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U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, August 18.—Last 24 Hours' Rainfall, .03.
Temperature, Max. 82; Min. 73. Weather, variable.

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HONOLULU, HAWAII TERRITORY, THURSDAY, AUGUST 19, 1909.

PRICE FIVE CENTS.

NOTORIOUS DEN AT WAIPAHAU RAIDED

Fortified Gambling Joint Entered by the Police.

Spectacular and effective was the raid on the half-fortified gambling joint, close to the Waipahu railroad station, made Tuesday night by Police Officer John Leal of the Ewa district. It resulted in the capture of nineteen Chinese, together with money, dice, dominoes and all the paraphernalia of a paikau game.

This building has long defied the efforts of police to gain an entrance to the second story where the gambling has been carried on. The windows are all barred. The stairways are designed from corkscrews, and the heavy doors on the landings would yield to sledge hammers only after several minutes of hammering, sufficient, of course, for the players to assume poses as members of a reading club.

Leal watched the joint for some time, and finally hit upon a plan. He watched for Chinese leaving the place and creeping up in the dark, so that a look-out on the rear veranda would be unable to see him, he waited for a good opportunity to slip up the stairs. He went up the stairs and hid behind a lattice door near the end of a veranda. Chinese passed out of another door further down the veranda, but this was difficult for Leal to reach because of the chance of being seen.

After a number had left, he got into a place near the inner door and again waited. From there he was able to signal to an officer on the ground just below and that officer went upstairs. When the inner door next opened, Leal attempted to go in, but got only half his body inside, when the door was jammed against him.

"The only way they could get that door closed was to cut me in two," said Officer Leal yesterday, "and that wasn't easy. The two of us swung the door in, knocked the doorkeepers down, and caught the gamblers before they had time to get rid of the evidence." County Prosecutor Brown may go down to Ewa this morning to prosecute this case, as some of the Chinese interested in the house came to town yesterday to engage counsel.

Honolulu Chinese are liberal patrons of this game and it is not an unusual sight to see a dozen, and sometimes thirty, local men buying tickets at the depot for passage to Waipahu.

KULA PIPE-LINE TENDERS OPENED

Bids Are Well Within Estimate and Work Will Begin Soon.

Bids for the material for the construction of the Kula pipe line were opened by Superintendent Marston Campbell yesterday at noon, and Mr. Campbell states that work on the pipe line will be begun as soon as the material can be delivered, which will probably be within four months at most.

There were only two bidders, Hackfeld & Co. and the Honolulu Iron Works. The total of these figures had not been footed up by Superintendent Campbell yesterday, but he finds that the figures of both bidders are well within his estimate prepared for the Legislature.

The bid of the Honolulu Iron Works to supply galvanized iron pipe was much lower than that of competitor, but on other items, such as gates and valves, no estimate could be formed by Superintendent Campbell on account of the fact that the kinds were not specified.

The Kula pipe line when completed will be 125,000 feet, or about twenty miles long, and will be constructed of ten, eight, six-inch, and smaller sizes of pipe. It is estimated that it will supply a maximum of 2,500,000 gallons of water daily to the Kula residents, which will be enough to render impossible any such disastrous conditions as prevailed there last year on account of the long continue drought.

GAMBLERS ARE FOUND GUILTY

Judge Andrade Fines Quartet Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars Each.

Two hundred and fifty dollars was the fine which Judge Andrade passed out yesterday morning to each of the defendants in the cases growing out of the Advertiser's expose of the gambling den in the old house at Beretania avenue near River Saturday afternoon. Willie Vida, Sam Apoliona, George Kaea and Kaonohi Kekipi are the men, and all of them, through their attorney, gave notice of an appeal.

The stiff sentence imposed, jolted the men considerably, and when Judge Andrade fixed the bonds, pending the hearing of the appeal, at the amount of the fines plus the costs, there was considerable scurrying about in search of bondsmen.

All of the men are old offenders, and the flagrant violation of the law in which they were detected, red-handed, by an Advertiser reporter, brought forth the righteous wrath of the court upon their heads.

The only witness called by the prosecution was A. P. Taylor, the Advertiser reporter, who discovered and broke up the game in the Beretania avenue joint. Taylor told his story as already published in the Advertiser, showing conclusively that the men were gambling in a place plainly fitted up exclusively for that purpose. He told of the concealed doorway, with peepholes, and the picket, all plainly showing that the men had started in with the deliberate intent of making a business of lawbreaking.

No attempt was made to contradict Taylor's testimony. Charlie Chillingworth, attorney for the gamblers, asked a few questions in cross-examination, but confined himself almost entirely to queries regarding the geographical lay of the land.

No witnesses were called by the defense, the gamblers evidently preferring to make their fight in the higher court where they can trust to the sympathies of the jury in securing release from the payment of the heavy fines imposed by Judge Andrade.

M. H. DE YOUNG NOT LET INTO THE MUSEUM

Hon. M. H. de Young, proprietor of the San Francisco Chronicle, called at the office of the Bishop Estate Monday and asked permission to visit the Bishop Museum without waiting until the end of the week when it is open to the public. His request was refused by the clerk in charge who said, however, that he would take Mr. de Young's name and submit it to the trustees. It was possible, he added, that the museum would be opened Tuesday or Wednesday, to please tourists, and if the trustees decided to admit Mr. de Young, he would be notified. Last evening that gentleman said he had heard nothing. As he is the father of the museum in Golden Gate park he desired to make a close examination of the Bishop collections. His time being limited it is possible that he may not be able to see them at all.

REEXAMINATION TO BE AT KALAUPAPA

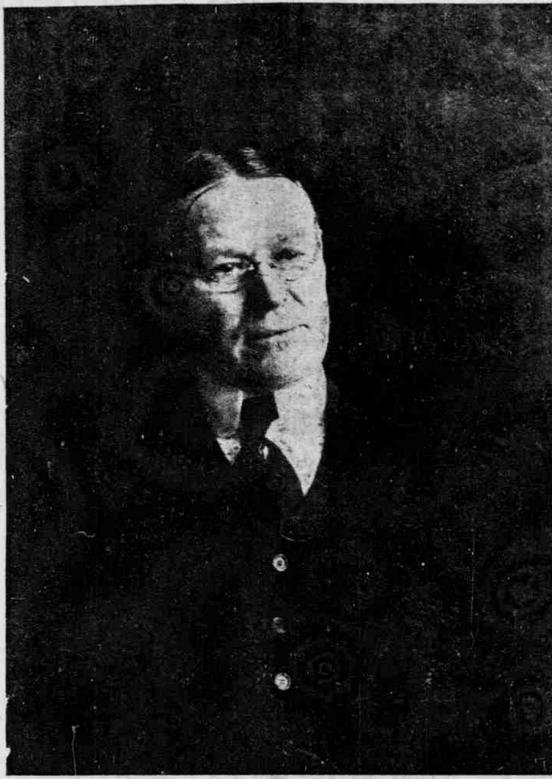
The plan of the Board of Health to have all reexaminations in the future made at Kalaupapa instead of bringing the applicants across to Honolulu, has apparently met with the favor of the people of the settlement. To the surprise of the Board, however, the applicants all chose Dr. E. S. Goodhue as their examining physician.

In addition to the nineteen patients whom the Board was requested by the Legislature to have reexamined, there are six others, making twenty-six in all who have a chance to be pronounced well.

SCHWERIN AND DE YOUNG WILL MAKE ADDRESSES

R. P. Schwerin, general manager of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, and M. H. de Young, proprietor of the San Francisco Chronicle, will make addresses before the Chamber of Commerce at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Both the speakers are prominent, particularly in the affairs of the western portion of the United States, and this being the first time they have had an opportunity of addressing the business community of Honolulu, the session will undoubtedly be largely attended.

DEMOCRATS ENDORSE HENEY AT PRIMARIES.



FRANCIS J. HENEY.

The San Francisco graft prosecutor who has received the Democratic nomination for District Attorney of the City and County of San Francisco.

PARKER MAKES FINE PRESENTS

Divides Valuable Stock Among Children and a Sister.

Some men wait until they are dead before distributing their wealth among their relatives and friends. Sam Parker doesn't believe that is the way to do it, and yesterday he exemplified his belief in a munificent way. He transferred 57,400 shares of the capital stock of the recently formed Parker Consolidated Irrigation company to his three sons, his two daughters and his sister. Helen U. Wideman and Eva K. Woods, Mr. Parker's daughters, are given 15,000 shares each; Samuel K. Parker, Ernest N. Parker and James K. Parker, the three sons, get 8000 shares apiece, and Mrs. Mary K. Stillman, Mr. Parker's sister, 3400 shares.

The deed was filed at the office of the Registrar of Conveyances yesterday, and sets forth that the remuneration for the transfer is \$1 from each of the assignees, together with love and affection. The shares are transferred subject to the terms and provisions of the agreement entered into on June 22 between Samuel Parker and John T. McCrosson. It is expressly provided that none of the assignees shall hypothecate, sell, mortgage, pledge or create any lien upon any of the shares of stock for 29 years after the death of either Mr. Parker or Mr. McCrosson.

The distribution of the aggregate of 57,400 shares leaves Sam Parker only 17,500 shares of the stock of the Parker Consolidated Irrigation company. The children will hold the controlling interest in the Koola ditch, subsidiary to the consolidated company.

NO VERDICT REACHED AT CORONER'S INQUEST

After four hours of bootless deliberation last night, the coroner's inquest, held to investigate the cause of the death of Savoio Tane, the little Japanese child killed on Leahi road Tuesday, took an adjournment until today. The little one is supposed to have been run over by one of C. J. Day's delivery wagons, but, though many witnesses were called, the testimony was so conflicting that no verdict could be arrived at.

Other witnesses will probably be summoned today and the inquest will be resumed at 7:30 o'clock this evening.

SMALL FIRMS PAY BIG ONES

The Substantial Business Tone Aided by Strikebreakers' Daily Earnings.

"The twenty-five hundred or three thousand dollars paid out every day to the strikebreakers and which they spend almost every day in the Ewa end of the business district, has helped to square up the accounts of the smaller tradesmen and business houses with the big firms," said George W. Smith of the Merchants' Association yesterday.

"Business is excellent in all branches of trade. Old debts are being wiped out; the big firms which have given credit, are getting their returns now."

"I have been told by an army officer that the army after July 1 would pay out about \$50,000 to the military forces every month, and that soon this would run to \$75,000. Much of this finds its way into trade circles and helps brace up the market."

"Honolulu is certainly enjoying a prosperous business year."

CITIZENS ASKED TO OPEN HOMES

McClellan Suggests That the Visiting Congressmen Be Entertained Privately.

It has been suggested by Secretary McClellan, who is conducting the Congressional party to Hawaii, that it would be an emphatic expression of welcome on the part of the people of Honolulu if a number of the Congressmen and their wives were to be invited to come as guests to some of the homes of Honolulu instead of being quartered in the various city hotels. It is Mr. McClellan's opinion that there are some in Honolulu from the various States represented by the Congressmen who would be glad to entertain their State Representatives and Senators in their homes during their stay in the city, making the visitors realize that while some thousands of miles away from home they are still in touch with their own State's folk.

This suggestion has been cordially received by the general committee here, but as yet there has been no response on the part of the citizens, a reticence that is regarded as decidedly strange in view of the reputation for hospitality and entertaining enjoyed by Honoluluans.

The Congressional party will be here on August 30, a week from Monday next. Between now and that date the committee would be glad to hear from

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SUTTON CAME TO DEATH BY HIS OWN HAND, SAYS NAVAL COURT OF INQUIRY

Wood in New York Sends Message to Weston in San Francisco by Motor Courier--- Harriman Sails.

(Associated Press Cablegrams.)

WASHINGTON, August 19.—The Naval court of inquiry, convened to investigate the circumstances surrounding the shooting to death of Lieutenant Sutton, of the Marine Corps, two years ago, has decided that it would be impossible to make a criminal charge lie against any of the participants in the fray, which ended in the death of the young officer.

The court finds that Sutton was solely responsible, and that his death was either due to accident or suicide.

The mother of the dead officer is not satisfied with the finding of the court, and declares that she will demand an investigation into the affair by Congress.

HENEY IS DEMOCRATS' CHOICE FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEYSHIP

SAN FRANCISCO, August 19.—The completion of the count at the primaries, shows that Heney has received the Democratic nomination for District Attorney. Fickert, Republican, is the choice of the Republican and Union Labor parties.

The completed count shows no change in the status of the mayoralty vote. Crocker has secured the Republican nomination, Leland is the choice of the Democrats, and McCarthy has secured the Union Labor backing.

MOTOR CAR COURIER STARTS ON TRANSCONTINENTAL TOUR

NEW YORK, August 19.—Private Parrott, of the Tenth Regiment, National Guard of New York, started on a transcontinental motor car trip from here to San Francisco yesterday. Parrott bears a message from Major General Leonard Wood, commanding the department of the East, to Major General Weston at San Francisco.

CRAMPS BID LOWEST

WASHINGTON, August 18.—The Cramps are the lowest bidders for the construction of the latest battleships authorized by the government and to them is awarded the contract for the building of the Wyoming and the Arkansas at a cost of \$4,450,000 each.

GREEK FLAG SHOT DOWN

CANEA, August 18.—The vessels of war of four powers today landed a combined force and shot down the Greek flag which was flying from the fortress, there being no resistance to the attack.

HARRIMAN SAILS FOR HOME

CHERBOURG, August 19.—E. H. Harriman sailed for home today. The railroad magnate appeared pale and feeble, but declared that he was feeling well.

SHAH WOULD KILL SON

TEHERAN, August 18.—It is here reported that the deposed Shah has made an attempt to assassinate his son who is now reigning.

AVIATORS GATHER

RHEIMS, August 19.—The leading aviators of the world are here preparing for the contests which will be held during aviation week.

TEN DEATHS FROM HEAT

KANSAS CITY, August 18.—There have been ten deaths from the heat in the last twelve hours.