

SPORTS PAGE



ST. LOUIS DROPPED FIRST GAME, BUT WON IN THE NEXT TWO

(Special Cablegram to Advertiser.)

YOKOHAMA, November 9.—The opening game in the series being played between the St. Louis baseball team of Honolulu and the university nines of Japan was won by the Keio University. The game at the end of the ninth innings was tied, the score being three to three. The tenth, eleventh and twelfth innings were played without either team scoring, but in the thirteenth the home players broke the tie, winning by a final score of five to three.

The second game was played with the Waseda University. In this game the Honolulu players had fully recovered from their sea trip and the effects of the change of climate and succeeded in shutting the University nine out, the score standing: Honolulu 2, Waseda 0.

Yesterday the visitors met the Keio University nine for the second game, beating them in a closely played match. The score was Honolulu 4, Keio 2.

JAPANESE ARE AGAIN BEATEN BY THE SAINTS

(Special Cable to the Advertiser.)

YOKOHAMA, November 10.—The fourth game which has been played by the St. Louis baseball team since its arrival, took place yesterday against the Waseda University. The Honolulu boys won for the third time in succession, shutting out the University players by a score of four to nothing.

This is the second time that the Saints have shut out the Waseda University baseball team, the first game taking place on November 6, and the local boys winning two to nothing. This means that the St. Louis team has won three games out of four since landing, the only defeat being in the first game when Keio worsted them, five to three in a thirteen-inning game. The Saints wiped out this defeat in their second game by a score of four to two. They have now won the series against Waseda but will require one more game with Keio University. They also will play the Nobles and the Commercial School.

The Waseda lineup, as given in a game played against the team from the U. S. S. Supply, played on October 22, in which the Americans were defeated by a score of 9-1, was as follows: Oshikawa, 2b; Morimoto, 1b; Iseda, rf; Tonda, cf; Shishi-uchi, 3b; Tanabe, ss; Nishio, lf; Yamawaki, c; Kono, p.

The St. Louis Boys Enjoying Themselves

The St. Louis baseball nine have at last arrived safely in Japan and, according to the meager reports received in the mail last night, are having a good time. They are having no trouble over the financial end of the tour, that being fixed immediately after the arrival of the Siberia at Yokohama.

A picture postcard received by Jimmy Williams from one of the players says: "All hands O. K. Having a good time. Had a hard trip. Have not played any games yet, but will begin on the 31st. All financial matters have been fixed O. K. The Japs know the game. They have a skinned diamond."

Mr. Kurokawa, who wrote some time ago to Mr. Kobayashi, now of Yokohama, but formerly of Honolulu, to meet the boys and look after them, writes to the effect that the boys are in good shape and practising for their opening game with the Keio University, which was to have been played on October 30. He states that some of the boys were being entertained at private homes.

Manager Pat Gleason also sent a postcard to one of the St. Louis men who remained behind. Postcards seemed to be a specialty of the touring players. In the brief remarks contained on the card was one to the effect that "We have a hard proposition to buck up against," the interpretation being that the Nipponese are fast on the diamond and foemen worthy of the steel of the St. Louis players. Gleason also added the fact that the first game was to have been played on October 31.

The Siberia arrived at Yokohama on the 27th, but the Yokohama papers of that date, received yesterday, make no mention at all of the arrival of the Hawaiian ball players. The Japan Gazette, the leading English paper of the city, refers to the arrival of the liner from Honolulu, but particularizes about her only to the effect that she brought sixty head of cattle. The baseballers were overlooked in the excitement attending the arrival of the stock.

ST. LOUIS SCORE THEIR THIRD SHUT OUT OF TOUR

(Special Cablegram to the Advertiser.)

YOKOHAMA, November 12.—The Honolulu baseball nine played their fifth game in Japan yesterday and scored their third shutout. The game was with the Keio University, the score being: St. Louis, four runs; Keio University, nothing.

This is the third game with this team by the St. Louis nine. In the first, the opening game of the tour, the local nine defeated the Honolulu visitors with a score of five to three. The second game stood four to two in favor of the visitors, yesterday's game being the tie match.

ALL-HAWAII TEAM MAY GO TO COAST

If the All-Hawaii baseball team makes a good showing against the Mike Fisher All-Star team they will no doubt be given a trip to the Coast next spring. Jess Woods has taken the proposition up with Fisher and the latter states that if the local team can prove that they are good ball players that he can easily make arrangements whereby a team representing these islands can tour the Pacific Coast States and not only make a fine trip but could come home with a little change in their pockets. Barney Joy has demonstrated that the people are interested in Hawaiian players, and that they will prove drawing cards if they can play the game.

The idea is to arrange a schedule of games ahead with guarantees so that there would be no chance for a loss, or the stranding of the team. The universities and athletic clubs throughout the coast cities would be glad to play a team from here and proper advertising would be sure to bring the crowds through the gates.

Here is something for the boys to look forward to and an incentive for them to get in and do their best against Fisher's team. Just think what a drawing card the Hawaiian team would be in the States, if they could take a couple of games from the All-Stars. They would be getting offers from every city in the States. On the other hand a well outfitted team would be a great promotion scheme traveling through the States and they would do much to advertise this country.

"I am going to follow this scheme through," said Jess Woods when seen last night, "and if there is any possible chance I am going to take a team up this coming spring."

The All-Hawaii team is practicing hard to get into shape. Reuter is working harder than he ever did before and is in better shape than he ever has been. If the Coast players can hit the underhand ball he has developed lately, they must have their batting eyes with them. Reuter is more than anxious to see what he can do in fast company and if he can make good he will join the Frisco team next year. He is out every day of the week working hard.

Mahuka will be here Saturday on the Kinau and then the boys will work with a vim and go out every night. Mahuka writes that he is getting into first-class trim and will be in fine shape when the bell rings.

The public is waking up to the fact that they are to see some fine baseball and they are purchasing their tickets. The owners of automobiles have taken up most of the available space and at every game there will be from thirty to fifty machines full of spectators to watch the games.

The seats for single games will be put on sale at Gunst cigar store on Saturday morning. The Coast team sails from Frisco on the Alameda next Saturday.

YACHT RACE DECLARED OFF

On account of lack of wind, the third race of the second-class yachts for the Commodore Cooper Cup was declared off yesterday. The event was started promptly over the Pearl Harbor course, four boats leaving the starting line shortly after the first gun was fired. The Maggie led the way for nearly three hours in a drifting match, with the Defiance close on her heels, though she was overweighed by a crew of four men, which was entirely too much for so light a breeze. The Chip and the Myrtle were the rear guard, but did not make the best kind of a showing.

When the start was made the wind was from the south and came in little puffs, but with no strength, and none of the boats had a chance to show any of their speed. The Maggie was much lighter than she has been heretofore, a large amount of lead having been taken off her keel, and she caught each little puff of wind that came along. Shortly after the race was called off a brisk wind, from exactly the opposite direction to that which had been blowing, started up, but it was too late, and a second try will be made at a date to be announced later.

AN OLD MILL GONE

WAIHUKU, November 9.—The old mill at Wahee has been torn down. This mill was one of the first diffusion mills erected on the island and was considered to be a large mill at the time it was built.

MEETING OF SUGAR MEN

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has faced a cloudy horizon from some cause or other, and it may be that it will be our good fortune to come out from this apparent emergency in the way of labor without having sustained any setback or injury to the industry.

The trustees have made an attempt during the past year to get native labor from the Philippine Islands, but the attempt has been all but a failure, less than one hundred people all told having arrived as a result of an expensive effort to establish a regular immigration from that place. Regularly the trustees have discontinued their efforts in this direction, the obstacles and difficulties in the way seeming almost insurmountable.

"During the year, as you are all aware, we have been visited by a party of Congressmen; also by Secretary Straus of President Roosevelt's cabinet, and it seems as though a better understanding of Hawaii's necessities should prevail with the powers that be at Washington, and it is to be earnestly hoped that some good will result."

"Since your last annual assembly 100,000 acres of sugar cane have resolved themselves into 44,000 tons of sugar in Hawaii. The work of the association in connection with this tremendous achievement will be given you in the reports to be submitted. And it seems unnecessary for me to speak further on this point. In retiring from the presidency of the organization, I wish to offer my congratulations to planters generally upon the work of this year of 1907, the banner year in the history of the sugar industry of these islands, and I can wish nothing better than that the years to come may be no less years of prosperity than has been this year A. D. 1907."

SECRETARY'S REPORT

The report of the president was received with applause, after which the secretary of the association, W. O. Smith, presented the following particularly gratifying report of the progress of the industry on the various islands during the past year. Mr. Smith said:

The last annual meeting of the Association was held November 20, 21, 22 and 23, 1906, in the rooms of the Association in Honolulu.

At that meeting the following named Trustees were elected: F. A. Schaefer, H. P. Baldwin, W. G. Irwin, S. M. Damon, F. M. Swamy, E. D. Tenney, E. F. Bishop and W. O. Smith.

The Trustees organized and elected the following officers: President, E. F. Bishop; vice-president, F. A. Schaefer; auditor, G. H. Robertson.

COMMITTEES AND COMMITTEE REPORTS

This year an attempt was made to appoint the usual committees, but with the exception of the Committees on Labor and Experiment Station, which are active throughout the year, a feeling developed among the managers which appeared to be largely supported, that as subjects such as fertilization, irrigation, cultivation and more recently manufacture, are treated by the Experiment Station and bulletins thereon issued from time to time during the year, there remained very little for others to report upon at the annual meeting. Reports on those subjects are for this reason not available for this meeting other than as they may be touched upon in the report of the Experiment Station.

The matter of reports for annual meetings should receive further consideration and full expressions of opinion obtained from the managers to assist the Trustees in arranging for reports for future meetings.

It would seem desirable that reports should be prepared from time to time by committees of managers giving the results of their practical experience, and suggesting lines of inquiry, but it may not be advisable to require reports every year upon one fixed list of topics.

It might be well that while the meeting is in progress thought be given to the subject and before the day of adjournment the special subjects for report at the next meeting be decided upon.

If through lack of attention and effort, reporting by committees of managers of plantations be abandoned, and consideration and discussion be confined to the subjects presented by the reports from the Experiment Station, one of the important objects of the annual meeting will fail.

During the year the Board of Trustees have held thirty-six meetings besides which a special meeting of the members of the Association was held for the purpose of amending the by-laws of the Association.

The report of the sugar crop for the several plantations herewith submitted shows a total of 440,017 short tons, as follows:

Island	Tons
Island of Hawaii	143,891
Island of Oahu	119,273
Island of Maui	104,772
Island of Kauai	72,081
Total	440,017

The largest crop heretofore produced was in the year 1903 and amounted to 437,991 tons. The average crop for the last five years including 1907 has been 420,180 tons.

Returns show a total of 99,716 acres of cane harvested during the year, yielding an average per acre of 8,826 pounds.

YIELD OF IRRIGATED PLANTATIONS	YIELD OF UNIRRIGATED PLANTATIONS
Acres, 59,623.63; tons of sugar, 291,728.2; yield per acre, lbs., 11,525.	Acres, 49,292.37; tons of sugar, 149,205.98; yield per acre, lbs., 6,044.

YIELDS BY ISLANDS.

Island	Acres	Tons of Sugar	Yield per Acre, Lbs.
Oahu	18,594.64	119,272.46	12,559
Kauai	16,259.49	72,194.83	8,564
Maui	16,724.5	104,772.47	12,529
Hawaii	47,907.37	144,694.55	6,041

There is a slight difference in the total number of tons of sugar produced for the year reported to the Experiment Station and the amount as shown by the report herewith submitted. This may be accounted for by the fact that the plantations in reporting their tonnage to the Experiment Station report the total amount produced for the crop, while in reporting for the secretary of the Association they report the amount produced for the year ending September 30, 1907.

The labor committee will report the efforts to obtain laborers from the Azores and Madeira from Spain. A total number of 2430 Portuguese men, women and children arrived and 2246 Spaniards; besides these 88 men, women and children came from the Philippines.

The introduction of European laborers has been interrupted as a result of certain provisions of the immigration laws which have been construed to prevent even a state or territorial government from assisting the immigration of such laborers, excepting with legislative appropriations.

The organization of the Sugar Planters' Association was made in March, 1882, under the name of the Planters' Labor and Supply Company, which name was later changed to the Hawaiian Sugar Planters' Association. The benefits which have resulted from co-operation and concerted effort are manifest to all.

A review of the work of the organization during the past twenty-five years would be of much interest, but it would exceed the limits of this report. The period has been one of great moment in the history of these islands, and the industrial and financial development has been mainly the result of the progress made in the sugar industry.

It is to be hoped that, with the development of other agricultural industries and enterprises and the growth of commerce in this ocean, the next twenty-five years will show even greater progress.

Respectfully submitted,
W. O. SMITH,
Secretary.

Honolulu, Nov. 11, 1907.

TRUSTEES REELECTED

For the purpose of reorganizing for the business of the convention the election of trustees was called for immediately after the adoption of the reports. The board of trustees which had served for the past year, consisting of E. F. Bishop, F. A. Schaefer, S. M. Damon, W. P. Potenhauer, W. G. Irwin, E. D. Tenney, F. M. Swamy, H. P. Baldwin and W. O. Smith, were reelected, on motion of P. C. Jones, the election being unanimous. The convention then adjourned to allow the trustees to elect the officers of the organization.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The convention went into session again at 2 o'clock, the newly elected president, F. A. Schaefer, being in the chair. As a first matter of business he announced the election of himself and the other new officers, these being:

- F. A. Schaefer—President.
- S. M. Damon—Vice president.
- W. O. Smith—Secretary and treasurer.
- G. H. Robertson—Auditor.
- R. D. Mead—Assistant secretary.

BALDWIN URGES EXCHANGE OF IDEAS

President Schaefer further announced that the trustees had appointed a special committee to select the committees for the various branches of the work of the association for the coming year, this committee consisting of H. P. Baldwin, E. D. Tenney and E. F. Bishop. The report of this committee was then read, as follows:

"Your committee appointed to arrange the schedule of committees for the next annual meeting submit the following:

"Your committee believes that it is of great importance that the system of reports to annual meetings by managers should not be abandoned, but, on the other hand, that such reports should be made and careful attention given thereto. There are many practical matters in connection with plantation affairs that the Experiment Station staff cannot report upon.

"We therefore recommend that committees be appointed to report upon the following subjects: (1) Experiment Station, (2) Labor, (3) Cultivation, fertilization and irrigation on irrigated plantations; (4) Cultivation and fertilization on unirrigated plantations; (5) Cutting, loading and general plantation transportation; (6) Manufacture of sugar and utilization of by-products; (7) Machinery; (a) manufacture, (b) agricultural; (8) Forestry, and (9) Warehouses for, and storage of, raw sugars.

"We further suggest that the president appoint the chairmen of committees at this meeting as early as possible with the suggestion to said chairmen that before the meeting adjourn they hand to the secretary a list of members whom they desire to serve with them on said committees."

In presenting this report, which was adopted, Mr. Baldwin stated that he regretted to see that there was a disposition on the part of a good many of the members to attend the meetings

for the apparent purpose of being entertained and instructed, while at the same time shirking any part in the discussions or in drawing up any of the reports. He said that he did not think it wise to leave all the reporting to the staff of the Experiment Station, valuable as were those reports, but thought rather that there should be a freer and fuller discussion between the members of these reports and also reports on matters from the members themselves which the Experiment Station staff could not supply. He instanced irrigation in the field, the manufacture of sugar and the use of various machines in cultivation, as things with which the Experiment Station was not supposed to deal but things of the utmost importance to the plantation manager.

Mr. Smith, in moving the adoption of the report expressed very much the same ideas, urging especially that there be a free and full discussion of the reports brought in.

Mr. Baldwin further explained that he did not wish to seem to be criticizing the work of the Experiment Station, the value of which none knew better than he did.

PROGRAM FOR THE CONVENTION

The president then read the following program, which had been drawn up:

- Tuesday, November 12.**
- 9 a. m.—Visit to Experiment Station.
- 2 p. m.—Session at the Association rooms, at which reports will be read on the work of the Experiment Station.
- Wednesday, November 13.**
- 9 a. m.—Reports on forestry and on labor, the latter to be considered in executive session.
- 2 p. m.—Lectures by Messrs. Lew. ton-Brain, Terry and Swezey.
- Thursday, November 13.**
- Excursion by special train to Wahiawa, and the Ewa and Oahu plantations, returning in the afternoon.
- Evening, dinner at the Alexander Young hotel.

This program was all acceptable with the exception of the excursion, which may be cut out. A decision on that will be made this afternoon.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES

President Schaefer announced the following chairmen of the committees: Cultivation, fertilization and irrigation on irrigated plantations—H. P. Baldwin.

Cultivation and fertilization on non-irrigated plantations—John A. Scott. Cutting, loading and transportation—W. W. Goodale.

Manufacture of sugar and utilization of by-products—J. N. S. Williams. Machinery, manufacturing—W. J. Dyer.

Machinery, agricultural—Albert Horner. Warehouses for the storage of raw sugar—C. E. Wells.

Experiment Station—J. P. Cooke. Labor—E. F. Bishop. Forestry—L. A. Thurston.

THOSE PRESENT

Among those who answered to the roll-call yesterday at the opening of the session were H. P. Baldwin, E. F. Bishop, E. Broadbent, A. W. T. Boltomley, G. Chalmers, C. M. Cooke, C. F. Eckart, L. Lewton-Brain, J. Pasnoth, D. Forbes, Geo. Gibb, Jas. Gibb, K. S. Gjerdrum, W. W. Goodale, P. C. Jones, C. C. Kennedy, T. C. Davies, W. P. Potenhauer, T. H. Petrie, C. McLellan, A. Mason, W. G. Ogr, E. R. Paxton, G. F. Renton, John W. Ross, Geo. Ross, F. A. Schaefer, J. A. Scott, W. O. Smith, F. Scott, John Watt, W. T. Walker, Jas. Webster, C. Wolters, E. H. Wodehouse, W. H. Giffard, E. D. Tenney, A. Horner, H. P. Faye, Frank Atherton.

A WEEK OF ARGUMENT IN THE LOWRIE CASE

The whole week will be devoted to the \$400,000 Lowrie case, if necessary, by Judge Robinson. There is only one jury case set for trial this week before him, and it is expected that in that case jury will be waived and the case will go to Judge De Bolt.

From the looks of preparations, the whole week will be needed for the argument. There are a number of motions before the court or in sight. The argument yesterday almost reached the stage of arguing a demurrer that had not been filed, to an amended complaint that was not a part of the record. However, it was agreed to take up two or three of the motions pending and argue them together. The argument will begin at 9 o'clock this morning.

SOMETHING FOR THE CHILDREN

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