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## BEANS GALORE AT THE CAPITOL

CAPTAIN GREEN'S INTERESTING COLLECTION OF CURIOUS PODS FROM THE GROUNDS.

"There are over twenty varieties of beans here," said Captain R. T. Green caretaker of the Capitol grounds this morning, "as he gathered some of the long pods of the 'Golden Shower' tree, and they prove of much interest to tourists. Some of the pods are as much as two inches long and are curiosities indeed to the average American visitor. It is a curious thing that all our shade trees run to beans and even shrubs have their seeds in that form." In his office Captain Green has quite a collection of the pods, of all sorts of sizes and shapes. Some are as thick as a walking stick and a couple of feet long. The Poinciana Regia is among those most sought after by tourists. It is a large and flat and on its surface pictures are drawn or painted, making interesting souvenirs.

## THE POLICE EJECT GEAR

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charged from quarantine this afternoon and they were landed at the Quarantine wharf. Gear and Makino were, it is claimed, trying to dissuade the Japanese from being sent to various plantations about the islands. R. D. Mead of the Planters' Association was at the planters' station, and he requested Gear and Makino to leave, claiming that they were trespassing. Gear refused to go. Mead asked aid

## A Woman and Five Legal Luminaries

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man whose disclosures to date virtually represent an attack upon the integrity of a former governor of New York State, a former District Attorney of New York County, a lawyer political leader who stood high in the councils of the party, and two legal lights of almost national reputation. The woman is Mrs. Kathryn Poillon who not long ago earned public attention in a breach of promise action. The male characters in the drama are former Governor Frank S. Black, former District Attorney W. M. K. Olcott, Assembly District leader "Abe" Gruher and lawyers Wm. H. Bonyng and Carl Fisher Hansen. The first four named comprise the law firm of Black, Olcott, Gruher and Bonyng. Hansen was the attorney for the defendant in the settlement of Mrs. Poillon's action. In the settlement of this action Mrs. Poillon avers she received only about \$3000, although she understood the defendant, paid about \$20,000.

With her eyes reflecting the mental anguish she felt as she contemplated the outcome of her suit for \$250,000 damages for alleged breach of promise against W. Gould Brokaw, society man and millionaire, Mrs. Poillon told last week in the City Court in New York how that action had been settled and of the paltry balm she had received as a result of the settlement. In bitter terms she accused her lawyers, Black, Olcott, Gruher & Bonyng, of having retained the lion's share of the money they received, and she asserted that \$2,500 of the money paid by Brokaw went to Carl Fisher Hansen, who married a cousin of the millionaire defendant, and who represented the Brokaw family in the settlement.

Mrs. Poillon, whose moods changed on the witness stand from biting sarcasm to bitter rage, could not see why Hansen, a millionaire himself, should have received any part of the settlement money, especially as he had opposed every step she took. But W. M. K. Olcott, her attorney, she asserted, assured her Hansen was a "good fellow," and that she had received so much money out of the case she wouldn't miss the \$2,500.

It was a remarkable story she told and one that threw interesting light on lawyers' methods.

## JOHNSON AFTER HER CHILDREN

MRS. KENTWELL TELLS A SENSATIONAL STORY IN THE MURDER TRIAL.

Over twenty witnesses, among them the mother of Simon Wharton are under subpoena by the defense in the Johnson murder case, and this morning the line of testimony they are expected to present was begun, with the testimony of Mrs. Annie H. Kentwell, a former employer of the alleged murderer. She gave a number of details as to peculiarities in Johnson's conduct, and created something of a sensation by telling of an occasion on which he chased her children and those of a neighbor, with a stick. It was the cause of his leaving her place to go to Waihuia.

"I always trust my children perfectly with Johnson," said Mrs. Kentwell, "and so did my neighbor Mr. Castle. They used to play in the barn together. One day the children came running out and said Johnson was acting queerly and chased them with a stick. That was the reason he left us and went to Waihuia for a vacation. He never was able to work long without a vacation."

Mrs. Kentwell thought Johnson was very simple minded. He called Kentwell "Kibble" and Richardson "Fable" and could not be made to address her or other members of the family by any but their first names. He didn't know the names of streets and seemed unable to learn them. When he drank he got "lally." He would dance a jig and sing loudly.

"When he got angry," said Mrs. Kentwell, talking almost in the language which some of the insanity experts may be expected to employ, "he used to tremble all over. If I told him he was not doing his work right, he would get into a temper and shake all over."

Mrs. Kentwell told of a difficulty she once had with Johnson when he was making trouble in her kitchen. She told him to go to his room, but he seemed to want to fight. She took a stick and threatened to strike him with it, and he went. After that he was perfectly "tame."

## Uncle Sam Objects to Local Law

JUDGE DOLE'S DECISION OF YESTERDAY WILL RESULT IN REQUEST FOR LEGISLATION.

The decision of United States Judge Dole yesterday in the Merriam case will result in an effort to amend the pending appropriation bill so that Congress will knock out the law in which the decision is based, as far as the federal government's dealings with the record office is concerned. Dole held that Merriam had no right under the new law of the Territory to record maps with the title which the United States is acquiring to certain lands for military base required that such record be made before the title to the land could be approved, and consequently the appropriation to pay for the land is held up.

Lieutenant Slattery has recommended that an addition be made to the appropriation act providing that money shall not be paid for lands unless the maps are recorded as asked for and that no provisions of the Territorial act here shall apply to transactions in which the United States is concerned.

## SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

**ARRIVING.**  
Thursday, April 5.  
Sunn, Maui, F. Bennett, from Hilo and Kawahae at 2:25 p. m. with 9,536 bags sugar and 50 head cattle.  
S. S. Sonoma, Herriman, from the Colonies at 1:45 p. m.

**DEPARTING.**  
Thursday, April 5.  
S. S. Sonoma, Herriman, for San Francisco at midnight.  
Am. schr. Mary E. Foster, Johnson, for San Francisco at 11 a. m.

**PASSENGERS.**  
Arriving.  
Per S. S. Sonoma, April 5, from the Colonies for Honolulu—Miss Tebbis, C. I. Toppe, Master Toppe, John Pfenster.

Through for San Francisco—Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Anderson, W. H. Atack, J. M. Brisben, E. Betz, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Baird, Mrs. W. F. Barber, Mr. and Mrs. T. Baessett, Miss D. Baessett, Miss I. Baessett, John G. Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Crippin, H. E. Crockett, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Dignan, Master Alan Dignan, Master Bryan Dignan, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fulton, J. Davidson, Miss Vera Fulton, P. C. Fabricius, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Forster, Mr. and Mrs. C. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gould, J. H. Gaines, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Goods, Miss Augusta L. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Hayes, Miss Bessie Hayes, F. C. Hartridge, C. E. Jacob, A. E.

## MONGOLIA CAPTAIN TO BE ARRESTED

MORE FEDERAL WARRANTS EXPECTED FOR ORIENTAL STEAMERS' MASTERS.

Captain Porter of the Mongolia will probably meet quite a surprise when he comes here tomorrow. It will be a similar surprise to the one recently experienced by Captain Goring of the America Maru, for in all likelihood the Mongolia's master will be placed under arrest by United States Marshal Hendry, on a charge of violating the federal laws regarding carrying of passengers by sea.

The Mongolia is understood to have a lot of Japanese steaming passengers aboard and it is said that her steaming quarters are not arranged according to law, as in the case of the Maru. The agents will be ready with a bond in case the arrest is made, and the case will be set for hearing at some future day.

Still another arrest that will probably take place is that of Captain Seabury of the Korea, which recently passed through here on the way to the Orient. A similar fate awaits several others, it is believed.

## TODAY IS CHINESE DECORATION DAY

HUNDREDS OF CHINAMEN VISITED THE GRAVEYARD IN MANOA TODAY TO DECORATE GRAVES.

The anxious house wives of Honolulu were probably mystified over the non-appearance of their Chinese cook and yard boys today. They may have searched for them but unless they took the tip from the fact that the Manoa Valley graves were crowded with Oriental particular servants, their search must have been in vain. For today hundreds of Chinamen are visiting the Manoa Valley Chinese graveyard and paying their respects to their departed ancestors.

Today is the one day of the year, with the possible exception of Chinese New Year, most sacred to the Chiuamen's heart. Today is a day set apart by Her Imperial Highness, the Empress of China for the worship of the dead.

It was during the Sung dynasty A. D. 429 that the custom originated. It seems that the emperor fell into some deadly peril and was rescued by a common laborer. The Emperor wishing to pay honor to the man who saved his life sent a commissioner to find him and bring him to the palace. The man heard of the coming commissioner and being frightened took his aged mother upon his back and fled to a forest where he hid. The commissioner in pursuit of the man, knowing that he was hid in the forest started a fire to run him out, but rather than give himself up the man perished in the flames. The emperor being sorry for the man's untimely end set apart a day for the commemoration of his death. The custom grew until today all over China men leave their work and pay their respects to those who have gone before.

The graveyard in Manoa was today cleaned of weeds. Much incense was burned and offerings of roast pig and chicken let at the graves. Thousands of firecrackers were burned and many curious rites gone through. Now the Chinaman will let the weeds grow undisturbed until the empress appoints another day, in April next sometime, for another decoration day.

## INSPECTED THE MOANA.

The steamer accommodations on the S. S. Moana were inspected yesterday by the local Federal authorities. It was found that the vessel was able to provide a seat at table for every steerage passenger. It had been proposed to house the Japanese steaming passengers from this port, under an awning. It is possible that this manner of caring for the passengers may be in violation of the navigation laws and some action may be taken against the vessel on her return from Victoria.

Livingstone, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lion, Miss Lloyd, Miss Ethel Lloyd, James Muir H. Munson, Miss Mair, Mrs. Moncrieffe and maid, W. M. Muir, J. L. Martin, Miss F. McPherson, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McEvoy, R. McEvoy, Mrs. R. McEvoy, Mrs. Caw, Mr. and Mrs. W. McBean, Mrs. McPhee, Miss F. E. Newton, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Roberts, Mrs. Oliver Smith, Mrs. Stoneham and two children J. Strauss, A. J. Scott, Miss W. Strickland, Miss I. Strickland, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hardy Topham, B. Trumbull, Miss Cable Thomas, John Uddenberg, Hon. Ebenezer Vickery, M.I.C., Mrs. Ebenezer Vickery, Miss Janet E. White, Mr. and Mrs. James Walker, David Anderson, Miss Gertrude Bewley, J. Bunce, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Boat, D. Boat, A. D. Blackbun, H. Beale, A. Conway, C. Compton, W. J. Charles, F. Choquall, R. H. Grieve, Francis Galle, Ludwig Gregor, W. Goodfellow, Miss M. L. Kerr Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Meharry and infant, Mrs. and Mrs. William Nelson, A. Noble, Miss A. N. Puffett, Miss N. Palmer, Mrs. J. L. Parie, W. Slocum, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rivenhall, M. Sumner, Miss E. Stephens, A. Schell, D. Scouler, H. C. Worth, Miss R. Zimmerman.

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## THE PLANTERS AND BOARD IN HARMONY

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over a year, and though there have been some lively disagreements from time to time, it is understood that with few exceptions, the employers, the acting governor and the board of immigration are in harmony.

The Board of Immigration, it is stated, has held more than one meeting regarding which the public was not supposed to be informed, besides the one of March 13, at which Collector Stackable was selected to go to Europe. Before the absence of Governor Carter meetings were held and it is said that there was an even sharper difference between Governor Carter and some of the planters than there has been recently between Acting Governor Atkinson and those who objected to his appointments at the first meeting after his return. In fact, Carter's breakdown is attributed by those in a position to know, to the strain of a long fight over immigration matters, which has since been carried on by Atkinson. It is now known that the governor and the acting governor were in very close touch and that both were being spurred by President Roosevelt to the end settlement policy.

On behalf of the planters the work of arranging agreements has been carried on by W. M. Giffard, one of the prominent supporters of the land settlement policy and Secretary J. P. Cooke of the Board of Immigration, and it has been a complicated and laborious task. Some of the principal difficulties it is said, have been due to the fact that some plantations had only leased land.

There will be no contracts with the laborers, it is understood, till after they land here. The law would not allow closing such deals except with men who are here. Stackable, however, will be authorized to call the attention of Portuguese or others to the attractions which Hawaii offers to settlers, and among those attractions is the chance for steady employment and the requirement of a home, with at least an acre of land, in fee simple. The Board has no control of the settlers after they come here, but all will naturally be quick to seek employment.

Among the principal difficulties of reaching an agreement has been a considerable divergence of views among the planters as to how long the contracts should be, what should be the rate of wages and what other benefits should be offered to the laborers. All these details have been discussed at length by the parties interested and mutual concessions have been made. The government's original position is said to have been that the contracts should be three-year contracts, laborers to get fee simple titles at the end of three years, while some of the plantations favored much longer contracts.

There are still numerous details to be settled, but it is not thought that any of them are of sufficient importance to make the success of the scheme doubtful.

## DAILY STOCK REPORT

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Kahuku 6s ....	100.75
Oahu Railway 6s ....	102.75
Oahu Sugar Co. 6s ....	100.00
Ewa Plan. 6s ....	99.00
Pioneer Mill 6s ....	106.00
Waialua Agr. 4s ....	99.00
McBryde Sugar Co. ....	100.00

## PALOLO WATER

The Palolo water rights case was begun this morning before Mrs. Nakulua, commissioner of water rights. Deputy Attorney General F. W. Milverton appeared for the Territory, representing the various settlers who claim that A. F. Cooke's water development scheme will take away water rights of theirs. A large crowd of natives interested in the proposition were present. The hearing promises to be a long one, and the questions involved are very complicated.

Nell—Mr. Nervey tried to hug me last evening.  
Belle—Oh! that's what he meant when I saw him hurrying toward your house. He told me he had a "pressing engagement."



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## JORDAN MAY GOT LANGLEY'S POST

STANFORD PRESIDENT MENTIONED FOR SECRETARYSHIP OF SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—President David Starr Jordan of Stanford University is among those mentioned as candidates for appointment as secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, to succeed the late Secretary Langley. Member of the Board of Regents are discovering there is great interest among scientific men, educators, technical institutions and great educational establishments in the pending selection of a new secretary. There are now at least half a dozen candidates for the position. The Regents have not seriously taken up the matter yet, but they are receiving a great number of letters urging the claims of different men. The list now includes Henry T. Pritchett, president of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Alexander A. Agassiz, Henry Fairfield Osborn of the American Museum of Natural History, New York; Charles D. Walcott, Director of Geological Survey; Alexander Graham Bell, Professor Bessey of Nebraska State University and David Starr Jordan.

The Regents are expected to take up the question of selection at the meeting on April 10th. A prominent scientist said that, in his opinion, the first business for the Regents to thresh out would be the question of future policy.

## FOR PROTECTION OF ROCKEFELLER

SUPPLEMENTS BURGLAR ALARM SYSTEM AT FOREST HILL WITH BUTTONS AND TELEPHONES.

CLEVELAND, (O.) March 25.—To protect himself from families during the coming summer, John D. Rockefeller has supplemented the burglar alarm system in his home at Forest Hill with telephones and call buttons placed at various parts of the park to enable workmen to call for assistance in case they are unable to subdue an intruder. An organized guard will be stationed in the grounds as soon as he returns from New York, and extra precautions taken to protect his life.

Call buttons are placed in the inconspicuous niches of bushes. Others are imbedded in the sides of trees, and still others are fastened to posts and parts of gates. Wherever a workman or guard may be he will be sure of having one of them close at hand. No stranger will be allowed to pass, be he minister, financier or what, until the guard is satisfied as to the right of the intruder to be there. The house itself has the most complete burglar alarm system in the United States.

## GOES WRONG SOMETIMES.

Col. Henry Waterston predicts that William Randolph Hearst will control the next democratic national convention. The colonel's dreams have a reputation that makes comment unnecessary.—Tacoma Ledger.

## HALEIWA.

The Haleiwa Hotel, Honolulu's famous country resort, on the line of the Oahu Railway, contains every modern improvement and affords its guests an opportunity to enjoy all amusements—golf, tennis, billiards, fresh and salt water bathing, shooting, fishing, riding and driving. Ticket, including railway fare and one full day's room and board, are sold at the Honolulu Station and Trent & Company for \$5. For departure of trains, consult time table.

On Sundays, the Haleiwa Limited, a two hour train, leaves at 8:22 a. m.; returning, arrives in Honolulu at 10