

From S. F.:
Sonoma, Nov. 24
For N. F.:
Nile, Nov. 20.
From Vancouver:
Niagara, Dec. 3
For Vancouver:
Marana, Dec. 2.

Evening Bulletin, 1913, No. 3706
Hawaiian Star, Vol. XXI, No. 6749

14 PAGES HONOLULU, TERRITORY OF HAWAII, WEDNESDAY, NOV. 19, 1913. 14 PAGES

PRICE FIVE CENTS.

SOLDIERS WILL REVEL DURING THE CARNIVAL

Department Commander Will Give Uncle Sam's Boys Holiday During 1914 Fiesta

HORSELESS CAVALRY TO REMAIN AT SCHOFIELD

Regulars to Number of 6000 Will Participate in Parade—Troops to Camp Here

That fully 6000 soldiers of the regular army will be in line of march Monday, February 23, when Honolulu pays tribute to General Washington and King Carnival at one and the same time, is the statement of Brigadier-general Frederick Funston, made this morning. Horse, foot and wagon soldiers of the mobile army, and also the coast artillery, will be turned out for the ceremony, and not only will the troops from Schofield barracks be brought to the city, but they will be camped in the vicinity of Honolulu for several days, so that the men may enjoy the amusements and attractions of the carnival week.

"The cavalrymen for whom there are no mounts will have to stay at Schofield, and possibly some of the field artillery, although we hope in the next few months to get horses for them," said General Funston. "I will also order out the coast artillery as infantry, leaving only sufficient men at each post to perform the regular duty. This should put at least 6000 regulars in line, which will make quite a parade. It will also help fill up the city for the celebration, as I intend to have the out-of-town troops camped here."

General Funston expressed the hope that the National Guard of Hawaii would be recruited up to sufficient strength to take part in the parade as a full regiment. He is much interested in the success of the Mid-Pacific Carnival, and the military features, according to the department commander's plans, promise to eclipse anything of the kind ever seen on Oahu.

General Funston is also favorable to the suggestion of a great massed band, to give an open air concert. The five military bands of the island, and the Hawaiian band, will probably be combined under the leadership of Captain Berger for this concert, and with sufficient time to practice, the result should be a splendid musical attraction.

NUT PLANTATION IS SUGGESTION OF A VISITOR

San Franciscan Here to Interest Small Farmers in Raising Commercial Cocoanut

The long dormant undertaking of cocoanut raising in the Hawaiian Islands as an industry bids fair to be revived if the present plans of Alexander Z. Rothschild, a prominent manufacturer of San Francisco, who arrived in Honolulu in the Siberia Monday evening, materialize. The utilization of the husk of the cocoanut forms the basis of a new industry the investigation of which has called Mr. Rothschild to this city and, although he is not now ready to give out what this new industry involves, or what products will be derived from it, he intimates that he is backed up by sufficient capital to start a factory here in case he can come to favorable terms with persons who would be willing to enter into the business of growing the nuts.

"My visit is simply one of investigation," said Mr. Rothschild when seen this morning. "I believe that there is a wide field to encourage the growing of cocoanuts here in Hawaii, as I have a patented process for utilizing the husk of the nut and, if I can come to agreements where I may be assured of being supplied with all the cocoanuts which I desire in the business, I intend starting a manufacturing plant here in Honolulu which will turn out this product. I am a member of a company which is looking into the matter; not only here, but in the Philippines and in other places. This company is capitalized at a large amount, and in case this factory would be started, no local money would be taken into the proposition. The manufacture of this product is not a new one, but will be new to these islands."

Mr. Rothschild said that at this time he did not care to give out any

(Continued on page three)

REGAL
The Original Underlung Car, Noted for Economy, Comfort and Durability.
H. E. HENDRICK, LTD.
Merchant & Alakea Sts. Phone 2648

'CONSPIRACY' IS ASSERTION OF ATTORNEY

Detectives and Newspaperman Said To Be Involved in the Case Against Kellett

COMMISSION PROBING MATTER THOROUGHLY

Peters Brands Testimony of One Witness as False—Says He Wants 'Truth'

E. C. Peters, the attorney for Detective John R. Kellett, gave notice to the commission this morning a few minutes after it convened to resume the hearing of the charges against the discharged officer that he will produce facts to prove the existence of a conspiracy on the part of a few detectives of the police department and a reporter on the Advertiser which has as its aim and purpose the undoing of Kellett.

While the Korean detective, John Woo, who figured prominently in yesterday's hearing, was on the witness stand this morning Peters declared that such a conspiracy existed and that evidence will be adduced later to bear him out. And intimations to the same point were made during the hearing of the charges of brutality made by Joseph Perez Jr. and Keng Lung Do, who appeared to testify this morning.

Before the commission adjourned at noon today, the sheriff's case against Kellett on the score of brutality was practically completed. It is now planned to take up the hearing again Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock but it is likely that the time will be reset until Saturday morning as Peters stated he would be engaged in another case at least part of Friday.

More progress was made this morning than yesterday. The commission is doing all possible to reach the truth of the charges, and to that end fine points of evidence are disregarded. This course has proved agreeable to both Peters and Deputy Attorney-general Smith.

"What we want to get out of this" exclaimed Peters during his examination of Woo, who had dropped into a laze of mediocrity for the time being, "is the truth. We are as anxious as anyone to get to the truth of this matter; and that is what I want to

(Continued on page three)

MAINLAND FIRM GETS JOB; LOCAL BIDS SHUT OUT

W. N. Concannon Lands Pearl Harbor Coaling-Plant Steelwork Contract at \$346,000

As a result of preparation of Pearl Harbor bids in such a manner that local contractors were prevented from competing, a mainland firm has succeeded in landing the contract for one of the biggest federal jobs of the year, the coaling-plant steel work at Pearl Harbor.

W. N. Concannon of San Francisco is the successful bidder, his figure being \$346,000. The only other bidder was also a mainland firm, Hamilton & Chambers of New York, whose estimate was \$367,800.

News of the outcome of the bidding has stirred up local contracting firms to the point where an emphatic protest to Washington is now proposed on the ground that local people are qualified to do the work and should not be shut out of the bidding.

The Star-Bulletin on September 30 called attention to the fact that the bureau of yards and docks was asking bids on such short notice that local firms could not compete. On that day first appeared an official advertisement which said in part:

"Sealed proposals, endorsed 'Proposals for steelwork, Pearl Harbor,' will be received at the bureau of yards and docks, navy department, until 11 o'clock a. m., October 18."

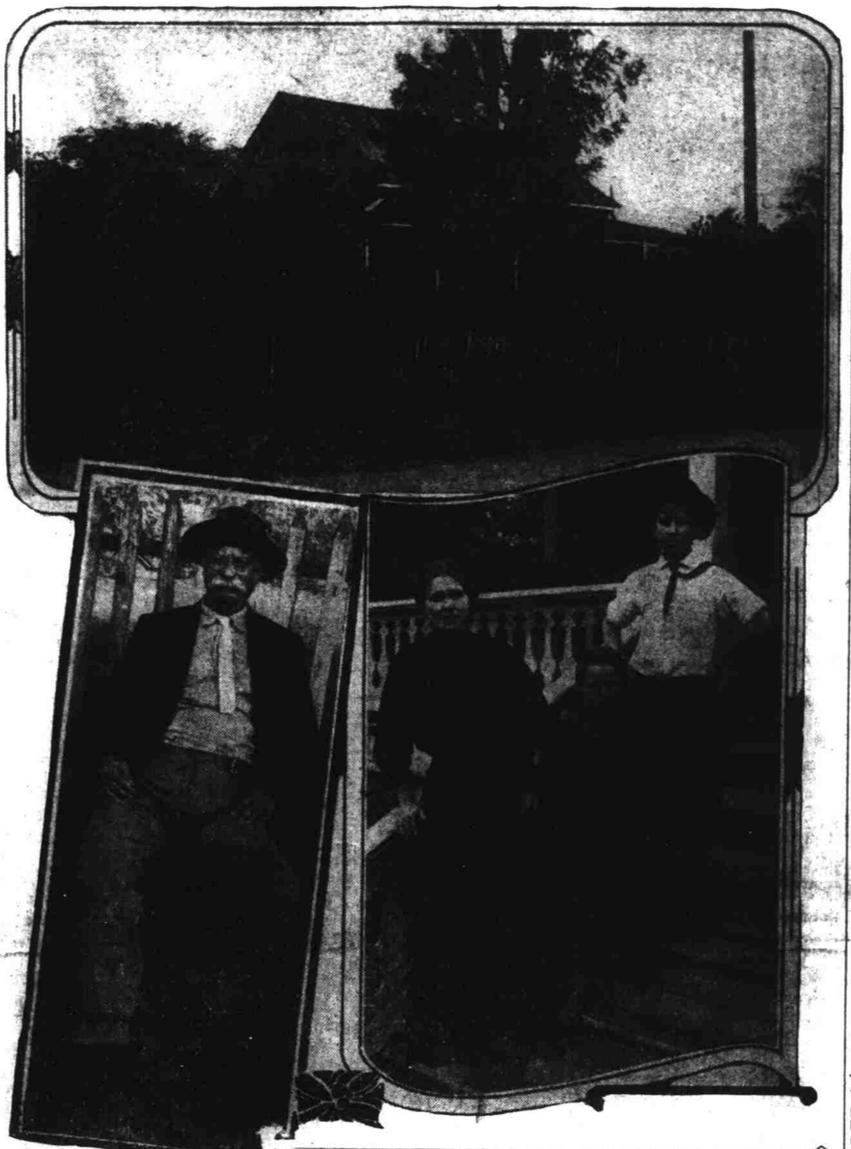
It was pointed out at that time that the local firms could not send to Washington for plans and specifications, as necessary under the wording of the bid, get the plans back, prepare their bids and send them in to Washington by October 18.

Local firms, while recognizing the fact that they were shut out of competition, believed that the job included only the furnishing of the steel. It was not until recently that they found out the proposals were for both fur-

(Continued on page four)

SUGAR
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 19.—Sugar: 96 degrees test, 3.70 cents. Previous quotation, 3.64 cents. Beets: 88 analysis, 98 5d. Parity, 3.97 cents. Previous quotation, 98 4 1/2-2d.

McDONALD FAMILY IS GIVEN AID HUSBAND'S CREDITORS MAY WAIVE THEIR CLAIMS



Above is shown the home of Mrs. Angus McDonald, which has been saved from her husband's creditors through her story, told in the Star-Bulletin. Below, at right are Mrs. McDonald and her two young sons; at left is one of the men detailed by Deputy-sheriff Rose to guard the little home, called off following the efforts of kind-hearted local people. Kodagraph Print.

STAR-BULLETIN STORY BRINGS HELP QUICKLY

A new light was thrown on the case of Mrs. Angus McDonald and her two children this morning when it was learned that, through the efforts of John Hughes, John Walker and Hith Sheriff William Henry, several of the creditors of the deceased Honolulu contractor, who have liens on the little house at Beretania and Piikoi streets, have offered to either waive all claims or compromise to the extent of receiving so much on the dollar in payment of the debts, in order that Mrs. McDonald and her children may retain their home. John Walker, the local contractor, who is one of the heaviest creditors, has intimated that he is willing to waive his claim in order to help the woman.

At the request of High Sheriff William Henry, John Hughes, master carpenter of the Oahu Railroad & Land Company, visited Mrs. McDonald at her home yesterday afternoon and there learned her story. As a result of that visit, the lights and water have been turned on in the McDonald home, a large order of groceries has arrived at the house from a sympathetic source, and, through Deputy Sheriff Charles Rose, the police officers have been relieved, leaving Mrs. McDonald to go and come as she pleases.

Mr. Hughes said this morning that, as these several creditors have come to the assistance of Mrs. McDonald and her children, it will show that the local people are more sympathetic than any before it. It will show that the county government has the funds to settle these accounts and leave Mrs. McDonald and her boys free from worry.

Case a Pathetic One.

"It is the most pathetic case which I have ever dealt with," said Mr. Hughes today. "In the first place, Mrs. McDonald is a woman of fine character and culture, is well related, and is both sensible and proud. That is why she has accepted no charity, and she demanded that she be allowed to pay for everything which she receives, from friends or otherwise. Under

the circumstances it is hard to see how she could have been so deceived. It has left our general fund broke,

and the board of supervisors is now faced with the problem of how to get the general fund back on its feet. It will show that the local people are more sympathetic than any before it. It will show that the county government has the funds to settle these accounts and leave Mrs. McDonald and her boys free from worry.

Chairman McClellan of the ways and means committee of the board of supervisors put the responsibility for the present depleted condition of the municipality's general fund on Treasurer Charles J. McCarthy last night. Rising just before the city fathers finally adjourned, McClellan reviewed the financial condition of the county and closed by stating that the last pay day could have been met if McCarthy had asked the banks to assist him.

"No salaries or other charges on the general fund were met last Saturday simply because McCarthy refused to ask the banks for more money. They would have been perfectly willing to advance him \$25,000 more."

"I am now preparing a statement, signed by the name of the county, which will show that this board of supervisors is more sympathetic than any before it. It will show that the county government has the funds to settle these accounts and leave Mrs. McDonald and her boys free from worry."

(Continued on page eight)

MCCARTHY BLAMED BY BOARD

Supervisors and Commission at Outs

M'CLELLAN SAYS PAY-DAY COULD HAVE BEEN MET HAD THE TREASURER BORROWED

Also States That Bank Deducts Fee for Cashing Warrants—Charge Is Denied

Chairman McClellan of the ways and means committee of the board of supervisors put the responsibility for the present depleted condition of the municipality's general fund on Treasurer Charles J. McCarthy last night. Rising just before the city fathers finally adjourned, McClellan reviewed the financial condition of the county and closed by stating that the last pay day could have been met if McCarthy had asked the banks to assist him.

"No salaries or other charges on the general fund were met last Saturday simply because McCarthy refused to ask the banks for more money. They would have been perfectly willing to advance him \$25,000 more."

"I am now preparing a statement, signed by the name of the county, which will show that this board of supervisors is more sympathetic than any before it. It will show that the county government has the funds to settle these accounts and leave Mrs. McDonald and her boys free from worry."

When that body convenes tonight at its weekly meeting it may devote a good part of its time to formulating a reply to the city fathers, but thus far the commissioners are not saying what plan they will follow, or how they will pay their extra expense of \$150 which the supervisors disallowed. Yet whatever they propose to do, the indications still prevail that the days of peace between the two bodies are at an end.

At the meeting of the supervisors two reports were handed in from the ways and means committee, the first on the recommendations made by the commission for the improvement of the police and fire departments, and the second for incidental expenses of the commission over the \$300 allowed it. The incidental expenses amount to \$270.20, not including the \$150, which was for the printing and the translation of the rules and regulations from English into Hawaiian. The latter sum was disallowed entirely, while the payment of the \$250.20 was authorized on the theory that as the bills had already been contracted it would be nec-

essary to pay them. The supervisors, however, are not saying what plan they will follow, or how they will pay their extra expense of \$150 which the supervisors disallowed. Yet whatever they propose to do, the indications still prevail that the days of peace between the two bodies are at an end.

At the meeting of the supervisors two reports were handed in from the ways and means committee, the first on the recommendations made by the commission for the improvement of the police and fire departments, and the second for incidental expenses of the commission over the \$300 allowed it. The incidental expenses amount to \$270.20, not including the \$150, which was for the printing and the translation of the rules and regulations from English into Hawaiian. The latter sum was disallowed entirely, while the payment of the \$250.20 was authorized on the theory that as the bills had already been contracted it would be nec-

essary to pay them. The supervisors, however, are not saying what plan they will follow, or how they will pay their extra expense of \$150 which the supervisors disallowed. Yet whatever they propose to do, the indications still prevail that the days of peace between the two bodies are at an end.

At the meeting of the supervisors two reports were handed in from the ways and means committee, the first on the recommendations made by the commission for the improvement of the police and fire departments, and the second for incidental expenses of the commission over the \$300 allowed it. The incidental expenses amount to \$270.20, not including the \$150, which was for the printing and the translation of the rules and regulations from English into Hawaiian. The latter sum was disallowed entirely, while the payment of the \$250.20 was authorized on the theory that as the bills had already been contracted it would be nec-

(Continued on page three)

THREE BRITISH WARSHIPS ORDERED TO VERA CRUZ AND FLEET THERE WILL BE LARGE

Sixteen Vessels of All Nations Waiting for Possible Hostilities—Carranza Breaks Off Negotiations with U. S. and Goes Southward to Push Campaign—Huerta Controls the New Congress

[Associated Press Cable]
BRIDGETOWN, Barbados, Nov. 19.—The British squadron, consisting of the warships Suffolk, Lancashire and Warwick, has been peremptorily ordered to Vera Cruz, where 16 warships of four nations will be assembled in case of an outbreak of Mexican hostilities with the United States.

MEXICO CITY, Mex., Nov. 19.—General Huerta is preparing to deliver a special message to the new congress, outlining his chief acts in the present serious situation and his guiding policy. The congress, which has largely been picked by his own leaders, is expected to acquiesce without comment in his policy.

NOGALES, Mex., Nov. 19.—General Carranza, head of the Constitutionalists, today broke off negotiations with Dr. Bayard Hale, who is acting on behalf of President Wilson, and left for the south to carry on his campaign against the Huerta army in several states.

Mutineers Force Steamer To Put Back To San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 19.—A desperate mutiny aboard the British freighter Santa Rosalia, which cleared from this port last night, caused the vessel to put back today and the remainder of a day of excitement brought out circumstances reminiscent of piracy. The Santa Rosalia cleared for Swansea but after getting eight miles out, anchored and returned to port today. Twelve firemen and five seamen mutinied, alleging excessive hours. Nine armed men from the revenue cutters Golden and McCullough guarded the vessel's hatches today to prevent the mutineers from deserting while warrants were being sworn out for their arrest. They will be charged with mutiny on the high seas.

British Warship To Rescue

LONDON, Eng., Nov. 19.—The battleship Iron Duke today rescued thirty people from the burning steamer Scotsdyke off the Isle of Wight. All on board were saved.

GOVERNOR TENER, ONCE IN HONOLULU, ELECTED NATIONAL LEAGUE HEAD

HARRISBURG, Pa., Nov. 19.—The National Baseball league today offered its presidency to John K. Tener, governor of Pennsylvania.

After a brief consideration, Governor Tener accepted the offer. He succeeds Thomas J. Lynch. Tener's salary as president of the National league will be \$25,000 a year. He has fourteen months of his gubernatorial term yet



JOHN K. TENER

to serve but there is nothing to prevent his holding both offices. Tener is a former professional player.

BIG 'BILL' AYLETT LOSES ONE OF HIS MANY POSITIONS

Big "Bill" Aylett, erstwhile legislator, former supervisor, once a hack driver, still a member of the Royal Hawaiian band and for the last six years the "night watchdog" of the territorial treasury, is in deep gloom today, for the last-mentioned of his many jobs is gone.

Like Bill's spirit, the facts leading up to his dismissal by Superintendent Caldwell also are dark. He declares the time clock in the capitol which he was supposed to register every half hour during the night has betrayed him. The superintendent discovered this morning that for a period of two hours last night the clock had not recorded any attention from Aylett, indicating that for that length of time the thousands of dollars of the territory and the city and county reposing in the big vaults lay unguarded, while the custodian slumbered.

It is stated this is not Aylett's first infraction of the rule requiring unsleeping vigilance and that on the former occasion he was suspended for a month. Aylett's friends say the record of his career, if diagrammed, would look like a checkerboard; today Bill is resting on one of the black spots.

George Carter Comes to Aid of Moneyless City

Former Governor George R. Carter has come to the aid of the merchants of the city and city employees who hold warrants for money owed them by the municipality, and which have not been cashed because of the depleted condition of the general fund of the city and county.

Mr. Carter this morning made a special arrangement with the Bank of Hawaii to cash all properly registered pay warrants up to \$75,000 at their full value and without charging a fee for doing so.

"I learned this morning, in following up the statement made in my open letter the first of the week, which appeared in the Star Bulletin this week, that merchants in the city held uncashed warrants against the city and county to the amount of about \$40,000 and that employees also held such warrants to the amount of \$30,000. I got busy and made arrangements with the bank to cash them."

"My investigation this morning showed that conditions were as I believed they were when I wrote my letter. It shows that the business of the city and county, in this respect at least, has not been conducted along good business lines.

"When I saw McCarthy this morning he refused to agree to pay any interest on the money thus advanced by the bank. But I for my part feel that it is better that the county should pay this interest than the holders of the warrants. They are entitled to their money in full, and it is the duty of the government to see that they get it."

Former Governor George R. Carter has come to the aid of the merchants of the city and city employees who hold warrants for money owed them by the municipality, and which have not been cashed because of the depleted condition of the general fund of the city and county.

Mr. Carter this morning made a special arrangement with the Bank of Hawaii to cash all properly registered pay warrants up to \$75,000 at their full value and without charging a fee for doing so.

"I learned this morning, in following up the statement made in my open letter the first of the week, which appeared in the Star Bulletin this week, that merchants in the city held uncashed warrants against the city and county to the amount of about \$40,000 and that employees also held such warrants to the amount of \$30,000. I got busy and made arrangements with the bank to cash them."

"My investigation this morning showed that conditions were as I believed they were when I wrote my letter. It shows that the business of the city and county, in this respect at least, has not been conducted along good business lines.

"When I saw McCarthy this morning he refused to agree to pay any interest on the money thus advanced by the bank. But I for my part feel that it is better that the county should pay this interest than the holders of the warrants. They are entitled to their money in full, and it is the duty of the government to see that they get it."

Former Governor George R. Carter has come to the aid of the merchants of the city and city employees who hold warrants for money owed them by the municipality, and which have not been cashed because of the depleted condition of the general fund of the city and county.