

LOCALS

Judge J. W. Kalua has received his commission, as Circuit Judge.

Mr. Edward Wilcox has been appointed postmaster at Ulupalakua.

All classes of blanks and job work turned out at the News job office.

Service tomorrow morning at the Anglican church, Rev. W. Ault officiating.

Wailuku weather is divinely lovely these days, and our moonlight nights are simply Persian.

The delay was caused by the change in postmasters at Wailuku, and will not be of long continuance.

15 head of horses have been shot at Ulupalakua, with the glanders, and several more cases are reported.

Mrs. S. D. Heapy and Mrs. G. D. Schrader, of Wailuku, were passengers on the last Australia for the Coast.

Judge Josepa of Hana and Judge Pimamu of Kipahulu came over yesterday on the Claudine, to take the oath of office.

F. Wittrock, deputy sheriff at Hana, goes to Honolulu today on the Kinau to be manufactured into an American citizen.

Mr. H. P. Baldwin, Mr. J. B. Castle and Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Baldwin came over on the Claudine on Wednesday morning.

Wailuku will undoubtedly by a money order office, as soon as the bonds of our new post-master are received and approved.

The business public of Wailuku are suffering considerable annoyance on account of being deprived of the convenience of a money order office.

Mr. J. Thomas has been placed in permanent charge of the Wailuku saloon. Yesterday, stock was taken, and the business turned over to him.

Dr. Shaw, the expert, came over to Maui on Wednesday, to look into the matter of glanders on the Island, and proceeded at once to the Grove Rancho.

Miss McLane and Miss Stack of Spreckelsville were in Wailuku on Thursday, and of course dropped in and looked over the advance proofs of this week's News.

Mr. Lowell, late of Maunalei Plantation, Lanai, has accepted the position of chief engineer at the H. C. & S. Co.'s mill, to succeed Mr. H. G. Boswell who has resigned.

The last quarterly report of the District Magistrate of Wailuku shows an abnormal amount of business. The probabilities are that the next quarter will show a diminished volume of business.

Mr. Kauhimahu, whose unpleasant experience with the Camp 5 Japs, as census taker, helped to make a little recent local history, has temporarily accepted a position as typist in the News office.

Mrs. W. A. McKay, of Wailuku post office, has tendered Uncle Sam her resignation, which has been accepted; and Mr. W. T. Robinson, deputy tax collector at Wailuku has been appointed postmaster.

Over three hundred Japanese have passed through the labor bureau at Wailuku. The Chinese have been forbidden by their bosses to apply to the bureau, as the bosses prefer to contract with the plantations directly for Chinese labor.

A large number of Japanese are leaving the different plantations as soon as paid off. As soon as they become accustomed to the new conditions, there is no doubt but that they will drift back to the plantations and go to work.

Mr. J. W. Marshall, head luna at Spreckelsville, has accepted a like position on the Wailuku plantation, taking the place of Mr. W. G. Scott, who retires on account of ill health. A new residence on Main street, adjoining that of Dr. Weddick, is to be erected for Mr. Marshall.

Attention is invited to the timely suggestions of "Malihini" in another column. A reading room for the Hawaiians was attempted last year by Rev. Mr. Lewis, but did not last long. The leading citizens of Wailuku should go to work at once and organize a reading room for all classes.

Mr. Hoffgard, formerly of Maunalei, has accepted a position in the Kahului store, and is up to his eyes in new goods which are now being replaced in the store since its renovation.

It seems quite like old times at Kahului once more. The rat proof

fences have all been taken down and the wire fences are being removed. Business is booming, and there is the making of a live little town there, if the owners of the ground will permit it.

PLANTATION NEWS

Maunalei.

Work has been entirely shut down, only force enough being kept to irrigate the growing cane. The shutting down was caused by lack of funds, and when the present stringency in the money market is relieved, Maunalei will develop into one of the best little sugar plantations on the Islands.

Pioneer.

The Pioneer mill at Lahaina is still grinding, and will run all summer. The labor troubles are all settled, and everything in moving along nicely.

Olowalu.

Many of the Japanese are leaving Olowalu and this plantation is somewhat shorthanded at present. As soon as the Japs tire of enjoying the giddy whirl at Honolulu, they will probably find their way back to Maui again.

H. C. & S. Co.

There are two or three months of grinding yet ahead of the mill at Spreckelsville. The output this year will exceed that of last year, and if sufficient labor can be had, Manager Lowrie will be handling a 30,000 tons proposition inside of three years.

Paia and Hamakuaopoko.

These two plantations have both done very well this season. The Hamakuaopoko mill has finished its run for the season, and the Paia mill has about four weeks work ahead of it.

Wailuku.

The Wailuku mill has closed its run for the season, with a record breaking tally, — over 8000 tons of sugar. The plantation will do even better next season, and in a few years, when other lands and water belonging to the company become available, the output will be doubled.

Appointments by the President.

- Sanford B. Dole, Governor.
- Henry E. Cooper, Secretary.
- W. F. Freear, Chief Justice.
- Antonio Perry, First Associate Justice.
- Clinton A. Galbraith, Second Associate Justice.
- Abaam S. Humphreys, Judge Circuit.
- R. B. Silliman, Judge First Circuit.
- John W. Kalua, Judge Second Circuit.
- W. S. Edings, Judge Third Circuit.
- Gilbert F. Little, Judge Fourth Circuit.
- J. Hardy, Judge Fifth District.
- Morris M. Estee, United States District Judge.
- John C. Baird, United States District Attorney.
- Daniel A. Ray, United States Marshal.
- E. R. Stackable, Collector of customs.
- William Haywood, Collector Internal Revenue.
- J. M. Oat, Postmaster.
- J. A. McCandless, Superintendent of Public works.
- Alatau T. Atkinson, Superintendent of Public Instruction.
- E. P. Dole, Attorney General.
- Arthur M. Brown, High Sheriff.
- Charles F. Chillingworth, Deputy High Sheriff.

Potter in Paris

Major George C. Potter, secretary of the Hawaiian Commission, has officially notified Governor Dole of his arrival in Paris and the selection of the exhibit space in the Palace of the Trocadero. This letter is dated June 12, four days later than the one written to R. W. Single, which appeared exclusively in the Advertiser of the last Saturday. The exhibit was "still somewhere between Havre and Paris" when he wrote, and the chances are that the Hawaiian exhibit will not be placed before the middle of this month owing to the dilatoriness of the French railway officials. After writing upon private matters, Mr. Potter states: "Mr. Irwin arrived in Paris two days ago. As soon as Mr. Peck returns from London where he is visiting for a few days, the Hawaiian Commission, will

make its formal call on him and also upon the French Commissioner, General Picard.

"Our exhibit has arrived safely at Havre and may be along though I am informed at the office that the usual time from Havre to Paris for exhibition matter is three weeks. Passengers make the trip in five days. French railway officials are very deliberate and cannot be hurried. The space assigned to us is in the Palace of the Trocadero, a permanent building. It is in one of the quarters between the exhibits of the Islands of Cuba and Ireland, about 40 feet long and 100 feet wide. In this space I think we can make a very creditable showing.

A Fourth of July Picnic.

A large number of the residents of Makawao, Paia, Hamakuaopoko and Spreckelsville assembled at the residence of Dr. E. G. Beckwith to celebrate the Fourth. The grounds were gaily decked with bunting and flags; their spaciousness affording ample opportunity for games and tennis, which were indulged in until the call for lunch. After lunch there were speeches — serious and humorous — and singing of national anthems, when all adjourned to the polo field adjoining. A very spirited game of polo was played between two teams captained by Louis Von Tempky and W. O. Aiken respectively, the former being the winners. Too much praise cannot be bestowed upon the committee who had the affair in charge, for a most enjoyable and successful Fourth of July.

Proposed Change of Route.

It has been definitely resolved not to rebuild the Paia depot which was burned last week. The reason for this is that the R. R. Co. are planning to make some changes in the line of the road. At present, Spreckelsville is on a spur of the track which leads from Kahului to Paia. The proposed plan is to make the line from Kahului to Spreckelsville the main line and to take up the track from the spur to the present site of Paia station.

From Spreckelsville, the line will run directly to the Paia mill and a new depot will be built just below the mill, some half a mile mauka of the site of the burned depot. From this new depot, the line will probably be extended to the Hamakuaopoko mill and the whole track will be built on the same gauge as the Spreckelsville plantation gauge.

The proposed change will prove highly advantageous both the Paia and the Hamakuaopoko plantation, which at present have long hauls from their mills to the depot. If the proposed change should materialize, the site of the present village of Paia will probably be abandoned by its occupants, for sites near new depot.

**WAILUKU, MAUI
JUNE 13, 1900.**

To the Editor of the MAUI NEWS,
Dear Sir,—One of the things that strikes a new-comer to your city is the way her representative citizens are condemned to spend their evenings.

One may see them every night after business is over, either wandering aimlessly up and down, or gathered in little knots at certain favorite streets corners, or under a well-known flowery canopy and in other places equally unsuitable. Now there seems to be much amity and good-fellowship amongst them—nobody is too big to speak pleasantly, and sociably to every one he meets on the street, every one seems to know a good deal of every body else's business.

Now why in the name of common sense can they not get together, and provide themselves with a public reading room and smoking-room?

When business is over for the day, would it not be a convenience and a source of general well-being if all so disposed could have the chance to meet together in social good fellowship, to discuss the news of the day, the chances of business, politics, literature and the general public good?

New laws, new times, and much change is ahead of us—would it not be well if it were thoroughly discussed and thrashed out in public?—And where could this be done so well, as under the circumstance and surroundings I have just indicated? Will you not weigh these things, Mr. Editor, and lend Wailuku the help of your influence for the consummation of so good a purpose.

MALIHINI

LATE TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

NEW YORK, June 30.—Three great ocean liners—the Maine, Brocken and Shale—burned to the water's edge. Twenty-five million dollars' worth of property destroyed.
Probably 320 lives were lost, while the hospitals hereabouts are filled to overflowing with injured, of whom there are 5000.

WASHINGTON, June 30.—On the receipt today of the important news from Admiral Kempff and Consul Ragsdale at Tien-Tsin that the foreign minister were on June 19th given twenty-four hours to leave Peking, a conference was called, at which were present Secretary Long, Secretary Hay and Secretary Root, representing the Navy, State, and War Department.

The matter before the conference was the obvious implication from Admiral Kempff that the ministers had been handed their passports, which was if true, an actual declaration of war by China against all of the powers represented at Peking.

WASHINGTON, June 30.—The Navy Department entertains the gravest fears that the famous battleship Oregon, which is aground off How Ke Island, will be lost to the navy. Secretary Long, however, hopes that the condition of the vessel is not as bad as the reports indicate.

BY AUTHORITY

Notice.

W. O. Aiken, Esq., has this day been appointed a Notary Public for the Second Judicial Circuit of the Territory of Hawaii

EDMUND P. DOLE,
Attorney General,
Office of the Attorney General,
Honolulu, July 2, 1900.

Notice.

Under the United States law, on and after June 14, 1900, all shipping receipts must bear a one-cent Documentary War Tax Stamp on the original, duplicate and triplicate.

Shippers are requested to affix the stamps according to law, and freight cannot be received other wise.

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