessors, within the time above specified, true lists of all their polls and estates, both real and personal.

BLANKS FOR THIS PURPOSE WILL BE FURNISHED UPON APPLICATION AT THE OFFICES OF THE ASSESSORS AND DEPUTIES. "All personal and dog taxes shall be assessed as of, and be due and collectible on and after the first day of January in each year. "All personal and dog taxes which shall remain unpaid on March 31st of each year shall thereby and thereon become delinquent, and ten per cent of the amount thereof shall be added thereto and become due as part thereof." Section 2 Act 51, Session Laws 1896.

JAS. L. HOLT, Assessor Oahu. WILLIAM T. ROBINSON, Assessor, Maui. NATHAN C. WILFONG, Assessor, Hawaii. J. K. FARLEY, Assessor, Kauai. Approved: A. J. CAMPBELL, Treasurer Territory of Hawaii. Honolulu, Oahu, December 29, 1904.

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NEWS IN A NUTSHELL

Paragraphs That Give Condensed News of the Day.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Weather Bureau Office, Young Building.

Temperature—6 a. m., 66; 8 a. m., 69; 10 a. m., 67; Noon, 71. Morning minimum, 61.

Barometer, 8 a. m., 30.94; Absolute humidity, 8 a. m., 4.02 grains per cubic foot; Relative humidity, 8 a. m., 58 per cent; Dew point, 8 a. m., 51.

Wind—Velocity, 6 a. m., 10, E.; 8 a. m., 14, NE.; 10 a. m., 9, E.; Noon, 12, NE.

Rainfall during 24 hours ended 8 a. m., .94 inches.

Total wind movement during 24 hours ended at Noon, 192 miles.

ALEX. McC. ASHLEY, Section Director, U. S. Weather Bureau

A dairy outfit is for sale. See classified column.

A female fox terrier was found. See classified ads.

Sale of ladies' shirt waists on Monday at Whitney & Marsh's.

European Barber Shop, 925 Fort Street, now open. Three barbers in attendance.

The Catholic Ladies Aid Society will meet at the convent tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Copies of The Honolulu Times may be bought of the editor on the street or in the cars—any old time and all Times.

The Superintendent of Public Works re-advertises for tenders for New Beach Road from Kalia to Hanaalei, Kaula.

Henry May & Co. have just received a complete shipment of Hawaiian preserved fruits. Order by telephone Main 22.

Honolulu Brewing & Malting Co. wishes that you may have your full share of Peace, Prosperity and Primo during the New Year.

United States Marshal Hendry has appointed Frank L. Winter chief office deputy for the District of Hawaii and George Roentz, office deputy.

Daniel Logan, Jr., who has been wharf clerk for the Water-Island Company, succeeds Nelson Lansing as freight clerk of the steamer Mauna Loa.

At a smoker given by the Hartford-Yule Alumni Association on December 14, Mr. Cooke of Honolulu varied the entertainment by singing several Hawaiian songs.

The position of district magistrate at Koloa, Kaula, becomes vacant on the 17th of the present month. It has not yet been decided whether the present magistrate will be re-appointed or not.

Judge De Bolt yesterday afternoon gave a decision in favor of the plaintiff in assumpsit suit of the Kaplan Estate against Hing Yip & Co., for \$2,465 and costs.

The Supreme Court sat again this morning for the hearing of motions. Judges Robinson and Matthewman of the circuit bench replaced Justices Hartwell and Hatch.

The plea that there is no jurisdiction for a Circuit Court Judge in chambers to determine the suit is set up in an answer filed today in the action of George Tourney against the Orpheum Company, Ltd.

A. Gartley, general manager of the Hawaiian Electric Co., Ltd., gave a fine luncheon on Monday for all the employees and they had a very pleasant time. The luncheon was given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. Ladd at Pauoa.

The board of supervisors of the Free Kindergarten and Children's Aid Association will hold the regular meeting on Friday morning, January 6, at 9:30 in the Y. W. C. A. rooms. The annual meeting will be held on January 20.

In the action for foreclosure brought by the Hawaiian Trust Company, Ltd., against the Moana Hotel Co., Ltd., the defendant has filed an answer denying the jurisdiction of a Circuit court Judge, sitting in Chambers, to hear the case.

Mr. and Mrs. Ainos F. Barnes of New Haven, Conn., arrived on the Mongolia and are guests at the Young Hotel. They will remain here about two months. They are friends of H. C. Brown of the Y. M. C. A. and Mr. Barnes is a Yale classmate of A. F. Judd.

Papers have been filed with the Territorial treasurer for the incorporation of the Hawaiian Rice Growers and Factors Association Ltd., with a capital stock of \$50,000. Theo. F. Lansing is president, E. A. Mott-Smith, treasurer and C. K. Al, secretary. The directors are T. F. Lansing, W. L. Hopper, I. Rubenstein, L. L. McCandless, Tong Phong, Yee Chin, C. K. Al, Y. Ahin and Wong Leong.

MAIL VESSELS DUE TOMORROW.

The U. S. Alameda is due tomorrow morning from San Francisco with three days later mail from the mainland. The S. S. Doric is due tomorrow from the Orient with 700 tons of freight for this port. She will sail tomorrow for San Francisco if she gets discharged in time. In any event she will sail on Saturday. The transport Sherman is due today from Manila and Nagasaki and the transport Thomas is expected Saturday from San Francisco.

CHOICE ALGAROBA FIRE WOOD

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POLICEMEN CALLED ON THE CARPET

EIGHTEEN MEMBERS OF FORCE WHO FAILED TO ANSWER RIOT ALARM ASKED TO EXPLAIN.

Things were dusty about the police station today. There was a hoe down and double shuffle on the police carpet. No less than eighteen members of the police force were on the carpet before High Sheriff Henry and Deputy Sheriff Rawlins for failure to obey orders. The riot drill last night was responsible for the dozen and a half of the men getting into trouble. While the large majority of the forces turned out there were eighteen absent ones. That is the reason for their being on the carpet today. They were called up to explain the cause for their failing to respond to the call of duty. Some of them said they were sick, others claimed that they had been on special duty, others said something else and some more had other excuses. All of the offenders were sorry and said so, and their excuses as a rule were satisfactory.

LAHAINA LOCALS.

At a citizen's meeting in the court house on Monday morning recommendations were made to members of the legislature, as follows: In favor of appropriations for a new wharf, sewer systems, sanitary inspector, rock crusher, market, road repairs, hose cart, and other public needs; also in favor of establishing the county seat at Lahaina.

The proprietor of the Aping store in Lahaina professes entire ignorance in regard to the rumored project of organizing a new steamer line between Honolulu and Maui ports.

There were pleasant New Year's festivities, including serenades and lively performances at the Japanese theater. There was a small fire Monday night in a Chinese laundry.

FOR ILLICIT DISTILLING.

United States Marshal Hendry returned from Lahaina this morning with a prisoner named Konao whom he arrested on a charge of the illicit distilling of liquor. The man is alleged to have been the proprietor of a flourishing okolehao establishment. He will come before U. S. Commissioner Judd on Monday next for preliminary investigation.

CIVIL CALENDAR CALLED.

Most of the attorneys in the city were gathered in Judge De Bolt's court this morning when he took up the calling of the odd numbers on the civil list of jury and jury waived cases on the January calendar of the Circuit Court. The work took up the greater part of the morning a large batch of the cases being marked as ready for trial.

THE RICHARDSON CASES.

In the case of Edwin Vivian Richardson, over whose head there are hanging five charges of embezzlement of public funds for trial at the present criminal term, his attorney A. G. M. Robertson this morning filed application for bills of particulars in each case asking for the details of the appointment of the accused referred to in the indictment and also the particulars of the sum or sums of money which he is assumed to have received.

DECLINE OF THE MINISTRY

PRESIDENT HARPER OF CHICAGO SAYS FEWER MEN ENTER THE SACRED CALLING EVERY YEAR.

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—Fewer young men are entering the ministry every year. In thirty of the more important theological schools of the North there were enrolled 1,322 students. In 1904 the same schools registered 2133, a decrease of 389, or 15 per cent. Dr. William H. Harper, president of the University of Chicago, gives these figures in the current issue of The World today.

There are a number of causes for this decrease, he says. The principal one is that the ministry has been brought into disrepute in certain denominations by young men being admitted to its ranks without adequate preparation. "The dignity of the office," he says, "has been greatly injured in this way. The minister is no longer the one person in the community who stands high above the others, and who, for that reason is fit for no other, commands the esteem and respect of all."

The sacredness and consequently the attractiveness of the position have largely been lost, while, on the other hand, the attorney, physician and even the engineer and teacher have come to occupy positions which in each case possess attractions of a peculiar character.

LAHAINA ROAD BOARD.

After long consideration Governor Carter has decided to appoint August Raymond to the vacancy on the Lahaina road board caused by the election of Hayselden to the Senate. The Honokohau people are thus to be gratified in their wish to be represented on the Board. The road runs from Lahaina to Honokohau, but the Lahaina people have had all the representation on the Board, as while they pay \$1000 of the tax, only \$60 came from the other end. The Governor has made the appointment despite the recommendation of the Republican committee as there are two appropriations from the loan fund to be spent at either end of the road, and he thinks that Honokohau should be represented.

ARRIVING.

Am. ship Marion Chilcott, Williams, 15 days from Monterey, at 2:30 p. m.

AUCTION SALE

FRIDAY, JANUARY 6, 1905. 10 O'CLOCK A. M.

At my salesrooms, 847 Kaahumanu street.

Regular Friday Sale

Furniture, Produce, Case Goods, Show Cases, Pictures, Dry Goods, Shoes, Etc., Etc.

JAMES F. MORGAN, AUCTIONEER.

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I will sell at my salesrooms on above date.

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HISTORIC LAND ON THE MARKET

GROUND ON WHICH THE BATTLE OF THE BOYNE WAS FOUGHT IS OFFERED TO HIGHEST BIDDER.

DUBLIN, December 25.—Another historic bit of Ireland is to be sold. The lands comprising the battle-field of the Boyne, where William of Orange won a signal victory, are in the market, and any one with a well-filled pocket book whether English or Irish, American or Japanese, on payment of the price may become owner of this spot, so rich in historic memories.

The battle-field lies on the banks of the river Boyne, on the east coast of Ireland, which empties its waters into the Irish sea. The scene of the battle is about seven miles west from the mouth of the river, and three miles west of Brogheda. It is close to the old town. In the center of the battle-field rises an obelisk 150 feet in height, which commemorates the deeds of arms enacted there. The battle was fought July 12, 1690, a battle which assured British ascendancy in Ireland, and which was fatal to the cause of James II. His troops 30,000 in number, were defeated, with the loss of 1500, by the forces of William, who had about the same number of men, but lost only 500.

The Boyne battle field in coming on the market, is following the lead of several other historic bits of Ireland. During the last few years both the lakes of Killarney and the Red Hill of Tara were offered for sale and found purchasers.

WANTS PARTICULARS.

Application for bills of particulars have been filed by A. G. M. Robertson in the cases of Chang A. Chick Lung and Ching Chun Yee accused at the present term of running a che fa game.

ROOMS FREE OF MOSQUITOES.

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