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Even a good-natured husband will sometimes twit his wife with her bargain hunting propensities. But he would get scared in a minute if she should resolve to stop hunting bargains.

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LABOR LEADER DISCUSSES THE JAPANESE

ADVERTISER GAME Is In Behalf OF STANDARD OIL

The Advertiser and the Standard Oil crowd are trying to force the low flash test for fuel oils through the Legislature.

While howling about Standard Oil the Advertiser as a matter of fact is working in the interests of Standard Oil and doing its best to work out the plans of representatives of the great monopoly in Hawaii.

This is the view of the situation taken by one who is deeply interested in the proper protection of property in the islands and particularly this city. And he backs it up with a very reasonable and convincing string of the situation.

The bill now before the Legislature calling for a reduction of the flash test of fuel oils was drawn by A. M. Brown, who is a brother-in-law of J. A. Gilman, an officer of the firm of Castle & Cooke, the local agents for the Standard Oil.

The Union Oil Company, now a part of the Standard Oil combination, is represented by L. A. Thurston, who is also proprietor of the Pacific Commercial Advertiser, which has shown an hysterical interest in the reduction of the flash test of fuel oils. Furthermore A. W. van Valkenberg, agent of the Union Oil Company, of which L. A. Thurston, proprietor of the Advertiser is the representative, appeared before the legislative committee and defended the low flash test oils.

This is the combination that is working out the objects of the big oil trust and its associates, according to a gentleman who has followed the matter closely, and his reasoning and connection of interested parties makes a very strong showing to the effect that the Standard Oil is using its old tactics in Hawaii of befogging the issues; of trying to make the public think that it is on the other side, while Standard

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Humphreys Knocked Down By George Davis' Fist

LEGAL DISPUTE ENDS IN ASSAULT

A most spirited encounter enlivened the judicial atmosphere in Judge De Bolt's court this morning when the motion for a new trial in the Ah On case was to be made. After he was convicted of accepting a bribe a few days ago, Ah On retained Judge Humphreys, who this morning gave notice to present a motion for a new trial on the grounds that Ah On had not been adequately defended. Geo. A. Davis, who had been Ah On's attorney in the case, was also present.

After some argument on both sides regarding the matter Davis became very irate. With fire in his eye and gathered brow he rushed across the

room to Humphreys and towered over him.

"We can settle it between us!" he cried.

Humphreys was ready in an instant. "We can settle it right now," he said.

"All right, come on!" roared Davis, baring his arms and starting towards the door.

Humphreys called the bluff, and

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CONFIRMATION REFUSED BY SENATE OF BOARD OF EDUCATION

At the afternoon session of the Senate Bill 108, relating to jury trials and juries, passed third reading by a vote of nine ayes and one no, the latter by McCandless.

The secretary informed the Senate that the Governor had signed Senate Bill 53, the osteopathy act.

The Revision Committee reported on Senate Bill 45, the open accounts bill, recommending its passage. The bill passed third reading unanimously.

Dowsett moved to reconsider the vote on the motion to indefinitely postpone Senate Bill 130, providing for a tax in legacies, etc. It was found that Dowsett could not make the motion as he had voted against the motion to postpone yesterday. Achi obligingly made the motion to reconsider, which carried.

House Bill 220, regulating fiduciary companies, came up for second reading. This includes banks, except national banks, benefit societies, burial associations, etc.

McCandless says many companies flourish in the city which took people's money on deposit. Some of these companies might be fakes and it was a good protective measure to have their accounts examined by the Treasurer. The bill passed second reading.

Dickey introduced a resolution empowering the clerk to give notice to all who had bills against the Senate to present the same.

Senate Bill 130, the legacy tax bill, passed second reading by title.

Achi moved to notify the Governor of the result of the Senate's action in the recess appointments.

Dowsett said that on some of the appointments action was merely postponed. The Governor would soon be notified of the definite action of the Senate.

Lane understood that the Senate did not confirm these appointments.

The clerk read the resolution showing that the Senate had not confirmed certain appointments.

Dickey moved to act at once on the names which had not been confirmed.

Achi moved to refuse to confirm all the names which had not been acted on.

Paris said it was better to take up the names separately.

The names were read and action taken as follows:

Commissioner of Public Instruction—C. L. Hopkins, Elizabeth Van Cleave Hall, I. S. B. Pratt, all not confirmed.

Board of Annual Inspectors—W. E. Dillingham, A. R. Rowatt, Danzui Katsunuma, H. B. Weller, all confirmed.

Inspectors of Elections—S. Kapu J. Lahaina, not confirmed; Geo. Welzert of Wailuku, confirmed; W. G. Smith, confirmed.

Aspiring Humorist—"That man can't take a joke." His Friend—"Who is he?" Aspiring Humorist—"The editor that threw me down, of course."

IMPORTANT POINT RAISED IN SENATE FIFTY-SIXTH DAY.

The most interesting feature of today's Senate session was the sustaining of the Governor's veto of the liquor bill. Hewitt brought up a very interesting and possibly very vital point. When the Governor's veto of the bill was received Clerk Savides discovered that the veto message referred to the one the bill bore which was given the Governor by the Legislature. Yesterday, when the matter was brought up, the mistake was regarded as a harmless clerical error and the veto message was handed to a committee to get corrected, which was done. Today Hewitt held that the bill which the Governor vetoed was not the liquor bill but a mere nothing at all phantom with no real existence. In the meantime the real liquor bill had consequently been in the Governor's hands over ten days.

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Geo. A. Martin has reopened his tailoring establishment in Merchant street next to the postoffice, with an entire new stock of woolsens, personally selected while away.

Mrs. Taylor, the Honolulu Florist, has received Easter flowers by S. S. Alameda in first-class condition. They will be for sale beginning Saturday morning, Tel. Main 329. Alex. Y. Blaine. (Sunday delivery.)

The money you put in the collection basket amounts to naught unless you offer a few prayers to back it.

Even the sportsman is glad that the season for coal chutes is almost done.

SMALL HOUSE WORKING THIS AFTERNOON

There were but sixteen members present when the House sat at 2 o'clock this afternoon. At 2:15 this number was increased by one (Andrade); at 2:20 another (Quinn) arrived. A minute later Sheldon observed that there were few in the hall and the sergeant-at-arms was sent to look for statesmen in the corridors, cellars and lanais. He came in with Greenwell and Maheleka. About this time Nakulua went out and Maheleka watched his chance and got out again, followed by Copp. At 2:22 p. m. there were twenty members in the House. Maheleka returned a minute later and made twenty-one.

Harris' House Bill 191 (compiling taxation laws) came up for third reading. Kaniho moved to indefinitely postpone. Action was deferred.

Smith's "set off" bill passed third reading, 18 to 3.

Cox moved to take up S. B. 102 (taxation) in Committee of the Whole.

Andrade wanted to take up S. B. 127 in re corporations. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

House Bill 200, in re public instruction, was up for third reading and passed, 23 to 3.

Officers of the U. S. official Boston this forenoon paid an crucial call on Governor Carter. At their arrival and departure the band, which was stationed at the Capitol grounds bandstand, played national airs.

Hearing of the case of M. P. Dugan, the former ticket seller at the local station of the O. R. & L. Co., who is charged with embezzlement, continued in Judge De Bolt's court this morning.

Federation To Remind Congress Of Hawaii Labor

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 21.—John McGuire of Honolulu held a conference with Secretary Morrison of the American Federation of Labor on the subject of labor and Japanese immigration to Hawaii.

Secretary Morrison stated that the Federation intended to bring the subject to the attention of Congress.

ROJESTVENSKY MUST RESPECT NEUTRALITY. PARIS, France, April 21.—The Russian Government has ordered Admiral Rojestvensky to rigorously respect the laws of neutrality in French waters.

THIRTEEN PERISH IN BURNING CONVENT. MONTREAL, Canada, April 21.—The convent at St. Genevieve burned today. Thirteen inmates perished.

RUSSIA'S MINISTER TO CHINA DEAD. PEKIN, China, April 21.—Ambassador Lessar, representative of Russia at the Chinese Court, died today from the effects of the recent amputation of his foot.

COUNTY BILLS FINALLY PASSED FIFTY-SIXTH DAY.

Two county act auxiliary bills and seven other bills passed third reading in the House of Representatives this morning.

The morning was wonderfully free from discussion; work progressed rapidly. At 12:05 recess was taken until 2 p. m.

Senate Bill 139 (Dickey), to amend Act 29 of the Session Laws of 1905, entitled "An Act creating counties within the Territory of Hawaii and providing for the government thereof," came up for third reading and passed as follows: Against passage—Reps. Greenwell, Kaniho, Pali and Puia. Absent: Reps. Aylett, Coelho and Lilikalani. Twenty-three members for passage.

Rep. Harris amended this bill to cover the appointment of deputy tax assessors and tax collectors.

House Bill 210 (Harris), for the relief of C. M. Kai, \$200 bail money inadvertently sidetracked, passed third reading, 26 to 2.

House Bill 147 (Coelho), to regulate the admission of attorneys, passed third reading.

House Bill 4 (Fernandez), relating to vaccination, with minor amendments by Rep. Smith, passed third reading.

Fernandez' liquor bill, H. B. 170, was tabled, having become a superfluity.

House Bill 221, to amend Sec. 1634 R. L. H., substituting Justices, passed third.

H. B. 202, summary proceedings, was amended by Rep. Long so as not to cut landlords out of the privilege of immediate writs of possession and passed.

Senate Bill 138, providing for the payment of the counties of 50 per cent of taxes, came up for third reading in the House this morning.

Interpreter Wilcox commenced to read the bill through in a speedy manner. A voice from the floor suggested that the bill be read carefully, whereupon the Speaker backing the sugges-

DESTRUCTION WROUGHT BY LACK OF CARE HANDLING LOW OIL

The danger to life and property from low test fuel oil is shown in the following despatch from Los Angeles appearing in the San Francisco papers of April 8:

Los Angeles, April 7.—With a terrific detonation the big boiler of the Union Ice Works, at Second and Alameda streets, blew up early this morning, seriously injuring two employees and setting fire to the plant, which was destroyed. The fire burned for an hour and a half and caused damage estimated at nearly \$100,000, mostly covered by insurance. The cause of the explosion has not yet been ascertained.

Mark Hazel, one of the employees of the night force of the company, had a miraculous escape from death in the explosion. He had been beside the boiler all night and had just turned and walked away a short distance when the explosion occurred. He was hurled in a great burst of flame against an adjacent walk. With his clothing on fire, he managed to drag himself from the building, where he was picked up by others and rolled in the sand until the flames were extinguished. He was badly bruised and burned but surgeons say he will recover.

The building was filled with expensive ice making machinery and large ammonia tanks. There were stored in the building 1500 tons of ice and forty drums of ammonia. It is the opinion of the chief engineer of the factory that the explosion was caused by the ignition of gases escaping from a carload of oil that was being unloaded in front of the engine room.

A number of Senators this morning called on the Governor to discuss the time for the opening of the extra session of the Legislature.

Interpreter Wilcox began over again and carefully enunciated each word in the act, reading slowly and distinctly.

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Hawaii Welcomes The Sugar King Claus Spreckels

Sitting in his easy chair on the deck of the Alameda this morning Claus Spreckels saw the shores of Hawaii rise out of the ocean. As he entered the harbor the spires and house tops of Honolulu came to his sight. He saw a great crowd gathered on the Oceanic wharf to meet him. As the steamer docked the first man to reach the deck and shake hands with the financier and man of affairs whose history is inseparably linked with that of Hawaii, was Alexander Young. And apparently this buries the hatchet, if there ever was any.

For ten years Mr. Spreckels has been away from Hawaii. He returned today seeking a place to rest from his labors. His feeble step and snow white hair show only too well that he needs rest. Mr. Spreckels is 77 years old. He has been in poor health for some

time. He walks uncertainly with the aid of a cane. But even his physical condition could not dull the interest with which he saw Hawaii after an absence of ten years.

As the Alameda came into the harbor Mr. Spreckels walked slowly to the rail and looked eagerly at the city.

Mr. W. G. Irwin, who was also an Alameda passenger and accompanies Mr. Spreckels, pointed out the various joints of interest and change that have taken place during those ten years. Mr. Spreckels was greatly interested. Indeed, he saw great changes in the Hackfeld building, the Sachs

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The most stylish hats ever turned out in Honolulu are being shown by Mrs. Hodson in Kerr's Millinery Department.

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