

# TAFT STARTS THE BIG EXPOSITION

## THE STRIKERS WEAKENING

EFFORT TO CONVINCe JAPANESE THAT THEIR LEADERS HAVE NOT THEIR BEST INTERESTS AT HEART—ENDEAVOR TO KEEP CAPTAINS OF DISCORD OFF PLANTATION ESTATES—OAHU MAY RETURN TO THE FIELDS—HAWAII MAY QUIT.

Sheriff Jarrett this afternoon returned from Kahuku plantation where he went to maintain order while the fifty discharged men were being paid off. These men have not left the plantation premises, though ordered to do so as soon as they had received their money. They are expected to get off tomorrow. As for the rest of the men, the strikers who have not been discharged from the plantation's employ, numbering about 400, they will be paid tomorrow, which is their regular pay day, and whether they are ordered off the premises or will return to work is still uncertain.

Word from Waialua and Ewa this afternoon is to the effect that there is still no sign of the men returning to work. At Kahuku there are signs of weakening.

The latest development in the strike situation, if it may be called a development, is the report that the plantation interests claim the strikers are weakening and may soon return to work on this island, and the talk of the strikers themselves, or their leaders, that they will never give in; that if the men on Oahu go back to work they will strike the plantations of Hawaii and so keep up the fight indefinitely.

At Kahuku, where trouble has been feared, an effort is being made to get the strikers back to work and to keep the leaders of the strike away from the plantation.

This is the chief anti-strike work now in progress, missionary work among the strikers in an effort to show them that the men who have induced them to strike are not their friends and are injuring the prospects of the Japanese laboring class in Hawaii.

### MAKINO MUST BEWARE.

Fred Makino, acknowledged leader of the strike, declares this morning that the planters may content themselves with the idea that they will win out, but that they have failed to realize the full significance of the scheme of the strikers and that they will fully appreciate the plans of the strikers within a short time when the final move is made by the strikers and the planters are then forced to give in. Makino, however, will not say what this bound-to-be successful scheme of his is, if he knows.

Inasmuch as Makino is being imperturbed by representatives of the strikers who want to know when it is that he is going to force the planters to surrender, Makino's latest talk is probably a sample of what he is giving the strikers to gain time, and take the long chance of the planters offering concessions to get the men

## Fifth Cavalry On Cross Country Ride

COL SCHUYLER ORDERS THE MEN OUT IN THREE COLUMNS FOR MARCHES FROM SCHOFIELD BARRACKS—TO PICK THEIR OWN WAY, AVOIDING DAMAGE TO PRIVATE PROPERTY, AND OFFICERS TO REPORT ON VARIOUS MATTERS.

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The following is a copy of the order issued by Captain and Adjutant E. A. Sturges:

General Orders No. 7.  
"SCHOFIELD BARRACKS.  
"Honolulu, T. H., May 31, 1909.  
"1. Tomorrow, June 1st, the troops, with the exception of the old and new guard, will make a one day practice march in three columns.

"Equipment: All arms, saddles packed, one cooked meal in saddle pockets.

Uniform: For officers, khaki; for enlisted men, khaki breeches, olive drab shirts, campaign hats for all.

"Time of march: 7:30 a. m.  
"The first column, consisting of Troops D and L, under command of Captain Jenkins, will proceed to the

west over the Kolekole Pass to the sea shore on the Waianae side.  
"The second column, consisting of Troops K and C, under command of Captain Willard, will proceed to the south to Waipahu on the north side of Pearl Harbor and return by any roads found along the east foot of the Waianae Mountains.

"The third column, consisting of Troops M and B, under command of Captain Rodes, will proceed by Government Road to the seashore on the north side in the direction of Waimea.

"Commanding officers will exercise particular care to avoid trespass or damage to private property. They will observe and report upon the character of the roads, the existence of possible camping places with special reference to water, grass and fuel, and the necessity of the preaches.

"By order of Colonel Schuyler:  
"E. A. STURGES,  
"Capt. and Adj. 5th Cavalry,  
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## TERRITORY WINS OUT

JUDGE ROBINSON HANDS DOWN DECISION IN IMPORTANT INHERITANCE TAX CASE.

The Territory won an important victory this morning when the decision of Judge Robinson in the matter of the estate of Mary Dame Hall was handed down. The decision was in regard to the payment of an inheritance tax, and while the present case involves a matter of from \$5,500 to \$6000 this is only part of the money which the Territory will receive if the decision is upheld by the higher courts.

In the Hall case the question involved was whether stocks transferred by will to a non-resident should pay the local inheritance tax, the stocks mentioned being of a corporation organized in this Territory. The matter came up under the filing of the final accounts of the ancillary administrator, with the will attached. The attorneys for the estate held that the deceased, being a non-resident the shares of stock were not property "within the Territory" and therefore there should be no tax assessed against the transfer of the property mentioned.

The Territory, on the other hand held that since the stocks were in a Hawaiian corporation they were subject to the inheritance tax regardless of the residence of the deceased. Judge Robinson based his decision mainly on a New Jersey case, which was very similar in character, the laws of that state being also very much like those in force here.

## VERY FEW TAX APPEALS

OAHU AND KAUAL TO GIVE THE COURTS NO WORK—HAWAII MAY HAVE ONE CASE.

For the first time in the history of the Territory there will be no appeals taken from the decisions of Tax Assessor Wilder. This fact has caused a good deal of rejoicing in the Attorney-General's department, as in former years considerable time has been taken up with these cases, many of which have been carried through to the higher court in prolonged conflicts. Appeals were noted by several parties in this tax division, as a measure for the protection of their rights, but in all cases the Tax Assessor and the parties concerned were able to reach an amicable settlement.

Kaual is also free from all trouble in the courts over tax appeals, which is a new state of affairs in the Garden Island. Attorney-General-Treasurer Hemenway also states that he understands that there are no tax appeals on Maui, but to make sure of this he has written to Tax Assessor Kunewa for a definite statement on the subject.

On Hawaii the situation is not quite as good, but still very much better than it has ever been in the past. In one case, that of the Norris Ranch, there is sure to be a contest, for the dispute is over the value of the property and neither side cares to give in. There is no question of law involved. There are two other cases, both of which involve rather a mixture of questions of law and facts. One of these is that of the Hawaii railroad, at Kohala, and the other that of the Hilo Merchantile Company. Attorney-General-Treasurer Hemenway states that he rather doubts if these two cases will come before the tax appeal court after a full understanding has been reached on the subject by both sides.

### THE DAINTIEST MEALS.

There is an indefinable something about the meals and all their accessories which is found nowhere in town except at the Alexander Young Cafe.

### REMARKABLE REMNANT SALE.

Immense accumulation of remnants at N. S. Sachs Dry Goods Co. will be sold out at half prices. See ad in this issue for particulars.

## TAX RECEIPTS SHOW LARGE INCREASE

PAYMENTS RECEIVED IN PAST FIVE MONTHS FAR AHEAD OF THOSE FOR 1908—MONEY PLENTY ON OAHU—HAWAII AND MAUI MAKE GOOD SHOWING.

Treasurer Hemenway is very much pleased over the showing which has been made by the various tax divisions of the Territory during the past five months. Altogether the sum of \$1,167,230.68 has been collected, which is \$128,114.86 more than was taken in during the corresponding five months of 1908. Tax Assessor Willfong, of Hawaii, is very much disappointed over the fact that the figures given for the five months do not show his division up as well as they might. He turned in \$6,000 to the treasury this morning, but was one day late to come in on the report made by Henry Hapai to Treasurer Hemenway this morning. If the \$6,000 had been counted in he would have stood second on the list of increases instead of third.

The figures showing the increase by divisions are as follows:

	5 mos. end, May 31, 1908	5 mos. end, May 31, 1909	Increase
1st Division, Oahu	\$ 548,768 50	\$ 640,737 89	\$ 91,969 39
2nd Division, Maui &c.	161,999 06	179,161 28	17,162 22
3rd Division, Hawaii	298,982 90	325,622 75	26,639 85
4th Division, Kaual, &c.	119,264 27	127,508 76	8,244 49
	\$1,039,115 82	\$1,167,230 68	\$128,114 86

## REPAIRED AIRSHIP RESUMES JOURNEY

(Associated Press Cable to The Star)

GOEPFINGEN, Germany, June 1.—Repairs have been made to Count von Zeppelin's airship, which was damaged in an accident yesterday, and it has started for Friedrichafen.

## PRESENT SILVER TO BATTLESHIP

PASCAGOULA, Miss., June 1.—A silver service, the gift of the people of this state, was presented to the battleship Mississippi today at this city.

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## SEATTLE FAIR IS OPENED

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

SEATTLE, Wash., June 1.—The Alaska-Yukon Exposition was opened today when President Taft touched a gold telegraph key in the White House in Washington and, through the electric current, started the machinery on the grounds in this city.

A vast assemblage had congregated on the exposition grounds to witness the opening of the ceremonies, Admiral Ijichi and Rear Admiral Sebree being the guests of honor. The principal address of the day was delivered by James J. Hill, the builder of the great railroad systems to which Seattle and the Northwest owe their present prosperity.

Salutes in honor of the event were fired by the vessels of the Pacific fleet which are lying in the harbor and also by the Japanese cruisers Sayo and Asa, which are here to take part in the festivities.

(By The Associated Press.) SEATTLE, Wash., June 1.—The Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition cost \$10,000,000, and was built in two years. The grouping of buildings is much different from that of other expositions. The structures are compactly placed. There is no long, tiresome walk from one exhibit to another. After entering the main gates, two buildings stand in a cluster of trees to the left that meet the eye. One is where the administration of the exposition is centered and the other the Auditorium, a brick and steel building of imposing architecture.

To the right and across Puget Plaza is the Fine Arts Palace. This building contains a valuable art display loaned from famous collections all over the world. A few steps lead to the intersection of Olympic place and Alaska avenue. To the right is a view down the Pay Streak, the exposition amusement way, and to the left a front view of the Auditorium and the University of Washington in the distance.

The Pay Streak is also reached by following a thoroughfare to the right, just inside the main entrance gates, and on past the rest headquarters of the Women's League and the Masonic, Swedish and other buildings.

THE HAWAIIAN BUILDING. Crossing over Olympic place and

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## HARRIMAN OFF ON EUROPEAN TRIP

NEW YORK, June 1.—E. H. Harriman, the head of the Union Pacific Railroad systems, sailed for Europe today on a trip which will last for three months.

LOOKS LIKE BRYAN.

The following cablegram has been received from George B. McClellan, secretary to Delegate Kuhlho: "Senate voted canned pineapple duty twenty-five per cent, subject to limit twenty-five per cent sugar content. Fresh pine postponed."

This means that the proposed higher duty on canned pines has been defeated in the Senate.

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