

TO END THE COPPER WAR



JOHN W. GATES.

John W. Gates, the Western Multi-Millionaire and Stock Operator is the Man, who it is said will harmonize the various interests who are opposed in the Amalgamated Copper War.

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES

NEW DISTRICT COMMITTEES TO MEET FOR ORGANIZATION TOMORROW EVENING—NUMEROUS CANDIDATES FOR THE LEGISLATURE IN THE FIFTH DISTRICT—PRESENT MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE FROM THE FOURTH WANT RENOMINATIONS.

The new Republican district committees or conventions meet tomorrow evening for organization. In both districts plans are already shaping themselves quite definitely and the work of the Territorial convention is also being considerably foreshadowed, as far as Oahu is concerned, in preliminary discussions. Yesterday A. G. M. Robertson, who has delayed stating his position as to the chairmanship of the Territorial central committee, stated definitely that he would be a candidate for the position. There was considerable talk of Representative W. W. Harris for chairman, but he will not be a candidate, it is stated, against Robertson, who is almost assured of election.

The Fourth District committee is to meet at 7:30 p. m. in Waverley hall. W. W. Harris or Attorney General Lorrin Andrews is likely to be chosen for chairman. Andrews is understood to be a candidate and Harris has been discussed and approached on the subject, with the result that he will probably be up for the chairmanship. Attorney Frank E. Thompson has also been mentioned, as well as Samuel Johnson, and there may be several men to vote for.

The Fourth District is going for Cupid without any practical opposition, though there are some kickers against the programme. In the matter of the legislative nominations, most of the members of the last legislature appear to want renominations. Senator Cecil Brown is expected to run again, but Crabbe will retire. The nomination will very likely be offered to Mark P. Robinson if he agrees to run. Representatives Chillingworth and Harris are also talked of for the upper house.

Andrade, Harris, Aylett, Long and Chillingworth, if he does not go after a senatorship, are all understood to desire re-election as members of the House. Bipikane also wants to run for the House, and will be out for a nomination.

In the Fifth District there is considerable talk of Judge Kaulukou for chairman of the district committee, though a meeting in the Seventh last night unanimously endorsed H. C. Vida. Vida is believed to have much strength among the delegates. In this district there are legislative candi-

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NEW RESTAURANT.

For a good meal go to the Oregon Restaurant on King street near Nuuanu. Everything new and clean. W. A. Chung, Proprietor.

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CONCERT TONIGHT.

Officers of the Logan and Solace will be entertained on the roof garden of the Young hotel this evening. There will be special Hawaiian music at dinner in honor of the visitors.

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Port Arthur Situation Is Desperate

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

CHEFOO, August 11.—The Russian battleships Pobieda and Retvizan have re-entered Port Arthur after the engagement with the Japanese fleet. The sally of the Russian fleet means that the situation at Port Arthur is desperate. It is supposed that the sally of the Vladivostok fleet was for the purpose of seeking the Port Arthur fleet and combining forces.

TOKIO, August 11.—It is reported that Admiral Togo's fleet frustrated the Russian attempt to escape from Port Arthur. The fighting between the Japanese and Russian fleets continued until sunset on Wednesday.

The Japanese torpedo flotilla attacked the Russian fleet during the night

OFFICIAL REPORT FROM PORT ARTHUR

Washington, August 11, 1904.
Received at 8:40 a. m.

To Japanese Consul, Honolulu:

Various reports from Tallienwan show that the Russian Port Arthur squadron emerged from the port on the morning of August 10th and a severe naval battle ensued till sunset. During the night of the same day our destroyer flotilla seemed to have attacked the enemy squadron. At dawn of August 11th the Retvizan and another battleship of the Pobieda type appeared to be taking flight towards Port Arthur. TAKAHIRA.

BRITAIN NOT SATISFIED.

LONDON, August 11.—Great Britain is greatly dissatisfied at Russia's attitude regarding the Knight Commander.

KASAKI REPORTED SUNK.

CHEFOO, August 11.—It is reported that the Japanese cruiser Kasaki has been sunk east of Port Arthur.

VESSEL DISMANTLED IN CHEFOO.

CHEFOO, August 11.—The Riesitini has been dismantled here and will remain in this port until the end of the war.

FIGHTING NEAR MUKDEN.

LIAOYANG, August 11.—Fighting is in progress near Mukden.

TO ENTERTAIN THE SENATOR

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TRUSTEES DISCUSS APPROACHING VISIT OF SENATOR FORAKER.

The annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held next Wednesday morning at ten o'clock. At a meeting of the trustees held yesterday the reports of officers were discussed and the work is now progressing on such reports. They will be presented at the annual meeting.

The trustees at their meeting yesterday decided to co-operate with the Merchants' Association in the entertainment of Senator Foraker, chairman of the Senate Committee on Pacific Islands, and Porto Rico, who is coming here on a visit to investigate Hawaiian affairs. It is presumed that he will want information from both bodies, and the Chamber of Commerce will make arrangements to be able to supply him. A committee will be appointed to co-operate with the Merchants' Association committee. As the entertainments committee, as well as the other standing committees, are likely to be changed in the annual meeting, no committee was appointed yesterday. Officers and Trustees will be elected at the annual meeting.

Another matter discussed at yesterday's meeting was the securing of new quarters. Rooms in the Stangenwald building were favorably discussed, but no action was taken. As this was the last meeting of the year, the matter will be left to the new board of trustees.

TO REOPEN MARKET SATURDAY.

The Japanese Fishing Association will open business at the old government fish market on Alakea street Saturday. About 120 fishing boats are in this combination. The fishermen will do business direct with the purchaser.

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YACHTS WILL MAKE VERY SLOW TIME

HAD WIND AGAINST THEM YESTERDAY—LURLINE WAS DISTANCED BOUNDING THE HEAD.

No word of the result of the three-cornered yacht race had been received up to noon today. There was a very light wind prevailing when the boats started yesterday afternoon and as the wind was from the south and almost dead against the boats, it is probable that they will make slow time to Lahaina.

Yesterday afternoon the boats did not round Diamond Head until nearly 6 o'clock. The Gladys went around first. She stood some distance out to sea as did the Lurline, while the La Paloma hugged the reef. Passing Waikiki the La Paloma gained a large amount on the Gladys, but not enough to overhaul her before Diamond Head had been passed. The Lurline stood about two miles off the reef and lost a great deal of time making this tack. She did not get around Diamond Head until after dark.

It is expected that the result of the race will be announced by wireless. Unfortunately the air is so murky today that the wireless is working with difficulty, so there may be a delay in getting the news of the result even after the message will have been filed at the telegraph office on Maui.

ALAMEDA AND CHINA DUE. The S. S. Alameda is due tomorrow morning from San Francisco and in the afternoon the S. S. China is likely to arrive from the same place, en route to the Orient. Governor George R. Carter will be aboard the China.

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SPEAKS FOR STANDARD OIL



Wm. ROCKEFELLER.

If Judge Parker does not win election day it will not be for lack of money. The Democratic campaign fund will exceed \$4,000,000, not counting any contributions from the multi-millionaire vice-presidential candidate, who denies that he is to give a million and says his contribution will be "not a cent." William Rockefeller of the Standard Oil Co. will wield the mighty influence of that corporation in aid of Parker and Davis.

CANNOT SALUTE THE GOVERNOR

Those who visited the capitol this afternoon could not have failed to be struck with the nervousness displayed in every branch of the government service. Hands that can generally be trusted to the production of faultless text trembled as they made their entries in the ponderous tomes of Hawaii and faces ordinarily brown with the kisses of an ardent sun were absolutely blanched.

Honolulu is face to face with a crisis and news of this had spread through the building, for it is more than probable that Governor Carter will be received without any salute when he arrives on the China tomorrow. There is not enough powder in Honolulu for a salute and reverberations of welcome which Acting Governor Atkinson had hoped to have set rolling from Punch-bowl to Diamond Head will find no record in history.

"But what about the regulars?" was asked. "Why don't they fire a salute?" And thereby hangs a tale.

Application was made to Admiral Terry for a salute, but it seems that cold-hearted regulations decree that Governor Carter has been saluted sufficiently. Personally Admiral Terry would be delighted to fire a salute to the governor twice or three times a day, but the regulations provide that he shall only have government powder burned for him once a year, and he has already had this honor once.

"Oh, very well," said the Acting Governor. "Summon the commander of me forces."

There was a clatter of spurs and swords and things in the outer hall and Colonel Jones dashed in.

The colonel turned pale when he was told what was required of him. "Nothing doing in the salute line," he said. "The dove hunters have used up all the powder in town."

"Get the guns out along the wharf and then set of sticks of dynamite," said a tactician. "Governor Carter will hear the noise and he'll see the guns. He'll never know the difference."

At a late hour this afternoon the town was being scoured for dynamite.

Change of Water often brings on diarrhoea. For this reason many experienced travelers carry a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with them to be used in case of an emergency. This preparation has no equal as a cure for bowel complaints. It can not be obtained white on board the cars or steamship, and that is where it is most likely to be needed. Buy a bottle before leaving home. Sold by all dealers. Benson, Smith & Co., agents for Hawaii.

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