

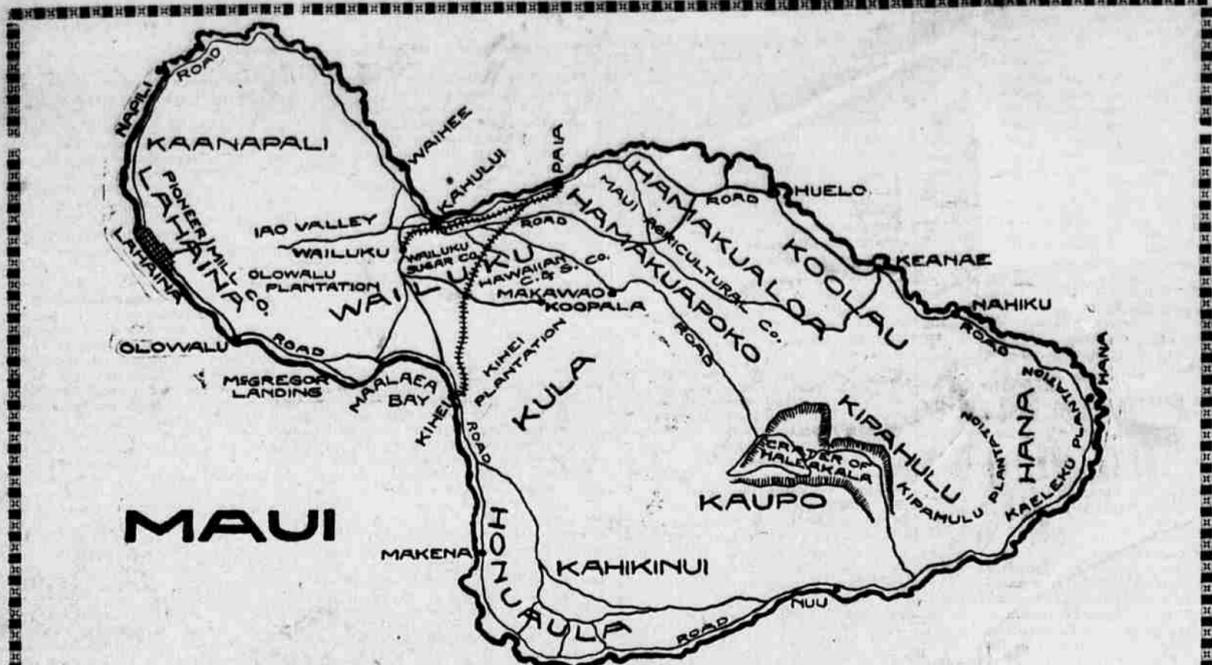
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TWELVE-FOOT TIDAL WAVE ON MAUI COAST



SCENE OF TIDAL WAVE—NARROWEST PART OF ISLAND.

The Crippled Wharf at Maalaea Bay Is Said to Have Been Destroyed.

(By Wireless Telegraph.)

KAHULUI, August 16.—2:10 p. m.—Antone De Rego, of the Half Way House, reports that the new wharf at McGregor's Landing has been damaged and the wharf at Maalaea bay destroyed by a tidal wave. The water rose to a height of twelve feet. Kahului harbor was not affected.

[A message was sent to Lahaina for further particulars, with the following result:]

LAHAINA CONFIRMS NEWS.

LAHAINA, August 16.—The wharf-keeper at McGregor's Landing says the tidal wave occurred last night. The water rose about twelve feet. No particular damage was done there. The wharf-keeper at Maalaea is a Japanese who cannot speak English. The sea is very rough at Kihei and McGregor's. It is calm at Lahaina.

[Engineer Howland said last evening that the wharf at Maalaea bay was in bad shape while that at McGregor's Landing was in fine condition.]

MRS. NEWCOMB DEAD.

The wife of Eugene R. Newcomb at Kaanapali died at seven o'clock this morning.

NOT BIG GUNS NOW BUT AN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

A Japanese Paper Wants One Called So That Complaints Against the Honolulu Police May Be Properly Adjudicated.

The Hawaiian Japanese Daily Chronicle, which wanted war a week ago is now willing to settle its latest case with Sheriff Brown by arbitration. Following is its proposition:

We learned that our Acting Consul Matsubara has sent an official complaint first to the County Sheriff, Mr. Brown, and second to the Governor, in regard to Komori's false imprisonment. We heartily approve of his intention in trying to protect the right of his countrymen. We understood that our Consuls generally hibernate themselves in the interior of the official building elevated themselves above common people, and believe themselves, that they have done what they ought to have done by hustling their staffs in arranging the census register or reports from the plantation coolies; therefore, it attracted our attention very much as a very wonderful event to hear that he had opened conference with a foreign government by sending an official complaint.

The fact that the police force imprisoned one Komori for nineteen days without having any charge preferred, it is said, there may be something mixed up in this matter, and it may not be good for Komori to be so much excited, and there also is some arguments concerning the rights of the

County Sheriff, whether he can keep a person in jail over 48 hours without trial or not.

Let us put this legal point aside and let the specialist study it. From the point of view of common sense and see if he thinks it was a fault or illegal action of the police force, and if it is, a case of false imprisonment, Komori or his friends should examine the matter and let the court decide who is to blame. But we very much doubt if it is proper that the Acting Consul should interfere in this matter and bring it to the international conference to demand an indemnity or damages.

If Komori was falsely imprisoned by the police he should start suit for false imprisonment and damages against Sheriff Brown or his prosecutor. He need not bother the Acting Consul to know what the police have to say or wait for an answer from the Governor. However this matter has already been taken up by the Acting Consul who has sent an official complaint to the Governor, so in case we fail to obtain a satisfactory answer, as we usually do, we must appeal the matter to our Ambassador plenipotentiary at Washington, in order of succession, and to hold the honor of the nation, to open international conference.

Has our Acting Consul such deter-

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DEATH OF S. F. LESLIE

Well-Known Policeman Succumbs to Typhoid.

The death of Captain Samuel F. Leslie occurred at the Queens hospital last night, shortly before 7 o'clock. His friends had been prepared for the sad news, as for the past two days his condition had been most serious, but the sad intelligence of the taking away of the popular young man, in the best of health only a few days ago, will come as a shock nevertheless. The illness which has resulted fatally was typhoid fever, the deceased having been taken to the hospital on Saturday, the 4th inst. There he battled with the disease, aided by the best of medical attention, despite which he began to sink some days ago. For the past two days his father, a resident of Kona, Hawaii, had been with him and his mother was to come over on Saturday.

Captain Leslie was one of the best known men in Honolulu, having been prominent in baseball and athletic circles for years. He was a graduate of Kamehameha and became associated with the police force ten years ago. Joining as a member of the mounted police, he worked his way to the top and has ever been most popular among his comrades on the force.

At the time of his death he was 33 years old. The body is now lying at William's undertaking parlors, guarded by a detachment of his late comrades. The funeral will take place on Sunday, allowing time for his mother to arrive on the Kinau. The funeral will be attended by the members of the force and the officials among whom he worked.

THE INDIAN DOCTOR IS UNDER ARREST

"Dr." Wallach, the purveyor of the Indian remedies and the professed curer of leprosy, was arrested last night by Chester A. Doyle, who has had him under surveillance for the past year at the instance of the Department of Health. The charge against him will be made this morning and will probably be that of practicing medicine without the necessary legal qualifications.

Wallach has been warned many times during the past year and a half that he could not practice medicine here without going through the regular course. His request that he be allowed to practice with his remedies on some of the patients at the Settlement was refused, and the trial of his mixtures turned down unless their component parts and preparation were told as an evidence that they contained something of a curative nature.

"So far as leprosy cures are concerned," said L. E. Pinkham, last night, in relation to the arrest of Wallach, "we have them offered to us very frequently, but in almost every instance by people who have never

TRAGEDY IN CHINATOWN

Suicide and Attempted Murder Last Night.

Attempted murder, followed by the suicide of Chee Sai Tong, the would-be homicide, took place in Chinatown last night shortly after seven o'clock. The dead man was the assistant manager of Wing Wo Tai, a prominent Chinese firm, and his intended victim is Kan Chee Kin, whose escape was an extremely narrow one.

Chee Sai Tong, who lived in a cottage at the head of Desha lane, the scene of the tragedy, had been sick for some weeks and had completed arrangements to return to China on the next steamship for the Orient. Kan Chee Kin and another Chinaman were at his house, smoking opium in an adjoining room. Kan Chee got up to go out and had just reached the door when Chee Sai Tong ran from his sick room and fired at him, the bullet ploughing through the fleshy part of the neck and knocking him down.

The shooter then returned to his own room, lay down on the bed, arranging the Chinese block pillow under his head and shot himself through the heart, the front of his coat being burned with the flash from the powder.

The third Chinaman immediately notified the police, who took the wounded man to the Queen's Hospital and the dead body to the morgue, where it was viewed by a coroner's jury, Deputy Sheriff Kalakiele in charge.

No motive can be found for the attempt at murder, although two sealed letters, found on the table in the dead man's room, may throw some light on the matter when they are opened and translated today. Beside the suicide's body was found the revolver used, a .38-caliber Ivers & Johnson's, with two empty shells in the cylinder.

A statement will be obtained today from Kan Chee Kin, whose condition, as reported from the hospital is not at all serious. This statement and the letters found will be produced at the inquest tonight, a translation of them being obtained at the Chinese Consulate.

In anticipation of further developments in the case, other than those which appear on the surface, a representative of the Attorney General's department is working on the investigation.

BETTER TAKE IN YOUR WASHING

"There are strong indications of a heavy rainstorm," said Weather Observer Stockman last evening. "The barometer indicates it. Things have been getting unsettled for a few days past and I should not be surprised to see a downpour. It may be that atmospheric pressure caused the tidal wave on Maui."

seen a leper and would not know one if they had. Usually these are secret preparations and we are wanted to use them as experimental work."

WELLMAN WILL WAIT ONE YEAR LONGER BEFORE STARTING

Expedition to the Pole Put Off--Anarchy Spreading in Russia--Progress in China--Earthquake in Argentina.

(Associated Press Cablegrams.)

SPITZBERGEN, August 17.—Walter Wellman announces the postponement of his air-ship enterprise until next year.

In recent interviews Mr. Wellman said that the preliminary work he had in hand, which included the building of several structures and the installation of a gas plant, might consume the summer and oblige him to put off his aerial journey until next July or August.

ANARCHY IN ODESSA AND ON THE GERMAN FRONTIER

ODESSA, August 17.—Seventeen anarchists seized the police station here last night, killed three policemen and secured \$8000.

ST. PETERSBURG, August 16.—Fifty assassinations occurred last night in this city.

A reign of terror prevails from the Vistula river to the German frontier.

SOUTH AMERICAN TEMBLOR.

BUENOS AYRES, August 17.—A severe earthquake has occurred at Mendoza. The people are panic-stricken. Damage unknown.

Mendoza is a city of 20,000 people on the western border of Argentina.

CHINESE CAPITAL PROVINCE MAY GET CONSTITUTION

SHANGHAI, August 17.—Yuanshaiki, the Viceroy of Pe-chili, is contemplating a constitution for the government of that province.

Pe-chili is the most important province of China, politically, as it contains the capital of the empire and the flourishing city of Tientsin.

BOYS COMMIT MURDER.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 17.—Four boys have confessed the murder of Fred Mullineaux on the beach Sunday. They were members of a hold-up gang, the eldest being eighteen.

BELGIAN LABOR RIOTS.

BRUSSELS, August 17.—Seventy-five thousand workmen made a demonstration last night against the proposed reduction of working hours.

NEW G. A. R. LEADERS.

MINNEAPOLIS, August 17.—E. B. Brown of Ohio has been elected commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic and Archbishop Ireland chaplain.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

LOS ANGELES, August 17.—H. Sanderson, a millionaire, murdered his wife with a razor last night and committed suicide. He was insane.

A SOUTH CAROLINA LYNCHING.

GREENWOOD, S. C., August 17.—A negro was lynched here last night while the Governor was pleading with the mob.

IN THE BALKAN BELT.

SOFIA, August 17.—Conflicts between Greeks and Bulgarians threaten the peace of the Balkans.

KOMURA IN LONDON.

LONDON, August 17.—Baron Komura, the Japanese ambassador, has arrived.

MANY BRAZILIANS KILLED.

BAHIA, Brazil, August 17.—In an explosion here twenty-one persons were killed.