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make a suit while learning.
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SUGAR PLANTATION STOCKHOLDERS
HEAR REPORTS OF A YEAR'S WORK

Prospects of Waiialua Kihei Decides to Issue
a Half Million
Bonds.
Ewa's Output Close to
the Eleven Ton
Mark.
Kona Railroad Will Be
Valuable to South
Kona.

The stockholders of the Waiialua Agricul-
tural Company yesterday took steps
which will remove any objection made
to the bonds of the plantation, and
which will insure the floating of the
issue on the Coast. The changes will
involve the making of new trust deed
to the Hawaiian Trust Company, and
the changing of the name of the cor-
poration by the elimination of the
word "the" from the title. There was
adopted an amendment to the consti-
tution and by-laws, which makes it
possible to mortgage all the property
of the plantation.

There were a number of questions
asked the manager when he was
reading his report upon the condition
of the plantation. He said in response
to a query that the quality of the
sugarcane in the cane juice was increas-
ing with the grinding of this crop, in-
dicating that the same experience
with that had at Ewa. He was asked
as to the amount of the short crop,
and he said that the estimate for the
year was 16,000 tons, and when he
considered the great discrepancy be-
tween his figures and the actual re-
turns last year, it made it distasteful
to him to make an estimate. He thought
the crop would come up to his
figures this year. President Atherton
then asked if the manager did not ex-
pect a greater return than 16,000 tons.
Mr. Goodale would not commit him-
self, but he responded that there were
opinions that there would be more, and
this seemed to be borne out by the
output already made.

Owing to the absence of C. M. Cooke
and E. D. Tenney the following were
chosen directors: J. B. Atherton, W.
F. Allen, E. J. Lowrey, W. A. Bowen
and Henry Waterhouse. It is uncer-
tain what when the two men men-
tioned return they will be given places
on the board.

The report of Manager Goodale,
which was exceedingly satisfactory to
the stockholders of the corporation
present was in part, as follows:
Planting the crop of 1901 was finished
in January, 1900, and replanting in
February. Grinding the crop was be-
gun on January 21, and was finished
on August 12. The total yield was 12,
019.13 tons, cut from 2,901.17 acres, an
average yield of six tons per acre. We
expected to take off 16,000 tons. The
shortage of 3,980.87 tons was due to
the dry weather, which reduced the
yield of the cane earliest planted on
lands irrigated by water from the
Kaukonahua stream, the short growth
of the late plant and the rains of No-
vember, December, January and Feb-
ruary, 1901, which prevented the ripen-
ing of the cane and resulted in low
quality of the juice.

The crop of 1902 is to be harvested
from 2,397.45 acres of plant cane, 1,
059.64 acres of two-year ratoons, and
300 acres of one-year ratoons, as total
area of 2,727.41 acres. As reported last
year the crop of 1902 will be short 800
acres of plant cane, owing to delay in
getting pump No. 6, grinding the crop
of 1902 was begun on January 8. Es-
timated crop of 1902, 16,000 tons.

Careful surveys and estimates have
been made for the proposed dam
across the Kaukonahua stream for
storing storm waters. The upper ditch
for delivering the water of the stream
on the Waiialua settlement lands and
development of power is to be finished
about March 1. The total expenditure
on this account to January 1 is \$88,
628.25, for which the Waiialua Agricul-
tural Co., Ltd., is to receive stock in
the Waiialua Water Company. Stock
has been bought in the California and
Hawaiian Refining Sugar Company to
the amount of \$25,000, and \$4,000 worth
of stock in the Hawaiian Fruit and
Plant Company, which carries with it
thirty-six shares of Waiialua Water
Company stock, and controls a part
of the land near the headwaters of the
Kaukonahua stream.

During the three years and three
months of development of this planta-
tion we have had the change from an
abundance of cheap labor to a scarcity
of men at high wages; have suffered
great losses from delays in delivery of
pumping machinery, preventing early
planting of the lands prepared. Have
lost by failure to arrive of machinery
for the mill, which delayed grinding
and resulted in deterioration of the
cane for the crop of 1900, and short
growth of ratoons for the crop of 1902.

The treasurer's report was taken up
next. It shows the total sugar crop
of 1901 to be \$1,025,383.85. The total re-
ceipts during the year 1901 amounted
to \$1,790,503.54.

The disbursements show the total
cash outlay during 1901 for operating
expenses to have been \$1,009,708.69.
Permanent improvements have been
made to the amount of \$549,238.81,
which sums together with expenses,
re-bonds, interest paid on bonds, stock
of supplies, merchandise and building
material increased, stock in California
and Hawaiian Sugar Refining Company,
Hawaiian Fruit and Packing Com-
pany, and Waiialua Water Company,
etc., makes the total cash disburse-
ments \$1,699,499.84.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Spear, who left
in the Alameda for San Francisco, after
spending their honeymoon in Hono-
lulu, will go to housekeeping in their
new home on Sutter street.

Advertisement for ladies' and infants' wear, featuring a catalog of goods and contact information for I. Magrin & Co.

The adjourned annual meeting of the
stockholders of Kihei Plantation Com-
pany was held yesterday at Assembly
Hall, over Castle & Cooke. The presi-
dent, H. P. Baldwin, presided, and
there were over 30,000 shares repre-
sented.

In view of the recent change of man-
agement, the manager's report was
presented by the president, H. P. Bald-
win.

After the presentation of the usual
secretary's report, showing the finan-
cial status of the company, the previ-
ously explained proposition for issu-
ing bonds was presented to the com-
pany. After considerable discussion it
was unanimously voted that the com-
pany issue bonds to the amount of
\$500,000, bearing interest at 5 per cent,
payable in not less than five, nor more
than fifteen years, with a redemption
fund provided of not less than \$25,000
a year, beginning the fifth year.

All that was considered necessary to
issue the bonds was the estimate of the
amount of the advances made by the
agents on open account. The placing
of bonds to this amount had already
been arranged for. The balance of
\$150,000 of the bond issue is to be held
for further development of the prop-
erty, or such other uses as the com-
pany may wish to make thereof.

From the manager's report it ap-
pears that the first crop, from various
causes, was disappointingly small, but
that the second crop, now being har-
vested, is of good size, the minimum
estimated being 6,800 tons, and the max-
imum, 7,400 tons.

The largest item of expense is fuel,
and the reduction in the cost of this
item of not less than 33 per cent is ex-
pected by the substitution of crude
oil for coal as fuel. The apparatus for
this change is now being installed, and
the change will be completed
within a few months. In addition, as
a source of economy, is the expectation
of procuring a supply of ditch water
for use as fuel.

The election of officers resulted in the
following:
H. P. Baldwin, president; David Ka-
wanakoa, vice president; L. A.
Thurston, secretary; J. P. Cooke,
treasurer; J. H. Soper, auditor.

KAMALO MEN CONFIDENT

Directors Pass on Financial Matters
and Discuss Future.

At the meeting of the Kamalo Sugar
Company yesterday there was a feel-
ing of confidence, which, though it was
displayed in a small way, was suffi-
cient to give hopes for the future. The
meeting was called for the purpose of
considering the matter of certain
notes, which are outstanding. They
were presented by Messrs. Daxton, Hitch-
cock, Deane, Lewis and Evans. The
financial matters were arranged satis-
factorily. During the discussions it
was said repeatedly that upon a favor-
able verdict from the Supreme Court
there would be progress made with the
company. The plan is said to be the
reduction of the capital stock by one-
half and then there is promised the
funds necessary to carry through the
plantation.

South Kona Coffee Company.

The stockholders of the South Kona
Coffee Company met yesterday at the
office of W. R. Castle and elected offi-
cers for the coming year. The lands
of the company are principally those
which are embraced in the limits of the
South Kona Sugar Plantation, and
there were no reports of great value to
be submitted. The following officers
were elected: J. B. Castle, President;
F. J. Lowrey, Vice-President; A. N.
Campbell, Treasurer; P. L. Weaver,
Secretary; W. R. Castle, Auditor.

TOTAL RAINFALL OF HAWAIIAN ISLANDS FOR THE PAST YEAR

Table showing total rainfall in inches for various islands and locations in Hawaii and Maui for the past year.

When the report of Manager Renton
of the Ewa Plantation Company was
read at the meeting of the stockhold-
ers yesterday morning, held in the
Castle & Cooke's directors room, there
was applause over the showing he
made, and this was followed by a
unanimous vote of thanks for the re-
sults accomplished. In addition, the
stockholders received with applause
the statement of Chairman Atherton,
of the board of directors, that there
seemed to be no reason to believe that
there would be any change made dur-
ing the year in the matter of the pay-
ment of the regular dividends. He
said also that stockholders must not
believe street rumors, but get infor-
mation direct from the agents.

The meeting was a large one, and
the stockholders showed a lively in-
terest in everything which was
brought before them. The questions
were many, and the meeting was char-
acterized by harmony throughout. The
matter of the use of a cane loader was
brought to the attention of Manager
Renton, and he said that the experi-
ments on Maui were being watched
with interest. There was a question,
when in the report of the treasurer it
was shown that there was a surplus
of \$400,000, if this was available for
dividends. It was shown that this
amount, while considered as surplus,
was in reality invested in betterments
of the plantation. An appropriation of
\$25,000 for kindergarten and religious
work was made, and the hospital was
ordered charged to the general expense
account for the coming year. The re-
port of Manager Renton in part is as
follows:

The product of the past year has
been taken from the largest area and
has reached the greatest yield per acre
in the history of the plantation. Had
it been possible to have manufactured
the whole into sugar before the end of
last August the average would cer-
tainly have reached over eleven tons
of sugar. Grinding was begun on
January 31 and completed on Novem-
ber 29th; and, in spite of the attend-
ant drawbacks at mill, the factory out-
put exceeded that of any previous
year, averaging 3,127 tons per calendar
month, inclusive of holidays, break-
downs, or delays from scarcity of la-
bor. This showing is in excess by
205 tons monthly of any former sea-
son.

The amount of land from which cane
is to be harvested during this coming
year is greater by 453 acres than that
for 1901. Owing, however, to the de-
lays in grinding consequent upon the
scarcity of labor during 1900, a por-
tion of the ratoons had a late start.
On account of the same stringency
some of the plant cane was not set
out until the winter season of that
year had commenced. Nevertheless,
in all but two of these backward fields
there has been no flowering to speak
of, and the canes are still growing,
which will offset very materially the
late start. Taking this into considera-
tion, together with the probability
that the crop of 1902 will be harvested
earlier than that for the past season
with a correspondingly lower depre-
ciation of canes, I have no hesitation
in placing the output of this year at
20,000 tons.

Reference to field statistics will
show the crop of 1902 to be 3,383.2
acres. Of this, but 608 acres is plant
cane. With two exceptions of fields
ground during the rainy season of 1901
and necessarily very much cut up by
teams, every acre of the plant cane of
1901 was ratooned. By comparing cost
of cultivation of plant cane with that
of ratoons, it will be seen that the lat-
ter in 1901 cost \$46 per acre less than
the former.

The second ratoons, which, for the
first time on this estate cover a fairly
large area, were carried on for pre-
cisely the same reasons as the first
ratoons. Judging from present ap-
pearance...

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The stockholders of the South Kona
Agricultural Company met yesterday
afternoon in the rooms of W. R. Cas-
tle. There was a full meeting, but the
business before the meeting being such
that there were needed reports to make
it full and complete, an adjournment
was taken until March 12th. Discussion
was had over the proposal of the Kona
Railroad Company to complete such a
section of railroad as would enable the
milling of the South Kona's 250 acres of
cane now growing, at the mill of the
Kona Sugar Company.

The proposition of Jacob Coeper is
that the South Kona Company pay a
part of the expense of the construction
of the line, and this appealed to the
stockholders, but no definite action
will be taken until the meeting, which
is to be held next month.

HONOKAA'S OFFICERS.

Stockholders Hear Reports and
Choose New Officers.

Of the 100,000 shares of stock in the
Honokaa Sugar Company, there were
\$9,000 represented at the meeting held
at the offices of F. A. Schaefer & Co.,
yesterday. The meeting was a short
one, owing to the fact that the only
business before the stockholders was
the consideration of the reports and the
election of officers.

The report of the manager showed
that owing to the drought, the crop
would be about 8500 tons. The outlook
for the crops of the next two years
was very good and the stockholders
feel very much encouraged by the pros-
pects for the future. The following offi-
cers were elected:

Apokaa Elects Officers.

The stockholders of the Apokaa Sugar
Company, being entirely those of the
Ewa plantation, did not hold a
meeting yesterday, but left the matter
of the discharge of the business to the
directors. The stock is held by the
Ewa company, five shares being in the
names of the five directors of that cor-
poration, so that the legal existence of
the plantation may be kept distinct.
The meeting was a very short one, it
being shown that the profits for the
year were \$7000, but there was a debt
of \$15,000 to be provided for. The same
officers, as in the case of the Ewa plan-
tation, were elected.

OPERA HOUSE

Saturday Evening
March 15

Grand Production

OF A SERIES OF INTERESTING IN-
CIDENTS IN
Ancient Hawaiian History

Adapted for the stage by the Hawaii
Ponoi Dramatic Company, to be pre-
sented in English by Native Hawaiians
on Saturday evening, will be produced
a melodrama in two acts, entitled

The Lady of the Twilight

New Scenes! New Costumes! New Songs!
A musical interlude by the Company.

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LANDING OF LONO AND HIS
DEATH. Characters by the Company.
A scene of realistic accuracy has been
specially designed and painted for
these representations.

OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF
Customs, Port of Honolulu, Hawaii,
February 15, 1902.—Notice of Seizure.—
In accordance with the provisions of
Article 1507, Customs Regulations of
1899, notice is hereby given that, on
December 14, 1901, at Honolulu, Hawaii,
L. E. R. Stackable, Collector of Customs
has, seized, for a violation of section
22, act of July 24, 1897 (seizure No. 159)
one (1) package containing one black
grograin silk dress skirt, marked Mrs.
W. Harpham, Waiialua. Any person
claiming said article, must appear and
file with the Collector of Customs his
or her claim to the same within twenty
(20) days from the date of the first
publication of this notice. E. R.
STACKABLE, Collector of Customs.

WAIANAE CO., LTD.

THE ADJOURNED ANNUAL
meeting of the stockholders of the
Waianae Co., Ltd., will be held at the
office of J. M. Dowsett, Merchant
street, on Monday, March 3, 1902, at 10
o'clock a. m.
J. M. DOWSETT, Secretary.
Honolulu, T. H., Feb. 25, 1902. 6192

BY AUTHORITY.

NOTICE.
Office Commissioner of Agriculture and
Forestry, Honolulu, February 25,
1902:

IT HAVING COME TO THE
knowledge of this department that it is
the intention of certain persons to
carry the lantana scale (Orthezia insi-
gnis), now prevalent in certain dist-
ricts of the Island of Maui, to other
districts on that Island, and also to
other islands of the group where lan-
tana is growing; it is earnestly re-
quested that all persons co-operate
with this department in its efforts not
to spread the scale until it has been
finally determined that it is not detri-
mental to other vegetation. The gov-
ernment entomologist, who is about to
leave for Mexico to find beneficial en-
emies for the destruction of lantana,
and strongly advises the above request,
is of the opinion that the lantana scale
is dangerous to other vegetation.

WRAY TAYLOR,
Commissioner of Agriculture and
Forestry. 6102

Election of Officers.

AT THE ANNUAL MEETING OF
the trustees of the United Chinese So-
ciety, held on January 31, 1902, the
following officers were elected to serve
for the ensuing year:
Wong Kwee, President.
Chong Mee Hing, Vice President.
Li Cheung, Secretary.
Chong Pak Shan, Asst. Secretary.
Yim Qun, Treasurer.
Lau Tong, Asst. Treasurer.
LI CHEUNG,
Secretary U. C. S.
Honolulu, T. H., Feb. 22, 1902. 6100

Mutual Telephone Co. Ltd.

STOCKHOLDERS ARE HEREBY
notified that by resolution of the Board
of Directors the remaining treasury
stock, amounting to 700 shares, is now
offered for subscription at par.
Stockholders have the privilege of
subscribing pro rata of their present
holdings.
All stock not applied for by March
1, 1902, will be allotted to such stock-
holders or others as may have made
application for same.
GODFREY BROWN, Treasurer.
Honolulu, February 1, 1902. 6081

NOTICE

CONSOLIDATED SODA WATER
WORKS CO., LTD.
AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD
of Directors of the Consolidated Soda
Water Works Co., Ltd., held this day
at their office, corner of Fort and Al-
len streets, the resignation of Mr. D.
T. Bailey as manager was read and
accepted, and Charles E. Frasher ap-
pointed to fill said vacancy.
CHAS. E. FRASHER,
Secretary.
Honolulu, T. H., Feb. 24, 1902. 6101

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

Olaa Sugar Co., Ltd.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE
stockholders of the Olaa Sugar Co.,
Ltd., will be held in Assembly Hall,
over the offices of Castle & Cooke, Ltd.,
corner of King and Bethel streets, Ho-
nolulu, on Friday, February 28, 1902, at
10:30 a. m.
ELMER E. PAXTON,
Treasurer, Olaa Sugar Co., Ltd.
Honolulu, Feb. 21, 1902. 6099

NOTICE

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS
against the Austin Publishing Com-
pany will please present the same, cer-
tified, at the office of Andrade, Peters
& Andrade, Stangenwald building, be-
fore April 1, 1902.

Oahu Railway & Land Company.

THE STOCKBOOKS OF THE OAHU
Railway and Land Company will be
closed to transfers from February 25th
to 28th, 1902, both dates inclusive.
M. P. ROBINSON,
Treasurer Oahu Railway and Land
Company.
Honolulu, February 29, 1902. 6101

Hawaiian Fibre Co., Ltd.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE
Hawaiian Fibre Co., Ltd., will be held
at the office of Mr. Cecil Brown, Mer-
chant street, Honolulu, on Friday,
February 28th, at 3 p. m.
In addition to the usual business, the
consideration of the purchasing of
machinery and the issue of additional
stock will come before the meeting.
W. C. WEEBON,
Secretary Hawaiian Fibre Co., Ltd.
Honolulu, H. T., Feb. 25, 1902. 6102

NOTICE

ANY WOMAN OR GIRL NEEDING
help or advice, is invited to commu-
nicate, either in person or by letter,
with Ensign Hattie E. Larrabee, man-
trion of the Salvation Army Woman's
Industrial Home, 483 King street, Hono-
lulu. 6088

NOTICE.

THE STOCKBOOKS OF THE OLA-
Sugar Co., Ltd., will be closed to trans-
fers from date to February 28th, inclu-
sive.
ELMER E. PAXTON,
Treasurer Olaa Sugar Co., Ltd.
Honolulu, Feb. 18, 1902. 6097

NOTICE

DR. M. E. GROSSMAN, THE DENT-
ist, announces that his office will be
closed until March 25th, or thereabouts.
Announcement will be made of his re-
turn from San Francisco. 6102

NOTICE.

PRINCESS KAWANAKOA
will receive on the first and third
Tuesdays of each month at Pualelani,
Waikiki, from 3 to 6 p. m. 6082