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KAUAI AND OAHU POLO TEAMS TO MEET NEW FAD IN HONOLULU

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4 Arthur Rice. 3 Chas. Rice. 2 John Mallina. 1 Jas. Spalding.
THE KAUAI POLO TEAM.

The Wood's Institute is all the rage in Honolulu. Both men and women are getting the benefit of Professor Woods' unique but simple course of instruction and as a rule they are both surprised and pleased at the beneficial results.

The Institute which is located upon the second floor above the Kerr store at Fort and Queen streets is a new institution in Honolulu, but is already very popular. Many of the most prominent men and ladies of the city are now taking the course prescribed by Mr. Woods.

The gymnasium and baths are the best equipped in the Territory. There is plenty of floor space, with only the simplest gymnasium apparatus. Swimming is one of the favorite amusements of those attending classes. The baths are also well equipped. There are several air tight rooms for vapor baths, another room for massage treatment, and also tub and shower baths. There are also comfortably furnished rooms for recuperating after the Hamman baths, which are said also to be the finest in the city.

Members of Professor Woods' classes are not backward either in letting others know of the benefits they are receiving. Interviews with a few of the leading citizens who have been taking the new treatments show a unanimous endorsement of Mr. Woods and his methods.

S. M. Damon of Bishop & Co. told an Advertiser reporter yesterday that he was more than pleased with the benefits he had been receiving. "I have naturally exercised myself, for many years," said Mr. Damon yesterday. "Recently I have been taking the course given by Mr. Woods and I can only say that the systematic course of exercise prescribed by him has benefited me very much. The course is such a simple and healthful procedure that it doesn't injure anyone. I have been very much pleased with the result to myself."

"I have been taking the treatment for a month," said W. H. Smith of the Manufacturers' Shoe Co. "and I find it beneficial in a good many ways. For instance I was very much troubled with neuralgia in my head, which has now entirely disappeared. I find that the treatment at the Woods Institute has been curative."

F. C. Enos says: "After a three weeks' course in Woods' Institute I find that my chest expansion has increased two inches, biceps one and a quarter inches, forearm one inch, and have noticed a general improvement in my entire physique."

Professor Woods has received also many testimonials from members of his class as to the efficacy of his treatment. Below are published a few of them.

"I am pleased to say that during the short time that I have been a member of your class I have derived great benefit and pleasure from your system of physical culture. Wishing you the success you deserve, I am, Yours truly, Chas. Bon."

"I take pleasure in saying that I consider the Woods Institute of Physical Culture the best thing that ever came to Honolulu. After four weeks' work at your Institute I find that my chest expansion increased one and one-half inches, both biceps and forearm one-half inch and have reduced my waist measurement one and one-half inches. I feel better in every way, and can recommend your system most cheerfully to anyone who may be interested, both old and young, as I consider physical culture the coming physician. Wishing you success in your valuable work, I remain, Very truly yours, Thomas Whyte."

"The undersigned takes pleasure in stating that he has been much benefited by the three weeks' course of physical culture taken at Woods' Institute and believes the full course will do more towards building up the system than promised and recommends a course, especially to people confined more or less to the office or store. G. Hillfield."

"I am very much pleased with my improvement since entering your Institute five weeks ago. I have gained in weight and general health. G. Hoffland Bigelow."

"Regarding your system of physical culture, as practiced at your Institute, I desire to say that I consider the same far ahead of any of the several systems I have tried. In fact, I am certain that it is almost an impossibility for a person not to be benefited by your exercises as given under your personal direction."

"I believe that I have obtained better results from the few lessons that I have taken at your Institute under your supervision, than from the six months' hard work that I have just finished with the Svoboda system. Respectfully yours, Chas. H. Ramsay."

Henry Labouchere, as a young diplomat, was fond of amusing and bewildering his superiors. For instance, it is said that once he was instructed to come home to London from Constantinople. He wasn't heard of for some time; and was apparently lost in the midst of the Black Forest, or some of the other lands that intervened between him and home. He was at last traced; and then calmly wrote that he was obeying orders, and was making his way homeward; but that as his chief had forgotten to send him any money to pay the expense by the ordinary methods of traveling, he was working his slow passage on foot!

WELCH & CO. WILL COMPETE WITH AMERICAN-HAWAIIAN

Welch & Co. of San Francisco are preparing to compete with the American-Hawaiian Steamship Co. in carrying sugar from Hawaii to New York. Welch & Co. will add steamers to their line of windjammers now used for sugar cargoes, and the prospect of two big shipping concerns battling over the raw product of the Hawaiian cane fields will be watched with interest. Welch & Co. have chartered the American steamers Conemaugh and Pennsylvania and the American ship Henry Villard for this purpose. The Villard recently left Newcastle for Honolulu with a cargo of coal.

Percy Morse, local representative of the American-Hawaiian Steamship Co., returned yesterday from the mainland on the steamer Nevada, being seven days and two hours from San Francisco and eleven days from Seattle. He reports the voyage a fine one. About 2000 tons of freight were brought to Honolulu, and there are a thousand tons for Kahului for which port the steamer will sail on Friday. The vessel will sail from Kahului to San Francisco direct.

Speaking of the Company's affairs, Mr. Morse said the Nebraska is only taken off the schedule temporarily or until there is cargo enough here to warrant the Company maintaining a two-steamer ferry run between Honolulu and San Francisco.

In New York Mr. Morse found that big freights are being offered there for transportation to Honolulu. This, in his opinion, seemed to point to better times in the Islands.

The S. S. American of the same company will sail for Honolulu from Seattle on December 1. She will load there about 3,000 tons of salmon, and finish here with a cargo of about 3,000 tons of sugar for New York.

Surveyor—Thomas E. Cook, Republican and Home Ruler.

WEST HAWAII COUNTY. Supervisors—Robert Hind, J. W. Keilho, John A. Maguire, James F. Woods, I. Paakiki, three Republicans and two Home Rulers. Sheriff—George P. Kamauoha, Republican. County Clerk and Recorder—Edward Palmer, Republican. Auditor—J. K. Farley, Republican. Assessor and Tax Collector—C. A. Rice, Republican.

MAUI COUNTY. Supervisors—W. H. Cornwell, Jr., J. K. Hihlo, G. P. Kaulimakaole, C. L. Kookoo, T. B. Lyons, all Home Rulers. Sheriff—William White, Home Ruler. County Clerk and Recorder—D. H. Kahalelo, Home Ruler. Auditor—L. R. Crook, Home Ruler. Assessor and Tax Collector—D. K. Kahalelo, Home Ruler. Attorney—John Richardson, Home Ruler. Treasurer—Patrick Cockett, Home Ruler. Surveyor—J. K. Kahookele, Home Ruler.

WILLARD MAY WIN OUT. There is still a possibility that John D. Willard may have been elected county attorney on Kauai, when the Nilhau returns are in. Willard ran only twenty-one behind his Home Rule opponent on Kauai and if Nilhau does as well for the Republican ticket as last year, Willard will be elected. There are thirty-five votes on Nilhau and they are as a rule nearly all Republican.

NEW SUITS ARE FILED. The Oriental Life Insurance Co. has brought suit against Loo Wo and A. Yin Shew for balance alleged to be due on stock of the plaintiff company. The petitions recite that the defendant in each of the cases subscribed for stock in the Oriental Life Insurance Co. but failed to pay all that was due upon it.

Cecil Brown and Anthony Lidgate have brought suit against C. E. Moore for property on Lunallo street and in Makiki which it is claimed belongs to the Charles Noley estate. On lot contains 4500 square feet and the other 3,000 square feet. Damages in the amount of \$500 are also asked.

President Diaz, of Mexico, the George Washington of that republic, has reached the age of 73 years with vigor only slightly impaired after his long life of unusual activity. He will probably remain President of Mexico as long as he lives, or, at any rate, as long as he wants to. He has expressed a desire to give up public life after service of fully half a century.

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Applications for these examinations may be filed with any member of the board any time prior to the hour of closing business on Nov. 17, 1903.

Dec. 9-10, 1903. Examiner of Surveys, General Land Office service, at salary of \$5.00 per day and expenses (fixed); also Architectural Draughtsman in the Philippine service, at salary of \$1400 per annum.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS. The following examinations are scheduled to take place on the dates indicated. Further information may be obtained by consulting Prof. W. D. Alexander of the Geodetic Survey, William McCoy and Mr. Kenake at the Postoffice, or R. C. Stackable or A. B. Ingalls at the Custom House. See also notices posted at Postoffice and office of Geodetic Survey and at the Custom House.

THE OTHER ISLANDS. Additional wireless reports received yesterday from the other islands, show that Kauai and West Hawaii are safely Republican, while Maui and East Hawaii are Home Rule. The Home Rulers made a clean sweep on Maui.

KAUAI COUNTY. Supervisors—George H. Fairchild, Francis Gay, George W. Mahikoa, M. A. Rege, W. H. Rice, all Republicans. Sheriff—J. H. Conroy, Republican. County Clerk and Recorder—Edward Palmer, Republican. Auditor—J. K. Farley, Republican. Assessor and Tax Collector—C. A. Rice, Republican.

EAST HAWAII COUNTY. Supervisors—S. L. Desha, T. K. Lalakea, E. H. Lyman, R. H. Makekai, J. Palau, one Republican and four Home Rulers. Sheriff—William M. Keolanui, Home Ruler. County Clerk and Recorder—Norman K. Lyman, Republican and Home Ruler. Auditor—N. C. Willfong, Republican. Assessor and Tax Collector—George K. Williams, Republican. Attorney—John U. Smith, Home Ruler. Treasurer—Rufus A. Lyman, Home Ruler.

THE KAUAI POLO TEAM. The arrival yesterday morning of the crack Kauai polo team has drawn general attention to the series of polo matches to be played between that island and Oahu in a return match, a fact that except for a few enthusiasts has been lost sight of in the general election fever.

It will be remembered that on the first appearance of Kauai on this island in the big tournament of last year, the magnificent riding and splendid mounts of the Kauai men won them much approval, although from lack of team work they were unable to win. A later match, when Oahu went to Kauai, resulted in a display of brilliant and evenly matched polo in which Oahu won by a scant margin in a score of 6-4. The returning polo players acknowledged that they had enjoyed the hardest fight and the best playing since their knowledge of the game.

The present match, a series of the best two out of three games, is a return one from the last encounter. Maui, owing to business arrangements of the players, is unable to come down in competition for the Association cup and the Association has therefore decreed the present match to be an individual tournament between Oahu and Kauai.

The first game is to be played on Saturday next, November 8, on the splendid turf of the Moanalua field, to be followed by another game on the Wednesday of next week. It is generally thought that a third determining game will be necessary and this will come off on Saturday week. An admission fee of 50 cents a head will be charged to cover expenses, the Kauai men, who are bringing their ponies, getting three-fifths of the returns. There will undoubtedly be a heavy turnout as most of the polo spectators locally have been in the habit of attending in carriages or on horseback and the drive to Moanalua will prove one of the delights of the outing.

The Kauai men, who play as follows, are out today practicing on the Moanalua field, which is much faster than their own match ground and will need some practice before they get accustomed to the speed of the short turf and the possible long drives with the ball. Kauai is not banking on winning the Saturday game but rather expect to put up a hard fight on Wednesday. They have some fresh Horner Ranch blood in two of their ponies, they will play three apiece, but these mounts include several of the ponies used in the last match.

The team play as follows: James Spalding, who is said to have improved greatly of late, No. 1, James Mallina, the seventeen year old Kauai centaur, No. 2, Charles Rice at No. 3 and Arthur Rice at No. 4. The line up against them shows as under:

Kauai—James Spalding, 1; John Mallina, 2; Charles Rice, 3; Arthur Rice, 4. Oahu—R. W. Atkinson, 1; Harold Castle, 2; W. F. Dillingham, 3; C. Dole, 4. A. F. Judd and S. E. Damon, Oahu substitutes.

The Oahu men play also three ponies apiece and with one or two exceptions these mounts are the same as used in the last match. Conservatively speaking, ponies are even and an exhibition of fine horsemanship should ensue with the odds a trifle in favor of Oahu from previous victory and home grounds.

The Moanalua field is practically perfect and is much wider than the Kapiolani Park arena. The sideboard makes the game much faster with the smooth short turf which will be carefully rolled all day tomorrow in readiness for the game.

The playing of Harold Castle at two for the Oahu team will be watched by many. This brilliant young performer is handicapped in a degree by playing against older and heavier men but it is predicted that he will fairly win his spurs and right to being a first team representative.

The game commences promptly at three o'clock and consists of the four regulation periods. This will bring all home by dark. Many of the ponies will be put up over night in the new stables built by Mr. Damon at Moanalua with accommodations for sixteen. The Oahu team, which practices today at Kapiolani Park, giving the Moanalua field to the visitors, will wear the club colors, blue in combination with white, while Kauai colors are scarlet and white.

JAPANESE WOMAN TRIED VERY HARD TO END HER LIFE

Saved at the Water's Edge After She Had Found Motive in Sickness, Lack of a Husband and Money.

A Japanese woman who was registered at the police station as "Miss Sing," attempted to kill herself with a bread knife last evening. She was stopped just in the nick of time by Officer Nielsen and taken to the station.

The woman, it seems, had made the most elaborate preparations for taking her own life. She was well dressed for the occasion, and over all her fine clothes, wore a blue scarf which is said to be the sign which a Japanese always displays when about to commit suicide. A customs officer first discovered the would-be suicide sitting at the water's edge on Queen street near the sail loft. The woman was weeping and when the customs man asked her what the trouble was, she replied in a matter of fact tone that she intended to kill herself—"go make"—as she tersely expressed it. The customs officer lost no time in notifying the police and Officer Nielsen was sent down to stop the threatened self-murder. He arrived just as the woman was on the point of driving the long knife through her breast. She was sitting on the ground, muttering to herself and had unfastened her kimono, and as the officer appeared she hurriedly shoved the point of the knife apparently toward herself. Nielsen thought she had stabbed herself and did not attempt to extricate the knife,

the handle of which was still protruding. Finally he saw that the knife had simply been concealed in her bosom and then he took it out, half expecting to see a stream of blood follow.

The woman was taken to the police station and placed in a cell. She said her name was "Sing" and the desk clerk registered her as "Miss Sing."

She could speak English only imperfectly and it was difficult to get a connected story from her. From what could be learned she was employed as a cook by Murakami. She said that she had been sick for a long time, and that her husband had left her, and that she had no money. Because of all her "pilikia" she was going to kill herself. The knife was taken away from her, and the clerk asked if she would go somewhere and hide and then stab herself, if it was returned. "Yes, gimme," the woman said, as she reached out for the knife. Her eyes were very much swollen, as if she had been weeping for hours. She was thoroughly searched and every article of clothing with which she might hang herself was removed. Even her extra switch of hair was taken away.

Embezzler Was Here. John K. Brown, who embezzled \$103,000 from the Union Banking Co. of New Holland, O., has been arrested at San Francisco. He told the police he had lately been in Honolulu looking for work.

PALOLO LAND DISPOSED OF

Site for Insane Asylum and Tract for Homes.

In an unusually short session yesterday, the executive council made two important dispositions of Palolo valley lands.

The recommendation by the Board of Health of a tract of 700 acres as a site for the new Insane Asylum was adopted. It is placed in the hands of the Superintendent of Public Works, who will advertise for tenders for the erection of the principal buildings. There is \$75,000 appropriated out of loan funds for the purpose. The land contains good soil for farming and abundance of water. Palolo valley is one of the most beautiful regions in the neighborhood of Honolulu.

Another tract in Palolo valley, containing a little more than 36 acres, was devoted to homestead purposes with a special view to the benefit of native Hawaiians. It will be divided into one-acre lots and conveyed under the 999-year lease system. By this system the occupant enjoys the advantages of practical ownership, the only deductions from that status being a nominal rental and an inability of the occupant to alienate the land.

THE ELECTIONS

[The Official and Commercial Record.]

The result of the Oahu County elections is highly encouraging to the friends of honest government. The initiation of county government will be in the hands of the party which gave it to the Territory, and under the control of responsible men.

The difficulties and problems attendant upon the new government will be many. The Board of Supervisors, especially, have a difficult task ahead of them—one involving much time and work. They should not be criticised too harshly if they do not always do the best thing possible.

The "best thing" is frequently a matter of opinion, in which the reconciling of conflicting interests and policies has to be considered. A sympathetic spirit toward the new officials should therefore be manifested, until they have a full and fair opportunity to show what they can do.

One lesson to be drawn from the election is that the normal Republican strength on Oahu is sufficient to carry any election, if it is organized and if the ticket is such as to command the full support of the party.

Only two Republican nominees failed of election on Tuesday. What the reasons were for the failure is not now the point. The point to be remembered is that any scratching of the regular ticket is fatal. The full strength of the party is necessary to secure success.

No ticket which does not secure practically the unanimous support of the party can succeed.

Another lesson to be drawn is that the scratchers—that is to say, the independent thinkers, are mostly in the Republican party. The Home Rule voters will, as a rule, vote for anything that bears the party label. Many Republican voters, on the other hand, exercise the power of scratching the names of a candidate whom they object to. As a consequence of this independent spirit, the Republicans cannot be too careful in their future nominations.

The Auburn editress says: "There would be less need of prisons if more girls and boys stayed on the farm." That's right; for putting stones in fleeces of wool, the small apples in the middle of the barrel, selling limed eggs for fresh ones, and the lies of a horse-trade are not, like stealing a door mat, prison offenses.—The Star of Hope Sing Sing Prison.