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REPORT WILL NOT SUSTAIN W. A. KINNEY

McBryde Investigation Results Ready for Presentation at Meeting of Stockholders

ALEXANDER & BALDWIN GENERALLY EXONERATED

Some Slight Criticism May Be Voiced, but Efforts for Plantation Are Praised

The report of a special committee of McBryde stockholders on Alexander & Baldwin's handling of the Kaula plantation will not sustain W. A. Kinney's charges of mismanagement of McBryde affairs by the big agency.

This statement is made on high authority and is expected to be elaborated in detail next Tuesday morning, at which time a general meeting of McBryde shareowners will convene to hear the report of the special investigation committee.

The investigation committee has been making an exhaustive examination of McBryde affairs, following the sensational charges made by Mr. Kinney, who is now on the coast and who claims more than \$100,000 damages from Alexander & Baldwin for what he alleges is his loss through the agency's operations with McBryde. The result of the committee's labors is an imposing document containing many typewritten pages, taking up each of the Kinney charges and discussing them.

Some slight criticism of the agency's work is stated to be included in the report, but its general tone is one of exoneration for Alexander & Baldwin. The advances made by the agency and its many and energetic efforts to handle the financial problems will be brought out. Several shareholders who have followed the situation closely think that the report will be a notable vindication of the agency's policy.

The special meeting will be held in the Chamber of Commerce room, Stangenwald building, at 9 o'clock next Tuesday morning.

NEW OFFICIALS ARE NAMED BY BOURBON LEAGUE

C. J. McCarthy Elected President and By-Laws Adopted at Last Meeting

At the annual meeting of the Hawaii National Democratic League held last evening at the offices of Lightfoot & Lightfoot, Kapitolani building, the reports of the officers for the past year were read and showed a growing



Col. C. J. McCarthy, who was elected president of the Hawaii National Democratic League at its meeting last night.

organization. During the past year the league has assumed prominence in many movements of the Democratic party. Last spring they took part in the agitation for a sugar tariff and upon the arrival of District Attorney Jeff McCann, in November, gave him a rousing welcome and dinner which was repeated to the new Democratic governor in December. John Effinger declined re-election as president and the following were elected officers for

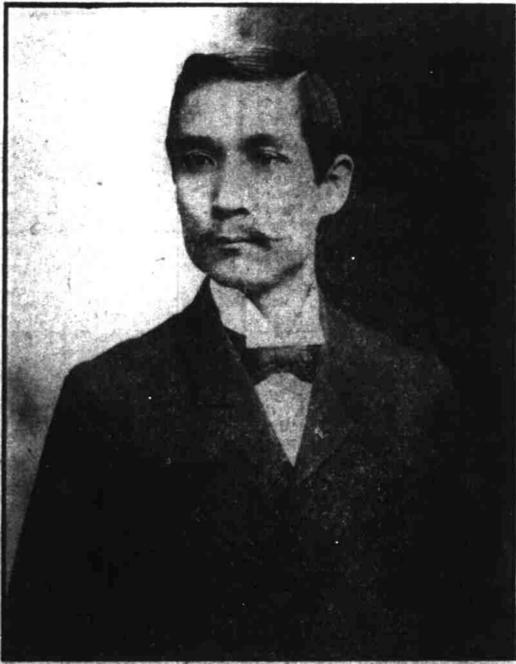
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Dr. Sun Yat Sen to Visit? Reported Here February 5



Dr. Sun Yat Sen, who is reported to be traveling towards Honolulu in a Japanese vessel, using a Japanese name and Japanese passport.

Information Reaches Honolulu That First Provisional President of China is Enroute in Japanese Vessel—News Comes to Baron LeGay

Dr. Sun Yat Sen, Chinese reformer and at one time resident of Honolulu, overthrew of the old monarchial form of government which fell with the ancient house of Manchu, is on his way to this city, says a report, under a Japanese name and with a Japanese passport. By the authority of the information which reached Baron Le Gay, local commissioner of the Reform Trading Organization of China, Dr. Sun is a passenger on the Hongkong Maru, which is to arrive here February 5.

Though reports have come from different sources since the season of Dr. Sun's hiding, giving conflicting and irreconcilable information on his whereabouts, Baron Le Gay declares that the news he has received emanates from a highly reliable source, and that it is correct beyond a peradventure of a doubt.

The report of Dr. Sun's coming was a blow of surprise to Chinese of the city. The information contained in the cable received by Baron Le Gay managed to leak out yesterday afternoon, and the Celestial quarters of the city are abuzz with excitement. Once reported here almost to a man by his countrymen, many of his early followers, particularly the conserva-

RESERVED SEATS TO ALL CARNIVAL EVENTS AT \$7.50

Elaborate Grandstands Will Be Property of Company for Use During Future Years

Reserved seats for all the events of the Mid-Pacific Carnival to the number of 1000 will soon be put on sale in the form of a long coupon ticket, according to the plans now being worked out by Director-general James D. Dougherty and the members of the finance committee. These will be the thousand best seats in the bleachers and will be sold after the manner of "first come, first served." This arrangement will dispose of a great deal of the ticket business in advance and at the same time will be an accommodation to those wishing their seats assured.

The tickets will be sold at the rate of \$7.50 a string and will be good for reserved seats at the carnival ball of all nations, the swimming meet, the massed band concert, the military tournament, the Floral Parade, the Japanese lantern parade, the military parade, the "Mayor of Tokio," the fireworks display at Moiliili, the water carnival and fireworks show at the harbor, Umi and Piikea, the hibiscus, fern and flower show, and also for admission to the grand masque ball. Many of these events, which will be held in the open air, can be seen without tickets; the Floral Parade, other parades, and various features of the program being free to the public. Those who wish to pay for good views from seats will be able to buy

GEN. FUNSTON FAVORS LOCAL ARMY FORCES

Suggests, However, That Regiment Would Be Much Better Than Single Battalion

"Why not an entire regiment of Hawaiian infantry in the United States' service?" asked Brigadier-general Frederick Funston this morning, in discussing the plan for a permanent force of Hawaiian troops, similar to the Porto Rican regiment of infantry. "The proposed organization of a battalion of Hawaiian regulars is a good move, but it might go further," he continued, "I believe that by drawing on the other islands, an entire regiment could be recruited. Of course this would require an act of Congress, but that is a measure that might be put through."

The department commander is fully in accord with the movement to give Hawaiians a chance to help defend Hawaii, as a serious business, in addition to the citizen soldiery now enrolled in the national guard. He believed that if the necessary congressional action is taken, the patriotism of the populace can be appealed to in such a way that a full 12-company regiment can be brought into the service. It is understood that five line captains of the army, who, under the provisions of the "manchu" law, are eligible for detached service, will submit applications for detail as majors of the proposed Hawaiian battalion. There is much interest in the plan

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OFFICIAL NEWS OF DISASTER IS RECEIVED HERE

Acting-consul Arita Recipient of Cablegram Giving Details of Event

RESIDENTS OF ISLAND ARE FORCED TO FLEE

Impossible to Determine Number of Dead and Injured. Money for Sufferers

The first official report to reach Honolulu setting forth the details of the recent volcanic disaster in Japan, was received last night by Acting-consul Hachiro Arita in a lengthy cablegram from Baron Makino, minister of foreign affairs for the Japanese government. One of the features of the message is that the loss of life and property damage is not nearly as great as mentioned in the press reports. The local Japanese newspapers have printed the report and it has aroused considerable interest throughout the Nipponese community.

Following is the translation from the Nippu Jiji: "The volcano on the island of Sakurajima burst into eruption on January 12, more than one-half of the houses on the island, numbering about 3500, being destroyed as the result of falling lava and hot ashes. Fires raged everywhere and a great pall of smoke enveloped everything. Many of the inhabitants of the island took refuge on the mainland, making the journey in small boats. "It is very hard to determine the exact number of dead and injured at this time. One report says that more than 200 persons were killed, but this figure comes only from an early investigation. The eruption now is slowly subsiding and the thunderous reports, which were so frequent during the early stages of the disaster, have ceased. Volcanic ashes continue to fall over the island, however, and the district is now and then shaken by an earthquake. The inhabitants of the city of Kagoshima have closed their stores and houses and have taken refuge in outside points. In this city only 24 have thus far been reported dead or injured. The majority of the houses in the city were destroyed by the earthquakes and falling lava and ashes.

"The telegraph and telephone lines

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Opium Valued at \$2400 Taken From Chinese at Hilo

[Special Star-Bulletin Wireless] HILO, Jan. 17.—Lee Sou, a Chinese, was captured this morning by the Hilo police department and relieved of contraband opium valued at \$2400. Lee was taken off the train arriving in Hilo from Laupahoehoe and had in his possession a suitcase containing 30 tins of the valuable "poppy drug." The police were acting on a tip received from an informer who claims to be in touch with a hui that is working for the introduction of more of the "drug fiend's delight" into the Hawaiian Islands. It is believed that the drug was brought ashore from one of the inter-island vessels.

MEMBERSHIP OF ASSOCIATION IS CALLED TO WORK

President Farrington Gives Wide Representation in Naming New Committees

FIVE ON SPECIAL BODY TO HASTEN AMALGAMATION

G. G. Guild and Ed Towse Continued as Representatives on Promotion Committee

General representation of the membership on the new committees of the Merchants' Association is indicated in the announcement of committees made today by W. R. Farrington, the recently-elected president. "The committees are as follows: Public Affairs—T. M. Church, W. D. Adams, J. K. Clark. Trade and Finance—Geo. A. Brown, G. E. Curtis, R. R. Reidford. Publicity and Promotion—C. S. Crane, R. W. Perkins, Jas. A. Love. Special Consolidation—S. S. Paxson, E. A. Berndt, M. M. Johnson, C. R. Frazier, W. H. McInerney. George G. Guild and Ed Towse are continued on the Promotion Committee as representatives from the association. Speaking of the committees, President Farrington said: "In naming the committees I have aimed to put only one director on a

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CARNIVAL STOCK WIDELY HELD

All Territory Joins in Financing Fete

Mid-Pacific Carnival stock is now held all over the territory, as the result of the Honolulu Ad Club's stock-selling campaign on January 7. At the meeting of the club this week Secretary H. L. Strange presented a detailed report on the stock sale, which is given below. Among the noticeable features is the fact that the total number of subscribers is 2176, indicating a widespread distribution of the stock. Another matter of interest is that by far the largest number of subscribers—more than a third, in fact—took \$10 worth of stock, more even than subscribed \$1.

Total number of shares sold at Ad Club campaign	31,074		
Total cash collected	\$5,717.90		
Total number subscribers 1914	2176		
Total number subscribers 1913	122		
Average shares per subscriber	14		
Japanese subscribed for	1172		
Chinese subscribed for	1283		
Highest team selling shares:			
1. Curtis	4214		
2. Frazier	3030		
3. Towse	2010		
Largest cash collected: Towse	\$688.50		
Largest number single subscribers:			
1. Chinese	247		
2. Curtis	206		
3. Hayselden	123		
Hawaii 443 shares, 271 shares, some large subscribers to hear from.			
Segregation of Subscribers:			
\$600.00	1	30.80	11
500.00	2	25.00	92
250.00	8	20.00	93
200.00	13	10.00	849
150.00	4	5.00	96
100.00	47	2.00	87
75.00	2	1.00	784
50.00	105		

AD CLUB THANKED FOR WORK

E. H. Paris, secretary of the finance committee of the Mid-Pacific Carnival, has written the following letter to the Honolulu Ad Club: "Honolulu, T. H., Jan. 17, 1914. "To the President, the Special Committee and the Members of the Honolulu Ad Club, Honolulu, T. H. "Gentlemen: "In acknowledging the receipt of your report and the collections in connection with the carrying out of the enlarged plans for a carnival week, which we feel will afford much pleasure to those now within the territory and which will accrue much benefit to the community in advertising Hawaii as one of the most beautiful playgrounds in the world. We feel assured that we may have your further co-operation and encouragement in promoting this project, and beg to remain, "Yours truly, "FINANCE COMMITTEE MID-PACIFIC CARNIVAL, E. H. Paris, Secretary."

FRESH ERUPTION VISITS CALAMITY ON STRICKEN DISTRICT OF KAGOSHIMA

Violent Earthquake Precedes Outbreak of Crater of Mitake — Countryside Devastated — One Crazy Person Found on Lava-covered Island, Fleeing from Humankind — Ocean Boils as Pumice Stone Enters It

[Associated Press Cable] TOKIO, Japan, Jan. 17.—Before the stricken country around the volcano of Mitake had time to take hope that the disaster was over, fresh calamity came. Last night the crater burst into flame and streams of lava with another tremendous eruption. The fresh eruption was preceded by a violent earthquake. The distress in the entire Kagoshima section of the empire is intense. Freezing weather is adding to the fatalities and most of the inhabitants are starving. The sun appears through the lurid sky as a ball of blood. The fugitives fleeing from the stricken region find it necessary to hold towels to their faces or suffocate in the atmosphere laden with smoke and fumes of gases. The ocean is filled with pumice and appears to be boiling around the island on which the volcano is situated. A hardy scientist who explored this island yesterday found it three-fourths covered with lava. Only one inhabitant was living, a scrawny creature, who fled at the approach of the explorer and who is undoubtedly insane.

Ty Cobb, Baseball Star, Is Offered \$75,000 for 5 Years

[Associated Press Cable] AUGUSTA, Ga., Jan. 17.—Tyrus Raymond Cobb, the fleet outfielder of the Detroit American league baseball team and regarded as the greatest star in baseball today, has been offered \$75,000 salary for five years by the Federal league, which is fighting the American and National leagues for a foothold. Cobb is uncommunicative on the subject, declining to say whether or not he will accept the offer.

German Company To Build Wireless Station For Huerta

[Associated Press Cable] BERLIN, Germany, Jan. 17.—A large German company has obtained a concession to erect a great wireless station at Mexico City. The need for such a station has been decided upon by the Huerta government, the rebels having cut the telegraph wires so often that Huerta and his staff have been unable to communicate with the troops in the field.

House Committee Refuses To Advance Woman Suffrage Cause

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 17.—The house committee on rules today flatly declined to create a standing committee on woman suffrage.

Gorgas Now Surgeon-General

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 17.—President Wilson sent to the senate today the nomination of Col. W. C. Gorgas, the chief sanitary officer of the Panama canal work, as surgeon-general of the army, to succeed Surgeon-general George H. Torney, whose death occurred recently. He will rank as brigadier-general.

Hope Gone For Submarine Crew

PLYMOUTH, England, Jan. 17.—Hope that the British submarine now lying under 100 feet of water with 16 men can be brought to the surface has been abandoned, together with all hope that the men will be saved.

EUROPEAN NOBLEMEN ARE TARRYING HERE ON TOUR OF WORLD

Arnold Shberman of St. Petersburg, Russia, and Baron J. Steinhorn of Germany are visitors in Honolulu and expect to remain at least a month in the islands before continuing on their proposed trip around the world. They started five months ago from Europe, and, following an extensive tour over the United States, came to Hawaii. The world trip which they are now taking they propose to have last over a period of years, and intend visiting every city of interest. Both are keeping diaries and have signature books which are full of state and government seals and other matter of interest. They recently called on Governor L. E. Pinkham and obtained his signature and the seal of the territory. They will journey to Japan upon leaving Honolulu.

MRS. R. L. STEVENSON WILL NOT MAKE TRIP TO HAWAII THIS WINTER

Mrs. Isobel Strong, stepdaughter of Robert Louis Stevenson, is booked to arrive in Honolulu Monday on the Sonoma, and, during her stay in Honolulu, will be the guest of Allan Herbert and family. It had been expected that Mrs. Stevenson would accompany her daughter, but Mr. Herbert said this morning that she has given up the trip owing to poor health.

BRECKONS MAY BE MEMBER OF THOMPSON FIRM

Since the announcement of the recommendation by the governor of Judge Wilder and E. M. Watson for the supreme court bench there has been much speculation as to who is likely to succeed these two as members of the legal firm which now is known as Thompson, Wilder, Watson & Lymer. Gossip today centered around the name of Robert W. Breckons, until recently U. S. district attorney. Whether negotiations toward the reformation of the legal firm with Breckons as a new member have actually been undertaken is not known, though it is regarded as unlikely. Breckons is at Hilo this week and was there when the announcement of Judge Wilder's recommendation

PROF. JAGGAR TO VISIT SCENE OF EARTHQUAKE IN JAPAN

Professor T. A. Jaggar, the volcanologist in charge at Kiluaea, and director of the Hawaiian Volcano Research Association, arrived in Honolulu this morning from Hilo. He is now planning to sail Wednesday by the liner Korea, for Japan to make a study of Sakurajima, the recent eruption of which has brought distress and ruin to several hundred score Japanese. There will be a meeting of the Hawaiian Volcano Research Association Monday at 12 o'clock to pass formally on Professor Jaggar's request to go to Japan to carry on his study. The Sakurajima eruption is in direct line with his study, L. A. Thurston, one of the directors of the association, pointed out this morning. It is thought that the association will agree with Professor Jaggar's plan.