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U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, November 24.—Last 24 Hours' Rainfall, Trace. Temperature, Max. 80; Min. 71. Weather, fair; fresh trades.

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SUGAR.—96 Degree Test Centrifugals, 4.36c. Per Ton, \$87.20. 88 Analysis Beets, 12s. 7½d. Per Ton, \$93.60.

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HONOLULU, HAWAII TERRITORY, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1909.

PRICE FIVE CENTS.

SUSPENSION OF COASTWISE LAWS

Merchants' Association Decides Its First Position Was the Right One.

FORMER RESOLUTION STANDS

Japanese Representatives Are to Be Entertained Right Royally.

The merchants' association has once more gone on record as being in favor of the suspension of the coastwise shipping laws. At a meeting of the board of governors of the association, held yesterday afternoon, the matter came up, and after full discussion, it was decided that the resolution adopted March 5 of this year favoring coastwise suspension should be allowed to stand. At the time the resolution was adopted, the vote stood forty-five in favor of suspension, eleven against and eleven did not vote.

This action leaves every public commercial body in Honolulu strongly on record as being in favor of coastwise suspension, resolutions to that effect having been adopted by the commercial club, the promotion committee, chamber of commerce and the merchants' association.

To Entertain Japanese.

The party of forty Japanese, representing the commercial bodies of Japan, who have been touring the States and who are to come through Honolulu in December, will be in the city twenty-four hours, according to a report that was made at a meeting of the board of governors yesterday.

Arrangements are being made for the entertainment of the visitors, and it is probable that the association will cooperate with the commercial club for an evening entertainment of the Japanese. It has already been arranged that the visitors are to be the guests of the chamber of commerce during the daytime.

Those present at the meeting yesterday were F. L. Waldron, C. Du Roi, T. H. Petrie, D. E. Bush, Geo. W. Smith and Emil A. Berndt.

Oppose Oriental Invasion.

The attention of the meeting was called to the fact that orientals are making overtures toward acquiring possession from the Territory of the lot on Smith street that was set aside as a site for a fire station. The statement was made that Marston Campbell had been requested to put the lot up for sale at auction and that it was understood that he contemplated taking such action. The board of governors adopted a resolution protesting against allowing the land to go for any use but that originally planned.

Mosquito Campaign.

T. H. Petrie, the representative of the shippers' wharf committee, reported that the board of health has already made overtures for financial aid in conducting its mosquito campaign. The board of governors, however, did not take any action yesterday, deciding that they would wait until they received a report from Doctor Hobday as to what financial assistance is needed, before taking action.

CAPTAIN UNDERWOOD WASHED OVERBOARD

At five o'clock on the afternoon of October 27, Captain Underwood was washed overboard from the American schooner Robert Lewers, just five days after she left Port Ludlow for Honolulu, and his body was not recovered. The disaster occurred almost in the twinkling of an eye, and the captain was not missed until some time after it had occurred.

The Robert Lewers was sending along under full sail on the afternoon of the 27th. A heavy sea was running and a stiff breeze blowing. A young sailor and the second mate were handling the wheel, the first mate being below in the cabin, and other members of the crew were at their usual tasks. Mrs. Underwood, wife of the captain, was in her cabin. Just where the captain was before the disaster, is not known, but it is thought he was just coming out from the cabin to the deck.

Suddenly a tremendous sea struck the vessel and completely enveloped the after end of the schooner, which was carrying a heavy deckload of lumber. The huge comber fell upon the deck and crashed in on the lumber load with a terrific force, causing the deckload to shift somewhat, giving the vessel a list. A sailor up in the shrouds halfway to the trucks was partially enveloped in the water.

FRIENDS OF THE SUFFERING LITTLE ONES.



MR. AND MRS. A. S. WILCOX, Whose aid and encouragement made possible the erection and equipment of the new children's hospital.

FOR CHARITY AND HUMANITY

THE KAUIKEALANI HOSPITAL

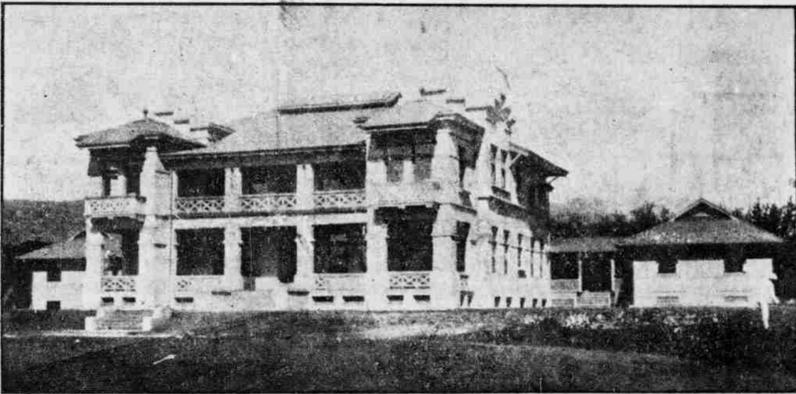
A Splendid Institution Will Be Formally Opened This Afternoon.

At three o'clock this afternoon the doors of the Kauikēalani Children's Hospital, on Kaikini street, will be thrown open to the public of Honolulu, and the splendid new institution that has been built to care for the little afflicted tots will be awaiting the inspection of the visitors. It is not necessary for the public to give a verdict; the names of the people who have had charge of the building of the hospital set aside all necessity for that.

Great preparations have been made to make the day a success in every way, and a large committee has forestalled any chance of the visitors getting hungry, by storing up refreshments. One thousand visitors are expected and provided for.

The ceremony of the day will be the setting in place of a memorial stone containing within itself a box with the pictures of those instrumental in bringing the work for this institution to a successful issue, including Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Wilcox, and the papers, etc., that bear historical interest in regard to it.

Mr. Wilcox, who furnished the money, will make the principal address of the day, and will be followed by Judge Dole, president of the board of directors of the hospital. Another address will be given by Dr. C. B. Wood. (Continued on Page Four.)



KAUIKEALANI CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, TO BE FORMALLY THROWN OPEN TODAY.

BAR ASSOCIATION HAD WARM TIME

Motion to Recommend De Bolt as Supreme Justice Results in Hot Speeches.

The bar association indulged in a heated debate at its meeting yesterday afternoon on a motion made by S. M. Ballou that a prior motion to recommend Circuit Court Judge De Bolt for appointment to the supreme court bench to succeed Justice Wilder, be indefinitely postponed. This motion was presented by several of the lawyers present, who voiced their opposition and finally outvoted the motion to indefinitely postpone the consideration of Judge De Bolt's name, stating that it should be discussed, at least.

Incidentally, so-called one-man rule came in for a vigorous scoring, various attorneys expressing themselves as being (Continued on Page Four.)

TWO FIRES WITHIN AN HOUR

Firemen Do Good Work With the Wind Carrying Showers of Sparks.

Two alarms of fire were responded to last evening by the fire department, the first one being turned in shortly after six o'clock from a box at Queen and Cook streets, the Central station making the run. A house owned by Lee Toma and occupied by a Chinese named Ho Sui, caught fire from an overturned lamp. The Hackfeld stables ran out the Badger fire extinguisher on wheels and took it to the burning house and held the flames down with the chemical apparatus until the arrival of the fire companies. The fire extinguisher prevented the entire building from being destroyed. (Continued on Page Five.)

PRINCESS OWNED MONUMENT LAND

Deeded Place Where the Famous Cook Shaft Is Situated to Great Britain.

The Cook monument at Kealahou Bay and the land surrounding it belongs to the British government. After much speculation by a number of people who were not qualified to pass on the matter and who never made any attempt to ascertain whether it did or not, Archivist Lydecker hunted the matter up and in a letter written to George F. Davies, then acting British consul (in September), gives the first accurate information regarding it.

Davies wrote to Lydecker about it and the latter went through his own records and those in the bureau of conveyances and finally dug up the actual deeds. The transfer which resulted in the acquisition by Great Britain of the famous land was strictly private, Princess Likelike, the late wife of ex-Governor A. S. Cleghorn, being the grantor and James H. Wodehouse being the trustee for Great Britain and grantee.

Lydecker did not attempt to find out how the Princess obtained the famous land at Kaawaloa, Kona, Hawaii, where the hardy English adventurer met his death and was satisfied when his search resulted in finding out what the two governments have been desirous of knowing for some time. (Continued on Page Four.)

ARCHIE MAHAULU TO ACCOMPANY CUPID

Judge Archie Mahaulu is the man who will accompany Delegate Kullio on the trip about the Big Island when Cupid leaves tomorrow for Hilo. Judge Mahaulu was asked yesterday to accompany the Delegate, and consented to do so. It was expected that A. D. Castro would go with Cupid, but on account of the alterations that are being made in the San Antonio Society hall, which demand his constant attention, Mr. Castro found himself unable to get away.

THANKSGIVING DAY EVENTS

Union Service at Central Union and St. Andrew's—Sports in Afternoon.

Church, football, skating and turkey is the program for today, Thanksgiving Day. Church comes first, of course, special services being scheduled to be held in various churches of the city this morning. This leaves the rest of the day for the people of the city to spend at home, on picnics, at the football games, in the country, or wherever they please and can be thankful.

The Episcopal churches of the city will unite in a Thanksgiving service at St. Andrew's cathedral at ten o'clock in the morning. This will leave the rest of the day for the members to devote to their families and to such pleasures as they may want to indulge in. (Continued on Page Four.)

JAPANESE AND CHINESE CITIZENS

Acting-Governor Presents Statistics Before St. Andrew's Parish Club.

The first anniversary of the men's club of St. Andrew's parish was celebrated last evening at a banquet in the Davies Memorial Hall at which not only club members were present but the Episcopal clergy of the Islands as guests of honor, those from the other islands having arrived early in the week. The banquet was served at three tables, a small one being reserved for the chairman of the club, Dr. Walter Brinkerhoff, Bishop Restarick, Acting-Governor Mott-Smith, L. Tenney Peck and Rev. John Osborne. At the conclusion of the banquet the Acting-Governor made an address on (Continued on Page Five.)

WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC IS ATTACKED

President Is Conferring to See What Legislation Is Required.

PUBLICITY RESULTS IN GOOD

Taft Will Be Thanksgiving Guest of Latin-American Ministers.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, November 25.—The amount of publicity given to the matter of the white slave traffic of New York during the recent municipal elections, when it was charged that Tammany protected the higher ups in the traffic, is apparently to result in a far greater good than the defeat of Tammany, which was its first aim. Yesterday, President Taft spent several hours receiving delegations opposed to the traffic and desirous of seeing the federal authorities take more active steps for its suppression, under special legislation if necessary. The President also took up the matter with members of his cabinet, holding a conference on the subject.

Other matters which took up his time included a conference on the matter of necessary amendments to the interstate commerce laws.

Thanksgiving Today.

Today the President will attend the Thanksgiving Day services to be held in St. Patrick's church, after which he will be the luncheon guest of the various Latin-American ministers at Washington.

NEW ORLEANS MAY BE SENT SOUTH

(By Associated Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO, November 25.—The cruiser New Orleans, just put back into commission after having been laid up for repairs and alteration for the past three years, is being held here in readiness to sail for the South when the state department has satisfied itself of the status of affairs in Nicaragua. The cruiser was to have been despatched soon to the Orient, the crew and officers of the Cheyenne having been transferred to her.

LOS ANGELES WANTS ARMY AIR MACHINES

(By Associated Press.)

LOS ANGELES, November 25.—The committee having in charge the arrangements for Aviation Week have requested the war department to send the army aeroplanes here to take part in the contests and exhibitions, the committee guaranteeing the expenses of transportation and of maintenance. A request that the dirigibles in use for army work be also sent has likewise been forwarded to Washington.

SAN DIEGO FAIR ENDORSED.

(By Associated Press.)

LOS ANGELES, November 25.—The chamber of commerce has endorsed the proposal advanced by the chamber of commerce of San Diego for the holding of a world's fair there in 1915.

CHIEF JUSTICE MILLS SUCCEEDS GOV. CURRY

(By Associated Press.)

SANTA FE, November 24.—Chief Justice W. J. Mills has accepted the appointment as governor of New Mexico. W. H. Pope will succeed him as chief justice.

William Joseph Mills has been chief justice of New Mexico since January 31, 1898. He is in his sixty-first year, having been born at Yazoo City, Mississippi, January 11, 1849. He graduated at Yale Law School in 1887 and practised law until his appointment to the bench of New Mexico.

William Hayes Pope, succeeding Mills as chief justice, was born June 14, 1870, at Beaufort, S. C., and is therefore only in his fortieth year. A graduate of the University of Georgia, he was professor of ancient languages there prior to his admission to the bar in 1890. Locating in New Mexico he filled many important public positions. He was judge of the court of first instance, Philippine Islands, in 1902-3, and has been associate justice of the supreme court of New Mexico since October, 1903.