

## Democrats To Ask Senate For Recount

SENTIMENT FOR NEW COUNT BECAUSE OF CLOSE MARGINS ON TERRITORIAL TICKET—MATTER MUST COME UP BEFORE THE LEGISLATURE WHICH IS THE JUDGE OF ITS OWN MEMBERSHIP—WHAT W. A. KINNEY SAYS.

"The sentiment of the Democratic party," said W. A. Kinney, chairman of the Democratic Territorial Central Committee this afternoon, "has been for a recount of the ballots cast at the recent election where the margin was narrow against our representatives, but in regard to a recount, as far as the election of Senators and Representatives is concerned, that will have to be left to the Legislature when it meets in February."

the general sentiment among Democrats is that since there is a recount asked in the matter of the County election we should have a recount in the matter of the Senators and Representatives.

"That has been the feeling and the feeling has not changed. A recount will be asked and, of course, this will come up when the Legislature meets."

"The county contest is taken to the Supreme Court, but any contest in the matter of Senators or Representatives must be left to those bodies, which pass on their own membership."

## SUGAR PLANTERS MEET IN TWENTY-SIXTH SESSION

The Planters' Association this afternoon elected the following officers to serve for the coming year:

President, E. F. Bishop. Vice-President, F. A. Schaefer. Secretary and Treasurer, W. O. Smith.

Auditor, G. H. Robertson.

The twenty-sixth annual meeting of the Hawaiian Sugar Planters' Association met this morning at 9 o'clock in their rooms in the Judd Building. There was not a large number of planters at the meeting as the departure of the Siberia this morning kept a number of agents and managers away from the meeting.

The meetings of the Association will continue throughout tomorrow and Thursday. Next Thursday evening the annual banquet will be held finishing the session.

Shortly after 9 o'clock, Secretary W. O. Smith called the meeting to order and spoke of the departure of the President, H. P. Baldwin, for the coast this morning on the Siberia, and stated also that the Vice-President, E. Faxon Bishop was also in California. He moved that E. D. Tenney be appointed temporary chairman. He was elected unanimously.

Roll call showed the following present: E. K. Bull, C. M. Cooke, J. R. Hewett, J. Fassoth, A. Focke, A. Garntenburg, W. W. Goodale, A. Garvey, W. W. Hall, J. Hind, K. S. Gjerdrum, W. M. Giffard, George Chalmers, J. A. Low, J. T. Moir, George Gibb, James

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ALAKEA STREET.

## Castle Sells His Kahuku

Alexander & Baldwin have secured control of the Kahuku Sugar Plantation on this island, having purchased from James B. Castle his stock in the plantation. Mr. Castle held a controlling interest.

While Wallace M. Alexander was in Honolulu his presence filled out the membership of the Board of Directors of Alexander & Baldwin and the deal was thus effected.

Twenty-five dollars per share was today offered on exchange for Kahuku plantation stock and thirty dollars was asked.

This year's Kahuku crop amounted to 6,659 tons and last year the crop was as high as 7,431 tons of sugar.

Messrs Alexander and Baldwin left this morning for San Francisco in the Siberia.

## KUNALU GIRLS SAVE SAILORS FROM DEATH

The Kunalu Rowing Club, composed of a number of young ladies of the city, yesterday started a life saving record by rescuing two men from drowning near the mouth of the channel. The men jumped overboard from an outgoing ship and were almost exhausted when the young ladies reached them in their shell and pulled them from the watery grave.

The girls often go out in the evening for a row on the harbor and they were greatly enjoying themselves last evening when suddenly Miss Etta Blair, one of their number, saw two men in the water near the mouth of the harbor who were evidently battling for their lives.

She immediately called the other girls' attention to the fact and then the girls began a race against grim death. They were just in time to save one of the men from going down for the last time. He was completely exhausted and was pulled into the boat. The other man clung on to the side of the boat and the girls took them where the men could wade out. Had the girls been three minutes later probably both of the men would have drowned.

The men's names could not be learned. They were evidently sailors and jumped overboard from an outgoing ship.

## SUPERVISORS SUSTAIN ACTION OF SHERIFF

HEAR CHARGES LAST NIGHT THAT OFFICER GEORGE MALUNA OF THE WAIANAE POLICE WAS DISMISSED FOR POLITICAL REASONS—VARIOUS WITNESSES WERE HEARD—BOARD DISCUSSED QUESTION OF EFFECTING RETRENCHMENT.

Although the Board of Supervisors did not hold a very long session last night the proceedings of the meeting were very animated while they lasted. Two matters of interest were before the board, one was the report of the police committee relative to the prospect of curtailing the expenses of the police force and the other was the hearing given Officer George Maluna relative to his discharge for being derelict in his duty as an officer at Waianae.

In addition to the various supervisors there were present by invitation Supervisors-elect Frank Harvey and Charles Huestace. A number of other people including Sheriff Brown were present. The Sheriff stated that he had been

waited upon by a police committee relative to the possibility of cutting down the expense of his department. He could cut down six men on the outside of the city and six inside by cutting off two men from a watch thus reducing the payroll \$750 a month. Cox and Lucas led the questioning and suggesting relative to possible reduction of expenses. The attention of the sheriff was called to the high expenses for the coroner's work during the last month. The sheriff said that he did not see how such expenses could be reduced. The police had to bury most of the people who died and until the matter could be placed under the

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## ROBERTSON DEPARTS FOR THE COAST

CHAIRMAN OF CENTRAL COMMITTEE TENDERED HIS RESIGNATION AND LEFT ON SIBERIA.

A. G. M. Robertson, the chairman of the Republican Territorial Central Committee, left this morning very unexpectedly on the Siberia for the Coast. None of his friends knew of his intention to leave and a few of them received a notification in the mail this morning of his departure.

Before leaving Mr. Robertson sent a letter to Vice Chairman John C. Lane of the Republican Central Committee tendering his resignation as the Chairman of that Committee. He stated in the letter that he would not be here during the session of the Legislature and would remain away indefinitely.

No one seems to know of any reason why Mr. Robertson should leave for such a long period for the Coast. No one knew that he even contemplated leaving.

This evening the executive committee of the Central Committee will meet and will probably place Mr. Robertson's resignation on file. The vice-chairman has full powers to act in the chairman's absence and unless something comes up which makes the election of a chairman imperative it is not likely that it will be accepted.

## PLANTATIONS ARE HELPING GOVERNMENT

LAND COMMISSIONER PRATT SAYS THAT HIS DEPARTMENT IS VERY BUSY.

"We have more work ahead of us," said Land Commissioner Pratt this morning "than ever before in this matter of cutting up the government lands formerly held under lease."

"It is very gratifying to say that we are receiving far more assistance in this respect from plantations, than formerly. The plantation interests are coming to realize that in order for them to secure a more stable character of labor they must give the people the opportunity of owning their homes. They are beginning to realize that it is the best policy for them and for the territory. The objections which were formerly being made to the cutting up of the land under lease, are not being made so frequently now, and there seems, on the whole, to be a better spirit of co-operation with the government."

"There are however, several plantations that are not showing this desire to co-operate and they are trying to interfere with objections in this work of the government land office."

## THE BAND IS COMING, COHEN PAYS EXPENSES

J. R. Galt this afternoon received the following cablegram from the Union Trust Company in San Francisco:

"Band sailed Korea. Cohen paid all expenses." Mr. Galt stated that as soon as he heard from the Trust Company by letter and found what the expenses were for cabling and any other expenses there might be, he would begin to refund the money to the donors in Honolulu.

## SARGENT COMING ON THE KOREA

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.) SAN FRANCISCO, November 20.—Commissioner Sargent will leave here for Honolulu in the S. S. Korea to investigate immigration matters in the Hawaiian Islands.

## TO WELCOME ROOSEVELT

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, November 20.—The Governor and others have gone to Ponce to welcome President Roosevelt upon his arrival there on his way back to the States from Panama.

COMMERCIAL CONVENTION OPENED.

KANSAS CITY, November 20.—The Trans-Mississippi Commercial Convention opened here today. Every State in the Union as well as several South American Republics are represented.

SUGAR MEN CONVICTED.

NEW YORK, November 20.—The American Sugar Refining Company has been convicted of accepting \$26,000 rebates from the New York Central Railroad.

WILL INVESTIGATE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANIES.

WASHINGTON, November 20.—The Commissioner of Corporations has been ordered to investigate the Fire Insurance Companies of San Francisco.

GRAND JURY RESUMES.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 20.—The Grand Jury has resumed its inquiry into the charge of extortion against public officials.

PEACE IN PARIS.

PARIS, France, November 20.—The church inventories have been completed without any further resistance from the people.

COLGAN IS DEAD.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 20.—Controller Colgan is dead.

## LAUKEA WIRED TO COME HOME

READY TO PROCEED WITH SHERIFFSHIP RECOUNT MATTER ON MONDAY NEXT.

The petition of A. M. Brown for a recount on the sheriffship will probably be heard in Supreme Court on Monday next.

The answer of C. P. Laukea will be filed in time for the hearing to proceed at that time. Curtis Laukea was sent a wireless message this morning to come home at once.

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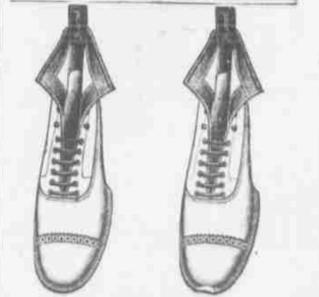
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