

ly to ascertain how many of each lower number made one of the next higher. But he would not allow, that in any of these cases, there was any error. Probably, however, more learned Japanese would perceive the errors. I think I have, in the list I copied, data enough to correct the numbers which are wrong. Perhaps it might be done by the abstract here given. But as Izero would not allow that there was any mistake, I have preferred to set all down here according to his diction; leaving to every one, who may please, to correct for himself.

I would only add, in conclusion, that if any one has curiosity enough to look over these numerals, he should, by no means, begin in the middle; but let him learn thoroughly the first ten cardinal numbers, and he will then find he has the key to unlock the mystery of the whole.

Yours truly,

D. BALDWIN.

MR. EDITOR.—We now proceed to our third proposition, viz. that intemperance is the most fruitful source of pauperism and crime. To prove this position, we shall bring the testimony of individuals qualified to judge from the favorable circumstances in which they are placed to make observations, also statistical facts. Judge Acton, Superior of all the criminal courts of Rome, stated that he might attribute one third of all the crimes committed in that country to the immoderate use of wine and frequenting public houses. The Secretary of War for the United States, declared that of more than 1000 desertions in year, nearly all were occasioned by drinking. Of 5669, in six years, and 7058 court martials nearly all were attributed to this cause. Adjutant General Jones, and other distinguished officers, bear the same testimony. The Secretary of the navy concurs in the general opinion as to its effects and influence. And a distinguished naval officer gave it as his opinion that nine tenths of all the difficulties with the men arise from ardent spirit. Mr. Wakely coroner of the city of London says,

"Since I have been coroner, I have seen so many murders and suicides by poison, drowning, hanging, and cutting the throat, in consequence of drinking ardent spirits, that I am confident the legislature will before long be obliged to interfere with respect to the sale of liquors containing alcohol."

"Judge Hale, after twenty years' observation and experience, had declared, 'That if all the murders, and manslaughters, and burglaries, and robberies, and riots, and tumults, the adulteries, fornications, rapes, and other great enormities, which had been committed within that time, were divided into five parts, four of them would be found to have been the result of intemperance.'

"The Sheriff of London and Middlesex had said, 'That the evil which lies at the root of all other evils, is that especially, of drinking ardent spirit; that he had long been in the habit of hearing criminals refer all their misery to this, so that he had ceased to ask the cause of their ruin, so universally was it effected by spirituous liquors.' And Mr. Poinder, in an examination before the Committee of the House of Commons, had testified, 'That from facts, that had fallen under his own observation, he was persuaded that, in all trials for murder, with very few, if any exceptions, it would appear, on investigation, that the criminal had, in the first instance, delivered up his mind to the brutalizing effects of spirituous liquors.' And similar was the testimony from others."

"Jurists, too, of distinguished character, and judges, in great numbers, have testified, that this liquor occasions a great majority of all the crimes which are committed. One says, 'Of eleven murders committed, all, except one, were occasioned by strong drink.' Another says, 'Of eleven murders committed, all were occasioned by intemperance.' Another says, 'Of twenty murders examined by me, all were occasioned by spirituous liquors.' And another says, 'Of more than two hundred murders committed in the Unit-

ed States in a year, nearly all have their origin in drinking."

"A young man in Ireland committed a murder, in March, 1833. He was afterwards tried at Kilkenny, and pronounced by the jury to be guilty. 'Yes, my Lord,' said the prisoner, 'I am guilty;' and pointing to his mother, a woman of more than eighty years of age, who stood by, he said, 'She was the cause of it.' She had agreed beforehand, for the price of the blood of Mr. Lennard, the man, who, according to that agreement, was to be murdered, by her son. She watched for the coming of the unfortunate and unsuspecting man, and when she saw him approaching, she handed her son the pistol, with which to take his life. But there was not enough wickedness and hardness in the young man to commit the deed. He instinctively shrunk back, saying, 'How can I murder the poor gentleman?' His mother handed him the whiskey bottle, which she had got for the occasion, and said, 'Take that.' He took it, shot the man, and was hanged."

"Another young man who had committed a crime, so horrid that it was thought to be incredible, was asked by the magistrate in his examination, how it was possible, that he could commit such a crime? He answered, 'With the help of whiskey I could commit twenty such crimes.'"

"Of 94 adults, who died in one city, in one year, the deaths of more than one third were, according to the testimony of the Medical Association, caused, or hastened, directly or indirectly, by intemperance.

"Of 334 paupers in one county, 290 were made such by strong drink; of 253 in another county, 246 were made paupers in the same way; of 50 in another county, 48 were made paupers by intemperance; of 1134 in another county, 1059 were made paupers in the same way; and of 1969 paupers in different alms-houses of our country, 1790, according to the testimony of the overseers of the poor, were made paupers by intoxicating liquor. Of 634 persons received into the alms-house in this city in 1833, 616 were intemperate. Of 24,329 persons relieved in New-York, three-fourths was occasioned by intemperance."

"Of 236 persons in the Lunatic Asylum in Dublin, 115 were known to have been deprived of reason by intemperance, and there is reason to believe that this was the case also with many others. Of 495 patients which were admitted into the Liverpool Lunatic Asylum, 267 were known to have brought on their derangement by drinking; and this was supposed to have been the case with many others."

Yours, &c.,

A Friend of Temperance.

THE POLYNESIAN.

SATURDAY, OCT. 17, 1840.

IMPROVEMENTS AND CHANGES IN AND ABOUT HONOLULU.

The past twelve months have been full of activity. Streets have been widened, straitened and opened, houses and stores built, others demolished; public works commenced, and every thing now wears the appearance of progressive improvement. In comparison with preceding years, quite a spirit of enterprise seems to be awakened both among foreigners and Hawaiians, which we surmise, is the result of a general prosperity. To a stranger all may still appear rude and semi-civilized, but to the resident many cheering alterations are to be seen, which indicate that the means rather than the will is wanting, for a still more rapid improvement. The broad avenues which now intersect the town, will become eventually fine streets. If they could be lined with trees, it would add much to the comfort of the pedestrian. Carriages, curricles, &c., are becoming quite common, and add to the liveliness of the place, and better still, the shoulders of oxen are now substituted for those of the human cattle, who formerly were the carriers of stone

and burthens. Native women are beginning to inquire with eager interest for the "patena hou" (new fashions) and the more substantial articles of civilization are in increased demand.

It would not be amiss to record some of these improvements, for the benefit of those who take an interest in this infant metropolis, and are not here to see; and if the record should live long enough to meet the eye of some brother quill, who may be fifty years hence editing a huge daily in the then populous city of Honolulu, it may perchance draw forth a smile, as he compares our notes of "improvements" with the time worn and dingy buildings of antiquated style, which the depraved taste of his ancestors erected; devoutly wishing that age, Goth, or Vandal would speedily work their ruin, that room might be made for some more modern and elegant style. Be that as it will, he shall have the benefit of our list at least, consign it to whom he may. Firstly, by the water side we see a new store, built of stone, by Mr. F. J. Greenway, in a neat and handsome manner, and adding much to the appearance of that part of the town. Continuing our search for signs of improvement, we behold the sign of SAM & MOW, BAKERS, from the Celestial Empire, adjoining a new and neatly built retail shop, which looks much like a retired post office, from some flourishing village in the United States. Six more have been recently opened in other parts of the town, with the benevolent purpose of easing their customers of all superfluous cash, and if a pretty display of goods will work so desirable effect, they may be assured of success. Then we have Rev. L. Smith's new church, a neat and large building of adobies, capable of accommodating two thousand persons, and not far from that, to the westward a new and substantial bridge, with a causeway, crossing the river and low ground in that vicinity. Its expense exceeded \$1200, and it has proved of great utility, being a great thoroughfare, and affording a pleasant road for Ewa, instead of the long ride through the water as was formerly the case. Another prominent object is the elegant mansion recently erected by Mr. H. Skinner, an ornament to the town and an incitement to a better taste in building. Besides this there are many other dwelling houses lately finished, or in progress, of improved appearance, and convenience to those ship-like houses which have been so much in vogue, and appear to have been planned with one eye at sea, and the other on shore. A new stone Chapel for the Catholic congregation has been commenced, to be one hundred and fifteen feet long by fifty in breadth, and of a chaste style of architecture. The young chief's school house, though plain externally, has a very neatly finished interior. Rev. Mr. Bingham's new stone church, has been completed as far as the third story, and when finished will be an imposing structure, of one hundred and ten feet in length, by seventy in breadth, with columns in front, and capable of accommodating upwards of three thousand individuals. The style is somewhat antiquated for our day, but has the merit of convenience. An enterprising German has established a copper foundry, and a press for the extraction of oil from the Kukui nut, which is used largely in paint-

ing. The king is gathering materials for a new palace of stone, which when completed will be a capacious and elegant building. And last but not least, is the "old mission house," which in its new dress, quite outshines some of its more modern neighbors.

Beautiful Nuuanu is becoming more picturesque than ever. Mr. Peirce's country lodge is a very pretty and convenient affair, and what is more, has induced several others to follow his example, in retiring to the cool shade of the valley, and shortly we shall see its surface dotted with neat cottages. This is as it should be, and could all the merchants be induced to dine late, close business, and then retire for the remainder of the day to the country, much health and happiness would ensue, and quite as much business be done.

We have been at some pains in obtaining the following list of the stores, public buildings, trades, professions, etc. of the town. There are doubtless some errors, but it will serve to give an idea of the present condition of the town. We have not included many native mechanics, who are more or less employed among foreigners and their own countrymen.

Public buildings, institutions, &c.
Two Protestant Churches, Pastors, Rev. R. Armstrong, and Rev. L. Smith.
One Seamen's Bethel, Rev. J. Diell.
One Roman Catholic Chapel, Bishop of Honolulu.
One stone School House, for Charity School. Teachers, Mr. and Mrs. Johnstone, eighty scholars, of both sexes.
Four other schools, for native children.
One for teaching the English language to Hawaiians, J. M. Steele, Teacher.
A large adobie building for the young Chief's School, eleven scholars, studies pursued in the English language, Teachers, Mr. and Mrs. Cooke.
Singing School, every Friday evening at the Chapel.
Sandwich Islands Institute, small Museum and Public Library, three to four hundred volumes.
Reading Room for Seamen.
American Hospital for Seamen.
British Hospital for Seamen.
Stone Fort, mounting sixty guns.
Battery on Punch Bowl Hill, fourteen forty two pounders.
Hale Kauila, or Government House.
Prison. One Sugar Mill.
English Consulate, R. Charlton, Consul.
United States Consulate, P. A. Brinsmade, Consul.
French Consulate, J. Dudoit, Consul.
Two Pilots,
Retail shops, 20
Wholesale stores, 4
Hotels, 2
Taverns, 2
Sailor's boarding houses, alias grog shops, 12
Billiard rooms, 2
Bowling alleys, 7
Wharves, 4
Paint oil manufactory, 1
Copper foundry, 1
Bathing house, 1
Livery places, 2
Lumber yard, 1
Bakery, 1
Blacksmith shops, 4
Cabinet maker's shops, 2
Barber's shops, 2
Apothecary shops, 2
Provision shops, 2
Vegetable markets, 3
Ship carpenters, 14
House carpenters, 5
Physicians, 3

Masons,	2
Tailors,	3
Calkers,	3
Sail makers,	2
Shoe makers,	4
Saddle and harness maker,	1
Butchers,	2
Block maker,	1
Cigar makers,	2
Auctioneers,	2
Tinkers,	1
Engraver,	1
Printer,	1

A good watch maker is very much needed here, and would command an excellent business.

There are twenty families from the United States residing in Honolulu, including those of the American Protestant Mission, in all, seventy six individuals, and five from England, seventeen individuals. The whole foreign population will probably amount to six hundred; but the census now being taken will give the number of residents and native population accurately—and when completed throughout the islands will be published.

Statistics of the American Mission established at Honolulu, under the direction of the A. B. C. F. M., furnished by Mr. Levi Chamberlain, one of the secular agents of the mission.

Ordained missionaries, 2; school teachers, 2; secular agents, 2; printers, 2 (one of these is now assisting in the secular department); book binder, 1; physician, 1.

Dwelling houses, seven. Cost, including inclosures, about 14,000
 Printing Office, Bindery and work shop, 3,300

\$17,300

The value of the missionary buildings would be estimated higher, were they held by a different tenure. The grant of land on which these houses stand, were made to the missionaries as religious teachers, whose object was to benefit the people and nation; and they would not feel at liberty to transfer the interest they have in these premises to others, without special permission from government.

The Printing Office and Bindery are well furnished. In the former are three Iron Presses, and one Ramage Press.

Four schools for children are conducted at the station, under the tuition or direction of the missionaries, besides the school for the children of the chiefs, to which one of the missionary teachers is exclusively devoted.

The average of scholars in the other schools in Honolulu, is about two hundred in constant attendance. District schools are taught by natives in the vicinity, under the superintendence of the missionaries. In these schools are about four hundred scholars, mostly children. Sabbath schools are also conducted both for adults and children, under the direction of the missionaries."

Since the commencement of the year four ships with large cargoes, have arrived from the United States, one from England, besides many others from Mexico, Chili, Peru, Columbia River, and other ports. Within five months nine vessels have been hove down, and repaired with despatch and workmanship not to be surpassed in any other portion of the Pacific. The harbor of Honolulu from its perfect security affords peculiar facilities for this business.

This year exports have greatly increased, embracing several hundred tons of sugar, molasses, arrow root, goat skins, hides, and a small quantity of raw silk.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT KOLOA, KAUAL.

We regret to learn that on the 26th ultimo, the cook house belonging to Capt. John Stetson, took fire through a defective stove-pipe, and immediately communicated the flames to his dwelling houses and adjoining buildings, which to the number of seven were entirely consumed. They consisted of a store house, carpenter's shop, two dwelling houses, and out buildings and stable, all of thatch, and built very close together. The furniture was nearly all saved, but the whole loss cannot be estimated at less than two thousand dollars.

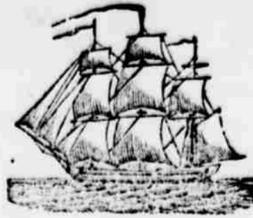
The repairs of the tender Flying Fish are now completed, and a beautiful little craft she is. She was formerly a New York pilot boat, and is of ninety tons measurement. She has all the ease and grace of the swallow, as she lies upon the water, and we doubt not but that like that bird she lightly skims, rather than ploughs the ocean. Her officers call her a safe and delightful sea boat, and a fast sailer, and while at Sydney she attracted much curiosity. Strangers, and even the fair sex came from far and near to see the tiny craft that had braved the dangers of the icy ocean—every body being astonished that so small and frail a vessel should have ventured into the Polar Seas. She had nevertheless, and reached upwards of seventy degrees south latitude; encountering some severe gales, and being at one time so completely closed in by ice, that her deliverance was almost miraculous. Her consort, the Sea Gull, was thirty tons larger, of the same class, and after parting company with the Flying Fish in a gale off the Horn last year, is supposed to have tripped her fore mast, ripped open her deck, and foundered. Independently of the lives lost, the loss of her services has been quite a drawback to the Expedition, at least to the extent of surveys, as these small vessels are by far the best adapted to cruise among the Southern Archipelagoes. Lieut. Craven, who remained in Valparaiso, to take charge of her in case of her arrival, afterwards spent two months in the United States Schooner Boxer in examining all the harbors, capes, islands, and the coast generally of Tierra Del Fuego, in hopes that some trace of her could be found, but upon his arrival in Rio Janeiro, reported that none were seen. Passed Midshipman Reid and Bacon, with thirteen men, were lost in her.

Brig Harlequin, Capt. Cheine, brings intelligence from China, via. Kamschatka, to the middle of June. At that date the blockade had not taken place, although three English sloops of war were off the coast. The trade with the Americans was still continued, but the Chinese were determined not to yield to the demands of the English, and the Emperor had sent an embassy to the Emperor of Russia, to apply for assistance against the English. An anomalous incident in their annals—and one which will be quite likely to subvert their non-intercourse policy, should the Autocrat comply with his wishes.

The Japanese who took passage in the Harlequin, remained at Kamschatka, under the protection of the governor, waiting an opportunity to return to their own country. Capt. Dominis left Kamschatka in the Brig Joseph Peabody ten days before the Harlequin arrived, for this place, via. Norfolk Sound and Mazatlan.

Letters from Hawaii state that the volcano of late has presented a very brilliant appearance at night, at the distance of sixty miles. The day before the Barque Eagle left Hilo, it was reported that a fresh eruption had commenced, the light being seen at that place.

MARINE NEWS.



PORT OF HONOLULU.

ARRIVED.

- Oct. 12, Tah. Bark Eagle, Rhodes, Hawaii.
- " 13, Am. Whaleship Martha, Potter, Newport; 36 mos. 1,900 bbls.
- " 14, Br. Brig Harlequin, Cheine, thirty days from Kamschatka.

SAILED.

- Oct. 13, Haw. Sch. Unity, Bowbys, Tahiti.
- " 14, Am. Whaleship Fama, Hoyer, to cruise.
- " 14, Am. Whaleship Martha, Potter, Newport, U. S.
- " 15, Am. Whaleship Elizabeth, Wood, for New Bedford.

PASSENGERS.

- Tah. Bark Eagle, Mr. Wm. French.
- Br. Brig Harlequin, Capt. Carter, lady and child.
- Fama, Mrs. Hoyer and child.

From our Correspondent at Lahaina.

ARRIVED.

- Sept. 28, Ship Martha, O. Potter, N. R. Islands, 36 months, 1900 bbls.—400 the season; bound home.
- Oct. 2, Bark Equator, B. N. Fisher, New Bedford; 11 months, 450 bbls.—400 the season; oil shore.

Sailed from Koloa, Kauai, the last of September, the Am. Whaleship Wm. Penn, Bodfish, for the United States. Passengers. Rev. R. Tinker, lady and five children.

Shipping list reported by Capt O. Potter, of Ship Martha.

May 4, left Ascension in company with Ohio, Coffin, Nantucket, 2400 bbls. oil. Elizabeth, Coen, London, 500 bbls. The following ships left the same place some time in April, Emily, Morgan, N. Bedford, 1800 bbls. Lancaster, Swift, N. Bedford, 900 bbls. Hero, Joy, Nantucket, 1750 bbls. Charles Drew, Boney, Fairhaven, 900 bbls. Wilmington Liverpool Packet, Foster, N. Bedford, 1450 bbls. Galen, Borden, Warren, 500. Spoke on Japan, June 17, Rambler, McLean, Nantucket, 200 bbls. July 5, Barque Hope, Rains, London, 700 bbls., 200 the season. July 8, picked up a boat, nearly flat bottom, two narrow keels, no rowlocks, and nailed with flat nails, spikes the same. Aug. 5, Barque Equator, Fisher, N. Bedford, 450 bbls. Aug. 24, Columbus, Gardner, Nantucket, 500 bbls. Sept. 2, George and Mary, Coffin, Edgarton, 350 bbls. Aug. 12, Charles and Frederick, Brown, N. Bedford, 2000 bbls.

At Kamschatka, Sept. 1, Ship James Steward, Dogerty, of St. Johns, N. B., 12 months out, 2050 bbls. whale, and 120 sperm. Sailed 5th Oct. to cruise.

NOTICE.

It being necessary to make arrangements soon for the continuance of the Polynesian, as was proposed in the Prospectus, for a year, should the public patronage afford it a sufficient support, the Editor respectfully requests those who wish to continue their subscriptions to give him immediate notice. Also those who may wish to become subscribers.

The back numbers can be had upon application to the Editor, or at the Printing Office. Communications addressed to him can be left at Peirce & Brewer's, Ladd & Co. or the Printing Office.

Oct. 10, 1840. 4w.

WANTED.

A Journeyman Compositor. Apply at this Office. Oct. 17.

FOR SALE.

A good Horse, apply at this Office.

THOMAS CUMMINS.

Has on hand and for sale, American, English and French Prints—White, Blue and brown Cotton Drills—Linen Drills—Buffalo Cloth—Bleached and Unbleached Cottons—Hamilton Flannel—English Chintz—Chally Dresses

—Pelerine and Scarfs—Black, Green and White Veils—Fine Cambric Muslins—Check—Tape—Muslins—Sprig and Mull Muslins—Bishop Lawns—Ladies' Silk Gloves—Black Crape—Pink Crape—Petticoat Robes—Silk Cord—Men and women's Hosiery—India Rubber Suspenders—Cotton Suspenders—Worsted Suspenders—Bed Tick-ing—Men & Women's Shoes—Calico and Striped Shirts—Ready-made Clothing—Silk Handkerchiefs—China Nankeens.

HARD WARE.

Pocket Knives; Spring Balances, Knives and Forks; Scissors; Pins and Needles; Gimblets; Padlocks; Percussion Caps, and Sad Irons; Braces and Bits; Soup Laddles; Gauges; Chisels; Hooks, and Hinges; Files; Iron and Brass Butt Hinges; Cast Steel Hand Saws; Iron Back Saws; Compass Saws; Cut and Wrought Nails; Cut and Wrought Tacks; Hat Pins; Cast Iron Furnaces; Latches; Butts; Sail Needles; Cross-cut and Pit Saw Files; Door, Chest and Armor Locks; Shovels; Sauce Pans; Try Pans; Razors; Spoke Shavers; Hammers; Wood Saws; Jewsharps; Drawing Knives; Iron Squares; Adzes; Britannia Table & Tea Spoons; Axe Handles; Curtain Rings; Hoes; Carrier's Knives; Bonnet and Brass Wire.

PAINTS.

Verdigris; Chrome Yellow and Yellow Ochre; Litharge; Spirits Turpentine; Paint Brushes; Lamp Black; Ground Log Wood, and Copperas.

Sundries.

Coffee; Olives; Cigars and Tobacco; Stoughton's Bitters; Pepper; Currants and Almonds; Dried apples; Champagne; Cider; London Porter; Hams; Cheese; Pickles; Ginger; Prunes; Peppermint; Swaim's Panacea; Molasses Gates.

Assorted Crockery Ware; Glass Lamps, Tumblers, &c. &c. of.

For New York.



The fine New Ship LAUSANNE, four hundred tons burthen per register, J. SPALDING, Master, will sail direct for New York, on or about the 15th of October. For freight or passage, apply to the Master or to

Aug. 22. PEIRCE & BREWER.

NOTICE.

The Co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm of WRIGHT & WHARTON, was dissolved on 6th inst.

T. H. WHARTON will continue to carry on the business of Painting, &c., and solicits a share of public patronage.

Blond Yard, Honolulu, Oct. 10, 1840. *3w.

- 10,000 Coral Stone,
- 50 Piles Lime Stone,
- 100 Cords Wood,
- 400 bbls. Salt,
- 2,000 lbs. Arrow Root,
- 50 Bbls. Beans,
- 20 " Corn,

For Sale by LADD & Co. June, 6. tf.

WANTED.

Six good Mules, Enquire of LADD & Co. June, 6. tf.

SAM AND MOW,

BAKERS FROM CANTON. Good people all—walk in and buy, Of Sam & Mow, good cake and pie: Bread hard or soft, for land or sea, "Celestial" made; come buy of we. June 15. tf

POETRY.



For the Polynesian.

THE VOICE OF THE PESTILENCE.

(Written during the raging of the Asiatic Cholera.)

Behold I come; and I come in wrath!
Hear ye not the lament that resounds on my path?

See ye not the red flash of my lurid eye?
I tell you 'twill blast as it passes you by.
I have vanquished the powers that guarded your sleep;

Now learn ye hereafter to watch and to weep;
For my spell shall be rung till your spirits have fled,

From the courts of the living, to mope with the dead.

Your brightest and fairest shall shudder and die.

I will stretch forth my arm o'er the beautiful sky,

Till the sun shall pale in the poisoned air,
And the summer-cloud thunder 'Despair!
Despair!

I will dash your kings from their purple thrones,

To raise me a dome of their whitened bones;
And share their flesh with the greedy goule,
And pledge him in blood at the rich repast;
Till the spheres shall echo my festive howl,
And the spirits of air shrink back aghast,
When they hear the sound of the mighty Voice,

Whereat the bottomless deep shall rejoice.

Ha! ha! my minions, 'tis glorious mirth,
To batten and glut on the haughty Earth;
To see the fathomless ocean's bed
Too small for the tears that the living shed
O'er the blasted forms of the graveless dead!

Then away, away, over mountain and wave,
Till the earth become one teeming grave;
And the Sky a pall; and the Deep a shroud;
And the rushing Wind a coronach loud;
Nature a mourner; a death-light the Day;
And Space, Desolation!—Away! Away!

HENRY PATY & CO.,

Have for sale,

10 barrels American Beef, superior quality.
10 bar. Am. Flour, sup. qual. (Gallego Br.)
50 barrels California Beans.
200 baskets Champagne.
600 sheets Sheathing Copper, 16 and 24 oz.
July 25. tf.

NOTICE.

The Subscribers have this day entered into Co-partnership under the firm of

E. & H. GRIMES,

for the transaction of Mercantile Business.

ELIAB GRIMES,
HIRAM GRIMES.

Honolulu, March 21, 1840.

Engravings of Hawaiian Scenery and Costumes; also, Maps. Done on Copper plate at Lahainaluna, Maui, by natives.

For sale by PEIRCE & BREWER.
Aug. 8. tf.

HENRY PATY & Co.,

Have for Sale on the most reasonable terms, for cash, approved credit, or barter, a great variety of merchandise, including,

DRY GOODS.

Silk, — Cambrics, — Gingham, — Drillings, — Tickings, — Osnaburghs, — Merino, Chencille, Thibet and Cotton Shawls. — Silk, Merino, and Cotton Handkfs — Tuscan Bonnets — Silk, Satin, Velvet and Gauze Bonnet and Belt Ribbons — White and Green Veils — Wound Wire, — Rattans, — Bonnet Wreaths and Flowers. — Tabs, — Gold and Silver Wheat — Lace and Muslin Wro't Capes and Pelerines — Scarfs — Ladies Cravats, — French Net — Blond Lace — Insertion — Open work and Common Ladies Hose — Elastics — Picnic and Cotton Gloves — Petticoat

Robes — Silk, Satin and Bombazine Neck Stocks — Hooks and Eyes, — Needles — Pins — Emery Cushions — Spool Cotton — Buttons — Thread — Ready-made Clothing, Suspenders.

HARDWARE.

Axes — Hatchets — Hand, Back and Key-Hole Saws — Files — Rasps — Knives and Forks — Sheath, Pocket, Pen and Dirk Knives — Scissors — Butts and Screws — Door, Chest Mortice and Pad Locks — Bolts — Sad Iron — Japan'd Lamps — Plated, German Silver, Britannia and Iron Tea and Table Spoons — Jewsharps — Brass nails — Cut Tacks — Percussion Caps — Stirrups and Bits — Rat Traps — Gun Flint — Stew Pans, — Shot — Spikes. Slide Rules.

MEDICINES, &c.

Extract Sarsaparilla — Extract Buche — Epsom Salts — Calcined Magnesia — Opodeldoc — Oil Spruce — Essences — Cephalic and Maccaboy Snuff — Stoughton's Elixir.

PROVISIONS.

Flour — Beef, — Ship Bread — Cod Fish — Mackerel — Tea — Sugar — California Beans — Pickles — Salad Oil — Vinegar — Arrow Root — Corn — Potatoes.

FURNITURE.

1 Pr. Splendid Hair Cloth Sofas — 2 Side Boards — 1 Bureau — 1 Double Wash Stand — 2 Single Wash Stands — 1 Card Table — 6 Doz. Wood Seat Chairs.

SUNDRIES.

1 Elegant Waggon and Harness — 600 Sheets Sheathing Copper — 2 M. Am. Boards — 8 M. Am. Shingles — 3 M. Birch Boards and Joists — 12 Baskets Champagne — 10 Cases Boots and Shoes — 20 Doz. Lemon Syrup — 20 Doz. Stoughton's Elixir — 6 Caboozes — Paint Oil — Chrome — Lamp Black — Paint Brushes — Indelible Ink Writing Ink — Sherry Wine — Riding Whips — Bass Viol, Violin and Guitar Strings — Silver Watches — Gold Breast Pins — Harmonicons — Signal Horns — Umbrellas — Men's and Boy's Blk. and Drab Hats — 1 Set Heavy heaving-down Blocks — Bags — Twine — Brooms — Rope — California Soap — Letter and Bill Paper — Blank Books — Tobacco — Axe Helves.

ALSO,

Just published, and for sale, by H. P. & Co the New Mexican Tariff and Port Regulations.

Cash paid, as above, for Bills of Exchange on the United States, England, France or Russia.

Honolulu, May 28, 1840. tf

B. PITMAN & SON,

Have for Sale the following Goods, on reasonable Terms, viz:—

Prints — Gingham, — Brown Blue and white Cottons — Brown and Blue Cotton Drilling — Linen Drill — White Cambric — Shirting Stripes — Hosiery — Suspenders — Bone Buttons — Wick yarn — Nankeens — Cotton and Linen Thread — Combs — Shoes — Shoe Blacking — Colored Pongee Hkds. — Nankeen Clothing — Colored Shirts, &c., &c

Sandwich Island Sugar and Molasses — Coffee — Hyson Skin Tea — Butter — Cheese, Flour — Corn Meal — Dried Apples — Raisins — Figs — Citron — Tamarinds — Preserves — Pickles — Nutmegs — Mace — Allspice — Cloves, Ginger — Honey — Sago — Sage — Olives — Mustard — Pepper — Salad Oil — Lemon Syrup — Tobacco — Pipes — Cigars — Snuff — Soap — Wines — Porter — Pale Ale — Stoughton's Elixir, &c.

A General assortment of Crockery, Hard Ware and Tin Ware.

Honolulu, June 6, 1840. tf

E. & H. GRIMES,

Have on hand and for sale on reasonable terms, an assortment of English, American, and China Goods. Among which may be found the following, viz.

Brown, Blue, White Cotton and Linen Drills. Cotton Hdkfs. Black, Blue, and White Linen

and Cotton Thread. Bleached and Unbleached American Cottons, different widths and qualities. American, English and French Prints. Men's and Women's Cotton Hosiery. Kid Gloves. Satin. India Rubber and Cotton Suspenders. Marking Ink. Belt Ribands. Bed-ticking. Sailor Stripes. Black Hats. Men and women's Shoes. Brogans, and calf skin Boots and Pumps. White Shirts, with linen and grass cloth bosoms. Petticoat Robes. Pure Irish Linens. English Long Cloth. Ready Made Clothing, Cotton, Nankin, &c. &c. Tassels. Bonnets. Hair Brushes. Tortoise Shell Dress Combs. Wick Yarn.

CHINA GOODS.

Light and Dark Blue Cottons Souchong, Hyson and Pouchong Teas. Sewing Silk. Blue and Yellow Nankins. White Grass Cloth. Crapes. Colored and Black Silk Hdkfs. Ribands. Grass Cloth Clothing. Plain Grass Hdkfs. Muslin.

HARDWARE.

Shovels. Spades. Knives and Forks. Spoons. Jack Knives. Scissors. Pins. Needles. Gimblets. Padlocks. Butcher Knives. Hat Pins. Spring Balances. Iron and Brass Sheives. Iron and Wooden Coffee Mills. Percussion Caps. Braces and Bits. Sad Iron. Back Saws. Copper Tacks. Nails, assorted. Sheet Iron. Steelyards. Fry Pans. Sauce Pans. Wrought and Cast Iron Tea Kettles. Bake Pans. Tea Trays. Jew's Harps. Razors. Hatchets. Axes. Spoke Shaves. Adzes. Jack Planes. Door Locks. Latches. Chest Locks. Sail Needles. Fish Hooks. Flints. Looking Glasses. Pistols. Fowling Pieces. Rifle. Iron Rivets. Brass Nails. Whet Stones. Socket Bolts. Brass Screws. Rim Locks. Screw and Pod Augers. Gunter's Scales. Powder. Shot. Pig Lead. Gun Locks. Globe Lanterns. Coffee Roasters. Deck Lights.

STATIONERY.

Memorandum Books. Ledger Books. Cargo Books. Gilt edge Note Paper. Letter Paper. Ruled and plain Cap Paper. Quills. Wafers. Blue, Black and Red Ink. Steel Pens. Inkstands. Shipping Papers, and Commercial Blanks.

LUMBER.

Cedar Logs. Cedar Boards. American Pine Shingles. Koa Boards, Plank and Shingles. N. W. Rafters, and American Pine Rattens.

SUNDRIES.

Olive Oil. Olives. Mustard. Spanish, Manila Cigars. Ground Sage. Snuff. Tobacco. Stoughton's Elixir. Lemon Syrup. Ketchup. Nutmegs. Allspice. Cloves. Black Pepper. Box Raisins. Dried Apples. Essence of Spruce and Peppermint, and Cinnamon. Gr. Ginger. Brown and White Sugar. Flour. Demijohns. California Beef. Beans and Peas. 20 doz Cut Tumblers. Macaroni. Vermicella. California, American & English Soap. Lucifer Matches. Capers. Ale. Old Port and Sherry. Cordage. Pails. Buckets. Course and Fine Combs. Sperm Oil. China. Pipes. Beads. Figs. Lozenges. Molasses. Stone Jars. Violins. Fine Heavy Blankets. Ship's Windlass. Jewelry. Hemp Cable. Pitch. Rosin. Arrow-root. Cutlasses. Soup Ladles. Britannia Tea and Table Spoons. White Flannel. Red and Blue Twilled Wool Shirts. Malt Bags. Brooms. Denmark Satin. Harness Buckles. Music. Canes. Raspberry Jam. Preserved Gooseberries and Cherries. Axe Handles. Lavender Water. Confectionaries. Shave Brushes. Handspikes. Hour and Second Glasses. Gib Hanks. 1 China Bureau. 1 new Fore-Sail. 1 Clench Boat. 2 Chain Cables. 2 Anchors.

B. PITMAN & SON,

Have for sale,



25 boxes Souchong Tea.
20 boxes Hyson Tea.
10 boxes Hyson Skin.
15 doz. Raspberry Wine.
12 " Stoughton's Elixir.
10 " Lemon Syrup.
10 " assorted Pickles.
5 M. ft. Koa Lumber.
25 M. Koa Shingles.

September 12, 1840. tf.

PEIRCE & BREWER,

Commission Merchants,

Honolulu, Island of Oahu,

HAVE Constantly on hand and for sale on liberal terms, Merchandise imported from the United States, England, Chili, and China, and adapted to the trade of the

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They offer to purchase the productions of the Sandwich Islands, and of California; and Bills of Exchange on England, France, Russia and the United States.

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The Subscribers hereby give notice that they have formed a copartnership under the firm of SHAW & GRAY, for the purpose of transacting a general mercantile business at Tahiti, Society Islands.

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EDWARD L. GRAY, Jr.

Honolulu, Aug. 8, 1840. 12w.

Shaw & Gray

Give notice to Masters of whale ships, that they will always be well supplied with provisions, and other necessary stores, which they will be happy to furnish promptly and at short notice.

E. ESPENER,

Has just received per Barque Forager, direct from London, the following articles,

which he is now retailing at the most reasonable prices:—

Best wide and narrow Prints. Printed Muslins. Ladies' and Gentlemen's fine cotton Hose. Black and China silk Hose, and Gloves. Patent leather Dress Shoes. Strong calf leather Walking Shoes, and Boots. Fine 10-4 damask Table Linen. Fine 4-4 Bird's-eye Diaper. Fine Irish Linen. Fine Long Cloth. Striped Shirts. Fancy striped Shirts. Red and blue flannel Shirts. Ready made Cloth Clothing. Fancy Summer Trowsers. Sailor's Sheet- ing and Cloth Trowsers. Fearnought Pea Jackets. A good assortment of Hard Ware. Double Gloucester Cheese. Coffee. Orange Nectar. Superior Port, and Sherry, from one of the first houses in London.

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Fowling-pieces. Muskets. Fine sporting Gun-powder. Manila Hats. Manila Cigars. Manila Cigar Cases. Gingham. Hair and Tooth Brushes. Bridles. Halters. Stirrups and Leathers. Girths, &c. &c. &c. Aug. 29. tf.

For Sale.

The good Schooner CLARION, 33 tons burthen, well found in tackle and apparel; good sea-boat and fair sailer.

Apply to

PEIRCE & BREWER.

July 11.

SALT.

100 barrels of Salt for sale by B. PITMAN & SON. Sept. 19. tf.

LADD & Co.

Have for Sale, 30 Bales Brown Cotton, 10 Cases Prints, 1 Do Grass Cloth, 50 Boxes Hyson Tea, 40 " Hyson Skin, " 200 " Congo Souchong Tea. June, 6. tf.

For Sale.

5 bales 3/4 Brown Cotton, Nashua Mills
8 bales 4-4 Brown Cotton, Tremont do.
3 bales 3/4 Brown Drilling, do. do.
1 case 3/4 White do. do. do.
15 cases 4-4 Blue Cottons, China.
10 cases Blue Nankins.
1 case Fine Cambric.
6 cases assorted Prints.
25 kegs White Lead.
25 kegs Black Paint.
25 kegs Green Paint.
1 case of Verdigris, in tin cans.
49 canisters best Linseed Paint Oil, each 5 gallons.
8 canisters do. do. 10 do.
25 bolts Russian Canvas.
2 bales Baggging.
12 kegs assorted Nails.
20 coils Russian cordage.
50 coils Manila Rope.
2 Chain Cables.
4 small Anchors.
6 cases Sheathing Copper.
30 barrels Beef and Pork.
22,000 lbs. Navy and Pilot Bread.
6 boxes China Shawls.
1 box Satin Figured Handkerchiefs.
1 box Pongee Handkerchiefs.

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