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AIEA MILL STARTS UP--FIRES IN EWA FIELDS JAPANESE MERCHANTS TO TAKE ACTION

HONOLULU PLANTATION HAS THOUSAND MEN

FIRES BREAK OUT IN EWA FIELDS

Thug Element At Work Intimidating Others

MANAGER ROSS GETS ALL LABOR USEABLE

Meeting Last Evening Very Bombastic and Replete With References to War With Russia.

Honolulu plantation was supplied with workmen from town this morning until Manager Ross

said that for the present he could not use any more. Honolulu mill is running. The labor hustlers of the town will enlist men for Waipahu and on Monday Manager Hill will have enough men to run his mill and take the place of the Japanese. Two fires occurred last night in Ewa plantation cane fields near the mill. These fires were promptly put out. All is quiet at Waiakua and the other plantations of the island although strike agents from Waipahu and Honolulu are doing their utmost to get the men to go out. It's great to be a strike breaker. That's what a lot of men of Honolulu who had nothing to do a few days ago are thinking. There has been the greatest hustling of labor during the last few days that Honolulu has ever seen and as a result of it Honolulu Plantation is running without the Japanese and Oahu plantation will receive workmen on Monday. These strike breakers are receiving

\$1.50 per day. They leave town on the train in the morning and go immediately to the field or mill as they are needed. They return at 5 o'clock and are handed their money for the day's work while on the train. It is a cash transaction and is working well. This morning Manager Ross had so many strike breakers that he had to send a rush order to Hill & Son for two hundred hoes. The men are working well. They take hold with a vim and the best of spirit prevails among them. The Japanese strikers are looking on. Some of them say the strike will end by Monday. They are getting tired.

The greatness of the planters and their control of financial affairs (Continued on Page 2)

Japanese Merchants Will Meet

The Japanese Merchants' Association will ask the Planters' Association to raise the wages of the Japanese laborers, who are working on the plantations. The above statement was given out this afternoon by one of the members of the Japanese Merchants' Association. He stated that the Japanese laborers were entitled to a raise, because the planters were making money. How much raise they intend to ask the planters he did not mention. The Japanese Merchants' Association, according to this man, will hold a meeting this afternoon to consider the strike. They, after waiting for some time, decided to take action. They will submit facts to the planters, showing that something should be done. They think that the laborers will not give up their determination to strike, unless some mutual agreement between the planters and Japanese has been arrived at. "This difficulty," continued the speaker, "can be adjusted if the planters will only raise the wages. I try to do this, then the next best thing to do is to leave it to a board of arbitration. Unless this is done, I am afraid the trouble will continue. It means a great loss to the public." It is expected that a petition will be drafted and presented to the Planters' Association in the early part of next week.

TARIFF BILL DELAYED

WASHINGTON, May 15.—The interests that it is now predicted situation has become so mixed as that an agreement on the tariff bill result of the contest of contending cannot be reached before August.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 15.—Chamber of Commerce, Honolulu: President Taft now thinks impossible visit Hawaii. Will consider. (Signed) GEORGE B. McCLELLAN.

Germany In China

BERLIN, May 15.—The banks interested have arranged for a settlement of the Chinese railway concessions which give German interests the transportation facilities of one of the richest sections of the Chinese Empire. The concessions were originally secured by an American company.

Papke Is Champion

SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—Papke knocked out Hugo Kelley in the first round of what was to be a forty-five round fight for the middle-weight championship of the world.

Murdock Promoted

NEW YORK, May 15.—Capt. J. Murdock succeeds Admiral Goodrich, retired, as the commandant of the New York navy yard.

SUGAR. SAN FRANCISCO, May 14.—Sugar—88 analysis beets, 10s 7 1-4d. Parity, 4.24 cents. Previous quotation, 10s 6 3-4d.

The handball tournament at the Y. M. C. A. will start on May 11, and some good play will be seen at the gymnasium when the experts get going.

S.S. HILONIAN, May 18 Next Fruit Boat

Island Fruit Co., 72 S. KING. PHONE 15.

Triple Mirrors at Hollister's

The Boys We do not believe there is better service and cuisine than The Palm Cafe provides.

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FLIM-FLAMERS SAYS HEMENWAY

Warrant Drawn For Arrest of Jackson On Charge of Cheating School Teachers and Other Women By Means of False Representations

As a result of what Attorney General Hemenway denounces "the most beautiful flim-flam game I ever saw worked in Hawaii," a warrant has been drawn up by the Attorney General's office for the arrest of A. T. R. Jackson, and probably by the time this paper goes to press it will have been served. Jackson, according to the statement made this morning by Deputy County Attorney A. M. Brown, is charged with gross cheating. The victims of what Mr. Hemenway calls the flim-flam game are not only ignorant people, but school teachers. They are, so far as is at present known, all women. The woman upon whose complaint the warrant is issued is Mrs. Stace Horner, a Hawaiian woman who lives on Artesian street. The Metropolitan Trust & Savings Bank of San Francisco was formerly the Phoenix Building & Loan Association, and is better known in Honolulu by the latter name. This company does a business along the following lines: The clients of the company pay in a certain sum each month, which is supposed to entitle them to large benefits at the end of a certain period if they have not in the meantime allowed their payments to lapse. For instance, the client pays \$3 a month for 100 consecutive months, a total of \$300, and at the end of that time, or approximately that time, is entitled to draw down \$600. Or, if \$6 a month is paid in, at the end of 100 months the amount which the company will pay is \$1,000. This scheme has been in operation for several years and some of the certificates are approaching maturity. On the \$1,000 certificates as much as \$498 has in some instances been paid in, and about fifteen more payments would mature the certificates. From information now in the possession of the Attorney General, and by him turned over to the County Attorney's office, a certain Mr. E. E. Trowbridge arrived in town recently. Shortly following his arrival there began to be disseminated strange rumors to the effect that the Metropolitan Trust & Savings Company would not be able to redeem the certificates when they became due; that it was on the ragged edge of bankruptcy and that the depositors stood to lose all they had put in. As most of the depositors are wage earners, consternation took the place of anger. (Continued on Page 4)

FREE ENTERTAINMENT. The Simpson Magniphone will be furnishing music at L. B. Kerr & Co.'s store this evening. The store will be open until 9:30 and everyone is invited to listen to this wonderful instrument and to inspect the great bargains in dry goods and shoes which are offered this week.

DIX IS BURNING PHILIPPINE COAL

Trial Run Proves Bataan Deposits Superior To Fuel Received At Japanese Port -- Nagasaki May Be Cut From Schedule

For the first time in history an army Japanese coal, burning without blink without an ounce of Japanese coal on smoke. So successful has the experiment been, 2500 tons of Philippine coal, proved so far, that in future all west-bound transports will probably coal at Bataan, near Manila. Here, Manila. This would mean the cutting out of the Japanese port entirely, as far as the transport service is concerned, say officers. Thus transport coal is concerned, and the experiment plying between San Francisco and Manila would make but one stop, and that the coal is far superior to the (Continued on Page 3)



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