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U.S. APPEALS TO HONOLULU WOMEN TO DO THEIR WAR 'BIT'

BODY VESTED WITH POWER SAYS CHILD

Enforcing of Such Regulations Would Seriously Affect Operations of Local Beer and Sake Breweries—No Action Unless Public Sentiment Demands It

If public sentiment and opinion demand it, the territorial food commission will consider exercising the power given it by the 1917 legislature to prohibit in Hawaii the use of grain and other foodstuffs for the manufacture of liquor.

When asked by the Star-Bulletin if the commission would consider exercising this power, J. F. Child, assistant executive officer, said:

"The commission certainly will if public sentiment demands it, and if the necessity for such an action is shown. The commission is here to work in the interests of the public."

Should the commission put into effect regulations prohibiting the use of grain for the manufacture of liquor, the Honolulu Brewing & Malting Co. and the local Japanese sake breweries would be affected, and would be compelled to suspend operations during the period in which the regulations were in effect.

In part, the act of the 1917 legislature creating the territorial food commission outlining the powers of the body, says:

"To control and direct the use to which food may be put within the territory and to forbid the use of rice, grain and other food for the manufacture of intoxicating liquor as defined in section 2101 of the revised laws."

Attorney A. L. Castle, executive officer, said today that the commission would undoubtedly consider exercising of this power not alone if public sentiment demanded it, but if the necessity for such an action was clearly shown.

Asked today if the promulgation of a regulation of this kind would affect the Honolulu brewery, St. C. Baynes, secretary and manager of the company, said he was not able to answer.

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MAJOR BONIFACE ACCUSED BY WIFE OF STRIKING HER

Former Oahu Army Man Sued for Separate Maintenance; Custody of Daughter is at Stake

Mrs. Isabella S. Boniface, wife of Maj. John J. Boniface, U. S. A., recently stationed on Oahu, filed a separate maintenance suit in the superior court yesterday, alleging her husband beat her in their hotel apartment Tuesday night, says the San Francisco Examiner of August 12.

Coinciding with the filing of the complaint Samuel M. Shortridge, attorney for Mrs. Boniface, obtained from Judge Graham a restraining order, forbidding the major to take his 11-year-old daughter out of the jurisdiction of the court.

This order was served upon Maj. Boniface a few moments before he was to have boarded a train for Fort B. A. Russell, Wyo., to which post he has been ordered for duty.

"According to Mrs. Boniface, her husband has been angry, cold and indifferent for the past five years Tuesday night, at their apartment in the Baldwin hotel, she says, he struck her with 'great force and violence.' She asks the court to award her \$200 a month and the custody of the daughter.

Maj. Boniface, who, with his wife, arrived in this city three days ago from Honolulu, denies having hit his wife. He says that she was chastising their daughter, and he remonstrated because of her alleged severity. This made her angry, he says, and she left the hotel. He did not hear from her again until he was served with the maintenance papers and restraining order."

JAPANESE PAPERS BACK WAGE INCREASE DEMAND

Japanese newspapers are urging an increase for the Japanese laborers of the territory, but as yet there has been no threat of a strike. The four Japanese dailies are all supporting a movement to increase the pay of the men on the plantations, and believe that with the present price of commodities the working man should be given enough to meet the situation.

One hundred copies of the food number of the Hawaiian Planters' Record have been furnished the territorial food commission by the planters' association.

JOHN F. HALEY REVENUE HEAD PASSES AWAY



JOHN F. HALEY Career of popular federal official ends following extended illness.

John F. Haley, collector of internal revenue, died at 12:15 o'clock this afternoon, following an illness of several weeks. A marked change for the worse came during the night, and it was realized this morning that he would probably not last through the day.

Bright's disease, aggravated by a general run-down condition, was directly responsible for death. Continually and in a determined manner he has fought against ill health, his courageous spirit doing much toward keeping him up and around.

He was compelled to leave active office work some weeks ago, directing it more or less, however, from his sick bed. Occasionally he rallied from the severe attacks, but those who knew his case most closely realized recovery was not possible. This morning, evidently realizing that the end was near, he summoned First Deputy Ralph S. Johnston and explained his last wishes.

News that "Jim" Haley is dead will cast a gloom over the city for the sunny-hearted collector was known to a host of friends, and none feel the loss more keenly than newspapermen here. Being an old newspaperman himself, Haley always had time for a friendly chat with the reporters that dropped into his office.

Haley knew the "game" from the ground up, having set type in printing shops as a small boy. Generally he had a sure "tip" for a story when news was scarce, and he believed in playing the game square.

John Francis Haley was born in San Francisco August 5, 1876. He was thus only a few days more than 41 years of age.

His father was Robert Patrick Haley, a native of Ireland and a contractor and commission merchant in San Francisco. His mother's name was Theresa Benson.

He received his early education in Fresno, and later attended the University of Nevada, at Reno for a short time.

His newspaper career opened at the age of 15 when he was hired on.

DUTCH CRUISER EXPECTED HERE IN NEAR FUTURE

The Dutch cruiser Zealand is expected to arrive in Honolulu in the very near future, according to information received from the mainland. The Zealand was last reported at New York and from there it was stated that the Dutch warship would go through the Panama canal.

Due to the large number of Dutch liners operating in the Pacific, it is thought that the Zealand is being sent to the Pacific coast to guard the interests of the liners. Holland is coming into closer touch with the Hawaiian Islands since the Dutch liners, plying the Pacific, were put on the run. Hundreds of Dutch residents of Holland and Java pass through Honolulu, and the Honolulu people are beginning to learn more about the people from the Netherlands, who have colonized the South Seas. With the coming of the warship, it is expected that closer relations will be established between Java and Hawaii.

MEAD HEADS LABOR BRANCH OF FOOD BODY

Commission Decides to Admit Members of Press to Meetings; Longley Made Member of Marketing Committee

A resolution providing that hereafter meetings of the territorial food commission and its committees shall be open to representatives of the press, was passed at a meeting of the commission this morning, following a recommendation made by Attorney A. L. Castle, executive officer.

Royal D. Mead, director of the Hawaiian Sugar Planters' Association's bureau of labor and statistics, was appointed chairman of the new committee on labor of the territorial food commission at a meeting held today. Mr. Mead will assume his new duties at once and will appoint as members of his committee as many persons as he may need to assist him.

In a letter sent to Mr. Mead by the commission, his attention is called to a report by A. Hebard Case, agent for the commission on Kaula, which says that 435 acres of additional land will be available for planting rice on the Garden Isle in 1918 providing labor may be secured to work the fields. Mr. Case further points out that labor for the rice fields at the present time is scarce.

A. T. Longley, superintendent of the territorial marketing division, was appointed a member of the marketing committee, and within the next few days the committee will meet to select a chairman to take the place of Attorney A. L. Castle, now executive officer. In appointing Mr. Longley, the opinion was expressed that the territorial market should have a voice in the committee so that it might come in closer touch with the commission, because of the fact that through it, a large quantity of island produce is distributed and marketed. Mr. Longley may not remain long with the committee, however, as he hopes to enter the reserve officers' training camp at Schofield Barracks. He will not resign from the market work if taken into the camp, he said today.

Because of her absence from the territory, Mrs. C. Montague Cooke, Jr., notified the commission of her inability to serve further as a member of the woman's committee. The appointment of a woman to succeed her has been left to James D. Dole, chairman. Mr. Dole is also to appoint an attorney to serve on the legal committee, succeeding Executive Officer Castle.

No date has been set for the next meeting of the commission. It was decided today to hold meetings whenever there is business to be presented. In the matter of food production, the commission announced that a large supply of seeds is on hand at the territorial marketing division where they may be secured virtually at cost.

THIEVES SECURE \$1 BOOTY AFTER PUTTING MAN OUT

Chinese Rendered Unconscious Following Attack, He Declares, By Soldiers

After leading their victim into an out-of-the-way place, knocking him unconscious with the butt of a pistol, and robbing him, two soldiers found only \$1 on Ng Tin, a Chinese and driver of back No. 7, last night about 8:30, when they attacked him on School street. The police are now hunting the soldiers.

Recovering consciousness within an hour after being attacked, Ng Tin reported immediately to the police station. He was treated in the Emergency hospital for a lacerated scalp. While driving on King street, the hackman was accosted by two soldiers, according to the story told by him to the police. The soldiers told him to drive them to the Asylum road and then on School street where darkness prevailed. About 500 feet Ewa of the insane asylum the Chinaman was struck by the two soldiers with what he said was the butt of a pistol. Only \$1 was taken from the man.

Losing Bride At Eleventh Hour, He Winds Up In Jail

Disappointed Bridegroom Seeks Surcease in Flowing Cup When Spurned By Parents

GRIEVED because his wife's family interfered with his marriage plans, Gaxiola, a colored man, hopped off the water wagon just as the time elapsed when his wedding was to be and drowned his sorrows in booze. He was recovered by Officer W. B. Perry last night at about 9:30 o'clock on Gulick avenue, near Kalia road.

Gaxiola was to be married last night to the woman he termed the most beautiful in the world, but the woman's family arose between them just before the time for the ceremony, and declared against the move. Disappointed in love, the prospective bridegroom had recourse to booze to find relief for his sorrow and finally landed in jail.

ENGLISH LABOR PARTY OUTLINES PEACE DEMANDS

Representatives to Stockholm Conference to Insist on Democracy, Liberty

(Associated Press by Cable) LONDON, Aug. 10.—At the labor conference now in session here it was voted today by 1,046,000 to 55,000 to send delegates to the forthcoming Socialist conference. A special committee from the labor party will submit a memorandum demanding restoration of invaded countries, Alsace-Lorraine to France, the independence of Poland and the freedom of Palestine, the liberation of oppressed peoples from Turkish domination and indemnities of Italy's claim for control of the Adriatic. The right of free peoples to settle their own destinies is upheld and the German menace to democracy and liberty is denounced.

FRENCH SCORE FRESH ADVANCE AT BIXSCHOOTE

Desperate Hand to Hand Fighting Between British and Germans at Monchy

PARIS, Aug. 10.—In several intense attacks during the night the French scored fresh gains near Bixschoote. Several farms were wrested from the Germans and in hand-to-hand encounters a number of machine guns fell to the French troops. Counterattacks by the Germans at St. Quentin and the Aisne were repulsed.

LONDON, Aug. 10.—British raiders were active again last night and blew up several German dugouts along the Monchy le Preux front.

BERLIN, Aug. 10.—Attacking in deep masses the British were repulsed in severe fighting at Monchy le Preux last night after bloody hand-to-hand fighting. On the road to Arras severe losses were inflicted. The Germans progressed 1200 yards. At St. Quentin the German forces made 150 Frenchmen prisoner.

13 KILLED IN LONDON BLAST

(Associated Press by Cable) LONDON, Aug. 10.—In a chemical explosion today in the East End 13 were killed and scores injured.

WILL NAME 200 NEW GENERALS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 10.—It was announced today that 200 new generals would be named next week.

FOOD COMMISSION MEETS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 10.—The food control commission was convened today.

FIVE ALLEGED SLACKERS ARE JAILED AT HILO

Prisoners of Sheriff Pua, Judging From Names, Appear to Be Filipinos; Losing Registration Cards May Bring Trouble to Owners

FIVE alleged slackers, the first to be arrested in the territory, have been taken into custody at Hilo by Sheriff Sam K. Pua, according to a wireless message received late yesterday afternoon by the central board of registration. Sheriff Pua's message says:

"Arrested the following slackers last night: Pio Macello, Takonda Pascoal, Demidoro Chilarima, Faustine Corodolan and Anaseto Rafael."

Judging by these names the five men are all Filipinos. The law provides imprisonment for them for a period of one year at hard labor, if it can be proved that they have willfully avoided registration.

There is a possibility that the five may have been ignorant of the registration laws and did not understand that they were breaking them in failing to get their names on the books.

That, however, remains to be seen. Executive Officer F. J. Green said today that every opportunity will be given the men to prove their innocence, but that the law will be strictly enforced if it is found that they have evaded registration willfully.

According to Chairman Will Wayne of the registration board, altogether too many registered men are losing their registration certificates.

Yesterday afternoon Charles Stillman of the department of public instruction found a certificate lying on the floor in his office. A typewriter repairer at work there shortly before had lost it from his coat.

Mr. Stillman decided to teach the young fellow a lesson, so he telephoned him this morning asking him if he had registered.

"We have no record of it down here," said Mr. Stillman in a stern voice, and made an appointment for the typewriter man to be at the capitol. Then he summoned Chairman Wayne over.

Mr. Wayne gave back the certificate after he had made some inquiries as to its loss, and the young fellow left vowing he'd sew it into his coat lining before he took another such chance.

ROBBERY FOILED FILIPINO STABS WHEN CAUGHT

Japanese Dangerously Wounded When He Attempts to Hold Thief

Following an attempt to rob the victim's home, a Filipino dangerously wounded, a Japanese, a Japanese associated with local Japanese actors, in his room on Vineyard street near Nuuanu avenue, early this morning.

Officer M. D. Barboza answered the man's call for help after he had been attacked, but before anyone arrived the Filipino had made a successful escape. The Japanese says that he can identify the man.

While Kanemori was asleep in the early hours of the morning, the Filipino entered his room with the probable attempt to rob it. He awoke the sleeping man, however, who rushed at him, according to his story, to recover what he had taken.

Drawing back, the Filipino pulled a knife and jabbed it into the oncoming Japanese, cutting a deep gash in his chest and another one on his back. The Japanese then yelled and the Filipino ran, following which officer Barboza came to the rescue.

Kanemori is resting peacefully in the emergency hospital this morning. Although he will recover, it is said that if the knife had taken another turn when it went into his chest he would probably have been mortally wounded.

SHERMAN NOW LOADING LUMBER AT BELLINGHAM

Word has been received at the office of the department quartermaster that the transport Sherman left San Francisco for Bellingham on August 4 to load lumber for Honolulu.

The transport Dix is expected to arrive here next Sunday or Monday from San Francisco. She left the coast last Friday. The Logan is now on her way from the coast, having left there on Monday of this week.

FAIR SEX WILLING TO JOIN IN FOOD SAVING ASKED TO REGISTER

One Week Set Aside for Local Women to Enroll With Postmaster MacAdam and Become Members of National Food Administration

TWENTY million women in the United States are needed in the cause of food conservation," says a bulletin just issued by the postoffice and to aid in the work the women of Honolulu are asked to register during the week of August 11 to 18 with Postmaster MacAdam.

Special pledge cards are to be issued and every woman over 16 years of age is eligible to sign. On the filing of the signed card window tags will be issued as evidence that the signee is a member of the United States Food Administration Organization. The bulletin follows:

"Twenty million women wanted to help win the war by saving food."

"How many in Honolulu will pledge their aid?"

"Through the postal service, the national government has undertaken to enroll this vast army of women."

"The week of August 11-18 will be women's registration week at the local postoffice."

"Those who desire to register will fill out a pledge card, supplies of which will be placed in all the boxes at the postoffice and delivered to every house by carrier."

"If you do not get a card thus, apply for one to your carrier or at the postoffice."

"All women over 16 are eligible."

"Signers of the cards pledge themselves to aid the food administration at Washington, D. C., as follows:

"I am glad to join you in the service of food conservation for our nation and I hereby accept membership in the United States Food Administration, pledging myself to carry out the directions and advice of the food administrator in my home, insofar as my circumstances permit."

"The cards, when filled out and signed, may be deposited by the signers WITHOUT POSTAGE in street letter boxes or handed in at the postoffice. Each person signing a pledge card will receive a household window tag entitled 'MEMBER OF THE UNITED STATES FOOD ADMINISTRATION' and a card bearing the first instructions of the food administrator."

"If, in addition, you would like to

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HOTEL MEN TO BE CALLED ON FOR FOOD HELP

Their Cooperation on a Wide Scale in Food Conservation to Be Sought

PLANS are now materializing whereby the territorial food commission expects to call into conference the hotel and restaurant men of Honolulu to discuss food conservation on a broad scale, and especially the waste of food, the size and number of dishes served and the utilization as far as possible of foodstuffs grown in Hawaii.

It is not likely that the conference will be held before the first of the month, as several restaurant and hotel men are now on the mainland, and it is the desire of the commission to have as many of them as possible at the first meeting. A conference with the Oriental restaurant men may be held first, the meeting with the other proprietors to be held at a later date.

It will not be so much the desire of the commission to urge "meatless" or "wheatless" days as it will be to urge the introduction of more island-grown products on the menus. The commission will also urge the hotels and restaurants to cut down on the consumption of meat and bread, and feels that this may be done if more vegetables are served.

Tourists have complained that they cannot secure sufficient fresh vegetables in the local restaurants and hotels. Their argument is that, for instance, they can get canned corn at home at any time during the year, but that they cannot get fresh corn and other vegetables at Christmas time, as they can in Honolulu. What they want, says the food commission, are the same menus as in the states. The idea of the "meatless day" is already being carried out by the Alexander Young hotel and some of the restaurants.

The fact that menus may be made attractive even if meats are eliminated to some extent has been illustrated at the Y. W. C. A. cafeteria. The cafeteria is now doing better than merely making expenses, and at the same time Mrs. James Russell, manager, has reduced the meat ration and has increased the side dishes of vegetables and fruit.

Police Officer Grilled At Civil Service Hearing

Testimony Introduced Reveals Officers Made Arrest Without Proper Warrant or Instructions

A case of where a police officer was sent on his beat without proper instructions from his superiors was brought to light Thursday afternoon at the public hearing held by the civil service commission to investigate the charge of Attorney Lorrin Andrews that his client, John Sanborn, was illegally arrested by Officer Holstein. Whether the arrest was illegal or not has been left to the city and county attorney's office to decide, for the members of the commission disagreed on the interpretation of the law.

The testimony introduced, however, showed that Officer Holstein, during the time of the arrest and his subsequent actions at the police station, had anything but a clear idea of what should be done.

At the time of the arrest Sanborn was supposed to have taken \$5 from a marine, but at the trial he was cleared of the charge. Mr. Andrews claimed yesterday that the officer had no right to make the arrest, for no charge had been made at the time and Holstein's knowledge of the alleged purported offense had been received entirely from a third person.

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FOWL USED AS TARGET, OWNER IS REAL ANGRY

Hawaiian Woman Grows Dramatic in Telling Police How Chicken Was Wounded

WITH a wounded chicken under her arm, a stout middle aged Hawaiian woman, wearing a bright holoaku and a broad straw hat around which was a pretty lei, indignantly walked into the police station this morning and expressed her feelings concerning certain of her neighbors, to the police. Following this she swore out a warrant for the arrest of a soldier on the charge of "malicious injury."

Mrs. Hallaka Kauka, with great eloquence, related the story of how the tender chicken had received the mortal wound. Although she spoke in Hawaiian, her meaning was clear enough.

Appearing before her hearers in a chair at first, Mrs. Kauka arose to her feet as she became excited. This morning while she was reading the paper, it seems that she heard the pop of a rifle. Looking up she saw one of her flock of chickens flutter across the railroad track near her home and heard it squawk with distress.

Sensing the trouble Mrs. Kauka glanced towards her neighbor's house and crouching in the hedge she observed a soldier with a gun. In describing this she stopped and vividly portrayed his actions.

These people living next door to the Kauka's have among them two soldiers who put the marksmanship that they learn on Uncle Sam's shooting ranges to practice in shooting her chickens. Mrs. Kauka has several children and will not stand to have their lives endangered by the firing of a parlor rifle, she says, so she has applied to the police to stop the raids of her neighbors.

The arrest is now to be made by the police, and the man will be summoned to appear before Judge Harry Irwin probably tomorrow morning.