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ANOTHER CAVALRY REGIMENT MAY COME TO HAWAII FOR STATION

Positive Statement is Made That the Eighth Brigade of Infantry is Under Orders to Sail for the Islands—Local Officers Disbelieve Rumor of Horse Troops Being Sent Here.

That another regiment of cavalry may be ordered to Hawaii, in order that the local garrison might be materially increased without delay, is a rumor printed in the San Francisco Chronicle of May 16, in connection with the positive statement that the eighth brigade of infantry was under orders to proceed to the islands for station. Local army officers, however, place little credence in the cavalry end of the rumor, as the plan of the general staff for the permanent garrison of Oahu never contemplated more than one regiment of horse for this station.

The Chronicle says:

"With the departure of the Sixth and Sixteenth regiments of Infantry the Presidio of San Francisco, and the Presidio of Monterey will be deserted, with the exception of cavalry commands. There is one troop of the First Cavalry at the local Presidio and four troops of the same regiment at Monterey. The report went out last night that even the First Cavalry might be ordered to the Hawaiian islands."

While a regiment of infantry can be put under canvas in this climate for an indefinite period, provided the government is willing to foot the bills for the big depreciation in the tentage, it is quite another matter to put a cavalry command in camp, as stabling facilities have to be taken into consideration. However, to overcome this difficulty, should the rumor that the First Cavalry is to come here prove well founded, there are the nearly-completed stables at the new cavalry post at Castner, which could be finished in short order and made ready for the mounts of a full twelve troops. There is also plenty of water near Castner, so this objection would not hold as at the present cavalry cantonment at Schofield Barracks where, at certain times of the year, it is necessary to take the horses three miles to water. At Castner, with the horses well housed and with plenty of water for them, the troops could go under canvas, and the officers could, at a pinch, occupy the infantry quarters near the camp.

On the same day that news of the proposed movement of the Eighth Brigade reached San Francisco, the war department made public orders that three field officers and two companies of coast artillery would sail from San Francisco for Honolulu about May 24, this latter information being published in the Star-Bulletin Saturday last.

These orders, it was explained in Washington, were in conformity with the program for the creation of a permanent and sufficient garrison in Hawaii, outlined in the last annual report of the secretary of war and merely carried out plans of long standing. They relieved Colonel William C. Raftery, coast artillery corps, of the command of the coast defenses of the Po-tomac, and of the post of Fort Washington, to sail for Honolulu with the One Hundred and Nineteenth and the One Hundred and Forty-third companies of coast artillery; assigned Capt. George L. Hicks Jr. to accompany Colonel Raftery as a member of his staff, and directed Major Frank W. Coe, now personnel officer of the North Atlantic Coast Artillery district, to sail on the same steamer.

Major E. J. Timberlake, command-

ing the coast defenses of Oahu, states this morning that he had received no information, either personal or official, regarding the assignment of Colonel Raftery, Major Coe and Captain Hicks to Oahu.

"Undoubtedly more field officers are needed here," said Major Timberlake, and it is quite possible that the news dispatches in this matter are correct. If Captain Hicks is coming, though, it is probable that he will come in command of one of the new companies and not as a staff officer, as the full compliment of staff officers is already here."

In the event of Colonel Raftery coming to Oahu, he would of course assume command of the coast defenses. Major Coe is also senior to Major Timberlake by a few files. Whether the new commander would make his headquarters at Fort Ruger, or not, is not known, although that station would be the logical point, as the battle command is located there.

BILLBOARD IS AGAIN SUBJECT OF DISCUSSION

Amicable Settlement of Controversy May Result From Ad Club Action

"Resolved that the president appoint a committee of five to draft a resolution dealing with bill boards and the get-together movement, the resolution to be submitted to the regular meeting, Thursday, May 29th, for discussion."

The above resolution was passed by the Ad Club at its meeting at noon today, marking another step toward the settlement of the bill board problem, which has been before the club for the past fortnight. It was offered near the close of a heated discussion on the subject, during which both sides of the question were argued.

R. O. Matheson, guest of the club, editor of the morning publication which has advocated boycotting and blacklisting the firms which make use of bill boards, was present, and argued on behalf of the campaign. At first refusing to meet on a compromise footing with a committee, to settle the question on an amicable basis, he later agreed to confer with the body.

Other persons had been invited, including W. R. Castle and wife, Mrs. G. F. Bush, W. W. Peterson, Mrs. Phillip Frear, L. A. Thurston and wife and Mrs. Isaac Cox, but Mr. Matheson was the only one of the invited guests present.

A letter from W. R. Castle, apologizing for his absence and giving his views on the billboard subject, was read. He stated in his letter that the efforts on the part of several women in Honolulu to have billboards removed was launched with the view of

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CALIFORNIA IS NOT STATE OF BROTHERLY LOVE

Coast State Vortex of Whirlpool of Political Strife At Present Time.

By ERNEST N. SMITH

[Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence] SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—California is about as full of elections as a dog is full of fleas, to draw common but expressive contrast, and both are about as bothersome to the parties immediately concerned.

"You never can really get down to business in France or Spain on account of so many Saints' days and festivals," said an aggressive American the other day in a Los Angeles hotel, drawing a long conversational bow. "Quite true, perhaps," rejoined a Frenchman who is a local wholesale liquor dealer, "and here you have so many elections that not only you can not do business, but when the election is over nothing is settled, nothing, because the defeated side says, and straightway they set about overturning things again—and after awhile they do."

All of which seems to be quite true. In Los Angeles for instance. Not many years ago a mayor was practically forced out of office. The succeeding regime was overturned. Then came Mayor Alexander, who clamped down the lid. Then comes the Socialist scare and the town was turned upside down in a frantic effort to gain up Alexander and his forces in power. The attempt was successful, but long before Alexander's term was over a forced election put him and his entire administration out of office. Supposedly they were all unsatisfactory.

Case of Dog Eat Dog. Immediately one of the ousted officials, City Attorney Shenk, is nominated for the mayor's office and starts a campaign. Up jumps a police judge and the Socialist nominee for the same office. In the primaries the supposedly wonderful Socialist strength dwindles to such an extent that Harriman couldn't even get a place on the ticket, and the police judge gets such a vote as to scare the wits out of the "forces of decency," and severely the battle rages.

Meanwhile the Progressive forces in Los Angeles split over candidates, and the two unfriendly sides belabor one another unmercifully.

Meanwhile, in a larger way, the leg-

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MURPHY BEST MAN FOR JOB SAYS JUDGE

Clerk of U. S. District Court Will Retain Office as Long as Able.

No one is to be appointed to succeed A. E. Murphy, clerk of the U. S. district court, until it has become certain the present incumbent of the office will never be able to resume his duties. This is stated on the authority of U. S. District Judge S. B. Dole, who was asked today concerning the truth of the story in street circulation, to the effect that a new clerk was to be appointed shortly.

"Gus" Murphy, as he is familiarly known throughout the territory, was the victim of a paralytic stroke three months ago, from which he has not yet recovered.

"His condition is improving," said Judge Dole, "and we believe that he will be able to resume his work gradually, not devoting too much time to it at the beginning, but increasing the work as he regains strength. He undoubtedly will recover and we cannot think of appointing another to the place at the present time."

"We have received about a half dozen applications for the job, but most of them really are not qualified for the business."

"Mr. Murphy's ability and faithfulness are held in high esteem, both by the court and by the members of the legal profession in the territory at large. He has been in the office many years, is thoroughly conversant with the details of the work and has been regarded as an almost invaluable man in the place because of his knowledge of court affairs. We don't intend to lose him if it can be avoided."

Comment of a similar nature on Mr. Murphy's efficiency has been heard frequently from attorneys ever since his illness became known and in each instance regret and fear has been expressed that the court and the legal profession, to which he has proved a valuable aid, might lose his service.

SUGAR

SAN FRANCISCO, May 21.—Beets: 88 analysis, 9s 0¼d. Parity, 3.89 cents. Previous quotation, 9s 2¼d.

GEOGRAPHY AND POLITICS ARE SOMEWHAT MIXED

According to the following, which is reproduced verbatim from the Sacramento Union, Honolulu has been transplanted to the Philippine Islands and Governor Frear is out of office, having been succeeded by "Governor" or "Waller":

"TEN THOUSAND JAP KIDS IN PHILIPPINES"

"WASHINGTON, May 10.—Of the 30,000 children enrolled in the Hawaiian public schools nearly 10,000 of them are Japanese. This information was received today by the United States bureau of education in a report from Governor Waller of the Hawaiian Islands. The Japanese, moreover, are increasing their attendance in the schools more rapidly than any other race, the report adds."

Pie Passing Includes No Governorship



Henry H. Plemer.

Henry H. Plemer is Named as Postmaster at Waialua

Today was appointment day in Washington.

Much to the surprise of a number of leading Democrats, who had a "hunch" that Wilson was ready to announce the choice of a new executive, the day passed and there was no apparent change in the gubernatorial situation.

However, appointment day brought forth the nomination of two more Hawaiian postmasters. It doesn't seem to make any difference to Wilson that his previous appointments are held up in the senate committee, for this morning he sent in two more names as follows:

Henry H. Plemer, of Waialua, to be postmaster at Waialua.

M. J. Borges, of Honolulu, clerk in the local postoffice, to be postmaster at Schofield Barracks.

Plemer was an unsuccessful candidate for supervisor on the Democratic ticket during the last election. Now he is to be supplied with a piece of the political pie.

News of the action by the president was received this afternoon in a cablegram to the Star-Bulletin from its Washington correspondent.

PROHIBITION IS PROMISED HAWAII SOON

By C. S. ALBERT

[Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence]

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 11.—Prohibition for Hawaii is to be again agitated at an early day. Senator Gronna has a bill pending forbidding the sale of intoxicating liquors in the territory. He predicts its acceptance and believes it may be possible to obtain favorable action during the extraordinary session. He has already applied for hearings on his bill before the committee on Pacific islands and Porto Rico. Chairman Shaffroth has announced that the request will be granted.

No date for the arguments has been fixed. Mr. Gronna is notifying those interested to arrange a suitable and convenient time and he will have the reservation made for them. It is expected that several temperance workers will come before the committee within a few weeks and express their views on the liquor traffic in Hawaii.

SENATOR SEES TARIFF BILL IN DEFEAT

Poindexter of Washington Predicts Amendments That Will Nullify Measure

By C. S. ALBERT

[Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence] WASHINGTON, D. C., May 11.—"I feel sure the Democratic tariff plan for free sugar and free wool will ultimately fail. I believe the Underwood bill eventually will be so amended as to enable me to support it."

Senator Poindexter of Washington takes this optimistic view of the situation, although the measure passed the house by an overwhelming majority and has the strong backing of President Wilson in being jammed through the senate. The senator is the only Bull Moose and ultra Progressive member of the upper branch in congress. He favors downward revision of the tariff but balks at free sugar and free wool. He has been investigating the situation and predicts that both provisions will be eliminated before the final adoption of the Underwood bill.

Many shrewd observers here believe that Senator Williams of Mississippi will antagonize his associates when the pinch comes and refuse to support free sugar. He has been for some time violently opposed to such a drastic reduction. He thinks a slash of 33-3 per cent would be the maximum of lowering the duty on sugar.

Senators Under Suspicion.

Other Democratic senators are under suspicion. But two are required to join Thornton and Ransdell until the trick can be turned and the clause providing free sugar three years hence eliminated from the bill. It seems impossible to pin anybody down to a flatfooted declaration that they will co-operate with the 45 Republicans and defeat the plan of President Wilson.

The party caucus is the lash which all dread and which will be freely used to prevent a dumping of the tariff bill at the last moment. The Democrats will hold a caucus after the tariff measure has been finally perfected by the finance committee. All those attending will be bound to stand by the "conclusion" reached. Those remaining away will be solemnly read out of the party. This is the dilemma which worries senators who might otherwise vote their convictions. Efforts will be made to have certain ones excused by the caucus

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FORMER HAWAII SUPERVISOR EMBEZZLER

[Special Star-Bulletin Wireles] HILO, May 22.—Ex-Supervisor Kanihala has been found guilty of embezzling Waimea water funds. The verdict was returned at Kailua yesterday. He will be sentenced next Monday.

TODAY'S MAJOR LEAGUE RESULTS

[Associated Press Cable]

NATIONAL LEAGUE
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn 0, Pittsburgh 1.
All other National League games postponed.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Detroit—Detroit 0, Philadelphia 7.
At Chicago—Chicago 2, Boston 1.
At Cleveland—Cleveland 5, Washington 0.
At St. Louis—St. Louis 7, New York 0.

WAIKIKI INN DANCE TONIGHT

The management of the Waikiki Inn announces another of its popular dances for tonight, to which a cordial invitation is extended to the guests of the hotel, town, army and folk and visitors generally—advertisement.

The governor of Georgia sets aside one day in the year as "Public Health Day," to be observed in every school in the state, according to information received at the United States Bureau of education.

All the states in the Union except Nevada and Arkansas have definitely organized state committees for the fourth International Congress on School Hygiene, to be held in Buffalo, August 25-30.

JAPAN'S EMPEROR ILL EIGHT DOCTORS ON HAND



Japanese Emperor, who is seriously ill.

[Associated Press Cable] TOKIO, Japan, May 22.—Japan's Emperor, Yoshihito Harunomiya, is in a serious condition, suffering with inflammation of the lungs, from a cold caught May 15, which has resulted in a high fever. He is attended by eight physicians.

JAPANESE DISSATISFIED THAT ALIEN LAND BILL NOT FOUND VIOLATION OF TREATY

[Associated Press Cable] TOKIO, Japan, May 22.—The Japanese foreign office is greatly dissatisfied with the failure of Secretary of State William Jennings Bryan to find that the California anti-alien land law is in violation of the treaty existing between this country and the United States.

EXPOSITION APPROPRIATION MADE

[Associated Press Cable] TOKIO, Japan, May 22.—The Japanese parliamentary committee has recommended that 600,000 yen be appropriated for Japan's participation in the Panama-Pacific International Exposition in San Francisco in 1915.

EMPERORS WILL GATHER AT ROYAL WEDDING IN BERLIN

[Associated Press Cable] BERLIN, May 22.—This city will be a scene of a gathering of the throne-holders of three of the leading world's nations next Saturday when the rulers of England, Russia and Germany gather to attend the wedding of Princess Victoria, only daughter of the Kaiser, to Prince Ernest August of Cumberland. Extraordinary police precautions are being taken.

LAND LAW IMPREGNABLE

[Associated Press Cable] WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—The lawyers in President Wilson's cabinet, including Attorney-General McReynolds, agree that the new anti-alien land ownership law passed by California is proof against attacks in the courts. After careful consideration of its terms, they say that it does not violate the terms of the treaty and is well drawn.

ENDORSES YACHT RACE MOVEMENT

[Associated Press Cable] SAN FRANCISCO, May 22.—The Pacific Interclub Yacht Association has formally endorsed the recommendation of the Hawaii Yacht Club that the biennial transpacific yacht race, from San Diego to Honolulu, be held in 1915, instead of 1914.

Some time ago the Hawaii Yacht Club took up the matter of postponing the ocean yachting classic with President Moore, of the Panama-Pacific Exposition, suggesting that it would be to the advantage of all concerned to make the race one of the features of the yachting carnival planned for 1915. The endorsement of the South Coast Yacht Club, and of the association that controls yachting on the coast, now assures postponement of the race, and incidentally gives Hawaii the benefit of an added 12 months in which to finance and build a challenger.

ELEVEN DIE IN SEA HORROR

[Associated Press Cable] SMYRNA, Asia Minor, May 22.—Eleven lives were lost in the explosion of a floating mine that wrecked the coasting liner Senegal yesterday afternoon at the entrance to the harbor.

SUPERVISOR WOLTER TAKES DOYLE'S JOKE SERIOUSLY

The end of a practical joke is still unsighted. Likewise the revenge of Supervisor Wolter on Chester Doyle, known as a practical joker, is unknown. What punishment the city fathers is preparing for Doyle, who whispered in his ear shortly before the last supervisor meeting that City and County Engineer Whitehouse was not a citizen of the United States, is a mystery. Something seems bound to happen. Doyle to appearances, is not worried, and still smiles and says a joke's a joke, whether sprung at a supervisor meeting of a country fair.

When the name of Engineer Whitehouse was thrown in the ring at the last meeting of the city fathers, which occurred when the matter of the discharge of J. J. Dias was brought up, taking Doyle's information seriously, Wolter declared that Whitehouse was not entitled to act in the capacity of city and county engineer because he was not a citizen of the United States.

The city fathers sat up in their chairs and listened. "They were all ears," figuratively speaking. It was a sensational charge their brother-in-office had made, one which would send the engineer to prison for ever so long, if substantiated, on the ground of perjury.

"I repeat," almost yelled Supervisor Wolter, gaining courage from the grave attention he was commanding, "I repeat that the city and county engineer is not the proper officer to make such a communication because he is not a citizen of the United States!"

He closed with a defiant shake of his fist. Be it known that he freely admits his love for the engineer to be nil.

"because he is not," he started to reiterate again.

Then Doyle laughed.

The supervisors joined in, except, of course, Wolter.

Now as the days pass between meetings, the city father who was the victim of a practical joke is dreaming of revenge, and the wisdom of the map who said it was sweet.

Engineer Whitehouse is a native of the state of Washington, and, it is stated has never set foot on foreign soil.

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The second of the series of lectures dealing with the care and construction of automobiles will be given at the Young Men's Christian Association tomorrow night by Ernest Kopke, who will speak upon the subject of gas expansion and the cycles of the gas engine. Twenty students are now enrolled in the class.