

CROWDS GREET THE BAND HEARING ON RECOUNT PETITION

Naval Wharf Was Crowded To Capacity

BANDBOYS ENTHUSIASTICALLY WELCOMED AT THE WHARF BY MULTITUDE.

The naval wharf was only just big enough to accommodate the crowd that swarmed to the waterfront this forenoon to welcome the P. M. S. S. Korea from San Francisco and it was with difficulty that room was made for the gangway and a path forced for the passengers as they came off the vessel. The main cause of the multitude was the home-coming of the Hawaiian band and great was the demonstration when the great vessel headed up for the slip and her broadside revealed the band boys lined up on the hurricane deck. They were heard before they were distinguished, for they burst forth with Hawaiian airs, playing, probably, with more spirit than they ever played before. There was a glad-to-be-home sound to the music that brought tears to the eyes of the many friends and relatives of the musicians who had gathered to greet them back to Hawaii. "Aloha Oe," "Hawaii Pono!" and other well-known Hawaiian airs were played with vigor and loud were the cheers in response.

The band boys were the first passengers to leave the Korea and as they filed slowly down the gangway each was met at the foot thereof by some loving one with embraces and kisses and carried away to a waiting hack for home. The boys were dressed in their uniforms and it was apparent they had returned with all their instruments. Banquister Berger stood apart from the band, but was easily picked out by the crowd on the wharf. He seemed somewhat affected by the home-coming, it seemed, for his handkerchief was very wet in evidence. His family met him on the wharf. The Korea took the band away and the Korea brought the band back and

"All Came Home Dead Broke"

CAPTAIN BERGER SAYS THAT COHEN OWES THE BOYS MONEY. HARD TRIP ALL THE WAY.

"Cohen owes the band boys about \$10,000," said Captain Berger this morning "and we all came home dead broke. We had a hard trip and for four months none of us have had even the necessities of life. We have been sleeping in the cars most of the time, and eating whenever we got a chance. A part of the time we were in hotels but not often. I am glad that I am back and it is all over with for I am worn out and as sick from the experience I have been through. "It is a very strange thing where Cohen got the money to come home on. He must have obtained it suddenly for just a short time before that he had no money according to his statements and then when the money came from Honolulu to take us home he stepped in and said, 'No, I will pay the way home.' It is strange where the money came from. "I do believe that Cohen lost money. It was bad management for he did not

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The officers of the vessel, Purser W. A. Allen says, would be glad to have the band travel with them all the time, for on the way down concerts were given from 2 to 5 o'clock every afternoon and the trip was pleasurable as well as pleasant from a weather standpoint. The passengers of the Korea raised a purse of \$300 for the band and voted of a great institution. Prominent among those standing on the uppermost deck as the Korea came alongside the wharf was Joe Cohen who took the band away to tour the States. He looked happy and content and chewed calmly on a long cigar, waving a greeting every now and then to friends on the wharf.

Cohen With The Band And Pawn Tickets

HE SAYS HE LOST \$20,000 IN THE VENTURE BUT KEPT FAITH WITH EVERYBODY.

"I have the finest collection of pawn tickets of any man in the country," said Joe Cohen today on his arrival with the band by the Korea. "I don't believe any other man could have carried the band through as I did. I lost \$20,000 in the venture, but I am not kicking. The band paid its way up to about the first of September though we had any amount of the hardest luck imaginable before that. We played to capacity in theatre after theatre, but the house wasn't big enough to pay expenses. In Kansas City it rained five days out of the seven we were there and in Louisville six. "Our troubles began when the Manchuria went on the rocks, for we were planning to take her home on the trip leaving San Francisco October 2. When she went on the rocks and it became uncertain about steamers to get home on, we were unable to accept good engagements for fear we would not have time, and then we began to lose money so fast that it was like water running through a sieve. "The first time the people in the United States knew that the band was stranded, was when the reports began to arrive from Honolulu to that effect. We did not get them until we were nearly to the California line. Then they began to come strong and heavy and it was from Honolulu that we got the news. "Did I break faith with the government? Didn't I agree to take the band away and bring them back? Didn't I do it? What is all the row over anyway? "We steered into a big bunch of bad luck and I am out just \$20,000 but I lived up to my agreement and no one in this town can have anything to say about it. "Until the 1st of September we made good. Then we found out that we did not have time to go east so we shoot off down into the south and played through that country coming back through Omaha. We met hard luck in the way of weather and began to lose money but as fast as the boys going hungry or anything of the kind it was not true. "A part of the time we had our own special train, with a baggage car, sleep-

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THE BALLOTS ARE ADMITTED

The Supreme Court this afternoon after hearing considerable evidence decided to admit the ballots from the First precinct of the Fourth District as evidence and ordered the bag containing them cut open.

Immediately upon the reconvening of the Supreme Court this afternoon on the Brown-Iaukea recount case, W. A. Kinney as attorney for the respondent, Iaukea, began to argue against the admission of the ballots offered at the morning session by Judge Gear. Kinney contended that his argument contained no reflection upon Mr. Buffandean's veracity whom it had however been developed, had access to the ballots and was an interested Republican campaign officer, but the question was that there had not been sufficient precaution in the care of those ballots. He laid particular stress upon the law of the case which dealt with the question of opportunity of fraud. So far as the care and protection given to these ballots was concerned, the chances for tampering with the ballots had been practically the same as if the ballots had been in the custody of Harry Murray in the rooms of the Republican committee rooms, except as regards a question of nerve. It was simply a question of a person having the nerve to go to the safe of the county clerk and there tampering with the ballots. Counsel argued that in show-

ing the possibility of fraud, the efficacy of the ballots as evidence was impaired. Counsel did not intend how- ever, to imply or to charge any one with being so unfair as to do so with the present ballots. Kinney, continuing gave notice that in event of the ballots being accepted as evidence respondent would require the petitioner to give some positive reason to the court, why the bags containing the ballots should be opened. He would oppose any fishing expedition, the petitioner must cite specific cases of fraud or improper counting or rejection of the ballots. Replying to a question by the Chief Justice relative to his position, Kinney stated that he contended that Buffandean had been still busily engaged during two weeks following the election at the Republican headquarters siding presumably in the preparation of Brown's petition for a recount and was therefore shown to be an interested party in the ballot. A. F. Clark, the inspector who had been at the first precinct of the fourth district, examined the bag offered in evidence and upon being sworn stated that the bag appeared to be the same one that had been taken to the county clerk's office with the exception that the sealing wax on the bag now was broken whereas, it had been unbroken when he had taken it to the clerk's office.

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OUTLAWS ARE CAPTURED

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.) HAVANA, Cuba, November 25.—The last band of outlaws in the province of Cienfuegos has been captured.

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.) TOULON, November 25.—The schoolship Algebras has been burned, three perishing in the flames. Fourteen were injured.

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.) MOSCOW, November 25.—Monarchs and Reactionists have asked the Emperor to expel De Witte from Russia.

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.) HONGKONG, November 25.—The church property at Linchow has been pillaged.

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.) The best cup of Hawaiian coffee in the city. New England Bakery and Cafe.

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CARUSO GRANTED AN APPEAL

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.) NEW YORK, N. Y., November 25.—Caruso, the famous singer who was fined \$10 for insulting women in the park, was today granted the right to appeal his case.

SCHOONERS STRANDED IN 'FRISCO

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.) SAN FRANCISCO, November 25.—In a severe norther three schooners were stranded in the bay but have been floated.

Atkinson Back From Washington

THE SECRETARY SAYS THAT THE PRESIDENT IS ENTHUSIASTIC OVER IMMIGRATION MATTERS.

Secretary of the Territory, A. L. C. Atkinson returned this morning from his trip to New York and Washington and looked remarkably well after his vacation. He was in Washington twice during his trip and conferred both times with the president although the Treasury Department called him to Washington to talk with him about the expending of the \$30,000 for the next Legislature. The appropriation was made hurriedly by Congress and was not worded exactly and there is no mention made as to the pay of members except in the instance of an extra session. The Secretary asked for opinions on the matter and he will govern his actions accordingly. He will follow the law and not express an opinion either way.

According to the Secretary the President is very enthusiastic over the bringing of the first crowd of immigrants here on the S. S. Suveria and he does not want the matter to close there. He wants the good work kept up according to Atkinson. "I had a splendid trip," said the Secretary, "and I feel fine after my trip to the coast. I went to New York and made two trips to Washington to confer with the authorities there. First I saw the Treasury officials in regard to the expending of the \$30,000 appropriated for the expenses of the Legislature. I will put up a \$20,000 bond and will distribute the money according to directions. Opinions will reach me soon from the department and I shall distribute the money according to the directions given me, not expressing an opinion one way or another. "I had a conference with the President and he is very enthusiastic over the steps taken here in obtaining the first load of Portuguese. He said that it was the best thing that has happened to Hawaii since annexation and he does not want the good work to stop but to be carried right ahead. "Immigration Commissioner Sargent came down with me and he is going to look into immigration matters and attend to the distribution of land among the new arrivals. He will be here for some time and his knowledge of immigration matters here after he returns to Washington will work great good for Hawaii. "The President seems to have a deep interest in Hawaii and we are naturally getting the benefit of it. He will continue to be also I think. "The thing which is stirring Washington these days is the Japanese question. That is giving great concern in the capital and will be one of the great issues soon if the present agitation goes on. The Eastern papers are full of the matter and it is not only the West that is taking up the question. "I am glad to be back home. I shall remain here now indefinitely."

C. H. Buckland has tendered his resignation as chief clerk to the Secretary. He will leave December 15. He will engage in other work here.

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SUPREME COURT HAS BROWN CASE UP

CASE OPENED THIS MORNING WITH ATTORNEYS FOR RESPONDENT, IAUKEA, CONTESTING CASE AT EVERY POINT—CROSS-EXAMINATION BY KINNEY INDICATES INTENTION TO TRY AND PROVE FRAUD IF COURT GRANTS THE PETITION.

The petition of Sheriff A. M. Brown for a recount of the ballots in the recent election whereby C. P. Iaukea, the Democratic nominee, was declared upon the returns to have been elected County Sheriff, was taken up by the Supreme Court this morning. Chief Justice Frear and Associate Justices Hartwell and Wilder were on the bench. A. M. Brown, the petitioner, and the respondent Iaukea, were in court. Brown was represented at the opening of the proceedings by Former Judge George D. Gear, who was later joined by Deputy U. S. Attorney J. J. Dunne, while W. A. Kinney and W. S. Edings represented Iaukea. There was a good sized crowd in court to listen to the proceedings. All of the proceedings this morning were perfunctory or technical. But they developed the fact that the attorneys for the respondent, Iaukea, propose to contest every point. No open hint of the defence that the respondent

will make to the petition was given, but from the line of cross examination pursued by Kinney, it is evident that his attorneys propose to lay the foundation, if possible, to prove possible fraud and in tampering with the ballots after they were received into the custody of the County Clerk, D. Kalauokalani, Jr. Kinney strongly brought out the fact that Eugene Buffandean, one of the clerks in the office of the County Clerk, had equal access with Kalauokalani to the safe in which the ballots had been placed following their return by the different inspectors of election and further that Buffandean was connected with the Republican Central Committee. The proceedings were first opened by Judge Gear who suggested that there be a stipulation between the attorneys, whereby the Supreme Court should appoint a master or some one to count the ballots about which there was no

SARGENT SAYS EUROPEANS WILL BE THE MAKING OF HAWAII

"I'm here for the purpose of meeting the steamship service when she arrives on the 30th, or thereabouts, with immigrants from the Azores for these islands," said United States Commissioner-General of Immigration F. P. Sargent to a Star reporter this morning, "and I want to come into personal contact with these people from Europe who are to become citizens of the United States. I want to meet them and study them, for I am deeply interested in what I believe to be a movement for the greatest benefit to Hawaii. "I am particularly interested in the Hawaii immigration station has been established, you know, since I came into office. "These immigrants coming in the Suveria will be treated as are all citizens coming to the United States, being subjected to the same inspection and examination and being governed by the same rules and regulations that govern the admission of all immigrants. There is no educational test to be made. "I came here somewhat earlier than I contemplated; it is hardy yet time for my usual trip of inspection. Since being in office I have come out here every two years to look around and keep in touch with the men of my department. It seemed best however, that I should be here to meet the Suveria and I wish personally to inform myself in regard to these immigrants. "The time of my staying here depends entirely on the getting in of the Suveria. I expect not to be in Honolulu more than two or three weeks. I want, if possible, to get back home in time for Christmas—you know there are Christmas presents to be purchased. By the way, there ought to be some good Hawaiian things suitable for Christmas presents. "I am not here to study labor conditions and I'm not here to study Asiatic immigration especially though I will not fail to take notice of what goes on. I'm here principally to meet and acquaint myself with the Suveria immigrants. "I thoroughly believe that this move for the bringing of Europeans here is a wise one for the general welfare of these

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(Associated Press Cable to The Star.) KANSAS CITY, Kansas, November 25.—A lone highwayman today held up and robbed the passengers of a Chicago-bound train, securing \$2000 in cash, but the conductor overpowered the robber and he was captured.

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