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A MATTER OF HISTORY.

The royalist effort to convince Commissioner Blount that the United States troops rather than the revolutionists themselves overthrew the Queen, rests on a postulate which the facts disprove. It cannot be shown that the American forces raised a single bayonet against the monarchy until acts of the Provisional troops had destroyed that government—a fact which finds some support in the text of the Queen's written protest wherein she said that she "solemnly protested against any and all acts done against myself and the constitutional government of the Hawaiian Kingdom *by certain persons claiming to have established a Provisional government* of and for this kingdom." These "certain persons" as appears from the address to which the proclamation was sent, were "S. B. Dole, Esq., and others composing the Provisional government of the Hawaiian Islands." There is, as will be observed, no mention of the United States forces being responsible for any of these "acts," though in the course of her official deliverance the ex-Queen said that she "yielded to the superior forces of the United States of America, whose Minister Plenipotentiary, His Excellency John L. Stevens, has caused United States troops to be landed at Honolulu, and declared that he would support the Provisional government."

Now as a matter of fact the American sailors were merely landed, as they had been in times past, to protect American property. They did not menace the palace, the government building or the station house, but went to the consulate and legation, and to Arion hall—the latter being a central rendezvous from which they could readily march to any part of the city where American interests might be in peril. At these places they remained, Minister Stevens having refused to use them in aid of the revolution at all, or in support of the Provisional authority before such time as the latter had assumed control of all the royalist positions. Had the ex-Queen's forces held their ground the Yankee tars would have stayed entirely passive so far as the actual contest between the revolutionists and royalists was concerned.

But Liliuokalani's soldiers did not hold their ground anywhere. In fact their sand had run out. They were anxious to surrender and save their skins, but their pride would not let them bow down to the men who had really driven them from power. Then again the ex-Queen wanted to make a point in her own behalf by foisting the onus of the revolt upon America. As a result we had the surrender to the "superior forces of the United States"—forces which did not demand or receive that surrender, but stood by as silent witnesses of the whole proceeding.

It was not until the Dole government had peaceable control of the city that the United States Minister recognized it and not until February 1st, fifteen days after the overthrow of Liliuokalani, that the protectorate was formed.

To make a case against the United States out of this is to distort and discolor the truth, assume the existence of facts which do not exist and to challenge the verdict of history itself.

THE CABLE IN POLITICS.

The people of the Hawaiian Islands have waited in vain under the monarchy for a cable to be built between the United States and this group. Time and again they have tried to enlist private capital in the enterprise only to find that no man of sense would put his money into such a costly undertaking while the government of Hawaii, productive as it was of corruption and disorder, stood in the way of the public growth and development upon which the business of a cable would depend. So long as the throne existed, there could be no electric communication between this country and the United States, and the people longed for it with no hope of relief.

Annexation would change all this and a cable would be one of the earliest results of the substitution here of American security for royal weakness and disorganization. The line might readily be laid by private capital. It would certainly be had in some way even if the United States government itself was left to bear the whole expense—for it would become essential, as a matter of public policy, for all parts of the Union to have inter-communication by wire.

Shall we have the cable then? The Hawaiian Patriotic League, led by half-white demagogues and crazed by kahunas, apparently answers no! At least it demands the monarchy once more, which amounts to such a reply to the importunities of progress and the behests of manifest destiny. It is willing to let the country remain at a distance from the world's activities, to stay bedridden in its poverty, avoided by capital and shunned by industry, all for the sake of a smirched crown and the brummagem pageantry of a make-believe court.

What can the thoughtful natives, who do not belong to this League and are hesitating between contentious policies, think of the two plans presented for their welfare? That is a point upon which they may well be heard. Let them ask the League what it has to offer in the way of material benefits. They have heard all about love of country—which seems to be love of an unworthy Queen—and love of a flag, which never protected anybody or won anybody's respect. *Now* let them ask what there is in the monarchy to offset the single advantage to these islands—not to speak of a thousand others that might be named—of a trans Pacific cable. Let them go into the practical rather than the sentimental side of this contention and we shall have no doubt as to where they will bring up.

FUTURE OF THE PALACE.

While it is not time to decide, in a definite way upon the future of the Palace, one can but hope that the structure will never be used as a hotel. The building as it stands is not adapted to such a purpose. Its rooms are too few, and although it might be practicable to put on additions, yet the result would not be so satisfactory as that which could be had by building, whenever the growth of the city requires more hotel facilities than now exist, a complete modern structure, on higher ground, and one which should combine great size with architectural unity.

The principal objections to the hotel idea, however, are of an official nature. The time will come when a residence will have to be had for the governor of the State of Hawaii. There could be no better one than the Palace, convenient as it is to the government offices—a building which, used for such a purpose, could retain its present pictures and fittings and preserve for the future the relics and surroundings of an extinct, but picturesque monarchy.

In case that the Palace should be deemed too much of a good thing for the coming governor, it could still be used for the executive offices of the public administration and its grounds could be thrown open as a public park.

THE coming color for war-ships is still a debated question in the Navy Department. White is found to be twice as expensive as black, but black makes too good a target. Meanwhile as an experiment the hull of the Cushing has been painted a bottle green, a hue which merges with that of the sea at night and is said to enable a ship to slip through the arc of a search light unobserved. In the day time, however, bottle green would show up well to the enemy's gunners even through clouds of cannon smoke. There are some advocates of a dull gray which would make a ship comparatively invisible during a daylight engagement when much powder was being burned.

ONE year after annexation Honolulu would have five minute electric cars, a sewer system in process of building, a big increase of hotel facilities, a completing Oahu railway belt, a district messenger service, and weekly steamers from the coast. Capital for similar enterprises has followed the flag and accompanied the boom from Kansas City to San Diego, and stands ready to repeat its triumphs on this soil. All it wants is the security which American laws and the presence of the stars and stripes affords.

THE fact that the electric light franchise has found its way into the hands of men who will use it to the best advantage of the city, is an agreeable circumstance. The electric service is now greatly circumscribed, but under the new deal it will be made convenient to everybody. The arrangement is in the nature of an advance step.

WHAT has become of the Hawaiian Bureau of Information? A stranger in pursuit of facts called at this office the other day and complained that he had searched for the bureau and couldn't so much as find one of its drawers. Is the thing still extant? If so it might be a good thing for it to advertise its whereabouts by street and number.

FALLEN GRANDEUR.

Laid Away and Locked up—The Palace Charms have Vanished.

A representative of the STAR took a stroll through the deserted Palace yesterday. Besides care-taker Greene and his help, the place and grounds are only visited by a few. Colonel Soper and his staff have quarters in the basement, and on Tuesday, the day which is set apart for that purpose, visitors come. "We had thirty-five visitors, mostly tourists, last Tuesday," said the care taker, "and I try to make it as interesting as possible for them. You can see I have arranged everything so that it can be observed in the best way. From the basement to the garret, I have renovated and scrubbed, and, I think I have succeeded in removing most of the grease and muck that our late royal tenants left. For one thing I found the books all piled helter skelter on the floor in the library.

"The books are now placed on shelves and tables where their contents can be thoroughly inspected. Here are the naval and military uniforms of Kalakaua," continued the care-taker. "A couple of officers off the Mohican were in here the other day, and, glancing at the epaulets said: 'well, we thought we had got rather high when we put up eighty dollars for our shoulder display; those must have cost triple that.'"

So on the interesting old gentleman wandered, through the throne room, the drawing room, the bed rooms, the ante-rooms, showing how here and there he had cleaned and brightened—how this window was so encrusted with grease it took a whole day to remove it, and how these iron steps leading up to the outside door were to be scraped, the rust taken off and a good coat of paint applied. The kitchen is now a model of neatness. The liveries and uniforms of the lesser dignitaries of the late royal household have been neatly brushed and hung up where the moth shall not corrupt if Greene can help it. All in all the Palace is ready and suitable for any man's home. Some say it would make a good hotel. The rooms are clean and smell fresh, the head waiter could be attired in Kalakaua's naval uniform and the bell boys could wear the bright red velvet and knee breeches of the royal lackeys, while the head clerk could dispense with the regulation thirty carat diamond and wear the royal crown which can be thrown in with a good bargain.

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J. A. KING,
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Interior Office,
May 3rd, 1893. 32 3t

NOTICE.

Mr. D. M. Kapalau has this day been appointed Poundmaster for the Government Pound at Heeia, Koolaupoko, Oahu, vice J. M. Awa, resigned.

J. A. KING,
Minister of the Interior.

Interior Office, May 1, 1890. 30-3t

SALE OF GOVERNMENT LOTS 76 AND 77, ESPLANADE.

On Wednesday, May 24th, 1893, at the front entrance of Aliiolani Hale, at 12 o'clock noon, will be sold at public auction the lease of Lots 76 and 77, on the Esplanade, Honolulu, Oahu.

Term—Lease for 10 years. Upset price, $300 per annum, payable semi-annually in advance.

J. A. KING,
Minister of the Interior.

Interior Office, Apr. 24, 1893. 25 3t

NOTICE.

The new surcharged stamps of the Provisional Government will be on sale at the Post Office, on or about May 20, 1893, after which date the present issue, and sale of same, will cease, and none of the old issue will be thereafter sold for postal purposes.

JOS. M. OAT,
20 tf Postmaster-General.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
Honolulu, H. I., April, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that bids will now be received at the Treasury Department for the New Hawaiian Loan for $750,000 U. S. Gold Bonds, authorized by an Act of the Hawaiian Legislature, approved January 11th, 1893, and also by an Act of the Provisional Government of the Hawaiian Islands, approved February 18, 1893, for INTERNAL IMPROVEMENTS, up to the amount of Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars ($250,000) or any part thereof.

These Bonds are of the denomination of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) each, running not less than Five (5) nor more than Twenty (20) years, are all dated April 1st, 1893, bearing six per cent. interest per annum, payable semi-annually in U. S. Gold, and are free from taxation.

The principal and interest to be paid in Gold Coin of the United States of America or its equivalent at its present standard of weight and fineness.

The Minister of Finance does not bind himself to accept the highest or any bid.

Receipts will be given to all parties whose bids are accepted, guaranteeing the delivery of the Bonds on their arrival in Honolulu.

THEO. C. PORTER,
22 1st Minister of Finance.

IRRIGATION NOTICE.

Holders of Water Privileges, or those paying Water Rates, are hereby notified that the hours for using water for irrigation purposes, are from 6 to 8 o'clock A.M., and 4 to 6 o'clock P.M., until further notice.

ANDREW BROWN,
Supt. Honolulu Water Works.

Approved:
J. A. KING,
Minister of the Interior.

Honolulu, H. I., April 1st, 1893.
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General Advertisements.

Base Ball:

Hawaiis vs. Kamehamehas.

SATURDAY, MAY 6th, At 3:30 p.m.

Hawaiian Baseball Assn. Grounds.

ADMISSION:
Adults, 25 cents.; Children, 10 cents.
27 tf

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General Advertisements.

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SPORTING AND FANCY GOODS,

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Ten per cent. off on all purchases of Five Dollars or over; five per cent. off for all under.

STORE TO BE LET JUNE 1ST.
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Have just received the Largest Stock of HAY and GRAIN ever imported by any firm in Honolulu, by any one vessel. This stock was personally selected by our Manager T. J. King during his recent trip to the coast, and is first class in every particular. We guarantee satisfaction in quality and price.

Give us a Trial.

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NEW BUTTONHOLE MACHINE

And our new stock of

Fine Singer Sewing Machines.

B. BERGERSEN, General Agent.
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Repairing Done.
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Having secured the services of a good mechanic, I will keep on hand a fine lot of

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Made of Hawaiian woods.

Special attention will be given to Instruments made to order. 16 tf

New Advertisements.

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I desire to call the attention of persons going abroad to these celebrated sanitary productions, for which I am Sole Agent for the Islands.

Its to your advantage both Financially and Physically, to supply yourself with a FULL OUTFIT before leaving. I have just imported a fresh supply direct from Germany of Dr. Jaeger's

UNDERWEAR,
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By the yard, for making or repairing garments.

Also, a few pairs remaining of

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Your Inspection Invited.

M. GOLDBERG,

SOLE AGENT FOR

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Aim at the Drake

And you are bound to hit some of the ducks. This is precisely the same with

Wampole's Tasteless Preparation OF Cod Liver Oil.

It aims to cure Consumption, **Hits the Mark, too**, and it most effectually breaks up Colds, Coughs, Hoarseness and all Throat and Lung troubles that cause this disease.

It is natural logic to conclude that if WAMPOLE'S PREPARATION OF COD LIVER OIL has power to prevent Consumption, it surely is able to cure these lesser emergencies.

This vigor-making, fat producing preparation is Absolutely Tasteless, in so far as Cod Liver Oil is concerned. All you notice is a delightful flavor of Wild Cherry and Anise.

But the purest Norwegian Cod Liver Oil is there all the same. It is a great blood enricher. Best of all it is a natural food that in its stomachic effects, actually assists its own assimilation.

In Pulmonary or Bronchial troubles it is unequalled. No one doubts the value of Cod Liver Oil, but not every one is able to take it.

WAMPOLE'S PREPARATION

removes the nauseous objection and actually makes Cod Liver Oil palatable.

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Orders on the Commissioner of Agriculture for Insecticide Wash in five gallon quantities, can be obtained at the

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M. S. LEVY.

The U. S. S. Rush is away, but the Rush for JAPANESE CREPE, is just as large as the Annexation Roll.

A New Line of JAPANESE CREPE arrived on the S. S. China.

M. S. LEVY,

75—MCINERNY BLOCK—75
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ENTERPRISE BEER

ON DRAUGHT,

AT THE

MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE.

LATHROPS "SUN" LETTER.

IT DRAWS THE FIRE OF AN OLD RESIDENT.

A Chapter on Early Hawaiian History —The Character of John O. Dominis Defended

EDITOR STAR:—In your paper of the 10th inst. I saw a letter from George Parsons Lathrop as published in the New York *Sun*. Some of the statements are correct; viz: Succession and the present Royal Family. The line of Kamehamehas is almost extinct, the only living representative of that old race is Albert Kunuiakea Kaeo, a son of the late Mrs. Kaeo and (common report at the time of his, A. K. Kaeo's birth) admitted, was by Kamehameha III. The story as told by one of the old retainers was in substance this. Word was sent to the King Kamehameha III, that Mrs. Kaeo had been confined and that the child was a boy. He, the King, went to see the new arrival, and when shown him the King exclaimed (so that all present heard) "Kunuiakea," which really means—my greatness amplified. Mrs. Kaeo was a sister to Mrs. Dr. Rooke, the mother of the late Queen Emma and also a sister to John Young, Minister of Interior under Kamehameha III, also sister to James Young, the Governor of Maui under Kamehameha III. The mother of the Young family was of the Kamehameha blood and was a high chiefess.

Kalakaua was elected by fraud and it almost caused the slaughter of all the members of the Legislature. Some were very badly damaged by the infuriated natives, and had not the American and English naval ships landed their men and protected the town and also the palace there would have been a very serious row. There are now living in Honolulu and on the other islands of this group Haoles and natives who know all about it. Kalakaua's mother's name was Keohokalole and she was a chiefess. Kalakaua's elder brother James Keliiokalani, was as fine a specimen of "genus homo" as you could find in a month's travel. All the young chiefs and chiefesses were educated at the royal school under the guardianship of Mr. Amos Cooke and Mrs. Cooke and were very carefully looked after.

Now, Gov. John O. Dominis *was not a worthless* American, and did not break his mother's heart by marrying Lydia Liliuokalani Kapaakea. John was a clerk in the importing house of Stephen H. Williams & Co., and when that firm removed their business to San Francisco they had confidence enough in John to take him as one of their clerks at a salary of $250 per month. That was in the gold fever times. Mr. G. B. Post was salesman for the firm, and afterwards Mr. Post controlled the business under the firm name of G. B. Post & Co.

John O. Dominis returned to the islands at the solicitation of his mother —being her only child. After John's return to Honolulu, he was for a long time book-keeper for the firm of C. Brewer & Co, It was during the time (if I remember correctly) he was employed by C. Brewer that he married Lydia L. Kapaakea. That she was his superior, only one who sees through green goggles can assert, and that assertion utterly fails.

John O. Dominis was Adjutant-General under Kamehameha IV., and was Governor (after M. Kekuanaoa's death) and agent for Crown Lands under Kamehameha V.

Those two Kings placed every confidence in Dominis, and that confidence was never in any way misplaced. I now assert that there has never been a breath of slander tarnishing the *honest* name of J. O. Dominis.

I will leave the defamer of J. O. Dominis the trite saying and may be 'twill make him think twice before he speaks once—

Honi soit qui mal y pense.

J. O. Dominis was an American, born in Schenectady, New York, U. S. A. Truly yours,

H. G. CRABBE.

THE CUSTOMS GUARDS.

How They are Appointed—Why They are Discharged.

A STAR reporter inserted his inquisitorial augur into Collector Castle yesterday regarding the complaints of discharging Customs guards against Port-Surveyor Sanders, a communication having appeared a few days ago from one of them, in the morning paper. "Customs guards," said Collector Castle, "are always appointed on probation. They do not get their commissions until we are fully satified as to their ability and trustworthiness. The guard who attacked Surveyor Sanders in the paper as above, was only appointed on probation, and the Surveyor not being satisfied with him, he was simply discharged. The commissioned guards now are Deputy Surveyor J. Crowder, guards A. L. Clarke, T. E. Cook, G. Parmenter (who has been 5 yeais in the service), J. J. Kelly, and Boat boys J. Luahiwa and G. M. Cooke. I am satisfied, that Surveyor Sanders is doing all he can do under the circustances, with the appropriation for that purpose. Men under him who are not satisfied with necessarily hard work imposed on them, should quit before we find it necessary to discharge them for incompetency."

The Blarney Stone Remains in Ireland.

The Blarney Stone, it was thought, would make a good attraction for the Chicago Exhibition, the idea being to remove it from Ireland to Chicago, have it inserted in an exact representation of Blarney Castle within the Exhibition grounds, and charge visitors 50 cents per head for the privilege of kissing it. Sir George Colthurst on whose Irish estate the stone lies, has had an offer of £2000 for the loan of the stone, but declines to allow of its removal.

General Advertisements.

Egan & Gunn

100 FORT STREET,

(Brewer Block.)

Below we make mention of some of our special bargains:

Ladies' and Children's FAST BLACK HOSE, at 25 cts. a pair.

Ladies' and Children's FAST BLACK HOSE, at 3 pairs for $1.00—Special value.

Ladies' RIBBED UNDERVESTS at 15 cts. each.

Large variety of new TENIS FLANNELS.

5 Qualities in "P. D." CORSETS, from $1.25 to $3.50 a pair.

All the LATEST STYLES in

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In KID GLOVES we call special attention to our DENT, ALCROFT, DRIVING and STREET GLOVES, at $1.75 a pair, in Kid and Suede.

In our Furnishing Goods Department, we can give you the BEST UNLAUNDERED SHIRT in Town for $1.00.

Fine Fitting, Finely Made CRAPE SHIRTS including Neck-tie for $1.25.

SILK SHIRTS in large variety.

SILK PAJAMAS,
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Special Value in LACE CURTAINS.

In our House Furnishing Department, we have a complete stock of

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Our stock of LACES and EMBROIDERIES, is very complete and prices low.

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Men's and Boys' SHOES.

Men's, Boys' and Children's Felt and Straw HATS.

Men's and Boys' CLOTHING.

TRUNKS, BAGS and VALISES.

These last lines we are closing out, not intending to carry them any longer.

These Goods, you can Buy at your own price.

EGAN & GUNN,

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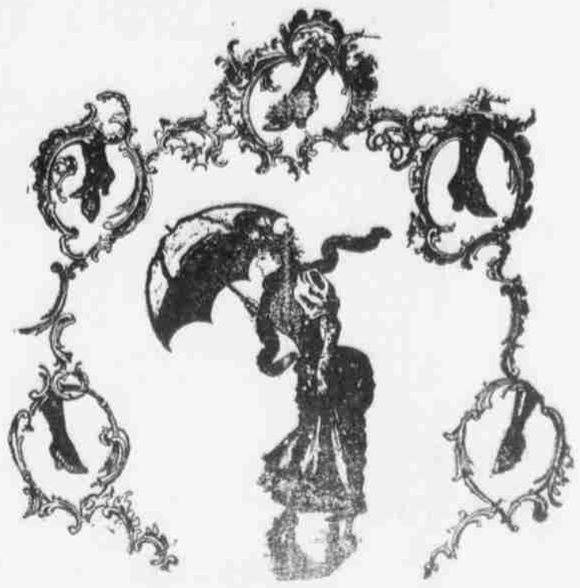
General Advertisements.



Something Pretty in Shoes

Always invites inspection, and judging from the amount of inspection we are arousing, one would suppose we were showing something unusually pretty. The supposition is entirely correct, for that's precisely what we're doing. Our stock of footwear is not only exceedingly pretty, but it's also pretty extensive, and what's more interesting still, it's more than pretty cheap. It's the buyer's season now. Winter is slipping right along as though on ice, and we don't wan't to be caught in the Spring with any remnants of winter goods. The stock is well up now in all styles and sizes, and you can get a first choice as well as a low price. Don't wait until the stock's faded away to the last end of nothing before buying, but buy now.

THE MANUFACTURERS' SHOE CO.

Wholesale and Retail Boots and Shoes.

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A FULL LINE

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GROCERIES

Always on Hand.

FRESH GOODS

Per Every Steamer and Sail.

SPECIALTIES!

Cheese, Lard, Hams, Butter,
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Crackers, Potatoes, Salmon,
Macaroni, Corn Meal,
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Saddle Leather, Harness Leather

AND ALL KINDS OF

Leather and Nails for Shoemakers.

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Honolulu Tannery.

HIGHEST PRICE

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HIDE SALT

AT LOW PRICE.

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Laundry Soap!

42, 56 and 63 bars to case—

One Hundred Pounds.

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Nature's Grandest Wonder.

The Popular and Scenic Route

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AI STEAMER KINAU,

Fitted with Electric Light, Electric Bells, Courteous and Attentive Service.

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The Kinau Leaves Honolulu Every Ten Days,

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Arriving at Hilo Thursday and Sunday Mornings.

FROM HILO TO THE VOLCANO, 30 Miles,

Passengers are Conveyed in Carriages,

TWENTY-TWO MILES,

Over a Splendid Macadamized Road,

Running most of the way through a Dense Tropical Forest—a ride alone worth the trip. The balance of the road on horseback.

ABSENT FROM HONOLULU 7 DAYS!

—☞ TICKETS, ☜—

Including All Expenses,

For the Round Trip, : : Fifty Dollars.

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EQUITABLE

Life - Assurance - Society

OF THE UNITED STATES,

For the Year Ending December 31, 1892.

ASSETS.

Bonds and Mortgages	$ 21,983,944 02
Real Estate, including the Equitable Buildings and purchases under foreclosure of mortgages	23,912,412 49
United States Stocks, State Stocks, City Stocks and other investments	75,084,749 48
Loans secured by Bonds and Stocks (Market value, $7,673,700)	5,913,500 00
Real Estate outside the State of New York, including purchases under foreclosure	14,122,736 70
Cash in Bank and in transit (since received and invested)	5,554,006 66
Interest and Rents due and accrued, Deferred Premiums and other Securities	6,488,702 66
Total Assets, December 31, 1892	$153,060,052 01

We hereby certify, that after a personal examination of the securities and accounts described in the foregoing statement, we find the same to be true and correct as stated.

THOS. D. JORDAN, Comptroller. FRANCIS W. JACKSON, Auditor.

LIABILITIES.

Reserve on all existing Policies (4% Standard), and all other liabilities	$121,870,236 52
Total Undivided Surplus (4% Standard), including Special Reserve of $2,500,000 towards establishment of a 3½% valuation	31,189,815 49
	$153,060,052 01

We certify the correctness of the above calculation of the reserve and surplus. From this surplus the usual dividends will be made.

GEO. W. PHILLIPS, J. G. VAN CISE, Actuaries.

INCOME.

Premiums	$ 34,046,568 39
Interest, Rents, etc	6,289,669 10
	$40,286,237 49

DISBURSEMENTS.

Claims by Death and Matured Endowments	$ 10,859,373 04
Dividends, Surrender Values, Annuities and Discounted Endowments	5,675,074 94
Total Paid Policy-Holders	$ 16,534,447 98
Commissions, Advertising, Postage and Exchange	4,083,478 35
General Expenses, State, County and City Taxes	3,544,021 01
	$ 24,161,947 34
New Assurance written in 1892	$200,490,316 00
Total Outstanding Assurance	850,962,245 00

We, the undersigned, have, in person, carefully examined the accounts, and counted and examined in detail the assets of the Society, and certify that the foregoing statement thereof is correct.

E. BOUDINOT COLT,
T. S. YOUNG, H. S. TERRELL,
G. W. CARLETON, W. B. KENDALL,
Special Committee of the Board of Directors, appointed to examine the accounts and assets at the close of the year 1892

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BRUCE & A. J. CARTWRIGHT,

Managers Equitable Life Assurance Society for the Hawaiian Islands.

KALUA ONCE MORE.

Rev. Sereno E. Bishop Writes About His Character.

EDITOR STAR:—I desire to enter in behalf of my esteemed friend and former pupil, Mr. Kalua, a demur to the apparent implication in a letter to the STAR, that he is eccentric or naturally unreliable. It is true that his course has been a singular one; I have longed watched it with deep and anxious interest. The key to his apparently erratic course is a simple one. He exhibits two very different characters during his periods of intemperance and during those of abstinence from the drink-habit, which is with him as fatal to character as it is with most of his race. It is my confident hope that his noble Christian manhood has now asserted itself for good and finally. When free from his evil bonds, Mr. Kalua has pursued a wise and consistent course as an earnest Hawaiian patriot, and a true leader of his race. Whenever on the other hand, he has relapsed under the sway of his enemy, his political course has faithfully followed his moral decline.

One could always tell with certainty whether Kalua was drinking or not, by the fact whether he ran with the Palace crowd, or with the Reform party. I want no better guaranty that he is now living a manly and sober life, than the fact that he is found nobly battling against the corrupt monarchy, and for annexation.

No man feels more keenly than does my friend himself, how ruinously seducing has been the organized corruption of the Royal Court upon all who came into intimate relations with it. One of my deepest grievances against Liliuokalani was the manner in which several years ago the Princess employed her very great personal fascinations to seduce Kalua from his independent stand in the Legislature, and to lead him to confer with the King, an act which was followed by a considerable period of intemperate living, as well as of political tergiversation, probably the darkest part of Kalua's record. Every wise friend of the Hawaiian people will thank God when that destroying Royal influence shall come to an end. In opposing the monarchy, Mr. Kalua is doing noble battle for the lives of himself and of his people, who have been miserably wasting away under the poisonous forces of intemperance, impurity, and superstition, whose chief center of propagation has been the Palace.

S. E. BISHOP.

A RED-HAIRED CHINAMAN.

Being Off-Colored He is Abhorred by His Brethren.

Chinatown boasts of a great rarity in a full-blooded Chinese, who is probably the only red-headed one on the face of the earth. And what is more, the Chinese has a light complexion and blue eyes, and he is cross-eyed.

Mish Go, as is the freak's name, was born in China, of Chinese parents, about thirty years ago, and came to San Francisco about a year ago. He is shunned and disliked by the great majority of his countrymen.

"Sheep-eyed" is one of the nicknames applied to him, because, from a Chinese standpoint, his eyes resemble those of a sheep more than those of a human being. Mish Go lives in one of the dens of Spofford alley, and is never seen in close association with other denizens of Chinatown, excepting when he goes to certain stores to dispose of cheap trinkets, by which means he acquires a living.

The reason of the Chinese being held in such disfavor was explained by Wong Woh, a fortune teller, who daily occupies a portion of the sidewalk on Washington street, above Dupont.

"Very many years ago," he said, "there was another red-headed China man in China. He lived there so long ago that no one now living had ever seen him. Chew Fut was his name and he was tall and fair of complexion. From some cause not pleasing in the eyes of one of the numerous gods Chew Fut was known of all over North China, where he lived and grew to manhood.

"One day it was disclosed to a few of the faithful that this particular Chinese with the red hair must die. But it was not explained by the deity why. It is not known to this day why the order was disobeyed, for no steps were taken to end the life of Chew Fut, and so a fearful vengeance was wreaked on the people. A terrible earthquake occurred, and the waters of the sea overflowed the land, engulfing thousands of inhabitants, who were carried out to sea by the receding waters and drowned.

"The red haired Chinese was lost at the same time, and, it is believed, was transported direct to the infernal regions, where he must always suffer fearful torture."—*Examiner.*

San Diego to Mexico.

EDITOR STAR:—An article in the *Advertiser* entitled "From San Diego to Mexico" relates many good things about San Diego County, but the author's poetic license leads him into extravagances, such as "avenue of the palms," "orange garden of the gods," the "Eden of all the earthly Edens," etc. The native of the sage brush will hardly tumble to the meaning of Mr. Miller's fine lines. Mr. Miller says only half enough about the Kimball Brothers, the promoters of nearly every important enterprise in San Diego County. They not only planted the orchard which Mr. Miller describes so well, but they built a mighty reservoir for irrigating their and everybody else's land; they improved their land lots with houses and well graded streets; constructed a railroad; built a carriage factory and olive oil works; supported with a great liberality the San Diego Board of Trade; organized a bank, and, in fact, made their work the paradigm of Yankee pluck and energy among the early slow-coachers of Southern California.

G. D.

Honolulu, May 2nd.

General Advertisements.

M. McINERNY.

Are we to be, or not to be, a part of the Great Republic, seems to be the burning question of the day, and one we had rather leave to wiser heads than ours to solve; and while great statesmen are wrestling with this momentous question, we want to have a little "*pow-wow*" with you on some other subjects, that concern you as well as ourselves.

Has it not occurred to you that you've been wearing that old hat long enough! In these progressive times if you intend to be "in it," you've got to keep pace with fashion. No matter how otherwise well dressed you may be, unless your hat is the correct thing you bear a shabby appearance.

We have already laid in a stock of the Latest Hats of the coming Spring and Summer styles, in hard felts, soft felts and straws, and including a line of the celebrated "Fidora" Hats, at present all the rage in the United States. There is therefore, no necessity for you to hang on any longer to that old Tile that bears such a strong resemblance to the hat "your father wore."

Believing that business will be better in the near future, we have not hesitated to keep our stock full in all lines. Take collars for instance: We have almost everything you could wish for. If you wear a standing collar, just come in and take a look at our "Narenta" or "Ardonia;" or if you prefer a turn down collar, try the "Winnipeg" or "Goswell;" we have have lots of others, and can't fail to suit you. Cuffs in abundance, links or otherwise.

Neckwear in profusion, scarfs windsors 4-in-hands, and a special lot of "Boys' Bows;" suspenders in great variety, leather and woven ends, good strong, serviceable goods.

We might go on indefinitely, but space is valuable, and to enumerate everything we carry would fill a pretty fair sized Book. If there is anything you want in the men's line, just drop in and see us, and if we can't suit you, we don't believe any one can.

If you should want a pair of nice shoes, let us try a hand at fitting you. Did it ever occur to you

How much a man is like his shoes;
For instance, both a soul may lose.
Both have been tanned; Both are made tight by Cobblers;
Both get left and right;
Both need a mate to be complete;
And both are made to go on feet.

They both need healing; oft are sold,
And both in time will turn to mould.
With shoes the last is first; with men
The first shall be the last; and when
The shoes wear out, they're mended new;
When men wear out, they're men dead too.

They both are trod upon, and both
Will tread on others nothing loth.
Both have their ties, and both incline
When polished, in the world to shine;
And both peg out. Now would you choose
To be a man, or be his shoes.

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As time rolls on, we shall gradually unfold our new ideas to the mutual benefit of our customers and ourselves.

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THE HEADQUARTERS OF THE Executive Committee of the Annexation Club, corner Fort and Hotel streets, will be open from 8 A.M. to 5:30 P.M. and from 7 P.M. until 9 P.M.

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AT SHORT NOTICE.

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HAWAIIAN GAZETTE CO.:

46 Merchant St., Honolulu.

FRESH NEWS FROM HILO.

WHAT IS GOING ON IN THAT SEAPORT.

The "Star's" New Correspondent Sends His First Letrer From the Island of Hawaii.

The ten days that usually intervene between the arrivals of the Kinau with her mail are passed by Hilo in a sort of brooding quiet; it is only when the steamer's advent is made known over the telephone from Mahukona or Kawaihae that the town begins to throw off its fit of slumbrous silence, and some semblance of life begins to assert itself in its grass-grown streets. At such a time the telephones are in great request, and it is no easy task for the operators, who, however, are invariably courteous, to meet the many demands made upon them by the eager seeker of news. At times the news transmitted from the other end of the line is based upon some Honolulu street rumor, and then there is great wagging of tongues.

Given the arrival of the Kinau during the day time and Hilo puts on her gala costume; it flocks to the wharf whence it gazes on the faces of new arrivals, it shakes hands and exchanges greetings with old friends. Hilo is hospitable; in it no stranger ever lacked a welcome; it also possesses a wonderous fund of patience and good humor, for in no other place would the snail-like performances of a postmaster, have been permitted to go on so long. We have been so long accustomed to having our mail distributed through the hands of a 250 pound Hawaiian with a $300 salary, while our $1500 postmaster first peruses his own mail, that the 3 or 4 hours' waiting for a 6-bag mail consignment has become second nature to us, and no one thinks of complaining.

Just now Hilo is having another dry spell; the streams through the district have not as yet sensibly diminished, but the waterheads which supply the flumes are situated for the most part at considerable distance and elevation in the interior and a few days dry water works a corresponding diminution in water supply for fluming purposes.

The new crop canes throughout Kohala, Hamakua and Hilo are looking remarkably green and healthy, and in the two former districts, the contrast is sharp between the present and the dried-up appearance of a year ago. There is an almost continuous belt of cane between Kukuihaele and Hilo, and the outlook for 1894 is good; while all of the Hilo plantations will go beyond their original estimate. It is evident that plantations all along the line are trying to break the record, more particularly in respect to the curtailing of expense and the utilizing of home products and waste material. In the latter consideration the storage for stable bedding and manure, with pumping apparatus for the liquor seepage, lately erected by Mr. Ant. Lydgare, of the Hamakua Mill Co's Plantation, is a case in point which in the end must benefit the owners thousands of dollars. The same thing is accomplished in a different manner by Mr. Goodale of the Onomea Sug. Co's plantation, which, by the way has the best arranged system of roads of any in the district, while last but not least is the good will and the fellowship existing between plantation managers, who are ever ready to discuss and exchange new ideas and improvements.

But with all this there is still great room for improvement. Nearly all the Hilo plantations own their lands in fee simple, some of these extend to and into the open country above the line of timber on the Humuula trail, and elevation of near 500 feet and a zone which could produce all the barley, wheat, oats and hay required for fodder purpose. Why pay out money for rice where so many of the Hilo gulches contain old taro lois with water runs in as complete state of preservation as in the ancient past.

The outlook for the greater development of the small farming interests is quite encouraging. Already numerous parties with small capital are looking around for investments; the country around Waimea in South Kohala is as favorably situated for the raising of corn and potatoes as that of Kula, Maui, while numerous parties in Hamakua, Hilo and Puna have brought the cultivation of coffee from the experimental to the practical stage, and with a vim promising success in the near future.

Politically there is no pot a boiling. The annexation sentiment has lost none of its strength, and the universal feeling is one of confidence in the successful outcome of the negotiations. We all feel that if the administration considers that the time has arrived to take over these Islands, they will take them; still we cannot, but look with doubt and suspicion on the professions of a certain element of hungry office-seekers, who originate all sorts of fanciful rumors for their own selfish ends, and thus cast discredit on the present interregnum. Hilo, as in Honolulu, has its "Hui Aloha Aina" or patriotic league, run on the same parallel lines as the parent branch. That these lines are not always cast in pleasant places, is proven by the split which lately occurred and was caused by a squabble over the selection of delegates with powers plenipotentiary to interview the Hon. J. H. Blount and make known to him their ultimatum.

Prior to this high misunderstanding a Hawaiian lady of weight in the community had been chosen and acted as chairman, but all her weight, i. e., beauty for weight is beauty ala Hawaienne, was unable to shield her from the wrath of the patriots assembled who metaphorically cast her out from their midst and set up the Hon. Col. J. T. Baker in her place. This august personage who earned his spurs and august title in many a hard fought battle on the plains of Koolau, lassoeing the frisky bullock, soon restored order with his awe-inspiring gaze and eloquent tongue.

The new order of things is shown in nothing more plainly than in the present policy of the Board of Health relative to the arrest and segregation of lepers. These unfortunates whom a corrupting power had permitted to remain untouched, and at large flaunting their hideous disease openly before the public are now being gathered in as rapidly as possible. Of interest in this connection is the ridiculously small salaries paid Government physicians in the various districts, and when a capable man like Dr. Cooper of Kau resigns his post the position is not so easily filled.

Nor is it always an easy matter to fill the vacancy caused by the promotion of good and valuable men to positions of greater responsibility, and all who have met Mr. Walton, late overseer at Papaikou, will be pleased to learn of the appointment of so good an American to the position of manager of the Waihee plantation.

Besides other reasons he must breathe a sigh of relief, for the presentation of an opportunity to leave a district where the road authorities have been subsidized by the shoe dealers. The formula for road construction in the Hilo district seems to be about as follows: 95 per cent. laziness at $1 00 per day (and no haole need apply), 4 per cent. mud, 1 per cent. of road metal, and what are you going to do about it?

They don't do work that way in Hamakua. There the cantonier system is in force, the laborer earns about $22.00 a month, while the work is inspected twice a week by an overseer at a small salary. Hamakua may well be proud, for with a less income from road taxes, and a farther stretch to cover the roads are far superior to Hilo's.

While Hilo may fall short in respect to roads, postmasters and other poor things, as a social centre it is a great institution. There are picnics and parties and socials galore.

When one of the former is on the tapis, then away with dull care, the butcher, the baker and candlestick-maker forsake their interesting avocations and flock to the shrine of Mokuola or Cocoanut Island, provided they are invited. Hilo like all large cities has its elite with the divinity that doth hedge them in, but must not look back too far. It is only when a church social is in full blast that all is democratic and unconventional. As these gatherings there is not alone the feast of reason and the flow of soul, tempered by the hallowed surroundings, but the further feast of good comestibles and drinkables and other ables which one has not the heart to refuse even though they add a premium to dyspeptic tendencies. If all the sociables taking place in Hilo will only be half as enjoyable is the one held at Mr. and Mrs. Terry's, of the Hilo Boarding School,—but further your deponent sayeth not.

Following directly upon the heels of the above came the entertainment at the Hilo Court House. This temple of *fiat justitia, calum* was consecrated for the time being into a temple of mysteries, where for the binary division of the federal dollar, the sympathetic Helotte was expected to be moved to weep by a negation of the trials and tribulations of the aspiants for a crown among the flowers. Fortunately for all concerned, "quarrel among the flowers," as the cantata was called, led to no serious consequences, presumably owing to the present poitical situation, where both throne and crown are vacant, and the pretty maids who participated wound up their hopes for queenly prerogative by a hands all-round, and so annexation is safe for the present.

Mr. Hitchcock's histrionic talent in delineating the heathen Chinese met with N. B. loud plaws, and a venturesome grasshopper subsequently met with a tragic ending at the hands, or correctly speaking, the peck of a gobbler with appetite sharpened for such tit bits by previous surfeit in China hash-house delicacies. As the devoured proves to have been Mr. E. D. Baldwin, and the devourer Mr. Ernest Lyman, it is to be hoped that the process of digestion will be followed by no serious consequence.

There were other choice morsels served up for the delectation of the audience but the limitations of space forbid a more than hasty summary other than that the hall was packed, and that the performance was a success. The receipts go to swell the fund for a town hall, the idea for which was conceived some years back, and though meeting with more or less opposition from a small clique of mutual admirers whose croakings were called forth by the fact that they were not in it, yet for all that the ladies have gone bravely ahead and are backed by the public spirited element of the town. A. B. L.

April 27th, 1893.

GOING TO THE STATES.

Departure of Mrs. Oleson on a Sailing Vessel.

Mrs. Oleson wife of Prof. Oleson of the Kamehameha Schools together with her family left to-day on the Wilder. Mrs. Oleson will visit relatives and friends in the States and the Professor will join her in Chicago at the World's Fair. The Kamehameha Glee Club gave a parting serenade at the wharf and many were the sad adieus to this charming lady who has been such an able assistant to the Professor in his duties at the school. The Olesons will locate permanently in Cleveland Ohio.

Titcomb Released.

Geo. Titcomb who, by a verdict of the Supreme Court to-day, is set at liberty, has been an occupant of the prison for the last two months, on a sentence from Kauai for "assault with a dangerous weapon to kill and murder."

The $1000 damages won by George Dillingham, have been paid to him.

ELECTRIC FRANCHISE.

IT IS AWARDED TO W. W. HALL FOR HIS COMPANY.

Mr. Hall Was the Only Bidder—His Plans for Extending the Service.

Chief Clerk Hassinger of the Interior Department, was prompt in his appearance at the entrance of the government building at exactly noon to-day for the sale of the Government Electric Franchise. The only bidder on hand was W. W. Hall, who bid for the Hawaiian Electric Co., the upset price of two and a half per cent. on the gross proceeds of the franchise. This was accepted. The company of which Mr. Hall is president and Hon. W. G. Irwin and other wealthy men of the city are heavy stockholders, propose the immediate augmentation of their present small plant, on King and Alakea streets. They will put in steam and electric machinery of the most approved kinds, and of capacity sufficient to supply the demands of the entire city.

Mr. Hall was greatly pleased at the result of the bidding when a STAR reporter called on him this afternoon. "Our company has worked under disadvantages for two years," said he, "but we shall now be in shape to do a large business. The machinery which will be put in will enable us to meet all present and prospective demands of the town. Our first effort will be to get 4000 lights in operation. When that is done we shall be ready to put in more engines and dynamos and extend the plant to meet the uttermost point of custom either for lights or for motive power. We shall be able to supply the latter to all sorts of manufactories or to those needing it in transportation. The plant will be ordered from a leading American manufacturer and will be in running order in about six months. Meanwhile the wires will be strung. They will not traverse every street but they will be so placed as to connect readily with every house and store.

"The company will soon be reorganized and new officers chosen."

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.

C. Company drills to-night.

The Mariposa is due to-morrow.

Board of Health meeting this afternoon.

Bananas are filling up the Oceanic wharf for the Monowai.

Tourists and visitors generally will be allowed to visit the Palace Tuesday's only.

In the Police Court, ex-Turnkey Walker, who let a prisoner escape, was fined $50.

The schools of Maui and Molokai are to inspected soon by School Inspector Atkinson.

There will be a benefit concert at Kawaiahao church on Saturday evening 6th inst., at which the best local talent will appear.

The Spreckles ride in a new carriage, the finest in the city, constructed by a local firm and used for the first time by them.

P. G. CAMARINOS offers for Sale, Fifty Thousand of the Best Variety of PINE-APPLE PLANTS, from imported stock. See his advertisement in the STAR.

Frank May, a private in the volunteers, and Kalbe, a German shoemaker, were taken up yesterday afternoon for an affray in the streets.

Bids were open for the erection of the Sailor's Home this afternoon. Lucas Brothers made the lowest one, $15,619.

Five Patriotic League delegates conferred with Mr. Blount yesterday. Forty of them went aboard the Naniwa this morning.

The Strangers' Friend Society will meet to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock, in the parlors of the Y. M. C. A. All are cordially invited to be present.

Mr. Luning wishes the STAR to state that the Foreign Office addressed a note to the U. S. Minister regarding the escape of Wetmore on the Mohican.

The Pacific Wheelman met last evening and elected H. E. Walker, President, W. M. Bush, Sec. and Treas., R. A. Dexter, Captain and T. P. Cummins, Lieutenant.

PERSONAL.

Irving G. Beatty has been hired as principal of the government school at Ulupalakua, Maui.

C. M. Walton went to Maui yesterday.

Sam Parker took the Claudine for Maui yesterday.

Claus and Rudolph Spreckels went to Spreckelsville on the Claudine yesterday.

Baron Luttwitz will take the next steamer to the coast.

Mrs. La Pierre, wife of Health officer La Pierre, left on the Planter to-day for the States. She was accompanied by her family.

The Schr. Aloha is receiving sugar out in the stream ex str. Likelike.

Sugar Piling Up.

There is a dearth of shipping in the harbor and sugar, is piling up in the warehouse. Most all the sugar which came on the W. G. Hall yesterday was stored. The R. P. Rithet, the first sugar vessel due, is expected in about ten days.

THE DECREASE OF IMPORTS.

A Correspondent Discusses it in Business Way.

EDITOR STAR:—I wish to add something to your reply to the question asked yesterday about the lesson of the figures which show a decrease of imports from the United States. The figures prove that the exports from the United States have considerably decreased on account of bad times on the islands and that it is for the interest of the United States to have the Islands in a flourishing condition, as it would double or treble their export to the Hawaiian Islands. This is business and can only be achieved by annexation.

The second point is that most of the goods, imported free of duty from the United States, might have been imported from Europe, paying 10% duty to the Hawaiian Government, without any additional cost to the community or to the consumers.

Allow me to explain: All cotton goods from England cost 10% duty; from the United States they pay no duty; but without this protection duty, nearly all cotton goods would be imported from England and not from the United States. Even with 10% duty on cotton goods I have been able to import them cheaper from England than they would have cost from the United States. Please call and see my stock and it will convince you that it is for the interest of the United States to have the Islands annexed in order to be able to export every year from ten to twenty million dollars of goods. Annexation will pay the United States.

Now comes the third point. Is it just for the United States to have a reciprocity with the Islands with all the benefits on their side? This was not the intention when the treaty was made. The bulk of American goods are free of duty by treaty and we have no benefits; our rice business is of little importance and might be stopped any day, as only Chinamen are benefited by it.

The fourth point is of great importance to the Provisional Government. If they had the income in duties on American goods, as well as on English goods, they would be a great deal better off and would not be obliged to borrow money abroad.

Therefore annexation is for the interest of the United States even more than for the Hawaiian islands. Yours truly, ANNEXATION T.

THE SUPREME COURT

It Renders Two Important Decisions This Morning.

Paw Kee vs. Wilder's Steamship Company. Before Bickerton, Frear and Cooper, J. J. Judd J., disqualified, being a stockholder in defendant corporation. This is an action for non-delivery of goods shipped at Honolulu, on a steamer belonging to the defendant, at Paia, Maui. The goods were destroyed by fire on their arrival at Kahului, the terminus of the sea route. To prove defendant's negligence, the plaintiff offered in evidence that the defendant had erected a fire-proof building and kept a watchman in it, which he had not done before. The decision in the lower court for defendant was upheld.

Hartwell for plaintiff. Hatch for defendant.

Matter of the application of Geo. Titcomb for a writ of habeas corpus. Before Judd, C. J., Bickerton and Frear, J. J.

"This is an appeal from Judge Whiting, of the Circuit Court, refusing to discharge the petitioner from the custody of the Marshal. In this case, the records correspond with the mittimus. Both are illegal and the petitioner is entitled to his discharge. The jury would not be warranted in finding him guilty, as it does not appear that there are different degrees of the same offense, but substantially different offenses from what he is charged." Hartwell for Titcomb, petitioner; Att.-Gen. Smith, for respondent.

THE CIRCUIT COURT VERDICTS.

Prov. Gov't., vs Kaluna. Gross cheat. Third degree. Appeal from Honolulu. Verdict not guilty. Kaulia for defendant. Pros. Atty. Willder for the Gov't.

Prov. Gov't., vs Haaheo and Kanalu, assault and battery. Appeal from Honolulu. Kane for defendant. Hartwell for prosecution. Verdict, not guilty.

Prov. Gov't., vs D. Watson and three others. House breaking. Kane for defendant. On trial.

The Sale of Bonds.

Minister of Finance Porter was seen to-day by a STAR reporter, and asked how the sale of government bonds was progressing. He reported sales small but frequent, and that not a cent's worth had been sold for less than 100 cents on the dollar. A gentleman in this city stands ready with $70,000 for buying bonds, as soon as the fact of annexation is established. He is only one of many who stand waiting to invest.

The Japanese Commissioner.

Mr. S. Akizuki the special Japanese Commissioner, left on the Claudine yesterday evening for the purpose of visiting the different plantations on the island of Maui.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

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Special Notices.

OAHU RAILWAY & LAND CO.'S TIME TABLE.

FROM AND AFTER OCT. 1, 1892.

TRAINS

	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Leave Honolulu	6:15*	8:45	1:45	4:35†
Arrive Honouliuli	7:20*	9:57	2:57	5:35†
Leave Honouliuli	7:30*	10:43	3:43	5:44†
Arrive Honolulu	8:35*	11:55	4:55	6:50†

PEARL CITY LOCAL.

Leave Honolulu	...	...	5:10†	...
Arrive Pearl City	...	...	5:48†	...
Leave Pearl City	6:55*	...	...	...
Arrive Honolulu	7:30*	...	...	...

*Sundays excepted. †Saturdays excepted. ‡Mondays excepted.

OCEAN TIME TABLE.

COAST LINE — S. S. AUSTRALIA.

Arrive Honolulu from San Francisco	Leave Honolulu for San Francisco
May 17.	May 24.
June 14.	June 21.

THROUGH LINE — AMERICAN AND HONGKONG MAILS, AUSTRALIA AND ETHNEY.

Arrive Honolulu from San Francisco, Eastbound.	Leave Honolulu for San Francisco, Eastbound.
Mariposa, May 4.	Mariposa, May 4.
Monowai, June 1.	Alameda, June 1.
Alameda, June 28.	Mariposa, June 29.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND HONGKONG.

Steamers for above ports will call at Honolulu on or about the following dates:

Belgic	May 12.
China	July 9.
Doric	August 7.
China	September 18.
Oceanic	October 16.
China	November 27.
Oceanic	December 25.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

Steamers for above ports will call at Honolulu on their way from Hongkong and Yokohama on or about the following dates:

Oceanic	May 7.
Belgic	May 29.
China	June 19.
Belgic	June 27.
Peru	July 7.
Oceanic	July 17.
Gaelic	August 8.
City of Peking	August 15.
Oceanic	September 23.
China	November 6.
Oceanic	December 4.

TIDES, SUN AND MOON.

By C. J. Lyons.

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Full Moon on the 17th at 8 h. 8 m. p. m.

Time Ball is dropped at 9h. 30m. a.m. G.M. of Honolulu time, which is the same as 12h. 30m. a.m. of Greenwich time.

METEOROLOGICAL RECORD.

By the Government Survey. Published every Monday.

Date.	Barom. 9 a.m.	Barom. 9 p.m.	Therm. 9 a.m.	Therm. Max.	Therm. Min.	Rain. 6 a.m.	Humidity. 9 a.m.	Humidity. 9 p.m.	Cloud.	Wind.	Force.
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Shipping.

DIAMOND HEAD.

DIAMOND HEAD 3 P.M. Wind S. E. Weather hazy.

ARRIVALS.

TUESDAY, May 2.

Stmr Likelike, Cameron, from Hemakua.

WEDNESDAY, May 3.

Stmr J A Cummins, Neilson, from Koolau.

DEPARTURES.

TUESDAY, May 2.

Am bk W H Dimond, Nelson, for San Fran.

WEDNESDAY, May 3.

Schr Sarah and Eliza for Koolau.

Schr Kawailani for Koolau.

Am bkt Planter, Dow, for San Francisco

Am bk S G Wilder, Griffiths, for San Fran.

VESSELS IN PORT.

(This List does not include Coasters.)

NAVAL VESSELS.

U S S Adams, Nelson San Francisco.

U S S Boston, Day, Hilo.

H M S Hyacinthe, May, Esquimalt.

H I J M S Naniwa, Tego, Yokohama.

MERCHANTMEN.

Am Mis pkt Morning Star, Gulland, Kusaie.

Br schr Norma, Macquarrie, Yokohama.

Am bkt Wm R Hunt, Brigham, Newcastle.

Am sch Aloha, Dabel, San Fran.

Br sh Greta, Garland, Newcastle.

Am schr Puritan, Peterson, Newcastle.

Haw bk Mauna Ala, Smith, Port Townsd.

FOREIGN VESSELS EXPECTED.

Gr bk G v Wilcox, Liverpool....July 4 '93

Am schr Lyman D Foster, Newcastle Mar 31

Bk Amy Turner, Boston.....May 20

Am bkt Amelia, Port Townsend.....Apr 12

Br S S Belgic, San Fran. (China)....May 11

Am bk Alden Besse, San Fran. (Kah) Mar 30

Am schr King Cyrus, Newcastle...Apr 25-30

Br S S Oceanic, San Fran (China)....May 11

Am bgt Bryant, San Francisco, ...April 25

Am bgt J D Spreckels, S F (Kah)...April 29

Am sch Anna, S F (Kah).....April 30

R M S S Mariposa, San Francisco....May 4

Br ship Gainsborough, Newcastle.....June 5

Am bk Annie Johnson, S F (Hilo) May...10

Br bk R P Rithet, San Francisco.....May 9

Am bk Martha Davis, Boston.....Dec 5-15

Br bk Ladstock, Liverpool.....July 25 '93

PASSENGERS.

DEPARTURES.

For Maui, per stmr Claudine, May 2—C Spreckels, K Spreckels, Mrs D Center, Mrs E K Wilder, Miss Neumann, Mrs A M Spinall, Rev O P Emerson and son, E H Bailey, Ah Leong, S Akizuki, A T Atkinson, Miss N Cross, W F Pogue, C F Horner, David Morton, and about 20 deck passengers.

For Kauai, per stmr Mikahala, May 2—W H Rice, L H Stultz, H G Boswell, A M Spinall, Emil Decker, and 30 on deck.

For Kauai, per stmr Lehua, May 2—Mrs C B Hofgaard, Mrs F W Gilsche, Mrs Oxley, J K Kapuaiai, Tam Wo, and 10 on deck.

For Hawaii, per stmr Lehua, May 2—C M Walton.

For San Francisco, per S G Wilder, May 3—P Sawyer, T H Rilliam, Mr Wicks and wife, Mrs Oleson and 5 children.

Shipping.

For San Francisco, per Planter, May 3—Jno Wilson and wife, S D Grayham, Harry Hicks, Mrs La Pierre and child.

IMPORTS.

Per stmr W G Hall—6446 bags sugar, 10 bags coffee, 45 bags awa, 43 bdls hides, 26 head cattle and 50 pkgs sundries.

EXPORTS.

Per Planter, Hackfeld & Co., 14,319 bags sugar; Grinbaum & Co., 1,573 bags sugar; C. Brewer & Co., 672 bags sugar. Total 16,564 bags (1,917,767 lbs) sugar. Value $55,044.50.

Per S G Wilder, C Brewer & Co., 12,053 bags sugar; F A Schaefer & Co., 1,396 bags sugar; Castle & Cooke, 4,029 bags sugar. Total 16,410 bags (2,011,655 lbs) sugar. Value $60,339.44.

New Advertisements.

They Have Come!

Those Razor Strops you have been waiting for several weeks, are here. They are so good that it has been said of them, that if you lay your razor, and one of these strops down together on your washstand, the razor will keep a fine edge; still, we recommend following the directions printed on each strop.

Anti-Rattlers. We have a new kind which you can put on to the shafts of your buggy, without breaking four fingers and a thumb. They prevent two things—rattling and swearing.

Boardman's Pat. Wrench.—4 sizes, just the kind of combination wrench to have about the house.

Try the new **Keystone Egg Beater**, if you want a beater that will do quick, clean work.

Hose, ½-in. to 2-in., 3 and 4-ply plain or wired, just received: cheap and good quality; also carbolized. We have a large stock of **'Hubbucks.' "Pioneer,"** and cheaper brands of **White Leads and Zinc.** Also, Oil, Turpentine, and all painters' supplies, and you will do well to see our Stock and get our Prices before you paint your house.

American Flags,—6 to 18 feet long, came by the last steamer to us. They are a fine lot, sewed bunting.

Fire Arms and Ammunition.—A new lot of Sporting and Target Rifles, Colt's new Navy, Smith and Wesson, and cheaper Revolvers, came last week and can now be seen. We carry the most complete assortment of Cartridges in town, from 22 to 50 cal., and always have plenty of them.

Leather.—We have received within the past sixty days, by steamer and sail, 66 Rolls of Leather, containing 9088 lbs., and 5347 ft; also, 3 bales containing 142 doz. sheep skins, so it looks as if we meant to keep our Stock of Leather up, although by getting it in large lots, we are able to keep the prices down.

Salt.—We are headquarters for **Hawaiian Salt,** as we make it. That the quality is good, and Price Low, is easily shown by the large quantity we sell every week.

Blight Compound.—Five gallons will make 65 gallons of wash. You spray your Lime and Orange Trees with this wash, and the Blight will do the rest, die and drop off the trees. We have the compound at our store, or can give you an order on the Gov't. Nursery for it, but don't forget to bring a 5-gallon can to put it in. We sell spraying outfits.

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RESIDENCE: Mr. W. Hoppe's, King Street, opposite the Palace.

Mrs. Tucker is an experienced teacher of Piano, and the results of her teaching have been approved by some of the most cultivated musicians in London and Boston, Mass.

Special Notices.

THE MUTUAL

Life Insurance Co.

Of New York.

ASSETS Dec. 31, 1892. $175,084,156.61

S. B. ROSE,

General Agent, Hawaiian Islands.

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NOTICE.

THE Annual Business Meeting of the LADIES' STRANGERS' FRIEND SOCIETY, will be held to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock, in the parlors of the Y. M. C. A. All Members and Friends cordially invited.

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NOTICE.

THE MISSIONARY GLEANERS will give a Lawn Party at the residence of Mr. W. R. Castle, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, May 6th, at 4 o'clock.

Special announcements for children. Admission, 25c.

31 3t

FOR SALE.

SUGAR LOAF, SMOOTH CAYENNE, Panama, Mexican and Bermuda Pine Apple Suckers and Plants. May be seen growing on the parent stock at our Kalihi Pine Apple Ranch.

Prices reasonable; apply to

P. G. CAMARINOS,

17 tf Cal. Fruit Market.

LOST.

ON SATURDAY, between Kamehameha School and Thomas Square, a lady's Gold Watch and Fob, with owner's name on back case of watch. Return to STAR office and receive reward.

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ANNUAL MEETING.

THE Annual Meeting of the Hawaiian Coffee and Tea Company, will be held on THURSDAY, May 4th, at 10 o'clock A.M., in the chamber of Commerce Room. All stockholders are expected to be present to elect officers for the coming year, and to listen to the Manager's Report.

WM. W. HALL,

29 3t Secretary H. C. & T. Co.

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AN active partner in a first class retail business of ten years standing. No previous knowledge required. The reason for seeking a partner is to facilitate trade, which can be largely increased.

Terms easy to right person. For further particulars address K, P. O. Box 35, Honolulu, H. I.

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NOTICE.

HAVING made arrangements with the Commissioner of Agriculture to enable the public to obtain, with the least possible trouble, the compound for DESTROYING THE BLIGHT, which is so prevalent now in and around Honolulu, any person leaving an order with us for 4lbs. of Rosin, 2lbs of Tallow and 50lbs of Caustic Potash, will be furnished with an order which, if presented at the Government Nursery on King Street, will enable the Bearer to obtain 5 Gallons of Compound, ready mixed, 1 pint of which added to 15 gallons of water, will make an effective Blight Wash.

Buy a few gallons of Blight Wash, and save your valuable trees.

E. O. HALL & SON,

10 tf Corner Fort and King Streets.

GUARDIAN'S NOTICE.

The undersigned having this day been appointed Guardian of Rebecca Paoe Humoku, also known as Rebecca Paoe Puaku, a spendthrift, by order of the Honorable W. A. Whiting, First Judge of the First Circuit Court, Island of Oahu, notice is hereby given, that he will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her, and all persons are hereby warned not to give any credit to the said Rebecca Paoe Humoku.

Dated Honolulu, April 14, 1893.

J. ALFRED MAGOON,

Guardian of Rebecca Paoe Humoku.

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FOR LEASE.

No. 1—Seaside Residence, adjoining the premises of C. Afong at Waikiki. There are three distinct Cottages on the premises, all furnished. Two with Cook houses attached. The grounds are extensive and well shaded. Stables, Servants' quarters, Bath-houses, etc., all complete.

Unobstructed views of sea or mountains. Climate, perfect. Five minutes walk from the Tramways.

No. 2—A Convenient Cottage on Emma street, two doors from Beretania street, recently remodelled and repaired throughout. Terms easy.

For further particulars, inquire at the office of

BRUCE & A. J. CARTWRIGHT.

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Stallion "NUTGROVE."

NUTGROVE is standard bred and registered, and is without doubt the best stock horse in the country.

He is the finest looking, purest gaited and most intelligent horse on the islands. His colts are all remarkably handsome, combining size with plenty of substance. He has trotted a mile in 2.32 as a four year old, and quarters in 35 seconds. Nutgrove is very gentle, and can be driven by a child.

Also, nine nice mares in foal to Nutgrove. For particulars inquire of

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Two Newly Furnished Rooms on Beretania street, near Emma. Apply at

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But Colonel Sarpy's Antagonist Vanished in the Dark.

One of the men who figured conspicuously in the pioneer days of Nebraska was Colonel Peter A. Sarpy, a distinguished Indian trader and member of the famous American Fur Company. An old settler tells the following story about this eccentric pioneer: Colonel Sarpy preferred the freedom of prairies to the society of civilized life, and spent a great deal of his time in visiting Omaha wigwams near the old trading posts. He was regarded by the Omahas as their Nekagahhe or big chief. In fact, he married an Omaha woman, Nakoma, to whose intercessions he was more than once indebted for the preservation of his life when attacked by Indians.

One night a crowd of frontiersmen were gathered in the store of Colonel Sarpy and the conversation turned upon the treatment of the Indians.

Sarpy portrayed in glowing colors the noble traits of the redmen, and the injustice heaped upon them by the whites.

A tall, gaunt-looking specimen over in the corner, who was busily engaged in whittling, listened with considerable interest. He suddenly looked up and interrupted the speaker.

"This yere talk about the Indians as good and as brave may suit you—traders who have been swapping gewgaws for their valuable buffalo robes and stealing their annuities, but I have lived among them, too. I want you to understand, and I'll be hanged if they are not a lying, thieving race of dogs, who don't know the difference from right and wrong. The sooner they are killed off the better it will be for the country."

This was too much for Sarpy. He advanced to the front of the speaker and interrupted him in an excited manner. "Do you know whom I am, sir?" he asked, with considerable emphasis. "I am Peter A. Sarpy, sir! If you want to fight, sir, I am your man, sir! I can whip the devil, sir! Choose your weapons, sir! Bowie-knife, shotgun or revolver, sir! I'm your man, sir!"

Here the speaker, by way of emphasis to his remarks, snapped his pistol at the lighted candle on the table, about three paces away, and all were left in total darkness. The stranger availed himself of this opportunity to make his exit by the side door, being unwilling to serve as a target for the unerring marksman, who would probably have extinguished him in a similar manner.

A Baby's Foot in a Sea Shell.

George W. Fox, of Redwood city, Cal., has in his possession one of the most remarkable curiosities ever found on the Pacific Coast—nothing more or less than an abalone shell, in the interior of which, firmly encased in the pearly shell secretion, there is a baby's shoe and stocking! The shape is perfect in every particular, but the size indicates that the owner of these pedal coverings was a very young child. The sole of the shoe and the toe, badly worn and red from long-continued water-soaking, can be plainly seen when the secretion has not entirely enveloped it. The stocking is not visible, however. Threads of the wool can be drawn from the pearly encasement by using a crochet hook or even a bent pin. The buttons are covered with abalone, looking like pendant pearls set in a row down the side of this odd-shaped shell. The little tassel can still be plainly seen, as can also the hole where one of the buttons has been pulled out. There is but one tenable solution that can be given in explanation of this sea-shell mystery. The body of a drowned infant was being carried along by the tide when the foot passed into the abalone shell, which, of course, instantly closed like a vice. Then the imprisoned foot was held until severed from the body by decay; in the meantime the shell fish was busily engaged in covering shoe, stocking and foot with its pearly secretion.

Japanese Beliefs.

The Japanese believe in more mythical creatures than any other people on the globe, civilized or savage. Among these are mythical animals without any remarkable peculiarities of conformation, but gifted with supernatural attributes; such as the tiger which is said to turn as white as a polar bear on the date of his 100th birthday. They also believe in a species of fox which if it lives to be fifty years old without having been chased by a dog, transforms himself into a beautiful woman. This same fox, if he can manage to live for a century, gains additional powers, such as becoming a wonderful wizard, etc. When he lives to be 1000 years old he becomes a "Celestial Fox," with nine golden tails, and has the power of going to Heaven and returning whenever he chooses. These Japs believe in a multitude of animals distinguished by their monstrous size or by multiplication of their members. Among these are serpents 800 feet long and large enough to swallow an elephant; boxes with eight legs; monkeys with four ears and seven tails; fishes with ten heads attached to one body, the flesh of this last monster being a sure cure for boils, bites of poisonous serpents, hydrophobia, etc. They also believe in the existence of a crane which, after it has reached the age of 600 years, has no need of any sustenance except water. Their mythical dragon has the head of a camel, the horns of a deer, the eyes of a demon, the ears of an ox, the body of a serpent, the scales of a fish and the claws and wings of an eagle.

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Statement for Year ending Dec. 31, 1892

Assets, $175,084,156.61.

Reserve for Policies (American Table 4 per Cent.)		$159,181,067 00
Miscellaneous Liabilities		734,855 67
Surplus		15,168,233 94
INCOME.		
Premiums	$32,047,765 34	
Interest, Rents, &c.	8,191,099 90	
		$ 40,238,865 24
DISBURSEMENTS.		
To Policy-Holders	$19,386,532 46	
For Expenses and Taxes	7,419,611 08	
		$ 26,806,143 54
THE ASSETS ARE INVESTED AS FOLLOWS:		
United States Bonds and other Securities		$ 65,820,434 89
Loans on Bond and Mortgage, first lien		69,348,092 54
Loans on Stocks and Bonds		10,394,597 50
Real Estate		15,638,884 26
Cash in Banks and Trust Companies		7,806,672 55
Accrued Interest, Deferred Premiums, &c.		6,075,474 87
		$175,084,156 61
INSURANCE AND ANNUITIES.		
Insurance Assumed and Renewed		$654,909,566 00
Insurance in Force		745,780,083 00
Annuities in Force		352,036 01
Increase in Annuities in Force		$ 82,732 98
Increase in Payments to Policy-Holders		630,820 60
Increase in Receipts		2,604,130 71
Increase in Surplus		3,137,266 78
Increase in Assets		15,577,017 93
Increase in Insurance Assumed and Renewed		47,737,765 00
Increase in Insurance in Force		50,295,925 00

NOTE—In accordance with the intention of the Management as announced in November, 1891, to limit the amount of new insurance actually issued and paid for in the accounts of the year 1892, to One Hundred Million Dollars, the amount of insurance in force as above stated includes the amount of such voluntary limit with but a slight increase unavoidable in closing the December accounts.

I have carefully examined the foregoing Statement and find the same to be correct. *A. N. WATERHOUSE, Auditor.*

From the Surplus a dividend will be apportioned as usual.

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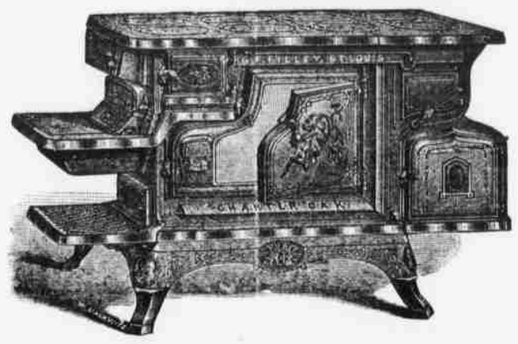

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Roman and Guipare Embroidery,
Oriental, Platte and other Laces, in white, cream and black;
Chiffon Lace, all colors;
45 in. Lace Net, cream and black;
Striped and Check Dimity,
Wide Japanese Crepe, white and colr'd;
White, Cream and Black Surah Silk,
White and Cream Silk Crepe,
Navy and Cream Serge,
Suez and Tennis Flannel,
The Jenness Miller "Equipoise Waist,"
Prima Donna and P. D. Corsets,
Ladies Black Hose.