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## NEW POLITICAL PARTY FORMED FOR HAWAIIANS

Membership Now 1600 — Expected to Reach 3000 by End of This Week

### PLAN TO CONTROL NEXT MUNICIPAL ELECTION

Democrats and Republicans Admit It Will Be Power To Reckon With

A new political party, so far unnamed, has sprung into life and its membership is increasing with phenomenal rapidity. Sprigging up almost overnight, this new party, which asks for the support of the Hawaiians, is reported to have secured 1600 members in five days on this island.

By the end of the week, the leaders expect the membership to be increased to 3,000, which would put them in control of the next municipal election. When the 3,000 mark is reached the plan is to organize formally, adopt a name for the party, rules and regulations, and get ready for the coming primary.

At this time the leaders, who are two in number, are meeting twice a week with Hawaiian supporters to outline the continuance of the membership campaign. For their ambition does not stop with Oahu, but they expect to spread over the entire territory.

A small pamphlet has been issued and sent to almost every Hawaiian on the island, except a few who are thought to be too closely identified with the Republican or Democratic party to be available for membership in the new organization; and in this pamphlet the origin, plans and developments of the new party are outlined.

"We want to get for our membership all the Hawaiian Republicans and Democrats, so that we can put the best men in office, and be given a square deal," says the pamphlet, liberally translated in the manner in which preference for a job is to be given to the man of the largest family. Say five men are candidates for an appointive place; they say the man of the largest family should get it.

The leaders regard the present time as highly auspicious for launching the party. With the Hawaiians and whites for that matter, complaining against the board of supervisors and the mayor, particularly since the re-trenchment movement started, they say that thirty to the manner in which preference for a job is to be given to the man of the largest family. Say five men are candidates for an appointive place; they say the man of the largest family should get it.

"We Hawaiians have had both Republican and Democratic administrations, and nothing has been done for us. The only thing we have left to do, is to organize our own party, and control the situation. We will put men in office who will do the right thing, and won't give a thought to whether they were at one time Republicans or Democrats."

The Tax Equalization League of Hawaii was designated by the committee as the name for the organization and the constitution and by-laws lay the foundation for a thorough educational campaign in scientific taxation. It is the purpose of the organization to disseminate information gathered near and far, on this subject and every effort will be made to present data before the public in an interesting and easily digestible manner.

Following a meeting to be held early next week by the committee a general meeting will be called when the plans of the committee will come up for discussion, alteration if deemed advisable and adoption.

The committee is composed of Prof. Wm. A. Bryan, Marston Campbell, Prof. J. S. Disson, Dr. E. V. Willcat, Will Wayne, Chas. R. Merriam, Allan Herbert and Ed. Towse.

## MONUMENTS

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## Large Improvement is Planned For Manoa Under Frontage Tax

SUPERVISORS CREATE GIANT DISTRICT AND PROPOSE DRAINAGE AND BETTER ROADS FOR WHOLE VALLEY

A giant improvement district, embracing all of Manoa valley, and extending on the east to the College of Hawaii, and from there beyond the fork of the Oahu valley road, and upper Manoa road, and on the other side as far over as Rocky Hill, was created last night by the board of supervisors, when Supervisor Lester Petrie, chairman of the roads committee, introduced a resolution entitled "Manoa Valley Improvement District No. 1."

Under the provisions of the two direct frontage tax statutes, it is planned to put in a complete system of storm drains, and follow this with extensive permanent street improvements, turning the district into one of the most splendid, in point of thoroughness, in the city.

After working for a period of four months, preparing the maps and data on this district, L. M. Whitehouse, city and county engineer, is in a position now to carry out any street improvement work required in the district without a doubt.

In this new map, which is now the official one for the city and county, names of the owners of every piece of property in the district are shown; and it is also shown that in several cases the owners are on the government's record right of way. The correction of inaccuracies in other maps throughout the city. Some of the owners have been reached by several roads, while in other cases it is only a few feet.

The creation of this new district is regarded as eminently important. It means, first of all, that a modern drainage system is to be installed; and after that, streets paved as rapidly as possible. The news of the supervisors' action will be received by the Manoa Valley Improvement Club with pleasure, no doubt—for this is one of the things the club has been working for.

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the board under the provisions of the two statutes. There is, to be sure, a Nuanu valley district, for the improvement of three small streets in the valley beginning with Puia; this district was created last night also, at the instance of James T. Taylor. But the Manoa district is the only one thus far created which offers extensive possibilities of road improvements.

"I have been working on this map and data," said Mr. Whitehouse last night, "for four months. We have been going along quietly, getting everything in readiness so that when the district was made we would be in a position to advance the work with speed. Manoa residents wish such a district. Almost all the residents there own the property on which they live and can afford to have the streets improved. That is why I believe this resolution will be of such importance. All they have to do now is to tell us what street to pave, and we can go right after it. Of course, first the drainage systems should be laid, so as not to make it necessary to tear up a pavement at some later time to put drainage pipes in."

## THIELEN TAKES M'CARN CASE TO SUPREME COURT

Affidavits Made by Himself and Dr. Herbert, and Photograph of Receipt Shown

### MALPRACTICE IS CHARGE AGAINST U.S. ATTORNEY

Handling of Divorce Case Basis of Action—Woman Since Is Declared Insane

Another move was made yesterday afternoon by George P. Thielen in his undertaking to have U. S. District Attorney Jeff McCarn prohibited from practicing law in any of the courts of the territory, when he laid his formal charges of "malpractice and unprofessional conduct" before the justices of the supreme court of Hawaii.

Accompany his charges were copies of two affidavits, one made by himself and the other by Dr. George Herbert, both relating to the alleged unethical acts of Mr. McCarn in filing a libel on behalf of Mrs. Thielen for divorce; and also Thielen transmitted a photographic copy of a receipt given Mrs. Thielen by the district attorney. The receipt mentions a diamond ring given as security for the agreed fee.

Shortly after the divorce proceedings were instituted, Mrs. Thielen was declared insane by the circuit court. One of the allegations made by Thielen against Mr. McCarn is that he informed the district attorney that his wife was mentally unbalanced; and that Mr. McCarn was given the same information by Dr. Herbert, but proceeded, notwithstanding, to file the libel in which Thielen is accused of having, and transmitting to his wife a vicious disease.

The following are the charges: "Honolulu, H. T., April 7, 1914. To the Honorable Chief Justice and Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of the Territory of Hawaii. The undersigned, Geo. P. Thielen, of the city and county of Honolulu, territory of Hawaii, hereby charges one Jeff McCarn, a person licensed to practice law in all the courts of the territory, with malpractice and unprofessional conduct, based on two affidavits, certified copies of which are hereto attached and made a part hereof. The originals of these affidavits, one by Dr. George Herbert, and one by the undersigned, are now in the

## M'BRIDE LOSES IN EFFORT TO MAKE SENSATION

Endeavors to Connect Jeff McCarn with Civil Suit Before Judge Whitney

### FREEMAN SYLVESTER DEFENDANT IN CASE

Wife Also Made Party to Action—Incident Occurred in Hilo Last December

Attorney Claudius H. McBride sought to inject sensational charges against U. S. District Attorney Jeff McCarn in the course of a civil suit before a jury in Circuit Judge W. L. Whitney's court this morning. In his opening statement to the jury Attorney McBride endeavored to narrate the federal attorney's indirect connection with the case, but was checked and forbidden by the court to do so because, it was held, the federal official's alleged action had nothing to do with the suit in progress.

The trial which began in Judge Whitney's court is a \$10,000 seduction suit, brought over from Hilo, in which Florida Freitas, a Portuguese girl, said to be 15 years old, and her mother, Maria Freitas, are the plaintiffs and Freeman Sylvester and his wife, Rose Sylvester, are the defendants. Attorney C. W. Ashford represents the plaintiffs and McBride and Judge Alexander Lindsay are appearing for the defendants. From the nature of the charges most of the details of the testimony are unprintable.

Sylvester, accused of ruining the young girl, pleaded guilty in the circuit court at Hilo some time ago to a statutory charge and served a month in jail. His wife is held in the civil suit, as an accomplice. At the time of the crime she was not married to Sylvester, but was a widow. Attorney Ashford filed the complaint against this couple some weeks ago, and the U. S. district attorney

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## SIX MEN KILLED, SEVEN INJURED, ONE FATALLY, ON GOVERNMENT CANAL

Horrible Accident Occurs When Steam Shovel Strikes a Mis-fired Dynamite Cartridge at The Dalles, Oregon, Where U. S. Is Engaged in the Construction of Waterway

THE DALLES, Oregon, April 8.—Seven men were killed and six more seriously injured, one fatally, when a steam shovel struck a mis-fired dynamite cartridge charge on the government canal works here today.

## 16 Counties, 11 Townships And 200 Illinois Towns Dry

CHICAGO, April 8.—The Illinois election returns show that the women's vote not only closed 1000 saloons in this city but also made 16 counties and 200 townships dry and put 11 important towns on the list of the prohibitionists. This victory for the cause of temperance is considered one of the greatest thus far accomplished in the United States. It is generally believed that the movement against liquor will be given impetus through the decisive stand taken in this state.

## Colombia-U. S. Treaty is Signed But Not Ratified

BOGOTA, Colombia, April 8.—The treaty between Colombia and the United States has been signed by the plenipotentiaries of both countries, but is still unratified by either nation.

Colombia Allowed \$25,000,000 for Canal Zone

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 8.—Congress has awarded Colombia \$25,000,000 for the Panama canal zone.

## Divorce Decree Signed on Request From This City

SAN FRANCISCO, April 8.—Responding to an urgent message from Mrs. Marie King, at present residing in Honolulu, Judge Waste of Oakland signed her final decree of divorce, thus permitting her to remarry.

All efforts to locate Mrs. King, this afternoon, proved useless and up to the time of going to press no marriage license had been granted to any one of that name.

## Aviators and Passenger Are Hacked to Pieces by Moors

RABAT, Morocco, April 8.—Captain Herve and a passenger in his aeroplane were murdered and hacked to pieces by the Moors, the aviators having been compelled to alight from a reconnoitering flight owing to engine troubles. The airship was totally destroyed.

## Expelled Spaniards Maintain Their Attitude Was Neutral

EL PASO, Tex., April 8.—The 512 Spaniards expelled from Terreon have reached this city, protesting that their attitude was neutral and blaming General Villa for forcing them to leave Mexico.

## Progressives Lose Ground

PATERSON, N. J., April 8.—Complete returns from this congressional district give Dow H. Drukker, Republican, 10,620; James O'Byrne, Democrat, 5240, and J. Whitehead, Progressive, 611. In 1912 Roosevelt carried this district.

## Fighting Near Tampico

TAMPICO, Mex., April 8.—Sharp and indecisive fighting between the federales and rebels on this coast is reported in this vicinity and refugees are being taken on board the warships as rapidly as possible.

## Asquith Wins Unopposed

LONDON, April 8.—Herbert Asquith was re-elected to the House of Commons today unopposed.

## WOULD SECURE DOUGHERTY FOR 1915 CARNIVAL

At a special meeting of the Promotion Committee this afternoon, J. J. Towse and George G. Guild were chosen to represent the organization on the nomination committee, composed of delegates from the Ad Club, the Chamber of Commerce, the Merchants' Association and the present Carnival directorate, which will draw up a slate of 17 names from which seven will be elected to form the board of directors which will manage the 1915 Mid-Pacific Carnival. A meeting of the stockholders of the Mid-Pacific Carnival, Ltd., has been called for Monday, at which time the directors will be elected. The members of the nominating committee have been notified to meet tomorrow.

## STAINBACK TO SUCCEED THAYER LATEST TIP OF POLITICAL FORECASTERS

Ingram M. Stainback, member of the firm of Holmes, Stanley & Holmes, is the latest "tip" among political "doctors" for the office of attorney-general. While the rumor of Mr. Stainback as a probable successor to Wade Warren Thayer did not become particularly prevalent until yesterday afternoon, it has been given considerable credence among the "insiders" and the general belief is that Governor Pinkham will make the appointment within a few days. Mr. Stainback is said to be capable of filling the position and in addition is a loyal Democrat. Chamber of Commerce to complete the slate. The promotionists at the meeting this afternoon expressed themselves as being in favor of securing James D. Dougherty to serve as director-general of the 1915 celebration, one of the members making the statement that any plan of securing an outside man for this position should be discouraged. The statement also was made that, during the next 60 days the Promotion Committee may under-

## ASSOCIATED CHARITIES WORKER STONED ON VISIT TO CAMP NO. 2

Miss Emily Farley Compelled to Flee When Attacked by Hoodlums of District

To be made a target for stones thrown by hoodlums while engaged in making a personal investigation of the home conditions of several of Honolulu's unemployed, is the unique experience which befell Miss Emily Farley, second assistant manager of the Associated Charities, at Camp 2 Monday evening. According to the details, the actions of the hoodlums made it necessary that Miss Farley and the member of the detective department who accompanied her leave the vicinity at once in order to escape injury.

In accordance with a new policy recently adopted by the charities, Miss Farley was authorized to visit the homes of a number of persons in Camp 2 in order to ascertain their status. In company with a member of the detective department and a friend, Miss Farley started her investigation Monday evening. They visited several places, it is said, and were descending the stairs of a tenement when they were met at the bottom by a negro, who demanded of the police

## Holy Week Service at Young Hotel

"The Last Supper" will be the subject of an address which Rev. D. C. Peters, pastor of the Christian Church, will deliver in the makai pavilion of the Young Hotel tomorrow at noon, the occasion being the fourth of a series of Holy Week services being conducted under the auspices of the Inter-Church Federation of Honolulu. The meetings are held from 12 until 12:30 o'clock, there being each day a special musical program aside from the address. The Makai pavilion of the Young Hotel is proving an unusually busy place this week from the fact that the room services in observation of Holy Week, conducted by the Inter-Church Federation, are creating intense interest. "The Last Parable" furnished the topic of an address delivered today by Dr. Doremus Scudder, pastor of Central Union church, which was listened to by a large gathering of both men and women. L. Tenney Peck assisted in the services and Mrs. G. K. Taakabury sang. The Inter-Church Federation has expressed itself as being greatly pleased with the success of the series. Meetings of this sort now are in vogue in all the large cities on the mainland, and have set a new standard in the

## LITERACY TEST BELIEVED TO BE A DEAD ISSUE

Passage Over Veto of President Is Not Believed To Be Likely Action

By C. S. ALBERT.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 30.—The application of the literacy test to immigrants may be regarded as a dead proposition unless both branches of Congress pass the pending bill over the veto of President Wilson. There are sufficient votes to make that course possible, but party expediency probably will prevent such drastic action.

The president sought to be extremely gentle in handling the literacy test. He implored members of the senate committee on immigration to modify the literacy test, or eliminate it, but with no degree of success. The message was reported to the senate with the provision exactly as passed by the house.

Finding pleading and persuasion of no avail the president sent Secretary Wilson as a special emissary to Senator Smith of South Carolina, chairman of the immigration committee. The secretary made it perfectly plain to the senator that President Wilson would veto the immigration bill, when presented to him, if it contained the literacy test along the present lines. The matter was discussed at length. No possibility of doubt was left in the mind of Mr. Smith as to what course would be followed by the president when the objectionable measure came before him for approval.

As the situation stands it seems certain the president will have to exercise his veto power on the immigration bill. There is no doubt whatever but that the senate will concur in the house literacy test provision and leave it in the bill when passed and sent to the president. There is no chance of its rejection or modification by the senate unless the president can exert sufficient influence to accomplish that unexpected result. A large proportion of senators predict the retention of the obnoxious clause. Senator O'Gorman is almost alone in declaring that the paragraph will be eliminated when action is taken in the senate.

## HAWAIIAN COML. SHOWING IS POOR FOR YEAR 1913

Low Sugar Prices and Lack of Water Combine to Hold Down Profits

Copies of the annual report of the Hawaiian Commercial & Sugar Company have just been received from San Francisco, where the annual shareholders' meeting is being held today. Low sugar prices, combined with lack of water and some other difficulties, made the showing for last year comparatively poor. Altogether dividends to the amount of \$960,000, or 9.6 per cent on the capital stock, were paid during the year, it was necessary to draw on the surplus for \$30,581.37.

The financial statement as given, follows: Profit and Loss Account. Dividends .....\$960,000.00 Net Profit on Sugar .....\$794,745.69 Sundry Net Profits ..... 84,673.93 Surplus ..... 80,581.37

Statement of Assets and Liabilities, December 31st, 1913: ASSETS. Real property .....\$ 3,703,926.30 Ditches and reservoirs ..... 906,750.31 Mill ..... 710,000.00 Buildings ..... 275,000.00 Pumps and Oil Tanks ..... 552,000.00 Railroad and rolling stock ..... 70,000.00 Steam plows, tools, etc. .... 114,000.00 Fences, wagons, etc. .... 34,205.93 Livestock ..... 99,467.99 Investments ..... 956,339.90 Growing crops ..... 2,016,940.33 Inventories ..... 395,732.57 Accounts receivable ..... 696,489.96 Investment bonds ..... 1,015,000.00 Cash ..... 34,475.40

LIABILITIES. Capital stock .....\$10,000,000.00 Surplus ..... 501,102.81 Five per cent bonds ..... 998,000.00 Maui R. R. & S. S. Co. .... 27,239.41 Account's Payable ..... 54,982.65

Manager's Report. The report of President and Manager Frank F. Baldwin in part is as follows: Puunene, Maui, T. H., Feb. 9, 1914. To the Directors and Stockholders of the Hawaiian Commercial and Sugar Company. Gentlemen: Following is the annual report for