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Election of Officers.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Hawaiian Fertilizer Company, Limited, held in this city on July 28, 1904, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

- C. M. Cooke.....President.
 - E. D. Tenney.....Vice-President.
 - E. F. Bishop.....Treasurer and Managing Director.
 - J. Waterhouse.....Secretary.
 - Geo. H. Robertson.....Auditor.
 - W. M. Alexander.....Director.
 - C. H. Atherton.....Director.
- J. WATERHOUSE, Secretary.
Honolulu, July 28, 1904.

Assignee's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against Z. Yoshida, of Honolulu, must file the same with the undersigned, at Room 12, Campbell Block, Honolulu, on or before September 15th, 1904, or the same will be forever barred.

K. ODO, Assignee Z. Yoshida.
Dated Honolulu, July 15th, 1904.

REPUBLICAN

TERRITORIAL CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

A special meeting of the Republican Territorial Central Committee will be held on Monday evening August 8th at 7:30 p. m. in headquarters for the transaction of such business as may be brought before it. A full attendance is desired.

NORMAN WATKINS, Acting Secretary.

Approved: C. L. CRABBE, Chairman.

POLO GAMES...

Mau vs. Kauai

HON. S. E. DAMON'S

MOANALUA POLO GROUNDS

Aug. 24th and 27th, 1904.

Tickets, 50c.

Tickets on sale at E. O. Hall & Son's, Wooda & Sheldon, Pearson & Potter.

NOTICE.

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted in my name except upon my written order.

GEO. C. STRATEMEYER, August 5, 1904.

HISTORICAL SWORD ON THE SHERIDAN

LIEUT. MILLER, WHILE GOVERNOR OF PARAQUA ISLANDS, CAPTURED VALUABLE WEAPON.

Probably the most unique and interesting souvenir that has ever come from the Philippines, is aboard the transport Sheridan. The trophy is a magnificent sword which belongs to Lieutenant E. Y. Miller of the 29th Infantry. The sword is a most gorgeous weapon. Aside from the artistic value the sword has historical interest. It was presented to Mohamed Harsen Narrasid, the ruler of the island of Paragua, Philippines, by the noted Spanish General Butcher Weyler, who was the Captain General of the Spanish forces in Cuba, just before the declaration of war on Spain.

The sword was presented to Narrasid in 1864 when Weyler was governor general of the Philippines. The weapon was manufactured at Toledo and the blade is evidently the finest that the famous armories of that city could turn out. The names of the donor and recipient are inscribed on the blade. The handle of the sword is very massive, being made of carved ivory reinforced with a heavily gold-plated guard. The scabbard is of steel, with decorations of gold plate.

The weapon was captured by Lieutenant Miller during an engagement with the Filipinos of Paragua. Miller was the governor of that island and some adjacent islands. It was necessary to make a demonstration against the old ruler. The sword was evidently too massive for Narrasid to carry, so he rapped it on the gory battlefield.

CHANGES IN THE MATSON LINE.

With the close of the sugar season and incidentally the shipment of considerable sugar in the A-H steamers, the Matson line will discontinue the services of the Roderick Dhu and the Falls of Clyde in this trade for the present. After October 1 the steamer Rosecrans will come here for bananas so that there will be a steamer about every seventeen days. That vessel and the Enterprise, which leaves on Tuesday with a very light cargo, will do all the work of the port until the sugar season opens again. Some changes have been made in the personnel of the crew of the tug Charles Comstock and while she will remain here for the present it is thought that she will be sent back to the coast within a short time.—Hawaii Herald.

MOSQUITO FIGHTERS STRIKE.

NEW ORLEANS, (La.), July 24.—The Southern Pacific Railroad Company is maintaining squads of mosquito chasers along its lines in Louisiana and Texas, to fight the mosquito infestation and construction gangs. They fight the pest with clubs and pieces of brush. As Sabine pass today, where some large forces are at work, the mosquito fighters struck for more money. They were getting \$1.50 a day, and they demanded \$2.25. The company refused to meet the demand, and the men laid down their clubs. Trouble is brewing all along the line tonight among the fighters. They claim that the duties are very onerous and

OKU MAKES CHARGES

REPLIES TO THE RUSSIAN ACCUSATION THAT JAPANESE MUTILATED RUSSIAN DEAD WITH CHARGES AGAINST THE RUSSIANS—INSTANCES IN WHICH THE CZAR'S TROOPS ARE SAID TO HAVE VIOLATED THE RULES OF WARFARE.

General Oku on the 1st inst., in reply to the unfounded charges brought against the Japanese of having mutilated the Russian wounded and killed, enumerated a few instances of cruelties committed by the Russians. Other instances quoted by General Oku are the following:

During the Nanshan engagement of May 26, we established the first field hospital at Chukiatur and were receiving the wounded when at 10 a. m. a Russian gunboat fired at the hospital from Dalny Bay. Thinking that the Red Cross flag was out of the enemy's sight, we hoisted it in a conspicuous place. The Russians then fired at it with increased vigor. One of the shot entered a sick ward and passed in front of an operating room, while several shots grazed the flag. We were compelled to remove the hospital with its inmates to Weikiatur.

On June 1, at 3 p. m. a body of our scouts encountered a body of the Russian scouts at Ss'pingchieh near Piazwo and was retiring towards Chikiatur, when one of the Japanese scouts, named Kishino, was shot through the breast. Owing to the hot pursuit of the enemy our troops could not bring their wounded comrade with them. He was taken prisoner by the Russians, when then cruelly fired a revolver twice at the man's breast. These did not kill him, but he feigned to be dead. The Russians, thinking him dead, stripped him of his clothing and ordered a Chinese to bury him. The Chinese placed the man in a hollow and covered him with twigs, whereupon the Russians retired north. The former then carried the wounded man to Sikiatur and gave him water and food. Kishino, however, was severely suffering from his wounds, and asked the benefactor for the loan of a sword in order to commit suicide. The Chinese refused to comply with the request and sent for the Japanese troops at Chukiatur. We sent a surgeon and were able to recover the unfortunate soldier. On June 26, a squadron of our cavalry was despatched to Lao-tieh-shan (9 kilometres northeast of Hung-yo-cheng) for reconnaissance purposes. The squadron despatched four troops to Shuang-tai-tsz' (3 kilometres east of Laotiehshan). At 10 a. m. these four men were attacked by some twenty Russian cavalry, and one of the Japanese named Muroi had his horse shot. Whilst retiring on foot, he was struck by a bullet and fell. The three other Japanese returned to Laotiehshan and accompanied by the rest of the squadron went to the place where Muroi had fallen. But he was nowhere to be found. On June 30 another batch of Japanese scouts was despatched, and they were able to recover the remains of Muroi. According to their evidence and the statements of natives, Muroi was taken prisoner in a severely wounded condition. His captors thrust him through the breast thrice with a lance, and after examining the corpse, left it on the roadside.

On June 13, at 10:30 a. m., when we reached the heights north of Hukiatur, three or four Russian troopers, followed by three or four squadrons far behind, advanced towards us. We shot an officer through the ankle. He fell from his horse, and waving his hat asked for our help. Our troops advanced to his rescue when the Russian cavalry opened fire on us. In spite of this we saved the officer and his orderly, and after dressing the former's wound, gave him a horse and sent him to the rear.

Besides the above-mentioned facts, the instances of the Russian troops, on their retreat from Tehlisz', plundering the Chinese natives and violating the women are innumerable.

CHARGE MADE BY A LEPER

SHERIFF WILMINGTON OF MOLOKAI IS ACCUSED OF IMPROPER CONDUCT.

Charges of a most serious nature against Sheriff J. Wilmington are made in a letter received today by Acting Governor Atkinson from John Moroni of Kalapapa, Molokai. Wilmington is sheriff of the leper settlement and Moroni states that he has been misconducting himself with a woman there who is the wife of a prominent member of the community. The husband of the woman, Moroni states, attempted to commit suicide with poison when he learned of the matter but did not succeed in his attempt.

"Is this a right thing for J. Wilmington to do?" queries the Acting Governor's correspondent "I think not, as he is holding a government position." The charges will be made the subject of official investigation.

LECTURE ON JAPAN

The stereopticon lecture to be given in St. Clement's Parish House on Friday evening next will be of a very high class character. The subject will be Japan, and a great deal of interesting information will be given. That the cost of hearing this lecture may deter no one from being present, the tickets have been placed at 25c each with children at half price. The powers of Mr. Westervelt as a lecturer are well known and he has undertaken to give this entertainment for the benefit of St. Clement's Church.

SHERIDAN TAKES THE MAIL.

The transport Sheridan leaving Honolulu today at 6 p. m. for San Francisco, will take the first mail to the mainland. She will arrive at San Francisco ahead of the next regular mail boat.

WILL BUILD HOME IN ALAMEDA.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—Admiral and Mrs. Henry Glass, like a large number of other navy and army people, have, upon the Admiral's retirement, decided to make their home in California and have chosen Alameda as the site to build their home. The plans have already been drawn up, and they will begin building very soon. Mrs. Glass looks splendid since her return from Honolulu and enjoyed her trip immensely.

REV. PEARSON RETIRES.

The Rev. G. L. Pearson will preach his farewell sermon in the local Methodist church tomorrow, terminating his pastorate in Honolulu. He will leave next week for the mainland and will be assigned to some other post by the coming Conference. His successor here is not known. One plan which may be carried out is to have two men here, one resident in Honolulu to devote himself to the outside religious work among Japanese, Koreans and others in which the Rev. Pearson has shown so much activity and the other to take up the regular church work.

That \$2.25 a day is cheap. Mosquito chasers sound fetid to the outside world's but they are very realistic features of railroad life in the Southwest.

JUDGE PARSONS' FIRST TERM

OPENING OF THE AUGUST TERM OF THE FOURTH CIRCUIT COURT IN HILO.

HILO, August 5.—The grand and petit juries were called Thursday morning at 8 o'clock. Attorney General Andrews appeared on behalf of the Territory and conducted the examination of jurors. After being sworn, the jury was charged by Judge Parsons. The charge contained only general instructions as to how to proceed with their duties.

For the convenience of Honolulu attorneys and clients present, who desired to return, those cases on the civil calendar on which they are interested, were called first pending the trial of criminal cases. On account of disqualification from having been an attorney of record heretofore, Judge Parsons will surrender the bench to Judge Gear of the First Circuit. Judge Parsons heard the widow's petition for the advertisement of dower in the Nohley will controversy at 7 o'clock last evening.

One of the pleasant incidents of the opening of court by Judge Parsons, was the spontaneous expressions of congratulation from Attorney General Andrews and other members of the bar, complimentary of the elevation of the present incumbent of the bench, W. A. Kinney, George Richardson, H. L. Ross and Charles M. LeBlond made addresses, to which Judge Parsons replied briefly expressing his deep appreciation of what had been said.

ONLY RATS HAVE SYDNEY PLAGUE

A HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHT INFECTED RODENTS FOUND BUT FEW HUMAN CASES.

SYDNEY, July 12.—Though the cases of plague among human beings since the commencement of the present epidemic have been comparatively few, there is every need for extreme care on the part of citizens in killing the rats, which carry the disease.

The returns compiled by the Health Department show that the infection not only still continues to spread among the rats, but it is spreading steadily and rapidly, and experience has shown that such a state of affairs is invariably the precursor of an outbreak of the disease among human beings.

The first sign of the plague in rats was discovered on March 1 last, and during that month four of the little animals were found to be infected. In the next month, April, 23 infected rats were found; in May, there were 35, and in June no fewer than 8, while during the four days of July that have already passed eight were discovered.

Thus 168 infected rats have been found to date. The heavy return for June, however, is somewhat discounted by the fact that since June 24 between fifty and sixty plague-infected rats have been discovered in the vicinity of Wharf-street, near the city end of the Pyramont bridge. In fact, since June 24, no diseased rats have been found in any other neighborhood.

The majority of the infected rats have been found in the Darling Harbor area, also by the wharves where some of the interstate boats berth. This fact emphasizes the necessity for the reconstruction of the Darling Harbor wharves by solid blocks of concrete, which would afford no harborage for rats.

COMMITTED TO THE ASYLUM.

Sabino da Silva was committed to the insane asylum today by Judge Lindsay. Da Silva is a paralytic. He is destructive at times and has been known to destroy furniture.

BERT WEBSTER RETURNS.

Bert Webster who was here some months ago in business, has returned from an extended business trip to the Orient. He arrived on the bark George Curtis yesterday from San Francisco.

KAHULANI ARRIVED TODAY.

The bark Kahulani arrived today from San Francisco after an uneventful passage. She came down in 15 days.

KAHULANI'S DULL WEEK.

WAHUKU, August 5.—Save for the little tug Leslie Baldwin and an occasional visit during the week of an island steamer, the harbor of Kahului has been void of shipping of any kind for the past eight or ten days. The Nevada is expected on next Monday morning, which will enliven the port again after an unusual dull week.

Seven parts of the World's Fair Portfolios now ready at Star office.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE First Circuit, Territory of Hawaii.—At Chambers.—In Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of Naeole (w) of Waikole, Ewa, Oahu, deceased. Order of Notice of Hearing Petition for Administration. On Reading and filing the Petition of Kalama (K) of Ewa, Oahu, husband of said Naeole, alleging that Naeole of Ewa, Oahu, died intestate at Ewa, Oahu, on the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1903, leaving property in the Hawaiian Islands necessary to be administered upon, and praying that Letters of Administration issue to Kalama. It is Ordered that Monday, the 5th day of September, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., be and hereby is appointed for hearing said Petition in the Court Room of this Court at Honolulu,

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Oahu, at which time and place all persons concerned may appear and show cause, if any they have, why said Petition should not be granted, and that notice of this order, be published in the English language, for three successive weeks, in the Hawaiian Star, newspaper in Honolulu.

Dated at Honolulu, July 20, 1904.

W. J. ROBINSON,

Third Judge of the Circuit Court of the First Circuit.

Attest:

GEORGE LUCAS,

Clerk of the Circuit Court of the First Circuit.

C. F. Peterson, Attorney for Petitioner.

July 20, Aug. 6, 13, 20.

BY AUTHORITY

PUBLIC LANDS NOTICE.

On Saturday, September 3rd 1904, at 12 o'clock noon, at the front entrance to the Judiciary Building, Honolulu, will be sold at Public Auction two government lots of grazing land situated at Hanalei, Kauai, as follows:

Lot 1, containing 587.25 acres, a little more or less; upset price \$9,000.

Lot 2, containing 894.75 acres, a little more or less; upset price \$4,000.

Terms: Cash, U. S. Gold Coin.

For plans and further particulars, apply at the Department of Public Lands, Judiciary Building, Honolulu.

JAS. W. PRATT,

Commissioner of Public Lands.

Honolulu, T. H., August 1, 1904.

SHERIFF'S SALE NOTICE.

Under and by virtue of a certain Affidavit issued by Lyle A. Dickey, District Magistrate of Honolulu, Island of Oahu, Territory of Hawaii, on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1904, in the matter of James L. Ho' Assessor and Collector of Taxes, First Division, Plaintiff, vs. Mrs. Haleakala Hart, Defendant, I have, in said Honolulu, on this 14th day of July A. D. 1904, levied upon and shall offer and expose for sale and sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the Police Station, Kalakaua Hale, in said Honolulu, at 12 o'clock, noon of Monday, the 15th day of August A. D. 1904, all the right, title and interest of the said Mrs. Haleakala Hart in and to all the following described real property, unless the sum of Four Hundred and Sixty-six Dollars and Forty Cents (\$446.40), that being the balance due on account of said Execution, together with interest, costs and my fee and expenses are previously paid:

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Portion of Land Commission Award

4700 E. Royal Patent 3656, on East side

of Nuuanu Valley Road, Honolulu, containing 56-100 of an acre, described in

Deed of A. J. Cartwright and wife to

Bruce Cartwright and Cecil Brown in

trust, dated September 22nd, 1881, of

record in the Registry Office in said

Honolulu in Liber 74, Page 54.

The above described premises are subject

to Mortgages as follows:

Mrs. Haleakala Hart et al to Mrs. M.

Henning for \$1000, (portion of lot)

dated August 5th, 1892, of record in said

office in Liber 232, Page 394;

Mrs. Haleakala Hart et al to Annie S.

Parks for \$2000 (portion of lot), dated

October 14th, 1892, of record in said

office in Liber 236, Page 458;

Mrs. Haleakala Hart et al to Frederick

Lewis for \$500, (whole premises)

dated April 26th, 1894, of record in said

office in Liber 256, page 425.

A cash payment of one-half of the

amount of the successful bid in United

States Gold Coin will be required at

time of sale, the balance to be paid in

United States Gold Coin upon the deliv-

ery of the deed.

Deed at the expense of purchaser.

Dated at said Honolulu, this 14th day

of July A. D. 1904.

CHAS. F. CHILLINGWORTH,

Deputy Sheriff, Territory of Hawaii.