

A RIOT AT PAPAALO A

Head Luna Shore Badly Hurt.

ATTACKED BY JAPANESE

Tried to Drive Out Strikers and is Jumped on by a Murderous Mob.

HILO, Hawaii, August 11.—The Hilo papers have the following: A serious riot at Papaaloa on Tuesday of this week resulted in a narrow escape of the head luna, Mr. Harry Shore, and one of the under lunas, from a mob of about forty infuriated Japanese, who refused either to go to work or get out of their camp, when they were given the choice by the overseer. The latter then called upon the under luna, and they started in to clean the strikers out of the camps; but while they were going from camp to camp the Japanese were collecting their forces, and as they entered one of the last camps the Japs came at them in an angry mob. They cornered Mr. Shore and his assistants and commenced to assault them with hoe handles, hoes, and any weapon they could lay their hands upon.

The two white men fought desperately, and after a very hot struggle they got away; the head luna, however, was not so lucky. Mr. Shore badly cut on the head and back. He received in fact three cuts upon the head, one being very serious. Sheriff Swain was telephoned for, and on his arrival at Papaaloa swore in a few natives and whites as special police and advanced to the camp. In the meantime the under luna had made for home and gotten a rifle. The doctor had also arrived and having fixed up Shore's wounds had gone to the camp to see if any Japs were in need of medical aid. The luna not knowing of this, or of the approach of Deputy Sheriff Swain, fired his rifle outside the house where the Japs were, at which most of them fled for their lives, dashing through the doors and windows and making for the cane. The doctor took refuge under a bed.

Thus, unfortunately, a considerable number of the rioters escaped, though Mr. Swain and his posse were successful in capturing twenty-one, who were promptly judged and held for trial, to take place as soon as Overseer Shore should be well enough to appear in court.

SWINE IN HILO.

The Tribune has been informed on what seems good authority that the Board of Health regulations relative to the keeping of swine within the city limits is a dead letter for the most part, and that the animal which made Chicago famous is tenderly received in the tidbits of the swill barrel and allowed to breed microbes under the very shadow of the halls of justice and even in the backyards of officials themselves. While the police are raiding "old pigs" for the most part, it takes a little time to raid those that are not blind, and if they happen to find them on their own premises, so much the better.

A RANCH OF THEIR OWN.

J. R. Wilson will make a trip to the Coast in the near future, probably leaving about the first of next month with Mr. Rooker. These gentlemen go for the purpose of purchasing and stocking a big ranch and will benefit from the fact that instead of buying and dividing profits with the rancher. This course has also been decided upon in view of the rapid decrease in quantity of live stock available and the rapidly rising prices.

HILO PERSONALS.

The Santiago sailed on Thursday morning for San Francisco with a full cargo of sugar and the following passengers: Mrs. A. B. Loebenstein, Misses Loebenstein, G. M. Pomeroy and son, E. B. Shaw, Henry Pitzer, L. D. Canar, H. J. McCannon, R. R. Beggs, W. Caughy. The Foreign School is undergoing extensive repairs to be ready for the opening of the fall term. Mr. McCluskey, the principal, declares there will be no more ophthalmic troubles, as the system of lighting is being completely renovated according to most approved authorities.

Oscar T. Sewall and Captain W. G. Burnham are in Hilo with a view to investigating the harbor and ascertaining the requirements necessary for making Hilo a port of call for the New York steamers.

There was a swell dance at Paanahu plantation boarding-house last Saturday night at which about fifty ladies and gentlemen were present. The wives and sisters of the employees were the hostesses and the evening was delightfully spent. The Supreme Court filed a decision in the case of Bohmberg vs. Zimmerman of Hawaii, bill to cancel a deed, reversing the decision of the District Judge of that island and referring the matter back to Judge Little with instructions to present a decree in accordance with the cross-bill and such other action as he may deem proper.

Honolulu needn't think it can hog even all the warm weather. Hilo has a bit of her own, when a thermometer on Waianu street registers 82 degrees at 6 P. M.

Mr. Brown, chief engineer of the Hilo railroad, returned by the Mitha. Davis from a business trip to the Coast.

P. M. Wakefield is at present residing in Papaaloa, looking after the interests of the Kahala-Hilo Railroad Company.

Mrs. C. A. Galbraith has just received the sad news of the death of her sister, Mrs. W. P. Fortwood of Texas.

Two of the normal instructors have already been appointed. They are S. Keilini and Chas. Baldwin, both of Maui. One of the other two will be from Hawaii. The instructors will complete one year of their respective islands and will then interchange.

It is expected that when Superintendent McCandless comes up to Hilo he will remove Howell's bridge across the Waianu and put a trestle in its place; the present structure is altogether too narrow.

Fine Not Remitted.

The Treasury Department has rendered a decision upholding the action of Collector of the Port District in fining the steamship Coptic \$500.00 for landing H. P. Baldwin at Honolulu. The fine was under the law against foreign vessels during a coast-

ing trade in the United States and after fining the vessel Mr. Stackable left the matter before the authorities at Washington. Yesterday he received a communication from the Treasury Department stating that the fine would not be remitted, as had been hoped by those who had to pay it.

Trouble on the Yang Tze.

SHANGHAI, July 31.—We are informed that H. E. Chang Chintung states that he doubts if he can restrain his troops another ten days. The breach blocks have been taken out of the guns at Wu-Chang, which command Hankow, and thrown into the river. Reinforcements of guns, as well as 3,000 troops have been sent to the forts at Kiangyin. Grave fears are entertained that attempts will be made in a few days' time to lay down torpedoes in the Yangtze.

NORMA ASHORE.

Again the Little Hoodoo is Heard From.

The little island schooner Norma, true to her hoodoo reputation, is reported on the reef at Koolau on the other side of this island. Early yesterday morning she went ashore and the fact was shortly afterwards announced by telephone. Waterfronters looked wise and said it was about time she was on a reef again, or lost or swallowed by a whale, or something. Of course, she will get off, at least that is what the old salts say. Efforts are now being made to get her in deep water and she may be soon loaded for pumping her way into Honolulu harbor. The Norma left here on Friday-hoodoo generally sail on Friday—with a cargo for the other side of the island. It may of course prove to be her last voyage, but her admirers say not.

BUSY DAYS AT LAHAINA

Pioneer Plantation's Activities.

MORE TRACK TO BE LAID

Paia Will Have Ten Miles of Road to Fields at Kailua—New Depot Building.

(Special Correspondence.)

WAILUKU, Maui, August 11.—Pioneer plantation is about to have laid twenty miles more of railroad track, running from Lahaina near the sea to Kaaanapali, thence mauka and back to Lahaina. The line of course will have quite a number of branches and will be used to convey sugar cane to the mill. The survey of the road has already been made and about one mile has been properly staked off. Messrs. Hugh Howell and John Wilson have the contract to build the railroad.

Mr. Howell arrived on the 4th in Lahaina to superintend the work. Wilson is of the firm of Whitehouse and Wilson, and Howell has been employed as government surveyor at Hana. The Pioneer plantation is a very large sugar estate and is constantly increasing its cultivated area. Manager Barkhausen is now planting the land half way to Olowalu, from the sea to about 250 feet elevation.

It is stated that the intention is to plant close up to the Olowalu boundary and also to put under cultivation the very dry and seemingly most barren stretch of country now unplanted between Lahaina and Olowalu. When all this shall be accomplished, the adjective immense can be most fittingly applied to the territory of Pioneer plantation.

The case of Manaloh, Lanai, and of the American Sugar Company, Molokai, is to be ground at Lahaina. Next week Paia plantation will begin the erection of a new office. The building will stand one the site of the present office structure and will include a new store twenty-six by thirty feet, a post office room, a special office, and the manager's private office. The store, the post office and the plantation company's office will all front the street and will have a veranda. The store will be adjacent to and will run parallel with the old store building which has grown too small for the amount of business transacted.

By the first of 1901 Paia plantation will have a railroad engine and will lay ten miles of track to their fields at Kailua in Makawao mauka of the Spreckelsville lands. Kahului Railroad Company will put up a temporary depot at Paia on the site of the one recently destroyed by fire. This building will be used to store the present sugar-crop. After this crop is taken off a permanent depot will be constructed near the Paia mill and the road extended to Hamakua. To make the proposed change of depots and tracks now would involve too much labor and expense.

Tonight at Paia Hall a concert will be given in aid of Paia native church. The following persons will take part: Misses Rosina Shaw, Kamakaeha Kalama, Lilian Pihl, Alice K. Kikipe, Margaret R. Nape and Samuel Kamakahi, the leader of the old Hawaiian band.

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News comes from Lynn, Mass., that one of the prominent shoe manufacturers of that city, Henry Hill, is on his way to Honolulu, for the purpose of looking up plans for a large shoe factory in the islands.

THE BAR ON THE BENCH

Lawyers Address Judge Humphreys.

FRICITION BETWEEN THEM

Attorneys Voice Their Feelings as to Arrangement of the Calendar.

(From Saturday's Daily.)

It was evident from a little incident which occurred in the Circuit Court yesterday that the bar and the bench of the city are not on an excellent terms as might have been expected considering that the new judge took his seat but a few short weeks ago. Judge Humphreys had just concluded a long oral decision in which he declined to re-instate certain cases on the court calendar and had taken up the matter of the jury cases.

W. O. Smith started the ball by saying that he desired to see good feeling between the bar and the bench of Hawaii. He thought that the members of the bar were not to blame for the crowded condition of the calendar, for there had been many causes for the delay in litigation. There had been periods when there had been many changes in the bench and again terms were single cases had occupied almost the entire term while of late the plague visitation had interfered with the disposition of cases that had been pending, owing to the quarantining of the city.

George Davis agreed with the court that the court calendar was much congested and said that in the past there had been much partiality in assigning cases before their regular place on the calendar.

S. M. Ballou then asked for a ruling on the question of whether when one member of a firm of attorneys was occupied in one court room and a case came up in another court, that case would be dismissed for non-appearance of the attorney. He asked also if when an attorney was engaged in the trial of a case in one court and another case came up in which the same firm was engaged and of which the attorney mentioned had particular knowledge, that case might not be postponed until the member of the firm who had prepared it could give it his attention.

Judge Humphreys said that law firms should not take more cases than they were able to handle or should engage additional help. He could not accept such excuses for failure to attend.

Thereat W. A. Kinney arose and announced that while heretofore, by arrangement between the court and counsel, it had been the custom of the courts to have cases assigned to the assistant judge so as to expedite business he should hereafter contest the right of the presiding judge to assign any case for the consideration of the assistant judge that should be properly before the presiding judge.

"It was formerly a matter of mutual accommodation between the court and counsel," Mr. Kinney continued, "but that was when the relations between the members of the bar and the bench were different from what they are today in Hawaii. It was made a matter of custom, so that business might be dispatched, but now in view of the ruling of the court I shall have to insist upon having all cases properly before your honor tried by him instead of the assistant judge."

"It was intended, Mr. Kinney," said Judge Humphreys, "when the court made the ruling referred to that it should apply to jury-waived cases only, and an exception may be made I think in favor of the jury cases."

The calling of the calendar went on and presently the numerous insurance cases, arising out of the Chinatown fires were reached and Judge Humphreys was about to divide them between Judge Sillman and himself when L. A. Thurston arose to protest. "I represent a partnership," he said, "and as some of these cases are to be tried with a jury and some without I shall have to ask that they all be assigned to the presiding judge, in view of the ruling of the court in this matter."

Judge Humphreys said that circumstances altered cases and he thought that an assignment of the cases could be made that would be satisfactory to all parties.

In ruling on the matter of the re-instatement of the Koolau cases Judge Humphreys spoke at much length on the congested state of the court calendar. A great many of those cases, he said, had been on the calendar for several years. Most of them, or a great many of them were wherein the defendant had appealed from the decision of the District Court, trusting so to delay that they might avoid payment. Some of them were six years old, and one of a small amount was begun in 1891. He did not wish the courts of Hawaii to become a place where delay might defeat justice. He overruled the motion for the re-instatement of the cases.

The calling of the calendar was then resumed and a large number of cases were disposed of, relieving the calendar of upwards of sixty cases with which it was burdened.

BECKY-LACK CASE DECIDED.

Judge Humphreys yesterday rendered a decision in favor of the plaintiff in the case of Charles B. Becky vs. Mrs. Thomas Lack giving judgment for \$100 and costs.

"On the 7th of August," Judge Humphreys says, "this court dismissed this case under a misapprehension of facts. The order of dismissal had not been entered upon the minutes, had not been signed by the judge and still remained,

as it is called at common law, in 'the breast of the judge,' and it was perfectly proper for him to reinstate the case."

The case was one for damages for injuries to the plaintiff's property and judgment was given for the full amount. J. A. Magoon represented the plaintiff and George A. Davis the defendant.

BECOME CITIZENS.

Judge Estee held a brief session of the Federal Courts yesterday at which he granted naturalization papers to several applicants. They were: Alexander F. Linder of Norway, J. O. Lachelder of England, H. Bergersen of Norway, George E. Thompson of England and Wm. C. Roe of England.

PROBATE ORDERS.

Estate of C. H. Norton, will probated. W. E. Burnett appointed administrator with the will annexed.

Estate of C. F. Wall, final account of administrator referred to W. E. Thompson as master.

Estate of Kealakai, accounts of administrator approved.

Estate of Dowsett minors, accounts of administrator referred to P. D. Kellett as master.

Estate of I. Fisher, accounts of administrator approved.

COURT ORDERS.

H. R. Hitchcock vs. M. Andrade, discontinued.

Olds vs. Magoon, settled.

Kam Pung vs. Kam Hoy, to be tried in vacation.

Julia Opunui vs. L. K. Tuah, dismissed.

Burgess vs. Kolomoku, appeal withdrawn.

J. A. Paty vs. Oahu Railway Company, to be tried in vacation.

Kapiolani Estate cases, put over to next term.

DR. STUBBS'S MISSION.

What Department of Agriculture Says Officially of It.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—In the act making appropriations for the United States Department of Agriculture for the present fiscal year Congress provided for the inauguration of experiment stations in the islands of Hawaii and Porto Rico. In accordance with this provision, the Department has taken preliminary steps to determine the best plan of operation in each case and the subjects which are in most need of immediate attention. The work has been placed in charge of the Office of Experiment Stations, and the following information in relation to the action taken by that office is from Experiment Station Record, Vol. XII, No. 1, soon to be issued.

Dr. W. C. Stubbs, director of the Louisiana Experiment Stations, will make the preliminary survey of the conditions in the Hawaiian Islands. He sailed for Hawaii about the middle of July and will spend the month of August there. The conditions there differ from those of Porto Rico, as a station for experiments in sugarcane production has been maintained by private beneficence for a number of years. The lines in which investigation is most needed, the possibility of greater diversification of agriculture, the expense of the work, and the means of disseminating information will be carefully inquired into. This will probably prove a suitable field for investigations on the use and economy of water in irrigation, since, according to reliable reports, in no other place is so much money expended for pumping water for irrigation. Some pumps are said to be raised 300,000 gallons of water per day from a depth of 500 feet, and the expense of irrigating in some cases reaches as high as \$125 per acre annually.

DUNREGGAN ATTACHED.

Spreckel's Tugboat Company Want Twenty Thousand Dollars.

Yesterday afternoon the British bark Dunreggan was attached for \$20,000 by the Spreckel's Tugboat Company, that being the figure set as compensation for the saving of the bark from destruction on the Diamond Head reef. A notice to this effect is posted on the Dunreggan's mainmast, and that vessel cannot unload without permission of the officials. It is likely that the bark will move to the quarantine wharf to-day, where she will be allowed to discharge. The Young Brothers now have a gasoline pumping plant aboard, and are keeping her pretty dry.

PLAGUE AT OSAKA.

Fifty Cases and Epidemic Narrowly Averted.

YOKOHAMA, July 25.—Since the reappearance of the plague at Osaka on the 8th of April last, fifty cases have been reported, and at one time it threatened to assume epidemic proportions. The disease is now considered to have disappeared altogether, no fresh case having been reported since the 1st inst. According to Osaka Asahi, most of the dead rats, which were daily collected from the rat boxes in the city between April and May 1st, were found to contain plague bacilli, and it was feared that the malady was already rampant through the whole city. The dead rats collected from the boxes of late average about 1,200 daily, but none of them, it is stated, were found to contain the bacilli.

Child Killed at Waiuku.

At Waiuku, on Friday, the 5:30 passenger train struck a Chinese woman who was walking along the side of the track carrying her baby on her back and the child was killed. The woman was carrying two pails of water on a stick over her shoulder, and as the train approached whistling and ringing the bell the woman paid no attention and one of the cars struck the pail, knocking the woman down violently. The train was stopped immediately and the trainmen ran back and picked the woman up. She was not badly hurt but the child's skull was fractured and it lived but a short time.

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C. J. Campbell has gone to Kauai for the purpose of canvassing in the interests of the Democratic party.

MAKAWAO LITTERATEURS.

The August Meeting was Held at the Baldwin Residence.

(Special Correspondence.)
WAILUKU, MAUI, August 11.—The August meeting of the Makawao Literary Society was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Baldwin of Hamakua on the evening of the 9th. Showery weather made the attendance somewhat smaller than is customary. The following program elicited much interest and applause:

- 1. Selections on the gramophone.
- 2. Piano Solo, Mrs. H. A. Baldwin.
- 3. Farce, "Uncle's Will": The characters of the drama were—Florence Marigold, Miss Eva Smith; Charles Cashmore, Mr. W. O. Alken; Mr. Barker, Mr. W. S. Nicholas.

The little play was exceedingly well rendered and heartily enjoyed by the audience.

Last evening, the 10th, the Makawao Debating Club discussed the following subject in the Pala church parlors: "Resolved, That the President and Senate of the United States ought to be elected by popular vote." Mr. D. C. Lindsay and Dr. W. F. McConkey, in the affirmative, won by argument over Messrs. R. F. Ergle and W. O. Alken, in the negative. The next subject for debate is, "Resolved, That William McKinley should be chosen the next President of the United States." Weather—Showery.

POLO AT PAIA.

Von Tempy's Team Wins From Frank Baldwin's Aggregation.

(Special Correspondence.)
WAILUKU, Maui, August 11.—An exciting game of polo was played on Saturday afternoon, the 4th, at the Sunnyside grounds, Paia. Von Tempy's side won after four brief plays of 10 minutes each with five-minute intervals for changing sides. During the first two innings neither side scored. It was a hooking match near the center of the field. The look grass "slow." During the third inning Von Tempy's players made two touch-downs, which made the score 2 to 0. During the fourth play Frank Baldwin's side made a touch down and the final score stood 2 to 1 against Baldwin's team.

The following were the players: L. von Tempy, captain; D. C. Lindsay, W. O. Alken, D. T. Fleming, and Henry Damon; F. F. Baldwin, captain; S. E. Kaima, W. D. Baldwin, Fred C. Baldwin and Frank Alexander. The presence of a number of the fair sex as spectators spurred the players to their best efforts.

Paris Exposition Awards.

The fine showing of American manufactures at the Paris Exposition this year is likely to win a number of awards from the international juries selected to pass upon the exhibits. According to section 83 of the general regulations governing the Exposition, the French Government will grant the following awards: 1st, The Grand Prix, sometimes called the Diploma of Honor, which is granted for exceptional merit only; 2nd, Gold Medal; 3rd, Silver Medal; 4th, Bronze Medal; 5th, Honorable Mention.

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