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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ADJOURNS TO AUGUST.

A Deluge of Petitions—Job Chasers—Sheriff Keolanui's Appointees Rejected—Estimated Income and Expense—Design for the County Seal—Arrangements For July Authorized.

SATURDAY, JULY 8TH.
The Board of Supervisors have received numerous petitions and requests for various positions under the county administration. As received the petitions are presented to the Board and referred to the various sub-committees having jurisdiction.

Supervisor Fernandez presented a petition of 51 names from citizens of Hamakua, asking for the appointment of John Keliipileole as captain of police, Jose Perez, Jr. jailor, and the following police officers: E. M. Kealoha, Kukuihaele, Marseline, Honokaa; Nahuna, Paauilo; and Edwin Thomas as road supervisor of the district.

Supervisor Kalaiwaa presented a petition signed by a committee of the Home Rule-Democratic party at Kailua, consisting of John N. Kapahu, David Alawa and J. W. Keliipoo and J. K. Aipia, asking for the following appointments: For captain, John Makahalupa, jailor, John Lincoln, policemen, J. H. Wahinekapu, J. K. Aipia, Chas. Waihinano, Benj. Kahulamu, John Kealoha and Jos. N. Komomua as sheriff's clerk. For assistant to County clerk, H. P. K. Malulani; for clerk Auditor's office, John Kaka; clerk Treasurer's office, Henry Haili, Jr.; road supervisor, David Alawa.

Supervisor Kaliwaa also presented a communication signed by J. W. H. L. Kihe, secretary and J. N. Kapahu, chairman, asking for the appointment of the following assistant road supervisors: J. W. L. Kihe, from Punahulu to Huehue; D. Kaahui from Huehue to Leliakeha; L. K. Kupihe from George Clark's to Kailua; Jonah Keaue from Lanihou to Holualoa; J. K. Peahi from Holualoa to Laaloa; J. W. Leiwi from Laaloa to Keahou; G. W. C. Kaana from Keahou to Kanauene; J. K. Hoomainoio.

Supervisor Kalaiwaa also presented a petition of 92 names of citizens of South Kona, asking for the appointment of Joseph Holi of Papa, as road supervisor.

S. L. Desha presented the application of Joseph Vierra for reappointment as road supervisor for the District of South Hilo.

Supervisor Shipman presented a report of the Finance Committee showing the monthly revenue of the county to be approximately \$7,039.94 and the expenditures, including salaries and expenses of police \$3,963.32, leaving a monthly balance of \$3,076.62. The committee recommended economy in the administration of the county affairs and recommended that no road supervisors be appointed at present but that each Supervisor be authorized to look after the road work of the respective districts. To this Supervisor Makuakane objected, but when it was explained that this arrangement was intended only for the month of July, he withdrew his objection. On motion of Supervisor Fernandez the County Attorney was requested to submit an opinion on the legality of such an arrangement.

Under a suspension of the rules, Supervisor Shipman moved that the Treasurer be authorized to present for discount at the First Bank of Hilo, Ltd. the county warrant for the month of July. Seconded by Supervisor Woods and carried.

Owing to its informality, the bond of J. W. Keliipoo, deputy sheriff of North Kona was returned to that official and he was given until Tuesday to furnish a new and valid bond. Adjournment was then taken until Monday.

MONDAY, JULY 10TH.
On reconvening, Monday morning a large number of petitions were received. Supervisor Desha presented a

petition of 61 voters of Hilo praying for the appointment of Henry West as road supervisor for South Hilo.

Also an application from B. H. Brown Jr. for retention as janitor of Fireman's Hall.

Also a petition of 28 signers in favor of Thos. E. Cook for road supervisor of South Hilo.

Also a petition of 29 voters of South Kona in behalf of Enoch K. Kaana as a police officer of that district.

Another of 73 residents in behalf of H. John Ahu for road supervisor of South Kona.

Chairman Moir presents application from Walter Hayselden for the position of road supervisor for Kau.

Supervisor Woods presented a petition from South Kona asking for the appointment of James Holamiku Kaua Keawehaku for road supervisor.

Also a petition of 115 voters of North Kohala in behalf of John G. Lewis as road supervisor.

Also a petition of 31 residents of South Kohala in behalf of John K. Lanakila as road supervisor for that district.

Supervisor Desha reported on a seal for the County, bearing on the outer edge the words "County of Hawaii" and "Territory of Hawaii." In the center there is a picture of Coconut Island, having eight coconut trees and eight rays of the sun, representing the eight islands of the group. The motto is "Ola na moku", a translation of which means "The islands prosper".

Receipts signed by each member of the Board were given the Superintendent of Public Works for all road board property.

The audience was excused on motion of Desha while the Board proceeded to discuss the further refusal of Sheriff Keolanui and the opinion of County Attorney Williams which appeared in full in the TRIBUNE last week. The Board by a vote of 4 to 3, refused to approve all appointments made by the Sheriff.

Supervisor Shipman presented a communication from Sheriff Keolanui addressed to the Finance Committee asking for a monthly appropriation of \$300 for the expenses of the Police Department. Desha moved that the request be denied, but on motion of Supervisor Woods the communication was referred to the Finance Committee for a report.

Desha moved that the garbage system be continued for the month of July on the same terms. Carried.

Fernandez moved that the County pay for all police telephones for the month of July, bills to be approved by the deputy sheriffs of the respective districts.

The clerk was directed to notify the managers of the various telephone companies furnishing service to the police department for the month of July to render bills properly approved by the deputy sheriff of the respective districts and the same would be paid.

Before adjournment, Treasurer Lalakea was directed to turn over the official bonds of County officers in his hands for approval by the Credentials Committee. Adjourned 4:40 p. m.

TUESDAY, JULY 11TH.
The Board was deluged with petitions today, as follows:

Supervisor Desha presented a petition of 19 names of North Hilo asking for the appointment of the following persons: For police captain, Wm. Laeha; jailor, Watson Nakakuelua; policemen, D. K. Hokano and Solomon Konia.

L. P. Lincoln, deputy tax assessor and collector of Hookena, South Kona, makes application for the

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