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MORE NATIVE AGITATION

HAWAIIAN REPRESENTATIVES TO ASSEMBLE.

Meeting Called for Tomorrow Morning—Returned Delegates Will Tour the Islands.

Colonel John Richardson, the anti-annexationist delegate who remained in Washington, after the others left, is expected back on the 30th of this month. Word to this effect was received by his family by the Zealandia. It was supposed by the other delegates when they left, that Colonel Richardson would remain until the end of the session of Congress or until the annexation question was finally disposed of. Why this change of plan is not known. It is a surprise to the other delegates, and action will be taken at once to send some one to take his place.

A general meeting of the Executive Committees of the Hawaiian Societies which united to send these delegates, has been called for 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, at the hall on Emma street, where the previous meetings were held. At this meeting a full report will be made by the delegates, and future plans will be made. Arrangements for sending another delegate to Washington will probably be made.

James K. Kaula, one of the returned delegates, will make a tour of the Islands, reporting the work of the delegates at Washington, and urging a continuance of the present attitude of the native Hawaiians. He will leave on Tuesday for Hilo. He will travel extensively over the Island of Hawaii. From there he will go to Maui, possibly to Molokai, thence to Kauai and finally to Oahu.

"The annexation treaty is as dead as a door nail," he said. "There are forty-three Senators against it. It is not likely that annexation will be accomplished at the present session by joint resolution, for the reason that the American people are opposed to annexation without some assurance that the native Hawaiians want to be annexed."

"If a vote of the people of the Islands is made a condition of annexation, I shall urge our people to vote. Under the present government I shall urge them not to take the oath or to vote. What we want is an independent government. Whether it shall be a Republic or a Monarchy is for the people to determine, and not for a small body of Americans, English and Germans to say for us."

INCREASING EVERY WEEK.
The Semi-Weekly Star was issued this morning, bright and full of news as usual. Every week bring new accessions to the list. The increase since January 1 has been very large, and the good work still goes on. For sale at 5 cents a copy.

LADIES' WHIST CLUB.
Mrs. Miller, wife of Admiral Miller, will entertain the ladies of the Afternoon Whist Club, at her home in Makiki, on Friday afternoon, March 25th.

CAUSED A ROW.
John Wilhelm and G. Anderson were fined \$10 and costs each in the Police Court this morning, for causing a disturbance. Wilhelm is still charged with carrying a weapon.

A FULL LINE
Of carriages, phaetons, wagons and harness of the latest styles is kept on hand at Schuman's Carriage Repository, Fort street, next door to Club Stables. Anybody in need of a vehicle should examine his stock, and be convinced of the great bargains offered. The prices and the goods cannot be beat anywhere. Every article in stock is a bargain in itself for the price asked.

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WHY ANNEXATION LIVES

A TERSE STATEMENT FROM THE WASHINGTON STAR.

"Job" Influences Did Not Originate It—It Stands on Merit and Will Win on That Alone.

A terse and able statement of the annexation situation in the American Congress appears in a recent issue of the Washington Star. It says:

"The length of the debate on the annexation treaty leads some of the opponents of the measure to the belief that it cannot be ratified. The more extreme of these now go even further than this and declare that the 'Hawaiian job' as they are pleased to characterize the annexation proposition, is dead.

"The treaty, it may be stated, is in the hands of men who are not only sincere advocates of it, but are good parliamentary managers as well. They have canvassed the situation and they know their ground. They have never underrated the opposition. They have been going slow, because, as they were frank enough to concede, that course seemed advisable. They have their plans well matured, but of course are keeping their own counsel.

"But even should the treaty fail, annexation by resolution will still be on the cards as the step then to be taken. And that step will be taken if it is taken. If taken it will certainly succeed. Both houses of Congress will show a substantial majority for annexation. So that those who are now rejoicing in the belief that the 'job' is dead, have nothing to warrant their previousness.

"The real strength of the annexation proposition is shown by the fact that it outlived four years of Clevelandism, and has among its supporters today some of the most eminent Democrats of the country. Two Republican administrations have endorsed it. General Harrison did not give his assent to the proposition when it was first brought forward any more promptly than Mr. McKinley did at the end of five years. It is thoroughly understood. It cannot be killed by calling it names. If it were a 'job' in the meaning of those who apply the word to it, no power could save it.

"It lacks every characterization of a 'job.' It is endorsed by men of the highest personal credit in and out of Congress, not upon somebody's representations, but upon a thorough examination of the question. 'Job' influences did not originate it and are not pushing it. The measure stands upon merit alone, and will win upon its merit."

A CRAZY JAPANESE.
Iwata, an insane Japanese laborer, was brought into the city this morning from Heeia plantation. He will be sent to the Insane Asylum.

THEY STOLE SUGAR.
Kanao and Kalolaa, young Hawaiians, were arrested this morning with a bag of sugar in their possession. The sugar was taken from Wilder's wharf.

GETS SIX MONTHS.
Kane was sent up for six months in the Police Court this morning, for gambling.

OSCAR HEROLD'S BENEFIT.
Miss Eileen O'Moore has induced Professor Oscar Herold to accept a benefit concert before leaving for San Francisco. Arrangements are well on foot and a crowded house is expected. The program for the occasion will include some rare gems and will be published later.

ASSOCIATION YEAR CLOSING.
During the first week of April will occur the election of new officers to direct the management of the Young Men's Christian Association. It is not known as yet who will probably be the next president. Arthur B. Wood is now serving his second term in that capacity. There will be a public meeting on the second Monday in April, at which the annual reports will be read.

Rev. E. Edwards, pastor of the English Baptist church at Minersville, Pa., when suffering with rheumatism, was advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. He says: "A few applications of this liniment proved of great service to me. It subdued the inflammation and relieved the pain. Should any sufferer profit by giving Pain Balm a trial it will please me." For sale by all druggists and dealers. Benson, Smith & Co., wholesale agents for the Hawaiian Islands.

HOUSE BILLS IN THE AIR

SENATE SUMMARILY DISPOSES OF TWO.

The Act Providing for the Suspension of Sentence in Certain Cases Now Ready for the President.

The Senate tossed a couple of the House bills up in the air. With scarcely any debate and no opposition it indefinitely postponed the House bill providing for a fee of \$2 a day for jurors called to sit in fire inquests.

The same action, and just as summarily, was taken with House Bill No. 43, which provides for the appointment and pay of deputy sheriffs and special constables, taking their control from the Marshal and giving it to the Deputy Marshal.

Senator Brown's cable bill was read and passed first reading without dissent and it was ordered printed. The House bill providing for suspending sentence in certain cases was called up for third reading by Attorney General Smith. Senator Lyman said he was not prepared to vote for the bill. It authorized the suspension of sentences in cases of the highest crime. This was practically an exercise of the pardoning power which was given by the Constitution to the President.

The Attorney General in reply said that District Magistrates could not suspend sentence in cases of crime because they did not have jurisdiction of such cases.

While courts of records according to the Supreme Court already have the right. He read the decision of the court showing that District Magistrates did not have the power because they were not courts of record.

After extended debate the bill passed by a vote of 8 to 5.

Senator McCandless' bill exempting the property of the Young Men's Christian Association and the Sailors' Home Society from taxation, was referred back to the Judiciary Committee with instructions to redraft it so as to exempt only the Sailors' Home. There was considerable debate on the bill. The first test vote was on the enacting clause. The chair counted six votes for and six against it. Senator Kauhane did not vote. On an appeal to the rules he voted in the affirmative so that the vote was recorded as 7 to 6 in favor of the enacting clause. The bill was then sent to the Committee on Senator Baldwin's motion.

The House bill for the encouragement of coffee and ramie was sent to the Committee on Commerce.

The Appropriation bill for salaries and pay roll was passed as agreed on yesterday and sent to the Committee on Passed Bills.

A recess was taken until 1:30 o'clock.

IN THE HOUSE.

The Judiciary Committee recommended the indefinite postponement of House Bill No. 46, trial of titles to land.

Minister Damon introduced his bill to authorize the consideration of the public debt.

Rep. Gear introduced his bill to provide against the adulteration of food and drugs.

Rep. Robertson gave notice of a bill to provide for the construction and maintenance of an electric road in Honolulu.

Following appropriations were asked by resolution: Rep. Kahouello, \$5,000, for extending and improving the road in Iao Valley; Rep. Kaai, \$3,000, for a road to the Mahiku home-stands; Rep. Kaai, \$20,000 for a road from Nahiku via Keane to Kallua; Rep. Kaai, \$5,000, for a landing and wharf, at Nahiku; Rep. Paris, \$4,000, for grading and improving the road from Hooukooa, South Kona, to the upper Government road.

Substitute House Bill No. 15, relating to dower, came up on second reading and passed.

The Bicycle bill came up on second reading and passed.

House Bill No. 46 was tabled as per recommendations of the Committee.

Amended House Bill No. 5, relating to licenses, passed first reading; second reading tomorrow.

Adjourned.

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Genuine reductions in prices of bedspreads, pillow cases, sheeting, for one week only, at N. S. Sachs Dry Goods Company, Limited.

ACTIVITY IN NAVAL ROW

MANY OFFICERS HAVE BEEN TRANSFERRED.

Seamen Re-enlist for the China Cruise—A Trio of Blue Jackets Will go as Merchantmen.

During the past two or three days there have been a number of transfers among Uncle Sam's navy officers. In port, Lieutenant Winterhalter and Ensign Smith have been transferred from the flagship Baltimore to the gunboat Bennington.

Dr. Hessler's cruise is up, and he will leave for his home. Lieutenant Elliott has been relieved as navigator of the Baltimore by Lieutenant F. H. Holmes. He will also return to the States shortly.

Cadets Burt, Wurtzbaugh, Tozer, McArthur, Wettengell and Kearney, have been ordered to leave on the Zealandia, Thursday, for Annapolis, where they will take their examinations for ensign commissions.

Ensign N. E. Irwin arrived by the last steamer from the Coast to go on the Baltimore. Mr. Irwin is accompanied by Mrs. Irwin.

A good number of blue jackets, whose time has expired within the last few weeks, have been induced to re-enlist.

At least three seamen from the Baltimore would not enlist for another cruise. It is their intention to leave for the States on the Zealandia, and prepare to enlist in the merchant vessels that will be pressed into service in case war is declared. They claim that there is a much better opportunity for them in these vessels for the reason that they come in for a share of the spoils, if there are any, and their time expires when the war is over.

TO PROTECT THE FLAG.

Important Changes Reported in the Shipping Registry Bill.

The Senate Judiciary Committee this afternoon reported important amendments to the bill for the registry of vessels under the Hawaiian flag. Hawaiian corporations, no matter who owns the stock, may register vessels, provided they have had an office and been doing business in the Islands for two years preceding their application. This is to prevent the organization of corporations for the sole purpose of putting vessels under Hawaiian registry.

MAUNA LOA ARRIVALS.

The following passengers arrived by the Mauna Loa this afternoon: G. C. Hewitt, C. Hoswell, G. H. Webster, Jr., F. Obell, Mrs. M. Fennell, Miss A. Crooks, Rev. O. P. Emerson, Mrs. J. Fennell, F. Souza, C. Akau, Mrs. Wm. Davis, H. V. Arnold, Ernest Silva, Mrs. F. Silberton, Dr. Wood, Fred Carter and 91 on deck.

COURT NOTES.

The counsel for the Kukaiaua Plantation Company today instituted a motion for a new trial in the suit of Charles Notley and Sons against the plantation. The Notleys secured a judgment of over \$4,000.

Thomas Rain Walker has sent from Penzance, England, a paper resigning his appointment as administrator of the estate of the late Simon Roth. Mr. Walker's prolonged absence from the city compels him to do this.

PERISHABLE GOODS.

Fresh fruits from California. All kinds of game, vegetables and other perishable goods imported on ice by Camarinos, the California Fruit Market, King street. Telephone 378.

THE AUDIENCE LIKED IT.

"The song that touched their hearts" is as old as the hills, almost. The leading man in "The Dazzler" combination, which has just closed a successful engagement, made a big hit every night with his bicycle song. He never failed to bring down the house when he reached the verse telling about the good qualities of the Sterling bicycles. The audiences were all ready to hear a good word said about these wheels, and heartily encored the singer each night. The song was almost as much of a hit as the Sterling wheels have always been. Pacific Cycle and Manufacturing Company, Fort street.

MORE BARGAINS.

Shirts, collars, cuffs and neckties, and a full line of gents' furnishing goods will be among the bargains at Kerr's fire sale next week.

Fine Printing, Star Office.

MANY BOOKED TO SAIL

THE ZEALANDIA WILL TAKE A JOLLY CROWD.

Majority are Tourists Returning Home—A Party of Islanders to Go to Europe.

The S. S. Zealandia will carry away between sixty-five and seventy passengers. A majority of these are tourists who have wintered in Hawaii and are now returning to their homes in the States.

A good number of Islanders are going abroad. Theo. H. Davies and son, George Davies, leave for England, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. King and their granddaughter are going to the States. Professor Oscar Herold leaves the Islands, after a residence of eight years, to accompany Miss O'Moore, Manager Theodore Hoffman goes to the States on important business connected with the Electric Light Company plant, and Mrs. Hoffman will accompany him.

Mrs. L. B. Kerr and two children will leave for a visit to friends and relatives abroad. Mrs. C. B. Damon and Miss Carrie Bond depart for the United States. Manager Du Roi of Elders & Co., goes on a business trip. Manager James Steiner of Hart & Co., with his family, leave for a six months' trip to America and Europe. Mrs. H. E. Cooke and Miss Cooke go to the United States.

Six cadets from the Baltimore leave for Annapolis to take their examinations.

Miss Eileen O'Moore, the celebrated violinist, with her manager, departs for England. F. M. Tucker, a prominent shirt manufacturer, is returning home, a thorough Hawaiian enthusiast. T. H. V. Varney, the Rambler bicycle agent, and family, return to San Francisco. F. E. Udell, a prominent manufacturer of St. Louis, and wife, and President William H. Wright of the Calumet Baking Powder Company of Chicago, with Mrs. Wright, return home after a two months' visit to Honolulu. D. Searle, a young San Franciscan, who has been visiting Island friends, goes home by this steamer. Miss Rutherford and Miss Collins of Oakland, who have spent the winter in Honolulu, will sail by the Zealandia.

A number of the Cook excursion party will return. Others who are booked include: M. C. Hawley, G. T. Hawley, Mrs. Schroeder and daughter, J. H. Montearth, D. M. Newbro, Captain Bethel, Mrs. M. A. Bullard, M. Chapman, A. E. Kaeser, J. Hallenbeck, H. D. Smith, Stuart Freeman, O. S. Richardson, C. W. Babcock, Major A. L. Sackett, S. B. Cannell, Miss Chapman, S. K. Long and wife, Mrs. M. Fennell, J. B. Shephardson and son, Mrs. M. Little, Mr. and Mrs. Rich, Mrs. K. H. Taber, Mrs. W. W. Willets, Mrs. D. W. Balch, Mrs. M. A. Buckland, and Dr. G. Kleinguenther.

SATIN LINED.

Blue serge suits, satin lined, are going at \$15 each, at Kerr's Queen street.

ART AND SCIENCE.

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