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**Public Lands Notice.**

Notice is hereby given that at and after  
9 o'clock, a. m., on the dates and at the  
places stated below, applications will be  
received under the provisions of Part VII,  
(Right of Purchase Leases), Land Act  
1895, for the following lots of Public  
Land:

- 1. Saturday, May 13th, 1905, at office  
of Sub-Agent Land Department, Hilo,  
Hawaii.  
Lot 67, Map 23, Olaa, Puna, Hawaii.  
Area, 8.30 acres. Class, Agricultural.  
Appraised value, \$207.50.  
Lot 68, Map 23, Olaa, Puna, Hawaii.  
Area, 10.00 acres. Class, Agricultural.  
Appraised value, \$230.00.
- 2. Saturday, May 20th, 1905, at office  
of Sub-Agent Land Department, Court  
House, Honokaa, Hawaii.  
Lots 41, 72 and 73, (as one lot), Map  
27A, Kaopahu, Hamakua, Hawaii.  
Area, 15.85 acres. Class, Agricultural.  
Appraised value, \$158.50.  
Lot 3, Map 12, Niupea, Hamakua, Ha-  
waii.  
Area, 16.84 acres. Class, Agricultural.  
Appraised value, \$202.08.  
Lot 19, Map 12, Niupea, Hamakua,  
Hawaii.  
Area, 40.58 acres. Class, Agricultural.  
Appraised value, \$405.80.  
Lot 7, Map 10, Ahaualoa, Hamakua,  
Hawaii.  
Area, 65.70 acres. Class, Agricultural.  
Appraised value land, \$657.00. Ap-  
praised value improvements, \$75. to be  
paid cash, U. S. Gold Coin, upon date of  
application for land.  
Lot 19A, Map 10, Ahaualoa, Hamakua,  
Hawaii. Area, 22.70 acres. Class, Agricul-  
tural. Appraised value, \$227.00.  
Plans of the lots and full information  
as to necessary qualifications of applica-  
nts, method of applying, etc., may be  
obtained at the Land Office, Honolulu,  
the Land Office, Hilo, or from the Ran-  
ger Second Land District (Joseph Pritchard,  
Esq.), Honokaa, Hawaii.  
JAS. W. PRATT,  
Commissioner of Public Lands,  
Honolulu, April 10th, 1905.  
April 18-25 May 2-9-16

**Legal Holiday.**

Notice is hereby given that all Terri-  
torial offices will be closed on Tuesday,  
May 30th, Memorial Day, which is a legal  
holiday.  
G. R. CARTER,  
Governor.  
Executive Building, Honolulu, May 10,  
1905. 29-1

**LEGAL NOTICES.**

In the Circuit Court of the Fourth Circuit  
Territory of Hawaii.

**AT CHAMBERS—IN PROBATE.**  
In the matter of the Estate of JOHN  
MCGILLIVRAY, deceased.  
**PETITION FOR ALLOWANCE OF  
ACCOUNTS, FINAL DISTRIBU-  
TION AND DISCHARGE.**

The petition of Alexander Smith, Ad-  
ministrator of the Estate of John Mc-  
Gillivray, deceased, having been filed,  
wherein he asks that his accounts may be  
examined and approved and that a final  
order of distribution be made of the prop-  
erty remaining in his hands to the per-  
sons entitled thereto, and discharging  
him from all further responsibility as  
such administrator, and that his bond-  
men be released from all further liability  
as such.  
It is ordered that Tuesday, the 6th day  
of June, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock, a. m.,  
is the time set for hearing said petition,  
in the Courtroom of the Fourth Circuit  
Court, at Hilo, Hawaii, at which time and  
place all persons interested may appear  
and show cause, if any they have, why  
the prayer of said petition should not be  
granted.  
Dated, Hilo, Hawaii, April 20, 1905.  
By the Court:  
A. S. LEBARON GURNEY, Clerk.  
By Chas. Hitchcock, Deputy Clerk.  
W. S. WISE,  
Attorney for Petitioner. 26-4

**Notice to Creditors.**

In the Circuit Court of the Fourth Circuit,  
Territory of Hawaii.  
**AT CHAMBERS—IN PROBATE.**  
In the matter of the Estate of M. V.  
HOLMES, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that the under-  
signed has been confirmed as Ex-  
ecutor of the last will and Testament  
of M. V. Holmes, deceased, and that all  
persons having claims against the es-  
tate of said deceased, whether secured or  
otherwise, are required to present them to  
the undersigned, duly verified, within six  
months from the date of this notice,  
otherwise said claims, if any, will be  
forever barred.  
EVERETT N. HOLMES,  
Executor of the will of M. V. Holmes,  
deceased.  
W. S. WISE,  
Attorney for Estate.  
Hilo, May 1, 1905. 27-4

**MARTHA DAVIS BURNS TO WATER'S EDGE  
CAUSE OF FIRE UNKNOWN.  
LOSS OF SHIP AND CARGO**

Water, water everywhere but not a drop to put on the fire.  
That was the startling situation when Capt. Macloon of the Bark  
"Martha Davis" found when he awoke about 11:30 o'clock Saturday  
night and discovered his ship afire.  
The vessel was lying at anchor in the stream and the captain was  
awakened by the smoke which filled the cabins and alley ways of the  
ship. He had difficulty in arousing the first and second mates, who had  
turned in early and were sound asleep. A search was instituted for the  
cause of the smoke and when the forward hatch was opened a dense vol-  
ume of smoke poured from below. Replacing the hatch, the alarm was  
sounded by ringing of the ship's bell, firing blue lights and sending up  
rockets, without attracting attention from shore.  
Almost the entire crew were ashore and they had the ship's boat  
with them. Word was sent to the police by a passing launch, and it  
was an hour after the fire was discovered that the town was awakened  
by the sounding of the fire bell. Even then many householders after  
getting up to see where the fire might be, failing to locate it, returned to  
their slumbers.  
The Matson tug "Charles Counselman" was sent to the rescue about  
midnight and an effort was made to locate the fire. Almost immediately  
after raising the hatches, the flames burst through the deck and were  
soon beyond control, despite the fact that the "Counselman" brought  
in all her pumps and kept three streams of water playing, holes being  
cut through the deck and sides of the vessel to give access to the seat of  
the fire.

By half past three the vessel was completely afire, fore and aft, and  
the spars and rigging soon became enveloped in flames, making a beauti-  
ful but gruesome picture to the crowds which now thronged the shores  
and lined the Hilo Railroad dock. It was thought that if the anchor  
chains could be cut and the vessel brought alongside of the dock, the  
fire could be quenched, but the danger to the wharves and shipping in  
the harbor by the possibility of the vessel getting adrift was too great  
and the doomed ship was abandoned. The burning hull and cargo re-  
mained afire throughout Sunday and part of Sunday night, when a  
heavy rain put out the flames, leaving an ugly hulk floating where the  
beautiful ship lay before.  
No cause is given for the fire, but it is believed that the three hundred  
barrels of lime left in the hold became wet and ignited. None of the  
cargo was saved and few of the crew succeeded in getting their personal  
effects ashore. All Hilo cargo had been landed and the losses amount-  
ing to about \$40,000 will be borne largely by the adjacent plantations,  
all of which is insured. The ship is valued at \$20,000, making the total  
loss about \$60,000. Neither the Captain nor Mr. C. Castendyke, of H.  
Hackfield & Co. who are agents for the owners, do not know whether  
the vessel was insured.  
The Bark Martha Davis was a wooden vessel, bark rigged, having  
been built in Boston in 1873. She measures 163 feet long, 33 feet beam  
and 21 feet deep. She has plied in the coastwise trade between the Is-  
lands and San Francisco for many years. Capt. Macloon had made his  
second voyage in her when the fire occurred.

(By Wireless to THE TRIBUNE.)

**Exportation of Saigon Coal Stopped.**

Tokio, Japan, May 15.—The exportation of coal has been stepped for  
so long a time as the Russian fleet is in Indo-China waters.  
Tokio, May 11.—The Russians made an attack near Yingcheng and  
were repulsed with 60 killed and 160 wounded. One Japanese was  
killed and 50 wounded.  
St. Petersburg, May 11.—Gen. Linevitch reports having repulsed  
several Japanese cavalry attacks against advanced posts.  
Gundshu Pass, May 11.—The Japanese advance was merely a feint to  
ascertain Russian strength.  
Tokio, May 11.—Two cruisers, supposed to be the Rossia and Grom-  
boi from Vladivostok, were seen off Aomori, North Japan, on May 9.  
St. Petersburg, Russia, May 12.—It is thought here that the cruisers  
from Vladivostok reported off the north of Japan are scouting to clear  
the passage for Rojstvensky's fleet and also to damage Japanese com-  
merce.  
St. Petersburg, Russia, May 12.—The troops at Zhitomir have been  
instructed to fire on all persons interfering with the Jews.  
Chicago, Ill., May 11.—The hay feed drivers refuse to observe the  
boycott. This is the first break in the strike.  
Portland, Oregon, May 11.—Federal Judge Bellinger is dying.  
Tokio, May 10.—A. E. Bougoin, a prominent former French officer,  
also his stepson, M. Strange, and an Englishman, have been arrested as  
spies, charged with furnishing military information to the Russians.  
Tokio, May 10.—Civil government will be established in Manchuria  
only where the Russians administered it, Chinese sovereignty being  
recognized in Chinese territory.

**S. S. Siberia Has Smallpox.**

San Francisco, Cal., May 15.—The S. S. Siberia has been quarantined  
on account of smallpox in the steerage.

**Teddy's Peaceful Visit.**

Washington, May 11.—President Roosevelt has returned to this city,  
having traveled six thousand miles.  
Chicago, May 10.—A tacit truce in the strike has been agreed upon  
during President Roosevelt's visit. The labor men will lodge a protest  
with the President against a possible recourse to Federal troops. The  
Iroquois Democratic club banqueted the President last night.  
Chicago, Ill., May 10.—President Roosevelt arrived here today. The  
Omaha Bee publishes a statement that Roosevelt positively declares he  
will not accept renomination.

**Chinese Threaten Boycott.**

Shanghai, May 10.—The Chinese merchants at a public meeting here  
protested against the proposed renewal of the exclusion treaty with the  
United States and decided to boycott American goods unless the treaty  
is modified.

**Nan Patterson is Now Set Free.**

New York, May 12.—Nan Patterson, who has been three times on  
trial for murdering Caesar Young, has been discharged on her own  
recognizance. Her brother-in-law, Smith, and his wife have also been  
freed. They were held on the charge of conspiracy.

**REPUBLICANS ELECT DELEGATES  
TO COUNTY CONVENTION**

The Republican County Convention will be held in Firemen's Hall  
on Thursday morning. Chairman Beers of the Republican District  
Committee will call the meeting to order promptly at 10 o'clock in the  
morning, and it is expected that organization will be perfected by noon,  
leaving the afternoon for making nominations. The delegates to the  
convention elected from the various precincts are as follows:

- FIRST REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT:  
First (Kalapana)—H. K. Kaiwi.  
Second (Olaa)—G. Supe, T. E. Cook, Frank de Rosa.  
Third (Waiakea)—G. F. Alfonso, Geo. Kailhenui, J. McGuire, Sam  
Kailikane.  
Fourth (Hilo)—Chas. Akau, L. A. Andrews, W. H. Beers, J. P.  
Hale, N. K. Lyman, R. A. Lyman, Jr., Z. Mahaiula, J. K. Pahlao, M.  
Pacheco, I. E. Ray.  
Fifth (Papaikou)—J. T. Moir, H. M. Nihoa.  
Sixth (Honoumou)—J. K. Dillon, E. S. Capellas, W. Keliinui.  
Seventh (Laupahoehoe)—J. Mattoon, W. G. Walker, E. K. Simmons.  
Eighth (Paaulo)—A. Louissou, A. Horner, S. Haina.  
Ninth (Honokaa)—J. Pritchard, John Ai, N. T. Furtado.  
Tenth (Kukuihaele)—D. Forbes, F. Kalimaeka.  
Eleventh (Kapoho)—H. J. Lyman, D. K. Makuakane.

- SECOND REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT:  
First (Kohala)—E. A. Fraser, John Hind, J. G. Louis, W. Merse-  
berg, H. Renton, E. E. Olding, Ed Quinn.  
Second (Waimea)—J. H. Wise, Fred W. Carter, J. W. Kawai.  
Third (Kaihua)—J. Maguire, J. N. Koomoa, J. K. Keliikoa, Jr., J.  
K. Kaelemakule.  
Fourth (Keahou)—J. K. Nahale, T. P. Kamauoha, W. Kamauoha,  
R. Wassman, Thos. C. White, H. Kawehiwehi.  
Fifth (Hoohina)—J. K. Kaeo, W. J. Wright, H. J. Ahu.  
Sixth (Papa)—D. L. Kaanaana, D. Kaupika.  
Seventh (Waiohinu)—First delegation: Dr. L. S. Thompson, J. H.  
Waipulani, Y. K. Kaapa; second delegation: C. H. White, O. K. Apiki,  
J. K. Kekaula.  
Eighth (Pahala)—Dr. Schwallie, J. Ikaaka Ahu.

**REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES ARE QUIET.**

The local primaries through the island were quietly held on Saturday  
between the hours of three and eight o'clock in the evening. There  
was no great excitement anywhere at the various polling places  
and the election passed off very smoothly. In Kau a ripple of  
dissension was perceptible between the rival factions and two election  
booths were doing business with separate ballots. The so-called Wol-  
ters element elected three delegates at Naalehu and the Thompson fac-  
tion voted for three names at Waiohinu. The two delegations will both  
come to the County Convention on Thursday and claim the right to vote  
and take part in the proceedings.  
Speaking of the Kau troubles, R. A. Lyman, Jr. secretary of the  
District Committee said: "It is a very unfortunate state of affairs for the  
Republicans in Kau to get into, but it is more of a personal fight it ap-  
pears than any expressed party disloyalty. I have kept in close touch  
with the situation both at Waiohinu and at Naalehu and personally  
favor the Waiohinu delegation, who were regularly nominated at the meet-  
ing of the precinct club held at Waiohinu. The second delegation  
of which Mr. White is at the head represents the Naalehu crowd who  
arrived at the meeting too late to make any nominations and subsequently  
held a meeting of their own when a new ticket was put into the field. I  
am convinced from a careful perusal of the rules that the latter delega-  
tion has no claim for recognition, although that is a matter to be decided  
upon by the Committee on Credentials of County Convention."

In Hilo and Waiakea, where the largest number of candidates were in  
the field for honors, the largest votes were polled, although it is stated  
the full party strength did not turn out to the primaries. In the Fourth  
Precinct (Hilo) the vote stood as follows, the first ten being elected de-  
legates: L. A. Andrews, 161; Chas. Akau, 155; N. K. Lyman, 142;  
W. H. Beers, 141; I. E. Ray, 129; R. A. Lyman, Jr., 128; J. H. Hale,  
117; J. K. Pahlao, 117; Mahaiula, 113; M. Pacheco, 108; E. R. Rich-  
ards, 70; W. H. C. Campbell, 65; Wm. McKay, 50; W. C. Cook, 46;  
J. Vierra, 32; B. F. Schoen, 33; W. K. Ragsdale, 23.  
In the Third Precinct of Waiakea, the vote stood as follows: W. Geo.  
Kailhenui, 85; G. F. Alfonso, 79; J. McGuire, 75; Sam Kailikane, 62;  
J. M. Herring, 28; D. Spaulding, 16; Keakolo, 15; D. S. Bowman, 14;  
T. A. Dranga, 8; Nalimu, 8; Fvan de Silver, 7.

(By Wireless to THE TRIBUNE.)

**Filipino Rebellion Continues.**

Manila, P. I., May 15.—There has been fighting in Zolo for two  
weeks. Pala, a Moro outlaw, with 600 armed followers, has been defy-  
ing the regulars under command of General Wood. Pala lost 300, hav-  
ing been surrounded in a swamp by Wood, whose loss is seven killed  
and nineteen wounded.

**Latest Sugar Quotations.**

San Francisco, Cal., May 15.—96° Test Centrifugals, 4-435; per  
ton, \$88.70. 88° analysis beets, 115 3d; per ton, \$87.40.

**Hawaiian Absconder Returning.**

New York, May 15.—Kapen, the absconder, in custody of Deputy  
Sheriff Henry Vida, has arrived here in the steamer Cedric.

**Tornado Destroys Town.**

Oklahoma City, May 10.—The entire town of Snyder has been de-  
stroyed by a tornado. It is estimated that five hundred people were  
killed or wounded.  
Guthrie, Oklahoma, May 11.—The dead in the town of Snyder, swept  
yesterday by a tornado, number 100. One hundred and fifty persons are  
injured, many fatally.

**Dynamite Collision.**

Harrisburg, May 10.—An express train on the Pennsylvania railroad  
collided last night with a dynamite laden freight train. Three explo-  
sions followed and the wreckage caught fire. It is estimated that fifty  
people were killed and one hundred wounded.  
Harrisburg, Pa., May 11.—Eighteen persons are dead and 100 injured  
as a result of the railway accident at this place.