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## BUSINESS PROSPECT IN PHILIPPINES GOOD BUT AWAITS FEDERAL POLICY

George H. Fairchild Predicts Great Developments Provided Democrats Act Right

FORMER SENATOR EN ROUTE TO GERMANY ON A VISIT

San Carlos Planters Are Well Pleased With Results From the Central



George H. Fairchild, who says development in the Philippines awaits policy of federal government.

Development in the Philippines is waiting on Washington policy, according to George H. Fairchild, former senator for Kauai and manager of Makee Sugar Company for many years, who dropped into Honolulu from the steamer Manchuria to visit old friends here for a week before resuming his journey to Dresden, Germany, there to join his family. Mr. Fairchild has been in Manila two years, being manager there of the firm of Welch, Fairchild & Co., agents for the San Carlos Co., incorporated in Hawaii, the Mindoro Co. and the San Jose Estate.

"There are two central mills in our holdings, one in San Carlos and the other in Mindoro," said Mr. Fairchild to a Star-Bulletin reporter this morning. "San Carlos the past year produced about 8000 tons of sugar. Mindoro will have about 3000 acres in sugar cane the coming year. It is hard to predict what the yield will be. You know the average yield for the Philippine islands is hardly 1 1/2 tons to the acre. We have just put in an irrigation and drainage system, which will insure good conditions the whole year. Heretofore the trouble has been that half the year the land was under water, and the other half without any water. By the completion of the irrigation and drainage system, combined the proper degree of moisture at all seasons will be obtained. On one small field planted for experiment there was a yield of 30 tons of cane, making 3 1/2 tons of sugar, to the acre."

"Further development in the Philippines depends a good deal on what the policy of the government in Washington will be. If the Democrats give a satisfactory policy there will be great development. This year's production of sugar in the islands is over 200,000 tons, and, although the price is low, it is very fortunate in having a heavy crop and no loss in the market, everything was in their favor."

"In Mindoro they are developing the coconut industry, cattle and rice. They are not tied up to one industry. By crossing Zebu cattle from India with the native cattle a very fine breed of stock has been produced. An addition of 500 pounds has thus been made to the weight of the animals. The coconut industry is going ahead very rapidly and we have found we

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## NO MAUI-OAHU POLO GAME ON THE FOURTH

There will be no polo match between Oahu and Maui on the Valley Island July 4, and in consequence the trip of the local team has been called off. The match was abandoned on account of the recent death of Jared Baldwin, a wire to this effect being received by R. W. Shingle from F. F. Baldwin this morning.

## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PLANNING OBSERVANCE OF INDEPENDENCE DAY

To the Residents of Honolulu: The reception and entertainment committee of the Chamber of Commerce of Honolulu requests every resident, every business man and every business woman in Honolulu, to bear in mind our national holiday, July 4th, by arranging to have an American flag hoisted from all the homes and places of business during that day. The committee want, as far as is possible, to have a flag waving from every flag pole in the city and a flag, also displayed in some manner, from every private home. In addition to this, there will be an appropriate service at 10 a. m. at Palace grounds. This service will consist of invocation, patriotic airs by the band, singing, reading of the Declaration of Independence and an address. The service will be short, but impressive. Come. Add to the crowd and lend a hand in doing honor to our flag, our country and its institutions. Come. By order of the committee, RAYMOND C. BROWN, Secretary, Chamber of Commerce, of Honolulu.

FOR RENT Store 30x45, Alakea St. Office space 1st floor Merchant St. 14 acres of land with house and barn and 3 lots on Beretania St. for sale, or lease. H. E. HENDRICK Merchant St. and Alakea St. Phone 2648

## 'BUSINESS IN PHILIPPINES ROTTEN,' HELM

Frank P. Helm, However, Says He Expects to Secure Business for Vessels

EN ROUTE TO MAINLAND TO ORDER SMALL FLEET

Insular Transportation Company Will Care for Freight in Southern Archipelago

To award the contract and superintend the construction of four new steamers to be employed primarily in carrying cargo between Manila and ports throughout the southern Philippine islands, Frank P. Helm, who has resided in Uncle Sam's southernmost possession for a decade, and recently retired from the office of director of the bureau of navigation, is a through passenger in the Pacific Mail liner Manchuria that remained at Honolulu last evening and this morning, his destination being San Francisco.

"In the face of the most discouraging conditions, we believe that there will be simple business offered the vessels that the company, which I represent, hope to have in operation within the next nine months," stated Mr. Helm this morning.

Helm is representing the recently organized Insular Transportation Company, with head offices at Manila. He is largely interested in the concern which is expected to take care of freight traffic at points in the southern archipelago, heretofore neglected by vessels in the commercial service.

The steamer man who departed for the coast in the Manchuria this morning is considered one of the best posted in the business in the Far East. He joined the Philippine insular government at its inception following the closing of the Spanish-American war. At a time when transportation was in chaos, Helm was selected by the then civil governor, William H. Taft, to organize insular transportation and he was dispatched to Shanghai, China, where the contract was let for a dozen coast guard cutters.

Helm remained with the bureau of navigation until the inauguration of President Wilson and the installation of Francis Burton Harrison as governor of the Philippines. It was one of the first official acts of Harrison to abolish the bureau of navigation with one sweep of the pen. Helm, who was then on the mainland on vacation, was notified by cable that his services were no longer required by the Philippine government.

He has organized the new transportation company backed up by Manila capital. The vessels, four in number, are expected to total about 1500 tons each. They will be equipped to carry between 12 and 15 passengers. They will each burn oil and will be driven by auxiliary motors, being the first vessels in the Far East to be supplied with such motive power.

When asked about business in the Philippines, Helm said: "It's simply rotten. The country is going to smash and will continue to do so until we secure a change of administration."

He appeared to be exceedingly pessimistic regarding the outcome of the sweeping policies of reduction as inaugurated by Governor-general Harrison, who has to date eliminated a half thousand Americans from the insular government service.

Mrs. Chas. Furneaux, widow of former U. S. consul, dies in Hilo. (Special Star-Bulletin Wireless) HILO, June 29.—Mrs. Charles Furneaux, widow of the former United States consul to Hawaii, died at Ferris, Oahu, at an early hour this morning, following an illness covering a period of several months. Deceased was 74 years old, and had been widowed less than six months. Arrangements have been made to hold the funeral here this afternoon, the remains of husband and wife to rest side by side. Mrs. Furneaux was well known throughout the islands, and the news of her death will prove a severe shock to her large circle of friends.

## M'CARN FIGHTS INDICTMENT OF FEDERAL JURY

"Inquisitors Not Properly Selected, as Required by Law" is His Contention

MOTION TO QUASH MADE BY THE U. S. ATTORNEY

Action of Judge Clemons in His Addition to Panel Questioned in Objections

"Because the said indictment has not been found by any grand jury properly selected and constituted, as is required by law, and is, therefore, no proper or true indictment at all." A motion to quash the indictment returned by the federal grand jury against United States District Attorney Jeff McCarn, charging him with an assault upon Claudius H. McBride, the Ello attorney, with a weapon imminently dangerous to life, was made in the federal court this morning by C. W. Ashford, one of the attorneys for the district attorney. The motion was ordered placed on file, it being left to the discretion of Judge Charles F. Clemons to set the date for a discussion of the matter. The motion comprises several typewritten sheets and is replete with reasons for this action on the part of McCarn and his attorneys, of which reasons the foregoing is perhaps the most pertinent.

The motion was signed by A. S. Humphreys, J. Lightfoot, W. S. Edings, J. Alfred Magoon and C. W. Ashford, attorneys for McCarn, and by the district attorney. In presenting the motion, Attorney Ashford stated that he was ready to take the matter up at once. Special Assistant Alexander Lindsay, Jr., however, asked the court for time to consider the motion and prepare his arguments. This request was granted by the court. It is probable that the motion will be discussed either Friday or Monday.

Among the several reasons set forth in the motion as to why the indictment should be quashed, the first is that on June 15, when the grand jury was called, there were 17 members of the jury present and that they were ready and competent to proceed with any business put before them. But that notwithstanding the presence of the jury and its readiness for duty, Judge Clemons, "without authority of law" of his own motion, ordered and caused the drawing of additional names of persons to serve as grand jurors, and increased the number of 17 to 23. Those persons so "illegally" called were Arthur Berg, J. R. Galt, L. Tenney Peck, J. H. Dye, C. N. Forbes and A. F. Clark.

The motion goes on to say that after the incorporation and addition of the six additional grand jurors, the body thereafter was "an illegal and irreparable grand jury," and without authority drawing the additional names for the grand jury, the name of Frank Cox

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## FINAL BASEBALL GAMES THIS AFTERNOON AND TOMORROW AT 4 O'CLOCK

Oahu baseball fans will have two more chances to see the University of California baseball team in action, and the fact that its opponent on both occasions will be a soldier aggregation gives added interest to the two final meetings. To date the collegians have won six and lost three, and it's up to the army to uphold the baseball honor of the islands.

This afternoon the 25th infantry will take on the coast men, the game being for the benefit of the Hui Nalu swimming team. Although only arranged a couple of days ago, the word has been passed along in good shape, and a big week-day crowd is expected. The game will be started at 4 o'clock at Athletic park.

Tomorrow the California team plays the 2d infantry. Baseball followers have been clamoring for another chance to see Sloan, the big soldier pitcher, in action, and they will surely get it tomorrow as Manager Lyman announces that Sloan will be on the roving line for the Lions. Tomorrow's game same time and place as today's.

Plebiscite on Maui Gives Evidence of Approving of Bonds

## DOUBLE ASSASSINATION IN AUSTRIA BELIEVED TO BE A PLOT ENGINEERED BY SERVIANS



Archduke Francis Ferdinand, heir apparent to the Austrian throne, and the Duchess of Hohenberg, his morganatic wife, who were assassinated yesterday.

## Another Bomb Exploded Today, Causing Riot, and Martial Law is Proclaimed-- Situation is Serious

SARAYEVO, Bosnia, June 29.—Everything indicates that the assassination of Archduke Francis Ferdinand and the Duchess of Hohenberg, his wife, was the result of carefully engineered plans on the part of the Servians, the susceptible students being used tools for the carrying out of the plot.

Another bomb was exploded this morning on the corner of the main street of the city. While only one Musselman was slightly injured as a result of a serious anti-Serbian outbreak ensued.

The troops were called out and after considerable difficulty the riot was suppressed. Martial law has been declared. An increased bitterness between Austria, Serbia and Russia is most apparent as a result of the double murder.

VIENNA, Austria, June 29.—Archduke Francis Ferdinand, heir apparent to the throne of Austria, and the Duchess of Hohenberg, his morganatic wife, were assassinated yesterday while they were driving at Sarajevo, Bosnia. The deed was committed by Gavrilo Princip, a Servian student, aged 19 years. He was aided by one Gabrinovics.

The couple were riding in the royal automobile along the boulevard when a bomb was hurled by Gabrinovics. The explosion wounded a score of persons, including Archduke Ferdinand's aides who were riding in the carriage.

As the archduke and his wife were attempting to get out of the wrecked car, Princip, unnoticed in the excitement, made his way to the couple and aiming a revolver at Ferdinand, fired point blank at his face. The bullet pierced the archduke's brain and without a word he fell dead.

The assassin then shot the archduke's wife, one bullet striking her in the throat, the other piercing her abdomen as she fell. She died almost instantly.

A mob quickly gathered, the assassins were surrounded and but for the prompt arrival of police the two would have been lynched.

## JOHN HUGHES MAY NO CHANCE FOR ENTER FIGHT FOR LOCAL MAYORALTY THE SOLDIERS TO WEAR 'CITS'

Will Become Candidate for City and County Head or Oahu Senator, He Says

John A. Hughes, master car builder of the Oahu Railway and Land Company, and representative for Oahu four years ago, soon may enter into the running for the position of mayor of the city and county of Honolulu. Although Mr. Hughes has made no official announcement of his candidacy as yet, he stated this morning that he is seriously considering the proposition. At all events, he said, he will run for either mayor of Honolulu or senator for Oahu.

"As long as I am a taxpayer, I'll be in politics," Mr. Hughes told the Star-Bulletin. "I have my own opinions in several matters. No man can expect to get the vote of his party unless he wins out at the primaries by fair and honest methods."

## VILLA'S MOVE PUZZLES THE REBEL CHIEFS

Early Action Against Carranza Is Believed to Be Contemplated by Late Follower

VANTAGE POINT IS LEFT IN RETURN TO TORREON

Entire Army Recalled and Adherents to Both Generals Are Guessing at Answer

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) EL PASO, Texas, June 29.—Followers of Generals Carranza and Villa are predicting quick action in Mexico as the result of the return of Villa to Torreon. It is generally predicted that this action on the part of the former right-hand man of Carranza means that Villa intends taking quick steps against his former chief and the latter appears to be that the Constitutional forces will suffer through the move.

General Villa withdrew his entire army and abandoned a victorious advantage, but this is believed to be a ruse that will react against Carranza. The move is proving a deep puzzle to the adherents of both generals.

## FEDS WOULD CUT IN ON WORLD'S SERIES MONEY

Offer to Play Winner of National and American League Series for Super-Title

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) CHICAGO, Ill., June 29.—Announcement was made from Federal league headquarters that the winner of the pennant race would challenge the winner of the National and American league post season series for a world's championship series. As the two major leagues are barred from playing baseball with "outlaw" clubs, there is little chance of this deft being taken seriously.

## PASSENGERS ARE OFF CALIFORNIA, MAY SAVE VESSEL

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) LONDONERRY, June 29.—The passengers of the Anchor line steamer California, numbering 1016, have been transferred in safety. The crew remain on board the grounded vessel in the hope that it may be possible to float her off Tory Island and bring her safely into this port.

## SURGEON-GENERAL BLUE GOES SOUTH TO FIGHT PLAGUE

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) WASHINGTON, D. C., June 29.—Surgeon-general Blue has been dispatched to New Orleans to make an effort to stamp out the bubonic plague which is causing considerable anxiety in the Louisiana city.

Thus far but two cases have been discovered, one having resulted in death.

Surgeon-general Blue has met with considerable success under similar conditions elsewhere and it is believed his efforts will be rewarded in New Orleans.

## JEFF MCCARN HAS CLOSE CALL WHEN CAUGHT WITH CRAMPS

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) United States District Attorney Jeff McCarn narrowly escaped death by drowning late yesterday afternoon when he was seized with cramps while swimming off a pier owned by James Cassidy at Waikiki. Mr. McCarn was but a short distance from the pier when the accident happened and, although the water was fairly shallow, the cramps made it impossible for him to stand up. Fortunately, a resident of Cresswell's, and Mr. McCarn's son, were swimming nearby at the time, and they responded to his cries for help. They went to the aid of the district attorney, got him into a boat and took him to the pier. Mr. McCarn soon recovered.