

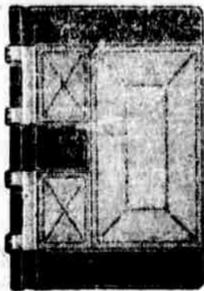


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DAMON WILL FURNISH BOND UNDER CONDITIONS

At the opening of the morning session of the Board of Supervisors, Mr. Lucas reported that he had seen Dr. Cooper with reference to Dr. Noblitt, whose name was proposed by the Home Rulers yesterday for the position of County Physician. The President of the Board of Health had stated that Dr. Noblitt has no license to practice. However, it was the intention of the committee to investigate further and report, Mr. Harvey, a member of the committee, contending that Dr. Noblitt is the possessor of a license.

Mr. Gilman said he did not want to suggest anything that would be detrimental to the welfare of the Board or that would in any way retard the work, but he considered that an interpreter was superfluous. All the members of the Board with the exception of himself understood and spoke the Hawaiian language and the thoughts expressed could be communicated to those who did not understand English. Mr. Gilman concluded by moving that the interpreter be dispensed with.

Mr. Mahoe said he felt sorry he had been the cause of the appointment of a temporary interpreter. He felt that every member was interested in attending to the affairs of the Board and that therefore it was necessary for every member to understand what was going on. Something might be said to the members might not tell him everything.

Mr. Robinson stood by Mr. Mahoe and on a show of hands the motion of Mr. Gilman was lost by a vote of 5 to 2. Several motions on an interpreter were made and all withdrawn, leaving the state of affairs as at present, with R. N. Boyd acting.

The following letter from Treasurer Damon was read: Honolulu, H. T., Jan. 5, 1904. To the Board of Supervisors, County of Oahu, Honolulu.

Sir:—I am in receipt of your communication of January 5, and in reply would say that I am willing to furnish the bond provided certain conditions set forth by Mr. Damon Sr. are assented to.

I am, sir, yours truly, (Signed) S. E. DAMON.

Mr. Gilman had the following to say: "It is not up to the Supervisors to take action on that letter, because it takes us in the position of agreeing to conditions made by an outsider, which we have no right to do."

Mr. Gilman here read the section relative to the funds in the hands of the Treasurer.

Attorney Rawlins said he was somewhat interested in the matter himself since he, with the Auditor, was required once a month to look into the matter of the funds in the Treasurer's office. If these funds were to be deposited in some bank he for one would refuse to swear to the amount found from time to time. The intent of the County Act was that all county moneys should be kept in the office and the safe of the Treasurer. Of course, if Mr. Damon should qualify, he would not have an office or a safe, no provisions having yet been made, but certainly a place could be set aside in some bond or deposit company where the county funds could be kept separate. It would not be at all within the province of the Treasurer to deposit the county funds with other funds in any bank.

Mr. Robinson suggested that it would not be well for the Supervisors to place themselves in a position of making fish of one and fowl of another. The county might some time be in need of funds and would have to call on the banks. They in turn might point to the fact that the Supervisors were depositing all of their funds in one bank.

The following reply to Mr. Damon, drafted by Mr. Gilman, was unanimously adopted:

"I move that the Treasurer be notified that the Supervisors will be pleased to have him qualify for such office as provided by law but that the Board are not prepared to assent to any conditions under which such bond should be tendered."

The following communication from Superintendent of Public Works was read and placed on file: Honolulu, Jan. 5, 1904. H. E. Murray, County Clerk and Recorder, Oahu.

Sir:—I am in receipt of your favor of even date advising me that H. C. Vida has been appointed by the Supervisors of the County of Oahu, Road Supervisor for Honolulu district, and that he has qualified as such.

In accordance with the section of the County Act referred to in your letter applying to the transfer of property from the Territorial Government to the various counties, I will arrange to deliver to Mr. Vida an inventory of all material now in the possession of the Road Department of the District of Kona, Island of Oahu, Territory of Hawaii, and take his receipt for same.

I have suggested to Mr. Vida that he make arrangements with Mr. Wilson to carefully go over this inventory and check the items personally.

I understand that in case the decision of the Supreme Court is unfavorable to the County Act that the material turned over to the County of Oahu will be returned to this Department. Yours respectfully, (Signed) C. S. HOLLOWAY, Superintendent of Public Works.

Andrew Brown having reported the

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Read "Wants" on page 6. Personal injury cases. J. P. Ball. Mrs. W. H. Rice is here from Kaula. In today's issue a party advertisement for a drug store.

Join "Lyon's Exchange Library." New books, 20 cents.

The Board of Health meets at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

A paying business is wanted. For particulars see Wants, page 8.

Don't forget, 35 loaves of bread for \$1.00 at the New England Bakery.

Vierra has just received new designs in fobs, pins and match boxes.

"Rowe The Painter." When you hear it know it is so. Paint properly put.

Beautifully embroidered tea-cloths and table covers at the Oriental Bazaar.

Many a deck is washed down but the best wash-down is Pantheon O. P. S.

S. A. D. Jones was among the arrivals from San Francisco in the Sierra today.

Dr. M. E. Grossman, the dentist, is back from an extended trip to the Coast.

A cottage of four rooms and bath is wanted. For particulars see Wants, page 8.

Watson & West have proposition on W. & W. machines. Ask them about it.

Nearly furnished rooms at the Popular. \$1, \$1.50 and \$2 per week. 1249 Fort Street.

New Year magazine orders. Start! Marked prices. Arleigh & Co., 1159 Fort Street.

George N. Wilcox, of Kaula, and C. L. Wilcox returned in the Sierra today from the Coast.

A. Lewis, Jr., of Smith & Lewis, was among the arrivals in the Sierra from San Francisco this morning.

Why not own a piano? The easy payment plan at Bergstrom Music Co. removes all difficulty. Come this week and see the new Kroegers.

Sui Fong and Fook Yee have disposed of their interest in the Wo On Hop Kee meat and vegetable market on King Street opposite depot.

The Holborn Drug Co. are selling a delicious olive oil that comes from one of the large olive groves in Southern California. Their prices are very low for such a high-grade article.

For monuments and cemetery work call at Hawaiian Iron Fence and Monument Works, 176-80 King Street, next to the Young building. We can save you money. Phone Main 287.

Detective McDuffie this forenoon arrested Mizimaka, for practicing medicine without a license. Mizimaka examined Nebo, the Japanese officer, and accepted \$5 as payment for a week's treatment. He was released on giving \$200 bail.

The new calendar mounts at Honolulu Photo-Supply Co. in imitation of natural woods are the best idea for making calendars from your own kodak pictures. A new stock has just been received and contains several new designs.

The Republican Territorial Executive Committee held a short session last evening and endorsed various applications. The matter of an engineer under the Superintendent of Public Works was deferred and a committee appointed to confer with Governor Carter and Superintendent of Public Works Holloway on the subject.

Lau Fong Kee, a Chinese collector for the tobacco firm of Gunst, Bakka & Co., appeared in the Police Court this morning charged with embezzlement. It is alleged that he had a list of names of supposed Chinese customers on which he secured about \$600 worth of goods which he converted to his own benefit. The list of names was found to be a bogus one. The case was continued.

highest daily receipts of the Water Works Office to be \$4,000, his bond was fixed at \$5,000.

The following positions and salaries under the Water Works Office were then passed: Superintendent, \$250; assistant, \$175; chief clerk, \$150; first assistant clerk, \$100; second assistant clerk, \$75; tap inspector, \$90; reservoir keeper, Nuuanu, \$75; Makiki, \$55; Punchbowl, \$25; shipping tender, \$75; assistant tender, \$50; tapper, \$30; as assistant tapper, \$75; 2 assistant tappers, \$40 each; engineer Beretania pumping station (day watch), \$150; same (night watch), \$150; same, Kalihi, \$150; 2 firemen, Beretania plant, \$75 each; fireman, Kalihi, \$75. This makes a total of \$2,920 per month. The running expenses will amount to \$1,575 more.

Attorney Rawlins brought up the matter of the commission of the Second District Magistrate and the receipt of such from the Territorial Government. In order to avoid possible trouble, Judge Lindsay was commissioned by the Supervisors.

Mr. Vida appeared before the Board and the following list of employees and salaries submitted by him for the Road Supervisor's office was approved: David Crowningburg, assistant Road Supervisor, \$125; T. P. Cummins, cashier and bookkeeper, \$150; Miss Robertson, first assistant bookkeeper, \$80; Wm. Isaacs, second assistant bookkeeper, \$75; Evan, messenger, \$45. (This is the same office force as that under the old regime.)

The salaries of outside District Magistrates were placed as follows: Ewa, \$100; Waihua, \$70; Waianae, \$42; Koolanua, \$42; Koolau, \$50.

At 11:45 o'clock the Board took a recess until 8 p. m.

Advertisement for McInerney Shoe Store. Features an illustration of a man in a suit and a shoe. Text: 'WE INTRODUCE THIS NEW YEAR OUR FAMOUS SHOE. This is a Chicago-made Men's Shoe made to stand Chicago weather. The greatest wearer known—made with waterproof cork soles to keep the feet dry. SELL AT \$4.50, \$5.00, and \$5.50. TRY A PAIR. WE ARE SOLE AGENTS. McINERNEY SHOE STORE. SOLE AGENTS.'

HONOLULU STOCK EXCHANGE

Table of stock exchange data for Honolulu, Jan. 6, 1904. Columns include Name of Stock, Capital Paid Up, and various market indicators. Lists include Mercantile, Sugar, and Miscellaneous stocks.

Sales—25 Hon. R. T. & L. Co., \$82; 50 Ewa, \$20.

Latest sugar quotation, 3.50 cents.

ATTEMPTED ROBBERY.

There was an attempt at robbery at a Chinese laundry on Beretania street, near Artesian, last night. All the Chinese living in the place had retired. As there have been robberies in the vicinity before, the proprietor kept two of his employees in the laundry proper, the remainder sleeping in the rear.

The sleepers were awakened suddenly by a noise and were soon able to distinguish the figures of two men. One fellow had climbed in the window, opened the door and thus prepared the way for the second. The two Chinamen in the laundry cried out and the would-be robbers scampered off. They are described as being dark-visaged men.

The proprietor of the shop blew his whistle for several minutes, but no mounted patrolman turned up. It was not very far from this place that a Chinese butcher was recently sand-bagged and relieved of his money.

A DEPOT CONCERT.

The following selections have been arranged for the concert to be given by the band at the Kapalama depot this evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock:

- PART I. March—"Old Comrades".....Tieko Overture—"Post and Peasant".....Suppe Selection—"My Old Kentucky Home".....Dalbey

Vocal Selections: (a) "Pua Alani," Miss J. Kellias (c) "Hole Walama," Mrs. N. Alapai (d) "Owi Nani"

PART II. Selection—"The Winner".....Mackie Intermezzo—"Anona".....Mabel McKinley Waltz—"Prince of Pilsen".....Luders March—"United Flags".....Gabriel "The Star Spangled Banner."

Sixty thousand exhibits have been collected in the Philippine Islands for the World's Fair.

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Advertisement for HARRY JAMES COMING. Text: 'NO CHAMPIONSHIP FOOTBALL FOR 9TH. The game of football between the Punahoa and H. A. C. teams will not be played off on Saturday as was expected. The Punahoa have confessed their inability to be ready by that time and so of course, the league having set the date for January 9, it was up to the H. A. C.'s to decide whether or no they would take a forfeit game and thus carry off the banner and the cup. This did not meet with the approval of the members of the team, they preferring to play off the tie. It was therefore decided to waive all claims to the same and have the banner and the cup go over to the oncoming season, the first game to be for the championship of this year. HARRY JAMES COMING. J. C. Cohen has received the following communication from Harry James of theatrical fame: "I intend sailing to Australia this Mr. De Lacey and Mrs. Kunkel are leaving in the Sierra to join the Walter Sanford Company in the Colonies, summer with the Weber & Field Burlesques. I have secured the entire Fischer theatre cast—Kohl, Dill, Barney Bernard, Maud Ambler, Blake, Hope and Emerson, etc., and will carry a chorus of twenty girls. I will probably sail in the Sierra May 5, arriving in Honolulu on the 11th. I could remain there until June 1."

Advertisement for THE PIONEER BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF HAWAII. Text: 'The Twenty-seventh Series of Stock is now open for subscription. ONE DOLLAR per month per share. A. V. GEAR, Secretary, 2207-cf 122 King Street.'

Advertisement for Red Tag Sale. Text: 'Red Tag Sale Monday, Jan. 4, 1904. Our stock is entirely too large and must be reduced before we can alter the store. We have wielded the axe and prices are low. Everything marked with a red tag has been reduced. Woolen Dress Goods. Has felt the keen blade of reduction. Cotton Dress Goods. Colored Piques, Lawns, Swisses and Dimities. The prices are less than half. Muslin Underwear. The prices of every article in this department has been cut in two. INFANTS' SHORT AND LONG DRESSES, CAPS, HATS and SUN BONNETS are away down. E. W. Jordan & Co., Ltd.'