

LOOK TO THE LEGISLATURE

Plan of Associated Charities for Support.

At the monthly meeting of the Associated Charities, held yesterday afternoon, an excellent financial statement was shown, in which the treasury is in possession of funds to carry on its work.

Governor Dole said yesterday that the effectiveness of the work of the Associated Charities would be increased if it was generally known that the government gave it support for its running expenses, which amount to about \$2,000 annually.

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The report of Mrs. Berger showed that one person had been sent to the Queen's hospital, another to the incurables, four children to the Kona Orphanage, and that there had been 119 office interviews.

It was reported that with the four children just sent to the Kona Orphanage that hospital of refuge is crowded, fifty children being cared for.

It was shown that most of those seeking aid from the Charities are bona fide residents of Honolulu, few being from the outside world.

STEAMER AMERICA MARU IN A TERRIFIC TYPHOON

(Continued from Page 3.) the glass falling to 28.10, the lowest record Captain Going, the liner's commander, had ever known in his long experience.

The steamer drifted across the center and then struck into the whirling edge opposite, the wind again howling with hurricane force. Just then a great sea came across the waist of the steamer and struck down the bath house steward, who was foolishly trying to go aft, hurled him with great force against the iron deck house, smashed his head and killed him instantly.

About midnight the steam steering gear was carried away, and but for the careful handling of the steamer by the commander standing on the bridge in drenching rain and flying spume, under a sky of inky blackness, serious trouble might have resulted.

Shortly after midnight the glass had risen to 28.60 and the worst was over. The passengers refer to Captain Going, Mr. Bennington, Chief Engineer Thomson, Purser Bomb and the remaining officers in terms of the highest praise.

THE ELUOIVE HIGKIN is the source of much sport and the source of many injuries. Football players should use Chamberlain's Pain Balm, an anti-septic ointment especially valuable for sprains and bruises.

REPUBLICANS AT ORPHEUM

Young Men's Club Arranges for Meetings.

Fourth district Republican candidates will hold the stage at the Orpheum on Saturday evening, and there promises to be a meeting which will, in its interest, equal any that has yet been seen during the campaign.

The meeting will be under the charge of the club entirely, and the plan will be to have members of the organization to act as ushers and to see that every visitor has proper seating arrangements.

The speakers will be introduced by President Andrews of the club, who will preside throughout the meeting. They will be the candidates for the lower house, as follows: E. F. Chillingworth, Frank Andrade, W. W. Harris, Carlos Long, William Aylett and Jonah Kumulua.

The meeting promises to be one of a series of attractive gatherings, which will draw out the very best speakers in the party.

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The trend of political activity on Kauai is all Republican, according to the sentiments expressed in the various letters received from the Garden Isle by members of the Republican central committee.

"It looks as though Kauai was going to be a landslide for our whole ticket. We have also heard that Home Rule campaigners here, hearing this news from Hanalei, cancelled all other engagements and are hastening to Hanalei, to do what they can to save their party in that district.

"Total registration here, after all deductions, is 1,941." PORTUGUESE BLAN MEETING. The Portuguese Republican Club will meet this evening at the rooms of the Young Men's Republican Club, for the purpose of completing arrangements for the great mass meeting on Punchbowl, to be the feature of tomorrow evening.

The Republican meeting on Friday evening promises to be one which will break all records in the matter of attendance, that has been made recently. The interest of the Portuguese citizens in everything governmental has grown since the hearings of the Senatorial commission, and the voters and others are now anxious to hear everything which will affect later action upon their claims for the lands upon which they live.

METEOROLOGICAL SUMMARY FOR MONTH OF SEPTEMBER

Temperature mean for the month, 77.1; normal, 75.5; average daily maximum, 83.5; average daily minimum, 70.8; mean daily range, 11.5; greatest daily range, 17 degrees; least daily range, 7 degrees; highest temperature, 94; lowest, 61.

Barometer average, 29.94; normal, 29.92; highest, 30.04; lowest, 29.79; 24-hr. greatest 24-hour change, 1.6; from any given hour on one day to the same hour on the next, 0.11; "lows" passed this point on the 26th, 26th and 26th; "highs" on the 7th, 14th and 26th. The barometer has been below the normal since the month of May; the average for the nine months of this year is also low.

Relative humidity average, 74.7; normal, 68.5; mean dew point, 68.6; normal, 66.9; mean absolute moisture, 7.51 grains per cubic foot; normal, 7.09. Dewy mornings continuously, 11th to 21st.

Rainfall, 2.27 inches; normal, 1.98; rain-record days, 22; normal, 18; greatest rainfall in one day, 0.91 on the 20th; total at Luakaha, 19.02; normal, 19.21; at Kapiolani Park, 9.82; normal, 6.28. The artesian well level fell during the month from 22.19 to 22.95 feet above mean sea-level; September 26th, 1901, it stood at 22.26. The average daily mean sea-level for the month was 9.68 feet, the assumed annual mean being 10.90 feet above datum. For September, 1901, it was 10.46.

Trade-wind days, 19 (3 of NNE); normal, 28; average force of wind during daylight, Beaufort scale, 1.9; average cloudiness, tenths of sky, 3.07; normal, 4.9.

Approximate percentages of district rainfall as compared with normal: Hilo, 160 per cent.; Hamakua, 200; Kohala, 165; Waimea, 200; Kona, 125; Kauai, 200; Puna, 190; Maui, 175; Oahu, 125, excepting Kahuku, 270; North Kauai, 60; South Kauai, 125. The rains were quite evenly distributed through the month.

Mean temperature, Pepeekeo, Hilo District, 100 elevation, mean maximum, 81.5; mean minimum, 71.6; Waimea, Hawaii, 2729 elevation, 81.8 and 64.7; Kohala, 221 elevation, 80.8 and 68.4; Waialeale, Kua, Maui, 2709 elevation, 81.8 and 62.9; Ewa Hill, 50 elevation, 85.0 and 69.8; U. S. Experiment Station, 85.9 and 71.4; U. S. Magnetic Station (near Ewa), 59 elevation, 89.8 and 69.8; W. R. Castle's, Honolulu, 59 elevation, highest 86.9, lowest 68.0; mean 71.1.

Ewa Hill, mean dew point, 66.4; mean relative humidity, 68.2; U. S. Magnetic Station, 67.7 and 68.9; Kohala (Bond), 68.5 and 84.0.

Earthquakes reported, Pepeekeo 24th, 9:20 p. m., and Hilo 23th, 6:13 a. m., smart shock, "severest in six years"; Kealaiekua 19th, 5:30 p. m.; Waimea 26th evening, 27th evening and the earthquake of the morning of the 28th. During the first half of the month the molten lava disappeared from the pit in Kilauea, on the 16th active again and rising, light visible at 30 miles distance. The "glows" brighter than in August.

Light fall of snow on Mauna Kea, 26th. No electric storms noted. Heavy surf, 1st to 4th, and 27th. Tidal wave on Puna coast, S. E. Hawaii, on 2nd. Calm weather 10th to 21st, without trades.

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RAINFALL FOR SEPTEMBER, 1902, HAWAII

Table with columns: Stations, (Ft.) Elev., (Inches) Rain. Rows include Waialeale, Hilo (town), Kaunakakai, Pepeekeo, Hanalei, Honohou, Puuhou, Laupahoehoe, Ooakala, Hamakua, Kohala, Kona, Kau, Kahuku Ranch, Honouliuli, Naalehu, Hilea.

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