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THE POPE IS ALIVE

REMARKABLE VITALITY OF HIS HOLINESS CONTINUES—HEART FAILURE HAS SET IN AND KIDNEYS REFUSED TO ACT—SLIGHT IMPROVEMENT NOTICED—CAN SURVIVE BUT A VERY SHORT TIME.

Associated Press Cable to the Star.

ROME, July 8.—The Pope can not long survive. He is sinking. Heart failure has set in. His kidneys failed to act during the day, but tonight they have been slightly better, and a slight improvement in their action has been observed.

FIVE AMERICAN SHIPS SEIZED

REBELS AND BOLIVAR FORCES REPORTED TO HAVE SEIZED FIVE AMERICAN VESSELS—REGARDED AS SERIOUS MISTAKE BY THOSE INTERESTS—UNITED STATES PROBABLY SEND WARSHIP.

Associated Press Cable to the Star.

CIUDAD BOLIVAR, July 8.—News of the reported capture of five American vessel has just been received. Two of the captured vessels are reported to have been seized by the government forces and the remainder by the rebels. Further details are being anxiously awaited. It is thought that very serious complications are likely to ensue as the result of this high-handed action on the part of the government.

CHALLENGER WINS ANOTHER RACE

Associated Press Cable to the Star.

NEW YORK, July 8.—The trial races between the Cup Challenger Shamrock III and Shamrock I were held here today. The Challenger had no difficulty in demonstrating her superiority over the other vessel.

TROUBLE IN GREECE

Associated Press Cable to the Star.

ATHENS, Greece, July 8.—The Cabinet has resigned owing to unpopularity of the Premier.

MANCHURIAN CONFERENCE

Associated Press Cable to the Star.

KIN CHAU, July 8.—The Manchurian-Russian conference was opened at Port Arthur today. It is expected that this conference of Russian officials will be of great influence on the future of Manchuria, as the various phases of the question are to be considered by the Russian representatives.

ENTERTAINING AMERICAN OFFICERS

Associated Press Cable to the Star.

LONDON, July 8.—A grand state ball was held at Buckingham Palace tonight in honor of the officers of the American fleet. President Loubet is now at Windsor Castle. He held a review of the troops at Andershop.

CARDINAL GIBBONS GOES TO ROME

Associated Press Cable to the Star.

BALTIMORE, Md., July 8.—Cardinal Gibbons started for Rome today. This trip of His Eminence is undertaken in connection with the approaching death of the Pope.

SUMNER HAS THE FLOOR

SUMNER LITIGATION IN TWO COURTS AT ONCE—JUDGE DE BOLT AGAIN DECLARES SUMNER SANE AND REFUSES TO ENTERTAIN A GUARDIANSHIP PETITION—DISBARMENT PROCEEDINGS CONTINUE.

John K. Sumner had the whole Judiciary building this morning. In the Supreme court argument was had in the disbarment proceedings resulting from his litigation, while in Judge De Bolt's court the new petition to declare Sumner insane was argued. Sumner was in the court and listened while Cathcart and Magoon discussed a motion to dismiss Willie Ellis' latest suit to put the old man under guardianship. The motion was based largely on a charge of bad faith, on which grounds De Bolt recently made a ruling refusing to make an order temporarily to tie up the estate.

In the Supreme court the proceedings opened with testimony in substance by A. S. Humphreys. He explained further the matters which called Highton to his office and produced the transcript in the Sumner case showing a statement by Highton that he was at the start appearing for both Sumner and the Ellises, and to show that Magoon had said "he understood that Humphreys represented the Ellises."

Attorney General Andrews handled the respondent without gloves when the argument began. Assistant F. L. Weaver opened with an argument on the law, quoting legal authorities on the subject of the relations of attorney and client.

Andrews passed some bouquets to the

two respondents in speaking of their ability and experience and added that both of them had had enough training and knew enough of their profession to make them know what they were doing. Andrews asked for a sentence of disbarment in both cases. He characterized the actions of the attorneys as swindling and declared that both the public and the bar should be protected from such dealings. Andrews said that Humphreys and Thompson had both appeared for John K. Sumner in the Oahu Railway and Land Company and within a month had appeared against him for the Ellises.

Andrews had not completed his testimony when court took a recess at noon. Humphreys stated that he would ask to be allowed to call George A. Davis and T. McCants Stewart as witnesses in the case. There was no objection made.

The proceedings in Judge De Bolt's court ended in a dismissal of the petition. In giving his decision Judge De Bolt expressed himself much the same as when he refused to issue an order tying up the Sumner money. He stated that he did not regard the petition as brought in good faith and that he didn't think he could be convinced that Sumner was insane.

In the suit of W. M. Campbell vs. John K. Sumner, a suit to collect a debt, a dismissal was filed.

TO GET THE TRANSPORTS HERE

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ADOPTS A MEMORIAL TO THE WAR DEPARTMENT ON THE SUBJECT.

The Chamber of Commerce held its regular monthly meeting this morning. Vice-President C. M. Cooke presiding. The committee appointed to set on foot a movement looking to securing the routing of the United States Army transports plying between the Pacific coast and the Philippines, via Honolulu, reported a series of resolutions addressed to Secretary of War Root. These resolutions were adopted and forwarded to the War Department. They set out that this is an American port, that it has all the facilities of wharf, harbor, machine shops, water, and coal of any foreign port, and that to route the transports this way will tend to build up an American port, will benefit American workmen, and American business men, instead of as at present building up a foreign port. It is shown that our harbor facilities are sufficient by the fact that the battleship Wisconsin was brought into this harbor. Stress is laid on the fact that this is an orderly and peaceable port, this feature being brought out by the experience at Bremer.

The resolutions point out that the Occidental and Oriental and the Toyo Kisen Kaisha steamers call here though they can carry neither passengers nor freight between this port and the coast, because of the facilities here and the pleasanter and safer route this is as compared with the northern route. E. D. Tenney for the committee to prepare statistics and information for the Department of Commerce and Industry reported progress and asked for further time. Mr. Tenney also made the same report on a request for the committee on revision of the by-laws. W. H. Hoogs for the committee on the Encouragement of Coffee reported that the committee was at work on the matter, but was not ready to report yet as certain data desired had only been secured yesterday.

The following cable messages were received in reply to those sent by the Chamber on the completion of the trans-Pacific cable.

From the Governor of Guam: Thanking the Chamber of Commerce and the Merchants' Association for greetings which are reciprocated. Guam builds hopes on being connected with Hawaii.

From Clarence H. Mackay. I have greatly appreciated your kind message of the Fourth and I sincerely wish the presidents and members of the Chamber of Commerce and Merchants' Association of Honolulu all prosperity now, and in the future.

C. H. MACKAY.

From the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce:

Thank you for kindly greetings. May last link Commercial Pacific Cable strengthen all others binding us together.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. R. Dimond, Vice-President.

The following were elected to membership: C. Hedemann, of the Honolulu Iron Works; E. D. Tenney, of Castle & Cooke; J. R. Galt, of the Hawaiian Trust Company, and E. A. Berndt, of W. W. Dimond Company.

Those present at the meeting were: C. M. Cooke, J. G. Spencer, Alexander, J. T. Crawley, H. A. Parmelee, F. J. Lowrey, A. J. Campbell, W. L. Hopper, E. R. Stackable, F. J. Waldron, W. H. Hoogs, F. M. Swaney, E. A. Berndt, E. D. Tenney and J. R. Galt.

ANGLIA TO FIX PROPELLERS

BOTH ARE OUT OF PLUMB AND SEVERAL NEW BLADES MAY HAVE TO BE SUBSTITUTED.

The cable ship Anglia is now at the Railway wharf discharging the deep sea cable into the Commercial Pacific Cable tanks. The vessel will remain at that three days longer engaged in the work and after that time she will be in port at least ten days more. She has to load 2,000 tons of coal and in addition has to make some repairs to her propellers.

Both propellers are out of plumb and the blades will either have to be straightened or else new blades substituted. This part of the work will be quite interesting as the vessel will have to be tilted forward so as to bring the blades out of water. A similar feat was accomplished with the transport Warren over a year ago when one of her blades had to be removed and a new one substituted. The Anglia will fill the forward cable tank with water, depressing the bow thus bringing the stern out of the water so that the bent blades will be exposed. The vessel has a number of extra blades in her hold and if the bent ones can not be straightened, new ones will be substituted.

The ship is discharging about 300 miles of cable of which about 3-4 of a mile is heavy shore cable. She has but half of this amount out. She pays out the cable at the rate of about 50 knots a day, so she will be over 3 days completing this work. The deep sea cable is landed under bond. No duty is required on this cable and as soon as it will have been discharged, the tank will be sealed by the customs officials.

From Honolulu the Anglia will sail direct for London. So far as her officers now know, there is no work for the vessel. She will probably get the work of laying another cable for a Dutch Company from Guam to Batavia and Shanghai but this matter is not positively known. The vessel has been in constant service for the last four years.

OLYMPIC'S QUICK TRIP.

The bark Olympic finished a very quick trip from Iquiqui this morning coming to port in 40 days. She left without a clean bill of health so was moored in the stream and refused entrance by the quarantine officers. She will probably be fumigated.

SACHS' SPECIAL BARGAINS.

Ladies linen collars 10c; Madapolam 12 1/2c quality at 8c; Embroidered Ecu Stocks, regular 90c sale price 50c; cotton suede gloves, regular 60c, sale price 45c, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

A STORY IN FIGURES.

The following figures are taken from one of the certificates of the Phoenix Savings Building and Loan Association.

Year.	Total Payments.	Cancellation Value.
First	\$ 50	\$ 55
Second	100	150
Third	240	215
Fourth	320	305
Fifth	400	400

—San Francisco Examiner.

The following figures are taken from the Semi-Annual Statement of the Pioneer Building and Loan Association:

Year.	Total Payments.	Cancellation Value.
First	\$ 50	\$ 52.93
Second	100	172.75
Third	240	269.86
Fourth	320	374.66
Fifth	400	483.93

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DEATH WATCH ON TANBARA

THE MURDERER RECEIVES NEWS THAT HIS LAST HOPE OF LIFE IS GONE.

A cable was received yesterday announcing that President Roosevelt had declined to grant a pardon or commutation of sentence for Tanbara Gisu-buro, the Japanese murderer in Oahu prison. Tanbara will be brought before Judge Estee as soon as official notice is received, to be sentenced to death again. The setting of the date is within the discretion of the Judge.

Tanbara was reviewed last December, but before the date set for his execution and after all the preparations for hanging him had been made. The gallows was erected and cards of admission to the jail for the execution had been issued by Marshal Hendry, when Governor Dole replied to a wireless message sent to him on Hawaii by replying Tanbara in order that he might have time to appeal.

No appeal was taken. Papers in the case were sent to Washington and Attorney General Knox sent a cable for a copy of a petition of Japanese in his behalf. Since the documents were sent on nothing has been heard of the matter till now. There is no further hope for the condemned man, as the time for appeal has elapsed and the President has refused to interfere.

Tanbara has been growing fat in jail. He has shown little concern about his fate. As the last date for his execution approached he accepted the ministrations of Buddhist priests who visited him, but he seemed not to care about the prospect of being hanged. He appears to be a dull, stupid Jap, but his crime is regarded by those familiar with the case as one of peculiar viciousness.

Tanbara has been informed of the decision of the president and he knows now that there is no human probability that he will escape death on the gallows. The death watch is on him, but he keeps up his show of indifference, and it is predicted, that he will go to his doom with the same affectation, at least, of indifference.

STOLE TO DRESS HIS SWEETHEART

STEPHEN LAKE CLAIMS THAT LOVE FOR PORTUGUESE GIRL LED HIM TO ROB.

A woman made Stephen Lake go wrong. He says she caused him to steal from his employer so that he could give her fancy dresses and clothes. Stephen is now in jail as the result of his dishonesty and the girl unless she is an exception, is looking for another fellow.

Lake has confessed to Detective Kaapa to having robbed the Gridler place at the corner of Queen and Fort streets on June 16.—The robbery was quite extensive. Over \$200 worth of fancy underwear and various other articles of woman's apparel were stolen. The robbery was reported to the police. Detective Kaapa was detailed on the case. The officer's suspicions were directed early toward young Lake. The youth was employed to sweep out the Gridler place. Subsequently Lake was arrested and charged with stealing a number of articles from Kamehameha school boys. He was convicted and sentenced to serve nine months. Detective Kaapa succeeded yesterday in getting the youth to confess to taking the Gridler goods. Most of the stolen articles were recovered. Those that were not had been given to the girl, so the youth claimed. Lake says she is a Portuguese.

RECONSIDERED MEASURE.

The Senate this morning reconsidered House Bill No. 8 appropriating \$20,000 for the expenses of the band to travel to the other islands during the ensuing six months period. The measure was tabled yesterday. The bill was taken up today and passed second reading. The Senate also received the House bill making appropriations for unpaid bills of the health department. This measure passed first reading. Meetings of the conference committees on the six months departmental and eighteen months appropriation measures were held this afternoon and at 3 p. m. the Senate reconvened.

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WHAT DID THE DORIC SIGHT?

REPORTED UNKNOWN STEAMER STEERING FOR HONOLULU BUT BOAT NOT YET REPORTED.

Considerable speculation is being indulged in by shipping people over the identity of the steamship that the S. S. Doric passed before reaching this port. On Sunday the Doric sighted the steamship steering apparently for Honolulu. The strange steamer had a black funnel, two masts and was painted a dark grey. The smoke of the vessel was sighted about 1 p. m. of Sunday and about 8 p. m. that night the Doric passed the boat. The identity of the vessel was not learned.

It was naturally supposed that the boat would have reached Honolulu some time Monday, but thus far nothing has been heard from her. The only strange vessel that is due here from the Orient is the steamship Clavering of the China Mutual line. Unless some accident happened to the strange steamship she should certainly have been sighted ere this, provided of course, that she was coming to Honolulu.

THEY SAW A STRANGE SIGN

NEW PRACTITIONER CLAIMS THAT HIS FRIENDS PLAYED A PRACTICAL JOKE ON HIM.

The early morning travel on Fort street was arrested in front of W. G. Irwin & Company's office today by a strange sign that was displayed from a telephone pole. There were two good reason why people hurrying to their places of business should have forgotten their rush and moved by natural curiosity paused to observe the sign. It was in an unusual place and it bore an unusual inscription.

The following words appeared on the sign: "J. S. Walker, Attorney-at-Law." In great, big, white letters against a sombre black background the words seemed to leap out and seize the eye of all passing on the way along the street. The attention of those walking mauka was not attracted, for the reason that only one side of the sign board had been used. An empty space was on the rear side of the board. Whether that was intended to represent the condition of the purses of clients after consulting with the new attorney is not known.

The cause of the sign being on the pole was the fact that Mr. Walker was yesterday admitted to practice in the District courts. "I suppose, Mr. Walker, that you know that these District courts are inferior courts?" the rising young attorney was asked. "Oh, yes, confidently," Mr. Walker is confidently reported as replying: "I have known the district judges too long not to realize that fact." Mr. Walker was thereupon immediately admitted.

The new disciple of Blackstone declares that he did not put the sign up. He claims that some friends bent upon playing some practical joke on him, had the thing tacked on the pole twenty-five feet above the sidewalk. Mr. Walker is reported to have borrowed a lineman from the telephone company and sent him aloft to remove the sign.

Not a minute should be lost after a child shows symptoms of cholera infantum. The first unusual looseness of the bowels should be sufficient warning. If immediate and proper treatment is given, serious consequences will be averted. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is the sole reliance of thousands of mothers and by its aid they have often saved their children's lives. Every household should have a bottle at hand. Get it today. It may save a life. For sale by all dealers. Benson, Smith & Co., general agents.



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