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Wanted.

Wanted—A wife who can cook a dinner. To be had on the terms of a weekly salary. Not the best of the country but very good. Make a copy of this ad and a letter of introduction to the advertiser. Address: Honolulu, H. I.

Miscellaneous.

There are now 22,000 growing trees in Washington, and at regular intervals along 125 miles of fine roads. Vegetables that are not to be made much more in favor by trying a bit of bread in a clean rag and boiling it with them.

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Business slow but... The Supreme Court will sit in session on Friday, Oct. 24. The Court will go into mourning till November 2nd.

Three new official notices appear on this issue of the Gazette. The afternoon was very noticeable on the evening of the 21st.

PORT OF HONOLULU. Arrived. Oct. 13-14 S.S. Discovery, Berthing, from San Francisco. Oct. 13-14 S.S. Matine, Berthing, from San Francisco.

Departed. Oct. 13-14 S.S. Discovery, Berthing, for San Francisco. Oct. 13-14 S.S. Matine, Berthing, for San Francisco.

Passengers. For San Francisco, per Matine, Oct. 13-14: Mrs. J. W. Brown, Mr. J. W. Brown, Mrs. J. W. Brown, Mr. J. W. Brown.

Imports. From San Francisco, per Discovery, Oct. 13-14: General merchandise, provisions, etc.

Exports. From San Francisco, per Matine, Oct. 13-14: General merchandise, provisions, etc.

Deaths. Bishop - In this city on the 16th inst. BERNARD PATRICK BISHOP, aged 74 years.

Honolulu Stock and Bond Exchange. Session, Wednesday, Oct. 13th, 1934.

Table with columns: Sugar Stocks, Cotton Stocks, Miscellaneous Stocks, Bonds. Lists various stock and bond prices.

Telephone Stocks. Hawaiian Telephone Co., 100.00. Honolulu Telephone Co., 100.00.

Outside Sales Reported. 13 shares of H. H. & S. Co. at 100.00.

Lying in State. Last Friday, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m., the remains of the late Mrs. C. H. Bishop lay in state at the mansion on Emma street.

A Correction. A remark made by the Bishop of Honolulu relative to the closing of certain schools as a mark of respect on the occasion of the death of the late Mrs. C. H. Bishop requires correction.

The Y. P. C. A. of North Kohala. Report for the year ending Oct. 1934, by vote of the Association.

The Thruway secretary Mr. J. Shaw, treasurer Mr. William Clark. A Chinese wedding made quite a stir in Nuuanu street last Saturday.

The special music service in the Y. M. C. A. Hall last Thursday evening, led by Rev. E. C. Ogden, was largely attended, and very interesting.

The French frigate Tonnix which was lying in the harbor during the past week filled with water has been successfully refloated by her agents.

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The new minister at Honolulu, Rev. Isaac Goodell, seems to be doing effective work. He has a Sunday School of thirty, and a Sunday congregation of about twenty.

The Planners' Labor and Supply Company meeting, for the third regular meeting, in Room 1117, Commercial block, on Monday evening, Oct. 15th.

Water pipes, representing a considerable amount of money, represent the sides of the upper Nuuanu Valley, where they are to be used.

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The newly appointed Sheriff of Hawaii has also received appointments as Agent to take Acknowledgments to Loan Contracts, and Commissioner of the Hawaiian Land Office.

The consular authorities will trouble the usual placards of Honolulu people, the thermometer indicating, the influence of the wind.

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It is to be wished for an opportunity to stop in Honolulu on his way to the States. He will be in Honolulu on his way to the States.

The average amount of the income value of the United States for the five years preceding the Treaty of 1897 was \$862,121,000.

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Author Sales. Regular Cash Sale. On Thursday, Oct. 23d. On Wednesday, Oct. 22. DRY GOODS!

Notice of Sale. THE UNDERSIGNED, C. BREWER, has for sale a certain quantity of certain goods.

Regular Cash Sale. On Friday, Oct. 24. DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, Furniture, Crockery & Glassware.

Cutlery and Hardware. 3-LIGHT CHANDELIER. Notice of Sale.

Latest Styles Land on Punchbowl St. And Purchased by Himself in Person.

PET CIGARETTES! ARE THE BEST. MARCHANT'S, Port Street.

ED. HOFFSCHLAGER & CO. Offer For Sale. Ex Recent Arrivals: CHAMPAGNES.

Empty DEMIJOHNS. NOTICE! THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE SOLD.

ISAAC MOORE. FANCY CANDLES OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS. NOTICE!

To the Trade! A Consignment of Large Coal Bags! Closed Below Cost.

A. H. RASEMANN, BOOK BINDER, PAPER RULER, Blank Book Manufacturer.

Notice to Stockholders. THE ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING of the Hawaiian Land Office.

Notice to Whom it May Concern! A. H. RASEMANN, BOOK BINDER, PAPER RULER.

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English Lessons for Hawaiian. English lessons for Hawaiian, by Rev. E. C. Ogden, Principal of the Hawaiian Language School.

The Ribber Examination. During the last month the members of the "Ribber" Examination, held in Honolulu, were much interested in the contents of the book.

What is it to be a Christian? What is it to be a Christian? The Christian is one who believes in the Lord Jesus Christ, and who follows His teachings.

Prospects of the Panama Canal. The Panama Canal, which has been under construction for many years, is now nearly completed.

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The Mason Fly of Victoria. Among the insects very common to Victoria is one popularly known as the mason fly. In form it is very like a gigantic hornet; the wings and legs are of an orange color, as is also the abdomen, which is decorated with broad black stripes. It has a strange habit of building its nest, composed of tempered mud, in keyholes. Mr. Ellery, F. R. S., the Government Astronomer, tells me that this same fly often begins to build within the tubes of the astronomical instruments. The nest is rather peculiar. A layer of mud is first laid down, and a certain number of eggs are laid. Then follows another layer of mud; on this are deposited a number of young spiders, paralyzed but not killed. Another layer of mud, more eggs, then spiders again, and so on, until the nest is complete. The spiders are evidently stored up as food for the grubs, as soon as hatched, an arrangement already known to naturalists. This fly has a very fierce aspect, and its nature evidently does not belie its looks. It flies about with great liveliness, and when alighting, its long black antennae are kept in a state of constant motion. Its favorite food seems to be spiders, which it is in the habit of seeking for under the bark and in holes in the trunk of the eucalyptus. It orders to catch them it burrows under the loose bark, and in a few seconds generally issues forth again with some larger or smaller prey between its mandibles. The enormous bulk of some of the victims does not appear to intimidate it in the least. Even the gigantic so-called tarantula (vulgarily trantelope) is fearlessly attacked. I was one day walking through a suburban park near Melbourne, and saw one of these flies suddenly pounce down on the back of a large tarantula some five inches in breadth, measuring from the ends of the legs. The huge arachnid succumbed at once. Resistance was an adversary in such a position was altogether out of the question, the only resource being to die, like Caesar, bravely. I watched the fight, or rather the murder, for some minutes and then touching the assailant with the point of my umbrella, drove it away. It only flew, however, to a short distance, and then returned, flying so viciously round that I fully expected it should be attacked. By flourishing the umbrella, however, I again drove it off, and it retired to a distance of about a hundred feet. I then left the spider, but afterward went back and found the mason fly following up his victory as energetically as ever. I drove it away again, left the spot, and again returned to find the murderous work still going on. This was repeated some half a dozen times and at last, taking out a book, I sat down on a seat resolving to see what would happen. The fly did not reappear for near a quarter of an hour, and I thought it had altogether departed. A small ditch ran beside the pathway, and turning my eyes in that direction I noticed the mason fly peeping through some blades of grass growing on the edge. It was evidently waiting for me to leave the spot in order to secure the advantages of its victory.—London Notes.

Humors of the Plague. Of all out of the way modes of earning money, the most profitable is that which is flourishing just now in the East, being disinfected! Some open-eyed Genevise are in the habit of taking return tickets to some station just out of the city. There they join the trains from France, and, by detaching to the passengers the horrors of the compulsory disinfecting process, prevail upon them to exchange their foreign tickets for the return halves of the local tickets which the enterprising natives have just bought—of course, a substantial consideration for the exchange. So the suspected traveller enters the city in peace while the officials diligently proceed to suffocate the men who left the railway station half an hour before.—Witchell Review.

Only for the use of the Sovereign. The Queen owns all the property at Windsor Castle, just as the Duke of Marlborough owns the Blenheim pictures. Complete lists of everything in the various palaces are carefully kept by the offices of the Lord Chamberlain, and Lord Steward's departments, and nothing in those lists could either be sold or given away. If anything which belongs to Windsor is removed to Osborne, or anything at Buckingham Palace is taken to Balmoral, a careful note is made of the transaction, so that in the event of a demise of the Crown the article could be reclaimed for the palace to which it belongs. Of course, at the same time, there is a vast amount of valuable property which belongs to the Queen herself, and which is at her disposal; but most of this is at Balmoral and Osborne.—London Times.

The celebration of Mr. Spurgeon's fifty-third birthday anniversary recalls the following well-authenticated anecdote, which has been told already in The Manchester Examiner, but is worth repeating again: In the early part of his ministry Spurgeon was asked to preach in a neighboring village, and when he came on the Sunday morning, Mr. Brown, the parson, said to him: "I did not know you were such a boy, or I would not have asked you to preach for me." "Well," he said, "I can go back." "But," said Mr. Brown, "the people have come from all parts in all kinds of vehicles," and then he put his hands under his coat-tails and asked what the world was coming to when the boys who had not got rid of the taste of their mother's milk went about preaching. However, he did preach, and Mr. Brown read himself on the pulpit stairs. Spurgeon placed a lesson from the Proverbs, and upon coming to the passage, "Gray hairs are a crown of glory to a man," he said he doubted that, for he knew a man with a gray head who could hardly be civil. But the passage went on to say: "If it be found in the way of righteousness," and that, he said, was a different thing. When he came down from the pulpit Mr. Brown said to him: "Bless your heart, I have been thirty years a minister, and I was never better pleased with a sermon, but you are the truest dog that ever barked in a pulpit," and they were always good friends afterward.

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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE SECRETARY OF THE

PLANTERS' LABOR AND SUPPLY CO.

THIRD ANNUAL MEETING.

HONOLULU, H. I., OCTOBER 20, 1884.

To the President and Stockholders of the Planters' Labor and Supply Co. GENTLEMEN: Your Secretary respectfully submits the following report for the year which has just closed.

At the last annual meeting, which was held in Honolulu in October, 1883, the following named members of the Company were elected Trustees: H. F. Glade, H. P. Baldwin, G. N. Wilcox, P. C. Jones, Jr., S. B. Dole, W. O. Smith, J. B. Atherton, W. H. Bailey, R. Halstead, Z. S. Spaulding, A. Unna, A. S. Hartwell, and J. H. Seper. The Trustees elected from their number the following officers for the year: Z. S. Spaulding, President; S. B. Dole, Vice President; P. C. Jones, Jr., Treasurer; W. O. Smith, Secretary; J. B. Atherton, Auditor.

Mr. A. S. Hartwell, who was absent from the country at the time of his election, declined to serve as a Trustee, and no general meeting of stockholders having been since held, the vacancy on the Board has not been filled.

During the year the Trustees have held twenty-five meetings at the office of the Company, of which three were quarterly meetings, held in January, April and July. With the exception of the quarterly sessions, the meetings have been held from time to time, as the business of the Company and matters of general interest have demanded attention.

The matter of our relations with the United States has been the subject which has engaged the most serious and constant attention from the Board of Trustees. They have endeavored to spare no time or care in this matter of vast importance to the country.

Every effort has been made to disseminate reliable information in the United States relative to these islands, and to correct false and incorrect statements, which were prejudicial to our interests. Notwithstanding the efforts and labors in this direction of the past, the minds of many in Washington and throughout the United States had been so misled by distorted statements and false charges, that the task of refuting the charges and restoring confidence was one entailing great labor.

In this direction the efforts of Col. Z. S. Spaulding, President of the Company, and his authorized agent, he went at his own expense, and devoted himself with untiring application to the general interests of the Association and of this country. He was ably assisted by Hon. H. A. P. Carter, Hawaiian Minister Resident at Washington, and also by Hon. J. Mott Smith, who was associated with Mr. Carter, and both of these gentlemen used every means in their power to the same end.

In furnishing information and every assistance at their command, the Trustees have sought faithfully to render aid to these gentlemen.

It would exceed the limits of this report to refer to all of the work performed in this line. The illustrated maps of the Islands, showing the area of sugar lands, with accompanying notes, was one of the means used. These maps were prepared for the Company with much labor and expense. And many able papers and articles upon various features were published.

Capt. C. E. Dutton, Mr. E. E. Thorne, and Gen. S. C. Armstrong have rendered good service in giving correct and forcible statements of the case in its various aspects.

The Trustees have reason to feel that the labor of the year in this direction has been productive of great benefit to the commercial interests of the Islands in their relations to the United States. That the work is not completed is well known; but what has been accomplished has not only been of present benefit, but its effects will be far-reaching. Efforts in the line of the diffusion of knowledge in the United States upon our peculiar and significant relations to the Pacific Coast, and American commerce in the Pacific, are perhaps the most valuable means that can be employed to strengthen the interest of that great country in our welfare.

It is impossible to gauge the comparative value of the work done by different individuals, and it is work in which certain and marked results cannot be seized upon and displayed as the definite consequence of specific efforts.

But so much has been accomplished since the organization of the Company by intelligent and concentrated efforts, that the value of concerted action cannot be over estimated.

IMMIGRATION AND LABOR.

The only immigration scheme in which the Trustees have been directly engaged during the year has been the expedition of the brig Hazard to the South Sea Islands for New Hebrides laborers. The circumstances of the chartering of the Hazard were reported at the last annual meeting. She sailed hence April 17th, 1883, and arrived back December 1st, with 125 adult immigrants (105 men, 20 women) and four children. The number obtained was much less than had been expected, which together with the prolonged voyage increased the expense of the immigrants per capita much beyond the amount anticipated.

Capt. C. H. Tierney, master of the Hazard, rendered his report to the Trustees, which was published in the Planters' Monthly of January last, in which he set forth the difficulties he had encountered. For various reasons the Board decided not to send again for this class of laborers unless the demand for them should be more urgent.

PORTUGUESE IMMIGRATION.

During the month of January, the Trustees had interviews with Mr. A. Hoffnung, Immigration Agent of the Hawaiian Government at London, upon the subject of Portuguese laborers and their contracts. The whole matter met with full discussion, and it was agreed that the conditions of the contracts should be somewhat modified, and upon the terms finally agreed upon applications were made for a large number of this class of people.

The immigrants as applied for have arrived as follows:

Table with 3 columns: Date, No. Men, No. Women, Children. Rows for June 14, 1884, and October 2, 1884.

As a whole they have proved a good class of immigrants, but in some respects the terms of the contracts have not been satisfactory to the employers, changes having been made in some of the provisions which were not contemplated.

The large expense for passages and high rate of wages for the Portuguese, together with the fact of the large numbers of this class in the country, have operated to lessen the demand for them.

For obvious reasons the advantage of having a variety of nationalities among the large body of workmen is deemed important.

CHINESE.

The Chinese immigration has been interrupted and practically stopped for the time being, by the rigorous restrictive measures adopted by the Hawaiian Government.

While all recognize the necessity for a wholesome control of this immigration, the majority of the planters feel that the complete interruption of it is a mistake. Numerous petitions have been presented to the Board of Immigration, signed by planters from all parts of the islands, requesting that further immigration of Chinese be permitted until the demand for labor be supplied.

These petitions were prepared by the Hamakua Planters' Association, and were largely endorsed by planters on the several islands.

While the advent of an overwhelming number of Chinese would be most objectionable, it seems desirable that a reasonable number should be permitted to come from time to time to regulate the excessively high wages now demanded by Chinese.

Large numbers of Chinese are constantly returning to China, which has a material effect on the available number remaining.

If the Japanese immigration proves successful it may be that the restriction of the Chinese will prove beneficial.

JAPANESE.

The members of the Company are all acquainted with the prospects of immigration from Japan. Under the terms stated by Mr. R. W. Irwin, Hawaiian Consul General at Japan, a sufficient number of applications for Japanese laborers was applied for to authorize the Board of Immigration to undertake their introduction. Liberal appropriation was made by the Legislature to further the enterprise and much is hoped for from this quarter.

It is perhaps more appropriate that the Committee on Labor treat at greater length with the subject of labor, and the needs of the country in this respect; the difficulties which the sugar industry labors under with the high rates of wages; the comparative merits of the several classes of laborers, and the growing necessity for concert of action among planters on this most important matter.

AN AGRICULTURAL CHEMIST.

At the last annual meeting the Trustees were instructed to engage the services of a competent Agricultural Chemist as soon as possible.

The Trustees gave much thought and attention to the subject, and entered into communication with several parties abroad with the view of securing the services of such a man. After much delay it seemed as though the services of L. L. Vandyke, Professor of Chemistry at Ann Arbor, Michigan, might be secured. But financial and other difficulties prevented an immediate engagement. And no one has yet been engaged. There is reason to believe that the scientific department of Oahu College, which has been so liberally endowed, will ere long have a scientific Professor who may help to supply the need.

In this connection it will be of interest to many to know that Dr. G. Martin, a scientific chemist, is engaged at Spreckelsville, on Maui, in studies of soils, fertilizers and other matters of interest to planters.

He is a mechanical chemist of experience and skill, and although he is still pursuing his investigations, results so far obtained have demonstrated much that is useful in regard to the value of various fertilizers.

It is to be regretted that definite information of some of his experiments are not at hand. But such information as is obtained will be published from time to time in the Planters' Monthly.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS.

In pursuance of the valuable suggestions contained in the Report on Live Stock at the last annual meeting, your Secretary gave careful attention to the subject of the statute relating to the diseased animals, and the statutes then existing were amended and amplified so as to afford greater protection. It seemed impracticable to attempt full and comprehensive legislation upon the subject, but the provisions of the new law if judiciously enforced will tend to arrest the evils from the diseases already propagated among our live stock, and to prevent further introduction of disease.

The country is to be congratulated upon the fact that the Government has secured the services of a skilled veterinary surgeon. Dr. J. Brodie comes highly recommended as a surgeon of repute and integrity.

Our impunity from fatal diseases among animals, in the past, and the lack of information on the subject, has tended to allay alarm in regard to the dangers to which we are exposed. But that the live stock of the country is in imminent danger there is no question. The values represented by our live stock are very large, and it is high time that active and intelligent measures were taken for their preservation.

FORESTRY.

This subject which has met with attention and discussion at each annual meeting of the Company has been left mainly in the hands of the able Committee on Forestry. Information has been sought, and some of the communications addressed to the Chairman of the Committee have appeared in the Planters' Monthly.

Mr. A. Jaeger, who has the charge of the Government nurseries, and who serves without salary, deserves more than passing notice. The planters of these islands and all property holders are indebted to Mr. Jaeger for his intelligent, laborious and persistent efforts in endeavoring to introduce new plants, and to demonstrate their worth.

Mr. Jaeger's instructive papers, published in the Planters' Monthly, indicate somewhat the nature of the work which he is prosecuting.

PLANTERS' MONTHLY.

This magazine has been published on the first Monday of each month during the year. The editor has some fault to find with planters for not contributing more to its pages. While appreciating the difficulties in the way of active planters devoting time to such work, and knowing that it is not to be expected that any individual planter will write often for publication, still it is a matter of regret that more material has not been furnished by them for publication.

The advantages to be derived by an interchange of views, and statements of experience, by those engaged in agricultural pursuits, is being recognized more and more the world over. We know that our planters are aware of this, and believe that it is more from lack of time and practice, than disposition, that they fail to give attention to this really important matter.

Those who have contributed to the Planters' Monthly would feel more than repaid for their labor, if they knew how their efforts have been appreciated.

PLANTATION STATISTICS.

It is to be regretted that such meagre statistics have been supplied by planters upon the details of sugar culture and manufacture.

It would seem as if the value of such records was not fully appreciated. Perhaps this should not excite surprise, still we believe the preservation of reliable statistics to be of real practical utility.

DIFFUSION.

Since the general interest excited by Mr. C. Koelling's paper on Diffusion, read at the last annual meeting, considerable information has been collected upon the diffusion process of extracting sugar from cane. Much of this has been published in the Planters' Monthly. Whether or not the diffusion process can be successfully and economically applied in extracting sugar from cane is now one of the prominent questions in every cane-growing country. The experiments of the past have not fully demonstrated this fact. The problem is yet to be solved. If it can be successfully solved there is every reason to believe that it will be of great value to the industry. The unparalleled stimulus given to the beet sugar industry of Europe during the past few years, is attributed largely to the successful employment of this process. The difficulties in the way of applying it to cane appear much greater than in the case of beets, but there are many who are sanguine as to the final attainment of success. The benefits to be derived would certainly seem to justify most thorough experiments in this direction.

NEW ORLEANS WORLD'S EXPOSITION.

The World's Exposition in New Orleans, Louisiana, is to be opened on the first Monday in December of this year, and to continue until the following May. The Trustees have for several months given consideration to the advisability of the Company being represented there. In April a committee was appointed, consisting of Messrs. F. A. Schaefer, P. C. Jones, Jr., and W. O. Smith, to report upon the matter. The Committee reported adversely on the advisability of sending products, but were in favor of sending a practical planter to represent the Company at the Exposition.

It would seem desirable that some definite action on the subject be taken by the Company.

THE COMPANY'S OFFICE.

The commodious offices of the Company have been maintained during the year, and have been open at all times to members. A large variety of

papers and periodicals upon sugar, scientific and general subjects have been supplied. This reading matter has been little used, by members, and it is a question if it is desirable to continue subscriptions to many of the papers. Members when in town usually have pressing business matters to attend to, and have no time to devote to reading. It may be well to discontinue taking all excepting such as are useful to the Editor of the Planters' Monthly.

THE OUTLOOK.

The almost unprecedented low prices of sugar which have ruled during the year, and which continue to hold, have brought all interested in growing and manufacturing sugar face to face with the absolute necessity for greater economy in the cost of production.

And in this country, not only are planters interested in this problem but all, from the government to the smallest tradesman, will be affected by the final issues.

Nearly every industry and enterprise here is directly or indirectly dependent upon the fate of the sugar business; property values of every nature rise and fall with the values of sugar property, and no one engaged in business here can be indifferent to their fluctuations.

The danger of having low prices has been more or less prominent before the mind of every planter for several years, and in a great measure preparations have been made to meet it. Labor-saving machinery of various kinds has been introduced and improved processes adopted, and in many respects sugar is produced at a less cost per ton than in former years.

In the manufacture of sugar a very great saving in the cost of fuel has been obtained, so that many of the works now use no fuel other than the trash or bagasse from the mill. This is a great advance, for with the scarcity of firewood and the large expense of importing coal from abroad, the annual outlay for fuel has heretofore been a heavy item in the expenses of most plantations. Much progress has also been made in reducing the number of laborers required in and about the sugar works.

The difficulties of transportation have also been largely overcome, and much saving made. And in other respects the cost of production has been reduced. Still all has not been attained which is possible, and the closest attention must be given to every detail. We are being crowded, as all the great industries of the world are crowded, by competition and advances in knowledge. It is a question of the survival of the fittest, and it is only by the utmost vigilance, and availing ourselves of every advantage within our reach that success can be reached.

While the spirit of investigation and experiment may be followed too far, it behooves us to seek for all the information which may be of service. There seems to be a law of compensation which governs the world, and while we have to contend with certain disadvantages, there are other conditions which are in our favor.

Besides the national conditions which favor us, the circumstance of the period of comparative prosperity enjoyed for a few years past and the consequent development, have produced conditions which make us much better able to meet the issues now confronting us.

Although we cannot control the markets of the world our future is largely in our own hands. Perhaps in no period of the history of these Islands has the demand been greater for steady persistent and intelligent effort on the part of those engaged in business enterprises than at the present time.

MEMBERS WITHDRAWING FROM THE COMPANY.

Certain members of the Company having notified the Trustees that they had withdrawn from the Association, a Committee consisting of Messrs. S. B. Dole and W. O. Smith was appointed to report upon the course which the Trustees should take with reference to their shares, and the legal status of such persons in their relations to the Company. The following is the report of the Committee:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE WITHDRAWAL OF MEMBERS FROM THE CORPORATION.

To the Planters' Labor and Supply Company: Your Committee appointed to report upon the status of those members of the Planters' Labor and Supply Company who have resigned or withdrawn from the same, report as follows:

The Company being a corporation, each member is liable for the debts of the corporation to the extent of the unpaid balance of his share or shares. In those corporations whose shares are saleable, the purchaser of any unpaid share from a stockholder would assume the liability of the grantor as regards the liability of such a share, that if the stockholder in the place of the stockholder in the place of other and would assume his liabilities as to the share transferred. But in our case the shares are not saleable, but certain of the stockholders have given notice of their resignation or withdrawal from the Company. It is our opinion that in the case in point the unanimous vote of the stockholders at some authorized meeting is necessary to the severance of the connection of a stockholder with the Company. This opinion is based upon a careful examination of authorities on the law of corporations.

We therefore recommend that a resolution be introduced at the present annual meeting, that all stockholders who have notified the Company of their resignation, or of their desire to withdraw from the Company, be allowed to do so, subject to the payment of their proportionate liabilities to the Company existing at the time of the receipt of such notice, and that upon the severance of their connection as aforesaid, the shares held by such withdrawing members be declared forfeited to the Company.

S. B. DOLE, W. O. SMITH.

Honolulu, 20th October, 1884.

LIST OF STOCKHOLDERS.

The following is the list of the stockholders who have met their obligations to the Company, and showing the number of shares of stock held by each:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Number of Shares. Lists various stockholders and their share counts.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM O. SMITH, Secretary.

Honolulu, October 20, 1884.

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On a much more extensive scale which is now in full operation, and which will be in complete working order by an early arrival of new Machinery and Tools.

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With Patent Steel Sleepers

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Wanted. A wife who can handle a broom, wash, and cook, and who will follow her husband to any part of the world. No money to be paid, but a good home and a kind husband.

Miscellaneous. There are now 22,000 growing trees in Washington, laid at regular intervals along 125 miles of fine streets.

A Portuguese physician reports that he has cured seven cases of erysipelas by simply rubbing garlic into the wound and giving the patient a decoction of garlic for several days.

Very pretty idylls for common wear are made by taking a piece of colored paper, and a pretty figure, that seems to be complete in itself, then this all around with a pretty, though inexpensive cotton lace, and an old girl will be brightened and made to look attractive at small expense.

Painting on zinc is facilitated by employing a solution of one quart of chloride of copper, one of nitrate of copper and one of salicylic acid, dissolved in sixty-four parts of water.

There is now a mammoth locomotive in process of construction at the Central Pacific Railroad shop at the city of Reno, Nevada.

Common salt, chloride of sodium, is the most widely-distributed substance in the body; it exists in every fluid and in every solid, and not only is everywhere present, but in almost every part it constitutes a large portion of the ash when the tissue is burnt.

The World having printed a list of two thousand citizens whose annual tax reached \$1,000 and over, resumes its attack on the millionaire of large importance this morning, and says: "W. H. Vanderbilt is supposed to be worth \$200,000,000. He paid, according to the official list, a tax of \$14,000. William K. Vanderbilt, according to his father's account, has in six years, increased his capital of \$5,000,000 to \$11,000,000, by successful stock gambling."

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COMMERCIAL.

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Departed. Am. White Pacific Steamer, for San Francisco...

Imports. From San Francisco, per Discovery, Oct. 13...

Exports. For San Francisco, per Discovery, Oct. 13...

Passengers. For San Francisco, per Discovery, Oct. 13...

Deaths. Bishop, in this city, on the 10th inst...

Honolulu Stock and Bond Exchange. Session, Wednesday, Oct. 15th, 1884.

Table with columns: Sugar Stocks, PAR, 1884. Includes items like Hawaiian Sugar Co., etc.

Telephone Stocks. Hawaiian Tel. Co., 100, 100.

Miscellaneous Stock. Honolulu Bank, 100, 100.

Bonds. Hawaiian Government, 100, 100.

Lyons & Levey. Last Friday, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.

ISLAND LOCALS.

ABOUT TOWN. New moon last Saturday. Planter's plentiful in and out at present.

Three new officials appear in this issue of the Gazette.

The Board of Health representatives are examining the school children.

Rev. A. S. Houston resigned the pastorate of the First Church, Honolulu, Oct. 11.

D. M. Sanford, the deputy chief of Honolulu, is reported as having lost his official hat.

The Ramsey robbery still remains a mystery to the Arab of the Kingdom and his legal intimates.

Heavy rain last week and many colds in consequence. The "incubated" look was often referred to.

There was a Gospel Praise service at the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday evening. The meeting was well attended.

W. G. Irwin Esq. has bought a block of the Chulien Estate which he has settled on his sister, A. Greenleaf.

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T. G. Truett; secretary Mr. J. Shaw; Treasurer, Mr. W. H. Smith.

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The special union service in the Y. M. C. A. Hall last Thursday evening, led by Rev. E. C. O'Connell was largely attended, and very interesting.

The French brig Tivoli, which was lying in the harbor during the past week, filled with water has been successfully relieved of her aqueous cargo by the assistance of a Fulcrum pump, which Mr. J. W. Pflieger has purchased.

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The constant southerly winds tend to ruffle the hair of the late Mrs. C. R. Bishop, and she is said to be in the habit of wearing a wig. The wig is said to be made of the finest hair, and is said to be very comfortable.

The rain has assisted the late Mrs. C. R. Bishop, in her efforts to understand what reporters mean by "liquid matter." A view of such matter may be obtained by visiting the corners of Queen and Fort streets, where the late Mrs. C. R. Bishop is said to be in the habit of walking.

Mr. C. Beckley, the Curator of the Government Museum, lately spent a few days on Kamaikapi, and during his sojourn managed to obtain several interesting specimens of the Hawaiian flora and fauna, which will be added to the Museum stock.

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PLANTERS IN COUNCIL.

The Planters' Labor and Supply Company convened, for their regular annual meeting, in Room No. 17, Campbell's Block, in this city on the 20th inst.

The meeting was opened by the reading of the minutes of the last meeting, which were read and approved.

The report of the Executive Committee was read and approved. It was found that the company had a net profit of \$10,000 for the year.

The report of the Finance Committee was read and approved. It was found that the company had a net profit of \$10,000 for the year.

The report of the Audit Committee was read and approved. It was found that the company had a net profit of \$10,000 for the year.

The report of the Legal Committee was read and approved. It was found that the company had a net profit of \$10,000 for the year.

The report of the Medical Committee was read and approved. It was found that the company had a net profit of \$10,000 for the year.

The report of the Education Committee was read and approved. It was found that the company had a net profit of \$10,000 for the year.

The report of the Social Committee was read and approved. It was found that the company had a net profit of \$10,000 for the year.

The report of the Religious Committee was read and approved. It was found that the company had a net profit of \$10,000 for the year.

The report of the Amusement Committee was read and approved. It was found that the company had a net profit of \$10,000 for the year.

The report of the Charity Committee was read and approved. It was found that the company had a net profit of \$10,000 for the year.

The report of the Publicity Committee was read and approved. It was found that the company had a net profit of \$10,000 for the year.

The report of the Correspondence Committee was read and approved. It was found that the company had a net profit of \$10,000 for the year.

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English Lessons For Hawaiians.

English Lessons for Hawaiians, by Rev. W. H. O'Brien, Principal, English Language School, Honolulu, are now being distributed.

The purpose of these lessons is to enable the Hawaiians to understand and speak English.

The lessons are written in a simple and easy-to-understand style.

The lessons are suitable for both men and women.

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Foreign Trade of China.

Some statistics as to the import and export trade of China will be of interest at present.

The principal imports by China are opium and cotton goods.

The principal exports by China are tea and silk.

The trade of China is increasing rapidly.

The trade of China is becoming more diversified.

The trade of China is becoming more important.

The trade of China is becoming more active.

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The trade of China is becoming more controlled.

The trade of China is becoming more regulated.

The trade of China is becoming more supervised.

Notice to Stockholders.

Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the Hawaiian Carriage Manufacturing Co., that a meeting of the Board of Directors will be held on the 25th inst.

The meeting will be held at the office of the company.

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SESSION LAWS OF 1884.

AN ACT TO REGULATE THE ISSUING OF PATENTS.

Be it Enacted by the King and the Legislative Assembly of the Kingdom of Hawaii: That the following be the law...

SECTION 1. All patents shall be issued in the name of His Majesty the King, under the Seal of the Interior Department...

SECTION 2. Every patent shall contain a short title or description of the invention or discovery...

SECTION 3. Any person who has invented or discovered any new and useful article, machine, manufacture, process or composition of matter...

SECTION 4. Before any inventor or discoverer shall receive a patent for his invention or discovery...

SECTION 5. The applicant shall make affidavit that he is the original and first inventor or discoverer of the art, machine, manufacture, composition or improvement...

SECTION 6. On filing of any such application and the payment of the fees required by law...

SECTION 7. Any person who makes any new invention or discovery, and desires another time to mature the same...

SECTION 8. The Commissioner of Patents shall be appointed by the Minister of the Interior...

SECTION 9. This Act shall take effect and become a law from and after its publication and an Act to amend Sections 295 and 296 of the Civil Code...

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Said Deputy Clerk and Second Deputy Clerk shall severally have power to issue process in all suits and matters brought before the Superior Court...

Approved this 29th day of August, A. D. 1884. KALAKAUA REX.

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 79 OF THE PENAL CODE, AS AMENDED BY CHAPTER 17 OF THE LAWS OF 1878.

Be it Enacted by the King and the Legislative Assembly of the Hawaiian Islands, in the Legislature of the Kingdom of Hawaii: That the following be the law...

SECTION 1. The Section 8 of Chapter 79 of the Penal Code, as amended by Chapter 17 of the Laws of 1878, is hereby amended to read as follows:

SECTION 2. Every person authorized by law to perform any public duty shall report quarterly to the Board of Education, the names of all persons married by him during the quarter...

SECTION 3. If any such person authorized as aforesaid to perform the marriage ceremony, neglect to report to the Board of Education...

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Supreme Court of the Hawaiian Islands - April Term, 1884. Jury Waived. Heard by Consent in Vacation, Sept. 19, 1884. E. A. McBRIDE vs. JACOB KALA, TAX COLLECTOR.

Opinion of Judge C. J. This is an action to recover \$116.25 paid in 1883 under protest, by the plaintiff to the defendant, as tax collector of Koloa, Island of Kauai...

The first point to be considered is whether the Court has jurisdiction. It is urged by defendant's counsel that plaintiff should have applied for the assessment of this tax to the Court of Tax Appeals.

The decision of this Court of limited jurisdiction are by section 50 of Chapter 14 of the Acts of 1882, property real, personal, and movable, but they can only be so upon matters which the Court has jurisdiction, by appeal of the aggrieved party.

SECTION 40 of the Act is as follows: 'Any person whose name may appear on such tax list, and who shall have made his appeal to the assessor as herebefore provided, and if entitled to exemption, shall have claimed such exemption, and who may deem himself aggrieved by any excess made by the assessor in the amount of his tax, or whose claim for exemption, shall not have been allowed, may appeal from such assessment to the tax assessor, on or before the first day of October, notice in writing, stating his grounds of objection to his assessment, or to such portion thereof as the objector applies to, and depositing therewith a sum for cost of appeal as follows:'

There can be an appeal taken where (a.) there has been an excessive valuation by the assessor of the property, (b.) where the amount of the property is increased from the return. (Here cases where property is assessed to a person who is not the owner are provided for (c.) or where the character of the property is changed so that it is subject to greater taxation (d.) or where the amount of tax to be paid is increased by the assessor beyond that payable by the appellant according to the return, without changing the character of the property. (Here errors in calculation are covered (e.) where statutory claims for exemption are not allowed by the assessor.

If the above analysis of the statute be correct, it is clear that the case before the Court is not one of the cases provided for in the Act, and that the Court has no jurisdiction to entertain the appeal.

SECTION 16 of the Act of 1882, now in force, prescribes that the term 'personal property' for the purposes of this Act shall be deemed to mean and include all household furniture and effects, goods, chattels, wares and merchandise, all ships and vessels, whether at anchor or under way, and all boats, launches and chattrel interests in lands and real estate, growing crops, public stocks and bonds, and all domesticated animals not herein specifically taxed.

It was the manifest intention of the Legislature of 1882, to no longer tax as property 'debts' or evidence of indebtedness whether secured or unsecured, or any other intangible property. The words of the former law 'money, notes of hand, unsecured debts,' are omitted in the present, and 'all money in hand' is substituted.

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Opinion of Judge C. J. This case being identical in principle with that of E. A. McBride vs. Jacob Kala, recently decided by me, judgment may be entered for plaintiff for \$114.75.

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Supreme Court of the Hawaiian Islands - April Term, 1884. Jury Waived. Heard by Consent in Vacation, Sept. 19, 1884. THE HAWAII SUGAR CO. vs. A. FORNANDER, TAX COLLECTOR.

Opinion of Judge C. J. This case being identical in principle with that of the Haku Sugar Co. vs. A. Fornander, Tax Collector of Makawao, the reasoning in that case will apply, and judgment is accordingly ordered for plaintiff for \$65.10.

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The Mason Fly of Victoria. Among the insects very common to Victoria is one popularly known as the mason fly. In form it is very like a gigantic hornet, the wings and legs are of an orange color, as is also the abdomen, which is decorated with broad black stripes. It has a strange habit of building its nest, composed of tempered mud, in keyholes. Mr. Ellery, F. R. S., the Government Astronomer, tells me that this same fly often begins to build, until the nest is rather peculiar. A layer of mud is first laid down, and a certain number of eggs are laid. This follows another layer of mud; on this are deposited a number of young spiders, paralyzed but not killed. Another layer of mud, more eggs, then spiders again, and so on, until the nest is built. The spiders are evidently stored up as food for the grubs, as soon as hatched, an arrangement already known to naturalists. This fly has a very fierce aspect, and its nature evidently does not belie its looks. It flies about with great liveliness, and when alighting, its long black antennae are kept in a state of constant motion. Its favorite food seems to be spiders, which it is in the habit of seeking for under the bark and in holes in the trunk of the eucalyptus. In order to catch them it burrows under the loose bark, and in a few seconds generally issues forth again with some larger or smaller prey between its mandibles. The enormous bulk of some of the victims does not appear to intimidate it in the least. Even the gigantic so-called tarantula (vulgarily trantelope) is fearlessly attacked. It was one day walking through a suburban park near Melbourne, and saw one of these flies suddenly pounce down on the back of a large tarantula some five inches in breadth, measuring from the ends of its legs. The huge arachnid extended at once. Resistance with an adversary in such a position was altogether out of the question, the only resource being to die like Caesar, becoming. I watched the fight, or rather the murder, for some minutes, and then touching the assailant with the point of my umbrella, drove it away. It only flew, however, to a short distance, and then returned, flying so viciously round that I fully expected it should be attacked. By flourishing the umbrella, however, I again drove it off, and it retired to a distance of about a hundred feet, then left the spider, but afterward went back, and found the mason fly following up his victory as energetically as ever. I again returned to the spider, and the work still going on. This was repeated some half a dozen times and at last, taking out a book, I sat down on a seat, resolving to see what would happen. The fly did not reappear for near a quarter of an hour, and I thought it had altogether departed. A small ditch ran beside the pathway, and turning my eyes in the direction I looked the mason fly peeping through some blades of grass growing on the edge. It was evidently waiting for me to leave the spot in order to secure the advantages of its victory.—London Nature.

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## ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE SECRETARY OF THE

### PLANTERS' LABOR AND SUPPLY CO.

THIRD ANNUAL MEETING.

HONOLULU, H. I., OCTOBER 29, 1884.

To the President and Stockholders of the Planters' Labor and Supply Co.:

GENTLEMEN: Your Secretary respectfully submits the following report for the year which has just closed.

At the last annual meeting, which was held in Honolulu in October, 1883, the following named members of the Company were elected: Trustees: H. F. Glade, H. P. Baldwin, G. N. Wilcox, P. C. Jones, Jr., S. B. Dole, W. O. Smith, J. B. Atherton, W. H. Bailey, R. Halstead, Z. S. Spalding, A. Cma, A. S. Hartwell, and J. H. Soper. The Trustees elected for the number the following officers for the year: Z. S. Spalding, President; S. B. Dole, Vice President; P. C. Jones, Jr., Treasurer; W. O. Smith, Secretary; J. B. Atherton, Auditor.

Mr. A. S. Hartwell, who was absent from the country at the time of his election, declined to serve as a Trustee, and no general meeting of stockholders having been since held, the vacancy on the Board has not been filled.

During the year the Trustees have held twenty-five meetings at the office of the Company, of which three were quarterly meetings, held in January, April and July. With the exception of the quarterly sessions, the meetings have been held from time to time, as the business of the Company and matters of general interest have demanded attention.

The matter of our relations with the United States has been the subject which has engaged the most serious and constant attention from the Board of Trustees. They have endeavored to spare no time or care in this matter of vast importance to the country.

Every effort has been made to disseminate reliable information in the United States relative to these Islands, and to correct false and incorrect statements, which were prejudicial to our interests. Notwithstanding the efforts and labors in this direction of the past, the minds of many in Washington and throughout the United States had been so misled by distorted statements and false charges, that the task of retorting the charges and restoring confidence was one entailing great labor.

In this direction the efforts of Col. Z. S. Spalding, President of the Company, have been of signal service. Although acting as President of the Company and his authorized agent, he went at his own expense, and devoted himself with untiring application to the general interests of the Association and of this country. He was aided by Hon. H. A. P. Carter, Hawaiian Minister Resident at Washington, and also by Hon. J. Mott Smith, who was associated with Mr. Carter, and both of these gentlemen used every means in their power to the same end.

In furnishing information and every assistance at their command, the Trustees have sought faithfully to render aid to these gentlemen.

It would exceed the limits of this report to refer to all of the work performed in this line. The illustrated maps of the Islands, showing the area of sugar lands, with accompanying notes, was one of the means used. These maps were prepared for the Company with much labor and expense. And many able papers and articles upon various features were published.

Capt. C. E. Dutton, Mr. E. E. Thorne, and Gen. S. C. Armstrong have rendered good service in giving correct and forcible statements of the case in the various reports.

The Trustees have reason to feel that the labor of the year in this direction has been productive of great benefit to the commercial interests of the Islands in their relations to the United States. That the work is not completed is well known; but what has been accomplished has not only been of present benefit, but its effects will be far-reaching. Efforts in the line of the diffusion of knowledge in the United States upon our peculiar and significant relations to the Pacific Coast, and American commerce in the Pacific, are perhaps the most valuable means that can be employed to strengthen the interest of that great country in our welfare.

It is impossible to gauge the comparative value of the work done by different individuals, and it is work in which certain and marked results cannot be seized upon and displayed as the definite consequence of specific efforts.

But so much has been accomplished since the organization of the Company by intelligent and concentrated efforts, that the value of concerted action cannot be over estimated.

#### IMMIGRATION AND LABOR.

The only immigration scheme in which the Trustees have been directly engaged during the year has been the expedition of the brig *Hazard* to the South Sea Islands for New Hebrides laborers. The circumstances of the chartering of the *Hazard* were reported at the last annual meeting, she sailed hence April 17th, 1883, and arrived back December 1st, with 124 adult immigrants (105 men, 20 women) and four children. The number obtained was much less than had been expected, which together with the prolonged voyage increased the expense of the immigrants per capita much beyond the amount anticipated.

Capt. C. H. Tierney, master of the *Hazard*, rendered his report to the Trustees, which was published in the *Planters' Monthly* of January last, in which he set forth the difficulties he had encountered. For various reasons the Board decided not to send again for this class of laborers unless the demand for them should be more urgent.

#### PORTUGUESE IMMIGRATION.

During the month of January, the Trustees had interviews with Mr. A. Hoffnung, Immigration Agent of the Hawaiian Government at London, upon the subject of Portuguese laborers and their contracts. The whole matter met with full discussion, and it was agreed that the conditions of the contracts should be somewhat modified, and upon the terms finally agreed upon applications were made for a large number of this class of people.

The immigrants as applied for have arrived as follows:

June 14, 1884, per City of Paris.....	Men.....	Women.....	Children.....
October 2, 1884, per S. S. Bordeaux.....	292	120	321
	297	173	321

As a whole they have proved a good class of immigrants, but in some respects the terms of the contracts have not been satisfactory to the employers, changes having been made in some of the provisions which were not contemplated.

The large expense for passages and high rate of wages for the Portuguese, together with the fact of the large numbers of this class in the country, have operated to lessen the demand for them.

For obvious reasons the advantage of having a variety of nationalities among the large body of workmen is deemed important.

#### CHINESE.

The Chinese immigration has been interrupted and practically stopped for the time being, by the rigorous restrictive measures adopted by the Hawaiian Government.

While all recognize the necessity for a wholesome control of this immigration, the majority of the planters feel that the complete interruption of it is a mistake. Numerous petitions have been presented to the Board of Immigration, signed by planters from all parts of the Islands, requesting that further immigration of Chinese be permitted until the demand for labor be supplied.

These petitions were prepared by the Hamakua Planters' Association, and were largely endorsed by planters on the several Islands.

While the advent of an overwhelming number of Chinese would be most objectionable, it seems desirable that a reasonable number should be permitted to come from time to time to regulate the excessively high wages now demanded by Chinese.

Large numbers of Chinese are constantly returning to China, which has a material effect on the available number remaining.

If the Japanese immigration proves successful it may be that the restriction of the Chinese will prove beneficial.

#### JAPANESE.

The members of the Company are all acquainted with the prospects of immigration from Japan. Under the terms stated by Mr. R. W. Irwin, Hawaiian Consul General at Japan, a sufficient number of applications for Japanese laborers was applied for to authorize the Board of Immigration to undertake their introduction. Liberal appropriation was made by the Legislature to further the enterprise and much is hoped for from this quarter.

It is perhaps more appropriate that the Committee on Labor treat at greater length with the subject of labor, and the needs of the country in this respect; the difficulties which the sugar industry laborers under with the high rates of wages; the comparative merits of the several classes of laborers, and the growing necessity for concert of action among planters on this most important matter.

#### AN AGRICULTURAL CHEMIST.

At the last annual meeting the Trustees were "instructed to engage the services of a competent Agricultural Chemist as soon as possible."

The Trustees gave much thought and attention to the subject, and entered into communication with several parties abroad with the view of securing the services of such a man. After much delay it seemed as though the services of L. L. Vanslyke, Professor of Chemistry at Ann Arbor, Michigan, might be secured. But financial and other difficulties prevented an immediate engagement. And no one has yet been engaged. There is reason to believe that the scientific department of Oahu College, which has been so liberally endowed, will ere long have a scientific Professor who may help to supply the need.

In this connection it will be of interest to many to know that Dr. G. Martin, a scientific chemist, is engaged at Spreckelsville, on Maui, in studies of soils, fertilizers and other matters of interest to planters.

He is a mechanical chemist of experience and skill, and although he is still pursuing his investigations, results so far obtained have demonstrated much that is useful in regard to the value of various fertilizers.

It is to be regretted that definite information of some of his experiments are not at hand. But such information as is obtained will be published from time to time in the *Planters' Monthly*.

#### DISEASES OF ANIMALS.

In pursuance of the valuable suggestions contained in the Report on Live Stock at the last annual meeting, your Secretary gave careful attention to the subject of the disease relating to the diseased animals, and the statutes then existing were amended and amplified so as to afford greater protection. It seemed impracticable to attempt full and comprehensive legislation upon the subject, but the provisions of the new law if judiciously enforced will tend to arrest the evils from the diseases already propagated among our live stock, and to prevent further introduction of disease.

The country is to be congratulated upon the fact that the Government has secured the services of a skilled veterinary surgeon. Dr. J. Brodie comes highly recommended as a surgeon of repute and integrity.

Our impunity from fatal diseases among animals, in the past, and the lack of information on the subject, has tended to allay alarm in regard to the dangers to which we are exposed. But that the live stock of the country is in imminent danger there is no question. The values represented by our live stock are very large, and it is high time that active and intelligent measures were taken for their preservation.

#### FORESTRY.

This subject which has met with attention and discussion at each annual meeting of the Company has been left mainly in the hands of the able Committee on Forestry. Information has been sought, and some of the communications addressed to the Chairman of the Committee have appeared in the *Planters' Monthly*.

Mr. A. Jaeger, who has the charge of the Government nurseries, and who serves without salary, deserves more than passing notice. The planters of these Islands and all property holders are indebted to Mr. Jaeger for his intelligent, laborious and persistent efforts in endeavoring to introduce new plants, and to demonstrate their worth.

Mr. Jaeger's instructive papers, published in the *Planters' Monthly*, indicate somewhat the nature of the work which he is prosecuting.

#### PLANTERS' MONTHLY.

This magazine has been published on the first Monday of each month during the year. The editor has some fault to find with planters for not contributing more to its pages. While appreciating the difficulties in the way of active planters devoting time to such work, and knowing that it is not to be expected that any individual planter will write often for publication, still it is a matter of regret that more material has not been furnished by them for publication.

The advantages to be derived by an interchange of views, and statements of experience, by those engaged in agricultural pursuits, is being recognized more and more the world over. We know that our planters are aware of this, and believe that it is more from lack of time and practice, than disposition, that they fail to give attention to this really important matter.

Those who have contributed to the *Planters' Monthly* would feel more than repaid for their labor, if they knew how their efforts have been appreciated.

#### PLANTATION STATISTICS.

It is to be regretted that such meagre statistics have been supplied by planters upon the details of sugar culture and manufacture.

It would seem as if the value of such records was not fully appreciated. Perhaps this should not excite surprise, still we believe the preservation of reliable statistics to be of real practical utility.

#### DIFFUSION.

Since the general interest excited by Mr. C. Koelling's paper on Diffusion, read at the last annual meeting, considerable information has been collected upon the diffusion process of extracting sugar from cane. Much of this has been published in the *Planters' Monthly*. Whether or not the diffusion process can be successfully and economically applied in extracting sugar from cane is now one of the prominent questions in every cane-growing country. The experiments of the past have not fully demonstrated this fact. The problem is yet to be solved. If it can be successfully solved there is every reason to believe that it will be of great value to the industry. The unparalleled stimulus given to the beet sugar industry of Europe during the past few years, is attributed largely to the successful employment of this process. The difficulties in the way of applying it to cane appear much greater than in the case of beets, but there are many who are sanguine as to the final attainment of success. Their benefits to be derived would certainly seem to justify most thorough experiments in this direction.

#### NEW ORLEANS WORLD'S EXPOSITION.

The World's Exposition in New Orleans, Louisiana, is to open on the first Monday in December of this year, and to continue until the following May. The Trustees have for several months given consideration to the advisability of the Company being represented there. In April a committee was appointed, consisting of Messrs. F. A. Schaefer, P. C. Jones, Jr., and W. O. Smith, to report upon the matter. The Committee reported adversely on the advisability of sending products, but were in favor of sending a practical planter to represent the Company at the Exposition.

It would seem desirable that some definite action on the subject be taken by the Company.

#### THE COMPANY'S OFFICE.

The commodious offices of the Company have been maintained during the year, and have been open at all times to members. A large variety of

papers and periodicals upon sugar, scientific and general subjects have been supplied. This reading matter has been little used, by members, and it is a question if it is desirable to continue subscriptions to many of the papers. Members when in town usually have pressing business matters to attend to, and have no time to devote to reading. It may be well to discontinue taking all excepting such as are useful to the Editor of the *Planters' Monthly*.

#### THE OUTLOOK.

The almost unprecedented low prices of sugar which have ruled during the year, and which continue to hold, have brought all interested in growing and manufacturing sugar face to face with the absolute necessity for greater economy in the cost of production.

And in this country, not only are planters interested in this problem but all, from the government to the smallest tradesman, will be affected by the final issues.

Nearly every industry and enterprise here is directly or indirectly dependent upon the sugar business; property values of every nature rise and fall with the values of sugar property, and no one engaged in business here can be indifferent to their fluctuations.

The danger of having low prices has been more or less prominent before the mind of every planter for several years, and in a great measure preparations have been made to meet it. Labor-saving machinery of various kinds has been introduced and improved processes adopted, and in many respects sugar is produced at a less cost per ton than in former years.

In the manufacture of sugar a very great saving in the cost of fuel has been obtained, so that many of the works now use no fuel other than the trash or bagass from the mill. This is a great advance, for with the scarcity of firewood and the large expense of importing coal from abroad, the annual outlay for fuel has heretofore been a heavy item in the expenses of most plantations. Much progress has also been made in reducing the number of laborers required in and about the sugar works.

The difficulties of transportation have also been largely overcome, and much saving made. And in other respects the cost of production has been reduced. Still all has not been attained which is possible, and the closest attention must be given to every detail. We are being crowded, as all the great industries of the world are crowded, by competition and advances in knowledge. It is a question of the survival of the fittest, and it is only by the utmost vigilance, and availing ourselves of every advantage within our reach that success can be reaped.

When the spirit of investigation and experiment may be followed too far, it behooves us to seek for all the information which may be of service. There seems to be a law of compensation which governs the world, and while we have to contend with certain disadvantages, there are other conditions which are in our favor.

Besides the national conditions which favor us, the circumstance of the period of comparative prosperity enjoyed for a few years past, and the consequent development, have produced conditions which make us much better able to meet the issues now confronting us.

Although we cannot control the markets of the world our future is largely in our own hands. Perhaps in no period of the history of these Islands has the demand been greater for steady persistent and intelligent labor on the part of those engaged in business enterprises than at the present time.

**MEMBERS WITHDRAWING FROM THE COMPANY.**  
Certain members of the Company having notified the Trustees that they had withdrawn from the Association, a Committee consisting of Messrs. S. B. Dole and W. O. Smith was appointed to report upon the course which the Trustees should take with reference to their shares, and the legal status of such persons in their relations to the Company. The following is the report of the Committee:

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE WITHDRAWAL OF MEMBERS FROM THE CORPORATION.**  
To the *Planters' Labor and Supply Company:  
Your Committee appointed to report upon the status of those members of the *Planters' Labor and Supply Company* who have resigned or withdrawn from the same, report as follows:*

The Company being a corporation, each member is liable for the debts of the corporation to the extent of the unpaid balance of his share or shares. In these corporations whose shares are saleable, the purchaser of any unpaid share from a stockholder would stand in the place of his grantor as regards the liability of such a share, that is, he would become the stockholder in the place of the other and would assume his liabilities as to the unpaid share. But in our case the shares are not saleable, but certain of the stockholders have given notice of their resignation or withdrawal from the Company. It is our opinion that in the case in point the unanimous vote of the stockholders at some authorized meeting is necessary to the severance of the connection of a stockholder with the Company. This opinion is based upon a careful examination of authorities on the law of corporations.

We therefore recommend that a resolution be introduced at the present annual meeting, that all stockholders who have notified the Company of their resignation, or of their desire to withdraw from the Company, be allowed to do so, subject to the payment of their proportionate liabilities to the Company existing at the time of the receipt of such notice, and that upon the severance of their connection as aforesaid, the shares held by such withdrawing members be declared forfeited to the Company.

S. B. DOLE,  
W. O. SMITH.

Honolulu, 29th October, 1884.

**LIST OF STOCKHOLDERS.**

The following is the list of the stockholders who have met their obligations to the Company, and showing the number of shares of stock held by each:

Alexander & Baldwin.....	600	Iseberg, Paul, Hon.....	1000
Austin, S. L. & Co.....	500	Jones, P. C. Jr.....	5
Canoeo Plantation.....	250	Kanocho Plantation.....	125
Alexander, S. T.....	5	Koloa Sugar Co.....	750
Alexander, Jas. M.....	100	Kennedy, C. C.....	5
Baker, W. H.....	200	Klanoo Sugar Co.....	500
Adams, E. P.....	5	Kokaha Mill.....	200
Atkins, R. H.....	5	Kohala Sugar Co.....	600
Atwater, W. O.....	5	Kinnersey, C. S.....	200
Baldwin, H. P.....	5	Kipahulu Mill.....	50
Brewer, W. P. A.....	5	Kipahulu Plantation.....	200
Bailey, Ed. H.....	5	Kooling, Chas.....	500
Bailey, E.....	5	Lidgate, W. & Co.....	300
Beechroft Plantation.....	100	Mahee Sugar Co.....	500
Bishop, C. R. Hon.....	5	Maele, R. A. Jr.....	5
Bond, E. C.....	5	Marsden, Jos.....	50
Brewer, W. P. A.....	5	Mie, H. W.....	5
Castle, S. N. Hon.....	5	Nordley, Chas.....	20
Castle, W. R.....	5	Ookala Sugar Co.....	50
Cooke, C. M.....	5	Princeville Plantation.....	50
Curtwright, A. J.....	5	Parke, W. C.....	50
Cummings, W. H.....	5	Paty, John H.....	500
Dillingham, B. E.....	5	Pacific Sugar Co.....	300
Dole, S. B.....	5	Purvis, W. H.....	100
Eleee Plantation Co.....	500	Rickard, W. H.....	100
East Maui Plantation Co.....	250	Rowell, W. E.....	5
Faye & Meier.....	100	Richardson, J. L.....	5
Glade, J. C.....	5	Renton, Jas.....	5
Goodie, Warren.....	5	Smith, A. H. & Co.....	100
Grant & Brigstock.....	100	Smith, J. K. Dr.....	2
Grove Ranch.....	250	Smith, W. O.....	5
Gurney, Jos. F.....	5	Smith, W. E.....	5
Halehoeck & Co.....	100	Smith, A. H.....	5
Haldred, E. A.....	200	Schaefer, F. A. & Co.....	500
Honoumu Plantation.....	150	Spencer, Jas. G.....	2
Hind, Robt. R.....	450	Soper, Wright & Co.....	125
Hill, W. W.....	5	Turton, Hon.....	500
Hartwell, A. S.....	5	Union Sugar Co.....	5
Hobson, Thos. H.....	100	Wilcox, G. N.....	5
Hornor, J. M.....	5	Wilcox, A. S.....	250
Hornor, W. J.....	5	Wright, John N.....	5
Hamberger, A.....	5	Whitney, H. M.....	5
Hines, G. F.....	100	Waikuku Sugar Co.....	1000
Hart, Chas. E.....	100	Waikuku Mill Co.....	200
Hana Plantation.....	500	Williams, G. W. & Co.....	95
Haiku Sugar Co.....	1000	Williams, G. C.....	5
Hamakua Mills.....	150	Walker, T. R.....	5
Hoffschlaeger & Co.....			