

LYMAN'S ARREST ON CHARGE OF EMBEZZLEMENT IS SHOCK

[Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence] Hilo, August 16.—Charged with the embezzlement of over \$6000 Rufus A. Lyman, Jr., secretary to the Liquor License commission was arrested on Wednesday afternoon and after waiving examination was committed to the grand jury by Judge Smith in the police court this morning. All examination was waived.

The affair has created a sensation in Hilo and it came in the nature of a shock to Lyman's friends, who would not at first believe the rumors circulated after H. Gooding Field's special report was made public.

The arrest of Lyman is one thing that has been accomplished by Field

in connection with his research into the affairs of the county system here. Investigation by the finance committee of the board of supervisors into the details of the Field supplementary report showed that the figures had not been taken from the books but only from carbon copies of various reports.

Field was asked to explain the matter at the meeting of the Hilo Board of Trade last Tuesday afternoon and repeated what was in his report.

In connection with the Lyman affair License Inspector Fetter has left for a tour of the island to look up the licenses issued prior to 1911 and it is more than probable that he will come across more of the evidence that is needed to complete the chain.

TO CONSOLIDATE POST EXCHANGES

[Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence] SCHOPIELD BARRACKS, Aug. 17.—An important change in the Post Exchange management is in contemplation by the authorities of this command whereby the three exchanges, or general stores, are to be consolidated into one central establishment with branches in the various cantonments.

Sound business principles supported by the requirements of Army regulations have brought about the change to be made effective on the departure of the Fifth Cavalry for the States.

The new establishment will have a working capital of not less than \$20,000 and will demand the serious attention of the wholesalers in its dealings thus doing away with purchases in retail lots.

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KUHIO'S CAMPAIGN

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I know is going to result in Congress taking away from us our rights as citizens of the United States.

Poor Man's Fight.

"I believe I am fighting the poor man's fight. If I go down to defeat it will be not I who will lose, but the poor man. I appeal to you to support me, not because I am fighting the business interests, but because I am trying to build up the business interests of this Territory along American lines, which means lines which will allow American citizens to come to this Territory, and make a living here, not as slaves of one industry, but as free men, who will build up a middle class in this Territory as is the case in every State on the mainland."

There will be a mass meeting of Kuhio supporters next Tuesday evening at Aala Park where the Delegate will speak opening his campaign. He expects to make a thorough explanation of his position to the people.

There will be other speakers to be announced later.

BORN.

PETERS—August 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peters, a daughter. Mother and child doing well.

Judge Whitney this morning gave the "minority sentence" to Ben Peape, a Hawaiian boy sixteen years old, who was convicted in juvenile court of burglary. The sentence means that the youth goes to the reformatory to remain until he reaches his majority. The sentence is mitigated somewhat, however, by a special privilege of the law that awards a juvenile ten points for every day on which his conduct is perfect, and gives him his liberty when he has accumulated 5000 points in this manner.

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Wilson-Marshall Ticket Will Be Ratified To-night

Democrats of City to Hold Big Bourbon Meeting at Aala Park

All good Democrats and true, as well as many others that enjoy political fireworks, are expected to attend the Wilson-Marshall ratification meeting at Aala Park this evening.

The Hawaiian band will begin playing at 7:30. Between the speeches there will be music by the Uluaparehio glee club of the Democratic ladies' association.

Mayor J. J. Fern will preside and will be accompanied on the platform by the speakers and such stalwart leaders of democracy as Richard H. Trent, E. A. McInerney, W. C. McGonagle and C. J. McCarthy.

Those who are to address the people are L. L. McCandless, G. J. Walker, John Effinger, Judge A. A. Wilger, Prof. M. M. Scott, Col. Curtis, E. Hauke, Harry Irwin of Hilo M. C. Pacheo, H. M. Kanibo and possibly others.

DESERTS FROM ARMY TO NAVY; POLICE CAPTORS DENIED REWARD

Case of Private Giberge Unique in Annals of Army—Breaks From City Prison to Tell of His Adventures—Arrested and Turned Over to Navy

The army, the navy and the local police are trying to settle a three-cornered complication over the payment of a reward for the capture of a military deserter. The case is unique in the annals of the army, and while the equity is apparent, it's a question whether or not red tape will strangle right.

Private John Giberge, of the First Field Artillery, some days ago tired of the peaceful life of Leliuha, jumped the Post, and out of either childish simplicity or supreme bravado, enlisted in the navy right here in Honolulu. A day or so afterward he was pointed out to the police as an army deserter, and landed in jail.

Bolts and bars had no terrors for the soldier-sailor, and he calmly walked out of confinement, and started down the line to tell all his friends how easy it was to break jail. His boasts reached the police station, and Private Seaman Giberge also reached there soon.

He loudly claimed that he was a naval man, and so the police notified the naval station, and Giberge was marched off by a marine guard. It took the navy but a short time to find out that the prisoner was an army deserter, and he was promptly turned

over to Fort Shafter, incidentally being taken to that Post in an ambulance, his many adventures with two kinds of bars having proved too much for his constitution.

Now the question of the \$50 reward for the apprehension of a deserter has come up, and the army is at a deadlock. The authorities realize that the entire credit for the capture was due the police, and they are anxious to pay over the money, but the regulations state that in order to claim reward, a deserter must be turned over to the nearest military post. In this instance the police turned the man over to the navy, acting in good faith, and the navy handed him back to the army.

"It's just the sort of good work that the police did in this case that we are trying to encourage," said an army officer this morning. "And now we are tied up about giving the reward. The police aren't supposed to know all the ins and outs of the army regulations, and when they turned the man over to the navy they supposed they were doing the right thing. They have now put in a formal claim, and we will do everything possible to see that it is allowed."

Giberge will be court martialed at Fort Shafter in the near future.

PLANS READY FOR KAULUWELA \$30,000 SCHOOL

Ground is about to be broken for the construction of the new Kauluwela school building, which is to be a ten-room concrete structure valued at \$30,000, according to Inspector Gibson of the Department of Education, who was discussing the projected school this morning.

With the opening of this morning the removal of the fence about the Boy's Field now under lease by the Young Men's Christian Association, and the cutting of a lane from School street directly through the site of the present Kauluwela school.

According to the school inspector, the new site will be several feet to the rear of the present site and is to be built so as the entrance will be toward the new lane, while the rear of the building will face the present Boys' Field.

This will necessitate the removal of the fence at present surrounding the field and the enclosure which is now under lease for the Boys' Clubs by the Y. M. C. A. will be turned into the school playground and will be accessible to all of the children of the city any time of the day.

The land which is comprised by the boys' field is owned by the government and is leased to the Young Men's Christian Association for a dollar a month. As the lease which the association holds will not expire for some time, it is necessary for the school authorities to come to an agreement with General Secretary Super of the Y. M. C. A. before carrying out their plans.

According to the General Secretary, he is interested in the idea and spent a part of yesterday morning with the governor in connection with the project. At present, final arrangements have not been made, as Superintendent Pope is in Hilo, but Inspector Gibson spoke optimistically regarding the project and made the statement that there would be no trouble in adjusting these matters and that work on the school would be commenced soon.

SUPER'S SILVER KEY STARTS BALL ROLLING

One morning, during his visit to the Portland Y. M. C. A., General Secretary Super of the local Y. M. C. A. stood in the lobby of the building talking to the office secretary. After Super had gone away, the office secretary turned to his assistant and said:

"Did you notice that silver key he had on his fob?"

The General Secretary was also told of the key and he in turn asked Super about it, who explained that the directors of the Honolulu Y. M. C. A. all wear silver keys to the Association building.

The city government of San Francisco has asked for lower rates of fire

DEFENSE BOARD COVERS EVERY FOOT OF OAHU

When the board of army officers now in session here to lay plans "to make the island of Oahu impregnable," completes its work, it will have gone over the island with a fine-tooth comb and collected a mass of statistical military information of the greatest value to future developments.

The board is in session almost every day at department headquarters. For the first two weeks Lieutenant Colonel Morrison and Major Blakey made many auto-trips to various points along the coast and in the interior to familiarize themselves with the lay of the land and the strategic possibilities. General Macomb, presiding officer of the board, and Major Wooten, its fourth member, knowing every foot of Oahu, did not take part in these excursions.

Now, however, the visiting officers have a good working idea of the country, and the board is getting down to the hard work of evolving plans for further fortifications, and laying out a general scheme of defense for Hawaii.

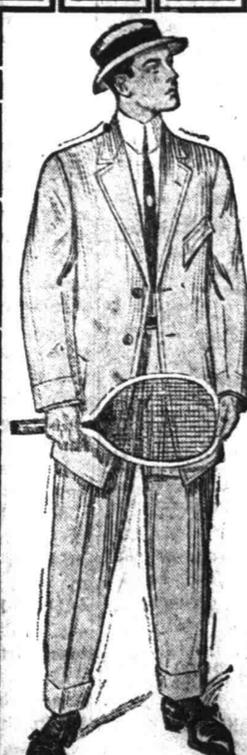
This work is being done in the strictest secrecy, not an inkling of what plans are in the air having been given out. Even the probable length of time the board's work will take is not known, although the guess is that by the middle of September its reports will be ready for Washington.

CONTRACTS FOR BIG PROJECTS TO BE ISSUED SOON

The great work of letting contracts for the large number of improvement projects throughout the Territory will be taken up within the next few days, following the announcement of the sale of the entire new bond issue. Virtually every dollar of the issue has been allotted to the various departments and enterprises of the Territory, and plans for most of the improvements are in readiness.

About all that remains now is to do the advertising and to let the contracts. This, of course, has been held up in most instances because of the uncertainty whether all the bond issue would be taken. But a few improvements have already been ordered, with the provision that the bonds must be sold. Notable among these are the contract for the Hawaii belt road, on which \$250,000 is to be spent, and the Hilo school, to cost \$60,000.

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SUPERVISORS TURN DEAF EAR TO PLEA OF NEGLECTED MANOAITES

Thousands of dollars for pre-election publicity, but not a cent for the betterment of the present wretched condition of streets and public highways in Manoa district was the sentiment displayed by a majority faction on the board of city and county Supervisors, who last evening were brought face to face with the plea for some consideration by residents of Manoa Valley.

Bertram von Damm acted as spokesman for an earnest little band of prominent taxpayers and residents of one of Honolulu's residential districts, who have waited in vain for the past nine months for some signs of activity in the direction of street improvement.

The city fathers had just passed to second reading an ordinance which will entail an expense of at least three thousand dollars upon the taxpayers, which has to do with the compiling, publication and circulation of a "municipal organ," declared by those who profess to be on the inside, to be utilized in the coming political campaign as a boost for reelection of members on the present board.

Manoaites are Long Suffering.

Mr. von Damm declared that the Manoaites had waited in patience for some move on the part of the Supervisors in the direction of better streets.

"I would like to know, Mr. Chairman," said von Damm, "whether there are any items for roads in Manoa Valley before the board, or whether any appropriations have been made for these roads in the last six months. We have been very much interested in this for some time, but have not been before this board asking for anything. We have been waiting patiently and now we want to know what is going to be done."

Chairman Low attempted to placate the injured feelings of the Manoaites by referring the matter to Chairman Dwight, who finally told the citizens assembled that his committee had filed several reports which had received scant consideration at the hands of the board.

Practically every member on the board scented trouble and as the election day is not far distant, they then and there began to make apologies. Murray endeavored to saddle the responsibility on the road committee, while Kruger and Amann, feeling secure in the belief that if silence is not always golden, a judicious display of this by a municipal legislator at times may serve to keep an inquiring voter into line. At least Kruger and Amann passed two hours last night without uttering a word.

Murray did most of the talking in the boosting of his scheme for supervisory advertising. He advocated the passage to a second reading of the ordinance appointing a clerk to look after the compiling of records of the doings of the present board, the same latter to appear in campaign documents to be circulated at precinct political meetings.

General Manager W. R. Farrington of the Star-Bulletin launched several pertinent inquiries at the advocates of the municipal organ. McClellan and Murray sidestepped and left Milverton to endeavor to file an explanation and the deputy city attorney quoted figures to show that to publish the proposed record would cost the taxpayers from \$175 to \$240 a

record as a basis for estimating the expense.

Boost Will Come High.

The ordinance specifies that thirty or more copies of the municipal record are to be circulated, and as it is mooted to distribute several thousand copies of the pamphlet either daily or weekly, the cost of publication to the taxpayer has been fixed at anywhere from three hundred to a thousand dollars a month, should the majority faction carry out their scheme to boost their reelection to the new board.

The salary of the "editor" or clerk as designated in the ordinance has been fixed at one hundred dollars to start, so vouched Milverton. That official declared that he had been unable to secure figures regarding the cost of publication from the city daily papers. Milverton believed that a cheaper publication might result were the board to confine their literary efforts to a four-page sheet gotten out on a mimeograph. Postage and wrapping a limited edition would cost an additional \$36 a week.

Mr. Farrington then asked if the law required a report by the board to the Governor and Legislature. Milverton explained that it did, through the auditor.

Mr. Farrington held that the report should be made by the auditor and that supervisors were not required by law to make this report. Milverton again stated that it was only through the auditor to the board, then to the Governor and the Legislature.

Editor R. H. Allen of the Star-Bulletin was asked to speak upon the mooted municipal publication and quoted several extracts from Territorial laws bearing upon the matter that caused Milverton to plead for more time in giving a definite opinion.

Murray wanted the matter rushed through claiming that reports submitted by the auditor were of no service to the members of the board. A call for the vote resulted in McClellan, Murray, Kruger and Amann standing pat for the campaign pamphlet at the expense of the taxpayers, while Low, Dwight and Arnold voted against the scheme.

PRE-GLACIAL MAN

In a workroom of the Royal College of Surgeons in Lincoln's Inn Fields there lies at the present moment the skeleton of what is probably the earliest European man yet discovered, with the sole exception of that specimen of our species who owned the huge "Heidelberg" jaw. It has been brought to light in the ordinary course of extending a brickyard about a mile to the north of Ipswich, and English scientists and archaeologists have carefully lifted it and are investigating its claims to antiquity. Professor Keith, curator of the museum of the Royal College of Surgeons, who removed it from the earth in which it was preserved, showed it to a Standard representative yesterday.

The bones are in pieces and lie upon loose sand in a box some four feet long. The man is calculated to have been about five feet ten inches in height. He is on his right side, with the legs doubled up under the body, and the long piece of thigh bone gives the indication of his original stature.

"We found the skeleton about four

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