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COTTRILL CABLES FOR FIRST DEPUTY

Negro Appointed as Hawaii's New Revenue Collector Fishing for Officers.

IS WIDEMAN OFFERED JOB?

Colonel Parker Said to Be the Sender of Message to His Son-in-Law.

A cable was received in Honolulu several days ago from some one, supposed to be Col. Sam Parker, representing Charles Cottrill, just appointed by President Taft to be collector of internal revenue for Hawaii.

A great deal of discussion was going the rounds yesterday concerning both its contents and its recipient, as this is the first vote out of that vast stillness which followed on the disappointing appointment.

Offered Position.

The contents are reported to be an offer of the first deputyship under the new collector, a position which is popularly supposed to be an unpopular one, as the coming collector is a negro. The recipient of the cable is by the same token reported to be Carl Wideman, son-in-law of Colonel Parker.

The answer to the cable could not be ascertained yesterday but there is no doubt that it has been received. The famous colonel is thought to have made Toledo, Ohio, one of the stopping places on his present continental tour, and it is a great deal more certain that the cable was dated from a place geographically near that thriving Ohio metropolis.

Beginning of Change.

This commences the appointment of the officers who are to take position under Cottrill, it being fairly certain that the present deputies will leave after the affairs of the office have been completely turned over to the new collector.

But maybe Cottrill will never get here. There is said to be a bitter fight going on in the senate, not only against Cottrill, but against the negro who has been appointed to the federal attorney-general's department. At any rate, Cottrill's appointment is far from being confirmed.

ESCAPES PROSECUTION.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 16.—Carl J. Cutting, a dealer in oriental goods, who was arrested here for undervaluing his imports in declarations to customs officials and defrauding the government, today committed suicide to escape prosecution.

MAY SUCCEED HIMSELF.

DOVER, January 16.—Col. Henry A. Du Pont, Republican senator from Delaware, today had a majority in the Republican senatorial caucus. He seems likely to succeed himself.

DEMOCRATS SPLIT OVER W. F. SHEEHAN FOR U. S. SENATOR

ALBANY, January 17.—In spite of the most determined opposition the Democratic caucus held here last evening nominated William F. Sheehan for United States senator. Twenty-five prominent Democrats declined to attend the caucus.

It is stated here by leaders of the now dominant party that this nomination, forced through the caucus by Tammany Hall, will do much to offset the victory at the polls last winter. It is conceded that the most determined fight will be made in the State legislature to beat Sheehan, with a split among the Democrats probable.

At the same time the Republicans held a caucus, and in spite of the friends of William F. Sheehan, who named him for candidate, Chauncey M. Depew, present United States senator, was re-nominated and the fight will be made for him as against Sheehan.

ALBANY, January 16.—John A. Dix, governor of New York, today created a sensation by advising Democrats not to abide by the result of the caucus for United States senator. Since William F. Sheehan, Tammany candidate, appears strong, Dix's cancellation has been taken as a blow at Tammany, which supported him in the campaign.

REPLEVIN BOOZE, LATEST THREAT

Japanese Teahouse Proprietors After Three Hundred Bottles Full.

The last of the raid that was made by Lignor Inspector Fennell on the premises of the "Charlie" and Hirano hotels on Kukui street, has not yet been heard of, and it is understood now that attorneys have been engaged to draw up a Replevin suit against the inspector.

Almost three hundred bottles of beer and sake were confiscated by Fennell and the recovery of these is sought, as well as damages against the zealous officer of the liquor commission. The results of the suit, if filed, are, of course, doubtful, as the defense will fight to the limit, the commission being determined to break up the illegal selling at all costs.

The intimation that the Japanese teahouse keepers are preparing to retaliate for the costly raid made on them is bringing out some assurance that the suit will be met by criminal charges on a number of points and for a variety of offenses, the result of patient investigation for some time past.

Have Evidence.

Neither of the places has a very choice history, what each has of it being found mostly on the records of the police court. Since H. Miyamoto, ("Charlie"), pleaded guilty to liquor selling a few weeks ago officers have found his premises being used for immoral purposes on three different occasions.

Young geisha girls that have been appearing in the place in their roles of professional entertainers are also causing the police some trouble. The haquetters frequently get drunk and assault them, one ten years of age, being found playing at one of the banquets, which in a majority of cases, turn out to be drunken orgies.

Girls Involved.

Banzai, the sixteen-year-old girl, who was sent away from Charlie's hotel by Deputy Sheriff Rose on one occasion, was the cause of the murder of another Japanese by K. Kawatani, in Kakaako, a week or so ago, she playing at the banquet at which the two were attending. An argument started as to whether a geisha girl was wanted or not, which wound up in blood, the girl having meanwhile slipped from the scene and sought safety elsewhere.

The evidence in a police court case some time ago showed that a Portuguese barber had kept a girl not fourteen years old in a room at Hirano's for two nights, the room adjoining being used by a similar couple. A dozen or so similar cases ornament the minutes of the court, and with these and other incidents in mind the threatened suit is not bothering the officers very much.

The last grand jury's investigation into these two places, which resulted in no report on them, may be looked into officially.

OUTSIDE CAPITAL IS ATTRACTED BY PINEAPPLES HERE

An important development has taken place in connection with the Wahiawa pineapple plantation. Yesterday the articles of incorporation for the Hawaii Pineapple Company were filed. A result of the organization of this company is that the management of the Consolidated Pineapple Company has changed hands and that a new board of directors has been elected.

R. L. Bentley, of San Francisco, is named as president, and with him as vice-president is J. B. Castle. The secretary and treasurer, Lindsay Scrutton, is also from San Francisco. These three, with J. F. Brown and F. B. McStocker, make up the full board of directors. Douglas Cushman has been appointed auditor.

The capital of the company is \$250,000, made up of 2500 shares at \$100 each. The limit on the capital is \$1,000,000. All the stock has been subscribed and \$25,000 has been paid in.

Bentley and Scrutton are both connected with the California Fruit Canning Company, and it really means that this company has taken over the Consolidated company's business here. Mr. Scrutton stated last night that there would be no change in the business and that the new company would run matters on the same lines as have always been pursued by the original company.

He also stated that he and Mr. Bentley had each taken an share of the new company for incorporation purposes. The stock will be proportioned afterwards, but it is not yet known upon what basis. Mr. Bentley is said to have this matter entirely in his own hands. Mr. Bentley was out of town yesterday. The final distribution of the stock is not yet completed.

WHIPPLE FOR SENATOR.

BOSTON, January 16.—Sherman F. Whipple was nominated for United States senator by the Democratic caucus today.

KOREAN AS SHE IS SPOKE IS NOT THE SAME KOREAN AS SHE IS TRANSLATED

Trouble is brewing for Interpreter Townsend of the Honolulu district court, who has been "doing" Japanese and Korean into English, and the same back again for several years. Townsend, it seems, does not speak Korean sufficiently well to draw his pay for the same, or at least this is the opinion of the Honolulu branch of the Korean National Association.

A petition has been drawn up by the members of the association, which may be presented to Judge Lymer this morning for consideration. Korean interpreting is fast becoming one of the necessities around the court, and Koreans are now frequent visitors to the witness stand.

Lately, the Korean witnesses have complained, upon the completion of their testimony, that Townsend could not make himself intelligible to them, and that he did not grasp the meaning of what they said. It is also asserted that when the answer of the witness finally finds its way into the English language it does not bear much resemblance to itself at the commencement of its linguistic trip.

Numerous complaints have been made to the officers of Chief McDuffie's staff by the Koreans, the staff's operations being largely responsible for the appearance of so many Koreans in court, but they have been referred to other authorities and have at last managed to get their national association to take the matter up.

ALL ARE WAITING FOR THE MAYOR

Supervisors Hanging Off Until Appropriation Bill Is Signed—Sanitary Jobs.

Peace is trying to break into the city hall. Where a few weeks ago there was talk of calling out the whole military force of the islands or else turning up and spanking a naughty little board of supervisors, now there is nothing but honey and kisses. Last Friday night's meeting was one that any man could have taken his maiden aunt to without upsetting her susceptibilities. What's doing? Nothing, and this is the reason for the quietness.

At tonight's meeting there is promise that an even greater quiet will prevail. The appropriation bill is to be brought up for its third reading and some appointments are to be spoken about. Perhaps some of these may cause a little friction, but it is not likely, and even if they do, why it is a certainty that they will be left over until next time, when the appropriation bill will have the mayor's signature on it.

Sanitary Appointments.

The two appointments to be made in the sanitary department are in the hands of the Mayor and it is not thought that the board will criticize them. The two men to receive the appointments will in all probability be Captain Parker and John Hogue. It is stated that an understanding has been arrived at between the Mayor and the supervisors about the matter.

Who is going to be the new road overseer at Ewa, and who are to be the men nominated by the board when they meet tomorrow tonight? All sorts of rumors were flying round the hall yesterday and if credence can be given to them the total number of men to be appointed will run well into the hundreds. One appointment lies in the hands of the Mayor, and the rest in the hands of the board, providing that it can not be helped.

Another thing that may burst also is that John de Freis may be renamed by

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REAR-ADMIRAL BARRY MAY FACE CHARGES

WASHINGTON, January 16.—Admiral Barry, until recently in command of the Pacific fleet, was retired in advance of his reaching the age limit, in accordance with his own telegraphic request, according to a statement given out by the navy department today.

Since the announcement of his retirement and report that he hastened it in order to avoid meeting grave charges, Secretary of the Navy Meyer has ordered that the charges in full be forwarded to the navy department, and there will be an investigation. The charges are said to involve Admiral Barry's moral character.

SECOND BATTLE OF MANOA VALLEY IS NOW BEING FOUGHT OVER HISTORIC GROUND

The first insurrection against the government of Hawaii in a good many years commenced yesterday, resulting in the second battle of Manoa Valley, over about the same ground as that whereon was fought the previous conflict in '95. The status of the present battle is doubtful as it is not known whether the stern features of Billy Wood has scared off the rebels or not. A second day's engagement is expected, however, as it is supposed that the enemy is waiting for reserves.

The insurgents in the Kapiolani estate and the general at its head is Clarence W. Ashford, its attorney. The trouble has all arisen over the suit for summary possession followed by the one for attachment against the estate just won by the Territory.

Attorney General Lindsey, First Deputy Nelson and High Sheriff Henry went to the property yesterday morning and seized the Hop Sing Company which leaves it from the estate. Deputy Sheriff Billy Wood was left in charge of the property because Hop

METHODISTS WILL HOLD CONFERENCE

Annual Session Opens Today—Central Union to Omit One Service.

The opening session of the annual conference of the Methodist Mission takes place this morning at nine o'clock in the old First Methodist Episcopal Church, corner of Miller street and Beretania avenue, Bishop E. H. Hughes presiding. All the pastors—English, Japanese and Korean—numbering in all thirty or more, will be present and report on their work during the past year.

The superintendent, Rev. John W. Wadman, will give his annual survey of the mission, and the bishop will make the closing address.

The public is most cordially invited to attend. The session promises to be one of general interest.

Central Union Joins.

The standing committee of Central Union Church, at its regular monthly meeting last evening, unanimously voted to omit the regular service at eleven o'clock next Sunday morning, so that all the members of the church, with the pastor and assistants, may unite with the Methodists in the dedication of their new church.

Doctor Scudder, pastor of Central Union, stated last evening that there was every wish on the part of the Central Union members to make the dedication of the new Methodist Church one to be remembered. Doctor Wadman of the Methodist Church was extremely gratified to learn of the action of the standing committee, remarking that the Central Union people had stood nobly by the Methodists in their wish to have a new church edifice, and had aided in many ways.

OPPOSE BILLBOARDS FOR ADVERTISING

Billboards are not included in the list of things which the promotion committee believes help to build up a beautiful city, or even to attract tourists to it. At the meeting of the committee last Thursday, reference was made to billboard advertising, it having been rumored that the Floral Parade committee had considered that form of advertising locally.

The promotion committee members put their collective foot down squarely against any such proposition, stating that the committee was not favorable to the billboard as it tended to disfigure a city.

AFTER BALLINGER.

WASHINGTON, January 16.—Senator William Parcell, Democrat, of North Dakota, today introduced a resolution in the senate asking for the adoption of the minority report on Ballinger, which condemns the secretary of the interior.

ELEVEN INDICTED BY GRAND JURY

Federal Inquisitors Finish Their Labors and May File Final Report Today.

Eleven more indictments were returned yesterday by the federal grand jury, one of them, for forgery, being as yet unreturned and on the secret files. The indictments name:

Tokuji Onodera and Hanso Tsurushima of the Japanese Daily Chronicle, for mailing obscene matter; Demitry Sezikoff, on a statutory crime, and Lee Sang, Ah Chat, Lee Yum Kwai, (three indictments); Goo Yee and Chang On for illegally importing opium.

The first two named are being indicted for the second time on the same incident, demurrers against the first indictment being upheld on highly technical grounds. A number of the others named in this batch of indictments are in jail. All of them will be arraigned before Judge Robertson in the federal court this morning.

The final report of the grand jury will probably be made today and if such is the case, it will be discharged and offenses arising between now and April must wait the formation of the new grand jury, which will continue the labors through the coming term.

The true bills returned by the grand jury for the October term are as follows:

Purchasing United States Property from Soldiers.

Frederic E. Haley.

Receiving Opium.

Leong Sang, Chung Fock, Domingos Ferreira.

Importing Opium.

Chong Tsui-Pai, Young Chin, Ching Chew Yee, Domingos Ferreira, Ah Pang, Lee Sang, Ah Chat, Lee Yum Kwai, Lee Yum Kwai, Lee Yum Kwai, Goo Yee, Chang On.

Obscene Mail Matter.

Tokuji Onodera, Hanso Tsurushima, Lee Kai Fai, Lee Kai Fai, Lee Kai Fai, Lee Kai Fai, Tokuji Onodera, Hanso Tsurushima.

Forgery.

Money orders, etc.: Charles Kaanol.

Statutory Crimes.

Violation of Edmunds Act, etc.: Charles Christiansen, Loi Kaunana, Henry Iaea, N. H. Niahoe, Kumakichi Maki, Sakai, Kim Ming Sik, Joseph Fernandez, Feodor Kolesnikoff, Feodor Kolesnikoff, Lohe Moemoes, Demitry Sezikoff.

Harboring Alien Women.

Sakai, Kim Ming Sik, Feodor Kolesnikoff, Feodor Kolesnikoff.

Importing Women.

Feodor Kolesnikoff.

Bigamy.

Joseph Miel, Chang Yoke Lin.

Counterfeiting.

Lee Young.

Assault on High Seas.

Joseph K. Kalaanui.

Assault on Seaman.

Robert Peterson.

A good many of these indictments, returned early during the term, have already been thrashed out and decided one way or the other. In several of the places where one man's name appears again after an interval, he was indicted for the same offense after demurrers to the first indictments had been upheld. Altogether forty-seven true bills have been found, there being one indictment to be returned today which is still on the secret files.

No Bills.

Altogether the grand jury has returned five no bills. One of these was in the case of almost thirty seamen of the *Wilhelmina* who left the ship while it was lying at the wharf under the yellow flag, a suspicious case of

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CHIEF SETS TRAP AND CATCHES TWO ALLEGED ROBBERS

Robbery at the Art Theater yesterday attracted the attention of a good part of a Hotel-street crowd, when Chief McDuffie arrested two Hawaiian boys in front of the amusement place and trotted them off to the police station, there to be held under investigation while their immediate history is inquired into.

The arrest is supposed to be an end to a series of robberies in the theater, of a more or less mysterious nature. These have gone on for some time, the chief yesterday posting a moving-picture operator in the "box" over the theater office after the matinee.

The chief himself waited across the way for results. Shortly after four o'clock John Kepae, a former employe, entered the theater and picked his way into the ticket office. The spy called the chief who promptly arrested the youngster as well as Samuel Nicolson, a present employe, who entered the building at the same time.

The luck to the lone star was picked up by a man who was being a number of arrests as it showed that the theater has been going on for some time.

NEW ARMY BILL PASSED BY CONGRESS

Special Law Dealing With Case of Captain Hains Recalls Tragedy.

THE KILLING OF W. E. ANNIS

Now All Officers Absent Without Leave Three Months Are Dropped.

WASHINGTON, January 17.—Congress yesterday passed a special bill injecting a new law among the many which are for the purpose of ruling the army and navy in time of peace as well as war. The new bill provides that any officer absent three months without leave shall be dropped from the rolls.

This bill is a peculiar one in that it is primarily meant to remove one certain officer, Capt. Peter C. Hains, Jr., from the army roster, who is now serving a term in a civil prison for murder.

Recalls Killing.

This bill recalls the sensational killing of William E. Annis, publisher and yachtman, by Captain Hains, on the landing of the Bay Side Yacht Club, Flushing, Long Island, on August 15, 1908. At that time Captain Hains, accompanied by his brother, Thornton J. Hains, well-known as a writer and yachtman, fired five shots into the body of Annis as the latter was standing on the landing, and the victim died a few hours later in the Flushing Hospital. Mrs. Annis, who was nearby, fainted.

Convicted of Murder.

Captain Hains and his brother were both arrested, and after a sensational trial, in which the defense was that Captain Hains carried out the precepts of the unwritten law, he was convicted of murder in the second degree and sentenced to a long term in prison. Thornton Hains was acquitted.

Captain Hains is the son of Brig-Gen. Peter Conover Hains, who has had a distinguished career in the Civil War and in the war with Spain. He was retired in 1904, and served on the Panama Canal commission.

LAST SKIRMISH FOR FAIR BEFORE VOTING



CONGRESSMAN JULIUS KAHN, Who led the fight for the Panama fair at San Francisco yesterday.

WASHINGTON, January 17.—An important meeting of the house as a committee of the whole was held yesterday to hear the last arguments for the naming of the city to have the official exposition to celebrate the opening of the Panama Canal in 1915, the vote upon which will be taken on Thursday.

Congressman Kahn of San Francisco, represented that city and spoke at length, emphasizing all the reasons why the City of the Golden Gate should have the exposition, and especially calling attention to the fact that it has raised \$17,000,000 for the fair.

Governor Bonds, of Louisiana, appeared as the champion for New Orleans, and made the best showing that could be made under the circumstances. The impression here is that Sen. Fennell's resignation will be taken into consideration before the final vote is taken.