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THE LEGISLATURE.

Let us reflect, and consider in communion with each other, the aspect of affairs in regard to our legislature and the change in our political prospects.

Until the bills for the formation of the new government for Hawaii have become laws, there will remain considerable doubt as to the several duties which may be imposed upon the present legislature should it be convened in special session.

It will, however, be manifestly unfair to the new constituency of the Islands, in whatever manner that constituency may be organized, whether on the lines of a qualified or universal suffrage, that they shall practically be debarred from a share in the organization of the new Territorial Government and the endorsement of officials by the present legislature which represents one-fourth of those honestly entitled to it.

The present legislature was elected by only a proportion even of the total registration of 2,687 voters, of which Hawaii furnished 1,066; Maui, Molokai, and Lanai, 384; Oahu, 810, and Kauai and Niihau, 421. Even at the previous election under the present rule there were 4,436 voters registered, and during the "happy days" of the monarchy no less than 13,000 or 14,000 with a much smaller population of men eligible to vote.

Now it would be rank injustice if 3,000 voters (many of whom have most decidedly changed their views and political affiliation since they have consummated their schemes) should dominate 15,000 or 16,000 persons eligible to vote, and still more unjust that the present regime which, to use the very mildest expression, has disappointed its partisans, and is decidedly unpopular, should have the control of affairs until the new and popular constituency is organized and has elected its representatives in November.

But what can we do about it but wait for daylight? We all know that chaos preceded light and order, and no country could be in a much worse chaotic condition to-day than we are governmentally, while we have practically an inchoate system of dual government, one portion administered in Hawaii and the other at Washington, with Judges metaphorically speaking standing on their heads and with perplexed brains feeling with their feet to ascertain whether their jurisdiction extends to the heavens above, the earth beneath or the waters of the sea that encompass them.

We have also a President of our own, but how far his authority extends, who knows? And we have also a Special Agent of the United States and another Special Agent of an important department of the United States, but they have, apparently, no machinery to carry out their instructions and wishes in order to make them effective with-

out calling upon an armed force, which might, under certain conditions, be construed as a violation of the most sacred rights under the American Constitution.

The position in fact is such that unless these three distinguished gentlemen, and our Judges, were, as they fortunately happen to be, men of sense and understanding and conservative action, serious difficulties and embroilments might ensue disastrous to our political, social and commercial conditions.

There is certainly a splendid opening for sensational demagogues, but for these the sober-minded section of the community must keep open an alert and wary eye and combine for their destruction.

The hastily compiled Newlands' Resolution must bear the blame of this chaotic condition of ours, and behind it the fatuous annexationists who preferred to rush annexation in a hurry, instead of waiting patiently and, etting it drift to consummation in the natural course of events with the consent of the people.

It is even possible, we do not say even remotely probable, that much that has been done will be undone when sober thought succeeds to the immature and illogical reasoning of passion and prejudice, but in the meantime let us face the actual condition of affairs and consider among ourselves what is right and just to the people at large, republican and democrat, radical and conservative, home rule or the balance of power party.

We think the verdict should be that the present Legislature should have nothing to do with the organization of the Territory, but that a new registration of voters and a new election should be held to attend to such matters.

We are aware that this is an affair for Congress to deal with, but if our Government and its supporters were honest and noble men they would advise their friends in Washington to so frame the governmental organic laws of the Territory of Hawaii that the new constituency should have the say and not the present moribund legislature.

Of course there is one satisfaction in the event of political trickery, and that is that a new legislature will be convened next February which may upset all that may be done by the present non-representative body.

A DANGEROUS DECISION.

Solomon, a young Hawaiian, was arraigned in the District Court this morning, charged with secreting an alleged leper. The trial which ended in the conviction of the man is an incident of the dangerous laws, which well-meaning legislators have made, but which carry with them dangers to the safety of the people and are fraught with possible corruption and the venting of personal spite and the seeking of revenge.

Solomon was accused of hiding a woman described as his wife and named Helen, who, according to an officer of the Board of Health, was a "leper-suspect." Helen evidently had no other name, but Dr. Howard's memory was sufficiently powerful to make him testify under oath that he, in October, 1898, did examine a woman named Helen, and that he did consider her suffering from leprosy, and told David Nahoolewa, an officer of the Board of Health, to see that the said Helen appeared at the next meeting of the board of examining physicians. The learned doctor remembered all about Helen, except whether she was a half-white or a Hawaiian, what time in the month she was examined, and why in his opinion she was a leper. He admitted that he had no authority to declare anybody afflicted with the dread disease, and stated that no records

were kept at the dispensary which could throw more light on the case in question. But he fully remembered the woman with the unusual name of Helen being condemned by him three or four months ago.

David Nahoolewa, an officer of the Board of Health, claimed that the woman, Helen, had moved from Queen street to Palama with Solomon, and that he thereby had missed her, when he called around at her former residence. It did not dawn upon the mind of the officer that people do move from one place to another in Honolulu, and that Palama would not be considered a very good "hiding" place. A native woman who claimed to be the landlady of the unfortunate Helen said, that she got "makau" when she saw the girl, because there were wrinkles under her eyes and other signs of leprosy. And upon such flimsy evidence was the woman stamped in our District Court as a leper, and her husband found guilty of secreting her from an irresponsible officer of the Board of Health.

The law under which Solomon was charged is plain enough. It says that those who hide and secret prisoners afflicted with leprosy, knowingly, are guilty of a misdemeanor. The law was made with special regard to preventing escaped lepers, and people officially pronounced lepers from finding an asylum under the roofs of friends. The law is wise and proper, but it was never intended for those who allow "suspects" to stay with them—it means people considered lepers by a Dr. Howard, a David Nahoolewa, or some old woman, possibly nursing a grudge and a grievance.

No person should be arrested here except through due process of law, and we see nothing in our statutes which can give the arbitrary authority into the hands of a Board of Health officer to order men and women to appear before doctors and

through their ignorance or spite endeavoring to place the stigma of leprosy on their face names. No foreign citizens residing here would ever respond to a call by the Nahoolewas of the Board of Health, but what can the poor kanakas do, when even the liberal minded district magistrate adopts an interpretation of the law as that pronounced by Judge Wilcox this morning.

A dangerous precedent has been established similar to the conditions which at one time necessitated the abolishment of private insane asylums in the countries of Europe.

It is dangerous and abominable to give too much power into the hands of irresponsible officials, and more especially so when the sick and unfortunates are made the possible victims of avarice or spite. At some future date we may make some startling disclosures in regard to leprosy in Hawaii, which will lead to a revolution in our present system and conditions of segregation. The rich can take care of themselves. Let us look after the interests and rights of the poor.

Two Roses.

Chas. H. Rose of Wilder's S. S. Company will be married this evening at the Roman Catholic Church to Miss Rose Sema. The two young people are favorably known in the community and their numerous friends will bid them a sincere god-speed to-night on their voyage through life. A reception will be held at the home of Mrs. Hopkins at Kalihi after the ceremony.

An Opium Seizure.

Deputy Marshal Chillingworth captured a well-known Chinese opium dealer last night with eight tins in his possession. The young officer who acted on information received, had quite a struggle before the man surrendered. In the District Court the man plead guilty this morning and was fined \$150 and costs.

Timely Topics.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS

Stylish Millinery at Sachs.

The commissioners of Education meet this afternoon.

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The Amateur Orchestra rehearses at the Y. M. C. A. this evening.

The Kilauea Hou, Kawai and Mikahala arrived this morning.

The Mauna Loa will leave on her regular route to-morrow morning.

Putting a pin on a man's chair is an old joke that never loses its point.

N. S. Sachs Dry Goods Co. are the people's providers. Bargains in all departments.

There really was a miniature eclipse of the sun yesterday, and the Almanachs spoke the truth.

Theo. H. Davies & Co. expect the S. S. Leunox to sail hence for Portland, Or., on the 20th instant.

The second term of the educational classes of the Y. M. C. A. has opened under successful auspices.

Judge Edward Hore has been appointed Tax Assessor and Collector for the District of Waialua, Oahu.

Persons requiring tombstones should apply to Fred. Harrison who has a choice lot of new designs on view.

The Hawaiian Rifle Association has announced its program for the shooting tournament of the 17th instant.

Manager Post has arranged an excellent program for Saturday evening's Amateur Minstrel performance at the Orpheum.

E. B. Thomas has secured the contract to build the masonry tower for the Diamond Head Lighthouse at the price of \$1170.

Mr. W. L. Howard of Castle & Cooke, will be married this evening at the Central Union Church, to Mrs. Goddard of this city.

In the case of Solomon charged with hiding a leper, sentence was suspended until the 14th inst. J. L. Kaulukou for the defendant.

Ring up Telebons 113 if any one desires a good rubber tired hack with careful drivers. J. S. Andrade, Manager City Carriage Co.

Capt. Garland, late of the missionary packet Morning Star, has been appointed assistant harbor master and has entered upon his duties.

A meeting of all interested in a baseball season is called for to-morrow evening at the headquarters of Co. G, at the Drill Shed, at 7:30.

The Executive Council has ordered the payment to the Oahu Railway Co. of the subsidy earned of \$10,500 granted on the report of the official inspectors.

St. Andrew's Guild meets at the residence of Rev. Alexander Mackintosh at 7:30 o'clock this evening for the election of officers and for other important business.

The Foundry is busily engaged shipping the nine roller mill and other machinery for the new plantation. This is heavy work for our railroad, but proves its practical utility.

Jack McVeigh at the Quarantine Station, has at last tumbled on to the Chinese grape-vine communicating system by discovering the vegetable letter carriers. Are there any carrier pigeons over at the Station?

The Supreme Court is again busy with Chinese habeas corpus cases, and there was an interestingly hot time between Attorney Ballou (Morgan's connection) and our own pet Attorney-General yesterday afternoon.

Hiloites will be both surprised and pleased to receive Judge Stanley to sit at their term in the cases in which Judge Wilder is disqualified. They expected to see Judge Perry, the *locum tenens* of Justice Fear on the Supreme Bench.

This Thursday evening there will be the annual meeting and social at Central Union Church, at which time will be presented the reports of church work, also of the sabbath-school and societies connected with the church. All are cordially invited to attend.

F. W. Wood, Deputy High Chief Ranger, has installed the following officers of the Court Camoes, 8110 A. O. F. The lodge is in a prosperous condition with 87 members: C. R., J. P. Dias; S. C. R., J. A. Gonsalves; F. S., A. H. R. Vieira; R. S., M. C. Pacheco; T., J. P. Eckardt; S. W., J. Machado; J. W., J. Leal; J.; S. B., J. B. da Ponte; J. B., T. P. Melim; Physician, Dr. L. F. Alvarez.

WE ARE GOOD!

Marshal Brown is surprised at the "goodie-goodie" complexion of Honolulu since he has seen the "bad" views of San Francisco. Our Police Court records are simply childish and the Marshal is endeavoring to find something where he can show his next teachings. During Christmas and New Year Honolulu was "make": here is the S. F. record:

According to the police this has been the bibulous Christmas record. Sunday morning eighty-seven drunks were discharged by Judge Joschimsen, and yesterday morning the number reached 127, making a grand total for the two days of 214. They were a motley crowd of men and women as they ranged themselves before the Judge, and all had the same excuse to offer—"Christmas." The property clerk had more property taken from prisoners than at any previous occasion in his recollection.

Compared with Sunday, the cases treated at the Receiving Hospital were few, and most of them consisted of broken noses.

Pickpockets were busy Sunday, and several cases were reported at police headquarters yesterday morning. The result has been that Captain Bohem has instructed his force of detectives to bring in every known pickpocket and bunco man in the city, and he will throw the onus of disposing of them upon the Police Judge.

TOPICS OF THE DAY.

The Postmaster-General is increasing his staff in a very conspicuous manner. Young "holes" are finding ready employment in the General Post Office, but we regret to say that the service is by no means improved, and that the more clerks appointed the more work falls on the shoulders of Louis Kenake and the old staff. By the way, are there no Hawaiians suitable for a job in the bureau?

An observer asks whether THE INDEPENDENT is aware of the fact that a certain "Poker room" on Hotel street is visited daily by from three to ten police officers of different ranks and grades. Observer ought to know that a police officer, a doctor and a news paper man can be seen everywhere without any reflections being permissible. The police frequenting the room are perhaps trying to retrieve chances lost at Che-fa.

Naughty Newspaper Boys.

Dalton, an elderly mechanic, who claimed to be in the employ of Rowell, was charged in the District Court this morning with assaulting a small newspaper boy. He claimed that a whole regiment of the distributors of news and Bulletins followed him on the street, pulled his coat tails and angered him to such an extent that he gave one of them a gentle "tap." A police officer said that Dalton's adversity to newspapers arose from too much "booze" and that the gentle "tap" knocked the boy over. The little fellow told his story in the Advertiser English, making several columns out of it, and Dalton was eventually reprimanded and told not to get into trouble with the newspapers any more.

The Habeas Corpus Cases.

U. S. Special Agents Sewall and Brown with Chinese Vice-Consul Goo Kim Fui were among the listeners to the arguments of the Attorney-General and Messrs. Thurston and Ballou in the Chinese Habeas Corpus cases before the Supreme Court this forenoon. One of the main contentions of the Government was that the Supreme Court could not review its decision, and that the only right of appeal left to the petitioners was to the Secretary of the U. S. Treasury.

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Pigs May Squeal

J. Alfred Magoon's pigs can squeal as much as they please, and his calf can study law in the early morning hours to the annoyance of Geo. A. Davis. The Board of Health has examined the premises complained of and pronounced them in good order, and Mr. Magoon was consequently discharged in the District Court this morning. Let Davis now hire a judge, jailor or jackass and tie them up to Magoon's fence.

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A grand clearance sale of Christmas goods, including dolls and toys, was commenced Monday at L. B. Kerr's store, Queen street, and so great are the bargains that the store has been crowded all day notwithstanding the holiday. Kerr is selling these goods at half price, they being part of a bankrupt stock bought in London. All those in search of Christmas goods would do well to call and examine his stock.

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THE DEBT PAID.

The Friend's Report on Kaumakapili Church Fair and Its Handsome Results.

The Hawaiian people of Kaumakapili Church are making a special and most creditable effort to clear off a debt of \$3000 of many years' standing upon their church edifice. Among the means employed was a very successful fair, held on Dec. 17th in the lower rooms of the church. There was a fine exhibit of native fans, mats, bowls, etc., to which Queen Dowager Kapiolani had contributed from her stores. There were also native refreshments of kulolo, green cocoanut water, etc., besides ice cream, coffee and cake. The native ladies in attendance were assisted by several ladies from Central Union Church. Nearly \$500 was realized during the fair, and more from sales made later. Many tourists made purchases. We secured a sample of the old-fashioned, homely but flexible cocoanut fans, which are incomparably superior in delivery of wind to the fancy modern styles of stiff fans latterly plaited by the natives from bamboo and iwaiwa.

Some fifteen years ago King Kalakaua led the natives of Kaumakapili recklessly to encumber their church with a debt of some \$8000. Mainly by the aid of "missionary" friends the debt has been slowly reduced. It has been a most depressing burden upon the people.

The fabrics and fancy articles sold at the different counters, as cushions, pillows, hats, fans, mats, etc., were of a superior grade and all were of native manufacture. Fair prices were asked and paid, it was truly a fair. \$522 was taken on the day of the fair, and by the sale of articles remaining on hand \$133 has since been realized, making in all a total of \$655.

Following the success of their fair, the proceeds of which go towards the payment of the church mortgage of \$3000, the Kaumakapili Church people took up quite a large collection on Christmas Day for the same purpose. The account now stands:

Avails of fair.....	\$ 655 00
Collection Christmas Sunday.....	280 00
Gift from Queen Dowager.....	250 00
W. H. Cummings.....	100 00
Money previously collected.....	235 00
Total.....	\$1,520 00

This will pay off one-half the mortgage. It is hoped that the balance may be raised by a subscription paper among the friends of the church.

The prospect is now hopeful for the final payment of this long-standing mortgage on Kaumakapili Church. Once relieved of it the church will be more able to do its part for the many Hawaiians of this city, comprising as they do, about one-fourth of the native population of the entire group.

We believe that a new era of prosperity is to come to this church. It has a good equipment and the best of pastors who is liked and well supported. The running expenses which are about \$1000 a year, are pledged for 1899 by members of the congregation. Its opportunity is a rare one and should be appreciated by all who care for the welfare of the city. Who can estimate the value of its influence as an organization meeting as it has for years for religious worship in the midst of a population yearly becoming more dense and more cosmopolitan.

P. S.—The latest news from the subscription paper—thanks to the exertions of Mr. George Castle and the donors—is that the \$1500 is secured and then the mortgage is raised.

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