

## TAXICAB COMPANY OPENS FOR BUSINESS HERE OFFICERS OF NEW CONCERN HOSTS IN MORNING SPIN



"Call a taxi!"  
Whether it be a trip round the island, a jaunt to the Pali or a ride about town—call a taxi.  
For the first time in the history of motordom in Hawaii, taxicabs have come to Honolulu, and seven cars, all of the Ford variety and of the enclosed type, started work this noon under the auspices of the Honolulu Taxicab Company, of which I. H. Beadie is president and George Ikeda secretary and manager.  
The company gave its new cars a fitting innovation this morning, and from 9 o'clock until 11 o'clock prominent Honolulu citizens and members of both the English and foreign press were taken to the several points of



The new taxicabs, which were placed in service at noon, following trial spins and large street parade.

## POLITICS GIVES PROMISE OF QUICK ACTION THIS YEAR

Politics, in city and county offices, is beginning to rub its eyes. It will soon leap forth, a strong and commanding child. The primary law, passed by the last legislature, which has all the uncertainties of a strange new thing, will be responsible for politics rising earlier this year than at other times.

Even now incumbents in the various offices of the city and county are considering the coming campaign with its two elections—the first election being at the primaries, the second one, the general election. And though so far none of them has formally announced his intention to run for his office again, in a majority of the instances the matter seems to have been thrashed out privately and finally.

There appears now only two or three officials who may not run, and even in their cases the weight of opinion seems to be on the side that they will become candidates to succeed themselves. In one instance, that of the treasurer, Charles J. McCarthy, the incumbent is a receptive candidate for a renewal position, that of collector of customs here. If he succeeds in his candidacy he will of course step out of the treasurer's job.

John W. Cathcart, city and county attorney, has not formally said whether or not he will run again. Some of his friends, who say that he has a tempting offer to go into private practice, feel that he will retire from the office with the expiration of his present term. Others say he will run again.

What Sheriff William P. Jarrett will or will not do has not yet been made public. Auditor Bicknell is said to have settled his question of running and will be in the race, and David Kaiauokalani, Jr., will again fight it out on the Republican ticket.

Mayor Fern, who is now rapidly recovering from an illness, will be in the race for the chief executive office. The board of supervisors, which has only one Republican member on it—Supervisor Cox—will probably run in toto. There has been some talk that Supervisor McClellan, chairman of the board, and one of the hardest working and valued members on it, will not try for his place again. But he has not said so. Just now he is putting the question by, or at least not answering it publicly.

The primary election will not be held until the second Saturday of September, but that does not mean that politics will not begin in earnest before then. The way things look now, it is already begun. The beginning is made more or less silently. Aspirants having their eyes on some suitable office have not so far come boldly out. To announce themselves early, they say, is to give enemies more time to knock them. Hence the silence.

The members of the Christian Endeavor societies of Kawaiahao and Kaunakapili churches will hold a joint meeting in the latter church tomorrow evening, beginning at 6:30 o'clock.

## Baseball!

ATHLETIC PARK

SATURDAY, JAN. 24th.  
P. A. C. vs. ALL CHINESE

SUNDAY, JAN. 25th.  
ALLOAHU vs. ALL-CHINESE  
3:00 p. m.

Reserved seats on sale in Sporting Goods Department, E. O. HALL & SON, LTD

## GOOD GAMES ON CARD FOR TODAY AND TOMORROW

The Chinese figure in two games this week-end. This afternoon the team is playing the Portuguese Athletic Club, in the fifth game between the two since the Chinese returned from the last mainland invasion. Each team has won two games, and this afternoon's contest looks like the real thing.

Tomorrow the champion Hawaiis will be seen in action, and Dave Desha slips the word that his team is in fine shape, and that the fans will like the work of his new pitcher, Yamaguchi, who will make his initial bow to Honolulu in Hawaii uniform. Yamaguchi is a young man who made his mark in collegiate baseball in his native land, and who could be playing there yet had he wished to devote his entire time to the game. He had ambitions, however, and is now sporting editor of a local Japanese daily. He has been working out for the past few weeks, and sideline critics who have witnessed the warming-up process say that he is all to the good. Tomorrow will tell the tale.

Francis will be at the receiving end of the battery for the Hawaiis, with B. Joy as reserve pitcher. The balance of the line-up will be the same as usual, with C. Moriyama at short and Kusin in center, in place of Ayau and En Sue, who really belong to the Hawaiis, and who helped win the pennant for that team, but who are standbys with the Sam Hoppers in the Mid-Pacific series.

Apan will pitch tomorrow, according to Manager Sam Hop, and in that case Foster Robinson will play right, with Ping Kong and Sing Hung on the bench. Ping Kong is a dandy little fielder, but he is a sad joke at the bat, and until he gets to meeting the ball better and not striking out quite so consistently, he can hardly hope to play the outfield, where hard hitting is a requisite.

The grandstand and covered bleacher section at Athletic Park now sport new canvass roofs, so the comfort of the fans tomorrow is assured.

## AT THE HOTELS

### MOANA HOTEL

L. Scrutton, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. H. Gifford, Omaha, Neb.; Miss Ann Gifford, Omaha, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Jones, U. S. Navy; P. L. Williams, Miss Williams, Sam Williams, Salt Lake City; Consul A. Holinger, Elsa L. Holinger, Chicago; H. E. Stevens, Miss H. Armstrong, Miss A. Armstrong, St. Paul; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Lombard, Miss Edith Searle, Los Angeles; T. B. Brown, Louis Bory, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Mattinson, Gibson City, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Paul F. Keyser, Salt Lake City; T. E. Lynds, New York; F. D. Smith, Excelsior Spring; Mrs. S. T. Alexander; Miss Gustafson; Wm. J. Brady, Miss

interest in and about the city. From 11 until 12 o'clock a taxicab parade wended its way through the principal streets of the business district, American flags fluttering from each car, and the leading car containing a band of Hawaiian musicians. Every taxicab seemed to be in perfect working order, and no mechanical or other mishap occurred to delay the inauguration.

Promptly at noon the cars were placed in their respective stands on the Maunuka site and the initial business began at a lively rate. Some of those who hired the cars did it for the novelty of the thing, while many tourists, eager to take advantage of the low rates, rode about the city and delighted over the fact that they had no taximeter to watch run up the dollars. There are still five more cars to arrive in Honolulu, there having been a delay in the shipment from the East.

## OAHU COLLEGE MUSIC STUDENTS RECITAL

[Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence]  
OAHU COLLEGE, Jan. 24. — The students of the music department of Oahu College will give their monthly concert Monday afternoon in Old School Hall. Following is the program:

- Schubert—Anecdotes of his life and friends.
- Violet Austin
- Piano—Impromptu in E flat, Op. 90 No. 2 ..... Schubert
- Florence Campbell
- Voice—"Who is Sylvia" ..... Schubert
- Ruth Anderson
- Piano—"Scherzo in B flat" ..... Schubert
- Evelyn Webster
- Piano—"Adieu," song by Schubert, transcribed for piano by Heller, Elizabeth Woods
- Vocal Duet—"Hark, Hark the Lark" ..... Schubert
- Louise Churchill
- Mildred Chapin
- Piano—Minuet from Fantasia, Op. 78 ..... Schubert
- Myrtle Schuman
- Piano—Impromptu in A flat, Op. 90 No. 4 ..... Schubert
- Genevieve Young

Loretta Brady, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Maud, Monterey, Cal.; E. C. La Montagne, San Francisco; Geo. D. Moore, Boston, Mass.; L. A. Moore, Waterloo, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Snowden, Vancouver, B. C.; Miss Lila J. Beebe, Woodland, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Matthias, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Walsh, San Francisco; Dr. Henry Meyer, Dr. L. H. Hoffman, Mrs. J. Hoffman, Mrs. M. C. Meyerfeld, San Francisco; Mrs. Ellen Eger, Christiania, Norway; Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Leonard, Miss Margaret Leonard, Miss Alice Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Sullivan, Butte, Mont.; Miss Marie Tyson, Alameda; Miss E. Rucker, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Maud, Monterey, Cal.; E. C. Lamontagne, San Francisco; Geo. D. Moore, Boston; L. A. Moore, Waterloo, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McFeely, Vancouver; Lord Herschell, London, Eng.; C. H. Rothenbush, Stockton, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Snowden, children and nurse, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. W. Peilows, Chicago, Ill.; W. J. Brady and daughter, San Francisco.

Politics ala Mode.  
"I suppose you have read all the standard works on political economy?"  
"No," replied Senator Sorghum, "I started to, but my wife stopped me. She says that reading standard works on political economy is like trying to get the current styles out of a last year's fashion magazine."  
—Washington Star.

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