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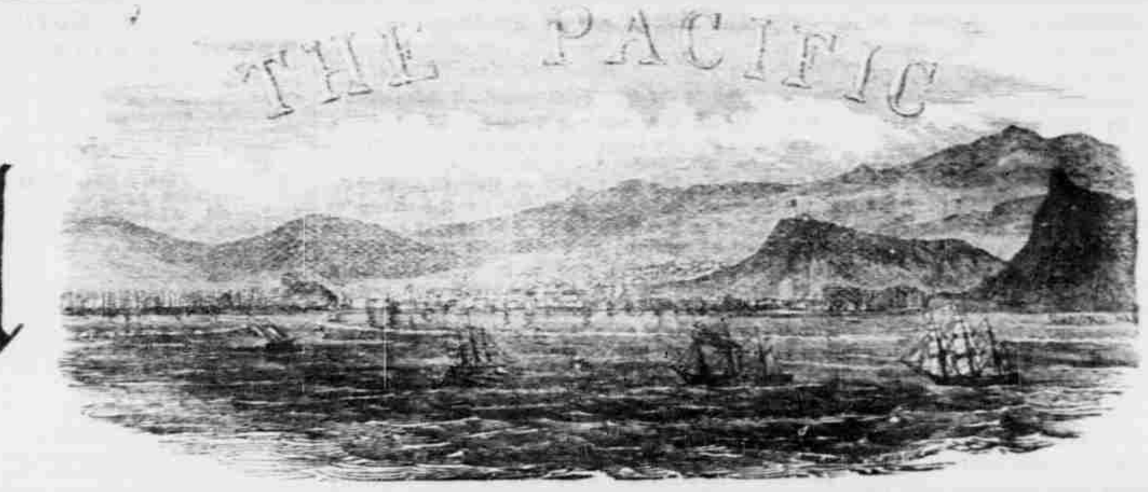

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☞ BILL-HEADS, VISITING, BUSINESS AND ADDRESS CARDS printed in the highest style of the art.

The Toys.

My little son who look'd from thoughtful eyes,
And moved and spoke in quiet, grown-up wise,
Having my law the seventh time disobey'd,
I struck him, and dismiss'd
With hard words and unkiss'd—
His mother, who was patient, being dead.
Then fearing lest his grief should hinder sleep,
I visited his bed,
But found him slumbering deep,
With darken'd eyelids, and their lashes yet
From his late sobbing wet.
And I, with moan,
Kissing away his tears, left others of my own;
For, on a table drawn beside his head,
He had put, within his reach,
A box of counters and a red-vein'd stone,
A piece of glass abraded by the beach,
And six or seven shells,
A bottle with blue-bells,
And two French copper coins, ranged there with careful art
To comfort his sad heart.
So when that night I pray'd
To God I wept and said:
Ah, when at last we lie with tranced breath
Not vexing Thee in death,
And Thou rememberest of what toys
We made our joys,
How weakly understood
Thy great commanded good,
Then fatherly, not less
Than I whom Thou hast molded from the clay,
Thou'lt leave thy wrath and say,
"I will be sorry for their childishness."

—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

VARIETY.

The Rochester Democrat has discovered that "the American eagle knows not where to lay its egg."

"I don't believe in fashionable churches," said a lady, recently; "but after all, considering that we all go to the same Heaven, perhaps it's better to keep up the social distinction as long as we can."

A lady who assumed to know how boys ought to be trained, writes as follows: "Oh, mothers! hunt out the soft, tender, genial side of your boy's nature." Mothers often do—with an old shoe.

When a rich man speaketh every man holdeth his tongue and looks. What he sayeth they extol it to the clouds; but if the poor man speak, they say: What fellow is this? and if he stumble, they will help to overthrow him.

An experienced lady observes that a good way to pick out a husband is to see how patiently the man waits for dinner when it is behind time. Her husband remarks that a good way to pick out a wife is to see whether the woman has the dinner ready in time.

"Mrs. Cox, I declare your machines are the worst I ever saw! There's not even a looking-glass!" Proprietor of Bathing Machine—"Why, Miss, if there was looking-glasses we shouldn't get you ladies out of them 'ere machines for howers and howers."

NEW ENGLAND:—

"Yet on her rocks, and on her sands,
And Wintry hills, the school-house stands;
And what her rugged soil denies,
The harvest of the mind supplies.
The riches of the Commonwealth
Are free, strong minds and hearts of health;
And more to her than gold or grain
The cunning hand and cultured brain."

The good old days are dead and gone; the rich coloring has faded out of the warp and woof of the past, and yet we still rejoice that it is still true that a pretty woman can not ride by her lover's side through a tunnel without emerging in a hat that looks as if it had been struck by lightning.

The law's delays are simply dreadful. "The senate," sagely says the Burlington Hawkeye, "acted wisely in deciding not to let the United States Supreme court count the electoral vote. That august body would have docketed the matter, and by the time it got to it, for action, all the present candidates would be dead.

The Atlanta Constitution tells of a negro snoring so loudly behind a fence that two other negroes, hearing the noise, and seeing his massive feet indistinctly outlined, thouht he was a bear growling. They got a gun and filled his feet with buckshot before the mistake was discovered.

In the hard-drinking days an old Scotch laird and his eldest son were riding home together from a hospitable gathering. Their ride for a while was silent, but at last the son said, "Feyther, I wish ye was deid." The old man rather sadly replied, "Weell, laddie, I hae aften thought that of my feyther, but I never hae the impudence to say't."

Chicago Journal: After seeing two doctors hang around over a man for four hours and use a gallon of mixed chloroform and ether, trying to get him to sleep that they may saw his leg off, it grows more and more a mystery to us how a robber can come in and clap a little two-by-four sponge saturated with chloroform over a clerk's nose, and steal a whole bank slick and clean in less than seven minutes.

Bangor *Whig*: In Augusta, the Rev. H. W. Tilden is pastor of the Baptist Church, and is highly esteemed, especially among the children of his parishioners. Recently a little five-year-old boy, who is a Republican true-blue and thinks very much of the clergyman, was about to retire, and closed up his bed-time prayer with: "O Lord, bless father and mother, and bless Mr Tilden; O Lord, you know which one I mean."

A gentleman was riding on a stage coach down in Maine, when the driver looking ahead offered to bet that a man who was walking along was a Democrat. The gentleman, who was near sighted, took the bet. As they approached the man the driver drew up his horses, and the gentleman saw that the fellow was intoxicated. "Look here, old fellow," said the driver. "Ain't you a Democrat?" The intoxicated individual staggered up against the wall, and after rolling his eyes around exclaimed: "I've (hic) got all the (hic) symptoms of a Democrat, (hic) but I'm a (hic) Black Republican.

"The Mule," by Martin F. T-p-p-r, from the Boston Globe:

Who have seen a mule die?
Hath the vision of man encompassed one upon his last legs and about to keel over?
Nixy, my boy, for the mule is immortal!
He liveth a thousand years, and then braceth up, and taketh a fresh hold for twenty thousand,
Such is the vastness, the grandeur, the greatness of the animile. He is a big thing!
Why is he a thing that is big?
Thou fool go to the ant and consider!
He is big because he is not little and
Bigness differeth from littleness even as the flea differeth from the barn-door.
Be wise, oh man, pad out thy skull with knowledge, and learn wisdom of me, the poet of the obvious.

NEWSPAPER WORK.—A contributor to one of our best periodicals has written as follows of the burdens of journalists, and it is all true: "It is one of the hardships of our profession that its working wheels—brain and heart—are not allowed to lag for sickness, or to stop for calamity or sorrow. The judge may adjourn his court, the school and work-shop may close shutters, the mourner may veil his features and turn friend and stranger from the door; but the journalist must forget before to-morrow the sorrows of to-day, must write gaily and freshly, as a newsmonger, on the trifles of the hour, whatever burden has been laid upon that same hour by Providence or on his brains as a man. It sometimes tries and racks, as the world that reads what is thus written would never dream of. The public look upon an editor's labors as the Indian did upon the man that was cutting hay; he finally gave it as his opinion that it was 'easy to see the white man mow.'"

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Policies issued on the most favorable terms.
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ALL KINDS OF SOAPS!
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NOW COMING IN,
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W. AULD, PROPRIETOR, HEAD OF CHAPLAIN LANE.
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SUGAR AND MOLASSES FROM THIS Plantation for sale in lots to suit purchasers. Apply to
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Manufacturers and Dealers
IN ALL KINDS OF SOAPS!
Leleo, King Street, Honolulu.
Beef, Mutton and Goat Tallow Wanted!
Orders Left at Ira Richardson's Boot and Shoe Store will meet with prompt Attendance.
ap15 1y

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G. WALLER, PROPRIETOR.
CHOICE MEATS FROM THE FINEST Herds.—Fish, Poultry, Vegetables, &c., furnished to order. Extras—Tuesdays and Thursdays—Veal. Fridays, Fish. Sundays, Lamb. (Unless otherwise ordered.)
The proprietor has leased a neat and commodious Vegetable, Fruit and Poultry Market, and is prepared to furnish every article in his line.
☞ Shipping supplied on Short Notice. ap8 1y

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FOR SALE
THE FOLLOWING
NEW GOODS
NOW LANDING
FROM THE A 1 BRITISH
BARQUE CANOMA
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Consisting of the Following Machinery!
ONE
SUGAR MILL COMPLETE!
FIVE STEAM CLARIFIERS, 400 AND 500 GALLONS.
A FINE ASSORTED INVOICE OF SMITH & WELLSTOOD'S
Celebrated Cooking Stoves AND RANGES.
BEST BEST WHITE CEMENT!
Best Scotch Bar Iron, assorted sizes;
Best Scotch Sheet Iron, assorted sizes; Pig Iron,
PAINTS AND OILS!
Consisting of:
Tins White Lead, Tins White Zinc Paint,
Tins Genuine Red Lead,
Tins Black and Blue Paints,
Drums Boiled Linseed Oil,
FIRE BRICKS, Square & Arch!
CLAY.
BEST BLACKSMITH COAL,
BEST STEAM COAL.
Fencing Wire, assorted sizes, annealed and galvanized;
Galvanized Iron Buckets, assorted sizes;
A General Assortment of Superior Stationery.
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Consisting of:
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Fancy Prints, White Cottons,
Handkerchiefs, Ginghams, Costumes, assorted;
Tweeds, assorted; Broadcloths, Coatings,
ALSO, A FULL ASSORTMENT OF
LIQUORS
CONSISTING OF:
Cases Heidsieck's Champagne, pints and quarts;
Baskets Lawrence Champagne, pints and quarts;
Baskets Lawrence Champagne, extra dry;
Cases Hennessy's **** Brandy,
Cases Martell's xxx Brandy, Cases Planat's 1862 Brandy,
Cases Small Geneva, Cases Best Geneva,
Cases Best Old Tom Gin,
Cases Best Kinahan's L Irish Whiskey,
Cases Dunville's Irish Whiskey, Best Scotch Whiskey,
Quarter Casks Best Hennessy's Pale Brandy,
Quarter Casks Best Martell's Brandy,
Quarter Casks Jamaica Rum,
BEST AMERICAN WHISKIES:—Occidental, Hermitage and O. F. C.
Cases Best Pale Sherry, Cases Best Old Port,
Quarter Casks Pale Sherry, Quarter Casks Irish Whiskey
McEWAN'S INDIA PALE ALE!
Pints and Quarts.
India Pale Ale, pints and quarts;
Bass & Co.'s India Pale Ale, pints and quarts;
Orange Bitters, in cases;
Boutelleau & Co.'s 1, 2, 3, and 4 diamond Brandy,
Cases Superior Vermouth, Cases Boker Bitters,
Cases Superior Claret, &c., &c., &c.
Cases McEwan's XXX Stout, in stone jugs, Pints and Quarts.
&c. &c. &c. &c.
jy1 qr F. T. LENEHAN & CO.

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PADDY IS RICE.
TO SHIPPERS OF PADDY. AN IMPRESsion seems to prevail in the Islands that Paddy, because of not being named in the Treaty, is not admissable free of duty. This is erroneous. Paddy being nothing else but Rice, the introduction of the word would have been superfluous. All the paddy that has arrived at this port since the promulgation of the Treaty has been admitted free without question.
Parties desirous of shipping Paddy to this market are assured that it will be admitted free of duty, and hulled and dressed in the best possible manner and on favorable terms by
WM. M. GREENWOOD,
General Commission Merchant and Proprietor of India Rice Mills, San Francisco, Cal. n18 3m

INDIA RICE MILL!
CORNER OF
MISSION & FREMONT STS., SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.
THE INDIA RICE MILL HAVING UNDERgone Material Improvements, is now in Perfect Condition for the
HULLING AND DRESSING OF PADDY!
— AND —
UNCLEANED RICE!
In the Best Possible Manner. The Price for Hulling and Dressing Paddy has been Reduced 20 Per Cent.
Consignments of PADDY AND HULLED RICE!
Will Receive Prompt and Careful Attention.
WM. M. GREENWOOD,
General Commission Merchant and Proprietor of India Rice Mill. n18 6m

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Particular attention paid to Consignments of Island Produce
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THE HOUSE COVERS ONE ENTIRE Block, having a frontage south, east and west of over 700 feet. It is admirably located for the convenience of guests; is thoroughly built in the best manner, with all modern improvements. Every floor, from basement to roof, is underlaid with four inches of cement, which, with other safe-guards, renders it practically FIRE-PROOF. The VENTILATION is perfect, and the whole is being refitted with the addition of new and elegant furniture as required.
The service, table, and other accommodations (being the same to all guests) will be maintained fully up to the high standard of their predecessors, and equal to any house in this or any other country; but the proprietors have decided to meet the just expectations of the public in these times of financial depression by graduating prices at from $3.00 to $4.50 per day, according to the location of the rooms occupied.
Chicago, Ill., February, 1876. mh11

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Shipping & Commission Merchants,
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"BY A THOROUGH KNOWLEDGE OF the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame."—See article in the *Civil Service Gazette*.
Made simply with boiling water or milk. Sold only in packets, (tins for abroad) labeled:—
JAMES EPPS & CO., HOMŒOPATHIC CHEMISTS, 48 Threadneedle Street, and 170 Piccadilly.—Works, Euston Road and Camden Town, London. sep16 11m

SUGAR MACHINERY!!
THE UNDERSIGNED HAS JUST RECEIVED per Mail from the celebrated
GLASGOW IRON WORKS OF
MESSRS. MIRLEES, TAIT & WATSON,
Exact particulars of the cost of
SUGAR MANUFACTURING PLANT
O seventeen different capacities ranging
1680 Lbs. Sugar in 10 Hours at a Cost of £270, to a First-class Vacuum Pan Plant to make 12 Tons of Sugar in 10 Hours at a cost of £4,470, delivered in Glasgow.
The undersigned are prepared to receive orders for such machinery, and to arrange for freight on same to be shipped by a NEW IRON CLIPPER SHIP now building in the Clyde of 1000 tons burden, to leave GLASGOW on or about the 15th of February next.
N. B.—Orders for all kinds of Machinery and other European Merchandise to be shipped by the above vessel, should be sent to the undersigned during the month of September or not later than October 10th. Rate of freight arranged for.
au26 F. T. LENEHAN & CO.

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LIFE DROPS!
PREPARED FROM THE RECIPE OF AN eminent Physician of Fifty Years Experience, stand unrivaled as a
Safe & reliable household medicine
May be given to the youngest infant or the most aged adult
WITH PERFECT SAFETY!!
For Asthma, Colds, Bronchitis, Pains in the Chest, Dysentery, Diarrhœa, Spasms, Scarlatina, Toothache, Headache, Fevers, Depression, Indigestion, &c., &c.,
HOLTERMANN'S LIFE DROPS will be found an Immediate and Effectual Remedy.
For INFANTILE COMPLAINTS,
Especially during the Critical Period of TEETHING.
The Life Drops are Surpassed by no Medicine IN EXISTENCE.
☞ Persons Residing or Traveling in the Interior should never be without a Supply of the LIFE DROPS, which in cases of extremity invariably prove a True Friend in Need.
A. McWAYNE, Agent for Honolulu.
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COFFEE!
PERSONS WISHING TO ENGAGE IN THE Cultivation of Coffee,
Can obtain Information by application to
de9 3m H. N. GREENWELL, at Messrs. H. Hackfeld & Co.'s, Honolulu.

COMMERCIAL.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1877.

In movements of shipping we have very little to report, viz: The arrival and departure of the mail steamer City of Sydney, to-day, and the departure of the schooner Bonanza yesterday, both vessels for San Francisco. The former took a large list of passengers hence, and the following freight: 652,-673 lbs Sugar, 7589 lbs Coffee, 1600 lbs Peanuts, 32 pkgs Betel Leaves, 978 bnchs Bananas, 8 pkgs Oranges, 11 do sundries, 1 tank goldfish, $4850 in coin. The Bonanza took domestic produce valued at $21,587.58.

Schr Fannie Hare and brig Elise are loading for San Francisco, to have dispatch.

The mail steamer Zealandia will be due from San Francisco on Tuesday next.

PORT OF HONOLULU, H. I.

ARRIVALS.

Jan. 27—Schr Warwick, Joe Bull, from Kalaupapa, Molokai
28—Schr Marion, Nika, from Koloa and Waimea, Kauai
29—Schr Pauahi, Hopu, from Hilo, Hawaii.
1—Schr Fairy Queen, Peni, from Hanalei, Kauai.
Feb. 1—Schr Manuokawai, Kalua, from Nawiliwili, Kauai.
2—P M S City of Sydney, Dearborn, 14 days fm Auckland.
2—Schr Jenny, Uilama, from Kona & Kau, Hawaii.

DEPARTURES.

Jan. 27—Schr Manuokawai, Kalua, for Nawiliwili, Kauai.
30—Stmr Kilauea, Marchant, for Maui and Hawaii.
30—Schr Warwick, John Bull, for Kalaupapa, Molokai
30—H B M's S Fantome, Commander Long, for Hawaii
31—Schr Iolani, Powers, for Maliko, Maui.
31—Schr Prince, Beck, for Kona and Kau, Hawaii.
Feb. 1—Schr Ka Moi, Reynolds, for Kahului, Maui.
1—Schr Nettie Merrill, Crane, for Lahaina, Maui.
1—Schr Marion, Nika, for Koloa & Waimea, Kauai.
1—Am schr Bonanza, Dexter, for San Francisco.
1—Schr Manuokawai, Kalua, for Nawiliwili, Kauai.
2—Schr Pauahi, Hopu, for Hilo, Hawaii.
2—Schr Fairy Queen, Peni, for Hanalei, Kaua.
2—P M S City of Sydney, Dearborn, for San Francisco

MEMORANDA.

Report of P M S City of Sydney, Dearborn, Commander.—Left Sydney Dec 15th, 1876, at 8.15 a m, arrived at Kandavu, Fiji, on the 22d, at 7.55 a m; transferred mails, passengers, etc, into the ss Zealandia. On the 26th, 6.30 a m, ss Australia arrived from San Francisco, and was placed in quarantine by the Health Officer, Commanders not deeming it advisable to transfer passengers, etc, for New Zealand; both ships left for Auckland at 1.40 p m, same day, and arrived at Auckland on the 30th, 8 a m; left Auckland for Sydney on the 31st, 12 p m, and arrived Jan 5th, 1877, 2 a m; Left Sydney again on the 12th, 3.30 p m, (Australia still in quarantine at that port) and arrived at Auckland on the 17th, 8 a m; left same day at 5 p m and arrived at Kandavu on the 22d, 7.50 a m; left same day at 8.50 a m and arrived at Honolulu Feb 2d. Exchanged signals with the ss City of New York on the 23d, at 7 a m.
J O Lyman, Purser.

IMPORTS.

From Sydney—Per City of Sydney, Feb 2d—13 cs preserved meats, 7 pkgs mdse, 65 cs brandy, 18 kegs butter and lard, 15 cs whisky, 1 do piano, 1 do sewing machine, 4 pkgs perfumery, 124 crates potatoes, 112 coils rope.

EXPORTS.

For San Francisco—Per Bonanza, Jan 31st—

Cocoanut Oil, galls...	3,300	Rice, lbs	53,300
Cocoanuts............	1,333	Sugar, lbs	263,162
Coffee, lbs...........	100		

Value—Domestic......$21,587.58; Foreign......$1,054

PASSENGERS.

For Windward Ports—Per Kilauea, Jan 30th—E H Rogers, Geo Gray, E W Fuller, J F Smith, W M Gibson, Mr Bomford, H Cornwell, Geo C McLean and son, J D Spreckels, S Parker, Miss E Mitchell, Hon S K Kaai, A Walters, C J Lyons, A Morrow, A P Jones, C Macfarlane, Mr Stackpole, M Pico and wife, Mrs Morris, Mrs Jos Pico and child, Alona and wife, and about 85 deck.

For San Francisco—Per Bonanza, Jan 31st—Mrs S L Dexter and 2 children, Mr Pomeroy and wife, T G Hughes, R Wench, Capt King, Sueykean.

From Sydney—Per City of Sydney, Feb 2d—Mrs Clevoin, Miss H Spalding.

For San Francisco—Per City of Sydney, Feb 2d—Hon E H Allen, Geo'n Grear, Ingalls and Meyers, A N Tripp, Sister E Bortha, R S Moffitt, H Thormen, L H Davis and wife, A S Patterson, Lieut Bonbnoff, Thos Jolly, Geo S Snell, C H Alexander, Rev Mr Taylor, Mrs Logan, H Riemenschneider, S Magnin, G Martinoy, Tuck Chow, Mrs Apuck.

BRIEF MENTION.

Di Murska.—Among the passengers from the Colonies to San Francisco was the Hungarian Nightingale—and Signor Susini, the basso.

Diptheria prevails in New Zealand and is reported as assuming the character of an epidemic. They have also scarlet fever, and other zymotic diseases.

Another Exposition.—We notice that there is to be an industrial and agricultural exposition at Cape Town, Southern Africa, on the 15th of March—next month.

Rambles in the Old World.—A very interesting letter—the first of a series—from the pen of Prof. Frank W. Damon, and dated at Paris, appears in the *Friend* for this month.

Amateur Theatricals.—We understand there will shortly be another performance by the amateurs who were so successful on a recent occasion. Due notice will be given of time and place.

Child Lost.—A letter from Kohala, dated on the 24th ult. says that a little child of Mr. Upchurch of that place, had been lost for several days in the woods, and had not been found at last accounts.

Mauritius.—Advices to the 13th November report an enormous quantity of shipping there awaiting freight, but none was offering except in small quantities and at such low rates that shipmasters deemed it better to lay up.

Good Templars.—The following are the officers elect of Ultima Thule Lodge No. 1, I. O. G. T. for the ensuing term:

W. C. T..........................W. L. Hopper.
W. V. T.......................Mrs. C. Blackburn.
W. S..............................J. F. Noble.
W. F. S.........................H. M. Lewers.
W. F............................D. P. Peterson.
W. M...............................F. B. Oat.
W. J. G............................J. M. Oat.
W. O. G.........................C. Blackburn.
P. W. C. T.........................W. T. Paty.

Amateur Printing.—Prof. Clarke, of the Haleakala Boys Boarding School, Makawao, sends us a neat little affair of 28 pages, each page measuring an inch and a half by one inch, it being a selection of Scripture texts for use in the Sunday School. The printing is well done for amateurs. The title page of this diminutive book reads "Dew-Drops. 'My speech shall distill as the dew.' Published at the Haleakala Boy's School, 1877."

The Rains.—During the month past, the country, both here and on the other islands, has enjoyed fine rains, that make the agriculturist to rejoice. Our Makawao correspondent says: "On Wednesday the 9th of January, there fell in this district 3.25 inches of rain. January has in fact been a good month, rain having fallen very frequently, and in every instance has come down "drizzle drozzle" so that it has sunk into the ground, not as sometimes when it "pours" and runs off in freshets. It is to be hoped that the Ministry will see if they cannot utilize some of the water that runs to waste here every winter."

Death of the Mother Superior.—The Reverend Mother Maria Josepha, Superior of the Sisterhood of the Sacred Heart in these islands, died in this city on the 29th inst., after an illness of several years. The company of lady teachers of which she was the principal, arrived here on the 4th of May, 1859, and the schools for girls which they have maintained have been eminently successful and have exerted a very salutary influence on our society. The esteem in which the Mother Superior was held was evinced by the extremely large attendance of both young and old at her funeral, which took place on the 30th. This is the fourth of the Sisterhood who have deceased, and we learn that a reinforcement of their numbers is looked for.

Firemen's Parade.—The annual parade of the Honolulu Fire Department will take place this morning, when all the different companies will turn out in uniform with their machines and march in procession through the principal streets. Very fortunately we have seldom had occasion to require the aid of our Fire Department in actual service; but let us not on that account underestimate its value as a public institution—a standing insurance against fire. The line of march will be on the same route as last year, starting at 11 o'clock.

A Clear Atmosphere.—At 6 o'clock p. m. on Thursday, Pilot McIntyre at his residence in the valley was sweeping the S. W. horizon with his glass, when he saw the upper masts of a vessel, in the direction in which the Australian steamer should be coming, and shortly after smoke arising. He felt sure that it was the steamer, and made his arrangements for her arrival off the port by 10 or 11 o'clock; which guess proved to be correct. Capt. Dearborn, of the *City of Sydney*, reports that at 6 o'clock p. m. he was by reckoning 55 miles distant from the entrance of the harbor. Capt. McIntyre's look-out is at an elevation of about 140 feet above the sea level. The atmosphere has latterly been remarkably clear about the islands.

THE PACIFIC

Commercial Advertiser.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3.

The resignation of Chief Justice Allen on Monday last, was followed on Tuesday by the reorganization of the Bench, Mr. Justice Harris, the First Associate, being promoted to the position of Chief Justice and Chancellor of the Kingdom, and Mr. Justice Judd, Second Associate to that of First, while Mr. Lawrence McCully was elevated to the Bench as Second Associate. This is the first instance in the history of the Supreme Court, since its original organization under Judge Lee, of regular promotion on the Bench. There have been numerous changes in the past by death or resignation, but vacancies have always been filled from without.

The first of these appointments had, from the very natural course of events, been foreseen for years. Besides being a ripe scholar (a graduate of Harvard) and a thorough lawyer, the present Chief Justice has had over a quarter of a century's active and intimate acquaintance with the Courts and the people of this country, as a private practitioner, public prosecutor, Cabinet Minister and judge. His familiar knowledge of the peculiarities of our people, our laws and usages, which has been acquired in this lengthy and varied experience, together with that characteristic (not always found in a judge) which we may term *approachableness* by all classes, constitute valuable qualifications for the high position.

Of Mr. Justice Judd,—who was elevated to the Bench nearly three years since, shortly after the accession of His present Majesty, and who now becomes First Associate,—it is only necessary to say that the opinion then expressed by us of his ability and fitness for the position has been fully sustained.

Mr. Justice McCully, the newly appointed Second Associate, is a native of the State of New York, a graduate of Yale College (as also is Mr. Justice Judd) has been a resident of the islands since 1854, and a member of the Hawaiian Bar since 1859. He was for several years Police Magistrate of Hilo, and filled with acceptance the position of Deputy Attorney General during the incumbency of Mr. S. H. Phillips. Besides the qualifications of a logical mind, a legal education and much experience in the practice of our Courts, he has the valuable additional advantages of being a good Hawaiian scholar and possessing a thorough knowledge of the native character.

Wood and water are the life of any country; without wood and water neither man nor beast can long exist anywhere, and vegetation—even of the commonest weed—becomes impossible. Without water there can be no wood, and without wood no water, and the absence of both means a barren waste, a dry Sahara, a field of death.

In view of the tour of inspection upon the other islands about to be undertaken by the Commissioners recently appointed in accordance with an act "To aid the Development of the Resources of the Kingdom," it occurs to us that among their duties should be that of a careful examination of localities with a view of deciding upon such as may afford facilities for the construction of natural reservoirs of rain water in those regions that are peculiarly liable to seasons of drought. This system has been followed for many years in Europe, where especially in Switzerland and the Tyrol are found numerous reservoirs, which receive the rain-fall or the water from the melting snows and glaciers, and from which it is distributed upon the cultivated lands. In Mexico, also, such reservoirs are found, often of great extent, and are formed by closing up the entrances of valleys surrounded by mountains. Instances are recorded where the existence of such reservoirs in the latter country has proved the preservation of many thousands of animals during long continued seasons of drought. It is quite probable that our Commissioners will meet with many valleys among the mountains of these islands where a small outlay of labor would suffice to create magazines of water to be used in case of necessity in farming operations on the lower lands, or in the way of replanting forests, or in creating a forest where none now exists—where the land is entirely barren, as at Waikiki near Honolulu, or upon the sandy plains between Wailuku and Ulupalakua. What a beneficial change might be created at the latter point in a very few years, and with a very small outlay! Leaving out of the question the theory about increasing the rain-fall, the prospective value of the firewood that would be afforded should demand attention. If that region were planted with seeds of the algaroba, dropped in a furrow made with a two-horse plow, planting say fifty acres at a time, and fencing with wire, the fence to be moved on to another fifty acres after the plants had had two or three years growth—the dreary waste would soon become a place of beauty and value.

A correspondent at Makawao informs us that on the 9th of January there fell in that district, 3.25 inches of rain, extending over an area of at least five miles square. Now the above amount of water would fill a tank 3000 feet square and twenty feet deep—if we had the tank. The rains that do the most good are of course those that fall gently, when every cubic inch sinks into the ground; the destructive rains are those that "pour," for then the land-owner sees the best of his hillside soil carried down to the low lands, to his loss. Just how much of the top soil is thus carried away may be roughly estimated by noticing the rapidity with which hollows in the face of the ground in the wake of freshets are filled with silt, and how denuded of earth the bare hillsides become. If the cultivation of trees and shrubs afforded no other result, their office as arresters of escaping soil would, of itself, be of inestimable value.

Supreme Court Decisions.

Kaaihue vs. Crabbe. A majority of the Court has ordered a new trial in this somewhat celebrated case. The claim of the plaintiffs to the land was that of inheritance from one Kalamau; and also by prescriptive use for over twenty years. The defendants claimed under a deed of conveyance from Kalamau of Feb. 26, 1850. The defendants moved for a new trial, alleging as grounds therefor that the verdict was contrary to law, evidence and instructions, and error of the Court in giving and refusing certain instructions, and also for newly discovered evidence. The Court rejected the last ground. The Court in commenting on the statute requiring registration of deeds to make them admissible in evidence against subsequent deeds duly registered correctly remark, that this statute does not make an unregistered deed (as the one in question) a nullity; but the inference of the Court that "it would seem that the jury so regarded it," must be regarded as conjectural, since evidence of adverse possession in the plaintiffs, as well as evidence of the genuineness of the grantor's signature, was before the jury, and either their belief of the former or disbelief of the latter would have justified their verdict. The Court also state correctly that no direct evidence was offered to impeach the deed; but the fact that the defendants undertook to prove the deed, by proving not only the signature of the witness but that of the alleged grantor also, and the fact that the proof of the grantor's signature was attacked by the cross-examination is not alluded to. The Court recognize the principle that the landlord and tenant act applies only to cases of admitted tenancy, and cannot be used in lieu of ejectment. The Court in this case consider some questions of law which are involved, although the Bill of Exceptions raising them does not show that the points were duly excepted to at the trial.

Mr. Hartwell for plaintiffs; Messrs. Jones and Preston for defendants.

H. A. Widemann vs Kalapu. As this case involves questions of great interest to planters, we print the statement of the matters submitted by agreement to the Supreme Court, together with its opinion. The plaintiff, we understand, relied mainly on the power of attorney, and the absence of any necessity of his continuing to own the land itself.

Agreement to transfer cause to the Supreme Court in Banco.

It is hereby agreed by and between the above named parties as follows, viz:

That the Plaintiff claims the services of the defendant under and by virtue of a contract of labor, a copy whereof is hereto appended, which contract was duly executed in duplicate, and under the following statement of facts viz: That at the date of said contract Charles C. Harris and the said H. A. Widemann were owners of the Waihee Plantation and were carrying on and managing said plantation for their joint interest as co-partners.

That on the 15th day of August, A. D. 1876, the said Charles C. Harris released to the said H. A. Widemann his interest in the said plantation.

That on the 20th day of September, A. D. 1876, the said H. A. Widemann executed the conveyance to James Makee and John D. Spreckles which is filed herewith, reserving to himself a certain undivided interest in the crop of said plantation, and as a part of the consideration for such conveyance making said James Makee his attorney to enforce all outstanding labor contracts, as shown by indenture of agreement and letters of attorney whereof copies are herewith filed. That the Plaintiff brought suit against the Defendant to enforce said contract before the District Justice of Wailuku on said Island of Maui, on the second day of November, A. D. 1876, and said Magistrate thereupon ordered and adjudged that the said defendant do return to the plaintiff's service on said plantation, from which judgment the defendant appealed to the Circuit Court of said second Judicial District.

That by leave of said Circuit Court first had and obtained the said cause is agreed to be transferred from said Circuit Court to the Justice of the Supreme Court in Banco, to be heard by them at any time in vacation or in term time when they may so direct, and their decision thereon is to be final to determine the rights of the said parties in the premises.

Alfred S. Hartwell, attorney for plaintiff.
Edward Preston,
Wm. H. Halstead,
Attorneys for defendant.

Lahaina, Island of Maui, Dec. 5th 1876.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original agreement filed in the clerk's office of the second Judicial Circuit Court in the within mentioned cause. Henry Dickenson, Jr.
Clerk Circuit Court, 2d Judicial Circuit.

Lahaina, Dec. 13th 1876.

The owners of the Waihee Plantation vs. Kalapu.

Allen, Ch. J., Harris and Judd, J. J.

This is a statutory action to enforce a contract for service, brought up by appeal from the district court of Wailuku to the circuit court of the second judicial circuit; the jury waived, and the case transferred by consent, to the Supreme Court in Banco.

It appears from the papers and admissions filed that this contract was made on the 19th of January 1876, by which the Defendant agrees to work for the term of thirty-four months for the "Owners of the Waihee Plantation" then being Messrs. Charles C. Harris and Hermann A. Widemann: that on the 15th day of August A. D. 1876, Mr Harris sold his interest to Mr Widemann, who then became the owner of the entire plantation. This was a dissolution of the partnership. 1 Parsons Contract, page 130.

Section 1424 of the Civil Code enacts "That where the servant is bound by any company of individuals, the death of any one partner or the change of partners in each company, shall not operate to release such servant from the terms of his contract."

This we take to mean that whatever changes may take place in the original firm employing the laborer, the contract continues to be binding so long as one of the original members remains in the firm, to whom the laborer can look for the payment of his wages, for directions as to his labor, and for humane treatment, all of which were the considerations, which induced him to enter into the contract.

The term "The owners of the Waihee Plantation" in this contract is no more than the title, by which this co-partnership was known; that is, it is the firm-name under which this enterprise was conducted. It cannot be claimed that the Defendant by the form of his agreement, contracted to work for whomsoever might become the owners of the Waihee Plantation, for then there would be no individuals ascertained to whom the service was owing, or in case of a change of ownership, these individuals would be ascertained independently of the servant's will.

On the 20th of September 1876, Mr. Widemann sold the Waihee Sugar Plantation to James Makee and John D. Spreckles, but reserved a certain share in the proceeds of the plantation as stated in an indenture cotemporaneously executed. By this indenture the purchasers of the plantation agree that Mr. Widemann shall receive during the term of two years, three fourths of all the gross proceeds of the crops on the Waihee Plantation, in consideration of a reduction made by him in the agreed price of the plantation, and in the further consideration that Mr. Widemann employ and retain the laborers then employed on the plantation under labor contracts, and Mr. Widemann at the same time gave Mr. Makee a Power of Attorney to manage the labor in his name.

Story defines a co-partnership to be" a voluntary contract between two or more competent persons to place their money, effects labor and skill, or some or all of them, in lawful commerce or business, with the understanding that there shall be a communion of profits between them."

Lindley on co-partnership, section 12, says; "An agreement to share profits and losses, may be said to be the type of a partnership contract;" and again, "Although it has already been pointed out, that to share profits is prima facie an agreement for a co-partnership, yet it is conceived rightly that a partnership, is not the result of an agreement to share gross returns." 1 Lindley on Partnership 77.

Tested by this definition Mr. Widemann is not a partner, for he does not share in either the profits or the losses of the plantation, but in its gross proceeds.

This indenture contains a condition that the percentage to be paid Mr. Widemann shall cease upon any sale of the plantation. This would militate against the idea that the payment of the percentage was upon any valid consideration except the one last stated i. e. the employment of the laborers by Mr. Widemann under their contracts, and by itself, would be nothing more than the agreement between Widemann on the one part and Makee and Spreckles on the other part, by which Widemann in consideration of this percentage was to retain and employ the contracted laborers on the plantation of Makee and Spreckles.

Now the Plantiff can only have the right to enforce the personal services of the Defendant by virtue of the Master and Servant Act, subject to provisions of which this contract was made.

When Mr Harris left the partnership Mr. Widemann being the remaining partner had the right to compel the service of the respondent by the 1424 section of the Civil Code which controls the whole matter. And if he has taken Messrs Makee and Spreckles into partnership then the partnership thus formed would have a right to compel the service: so that the question rises whether this is a change in the partnership, which is provided for by the law, or a mere attempt to assign the contract, which in itself, is unassignable.

Now it is clear that Widemann had conveyed the absolute interest in the Estate, and had nothing more to convey: he would have to pay no share of its losses, and he would enjoy no share of its profits. The clear averment is that he would have three quarters of one per cent of its gross proceeds, not of its net proceeds as part payment of the price for which he sold. thus averring a sale of the whole Estate. He has no voice in the management of the Estate or even in its sale, if Messrs Makee and Spreckles shall see fit to sell it. He is in no respect an owner of this plantation in which title this action is brought. Messrs Spreckles and Makee are the sole owners of that plantation and they are not the owners with which this man contracted.

Judgment for Defendant.

Elisha H. Allen.
Chas. C. Harris.
A. Francis Judd.

Hon. A. S. Hartwell, for Plaintiffs,
E. Preston, for Defendant,
Honolulu, January 30th 1877.

The Execution at Apaiang.

Honolulu, Jan. 26th 1877.

To the Editor of the Pacific Commercial Advertiser:

Sir: H. B. M's. Schr. "Renard," Lieut. Com. Pugh, entered the lagoon of Apaiang, Gilbert Is., on Sunday afternoon April 23rd 1876. She was sent to see that the murderer of Mr. A. J. Keyes, a British subject, was executed by the King of Apaiang. The government of Apaiang is not yet recognized by nations as a civilized government, so Capt. Pugh could not treat with the King as he could with a regularly organized and recognized government. But Te Kaie, King of Apaiang, had given Mr. Keyes a written promise of protection to life and property, therefore the King, and not Capt. Pugh must execute the murderer. On Monday Capt. Pugh asked me to go on board the "Renard" and give all the evidence in my possession as to the murder. Capt. R. Randolf, a British subject and trader, was also called. On Tuesday afternoon the King and a high chief by name of Te Kabunare were called on board, and received with honor. On being shown into the cabin, Capt. Pugh asked Te Kaiea if he was King of Apaiang. He said he was. When shown the written promise of protection he had given Mr. Keyes he said "That is it. I know what it means, I signed that with my own hand." Capt. Pugh then asked him why he did not promptly arrest and execute the murderer. The answer was "I was at Butaritari at the time." "Why did you not" said Capt. Pugh "send to Marakai as soon as you got back and bring him over here and execute him." Now mark the answer: "The missionary told me that I ought to do so, and that a British man-of-war would be here to settle about it if I didn't; but I didn't know whether you would really come. My mind was that if a man-of-war should come it might execute the man, if not *he might live.*" Capt. Pugh, looking at his watch said, "Within two hours a large canoe filled with men must be on the way to Marakai to get the murderer. If you think the people there will try to protect the man send canoes enough and men enough to overcome all opposition. Don't return without him." Te Kaiea asked: But what if we don't bring him" The reply was such as the commander of a war vessel should have made, "If you do not bring him you will not see my face again." And through us told him his village would be destroyed at once if the canoe returned without the murderer. A canoe with only five men, bearing letters to Kanoho—the Hawaiian missionary—and a trader on Marakai instructing them to tell the natives to give up the criminal or have their whole island destroyed by the man-of-war—left within two hours. Thursday evening it returned with the murderer. He was secured on the "Renard" that evening. Many of his friends came, armed, from the North, saying they would rescue him. And Te Kaiea said the people of Apaiang would fight if the Captain landed with his crew. Friday morning at a quarter of eight two boats put off from the "Renard"—which had dropped down and was lying directly under the King's house—and landed Lieut. Com. Pugh, Lieut. Reese, fourteen of the "Renard's" crew (there were but twenty six all told) and the murderer with a rope around his neck, and his hands firmly tied behind him. The crew formed on the beach, loaded with ball cartridge, fixed bayonets, and marched directly in front of the crowd of five hundred or more natives, and, turning their backs on the crowd, stood facing the cannon to which the man was to be bound. The natives who were armed slunk off through the crowd, and all were so frightened they didn't know whether to stand or run. The murderer was tied to the mouth of the gun, the torch was applied—all by the natives, at the command of the king, and without a moments suffering Tekeaua passed to the next world, and his mangled remains lay on the beach where he used to play when a boy. The mode of execution seems horrible, but may it not be that just such a lesson was needed by the people? At first I felt as many do now, but afterwards I saw the good effect of it. Capt. Pugh's orders were strict; he must see the king execute the murderer, and he did. By threatening to destroy his village if the murderer was not secured. And if he fired the captain was compelled to fire on the king's village, because the king had given Mr. Keyes a written promise of protection. Threatening to destroy the whole village, I think was not wise. For in so doing he would necessarily destroy the misson premises, and have a bill of some $2,000 to pay, which would have injured the effect, on the natives, of their punishment.

The whole people were guilty, because not more than fifty wanted to have Tekeaua executed. If Capt. Pugh had replied to Te Kaiea, 'If you do not bring the murderer, you will lose our confidence and respect, and we will have nothing more to do with you,' the canoe would not have started to Marakei, Tekeaua would now be living, and no native would fear to kill a white man on the slightest provocation. That would have been greater injustice than to blow the man from the cannon's mouth.

Yours truly, Horace J. Taylor.

Last year when the *Star* left Apaiang, the natives talked about driving all the whites off the island, and I felt the missionaries were in real danger. This year when we arrived at Apaiang, I was greatly surprised to see the change in the appearance of the natives. They were very respectful and kind to us and to the missionaries, and I soon learned the cause; it was the execution of the murderer of Keyes. They were compelled to do it by the Captain of an English man-of-war, and it had the best effect of anything that has been done there for a long time.

Men have to be persuaded sometimes according to their education, and this people that have learned to eat one another can be persuaded quickest by the voice of a cannon.

There is yet the sum of $400 due from the King of Tarawa to the American Board for mission property destroyed; if there is an American man-of-war sent down there right away, it can be collected no doubt without blood shed, but if it is put off for a year or so, it is my opinion, as well as Mr. Taylor's, that the natives will kill the Hawaiian Missionary there. A. D. Colcord.

Departure of Judge Allen.—His Excellency the Hawaiian Minister Resident in the United States sailed yesterday for San Francisco mail steamer. His Majesty the King, the Prince Leleiohoku, the Judges of the Supreme Court, the King's Ministers, and many personal friends of the retiring public servant assembled on the wharf to shake hands and wish him God-speed. The Band was in attendance and played several appropriate airs, finishing with "Auld Lang Syne" as the vessel started from the wharf.

Small Pox.—The steamer from the Colonies which arrived on Friday morning was considered as due on Monday, and we learn that the delay was caused by the presence of small pox on board the *Australia*, on the passage to Sydney, necessitating the putting of that vessel into quarantine, the *City of Sydney* being thereby made to do double duty for a time. The *Australia* sailed from Honolulu on the 15th December, and the disease appeared (one case) on the 23d. The steamer was placed in strict quarantine at the Fiji islands.

LATER FOREIGN NEWS!
Via Sydney per Cable.

The *City of Sydney*, which arrived yesterday morning, brings Colonial papers to the 15th January, from which we clip the following cablegrams, which are six days later than our advices via San Francisco:

London, January 9th.—At the meeting of the conference on Turkish affairs on Monday, Lord Salisbury refused to admit the arguments of the Turkish delegates, who were equally persistent in rejection of the conditons proposed by the Representatives of the European Powers and entered into a debate on the question of the guarantee, especially with reference to the proposed international commission.

London, Jan. 10th.—It is generally expected that the Conference of European Representatives will end in failure.

The Turkish delegates will yield nothing substantial.

Abul Hamid, replying to a petition from a number of subjects at Adrianople who sought permission to take up arms against their common enemy, said that if war was necessary he would at once place himself at the head of the Turkish forces.

The Russian Levant squadron has rendezvoused at Odessa.

London, Jan. 11.—An election crisis occurred at New Orleans through the Democratic Militia obeying the orders of Lieutenant-Governor Witty.

The Republican officers were duly installed, when the Democratic official corps and Militia blockaded the Republican Governor and Legislators in the State House. There was however no bloodshed.

President Grant has ordered the Federal commander of Louisiana, General Augur, to take steps to maintain peace, without in any way recognizing the Democratic Governor.

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NOTICE.

MESSRS. A. S. CLEGHORN & Co., HAVE to notify the public that owing to the illness of Mr. J. PORTER GREEN, that gentleman is no longer authorized to collect their accounts.
Honolulu, February 1st, 1877. fe3 2t

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS HIS SERvices to the public as collector of accounts, as well as copyist, etc. All business entrusted to him will be attended to with dispatch, fidelity and accuracy. Office with Cecil Brown, Esq., Kaahumanu Street.
fe3 3m. R. W. LAINE.

NOTICE.

AT THE ADJOURNED ANNUAL MEETING of the Kohala Sugar Company, held January 27th, 1877, the following officers, for the ensuing year, were elected, to wit:

J MOTT SMITH..........PRESIDENT.
SAM'L C ALLEN..........VICE PRESIDENT.
SAM'L N CASTLE..........TREASURER.
J P COOKE..........SECRETARY.
DAN'L SMITH..........AUDITOR.

J P COOKE,
fe3 2t Sec'y Kohala Sugar Company.

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Per order, CHAS. T. GULICK,
Honolulu, February 3d, 1877. Sec'y H. F. D.

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BEAUTIFULLY MOUNTED, IN SETS; AND
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To the Queen's Hospital,
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At the Office of the undersigned.
Sealed Tenders to be handed to him on or before Feb. 10th.
By Order of the Board of Trustees of the Queen's Hospital.
F. A. SCHAEFER, Secretary.
Honolulu, Jan. 24, 1877. ja27 3t

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Of the Age.
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PUBLIC NOTICE.

THE FOLLOWING OFFICERS WERE elected for the ensuing year at the annual meeting of the Haiku Sugar Company, held January 13th, 1877:

J MOTT SMITH..........PRESIDENT,
S T ALEXANDER..........VICE PRESIDENT,
J P COOKE..........SECRETARY,
S N CASTLE..........TREASURER,
C M COOKE..........AUDITOR.

Per Order, J P COOKE,
ja20 3t Secretary Haiku Sugar Co.

KAPIOLANI PARK ASSOCIATION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT a meeting of the Board of Trustees held the 17th day of January, 1877, an assessment of ($25) Twenty-five dollars per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately to the Treasurer at office of Bishop & Co.
By order of the Board of Trustees.
ja20 3t H. MACFARLANE, Secretary.

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY FORBIDDEN to trespass on the land called WAIMANALO, in the Ahupuaa of Honouliuli, District of Ewa, Oahu, by letting cattle run on the same, or by cutting, or taking wood, or killing wild cattle, or hunting on said land.
The boundaries of said land are described as follows: "O na Aina Hoolimalima mua ia John Meek. O ke Kula o LIHUE, a me ke Kula o HONOULIULI, ma ka aoao mauka, a me na aoao makai o NANAKULI, ma kahi aoao a na Koolina, ma kahi aoao."
Honolulu, March 11, 1876. (mh11 tf) J. H. CONEY.

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Assignee of Estate Siemsen & Conway
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A CHOICE SELECTION OF GROCERIES!
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Barrels and Cases Salt, Family Pork, in barrels;
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A Choice Assortment of FIRE WORKS!
Consisting of Rockets, Bengolas and Roman Candles,
An Invoice of Cut Nails, 3d to 40; Oars, Axe Handles,
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Hunt's Hatchets, axe and shingling; AXES,
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Rubber Packing, 1-16 inch; Hemp Packing, Solder,
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CHARCOAL IRONS, Mule Collars,
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Ruinart, Pere & Fils Carte Blanche
IN QUARTS AND PINTS.
For sale at Agents' rates, by
H. HACKFELD & Co.,
Sole Agents for Messrs. Ruinart Pere & Fils,
ap29 Rheims.

Manufacturing Jeweler.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED, FORMERLY WITH Mr. Eckart, begs to inform citizens of Honolulu and the public generally, that he has taken the store on Fort Street, opposite Odd Fellows Hall, (formerly occupied by Thos. Tannatt,) where he will give special attention to the manufacturing and repairing of all kinds of Jewelry.
Particular attention given to Shell and Kukui Work.
☞ Will guarantee satisfaction in all his work. ☜
Honolulu, Nov. 27, 1876. (no25 6m) WM. M. WENNER.

TO LET.

A CONVENIENT COTTAGE, No. 107 Nuuanu Avenue, at present occupied by T G THRUM, Esq.
d16 Enquire of J. S. LEMON.

$5.00 REWARD.

LOST ON THE NUUANU OR PAUOA ROAD, an OVAL BREAST PIN, Stone Cameo set in Pearls. The above reward will be paid to finder by
ja30 1m J. MOTT SMITH.

THE CARGO
— OF THE —
FINE BRITISH IRON SHIP
DOVENBY,
JUST ARRIVED,
For Sale!
— COMPRISING A —
FULL ASSORTMENT
— OF —
COTTON, WOOLLEN & OTHER GOODS
FINE NEW STYLES OF PRINTS,
Blue Striped Denims, Velvet Carpets & Rugs,
Hassocks Pilot Clothing, Towels, Counterpanes,
White Moleskins, Skirts, Grenadines,
Scarves and Ties, Silk Umbrellas, Blankets,
Crimean, Oxford and Regatta Shirts,
Flannels, Tweeds, Ponchos,
SADDLES AND BRIDLES,
Swiss Mulls, Printed Lawn,
Waterproof Clothing, Victoria Lawns,
Book Muslins, Lace Curtains,
BAGS, BAGGING, CANVAS!
Twine, Leather Belting, Paint, Oils, Pipes,
STATIONERY!
Wire Rope, Corrugated Roofing,
Blue Mottled Soap, Galvanized and Tinware,
Fencing Wire, Hoop Iron, Holloware,
Charcoal Irons, O-os', Cutlery, Bar Iron,
Lea & Perrin's Sauce,
JAMS AND JELLIES!
Gosnell's
Perfumes,
Soaps,
and
Brushes,
Hennessy's, Martell's and Robin's Brandy, in casks and cases;
Fine Sherry, in quarter casks and cases,
Geneva, Whiskey, Rum, Hock, Moselle, Alcohol, &c.
Blood Wolfe & Co.'s and Bass' Pale Ale,
Edmund's Pig Brand Porter,
BOUCHET'S NAPOLEON CABINET CHAMPAGNE,
Lalande's Red Bar Claret, Dunville's Whisky,
Boord's Wines and Spirits,
Silicate Paint Co.'s Paints!
FIRE BRICKS,
RED BRICKS,
CEMENT,
CHALK,
WHITING,
Powell Duffryn's Steam Coal!
ON HAND,
WESTON'S CENTRIFUGALS & ENGINE!
McOnie's Coolers,
And to Arrive, McOnie's Clarifiers!
FOR SALE BY
d9 3m] THEO. H. DAVIES.

THE OLD CORNER
Coffee and Billiard Saloon,

TOBACCO & CIGAR STORE!
ESTABLISHED IN 1858,
OFFERS FOR SALE A FINE ASSORTMENT OF
HAVANA, GERMAN & MANILA CIGARS
Light and Hard Pressed
NATURAL LEAF TOBACCO,
Fine Cut Chewing Tobacco,
AN ASST. OF CUT SMOKING TOBACCO!
And a Large Assortment of
BRIAR WOOD AND OTHER PIPES!
Tobacco Pouches, Pipe Stems,
Amber and Horn Mouth Pieces,
Pipe Buttons, Cigarette Paper, etc., etc.
H. J. NOLTE,
ja15 qr Corner of Queen and Nuuanu Sts.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE RECEIVED EX MARY BELLE ROBERTS AND D. C. MURRAY the following list of Stoves and Ranges.

BUCK'S PATENT—For Wood or Coal.
MAGNA CHARTA—For Wood, seven sizes.
IRON CLAD—With Cast Iron warm closet and copper reservoir, a large family stove.
SUPERIOR—Six holes, a good article.
ALMEDA—Just the article for small families, very neat design.
PILOT.

Ranges!

LAUREL, for Wood or Coal.
This Range is said to have the largest sale of any of its style on the Pacific coast. 4 sizes.
COUPON, OPERA.
Also, just at hand, a fine assortment of
Glasgow Stoves & Ranges!
Comprising the following list:
MISTRESS RANGE, 7, 8, 9;
VICTRESS STOVE, 6, 7, 8, 9;
PACIFIC CABOOSE!
Making in all one of the most complete assortments of Stoves Ranges, &c., &c., ever on sale in this Market.
☞ Every Stove warranted.
Also, a full line of
PLUMBER'S
Materials. House Water Closets.
Faucets, Lead and Iron Pipes, Sheet Lead, 2 1-2 to 6 lbs., &c.
Toilet Sets, plain and fancy; Water Coolers, &c., &c.
CALL AND EXAMINE AT No. 9 Kaahumanu Street
Orders from the other Islands will have our best attention and at lowest figures. Goods carefully packed.
au19 1y J. NOTT & Co.

AUCTION SALE

BY C. S. BARTOW.

REGULAR SALE.

ON THURSDAY, : : : FEBRUARY 8th,

At 10 O'clock, A. M., at Salesroom, will be sold,

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING,
Cloths,
Cassimeres,
AND FURNITURE.

C. S. BARTOW, Auct'r.

FOR LEASE!

THAT WELL FITTED AND SUITABLE STORE for a Retail or Wholesale Business in Odd Fellows Hall. Apply to
W. C. PARKE,
J. O. CARTER,
A. S. CLEGHORN,
Trustees.
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LUNCH ROOM IS OPEN,

Under the Management of R. VON OEHLHAFFEN.

ALL DELICACIES KNOWN TO THE AGE constantly kept on hand, and served to surpass the past, arrest the present, and stereotype the future—guaranteed to satisfy the epicure in his wildest dreams. Weddings, Dinners, and all other private and public orders will be executed in my usual elevated style.
d30 ROBERT VON OEHLHAFFEN, Manager.

REMEMBER

THE FINE DISPLAY OF

HOLIDAY GOODS!

NOW

OPEN AND READY

FOR INSPECTION AT THE STORE OF the undersigned, Consisting of,

Ladies' and Gent's Cluster and Solitaire

DIAMOND RINGS!

Ladies' and Gent's Onyx, Emerald, Pearl, Garnett, Sapphire, Cameo, Amethyst, Turquoise, and other fine settings;
Ladies' Fine Gold Wedding Rings,
Ladies' and Gent's Elegant Aloha Rings,
Moss Agate and Cornelian Rings,
Ladies' and Gent's Gold Watches and Chains,
Ladies' and Children's Lockets and Locket Chains,
Ladies' Pins and Ear Rings,
Ladies' Elegant Amethyst Setts,
Ladies' Jett Setts,
Ladies' Jett Neck Chains and Ear Rings,
Ladies' Gold Bracelets,
Child's Finger Rings,
Ladies' and Gent's Gold Bosom and Sleeve Studs,
Ladies' Gold Glove Buttons and Buttoners,
Ladies' Coral Setts, Ladies' and Gent's Charms,
Ladies' Gold and Silver Thimbles,
Baby Sleeve and Cuff Pins.

SILVERWARE!

Solid Silver Fish Knives,
Solid Silver Pie Knives,
Solid Silver Cake Knives,
Solid Silver Berry Spoons,
Solid Silver Table Spoons,
Solid Silver Dessert Spoons,
Solid Silver Dessert Forks,
Solid Silver Tea Spoons,
Solid Silver Sugar Shells,
Solid Silver Goblets and Cups,
Solid Silver Child's Knives, Forks and Spoons,
And many other articles too numerous to specify.

Also, per Ocean Pearl,

—THE—

FINEST DISPLAY

—OF—

LADIES

Leather Ware,

IN TRUNKS, VALISES, BAGS, &c., &c.

Ever Offered Here. All these Goods will be

Sold at Prices to Suit the Times!

Giving Purchasers the Benefit of the ten per cent. on Bags and Leather Ware.

Special Discounts

—TO—

CASH CUSTOMERS!

M. McINERNY.
d2 3m

JUST RECEIVED!

Another Lot of those

Superior Domestic Sewing Machines

which are getting to be so popular here. Also,

All the extra things belonging to the above Machine,

—SUCH AS—

Needles, Hemmers, Tuckers, Bobbins, Belts, Shuttles, Shuttle Heads, Etc., Etc.

Also, 22-100 Cartridges, Cabinet Powder!

Especially Adapted for Sportsmen.

FOR SALE AT A. L. SMITH'S CASH STORE, Fort St.
d30 2m

THE

TERRIBLE TEMPTATION,

A Fine Cut Chewing Tobacco!

FOR SALE
ja15 AT THE OLD CORNER.

RECIPROCITY!!!

NEW CIGAR STORE

OPENED BY H. J. NOLTE,

On Fort Street

OPPOSITE FISCHER & ROTH, Merchant Tailors,

A BRANCH OF THE OLDEST AND largest Tobacco and Cigar Store in Honolulu.

The Best Assortment of Pipes

From Meerschaum to Briar.

The Best Selection of

CHEWING & SMOKING TOBACCO

—AND—

Cigars of Every Quality

se23) From finest Havana to common Manila. (3m

AUCTION SALE

BY E. P. ADAMS.

REGULAR CASH SALE!

ON FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9,

At half-past 9 A. M., at Salesroom, an

ASST. OF NEW GOODS

—NAMELY—

Fine Prints, Muslins, Linen Drills,
Brown Cottons, White Cottons, Merino,
Victoria Lawns, Silk Handkerchiefs,
Hemmed Linen Handkerchiefs.

Fancy Flannel Overshirts,

Harvard Shirts, Wool Shawls,
Turkish Towels for Bathing,
Blankets, White Shirts, Amoskeag Denims,
Amoskeag Stripes,
Cotton Drill, Brilliants,
Fine Tweed Suits.
Bed Quilts, Merino and Cotton Undershirts,

FELT AND STRAW HATS!

Ladies' Hose, Men's Socks,
Bridles and Bits, Travelling Bags, Etc., Etc.

GROCERIES, FANCY GOODS, &C.!

Best Brands Kerosene, Card Matches,
Yeast Powder, Sardines, Soda Crackers,
Clothes Pins, Hams, Bacon, Candles,
Pickles, Tobacco, Cigars, Fine Tea, Oysters,
Axe Handles, Salt, Wash Blue, Pain Killer,
Wrapping Paper.

Also, Crushed Sugar,

E. P. ADAMS, Auctioneer.

Valuable Rice

—AND—

PASTURE LANDS!

In Koolaupoko, Oahu.

By order of C T Gulick, Esq, Executor of the will of H H Sawyer, deceased, I shall offer at public auction,

ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17,

At 12 o'clock, noon, at my Sales Room, in Honolulu,

The Valuable Property

belonging to said estate, situate in Koolaupoko, Oahu, and described as follows, viz:

First, THAT CERTAIN PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND

Commencing at a point near Waikane, as per survey of C J Lyons, and called lot No. 2, and running north 58° 30' west 100 feet; south 72°, west 1728 ft; south 8° 30', east 888 ft; north 55° 40', east 925 ft; north, 56° 05, east 393 ft; south 40° 50', east 455 ft; north 53° 50', east 615 ft; north 24° 35' west 632 ft, to initial point; containing an area of 31 8-100 acres,

With the buildings & improvements

thereon, the same consisting of one dwelling house, 5 rooms; dining room and cook house, store house and out house—with all the furniture therein, consisting of beds, tables, chairs, &c.

A portion of this land, say 16 acres, is under lease for five years, from Jan. 1, 1875, there being three years yet to run, at $130 per year, payable semi-annually, in advance. Nearly the whole of this land is susceptible of cultivation for rice, as there is a sufficiency of water for the purpose, and it is really a fine opportunity for cultivators.

This parcel will be put up at auction in one lot, including houses and furniture.

LOT NO. ONE, THAT VALUABLE PASTURE LAND!

Being an ili of Waiahole, Koolaupoko, Oahu, and more fully described in survey by C J Lyons, and containing an area of 225 acres, with all the buildings and improvements thereon.

The land has a number of streams upon it, and a portion can undoubtedly be used for cultivation of Rice, Sugar or Coffee. The upper portion is well wooded, and the pasture land is as good as can be desired.

This piece will be put up in one lot with building.

TITLE FEE SIMPLE!

Plan of the property can be seen at auction room, and for further particulars enquire of C. T. Gulick, Esq, or

E. P. ADAMS, Auct'r.

AT PRIVATE SALE!

A Small Lot of Choice

Red Columbia River Salmon!

IN BARRELS.

E P ADAMS, Auct'r.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL Persons, that, at a meeting on the 17th day January, 1877, of Subscribers to the stock of the HAWAIIAN AGRICULTURAL COMPANY, it was voted to accept a Charter of incorporation granted to them and their Associates and Successors, under the corporate name and style of the HAWAIIAN AGRICULTURAL COMPANY, on the 22d day of December, A. D. 1876, and that the corporation under said Charter thereupon organized itself and elected the following named Officers of the Company, viz:

Chas R Bishop .... President
H A P Carter .... Vice-President
P C Jones, Jr. .... Treasurer
J D Brewer .... Secretary
J O Dominis .... Auditor

Notice is further given that pursuant to the terms of said Charter "no Stockholder shall individually be liable for the debts of the corporation beyond the amount which shall be due upon the share or shares held or owned by himself."
ja20 4t J. D. BREWER, Secretary.

THE CARGO!

OF THE FINE BRITISH IRON SHIP

DOVENBY,

—IS—

NOW BEING LANDED

—IN—

SPLENDID ORDER,

AND FOR SALE BY

THEO. H. DAVIES.

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SUGAR MACHINERY, &c.

THE UNDERSIGNED ARE PREPARED to furnish estimates for Sugar Machinery, &c., either to be made at the HONOLULU IRON WORKS, or to be imported from GLASGOW by a vessel to leave that port about July or August next, or by another vessel to leave in February, 1878.

THEY HAVE ON HAND!

And For Sale,

ONE SUGAR MILL & GEAR,

Twenty by Thirty-six,

ALSO, ONE OR TWO SIZES OF

Second Hand Sugar Mills,

Gear and Power, which may be delivered in a few months.

Also, FOR SALE TO ARRIVE

—PER—

ESKBANK!

FROM GLASGOW, DUE IN JUNE NEXT

6 500 Gallon Clarifiers.

Four Pairs Weston's Centrifugal Machines.

ALSO, ON HAND AND FOR SALE.

China Building Bricks, Portland Cement, Fencing Wire, Hoop Iron, Best Assorted Bar Iron, East India Rice, China Matting, &c.,

Which will be sold in quantities to suit, at the Lowest Market Rates.

N. B.—Those planters who are contemplating increasing the capacity of their mills may hear of a purchaser for their old mills, gear and power, by an early application to the undersigned.
ja20 tf F. T. LENEHAN, & CO.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING RECEIVED

New Lenses!

AND OTHER

Photographic Improvements!

Is now prepared to do

First Class Work

IN EITHER

Portraits or Views!

On the most Reasonable Terms;

And hopes, by attention to business and pains-taking, to deserve the patronage of the public, and be able to please the most fastidious.

ALSO, FOR SALE, NEW FRAMES

In great variety, and at the lowest possible prices, at the

Cosmopolitan

PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY!

64 and 66 Fort Street Honolulu.
ja6 3m H. L. CHASE.

FLORENCE

SEWING MACHINES!

—JUST—

Received per ss. City of New York

—AN—

INVOICE FLORENCE SEWING MACHINES,

of the Best Quality, which will be

Sold at a Reduced Price!

ALSO RECEIVED

Florence Needles, Hemmers, Tuckers,
Sewing Machine Oil, Thread,
GROVER & BAKER'S, and WHEELER & WILSON'S
Sewing Machine Needles, etc., etc.

FOR SALE AT A. L. SMITH'S CASH STORE,
ja13 2m 73 Fort Street.

FOR SALE.

SEVERAL VERY DESIRABLE AND Centrally located

BUILDING LOTS,

Suitable for Family Residences.

—ALSO, A—

Convenient COTTAGE in Good Repair, &c.

TO LET OR LEASE!

The Large Premises No. 22 Alakea St.,

For a number of years on reasonable terms to a good tenant.
For further particulars enquire of
no25 JAMES S. LEMON.

HONOLULU STEAM BAKERY!

R. LOVE & BROTHERS, Proprietors,

NUUANU STREET.

PILOT, MEDIUM AND NAVY BREAD, always on hand and made to order.

Also, Water, Soda and Butter Crackers,

JENNY LIND CAKES. &c.

SHIP BREAD REBAKED on the shortest notice.

FAMILY BREAD, made of the Best Flour, baked daily and always on hand.

N. B.—BROWN BREAD OF THE BEST QUALITY
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BISHOP & CO., BANKERS,

HONOLULU, HAWAIIAN ISLANDS. DRAW EXCHANGE ON

THE BANK OF CALIFORNIA, SAN FRANCISCO,

—AND THEIR AGENTS IN—

New York, Boston, Paris, Auckland,

THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LONDON,

—AND THEIR BRANCHES IN—

Hongkong, Sydney, and Melbourne,

And Transact a General Banking Business. ap22 1y

CARRIAGES!

—AND—

CARRIAGE MATERIAL!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS JUST RECEIVED from the East and San Francisco, in addition to his usual large assortment of Carriage Material, the following Goods:

HICKORY SPOKES,

from 1 inch to 3½ inches.

OAK AND HICKORY RIMS,

from 1 inch to 2½ inches.

FINE ASSORTMENT HUBS, ALL SIZES.

Felloes for Ox Carts, Assorted Sizes, Oak and Ash;
Hickory Wagon and Buggy Shafts, finished and rough;
Poles, Wagon and Carriage, finished and rough,
Whiffletrees, Doubletrees, Crossbars, Yokes, Seat Rails,
Seat Spindles, Wagon and Buggy Bows,

—ALSO—

CARRIAGE HARDWARE

Consisting of Steel and Iron Axles, Spring Stay Braces, Foot Rails, Step Pads, Body Loops, Whiffletree Couplings and Ferules, Stake Irons, Cockeyes, Hub Bands, plain, silvered and oroide, screw capped—Central Park Pattern, Pole Crabs, Step Treads, Body Steps, Wear Irons,

FINE Asst. of OVAL MOULDINGS

in Brass and Gold, from ¼ to ½ inch.

Cross Strap Mountings—consisting of Diamond Centres, Buckles, Strap Holder Loops—gold & oroide

A FEW SUPERIOR ENGLISH & AMERICAN STYLES

BASKET PHAETON BODIES!

One and Two-seated, which will be put up in the best possible manner to order, at short notice.

CARRIAGES ALWAYS ON HAND

Or manufactured with dispatch—First Class Workmen employed in all branches.

A continuance of the public patronage is respectfully solicited.

ALL ISLAND ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

WEST & COLEMAN,
no6 Nos. 74, 76 and 78 King St. Honolulu, H. I.

CHAS. T. GULICK,

NOTARY PUBLIC,

AND

AGENT TO TAKE ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS FOR

LABOR.

se11 1y Interior Office, Honolulu.

TRAVELLER'S HOUSE,

HILO.

VISITORS AT HILO, AND PARTIES EN ROUTE FOR THE VOLCANO, can find

Good Accommodations

—WITH—

BOARD AND LODGING

AT REASONABLE RATES, at the above establishment.

HORSES AND GUIDES PROCURED

At short notice, and all arrangements made for the trip to the mountain. (jy22 1y) C. K. HAPAI.

Shipping.

For Portland, Oregon.

THE FAST SAILING BARKENTINE

Jane A. Falkinburg,

L. H. HUBBART, Master.

For freight and passage apply to
ja27 CASTLE & COOKE, Agents.

For Portland, Oregon.

The fine British Iron Ship

Dovenby!

LINTON : : : Master.

Will sail for the above port in a few days!

FREIGHT AT LOW RATES:

ja20 Apply to THEO. H. DAVIES, Agents.

Pacific Mail Steamship Co.'s San Francisco, Australia and New Zealand Line.

THE SPLENDID STEAMSHIP

ZEALANDIA,

FERRIES, Master.

Will Leave Honolulu for

KANDAVU, F. I., & SYDNEY, N. S. W.

connecting at Kandavu with Company's steamer for AUCKLAND, N. Z., PORT CHALMERS, and intermediate ports.

On or about the 6th of Feb.

For Freight and Passage, and further information,
ap15 Apply to H. HACKFELD & CO., Agents.

Pacific Mail Steamship Co.'s San Francisco, Australia and New Zealand Line.

THE SPLENDID STEAMSHIP

Australia,

CARGILL, Commander,

Will Leave Honolulu for

San Francisco on or about Feb. 26th!

For Freight and Passage, or any further information
qr Apply to H. HACKFELD & Co. Agents.

TIME-TABLE OF THE

STEAMER "KILAUEA,"

MARCHANT, : : : MASTER.

February 5th, Monday, 4 p m....Nawiliwili and the Circuit of Kauai.
February 13th, Tuesday, 5 p m .... Hilo
February 19th, Monday, 5 p m .... Kona
March 5th, Monday, 5 p m .... Hilo
March 12th, Monday, 5 p m .... Kona
March 19th, Monday, 5 p m .... Hilo
March 26th, Monday, 5 p m .... Kona

On Kona trips the Steamer will go as far as Honomalino.

On all Windward Trips the Steamer will leave her wharf at 5; all trips to Kauai. will leave at 4 p. m. On down trips the Steamer will not leave Kawaihae before 10 A. M.; Makena as per notice on up trip, Maalaea Bay not before 7 a. m. Any change from the above will be advertised.

Rates of Passage will be

To or from Kaunakakai, Molokai	$5 00
" " Lahaina, Maui	6 00
" " Maalaea, Maui	7 00
" " Makena, Maui	8 00
" " Mahukona, Hawaii	10 00
" " Kawaihae, "	10 00
" " Kailua, "	10 00
" " Kawaloa, "	10 00
" " Hilo, "	12 50
" " Kau Coast "	15 00
Circuit of Hawaii, Round Trip	22 00
To or from any Port on Kauai	8 00
Circuit of Kauai, Round Trip	12 00
Deck Passage for natives only	2 00

No Credit for Passage Money!

TICKETS AT THE OFFICE ONLY.

No berth will be considered as taken until paid for. Not responsible for baggage unmarked or any Freight or Parcels unless receipted for.

FREIGHT MONEY DUE ON DEMAND!

An effort will be made to have the Steamer reach Honolulu on the evening of the same day she leaves Maui.

SAMUEL G. WILDER, Agent.
Office with Wilder & Co., corner of Fort and Queen Streets.
mh25

KAUAI PACKET.

FOR KOLOA & OTHER PORTS ON KAUAI.

THE SCHR. KAMAILE!

KIBLING, Master,

Will have regular dispatch for Kauai, as above, until further notice. Freight and Passengers taken at the LOWEST RATES.

ROLLES & CO., Agents.

P. S.—This vessel has just been thoroughly repaired, newly coppered, and put in perfect order. ap15

REGULAR PACKET FOR LAHAINA.

THE SCHR. NETTIE MERRILL,

R. D. CRANE, Master.

Will Run Regularly between This Port and Lahaina,

LEAVING

Honolulu Saturdays and Lahaina every Wednesday.

958 3m H. HACKFELD & Co., Agents.

BOSTON & HONOLULU PACKET LINE!

C. BREWER & CO., AGENTS.

Favorable arrangements can always be made for Storage and Shipment of Oil, Bone, Wool, Hides and other Merchandise to New Bedford, Boston, New York and other Eastern Ports. Cash Advances made.
o2 1y C. BREWER & CO.

REGULAR

DISPATCH LINE FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

C. BREWER & CO., AGENTS.

Merchandise received STORAGE FREE and liberal cash advances made on shipments by this line. (o2 1y) C. BREWER & CO.

SAM'L G. WILDER,

AGENT

Hawaiian Steamer KILAUEA!

L. MARCHANT. - - - - - - MASTER.

SAILING DAYS as per Schedule,

Unless Otherwise Advertised.

TICKETS ONLY AT OFFICE!

FREIGHT BILLS DUE ON DEMAND.

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THE RIDGE HOUSE!

KEALAKEKUA BAY HAWAII.

THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS ARE noted the world over for their unrivaled salubrity of climate. Certain localities in the group are especially favored in this way.—The District of Kona, on the leeward side of Hawaii, has long been famed as a place of resort for invalids with bronchital, or lung diseases. With its pure and mild atmosphere, with its absolute freedom from storms or high winds, with its porous soil which, with all its rich vegetation, retains no dampness and yields no malaria, and with an unvarying temperature—that of the American or Southern European June—ALL THE YEAR ROUND, the climate of Kona is one of the healthiest and most luxurious on the globe.

The undersigned, at his house at Kaawaloa, a house unequaled in the district for size, cleanliness, commodiousness, and thoroughness of furnishing, is prepared to give boarders excellent rooms and all obtainable comforts in the way of diet.

THERE ARE FRESH WATER BATHS on the premises, and fine sea bathing within a short distance. The steamer Kilauea and the schooners Uilama and Prince, run regularly between Honolulu and the Kaawaloa landing.

The undersigned employs no agents nor runners. His house speaks for itself upon inspection. A. A. TODD.
Kaawaloa, Kealakekua Bay, Kona, Nov. 15, 1876. d16

NOTICE.

I HAVE THIS DAY SOLD THE BLACKSMITH Shop, Tools and Stock in Trade, together with the good will of the business thereto, located on the Esplanade, in this city, to Messrs. West & Coleman.

While taking this opportunity to thank the public for their liberal patronage, I would ask a continuance of their favors to the new firm. CHAS. T. GULICK,
Executor of the Will of J H Thompson, deceased.
Honolulu, October 2d, 1876. oct7

TO THE PUBLIC.

WE HAVE THIS DAY FORMED A CO-PARTNERSHIP for the purpose of carrying on the business of Carriage Building and Repairing in all its branches, also Blacksmithing of all kinds, Horse Shoeing, Shipsmithing, Building and Bridge work, &c., &c.

We shall keep constantly on hand a large assortment of Bar Iron, Nuts, Rivets, Washers, Bolts, Clinch Rings, Blacksmith Coal. Also, Carriage Fittings and Trimmings of all kinds,—all of which will be sold at the Lowest Market Rates.

Country orders will meet with prompt and careful attention.

WEST & COLEMAN.
Honolulu, October 2d, 1876. oc7

LAND IN PALAMA!

CAN BE LEASED FOR A TERM OF FIVE YEARS. This land contains about Three Acres, and is situated near the road, King Street, opposite the Reformatory School premises, with a Large House, which will be leased in connection with the land. There is a Carriage Road leading from King Street to the house. This land is well adapted for Rice Culture, and has a good supply of water. For further particulars, enquire of G. W. MACY,
o28 Guardian for G. W. Macy, Jr.

THE PACIFIC

Commercial Advertiser.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3.

PHASES OF THE MOON FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1877—HONOLULU MEAN TIME.

Feb.	4—Last Quarter	6 20.6	P M
	12—New Moon	10 27.8	P M
	20—First Quarter	5 44.4	P M
	27—Full Moon	8 43	A M

TIME OF SUN RISING AND SETTING.

Feb	1—Sun rises	6 41 A M; Sun sets	5 47 P M
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CAPT. DANIEL SMITH, Harbor Master.

BY AUTHORITY.

THE Hon Elisha H Allen having resigned the office of Chief Justice of the Supreme Court and Chancellor of the Kingdom, to take effect February 1st, it has pleased His Majesty the King to make the following appointments to take effect at said date, viz:

HON CHARLES COFFIN HARRIS to be Chief Justice of the Supreme Court and Chancellor of the Kingdom.

HON ALBERT FRANCIS JUDD to be First Associate Justice of the Supreme Court and Vice Chancellor of the Kingdom.

LAWRENCE MCCULLY, Esq, to be Second Associate Justice of the Supreme Court.

Iolani Palace, January 30th, 1877.

It has pleased His Majesty to reappoint Hon. Frederick S. Lyman to be Circuit Judge of the Third Judicial Circuit, dating as of the 18th of February proximo.

FAREWELL TO CHIEF JUSTICE ALLEN.

Pursuant to previous notice given, the members of the Bar and officers of the Supreme Court assembled in the main hall of Aliiolani House on Saturday last, at noon, for the purpose of listening to Judge Allen's farewell address on leaving the Bench, which, as Chief Justice and Chancellor of the Kingdom he has so ably, honorably and usefully occupied for nearly twenty years past. His career in that exalted and responsible position has been so justly and thoroughly reviewed by the different gentlemen whose remarks are reported below, that there is scarcely anything left for us to add; except it may be to say, that the two volumes of Reports of decisions of the Supreme Court which have been published during his incumbency (a third is now going through the press) will constitute an enduring monument of the official life and times of Chief Justice Allen in Hawaii nei, and one of which the country, the Bar and the Bench may well be proud.

His Majesty the King did the Chief Justice the honor to be present, occupying a seat on the Bench and taking a part in the proceedings. His Majesty's Ministers were also present, and a considerable audience of spectators. After the justices had entered, Attorney General Hartwell spoke as follows:

May it please the Court and Your Honor Chief Justice Allen,—A few days since it was intimated to the members of the Bar that you would take leave of them to-day. They accordingly met together, and adopted certain resolutions intended to express, in a few simple words, their regret at your approaching departure, and their appreciation of your eminent services as Chief Justice and Chancellor of the Kingdom.

At the request of my brethren of the Bar, I now present the resolutions and ask leave to read them:

To the Honorable Elisha H. Allen, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Hawaiian Islands and Chancellor of the Kingdom.

The members of the Hawaiian Bar having heard that it is the intention of your Honor to resign the honorable position which you have held for so many years as the head of the Judiciary Department of this Kingdom, met at the offices of the Attorney General this day when it was

Resolved, That the members of the Hawaiian Bar, receive with deep feeling the announcement of the retirement of the Honorable Elisha H. Allen, the Chief Justice and Chancellor of this Kingdom.

That we beg to tender our sincere acknowledgment for the uniform courtesy and kindness which we have received from His Honor during the periods we have each had the honor to practice before him.

That we congratulate his Honor that upon his retiring from the Bench, he will leave with the reputation of having always sustained its dignity, and that his administration of the law during a period of nearly twenty years has secured the general confidence.

That in parting with His Honor we are conscious of the loss the country will sustain, but our regret is lightened by the knowledge that he will still be able in the position he will soon occupy to further the interests and welfare of this Kingdom. In which position he will carry with him the sincere wishes of us all for his health happiness and welfare.

Signed by all members of the Bar.

W. C. JONES, *Chairman*.

Honolulu, Jan. 26, 1877.

The Hawaiian members of the Bar also prepared resolutions of like tenor in their own language which are adopted by the Bar, and which I shall ask leave for Mr. Unauna to read. Before moving to file these resolutions, I have the honor and the pleasure, as Attorney General, to say that His Majesty's Government, while you have presided over the department of the Judiciary, have always reposed confidence in your wisdom and discretion, and have felt assured that the fountain of justice would remain pure, that the administration of the law would be free from reproach for partiality, prejudice or departure from sound principle or well founded precedent; and that the honor and dignity of this high tribunal would sacredly be guarded. In saying this, I am confident that I express the feeling entertained by the successive administrations during the period of nearly twenty years in which you have held this position.

I will further say, that this personal regard for your high character and discreet judgment has, in my opinion, been shared by the diplomatic and consular representatives of foreign countries residing here, and also by the country at large.

And as a member of the Bar, for myself and my brethren of the Bar, and for the officers of the Court, I beg to say that your uniform courtesy to us and the wise consideration which you have always given to our reasonable requests, has gone far to alleviate the labors of our profession, and to keep before us "the gladsome light of jurisprudence," as something to be sought after as an aid for investigating legal truth, not as a beacon to be shunned. It is sometimes no light task in the excitement and keen interest of trials, to rule the law in such manner as to avoid even the impression of unfairness, prejudice or undue consideration, and your eminent success in this regard, has served to soften the asperities, to allay the heart burnings and lighten the disappointments so often incident to the active practice of law. I am sure you will always reflect with pleasure upon the assurance which we beg to offer you, that during all your administration of the law, no harsh word or unkind act of yours ever remained to rankle in the mind of any member of your Court.

Allow me finally to refer to the obligation imposed by Magna Charter on the Sovereigns of England and through them on their justices, "*Nulli vendemus, nulli negabimus vel differemus rectum aut justitiam!*" To none shall we sell, to none deny or delay right or justice. These are words which I hope may some day be placed with your portrait as a souvenir in this room,—fitting companions to the words, "fiat justitia," upon yonder portrait of your predecessor the distinguished Chief Justice Lee.

As the shadows from the hills fall longer in your journey of life, no consolation, as it seems to me, will be sweeter to your mind than the consciousness that you faithfully have observed that pledge, that "to no man have you sold, to none have you denied or delayed legal rights."

I ask leave for Mr. Unauna to read the Hawaiian resolutions.

Mr. Unauna read the resolutions in Hawaiian, and accompanied them with an eloquent speech, at the close of which he expressed the earnest hope of himself and brethren that happiness and health might attend the retiring chief.

In offering the motion to enter the resolutions of record, Mr. McCully said:

YOUR HONOR—I have been deputed by my brethren of the Bar to address you as the senior member now in practice, my license dating in 1859. That character and this occasion suggest retrospect. The retirement of the Chief Justice of this Court, after a tenure of office extending over more than half the Court's existence makes what we may call, a period or epoch, with yourself who retire and with us who part with you. My mind reverts to your honored predecessor in office, who looks down from the canvass on this assembly, and to your valued associates, Justices Robertson, Ii and Davis—I will not speak of later associates now living, and to practitioners at the bar, Bates, Blair, Montgomery, Burbank, who have all passed away. We shall indeed have with us after your departure several who connect us with the past time I speak of; the Marshal of the Kingdom, and Mr. Barnard the Clerk of the Court, both of them most acceptably holding their present offices from a time prior to your accession to the bench, and the First Associate Justice, then, and with some interval in office a leading practitioner or the public prosecutor, yet will your withdrawal from the Court and the country break a principal link. So it is, that *sic transit* is written on all mundane affairs, and every human relation, however close and long continued must come to its end, though happily not in our case by that event which surely awaits all of us, only by your future residence abroad.

At your accession to the bench we had this Court as at present organized, we had our penal code, the civil code of 46–8, and the decisions which form the first volume of Hawaiian Reports. Here was a foundation for jurisprudence broad enough for the time and fairly built upon. It was under your presidency, to continue this work wisely and safely. The situation was a peculiar one. We were not colonists bringing to a vacant a conquered or a ceded country the common law and statutes of a mother country. This kingdom ever jealously guarded and preserved its autonomy. It received from a foreign civilization laws of foreign form, to be interpreted and applied by the learning of English and American authorities and the Civil Law, and yet with an observance of Hawaiian ideas and rights. The Court must meet questions touching land tenures, irrigation and fishery rights, of inheritance and adoption springing from a time prior to marriage laws, questions of delicacy respecting the jurisdiction it should take over alien residents and the marine of the great powers of the world, affecting the discipline of ships and the law of whaling interests, besides all the variety of litigation arising in civilized states. It has been your felicity, sir, as the Attorney General has said, to adjudicate these cases upon reasons which have borne the test of foreign and adverse criticism, and likewise so as to secure the entire confidence of our own varied community. *Stare decisis* has been with you a leading maxim, and you have never permitted yourself to disregard our own precedents, nor to adopt foreign rules without careful scrutiny of their fitness to our situation. And in all there duties you have exercised a winning courtesy towards the Bar and towards juries, witnesses and parties which will ever be remembered in this Court.

Much more might be said, but there are others to speak. And now addressing myself to your associates sitting with you, I have to move, as voted by the Bar, that a copy of the resolutions which we have presented to Chief Justice Allen, be entered upon the records of the Court.

He was followed by Mr. Dole, who said:

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOR: In seconding the motion to place upon the records of this court the resolutions which the Bar have offered to your Honor,—and which I most cordially do,—I cannot neglect this opportunity of expressing to you my personal sense of appreciation of the value of your character and past official services to the country and to this court. My own practice here covers eight years of your administration of justice, and I can never forget the uniform and prominent courtesy which has ever distinguished your intercourse with the members of the Bar, and which has often been so grateful and encouraging to beginners in the difficult study and practice of the law.

If some of our number have at times seemed too impatient of occasional absences of your Honor, which you and the government deemed necessary to the public welfare, I ask you now to remember that such a feeling proceeded from their sense of the possible damage which the community might be liable to from even the temporary loss of your presence and experience.

For myself, in view of your resignation of the high and important office of Chancellor of the Kingdom and Chief Justice of this Court, I feel that the country loses much in the loss to the bench of your dignity, courtesy, experience and firm and abiding sense of impartial justice.

Permit me now, for my brethren and in my own behalf, to bid you a hearty and friendly farewell, accompanied with our warm wishes that you may have a prosperous and happy life in the new line of public service, in which our country is still fortunate in enjoying your assistance.

Mr. Barnard, the First Clerk of the Court, then read, in behalf of its officers, the following address:

To the Honorable Elisha H. Allen, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court and Chancellor of the Kingdom.

We the undersigned, being officers of the Supreme Court, beg to tender to your Honor our regrets at your contemplated resignation of the position of Chief Justice of the Supreme Court and Chancellor of the Kingdom, and at your departure from these Islands.

In doing so, we would state, that during the many years that your Honor has sat upon the bench, we have ever experienced the most uniform kindness at your hands, and that where our duties have been arduous and pressing, as they sometimes have been, they have been lightened of half their burden, and made pleasing to perform, from the suavity of manner in which your Honor's instructions have been delivered.

We trust that in your retirement from the bench, you may live many years to represent the Hawaiian Kingdom at the Court of Washington, and in your capacity of Minister, still continue to render valuable service to the Hawaiian Government.

Although separated by distance, we trust you will bear in remembrance the Court, over which you have so long presided, with a lively interest in its future proceedings, and sometimes condescend a thought to the officers of that Court, who though humble instruments, have nevertheless, they trust, been faithful in the discharge of the duties imposed upon them at your Honor's hands.

With the highest respect, we beg to subscribe ourselves your most obedient servants.

W. C. PARKE, Marshal.
JNO. E. BARNARD, Clerk.
W. L. WILCOX, Interpreter.
DAVID DAYTON, Dept. Marshal.

Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, 27th Jan. 1877.

Mr. Preston moved that the above document be placed on file among the proceedings of the Court, which motion was seconded by Mr. Castle.

His Honor Mr. Harris, First Associate Justice, descending from his seat, spoke as follows:

JUDGE ALLEN:—It may seem strange to you to see me speak from notes to-day, but I cannot trust myself to speak otherwise, lest the fast coming memories should make me indiscreet and cause me to occupy more time than would be reasonable on such an occasion.

It is now twenty-seven years (come next August), since we first became acquainted. You were then Consul for the United States, and as I was owner of the vessel on which I came it was with you, that my first business, on landing on these shores, was necessarily transacted. It was at your house, situated where the hotel now stands, that I met the first social gathering in this town, and from that time to this, our association has been frequent, and for most of the time, intimate.

It is now twenty years since you succeeded the late Judge Lee, as Chief Justice. For a long period of that time I was a practitioner in my private capacity, and as a public prosecutor. It has befallen us, therefore, to make many circuits together, and I remember with pleasure, the long rides from Waimea to Hilo, when each term on the Island of Hawaii was divided between those distant points. For three years I have been your associate upon this bench. During more than thirteen years, we have been associated in the councils of the nation. I was one of your successors in the Office of Minister of Finance; and whilst I was a member in my different capacities of the Cabinet of Kamehameha V., we have always co-operated together for the public benefit, and there has been between us a remarkable unanimity of view on the objects to be pursued and the means of attaining them.

When I look around me and observe that among those who were laboring in this Court, when I commenced to practice, there is none now left, no, not one; and that many more who have joined us since,—have gone to the silent land; and now, you tell me that you are going to leave us—will any one wonder, that I feel that the last link is about to be broken, which connects me with the generation with which we have acted, and for which we have labored; that I am hereafter to be looked upon as by far the senior of any one connected with our profession in this country; that in fact to use a hackneyed quotation, but one which by its exceeding appropriateness, on this occasion, is saved from dullness, I shall

"Feel like one
Who treads alone,
Some Banquet Hall deserted
Whose lights are fled
Whose garlands dead,
And all but he departed"

(turning to others). It is true that I see—about me, friendly faces, but, gentlemen, my memory is busy with the past, and I am not regarding the present.

Sir, during this time—there has been no cause of difference between us, and we part as we have lived, friends

The best wish that I can utter for the nation is, that when I may be called upon to retire likewise, I may be able to look back upon an administration of justice as pure and blameless as that you now look back upon. And permit me to add that the Hawaiian Reports will be to you an enduring monument of that administration.

The best wish that I can utter for those about me is, that they may continue to find me as urbane and cordial as they and I have found you; the best hope that I can entertain for myself is that there may be a like feeling of cordiality and regret on the part of the public, and of those doing business in the Court, when I put off the harness.

Let me likewise entertain a hope, that under less genial skies, you—in thinking over your residence in these sunny islands, may take pleasure in remembering our past labours, as well as our past enjoyments, whilst I shall cherish a hope of sometime recalling those memories face to face.

For yourself, Sir, I take the liberty of expressing the hope that you will meet those who are near and dear to you, in our native land in renewed health, and that they may continue a long time with you, and you with them in health and prosperity. And for those of your own family, whom you leave behind, that they may continue likewise in the full enjoyment of the prosperity, which they have so well earned and richly deserved, and that you may be cheered, for many years to come, by glad tidings from them.

Our friends here are about to ask that you will be pleased to sit for your portrait to be hung in this room.

Permit me and Mr. Justice Judd, (gentlemen of the bar), to join with you in soliciting and procuring this Memento.

Sir, (to the Judge) I have no doubt the sight of it will inspire us with patience, in many a long and weary trial, whilst it may likewise prompt, that just indignation, which is proper in every magistrate, against oppression and deceit; and will likewise inspire calmness and deliberation in the inquiry after truth and justice.

The following brief remarks were added by Mr. Justice Judd:

MR. CHIEF JUSTICE: I can add but little to the words of those who have preceded me.

The sentiments of honor and respect with which I regarded you when I was admitted to practice at your Bar, have become strengthened during the twelve years that have since elapsed.

The unvarying consideration with which you have treated my opinions in our conferences during our close association on this bench, has kept me assured that the words of welcome, with which you received me here, were sincere.

And now, sir, as this brief period of companionship is about to be closed, I beg you to accept my earnest hope that happiness, health and success may ever attend you in the future.

His Majesty the King, who occupied a seat by the side of Judge Allen, addressed the native portion of the audience, and said in substance:

"That very naturally some surprise would be felt at seeing one of his position in the government present at, and taking an active part in these proceedings between the members of the Bar and the Bench. And yet he might say that he had a *legal* right to be there, for some years ago he was a licensed counsellor and attorney of this Court, and he was careful still to preserve his parchment, as a memento of those days.

"Alluding to the history of the past in Honolulu, he could not forget the troublous times of the riot of 1852, when several thousand seamen had possession of the town, and when Judge Allen, then U. S. Consul, was conspicuous in his efforts to quell the disturbance.

"It was an extremely gratifying fact that during His Honor's incumbency of the position of Chief Justice, the character of our Supreme Court had stood high abroad. Several cases had been tried, involving the rights of subjects of foreign governments, wherein the decisions of our Court, when referred to and reviewed by the law officers of those governments, had been fully sustained. This was certainly something for a small and weak government to be proud of, and we owed it to the Supreme Court with Chief Justice Allen at its head."

Chief Justice Allen replied as follows:

Gentlemen of the Bar, and, (addressing His Majesty the King) I am most happy, Sire, to include You in this honorable fraternity. I thank your Majesty for the honor conferred upon the Court, and the Bar, by your Royal presence on this occasion.

I return you, Gentlemen, my most cordial thanks for this expression of approval of the manner in which I have discharged the duties of Chief Justice of this Court. When one knows that he has tried to do his duty with fidelity and honor, I am frank to say, that it is gratifying to have this assurance from those who have had the best means of judging correctly. For your expression of personal regard I thank you, and I reciprocate it with all my heart, and if I have—as intimated by one of the members in his address—given confidence to any one in the profession, and especially to the young, in the discharge of his duties, I am happy that it is so.

The association of the Hawaiian members of the Bar with the Foreign is always cordial, and is another illustration of the happy relations existing between different nationalities here. The address of the Hawaiian member so expressive of confidence and affectionate regard, and given in the peculiarly pathetic style of his nation, was very touching to my sympathies. I wish they could enjoy the advantages of the English language, so that they could improve in the study of the law. They need access to the great fountains of legal learning.

It will be twenty years next June since I entered upon this responsible duty, and it is a pleasure to me to recall to your recollection the administration of my distinguished predecessor, Chief Justice Lee, which was always distinguished for ability and fidelity.

My associates were Mr. Justice Robertson and Mr. Justice Ii; and on the resignation of the latter, Mr. Davis succeeded. These gentlemen rendered most valuable service in the business of the Court. All of them have passed away from the scenes of earth, and have appeared before the Great Tribunal of Justice and Mercy.

These vacancies were supplied by other highly accomplished and competent persons, all of whom have resigned to enter into practice of the profession, or to enjoy the advantages of private enterprise.

I can bear cheerful testimony to the high character which all my associates sustained, and the Hawaiian Reports are a permanent record of their learning and devotion to their duties. Their vacancies were supplied by my present most highly esteemed and learned associates.

In reviewing this long period of judicial service, it is a source of great satisfaction that the relations of the Court and the Bar have been uniformly of a character so courteous and considerate, and so well calculated to promote an impartial investigation and adjudication of the cases presented. There will be in Court at times animated discussion between members of the Bar, in the management of a case; but in all these conflicts for so many years there has been the most uniform respect and good will shown to the Court, and hence the relationship has uniformly been of the most cordial and respectful character, and this will ever be among the most pleasant reminiscences of my life.

It is only by an impartial, careful, and intelligent administration of the law that the rights of the Government and people can be protected and secured, and to attain this great object it is necessary to have a Bar eminent for learning, and high moral character. Indeed, in the absence of such judicial aid, it is fully illustrated by history, nations will make but little progress in the highest degree of civilization or even in material prosperity.

The Bar is of great aid to the Court, and indeed its laws cannot be administered with that sure and accurate judgment without the arguments of able advocates for both parties. The reputation of the Court is intimately allied with that of the Bar. The profession of the law will not result often in a fortune. It has higher purposes than personal aggrandizement. Its highest duty, perhaps, is to secure the rights of a client in Courts of Justice. At the same time I think our profession generally are eminent in their patriotic discharge of their duties to their country and their fellowmen.

It does not become the Court to refer to the manner of the discharge of its duties to the subjects of the Kingdom. But I may, perhaps, be pardoned for referring to cases in which foreigners have been exclusively parties, and who have had a final judgment in this Court. In some of these the diplomatic agents have alleged a denial of justice, and have referred the decisions of the Court to their own Governments. In these cases there has been no expression of disapproval by the Government represented by these gentlemen. It is in questions of this character that the Government is directly interested in the administration of the law, and in the reputation and character of the Court.

To my associates, I can truly say that I reciprocate their kind expressions of regard, and especially do I desire to make known to them my high appreciation of the faithful and able discharge of the duties of the Court during my protracted absence in the service of the Government abroad.

I have listened to your Majesty's address with great interest and satisfaction. I have had the pleasure of your acquaintance from your young manhood, and I am not surprised that you should have adverted to some events of my official life, which transpired before our Brethren at the Bar had become residents here, and especially was I gratified by your reference to some decisions of mine upon questions involving international discussion. It is upon these subjects that the Sovereign of a country must feel a deep solicitude, as peace or war may result from their adjudication.

I shall ever cherish your kind words of approval.

In calling to mind the history of the Bar, during my official life, I am sadly impressed with the fact that there is not at this time in practice a single lawyer who was then a member of the Bar. Many of those gentlemen who were members at that time were highly accomplished in their profession.

I trust that the Bar will hereafter be more permanent, and believing, as I do, that this Kingdom is destined to a prosperous future, they, in common with all others, in different pursuits, will participate in the advantages of its progress.

GENTLEMEN,—I shall ever feel great interest in you personally, as well as professionally, and in bidding you farewell I can not avoid the expression of the warm desire of my heart that you may live long and happily, and that prosperity may accompany you in the discharge of the sacred duties of your profession. Indeed, I may add, that an honorable professional career carries with it its own reward.

To the Officers of the Court:

GENTLEMEN,—I am highly gratified to receive this expression of regard from the Officers of the Court.

Mr. Marshal, you have performed the duties of your office during the many years of my judicial life and it gives me great pleasure to bear testimony to your fidelity and efficiency. At times it has been a service of great responsibility, especially when this port was the great resort of whaleships. Although our police force has been small, you have generally succeeded in preserving the peace. Fortunately, you have had some faithful officers to aid you.

Mr. Clerk,—I shall ever remember your great service to the Court during the many years of our intimate official relations, and you must allow me to express to you in parting the high appreciation I always have had of your fidelity, capacity, and uprightness in the discharge of all your duties.

And for you, Mr. Interpreter, I have an especial Aloha. You are worthy of high commendation for the accuracy and fidelity with which you have discharged your duties.

The Court has intimate relations with its officers, and when they have been uniformly satisfactory and agreeable, there must be strong mutual regret at the separation.

And now, Gentlemen, I must bid you all farewell.

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As we have seen at Martinique, the French were the first to adopt as a system the purchase of cane from farmers and growers, and to manufacture sugar from canes grown in this way. This they did by applying the principle followed in beet sugar countries to cane farming. The islands of Guadeloupe and Martinique are peculiarly well fitted for an experiment of the kind. Each of the islands is thickly populated, large sections of the land are held by small owners—a steady, contented, remarkably well-to-do people. At the present day these small land owners are well supplied with excellent cattle. The first factory was commenced some thirty years ago and by an Englishman, according to the romantic tales of early sugar growing of the country. At that time the French islands exported fruits and grain, and vessels trading in the West Indies found supplies; this was while voyages were long, and steam less common than now. The plantations were then all large; but this Englishman thought he could induce the farming class of land owners to grow cane. He offered to purchase; and in order to make the cane into sugar he built the factory now known as Pointe Simone. He did not succeed. After a struggle he dropped out of the business: but ere that time others had commenced to purchase cane. From all I can gather, it would seem that the system made but little headway until the French firm of Cail & Co., of Paris, took the factories in hand. It appears that this firm were, and are still, manufacturers of sugar machinery. They introduced into Martinique the much-improved system followed in the French beet sugar factories. Still success came, but slowly. Ere it was secured, Cail & Co. had taken over several of the sugar estates into their own hands, and placed them under the control of what proved to be a very superior class of men—working mechanical engineers, mostly, I believe, trained in their own works in France.

Cail & Co. set to work as though satisfied that the way to make sugar pay was to separate cane-growing from sugar making. They were aided by the French Government and officials in the effort to encourage the smaller land owners to grow cane for sale. They went further, and induced persons who did not own land, or who had not a sufficiency of their own, to lease or rent portions of the estates that had fallen into their hands, to grow cane at stipulated prices, and to dispose of it at their factories only. This appears to have been the successful commencement of the "usine" or central factory system in the French islands. At the present day that system is admittedly a long way ahead of anything seen in the Australian colonies, yet it is almost matter of surprise, on seeing these gigantic French works for the first time, and on learning the details of the system, to find how closely they approximate to what has been done in the Logan district by Messrs. Fryar and Strachan, and other gentlemen.

It seems to me a fortunate circumstance that the first decisive efforts to assimilate the production of sugar cane to that of the beet sugar factory system were made in the French West Indies. Holders of small areas of land were at that time more numerous in these French islands than in any other sugar-producing country—Australia being unknown as a sugar-producer for many years afterwards. And the people are of a fixed type; they do not appear to have any desire to leave their islands, they seem quite satisfied when a living is earned for the maintenance of their families. They are the most contented people I have seen yet; and, as a whole, are better off—have more of the real pleasurers and enjoyments of life—than any others met up to date.

From the outset of the attempt to separate cane-growing from sugar making, the French Government and officials have encouraged the system. They have aided the subdivision of plantations into farms. Where property of this kind was owned by or under Government control, every inducement was held out for the growing of cane by tenant farmers; and this, too, during a long series of years, while planters in the other islands, and the executive of the islands as well (so I am told), sneered and laughed at their French neighbors for their romantic notions of cane farming.

It was fortunate, too, that the house of Cail & Co. took the business in hand. This firm, as I believe, have had long experience in the beet-root sugar business, both as manufacturers of machinery and as owners of factories in Europe. They sent, and have continued to send, the very best class of machinery to Guadeloupe and Martinique. They also sent first-class men as managers. The huge mills in use there, the tripple-effect apparatus for reducing the liquor to syrup, the filters, vacuum pans, and centrifugals are all of the best kind that European beet sugar-makers employ, and although the appliances are not each and all the best of their kind known to and seen upon the sugar plantations of the present day, they are still, as a whole, ahead of any single system seen during the whole of this trip.

Small holdings are common in the French islands. In Martinique there are independent cane farmers who have not more than a few, say twelve, acres, and even this small holding the owner, if he is a family man, is disposed to subdivide. All over the territory colonized by the French, in Louisiana as well as the islands, we see that the parents will subdivide and subdivide, in their desire to have their families settle near them. It is quite a common thing to see "the old homestead," and around it—it may be yards or rods, or acres apart, according to the size of the holding—groups of cottages occupied by the sons and daughters of the old folks, and their families. Perhaps there is not much to admire in this system, beyond the remarkably domestic character of the people. But we do not see the poverty and squalor that might be expected were the system followed by others than French; and like water that becomes too much muddied, it works its own cure. In traveling over the islands, one is constantly hearing of numbers of small holdings that have come into the care of large proprietors, and been by them converted into canefields; for here the end and aim of everyone, even close to the towns, is to have as much land as possible under cane.

The French usine system has a double aspect. Several of the factories purchase all, or very nearly all, their cane from land owners in their neighborhood. Others own the land, and rent or lease it out to contributory tenants. From the former class of farmers, or those who own the land they work, the factory agrees to purchase the whole crop; and the law, while it compels the factory to take or pay for all the cane grown under agreement, provides for the infliction of a severe penalty should the grower sell his cane to another manufacturer. There is, I should say, considerable competition between the factories; but there does not appear to be much disturbance through breaking of contracts by either growers or manufacturers. In this respect the French have evidently reached a degree of perfection that accounts largely for the comparative prosperity of their islands, even at the present time, when we hear everywhere else that sugar is a poor investment—that neither industry nor capital prevent ruin in this business. All the parties in the sugar industry in these islands, growers, manufacturers, agents, merchants, bankers, evidently act and work as though aware that they thrive best who act fairly and stand shoulder to shoulder with all who have business relations with them. It is beyond doubt an understood principle in the French sugar-producing district, that it does not pay to beggar or even to put the screw severely upon their poorer neighbors who do business with the m. Were the same principle applied in several less prosperous countries that have been visited, there is much to encourage a belief that they would prosper. There is something, of course, in the contented, confiding, and I have no hesitation in adding, the honesty of these French colonists.

In cases where the land is owned by the factory or usine, special arrangements are made with the tenants regarding the price paid for cane, the use of implements, cattle, &c. It is customary all over the islands for manufacturers, or the bankers or agents of manufacturers, to make advances to growers. I was somewhat curious to know upon what principle this latter feature of the usine system is worked, and the friend who so patiently cleared up my obtuseness in getting at the details, satisfactorily wound up the whole, when—with a succession of the inimitable shrugs and smiles of a Frenchman trying to explain matters to one who is but very indifferently acquainted with the politest language on earth,—with a smile that said much, Monsieur added, "Ze ad-vance ze loan on crop; depend a great deal upon ze industree and cap-able sense of ze man who wants to borrow!" He told the whole story, I sincerely believe.

The first factories were established by individuals, or by private firms. At one time, while the sugar business was very depressed, some fifteen years since, the house of Cail and Co. appear to have held nearly the whole producing trade of the islands. As business revived, they sold in several cases to the men who had been their managers. At the present time it does not appear that Cali and Co. have a single factory in the French Islands; but indirectly, by holding shares, &c., the firm have large interests there. Several of their former managers have become wealthy, and have interests second only to the great house itself.

But the company system, pure and simple, is considered the best for all concerned in the business. It would seem that (although want of confidence is by no means common) the growers are best satisfied who dispose of their cane to and work with manufacturing companies. The capital of these companies varies, in British money, from £20,000 to £150,000, and the quantity of sugar made varies from five to twenty-five tons each day. I heard of instances of 40 tons each day and night being turned out for weeks in the largest factories, and do not doubt the statement after seeing the machinery and the men who control it. This heavy work is not shirked, it was evident, when it became necessary to push in order to get off the crop. At such times the factories are worked day and night; but, as a rule, day work only from daylight to dark appears to be the system most in favor. The workmen, it would appear, do not like night work, and the employers find it to their interest to adopt this course of working, except in cases of emergency.

As might be expected, heavy expenses were incurred in the earlier factories for appliances and machinery that are now proved to be unnecessary. This is particularly noticeable in the many contrivances obtained at one time and another for filtering liquor and syrups, and now abandoned. Indeed the whole of the filtering processes for this purpose have lost favor; the presses of various kinds, bags, &c., and animal charcoal itself has lost favor. Even in these high-class factories, with every facility for washing and reburning animal charcoal, one cannot but see that the use of this material on the plantations does not give the fine, perfectly pure white sugar which refiners turn out. I have before me at this moment sugar from half a dozen first-class West Indian factories; the syrup of this sugar has been through animal charcoal (the process adding at least 1s. per cwt. to the cost), and yet it does not look any better, nor would it sell for any more per cwt. than the sugar exhibited in the Queensland Court, Philadelphia, from the plantations of Mr. Brown, Mary River; Messrs. Fryar and Strachan, Logan; Mr. Davidson, Port Mackay; Mr. Couldery, Logan; or Mr. Muir, Nerang, none of whom, as I believe, use animal charcoal. (Mr. Lippeen, a planting friend from Guadeloupe, compared with me the West Indian with the Australian sugars named, and is quite agreed that the latter are especially good with the West Indian.)

Draining is still common in the West Indies, and also in Louisiana, perforated hogsheads being used for the purpose; and very excellent sugar is made by this process, but it is not likely to succeed with us. Where draining succeeds, the atmosphere is moist and still; and unless that state can be maintained by artificial means, the dry air of Australia makes draining a much more uncertain operation.

I am in possession of agreements drawn up between growers and manufacturers in Martinique. They are stringent, but in practice the whole process is very simple. Usually (in all cases, I believe, where the factory agrees beforehand to take the crop) the cane is delivered at fixed points into punts, boats, or tram cars that belong to the factory. The usual arrangement in such cases is to pay the current market value of from 4 to 5 lbs. of sugar (the character of the grower and the usual quality of his cane all counting in the arrangement) for each 100 lbs. of cane delivered to the mill. Should opportunity offer, I shall send along to the colony sample glasses of the standard sugars of the central factories, and also sample glasses of the usual grades of sugar made in the West Indies and Louisiana.

In the usine system, where tramways are laid down, the factory is at the cost of them, but they pass through the lands of adjoining proprietors (generally indeed in nearly all cases, contributers to the factory). The manager of the usine decides as to whose cane shall be cut, and who shall load certain trucks each day. There is, it would seem, a great deal of working into each other's hands at this stage. The grower does the cutting and delivering;—he makes his own arrangements about how the cutting is done, and neighbors evidently help each other a good deal. But I hope to get up the marrow of the whole when visiting the islands during the approaching crushing season. Where cane growers are deficient in mules or other draft animals, the factory manager supply them for a consideration.

The cultivation or farming of cane is decidedly well done, although by a slower process than we have been used to. Heavy wooden ploughs of the French or Spanish pattern are used for nearly all the labor of cultivation. I saw but few horse-hoes or scarifiers, and the people do not "go in" much for hard labor, for which I do not blame them. The less of that sort of thing in a warm climate the better; but I think they could do a great deal more with the scarifier. However, that is their affair.

Sugar being the product of the French islands every facility exists for selling and buying the article. The process of selling is much the same as that followed in New Orleans. The sugar barrels are exposed on the levee or market place, in any number the seller has to dispose of. Holes are bored at each end of the cask (in New Orleans they bore in the centre), so as to get at an average of the quality of each. Sales are then effected by accepting the highest offer. It is not an auction, although something like it. The seller names his price, and if he does not get it the hogshead may remain over for another day.

We now come to the main point of the whole question—How does it pay? Wherever I have been there is a desire to approach the factory system, and from every direction we hear of commissions sent to investigate what is being done in the French islands, and to report upon the applicability of the system to other cane-producing countries. That it will answer everywhere I do not believe. It answers in the French islands, because there is a large body of landed proprietors there; and because the people are frugal and thrifty, and of a decidedly domestic turn; and also because the larger land owners work in harmony with their poorer brethren. Labor of a permanent character is abundant in the islands; fair average men costing about 2s. British money per day. This labor privilege is more marked in the French islands than any of the others visited. Indeed Martinique and Gaudeloupe are the only sugar countries I have ever been in that have no complaint on the labor question.

The capital stock of the central factories is held by all classes of the community. What the profits are I could not say with certainty; but I am assured that business men, hotel keepers, farmers and others invest their savings in factory stock. They look upon it as a safe thing, and, as a foreigner amongst them, I could expect no better guarantee.

There have been years of depression in the French islands; they have droughts and hurricanes there. The depression in prices common all over the West Indies in felt in the French islands—but less so than in the others.

Under the favorable conditions stated, the central factory system is successful beyond all doubt. And a similar system, I feel assured, would succeed with us were the improvements in machinery seen in the various sugar-producing countries concentrated, and made, in Australia, to counterbalance the cost and difficulty of obtaining labor.

Touching the percentage of sugar obtained in the French islands and the density of their canes I will be in a better position to offer an opinion after seeing the factories at work, which I purpose noting during the approaching winter season. The average density of cane at the mill seems to be wonderfully even. It ranges, I believe, between 7° and 8½° Beaume. They do not purchase cane by density, weight alone settles that matter; but the factory director decides when the cane is to be cut, and I heard no complaint concerning that part of the arrangement.

Respecting the machinery employed, my belief is that it will pay any party, about to establish a large factory, to visit these islands and Louisiana. Something desirable can be seen in each of them, and something like a correct estimate can be formed of the respective merits and cost of boiling in vacuo, in steam pans (a plan largely followed in America), in opens or battery, and in the concretor tray. That, as a whole, the open pan system for boiling is most effective for plantation use, I am very much disposed to believe. For drying sugar, a decided improvement is made in the Lafferty centrifugal machine, an American contrivance. The vacuum pan (same design as that common in the colonies) is everywhere in favor. In mills, the most decided improvement of all was seen on the plantation of Mr. John Dymond, Belair, lower coast of Louisiana. As a whole, Mr. Dymond's is, I believe, the best ordered seen during the whole trip, and he, as well as others amongst the highly intelligent planters of America, is working towards the central factory system. I spent several days very profitably at Belair, and the manager, Mr. Brady, has furnished me with minute particulars of the system of working followed. On this estate cane is purchased from outsiders, and some 1800 acres are subdivided and let to tenant farmers—both white and colored men. On an average $2.50 per ton is paid for the cane grown by tenants, and they are aided by advances in money and goods, the use of mules, etc. I had every opportunity to see how the system worked, and feel assured it will soon become general in the South.

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