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## "NO POLITICS OR I RESIGN!" SAYS PRATT

### U. S. AID IN PEST FIGHT ASSURED

#### ROW OVER QUIZ FOR INSPECTORS BEFORE GOVERNOR

Pressure brought to bear on Dr. J. S. B. Pratt, president of the board of health, to postpone the written examination of health inspectors, for reasons not unconnected with politics, came to a point yesterday, so it was learned this morning, when a meeting was held in Governor Pratt's office and the issue squarely placed.

At the meeting, according to the story around the capitol and not denied by those involved, Chairman A. D. Cooper of the Republican territorial central committee made a request that the written examination of the health inspectors should not be held until after the Republican conventions.

The request, which is considered in some part as a demand, met with a direct refusal from President Pratt. It was learned today that Dr. Pratt declared that he would resign before he would yield to what he considered an interference for political reasons with the administration of his office and his force.

The controversy has come up because it is feared some of the health inspectors, who have a certain influence with the voters, might not pass the examination. Pratt replies that the board of health shall not be connected with politics and that its motto is efficiency.

From what can be learned, the matter was taken up first with the Republican committee and the committee originally took the attitude that it would be asking too much of the inspectors to pass a stiff written examination at the beginning, and that an oral and a field examination should first be held.

This cannot be confirmed, and the story of yesterday's conference is that no such interpretation was voiced by Chairman Cooper. Mr. Cooper was (Continued on Page 4)

#### HEALTH CHIEF DECLARES NO POLITICS ALLOWED



DR. J. S. B. PRATT

#### WOMAN EXPERT IN SETTLEMENT WORK TO COME FOR KAIULANI HOME

In response to a letter of inquiry sent East by the board of directors of Kaiulani Home, Miss Pope, the president, is in receipt of a letter from Miss Mary Schenk Wolman, a professor in Columbia University, in which she states that she is in correspondence with a number of trained industrial workers and before long will be in a position to recommend some one to take up the work here.

During the past few weeks the directors have changed their plans somewhat, it now being their intention to enlarge the present quarters on King street, thus extending sphere of usefulness of the Home without a change of policy.

One of the principal changes which will probably be carried into effect soon after the arrival of the new superintendent will be the installation of a vocational bureau. This, it is thought, is especially needed as many

of the girls, while willing to work, have but little business ability and do not know how to go about placing themselves. The matter of organization will, therefore, be emphasized as strongly as possible.

Several other radical changes, which will interfere in no way with the present policy of the home are contemplated, but the work of making out the new regime will be left almost entirely to the discretion of the new superintendent.

It is the aim of the trustees to give every girl, who is willing to improve her mental and social condition every possible chance.

Owing to the fact that considerable more correspondence is necessary before details are definitely arranged, it is believed that the new industrial worker cannot reach here before early Spring. Meanwhile secure foundations for effective work are being laid.

#### ATTORNEYS CLASH IN BOWERS CASE

An exchange of uncomplimentary remarks between counsel for the prosecution and defense in the case of Captain W. L. Bowers, arrested yesterday for the violation of the sanitary regulations of the health department, stirred police court. Judge Lymer, chief counsel of the sanitation committee, was present in court, and urged Judge Monsarrat for immediate trial of Bowers, who was represented by Attorney E. C. Peters.

Peters said that owing to his lack of sufficient knowledge of the facts in the case, he would ask that the case be continued until some time next week. Lymer did not like the idea of delay, and he said so in court.

"I most strongly object to the continuance of this case," said he to Judge Monsarrat. "This is an important case, and as counsel in behalf of the sanitation committee, I urge that the trial proceed at once."

Peters gained the floor and suggested that the case go over until next

Saturday. "No sir!" shouted Lymer. "I want this case tried at once. Captain Bowers, the defendant in this case, should have been present in court this morning, but instead of that he sent his counsel here to represent him. I ask that the trial proceed at once," he concluded.

After a more exchange of fire words between the two, Judge Monsarrat postponed the case for trial until next Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

Peters stated during the course of their arguments that the health inspectors, who seemed to like the premises of Captain Bowers, swarmed on to the grounds, much to the dislike of the owner.

Lymer assured the court that the inspectors were sent there to do their duty, and when rebuffed by Captain Bowers, they forced themselves in by virtue of the authority vested in them and had the defendant arrested yesterday.

#### \$35,000 TO HELP FIGHT

(Special Bulletin Cable.)  
 WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 25.—Thirty-five thousand dollars will be appropriated by Congress to assist the campaign against the Mediterranean fruit fly pest in Hawaii, according to present prospects.  
 C. S. ALBERT.

#### FRUIT FLY FIGHT MAY BE HARD ON HAWAII'S INDUSTRY

(Special Bulletin Correspondence.)  
 WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 25.—The fight to be waged against the Mediterranean fruit fly may prove detrimental to the business interests of Hawaii. Some of the preventive measures and regulations suggested are so drastic as to necessarily cause severe financial losses.

The Californians in particular, and the Pacific Coast legislators in general are out to exterminate the Mediterranean fly. While awaiting an appropriation of \$60,000 for that purpose steps have already been taken to wipe out the pest. An expert from the Bureau of Entomology in the Agricultural Department, has gone to Australia. He will seek some insect which is an enemy of the fly and whose introduction into Hawaii will destroy it. It is believed the natural antagonistic of the fly can be found in Australia.

While one expert seeks a destroyer another will visit Hawaii and study the habits of the fly. He will determine how the work of extermination can be best accomplished if the search

in Australia fails to find an insect that will pounce upon the fly and sting it to death.

Up to this point the plan of campaign seems innocent and benevolent. But the Californians desire to go further. They propose legislation which would require shipments of fruit and other products to be inspected at the port of shipment, and not at the destination, as now prevails under existing law. This would require an official examination of shipments from Hawaii at the point of loading. It might prove equivalent to establishing a quarantine on such Hawaiian products as are affected by the Mediterranean fly.

A bill introduced by Senator Works, of California, takes this extreme view of the precautionary measures necessary to prevent the introduction of the fly into Pacific Coast States. The proposition offered in the House merely provides funds for fighting the pest.

It is expected friends of Hawaii will come forward and seek to modify suggested legislation so its enactment into law will not seriously affect any commercial interest in the islands.

#### FOUR CRUISERS WILL GO OUT MONDAY

The Pacific fleet will say good-bye to Honolulu for a time on Monday, and for five days the sailors, officers and men, who have come to regard this as their home port, will see no more of the city. Admiral Thomas has decided to take both divisions out to prepare for target practice and to complete the admiral's inspection, which commenced last week. In order to finish the inspection it is necessary to examine the ships under way, and, weather and circumstances permitting, the first five days of next week will be taken up in this manner.

"We will probably return Friday," said Admiral Thomas this morning. "I won't say that we won't get out of sight of land, but no extensive cruising is contemplated and there will be no fleet maneuvers."

A board of investigation met on the cruiser Colorado this morning to determine the extent of the damage done to the vessel by the Cleveland when the latter bumped her in docking yesterday morning. It is believed that the damage is very slight, but in the event of its having been serious, the government could hold the Cleveland responsible by libeling her in an American port.

News of the arrest in Lexington, Ky., of C. A. Gibbons, paymaster's clerk, U. S. N., has been received aboard the Colorado, from which ship Gibbons

deserted October 7, taking with him \$2178.28 of government funds.

Gibbons was apprehended by the Federal police. He will probably be tried by general court-martial, and is likely to get a long term. Gibbons was one of the clerks of Paymaster J. A. Beecher of the Colorado, now in Honolulu and well known locally.

#### CRACK CAVALRY POLO PLAYER TO OLYMPIC GAMES



Lieut. J. G. Quekemeyer, Fifth Cavalry, U. S. A.

#### Lieut. Quekemeyer Sent to Represent U. S. at Stockholm.

A signal honor has fallen to Second Lieutenant J. G. Quekemeyer, Fifth Cavalry, now stationed at Schofield Barracks. Cabled orders received here yesterday instruct him to proceed by the next transport to the Coast, thence to Port Leavenworth, Kansas, and on July 1 to sail for Stockholm, Sweden, to represent the United States army at the Olympic games.

Lieutenant Quekemeyer is one of the best riders and all-round horsemen in the army, and while his orders do not so specifically state, it is believed that he is to be one of an army riding team that will uphold the honor of the United States in the international military competitions.

Hawaii is now sure of a representative at the Olympiad, whether local athletes make the American team or not. The loss of Lieutenant Quekemeyer will make a big hole in the Lei-lehua polo team, however, and a vacant place which it will be hard to fill with as slashing a player.

EXPLOSION WRECKS MALT ELEVATOR NEAR CHICAGO  
 (Associated Press Cable.)  
 CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 25.—An explosion has wrecked the Acme Malting Company's elevator in this city.

#### Governor Out For Roosevelt

(Associated Press Cable.)  
 LANSING, Mich., Jan. 25.—Governor Chase Osborn of Michigan declared today in favor of Colonel Roosevelt for the next president.

ONE MISSOURI CLUB INDOURES ROOSEVELT  
 (Special Bulletin Wireless.)  
 ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 25.—The Republican club of this city has come out in favor of Roosevelt for president.

#### Democrat Feud May Be Healed

Efforts have been started in Democratic ranks to patch up the factional fight between Sheriff Jarrett and L. L. McCandless, and it is hoped that before the first general meeting of the campaign year is opened, all existing differences will be smoothed over and the sheriff and candidate for delegate will forget the past and work together.

The differences between Jarrett and McCandless are of long standing, but Mr. McCandless himself, those on the inside declare, has not taken the matter up, although he and his friends believe that Jarrett knifed him in the last election. A political friend of McCandless said today that Link has not tried to strike back, and that he hopes affairs will be smoothed over. It is emphasized that if any fight is to be made in the ranks from now on, Jarrett will be the fighter, and that McCandless inclines to a harmonious talking-over of the difficulties and settlement if possible.

Tangles to Be Unknicked.  
 At the outset of the campaign, the Democrats are confronted with several political tangles that must be straightened out.  
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#### J. F. MORGAN IS ILL IN 'FRISCO

(Special Bulletin Cable.)  
 SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 25.—James F. Morgan, former president of the Honolulu Chamber of Commerce, is ill here with kidney trouble.

Mr. Morgan has been in poor health for a long time. He went to the Coast recently partly for treatment.

#### ABDICATION IS COMING SOON

(Special Bulletin Wireless.)  
 SHANGHAI, China, Jan. 25.—The abdication edict is expected here soon. Plans are being made for a meeting of Premier Yuan Shih Kai and President Sun Yat Sen to arrange for the coalition of the government of the north and south.

#### SAYS INTERESTS STIRRED REVOLT

(Associated Press Cable.)  
 WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 25.—Congressman Henry T. Rainey of Illinois today told the House committee on foreign affairs that big interests had stirred up and caused the revolution in Colombia.

#### JAPANESE PARTY FOR RECOGNIZING REPUBLIC

(Special Bulletin Wireless.)  
 SHANGHAI, China, Jan. 25.—The Japanese Nationalists urge the recognition of the republic.

#### HE MAY PROVE COOK A LIAR

(Associated Press Cable.)  
 SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 25.—Prof. Herschel Parker of Columbia University left this city today for the north to scale Mr. McKinley in an effort to discover whether or not it was climbed by Dr. Cook. It is Prof. Parker's second attempt.

#### WHITE HOUSE RECEIVES VISITING ROYALTY

(Special Bulletin Wireless.)  
 WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 25.—The Duke and Duchess of Connaught and the Princess Beatrice were received at the White House today. Cabinet officers and their wives were present.

#### BILLY DELANEY TAKES COUNT

(Associated Press Cable.)  
 SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 25.—Billy Delaney, the veteran trainer of many ring champions, died today.

#### DEMOCRATIC STEEL BILL REPORTED FAVORABLY

(Special Bulletin Wireless.)  
 WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 25.—The Democratic steel tariff bill was today reported favorably by the ways and means committee.

#### ABE ATTELL "STALLS" IN FIGHT ONCE TOO OFTEN

(Associated Press Cable.)  
 NEW YORK, N. Y., Jan. 25.—Abe Attell, champion featherweight, was suspended today by the State athletic commission for six months. He will not be allowed to box in the State during that time. His "stalling" during fights is given as the reason.

There is to be a meeting of the Board of Health at half past three o'clock this afternoon. Most of the business will be in the nature of routine.

#### MRS. JOSEPH DREXEL DIES IN PHILADELPHIA

(Associated Press Cable.)  
 PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 25.—Mrs. Joseph Drexel, prominent in society in America and Europe, died at the Drexel home here today.

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#### WOULD TEACH GROWERS TO CARE FOR FRUIT

That the best solution of the banana shipping problem is to have some shipments destroyed by the California authorities was the consensus of opinion as expressed at the meeting of the board of agriculture at its meeting this afternoon, in discussion of infected fruit.

The trouble seems to lie with the growers in as much as they will not help out by sending good bananas and seem to expect the board to do everything for them. Some of the superstitions existing at the present time among the Chinese growers are also responsible for much of the disease. In all probability the Federal experiment station will take the matter up and carry through some experiments.