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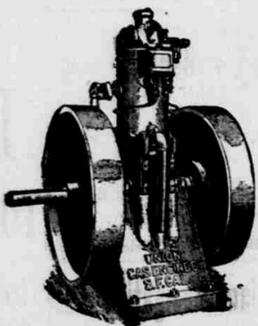
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### THE POLITICAL ART

What Journalist Norris of Philadelphia Thinks of It.

DISCUSSES POLITICAL SITUATION

FUNNY REVOLUTIONIST WILCOX MAY BECOME DELEGATE TO CONGRESS.

Opinion by Governor Dole Which Doesn't Stamp Him as a Prophet--Kindly View of Natives.

Edwin M. Norris, the Philadelphia newspaper man who spent six or eight weeks in Hawaii, in a letter dated Honolulu, July 31st, publishes a somewhat interesting comment in the Philadelphia Press on Hawaii's effort at learning the political art. The following are the salient features of the letter:

Briefly, the political situation is this: The white population of Hawaii is already divided between republicans and democrats, on strictly party issues, just as in the States. The republicans are safely in the majority. Both parties are definitely organized, with central committees and the interesting party and partisan details of the good old American political system. But the "third party," of which you have heard, is not the non-essential thing you have grown accustomed to in the States. The third party in Hawaii is just now the paramount problem of Hawaiian politics.

When the two national parties were organized here, two months ago, it was the general expectation that the native population would naturally follow the white leaders. That expectation has not been realized. On the contrary, the natives are showing a decided liking to a party of their own. This is the "home rule," or the "independent," or the "native" party--whatever you please in name. If thoroughly organized, the Hawaiian people are still numerous enough to outvote either the republican or democratic whites, though probably not strong enough to defeat the entire white population combined.

This native party is still in the making. Governor Dole believes it will fail. He told me that there is no competent leader who can organize the third party into a compact and harmonious body. Other conservative leaders among the white population say that when the time for serious business arrives the natives will lean upon the whites, just as they have done for a hundred years. For Hawaii has been ruled by the white man ever since Kamehameha I, the great king, united the islands under one government in 1795. Though a black sovereign sat upon the throne, white men directed the affairs of state under the monarchy almost as completely before as after the revolution of 1893. And whatever the color or language or lineage of the majority of the legislature, the white man will continue to rule Hawaii. So the substantial business man of Hawaii will tell you.

The Chinese will have a vote of about 500, but if this vote proves a factor it will be favorable to the whites, and is, therefore, no menace to white rule. Now, the native vote is a decreasing factor. The Kanaka is dying. The civilization process has not been an unmitigated blessing to him. With the white man's higher attributes have come the white man's sins, and the seeds of immorality have fallen upon a soil that yields a bountiful harvest of disease and death.

But the Hawaiian race, apparently doomed to extinction, will continue a potent factor in the Territory of Hawaii for some years. That would be clearly illustrated if it should happen that a man with Hawaiian blood in his veins should be the first to sit in the congress of the United States as the delegate-at-large of the people of the Territory of Hawaii. Which is not an impossible proposition by any means. Strangely enough, that first congressional delegate of the Territory of Hawaii may be a man who was literally laughed out of the Republic of Hawaii five years ago. Robert W. Wilcox, the leader of the notorious Wilcox insurrection in 1895, has returned to Hawaii and is actually campaigning for the islands in the hope of going back to Washington as Hawaii's first delegate-at-large.

The Wilcox rebellion is a joke in Hawaiian history not incomparable to the Jameson raid in South Africa. Aiming to re-establish the ex-queen on the throne of the Kamehamehas, his pogon explosion scarcely reached the ears of the republic. But Wilcox is back, and in the absence of a better leader that portion of the native population that has been waiting for an opportunity to show its disapproval of the course of the revolutionists of '93 is giving him a hearing and may give him its vote.

Meantime neither the republicans nor the democrats have settled on a candidate for delegate to congress. Of considerable more importance to the prosperity of the new Territory is the problem of the complexion of the forthcoming legislature.

The first law-making body of the Territory of Hawaii will have before it the business of the first significance. Under the republic cities and towns in the islands had no corporate existence. The central government at Honolulu made and executed the laws for the entire group. Now, under the American system, the people expect that greatest freedom of the individual consistent with political stability, which is the glory of

the American democracy. They are asking for home rule. And with this demand the first legislature will have to deal. Honolulu itself, a city of perhaps 40,000 population, is still ruled by the central government. It has no separate corporate being. Hilo, the second town of the islands, with a population of about 15,000, located 200 miles from the central government at Honolulu, likewise expects home rule. From time to time other towns will make similar demands. For the present, however, only Honolulu and Hilo will be considered. That will be a big job for the legislature. It means the formation of an entire municipal system, as exemplified in the Ballitt law of Philadelphia.

The plague which fell upon Honolulu last year, now happily stamped out, has left another difficult task for the legislature in the settling of the claims of property holders whose buildings were burned to prevent the spread of the scourge. A big portion of the city is a blackened waste of cinders. The loss to the government alone on account of expenditures to check the plague was \$600,000. Indirectly the city lost several millions of dollars. The insurance companies propose to test their losses. The property owners hold that they should not suffer the loss. Governor Dole holds that the burden should be distributed, that the insurance companies should bear a part of it, the property owners another part and the government another. The legislature will decide.

Then there is the difficult task of providing a revenue for the maintenance of the new territory. The former revenues from duties, amounting to over a million annually, is now cut off and goes to the United States government. That means much to Hawaii. Public improvements call for large appropriations. As yet taxes are low compared with the rates in the States--only 1 per cent. But there is a strong reluctance to increase the rate. However, it will have to be increased. Governor Dole says there is no plan as yet formulated, but that the legislature will probably provide for a loan to meet the present financial need. No difficulty is anticipated in floating such a loan, for the federal government is expected to take up the \$4,000,000 debt of the republic at the next session of congress.

These are the most important problems that will come before the first territorial legislature of Hawaii. Their significance is sufficiently plain. Upon an intelligent solution depends the future welfare of the new territory. It is a time when harmony is specially demanded. The prospect of a third party obstructing the work of reconstruction is naturally a disturbing factor in the business community. Besides, there is a split in the republican party that may or may not assume proportions sufficient to block desirable legislation.

The native Hawaiian is easily led. He clings to the white man as the vine clings to the oak. Lacking the stamina for vigorous individual initiative, easy-going, not over fond of work, he is yet a most lovable person, and not a bad citizen. Amiable, kind hearted, almost to a fault, hospitable far beyond the hospitality of the white man, he is singularly devoid of those barbarous characteristics which render the black man in America a menace to the States. If led by high minded leaders he will be a power for good in Hawaii.

Dole is Hopeful.

Governor Dole looks hopefully to the future. Here is his summation of the situation:

"The republican party is enlisting a good many natives, particularly the intelligent natives. The democratic party has not made much progress yet, but I think is likely to have a following of the natives, from the fact that the democrats have opposed annexation. Then there is a movement among the natives, mainly by conspicuous royalists, for an independent native party. I doubt whether they can succeed; they have no man equal to organizing the work that I know of among them, and I don't think that they can unite the natives. Eventually the two national parties will divide the population. This independent party will split on the other two parties."

"Are the royalists, as a whole, pretty well reconciled to annexation?" I asked. "I think so," said the governor. "A few do not give up. It is a matter of temperament. Wages are good, business is good, and only a few hold out."

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| Stations.  | OUTWARD.  |            |           |           |
|------------|-----------|------------|-----------|-----------|
|            | Daily ex  | Daily ex   | Daily ex  | Daily ex  |
| Honolulu   | 8:30 a.m. | 11:30 a.m. | 2:15 p.m. | 5:30 p.m. |
| Pearl City | 8:35      | 11:35      | 2:20      | 5:35      |
| Ewa Mill   | 8:40      | 11:40      | 2:25      | 5:40      |
| Waiawa     | 8:45      | 11:45      | 2:30      | 5:45      |
| Waiaina    | 8:50      | 11:50      | 2:35      | 5:50      |
| Kahuku     | 8:55      | 11:55      | 2:40      | 5:55      |

| Stations.  | INWARD.   |           |           |           |
|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|            | Daily ex  | Daily ex  | Daily ex  | Daily ex  |
| Kahuku     | 5:30 a.m. | 8:30 a.m. | 1:15 p.m. | 3:55 p.m. |
| Waiawa     | 5:35      | 8:35      | 1:20      | 4:00      |
| Ewa Mill   | 5:40      | 8:40      | 1:25      | 4:05      |
| Pearl City | 5:45      | 8:45      | 1:30      | 4:10      |
| Honolulu   | 5:50      | 8:50      | 1:35      | 4:15      |

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