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CORRESPONDENCE.

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ED. THE INDEPENDENT:

In behalf of a society, "mercy and justice," of which am member (president) and whose badge (Roman crown) must be worn, it now becomes me to earnestly but kindly protest against the driving to church on the "Lord's Day." Now, don't try, condemn and execute me the same hour. Think. "Second thoughts" are better. Indeed, as my mother taught me, "sleep on it."

In London, Washington, D. C., New York and other cities, private carriages stand still on Sunday as a rule, and the avenues and streets are lined with church goers—the bon-ton of the town. This manoeuvre gives not only a blessed rest to the horses, but carries a mighty influence for good, larger than can be measured—a walking sermon—something on foot—(how weary we are of the term "express") silent teaching, quiet rebuke to those at home as house after house is passed by the church-going crowd—a sort of salvation army.

This walking to church acts and reacts on the masses and on the individual as well—more time for cool (?) reflection, for thought, for observation, not driven pell-mell into the courts of the King of kings. And, it could do no harm once every Sunday to quietly stroll through Chinatown—it is close to your churches, nor half a mile away.

A noted divine sent some earnest, zealous young deacons eager for good work to visit—well, we will try to word it for "ears polite," certain unpleasant, unpretty districts of New York city. When asked if they did any good, he replied: "It was good for them."

It is my conscience that moves me to write at length on this subject of "object teaching," words are often but secondary affairs.

For months now have watched this driving on Sunday, four and five inside not uncommon sight, after the same horse has dragged for six days and nobly earned his day of rest. How he must hate his master!

You have all read of the man who said he was going to treat his horse so, he would not be ashamed to meet him, in the other world. We do not know all, quite, about that "other world," although some people talk as if they had made the trip several times. It would not be amiss for such folk to look up the writings of Bossuet, Massillon, Ken and a few others of their kind, slipping off a trifle of their presumption, trying to be more humble and childlike as to such inconceivable knowledge—not attempt to "number the stars" but pattern more after Hugh Miller, Gladstone, Daniel Webster, giants living and dead, who in meekness confess they cannot "find out God by searching," but need "one more sense" to compass that! But all can be co-workers with God, and that with His help we will try to be.

Our Blessed Lord walked—walked up and down the mountain sides, and on the Judean plains, through the streets of Jerusalem and by the Sea of Galilee. He walked to Emmaus, seven miles, the Sunday (night) of His resurrection. There is but one instance recorded of our Saviour riding, and that is "written for our learning" a lesson of humility. Let us take it to heart.

Not a few of my readers are grown so indolent as to be unable to recollect that their feet were made to walk on, consequently they are

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Sept. 30	Oct. 2
Oct. 2	Oct. 27
Nov. 15	Nov. 20

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Alameda Oct. 24 Mariposa Oct. 17	

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	Daily Ex. Sunday	Daily	Daily	Daily
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Leave Pearl City	7:40	9:58	2:45	5:20
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21,702.

Record, 2:15
Champion Hawaiian Record, 2:21 1-2

Pedigree of CREOLE, 21,702

PROMPTER, 2365. Sire of Creole, 2:15; Eagle, 2:12; Apex, 2:26; Train, 2:25; Walker, 2:23; Walea, 2:27; Chilo, 2:21; and of the dams of Brilliantine, 2:17; Vigor, 2:28.	BLUE BULL, 75. Sire of Georgetown, 2:16; Zoe B, 2:17; Bessie, 2:17; and 56 others besides. 33 sires of 60 and 48 dams of 70:20 performers.	BLUE BULL (Pruden's).....
GRACE, Dam of Creole, 2:19; Eagle, 2:19.	PRAIRIE BIRD, 2:28 1/2. Dam of Flight, 2:29; dam of Fleet, 2:18 1/2; Sid Fleet, 2:20 1/2.	QUEEN.....
MARY, 2:42 (Trial, 2:25) Dam of Apex, 2:26; Sterling, sire of 5:16 2:30; Letty, dam of 8 in 2:30; Grace, dam of Creole, 2:19.	BUCCANEER, 2656. Sire of Bulwer, 2:20 1/2; Flight, 2:29; Shamrock (2), 2:23; and dams of Monroe Prince, 2:29; Fairrose, 2:19; Frou-Frou (1), 2:23 1/2; Rose-dale (1), 2:22; Gollie, 2:24; Hibbitt, 2:21 1/2; Santa Rita, 2:24 1/2; Sid Fleet, 2:20 1/2; Fleet, 2:19 1/2.	FLAXTAIL, 801. Sire of 2 in list and dams of 9 trotters and 2 pacers.
	FASHION, Dam of Prairie Bird, 2:28 1/2.	IOWA CHIEF, 528. Sire of 5 in 2:30 list.
	TINSLEY MAID.....	FLAXTAIL, 812. Sire of Dan, 2:30; Empress, 2:23 1/2; and dams of 9
		DAUGHTER.....

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Tuesday Aug. 27	Tuesday Sept. 3
Friday Sept. 6	Friday Sept. 13
Tuesday Sept. 17	Tuesday Sept. 24
Friday Sept. 27	Friday Oct. 4
Tuesday Oct. 6	Tuesday Oct. 15
Friday Oct. 18	Friday Oct. 25
Tuesday Oct. 24	Tuesday Nov. 5
Friday Nov. 8	Friday Nov. 15
Tuesday Nov. 19	Tuesday Nov. 26
Friday Nov. 29	Friday Dec. 6
Tuesday Dec. 10	Tuesday Dec. 17
Friday Dec. 20	Friday Dec. 27

Returning will leave Hilo at 1 o'clock P. M., touching at Laupahoehoe, Mahukona and Kawaihae same day; Makana, Maalaea Bay and Lahaina the following day; arriving at Honolulu the afternoons of Tuesdays and Fridays.
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Residing in Honolulu

MONDAY, AUG. 19, 1895.

DON'T BE ALARMED.

Our telephone has been ringing all morning. Notes and verbal enquiries have been plentiful. All signs of a panic have been in evidence. The false alarm of cholera on the Quarantine Station was the immediate cause.

If we may adopt a slang expression we would say to our friends, and their wives, and their children: "please keep your shirt on." "There is no reason for any undue alarm." Two deaths have taken place among the three or four hundred Chinese now at the Quarantine Station, and the causes of death have been owing to ordinary forms of dysentery and other bowel diseases, quite common at this time of the year; especially among coolies shipped to this country just getting into the fresh fruit and vegetables again.

The authorities deserve the highest praise for their prompt dealing with the matter. Everybody at the station, on business, or otherwise, has been peremptorily placed in quarantine. No chances will be given to the eventual spread of any disease.

We will here state that the Chinese at the Quarantine Station are at least six weeks out from China and that cholera is never known to break out after such length of time as its contagion is as a rule always sudden, and without delay.

While we differ politically in many ways from the present administration we will however, unhesitatingly state that the executive officers have the absolute confidence of the people as far as purely executive and sanitary matters are concerned. Should it be proven against common reason, that cholera is at the Quarantine Station we are confident that every prevented measure will be taken which science and provision can demand. In the meantime it is just as well to tabu green mangoes, indigestible fruits and cucumbers, and to devote more time and space to port wine and other stomach warmers. You never can tell—especially about the latter.

Although building alterations are going on, N. S. Sach's is still prepared to do business, all orders by telephone will be promptly executed and delivered free to any part of the city.

PER GUARDIAN.

Somehow or other there has been a tacit understanding that decisions of the Hawaiian Courts shall not be criticised in Hawaii.

We fail to see the sense or justice of that theory and we propose to break the rule by analyzing and criticizing every decision rendered by our not-infallible courts, and to show to our judges what the opinions of educated and thinking laymen are.

We are not prejudiced against the judges of the Republic. We consider Judge Cooper to be probably as fair and honest a man as ever sat on the bench in Hawaii.

Judge Whiting is a man before whom every alleged offender can go with pleasure and depend on a fair hearing—especially if the judge's breakfast has agreed with him.

The Supreme Court lately consists of the immaculate Judd—about whom more anon—the scholarly Fear whose experience in law dates back several months and anybody before the bar who can be found willing to take Bickerton's seat and like him signify his willingness to stay with the majority and the C. J.—through thick and thin.

Why, by the way, should decisions of the Supreme Court or any other Court not be criticised? The journals in the United States do it daily. Truth, the most frequently read paper in England, devotes pages to a review of every action and decision given by a judge—be it the highest in the land, or the most insignificant justice of the peace on the Isle of Man. Judges are servants of the people and it is to the people that they owe a satisfactory explanation of every decision and step taken by them.

The McGrew divorce case has cropped up again. We care nothing for the details of the case, but we do say that the Supreme Court of Hawaii, in our idea, has made itself ridiculous by holding that a divorce suit can be continued, heard, appealed and decided in favor of a plaintiff who is dead and buried.

Chief Justice Judd allowed the guardian of a man, declared *non compos mentis* to carry out a suit for divorce in favor of the imbecile. He was held up to ridicule here and elsewhere. His judicial standing in fact received its death blow. (It didn't take much to kill it.) But he and his colleagues have gone farther and they have placed the judicial stamp of Hawaiian Supreme Court in Banco on a divorce case in which the plaintiff is as dead as a door nail, and they have held that, in order to get justice, the poor woman defending the case should have perfected an appeal against the charges of the attorneys of her husband's corpse.

We repeat that we know nothing about the man or the woman in this case. We do not care to hear the merits of it. But we unhesitatingly say that the decision of the two Supreme Judges and their temporary colleague is neither good law, justice, nor common sense—Divorced per guardian, dead per guardian, and judged per guardian.

TOPICS OF THE DAY.

Some people criticize our course. They say "Why do you always find fault? Can't you find something to praise?" Yes! we can. But

there is no necessity of our making ourselves a mutual self admiration society to the "best government Hawaii ever had." What is good is praised at once by every one. But all have not the knowledge or the acquaintances with affairs to find out when certain matters proposed, or done, will have evil consequences. Nay, not even the actors in the drama see the possible or probable effects of their actions or projects. It is our province, as censor to overlook the drama and show what will come if the propositions be strictly carried out. We are aware it is a thankless task. But it is necessary. The parasitical adulators who continuously cry "great is Allah and the Republic is his only prophet" are worse than useless in attaining the ends of good government. We suffer obloquy, but we are in earnest in desiring the best results for everyone—rich or poor—that can be got out of the government. And we don't propose to sink our honest convictions out of sight simply because some people feel offended and hurt. It is not a personal matter with us. It is done for "the future in the distance and the good that we can do." No petty spite, personal dislike, or feelings of revenge tinge any of our articles. People may urge that they do; because personally we are not the best of friends—and they have proposed the objectionable scheme. But it is not so. It is with "an eye single" to the public welfare that we oppose anything. The individual personality of the originator of the scheme attacked, or the personality of the office holder affected by it, never enters into our conception of the matter. To us, in our common persons are lay-figures. Facts, schemes, and deeds are what we fight against, not the mere pismires of human beings who think the world revolves round the centre of their sacred persons.

The Advertiser mentions in its report of the shooting match that Young F. B. Damon "keeps his mouth shut." Is it polite to ask whether that gentlemanly sheet wants him to keep it open? Do they think that he is obliged to "shoot" off his jaw?

The Star editor doesn't like San Francisco. He says it is "disipated" "unprogressive" "uncouth and artificial." Now if San Francisco people will only read the Star we can promise the editor a warm reception on his return trip to the Coast.

The decision of the Supreme Court in the late H. G. McGrew's insurance case has raised many questions in the minds of married men. What is the use of issuing a policy in your wife's name for her benefit if when you die that it becomes the personal property of your corpse and can be seized by your executor and held for the benefit of your creditors.

During the revolution the Star was bloodthirsty. Now it wants all the prisoners freed. Chiefly, however, as the result of "international scrutiny." (We don't know exactly what that means.) But, however, badinage apart, the Star deserves every honest man's approval (who has the interests of the Republic and people of Hawaii at heart) for its change of front. Let us remember that "as we judge so shall we be judged." Release, all and we shall have continuing peace.

The Advertiser reprints the following from the S. F. Chronicle of the 4th:

"A prominent Honolulu merchant, Mr. Schaefer, who left for the islands on the last steamer, said at the dock that he had reason to believe that trouble would come to Hawaii in about three weeks, and that he was glad to get started back in time to bear arms for the defense of the country."

Whether the story was true or not Mr. Schaefer's prominence in the community, not only as a merchant of long standing and the highest re-

liability, but as Consul for Italy, should have required some confirmation or denial of the statement before printing it. Newspapers occasionally reprint things from abroad in order to show their falsity and, in order to do so, they duly comment on them. But in this case the story is wholly without foundation, and, without retraction, is liable to cause many friends and business connections of Mr. Schaefer to take up utterly erroneous impressions of what he has been saying and doing abroad. Mr. Schaefer said nothing of the kind to anybody here or elsewhere. It is in order now for the Advertiser to explain.

More filibusters! We couldn't get them from China, and Southern California is too well watched. Now they are to come from a "dingy boarding house" on Bush street, San Francisco. Well, let them come. It's all right. Marsden has got Koeble over in Japan hunting up just the right kind of bug to exterminate them after they land. Before they do, however, Jos. and his fellow sharpshooters will have some sport in picking them off, if they only get near enough.

In most countries people who sit in grand stands at race-courses, football, cricket or baseball grounds have to pay so high a price that it necessarily follows they belong to the cultured wealthy classes. Here in Honolulu the price is low. And judging from their behavior the occupants of the seats are low also. Decency forbids quoting the remarks made from the grand stand the baseball grounds on Saturday. The management should make a rule forbidding unseemly or boisterous behavior on pain of expulsion.

The authorities who have childishly seen fit to resent Marshall's boyish escapade in desiring to breathe the free blue of Hawaii for a few hours before his enforced departure, and have relegated him to the malaria of the prison again have added to their spiteful retaliation. Since going back from the hospital—a barely recovered sick man—he has been placed in solitary confinement. Do they want the grave to yawn for every one of their victims? These matters may seem to some as trifles, but like straws which show the way the wind blows, they show the implacable disposition of some in authority. Be merciful.

Many people were surprised when the Senate, after objecting so strongly, confirmed the Presidential nomination of W. R. Castle as Minister to Washington. It has now leaked out that the chief reason which weighed with the confirming body, besides the threatened resignations, was the shortness of the term asked for. If all goes well with his schemes, W. R. Castle will be back in Honolulu six months from to-day. That is, before the regular session comes on. Like the fore known cable grab this illustrates the folly of government by camerilla.

Dr. A. B. Lyons goes. The Advertiser regrets it. If that paper had not supported the Hosmer side in the Punahou scandal we should have supported them in their regrets. We have always believed that, Dr. Lyons and his colleagues were right in their view of the matter, and have castigated the chief offender more than once. We cannot therefore now do more than regret that the country has to lose the services of so distinguished a scientist, and quiet and polished a gentleman as Dr. Lyons is. Alone, possibly, of all the missionary children he has striven to perform his work without trampling on the rights of the nation, which always honored his father, and has never even by implication tried to hurt the feelings of any. He, like his father, will always have an honored niche in the affections of his Hawaiian fellow citizens, whether he goes or stays. If our vote was the casting one we would say "Stay"—and hold up both hands for it.

Timely Topics.



Honolulu, July 22, 1895.

It cannot be denied that the war cloud which hangs over the world at present is getting darker and darker. It is a historical fact that the end of each century has always been fraught with bloodshed and strife, internally as well as externally. The great powers of Europe today are making and unmaking alliances of all kinds. The fact is that diplomacy to-day is using every means to postpone the day when the crash must come and gain time for the different countries to prepare themselves for the gigantic struggle which will and must take place before the present generation dates its letters in the year 1900. Turkey is threatened from all sides. The Russian bear is extending his claws and licking his blood-thirsty tongue towards the East and South in anticipation of gain. The passive and cold brother nations who inhabit the Scandinavian peninsula are now glaring ferociously ready to spring at each other's throats. Germany, under its impetuous, indiscreet imperial master, is drifting into the deceptive maelstrom of conquest, and war, in which all past experience, all knowledge gained through the horrors of war are forgotten, and where only false sentiment and sham patriotism are ruling.

And while the giants get ready for the great war their leaders have realized one thing, and that is, that no army will have a show, no militia a chance, except provided with the indispensable bicycle. And no wonder that the monarchial countries of Europe prefer the "Monarch" to any other kind, and supply their "wheeling cavalry" with that favorite brand.

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As the bicycle is not only of advantage in war but love, we wish to call the attention of the young boys and girls who have to spend their vacations in Honolulu, that we have wheels just suitable for them. If daddy can't send them to the country for a trip—or buy them a bow-wow—let them ask him for a Monarch. It will give more pleasure and last much longer than even a volcano trip.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Who has seen the filibusters?
 The Red Czar of Maui is in town.
 The W. G. Hall is due to-morrow.
 Judge Frear and wife are visiting on Maui.
 The foreign jury is in attendance this morning.
 Kams vs. Unknowns next Saturday afternoon.
 Attorney-General Smith returned from Maui yesterday.
 The Executive and Council of State will meet to-morrow.
 The Monowai will due here on Thursday from the Colonies.
 If you don't get your paper, ring up 841—THE INDEPENDENT.

The smoking concert given under the auspices of the Cricket Club will be the event of the season.

Friends of P. G. Camarinos entertained him yesterday at Raymond Grove. A jolly good time was had.

Clarence W. Macfarlane has returned from Kauai after several week's absence. He looks in first-class condition.

Jack Lucas and Chas. Weather-wax are getting some quarantine experience. It is easier to get there than to get back.

Several copies of Captain Geo. H. Luce's book "Our Pilgrimage" are offered for sale at the Golden Rule Bazaar at reduced rates.

A special meeting of the Hawaiian Fruit & Taro Company will be held in Honolulu on September 9th, at the office of Jas. F. Morgan.

Jas. F. Morgan, who visited Wailuku in connection with the business of the Hawaiian Fruit & Taro Company, returned to town yesterday.

Harry Saylor was arrested on a charge of assault and battery on Frank Gertz. Saylor was discharged in the police court this morning.

H. P. Baldwin is personally attending to the management of Paia and Haiku plantations, during the vacation of J. Colville. Hence his absence from the Legislature. Can't he manage Kalua?

Long Branch, Haniwai and San Souci were all opened for filibusters yesterday. Quite a number invaded the famous resorts and the order of to-day is the counting of silver spoons, empty bottles and "chips."

To close them out Shirt Waists, formerly selling at \$1.50 each, have been reduced to \$1; and Pith Hats, which were selling at \$2, from this on will be sold at \$1 each. Call early before the supply is exhausted.

H. Trevesen, the night clerk of the Hawaiian Hotel, was arrested for selling liquor to two natives after midnight on Saturday night. The case came up this morning and was continued to Thursday. Bail is fixed at \$250.

Mrs. Eva Fowler and Mrs. Focke will receive their friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neumann on Thursday the 22d inst. Mrs. Fowler will shortly leave for home and those genial ladies will be much missed in society circles.

The ball game on Saturday was quite interesting. The Stars won easily and the Kams dropped out of sight. If the Unknowns can get up to the scratch they have a chance to tie the Stars and eventually become the champions of the season. The chance however is mighty small.

Address all communications to the Editorial Department of the INDEPENDENT to Edmund Norrie. Business letters should be addressed to the Manager. This is necessary for the present as the Post Office will withhold all mails addressed simply to the INDEPENDENT, owing to the suit brought by A. V. Gear.

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"MUCH, WANTS, MORE," appears to be the general idea in this "Paradise of the Pacific." Ladies have not been in the habit of getting "MUCH" in the shape of Dry Goods for their money, but if they will patronize L. B. Kerr they will procure "MORE" bargains at one visit than they ever demand of. Put down five dollars and pick up ten dollars' worth of New and Fashionable Goods.

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And now in our walk through
Chinatown we have bumped close
up against—what? heathen temple,
pagoda of the gods? Oh-hi "Kau-
makapili!" Is it so. You need not
recount to me the beauties of the
inner court. Have been in a desert
where is a mysterious wonderful at-
traction—a paradise is hidden under
the sand. We know God and the sky
over you. This is all, except space
and peace! But barren, treeless,
flowerless, neglected, slovenly un-
tidy broken-fenced orphan land in
repulsive, more so when surround-
ing a Christian meeting house. Do
you believe women or angels care to
look on a scene like that? Yes, "for
reprieve, for correction," "speaking
the truth in love." "Selfishness and
worldliness" is at the root of all un-
seemly things. Look at your own
homes and gardens. HONOLULU.

ED. THE INDEPENDENT—

The news that came from Maui
recently, involving the highest judi-
cial dignitary of that island in a
very unseemly scandal, probably was
a surprising and painful shock to
the whole community, although
those who have watched the honor-
able (I) gentleman's career for the
last 10 years may perhaps not have
been so surprised after all.

It is, however, to be expected that
the government will promptly retire
Mr. Kahua from a position which
many of the best Maui citizens claim
he has never been worthy to fill,
and which he is certainly disquali-
fied from holding after being thus
caught "in flagrante delicto," violat-
ing the statutes of the country and
the morals of the community—and
the question presents itself, "Who
will be appointed in his place?"

The former incumbent of the office,
Mr. A. N. Kepoikai, was generally
recognized as well fitted for the re-
sponsible position he held, just and
impartial, upright in his private life
and in his public character alike, he
was retired for political reasons, and
now that there is a vacancy it would
be a graceful act of conciliation as
well as sound policy, on the part of
the Government to recommission
Mr. Kepoikai. A few such acts of
conciliation would go further to-
wards gaining the confidence and
support of the disaffected natives
than all the Association clubs and
Republican demonstrations in the
country put together.

KAMAHAHA.

The Opening Shots.

The weather on Saturday was not
very favorable to the meeting of the
marksmen, who responded to the
call of the Hawaiian Rifle Associa-
tion. The programme was carried
out, however, and the competitors
showed really good form. Space
forbids us to publish the full ac-
count of the matches. It is only
necessary to mention that F. B.
Damon is the crack-shot of the
town so far. He scored a winner
for the Brodie Cup, the E. O. Hall
& Son's Sporting Rifle and the
prize of the All comers' match. The
Cahner's Trophy at 500 yards was
won by C. B. Wilson. The highest
scores in other matches were gained
by W. E. Wall who lead the com-
petition for H. E. A. Trophy, the
President's Trophy, and the Mid-
range Championship Match.

John Cassidy proved himself the
champion in the H. R. A. 2nd Class
silver medal competition and in the
Citizens' matches.

The competition will be continued
next Saturday and it is hoped that
some of the other crackshots who
stayed away at the opening shoot
will be around and help to make
things lively. There is ample
time to change the names of the
winners for the principal events.

They Will Depart.

Willis Greig and Louis Marshall
will leave Hawaii in the Monowai.
Both have served a time as political
prisoners and both succumbed to
the material hell of the Oahu Jail.
Owing to the tender care of-
fered to the unfortunate men at that
private institution both were drag-
ged out of the arms of Charon and
withdrawn from the Styx and they
will leave in comparatively good
health, although physical wrecks, as
compared with their former athle-
tic and buoyant condition. While
absent Greig will visit the Fanning
Islands and Marshall will join his
family in the United States. Both
youngsters have lots of friends here
who will assist in smoothing the
way for a speedy return of them to
the Paradise of the Pacific.