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LOAN FUND HOLDS MEET

The regular meeting was called to order at 2 p. m. by Vice-Chairman H. D. Wishard, those present besides the Vice-Chairman being Francis Gay, James K. Lota, W. D. McBryde and J. H. Moragne, engineer. Absent, Marston Campbell.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and upon motion duly approved.

PAYMENT OF BILLS.

Bills against the fund "School Buildings and Equipment, County of Kauai, T. H." were then presented and upon motion approved and ordered paid.

No 7 Geo. E. Marshall \$ 45.20

Bills against the fund "Belt Roads and Bridges, County of Kauai, T. H." were then presented and upon motion approved and ordered paid.

No 119 W. F. Sanborn 64.60
No 120 Princeville Plantation Co. 330.19

No 121 L. Wiebke 944.95
No 122 Hose M. Castro 574.65

No 123 J. H. Moragne 75.00
No 124 James K. Lota 16.00

No 125 Geo. Haggarty 286.85
No 126 E. Gardener 286.95

No 127 E. Gardener 713.30
No 128 Geo. W. Mahikoa 111.50

No 129 Geo. W. Mahikoa 256.00

COUNTY BUILDING.

The Vice-Chairman presented the plans of the proposed new County Building and stated that, with a few minor changes, the same had met with general approval. That he had written the Architects a letter embodying these changes and requesting their opinion. To this letter he had not as yet received a reply. After general discussion, a motion was made and passed that the vice-chairman be authorized, upon the receipt of the approval of the changes by the architects, to proceed to have plans and specifications drawn and to call for bids for the erection of the County Building.

REPORT OF COUNTY ENGINEER.

The Engineer made the following verbal report:

KILAUEA BRIDGE.

He presented blue print drawings of this new bridge which met with the approval of the Board. Under former motion he was authorized to call for bids and he proposed to have the same opened at the next regular meeting of the Board.

KRALIA BRIDGE.

He was considering the erection of a Through Arch Bow String type of bridge at this point. He presented plans and cuts showing this type and style of bridge. As soon as he had perfected his plans and specifications he proposed submitting them to the engineer of the College of Hawaii, for the checking up and criticism of same.

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DIED

Mrs. Rose Kanewanui, aged 69, at her home in Hanalei, Sunday morning, June 9, 1912. Funeral from Hanalei church Sunday afternoon, interment taking place in Hanalei church cemetery. Deceased was born in Hanalei and resided there during her life-time.

Joseph Lima, aged 13 years in Hanalei, of tuberculosis, Tuesday, June 11th. Interment in Hanalei cemetery.

Dr. Pratt president of the Board of Health, came in on Thursday's Kinau.

Paul Schmidt, Hackfeld & Co.'s popular dry goods drummer, arrived on the Kinau last Thursday.

SPECIAL COURT IS PROBABLE

The delay in appointing a successor to Hon. Jacob Hardy, Circuit Judge of the 5th. circuit, may entail the necessity of calling a special session, as the July term is so near to hand that a question has arisen as to whether or not it is too late to prepare for the July term. The largest number of cases are to be disposed of at the next term in the history of the court since annexation, and the maintenance of such a large number of prisoners until the fall term would mean a great expense to the county. Hence the suggestion of a special session in case proper time has elapsed for preparations for the coming term.

School Inspector

T. H. Gibson Here

Territorial Inspector of Schools Gibson, came up on the Kinau last Thursday morning. A brief visit was made to the various schools of the island with a view to securing first hand information on minor affairs. He was accompanied by Supervising Principal H. H. Brodie on his school visits.

Kauai Now to Get

It's Belt Railroad

An unconfirmed rumor is rife to the effect that the much-talked-of belt railroad for Kauai is about to assume actual shape. Those said to be behind the affair are men who "do things," and the early materialization of their scheme is probably due to the definite location of the Port of Entry at Nawiliwili. It is thought that connecting the railroad lines of the various plantation would probably be the course pursued by the promoters, though not enough has yet been learned to prophesy to any degree of certainty.

Pretty Dinner Party

Miss McClaren was the guest of honor at a pretty little dinner party given by Miss Hofgaard last Monday evening. The guests were Miss Kreidler, Miss McClaren, Judge Hofgaard, Messrs. Berg and Bailey.

PASSENGERS ARRIVED

The following passengers arrived on the S. S. Kinau last Thursday morning:

Dr. Pratt, A. R. Keller, Paul Schmidt, J. M. Martin, W. Hanaike, J. Hanaike, Master Crowell, Mrs. Crowell, Rev. C. R. Hong, Rev. J. W. Wodman, W. Smith, Miss Laltemer, Mrs. Geo. Buchaltz, Mr. and J. C. Harmon, W. Mahikoa, Willie Oponui, C. Apana, S. N. Suehiro, S. Peahu, T. Sebata, O. Hoopu, G. Hoopu, T. A. Buringham, B. D. Baldwin, W. H. Wright, Angela Wright, Miss S. Berg, Miss C. Cockett, Geo. Brandt, Miss Brandt, Miss L. Martin, Miss K. Kekaula, Miss M. Keawe, Miss L. Hori, Miss A. Mahikoa, Miss P. Higgins, Miss L. Miller, J. Makana, Fred Ellis, S. Werner, T. H. Gibson, D. Leith, Master Fountain, N. Yamamori.

The following passengers arrived on the W. G. Hall last Friday morning:

J. M. Lydgate, Dr. Putman, J. A. Hogg, Miss Francis Freitas.

J. A. Hogg, manager of the Kauai Garage, returned from Honolulu Friday morning.

Mrs. Gregg of Makaweli entertained at a very enjoyable afternoon tea last Tuesday.

BIG AUTO CONTEST BECOMES EXCITING

Candidates Are Reaping Big Benefits From Double Count of Votes--Kekaha Girl Is Still in Lead.

DOUBLE COUNT UNTIL NEXT SATURDAY AFTERNOON

Request For Extension of Time For Allowing Double Votes to Candidates Is Granted --End is Near.

Two weeks remain between now and the closing of our big Auto Contest and the way our candidates are working, it is safe to say that these two weeks will see great strides towards the goal.

Contestants have taken advantage of the opportunity the double vote gave them, and are working with renewed energy. We have received so many requests for an extension of the time for closing the double vote, that we have decided to extend it to next Saturday afternoon. Therefore all votes turned into this office or mailed in the postoffice of the respective contestants by 4 p. m. Saturday, June 22nd, will count double.

This is positively the furthest extension that can be made, and after the above date, votes will count as usual.

The standing of the candidates, which appears on page 2, still gives Miss Silva the lead; Miss Lee a close second; Miss Sheldon third and the plucky little Hanalei girl fourth place. Much friendly excitement prevails among the contestants, the friends of each

heroically coming to her assistance.

The contestants should remember that the speculation going on at present as to who will get the car will be settled two weeks from to-day, and that "hustling" spells the winner. Let some have overlooked our big prize list we here-with reproduce it. There are seven prizes as follows:

For the candidate receiving the largest number of votes, an \$800.00 Ford Runabout. The candidate getting the second largest number of votes, a trip to the volcano and a stop-over for two weeks. The candidate next in number of votes will take her choice in the remaining five prizes and so on. These prizes consist of one beautiful solid gold watch, fifty dollars in cash, one post-card size kodak, one ladies silver mounted traveling case and a handsomely designed library lamp.

Hilo Now Getting More Steamers

Hilo is to be congratulated on securing additional steamer service. Much as has been said concerning the "monopoly" of the Inter-Island Co., there is one thing which cannot be charged against it, and that is lack of progressiveness. It always stands ready to increase its service where the accommodation of the public is concerned, which fact is borne out in the additional service recently given Hilo. Watch Hilo "Blow!"

Kansas Couple Are Among Our Tourists

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harmon of Topeka Kansas, left for Honolulu Saturday after spending a week among Kauai's attractive scenery. They are touring the world and as usual, declare that Kauai has all other places "skinned a mile" in its natural beauty and hospitality of its people. Mr. Harmon is a prominent farmer and was much interested in the local homesteading and small farming move.

Auto Driver Meets Himself Backwards

EDITOR GARDIN ILE. The fancy auto driver running to fast and defeated 9 o'clock in Sunday night June 9th, 1912. The flying auto from Takitani no. 1120 came flying from Eleele to Home-stead meeting himself with a mule at Wahiawa and when steering the machine from the mule the auto went against a stone wall. At the time another machine came and tried to pull it out but they could not do it. The poor passenger who was Mr. Blank was like a prisoner under the machine. This is what you call fancy drivers and poor judgement.

OMAU TRACT GETS A PARK

One of the most important things Land Commissioner J. D. Tucker did on his recent trip to Kauai was to confer with W. D. McBryde, the leading homesteading spirit of Kauai, as to the advisability of setting aside lot 23 in the Omau homestead tract for public park purposes. The lot lies as nearly in the center of the tract as possible, is almost level and contains 6 1/4 acres. Mr. Tucker was favorable to the project and since his return to Honolulu has informed Mr. McBryde, that upon the return of Governor Frear, the necessary proclamation will be signed.

The owners of the Omau lots are getting them into cane as rapidly as possible, and the McBryde Plantation is carrying out a building scheme which calls for twenty-five new houses, much of the lumber being already on the ground. A movement is well under way to have water turned into the home of each homesteader as soon as his home is ready for occupation.

Fishing Boat Strikes A Dangerous Reef

A gasoline fishing launch while cruising off Niihau last week, struck a hidden rock, and the seven occupants (Japanese) were thrown into the water and compelled to swim ashore which they reached in an almost exhausted condition. The boat was damaged almost beyond repair and was rescued by the survivors after many extremely dangerous efforts.

Waimea is Facing Serious Beef Famine

The scarcity of beef cattle, according to well founded rumor, will be more keenly felt over the recent setting aside of the forest reservation. The forest forms a grazing ground for a large portion of the present meat supply for the Waimea district, and the setting aside of this land as a reserve means that all cattle must be driven out, and to the slaughter pen. Beef is so high now that those who are familiar with conditions entertain pessimistic views as to the future, one cattle man saying that "the worst is yet to come."

Plantation Gives Ground For School

The Waimea Plantation has once more shown its policy of progressiveness by donating 4800 square feet of land to the department of education for school purposes. The land is a strip 40 feet wide and 120 feet long, and adjoins the present school grounds. The cane is now being taken off and as soon as possible the new buildings which are to go up during vacation, will be commenced.

BAND CONCERT

At the Lihue Park, Saturday evening, June 22nd, 1912, at 8 p. m.

PROGRAM.
PART 1.
March....."Bethany Commandery"
Overture....."R. Meyer"
Serenade....."Summer Days"
Intermezzo....."Dream of Autumn"
Finale....."F. H. Losey"
PART 2.
Selection....."Bohemian Girl"
Sextette from....."Lucia"
Waltz....."That Italian Serenade"
Finale....."Piantadosi"
The Star Spangled Banner
C. E. Dubie
J. A. Souza,
Director.

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LIHUE SCHOOL HAS EXERCISES

The Lihue school grounds were clothed in gaiety last Friday, the occasion being closing exercises in the shape of reproductions of vocal selections, recitations and dramatizations which had been given the children during the year's work. Every number of the elaborate program which follows, the extremely well rendered and reflected much credit both to teachers and pupils.

A large number of parents and friends were present, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rice Sr., Supervisor H. D. Wishard, Mrs. Waterhouse, Miss Waterhouse, Mrs. R. L. Wilcox, Mrs. Moragne, Mrs. Palmer, Rev. J. M. Lydgate, and E. B. Bridgewater.

PROGRAM

Patriotic Exercises.....By entire School.
Song.....Blacksmith's Song....Miss Well's class.
Recitation.....Vacation Plans....Miss Hannah Sheldon's class.
Recitation.....Flag piece.....Miss Day's class.
Song.....The Sailor Song.....Miss Ayer's class.
Recitation.....Who Has Seen The Wind....Miss Ellis's class.
Song.....What Shall We Do....Mrs. Wedemeyer's class.
Recitation.....If I Were a Flower....Miss Jordan's class.
Song.....Cuckoo....Miss Daisy Sheldon's class.
Recitation.....The Four-Leafed Clover....Miss Ayer's class.
Song.....River Song.....Miss Well's class.
Recitation.....The Seasons....Miss Hannah Sheldon's class.
Song.....Flag Song.....Miss Day's class.
Recitations.....Japanese Maidens....Mrs. Wedemeyer's class.
Song.....All Nature to Life is Awaking....Miss Jordan's class.
Recitation.....The Rose Bush....Mrs. Wedemeyer's class.
Song.....The Old Black Cat....Miss Ellis's class.
Recitation.....There Was a Hole....Miss Daisy Sheldon's class.
Recitation.....The Elf Man....Miss Well's class.
Song.....The Daisies....Miss Hannah Sheldon's class.
Dramatization.....Little Red Riding Hood....Miss Daisy Sheldon's class.
Song.....Poi Song....Mrs. Wedemeyer's class.
Dialogue.....Lesson in Sanitation....Girls in Grade VI.
Song.....The Mermaid's Song....Miss Hannah Sheldon's class.
Dramatization.....The Echo....Miss Ellis's class.
Song.....The Shoemaker....Miss Daisy Sheldon's class.
Dramatization.....Mr. Lincoln and Mrs. Binton....Miss Hannah Sheldon's class.
Song.....Mabel and The Blue Bird....Miss Day's class.
Song.....Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Stars....Miss Daisy Sheldon's class.
Song.....Books and Slates Away....Mrs. Wedemeyer's class.
Flag Drill.....March....Miss Ayer's class.

A Correction

In reporting the elections of officers for the Mokihana Club in our last issue, the name of Mrs. J. M. Lydgate as its president for the ensuing year, was accidentally omitted.

Former Manager Goes to Philippines

The friends of Mr. Wm. Stodart, formerly manager of McBryde, will be interested to learn that he is leaving Honolulu this week for Manila, where he will represent the Honolulu Iron Works. Mrs. Stodart will remain in Honolulu, where they are building a comfortable home on College Hills.

The Nawiliwili Garage, successors to the Coney Garage Co., Ltd., is with us this week in its initiative bow to the public, announcement of which will be found on page 4.