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SAYS WAIAKEA LAND NOT SECRETLY TRANSFERRED TO SENATOR METZGER

Hilo Tribune Editorially Declares Transaction Regular; Not Political Deal

That the Waiakea land figuring in the "Metzger lease" controversy at Hilo was not secretly transferred to Senator D. E. Metzger, that the proposed sale was publicly considered and approved by the territorial land board a year ago and that the deal was not secretly arranged by the governor and senator as a political matter, are the declarations voiced editorially by the Hilo Tribune in its last issue.

The Tribune contains a long news article in addition to its editorial, the news article declaring that Norman Lyman says he was misquoted in the report which re-presented him as believing a political deal had been made among administration Democrats.

The editorial says in part: "So much dust is being kicked up over the question of the ownership of the Waiakea quarry that there is grave danger Hilo residents may overlook the real facts. The Tribune is not a special pleader for Senator Metzger or the territorial administration, but it does believe the senator and the administration are deserving of having the truth emphasized, as much as some of the statements about the quarry transfer which are apparently untrue."

The Advertiser of last Wednesday contained Hilo correspondence which pretended to give both sides of the controversy, but presented its story in such a manner that the reader was left with the impression that Waiakea land of great value was to be, or had been, secretly transferred to Senator Metzger, with little remuneration for the territory.

The truth is that there was no secrecy about the proposed transfer of the quarry land in fee simple to Senator Metzger. The land was appraised and the transfer considered and approved in open meeting by the territorial land board, which fixed the compensation for the land at nearly \$28 per acre. In addition to this payment, Senator Metzger was to have given up a lease for 140 acres of Waiakea land.

"Failure to keep track of the actions of the land board, or faulty memory, is evidently what is responsible for the fact that the Hilo Board of Trade members knew nothing of the proposed transfer, not because it was secretly arranged by the senator and the governor as payment for political debts, as the objectors to the transfer would have us believe."

"It is just as easy today to find residents in Hilo who believe only waste land was purposely included in the house lot survey as it is to find those who think it was originally intended to build the Wear-Volcano road for Senator Metzger's convenience. There are also residents who say the land commissioner was influenced to first offer the waste land for sale in order to dispose of many of the home-hungry poor people, while the good land near the river was to be retained for purchase in the future by those better supplied with worldly goods. Some residents even think that there are special interests intent on securing the good land in an entire block from a future and kindly inclined territorial administration. Which set of critics is correct, if any is, the Tribune does not pretend to know."

"Whether the administration should be allowed, without a protest from Hilo residents, to deed the quarry land to Senator Metzger for the compensation fixed, or for a lesser or larger amount, the Tribune does not assume to dictate. It appears, though, that as the land board approved the transfer in March of last year and Senator Metzger has never signed the final papers to consummate the deal that he is not overly anxious to 'grab the land' or put 'one over,' as some of his opponents pithily phrase it."

"Still, if the transfer is inimical to the best interests of Hilo and the county, not to those of some individual or small group of individuals, it should be opposed. But the reason for doing so should be based upon something more substantial than political or commercial rivalry. Also the board of trade committee appointed to investigate the quarry ownership and transfer should not fail to clean the dust from the real facts before making a final report."

lins (Paia) are the contestants.

In affirming the judgment of Judge Edging in the matter of the will of Polly Kalua, deceased, the supreme court last week settled a case of considerable interest on Maui, sustaining the validity of the will. In seeking to break the will, the heirs alleged that the deceased had been unduly influenced by Attorney D. H. Case and others. The supreme court in its opinion avers that there is nothing in the testimony to show the slightest

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KOLOA CARRIES BIG BALANCE TO PROFIT ACCOUNT

Manager Cropp Foresees Yield of Less Than 8000 Tons for Tonnage of 1916

With a net profit of \$302,193 for the 1915 operations Koloa paid out only 6 per cent, or \$45,000, in dividends, and carried to the profit balance account \$257,193. On December 31 the company had more than \$115,000 cash on hand.

Excerpts follow from the annual report of Ernst Cropp, the manager, which was submitted to Koloa shareholders at their annual meeting today: Crop 1915.

"I am glad to report a banner yield of 9,501.77 tons sugar this year, which is larger by 600 tons than any other output in the history of the place. Crop 1916.

"The weather has been very unfavorable during the growth of the cane for this crop. The dry season lasted till August, so the growth of the young cane was checked during a considerable time. After the rainy season had set in the cane grew rapidly, but unfortunately had no time to ripen."

"The harvesting of this crop started on December 6. We have manufactured up to December 12, 2,207,1875 tons sugar. The fields taken off so far have fallen below the estimate and, unless the quality of the juice improves, we will get a little less than 8000 tons sugar.

"The Mill has done very satisfactory work during the past season in grinding 29.24 tons cane per hour with an average extraction of 95.57 per cent.

"The new Lihue ditch was completed August 16, 1915, and will be of immense value for this plantation.

"No expensive improvements are planned for the coming year."

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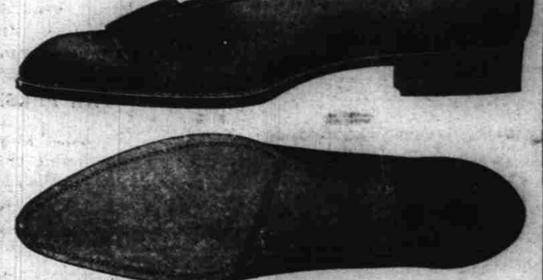
[Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence] WAILUKU, Feb. 25.—A ladies' doubles tournament is the next thing of interest in Maui tennis circles. The Paia Store has donated handsome cups for the event, which will follow shortly after March 10 when the entries close. Lady players are invited to make their entries to Mr. Bergstrom at the M. A. Company's office. They will choose their own partners for the opening round.

George Maxwell, one of the oldest and best known printers in the islands who has been in Honolulu for several months for eye treatment, returned to his home at Waikapu this week totally blind. The doctors of Honolulu say there is no hope of his recovering his sight.

Owing to the absence of William ... the finals in the Harry Baldwin cups tournament was not played last Saturday as was expected. It may, however, be played next Tuesday. Much interest centers on this match, which will be played on the Punene courts. Walsh and Thomson (Punene) and Lindsay and Col-

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