

ATTORNEY GENERAL IN A DUAL ROLE.

Attempts to Defend Policeman Charged With Crime.

THE REMARKABLE PROCEEDING. HIS NAME STRICKEN FROM THE RECORD BY THE COURT.

A District Attorney in California Was Disbarred For Three Months For a Similar Act.

There was another field day in Judge Humphreys' court room yesterday afternoon. Attorney General Dole was the principal attraction. He had a burst of eloquence on that charmed old hearer. Hyperbolically the Attorney General dwelt on many things—legal ethics, the greatness of the police force, Hawaiian character, new comers, the brilliancy of the court, the speaker's efficiency as a law officer, his right to defend those charged with crime and many other things. It was an oratorical effort which caused all to be spellbound and recalled one's reading of the great efforts of the great commander Henry Clay.

The Attorney General commenced his remarks in a low tone, as all great orators should do; then, as he warmed up, his voice rang out like a cornet solo in Herr Berger's band, permeated the corridors and went cascading down the stairways.

And what was the thing all about? It was the case of Kaupena Kaimama vs. J. H. Kamauna. Kaupena is a police officer at Koolana. As a police officer he had Kamauna arrested for larceny. The charge was not substantiated in court and then Kaimama had Kamauna arrested for malicious mischief. Yesterday the case came up in court and Attorney General Dole appeared for the defendant. Kaimama's attorney, Charles Creighton, moved that the Attorney General's name be stricken from the calendar on the grounds that, being a prosecuting officer, could not defend a person charged with a misdemeanor.

Then came the Attorney General's burst of rhetoric. It came like a cloud burst from the Nuuanu valley. It was a deluge of apostrophes. It was his duty as Attorney General of the Territory and as the head of the police department to protect the members of the force when they were in the right. Why should his name be stricken from the record in cases where the police officers were concerned? He should not be disbarred from appearing in cases where members of the force were concerned unless it was for the interest of the public good, the protection of property and the protection of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness and for everything else that was transcendently glorious. He had a right to appear whether he did so for gain or otherwise. In this case he appeared without remuneration. "I ask nothing," said the Attorney General lifting his hands skyward, "but a full hearing."

"If the government is interested in this case it is the duty of the Attorney General of the Territory of Hawaii to appear in this case."

Then the Attorney General told about the new comers coming here. Many of them would make desirable citizens but crime, and here the Attorney General's voice thundered, was on the increase. How could it be stopped? How could it be checked? How could it be prevented?

The court, like himself, had been acquainted with the Hawaiian character here but a few years. They were not aware. It was difficult to tell what bearing Hawaiian character had on the case, and in passing the Attorney General didn't stop to say.

Then he went on throwing verbal bouquets at the court. The address of the court to the grand jury was the most brilliant that he had ever heard. But the court should have mentioned the conditions, necessities and environments which surround us. The court is of great learning, brilliancy and intellect but this is the transition period," said the speaker. But why continue? No writer can do justice to the Attorney General's oration. Hearing is the only thing that could satiate those who love eloquence in this tropical climate where the ocean waves the pebbly beach.

Attorney Creighton stated that the Attorney General was not a party to this record. He did not move to have his name stricken from the calendar because he was afraid of crossing swords, figuratively, with the Attorney General, as far as that was concerned, he had much rather have him remain in the case than anyone else.

He thought that the Attorney General has made some insidious remarks about him.

The court had failed to grasp anything insidious in the Attorney General's address. Judge Humphreys, in rendering his decision spoke of the great powers conferred on the police. These powers should at all times be exercised with great consideration. If you went to London you would find on Piccadilly and Sholto Square policemen belted and wearing their insignia of office. They preserve the power, dignity and order of the community. They represent the majesty of the law. Let one raise his hand as a signal for the sur-

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Liliuokalani has troubles of her own. It is not all glory to be an ex-queen. Like ordinary mortals they appear to be liable to the law—to assumpt proceedings—even to breaches of contract. And Hawaii's ex-queen is in trouble—with her doctor.

Dr. Charles H. English, who alleges that he was the late physician to the late queen, says that he has been wronged. He has invoked the law to right that wrong. He asks \$5,000 from the former occupant of the throne, which the same, it may be remarked, is a good deal of money, even in prosperous Honolulu, not to say anything about a hopeful, but detroned, queen.

The doctor sues the late sovereign under the name of Lydia Dominis.

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"And the said plaintiff alleges that the said breach of the contract hereinafter set out was done in contravention of his private rights under the law.

"And the said plaintiff alleges that he is a citizen of the United States and that his permanent residence and place of abode is in the city of Cincinnati, in the state of Ohio, in the United States of America.

"And the said defendant, Lydia Dominis, is a Hawaiian by birth and was at one time the queen of the kingdom of Hawaii, and is now a resident in the Territory of Hawaii and within the jurisdiction of this court.

"And for cause of action the said plaintiff alleges and complains as follows:—

"For that, whereas the said defendant engaged and hired the plaintiff, who is a doctor of medicine and surgery, for the period of eighteen months, to commence on the 16th day of May, A. D. 1900, and to continue until the 15th day of November, A. D. 1901, at the end of which said period, or on the plaintiff's leaving the defendant's service, the defendant agreed to pay to the plaintiff, in addition to the sum of \$500 per month, the sum of \$5,000.

"And the said plaintiff, on the 15th day of May, A. D. 1900, in accordance with the terms of said contract and agreement entered into by and between them at Washington in the District of Columbia, entered into the service of and the performance of, the said contract and agreement with the said defendant as such physician and surgeon, and rendered the said defendant medical and surgical services from the said 15th day of May, 1900, to the said 10th day of July, A. D. 1900.

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HONOLULU, H. I., AUGUST 14, 1900. WEATHER YESTERDAY. Mean Temperature—78 degrees; Minimum Temperature—76 degrees; Maximum Temperature—84 degrees; Barometer—30.05, 3 p. m.; Rainfall—.92 inches; Mean New Wind for the Day—66; Mean Relative Humidity—66. FORECAST FOR TODAY. Fresh trades, light showers.

Lemons are lemons in California this year. Packers are offering 2 1/2 cents a pound, while growers are holding for 3 cents.

The best thing to do with the tug Elicu is to turn her into a fire boat. In this capacity she could pay for herself many times over in case of fire along the water front or in the harbor.

Cuba shipped into the United States during the last fiscal year \$9,000,000 of tobacco, as against \$26 shipped by Hawaii. Would it not pay to make further experiments with tobacco raising in Hawaii?

To compare the bar association dinner of last Friday night to a dinner given by the famous Gridiron Club of Washington is like comparing the maulin music of a beer hall to the heavenly strains of a Cathedral choir.

How lovely everything would be in the republican ranks if the "devil's partner" or his friend Castle had only been selected national committeeman. Because this worthy cannot control H. M. Sewall then Mr. Sewall must be crucified by the Daily Thurston.

It is regarded as settled in Washington that General James H. Wilson, now serving in China, will be made a brigadier general of regulars upon the retirement of General Joseph Wheeler in September. He will then have one year to serve before retirement. This honor will be well bestowed.

And now Judge Stanley has concluded to follow The Republican's advice and become an American citizen. Good for you, Judge. The best of us change our minds some time and as you are a pretty good fellow, as Irishmen generally are, you are certain to make a good American citizen.

Had the "devil's partner" succeeded in carrying through his infamous rules for the guidance of the republican party in the recent territorial convention his personal organ would now be the loudest in its cry for municipal government. Because L. A. cannot control he proposes to ruin, if possible.

The second issue of The Naked Truth, a monthly journal published in this city by the Pioneer Advertising Company, wholly devoted to advertising is a fine double number. It is most creditable to Mr. C. L. Clement, the editor, and to the business interests of Honolulu and Hawaii generally.

It will probably astonish the people of the mainland to learn that the Hawaiian imports into the United States for the fiscal year ended June 30 were less than \$9,000,000 short of those of Cuba. Our sugar imports exceeded those of Cuba by more than \$3,000,000. Cuba forged ahead on tobacco, molasses, iron ore, cabinet woods, copper and manganese ores and fruits and nuts. The tables of imports published on another page will be read with interest and found suggestive, at least. The Philippines imported four and a quarter millions of dollars' worth of hemp. Could this be made a profitable crop in Hawaii?

A Yokohama paper says that the local shipping agents experience great trouble in getting a sufficient number of coolies to work cargoes. The trouble seems to be that they have been gradually demanding more wages until now they receive 60 sen a day, and when they work two or three days they have so much money they feel like capitalists and will not work for several days, thus interfering with the trade of the port. When wages were 20 to 30 sen, coolies could be had by the hundreds, but all being bondholders now, they only work for pleasure. It is said that the same conditions are prevailing in Honolulu to an extent, the natives rapidly dropping out and the sea taking up the work. This is a regrettable fact.

This is a peculiar mistake for that carefully edited paper, the Philadelphia Press, to make. "Colonel John W. Geary, the last alcalde and the first mayor of San Francisco, has been invited to take part in California's semi-centennial celebration of its Admission Day." The "Colonel J. W. Geary" here referred to has been dead nearly twenty years. The fact that he was a most illustrious son of Pennsylvania, a major general in command of its great army, the White Star division, and twice governor of the commonwealth

make the Press' slip all the more peculiar. He was, however, last alcalde and first mayor of San Francisco and as distinguished in civil life as he subsequently was in war.

In stating that some of the old cases in which W. A. Kinney was interested were stricken from the calendar in The Republican a few days ago a mistake was made, which did an injustice to Mr. Kinney. Whatever differences of opinion may exist between Mr. Kinney and The Republican, this paper will not knowingly do him nor any other man an injustice in its columns. It will never be so biased or bigoted as to fall to make the amende honorable when a mistake has occurred. The mistake in this case was a very easy one to make under the circumstances the reporter writing the story confusing Mr. Kinney's name with others in connection with cases that were stricken from the calendar.

The juice of the green and growing pineapple is accredited in Java, the Philippines and throughout the far east generally with being a blood poison of a most deadly nature. It is said to be the substance with which the Malays poison their kresses and daggers, and also the "fingernail" poison formerly in use among the aboriginal Javaneese women almost universally. These women cultivate a nail on each hand to a long sharp point, and the least scratch from one of these was certain death.

Wonder if the "devil's partner" bought the Daily Thurston with the view of rubbing the Aladdin's lamp and suddenly acquiring immense wealth as a promoter of sugar plantations. Wonder also if the inside facts about the enormous fees paid the promoters of Olaa and Kihel plantations are being set forth to investors in the states as special inducements why they should purchase the bonds of these very attractive (?) corporations. No doubt they are.

It speaks very poorly for the music loving people of Honolulu that only a small crowd assembled at Makee Island last Sunday to hear the splendid musical program rendered by the government band under Captain Berger. Such a musical program in a city of the same size in the states would have called forth thousands of citizens instead of the paltry two or three hundred who went out to Kapiolani park Sunday.

THE LYING ADVERTISER. "The Advertiser had the only report of Mr. McClanahan's speech and it came without alteration from his manuscript." "As is our usual custom the Advertiser took all the speeches in shorthand that it did not get in manuscript, the whole making an accurate and thorough account of the banquet proceedings."

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While the "family compact" ruled in church, in society and in politics—and their sway was absolute—the dictum of the Advertiser meant performance. No sovereign ever ruled with the same certainty of implicit obedience, which accounts for the influence which a cheap man like L. A. Thurston ever attained in this community.

White men were at a premium then, but 'tis different now; citizenship rates higher and so do honesty and morals. That such men oppose the new order of things is natural; some, even, are pro-English—many of them after being naturalized—and it is little wonder they "die hard."

Here are a few points for which Attorney Gear stands: "1. That McClanahan's speech was not reported from the shorthand notes."

This being so, why did McClanahan write it up after the meeting? If it was reported verbatim, the Advertiser lies. Who lies? We are in position to prove that "the manuscript" was written by McClanahan. When? When it was wanted and the way it was wanted, perhaps?

Then, let us look at what Attorney General Dole said, after the judges had retired. "There was a lot of feeling in it," said an attorney yesterday. Mr. Dole said: "No one knows the awful power that is wielded by the First Court of the First Circuit."

T. McCants Stewart did have a talk with Deputy District Attorney Cathcart and said that McClanahan was making a big mistake.

Then there was Mr. Kinney's statement in court just a few days before, to the effect that the relation between the bar and the judges had recently changed, and not to the advantage of the judges.

This being true there was no reason to suppose that he would do anything else than interrupt the speakers and cry "bar," in open meeting.

"Joshing," at a bar association dinner? Joshing at the judges? And a

Josh by the Attorney General? No one ever looked for a joke from a Dole. They—the Doles—always thought themselves too consequential for a joke, save to those who knew them well and regarded them as a standing joke—even without labeling them.

That it was the intention to insult the judges goes without saying. Otherwise Attorney General Dole, representing the retreating phantoms of the past, would not have raised his voice, added his insult to the injury that had been done to honorable men and true, after they had been compelled to resent the contumely cast upon them.

In conclusion it may not be inopportune to refer to the fact that W. O. Smith certifies to the truthfulness of the statement that the speeches were assigned to the speakers even as late as 7 o'clock in the evening.

If that was the case, when did Mr. McClanahan WRITE his or did he write it at all, before "the devil's partner," as he declared himself to be in the legislative halls, made his demand upon him for it?

Can a man write his own speech after delivery, notably if he is under malign influence? Does the devil have a worldly influence?

Would he give even the owner of the Advertiser a vote of attorney?

NAVAL BASE NEEDED.

As will be noticed by our Washington dispatches, the government of the United States is already handicapped so early in the Chinese war because of the need of a naval station on the far Pacific. The very best of war ships are useless without a generous supply of coal. The United States cannot hope to remain a first-class power without establishing and fortifying bases of naval and military supplies. With the annexation of Hawaii, the establishing of a station at Pago Pago and the occupation of Guam and the islands of the Philippine Archipelago a decided step forward was taken, but we are still weak closer in on the Asiatic shore. Then, too, the naval stations on the recently acquired insular possessions are only in embryonic form. The framework has not yet been done on them and they are of comparatively little use. All this will be remedied in future, though the United States is very apt to neglect its preparations for war in time of peace.

In this connection it would seem timely to urge the improvement of the harbor of Honolulu and the gathering here of a considerable army and naval reserve. Almost in the heart of the city the government has a reservation of eighteen acres which would make an admirable base for the army. With the improvements now under way at the naval station in this city, including wharfage facilities, ample coal bunkers and machine shops, only a dry dock would be necessary to make that a pretty thoroughly equipped station. It would then be ample for all present needs for this part of the Pacific. If a greater reservation should be needed for naval purposes little difficulty would be experienced in securing it. The subject is one of sufficient importance to engage the serious consideration of those in authority or having special influence at Washington.

CIRCUIT COURTS AND NATURALIZATION.

Judge Estee in giving his views on the power of the circuit courts of Hawaii to naturalize candidates for United States citizenship takes the same position as set forth by this paper six weeks ago, immediately following Attorney General Dole's remarkable opinion, wherein he held that aliens who had resided here the necessary five years and received their final papers must reside here still another year before they could vote or be legal citizens. The Republican held then that the circuit courts being courts of record were qualified to administer the oath of naturalization.

When Florida was created a Territory following its cession from Spain the Organic Act provided that the courts should consist of a Supreme Court and such inferior courts as the legislative council might by law create. The legislative council saw fit to create circuit courts but these courts had jurisdiction in United States cases the same as district courts in other territories the title of the court having no bearing upon its power or jurisdiction. The judges of the Supreme Court of the territory appointed by the President presided over these circuit courts of Florida the same as the Judges of the Supreme court of other Territories preside over the district courts of the respective territories.

The circuit courts of Hawaii are courts having common law jurisdiction and a seal and clerk and there is no doubt that they are authorized to administer the oath of naturalization under Section 2165 of the Revised Statutes. While Judge Estee only gave this as his view and not as an opinion of the court there is no doubt it will be accepted as a fair interpretation of the law. There is no doubt it will be accepted as a fair interpretation of the law.

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TERRITORIAL CIRCUIT
COURTS HAVE POWER.
 THEY ARE QUALIFIED TO NATURALIZE CANDIDATES FOR CITIZENSHIP.
 Judge Esteve Gives His Views on the Subject in Answer to Many Inquiries From the Other Islands.

In the United States District Court yesterday morning, after the naturalization of several candidates, Judge Esteve said:
 "This court has been waited upon by a committee from the various other islands of this Territory, requesting the Judge of this court, as a United States District Court, to visit those various islands, for the purpose of naturalizing people and making them citizens of the United States."
 "This court is ready and willing to do that duty, or any other imposed upon it by law. And it may be pertinent to say, after a careful examination of the law, while this court has jurisdiction, that it believes that the Circuit Court of the Territory of Hawaii has absolute jurisdiction, not exclusive, to make citizens of the United States; therefore, the court ventures to call the bar's attention to a little law in relation thereto. I call attention to Section 2165 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, page 378:

"An alien may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States in the following manner, and not otherwise."
 "First, He shall declare on oath, before a Circuit or District Court of the United States, or a District or Supreme Court of the Territories, or a Court of Record of any of the States, having common law jurisdiction, and a seal and clerk, two years at least, prior to his admission, that it is bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States."
 "It is well known to the bar and the people, that the Enabling Act, taking this Territory into the Union; that part of it in relation to the two years declaration, is abolished, and that a resident of the islands, having lived here five years prior to the 14th of June, 1900, can become a citizen of the United States and Territory."
 "The only problem that seems to strike the court is this law that says, 'the District Court or the Supreme Court of the Territories.' It has been held by some lawyers that the Circuit Court has no jurisdiction to make citizens. This court is compelled to believe that that is a mistake; that the Circuit Court has jurisdiction; that the only object of that law, which was passed before this Enabling Act was passed, was to show that it was a court of record of common law jurisdiction, with a clerk and a seal and possessing all the attributes of a court of justice."
 "It has been held by the highest court in the country that a judgment of naturalization is a judgment of a court of record, it must be signed with all the formality and solemnity in the possession of the court."
 "I am compelled to believe that the Circuit Court of this Territory of Hawaii is a court of original jurisdiction, of common law jurisdiction, possessing the same and all the attributes of a court of authority, and therefore, although the statute says 'District Court' I think that it relates to the Circuit Court as well."
 "The courts of our country have held many times that courts possessing common law jurisdiction and general jurisdiction also, in both law and equity matters, can naturalize citizens, and thus make them members of this great community."
 "I am constrained to believe that as Judge of this court I am so frequently and almost hourly urged to go elsewhere on the islands to make citizens, simply because many people think the Circuit Court of Hawaii has not jurisdiction."
 "This court, without ruling upon the point, because I have not authority to overrule any body, is compelled to say it is of the opinion that the Circuit Court of the various circuits of the Territory of Hawaii has ample authority to make citizens, and can do it under the powers and solemnity of any other court of general jurisdiction."
 "The court then read Section 100 of the Enabling Act, admitting this Territory into the Union, and continuing said:
 "I want to say that it is impossible to visit all the islands before election, and it would be quite impossible for this court to naturalize all the people on the islands that may want to be naturalized, and that the court does not think it is necessary for this court alone to do the naturalizing. Of course there is no question but that the Supreme Court of this Territory can naturalize people. That court has adjourned until in September."
 "This court will visit before election only one or two of the islands of the Territory, and not alone for that purpose."

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STANLEY IS NOW AN AMERICAN CITIZEN.
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 It is a Question Which May Affect the Rights of Many That Think They are Citizens.

W. F. L. Stanley, ex-Judge of the Circuit Court and a subject of Great Britain, forewore allegiance of Queen Victoria in the United States District Court yesterday morning. Of course such an important event could not occur without some speech making. W. A. Whiting made an address. It was entirely unnecessary, "but then they do such things and they say such things" in Hawaii—at least they used to, and it is hard for one to break away from habit.

About a month ago Mr. Stanley told a reporter on the Republican that he was an Irishman and he saw no reason for changing his allegiance to Great Britain. This was when Mr. Stanley was acting Justice of the Supreme Court and taxing candidates for citizenship \$7.50. Not only did Mr. Stanley assist in imposing this tax, but he passed upon the qualifications of applicants for American citizenship.
 Now a serious question arises: Mr. Stanley, at that time not being an American citizen, are the candidates that he assisted to make citizens, citizens?

When Judge Esteve opened the United States District Court here he announced that no attorney could practice in his court unless he was an American citizen or signified his intention of becoming an American citizen.
 Now if Mr. Stanley could not practice in Judge Esteve's court without being an American citizen, how could the unnaturalized Mr. Stanley make American citizens? This is another question of moment.
 Mr. Stanley before becoming an American citizen was compelled to say, that in the evolution of time if war broke out between the United States and Great Britain, he would take up arms for the United States.
 The following candidates were also naturalized: J. W. Wilkins, England; P. McInerney, Ireland; E. H. F. Wolters, Germany; R. Mossman, Germany; S. J. Harris, Australia.
 One of the applicants' witnesses spoke about the candidate's property. "Never mind about the property," said the court snuffly.
 "Will Love was also a witness for a candidate.
 "Are you an American citizen?" asked the court?
 "I don't know; I was born in these islands."
 "I don't see how you were made 'or anything else," said the court dryly.
 Another witness said that he came from California.
 "Pretty good State to come from," remarked the court.

Susan Anthony's Argument.
 Miss Susan B. Anthony, the veteran woman suffragist, has always had a lively wit, and there is more than one example in her recent life, by Mrs. Ida Husted Harper, of her nimble use of it in the behalf of her sex.
 During her experience as a school teacher Miss Anthony got her first practical insight into society's injustice to woman as a worker. Repeatedly she would take a school which a male teacher had been obliged to give up because of inefficiency, and although she made a thorough success, would only receive one-fourth of his salary.
 Her first opportunity of calling attention to the injury done the teaching profession by slighting its women members came during the State convention in 1853. Two-thirds of the teachers in attendance were women, but not one of them spoke, nor was their presence recognized in any way by the men.
 Toward the close of the second day the question under discussion was "Why the profession of teacher was not as much respected as that of doctor, lawyer or minister."
 Miss Anthony having listened for some time, rose, but only succeeded in gaining a hearing after half an hour's heated debate as to whether she should be permitted to address the meeting. She had remained standing, fearing to lose her chance, with her heart beating a tattoo, and permission being granted she said:
 "It seems to me you fail to comprehend the cause of the disrespect of which you complain. Do you not see that so long as society says that woman has not brains enough to be a doctor, lawyer or minister, but has plenty to be a teacher, every man of you who condescends to teach tacitly admits before Israel and the sun that he has no more brains than a woman?"
 As may be imagined, this little bomb was disconcerting to men and women alike.—Youth's Companion.

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 If you have a baby in the house you will wish to know the best way to check any unusual looseness of the bowels, or diarrhoea so common to small children. O. P. M. Holliday, of Deming, Ind., who has an 11-month-old child, says: "Through the months of June and July our baby was teething and took a running off of the bowels and sickness of the stomach. His bowels would move from five to eight times a day. I had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house and gave him four drops in a teaspoonful of water, and he got better at once." For sale by special correspondents at Washington and San Francisco, and has a complete island service.

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 The President of the United States of America.
 To the Marshal of the United States of America for the Territory of Hawaii—Greeting:
 Whereas, a Libel hath been filed in the District Court of the United States for the Territory of Hawaii, on the 10th day of August, A. D. 1900. By J. D. Spreckels & Bros Co., vs. Ship "Dunreagan" her tackle, apparel, furniture, boats, appurtenances and cargo for the reasons and causes in the said Libel mentioned, and praying the usual process and motion of the said Court in that behalf to be made, and that all persons interested in the said vessel, her tackle, etc., and cargo may be cited in general and special to answer the premises, and all proceedings being had that the said vessel, her tackle, etc., and cargo may for the cause in the said Libel mentioned, be condemned and sold to pay the demands of the Libelants.
 You are therefore hereby commanded to attach the said vessel, her tackle, etc., and cargo and to retain the same in your custody until the further order of the Court respecting the same, and to give due notice to all persons claiming anything to say why the same should not be condemned and sold pursuant to the prayer of the said Libel, that they be and appear before the said Court, to be held in and for the Territory of Hawaii, on the sixteenth day of August, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the same day, if that day shall be a day of jurisdiction, otherwise on the next day of jurisdiction thereafter, then and there to interpose a claim for the same, and to make their allegations on that behalf.
 And what you shall have done in the premises, do you then and there make return thereof, together with this writ.
 Witness, the Hon. Morris M. Esteve, Judge of said Court, at the City of Honolulu, in the Territory of Hawaii, this 10th day of August, A. D. 1900, and of our independence, the one hundred and twenty-fifth.

WALTER B. MALLING,
 Clerk.
 F. M. HATCH,
 Proctor for Libelant.
 A true copy Attest:
 D. A. TRAY,
 United States Marshal for the Territory of Hawaii.

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9. OPPORTUNITIES for contractors to put up 30 to 40 cottages for rental and for a bus line to run as soon as buildings are rented.

10. BEAUTIFUL SUBURBAN PROPERTY and sites for hotel purposes, three to four miles of the Post-office, for sale or lease on favorable terms.

ALONG THE WATER FRONT.

Troubles of the Tugs Discussed on the Front.

MUST GOVERNMENT TUG CEASE?

THE GOVERNMENT MUST NOT COMPETE WITH A PRIVATE CONCERN.

City of Hankow's Rudder Post—Trip of the Glenogle—Brave Englishmen Honored—Waterfront Notes.

There was much discussion yesterday relative to the rights of the tug Eleu to do towing for hire now that there is a private boat here and ready for business. It seems it has not yet been made clear to the board of public works that the government cannot compete with a private concern in the towing line.

Now that the Fearless has come here, the Eleu is in the same position with regard to working for hire as is the Iroquois. As far as saving property is concerned, if the Fearless is incapacitated then the Eleu or maybe the Iroquois might be called upon, but could not expect pay for services rendered.

Many years ago, when the services of a towboat were beginning to be needed, the old steamer Kilaua used to be called into requisition. She was not always here for service and it was determined to get a tug. No one was willing, however, to put up the necessary money to maintain such a boat, as it would have been a losing venture at that time, so the government bought the old tug Pele. She did the work for a long time, and as she was not making any money there was no attempt at opposition.

After a time the Pele outlived her usefulness and the Eleu was purchased from the Spreckels by the government for a fabulous sum at the time. Since her arrival here she has cost the government almost her weight in gold, but not until about three years ago did she begin to pay. Since then the trade of the port and islands has increased to such an extent that the towing business, next to the customs and postal departments, has paid the government larger returns than any other branch.

The great profits of the tug were soon known and an attempt was made to start a private towboat company. There was an impression prevailing here that it would be impossible for the new company to obtain a charter for a towboat company to run in opposition to the government boat, and news of the intention of the Spreckels to send a large and powerful tug here threw cold water on the scheme. The Inter-Island Steam Navigation Company amended its charter so that it is now enabled to enter into the towing business if it sees fit, and it is understood that it was the intention of the company to bring a towboat here for work.

As it is it will take all the towing here to keep a boat like the Fearless running, and it would be a losing venture for two companies to try and fight each other for business. This being the case it does not seem right that the Territorial government should try and buck a private enterprise that can give service so much better than the government has been giving. It is true that the rates for towing have been very reasonable, but at the same time it has always been a mooted question as to the liability of the government for damages in case of an accident to a ship.

In no state of the seaboard of the United States do the government or state tugs haul private vessels for hire, and a case is instanced of the discharge of Chief Wharfinger Boobier of San Francisco for sending the state tug to do some hauling that should have been done by one of the private boats, although there was no charge made for it.

Said a well known captain yesterday: "I do not see how the Eleu can continue hauling vessels now that the Fearless is here. The people of these Islands pay taxes every year for the support of the Eleu. The owners of the Fearless are taxpayers here. This being the case, why should they be compelled to pay money towards the boat that is opposing their vessel. They have a perfect right to enter into the business and the government has no right to compete with them. The Eleu should be fitted with a fire pump and be held by the government as a protection to the shipping. She should attend to all the towing for the government, but should not be allowed to mix up any longer in private towing. All fees paid to her should be paid under protest, and I am sure that an appeal to the proper authorities would soon remedy the matter."

SPARS FOR FUEL. VICTORIA, B. C. July 31.—The first details of the death of the captain of the ship Glenogle and the reasons for the long passage of that vessel from England to the South American coast are contained in a letter which was received today by ex-Mayor Bedfern from his eldest son, William, who is a passenger on the vessel. The letter was posted at Tocopillo the 25th of June, shortly after the arrival of the Glenogle.

Mr. Bedfern states that the captain died at sea a number of days before reaching port, and that to add to their complications and troubles the first mate and the steward also fell ill. Then the water supply ran short and the crew and the solitary passenger were confronted by the most terrible fate which can befall travelers on the high seas—death from thirst. Pots and pans were placed on deck to catch the rain, and sufficient was secured in this way to supplement the scanty supply in the tanks and to take them to port. Fuel and oil also ran out, and at last, so dire were extremities that the crew was forced to cut away the spars of the ship with which to cook their meals.

These privations and attendant anxiety may have had much to do with the illness and death of the officer in command. The vessel has now been out of

TIDES, SUN AND MOON.

Table with columns for Day, High Tide, Low Tide, Sunrise, Sunset, Moonrise, Moonset, and Moon's Phase.

Last quarter of the moon on the 17th at 1:36 a. m.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

Steamers due and to sail today and for the next six days are as follows:

Table with columns for Steamer, From, Due, and Depart.

England for 150 days, being delayed by head winds and calms. The writer adds that the illness of the mate, and the probability of the ship not being able to proceed until a new skipper had been secured, made it likely that Victoria would not be reached before September.

ANOTHER FISH STORY. Captain Hall of the steamer Walla Walla fathers the latest fish story. The steamer was off Flatery when a flock of "whale birds" appeared right under the port bow. There was a great commotion in the water, and a close investigation showed it to be an immense sea-lion playing with a giant halibut. The fish was tossed into the water by the seal and caught as it fell back again. As it rose into the air the whale birds would make a swoop and secure small portions of the fish. The game of battle-royal and shuttlecock was still going on when the sea lion and halibut were hauled down on the horizon—S. F. Call.

MEDALS FOR LIFE SAVERS.

VICTORIA, August 3.—Interest in the wreck of the schooner Hera, which set out from Seattle last November with a cargo for Honolulu, and which was subsequently burned to the water's edge off the west coast of Vancouver island, will be revived by the receipt today of six medals to be presented to the men who took off the crew of the Clayquot harbor. There was a great commotion in the water, and a close investigation showed it to be an immense sea-lion playing with a giant halibut. The fish was tossed into the water by the seal and caught as it fell back again. As it rose into the air the whale birds would make a swoop and secure small portions of the fish. The game of battle-royal and shuttlecock was still going on when the sea lion and halibut were hauled down on the horizon—S. F. Call.

"American Embassy, London, March 26, 1900. My Lord: Under instructions from my government, I have the honor to transmit herewith a box containing six gold life-saving medals, which have been awarded by the president of the United States to the following men: E. Jacobsen, H. C. Brewster, F. Stanley Spain, Nigel L. Campbell, Thomas Owen and S. Jorgenson, who effected the rescue of five men from the wreck of the American schooner Hera on the 27th of November, 1899. The above-mentioned are all Englishmen and well known at Victoria. Mr. Campbell being an officer of the Canadian government.

"I enclose herewith a copy of a letter from the latter, giving the circumstances of the disaster and the rescue. "I should be obliged if your lordship would be so good as to cause the testimonials in question to be delivered to the persons mentioned to whom they have severally been awarded and the receipts hereon to be duly signed and returned to me. "H. WHITE, "Secretary Embassy." "Lord Salisbury, Foreign Office." By the foreign office they were forwarded to Ottawa, and transferred thence to Senator Bremner of Victoria, who was asked by Minister of Marine Davies to arrange for a suitable presentation. Sir Henry Joli de Lothieriere has been asked to decorate the brave fellows at a public-dinner which will be summoned as soon as the men can get here from the west coast, while he will probably be assisted by Abraham Smith, United States consul here.

SHIPPING NOTES.

The Iwalani came off the dry dock yesterday. The Alameda is looked for early tomorrow morning. The Sea King has moved to the coal wharf to discharge. The Kinau, Claudine and Mauna Loa will sail today at the usual time. The Ivy went to sea yesterday. She was in ballast and went to the Sound. A diver in the employ of the underwriters made an examination of the bottom of the Dunreagan yesterday. The Alden Besse and the Meteor were towed to sea on Sunday by the Fearless. The Eleu towed the ship Ivy to sea yesterday. About half of the crew of the Empire left the vessel yesterday. They will look for ships where they can get higher wages. Captain Sam Thompson of the steamer W. G. Hall is to have a vacation. The Hall will be taken out this afternoon by Captain Gregory of the Iwalani. R. N. Macauley, the new United States weigher, has moved into the little office formerly occupied by Chinese Inspector Brown at the corner of Allen and Fort streets, in the Custom House building. From the latest reports it would seem that the little schooner Norm was never sail again. Her last accident was an unlucky one, as at the time she went on the reef the sea was very rough and she was washed high and dry and badly thumped and battered in a short time. Captain Weisbarth, who was here yesterday, has small hopes of saving the vessel. The Claudine has been rechristened the "Rainbow." It is because she has so many different colors. On her return Sunday people were surprised to see that the part of the vessel that had been painted green on her last trip were a fiery red. Bots were being made on the wharf all day yesterday as to what color she would be painted when she next arrived here. The smell of the new paint has affected Purser Dickey Davis, and besides hav-

ing painters' colic he is suffering with a job's comforter. The British ship City of Hankow is out in the stream. She will leave for the Sound in ballast on Thursday or Saturday. Captain Thompson, her general skipper, refuses to go to sea on Friday. The rudder of the Hankow will probably be ready by Thursday night. On the way up here from the Colonies the rudder had split so that the ship could not be guided by the wheel, and a steering gear had to be rigged. Old sailors who have seen the rudder of the City of Hankow are loud in their praises of Captain Thompson and his officers for bringing the vessel here with her rudder in the condition it was.

ARRIVING.

Sunday, August 12. Str Mikahala, Pederson, from Maunaloa. Str W. G. Hall, Thompson, from Nawiliwili. Str Waiialeale, Green, from Hanalei. Str Claudine, Macdonald, from Maui ports. Monday, August 13. Gas sch Eclipse, Gahan, from Kaunaloa ports.

DEPARTING.

Sunday, August 12. Bk Alden Besse, Potter, for San Francisco with sugar. Sch Meteor, Lasa, for the Sound in ballast. Monday, August 13. Sh Ivy, Halsett, for the Sound in ballast. Str Waiialeale, Green, for Makaweli. 4 p. m. Str Ke An Hou, Mosher, for Hanalei and Kilauea. 4 p. m. Str Mokohi, Napala, for Kaunakakai. 4 p. m. Sch Golden Gate, Fahla, for Kaunakakai. 4 p. m. Str Lehua, Bennett, for Molokai and Maui ports. 5 p. m.

SAILING TODAY.

Str Mauna Loa, Simerson, for Lahaina, Kona and Kau. 10 a. m. Str Kinau, for Kaunakakai, Lahaina, Hilo and way ports, 12 noon. Str Claudine, Macdonald, for Lahaina, Kahului and way ports at 5 p. m.

NOTICE.

A reward will be given by the undersigned for the return of or for information leading to the recovery of one case dry goods marked P. I. Co., No. 788, Honolulu, taken from the Oceanic lock between the 4th and 12th days of July, 1900. (Signed) WM. G. IRWIN & CO., Ltd.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE First Circuit, Territory of Hawaii. In Probate. At Chambers, in the Matter of the Estate of J. C. RIORDON of Honolulu, Oahu.

The petition and accounts of the temporary administrator of said deceased, having been filed, wherein he asks that his accounts be examined and approved and that a final order be made of distribution of the property remaining in his hands to the persons thereto entitled, and discharging him from all further responsibility as such temporary administrator.

It is ordered that Friday, August 31, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock a. m., at Chambers, in the courtroom of the said court at Honolulu, Island of Oahu, 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. By the Court: JAMES A. THOMPSON, Clerk. Honolulu, July 30, 1900.

By Authority.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

NOTICE OF TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

Examinations of candidates for teachers' primary grade certificates will be held at the High School, Honolulu, on September 2d and 4th, beginning at 9 o'clock a. m. Examinations will also be held by the Training Normal Instructors as follows—subject to unavoidable changes, of which notice will be given by telephone: HAWAII: Waihinu—September 14th and 15th. Hilo—October 12th and 13th. Honokaa—November 2d and 3d. Konawaena—December 7th and 8th. MAUI: Wailuku—September 14th and 15th. Hana—October 12th and 13th. Lahaina—November 2d and 3d. KAUAI: Lihue—December 7th and 8th. All teachers without certificates and these holding second and third class certificates that have expired, are required to present themselves for examination. ALATAU T. ATKINSON, Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Election of Officers.

At the annual meeting of the Honolulu Chamber of Commerce, held in this city on August 8, 1900, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President—W. F. Allen. Vice-President—J. F. Hackfeld. Secretary and Treasurer—Jas. Gordon Spencer. Arbitration Committee—J. F. Hackfeld, P. A. Schaefer, C. M. Cooke, J. B. Atherton, H. E. Walby. JAS. GORDON SPENCER, Chairman.

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LACK OF NAVAL BASE HANDICAPS AMERICA. COLLIERIES BEING OVERHAULED AND SENT TO ORIENT WITH COAL.

Same Difficulty Encountered Now That Confronted the Nation at Beginning of the Spanish War.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—The Navy Department is preparing for possible eventualities arising out of the situation in China. One of the great difficulties which would confront the United States in the event of naval warfare in Chinese waters is a lack of a naval base close to the scene of operations.

The same difficulty confronted the department during the Spanish war, and so far as coal is concerned the same method will have to be pursued to supply our war ships. A fleet of colliers will have to be utilized to take out coal for our ships and to ply back and forth between our squadrons and Manila.

As a precautionary measure the colliers purchased during the Spanish war which had gone out of commission are being fitted out for service. The warship Arctostaphylos, which was also purchased during the Spanish war, but which was procured too late for service at the Norfolk yard and will proceed as soon as possible via the Suez canal.

The Indiana and Iowa came to grief during the Spanish war because they were compelled to use salt water in their tubular boilers. Owing to the lack of naval officers available, the colliers on the Atlantic coast under orders for China are being equipped with merchant crews.

While the United States is immeasurably better off now in the matter of coal stations in the Pacific, owing to the acquisition of the Hawaiian and Philippine Islands, the practical difficulty of carrying on naval operations on the north coast of China in the event of war emphasizes the statements made by Admiral Bradford in his last annual report, in which he said: "As a matter of fact, it may be stated without fear of contradiction, that at present it would be impossible for a United States fleet to carry on active operations during a war anywhere about the coast of Europe, Africa, a large portion of Asia, and South America, for want of coal."

SERIOUS CONDITION PREVAILS AT NOME.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—The Star this evening has the following: Captain J. C. Cantwell, commanding the revenue cutter Nunivak, which operates in the Yukon river and around St. Michael, Alaska, has written a letter to Captain Shoemaker of the revenue cutter service explaining affairs at St. Michael. He says that the smallpox epidemic at Nome has made it necessary for the safety of St. Michael and the river settlements, to establish a quarantine at St. Michael. The revenue cutter officials joined with the officials of the army and they have overhauled vessels filled with refugees from Nome and compelled them to go to the quarantine station at Egg Island.

"The situation as regards disease at Nome is a grave one, and it is hoped that the true state of affairs will be made known in the States in time to prevent more people from crowding into that camp, which is already in a condition of congestion that will have to be seen to be appreciated. The lack of sanitation, even in the crudest form, has rendered the place a quag-mire of disease-breeding filth, and the wild struggle constantly going on for every foot of space renders it impossible to get anything done in the way of cleaning up the town. It will be a merciful Providence if there is not a plague started there before the end of the summer, and if the smallpox cannot be subdued before the cold weather sets in nothing on earth can prevent its spreading to all the adjacent camps."

The transportation companies at St. Michael are co-operating with Captain Cantwell, and have turned over three steam launches to him to be used in patrolling the harbor to prevent vessels escaping quarantine.

A Lame Shoulder. A lame shoulder is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles, and may be cured by a few applications of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. For sale by all dealers and druggists. Benson, Smith & Co., general agents Hawaiian Territory.

JOHN HIND ON LABOR FOR HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

SUGAR PLANTER INTERVIEWED WHILE AT HOTEL CORONADO, SAN DIEGO.

Tells Californians Something About Honolulu, Island Plantations and the Great Question of Labor.

SAN DIEGO, July 27.—The San Diego Union of this morning has the following of interest to the people of Honolulu and the Hawaiian Islands:

John Hind, owner of extensive sugar plantations in the Kohala district, Hawaii, on a several months' trip in the United States, was noted among yesterday's arrivals at Hotel del Coronado. Mr. Hind is accompanied by his wife and son, and also Miss Hind of San Francisco. Labor conditions are such in the Hawaiian Islands that owners of plantations are continually trying to solve the problems that face them. It is this question that brought Mr. Hind to this country. A number of the leading planters have decided to experiment with negro labor on their sugar plantations, as there are not enough Japs coming into their country to supply the increased demand. After a several days' rest at Coronado, Mr. Hind will leave for New Orleans and make a thorough tour of the State of Louisiana and the South, studying the labor condition of the negro.

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When Mr. Hind left Honolulu the harbor was crowded with vessels flying American flags, awaiting to discharge their cargoes, the delay being caused by insufficient wharfage facilities. Great improvements are in progress in the Honolulu harbor, however, and all delay will soon be avoidable. Honolulu is seeing her very prosperous days. The city has been struck by and companies (in true American style) who are laying out great tracts of land according to plans in vogue in America. Many new sugar plantations have been put out, and the returns for this year will exceed previous returns by several million tons. A railway from Hilo to Kohala is in course of construction, and upon its completion Honolulu will lose considerable of her trade. When asked if he did not think owners of sugar plantations would put up their own refineries, now that the islands were American territory, instead of shipping so much of the crude material to San Francisco, Mr. Hind said that was hardly probable at present, as the big refineries hold contracts with the planters for from two to three years to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Hind are delighted with San Diego and Coronado, and are enjoying a pleasant visit with Secretary Wood of the Chamber of Commerce, and Mrs. Wood, who are old acquaintances, also spending a season at Hotel del Coronado.

SHORT LOCALS OF HILO

The Government has actually sent to Hilo two divers with instructions to ascertain the extent of the obstructions near the long wharf, says the Herald. A common every day taxpayer wonders why Rowell did not go about his work in a business like manner.

Manager Pfleger, of the Hollister Drug Co., has been rusticated at the Volcano House.

The Hilo Railway has been built two miles in the direction of Fuua. As soon as ties arrive the track will be extended.

There was a swell dance at Paauhau Plantation Boarding House last Saturday night at which about fifty ladies and gentlemen were present. The wives and sisters of the employees were the hostesses and the evening was delightfully spent.

W. A. Baldwin of Waimea, Kauai, has been appointed manager of Kahuku plantation to replace George Weight, who has resigned. Mr. Baldwin will be succeeded at Waimea by Mr. Campbell. The latter was formerly head luma of Molekyle plantation.

A certain portion of the Honolulu press considers it in the light of a huge joke that Judge Little in his mittimus turning over the Japanese murderer Fujihara to High Sheriff Brown concluded with the words "And may God have mercy on your soul." It was indeed something of a joke, but not on the Judge. There is a considerable portion of the community which feels quite sure that a prayer of this sort was never more needed, though they doubt whether it will have any result.

Master Mechanic Brown, of the Hilo R. R. Co., returned on the Martha Davis after a successful business trip to the Coast.

The Hilo Tribune says that it is expected when Superintendent McCandless come up to Hilo, he will remove Rowell's bridge across the Waiakeia and put a tightrope in its place; the present structure is altogether too narrow.

Mrs. C. A. Galbraith has just received the sad news of the death of her sister, Mrs. Portwood of Terret, Texas.

ORDERED TO MANILA.

Members of the Hospital Corps Will Leave on the Siam.

The serious conditions of affairs in the far East is slightly minored in an order which has reached here. Hospital Stewards McWilliams and Stark and ten privates of the Hospital Corps have been ordered to Manila. They will sail on the United States, transport Siam, expected to leave this part on the 17th instant.

Enough Japanese Laborers. C. Bolts, Secretary of the Hawaiian Planters' Association, thinks that the labor problem will right itself. He says there are enough Japanese in the country to supply all present needs.

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**Wonderful Increase of Exports and
 Imports Since 1869 Brought
 Down to the
 Present.**

[From the San Francisco Bulletin.]

The annexation of the Hawaiian Islands as a part of the United States was formally and finally completed by the operation of the act of Congress which went into effect on June 14. This new addition to American territory comprises a group of eight islands within the limits of latitude 19 to 22 degrees 15 minutes north and longitude 154 to 160 degrees 20 minutes west. The total area is 6449 square miles. The latest census for 1896 gave these Islands a population of 109,020, of which 21,019 were natives, 23,329 Japanese, 19,382 Chinese, 13,733 native-born foreigners, 8485 part Hawaiians, 3222 Portuguese, 2266 Americans, 1538 British, 912 German and 1124 other foreigners. Of the total, 30,201 were under 15 years of age, 33,669 from 15 to 30, 26,194 from 30 to 45, and 4159 over 45 years. The number of natives has decreased from 70,036 in 1853 to 21,019 in 1896. The estimated population on June 30, 1899, was 134,953. We presume it is 150,000 now.

Sugar and American reciprocity have made the new Territory a prosperous section of the world. The reciprocity treaty was signed by President Grant on May 21, 1875. This treaty having been formally exchanged was ratified by the United States Congress on May 8, 1875, by a vote of 116 to 101. It has proved a great benefit to the Islands in the stimulation it has given to the cultivation of sugar, which is admitted free into the United States. In this respect the Islands have enjoyed advantages that have not been accorded to any other part of the world. So long as the United States continues to exact a duty on sugar grown elsewhere, this industry will thrive. But when Porto Rico and the Philippine Islands come in as American territories, Hawaii will have competitors both on the Pacific and Atlantic coasts that may materially affect the profits of sugar raising, unless the consumption is greatly increased.

It is wonderful how a single staple product can do so much for a comparatively small population as the cultivation of sugar cane has done for the people of the Hawaiian Islands. This industry is the work of the last half century. It is only about sixty years ago that the first sugar importations were made from Honolulu. There is a close analogy between the discovery of gold in California and the inauguration of sugar cultivation for export at the Hawaiian Islands. California has had this trade from the start, and California capital has been a prominent factor in its development. Oregon had the opportunity before California, but failed to grasp it. Refiners were established in San Francisco, and our people not only invited the Hawaiian planters to send their sugar here to be refined, but purchased it before arrival, and large quantities of it were sold and entered directly into consumption just as it was shipped from Honolulu. Capital was loaned and lands bought for sugar cultivation by parties in this city.

Fifty years ago the Hawaiian Islands were little more than a rendezvous for the New Bedford whaling fleet in the Arctic. It was customary at that time to ship sailors from Massachusetts on whalers for a three years' cruise. A good portion of that time was spent in getting the vessels to the whale fisheries and back home. The custom was, at the close of the season, to head them for the Hawaiian Islands, to discharge and refit during the winter season. As many as fifty of these whalers have been grouped about Honolulu and Hilo during the closed season in the Arctic. Hardly one of them had sufficient oil and bone to justify the owners in sending her home, so the catches of several of the whalers were bunched to make a full cargo, and certain vessels were selected to take the freight and make the voyage home. The remainder were freshly supplied with provisions and water and started off on another cruise in the South Pacific and thence to the north in the spring.

What the commerce of the Hawaiian Islands was sixty years ago we do not know, beyond the fact that it was of little importance. Even in 1843, say fifty-seven years ago, the imports were only \$223,388, and the exports \$66,618. Ten years later the imports were \$1,400,975 and the exports \$172,996. At the end of another decade, say in 1863, the imports were \$1,175,493 and the exports \$1,025,852. It was during that decade that the Hawaiians began to show self-reliance. As will be observed, the imports for 1862 were \$225,000 less than for 1853, whereas the exports were more than double. It was at some period during that decade that the one-sided character of American commerce fully adjusted itself and the exports balanced the imports, whereas, previously the imports had been largely in excess of the exports. Increased attention to the cultivation of sugar about that time is what turned the scale, and almost immediately afterwards the exports exceeded the imports, and have so continued to the present time.

Since 1869 the commerce of the Hawaiian Islands has been as follows:

Year	Imports	Exports
1869	\$ 2,040,680	\$ 2,366,359
1870	1,930,227	2,444,942
1871	1,625,588	2,395,093
1872	1,746,178	1,607,523
1873	1,437,611	2,220,054
1874	1,310,827	1,839,020
1875	682,471	2,089,736

Year	Imports	Exports
1876	1,811,770	2,241,041
1877	2,554,356	2,076,202
1878	2,046,270	2,548,472
1879	2,712,978	2,781,718
1880	2,672,265	4,968,445
1881	4,547,579	6,355,425
1882	4,874,510	8,289,015
1883	5,624,240	8,133,244
1884	4,637,514	8,856,610
1885	3,830,545	9,158,818
1886	4,877,738	10,565,586
1887	4,942,841	9,707,047
1888	4,540,887	11,707,599
1889	5,438,791	13,874,241
1890	6,962,201	13,142,879
1891	7,439,583	10,528,738
1892	4,028,295	8,060,087
1893	4,263,178	10,818,158
1894	5,104,451	9,140,795
1895	5,239,785	8,474,138
1896	6,036,652	15,515,230
1897	7,682,628	16,021,775
1898	10,368,815	17,346,745
1899	16,069,516	22,528,742

Total 31 years \$143,413,799 \$251,119,559
 During the first quarter of 1900 the imports were valued at \$5,146,923, against \$3,880,039 for the same quarter last year. As the total for the first quarter last year was less than 25 per cent of the aggregate of the whole year, the total for the first quarter this year indicates an aggregate of over \$20,000,000 for 1900.

The customs laws of the United States having become fully operative on the 14th of June, all records of weights and values in this trade have since been ignored by the customs officials. So far as the port of San Francisco is concerned, the imports from the Hawaiian Islands and the exports to the Hawaiian Islands from January 1 to June 14, 1900, have been as follows:

Exports to Islands	\$5,765,090
Imports from Islands	5,538,832
Total imports from all sources into the Hawaiian Islands for the first six months of 1900 are estimated at \$10,000,000, and the total exports from the Hawaiian Islands for the same period at \$14,000,000. Adding these estimates to the official figures for the previous thirty-one calendar years, the trade of the Hawaiian Islands from January 1, 1869, to June 30, 1900, may be summarized as follows:	
Exports from the Islands	\$265,119,559
Imports into the Islands	153,413,798
In favor of Islands	\$111,705,760

NEWS OF THE TOWN

Governor Dole expects to return next Saturday.

Mrs. Ailau is back from the Garden Isles, where she has been visiting.

William Jackson an American, aged 48, is dead at the Queen's hospital of pericarditis. He was a sailor.

Hack Inspector May is seen about again, after a serious illness. His friends are pleased to see him out again.

The Waialua concert, for the benefit of the church, on Saturday evening, was a great success. The net result was \$191.65.

W. S. Withers, of the Honolulu Stock Yards Company, will be expected home Wednesday morning with a Kentucky bride.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Fernandez celebrated the third anniversary of their marriage Sunday evening with a pleasant gathering of their friends at their residence, Fort and School streets.

The Republican regrets to learn that Mrs. Walter G. Smith, wife of the Editor of the Advertiser, is seriously ill in a sanitarium of this city as the result of an operation. Their many friends hope for the afflicted lady a speedy recovery.

The San Diego Union of July 26 has the following: "Mrs. E. W. Estep, assistant principal of the public school at Honokaa, Hawaii, H. I. who has been visiting friends here, and looking after her Chula Vista lemon grove during the past six weeks, left yesterday for her island home."



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Several Chinamen Testify in the United States District Court Concerning His Birth.

The habeas corpus case of Lau Sun came up in the United States District Court yesterday. United States District Attorney Baird represented the government and Brooks and Berry appeared for Sun.

District Attorney Baird said it was a case where the government should take the affirmative, and by the consent of the petitioner's attorney it was done. Mr. Baird then read from the Chinese exclusion act, which declares that when a Chinaman who has been restrained of his liberty on entering the country, appeals to the Treasury Department and is refused admission he has no redress. Mr. Baird claimed that Sun had done this very thing.

Attorney Brooks contended that this case was not covered by the exclusion act; that, inasmuch as Lau Sun was Hawaiian born, the court had a right to pass on his citizenship. He read a decision of United States District Judge DeHaven of California, rendered in 1896, concerning a similar case.

The court concluded to hear evidence regarding Lau Sun's Hawaiian birth. A number of Chinamen testified in his behalf. The case is still pending.

AMUSEMENTS.

The minstrels at the Orpheum continue to draw good houses. The performance, considering the price, of admission, is an excellent one. There are several clever people in the company.

ATTACHMENTS ISSUED.

Trial Jurors Who Did Not Respond to Their Names.

In Judge Humphreys court yesterday morning trial jurors E. A. Williams and C. N. Rose failed to answer to their names. The court ordered attachments to be issued for their arrest. C. N. Rose later filed an affidavit from Dr. Hodgkins, stating that he was sick. Mr. Williams on appearing said that he failed to catch the car.

"Are you an American citizen?" asked the court.

"No," was the answer.

"You are excused for the term," remarked the court.

HOSPITAL FOR INCURABLES.

Great Need of Additional Subscriptions. Bishop Willis Talks.

"Everything seems to be going nicely with the Hospital for Incurables," said Bishop Willis last evening to a Republican reporter, but we are having a hard time to meet the present expenses.

Although Alexander Young is doing splendidly with his endowment scheme, that is all for the future, and we are now struggling to keep the hospital alive until the endowment is raised.

"At present there are twenty-four patients in the hospital. These incur a monthly expense of \$750 to \$800. Of this sum but \$400 is furnished by the government, the difference coming from

private subscription. Thus, you see it is no easy matter to meet the regular monthly expenses.

"Another great need of the hospital is furniture, particularly chairs. When guests come to visit us, we find ourselves especially short, and ten or twelve cheap chairs would be greatly appreciated. We are also in great need of a rolling chair for paralytics. At present we have nothing at all in that line.

"Papers and periodicals of all kinds are very acceptable. Several of the old patients are very fond of reading and we have nothing at all for them. If we could only get some contributions along this line it would help us out very much."

NEWS OF THE TOWN

Change of bill at the Orpheum tonight.

Charles A. K. Hopkins has succeeded Albert McGurn as bailiff of the Circuit court.

Lodge Le Progres de l'Oceanie, No. 124, F. & A. M., will have an interesting meeting tonight.

The case of Lee Hoo vs. Lee Chong has been reinstated on the calendar by Judge Silliman.

The funeral of the late J. W. Lobeber will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from Harmony Lodge.

Frank E. Thompson has been appointed by Judge Silliman guardian ad litem for Kahana, a minor and heir of the estate of J. Pinao of Ewa.

M. F. Prosser, an attorney of Lihue, Kauai, has been spending a few days in the city with friends. Mr. Prosser is a very popular citizen and reports Kauai fairly prosperous.

Manager Crapp, of Koloa plantation has been very near death. When the Hall left Kauai, however, he was very much better, and considered out of danger. He has been suffering with pneumonia.

C. H. Brown, of Hilo, will this morning leave for home and expects to return within one week, with his family. He will also move his plumbing shop and engage in business here, on Union street.

Quite a number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fernandez gave them a pleasant surprise Sunday evening, the occasion being the third anniversary of their marriage. An enjoyable time was had. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Gonsalves, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Silva, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Silva, Mr. and Mrs. Hough, Mr. and Mrs. J. Madeira, Messrs. M. Botelho, J. A. Camara, A. F. Botelho, M. Vierra, John B. Dias, Jos. J. Dias and a number of others.

Admitted to Practice.

The following attorneys were admitted to practice in the United States District Court yesterday:

J. M. Gonsarret, W. F. L. Stanley, E. B. McChasaban, S. M. Ballou, M. F. Prosser, F. J. Berry and L. M. Straus.

Preliminary Trial Tomorrow.

Samuel Barney, charged with the murder of J. W. Lobeber on Sunday, appeared before Judge Wilcox yesterday. As he had not had time to consult with an attorney, he was given until Wednesday in which to prepare his case and plead. Attorney Strauss has been engaged to defend him.

Moonlight Concert Tonight.

This evening there will be a concert at Emma Square by Captain Berger's band. The program will be as follows:

PART I.
Overture—Isabella Suppe
Ballad—Pilgrims of the Night Liddle
Grand Selection—1 Martini Donizetti
Songs—

(a) Kapilina. Wai-anuenu Miss I. Kellina
(b) Aloha no Wau. Moani ke Ala Mrs. N. Alapai

PART II.
Fantasia—My Old Kentucky Home Dabney
Intermezzo—Endoria (by request) Andre
Waltz—The Smiles Depret
Polka—Rosely Anger
The Star Spangled Banner.

It Saved His Baby.

"My baby was terribly sick with the diarrhoea, we were unable to cure him with the doctor's assistance, and as a last resort we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," says Mr. J. H. Doak, of Williams, Or. "I am happy to say it gave immediate relief and a complete cure." For sale by all dealers and druggists. Benson, Smith & Co., general agents, Hawaiian Territory.

Funeral Notice.

The funeral of the late John W. Lobeber will take place this afternoon from Harmony Lodge I. O. O. F. at 2 o'clock: Members of Excelsior Lodge I. O. O. F. and all visiting brethren are respectfully invited to attend.

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Noble Grand.

E. R. HENDRY,
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MEETING NOTICE.

A meeting of the Painters Association to consider the proper celebration of Labor Day will be held in the Painters Hall, Fort and Beretania Streets, Wednesday evening, August 15th at 7:30 o'clock. All are invited.



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