

# The Pacific Commercial Advertiser

J. S. WEATHER BUREAU, August 25.—Last 24 Hours' Rainfall, 0.00.  
Temperature, Max. 83; Min. 74. Weather, fair.

ESTABLISHED JULY 2, 1856.

SUGAR.—96 Degree Test Centrifugals, 4.11c. Per Ton, \$82.20.  
88 Analysis Beets, 11s. 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. Per Ton, \$88.80.

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HONOLULU, HAWAII TERRITORY, THURSDAY, AUGUST 26, 1909.

PRICE FIVE CENTS.

## FREE HAWAII FROM ALL DISEASE

### Mott-Smith, in Report to Governor, Says It Can Be Done.

To make Hawaii one of the healthiest places in the world, clean and sanitary and free from all contagious diseases—this is the goal toward which President Mott-Smith is working and which he feels confident of attaining. "It is," he says in his report to the Governor, "worth while to redouble individual effort to accomplish that which is well within the realm of possibility, to make these islands one of the healthiest places in the world. Eminent medical authority here have said that this can be accomplished."

"Individual effort," says President Mott-Smith elsewhere in his report to the Governor, "cleanliness and isolation, should not only succeed in preventing contamination from outside, but in expelling all contagious disease from Hawaii."

Mr. Mott-Smith also feels that the treatment of the insane in Hawaii is not all that it should be, and he expresses the hope that in time changes can be made so that not only those who are dangerous to the community, but also those who are merely harmless, can be subjected to humane restraint, care and treatment. "It is to be hoped that the time may come when the afflicted, including those not dangerous to the community, may seek, or at least become entitled to asylum. By asylum is meant not prison but refuge."

The entire report of the President of the Board of Health to the Governor is very lengthy and will make more than 150 pages when printed. Most of it, however, is taken up with statistical tables, the reports of the various health officers, and a special paper on the quarantine question, written by Dr. Hobdy. Mr. Mott-Smith's introductory report comprises only a few typewritten pages, and is published herewith. It was originally twenty-five pages long, and has been boiled down to its present compact form. The president of the Board of Health has been working hard on his report for several weeks past, and he heaved a great sigh (Continued on page two.)

## INVITATION LIST FOR LUAN NEARLY PAU

Secretary Rivenburgh is busy these days making out the invitation list for the big luau which Mayor Fern will give on September 3 in honor of the Congressional party. All arrangements have been made to have the luau held in the grounds of the Seaside Hotel and the minor particulars are now being worked out. The compilation of the invitation list is proving no easy matter as the number of people that can be accommodated is limited.

## ONLY THREE REGULAR POLICE AT WAIPAHAU

With the exception of the three policemen still stationed at Waipahu, all of the regular members of the Police Department who were sent to the plantations at the time the strike broke out have been recalled. The Aiea men came in last week, and the Ewa men were relieved the week before.

The Waipahu Japanese claim that they fear injury from some of the ir-reconcilables, and demand that the police be left there to protect them. On the other hand, Jarrett is anxious to get the men back as soon as possible, as he has been very short-handed since the strike made such serious demands upon his force.

## CABLE ORDER FOR PINES FOR SEATTLE

A cable order for 500 additional cases of canned pineapples has been received by Secretary Wood of the Promotion Committee from the Hawaii exhibit people at Seattle. The demand for the luscious island fruit continues unabated. Mr. Wood says the average daily sales of pines at 10 cents per plate has been \$200, indicating an average daily attendance of 2000 people.

## BACKBONE OF HEMENWAY D. K.

### The Attorney General Says That He Will Not Be Bullied.

Whatever may be the merits of the controversy between the Star and Treasurer Conkling over his awarding of a printing contract to the other evening paper, the Attorney General's office, according to the members of that department, has its skirts clear and has nothing whatever to do with the matter. The Attorney General denies that he has ever been asked for an opinion as to the Treasurer's right to act as he has acted in the matter. The question, he says, has never been put up to him and it is ridiculous to say that he has not backbone enough to render an opinion.

The trouble all arises because of a resolution adopted by the House of Representatives at the last session, to the effect that the auditor should call for or cause the heads of departments to call for bids for all material needed or work to be done. This resolution, however, was only a House resolution and therefore of no effect, except as the Auditor might of his own accord take it as a recommendation. He did so to some extent, at least, and in some, if not all, cases, bids were called for. But it was not the intention that bids should be advertised for. One subhead of a department, however, did advertise for bids for printing for his subdepartment, and, according to the Attorney General's department, notified the Star that he was the successful competitor. But Treasurer Conkling, who is the superior officer of the official who advertised, refused to concur in the award, for what he says were good and sufficient reasons. That, it appears, is what started all the row, as the government official wrote to the Star stating that he had been instructed by the Treasurer not to give that paper the contract.

But Attorney General Hemenway does not at all relish being drawn into the trouble, explaining that he had nothing to do with the matter beyond (Continued from page 5.)

## OFFICERS SEEK PHONEY LIQUOR

License Inspector Fennell is out after the men who are selling adulterated liquor whether provided with licenses or not. Yesterday afternoon Fennell made the rounds of the liquor houses, in company with Food Commissioner Duncan, and secured sixteen samples of "Dago Red." These were sealed and will be analyzed by Duncan. For some time, Fennell has received complaints of wine that seemed unduly intoxicating. In many cases, it is claimed, one or two glasses have put a man out entirely. Therefore the Inspector determined to look into the matter. He secured the assistance of the Food Commissioner and visited four stores where "Dago Red" is sold. Samples were drawn from the casks, and bottles were also taken from the shelves, and these, duly sealed, Fennell delivered into the custody of Duncan. All of the wine seized is of the variety which sells at fifteen cents a bottle or sixty cents a gallon.

Under the law, selling adulterated wine is a violation of license provisions. Though he is not certain where it is coming from, Fennell has pretty strong proof that much adulterated wine is being sold, and he is determined to break up the practice if possible. Should any of the samples now in Duncan's hands be found to be adulterated, Fennell will at once prosecute the proprietors of the stores from which they were taken.

## WILLIAM C. ROE IS SERIOUSLY SICK

William C. Roe of the Honolulu Iron Works was taken to the Queen's Hospital last evening in a very serious condition. His daughter Mrs. W. E. Devreax, has been wirelessed to come from Honolulu on the first steamer. Mr. Roe has been connected with the Iron Works for nearly thirty years, and is an expert patternmaker. He is well known all over the Islands, and for several years has been interested in politics, having been a member of at least two Republican nominating conventions.

At 2 o'clock this morning word came from the hospital that he was very low and probably would not live till morning.

## MORI CAN NOT GET BONDSMEN

### Motion to Reduce Bail Was Denied by Judge De Bolt.

Mori, the Maui Japanese who stabbed Sheba, is still unable to get bonds and from present appearances, will have to stay in jail. Judge De Bolt yesterday afternoon refused to grant the request of Attorney Lightfoot that the amount of bonds required be lowered. Bail was fixed some time ago at \$5000, with the provision that there must be at least two sureties on the bond. The law requires that each surety shall own property to the value of at least twice the amount of the bond, which necessitates Mori's getting two bondsmen worth \$10,000 apiece. This he is apparently unable to do.

Deputy County Attorney Fred Milverton opposed the motion of Mr. Lightfoot for a reduction in the amount of bail required, saying that he knew of no mitigating circumstances in connection with the crime. "I do," flashed back Lightfoot. "I don't mean," he hastened to explain, "that there is any justification of the crime, if Mori committed it, but if he did commit it, there may have been extenuating circumstances. If I were not absolutely sure that Mori would not run away if released on bail, I would certainly not ask for any reduction in the amount required."

"I believe that the charge in the indictment fully warrants the bond as fixed," said Judge De Bolt. "I believe the Court would be warranted in taking into consideration the facts of the case as known to everybody—but I am not doing that. A fraction of an inch closer would have made it an offense not ballable at all. I don't believe I would be justified in reducing the bail below \$5000." Previously two prospective bondsmen had been examined by the Court but failed to qualify.

## MISSES HONOLULU BY FOUR THOUSAND MILES

An envelope with the following address has been delivered to the Advertiser:

Commercial Advocate,  
Honolulu,  
Philippine Islands.  
Inside was a letter with this heading: Hardware World—T. M. Shearman Publishing Co. Organ of all Western Associations... A Western Paper for the Western Trade. San Francisco, Aug. 17, '09. Commercial Advocate, Honolulu, Philippine Islands.

Dear Sirs: I should be glad to receive a copy of the Advocate and enclose stamp. Kindly address same to my office in San Francisco, Calif. Sincerely,  
M. SHEARMAN, Mgr.

The Advertiser with information as to where Honolulu is and a warning as to an extra "1" in Philippine, goes to Mr. Shearman by the next mail.

## FINANCIER'S ILLNESS IS CAUSING WORRY

The condition of Charles M. Cooke has again taken a turn for the worse. Monday the elderly financier was so much improved that his case began to look hopeful. The convalescence was of short duration, and yesterday Richard Cooke stated that his father's condition was rather more serious than it had been. The warm spell of weather has apparently had a beneficial effect upon the sick man, but despite that he seems unable to rid himself of the effects of the second paralytic stroke.

## HEAVY INCREASE IN ORDERS FOR PINES

Robert Mist of Alexander & Baldwin, who returned last week from a vacation trip to Canada and the Sound country, also visited the Seattle Fair and expresses himself well satisfied with what he saw there. The Hawaii exhibit was a center of attraction and visitors thronged the building all day long.

Mr. Mist comes back with reports of the enthusiasm manifested over the Hawaiian pineapples sold in the Hawaii building and says that as a result orders for pines are increasing all over the Coast. He was told by Ned Adams, formerly of Honolulu, that one big importer in Seattle has increased his pineapple orders nearly three hundred per cent. The middle states are also beginning to wake up to the fact that the Hawaiian pine cannot be excelled.

## MAKINO LAST TO LEAVE THE SHIP

### Higher Wage President Puts Up Cash in Lieu of Bond.

"The captain is the last to leave the ship," remarked Makino Higginbotham yesterday morning as he put up one thousand dollars in gold as bail for himself, after sureties for the release of Negoro, Soga and Tasaka had been accepted by the Court. He didn't say sinking ship, but the inference was obvious.

When Judge De Bolt asked if Makino had any sureties present, Attorney Lightfoot was obliged to reply in the negative, stating that for the time being, Makino would have to put up a cash bail, but hoped soon to have secured bondsmen. Makino explained in an aside that he had been so busy rustling bondsmen for his fellow conspirators that he had not had time to get any himself. But he added with evident pride, there were three Japanese in the room each with a big bag of gold to make it certain that the president of the Higher Wage Association should not have to go to jail in default of bail.

Judge De Bolt apparently had some hesitancy in accepting even a thousand dollars in gold as full assurance that Makino would not run away, and stipulated that Makino must put up the money himself, rather than have some one else put it up for him. Lightfoot stated that by nine o'clock Saturday morning he would have sureties to go on Makino's bond and enable him to draw down his cash bail.

Lightfoot made a formal motion for a new trial, which was immediately denied. After some little argument on the part of Lightfoot and Ballou, the defense was given thirty days in which to prepare and present a bill of exceptions. This, of course, cannot be done until the transcript is prepared, and as there is about 1300 pages of evidence, it will take some considerable time for the stenographers to get it out.

## HILO RAILROAD BONDS ADVANCE

### Big Transactions in Securities Is Recorded at Good Figure.

Twenty-five thousand dollars' worth of Hilo Railroad 6s sold between boards yesterday at 99. This is the highest figure which these securities have reached, the last recorded sale being having been at 98.

Coinciding with the announcement that the right-of-way for the Hamakua extension had practically been secured, the bonds began to advance in price, and the upward march has been very consistent. Yesterday's price is the highest that has yet been realized, and on the street the forecast is made that the next transaction will be at par.

Olaa 6s sold at par, \$3000 worth changing hands before the session at that price. During the session, holders were demanding 100, and the bid of 99.50 failed to attract them. Even (Continued on Page Four.)

## STEPS FROM CAR AND COMES TO GRIEF

With blood streaming from her face, a Japanese woman was picked up at Alapai and Beretania streets at about 7:30 o'clock last night. The woman had fallen from a trolley car, and at first sight appeared to be seriously injured. At the Queen's Hospital, where she was taken for treatment, it was found that she had sustained a gash on the chin, but that otherwise her injuries were slight. Her wound was dressed and she was sent home. It is believed that she tried to alight while the car was in motion.

## JAPANESE SEEKS SHELLS FOR DEADLY CANE GUN

Seeking cartridges for a gun cane, a Japanese called at several local hardware stores yesterday. The weapon is of a type such as is commonly carried in Japan for self-protection, but is a wicked weapon from the very fact that in outward appearance it differs in no way from an ordinary walking stick. Coming on top of the report of several desperadoes leaving Maui for the purpose of finishing Mori's job and doing Sheba up, the news of the quest for cartridges caused some little speculation yesterday.

## PRESIDENT WILL URGE POSTAL SAVINGS BANK PROJECT ON CONGRESS

### Paul Ham Surpasses Feat of Wrights--Navy Is Victorious in National Shoot at Camp Perry.

(Associated Press Cablegrams.)

BEVERLY, August 26.—President Taft intimated to visitors yesterday that he will urge upon Congress the early establishment of postal savings banks. He expressed the belief that such banks would place several hundred millions at the disposal of the government. The President expressed himself as being opposed to the guaranteeing of bank deposits.

## HAM SURPASSES WRIGHTS

RHEIMS, August 26.—The great flying feat of Paul Ham surpasses that of the Wrights. During the last twenty minutes of the flight there was a heavy wind blowing and rain fell in torrents. Spectators went wild with enthusiasm at the performance of the daring aviator.

RHEIMS, August 25.—Paul Ham, the Frenchman, beats all records in flight, today making eighty-one and thirty-five hundredths miles in two hours, thirty-five minutes.

## NAVY TEAM WINS

CAMP PERRY, August 26.—The National Rifle trophy yesterday went to the Navy team with a score of 387. The United States Infantry team made the next highest score, namely 375.

## AFTERNOON CABLE REPORT

SEATTLE, August 25.—Today is Hawaiian Day at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition and great crowds have thronged the Hawaiian building all day.

Pineapples, sent direct from the islands, were distributed free, as were also miniature bags of Hawaiian grown sugar. These souvenirs were handed out by the corps Hawaiian young ladies who constitute one of the main attractions of the Territory's exhibit.

Princess Kawanakoa of Honolulu presided in Hawaii's building and was the recipient of many courtesies.

SIENA, August 25.—A great earthquake has practically destroyed San Lorenzo and left ruin in other towns. Many people are reported injured.

LONDON, August 25.—The Australian squadron is to consist of four first-class cruisers, one armored cruiser, six torpedo-boat-destroyers and three submarines.

MOJAVE, August 25.—In a collision between freight trains on the Santa Fe line here three have been killed and five injured.

## KAIWIKI CO. OWNS OOKALA

### New Company Is Incorporated to Take Over Plantation on Hawaii.

The old Ookala Plantation Company, which ceased to exist when its charter expired some months ago, now appears as a brand-new corporation, under the name of Kaiwiki Sugar Company. Articles of incorporation of the new concern were filed yesterday. F. M. Swanzy is president of the new company, T. Clive Davies is vice president, George F. Davies is secretary, E. H. Wodehouse is treasurer and H. M. Mist is auditor. The directors are: F. M. Swanzy, T. Clive Davies, (Continued on Page Five.)

## DROWNED CHINESE IS STILL UNIDENTIFIED

"Unknown" must be the legend over the grave of the Chinese whose body was found floating in the harbor yesterday morning. Though Detective Apana spent all day yesterday trying to find some person who could identify the remains, his quest was unsuccessful. Only two Chinese were willing to look at the body, and both of them declared that they had never seen the man in life. The coroner's jury last night brought in a noncommittal verdict of death through drowning. About three months ago the dead Chinese was taken up for supposed insanity. He was examined and discharged. No record of his name was kept at the Police Station.

## MERCHANTS WILL MEET TOMORROW

### Hilo Trouble Will Be Discussed at Length by Members of Association.

Vice President Dillingham, of the Merchants' Association, has called a special meeting for tomorrow afternoon to consider taking action in regard to the trouble that has developed in Hilo owing to the effort of the county authorities of the big island to collect license fees from traveling salesmen representing Honolulu houses.

It was confidently expected that a wireless message would be received from Hilo yesterday, giving some idea as to the present status of the trouble on the island of Hawaii. Secretary Bernitt, of the Merchants' Association, said last evening that no such message had been received and that the arrival of mail advices will now be awaited.

The merchants are much wrought up over the action of the Hawaii authorities, and are anxious to get together and talk the matter over among themselves. They have legal advice that the authorities' act is indefensible, as far as the law is concerned, and they maintain stoutly that they do not propose to pay license fees in more than one city. As their place of business is here, they insist that in Honolulu the fees must be paid.

In the meantime, the merchants would like to know whether or not their drummers are at large in Hilo, or are resting more or less comfortably in some Hawaii Bastille. It is possible that the Merchants' Association members of the Promotion Committee may be named tomorrow. President Morgan named the Chamber (Continued on page 5.)