

Three Police Measures Before Session

LEGISLATIVE SIDELIGHTS

Senator Sanji Abe, according to reports reaching Hilo over the weekend, is all ready to introduce a Police Plebiscite Bill in the Senate today.

Rep. Tommie Sakakihara, for a time looked upon as being without much support in the House, is showing his real metal of late.

Francis Aona and Ted Kuramoto, both from the hinterland of the four-legged "nightingales" (Continued on Page Three)

HILO HI CLOSED DUE TO LACK OF WATER

ALL LOCAL JAPANESE LANGUAGE SCHOOLS TO REMAIN CLOSED FOR 2 DAYS

The Hilo High School closed down today due to the lack of water and reports have been received that all local Japanese schools will not open today and tomorrow.

Reports from the Bureau of Water Works and Sewers indicate that the supply of water for this city is very low. Three main reservoirs are empty and it was predicted that the Hilo High School and the Hilo Intermediate School may have to close down due to this dry weather.

Teishiro Fusato's Wife Passes Away

Mrs. Ushi Fusato, 49, of Kahe-naule camp, Papaikou, passed away last night at 8:30 at her home. She has been ill for the past months.

Pahoa Activities

A gala evening was spent by the Pahoa YBA last night at the YBA hall at which time the girls were the honored guests of the boys in observance of Girls' Day.

The Pahoa YBA girls' division met at the Pahoa YBA hall on Sunday afternoon, March 2nd, to hold an "ikebana" class under the tutorage of Mrs. Kin Oshima.

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SEN. V. A. CARVALHO For Mandate



SENATOR SAJI ABE For Plebiscite



REP. T. SAKAKIHARA For "Two In One"

FORMOSAN ARMY WILL ATTACK BURMA TO COUNTERACT ANGLO CHINESE COORDINATION MOVE

TAIHOKU, March 3.—A spokesman for the Japanese Formosan army last night threatened to carry war into Burma in the event Chungking troops should enter the British Asiatic colony.

Commenting on the reported agreement between British authorities and Chiang Kai-shek for the dispatch of Chungking troops to Burma, the spokesman declared that such action would signify "actual British interference in the Sino-Japanese conflict" which will have the "most desirable consequences for Japan."

PRESS REJOICE ACCEPTANCE OF NIPPON TERMS

HIGH OFFICIALS HOLD MEETING AT PREMIER KONOYE'S RESIDENCE

TOKYO, Mar. 3.—Reports of the entry of German troops into Bulgaria this morning shared the attention of the metropolitan press with those of the receipt of the French reply to the Japanese compromise proposal for the settlement of the Thai-French Indo-China border disputes.

The consensus of newspapers and observers was that France accepted Japan's proposal in principle. However, the reply contained a request to Japan to seek further concessions in Thailand's demands.

The daily further understood that Japan would carry on negotiations with both French Indo-China's and Thailand's delegations in order to seek a complete understanding acceptable by both parties. The Asa (Continued on Page Four)

Dokuritsu Alumni Join YPA for Dinner

The previously announced farewell dinner which was to be held by the Dokuritsu YPA at the Sun Sun Lau restaurant on Friday March 7th, commencing at 6:00 p. m. in honor of Miss Sadako Izu who leaves for the Orient on March 12th, has been made a joint affair in coordination with the Dokuritsu Alumni Association.

Reservations must be made by Thursday morning with the following: Fudeko Fujimoto, Yoneko Nakashima, Masayuki Ishibashi, or Masato Shigi.

"Those who shall suffer as a result will be Chiang Kai-shek, Great Britain, as well as innocent Burmese people. Britain should well realize that in carrying on such shallow intrigues, she is digging her own grave," the spokesman stated, adding that British attempts to secure the dispatch of Chungking troops to Burma was evidence of her inability to defend her territory with her own resources, while Chiang Kai-shek is "engaging in traitorous activities, sacrificing Chinese troops in order to curry favor with Britain."

The spokesman denounced alleged British propaganda, claiming that Berlin was urging Japan to attack Singapore, as being motivated by the "dastardly intention of bringing America to the forefront in exerting pressure against Japan and to prevent Japan's southward advance; also in order to bring about an Axis split."

The spokesman further charged Britain in using the alleged Japanese threat on Singapore as a "pretext" to bring military pressure to bear upon Thailand "which Britain covets."

"The recent British actions are entirely too much off the mark no matter how they may have been caused by worry," the spokesman stated, pointing out that while Japan always acted in good faith with her allies, "her Far Eastern policy has been decided by Japan alone."

Good News Awaits Makoto Nakashima

Word has been received by the Hawaii Mainichi from the Internal Revenue office in Honolulu inquiring whether Miss Yoneko Nakashima of the Mainichi is related to a boy named Makoto Nakashima. The message further stated that the Revenue office has good news for the said Makoto Nakashima.

Coffee Blossoms in Bloom After Shower

Jupiter Pluvius, after a long period of absence, finally showed up at the Kona districts last Friday between the hours of 4 to 5 p. m. showering the dry Kona lands with rain.

In response to Jupiter Pluvius appearance the coffee blossoms displayed their sweet faces after a month's delay.

Japanese Ships Led '40 Arrivals In San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27 — Japan led the foreign flag ships with 213 arrivals during 1940, according to figures released by the Marine Exchange.

Norway was second with 201, Britain third with 154, Holland fourth with 42, Honduras with 36, Sweden with 35 and Panama with 30.

Exactly 4,193 ships entered the port all told, representing a loss of 660 ships over the previous year.

Last year's tonnage of arriving vessels has been surpassed every year since 1924. The principal loss was in coastwise trade, which has receded steadily since the peak year of 1929.

Total arrivals at the port of Los Angeles were 5,461, representing a loss of 616 vessels for the year.

U.S. OFFICIALS SEIZE ISLAND FISHING BOATS

HILO FISHERMEN ALSO WILL COME UNDER FEDERAL INVESTIGATION

Following 71 indictments returned by the Federal Grand Jury last Friday against fishermen affiliated with the Pacific Fishing Company, the Honolulu Fishing Company and the Hawaii Sui-san Kaisha, the last a Hilo firm, charging them with conspiracy to violate U. S. laws by means of false bills of sale to secure operating licenses, federal agents in Honolulu were being kept busy rounding sampans and fishermen still at large, according to reports reaching Hilo over the weekend.

Nineteen Sampans Involved

Nineteen sampans, both in Honolulu and other outside islands, are reported to be involved, according to word released by Acting U. S. Attorney Angus Taylor. Orders to seize these sampans and men connected with their operation were given by J. Walter Doyle, Collector of U. S. Customs for the Territory of Hawaii. Ten sampans have been seized by last Saturday afternoon in Honolulu, with others to be taken in immediately after their return to Honolulu.

Investigations on Other Islands

Sampans being operated on the outside islands will come in for investigation also, it was disclosed, with Customs Agent, Grady Aviant, in charge of the work, and assisted by federal officials from both Washington, D. C. and San Francisco. The possibility of espionage activities by sampan owners was also being looked into, with rumors that some of these fishing boats had been seen cruising as far as the Midway Island and French Frigate Shoals.

Thorough Check

Reports released by federal officials indicate that a thorough and extensive investigation will be made until the entire matter is cleared to the satisfaction of U. S. officials. It was disclosed further that the investigation has been just begun with the possibility that (Continued on Page Four)

SENATE TODAY SCHEDULED TO GET SENATOR ABE PLEBISCITE MEASURE ON BIG ISLE POLICE

Carvalho Bill Contrary To Basic Theory And Practice of American Democracy Says Senator Sanji Abe

According to reports emanating from Honolulu, Senator Sanji Abe is scheduled to introduce today in the Senate a plebiscite bill, which will place before the voters of Hawaii county the question of whether or not to change the police administration into a commission form, following his campaign promise to the people.

FOUR SENATORS BACKING ABE

Senator Abe contends that the bill now in the Hawaii Select Committee of the Senate, sponsored by Senator V. A. Carvalho, deprives the voters from voicing their opinion on this important matter—a measure which takes the basic right of an American citizen to vote for an important public official—from the people, the sovereign body in a democracy. It is reported, that he, at present, has the backing of at least four other senators, viz., Senators Charles H. Silva of Hawaii, Trask of Oahu and Fernandes and Gomes of Kauai.

UP TO PEOPLE

Senator Sanji Abe also informed those that talked to him on the question that he was neither for nor against a commission form of police administration for the County of Hawaii, maintaining that such a problem should be left to the voters themselves to decide. Consequently, according to reports, it is his intention to give the people first and final say in the matter and then follow the people's decision up by proper legislation.

UN-AMERICAN SAYS ABE

"To deprive voters of their right of franchise is contrary to the very basic theory and practice of a free, democratic country like America. We must not forget that our government is founded upon the principle that the government's power to govern is derived from the consent of the governed and the right of sovereignty rests in the hands of the people," Senator Abe declared.

SAKAKIHARA HAS MEASURE

Meanwhile, with both Senator Carvalho and Senator Abe championing measures involving the police of Hawaii county containing opposite views,—the former to legislate without giving the people their say and the latter to consult the voting public first—it was reported that Rep. Sakakihara is now ready with his plan in the House, a measure that will somewhat expedite the creation of a police commission if the people of the Big Island so decide in a plebiscite to be held in the general election of 1942.

According to reports close to legislative sources, there will be some bitter fights in store over controversies resulting from the Hawaii County police legislations, so bitter in fact that argument over the Trask measure of repealing the civil service law will look like a friendly quarrel beside the vicious battles now looming in the legislature, especially in the Senate, between supporters of the Carvalho and Abe measures.

Gala Fashion Show Skedded This Month

There will be a Fashion Show at the YWCA activities building on Friday, March 28th, at 7:00 P. M. under the sponsorship of the 8th and 9th grade Girl Reserves. The Fashion Show will be followed by two and a half hours of dancing.

About 300 tickets will be sold with Genevieve Takemoto as chairman. Admission will be 15 cents and 20 cents, respectively. The highlight of the evening will be the exhibition of various native costumes under the chairmanship of Margaret Kuniyoshi.

The publicity committee is now busily working on the posters to be displayed on the show windows in various stores and on school bulletin boards. Heading this committee is Alice Fujikawa.

Other committee chairmen are: Elizabeth Fujioka, decoration and stage; June Yamamoto, music; Toshiko Ushijima, properties; Matsu-ko Kuwahara, dance; Caroline Moku, sales and refreshments; Alice Kurohara, make up. Refreshments will be sold including candy and cookies.

BRAZIL RICE FOR JAPAN

RIO DE JANEIRO — Japanese firms were reported to be negotiating heavy rice purchases in Brazil.

SUGAR QUOTATIONS

Refined Sugar 4.50—Raw 3.15.

Chiang Officials Accused of Taking Chungking Fund

CHUNGKING, Mar. 1.—Appointment of a special committee to examine the accounts of several government departments because of alleged misappropriation of funds brought to light recently a scandal within the Chungking Ministry of Economic Affairs.

It was disclosed that a number of Ministry officials were released after having been held on charges of misusing government funds for speculative purposes. Their release eased the strain on Wong Wen-hao, head of the Ministry, who had sought to resign on the ground that he must assume responsibility for the action of his subordinates.

It was believed the release was effected through the intervention of General Chang Chun, governor of Szechwan and secretary general of the supreme defense council, who flew here recently from Chungking.

Tadami Kono Located at Kohala from Today

Tadami Kono of the Bank of Hawaii, Hilo Branch, will go to Kohala today to work there for three weeks at the Kohala Branch. He will be located there since the employees of that branch are on vacations.

EDITORIAL

HAWAII POLICE BILL

While the House is busying itself with the coming public hearing of the repeal measure, threatening the overthrow of the merit law in force for about twenty months now, the Senate will be occupied from today on mainly with controversies over the question of whether or not to preserve the status quo of the County of Hawaii police administration.

With the scheduled introduction of the Plebiscite Bill by Senator Sanji Abe today in the upper chamber of the territorial legislature, the Senate will have before it two measures, one to effect an outright commission system of police administration from January 1st next, patented very closely after the Honolulu system, introduced a few days ago by Senator V. A. Carvalho, and the other bill to ascertain from the voting public its view, before enactment of any change in the present system, championed by Senator Abe, as above mentioned. Meanwhile, Rep. Thomas Sakakihara has a plan which in the main hits the mark between these two senatorial measures. It is his intention to first hold a plebiscite, giving the voters a chance to voice their opinion in the general election of 1942 first, and if the people so will it, then to create a police commission which will administer the work of law and order on the Big Island, effective January 1st, 1943.

Leaving aside for the moment, the question of which of the first two should be championed as being the proper measure, and assuming that there is sufficient ground to foster both bills, it appears very much as if Rep. Thomas Sakakihara's bill to, first let the people voice their opinion through a plebiscite and then immediately follow it up with a commission, if and when the people so decide, is one that should meet the approval of both Senators Abe's and Carvalho's followers. It will serve the aims of both senators and the adoption of Rep. Sakakihara's proposal will also go a long way to again bring the two Hawaii senators together, assuming that at present there exists a wide divergence of views between them, culminating in Senator Carvalho's attempt to (Continued on Page Four)

# TOO SOON TO Love

by PRISCILLA WAYNE  
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When Rosalou Blake, factory girl, becomes engaged to Jerry Thomas, dance-hall singer, her parents oppose the engagement, for they have been unfavorably impressed by Jerry's shabby appearance. Unknown to Rosalou, her mother tells him that she has changed her mind and does not want to see him again. Rosalou, deeply hurt when she hears nothing from him, believes that he has jilted her. A few weeks later, he's given a contract to sing over the radio and makes an instant hit. Hoping that his success may influence Rosalou to renew their engagement, he impulsively buys a diamond ring, waits for her outside the factory one evening, and asks her to have dinner with him. In an attempt to impress her, he takes her to a very smart restaurant, but she feels uncomfortable and embarrassed in her work clothes. Then, they are joined by Casper Garvelly, radio announcer, and his sister Constance. When the latter, chic and self-assured, makes a fuss over Jerry, Rosalou becomes more and more miserable.

### CHAPTER XIII

THAT dinner hour seemed to Rosalou to last an eternity. Constance Garvelly monopolized the conversation and monopolized Jerry. What did he think of this song, or what did he think of that one? Didn't he love the harp in the orchestra? It just made the music, didn't it? Like a singing voice, wasn't it?

Only once did she address Rosalou, and then it was merely to say, "Pardon me," very coolly when she brushed against her on getting up to dance with Jerry.

Rosalou unhappily watched them circle the floor. Jerry seemed to be utterly absorbed in his beautiful partner. It was small comfort to Rosalou when Casper Garvelly asked her to dance. She was too acutely conscious of her clothes—the plain dress that she had worn to the factory all day, the soiled white vest, the shoes that needed polishing, the cheap hat that was all right to wear to work but certainly wasn't very appropriate for a fashionable restaurant like this one. No wonder Jerry preferred to dance with the elegantly dressed Constance Garvelly!

She couldn't know that Jerry, far from wanting to dance with Constance, felt that she had maneuvered him into it. He was annoyed by the way she had appropriated him—irritated by her obvious effort to fascinate him. Why, she "could not hold a candle" to Rosalou!

Confound the Garvellys, anyway—butting in where they weren't wanted. They had spoiled everything. By this time, but for them, Rosalou might have been wearing the ring he had bought for her. But how could a fellow offer a girl a ring before an audience?

WHEN the dance came to an end and they all returned to the table, Constance continued to chatter incessantly until her brother, beginning to sense the situation, interrupted her.

"Well, Sis, we'd better be getting on," he said. "I'm due at the studio."

Constance looked at Jerry. "But you're due there too, aren't you?"

He nodded. "I do have to go," he said reluctantly. "My broadcast begins in twenty minutes."

"Then come along with Cas and me," Constance urged. Then, as her brother scowled at her, "Now don't look like that, Cas. This time, you're going to take me to the studio and let me hear Mr. Thomas broadcast. I'm not going to be put off any longer!"

Rosalou sat listening to all this in dumb misery. So now this beautiful girl, with her wonderful clothes, was going to take Jerry away. . . . Then, her heart quickened, for

Jerry was leaning toward her, reaching for her coat. "And you're coming with me," he was saying. "The broadcast doesn't last long. Then we'll go to a movie."

He did not see the almost angry look Constance gave him, but Rosalou saw it and experienced a little feeling of triumph.

HER triumph, however, did not last long. A little later, as the four of them were entering the building that housed the broadcasting studio, they ran into two friends of Constance's—two girls as beautiful and as beautifully dressed as she.

When the girls were introduced as Louise Barnston and Gladys Enders, their glances swept Rosalou critically, as though to say, "What's that shabby creature doing here?" For Jerry, however, their greeting was entirely different. Jerry Thomas? Not the Jerry Thomas? Hoy thirring! Could they come into the studio for his broadcast? He could arrange it? Oh, that would be wonderful! And how did it feel, anyway to be a full-fledged celebrity?

While Jerry basked in their adulation, throwing back his head and laughing, Rosalou stood off to one side, feeling left out in the cold. With an ache in her heart, she wondered how she could hope to hold his interest against competition like this. These girls had everything. She had nothing. . . .

Then, Casper Garvelly, who was a bit annoyed by all the hero worship, broke it up.

"Well, come along," he said. "If you girls want to see what a broadcasting studio looks like, let's get moving."

On the way up in the elevator, Jerry stood beside Rosalou and held onto her arm, but this did little to lift her spirits. They were too crushed to be revived by any such small gesture. Besides, how could she know what he was thinking?

He was wishing that he hadn't been obliged to have all these people come with him and Rosalou but, after all, perhaps it was just as well. She would see how popular he was—and he did want to impress her. Yes, more than anything else in the world, he wanted to prove to Rosalou and her parents that he was worthy of her.

UP IN the studio, the girls watched Jerry and Casper through the glass partition of the sound-proof room in which the broadcast was made. Casper made his announcements, then an orchestra played and Jerry sang. A reproducing unit brought the broadcast into the room where the girls sat.

"Isn't his voice heavenly—simply heavenly?" Constance sighed. "I could cry when I hear it."

"It's divine," Gladys Enders agreed. "And to think of actually meeting him! I never dreamed I'd have such luck!"

Constance languidly turned to Rosalou. "Miss—uh—is it Blake? I'm so sorry—I never remember names."

"Yes—Blake," Rosalou said tersely. "Do you sing, Miss Blake?"

"Why, no. I—I don't."

"Oh—I suppose you're a pianist, then?"

"No—I once took lessons, but I don't play very well."

"I see," murmured Constance. "I was just wondering how you and Jerry happened to be friends. I thought perhaps you had musical interests in common. . . ."

With that, she turned away.

Rosalou had not missed the implication behind her words—that it was difficult to understand what Jerry could see in a girl like her unless some special interest such as music had brought them together. Cruelly hurt, she longed to retaliate in some way, but she felt utterly helpless. All she could do was sit there and take the implied insult. . . .

(To be continued)  
(The characters in this serial are fictitious)



**SEARCH FOR VICTIMS**—Rescue parties search debris of London Hostel, workingmen's lodging house, demolished by high explosive bomb dropped by some of Hitler's airmen. Victims were believed buried in ruins. Passed by British censor.



**WARNING**—General Robert E. Wood, Sears-Roebuck chairman and acting chairman of America First Committee, telling Senate Foreign Relations Committee that U. S. may become actively involved in war within 90 days, if lend-lease bill is passed.

## Free Sailors See Leader



General Charles De Gaulle, leader of Free French forces, inspects sailors of a French warship in a British port. Free France naval units are reported to have helped British bombard Bardia. Meanwhile, Hitler is anxious to corral rest of French fleet, which Petain is withholding from complete German control. (UPI-Movietone News.)

## Subchasers for Canadians



Alert to increasing tension between Britain and Japan in the Orient, Canada has been quietly expanding her tiny Navy with such measures as addition of subchasers to her Pacific forces. Here's one, the 1135-ton Agassiz, built on West Coast, and shown refueling at San Diego on secret voyage, presumably southward.

## Aid Bill Will Speed This



Passage of lend-lease bill speeds up production of bombers, such as these shown in latest photo from Lockheed plant at Burbank, Cal., and other U. S. planes for embattled Britain. Hudson bombers, liked by British, in line at left. Pressed for space, California plane makers are also using outdoor assembly lines.



**HE FIGHTS ITALIANS**—Many natives of Ethiopia are reported flocking to British forces to help drive Italian conquerors out of country. This youngster tagged along with British and got himself an Italian officer's cap. Caption states he got it by sniping.



**QUICK TRAVEL**—Napoleon's armies had to walk. Nowadays, armies even ride in buses. These are British troops rushing to cover after traveling in comfort to a western command area. Passed by British censor.

## Rescued From Heavy Storm



High winds and heavy rains which lashed Pacific Coast areas did away damage in San Francisco Bay Area, notably in Alameda, where three persons were rescued from isolated Encinal Yacht Club, 5.0 feet from shore, where boardwalk was broken. They are shown as they escaped from destroyed workshop in small boat.

## Life in an Alpine Igloo With Swiss Patrol



Hardly a place for yodling, but this Swiss patrol makes itself at home in a snow igloo on Jungfraujoek, high in Alps, while a blizzard rages outside. If Nazis, already critical of "democratic tone" of Swiss press, attempt to invade Switzerland, they'll find a defending Army made hard and tough by constant Alpine patrol duty. Switzerland continues on the alert.

## And Now Buses Get Glamour



Taking a cue from airlines, trains and cross-country buses, Bellingham (Wash.) Transit Co. has put glamour with public convenience in their buses in the form of port stewardesses, such as Helen Turner. She's helping last of a large family aboard.

CIVIL SERVICE

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examination for the position listed below: LAUNDRY SUPERINTENDENT (for filling the position of Chief Laundryman, \$0.78, \$0.84 and \$0.90 an hour).

(Less deduction of 3 1/2 per cent for retirement annuity. For all work in excess of forty hours per week employees will be paid the overtime rate of time and a half.)

PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT: U. S. MARINE BARRACKS, PEARL HARBOR, T. H.

Applicants must be all-round laundrymen, and must show that they have had at least five years of recent practical experience in all the operations of a modernly equipped laundry, including machinery; or that they have had either (a) at least one year of experience as superintendent of a modernly equipped laundry, or (b) two years of experience as assistant superintendent or foreman of such a laundry.

Applicants must have reached their 25th birthday but must not have passed their 53rd birthday.

The duties of the position will be to supervise the work of laundry employees; to assume responsibility for maintaining the laundry machinery in good condition and to assist in making necessary repairs thereto.

Applications must be filed with the Board of Labor Employment, U. S. Navy Yard, Pearl Harbor, T. H., not later than March 19, 1941, if received from the Territory of Hawaii, and not later than April 18, 1941, if received from the mainland.

Copies of the formal examination announcements containing complete information regarding the the bulletin boards in the following examinations may be seen on places: U. S. post offices, at Hilo, Lihue, Kahului, Wailuku, Lahaina, and Wahiawa. Post Laundry at Schofield Barracks, Labor Board, U. S. Navy Yard, Pearl Harbor, T. H., Hawaiian Ordnance Depot, Honolulu, T. H., U. S. Engineer Office, Pier 2 A., Honolulu, and in the lobby of the Federal Building, Honolulu, T. H.

The necessary forms may be obtained from the Assistant Manager in Charge, Branch Office, 12th U. S. Civil Service District, Room 354, Federal Building, Honolulu, T. H., or from any of the above offices.

FOOD SUPPLIES CALLED GREAT U.S. BULWARK

NETWORK OF PROVISIONS DEEMED SUFFICIENT IN ANY CRISIS

SCHENECTADY, N. Y. —American housewives need never experience the food-gathering difficulties modern war methods have brought to other countries, according to Paul S. Willis, president of the Associated Grocery Manufacturers Association.

Should the United States be invaded, bombed or generally beleaguered by an enemy, the country would find ample provisions on the shelf of the corner grocery or in the vicinity, Willis believes. The reason is the far-flung food industry.

The network of growers, processors and marketers of food has no exposed bottleneck or centralized home area where a concentrated attack could cripple the supply, said Willis, whose organization members distribute approximately \$4,000,000,000 of food.

Production Not Centralized At a public discussion at Union College with Prof. Hartley W. Cross of Springfield College, a director and vice-president of the Eastern Cooperative Wholesale, Willis said:

"Our food supply is impregnable. Our factories and our production are far-flung, from the Canadian border to the Gulf of Mexico and from coast to coast.

"If one area should be ravaged, the others are capable of supplying food for all—and at once."

However, Willis believes control must be exercised through education of housewives and grocers.

Fair Play Urged "The national defense program which is creating a general food of abnormal purchasing, requires the closest cooperation between producers and consumers, and the willingness of each to listen to the other in the spirit of fair play," he said.

"On the manufacturers' part, it requires us to avoid inflationary steps to the fullest extent. It requires manufacturers to continue their search for the more economic

LAST TIMES AT THE PALACE



Above is a scene from "Five Little Peppers in Trouble," starring Edith Fellows, which shows on a double feature program with "Texas Stagecoach," for the last times today at the Palace theater.

LEGISLATIVE SIDELIGHTS

(Continued From Page One) honored as the national emblem of the bourbon party, should be given credit for trying to solve the biggest problem of their dis-

tricts, with the possible exception of making coffee jump a few cents more. . . the latter of course being very much beyond their reach.

Both of them are trying to bring about the solution of the water shortage problem in their "kuliianas" in a big way, very much unlike the see-saw attitude of the members of the local board of supervisors. With the latter, it looks like a case of "now it's there, now it isn't" and you can't tell just where or what they're trying to do.

The Konas are trying to get a permanent solution, while the board members are being egged on by a few high pressure people who seem to think "metering" is going to give us the relief we're after. The water problem of Hilo is not one that began just yesterday. . . in fact, it's been the bone of contention in many a past campaign. . . Remember the time when the county paid \$1,000 for an option to the Hilo Boarding School and then decided to "kiss" the grand good-bye? Pretty rotten business method when you come to think we're still trying to solve the water problem on which we've already lost good money. I guess it's a case of . . . well, what's a grand when you're given the power to handle millions. . . maybe.

Willis asserted the price levels would remain low because of competition among approximately 50,000 food processing plants, many of which produce identical or similar products, for the nation's 30,000,000 housewives.

G-MEN PURSUE 7-YEAR-OLD MELROY CASE KIDNAPER HUNT

KANSAS CITY, —The Federal Bureau of Investigation has intensified its nationwide search for the remaining kidnaper of Mary McElroy, tragic victim, who in death pleaded that her abductors be given "a chance."

The object of search is Clarence V. Stevens, 37, indicted with Walter H. McGee on charges of forcing Miss McElroy at gunpoint to leave her bath on May 27, 1933, and accompany them to a suburban Kansas home. There she was chained to a basement wall and kept for 29 hours until her father, former city manager Henry F. McElroy paid a \$30,000 ransom.

Her personal appeal to the governor two years later saved McGee from the gallows, and his sentence was commuted to life, the same term meted out to his brother-in-law, George McGee. A third man implicated, Clarence Click, who rented the hideout cottage, received eight years. McGee was arrested at Amarillo, Tex., when he became too free with money buying an automobile; George McGee whom he implicated with Stevens and Click, was arrested in Norfolk, Va.

City's Third Kidnaping The McElroy kidnaping was the third in as many years involving prominent Kansas Cityans. Mike Katz, drug company president, was ransomed in March, 1930, with \$100,000 left in a vacant hotel room. In December, 1931, Mrs. Neil Q. Donnelly, head of a garment company, was abducted for \$75,000 ransom. But even the underworld aided in the search and although the money was promised by former Sen. James A. Reed, now her husband, she and her kidnaped chauffeur were released unharmed without ransom.

McElroy, city manager under the Tom J. Pendergast regime personally delivered to the kidnapers \$30,000—half that demanded. The day was Sunday and collection of small-denomination currency was due largely to John Lazia, underworld boss later murdered, who sent the word down the line for money.

Marshal Holds Warrant Although the others implicated received state sentences, Stevens was indicted June 3, 1933, by a Federal grand jury on charges of



IN ARMY—Gene Stack, 22, White Sox rookie pitcher, learns to salute. Drafted from Saginaw, Mich., Stack is in army now, at Fort Custer, Mich. He entered training Jan. 10.

HILO THEATRE

Thrills in the air and drama on earth are combined in "Flight Command," exciting drama of naval aviation showing for the last times at the Hilo theater today.

Made with the cooperation of the United States Navy, the picture shows the colorful lives led by our aviators in their activities with the fleet.

Robert Taylor heads the cast as a cadet from Pensacola who joins a flying squadron in San Diego. Other players are Walter Pidgeon, Ruth Hussey, Nat Pendleton, Paul Kelly and Shepperd Strudwick.

Background shots for the film were made in Hawaii aboard the U. S. S. Enterprise. Hawaii's beautiful cloud formations contribute much to the enjoyment of the picture.

Coming to the Hilo theater tomorrow is "A Little Bit of Heaven," romantic comedy starring Gloria Jean.

PALACE THEATRE

"Five Little Peppers in Trouble," latest of the popular series starring Edith Fellows, and "Texas Stagecoach," action drama with Charles Starrett, are the screen attractions at the Palace theater today.

TAILSPIN TOMMY



By HAL FORREST

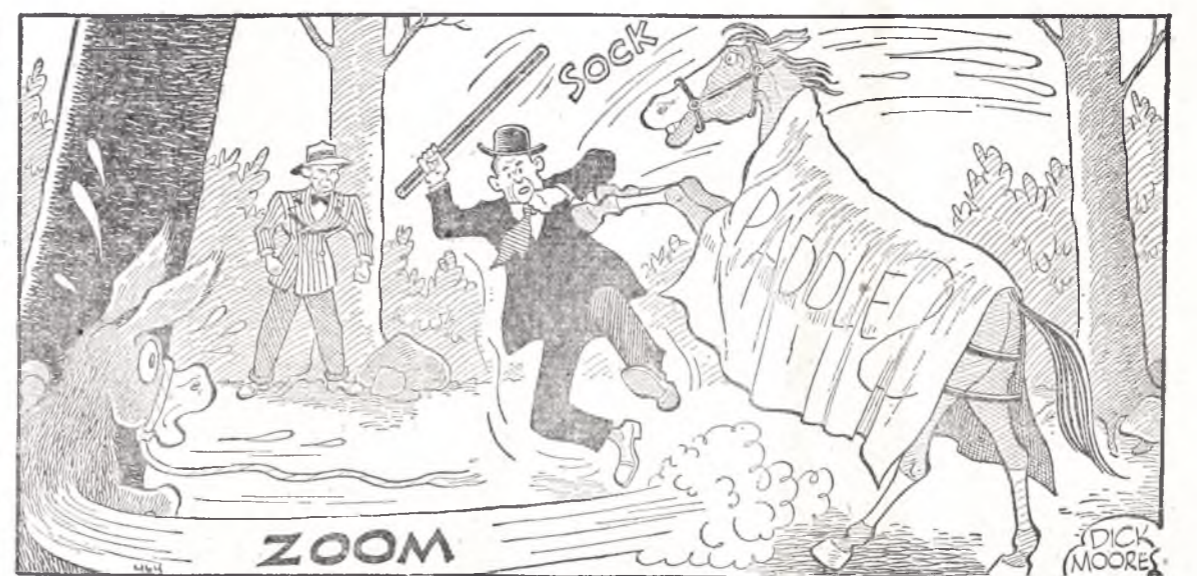
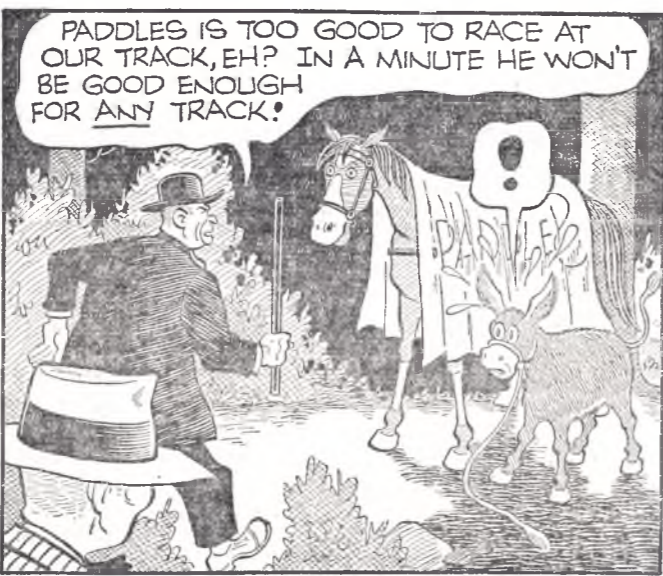


EDITH FELLOWS

citing experiences when they are sent to boarding school. There they are made miserable by their snobbish classmates until the clan, headed by Polly, wins the admiration and respect of all.

Coming to the Palace tomorrow is "The Boys from Syracuse," a novel and hilarious musical comedy starring Martha Raye, Allan Jones, Rosemary Lane and Joe Penner.

JIM HARDY



By DICK MOORES

AT THE ROYAL

Peter Lorre has a brilliant role in "Stranger on the Third Floor," mystery crime drama showing today at the Royal theater. Coming tomorrow, "The Remparts We Watch, March of Time."

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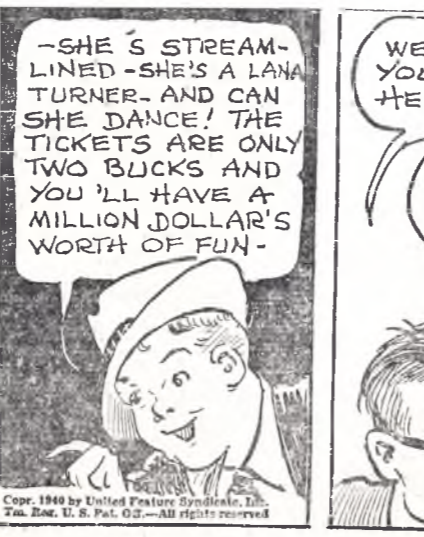
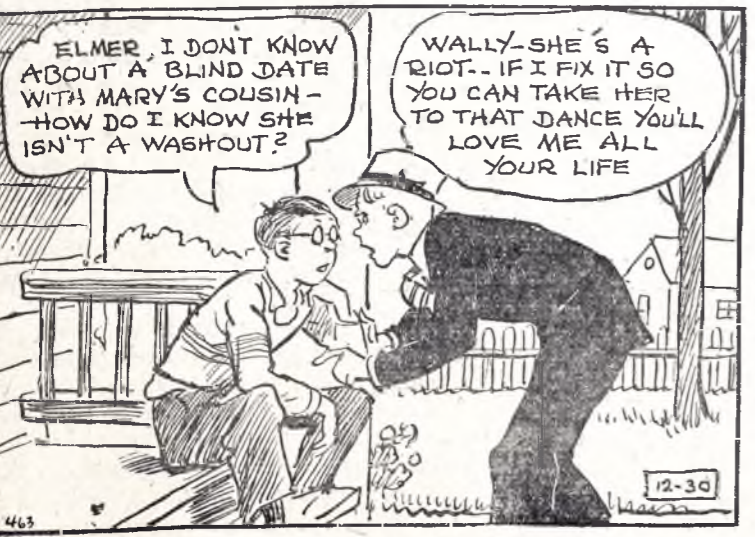


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Charles Starrett-Iris Meredith "TEXAS STAGECOACH"

LITTLE MARY MIX-UP



By HANS BRINKERHOFF

# Papaikous Take Leadership In Senior Baseball Loop

## EDITORIAL

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"beat Senator Abe to the draw" by introducing a police measure for this county directly opposed to the latter's political platform and views.

The finances of the County of Hawaii are such at present that there should be maintained as much cooperation as possible among the Hawaii delegation of both houses. With the county supervisors still undecided just what steps to recommend to the legislature to relieve the present financial strait of the Island of Hawaii, team work among Hawaii's legislators is of paramount importance.

Granting that there are shortcomings in the present administration of police work on this island, which incidentally is not altogether the fault of the present elective system employed in voting for our sheriff, but rather due to the lack of proper cooperation between two departments of our law endorsement agency, one department always endeavoring to hold up the other for public ridicule, there is absolutely no excuse in any one of our lawmakers, be he a senator or a representative, in trying to "take the bull by the horns" to push a commission form of police administration down the throats of the voting public at this time. It must be remembered that during the last campaign, this question was aired by one of our senators and at that time, Senator Carvalho, who now takes so much pride and pomp into his own hands in bringing up a measure intended to give the people a commission form of police program for this island, did not even as much as utter a "chirp" one way or the other. Assuming that there will be a delay of one or two years before there is a change in the system of police administration by adopting either the Abe or Sakakihara plans, it is our contention that there is no necessity of shoving a law down the public's throat, especially when the measure involves the taking away of the right of franchise from the voters to select their own sheriff, one of the main officials in a municipal government. We are not faced with any emergency and there is no necessity of stampeding the public into something which it may or may not desire. Let us find out first.

For the sake of harmony and peace among the Hawaii delegation of legislators, why not take Rep. Thomas Sakakihara's bill up as a compromise? It surely should fit the shoes of both warring senators as well as serve the purpose of giving the voting public—the people who should have the final say in a democratic government—a "crack" at the problem first.

### U. S. OFFICIALS SEIZE ISLAND FISHING BOATS

(Continued From Page One) it will take in not only Honolulu but outside islands also.

**U. S. Marshal In Hilo**  
It was also learned that Otto Heine, U. S. Marshal, visited Hilo last Saturday to seize sampans and their owners involved in the alleged violation of U. S. laws. Bench warrants have been issued by the U. S. District Court in Honolulu with several fishermen voluntarily appearing before the court and posting bonds of \$2500 with the Clerk of the U. S. District Court.

**Arraignment 9 A. M. Today**  
It was understood that defendants indicted by the Federal Grand Jury were scheduled to report for arraignment today at 9 A. M. before Federal Judge I. M. Stainback.

**Sampans Seized**  
Names and registered numbers of sampans already seized by the federal officials are: Kasuga Maru, No. 238043; Kasuga Maru, 238180; Kiyoy Maru, 238265; Nochi Maru, 238314; Kasuga Maru, 238389; Eiho Maru, 238464; Kasuga Maru,

### Eyes Found to Reflect Vitamin A Deficiency

**LAFAYETTE, Ind.**—If you aren't eating enough foods with vitamin A, scientists can "see it in your eyes," according to Purdue University experts. The deficiency can be detected by means of an instrument that measures the adaptation of the eyes to darkness, night-blindness being the first sign of a lack of this eye-saving vitamin.

The average adult would have a liberal margin of safety if his daily menu included: one pint of whole milk; one egg; two ordinary-sized pats of butter, and an average serving of a leafy green or yellow vegetable.

Other foods rich in vitamin A are: fish, liver, cheese, turnip tops, spinach, carrots, squash, and sweet potatoes.

- 238515; Koyo Maru, 238183; Kiy Maru, 238151; Nippon Maru 238266; Shimmei Maru, 238337; Meiji Maru, 2385516; Tenjin Maru 230106; Fuji Maru, 238174; Toyo Maru, 238530; Tenjin Maru, 238-206; Ohji Maru, 238463; Nippon Maru, 237448; Fukuei Maru, 238403.

# Lanai High Wins 4-Island AAF Cageball Tourney

## BEATS PAHALA IN CLOSE TILT TO COP TITLE

MAUI PINE EASY WINNERS IN CONSOLATION GAME WITH OOKALA

Three rousing cheers to Coach Hitoshi Sakai and his Lanai High School basketball team, 1941 champions of the 4 Island AAF basketball tournament.

Stunning a house full of Kau backers, a hustling crew of lads from the pineapple fields of Lanai outsteaded Coach Harry Kim's Kau All Stars 32-28 in the finals played Saturday night, March 1, at the Pahala gym. In the consolation game, which preceded this, Y. B. Chur's Maui Piners won handily over Sunny Kim's Ookala combine, 45-15.

Lanai and Kau had won their openers against Maui Pine and Ookala, respectively, in the first of two nights of play at Naalehu on Friday to land in the finals.

By using a short-passing, deliberate offense, the champions jumped into the lead at the opening whistle, relinquished that advantage at the close of the half, rushed to the front again after the rest period, and staged off a desperate Kau rally in the final quarter to come out on top.

**Mitsunaga Stars for Lanai**

And the bulk of credit for Lanai's victory should go to their captain, T. Mitsunaga, who besides leading his team in scoring with 12 points, came through at crucial moments and otherwise played a bang-up game. After sinking the first basket of the game, Mitsunaga materially aided his team in recapturing the lead in the third quarter with his two baskets, and then came through with a beautiful side shot in the final period to cut short a challenging Kau rally. Incidentally most of Mitsunaga's field goals were from the side of the court, about two thirds of the way to the corner.

Others who played big parts in Lanai's victory are D. K. Kim and G. Benanua, their guards, and G. Salagron and D. Lee at forward.

**R. Taylor Shines for Kau**

Just as Mitsunaga stood out for Lanai, so did Captain R. Taylor play a dominant part in Kau's faltering efforts. Taylor was in there chucking when others of his team were momentarily off form, and his all around playing and his 12 points almost pulled his team to victory. Although erratic, W. Webster totalled 7 points for the losers, sharpshooting E. Yoshida being limited to 2 points.

Lanai's deliberate, but fast, short passes proved especially effective in Saturday night's game as they usually placed one or more of their players in position for pot shots from close range. On the other hand Kau's very telling rebound style of play seemed to lack their usual punch as the latter missed many attempts on follow-ups or often times failed to follow-up at all. It may be said here that La-



## SHOWAS LOSE 11-0 TUSSELE TO OLAA COMBINE

PAPAIKOU SETBACKS HINODE 8-4 TO TAKE A HALF-GAME LEAD

LEAGUE STANDING

	W	L	Pct.
Papaikou	5	2	.714
Shoa	4	2	.666
Shinmaichi	2	3	.400
Hinode	2	4	.333
Olaa	2	4	.333

Bunching their hits where it was most necessary the powerful Papaikous, managed by Tom Tanaka, won an 8-4 victory over Nobuo Maruyama's Hinodes to jump to a half a game lead over Frank Ishii's Shows, who lost an 11-0 tussle to the much improved Olaas, tutored by Dr. Chuck Ota. The Hinodes defeat was a heartbreaking one as they outhit the Hamakua boys 12-11 and made less miscues, but were unable to score the necessary runs. This defeat definitely eliminated the Hinodes from the title chase.

Displaying championship calibre the Olaa nine swamped defending champions, Shows, in the other game of yesterday's doubleheader of the Hawaii Japanese Baseball league. Pitcher Yamada was hot on the mound as he held the hard-hitting Shows to only 4 scattered hits while blanking them the entire route.

Behind a 11 miscue fielding, the Shows paraded three pitchers, Mullet Hayakawa, Sakai and Maruo, who were unable to stop the rampaging Olaas.

Hinode	100	110	100	—	12	5
Papaikou	000	022	31x	—	8	11

**Taffy Okamura and Mako Hayashi, Jitsuru Muranaka and Monjou Masutani.**

Shows	000	000	000	—	0	4
Olaa	000	013	401	111x	—	10

M. Hayakawa, Sakai, Maruo and Mitsuo Fujishige, K. Hayakawa; Yamada and T. Torigoe.

### 125 Pounders In Three Games Tonite

Crucial HRC games are on tap tonight as the 125 pounders dish out three more games in their championship round, with the first tilt at 6:30 p. m., at Lyman Hall.

Pirates are slated to play the opener against Wainaku Beavers, Troop 30 booked against Morimoto Jewelers in the second game, and Lincolns against Wailoa A in the last affair.

Although Troop 30 and Jewelers are leading the league with unbeaten records, the evenness of the caliber of the play makes predictions of the outcomes of the games difficult. All teams still have chances at the title at this writing.

### PRESS REJOICE ACCEPTANCE OF NIPPON TERMS

(Continued From Page One) hi held that this would signify that the conference which faced a breakdown over the week-end would be continued.

In the meantime, Japanese government leaders, Sunday night, conferred with representatives of the high command at the private residence of Premier Prince Konoye, who is recuperating from a slight attack of pneumonia.

Attending the two-hour meeting were, besides Premier Konoye, War Minister Lieut. General Hideki Tojo, Navy Minister Admiral Koshiro Oikawa, Foreign Minister Matsuoka, Home Minister Baron Kiichiro Hiranuma, Major General Akira Muto, director of the Military Affairs Bureau of the War office; the cabinet's chief secretary, Kenji Tomita, with the high command represented by General Gen Sugiyama, chief of the Army General Staff; Vice-Admiral Nobutake Kondo, Assistant Chief of the Naval Staff.

After adjournment of the formal meeting, Tojo, Oikawa, Kondo, Muto and Tomita, with Rear Admiral Takazumi, Director of the Naval Affairs Bureau of the Navy Ministry, continued consultations with Premier Konoye.

### HRC BASKETBALL LEAGUES

HRC basketball teams are getting into the homestretch this week as they start on two weeks of intensive playing in their respective championship rounds with a total of 10 games in the 125 pound, 140 pound and junior leagues.

125 pounders will start their third week of play in the title series, while both 140 pound and junior league groups are just beginning.

Featured in the week's opening activities tonight will be two unbeaten teams in the 125 pound section when Troop 30 and Morimoto Jewelers meet in one of three games at Lyman Hall. Pirates and Wainaku Beavers in the first game

and Lincolns and Wailoa A in the nightcap are other games. The junior leaguers get started Tuesday night with two important titlts. Loopers and Longshorem are booked to play at 7 p. m. for the right to join the others in the second round, while Hilo CYO's and Hailis meet in the second round opener at 8 p. m., with S. Miyao Shoten, first round champs, drawing a bye.

Although Miyao's copped the first round title, the struggle for the second series flag is expected to be a close one what with Miyao's losing at least one of their first string stars, and all other groups improving. Hilo CYO's especially have come ahead rapidly, and Hailis have yet to hit their real stride; while both Loopers and Longshorem will be playing with their full membership.

Wednesday night's double-header will bring together four of the classiest teams playing in the HRC leagues, when opening matches in the championship round of the 140 les meeting Amateurs, and Wreck-pound division are held with Eagles tackling Wanderers.

Wreckers, who are defending champions, finished second to Wanderers in their bracket of the elimination round; Amateurs came out ahead of Eagles in the latter's division.

Thursday night's games will find more 125 pounders in activity with Wailoa A and Jewelers playing the opener, Lincolns meeting Pirates, and Wainaku Beavers taking on Troop 30. No games are listed for Friday night.

It was learned that the winners of the championship rounds in the 125 pound and 140 pound leagues will be adjudged champions, while in the junior bracket the second round winner will have to meet the first series titlists for the league crown.

**Home Building Up In Kansas**  
TOKEPA, Kas.—Homer C. Bastian, state director of the Federal Housing Administration, reported a 52 per cent increase in home building in Kansas.

Officials: referee—G. Baruz, T. Tasaki; timer—T. Takemoto; scorers—Yokota, G. Brown.

#### Summary Scores:

Lanai	8	4	12	8	—32
Pahala	3	12	4	9	—28

Lanai High: G. Salagron 6; S. Honda 2, D. Lee 4; T. Bertomen 1; Mitsunaga 12; G. Benanua 4, D. K. Kim 4.

Pahala Stars: E. Yoshida 2, G. Webster 4, T. Sumida, W. Webster 7, J. Yoshida 3; R. Taylor 12, C. Kaapana.

Officials: referees—E. Fujita, U. S. Afook; timer—T. Takemoto; scorers—Yokota, G. Brown.

Ookala	5	4	0	6	—15
Maui	13	9	9	12	—45

Ookala: S. Kim, J. Ah Choy, R. Hayashi; T. Kobayashi 1; E. Flores; A. Ortweras 2; J. Holokahi 9; E. Kahoali 2, S. Asato 1; O. Okayama.

Maui Pine: N. Jio 8; J. Bok 4; G. Castro 2; Y. Kobayashi; H. Fivella 20; M. Jio 7; T. Yamamoto; H. Sato 4, Y. Ogasawara.

Officials: referee—G. Baruz, T. Tasaki; timer—T. Takemoto; scorers—Yokota, G. Brown.



GENE GETS THEM IN SHAPE—Lieut. Commander James Joseph (Gene) Tunney, former heavy-weight boxing champion, puts aviation cadets through their paces in calisthenics at Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla. He's athletic director of camp after recent commission in Washington.



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盛り場の電燈 一層自肅節約

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