

POLITICAL NEWS AND NOTES

Kaimuki Gets Act'v and Opens Headquarters for the Campaign

Kaimuki Republicans, in the first precinct of the fourth district, have started campaigning with a lot of enthusiasm. The precinct club last night formally opened headquarters in the Kaimuki Mercantile Company's building at the end of the streetcar line and the headquarters will be kept open from now until the campaign closes.

Albion F. Clark, president of the club, was in the chair last night and a committee of five was named as an enrollment committee to secure registration and enrollment of the voters in the precinct.

Joe Cohen is busy with organization work in the Kakaako precinct. He says that there is no split in his precinct and that there will be a solid delegation to the convention.

S. P. Correa is making a hard fight to go to the Senate. He received an endorsement for the House from the businessmen's committee, but is determined to get to the higher body this year.

E. A. C. Long, one of the House veterans, maintains that he is not in politics this year and will not run for the Legislature.

S. K. Mahoe, the Waialua veteran, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Mahoe is a candidate for the House again and will have plenty of strong backing.

E. K. Fernandez, one of the popular members of the House last year, and

one of the youngest in politics, is again a candidate. Fernandez lives in the tenth precinct of the Fifth district. He says the precinct has always some misunderstandings to straighten out, but predicts that the good Republicans down there will again "deliver the goods."

H. M. Kanoho, the "Cannon-ball of Kohala", and one of the best-known Hawaiian politicians in the islands, is thinking about running for the House from the Fifth district. Kanoho is a Home Ruler nominally, but two years ago, when he was living on Hawaii, his constituents accused him of running on the Home Rule ticket and campaigning for Link McCandless as a Democrat, and he was defeated.

The Democratic county committee will probably hold a meeting next Saturday night at Democratic headquarters in the McCandless building on Pauahi street. There is some talk of transferring much of the present campaign work from the territorial to the county committee.

Mayor Fern, who is now formally in the race for the city executive's chair again, is still under the weather as the result of a recent attack of ptomaine poisoning and may take a vacation from administrative and political cares before plunging into the heat of the campaign.

Lorrin Andrews, one of the Kuhio managers, is very active at Kubio's headquarters. He is relied upon to do much of the detail-work.

James H. Hakuole, secretary of the Kuhio campaign organization, is well known as a newspaperman here and is thoroughly in touch with conditions all over the islands. He recently returned from a tour of Hawaii, made with Henry O'Sullivan to secure registration of Japanese births for the territory's official record.

CHARGE FILIPINOS INSULT WOMEN

Letter on Capitol Grounds for Purpose, is Complaint to Police

Complaints from women have been received at the police station today that there is a gang of Filipinos who make a practice of loitering in the Capitol grounds and accosting and insulting women that pass by.

One of these women complained to policeman W. R. Chilton last Sunday evening that she had just been the target of a torrent of vile and suggestive language hurled at her by a Filipino, as she had passed through the grounds surrounding the Executive Building. Acting on the information, the policeman hurried to the place and gave chase to four men who ran as they saw him approach.

One of the number was captured by the policeman, identified and locked up at the police station on a vagrancy charge. He gave his name as Teme-teo Tulintino.

PINEAPPLE MOST ACTIVE STOCK

Pineapple is the most active stock now, according to today's sheet, being unchanged at 43.50 for 90 shares in three unequal lots. Brewery is up another quarter, 40 shares in four unequal lots, 7 being on the board, having brought 21.50. Oahu Railway is unchanged at 140 for 20 shares. Bonds are in evidence with \$7000 Hilo Extension sixes at 94.75 and \$1000 Natomas sixes at 94.

In sugars Onomea registers a half point advance with 60 shares at 58.50. Hawaiian Sugar sold up a quarter point at 42 for 20 shares. Pioneer is unchanged at 34.25 for 20 shares. Oahu was unchanged at 27.75 for 5 shares, but receded an eighth for 5 and 10 shares, all on the board.

Hawaiian Agricultural Co. distributes \$30,900 as of today in a dividend of \$1.50 a share.

RUMOR BERNDT WITHDRAW TURNS OUT PREMATURE

Emil A. Berndt, endorsed by the businessmen's mass meeting as a candidate for the Board of Supervisors, and a prominent possibility for the board, yesterday received a cablegram making it necessary for him to go to the mainland on urgent business during the month of October, and it was reported today that Mr. Berndt had decided not to run for the Board. This report, however, was premature, as those who have been urging him to become a candidate and who have volunteered their support, wish him to await the action of the convention, even though he is unable to make an active canvass during the entire campaign.

"I am called to the coast on business," said Mr. Berndt this morning, "but I feel that I should not neces-

sarily withdraw on that account, as I shall be back before the November election. It is too soon to say just yet what I shall do. My friends urge me to wait for awhile to see how matters political shape up, and it is possible that they will ask that my name go before the convention, anyway."

THE DIVINING ROD

The phenomena supposed to be exhibited by the divining rod has now been seriously tested in German Southwest Africa, where something like 800 experiments were made with it in search of water, about 80 per cent of these being successful, according to the Scientific American. It has also been used with success in Hanover to indicate the presence or otherwise of veins of salts of potash in the soil. The minister of agriculture in France has appointed a departmental committee to make similar experiments.

KUHIO TO PUT TAFT IN SHADE

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James Bicknell, James Boyd, J. Lucas, Charles Lucas, Den Logan, J. Quinn, C. A. Long, E. A. C. Long, Fred Beckley, D. L. Withington, Tony Marcalino, J. A. Vierra, Maj. Camara, O. P. Soares, Hon. Afonso, John Hughes, J. Kamanoulu, S. P. Correa, A. F. Clark, W. T. Rawlins, J. H. Boyd, Charles W. Clark, Andrew Cox, George Kane, W. C. Achi, Joel Cohen, Charles Arnold, Eben Low, Sam Dwight, Frank Kruger, Harry Murray, M. C. Amara, W. Kallimae, W. H. Crawford, Eli Crawford and W. R. Farrington.

The Hawaiian band and Kaal's quintet will supply the music for the occasion.

Kuhio announced this morning that he would leave tomorrow for Hawaii, where he will speak at a mass meeting Thursday night and again explain his position. He will tour the Big Island for two weeks, always explaining his position, and will visit Maui on his way home. He expects to appoint lieutenants to take charge of his campaign in the other islands. While absent from Honolulu, the management of his fight here will be in charge of the committee—Chas. Chillingworth, Lorrin Andrews and S. Mabeiona.

BY AUTHORITY

SEALED TENDERS.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Superintendent of Public Works up until 12 noon of Thursday, September 12, 1912, for constructing Concrete Building for the Honolulu Insane Asylum, Honolulu, T. H.

Plans, specifications and blank forms for proposal are on file in the office of the Superintendent of Public Works, Capitol Building.

The Superintendent of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all tenders.

MARSTON CAMPBELL, Superintendent of Public Works. Honolulu, August 20, 1912.

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SOUR STOMACH INDIGESTION DYSPEPSIA MALARIAL DISORDERS and will aid you, too.

For sale by Beuron, Smith & Co. Ltd., Chambers Drug Co., Ltd., Hilo Drug Co. and at all wholesale liquor

STABBED IN ROW OVER PIG

As the result of a quarrel alleged to have arisen over the possession of a pig, Lum Shock, a Chinese, was stabbed and seriously wounded at Kaulawela lane and Vineyard street yesterday evening, and his assailant, Tom Ha, is locked up at the police station pending the recovery of the victim.

The men were seen arguing earlier in the evening by witnesses of the affair, and it is said that the stabbing occurred after a noisy quarrel. According to the story told the police, Lum Shock was walking along Vineyard street when he was joined by Tom Ha, who came up from the rear.

Both were conversing volubly in Chinese, and as they approached Kaulawela lane their voices rose higher and higher. When they reached Kaulawela lane they stopped and continued their conversation.

Suddenly, it is said, Tom Ha drew a knife and struck the victim in the right side. Lum Shock fell to the ground and his assailant started to run away, but he was captured by the police, who had been called to the scene. Lum Shock was hurried to the Queen's Hospital, where he is lying in a serious condition. His alleged assailant is being held pending the recovery of the victim.

According to a story which reached the police, the two had been friends for several years, but had recently become involved in a disagreement which arose over a pig which Lum Shock is said to have promised to Tom Ha but later refused to give up.

ARMY DEFENSE BOARD MEETS AT PEARL HARBOR

The "brain trust" as the board of army officers which is considering the defensive problems of Oahu is facetiously termed, by the military here, is in session at Pearl Harbor today. To defend the great naval base of the Pacific is one of the greatest tasks of the army on Oahu, and the entire personnel of the board made the field inspection of the position today.



WE FEATURE "BENJAMIN'S CLOTHES"

There's a good many reasons why you should wear Benjamin's Clothes.

They're unlike any other Ready-Made Clothing. Young men who formerly had their clothes made to order, and who are now wearing "BENJAMIN'S CLOTHES" are better satisfied and are paying less than half. We are showing styles in new fabrics, light, dark and medium. We guarantee a perfect fit before a suit leaves this store.

THE CLARION

Cor. Fort and Hotel Sts.

DOWSETT WITHDRAWS FROM TICKET, SCRAP OVER SCHOFIELD WATER RIGHTS, CRANE - BUILDING NAVY MAN HERE, CHURCH CONGREGATION FIGHTS FIRE, ISLAND MILLS BEHIND IN GRINDING, MISS YARROW WRITES OF ACCIDENT, LIEUT. SAHM ORDERED TO SEA.

Are titles of news items that appeared in this paper YESTERDAY—twenty-four hours ago—and were given to the public while they were news.

Advertisement for Castoria, featuring a bottle illustration and text: '900 DROPS CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of J. C. H. HITCHCOCK In Use For Over Thirty Years CASTORIA'.

HARBOR DREDGING TOO SMALL JOB; BIDDERS ABSENT. money, and the harbor improvement is indefinitely held up. Yesterday was the date set for opening bids for the dredging of the channel entrance, the work being under the United States Army engineers. At the appointed time Major Wooten was at his desk, but the usual gathering of anxious bidders were conspicuous by their absence. Not an envelope was handed in, and not a contractor was on hand to talk business.

The fairy tales of Grimm and of Hans Christian Andersen are excluded from the Austrian schools by a recent order, "because of their slight importance." For news and the truth about it, all people buy the Star-Bulletin.

Advertisement for M'Call's Patterns: 'A Demonstration of M'Call's Patterns'.

MISS FRISBIE, who arrived by the Sierra, direct from M'Call's Pattern Co., New York, will be pleased to receive the ladies at our store next Wednesday, when she will give a Demonstration and offer valuable suggestions.

Miss Frisbie will return again by the Sierra, and as the demonstration is for one day only every lady who is interested in patterns should take advantage of this demonstration.

Jordan's

\$25.00 Reward

For information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who mutilated posters of the Honolulu Automobile Association on Saturday, Aug. 17, 1912.

[Signed] PIONEER ADVERTISING CO. Chas. R. Frazier, Proprietor