

But each day brings its petty dust  
Our soon-choked souls to fill,  
And we forget because we must  
And not because we will.—Matthew Arnold.

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## MAUI MAN PROVED STRONG WITNESS IN BOMBING CASE

Herbert A. Wade of Haiku Able to Identify Warren K. Billings as Dental Office Visitor

SUIT-CASE HE CARRIED AGREES WITH DESCRIPTION

Conviction of Alleged Dynamiter Aided by Wade's Testimony

Herbert A. Wade, principal of the Haiku, Maui, school, proved an important witness in the sensational bomb plot case in San Francisco, which resulted in the conviction of Warren K. Billings.

As told by the Star-Bulletin some weeks ago, Wade suddenly called to San Francisco as a witness for the prosecution, after having returned from a coast trip. Considerable mystery surrounded his departure and nothing was known as to the testimony he might give.

Now news has come from the coast that at the trial of Billings, the bomb-plot suspect, Wade identified Billings as a man he saw in a San Francisco dental office which figured prominently in the police investigations.

Wade told of visiting the dental offices on the second floor at 721 Market street on July 22. His testimony in brief was as follows:

"I was at the street doorway," said Wade, "looking at the porcelain teeth in the exhibit case and just about to go up to get my teeth fixed when Billings passed me and went up the stairs. I noticed him particularly, because it occurred to me that he had slipped in ahead of me and would beat me to the dentist. As I did not want to have to wait, I did not go up. I am therefore positive that this man was Billings. He carried a dark, reddish-brown suit, about 20 inches long, shorter and wider than the ordinary."

On cross-examination Wade fixed the time at about 3 p. m. He admitted that he could not recognize or identify anyone who passed him there, but he said that he thought that Billings had beaten him to the dentist's chair while he was waiting for the man. He saw two other men attempt to go up, he said, but he could not describe them. One of them, he said, might have been Mr. Mowbray, but he could not be sure.

Wade described the attire of Billings as a dark suit with a dark necktie, and stated the height of the man as described as Billings. Wade recalled that he was about 5 feet 5 inches.

## HAWAIIAN TO BE CELEBRATED AT ST. FRANCIS

Hawaiian Day will be celebrated at the St. Francis hotel in San Francisco on October 1. On that day the Great Northern Company will act as hosts to the Hawaiian League of San Francisco. The day will be called a "Hawaiian Day" and hundreds of leading business men of San Francisco have been invited to attend.

During the big program Fred J. Haine, San Francisco representative of the Hawaiian Promotion Committee, will address the members on Hawaii. Other features will be music by a Hawaiian orchestra, ball dancing and special Hawaiian features. On October 5, Haine will lecture before the Pacific Coast Women's Press Club.

## WILSON SAYS ELECTIONS WILL DECIDE COUNTRY'S STAND ON PEACE POLICY

(Associated Press by Federal Wire) LONE BRANCH, N. J., Sept. 29.—In a letter to Miss Louisa Larrabee, president of the Women's Dramatic Club of Portland, Oregon, President Wilson declared that the future policy of the United States toward peace is to be determined by the result of the coming elections.

The letter, the first of his campaign correspondence, was made public here last night. In it Mr. Wilson says:

"The great question about to be determined is whether we shall keep the nation upon the present terms of peace with all the world or turn to radical changes of policy."

## SPANISH BOYS STILL LOOKING FOR HOMES

Three of the four Spanish boys who recently applied to juvenile court for permanent homes, are still waiting for someone to come forward and take care of them. For the time being they are living at the home of A. Kallei Aana, acting boys' probation officer. One of the boys has been given a home by Mrs. Henry Cockett of Kakaako street. The boy's father turned them over to juvenile court as he was unable to support them. Their mother is dead. All of the boys are young.

## SUPERVISORS DELAY HEARING ON KING STREET

Property Owners Who Do Not Speak English Only Hear of Matter Later

When the meeting of the board of supervisors opened Thursday evening the assembly hall was crowded with residents who live along the road included in the King street improvement project. A large proportion were Portuguese, many of whom could not speak or understand the English language, and they had come to inquire into the frontage tax which they are to pay for the paving of the road. Practically all of them had only heard recently that they must pay for the work being done in front of their property and their faces expressed anxiety for many of them are poor people, and some are still paying for their little homes.

In one corner of the hall sat a little old woman with a shawl drawn about her shoulders and her hands clasped tightly in her lap. As she looked about the hall hearing words which she could not understand, a look of fear crept into her face for she did not know but that her little house for which she had worked for years, might be taken away from her. "I am a poor woman," she said. "I can not read English and I only heard today that I must pay more money on my property. I do not know what I shall do."

Other residents went even so far as to say that they could not pay the tax, no matter what the city does. Henry Freitas, building inspector, acted as an interpreter.

As a result of these expressions the board voted to extend the hearing until October 3, the next meeting of the board, in order that the people might have more time to study the situation.

The tax is \$3.32 a front foot and a man who owns a 50-foot lot must pay \$166, but the payment is extended over 10 years.

## HAWAIIAN SOUVENIR WILL BE PLACED ON PULLMANS IN FUTURE

For the first time in the history of the road the Southern Pacific will carry the Hawaiian souvenir on its Pullman cars. The souvenir has been bought, and a number have been forwarded to Charles S. Fee, who will have charge of their distribution. According to A. F. Taylor, secretary of the Hawaii Promotion Committee, this method of publicity will bring big results, as the book will fall in the hands of tourists who have money to spend on travel.

## TWO ACCIDENTS REPORTED TO POLICE AT SAME TIME

Two accidents at the same time on Thursday morning, one at Walkiki and the other in Manoa Valley, took both the patrol wagon and emergency hospital ambulance roaring out of the police station. In the lane leading down to the Seaside Hotel from Kakaako avenue, William Liehman had been struck by a car driven by C. H. Moore, according to the police, and it was found upon examination by Police Sergeant Ayer that he had a broken thigh. In Manoa Valley D. K. Sheldon, a lineman for the Hawaiian Electric Company, fell from a pole upon which a cable was being struck and was rendered unconscious. He had been taken in charge by the family doctor before the patrol wagon arrived.

## JUDGE MAKES EXAMPLE OF KAKAOKO GANGSTER

Tried on a charge of assaulting a Chinese, David Kelli, a Hawaiian boy, was found guilty in Judge Monseratt's court on Thursday and sentenced to 25 days in jail. The judge said he was determined to break up the gang in Kakaoko which has been harassing Chinese, especially storekeepers, in that vicinity.

Sain Lono, another Hawaiian youth charged with the same offense, was arraigned and will be heard as soon as a third defendant who is thought to have been implicated in the assault can be located. The police have been looking for the trio for weeks and finally located Kelli and Lono recently.

## CHOLERA CASES IN JAPAN AVERAGE 343 EVERY DAY

According to the official announcement of the home department of the Japanese government, the average number of cases of cholera in the whole empire at present is 343 a day.

## SENDS FOR PICTURES

H. H. Ham, representative of the Ask Mr. Foster Bureau, has written to the Hawaii Promotion Committee asking for a selection of surfer-riding pictures, one of which will be used as a cover illustration for Mr. Foster's Travel Magazine. Ham recently returned to the mainland after a fortnight's visit here and will have a number of articles on Hawaii for the next number of the magazine, which will feature the Paradise of the Pacific.

## ROAD EXPERIMENT UNDER COLLEGE OF HAWAII AUSPICES

Various Types Completed and Being Marked to Test Wearing Qualities Under Traffic

(Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence) COLLEGE OF HAWAII, Sept. 29.—From the latest reports of the secretary of the College of Hawaii, the total number of students taking special courses is 63, twenty-two of whom are old students and the remaining 41 attending this year for the first time. Of this figure 50 are Caucasians, 2 Chinese and one part-Hawaiian. This brings the total attendance to date at 197.

Professor A. R. Keller, who is looking out for the experimental road on the college campus, recently returned to the college from a tour of inspection of drainage systems throughout the United States. The completion of the road marks the beginning of an extremely important experiment, in which the entire Territory of Hawaii will be interested. The road was constructed at the expense of the college and under the supervision of its engineers, and consists of five sections, which are now marked with signs, designating for the benefit of visitors, the substance used in the construction. The sections are, beginning at the top, the Highway, plain concrete, reinforced concrete, Warrenite, the material patented by Warren Brothers, coral and asphalt macadam. The latter section is divided into three stretches, the middle stretch being distinguished from the other two by a seal-coat of mixed asphalt and sand, forming a protective crust about one-half inch deep. The section of Warrenite is planned with the particular object of solving the drainage problem, the material having a principle very much like the modern filter systems, i. e., a coarse heavy gravel or stone foundation covered with varying degrees of fineness, followed by a firm surface. This particular section was constructed by Warren Brothers themselves.

The road's location is an ideal one, for it gives the college engineers an excellent opportunity to observe the respective merits of the different materials under such conditions as are fairly typical of all Hawaiian roads in general, and such problems, as whether or not it is wise to build an expensive road upon the peculiar climatic conditions are being given a practical solution.

Professor Keller is also the director of athletics and has a favorable report to make on the J. P. Cooke athletic field, recently completed and presented to the college by Mr. Cooke. The field is unsurpassed by any in the territory by reason of its construction and facilities, having a quarter-mile cinder track, jumping pits and other modern athletic appliances, fulfilling the requirements of collegiate athletics. The field adjoins a tennis court, also recently completed, which in sure has brought out a number of excellent players.

The football squad is rounding into good form under Captain Hicks and has promising material, not alone from that of last year's team, but stars from the surrounding high schools. In addition to Hicks, Brash, Barahat, Ballentyne, Paha, Ming and Wong from last year, there are Bromley, Cowan, Fowler, Stannard, Marfuchi, Fennell, Case and Pong. The present squad consists of: Backfield, Brash, Fowler, Marfuchi and Ballentyne, with a possibility of Hicks substituting there; center, Hicks and Barahat; guards, Ming, Wong and Cowan; tackles, Fennell, Case, Pong; ends, Bromley, Paha, Stannard.

The basketball team has bright prospects with the two Nicholsons, Hicks, Brash, Fennell and Ballentyne. The completion of the athletic field has marked a new epoch in the college sports.

## HEAVY RAINS CAUSE FLOODS IN AUSTRALIA

MELBOURNE, Australia, Sept. 29.—Heavy rains have so raised the levels of all the rivers in this section of Victoria that many have overflowed their banks, leaving great breaches in the levee systems and inundating the country. In the section served by the Yarra River 100 square miles of country are under water and some towns are practically submerged.

## POPULATION OF OAHU SCHOOLS NOW 12,814

Oahu's public school population is 12,814, according to figures compiled at the department of public instruction. When the public schools closed last June for the summer vacation the number of students enrolled was 11,725.

## FOURTEEN GAMBLERS PAY BIG SUMS IN POLICE COURT

The cases of 14 gamblers, arrested last night in Kakaoko by Chief McDuffie's men, were disposed of as follows in the police court Thursday: Seven forfeited bail, two fined \$25, five fined \$5. McDuffie says that some of the defendants have been arrested from 15 to 25 times for the same offense. The total fines and forfeitures netted the city over \$200.

## JAPAN EMBASSY SAYS SAKATANI IS IRRESPONSIBLE

Financier's Threat on Alien Question is Disclaimed by Officials

(Associated Press by Federal Wire) WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 29.—Although the announcement made at the New York luncheon in honor of Baron Sakatani on Wednesday, that Japan intended to resume her claims upon the United States regarding the right of Japanese to land in and own real estate in America, was confirmed at the Japanese embassy that evening, the confirmation given has now been authoritatively denied and the secretary who talked has been disclaimed as irresponsible.

The statement issued at the embassy last night by Secretary Tanaka, who announced that he spoke officially and after consultation with Ambassador Sato and the foreign office at Tokio, is that the statement made by Baron Sakatani was unauthorized and that the confirmation given to the statement later by an embassy clerk was made by one who had no authority to speak in the name of the embassy.

Baron Sakatani, the secretary explains, is in no manner connected with the Japanese foreign office, and is not authorized to speak for that department of the government.

## MAKE YOUR FALL OPENING A TREMENDOUS SUCCESS BY MAKING FULL USE OF THE REPUTABLE COLUMNS OF THE STAR-BULLETIN.

—THE AD MAN.

## IN WAR ARENA

ALLIES' VICTORIES SERIOUS WARNS TEUTON EXPERT

BERLIN, Germany, Sept. 29.—Major Monah, the well-known military expert of the Berliner Tageblatt, in an article printed this morning, warns the readers of the paper not to underestimate the importance of the allied successes north and south of the Somme. The article, which is devoted to a discussion of the fighting at that front, says in part:

"We should regard greatly by underestimating the effect of the tactical success of the enemy in that quarter."

## ANOTHER TEUTON DIVER READY TO SAIL FOR U. S.

LONDON, England, September 29.—A third German mercantile submarine, named the Kaiser, is almost ready to leave Bremen for the United States, according to travelers reaching Amsterdam from Bremen, says a despatch from the Holland city to the Exchange Telegraph News Agency last night. The Kaiser is expected to leave Bremen in about one month.

## GREEK PRINCE AT LONDON RECALLED TO ATHENS

LONDON, England, Sept. 29.—Prince George of Greece, a brother of King Constantine, who has been here representing the Greek throne at the Court of St. James, has been recalled to Athens.

## HUGHES DECLARES AGAINST FILIBUSTER METHODS IN CONGRESS

(Associated Press by Federal Wire) SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., Sept. 29.—Charles Evans Hughes, Republican presidential candidate, told Republicans at the unofficial state convention here yesterday why he had not urged Republican senators and representatives in Congress to filibuster against the passage of the Adamson eight-hour law.

He is opposed, he said, to such methods in legislation, he said, and he felt, as well, that there was no reason to attempt to delay the bill if the majority of the two houses were determined to pass it.

The candidate repeated his statements regarding the bill, and added that, in his belief, the administration destroyed its moral strength in the situation when it yielded the principle of arbitration and went to Congress demanding the passage of the bill as the price of industrial peace in the country.

## HONOKAA JAPANESE TO OPEN LANGUAGE SCHOOL

Petitioning for papers as a corporation of Hawaii, the Honokaa Japanese Language School Association has filed with the territorial treasurer, stating its purpose to be for general education. Thursday the petition was sent to the governor for his approval. Five trustees are included in the list of petitioners, with the request that the number of trustees may be made 15. The school is non-denominational. In placing their petition in the hands of the territorial treasurer the trustees requested that a provision be made whereby only Japanese might attend, but this request was later withdrawn.

## PORTLAND AGAIN LOOKS TO HAWAII IN EXPORT TRADE

Chamber of Commerce Votes to Back Up Movement on Behalf of Metropolis

RIVALRY WITH PUGET SOUND IS AT BOTTOM

Rose City Businessmen Fear Alaska and Pacific Commerce May Be Lost

Once again Portland businessmen have revived the idea of larger trade relations between the Rose City and Hawaii.

At a recent meeting of the Progressive Business Men's Club, W. D. B. Dodson, executive secretary of the Portland Chamber of Commerce, declared that Portland must resurrect some of its old trade, must spread out for new trade, and must look to Alaska and Hawaii for export business.

The trade rivalry between Portland and Puget Sound was at the bottom of the arguments, which are declared by the Portland Oregonian to be "masterly."

"The cry of the producer of Oregon has become 'Create for us a market.' Gentlemen, this is the first and foremost thing for Portland to do. The dairying interests and most all other lines are crying the same cry," said Dodson.

"We are told that \$1,000,000 will establish a ship line to Alaska. We ought to seize the opportunity before us to have Alaskan ports on our sailing lists. Last year the territory to the north did an \$80,000,000 business on imports and exports."

"Our real estate transfers in the past ten years have totaled near the \$200,000,000 mark. Why couldn't some of this money, just a million, say, have been diverted to the problem of solving Portland's position as a port?"

"There, too, is Hawaii, rich importing and exporting territory, which is awaiting development if we but had shipping facilities direct."

"The time has come for a change. We must develop our natural resources. Seattle has done better. Today we have a line which is as good as the best and most accessible for all purposes of the Coast outside of Seattle. It will continue to get better. Our forefathers had foresight enough to see that the channel must be widened and deepened, that Portland might come into her own. Now it is up to you and me to carry forward that work."

After the address the chamber voted to back up the idea Dodson expressed and will probably investigate the Hawaii field through a committee.

## HEALANIS TO HONOR SWIMMERS AND CREW MEMBERS AT DINNER

Members of the Healanis will be hosts to the winners in the crew races during the regatta. Swimmers who captured points in the recent swimming meet will also be honored. On Tuesday evening at 7:35 members of the club will sit down to dinner at the clubhouse. There will be music and special entertainment for the members present.

## BANKERS MAY URGE PROBE OF BEEF SHORTAGE

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 29.—The possibility of a serious shortage of cattle to meet the demands of the people of the United States may be investigated by Congress. A resolution pointing out that the cattle production has not kept pace with the growth of population in this country was offered to the American Bankers' Association here yesterday. It called upon Congress to conduct a rigid investigation of the whole cattle industry in an effort to ascertain the causes of the relative falling off in the livestock in the United States. The association took no action upon the resolution.

## OUTLAW BAND SMASHED BY CARRANZISTAS

CITY OF CHIHUAHUA, Mex., Sept. 29.—Gen. Ramos last night reported to Gen. Trevino, commander-in-chief of the Carranza forces in the State of Chihuahua, that the 4000 troops had attacked a large band of Villistas near Cuahuahua, and had killed 100 of them, besides capturing their leader, Baudelio Ribe. Gen. Ramos was slightly wounded in the fight.

## HAWAII NEWS COMPANY ALSO WANTS STREET CART

And still they come. Today a petition was received by the county clerk making application for a new cart to be placed on the streets of Honolulu by the Hawaii News Company.

A. E. Aelgth & Company and Wall, Nichols Company have already submitted similar petitions and when presented to the board of supervisors Thursday night, Arnold said he thought that all carts should be taken off the streets, but Larsen and Hollinger strenuously objected and the matter was referred to the attorney's office.

## LOOP-HOLE IN CHILD-LABOR LAW IF CANNERY-OWNERS WISHED TO USE IT

Legal Experts in Washington Say By Storing Products for 30 Days Any Manufacturer Could Avoid Trouble—"Joker" is Carried in First Clause of Act President Pressed to Passage

By C. S. ALBERT (Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence) WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 19.—There is a "joker" in the new child act. It is cut on the bias and affords a wide loophole for those who desire to evade its provisions. It is not full of holes, but contains one big gateway through which certain lines of trade may drive a four-horse wagon, if so disposed.

Such is the opinion of legal experts. Lawyers who have nothing to do but look for flaws in legislation announced their conclusions before the ink on President Wilson's pen was dry when he approved the new enactment.

Those legal experts say the child labor measure is a "warehouse" and not a "factory" law. They insist all the cannery owners of Hawaii and the cotton manufacturers of North Carolina need to go to walk around the new legislation is to store their products for 30 days and thus take away the curse of child labor. It is easier for the canneries than for the cotton spinners. The season for putting up pineapples and other fruits continues but for a brief period, while the cotton mills run throughout the year. Anybody in Hawaii who wants to beat the game has a fair chance and little risk.

The alleged "joker" is carried in the first and only important clause of the new act. The phraseology which the legal experts have picked to pieces follows:

"That no producer, manufacturer or dealer shall ship or deliver for shipment in interstate or foreign commerce any article or commodity the product of any mine or quarry, situated in the United States, in which within 30 days prior to the time of the removal of such product therefrom children under the age of 16 years have been employed or permitted to work, or any article or commodity the product of any mill, cannery, workshop or manufacturing establishment, situated within the United States, in which within 30 days prior to the removal of such product therefrom children under the age of 14 years have been employed or permitted to work, or children between the ages of 14 years and 16 years have been employed or permitted to work more than eight hours in any day, or more than six days in any week, or after the hours of 7 p. m. or before the hour of 6 o'clock a. m."

That contains the entire story. There is nothing more to it. The legal sharks say that if a cannery holds its products in warehouses until 30 days elapse after the employment of child labor the effect of the law is nullified. If a cotton factory should run for 11 months steadily, utilizing the labor of children, and then place the output in warehouses for a month, the sting of the act would be removed.

It must be frankly admitted by the average layman that the wording of the new law seems to justify the construction placed upon it by the lawyers.

(As already published locally, pineapple canners of the Hawaiian Islands are virtually not affected by the new law as they employ only a negligible amount of labor which comes under its provisions.)

## HOSPITAL MATRON SHOT BY NURSE; JEALOUSY CAUSE

Nurse Attempts Self-Destruction After Deed; Condition of Woman Critical

(Associated Press by Federal Wire) OAKLAND, Cal., Sept. 29.—Alyria Demaree, a nurse, yesterday shot and seriously wounded Rosa Bordanaro, the matron of the West Oakland Foundling Home. She then turned the weapon on herself. The condition of both women is critical. Jealousy is said to have been the cause of the shooting. Matron Bordanaro was carrying the clothing of a baby and the child in her arms when she was attacked.

## FEDERAL FARM LOAN BOARD HAS NEW PLANS TO HELP AGRICULTURISTS

(Associated Press by Federal Wire) WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 29.—The federal farm loan board returned to this city yesterday afternoon after an extensive tour of the country. In a statement issued by the board it was announced that the members are officially satisfied with the results of the hearings which have been conducted and predicted the formulation of a plan to increase the effectiveness of the federal reserve bank. It is hoped, it was said, to have this plan ready for operation by February 1 next.

## PORTUGUESE KIDDIES LOOKING FOR HOMES

Who has a home or homes for two Portuguese children? A Kallei Aana, acting boys' probation officer, wants to know. The mother of the children, one a girl of 14 and the other a boy of 4, applied to Aana today for homes for her children. She is divorced and her former husband has gone to Maui. She says she is unable to take care of the children as she has to work every day and is not earning enough to support them.

Persons desiring to give the children homes are requested to communicate with Aana at juvenile court, Judiciary building.

## DEATH CLAIMS INFANTRY CAPTAIN ON BORDER DUTY

(Associated Press by Federal Wire) EL PASO, Tex., Sept. 23.—Capt. Edwin P. Thompson, acting regimental adjutant of the 20th Infantry, died at Fort Bliss, yesterday, following an operation for peritonitis. Capt. Thompson was a Texan, appointed to the military academy at large from Minnesota.

## COME FROM JAVA

G. Faassen of the Java office and C. de Poorten of the Amsterdam branch of the Koninklijke Paketvaart Maatschappij are expected to arrive in Honolulu in the near future. They are agents for a large steamship line and have written A. P. Taylor, secretary of the Hawaii Promotion Committee, asking for information on tours which would include a trip to Java, the Dutch colony.

## MARK TWAIN SAID: "Every man who has an idea is erratic until that idea makes good."

The Chiropractic idea of removing the cause of all diseases has made good. F. C. NIGHTON, Chiropractor, 204 Boston Bldg. Over Henry May's