



COMMERCIAL.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 11, 1903.
Business for the week seems to have suffered considerably from the outbreak of the prevailing epidemic and the necessary enforcement of quarantine laws and restrictions in consequence.

PORT OF HONOLULU.

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EXPORTS.

For San Francisco, per A. P. J. from Canton.
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PASSENGERS.

From San Francisco, per A. P. J. from Canton.
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MARRIED.

CHAMBERLIN-HEINLEIN. February 10, 1903.
The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's parents.

DIED.

BUCKLE-A. KAWAHAU, Hawaii, February 10, 1903.
The deceased was a native-born Hawaiian and a member of the Hawaiian League.

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TO ENDEAVOR to raise, to foster or encourage anything like a panic, is under existing circumstances, nothing less than a crime; yet this is exactly what the Advertiser is doing.

It seems singular that the cry of "yellow plague" should be raised by the very men who brought into and carried through the Legislature—the Chinese Subsidy Bill.

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The present cases are all traceable directly to the steamship Quana which arrived on the 12th of January, 1903.

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To the Public.
New York, January 10, 1903.
We know how the goods that you complete get into your market, and we know how they get into your market.

JOHN RUSSELL.
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
21 Merchants' Bldg., Cor. Fort St.

ASSIGNED'S NOTICE.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAS BEEN APPOINTED Assignee for the Estate of A. K. ...

THOS. G. THRUM,
IMPORTING AND MANUFACTURING.
101 Fort Street, Honolulu, H. I.

STATIONER NEWS AGENT.
AND
BOOK BINDER.
Merchant Street, and Dealer in Fine Stationery, Books, Fancy Goods.

THE NEWS DEPARTMENT.
Has special care and attention, to insure accuracy and prompt delivery.

NOTICE FOR TENDERS.
TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED FOR THE Supply of Beef to the Queen's Hospital.

CHRISTMAS HAS COME AND SO HAS OUR FALL STOCK OF GOODS.
Just come to hand by the Any Turner, Mohican, and Eureka.

OIL! OIL! OIL!
The standard brands, Standard and Dwyer's, fresh from the Refineries.

Hall's Steel Plows,
Hall's Hickory Trash Forks,
Hall's Cane Planters or Covers.

Hubbuck's Paints and Oils.
Water's Colors in Tins, for Home or Coach Painting.

THE COLLEGE OF ST. LOUIS AND HAWAIIAN.
COMMERCIAL & BUSINESS ACADEMY, HONOLULU, OAHU, H. I.

NOTICE TO PLANTERS AND OTHERS.
I HEREBY NOTIFY Planters and the Public THAT I AM PREPARED TO FURNISH PLANS AND ESTIMATES FOR Steam Portable Trams, Specially adapted for Sugar Plantations!

WATCHMAKER, Jeweller, Engraver, AND Diamond Setter.
MR. G. KAAMUHARU ST.
ALL KINDS AND STYLES OF JEWELRY.

AUCTION SALES. BY E. P. ADAMS. REGULAR CASH SALE THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17th. AT 10 A. M. at Sales Room. Dry Goods, Clothing, Fancy Goods, and Groceries.

IMPORTANT CREDIT SALE! Order Messrs. C. Brewer & Co., ON Thursday, February 24th, ON A CREDIT TO THE TRADE ASSORTMENT OF MERCHANDISE

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SHIPPING. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. THE FINE SCHOONER. A. P. JORDAN, CRACK MASTER.

BREWERS & CO'S BOSTON LINE OF PACKETS. THE FINE ALBER. WILL LEAVE HONOLULU ON THURSDAY

"MALOLO" GOODMAN, MASTER. Will sail from Honolulu to Hilo direct.

A. FRANK COOKE AGENT FOR THE FOLLOWING COASTERS: Malolo, Waimalu, Gen. Stegelmeyer, Kaluana, and Mana.

TIME TABLE OF STEAMER LIKILIKE. KING, MASTER. Tuesday, February 12, 5 p.m.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY FOR SAN FRANCISCO. THE SPLENDID STEAMSHIP CITY OF SYDNEY!

AUSTRALIA CARGILL, COMMANDER. WILL LEAVE HONOLULU FOR SAN FRANCISCO

PLANTERS' LINE FOR SAN FRANCISCO. C. Brewer & Co., Agents.

BY THE LATEST ARRIVALS FROM SAN FRANCISCO. WE HAVE RECEIVED A LARGE

PAINTS AND OILS. ATLANTIC LEAD IN PACKAGES OF 2 TO 100

LUBRICATING OILS. SPERM OIL IN ANY QUANTITY Required.

WIRE RIGGING. SEVEN FROM INCH TO 3 INCHES FOR SALE

Circuit Court, Fourth Judicial Circuit of the Hawaiian Islands. Criminal Cases, Hawaiian Jury, 2d February

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# Saturday Press Supplement

HONOLULU, FEBRUARY 12, 1881.

## PLANTERS' COLUMN.

We copy the following from the *Pall Mall Gazette*, London, in some hopes that planters may try the cultivation of the cinchona plant. There are many districts on these Islands where the tree would probably succeed. An elevation of a few hundred feet in any tolerably rainy region would ensure the starting of the plant, and afterwards it requires but little care or attention till the time comes to take off the first harvest of bark, and then the yield is immensely valuable, and easily reduced to a marketable article:

"We referred a short time ago to the very gratifying success of the experiments in India commenced some years ago with a view to the naturalization in that country of the Peruvian bark or cinchona plant, so famous in the history of South America as Jesuit's bark. Mr. Clements Markham, who was honorably concerned in starting and urging forward the experiment, announces a book on the progress made and the results achieved, and it can scarcely fail to be of high interest. In the meantime there has been issued the official report to the Indian Government of Dr. King for the year 1879-80, regarding the cinchona cultivation and the harvesting of bark in the Government plantations in Bengal. In 1879-80 the extended cultivation reached about 75,000 young trees, and a crop of 361,590 lb. of dry bark was harvested. A new kind of cinchona yielding the Carthagena bark of commerce was successfully brought into cultivation. At the close of 1879 a consignment of Calisaya bark was made to London for sale in the market. The amount of febrifuges used in Government hospitals and dispensaries in 1879 in substitution of quinine was 4,500 lbs. The average price of quinine in Calcutta in 1879 was 90 rupees per lb., and at that figure the saving effected by the native-grown substitute has been nearly £40,000. The saving in former years from the like substitution of the cheap and equally effective native for the imported and costly drug was about £80,000; so that to the end of 1879 the total saving was about £120,000, or about £15,000 more than the plantations have cost from their origin, including compound interest on outlay at 4 per cent. per annum. The results are gratifying, and in the future even larger savings are expected from the successful cultivation of the valuable cinchona species (obtained through Kew) which yields the Carthagena or Columbia bark."

We print the circular issued by the Foreign Office and the replies thereto by the several Representatives asking especial attention to the fact, as stated in another column, that the mail of August 30 was tampered with, when or where or by whom being the only points left in doubt:

DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS,  
HONOLULU, February 3d, 1881.

SIR: Having learned that some of the Representatives of Foreign Powers and Consular Agents had reason to suspect that despatches which they had forwarded to their Governments by the mail steamer *Zealandia*, leaving this port for San Francisco on the 30th of August last, had been abstracted from the mail bags, or from the outside bags which went through the agents of the steamer, or from the post-office before going on board. I should be glad to learn from you, if you have missed despatches sent by that mail, the exact particulars, so that the matter may be thoroughly investigated should there seem to be good grounds for entertaining the suspicion that such was the case.

Will you be kind enough to state if your other correspondence, if any, by the same mail, arrived at its destination, and how your letters were posted, also generally what are the grounds for your suspicion, that letters by that mail may have been abstracted from the bags, if any suspicion exists in your mind. I have the honor to be Sir, your most obedient humble servant.

[Signed] W. L. GREEN,  
Minister of Foreign Affairs.

HER MAJESTY'S CONSULATE-GENERAL,  
HONOLULU, February 7th, 1881.

SIR: In reply to the inquiries contained in your Excellency's letter of the 3d instant, I have the honor to state that Her Majesty's Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has notified me that despatch No. 24, which, with other despatches, was posted on the 30th of August last, had not been received at the Foreign Office.

As I was on Hawaii when the *Zealandia* left for the Coast, I inclose for your information a letter from Mr. (Acting) Vice-Consul Walker, containing full particulars with regard to the postage of my letters on the 30th of August, 1880.

I may add, that the missing despatch was inclosed in a separate cover.

I have the honor to be, Sir, your most obedient humble servant,

[Signed] JAMES H. WOODHOUSE.

BRITISH VICE-CONSULATE,  
HONOLULU, February 5th, 1881.

SIR: With reference to your enquiry as to the manner in which your despatches per the steamer mail of August 30th, 1880, were posted, I have to report that in a list of letters posted on that day by the postage clerk of Mr. Theo. H. Davies' office there appears the charge of 77 cents for postage on account of H. B. M.'s Consulate-General, the position of this charge in the said list indicating, with very like ground for doubt, that the letters upon which this amount was paid, was posted at the Honolulu post-office. Later in the same list a further charge of 33 cents for postage on the same account appears from the position of which charge it cannot be stated with certainty whether the letters to which it refers were posted at the post-office through the agents of the steamer, or on board the steam ship *Zealandia*.

I am Sir, Your obedient servant.

[Signed] THEO. H. WALKER,  
Acting Vice-Consul.

To His Excellency J. H. Woodhouse.

CONSULATE OF ITALY,  
HONOLULU, February 6th, 1881.

SIR: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Excellency's communication of the 3d instant, inquiring if any of my dispatches forwarded to my Government by the *Zealandia* on the 30th August last, had not arrived, and if there is in my mind a good ground of suspicion that such may have been abstracted from the mailbag before going on board.

In answer, I have the honor to state that I had forwarded by the mail of the above date a lengthy and important political dispatch, inclosing therein a copy of, and commenting upon, the treaty lately concluded between this Kingdom and the German Empire. This dispatch has remained without even an acknowledgment of the receipt of the same on the part of my Government. It is possible, but not probable, that this is merely an oversight, which I shall ascertain by sending a copy of my dispatch by the outgoing mail steamer to H.H.M.'s Minister of Foreign Affairs and inquiring if the original had been received. I shall not fail to inform your Excellency in due time of the result of my inquiry; and I beg here to add that the telegram and dispatch sent by me to my Government by the mail steamer of September last have arrived in due time, and the answer of His Excellency the Minister of Foreign Affairs gives no reason to suppose that the previous dispatch from here had been received.

If the non-arrival of the dispatch in question should prove true, I should feel a suspicion that the letter has in some manner been abstracted.

But as such cannot be proven, I am not justified to give this impression more weight than it deserves as yet. Your Excellency will be the best judge of the facts as they may ultimately present themselves.

So far as I know, all my other private and business letters have reached their destination that were sent per *Zealandia* in August last, and they were forwarded through the Post Office here as usual.

I have the honor to be, Sir, your Excellency's most obedient humble servant,

[Signed] F. A. SCHAEFER,  
His Excellency W. L. Green, H.H.M.'s Minister of Foreign Affairs.

HONOLULU, Feb. 5, 1881.

SIR: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Your Excellency's letter of the 3rd instant stating that you had learned that some of the Representatives of Foreign Powers and Consular Agents had reason to suspect that dispatches which they had forwarded to their Governments, by the mail steamer *Zealandia*, leaving this port for San Francisco on the 30th of August last, had been abstracted either from the mail bags or from the outside bags which went through the agents of the steamer or from the Post Office here before going on board; that you would be glad to learn from me if I had missed dispatches sent by that mail; if any other correspondence by the same mail had arrived at its destination; how my letters were posted; and if any suspicion exists in my mind that letters may have been abstracted from the mail, and beg leave to reply, that by the mail in question I sent official dispatches through the Post Office in Honolulu, addressed respectively to H. M.'s Minister of Foreign Affairs, Brussels, Belgium, and the Hague, Holland, to which up to this date no acknowledgement has been received by me—and that the letters to the European correspondents of our Banking Firm, forwarded by the same mail reached their destination in due course.

It is rather singular that such should be the experience of several of my colleagues, and the fact naturally excites suspicion as to the safety of the mails that left here by the *Zealandia*, Aug. 30 last.

I shall avail myself of the first opportunity to inquire from my Government if the dispatches referred to were ever received, and will advise you at once of their reply, meanwhile.

I have the honor to be, Your Excellency's most obedient humble servant,

[Signed] JOHN H. PATY,  
Consul for the Netherlands and for Belgium.  
To His Excellency W. L. Green, H.H.M.'s Minister of Foreign Affairs.

IMPERIAL GERMAN CONSULATE,  
HONOLULU, February 5th, 1881.

SIR: In reply to your Excellency's communication of February 3d, inquiring whether I have reason to suspect that despatches which were forwarded by this Consulate to my Government by the mail steamer *Zealandia* leaving this port for San Francisco on the 30th of August last, have been abstracted from the mail bag, &c. I beg leave to state that a despatch from this Consulate, forwarded by the Agents' mail bag by said steamer and on said date, and addressed to the care of the German Consulate in San Francisco, to be mailed to the Department of Foreign Affairs in Berlin; has never reached its destination. Its receipt not having been acknowledged as customary.

I am not able to account for its loss, and have since made enquiries of the German Consulate in San Francisco, the result of which will be communicated to you as soon as received.

The Agents of the steamer, who have forwarded a number of letters by the same bag, inform me that they have none missing.

I have the honor to be Sir, your Excellency's most obedient humble servant.

[Signed] H. W. SCHMIDT,  
Acting Consul for the German Empire.  
To His Excellency W. L. Green, H.H.M.'s Minister of Foreign Affairs.

I. AND R. AUSTRO-HUNGARY CONSULATE,  
HONOLULU, February 4th, 1881.

SIR: In answer to your Excellency's despatch, dated February 3d, 1881, in regard to letters sent per steamer *Zealandia*, 30th of August last, I have the honor to reply that a despatch sent by me on the 30th of August, and another one on the 27th of September 1880, to the Imp. and Royal Austro-Hungarian Embassy in Washington, have so far not been answered.

I delivered those despatches and other letters myself in the post-office. The other letters arrived at their destination in Europe and America, as I have received an answer.

A request will be forwarded by me by the next mail to the Imp. and Royal Embassy to be pleased to inform me as to the arrival or non-arrival of the despatches, so that I may be able to give a definite answer to your Excellency.

With the highest respect, I have the honor to sign, your Excellency's most obedient servant.

[Signed] E. HOFFMANN,  
Imp. and Royal Austro-Hungary Consul.  
To His Excellency W. L. Green, Minister of Foreign Affairs.

**OLD JUDGE**  
**TOBACCO AND CIGARETTES,**  
AT HOLLISTER'S. 921