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Dr. A. B. Clark has opened offices in Spreckels' Block, room 3, entrance next Hilo Drug Store.

## BY AUTHORITY.

### Public Lands Notice.

On Monday, March 19th, 1906, at 12 o'clock noon, at the Public Lands Office, Hilo, Hawaii, will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, under the provisions of Sec. 17, Part IV, Land Act 1895, the following lot of Public Land: Lots No. 17, A and B, P. L. Map 2, Kamaili, Puna, Hawaii.  
Area: 60 acres. Terms: Cash. Upset price: \$300.00.  
Plan of the lots, and full particulars as to necessary qualifications of applicants, method of applying, etc., may be obtained at the Land Department, Honolulu, or at the Sub-Agent's Office, Hilo, Hawaii.  
JAS. W. PRATT,  
Commissioner of Public Lands.  
Honolulu, T. H., February 15th, 1906.  
Feb. 20, 27—Mar. 6, 13

### Hoolaha Aina Aupuni.

Ma ka Poakahi, Maraki la 19, 1906, ma ke Keena Aina Aupuni, ma Hilo, Hawaii, i ka hora 12 awakea, e kua i a ka ai ma ke kudala ake, i ka mea koho kiekie, malalo o na manao o ka Pauku 17, Mabele IV, Kanawai Aina 1895, na apana Aina Aupuni malalo iho nei:  
Na Apana Helu 17, A me B, (i hoo-kahi apana) Plapala Aina Aupuni Helu 2, Kamaili, Puna, Hawaii.  
Haina: 60 eka. Komukua haabaa: \$300.00. Dala kuika.  
O na kii o ka aina, ame na kuhikuhi pihia e pili ana i na mea e supono ai ka mea e noi ana, e loa no ma ke Keena Aina Aupuni ma Honolulu, a i ole ma ke Keena Aina Aupuni ma Hilo, Hawaii.  
JAS. W. PRATT,  
Komisina o na Aina Aupuni.  
Honolulu, T. H., Peberuari 15, 1906.  
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### LEGAL NOTICES.

In the Circuit Court of the Fourth Circuit, Territory of Hawaii.

AT CHAMBERS—IN PROBATE.  
In the matter of the Estate of JULIUS REINHARDT, deceased.

ORDER OF NOTICE OF PETITION FOR ALLOWANCE OF FINAL ACCOUNTS AND DISCHARGE IN DECEASED ESTATES.

On reading and filing the petition and accounts of R. T. Guard, Administrator of the estate of Julius Reinhardt, deceased, wherein he asks to be allowed \$209.90, and he charges himself with \$212.22, and asks that the same may be examined and approved, and that a final order may be made of distribution of the property remaining in his hands to the persons thereto entitled, and discharging him and his sureties from all further responsibility as such.

It is ordered, that Tuesday, the 20th day of March, A. D. 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m., before the Judge of said Court at the Court room of the said Court at South Hilo, Island of Hawaii, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place for hearing said petition and accounts, and that all persons interested may then and there appear and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted, and may present evidence as to who are entitled to the said property. And that notice of this order, in the English language, be published in the Hilo Tribune, a newspaper, printed and published in Hilo, for four successive weeks, the last publication to be not less than ten days previous to the time therein appointed for said hearing.  
Dated at Hilo this 8th day of February, 1906.

CHARLES F. PARSONS,  
Judge.  
Attest:  
A. S. LeBARON GURNEY, Clerk.  
16-4 By Chas. Hitchcock, Deputy Clerk.

### Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has this day been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Ah Wo, deceased, late of Puna, and has qualified as such Administrator. All persons having debts or claims against the said Estate are notified that said claims must be presented to the undersigned, properly verified, within six months from the date hereof, or they will be forever barred.  
(Signed) L. AHIP,  
Administrator.  
Hilo, Hawaii, February 20, 1906.  
CARL S. SMITH, Attorney for Administrator. 18-4

### Notice.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Volcano Stables and Transportation Co., Ltd. held at their office on Saturday, February 17, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:  
C. C. Kennedy.....President  
J. A. Scott.....Vice President  
A. M. Wilson.....Secretary  
Chris. Castendyk.....Treasurer  
E. N. Holmes.....Auditor  
J. T. Moir.....Directors  
A. Lindsay.....Directors  
A. M. WILSON,  
Secretary.  
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# PROGRESS OF THE HAWAIIAN REFUND BILL

The refund bill is making progress at Washington. Enemies to the proposition develop, but there is much influential and pronounced opinion favorable. Delegate Kalaniana'ole writes to the Honolulu press to this effect, as follows:

"Washington, D. C., Feb. 17.—Work on our revenue measure was promptly renewed by the delegation and myself at the beginning of this week. On Monday forenoon, by appointment, in company with Colonel Hepburn, I presented the delegation to Speaker Cannon at his private room. The Speaker gave us a very careful audience and asked numerous questions bearing upon the validity of our claims. His remarks and questions also clearly reflected his personal knowledge of Hawaiian conditions. We, of course, did not expect him to make any expression in favor of the bill, but his attitude seemed, in the main, friendly, and he did not raise some of the radical objections to the proposition that we expected. Immediately afterwards I presented the delegation to Chairman Tawney, in his committee room. The essentials of the bill had already been gone over with Mr. Tawney, and he again expressed his implied favor of the measure. Representative Bourke Cochran was seen by a member of the delegation, and he pledged his hearty support to the measure. This same gentleman, however, when he presented another letter of introduction to John Sharpe Williams, the minority leader, was met with a sharp rebuff, and the statement that he did not care to even listen to any reasons in favor of this bill, as his mind was already firmly made up against it. We have also been given to understand that Mr. Lloyd will oppose the bill, and it is possible that an effort will be made by the Democratic leader to gather opposition to its passage.

"On Monday afternoon, I presented the delegation to Senators Perkins, Warren, Flint and Beveridge, all of whom expressed themselves as favoring my bill.

"On Tuesday, our appointment hearing was made before the Senate Committee on Pacific Islands and Porto Rico, Senators Foraker, Flint, Rayner, Pyles, Wetmore and Clapp being present. The main argument was made by Mr. George W. Smith, with brief additional statements by others. Sentiment in this Senate Committee seemed to be in favor of some friendly action, although some of the drift of their talk was toward cutting down both the percentage and the term of years and applying the entire amount granted to territorial works exclusively.

"On Tuesday evening the entire California delegation in the House were our guests at a dinner at the New Willard hotel. The two California Senators were unable to be present because of previous engagements. Congressman McLachlan of the River and Harbors Committee referred in very flattering terms to the work done by Hawaii before their Committee the last session, and Congressman Smith, Hays and Kahn pointed out several precedents in Congressional action which were more radical than that asked for in the present bill. All the members of the Hawaiian delegation felt that the affair was a very successful one.

"On Thursday, I presented the delegation to Chairman Payne of the Ways and Means Committee, who is the nominal leader of the Republicans in the House. Mr. Payne, while receiving us, very courteously expressed his disapproval of our measure, taking the ground that Hawaii contains ample wealth and natural resources to make it advisable for her to get only the same treatment that is accorded the other states and territories.

"On every hand suggestions are met with that either the percentage or term of years, or both, should be reduced. To this we have uniformly said that if any reduction must be made, we ask that it be made in the term of years and not in the percentage rate, although we shall make strenuous efforts to have the bill reported without change as to either one. The fact that my bill calls for action differing from that extended to any other territory has always caused wide comment in both the House and the Senate. It is evident that while we shall have some strong support, there will also be much opposition to the measure.

"If the Democratic leader attempts to gather the opposition against us, we shall try to have it made a party issue by the Republicans. But as Mr. Payne and some other Republican leaders do not favor the bill, there are obvious difficulties in having this done. For the present, our efforts are centered on securing a favorable report from the committee while still carrying on our general effort to extend its number of friends upon the floor."

## Russian Refugees Arriving.

New York, March 2.—Two thousand Russian refugees have arrived here.

## Nationalize Japanese Railroads.

Tokio, March 2.—The Cabinet has resolved to submit to the Diet a bill for nationalization of the railroads.

## Philippine Bill Killed.

Washington, March 2.—The Philippine tariff bill, also a proposed Philippine free trade bill, have been killed in Senate Committee.

## Army Bill Passes House.

Washington, D. C., March 2.—The House of Representatives has passed the Army Appropriation bill carrying sixty-nine millions of dollars.

## The Expected Outbreak in China.

Canton, Feb. 26.—The situation here is quiet. It is believed that the Nanchang trouble is a local disturbance and that it will not spread.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.—The American mission at Nanchang has been destroyed by rioters. The missionaries attached to the mission escaped.

The trouble is said to have originated in a dispute between the French Jesuits and the Chinese officials. Six Jesuits and two members of the Kingman family, British people, were killed during the rioting. Order has been restored. The American gunboat El Cano has been ordered to the scene from Shanghai.

Washington, D. C., March 1.—American Consul Rodgers has cabled the State Department that the American property at Nanchang is safe. The refugees have gone to Kinkiang.

Nanchang, March 1.—The native inhabitants of Nanchang are fleeing in dread of the arrival of the foreign gunboat.

Peking, March 2.—The situation here is quiet. The Empress Dowager is ill.

Columbia, South America, Feb. 26.—An earthquake on February 21 followed by a tidal wave is reported to have caused two thousand deaths along the coast.

Manila, Feb. 26.—General Wood, whose trip to Mindanao on inspection, was delayed on account of preparations for Chinese trouble, has gone to Mindanao.

## Ex-Bank-President Arrested.

Chicago, March 2.—John R. Walsh, former president of the Chicago National bank, which recently failed, has been arrested for a violation of the banking laws.

## Bill to Increase Salaries.

Washington, March 2.—Senator Gallinger has introduced a bill fixing the salary of the President at \$75,000 a year, that of the Vice-President and members of the Cabinet at \$15,000, the Speaker of the House of Representatives at \$12,000, and of Senators and Representatives at \$7,500 each.

## Troops to Manila.

Valetta, Malta, March 1.—The U. S. Transports Kilpatrick and McClellan with the First Infantry aboard, arrived here today en route to Manila.

## Race Riots.

Springfield, Illinois, March 1.—Race rioting was resumed last night, and the mob of whites destroyed a dozen houses of negroes before the militia, hastily called out by Governor Deneen, succeeded in controlling the situation. At midnight the city was quiet.

## Fatal Prize Fight.

San Francisco, March 1.—Prize Fighter Tenny, who was knocked out by Neil last night, died this morning and the autopsy shows that death was due to cerebral hemorrhage caused by the blow that ended the fight. His relatives say that he was doped. According to others, epilepsy was the cause of death.

Champion Neil and all the promoters of the fight have been arrested on charges of manslaughter, and have been released on bail.

## Dynamited and Robbed.

San Diego, Cal., Feb. 27.—The local postoffice has been dynamited and six thousand dollars stolen.

## Russian Revolutionists Arrested.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 27.—Thirty revolutionists composing the central group of the fighting organization, have been arrested.

## Rob Russian Bank.

Helsingfors, Feb. 27.—Ten men have robbed the Russian State Bank, taking thirty-seven thousand roubles. The robbers shot the guardian of the bank and escaped.

## To Settle Coal Miners' Strike.

New York, Feb. 27.—John Mitchell has announced that he will call a convention of the coal miners on March 15, following the suggestion of President Roosevelt that further efforts be made to secure a settlement of the wage schedule.

## Standard Oil Amenable to Laws.

Jefferson City, Missouri, Feb. 27.—The Supreme Court has decided that witnesses must answer questions in the oil trust cases, consequently Rogers will be forced to furnish information concerning the operations of Standard Oil in this state.

## Senator Acquitted.

Sacramento, Feb. 26.—Senator French, who was charged with acceptance of a bribe during the last session of the legislature, has been acquitted.

## Castro and the Monroe Doctrine.

Willemstad, Dutch West Indies, Feb. 26.—It is reported that President Castro of Venezuela has decided to break with the Monroe doctrine and expel foreigners. The populace is reported to be desirous of an American protectorate and immediate intervention.

## Quarantine Bill Passed.

Honolulu, Feb. 26.—"Quarantine bill passed," is the substance of a cablegram received Saturday by W. A. H. Connor, who represents the San Francisco Bridge Company in its dredging work in Honolulu Harbor. Thus it is learned that the government has appropriated \$20,000 for the reclamation of Quarantine Island, a thing that has been expected by the people of this city for some time.

## Woman Suffrage in Britain.

London, Feb. 25.—Sir Charles Dilke has introduced a bill in Parliament giving the franchise to women.

[Recognized as one of the ablest English statesmen of the day, if not the very ablest, the career of Sir Charles Dilke was virtually wrecked by a woman when he was made co-respondent in a famous divorce suit.]

## King Edward Lamed For Life.

London, Feb. 24.—It has been discovered that King Edward broke his tendon achilles in a fall in the hunting field last November and that he will be lamed for life.

London, March 2.—King Edward has started on a two months' holiday trip, to visit France and the Mediterranean. He is traveling in recognition as the Duke of Lancaster.

## Hamakua Ditch Company.

A sign of great activity in the Hamakua Ditch Company's plans has been shown by the filing of contracts in the record office, wherein the company is pledged to start actual work on the construction of its ditch this year, and to provide water to the plantations in question next year. The contracts now on file are between the Ditch Company and the Honokaa Sugar Company and the Pacific Sugar Mill Company. Both concern the upper ditch. Some other contracts involving the lower ditch were filed but subsequently withdrawn.—Bulletin.



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J. WHERLOCK MARSH - Editor D. W. MARSH - Business Manager.

J. T. STACKER, who with last week's issue retired from the editorship of the Herald, has made many friends in Hilo, who regret his withdrawal from the position he has so long and ably filled.

JOHN U. SMITH has been chosen as editor of our esteemed democratic contemporary the Hawaii Herald, a position made vacant by the resignation of J. T. Stacker. Mr. Smith is a man of versatility and well-known ability and the TRIBUNE congratulates the Herald on securing his services.

THE new proposition made by the Territorial land board to the Portuguese is certainly fair to them. It appears to be an attractive offer. The scheme of having villages in each tract, taken in connection with the new policy of the Oiaa and Wainaku plantations to plot townships where laborers may live in their own homes, marks the beginning of an industrial change in this island.

A SUGGESTION.

SOME time ago the Honolulu Advertiser made the following suggestion:

"Honolulu and Hilo ought to unite in some fitting celebration of the doubling of their first-class passenger and mail inter-communication now assured to start on the first of July."

Judge Dole said of his recent visit to the island of Hawaii:

"Residents of Honolulu, as a general rule, have no idea of the positive changes of climate which can be had in these islands. Where I spent last week there is a steady temperature at this season even cooler than that of San Francisco. Actual frost occurs and water freezes over night."

"The weather was delightfully fine during my stay, with no rain worth speaking about."

"Few Honolulu people realize what a bracing climate can be enjoyed without leaving the islands."

Now the TRIBUNE enthusiastically seconds the suggestion of the Advertiser, and would suggest an excursion to this island for the numerous residents of Honolulu who have never been here. They ought all to come and learn something about this country. That, we believe, would be the most effective cure for the "knockers."

The repeated statements of tourists, that they are advised in Honolulu against making the trip, establishes the fact beyond reasonable doubt that individuals answering this description are to be found in Honolulu. Honolulu papers are not among the number, for they have intelligence; they are not the tourists who have been here. The influences that are working against the Hilo trip are ignorance and special interests. The islands have many attractions for the tourist, and every resident of Honolulu should know that the Volcano of Kilauea is the chief, and is to be at least kept upon the list.

Initiation and Banquet.

Sixteen new members were initiated by Court Mauna Kea, 884, Order of Foresters, at their hall Monday evening. After the initiation ceremonies all adjourned to the banquet table where the following toasts were responded to, Chief Ranger, W. H. Beers, presiding as toast master: "Ancient Order of Forestry," B. F. Schoen, P. C.; "Our New Members," R. A. Lyman, Jr.; song by Kamehameha quintet; "Court Cames," J. A. M. Osorio; "Trip to Volcano," J. U. Smith; music; "Advice to Officers," G. F. Alfonso; "The Acting Governor," N. W. Aluli; song, by quartet; "The President," W. A. Petter; "Fraternal Societies," Dr. Hayes; music. Others responded with impromptu remarks and songs. About seventy-five members were present.

First Foreign Church.

Sabbath, March 11, 1906, 11 a.m.—"He looked and said there is nothing; and Elijah said, go again seven times," I Kings 18:43.

THE OREGON EXCURSIONISTS.

Entertained by Hilo People—Visit the Volcano.

The party of Portland Daily Journal young lady excursionists from Oregon arrived on the Kinau Wednesday. They were entertained during their brief stay, by the people of Hilo at a reception and ball in the Armory; and at a supper given by some of the young men. The late arrival of the steamer spoiled part of the program, a drive about Hilo having been arranged for, that the visitors might see some of the natural attractions Hilo has to offer.

The party were met at the wharf by a committee and driven to the Peacock hotel and from there were escorted to Demosthenes Cafe for dinner. Though but directly from the ocean steamer, every member of the party attended the ball and did the honors of the occasion with a grace and spirit that their state might well be proud of. The hall was specially decorated for the occasion, the walls draped with flags and bunting and adorned with palms and other tropical foliage; and the greenery of the musicians' platform was effectively illuminated with vari-colored incandescents. The program was gotten up with an attempt at special propriety. It bore the motto of the State of Oregon, "Alis Volat Propriis;" "She Flies With Her Own Wings," over a view of Coconut Island.

The list of names of the visitors was printed upon the program as follows: Mrs. Edyth Tozier Weathered, chaperon; Miss Mollie Proebstel, La Grande; Miss Katie Nash, La Grande; Miss Minnie S. Phillips, Portland; Miss Sallie Madigan, Portland; Miss Blanchette Brown, Salem; Miss Bertha Courtemanche, McMinnville; Miss Edna Parsley, Roseburg; Miss Elsie May King, Walla Walla, Wash.; Miss Florence Heavren, Vancouver, Wash.; Miss Emilie Crossen, The Dalles. Following was the inscription: "From 'where rolls the Oregon and hears no sound save its own dashing,' to the abode of the goddess Pele." Some chinook jargon, which the young ladies were supposed to speak fluently but did not, headed one page, as follows: "Nesika chaco si—ah inati salt chuck, pe nesika hy-as ticks midite copa mesika quan-asm." "We come from a very long distance across the ocean, we would like to stay always." On the other page: "Ua Man ke Ea o ka Aina i ka Pono," the motto on the coins of the Hawaiian royalty, and that of King Kamehameha III. "The foundations of the government are laid in righteousness."

The Lei Mamo Glee Club furnished music and refreshments were served. At the conclusion of the first part of the program, the ladies sang the following song composed by Mrs. Edyth Tozier Weathered, the voices blending well, music and sentiment being heartily applauded:

(Tune "My Bonnie") "Here's to the land of Hawaii, The beautiful Isle far away; Where the sunshine, fruits and flowers, Make life one long happy day. Sleep on, dream on, Hawaii, Hawaii for me."

"To one and all of the Island, The Journal's best greetings we bring, And when we return to our homeland, Hawaii's best interests we'll sing. Sleep on, dream on, Hawaii, Hawaii for me."

The following sentiment was, also, spoken in concert: "Here's to the Hilo bachelors, The Journal girls came to meet; We think you are all quite handsome, And, say—just a wee bit sweet. And here's a smile to greet you And a heart for one and all; But we hope the goblins will eat you If you are still bachelors this fall."

The dancing program concluded, the ladies were invited to supper at the Demosthenes Cafe an enjoyable feature added to the program. At the festal board Mrs. Weathered, speaking on behalf of the ladies, expressed great appreciation of the reception the Hilo people had accorded them and of the good time the party had enjoyed.

THE VOLCANO TRIP.

Seven o'clock Thursday morning found the party aboard the train of the Hilo Railroad Company; destination, volcano. In the volcano party, besides the Oregon ladies, there were J. J. Downing, of Honolulu, excursion conductor, and J. B. McSwainson, representing the Honolulu Bulletin; also J. U. Smith and J. W. Marsh, of the Oregon colony in Hilo.

The first visit to the volcano is the trip of a life-time to any one, however familiar with the wonders of nature, and the ride by train through cane fields, banana groves and tropical woods was full of interest and surprises for the northern visitors. The change at Glenwood from cars to stage adds novelty and interest to the trip. The nine miles of staging up through the fern forests, with Mauna Loa's brown front and snow sprinkled summit in the back ground, always interesting, was especially enjoyed by the Oregonians. A forest of fern trees and ohia presenting features very different in appearance from an Oregon forest of lofty fir or pine, the Hawaiian forest more nearly resembling the undergrowth with forest removed.

Interest gives way to wonder when the hotel appears, with steam jets rising from the ground as if it were surrounded by a smouldering forest fire, and when the crater bursts on the view in its immensity, words fail to describe the impression made. Its dimensions have to be seen to be appreciated. One sees a lake of lava rock that he has been informed is six miles across, enclosed in walls of lava of a different formation. In the distance, out of it, steam, like smoke, rises in great volumes. The surface of the lake appears rough as if it had been tossed into waves and there congealed.

All the features of interest in the vicinity of the Volcano House were seen, including Kilauca Iki, and after luncheon horses were brought up and mounted and record breaking time made to the crater, three miles distant. On the arrival of the guide and assembling of the party, all were piloted through the cave and into the "Devils Kitchen." The proprietor was not seen, but he had left his fire burning and from the crevices above postal cards were scorched for souvenirs and coffee made. The sun had set behind Mauna Loa, reddened by clouds of sulphur fumes, on the party's arrival at the crater's edge, and it was now fully dark and time to see what kind of a pyrotechnic display Madam Pele had in store. The volcanic fires were seen by all through the hundreds of feet of thick vapor that filled the crater. The guide asked the party to sing, intimating that Pele liked music and that a better display of fire would be the reward.

The account of the visit can only be written in lighter vein; the newspaper man would better leave it to some literary genius to attempt to describe the appearance of Kilauca and the awe and wonder at the sight of it in all its features. The moon was shining and the heavens ablaze with stars, aiding in the return.

To paraphrase Scott: "If thou would'st view Kilauca aright, go visit it by the pale moonlight." The appearance of the surroundings riding over the floor of the crater is rendered weird, and particularly was the mystical effect produced upon the cliff walls at the foot of the trail approaching the hotel noticed and commented upon.

Dinner, sitting before the roaring fire of the hotel fireplace, for there is a chill in the air at that altitude; preparing souvenir postals and letters for mailing, and a view of the constellation of the southern cross, not to be seen in northern latitudes, brought the day to a close.

Mrs. Weathered wrote an appropriate inscription in the register of the Volcano House and drew a vignette sketch of Mt. Hood in Oregon. She said in conclusion: "It is our opinion that no true American has done his country justice if the Isles of Hawaii are not included in his travels."

Mrs. Weathered also expressed the opinion that the volcano should be made a national park. The party arrived back on Friday morning's train and departed by the Kinau on their return to Honolulu. They enjoyed their brief visit on the island of Hawaii and appreciated Hilo's hospitality. Many things about this country surprised them—its extent, resources, people, and they will as newspaper correspondents, magazine writers, etc., spread information about the character of the country widely, and be valuable aid in a campaign of education relative to the islands.

Association at Kalapana.

A semi annual meeting of the Hawaii Congregational Association was held at Kalapana, Puna, from Thursday to Sunday of the past week. Rev. Dr. Scudder, superintendent of mission, and others from a distance were present. A resolution was adopted approving the policy of the union of contiguous smaller churches in the support of a minister. The matter of systematic benevolence was discussed and enthusiasm prevailed for the support of the Hawaiian Board of Home Missions and the American Board of Foreign Missions.

Mrs. Ruth B. Baker, mother of Dr. Baker, of Kona, was licensed to preach. The suggestion to limit calls to pastors to 5 years, was approved. Rev. O. H. Gulick delivered an address on the subject: "Workers together with God."

Rev. Kamakawiwoole, also, delivered a remarkable address. Mr. John Martin, agent of the Hawaii Anti-Saloon League, was present and addressed the association.

Rev. S. L. Desha was prominent for his able interpretations. Visitors attending expressed appreciation of the helpfulness of Deputy Sheriff Haahoe, and of the hospitality of the people of the place. Kalapana has the distinction of being known as the town where no signatures can be obtained to a petition for a saloon.

Kohala Sugar Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Kohala Sugar Company was held on Saturday, March 3, at the office of Castle & Cook, Honolulu. The old board was re-elected, the following being the officers: E. D. Tenney, president; C. H. Cook, vice president; W. A. Bowen, treasurer; C. E. Atherton, secretary; M. P. Robinson, auditor.

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Parished Rooms for Rent.

Large, nicely furnished rooms opening on two verandas for rent very reasonable. Mrs. WRIGHT.

HILO PINEAPPLE CO.

The prospectus of the above Company has been issued and generally distributed. Persons in search of a good home investment are invited to investigate this opportunity.

Those desiring to take an interest in the Company are requested to enter their subscriptions before March 15.

L. A. ANDREWS, P. O. Box 251 Hilo, Hawaii

Notice.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Hilo Tribune Publishing Co., Ltd., held Tuesday, February 27, 1906, the following were elected officers for the ensuing year: C. C. Kennedy, President; D. W. Marsh, Vice President; J. W. Marsh, Secretary and Treasurer; R. I. Lillie, Auditor. The foregoing with C. A. Cool and C. McLennan constitute the Board of Directors. J. W. MARSH, Secretary.

Notice.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the L. Turner Co., Ltd., held on Saturday, February 24, 1906, in the office of the company, the following were elected officers for the ensuing year: C. C. Kennedy, President; Adam Lindsay, Vice President; N. C. Willifong, Secretary; L. Turner, Treasurer; E. A. Medcalf, Auditor. The foregoing with John T. Moir and C. Castendyk, comprise the Board of Directors. N. C. WILLIFONG, Secretary.

BY AUTHORITY.

Reconstruction of Makapala School House, Kohala, Hawaii.

Proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Public Works, Honolulu, T. H., until 12 o'clock m. of March 15th, 1906, for reconstructing the Makapala School House at Kohala, Hawaii, T. H.

Plans, specifications and blank forms of proposal may be obtained at the office of the Assistant Superintendent of Public Works, and with Dr. B. D. Bond, Kohala, Hawaii, for which a deposit of \$5.00 is required, which sum will be refunded intending bidders after they have returned the plans and specifications.

Proposals will not be accepted unless submitted on the blank forms furnished, enclosed with a certified bank check for Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars in a sealed envelope, endorsed "Proposal for the Reconstruction of Makapala School House at Kohala," and delivered previous to 12 o'clock m. of the day specified at the office of the Superintendent of Public Works who reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

C. S. HOLLOWAY, Superintendent of Public Works, Department of Public Works, Honolulu, T. H., Feb. 27th, 1906.

Public Lands Notice.

On Saturday, March 31st, 1906, at and after 9 o'clock a. m. at the Court House, Honouka, Hamakua, Hawaii, applications will be received under the provisions of Part VII, Land Act 1895, (Right of Purchase Leases) for the following lots of Public Land:

Table with columns: Lot No., Area, Appraised value. Lists lots 28 through 47 with their respective areas and values.

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JAS. W. PRATT, Commissioner of Public Lands, Honolulu, T. H., February 27th, 1906. Mar. 6, 13, 20, 27

Hoolaha Aina Aupuni.

Ma ka Pono, la 31 o Maraki, 1906, ka hora 9 a. m. a mahope iho, ma ka Hale Hookolokolo ma Honouka, Hamakua, Hawaii, e waiho ia mai no na noi maalo o na manao o ka Mahele VII, Kanawai Aina 1895, (Kuleana Kuai Hoolaha) no na apana Aina Aupuni 28 a hiki 47, ma Pahu mauka, renei:

Table with columns: Apana, Ilaina, Kumuwaikai, Appraised value. Lists apanas 28 through 47 with their values.

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JAS. W. PRATT, Komissina o na Aina Aupuni, Honolulu, T. H., February 27, 1906. Mar. 6, 13, 20, 27

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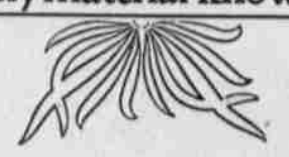
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Acting Governor Atkinson is being powerfully sustained in the position he has taken, as president of the Board of Immigration, of refusing aid to the importation of plantation laborers without the assurance from planters of at least one acre of land and a house to each head of a family brought here.

"Mr. Giffard came to me today," the Acting Governor said yesterday, "and told me that W. G. Irwin & Co. were in thorough accord with me upon the policy of domiciling labor. He stated that their plantations were all getting in line to meet the condition I have laid down of giving an acre of land in fee simple to every family of labor immigrants."

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"One of their managers was in town now, who was having land laid out in one-acre lots for the expected immigrants. This is John A. Scott of Wainaku. He is plotting a town site of fifty homesteads on that plantation, which will be given in fee simple to laborers.

"Of course there are many little details to be arranged with the planters. Some planters, it is true, have not fee simple land to offer, but in such cases the government will endeavor to assist in finding land for those willing to conform to the policy.

"Olaa Sugar Co. is coming up to the condition. That company is laying out acre lots as homesteads for laborers. The work began last week under authority of the board of directors. Moreover, these homesteads are not merely being prepared for people who may come, but are being offered to people already in the country. It is proposed to give fee simple title to the land when the laborer has occupied it for three years. You are probably aware that Mr. Thurston went over to the plantation last week on this business."

Mr. Atkinson went on to speak in terms of warm appreciation of the cordial and enthusiastic support Mr. Damon, as financier of Olaa, had given to the proposition.

"This thing of Olaa," the Acting Governor said, "is one of the greatest moves any plantation has made in this direction. Their going right ahead and giving fee simple land to people now on the ground shows that they mean business."

Mr. Atkinson felt justified in claiming that the support he had already received, as above mentioned, from W. G. Irwin & Co. and Olaa Sugar Co., was the best of evidence to prove the soundness of the policy he had declared.—Advertiser.

**Cruzan in Spokane, Wash.**

Rev. J. A. Cruzan, well-known in Hawaii, has left the Congregational communion and become a Unitarian. He was pastor of Fort street church, Honolulu, with which the Bethel united after its church burned in the great fire of 1886, forming Central Union Church. Differences, in part doctrinal, having occurred between him and the congregation, Pastor Cruzan, as he entitled himself, retired and went to the coast. Returning to the islands he was for some years pastor of the Foreign church at Hilo. Mr. Cruzan is a G. A. R. comrade. In the San Francisco Chronicle's church news of February 11 the following reference to him appears:

"Rev. J. A. Cruzan, known through his work along Congregational church lines, especially during the period he did editorial work for The Pacific, organ of the denomination here, is now in charge of the Unitarian Church of Spokane, Wash., where he is accomplishing much active work. The trustees of his church have recently published a communication urging all liberal Christians to be loyal to the principles for which Unitarianism stands, during the year 1906."

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**Many Japs Coming.**

Japanese immigration to Hawaii has recently increased in a marked degree. The average since the first of the year has run over a thousand a month, and the indications are that it is to be kept up. On the Korea, which left Yokohama several days ago enroute here, there are said to be five hundred Japanese for Honolulu.

At the same time migration to the coast has also increased, and Japanese are leaving Hawaii for the mainland at the rate of about five hundred a month. A steamer is coming to take a large number away before the end of the present month, and there is much agitation among Japanese all over the island, of the California labor proposition.

A considerable proportion of the Japanese coming here from their native land have the mainland for their real destination, it is thought. The imperial government will not allow the immigration of Japs to America, but does allow them to come here, and the Japs therefore start for here with a view to continuing the journey.—Star.

**Oregon Girls At Young Hotel.**

The ball at the Alexander Young Hotel last evening in honor of the Oregon girls was a very pretty affair and well attended by local society folk and visitors to Hawaii. The evening was perfect, save for a shower earlier in the evening, and even this was refreshing. The Roof Garden was brilliantly illuminated and with the numerous potted plants with which it is garnished, it was a delightful promenade between dances. The Kai Quintet Club furnished delightful Hawaiian music for the dances and the features were a source of delight to the young ladies from Oregon.

The young women were prettily gowned and as all are excellent dancers they danced very number on the program. In fact, although the guests of honor, they were the belles of the ball. Manager Gray last evening certainly excelled as a host and not only the Oregon girls, chaperoned by Mrs. Edyth Tozier Weathered, but all who attended, enjoyed a delightful evening.—Advertiser.

**Acting Governor Atkinson expresses himself in favor of increasing the salaries of the teachers.**

He says:

"I think that when the next legislature goes into session we should make sure of getting a good and sufficient appropriation for the teachers, even if some of the other items will have to be cut down as a consequence. I am in favor of raising these salaries, not only to restore them to the old basis but to place them on a good basis."

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## A Queer Capture

[Copyright, 1905, by T. C. McClure.] In the year 1884 the British survey steamer Comet left Bombay to survey the Maldive islands.

The Comet had shipped ten men before starting out, all half castes and, as appeared later on, members of a secret band that had sworn vengeance on anything British. These men mutinied and, having got possession of the brig, ran her into Shark bay, on the northernmost island. The captain and other officers were set afloat on a raft, unprovided with sail, water or provisions, and no doubt they perished in the storm that swept over the waters next day.

The leader of the half castes was a man known as Dondra. He was a sailor by occupation and probably as great a ruffian as could be found in all India. When a start was made from Shark harbor a course was laid for Ceylon, and during a voyage lasting four weeks the Comet captured seven coasting vessels. In each and every case the crews were put to death, the cargoes transhipped and the craft scuttled.

It was piracy after the old style, except that the brig did not dare attack larger vessels. Her acts finally reached the ears of the authorities, and men-of-war started from Bombay and Calcutta to overhaul her.

After sailing part of the way up the coast of Ceylon the Comet put about, and she was halfway back to her harbor of refuge when the *Serpent* (man-of-war) sighted her. It was during a heavy gale, and nothing could be done but chase. It was three days before the *Serpent* fired a gun. Just as evening was coming on on the third day and after the mutineers had refused to surrender she crept up and fired a broadside into the brig and sent her to the bottom. It was supposed at the time that everybody aboard was drowned, but two months later news reached Bombay that Dondra and four other half castes had got away in a boat and reached an island at the mouth of the gulf of Manaar. A gunboat was sent down to make an investigation and a reward of £2,000 offered for the five men.

In the month of September of the year mentioned the bark *Southland*, bound from Liverpool to Bombay, was making her way up the Malabar coast under light breezes. One night in the middle watch it fell a dead calm, and this state of weather continued all next day and night. At midnight on the second night the officer of the deck heard faint shouting and singing to the east, and as no vessel had been sighted in that direction he was mystified. As the noises continued the mate awoke the captain, and it was finally decided that there were men afloat in a small boat a mile or so away. We burned a flare to guide them and heard shouts in reply, but it was two hours before a yawl crept up to us out of the darkness. The little craft contained five half castes Hindoos, and they were suffering terribly for the want of food and water. There was but one oar and no sail.

The story told by the men, all of whom spoke English fairly well, was that they were part of the crew of a coaster named the *Emerald* and while she was making her way up the gulf of Manaar she had been struck by a squall and turned turtle. They had clung to her bottom for several hours, but had finally managed to loosen the boat and drift out to sea. They claimed to have been afloat for three days. We had no room to stow their boat, and it was cast adrift, but not before we had seen that her name had been erased.

When questioned separately the stories of the men did not agree, but as we had heard nothing about the pirates we could not make out what the fellows had been up to. Their leader was an impudent swaggerer, who would not promise to do any work in return for his passage to Bombay, and he had not been aboard two days when the captain ordered him into irons. This action sobered him up, and presently he was as humble as you please and begging for his release. When restored to liberty he was zealous in his duty, and all suspicions on our part would have been lulled but for a discovery made by one of the apprentices who understood the Hindoo language.

Thinking themselves alone in the fore-castle one afternoon, the strangers plotted to take the ship, and the lad overheard every word and carried the news to the captain. He passed word to the crew, and of a sudden the Hindoos were fallen upon and made prisoners.

Not three hours later the gunboat from Bombay boarded us to give us the news about the pirates and ask that we keep our eyes open for them. Great was the surprise of her commander to find that we had prisoners aboard who answered to the description of those he was after.

The Hindoos saw that the game was up, and one of them made a confession. Their leader was Dondra himself, and they had been hiding on an island in the gulf. Learning that their whereabouts was known, they had put off to sea in a panic and in a boat stolen from another vessel. Two of their number had been stabbed to death during a quarrel and their bodies thrown overboard. The five survivors intended to fall upon our crew of eleven men and murder us all.

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25	26	27 <sup>x</sup>	28 *Alameda	29	30 *Korea Nevedan	31 *Am. Maru

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S. S. Kinau departs from Hilo for Honolulu every Friday at 10:30 a. m. S. S. Mauna Loa's mail closes in Hilo on Saturdays and Tuesdays marked (x) at 2:15 p. m., arriving in Honolulu at daylight three days later.

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CONDENSED LOCAL ITEMS

Special sale of ribbons at half price at E. N. Holmes'. R. W. Fuller, Supt. of the Kahului Railroad on Maui, is visiting in the city. Attention is called to changes in the ad of the Economic Shoe Co. Rev. M. G. Santos, in charge of the Portuguese Protestant Mission at Pata, Maui, is in the city. The advertisement of the Mutual Life Insurance Co., C. E. Mellor, local agent, appears in this issue. The Hilo Music Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 p. m. at the home of Mrs. L. Severance.

Company D's number of votes on the automobile was increased by several thousand during the week. Changes in the advertisement of the L. Turner Co. will be noticed. The schooner Eya left for Hononau with a cargo of general merchandise from Hilo, on Saturday morning. Rev. O. H. Gulick and wife of Honolulu are visiting at the home of Mrs. Gulick's sister, Mrs. L. Severance in Puno. A Japanese carpenter fell from the frame work of the mill under construction at Papaikou, Thursday, and was removed to the Hilo Hospital Saturday.

The schooner Woodbury, plying between the islands, arrived Thursday morning with a cargo of general merchandise. She departed Saturday. Tax Assessor Wilifong will go to Honolulu by Friday's Kinau to attend the Board of Equalization meeting. He expects to remain over one Kinau trip. G. W. Lockington will receive per arrival of steamer Arizonian, direct from the Oregon Furniture Co., a nice line of bedroom suites, buffets, etc., all new designs. Dr. Scudder left Hilo Monday on a trip of inspection of the missions of the Hawaiian Board on the windward coast of Hawaii and will take the Kinau from Kawahae on Friday. If you wish your coffee to bring the highest market prices let the Hilo Coffee Mill clean, classify and place the same on the market for you. Liberal cash advances made on shipments.

The schooner Marston, Captain Gove, expects to leave the last of the week. She takes 300 tons of sugar from Honoumou and a like amount from Pepeecko at this port, and will complete her cargo at Honolulu. Deputy Sheriff Fetter made a successful raid on a dozen Japanese and native gamblers Sunday morning by hiding on the dock and waiting. The parties arrested all forfeited bail. Previous attempts to round up the bunch had been unsuccessful. Some people fatten their bump of wisdom on ten cent candies, thereby favoring the parasites and chastising their stomachs at the same time, killing two birds with one dime. Buy your candies at the Hilo Candy Co. and you won't have any stomach troubles.

The big freighter Texan arrived Friday morning from Kahului and Honolulu. She took on about 1800 tons of sugar and some awa root, completing her cargo, and sailed for the Atlantic Coast Saturday evening, her whistles sounding a farewell which was answered by the steamers in harbor. Rev. Haguchi, transferred from the island of Maui, was ordained as a minister at the Japanese church Sunday afternoon by a committee from the Hawaiian association from this island. Dr. Scudder, Dr. Baker and Rev. O. H. Gulick were a committee of examination. Mr. Haguchi and his wife are both trained Christian workers. Whitman's Candies—L. Turner Co.

W. H. Beers received by Wednesday's mail appointment to the Office of Second District Magistrate for the district of South Hilo. The commission is for the period of two years. The office has been vacant since the expiration of Thomas C. Ridgway's term of office in August last. The appointment was made Chief Justice W. F. Frear. Applications for Tobacco Lands.

Sub-Land Agent Williams returned from Honolulu Friday, from a consultation with the land commissioners, relative to applications for right of purchase lease on 150 acres of the upper Paauilo lands, Hamakua district, suitable for production of tobacco. The lands are now being advertised; meanwhile the applicants, Messrs. Kretschmar and Douglas, tobacco experts from the mainland, have gone to Hamakua to arrange for starting tobacco seed beds. These men have had wide experience with the plant in various tobacco countries and pronounce that raised Hamakua equal to the best grown anywhere. Whooping Cough.

The quick relief afforded by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in cases of whooping cough, makes it a favorite with the mothers of small children. This remedy liquefies the tough mucus, making it easier to expectorate, keeps the cough loose and counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. For sale by Hilo Drug Co.

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A meeting of the Board of Trade has been called for Wednesday evening of this week.

A. S. LeBaron Guerne advertises for sale the household goods of C. H. W. Hitchcock.

Evan Da Silva, living on School street, is making arrangements to leave Hilo about May 1.

The bark Annie Johnson is due from San Francisco; also the John Ena from Cape Town, South Africa.

Lockington's furniture ad will be seen on the last page of this issue.

The steamer Maui arrived at 5:30 Saturday morning with machinery for Papaikou and a number of Jap laborers. Whitman's Candies—L. Turner Co.

The Roderick Dhu will leave the latter part of the week for San Francisco, her last trip, as she is to be converted into an oil carrier.

The month of March is the last in which to pay the personal taxes without penalty. After March 31, ten per cent will be added.

Mail for Honolulu, going overland to Punahou and from there by steamer Mauna Loa, will close at the Hilo post office at 2:15 p. m. Tuesday.

The steamer Claudine arrived early Sunday morning with the Alameda mail. An extra mail was also received Monday morning, landed at Hanakua by the Noeau.

Attention is called to the advertisement of L. A. Andrews, relative to the formation of a company to engage in the business of growing and canning pineapples at Hilo.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Honokaa Sugar Company, Ltd., was held Wednesday morning Feb. 28, at the office of P. A. Schaefer and Company, Honolulu.

Henry Beckley, accompanied by his mother and a trained nurse, is at the Volcano House recuperating from a fever with which he was attacked in Honolulu several weeks ago.

Whitman's Candies—L. Turner Co. The schooner W. H. Marston, arrived on the evening of last Monday week, 23 days from San Francisco. She brought as passengers: Mrs. James and two children, Mrs. Jenkins and Miss Hutchins.

N. C. Wilifong was a witness on the Brown-Spreckles case, furnishing testimony in reference to tax assessments. All records were found from the year 1855 to the present. The case is being closely contested and promises to continue for another week.

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An entertainment for the purpose of raising funds to pay off indebtedness on Mookhean pavilion, will be given in the latter part of April at the Armory under the auspices of the Board of Trade. The committee having the arrangements in charge are N. G. Campion, D. R. Metzger, J. Castle Ridgway, G. Affonso and Rufus A. Lyman, Jr.

Visiting Clergymen. A union service was held at the Hilo church Sunday evening, participated in by ministers returning from the convention held at Kalapana during the week. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Hill. A short address was made by Mr. Martin, head of the anti-saloon league of Honolulu; and other addresses were delivered by Dr. Baker of North Kona, and by Dr. Scudder, Supt. of Missions in the Islands. Rev. Mr. Gulick, of Honolulu lead in prayer. The Foreign Church choir, under the direction of Mrs. Jarrett T. Lewis lead the singing, a ladies chorus rendering the anthem.

Cruise of The Oregon Girls. The Oregon girls will be the guests of the Hawaii Yacht Club on a cruise from Honolulu to Pearl Harbor on the afternoon of Sunday, March 11.

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LANDS FOR THE PORTUGUESE. Department Offers Them Same Terms and Conditions as Molokaus.

A definite statement to the representatives of the Portuguese land associations in Hilo, was made by sub-agent Geo. H. Williams on Friday, on authority of the Territorial Commissioner of Public Lands.

The following is an exact statement of the proposition: The commissioner is ready and willing to accord the same privileges to the local settlement associations as to other organizations from the mainland composed of American citizens who are willing and ready to accept and fulfill the conditions proposed.

The lands are to be cut up into areas so that each settler will have from 15 to 20 acres of case land, it being the policy of the government to have actual, bona fide residents upon the lands of the territory, who will live upon and cultivate the full area; and that lands shall not be taken up for speculation.

The settlers may choose the site for a village at any point they may desire on the tract, and each land holder may choose a residence lot in such village, the amount of land so taken to be a part of the total allowance.

The directors of the Hakalau Plantation Co. are ready to make the same agreement that Col. Spalding has made with the Molokans on Kauai, which gives the planter a share of about five eighths of the proceeds of the crop.

This proposition applies to the tracts on which applications have been made, all within the Hakalau plantation, as follows: the Kaiwiki tract of about 1,000 acres, the Lepoloua tract of about 300 acres, the Opea tract of about 1,000 acres.

Under this proposition, according to a close estimate, the cane will yield to the cultivator of the land \$5.50 per ton of cane, which at an estimated production of 35 tons per acre will amount to \$196 per acre, or \$130 an acre a year, gross, on an 18 months' crop.

The settler will have the benefit of all improvements already made upon the land.

This important statement was made at the local office of the land department to Mr. Osorio, president of the Osorio association, who has made application for the Kaiwiki tract; to Mr. Fernandez, president of the Fernandez association who has made application for the Lepoloua tract; to Mr. Ferry, representing the Lujaan association, applicants for the Opea tract, and to R. A. Lyman, Jr., who is interested in the matter as being a public question.

The commissioner asked for an early decision on the part of the land associations and at the request of the representatives, they were given till March 14 to state their intentions.

Kinua Arrivals, Feb. 28th. J. A. Scott, E. Flanigan, H. G. Junkin, D. K. Yoon, Rev. M. G. Santos, N. C. Wilifong, F. Gibiland, Rev. R. Hayashi, Rev. G. Ashika, H. Eldarts, J. M. Martin, J. McSwanson, A. H. Jackson, G. H. Williams, F. W. Millverton, Mrs. J. J. Dower and children, Rev. O. H. Gulick and wife, Rev. K. Higuchi wife and children, O. Albert and Son, J. Downing, Miss M. Proebstel, Miss K. Nash, Miss M. G. Phillips, Miss S. Madigan, Miss B. Brown, Miss D. Courtemanche, Miss E. Parsley, Miss E. M. King, Miss Florence Heaven, Miss E. Crossen, Miss E. E. Cobb, Geo. Honkers, Mrs. H. M. Taylor O. H. Strong and wife, Miss Merriam, R. C. A. Peterson, W. G. Turk & wife J. R. Long, K. C. Bullen, Mrs. G. C. Beckley and Maid, Henry T. Beckley, Miss La Voy.

Kinua Departures, March 2nd. Mrs. H. M. Taylor, Miss Mary K. Williams, J. Downing, R. C. A. Peterson, Miss A. Merriam, Miss M. Proebstel, W. A. Ramsay, J. H. Hare, J. R. Voss and wife, C. W. Ashford, W. B. Turk and wife, W. F. Drake, F. L. Winter, J. R. Long, K. G. Bullen, Mrs. E. T. Weathered, O. Albert and son, Geo. Honkers, Miss S. Madigan, Miss Parsley, Miss E. M. King, Miss E. Ramm, Miss A. Sullivan, Mrs. F. W. Carter, Miss P. Heaven, Miss K. Nash, Miss E. Crossen, O. H. Strong and wife, Miss M. I. Phillips, Miss B. Brown, Miss Courtemanche, L. A. Thurston, Dr. A. Irwin.

Hilo Furniture Store. Of which G. W. Lockington is sole proprietor, was started in 1892 in a small store on Waiuanuene street. Owing to his energy and business ability he is now occupying one-half a block on Front street. Mr. Lockington is known throughout the trade on the Mainland as a cash man, so he gets all the discounts. There is hardly a vessel that comes to this port but what has goods for him. Call and examine his stock. It will pay you if you need goods in the furniture line.

Kau Agricultural Co. The Kau Agricultural Co. filed articles of incorporation with the territorial treasurer on March 2. In the articles, it is said, coffee and tobacco are the first named among the proposed products of the corporation. The incorporators of the Company are W. M. Giffard, president; E. I. Spalding, vice-president; H. M. Whitney, treasurer; R. Ivers, secretary, and Henry Holmes. The capital stock is \$50,000 divided into five thousand shares.

Operation Successful. What is known as the mastord operation was performed upon H. P. Baldwin, of Maui, at the Queen's Hospital, Honolulu, on Monday last, not usually a dangerous operation, though it is of course of a very delicate nature. In the case of Mr. Baldwin, it proved entirely successful and after coming from the influence of the anesthetic he rested more easily than he has for some time.—Star.

Married. ROBERTSON—MARCUS—At St Andrew's Cathedral, Honolulu, Hawaii, at 8 o'clock in the evening of March 2, 1906, Rev. Canon Alexander Mackintosh officiating Miss Winnifred Marcus of Pahaia, Hawaii to George Robertson, Jr., Miss Swinnie Marcus, sister of the bride was bridesmaid, E. Kopke, Jr., was best man.

Born. DA CAMARA—At Hilo, Hawaii, on Thursday, March 1, 1906, to the wife of Jose da Camara, a daughter.

For Sale. Phonograph (Edison Home) new, with 18 inch horn and stand and three dozen gold moulded records. Cash \$40. Address P. O. Box 165, Hilo, Hawaii.

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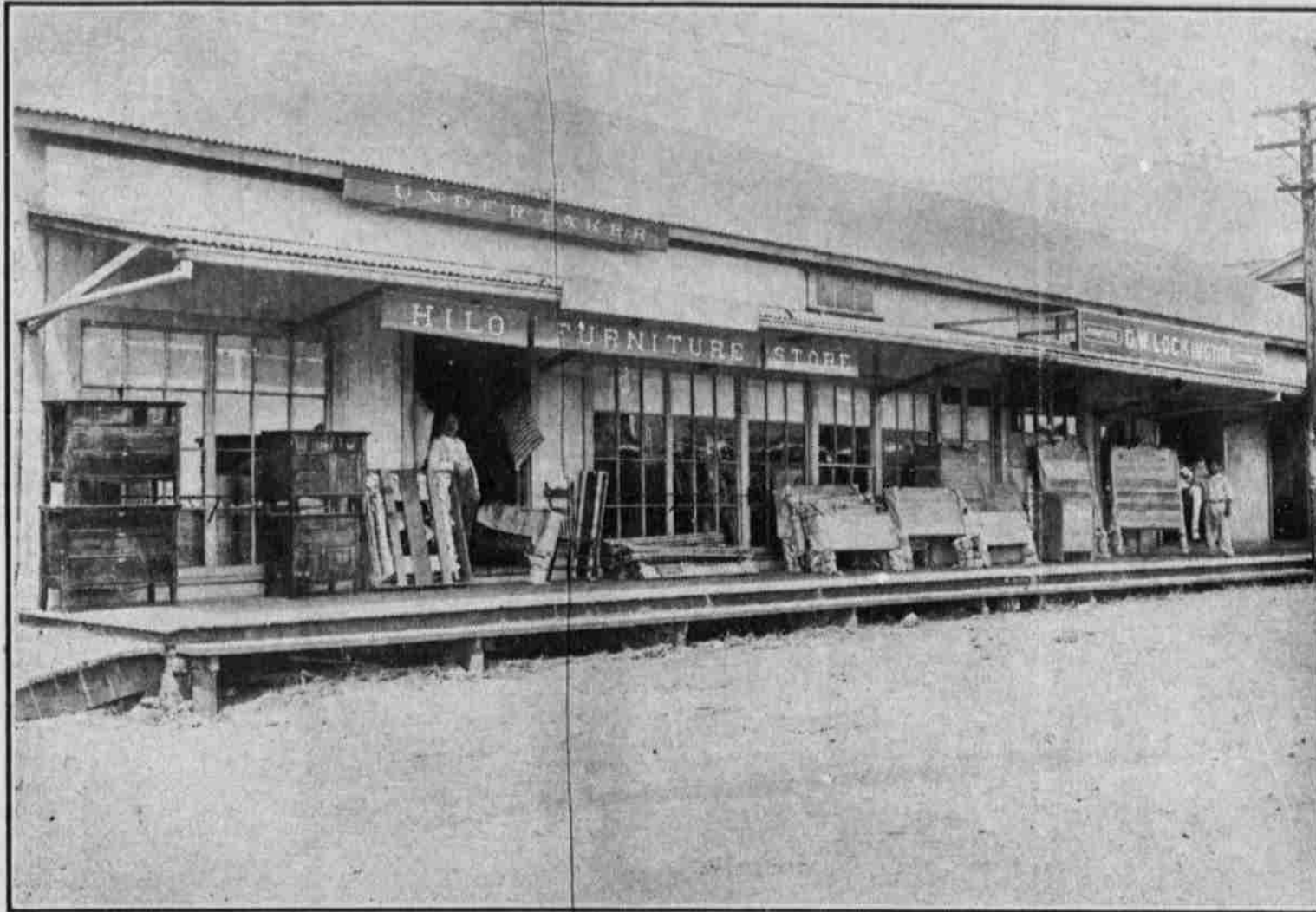
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#### EVOLUTION OF THE SUGAR MILL.

##### Enterprise of Our Planters in Perfecting Process of Manufacture.

The process of evolution through which the manufacture of sugar has passed on the Islands is told in a report of the committee on machinery read at a recent meeting of the Planters' Association. The development of the sugar manufactory from the primitive mill of thirty years ago to the present complications of machinery and apparatus of the mills of the present, is interesting. It indicates that the planters have been fully alive to the interests of the industry and have brought the milling process up to a high degree of perfection. The committee report recognizes the fact that the Waiakea mill at Hilo has been in the forefront in successfully adopting new mechanical devices, and this is undoubtedly due to the fact that its manager has a special, practical interest in machinery. The following are extracts made from the report:

The year 1876 was the first year in which we enjoyed the benefits of the Reciprocity Treaty, and through that treaty a new impetus had been given to the sugar industry—a steady improvement having been the rule since then, in every department of the business. At that time no one ever dreamed that more than one 3-roller mill was necessary for crushing cane, and extraction was not often mentioned as a criterion of efficiency. What we did hear often was, "How many tons are you making?"—"Oh, about ten!" and, mark you, this referred to a whole day's work, although candor compels the admission that it was not a twenty-four-hour day. But certainly it is a vast step from ten tons of sugar per ten-hour day, to as much as 100 and 300 tons in a twenty-four-hour day, which is now accomplished on some of our larger plantations.

When 8 cent sugar became a past experience, and all indications

foretold a still lower price, it became obvious that we would have to get more of the sugar which was in the cane, into the market. The first improvement with this end in view was made in the year 1880, when a two-roller mill was placed behind the existing 3-roller mill at Spreckelsville, Maui. This could not be called a successful experiment, as great difficulty was experienced in getting the new 2-roller mill to take the feed, and therefore drier grinding, which was the object of the additional mill, was out of the question. This difficulty did not prove an insurmountable one, however, for in 1884 a 2-roller mill was installed at Waiakea, which had a patent feeder, the invention of Mr. Alexander Young, then manager of the Honolulu Iron Works.

This combination was eminently successful, the results being far beyond any expectations. The percentage of extraction was raised from the seventies to eighty-five and ninety. This was such a large increase in extraction, that grave doubts were expressed as to the accuracy of the reports. Chemists came from Honolulu to verify them, and did so. Even then doubting Thomases were rife, and one fine morning the S. S. Likelike arrived in Hilo, with a lot of megass in bags, to put with a fair amount of maceration, through the new 2-roller mill at Waiakea. The engineer of the plantation sending the megass came along to see fair play. The result of this special trial was conclusive, and the plantation referred to, ordered a mill with a feeder at once. Orders then went to Honolulu Iron Works so fast, that working day and night, they could not supply the demand but had to send to San Francisco and have some made the same as the original. We called these mills "Maceration Mills" on account of the water used.

I well remember while they were yet new, how sceptical many were, as to their necessity. Mr. Alex-

ander Young said to a plantation owner one day, standing behind his mill. "Mr. So-and-so, you are not getting more than 65 per cent. extraction with that mill of yours." "Sir," said Mr. So-and-so, "you say that again and will have you arrested." "Well, I would like to put in a mill to catch what is left," said Mr. Young, and the planter felt badly hurt at the implication. He is still amongst us and may be here today, but he now has three 3-roller mills.

Maceration was such a decided improvement, that various combinations of mills were tried in the effort to get increased extraction. It soon became evident that some method of preparing the cane was necessary, so that the first mill would take its feed steadily and evenly, and discharge a blanket of megass, which after dilution, would feed to the second and third mills without baulking.

Rollers which were held absolutely rigid could only do good work with a feed of uniform thickness, but the then necessarily uneven feed was partly overcome by the application of the toggle springs to the cap bolts of the top roll. This, however, did not assure a steady a feed at the first mill as was necessary, and in our efforts to overcome this defect, we were shortly adding to our crushing plants, the Krajewski Crusher, the National Cane Shredder, and the Smith Revolving Cutter: the first installation of each being placed at Pepekeo, Wainaku and Waiakea respectively. Some of these machines are now a part of nearly every factory, and their value is beyond question. Some factories indeed, have installed both a cutter and a crusher, and many cutters, which were thrown to one side shortly after installation, have been since resurrected from the scrap pile, and are now doing duty nobly, thanks to Mr. H. Lorenz, who admired the knives the first he saw them at work.

After a short but comprehensive

experience with the diffusion process of extraction, the Ewa Plantation Co. determined to discard this process and adopt crushing. This mill, having three 3-roller mills, with the top roll of each fitted with hydraulic rams, the pressure applied to the rolls being within immediate control, and a uniform known pressure being assured for cane and macerated bagasse, was a distinct advance over our previous combinations. The extraction rose from 90 per cent. up to 93 per cent., and it was so necessary by this time to get everything possible out of the cane, that all interested desired such mills for their factories.

This combination (three 3-rollers) with the various feeders remained the standard, until the installation two years ago at Oahu Plantation of a four 3-roller mill, behind their three 3-roller combination. This installation was the first of its kind in the world. The adoption of this idea and its application is entirely due to the progressive spirit of Hawaiian planters and engineers and the results have amply justified their judgment. Increased capacity and better extraction with a minimum of maceration have been obtained. The decrease in maceration is obtained by taking the thin juices from the fourth mill to macerate at the back of the first mill.

#### Construction of Steamer.

J. A. Kennedy has advertised for bids in San Francisco for the new 15-knot boat to displace the Kinau on the Hilo-Honolulu run. The new steamer is to be an exceptionally fine vessel, with ample passenger accommodations, and eclipsing in some respects the passenger arrangements of some of the ocean-going liners calling at this port. The new vessel is to have a saloon, piano, library, hardwood dining tables, etc. Especial attention is to be given to the staterooms. The new boat may burn oil for fuel and she may be ready to go into commission at the end of the present year.

#### Hilo Railroad Co.

Short Route to Volcano

#### TIME TABLE

In effect July 1, 1905.

Passenger Trains, Except Sunday.

7 A.M.	9 P.M.	STATIONS	8 A.M.	10 P.M.
7:00	2:30	lv. Hilo	9:40	5:45
7:05	2:35	ar. Waiakea	9:35	5:40
7:12	2:33	ar. Oiaa Mill	9:20	5:25
7:30	3:15	ar. Keau	9:15	5:15
7:46	3:30	ar. Ferndale	9:00	4:55
8:00	3:55	ar. Mount. V'w.	8:50	4:45
8:20	4:15	ar. Glenwood	8:30	4:25

#### FOR PUNA:

The trains of this Company between Hilo and Puna will be run as follows:

#### WEDNESDAY:

Leave Hilo Station, by way of Railroad Wharf, for Oiaa and Puna, upon the arrival of the Steamship Kinau, running through to Puna and stopping at Pahoa.

13 A.M.	FRIDAY:	14 A.M.
6:00	lv. Hilo	9:55
6:00	ar. R. R. Wharf	9:30
6:06	ar. Waiakea	9:30
6:28	ar. Oiaa Mill	9:10
6:38	ar. Pahoa Junc.	8:42
7:00	ar. Pahoa	8:30
7:20	ar. Puna	7:35

#### SUNDAY:

5 A.M.	SUNDAY:	6 P.M.
9:00	lv. Hilo	4:40
9:06	ar. Waiakea	4:35
9:25	ar. Oiaa Mill	4:15
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