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J. O. CARTER, Administrator, 208 Merchant street. Honolulu, Jan. 24, 1895. 1245-11

POLICEMAN AND SLEEPER.

Being a True Story of an Exchange of Satire in City Hall Park

"Come," growled a sparrow policeman in the city hall park this morning, addressing a man with a shiny frock and an illuminated nose, dozing on a bench, "get up out o' this. How many times have I got to tell you this an't no boardin' house?"

The gentleman with the glowing proboscis arose to his feet, straightened himself up, and flecked several imaginary specks of dust from his greasy sleeves. He looked at the policeman with an air of the most intense scorn and walked stilly away.

"Wonder what's the matter with that duck?" said the policeman. "I don't want to be takin' any chances. Maybe he's one of them Lexow fellows in disguise."

The subject of the soliloquy had wondered off in the direction of Mail street. He looked up at the sky, and then taking a frayed and ancient handkerchief from his pocket, began rubbing his narrow-brimmed Derby hat, which he removed from his head with a graceful gesture. He sat down on a bench next to a workman in a blue jumper, and, throwing his head back, closed his eyes, opened his mouth and began to snore in a higher and unmusical key, says the Mail and Express.

The sparrow cop watched all this from the tail of his eye. He waited a couple of minutes, and then walked in the usual leisurely manner of the genus over to the sleeping man and gave him a smart kick on the sole of his right foot. This had the effect of awakening him. He sat up and rubbed his eyes.

"Kin you understand words?" asked the policeman with as much sarcasm as he could command. "Do you want me to give it to you in Eyetalyn or in Rooshan? These benches is for the board of aldermen to sit on it. All them other benches belongs to the police commissioners. They has give strict orders that all people who wants to take a snooze must bring a feather bed along with 'em. Now maybe you'll tumble."

Again the stranger arose and flecked dust that wan't there from his other sleeve. Thrusting one hand beneath the lapel of his coat he assumed an attitude of defiance.

"Sir," said he, "do you dough who I ab?"

"No," said the policeman, "I don't, but I judge you're a free luncher."

"You are bintaked," was the dignified but begrimed reply. "I ab a civil edgideer takid observashods for Kurdel Warig."

"Then you must be takin' observations with your mouth," retorted the policeman, "fer your eyes haven't been open since I first saw you. Go wan—take a walk."

The man curled his lip and turned on his heel. "I shall go," he said, "bud I shall be here agid, and when I cub, your gase shall be atteded to."

Then he strode with a Henry Irving stride to the city hall and demanded to see the mayor, but Secretary Hedges would not let him in.

Don't Put It Off.

The necessity of a spring medicine is universally admitted. This is the best time of year in which to purify the blood, to restore the lost appetite, and to build up the entire system, as the body is now peculiarly susceptible to benefit from medicine. The great popularity attained by Hood's Sarsaparilla, owing to its real merit and its remarkable success, has established it as the very best medicine to take in the spring. It cures scrofula, salt rheum, and all humors, biliousness, dyspepsia, headache, kidney and liver complaints, catarrh, and all affections caused or promoted by low state of the system or impure blood. Don't put it off, but take Hood's Sarsaparilla now. It will do you good.

Band Concert.

The Government band will give the regular Saturday afternoon concert at Emma Square at 4:30 o'clock. Following is the program:

- Overture—Festival.....Lortzing
- G. vote—Alexina.....Ascu
- Polka—Bon Jour.....Andrews
- Selection—A Gaiety Girl.....Jones
- Mazurka—Luerse.....Home
- Waltz—Declaration.....Waldteufel
- Hawaii Honolulu.

WHALING SHIP ON FIRE.

The Gayhead in Trouble—Supposed to be Incendiarism.

A whaleboat from the whaling bark Gayhead, which was lying at anchor outside the harbor, reported at the Pilot's office about 11 o'clock last night that there was a fire on the whaler Gayhead. Captain Rice of the tug Elen blew the whistle for his crew and the tug was got in readiness to go out to the assistance of the distressed ship. Capt. Shorey, master of the Gayhead, who was staying at the Arlington, accompanied by Captain King, Minister of the Interior, Major J. C. Potter, Captain Fuller, harbor master, and Deputy Marshal A. M. Brown, went out to the vessel. A launch from the U. S. flagship Philadelphia also went out with a party of bluejackets in charge of Lieutenant Werlich.

Nearing the vessel volumes of smoke could be seen issuing from the hold. Streams of water were poured into the hold, as the fire could not be located. The deck was heated. Finally it was decided to tow the whaler into port, where the fire engines could get at her.

Deputy Marshal Brown came in ahead on the Philadelphia launch. In the meantime Chief Engineer Hunt had preparations made for sending No. 1 engine to the wharf. The tug towed the whaler into port and she was moored near the Pacific Mail wharf, in the tug's berth. Engine No. 1 was stationed on the wharf and after some time turned one stream and later two into the vessel. A faint cloud of smoke was issuing from the vessel, but no fire was visible. The hold was flooded with water and the engine kept working until after 2 o'clock, when the vessel had listed to starboard, with her bow pointing Ewa-way to the wharf, and the vessel settled on the bottom. The water was then pumped out again.

There is not much damage from the fire, the inside of the hold only being charred and blackened by smoke. There is small damage from water.

At 10:30 o'clock Captain Shorey decided to have his vessel pulled off and called in the assistance of Captain Rice and the tug Eleu. It being high tide and the place where the whaler was being a sandy bottom, it was thought the Gayhead would come off easily. A hawser was fastened to the whaler's bow and after laboring for half an hour without success the hawser was transferred to the vessel's stern. The Eleu tugged until after 11 o'clock, when she gave it up, the tide having receded.

Captain Shorey is positive that the fire was the result of incendiarism. He was very indignant and stated that he would find out who the man is before he leaves port. Another trial will be made to get the whaler off at high tide tomorrow.

American Legion of Honor.

The installation of officers of Hawaiian Council No. 689, American Legion of Honor, was held last evening at their lodge room, on King street. The ceremony was performed by the Deputy Supreme Commander. The officers for the ensuing term are:

- Commander, A. E. Murphy.
- Vice-Commander, F. E. Nicolls.
- Orator, P. Peck.
- Secretary, J. F. Eckardt.
- Collector, T. S. Douglass.
- Treasurer, Chas. Hustace.
- Chaplain, Geo. P. Castle.
- Guide, Sam'l Lederer.
- Sentry, Robt. French.
- Warden, John McDonald.

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