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WEDNESDAY . . . . . JULY 19, 1911

Not what has happened to myself today, but what has happened to others through me—that should be my thought.—F. D. Blake.

Certain safety for this city will not allow any delays in the measures that will let sunlight into the dark places, improve the water system, fill the bog holes, extend the sewers, and kill off the mosquitoes.

What nonsense for the Superintendent of Public Works to be worrying his head over the loan commissions of the other islands, when right here in Honolulu is the problem of the sewers and water works that should have intelligent, incessant attention, attention that will get results in the shortest possible time.

John D. Spreckels says that the sugar tariff built up the planters in these islands. Right, oh! old boy. But he is remembered that the majority of those planters remained here in the islands to build up an American territory. They didn't quit the place and become absentee landlords. That's what the Spreckels did, and they have no good reason to make faces at the present business population of the Territory of Hawaii.

### SUPERVISORS' RESPONSIBILITY.

Of course the Republican Supervisors overrode the Mayor's veto on the ordinance relating to the control of the Honolulu road department. There has yet to appear any good reason why they should do otherwise. It is also plain that the Supervisors would have been foolish to have wasted time in a dicker with the Mayor that would have merely caused a delay and left the responsibility for the road department still in the air.

Now that the ordinance is passed, it is up to the friends of the Mayor to cause trouble and delay by court proceedings, if they wish. But the blame for such delay of public business will be clearly placed.

With the ordinance in force, it must be remembered by the Supervisors that the responsibility they assume is no small one. They have shouldered the whole business and will be held to account accordingly.

The sole aim of the Supervisors must be efficiency.

They cannot afford to do any dabbling in factional politics that tries to make excuses for inefficiency on the ground of the expediency of politics.

Never in the history of this city has the sentiment been more widespread and determined that we must have results; that the size, the growth, and the future of Honolulu call for broad policies vigorously carried forward.

The people want to see the Republican Supervisors fulfill this expectation. That is what the Republicans were put in office for.

But if our Republican Supervisors do not satisfy the demand, they will be voted down and out as certainly as the sun rises each day on a brighter future and better times for the city.

Make no mistake gentlemen of the Board of Supervisors, it is up to you. Your ordinance is right. But you must put first-class men in office. You must see that the taxpayers get a fair day's labor for every dollar expended on the roads. If construction by contract seems advisable, so be it.

### EVENING SMILES

"Are you related to the bride or groom-elect?" inquired the busy usher.

"No."

"Then what interest have you in the ceremony?"

"I'm the defeated candidate."

"Do you believe everything he says?"

"I used to, until he tried to tell me the other day that you couldn't lose any more money playing dollar-limit

poker than you could playing 10-cent limit."

He—I feel, darling, that I am not half good enough to be your husband, but—

She—But what, George?

He—I'm a darn sight too good to be the son-in-law of your grouchy parents.

"Have any luck on your fishing trip?" "Yes. Counting those that got away and those we threw back we almost got seven."

But this work, like all that which may be done by the city, must be first-class and carried forward with good despatch.

Supervisors, you have a big task on your hands in properly administering the affairs of this city so that it shall be a city thoroughly up to date, a progressive city that gets things done.

With all due respect for his many estimable qualities, the mayor of the city is entirely inadequate to the duties before him. The responsibility for success or failure, for progress or not of Honolulu is on the shoulders of the Supervisors. If you want to be as picturesque as the man "who seen his duty and he done it" go ahead. But don't forget that you have a man's job on your hands, as well as the fate of the Republican party in the city of Honolulu.

### MAKIKI PARK RESERVATION.

Governor Frear's statement that he will issue the proclamation setting aside the Makiki Valley as a natural park area, is a most gratifying conclusion of the agitation resulting in the concurrent resolution passed by the Legislature.

It appears from the Governor's interview that he has included in the park area some of the hillside sand lots that were surveyed and labeled city lots, or something quite as inappropriate. If he has taken in all these shifting sand piles so much the better. There is a small stretch of land at the bottom of Round Top that will make good city lots and will no doubt bring a fair price.

Those sand lots are a monument to the waste of Territorial money for useless surveys. The great point gained is that the area of Makiki Valley, the natural park, is set aside for the public. Its natural beauty is second to none of the valleys of equal size on this island, and its accessibility will make the cool and picturesque nooks increasingly popular with the people of the town seeking a place for rest and refreshment of a Sunday or holiday.

In the course of time the road to the top of the mountain, making another approach to Tantalus, will no doubt be constructed, but it is to be hoped that the money will not be taken at this time under the guise of spending money to open up homesteads.

The Bulletin believes that the Territory should control and set aside in a similar manner the upper part of Puaou and Palolo valleys which are not only natural parks but also, as in the case of Makiki, contain the sources of water that will some day have to be stored for the supply of the city.

### PROMOTING EUROPEAN IMMIGRATION.

Charter of a steamer, coincident with the departure for Europe of Special Agent Campbell, has the atmosphere of prompt business-like action by the Territorial Board of Immigration. This is what the people like to see, and with a judicious expenditure of the money available there appears to be every reason why the movement of European immigrants should be regular and of fair volume.

The great value of this immigration work is apparent now, but it will be doubly so within three years when between-ocean traffic should begin through the Panama Canal.

This is well understood by the people of this part of the country and it is gratifying to note by occasional editorial utterances that the easterners are taking an interest in and have intelligent knowledge of our needs. The following is taken from the Lynn (Mass.) Item:

The statement is made in San Francisco that three of the largest of the trans-Atlantic lines are preparing to operate direct lines of steamers from Europe to San Francisco, as soon as the Panama canal opens. These lines are the Hamburg-American, the North-German Lloyd and the Cunard, all of which are actively engaged in the immigration traffic.

It is difficult to exaggerate the importance of such service to the development of California. It puts us at once practically on both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, with our faces across both oceans. As we are now getting the bulk of the unwelcome Oriental immigration, because we are at the front door of it, so we shall then get our share of the European immigration, which now goes to New York, simply because that is easiest, and banks up there, because it can get no further; we need more.

Bringing thousands of families of European races to California and the other states of the Pacific Slope will both supply desirable settlers for our unfilled valleys and plains and give us workmen for field and orchard, thus relieving the pressure from farmers for Oriental labor. With a heavier population of whites, there will be no need of a servile yellow labor. And the whites will make good American citizens of a homogeneous kind, which the Chinese and Japanese and Hindus never can supply. This is one instance in which, apparently, the higher class of labor will drive out the lower, and is one more reform to credit to the building of the Panama canal.

Stranger things might happen than that the open-door for the European immigrant, through the Panama Canal, will result in a removal of some of the restrictions on Oriental immigration.

The primary objection to the immigration of the Oriental is that he comes in such numbers that he overwhelms. He cannot be assimilated. If the opportunity is open for the European to come to this part of the world in unlimited numbers, being diverted from New York, it may be found feasible to allow a certain proportion of Orientals to pass the protective barriers.

### NO DEMAND HERE FOR BIG BOND ISSUE

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make them desirable to national banks in Hawaii except under the local conditions obtaining here. This feature is that they can be used as deposits to secure government funds. It may be stated, however, on good authority that the only bank in Honolulu to which this feature would appeal as a bank investment, which is the First National Bank, already has all of its government deposits amply secured, and there is no prospect that further security, such as might be furnished by the deposit of these Territorial bonds, will be needed. The government, indeed, for the past few years has partially withdrawn its funds in many cases from national banks, but in view of the large amount of Federal work in progress and in prospect here, there is little possibility that such will be the case locally.

To the other banks here, the bonds do not appeal as investments, while bond-brokers and capitalists generally have not believed at any time that local money would be put into them in any quantity.

At times in the past there has been considerable sale here for Territorial bonds, William G. Irwin at one time taking a good deal. But at present much higher interest can easily be secured for loans.

On the mainland the bonds will be in demand because they can be used as security for government deposits, but it is not believed that European investors will be in on the bidding. The notice of opening of the bids here, say brokers, is largely a matter of form, and it is expected that news of the successful bidders will all come from New York City.

The "Loan Shark" bill, providing for the creation of a state supervisor for loan agencies, has been reported in the Massachusetts house and launched on the usual course of legislation.

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### FACTORY SEWAGE IN GOOD ORDER

President Mott-Smith of the Board of Health and Dr. Pratt made a visit of inspection this morning to the pineapple factories at Iwilei. They had a conference some time ago in connection with the matter of making better arrangements for the disposal of sewerage and now find that matters are on a very good footing.

### NO DEFINITE PLANS YET FOR CONGRESS PARTY

No plans have been made yet for the entertainment of the Congressmen when they visit Hawaii, as it is not considered quite certain when they will finally adjourn.

Secretary Mott-Smith said today that, although no definite plans had been made, it was understood that the program would not be so extended as on the last occasion. "We gave them too much to do then," he said, "and this time I think we will let them have more time to themselves. We kept them on the jump from the time they landed until they went away, but this time there will not be so much. As far as I know, the plans will be carried out along the same lines as they were then, but until I have seen the Governor I can not say for certain."

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to get onto as soon as possible. No Actual Work Yet.

"Although we shall be working along on the plans for some time to come there will be very little chance of getting any actual filling in completed until we have the whole matter arranged. All the owners are coming in very readily with us on the subject and so far as I can see they are all well aware of the fact that if they do not do it we will and are falling into line accordingly. From what I can see now I do not think there will be any necessity for spending any of the \$250,000 granted us by the last legislature.

### THIRD DRAWING THIS MORNING

The third land drawing was made this morning covering the division of Kan, on Hawaii. There were twenty-one lots but only seven applications. Another drawing will be made tomorrow of the division covering Puan, Hilo and Hamakua on Hawaii. There are about one hundred lots in this and between fifty and sixty applicants.

Following are the names of those who drew lots this morning:

Mrs. Anna Penlamina, K. Hookiele, Thomas K. Forrest, Jr., Job Nalau Kamoku, Wm. K. Forrest, Harry O. Tiedemann, Nahala Mokuhalli.

### FUNERAL SERVICES OF SENATOR H. T. MOORE

The following account of the funeral of Senator H. T. Moore is taken from the San Francisco Examiner of July 6: The remains of Herbert T. Moore were laid to rest in Cypress Lawn cemetery yesterday afternoon, under the auspices of Pacific Lodge No. 136, F. & A. M.

Moore, a Southerner by birth, went to Hawaii soon after the annexation and engaged in business there. He was a sound Democrat in politics, and was the pioneer of Democratic principles in the Islands. Always a favorite with the natives, he secured an overwhelming vote when he ran for the Territorial Senate and had the unique position of being the only Democrat in a Republican House.

In February, 1910, he decided to come to San Francisco on account of his wife's health, and, since that time, has engaged in the wholesale cigar business in San Francisco with marked success. His death was unexpected, and followed a short illness from which he was expected to recover.

### SHOW INCREASE IN TAX RETURNS

The Governor gave out some more figures in connection with the collection of taxes this morning. The total collected by the tax bureau, which does not include insurance or heritage taxes, amounts to \$2,807,518.55, as compared with \$2,556,253.96 last year. There is a general all-round increase except in the case of the general income taxes, which show a decrease of \$13,742.76. This was expected, however, and did not come as a surprise to anyone.

The amount on real property amounts to \$766,429.68 for the present fiscal year, as compared with the sum of \$709,943.35 for the last period. Personal property shows up with \$733,806.45 as against \$729,252.68. General income, which shows the only decrease, registers \$422,531.79 as against \$425,994.55. The special income tax adds up to \$379,749.68 as against \$377,694.27 for the last period.

Governor Frear is in receipt of a letter from Superintendent of Public Instruction, Willis T. Pope, who is at present on the mainland. He says that he has been visiting various institutions and gaining much valuable information concerning them.

His visits have included various reformatories and also detention houses. Besides this he made a visit to the George Parental Republic at Los Angeles and also to the George Junior Republic at Climo, Cal.

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