

SECY. GARFIELD'S

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until recently the small landholdings were not encouraged and were not profitable, but with the diversity in agricultural products a modification of the system of landholding will necessarily follow.

In order to deal wisely with the land question, the governor of Hawaii appointed a commission to study and report upon land conditions and make recommendations for needed changes. It is earnestly hoped that a system will be adopted under which farms may be acquired of small acreage, similar to the homestead on the mainland, so that ultimately the land will be cultivated by many owners instead of by tenants alone. Such a change does not involve the destruction of the sugar plantations, as was feared by some, but will increase the area of arable land and permit the use of lands for the crops which will be most profitable.

In this connection I have had Mr. Newell, the director of the Reclamation Service, make a thorough personal examination of the land and water conditions in the islands for the purpose of considering a plan for the reclamation of lands which can not now be cultivated because of the lack of water.

The water conditions in Hawaii are phenomenal. It is generally supposed that the rainfall throughout the islands is excessive. This is true in localities, but there are thousands of acres where irrigation is as necessary as in the arid districts of the West.

The Federal Government should treat Hawaii as it does the mainland, giving its people the advantage of all the work which is being carried on by the Departments of Agriculture and the Interior in the study and development of its agricultural possibilities.

Directly connected with the land and agricultural problems is the question of labor. Since cutting off the supply of Asiatic labor means must be taken to provide for the substitution of that labor, as it is required, with labor from the mainland of Europe. There is the heartiest cooperation between the sugar planters, now the large employers of labor, and the Federal Government in working out this difficult problem.

The transportation interests of the Territory deserve our most careful consideration. The success of increasing and diversifying the agricultural products of the islands depends upon proper transportation facilities by water. One harbor, at least, upon each island should be provided so that the products of that island may be shipped directly to the markets of the world. Congress has directed the beginning of this work, but further appropriations should be made immediately available. The ultimate commercial development of our trade with the Orient is directly connected with proper provisions for ocean transportation with the islands.

The general conditions of the Territory are admirable. Educational work is given thorough attention. School conditions in the islands are most unusual. In the same school there are often represented more than a dozen different races. The school courses are thoroughly practical, special attention being given to industrial courses.

Owing to the existence of leprosy, the problems affecting the public health have received careful attention. There has been the closest cooperation between the local authorities and the Federal service, but both authorities feel the need of certain changes in the law, which have been presented to Congress, the purpose of which is to give greater authority to the health authorities to take necessary protective measures to prevent the introduction and spread of contagious diseases. The importance of this legislation can not be overestimated, because of the enormous number of travelers to and from the Orient who enter or pass through the port of Honolulu.

BUS WORKING AGAIN

The auto bus, which has been out of repair, is now again in commission and will run to the Country Club grounds from the Nuuanu car line tomorrow morning. A specially fine table d'hôte luncheon is promised at the club-house. The Sunday luncheons are becoming very popular with automobile parties.

WANTS TO WALK

William Bishop is ambitious to test his pedestrian abilities and will enter the walking race tomorrow, he announces. Bishop believes that he can make things lively for some of the local "hikers," and will make a try at the game, at any rate.

SAME OLD STORY

He (during spat): At the marriage altar you promised to love, honor, and obey. She: And you agreed to endow me with all your worldly goods. He: Well? She: Well?

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BY AUTHORITY

RESOLUTION.

Making Appropriations for the Various Services of the City and County of Honolulu.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of Honolulu:

That the following sums, amounting to Two Hundred and Fifty-one Thousand Two Hundred and Twenty (\$251,220.00) Dollars, are hereby appropriated to be paid out of moneys in the general fund of the Treasury of the City and County of Honolulu, for salaries fixed by law and other salaries, wages of labor, donations and general expenses of the said City and County for the period beginning with the Fourth day of January, 1909, at 12 o'clock noon, and ending with the Thirtieth day of June, 1909, said payment to be made in pro rata monthly subdivisions of said amount as stated in the schedule thereof herein contained:

	Per Month.	Six Months.
Salaries fixed by law	\$2,095.00	\$12,570.00
Mayor:		
Material and supplies	150.00	900.00
Clerk:		
Office employees	340.00	2,040.00
Material and supplies	100.00	600.00
Auditor:		
Office employees	125.00	750.00
Material and supplies	50.00	300.00
Attorney:		
Deputies and office employees	880.00	5,280.00
Material and supplies	100.00	600.00
Treasurer:		
Office employees	125.00	750.00
Material and supplies	25.00	150.00
Municipal offices:		
Rent	250.00	1,500.00
Maintenance of pounds:		
Payroll	30.00	180.00
For Engineering and Surveying Work:		
Payroll	425.00	2,550.00
Material and supplies	100.00	600.00
Maintenance of Parks:		
Payroll	200.00	1,200.00
Donation:		
Kapiolani Park	700.00	4,200.00
Maintenance and Construction of Roads, Bridges, and Parks:		
Honolulu	11,500.00	69,000.00
Ewa	1,800.00	10,800.00
Waianae	400.00	2,400.00
Waiialua	1,875.00	11,250.00
Koolauloa	1,525.00	9,150.00
Koolapoaka	1,825.00	10,950.00
Maintenance of Police Force:		
Payroll	6,625.00	39,750.00
Material and supplies	1,000.00	6,000.00
Maintenance of Fire Stations and Fire Apparatus:		
Payroll	3,675.00	22,050.00
Material and supplies	600.00	3,600.00
Collection and Disposition of Garbage:		
Payroll	1,400.00	8,400.00
Maintenance and Construction of Electric Light System:		
Payroll	675.00	4,050.00
Material and supplies	1,000.00	6,000.00
Maintenance of Police and Fire Alarm System:		
Payroll	125.00	750.00
Material and supplies	125.00	750.00
Maintenance of Hawaiian Band:		
Payroll	1,350.00	8,100.00
Material and supplies	75.00	450.00
Lease Home:	125.00	750.00
Witness Fees:	150.00	900.00
Coroner's Inquests:	75.00	450.00
Premium on Bonds—Not pro rated:		1,550.00
Total		\$251,220.00

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the following sums, amounting to Ten Thousand and Fifty Dollars (\$10,050), are hereby appropriated to be paid out of moneys in the road tax general fund of the City and County of Honolulu, for the building and maintenance of roads and bridges in the respective districts named herein, said payment to be in pro rata monthly subdivisions of said amount as stated in the schedule thereof herein contained:

	Per Month.	Six Months.
Honolulu	\$500.00	\$3,000.00
Ewa and Waianae	700.00	4,200.00
Waiialua	125.00	750.00
Koolauloa	175.00	1,050.00
Koolapoaka	175.00	1,050.00

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to draw warrants on the Treasurer for any of the sums named herein, or parts thereof, upon having filed with him schedules of salaries fixed by law and other salaries, of donations named herein, of payrolls and of accounts for material and supplies, accompanied by original vouchers and certified by the Clerk as having been duly passed by the Board of Supervisors at any regular meeting, or any special meeting called for the purpose of considering expenditures. AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that to make expenditures under this resolution, it shall be necessary that all salary lists, items of donations, payrolls, items of material and supplies, and accounts of general expenses shall before being presented to the Board of Supervisors, be passed upon by a Committee or Committees and by such be reported to the Board of Supervisors with the recommendation of such Committee or Committees, and sums found to be lawfully due and payable may then be voted upon singly or collectively as convenient on a call of the ayes and noes. In the event of any such Committee failing or neglecting to so pass upon any such matters, or to make any recommendation in regard thereto, the Board may thereupon act.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that no payments under this resolution shall be made, nor indebtedness of the City and County of Honolulu incurred, in any month in excess of the monthly pro rata sums herein authorized.

The foregoing resolution making Appropriations for the various services of the City and County of Honolulu was, at a Regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of Honolulu held on Tuesday, January 5, A. D. 1909, passed to print on the following aye and no vote of the said Board of Supervisors:

Ayes—Aha, Aylett, Cox, Kane, Logan, Quinn, Total, 6.
Noes—McClellan, Total, 1.
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU.
By D. KALAUOKALANI, JR.,
City and County Clerk, City and County of Honolulu.
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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU THAT:

The proper authorities of the City and County be and they are hereby authorized and directed to execute on behalf of the City and County a lease of the entire second floor of the Metropolitan Building for the term of two years at a monthly rental of Two Hundred and Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars per month, electric light and janitor service to be furnished by the lessor, the form of the lease to be approved by the City and County Attorney.

Honolulu, January 8, 1909.
W. H. MCLELLAN.

The foregoing resolution was, at a Special Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of Honolulu, held on Friday, January 8, 1909, passed to print on the following vote of the said Board:

Ayes—Aha, Aylett, Kane, Logan, McClellan, Quinn, Total, 6.
Noes—None.

Absent and not voting: Cox, Total, 1.
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU, by
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