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"To offset the better conditions prevailing in the sugar market, we were confronted with serious loss in sugar production occasioned by insect pests and other causes. It will be seen from the report of sugar production presented by your Secretary that the total for the 1903-1904 crop is 267,475 tons, as against 487,991 tons last year, showing a decrease of 70,516 tons from last year's crop, and you will notice that few of the plantations show any increase of output over the previous year. The final outturn of the crop is considerably below the preliminary estimates made at the beginning of the campaign and the large shrinkage in yield can largely be attributed to the damage resulting from the attacks of leaf-hopper, although the long continued storms of high winds and heavy rains, which prevailed in February and March, are responsible for no inconsiderable portion of the shortage. We have had, taken all together, a favorable year for the growth of the young canes; the winter was warm and the cane was vigorous in growth up to the time of the cold rains in the early part of the year. With the return of fair weather they rapidly recovered and throughout the summer the growth has been unusually rapid in most localities, and, had it not been for the leaf hopper and other pests which tended to stunt the growth and decrease the sugar content, we would be justified in expecting the coming crop to be one of the largest ever produced in these Islands."

Port Arthur Situation.

Mukden, Nov 17—It is believed there will be important military developments soon.

St Petersburg, Nov 17—General Stoessel reports his ability to hold the inner line of forts intact.

Chefoo, Nov 17—The Russians have blown up the torpedo boat destroyer Rastorpony, which arrived here with dispatches from Port Arthur.

Chefoo, Nov 17—Three Japanese torpedo destroyers arrived in port last evening and being satisfied that the Rastorpony had been sunk, departed.

Kushk, Nov 17—A Russian magazine exploded here yesterday and many soldiers were killed.

Japs Make Charges.

The Japanese arrested on the charge of distilling okolehao in Koolau made some startling charges in the Federal Court yesterday against Deputy Sheriff Richard Lane. They claimed that they paid the officer \$75 for the privilege of carrying on their business unmolested. The arrest, according to their statements, was brought about after the money payment.

Planters' Officers.

The Planters' Association yesterday afternoon elected the following officers: F M Swazzy, president; H P Baldwin, vice president; W O Smith, secretary and treasurer; G H Robertson, auditor.

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Days ago THE INDEPENDENT asked the question—who is Governor of this Territory?—whether it was Geo R Carter or the Republican Executive Committee, but we haven't got any answer to it yet. And yesterday we again asked—who was at the head and front of that self-same Executive Committee, whether Aleck Robertson or Governor Carter, and still so far no answer has as yet been made. Perhaps it is yet too early.

We don't think that we'll get any answers to them unless we answer them ourselves. To the first question, the Executive Committee seems to be running the Governor or rather the gubernatorial office, and to the second, the Governor is everything, the chairman being only a figurhead. The sum and substance of the whole matter is, that the Governor is the head and front of the whole push, from top to bottom, and whatever he says goes, and if not, he'll make it his business to find out the reason why. At a glance, he looks to be all innocence, but the deeper one scrutinizes and cogitates the more will be found that he is,

push, for without him or his knowledge, nothing can go. Before anything goes, it must first have his consent and approval, otherwise it can never be.

What then is to be done with such a strenuous push? Nothing. We'll have to take our medicine manfully and act like good children, and will have to grin and bear it for another two years of strenuousness, and until the next time, as there is always a "next" to anything and everything. Whenever the knob is pushed, the automaton bow gracefully without a word, all in the push being in a hush—a very still hush,—for none dare open his mouth against this gigantic brain and strenuous and active mind.

WHO ARE THESE TRADUCERS?

"Some of the most thinking and influential Hawaiians, in commenting upon such matters to me, have said that if I really had the best interests of the Hawaiians at heart I would not appoint them to positions where they would be compelled by the nature of the offices which they occupied to take the initiative; that I would not thrust too great responsibilities upon them; that there had already been too many cases of failure to suit them; that each such failure only went to affect the character and reputation of the Hawaiian, and that I could do the Hawaiians no greater service than to protect them from such things."

The above, forming part of what purports to be an authorized statement by the Governor relative to alleged differences between himself and Kuhio as to distribution of government patronage, merits more than passing notice.

With the quarrels of ambitious factions within the Republican party over the "spoils" coming to them through party supremacy, we have to do, save as such quarrels may affect public policy or reduce the public Treasury.

We have a great deal to do, on the other hand, with public utterances of the first man in the land, from a political standpoint, especially, when he veils his expressions by prefacing them with the statement that they were suggested by "thinking and influential" members of the race which is being traduced.

Since the Governor has volunteered these infamous aspersions on the Hawaiian race, we demand of him the names of his "thinking and influential" advisers who would thus glibly hand over to the tender mercies of a single person the constitutional rights and prerogatives of the Hawaiian people.

Nobody asked the Governor to give expression to such sentiments; it would have been sufficient for us to see evidences of his policy in the character of his appointments as time went on but since he has seen fit to pursue a course of "publicity" it behooves him to take one step further and publish the names of those on whose alleged statements he base his utterances "affecting the character and reputation of the Hawaiians."

In the name of the Hawaiian people, we repeat—WHO ARE THESE TRADUCERS?

TOPICS OF THE DAY.

Why shouldn't Democrats open up a fight when things done on election day were so raw? Even if defeated in the attempt, it will go to show that they did something towards protecting the rights of all.

Hawaiians, with the power in their own hands, have allowed themselves to be used for no other purpose, but to be turned against themselves. They can't expect any consideration from such a source and they have only themselves to blame for being so placed.

Tax Assessor Holt is certainly to be congratulated on his success in gathering in Government revenues since assuming the reins of office. He has collected more in the same space of time this year than any of his predecessors, and has done so with far less friction. The excellence of his work is even more pronounced and plain when the fact of the very hard times is taken into consideration.

The appointment of Leslie Scott in the Audit office, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Isaac H Sherwood, bears out what we said days ago, prior to election day, "that no native Hawaiian, not a native haole," will be appointed to the place. Where are the Hawaiian Republicans? No thought is given of them, because the vacant place was that of a Hawaiian. They are simply not in the swim and are out in the cold. None of them are fit for the place.

Leakages from the Executive Committee's chambers, which our diekey bird has brought to us, that it has been there considered that Hawaiians are not to be hereafter placed in any responsible positions, but only as mere understrappers and the likes, and that the only thing they are wanted for is just what happens to us on election day, and after that—to the devil with them. Well, we'll see whether it is to be or will be. The past is only too well-known to us, but as to the coming future, what is it to be?

One of the Republican speakers at Aala park last Saturday night, we believe it was Kaleiopa, said that the Republican party made a clean sweep with one exception, and that one was Kaniho, whom he termed a *mu*, and when Anglicized it means a weevil or worm or borer, like the sugar cane borer, called *mu* by Hawaiians. He likened Kaniho to a weevil in a bag of corn, in other words, belittling a fellow Hawaiian because of difference in politics. But we think the *mu* can bore a hole through this upstart of a politician before he is many days old in the House.

Mr Henry Vida states that the position of assistant Deputy Sheriff has never been offered to him and that, as a matter of fact, no office has been offered to him. He wishes to contradict any statements which have been made to the contrary.—Evening Bulletin.

And Mr Vida—we are reliably informed, stated yesterday that he was offered the position of Deputy Sheriff and had not then yet declined the same. Mr Vida like other loyal henchmen of the Party in power are "out for the stuff" in some way. They have kept their pledge, delivered the goods and now look to the

party for the "wherewith" to subsist until the next election. We don't blame him nor them for aiming at the best thing that's going.

"Take the example of J H Boyd; when Boyd was in the Interior Department, and he was there for many years, he filled the position with great credit; he did his work well and conscientiously and there was absolutely no cause for complaint in any way; but as soon as the responsibility of initiative fell upon him he proved a complete failure."

The above extract from Governor Carters authorized Hawaiian version of the "Kilkenny Cats" is a fit sequel to the "very strenuous" notice we gave the Colonel in our issue of last Tuesday. Chew this over, Jimmie, and if it don't make your blue blood boil. We are one of those Democrats whom you "induced" to vote Republican.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

The Independent 50 cents per month.

Superintendent J D McVeigh is over from the Molokai settlement.

Sol N Sheridan has taken a position on the Advertiser as reporter.

The Doric got away promptly at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon for the Orient.

The Builders and Traders Exchange will transact business this evening.

This is the evening of the staging of "The Spy" at the Hawaiian Opera house.

Mrs S M Damon and her son, Douglas, returned yesterday from a tour of Europe.

Punahou and Kams will play their second game on Punahou field Saturday afternoon.

The Kores is expected sometime tomorrow from the Orient on her way to San Francisco.

In a brush with police officers at Makaweli, 24 Japanese were arrested and charged with rioting.

The steamer Hawaiian arrived at Philadelphia breakwater yesterday from Honolulu with sugar.

Arthur Berg returned yesterday from San Francisco whither he had gone on insurance business.

H C Meyers, of the auditing department, returned yesterday from a trip to the mainland.

Bill Huihui has left business for a week and is giving his entire time to training for his coming fight.

Mrs A K Campbell-Parker will give an at home from 3 to 5 this afternoon to meet Mrs W A Purdy.

D Alvin Fox, formerly of Honolulu, and Miss Lottie S Brown were married at Norwalk, Ohio, yesterday.

A rumor was going the rounds of the city this forenoon that Deputy Sheriff Albert McGurn is to be retired.

There has again been a change in engineers on board the Iroquois. Mr Ford will likely return to the Coast.

The birth anniversary of King Kalakaua was duly observed yesterday by miniature yacht racing in the harbor.

The steamer Niihau will sail at 5 p m for Kauai. At the same hour the Kaulani will get away for Molokai and Maui.

Mrs Josephine Robinson and John C C Follett were married at Eagle-side last evening. The groom is first officer of the steamship Nevada.

Mrs D McConnell has moved from No 9 Garden Lane to No 1223 Emma street. Furnished rooms.

The Medical Association of Hawaii will meet Saturday in annual session. The annual banquet will take place at the Moana hotel on Monday evening.

The case of the four Waiulus Chinamen, charged with riot, was discharged by Judge Gear yesterday on account of irregularities in presenting the case.

Paderewski, the famous pianist who will pass through on the Ventura, will not give a recital here as it will be impossible to hold the steamer over night.

Gertrude Damon has been appointed administratrix of the estate of the late S E Damon, without bonds. A T Brock, J M Makianou and J A Thompson were appointed to appraise the estate.

No bids at all were received at the public works office yesterday for constructing the new jail and fire station at Wailuku. The reason given is that the appropriation of \$7000 is insufficient.

Mrs E M Fowler, formerly Miss Margaret Brewster, a teacher in Oahu college, has fallen heirless to her portion of \$4,000,000, the value of the property of her husband who died recently in Oakland.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Governor Carter issued his Thanksgiving proclamation yesterday. It follows the form generally used on the mainland.

Dr Tomizu Katsunumu and Dr A R Rowatt have been appointed on the commission to inspect animals. The other member is W F Dillingham.

On account of the windy weather, no steamer will be outward bound, although the Niihau was posted to leave for Kauai her leaving is postponed.

Although his name appeared in the passenger list, Emil A Berndt did not return yesterday from San Francisco. He will likely arrive in the Alameda.

The case of Takada Kuitero, charged with murder in the first degree, was arraigned in the district court this morning, but it went over until the 19th.

The Agricultural Experiment station has just issued the annual report of Jared G Smith, and also two bulletins, one treating the pineapple scale and the other the banana in Hawaii.

Officers and guards of Oahu prison have presented High Sheriff Henry with a memorial in which they express regret on account of his departure from the institution. The testimonial is signed by the new jailor and all of the under officers.

STRANGE POLICE CASE.

Man Arrested For Drunk Is Desperately Ill.

T Toepelmann, a chemist at the Pacific Fertilizer Works, is in a serious condition at the Queen's hospital of hemorrhage of the brain. He was found by Officer J Wallace early last night near the corner of King and Liliha streets, and was then in a kind of stupor. The policeman, believing him to be intoxicated, took him to the police station. An examination this morning showed that the man was not intoxicated but was ill as above stated. The physicians have not yet determined whether the hemorrhage came about in the usual way or were caused by a blow from a sand bag or something of that sort.

Toepelmann has been in the Islands several years and was never known to be a hard drinker. That, coupled with the fact of the attack being sudden, gave rise to the assault theory.

District Court Doings.

Other than the libel cases, elsewhere reported, Second Judge Judd disposed of the following: Joe Hao was nolle prossed of assault and battery; Julia Kukulualani had sentence suspended for thirty days for disobedience to parents; for having lottery tickets in possession, Murata was fined \$50; Manuel Correa was fined \$5 for profanity and Nakamura \$5 also for furious and heedless driving; Yamamoto was committed to the Circuit Court for assault with intent to commit murder, and three drunks were assessed as usual. All other cases went over.

The Libel Case.

Before the District Court this forenoon, the political libel cases brought against three Home Rulers by Democrats, were taken up by Second Judge Judd. That against Charles Notley was further postponed to Monday, the 28th instant. Those against J K Nakookoo and Stephen Umeama were committed to the Circuit Court, they having waived examination. By so doing, their cases will have to be investigated by the grand jury.

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Oakland, Nov 2—The will of the
late Samuel T Alexander, the mil-
lionaire Hawaiian sugar planter,
was filed for probate this afternoon.
Mr Alexander died recently in South
Africa, where he was looking for
sugar lands, and was buried on the
banks of Lake Victoria Nyanza.
His estate is estimated to be worth
about \$1,000,000 and he disposes of
it as follows:

To each of his brothers, William
D, James M and Henry M Alexand-
er, he bequeathes \$15,000; to his
sisters, Mary Alexander, Mrs Annie
Diekey and Miss Charlotte Alexand-
er, \$15,000; to his nephews, Charles
Frederick Alexander and William G
Cooke, \$5000, and to his niece,
Helen Alexander, \$5000; to each of
his children, Annie Alexander, Wal-
lace M and Juliette Alexander and
Martha M Waterhouse, he leaves
1000 shares each of the capital stock
of the Hawaiian Commercial and
Sugar Company and also to each of
them 300 shares of Paia Plantation
Company stock.

Will Celebrate.

At a meeting of Portuguese resi-
dents last evening it was decided to
have a ball on their independence
day, which is December 1. The
following committee was appointed
to arrange for the affair:

J M Camara, chairman; J F
Durao, secretary and treasurer.
Committee on arrangements: John
Marcelino, J E Borges and A K
Vierra.

Passengers Departed.

Per S S Sierra, Nov 16, for the
Colonies—Mrs L de L Ward, E G
Duisenberg, Richard Isenberg, G

Per S S Moana, Nov 16, for Van-
couver—E R Folsom and wife, Mrs
Andrew Brown, Miss Mabel A Phil-
lips, Miss M Cash, Mr Delling, Mr
and Mrs Weston.

Per S S Doric, Nov 16, for the
Orient—Mr Clan, wife and servant,
Shioda, Ichizuki and 160 Jap re-
serves.

The Republican Central Com-
mittee has recommended N Fernan-
dez as successor to John C Lane in
the Board of Health.

The German training ship Her-
zogin Sophia Charlotte, which
arrived yesterday, reported what
seemed to be an eruption on the
summit of Mauna Loa.

On account of the enforcement of
the Sunday law by the new high
sheriff, the swimming race between
members of the Healan and Myrtle
Boat clubs will take place at 4 p m
Saturday in place of on Sunday.

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Dividend has been declared and will
be payable at the office of the com-
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GODFREY BROWN,
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Honolulu, Nov 14th, 1904.
2960-1wk

NOTICE OF REWARD.

Notice is hereby given that the
Democratic Central Committee of
this Territory will pay a reward of
Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) for evidence
that will lead to the conviction of
any person voting illegally, or other-
wise violating the election laws of
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By order of the Executive Com-
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