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THE WEATHER.

Local Office, U. S. Weather Bureau, Young Building.

Honolulu, T. H., Jan. 25, 1909. Temperatures, 5 a. m.; 8 a. m.; 10 a. m.; and morning minimum. 70; 71; 71; 69. Barometer reading: absolute humidity (grains per cubic foot); relative humidity and dew point at 8 a. m.: 3.092; 4.944; 69; 56. Wind: Velocity and direction at 6 a. m.; 8 a. m.; 10 a. m.; and noon: 20 NE; 22 E; 23 E; 20 E. Rainfall during 24 hours ending 8 a. m.: Trace. Total wind movement during 24 hours ended at noon: 406 miles.

WM. B. STOCKMAN, Section Director.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL

Paragraphs That Give Condensed News of the Day.

Eindt's Transfer Co., Phone 588.

February 6, Tag Day, will interest everybody.

Hot baths with shower, cleanest in town. Silent Barber Shop.

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A. H. S. S. Missouri leaves the Sound for Honolulu direct February 4.

Change of program at the Gem today. See the latest pictures.

The stock books of Pioneer Mill Co. will be closed to transfers from Jan. 26 to Feb. 1.

Commercial Ratings. Mercantile Reference Agency, No. 39-49, Young Building, Phone 129.

A sorrel, and a black horse strayed Wo Hop Laundry this morning. A reward is offered for their return.

A Honolulu concert was given by the Chinese Aloha Club on Saturday evening at K. of P. hall. It was followed by a dance.

Tickets including everything, one dollar for entertainment at Art League tomorrow evening, on sale at building telephone 1015.

Another case of diphtheria has been reported to the Board of Health, making eight since the presence of the disease was divulged.

Father Valentin yesterday baptized the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dillingham. The ceremony was a private, home affair.

A man named Charles Brown is held at the station house on the charge of vagrancy. His case is set for February 6.

The naval transport Buffalo has been definitely slated to sail at 7 o'clock Thursday morning, going direct to San Francisco.

Mrs. J. H. Duncan, whose husband was a linotype machinist in Honolulu, is reported to have died in Denver the 4th of this month.

A rock crusher may be located in Kahili Valley above the city crushing plant, for use in supplying material for Pearl Harbor works.

The services at Oahu Prison yesterday morning were conducted by Theodore Richards, Frank Scudder and Mrs. Smith of the Castle Home.

A. H. S. S. Pleiades, which sailed hence for San Francisco yesterday evening, will sail from San Francisco for Honolulu direct on February 6.

Captain Grube entertained Paul Isenberg and other friends at luncheon on board the Marie Hackfeld early this afternoon. The ship had her flags out for the occasion.

The picnic hams offered at the Metropolitan Meat Co., this week for fifteen cents a pound are unusually good. Six pounds is the average weight.

John F. Hackfeld, Joseph P. Cooke and Royal D. Mead had audience of Governor Frear this morning. Immigration and kindred matters were discussed.

Harmony Lodge No. 3, I. O. O. F., will meet this evening at 7:30. Work in the first degree. Members of the drill team are requested to attend.

Only eight steerage passengers were landed at the immigrant station from the steamship Asia. They were all young women who have come here to be married.

"Mrs. Oakley's Telephone", two acts to be followed by dancing in ball and puzzle party in library and supper at Dramatic Circle, Kiloahana Art League tomorrow evening.

W. R. Castle and D. L. Withington had an interview with Governor Frear at noon, discussing the application for a charter for an electric railway to Pearl Harbor naval station.

Judge Andrade is still working on his decision in the Atcherley insanity case. He states that it may be Wednesday before a final conclusion will have been reached.

Get your candy needs supplied at the Palm Cafe on Hotel street near Union. The sweets there are made fresh every day guaranteed pure and are flavored judiciously.

Peter Kaleikini and Ben Keoho are held at the police station by Chief of Detectives Kalakala for investigation.

The regular annual meeting of Hus-

tace-Peck Co. will be held on Friday, Jan. 29.

Rev. E. W. Thwing is reported to have complained to Mr. Clowworthy of the United Press that Bishop Brent and others did not receive him cordially at the Anti-Opium Congress in China. Mr. Thwing is said to have been anxious to return to Honolulu.

Both the Mauna Loa and Mauna Kea will get away to noon tomorrow for Maui and Hawaii ports, the latter going to Hilo and the former to the west side. At 5 in the afternoon a whole bunch of steamers will get away for different ports.

The funeral of Alan Wahne, which took place yesterday afternoon, was a big affair, being attended by the longshoremen in a body. Deceased succumbed to heart disease while attending the funeral of the late William Ringer Sunday week.

The Matsun liner Hilonan will finish taking sugar at the Railway wharf today and at 5 p. m. will move back to Brewer's wharf preparatory to sailing at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning for the coast.

Pyrographic designs on all souvenirs. We originate. Cocoanut heads, baskets, frames and boxes. Hawaii & South Seas Curio Co., Alexander Young Building. Latest subjects in postcards. "Battleships Coaling at Honolulu," prettiest post card ever published in Hawaii.

It is reported that a good deal of soldiers' clothing has been sold in town, and the public is warned that there is a penalty of not less than one year's imprisonment and \$1000 fine, and not more than five years and \$5000, for each offense of buying from soldiers any part of a military uniform.

Dr. Jones, the pastor-elect of the local Methodist church, will arrive in the Mancharia on Friday, accompanied by his daughter. Bishop Smith is coming in the same boat and will preach in the Methodist church next Sunday morning. Dr. Jones will be heard in the evening.

John S. Hord, Collector of Internal Revenue for the Philippine Islands; Daniel O'Conner, secretary of the Manila Merchants' Association, and A. John Francis, a Manila merchant, form a delegation that passed through in the steamer Asia to urge tariff concessions to the Philippines at Washington.

Denunciation of Editor Sheba of the Hawaii Shipno and the Daily Chronicle was the staple of the greater part of the oratory at a higher wage mass meeting of Japanese at the Aala theater last night. A variation occurred when a professional orator named Takel was called out of the audience to make a speech. Takel denounced the agitators, saying the movement was one of hot air and newspaper rivalry, and successfully resisted a determined effort to bow him down.

LATEST SHIPPING

San Francisco—Sailed Jan. 23, P. M. S. S. Mancharia for Honolulu.

Port Gamble—Arrived Jan. 24, Schr. Alice Cooke, hence Dec. 23.

Seattle—Arrived Jan. 24, S. S. Mis-sourian from San Francisco.

San Francisco—Arrived Jan. 24, S. S. Arizonan from Salina Cruz.

GRAND JURY

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From the evidence produced before this Grand jury in an investigation of alleged irregularities in matters connected with the accounting of postal funds, we are firmly of the opinion that the methods adopted for the proper auditing of postal funds are lacking in system and regularity, and respectfully recommend that such steps shall be taken as shall enable the public, the bondsmen of officials, and off-

SUGAR QUOTATIONS

96° TEST

Table with columns: Date, Per Lb., Per Ton. Rows include Dec 18, Dec 19, Dec 21, Dec 22, Dec 23, Dec 24, Dec 25, Dec 26, Dec 27, Dec 28, Dec 29, Dec 30, Dec 31, Jan 4, Jan 5, Jan 7, Jan 9, Jan 12, Jan 14, Jan 15, Jan 16, Jan 18, Jan 19.

LONDON BEETS

Table with columns: Price. Rows include 10 shillings 3-4 pence, 10 shillings, 9 shillings 11-4 pence, 10 shillings 3-4 pence, 10 shillings, 3 pence, 10 shillings, 10 shillings 3-4 pence, 10 shillings 1-2 pence, 10 shillings 3-4 pence, 10 shillings, 2 1-4 pence, 10 shillings, 1 1-2 pence, 10 shillings, 2-4 pence, 10 shillings, 1-2 pence.

claims themselves, to ascertain, with a greater degree of certainty than they are able to do at present, the condition of the accounts of such officials.

Owing to the fact that there is a great accumulation of criminal cases before your Honorable Court, we believe the appointment of an additional United States District Judge to be an absolute necessity, and strongly recommend to Congress that legislation to that end be enacted.

In conclusion your grand jury wishes to commend the untiring zeal of the United States District Attorney and Marshal, and their staffs, in assisting this body in the performance of its duties.

Respectfully submitted.

J. S. LOW, Foreman.

J. E. Rocha, F. Hollinger, L. M. Vetlesen, R. E. Wright, Henry Klemme, Adolph Gertz, P. A. Romane, Chas. D. Wright, O. Blackstad, Peter High, Charles Lucas, George Johnson, T. H. Kennedy, Henry Davis Robt. W. Cathcart, Ambrose Wirtz, Clarence F. Waterman, Secretary.

BICKNELL THE BUTT OF CITY SQUABBLE

(Continued from Page One.)

ent unsatisfactory and double administration of affairs and leave the settlement of who gets the pay for services to the men who are themselves expecting money for the work done.

This brings it up to the Auditor, unless one of the members of the Board of Supervisors follows out his original plan of mandamusing the Mayor to countersign the bills.

The Mayor will not even say whether or not he will countersign the salary demands of members of the police department. He either does not know where he stands or else he is waiting for the other side to act. It is a waiting game.

The Mayor and the Republican majority of the Board of Supervisors are sparing for an opening and in the meanwhile the men employed under appointments by the Supervisors and under appointments by the Mayor have put in nearly a month's work and are looking for their money.

Within a few days, unless something is done to relieve the strenuous situation, there is likely to be a mob about the office of the City and County Auditor and about the office of the City and County Treasurer, for men who are dependent for their living and the living of their families find it a pretty serious proposition to go without their pay and some of them have been seeking legal advice with the result that there are likely to be all kinds of complications unless the Mayor and the Supervisors come to an understanding.

Some are already talking of getting out judgments against the City and County unless their money is forthcoming, in which event executions would have to be had on City and County property. This however, would take time and would necessitate employees further involving themselves in continued labor with no certainty of pay, unless they quit their jobs for others.

The situation presented is that of a City and County government being conducted, to the extent of work being accomplished, without anybody being paid and with the certainty of many who have been authorized to work not being paid at all, all dependent upon whether the Mayor's appointees or the Supervisorial employees are established as legal employees.

Auditor Bicknell will not say where he stands, for he does not know. He is waiting until demands are made on him to see whether or not he will issue warrants. He feels that it is up to him, or will be put up to him; the friends of the Mayor working to keep the matter out of his department as far as a test is concerned.

General opinion around the City and County offices is that the matter will come to a head in the courts this week but no one really knows.

The Republican members of City and County government seek the City and

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County Attorney's office for advice and the Democrats go outside and it is a political and inter-council contest with all manner of fancy complications in the way of trimmings, which employes wondering where it all will end and even hinting that a test in the courts will result in both sides being found wrong and possibly nobody getting any pay.

DAILY STOCK REPORT

Session Sales: 10 Hon. B. & M. Co., \$23.25; 1000 Pala 6s, \$100.50; 1000 Pala 6s, \$100.50; 500 Haiku, \$100.50; 7 Hon. B. & M. Co., \$23.25; 5 Hon. R. T. & L. Co. com, \$72.00; 5 Hon. R. T. Co. com, \$72.50; 10 Pioneer \$142.50; 40 Haw. C. & S. Co., \$103.50; 10 Haw. C. & S. Co., \$103.50; 25 Oahu Sugar Co., \$28.875.

Between Boards: 5 Waiialua \$32.50; 110 Pioneer \$141.00; 100 Pioneer \$141; 10 Pioneer \$141.00; 200 Pioneer \$141.00; 90 Pioneer \$142.00; 1000 McBryde 6s, \$94.00; 20 Haw. C. & S. Co., \$103.00; 30 Hawaiian CH. & S. Co., \$103.00; \$1,000 Hilo R. R. 6s, \$94.00.

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