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MOANA.....JUNE 22
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ALAMEDA.....JUNE 22
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BRITISH SHIPPING INTERESTS.

In Face of Privateering—The Treaty of Paris.

Whether groundless or not, some fears have been expressed as to how British shipping interests may fare at the hands of privateers "marqued" by the belligerents. Neither America nor Spain were parties to the Treaty of Paris, signed in 1856. As a matter of fact, Spain has already granted letters of marque to a very large fleet of merchantmen, and no one knows from what port they may hail. It is reported that America will not resort to privateering, and that Spain is being urged to refrain, but whether she will accede to solicitations remains to be seen. The text of the declaration respecting Maritime Law, signed by the Plenipotentiaries of Great Britain, Austria, France, Prussia, Russia, Sardinia, and Turkey, assembled in Congress at Paris on April 16, 1856, is as follows:

"The Plenipotentiaries who signed the Treaty of Paris of March 30, 1857, assembled in conference—

"Considering:

"That Maritime Law in time of war has long been the subject of deplorable disputes;

"That the uncertainty of the law and of the duties in such a matter gives rise to differences of opinion between neutrals and belligerents, which may occasion serious difficulties, and even conflicts;

"That it is consequently advantageous to establish a uniform doctrine on so important a point;

"That the Plenipotentiaries assembled in Congress at Paris cannot better respond to the intentions by which their Governments are animated than by seeking to introduce into international relations fixed principles in this respect;

"The above mentioned Plenipotentiaries, being duly authorized, resolved to concert among themselves as to the means of attaining this object; and, having come to an agreement, have adopted the following solemn declaration:

"1. Privateering is, and remains, abolished;

"2. The neutral flag covers enemy's goods, with the exception of contraband of war;

"3. Neutral goods, with the exception of contraband of war, are not liable to capture under enemy's flag;

"4. Blockades, in order to be binding, must be effective; that is to say, maintained by a force sufficient really to prevent access to the coast of the enemy.

"The Governments and the undersigned Plenipotentiaries engage to bring the present Declaration to the knowledge of the States which have not taken part in the Congress of Paris, and to invite them to accede to it.

"Convinced that the maxims which they now proclaim cannot but be received with gratitude by the whole world the undersigned Plenipotentiaries doubt not that the efforts of their Governments to obtain the general adoption thereof will be crowned with full success.

"The present Declaration is not and shall not be binding except between those Powers who have acceded or shall accede to it.

"Done at Paris, April 16, 1856."

Considered in the light of present complications, the term "contraband of war" becomes of the highest importance, for there are few products which may not at one period or another be brought under this designation. The distinctive peculiarity of this class of article, however, is not that it belongs to one species of product or another, but that the want of it would inflict serious injury on the party by whom it is imported.

The late J. R. Mculloch, one of the highest authorities on inter-

national law, says: "The principle that free ships make free goods, or that the flag covers the cargo, and that consequently enemies' goods may be conveyed in neutral bottoms, after being long resisted, has been assented to in the Declaration of Paris. In judging of the wisdom of this concession everything depends on the interpretation of the phrase 'contraband of war.' If it were restricted, as has usually been the case, to warlike stores or articles directly available for war purposes, it would be in many respects justly censurable. For it is plain that under the limitation now supposed the trade of a belligerent power, with its colonies or other countries beyond sea, might be prosecuted in neutral ships nearly to the same extent and with as much security during war as during peace. But it is not easy to imagine that a principle having such consequences should be acted upon by any power having a preponderating naval force, in the event of her engaging in hostilities. Such power must do one of two things—she must either consent to relinquish some of the most important advantages to be derived from her naval ascendancy or she must reject the principle in question." And there is little doubt that she would adopt the latter alternative, and she might do this directly by resorting to her natural and indefeasible right, and seize enemies' goods wherever they are to be met with, or indirectly by extending the list of contraband articles, so as to make it include all those of importance carried by sea into or from the enemy's ports. Either way would answer the purpose, and we may be pretty well assured that under the supposed circumstances, one or other of them would be followed.

Sunday Services.

St. Andrew's Cathedral—Whit Sunday, May 29: At 7 a. m., Choral Celebration of the Holy Communion; 11 a. m., Morning Prayer and Sermon; 3:30 p. m., Pulpit Abiabi; 7:30 p. m., Evensong and Sermon. N. B.—This order of service will be followed and not that announced on Sunday last.

St. Andrew's Cathedral, Second Congregation—The Rev. Alexander Mackintosh will preach at both services of the Second Congregation to-morrow. At 5:30 a. m., celebration of the Holy Communion; and at the 9:45 o'clock service in the morning, the choir of ladies and gentlemen will render the music and at the 6:30 o'clock service in the evening, the surpliced choir of Hawaiians will render a full choral service. All seats are free and everybody welcome.

Central Union Church—Corner Beretania and Richards streets, Douglas P. Birnie, minister. At 9:55 a. m., Sunday School and Bible Classes; 11 a. m., Public Worship and Sermon; 3 p. m., Junior Endeavor meeting; 6:30 p. m., Y. P. S. C. E. Prayer meeting; 7:30 p. m., Public Worship; Sermon by Rev. J. A. Cruzan. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Palama Chapel, 9:45 a. m., Sunday School; 7:30 p. m., Gospel Service. Rev. D. P. Birnie will speak. A welcome for all at every service.

Services at St. Clement's Chapel, Punahou: Celebration of Holy Communion at 7 a. m., Morning Prayer at 11 a. m., Evening Prayer at 7 p. m., Sunday School at 10 a. m.

Covering Cuba.

MIAMI, Fla., May 18.—It is reported from Key West that Commodore Watson has started for Havana with United States squadron No. 3 to work in harmony with the squadrons under Rear Admiral Sampson and Commodore Schley. Commodore Watson took his fleet from Key West singly. He has been coaling for several days and the coal is piled high on the decks. His fleet consists of the powerful monitors Puritan and Miantonomoh, the cruisers Cincinnati and Helena, the auxiliary cruiser St. Paul, the torpedo-boats Eriasson, Dupont, Foote and Cushing, and the gunboats Bancroft, Hamilton, Dolphin, Morrill, Eagle, Wey and Hawk.

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TIME TABLE.

C. L. WIGHT, Pres. S. B. ROSE, Sec.
Capt. J. A. KING, Port Supt.

Stmr. KINAU,

CLARKE, Commander.

Will leave Honolulu at 10 A. M., touching at Lahaina, Maui, Bay and Makena the same day; Mahukona, Kawaihae and Lihou, the following day; arriving at Hilo the same afternoon.

LEAVES HONOLULU. ARRIVES HONOLULU.

Tuesday.....May 31	Saturday.....May 28
Thursday.....June 8	Wednesday.....June 5
*Tuesday.....June 21	Saturday.....June 18
*Friday.....July 1	Wednesday.....June 29
*Tuesday.....July 5	Saturday.....July 9
*Friday.....July 22	Wednesday.....July 20
Tuesday.....Aug 2	Wednesday.....July 30
*Friday.....Aug 12	Wednesday.....Aug 10
*Tuesday.....Aug 23	Saturday.....Aug 20
*Friday.....Sept 2	Wednesday.....Aug 31
Tuesday.....Sept 13	Saturday.....Sept 10
*Friday.....Sept 24	Wednesday.....Sept 21
Tuesday.....Oct 4	Saturday.....Oct 1
*Friday.....Oct 14	Wednesday.....Oct 12
*Tuesday.....Oct 25	Saturday.....Oct 22

Returning will leave Hilo at 8 o'clock A. M., touching at Lanipohoe, Mahukona and Kawaihae the same day; Makena, Maui, Bay and Lahaina the following day; arriving at Honolulu the afternoon of Wednesday and Saturday.

* Will call at Pohniki, Puna, on trip marked *.

* No Freight will be received after 5 A. M. on day of sailing.

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This Company will reserve the right of make changes in the time of departure and arrival of its Steamers without notice and it will not be responsible for any consequences arising therefrom.

Consignees must be at the Landings to receive their freight; this Company will not hold itself responsible for freight after it has been landed.

Live Stock received only at owner's risk. This Company will not be responsible for Money or Valuables of passengers unless placed in the care of Purser.

* Passengers are requested to purchase Tickets before embarking. Those failing to do so will be subject to an additional charge of twenty-five per cent.

Packages containing personal effects, whether shipped as baggage of freight, if the contents thereof exceed \$100 in value, must have the value thereof plainly stated and marked, and the Company will not hold itself liable for any loss or damage in excess of this sum, except the goods be shipped under a special contract.

At employee's of the Company are forbidden to receive freight without delivering a shipping receipt therefor in the form prescribed by the Company and which may be seen by shippers upon application to the Purser of the Company's steamers.

Shippers are notified that if freight is shipped without such receipt, it will be solely at the risk of the shipper.

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W. HORACE WRIGHT, Assistant Editor.
Residing in Honolulu.

SATURDAY, MAY 28, 1898.

WHY DON'T THEY RESIGN?

We fail to see why Mr. Dole and his Cabinet do not step down and out. They have been censured by the representatives of the people, and they have received the marble heart on each and every measure brought before the consideration of the representatives of the taxpayers.

Why, and how can these gentlemen cling to their positions when they are daily told to get out? Mr. Dole is not anxious to retain his lucrative salary. He said a few days ago that he simply stayed in office because he considered himself the custodian of the Republic until annexation was accomplished.

We all know that Mr. Damon is not over-anxious to hold a public office. He is ready to retire and devote his time to his private affairs. He is the sheet anchor of the Government, and we presume that he refuses to resign because he hates the idea of deserting it during the days of trouble.

Minister King is only too anxious to hang up his official toga. His place is on the wharves, and he has shown his indifference to official business by absenting himself during the session of the Legislature and enjoying a permanent vacation.

Minister Smith, the brilliant Attorney-General, says that he would prefer to retire to private life. Mr. Smith has no flies on his coat, and we feel justified in suggesting that he is not sincere when he expresses his wishes of returning to private life. Mr. W. O. Smith likes power and authority. He has got it now, and he will stick to his brief authority until the last minute. His lack of popularity among the men who put him in office in 1893 is well understood. How he can stand the kicks, which he receives from his former friends, who now want to down him, is beyond our comprehension.

Minister Cooper is simply there for what there is in it. He amounts to nothing. He plays no figure in the game, and he will "git" whenever the change comes. He is not a kamaaina. He has no interests in Hawaii, and even his masonic influences have vanished. Messrs. Dole, Damon, King and Smith may take a hint and resign their official jobs. Cooper will never leave until he is kicked out bodily.

There is a faint possibility of annexation taking place. If it does, the present oligarchy gets its death blow. The Hawaiians who realize that annexation will be a death-blow to their race prefer to tolerate the present regime of defeated men and watch them go down to destruction through their selfishness and their lack of principle. When a country as a unit tells a government to "git" why don't the members of it listen to the voice of the people and "git."

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY TALKS

On the Kindly Feeling of the Britishers.

Our American Correspondent on Friday morning had an interview with President McKinley, whom he describes as confident, animated in his policy by a motive of humanity—which leads him to desire the complete emancipation of Cuba from Spanish rule—and perfectly sincere, like the great majority of Americans, in his declaration against annexation. Our Correspondent adds:—If the President had the least doubt of success in the contest of arms now begun he would not show it. But he has none. I do not know an American who has. Americans do not take their ideas from the "yellow" journals which exalt General Fitzhugh Lee as their prophet and fix a fortnight as the limit of the struggle. They are a serious people, and they have a serious President, and neither underestimates the gravity of the conflict. They only think that the more Spain prolongs it the more disastrous will the end be to her. The President's optimism extend far beyond the purely American view. It includes Europe. So convinced is he of the righteousness of his cause that he seems to find a difficulty in believing that all Europe should not also think war on Spain to free Cuba a righteous thing. He turns a somewhat deaf ear to warnings from the European Continent.

About England, happily, there is neither doubt in the President's mind nor reason for doubt. He knows what we all know and much desire. Such assurances as he has received are in this case authentic. Message after message has come to us from the English Press and people—even in guarded terms from Ministers in Parliament, and in less guarded terms from Ministers speaking otherwise than in Parliament. If there was an interval during which Congress did something to chill that cordiality of our English kin, yesterday and to-day seem to have brought it all back to us.

I asked the President whether he did not think some response to these friendly English declarations might be made. "You can say," he answered, "that the whole of the United States responds to them." If there be any American entitled to speak for the United States, it is certainly the President. I know from other sources that during the last 12 months official relations between the two countries have been of the most cordial kind and never more so than now. Cordiality begets cordiality. It has been mutual.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS

Eben P. Low is in town.

Read W. W. Dimond & Co.'s advertisement on the other page.

Rev. D. P. Birnie will occupy the pulpit at Palama Chapel to-morrow evening.

The schooner Jessie Minor arrived to-day with lumber from Port Townsend.

The Iwalani sailed to-day for Honolulu with a load of fertilizers. She may return to port next Thursday with Kukuihale and Lahaina sugar.

Entertainment at St. Andrew's Priory on Monday evening for the benefit of the school. Secure your tickets early, as it is only fifty cents for the general admission and seventy-five cents for reserved seats.

How convenient for the weary walker or the spectator at Government parades and functions would be an eighteen inch curb around the Judiciary building with shade trees planted a few feet therefrom.

Mr. Edgar Henriques will open on or about June 1st, a commission mercantile office at the Masonic Temple, besides being an importer and exporter of foreign and domestic fruits, vegetables, fish and game and dairy products.

J. T. Waterhouse advertises Armour's Chicken Tamales, prepared from the original Mexican recipe. Armour's delicious sliced Bacon. Gifford's Best Olive Oil has a hundred dollar forfeit behind it if the original package is adulterated.

"Old Trinity."

Oh! an Irish potato roast in the ashes, brown,
Bring all best things but that will take the crown.

A rich ham-bone with pickle, spiced,
coffee, biscuit and cheese,
(A glass of wine) and one can't dine
—He's mighty hard to please.

Oh! an Irish potato roast in the ashes, brown,
Bring all best things and it must take the crown;

So mealy, white and fine,—delicious!
And after that just add, nutritious.

Oh! an Irish potato roast in the ashes, brown,
Bring all best things, but that will suit the town.

ANNE MARIE PRESOOTT.
"Makapala-by-the-Sea."

The Sheenies Are There.

Although it will probably not be possible to get a vessel in time for it to participate in the war, President McKinley and senators and representatives generally are much pleased with the spirit which actuated the wealthy Hebrews of Ohio to contribute the money to purchase a first-class war-ship to be presented to the United States for use against Spain, and many kind words of the Hebrews are heard. It is not the first time that they have given a practical demonstration of their patriotism.—Exchange.

Troops for Manila.

GIBRALTAR, May 18.—The first-class battle ship Pelayo, the armored cruisers Emperador Carlos V., Alfonso XIII, Vittoria and Giralda, the auxiliary cruisers Rapido, Alfonso XII, Buenos Ayres and Antonio Lopez and three torpedo-boats now at Cadiz are ready for sea. They are expected to sail for the Philippines before the end of this month with 11,000 troops.

The Waialeale, Captain Parker, arrived this morning from Laie with 2753 bags sugar for the Irigard.

The S. G. Wilder and the bark S. C. Allen are about due at this port from San Francisco.

Timely Topics.

Honolulu, May 21, 1898

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

To-morrow is Whit-sunday.
The N. G. H. parade on Monday.
Cricket and baseball this afternoon.
Memorial Day will be an unofficial holiday.
Monday is Memorial Day with its parade.
The Charleston may come in on Wednesday.
Concert at Kamehameha School this evening.
Band concert at Emma Square this afternoon.
The Mission Children's Society meets this evening.
About 50 Chinese gamblers were arrested last night.
Admiral Miller has hoisted his flag on the U. S. S. Monterey.
Concert at Makee Island at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.
The second shoot for the Departmental trophy takes place on June 18.
The ship A. J. Fuller has completed her sugar cargo for New York.
The Holy Ghost Festival of the Roman Catholic Church is being celebrated.
Viewed from Waikiki last evening the southern cross was superb in brilliancy and beauty.
The Portuguese are celebrating to-day and to-morrow splendid religious services will be held.
F. A. Schaefer, Consul for Italy, calls attention to the neutrality proclamation of his Government.
Rev. J. A. Cruzan's topic at Central Union Church to-morrow evening will be "Is There Anything New?"
The Irngard is loading sugar for the Coast. The Iwani and James Makee were alongside yesterday with 8000 bags.
Rev. J. A. Cruzan will lecture at the Y. M. C. A. to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock on the "Sunward and Midnight Sides of Habit."

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Lands at Pulehuiki, Kula, Maui, will be sold at auction under foreclosure of mortgage, on Wednesday June 22. For further particulars apply to A. G. Correa.
The Legislature has adjourned over Memorial Day. Tuesday next is the last day of the present session but the session will be extended at the request of the House.
Messrs. Wilder, Wess and Wakefield have opened a law office in Hilo. The new firm will be patronized by everybody having business in the great city of greater Hawaii.
The engagement is announced of Miss Hannah E. Eastman to Mr. D. H. Wulsen, both of San Francisco. Miss Eastman will be remembered as directress of the first Free Kindergarten in Honolulu.
The Maui with 12000 bags diamond K sugar for the Mauna Ala arrived yesterday morning. The Mauna Ala sailed to-day for San Francisco with a full load of sugar consigned to Spreckels & Co.
Hikastani Hobron has been granted a divorce from E. C. Hobron with \$4000 alimony and \$250 for attorney fees. Irene Brown has been granted a divorce, with custody of children, from Chas. A. Brown.
Gordon Hamlet Mohallani Norrie, the apple of our editor's eye, was on the juvenile passenger list of the Kinau, which arrived this morning. The young Hawaiian-Dane gives early promise of following in the illustrious footsteps of his noble sire.

On account of Monday being Decoration Day there will be no concert at Emma Square in the evening. The band's engagements for the three following evenings are as follows: Tuesday evening at Makee Island, Wednesday at Thomas Square and Thursday at the Hawaiian Hotel.
The newspaper fraternity are arranging to entertain the war correspondents expected by the U. S. S. Charleston. Messrs. Billeynne and Hoogs have been appointed as a committee to take charge of arrangements. One scheme of entertainment is a drive, a swim and refreshments at Sans Souci.

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TOPICS OF THE DAY.

Mr. Thurston has caused a letter to be published in the official organ, in which he gives the direct lie to Mr. Dillingham. In this instance we believe that Mr. Thurston is right, but it becomes him ill to foul his own nest.

The owners of the horses racing at the track this evening are anxious to know whether the "time" made will be a record. The INDEPENDENT holds that the time made at a private match, where no money is collected at the gate is no record, and that the horses in question can enter in any event without consideration of the time made at any private exhibition.

Why the soldiers of the United States should have a special feed here, while our own people are starving is a puzzle to the taxpayers. We may sympathize with the men going to Manila, but we should have more interest in the starving kanakas who cannot get their national food even leave alone the frozen mayonnaise fit only for axle grease made for the braves from San Francisco.

We understand that a box of tomatoes was sent yesterday to Minister Cooper of San Diego, to show the kind of fruits raised by the new clever Commissioner of Agriculture. The tomatoes claimed to have been grown on the products of this horticulturist from Pasadena were prolific in holes and devoid of substance. It is understood that the Pasadena contingency will adopt a tomato as a badge during the visit of the United States soldiers in Hawaii, they being prevented from joining the great Committee of the 100 patriots.

The Kinau Arrives

The steamer Kinau of the Wilder's Steamship Co., arrived early this morning from Hawaii and Maui. Following is the list of her passengers and cargo:

Passengers—From the Volcano—Peter Lee, R. H. Mitchell and wife, Miss J. B. Cooke, Miss K. M. Cooke, W. O. Atwater, Miss Stewart, Way ports—F. S. Paschy, D. Howard Hitchcock, C. Ah Holt, Mrs. G. W. A. Hapai, Mrs. E. A. Collins, Miss M. A. Chamberlain, Miss Elizabeth Brown, S. Hirai, Rev. S. Sokawa, Rev. D. Sarakura, John Miller, E. W. Barnard and wife, Chu Kui, C. V. D. Ave, E. P. Low, Mrs. F. Norris and son, Miss I. Richardson, Miss H. Gay, Mrs. T. Parker, J. W. Waldvogel and wife, G. P. Wilder, Mrs. Buchanan, T. R. Kayworth, Mrs. E. F. Ward, L. Aseu, Mrs. Akui and child, Rev. Kong Fet Yim, Mrs. B. Bailey, Miss M. Smith, Rev. S. W. Keuwa, W. H. Ruple, Chu Tan, Tee Quong, Rev. T. Okamura, A. Enos and wife, T. Katpoo, T. Akeona and 83 deck passengers. Cargo 6253 sacks sugar, 241 sacks potatoes, 125 sacks corn, 64 sacks coffee, 28 bundles hides, 204 head sheep, 25 head cattle, 35 head hogs, 275 packages sundries.

Death of Mrs. Davis.

We regret to announce the death, in this city, this morning, of Mrs. R. Whalley Davis, nee Alice Everett, aged thirty-one years, at Sumner's Island, in the Port of Honolulu. The deceased Hawaiian lady received her early education at St. Andrew's Priory and was looked upon by her tutors as a bright and apt pupil. The INDEPENDENT condols with the bereaved husband and family in this their sad bereavement. The funeral will take place on Monday morning next.

A General Invitation.

The millinery displayed at L. B. Kerr's Queen street store is a sight long to be remembered. Hats and bonnets are many and beautiful. The style of trimming most artistic; the arrangement of colors most exquisite, and must be seen to be appreciated. An inspection is solicited. All are cordially invited.

She was married to her third husband, and they had had a quarrel. "I guessed how it would be, William," she said. "You're as bad as the others."

LOST FORTY POUNDS

Sergt. Dunn Wasted to a Shadow and Was Thought to be Dying of Consumption.

The Detroit (U. S. A.) Journal publishes the following interesting account of one of the heroes of the American war: Fort twenty-five years Sergeant Dunn has been a resident of Detroit, Mich. Like thousands of his comrades, he came out of the war with an impaired constitution. His great disability was a weak stomach.

"For years I had been troubled with my stomach," said he, "and received treatment for many diseases which the doctor said were due to indigestion. It got so bad that I had to quit my place and get outdoor work which it was thought would benefit me. I first had one trouble and then another which my doctor stated was caused by indigestion. Some weeks I would nearly starve as I could not digest the most common foods and I lost forty pounds in weight. One day I read a testimonial in the paper about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I began taking them. Three boxes were enough to stop those terrible, distressing pains in my stomach, and I began to have an appetite again. I took Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as regularly as I ate my meals, and I slowly but surely got well again. I gained ten pounds in six months, which was a lot for a man that had been so run down as I was. My friends said I had consumption. This is the reason I can truthfully recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. They are a cheap but effective remedy, and I call them the working people's doctor."

MORRIS P. DUNN.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.
COUNTY OF WAYNE.

Before me personally appeared Morris P. Dunn, who acknowledged the foregoing statement to be true in every respect.

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The Russian Government, it is reported, has decided to adopt the metric system. The United States and Great Britain will then be the only important countries which have not adopted the decimal system of weights and measures.

A new method of preserving meats, from which much is expected, consists in immersion in a 30 per cent. solution of salt through which a continuous current of electricity is being passed. The curing is completed in from 10 to 20 hours, when the meat is taken out and dried.

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Many of the ocean liners are now provided with a very ingenious machine for turning out large quantities of bread-and-butter for sandwiches. The machine cuts and butters 60 slices a minute, and with its aid 8,000 sandwiches have been made in 2 hours.

Mortgagee's Notice of Foreclosure.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS of a certain Mortgage made by D. H. Ankai and Hoan, his wife, to Peter Joseh, on August 6, 1897, recorded in Liber 179, page 211 and 212; notice is hereby given that the Mortgagee intends to foreclose the same for conditions broken, to-wit: Non payment of principal and interest.

NOTICE is likewise given that after the expiration of three weeks from the date of this notice, the property conveyed by said Mortgage will be advertised for sale at public auction, at the auction rooms of Jas. F. Morgan, in Honolulu.

On Wednesday, June 22nd, A. D. 1898, AT 12 NOON OF SAID DAY.

Further particulars can be had of A. G. Correa, Attorney at Law, Dated Honolulu, May 24, 1898. PETER JOSEPH, Mortgagee.

The premises, covered by said mortgage, consists of: That certain piece or parcel of land situate at Pulehuiki, Kula, Maui, being Home-land Lot No. 5, described in Royal Patent No. 305, containing an area of 11.4444 acres.

Roman Catholic Cathedral.

FEAST OF THE HOLY GHOST.

SATURDAY—7 p. m., blessing of the meat and vegetables to be given to the poor. Procession; illumination of the premises; bazaar. Portuguese Band Concordia in attendance. Grounds open till 11:30 p. m.

SUNDAY—7:30 a. m., distribution of alms to the poor of all nationalities; 10:30, High Pontifical Mass by Rt. Rev. Bishop Gulstau and assistants. Procession with crown and banners. St. Louis College band playing during the service. Mass of Mercadante by the choir of the cathedral; 1 p. m., banquet for the poor, presided over by the Bishop of Panopolis and clergy, Mr. Canavarro, charge d'affaires, and prominent members of the Portuguese colony; 3 p. m., Confirmation and Benediction of the M. B. Sacrament. During the afternoon the Concordia band will serenade on the grounds of the Catholic Mission till 5 o'clock.

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"Say, Dunn. How's your type-writer?"

"Er—ahem—oh, she's all right, thanks!" answered Dunn.

"Slick girl, Dunn. Slick girl! Just my style. He-he-he!"

"Er—really—er—I—"

"She's a peach, I tell you! I've her photo framed on my desk."

"Why—why—how in blank did you ever get it?"

"How did I get it? She gave it to me, of course. Ho-ho-ho! You never knew I took her out to theaters and roof gardens, did you? It was a mean trick; I should have told you! Ha-ha-ha!" And Fiddlesticks winked both this and the other eye.

"No—o—o, I never knew that," admitted Dunn.

"Say, old chap, it was dead easy. Some day I'll show you the letters she used to write me. They're as spicy as a grocery store. He-he-he!"

"They are, eh? They are, are they? Glad to hear it. Ticked to death. Simply delighted! I wish you would let me see them."

"I will, old man, gladly. In the meantime, when you go back to the office give her my love."

"She's not in my office any longer."

"Why, how's that?"

"I married her!"—Providence Telegram.

FOURTEENTH ANNUAL MEETING

—OF THE—

Hawaiian Jockey Club

JUNE 11, 1898.

OFFICIAL PROGRAM.

Races will commence at 9 a. m. sharp on the 11th.

- 1.—MERCHANTS' PURSE. Trotting and Pacing to harness. Best 2 in 3; 2:50 class. Purse \$150.
- 2.—UNION FEED CO'S CUP. Running race; half mile dash. Free for all. Purse \$150 added. To be won twice.
- 3.—HAWAIIAN JOCKEY CLUB PURSE. Five-eighths mile dash for Hawaiian bred horses. Purse \$200.
- 4.—KAPIOLANI PARK PURSE. Trotting and Pacing to harness. Best 2 in 3; 2:30 class. Purse \$200.
- 5.—IRWIN CUP. One mile dash; for Hawaiian bred horses; to be won twice by members of the Jockey Club. \$150 added.
- 6.—WAIKAPU CHALLENGE CUP. Three-fourths mile dash; free for all. Winner to beat record of Hancock, 1:16 1/4. \$150 added.
- 7.—KAMEHAMEHA PURSE. Trotting and Pacing to harness. Best 2 in 3. Free for all. Purse \$300.
- 8.—OCEANIC S. S. CO'S CUP. Three-fourths mile dash; Hawaiian bred. \$150 added.
- 9.—ROSITA CHALLENGE CUP. One mile dash; free for all. Winner to beat time of Angie A, 1:45 1/4. Purse \$200 and \$50 added if record is beaten.
- 10.—HONOLULU PURSE. Trotting and Pacing to harness. Best 2 in 3; 2:25 class. Purse \$250.
- 11.—PRESIDENT WIDEMANN'S CUP. One and one-quarter mile dash; free for all; to be won twice. \$200 added.

All entries are to be made with the Secretary before 2 o'clock Wednesday, June 8, 1898. Entrance fees to be 10 per cent of purse, unless otherwise specified.

All races to be run or trotted under the rules of the Pacific Coast Blood Horse Association and the National Trotting Association.

All horses are expected to start unless withdrawn by 9 o'clock a. m. on June 10th, 1898.

General admission, 50 cents.
Grand stand (extra), 50 cents and \$1.
Carriages (inside course), \$2.50 each.
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No. 904

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TIME TABLE:

The Five Passenger Steamers of This Line Will Arrive and Leave This Port as Hereunder.

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FOR SAN FRANCISCO:

ZEALANDIA.....	JUNE 8	ZEALANDIA.....	JUNE 14
MOANA.....	JUNE 22	ALAMEDA.....	JUNE 22
ZEALANDIA.....	JULY 6	ZEALANDIA.....	JULY 12

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BRITISH SHIPPING INTERESTS.

In Face of Privateering—The Treaty of Paris.

Whether groundless or not, some fears have been expressed as to how British shipping interests may fare at the hands of privateers "marqued" by the belligerents. Neither America nor Spain were parties to the Treaty of Paris, signed in 1856. As a matter of fact, Spain has already granted letters of marque to a very large fleet of merchantmen, and no one knows from what port they may sail. It is reported that America will not resort to privateering, and that Spain is being urged to refrain, but whether she will accede to solicitations remains to be seen. The text of the declaration respecting Maritime Law, signed by the Plenipotentiaries of Great Britain, Austria, France, Prussia, Russia, Sardinia, and Turkey, assembled in Congress at Paris on April 16, 1856, is as follows:

"The Plenipotentiaries who signed the Treaty of Paris of March 30, 1857, assembled in conference—

"Considering:

"That Maritime Law in time of war has long been the subject of deplorable disputes;

"That the uncertainty of the law and of the duties in such a matter gives rise to differences of opinion between neutrals and belligerents, which may occasion serious difficulties, and even conflicts;

"That it is consequently advantageous to establish a uniform doctrine on so important a point;

"That the Plenipotentiaries assembled in Congress at Paris cannot better respond to the intentions by which their Governments are animated than by seeking to introduce into international relations fixed principles in this respect;

"The above mentioned Plenipotentiaries, being duly authorized, resolved to concert among themselves as to the means of attaining this object; and, having come to an agreement, have adopted the following solemn declaration:

"1. Privateering is, and remains, abolished;

"2. The neutral flag covers enemy's goods, with the exception of contraband of war;

"3. Neutral goods, with the exception of contraband of war, are not liable to capture under enemy's flag;

"4. Blockades, in order to be binding, must be effective; that is to say, maintained by a force sufficient really to prevent access to the coast of the enemy.

"The Governments and the undersigned Plenipotentiaries engage to bring the present Declaration to the knowledge of the States which have not taken part in the Congress of Paris, and to invite them to accede to it.

"Convinced that the maxims which they now proclaim cannot but be received with gratitude by the whole world the undersigned Plenipotentiaries doubt not that the efforts of their Governments to obtain the general adoption thereof will be crowned with full success.

"The present Declaration is not and shall not be binding except between those Powers who have acceded or shall accede to it.

"Done at Paris, April 16, 1856."

Considered in the light of present complications, the term "contraband of war" becomes of the highest importance, for there are few products which may not at one period or another be brought under this designation. The distinctive peculiarity of this class of article, however, is not that it belongs to one species of product or another, but that the want of it would inflict serious injury on the party by whom it is imported.

The late J. R. McCulloch, one of the highest authorities on inter-

national law, says: "The principle that free ships make free goods, or that the flag covers the cargo, and that consequently enemies' goods not contraband of war may be safely conveyed in neutral bottoms, after being long resisted, has been assented to in the Declaration of Paris. In judging of the wisdom of this concession everything depends on the interpretation of the phrase 'contraband of war.' If it were restricted, as has usually been the case, to warlike stores or articles directly available for war purposes, it would be in many respects justly censurable. For it is plain that under the limitation now supposed the trade of a belligerent power, with its colonies or other countries beyond sea, might be prosecuted in neutral ships nearly to the same extent and with as much security during war as during peace. But it is not easy to imagine that a principle having such consequences should be acted upon by any power having a preponderating naval force, in the event of her engaging in hostilities. Such power must do one of two things—she must either consent to relinquish some of the most important advantages to be derived from her naval ascendancy or she must reject the principle in question." And there is little doubt that she would adopt the latter alternative, and she might do this directly by resorting to her natural and indefeasible right, and seize enemies' goods wherever they are to be met with, or indirectly by extending the list of contraband articles, so as to make it include all those of importance carried by sea into or from the enemy's ports. Either way would answer the purpose, and we may be pretty well assured that under the supposed circumstances, one or other of them would be followed.

Sunday Services.

St. Andrew's Cathedral—Whit Sunday, May 29: At 7 a. m., Choral Celebration of the Holy Communion; 11 a. m., Morning Prayer and Sermon; 3:30 p. m., Pulpit Abiah; 7:30 p. m., Evensong and Sermon. N. B.—This order of service will be followed and not that announced on Sunday last.

St. Andrew's Cathedral, Second Congregation—The Rev. Alexander Mackintosh will preach at both services of the Second Congregation to-morrow. At 5:30 a. m., celebration of the Holy Communion; and at the 9:45 o'clock service in the morning, the choir of ladies and gentlemen will render the music and at the 6:30 o'clock service in the evening, the surpliced choir of Hawaiians will render a full choral service. All seats are free and everybody welcome.

Central Union Church—Corner Beretania and Richards streets, Douglas P. Birnie, minister. At 9:55 a. m., Sunday School and Bible Classes; 11 a. m., Public Worship and Sermon; 3 p. m., Junior Endeavor meeting; 6:30 p. m., Y. P. S. C. E. Prayer meeting; 7:30 p. m., Public Worship; Sermon by Rev. J. A. Cruzon. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Palama Chapel, 9:45 a. m., Sunday School; 7:30 p. m., Gospel Service. Rev. D. P. Birnie will speak. A welcome for all at every service.

Services at St. Clement's Chapel, Punahou: Celebration of Holy Communion at 7 a. m., Morning Prayer at 11 a. m., Evening Prayer at 7 p. m., Sunday School at 10 a. m.

Covering Cuba.

MIAMI, Fla., May 18.—It is reported from Key West that Commodore Watson has started for Havana with United States squadron No. 3 to work in harmony with the squadrons under Rear Admiral Sampson and Commodore Schley. Commodore Watson took his fleet from Key West singly. He has been coaling for several days and the coal is piled high on the decks. His fleet consists of the powerful monitors Puritan and Miantonomah, the cruisers Cincinnati and Helena, the auxiliary cruiser St. Paul, the torpedo-boat Erickson, Dupont, Foote and Cushing, and the gunboats Bancroft, Hamilton, Dolphin, Morrill, Eagle, Wasp and Hawk.

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Capt. J. A. KING, Port Supt.

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CLARKE, Commander.

Will leave Honolulu at 10 a. m., touching at Lahaina, Maunaloa Bay and Makana the same day; Mahukona, Kawaihae and Laupahoehoe the following day; arriving at Hilo the same afternoon.

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Tuesday.....	May 31	Saturday.....	May 28
Thursday.....	June 9	Wednesday.....	June 8
*Tuesday.....	June 21	Saturday.....	June 18
Friday.....	July 1	Wednesday.....	June 28
*Tuesday.....	July 2	Saturday.....	July 9
*Friday.....	July 22	Wednesday.....	July 20
Tuesday.....	Aug 2	Saturday.....	July 30
Friday.....	Aug 12	Wednesday.....	Aug 10
*Tuesday.....	Aug 23	Saturday.....	Aug 21
*Friday.....	Sept 2	Wednesday.....	Aug 31
Tuesday.....	Sept 13	Saturday.....	Sept 10
*Friday.....	Sept 24	Wednesday.....	Sept 21
*Tuesday.....	Oct 4	Saturday.....	Oct 1
Friday.....	Oct 14	Wednesday.....	Oct 12
*Tuesday.....	Oct 25	Saturday.....	Oct 22

Returning will leave Hilo at 8 o'clock a. m., touching at Laupahoehoe, Mahukona and Kawaihae same day; Makana, Maunaloa Bay and Lahaina the following day; arriving at Honolulu the afternoon of Wednesday and Saturday.

Will call at Ponoiki, Puna, on trip marked *.

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Passengers are requested to purchase Tickets before embarking. Those failing to do so will be subject to an additional charge of twenty-five per cent.

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SATURDAY, MAY 28, 1898.

WHY DON'T THEY RESIGN?

We fail to see why Mr. Dole and his Cabinet do not step down and out. They have been censured by the representatives of the people, and they have received the marble heart on each and every measure brought before the consideration of the representatives of the taxpayers.

Why, and how can these gentlemen cling to their positions when they are daily told to get out? Mr. Dole is not anxious to retain his lucrative salary. He said a few days ago that he simply stayed in office because he considered himself the custodian of the Republic until annexation was accomplished.

We all know that Mr. Damon is not over-anxious to hold a public office. He is ready to retire and devote his time to his private affairs. He is the sheet anchor of the Government, and we presume that he refuses to resign because he hates the idea of deserting it during the days of trouble.

Minister King is only too anxious to hang up his official toga. His place is on the wharves, and he has shown his indifference to official business by absenting himself during the session of the Legislature and enjoying a permanent vacation.

Minister Smith, the brilliant Attorney-General, says that he would prefer to retire to private life. Mr. Smith has no flies on his coat, and we feel justified in suggesting that he is not sincere when he expresses his wishes of returning to private life. Mr. W. O. Smith likes power and authority. He has got it now, and he will stick to his brief authority until the last minute. His lack of popularity among the men who put him in office in 1893 is well understood. How he can stand the kicks, which he receives from his former friends, who now want to down him, is beyond our comprehension.

Minister Cooper is simply there for what there is in it. He amounts to nothing. He plays no figure in the game, and he will "git" whenever the change comes. He is not a kamaaina. He has no interests in Hawaii, and even his masonic influences have vanished. Messrs. Dole, Damon, King and Smith may take a hint and resign their official jobs, Cooper will never leave until he is kicked out bodily.

There is a faint possibility of annexation taking place. If it does, the present oligarchy gets its death blow. The Hawaiians who realize that annexation will be a death-blow to their race prefer to tolerate the present regime of defeated men and watch them go down to destruction through their selfishness and their lack of principle. When a country as a unit tells a government to "git" why don't the members of it listen to the voice of the people and "git."

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY TALKS

On the Kindly Feeling of the Britishers.

Our American Correspondent on Friday morning had an interview with President McKinley, whom he describes as confident, animated in his policy by a motive of humanity—which leads him to desire the complete emancipation of Cuba from Spanish rule—and perfectly sincere, like the great majority of Americans, in his declaration against annexation. Our Correspondent adds:—If the President had the least doubt of success in the contest of arms now begun he would not show it. But he has none. I do not know an American who has. Americans do not take their ideas from the "yellow" journals which exalt General Fitzhugh Lee as their prophet and fix a fortnight as the limit of the struggle. They are a serious people, and they have a serious President, and neither underestimates the gravity of the conflict. They only think that the more Spain prolongs it the more disastrous will the end be to her. The President's optimism extend far beyond the purely American view. It includes Europe. So convinced is he of the righteousness of his cause that he seems to find a difficulty in believing that all Europe should not also think war on Spain to free Cuba a righteous thing. He turns a somewhat deaf ear to warnings from the European Continent.

About England, happily, there is neither doubt in the President's mind nor reason for doubt. He knows what we all know and much desire. Such assurances as he has received are in this case authentic. Message after message has come to us from the English Press and people—even in guarded-terms from Ministers in Parliament, and in less guarded terms from Ministers speaking otherwise than in Parliament. If there was an interval during which Congress did something to chill that cordiality of our English kin, yesterday and to-day seem to have brought it all back to us.

I asked the President whether he did not think some response to these friendly English declarations might be made. "You can say," he answered, "that the whole of the United States responds to them." If there be any American entitled to speak for the United States, it is certainly the President. I know from other sources that during the last 12 months official relations between the two countries have been of the most cordial kind and never more so than now. Cordiality begets cordiality. It has been mutual.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS

Eben P. Low is in town.

Read W. W. Diamond & Co.'s advertisement on the other page.

Rev. D. P. Birnie will occupy the pulpit at Palama Chapel to-morrow evening.

The schooner Jessie Minor arrived to-day with lumber from Port Townsend.

The Iwalani sailed to-day for Honolulu with a load of fertilizers. She may return to port next Thursday with Kukuihaele and Lihaina sugar.

Entertainment at St. Andrew's Priory on Monday evening for the benefit of the school. Secure your tickets early, as it is only fifty cents for the general admission and seventy-five cents for reserved seats.

How convenient for the weary walker or the spectator at Government parades and functions would be an eighteen inch curb around the Judiciary building with shade trees planted a few feet therefrom.

Mr. Edgar Henriques will open on or about June 1st, a commission mercantile office at the Masonic Temple, besides being an importer and exporter of foreign and domestic fruits, vegetables, fish and game and dairy products.

J. T. Waterhouse advertises Armour's Chicken Tamales, prepared from the original Mexican recipe, Armour's delicious sliced Bacon, Gifford's Best Olive Oil has a hundred dollar forfeit behind it if the original package is adulterated.

"Old Trinity."

Oh! an Irish potato roast in the ashes, brown,
Bring all best things but that will take the crown.

A rich ham-bone with pickle, spiced,
Coffee, biscuit and cheese,
(A glass of wine) and one can't diet
—He's mighty hard to please.

Oh! an Irish potato roast in the ashes, brown,
Bring all best things and it must take the crown;

So measly, white and fine,—delicious!
And after that just add, nutritious.

Oh! an Irish potato roast in the ashes, brown,
Bring all best things, but that will suit the town.

ANNE MARIE PRESOOTT.
"Makapala-by-the-Sea."

The Shoenies Are There.

Although it will probably not be possible to get a vessel in time for it to participate in the war, President McKinley and senators and representatives generally are much pleased with the spirit which actuated the wealthy Hebrews of Ohio to contribute the money to purchase a first-class war-ship to be presented to the United States for use against Spain, and many kind words of the Hebrews are heard. It is not the first time that they have given a practical demonstration of their patriotism.—Exchange.

Troops for Manila.

GIBRALTAR, May 18.—The first-class battle ship Pelayo, the armored cruisers Emperador Carlos V., Alfonso XIII, Vittoria and Giralda, the auxiliary cruisers Rapido, Alfonso XII, Buenos Ayres and Antonio Lopez and three torpedo-boats now at Cadiz are ready for sea. They are expected to sail for the Philippines before the end of this month with 11,000 troops.

The Waialeale, Captain Parker, arrived this morning from Laie with 2753 bags sugar for the Irmgard.

The S. G. Wilder and the bark S. C. Allen are about due at this port from San Francisco.

Timely Topics.

Honolulu, May 21, 1898

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

To-morrow is Whit-sunday.

The N. G. H. parade on Monday.

Cricket and baseball this afternoon.

Memorial Day will be an unofficial holiday.

Monday is Memorial Day with its parade.

The Charleston may come in on Wednesday.

Concert at Kamehameha School this evening.

Band concert at Emma Square this afternoon.

The Mission Children's Society meets this evening.

About 50 Chinese gamblers were arrested last night.

Admiral Miller has hoisted his flag on the U. S. S. Monterey.

Concert at Makee Island at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

The second shoot for the Departmental trophy takes place on June 18.

The ship A. J. Fuller has completed her sugar cargo for New York.

The Holy Ghost Festival of the Roman Catholic Church is being celebrated.

Viewed from Waikiki last evening the southern cross was superb in brilliancy and beauty.

The Portuguese are celebrating to-day and to-morrow splendid religious services will be held.

F. A. Schaefer, Consul for Italy, calls attention to the neutrality proclamation of his Government.

Rev. J. A. Cruzan's topic at Central Union Church to-morrow evening will be "Is There Anything New?"

The Irngard is loading sugar for the Coast. The Iwalei and James Makee were alongside yesterday with 8000 bags.

Rev. J. A. Cruzan will lecture at the Y. M. C. A. to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock on the "Sunward and Midnight Sides of Habit."

The Income Tax Bill has had a narrow squeak for its life. The vote on its passage stood 6 to 5. It comes up again on Tuesday on reconsideration.

Geo. W. De Long Post, G. A. R., will attend the Memorial service at the Methodist Chapel to-morrow evening. Rev. G. L. Pearson will preach the sermon.

Lands at Pulehuiki, Kula, Maui, will be sold at auction under foreclosure of mortgage, on Wednesday June 22. For further particulars apply to A. G. Correa.

The Legislature has adjourned over Memorial Day. Tuesday next is the last day of the present session but the session will be extended at the request of the House.

Messrs. Wilder, Wise and Wakefield have opened a law office in Hilo. The new firm will be patronized by everybody having business in the great city of greater Hawaii.

The engagement is announced of Miss Hannah E. Eastman to Mr. D. H. Wulsen, both of San Francisco. Miss Eastman will be remembered as directress of the first Free Kindergarten in Honolulu.

The Maui with 12000 bags diamond K sugar for the Mauna Ala arrived yesterday morning. The Mauna Ala sailed to-day for San Francisco with a full load of sugar consigned to Spreckels & Co.

Hikasilani Hobron has been granted a divorce from E. C. Hobron with \$4000 alimony and \$250 for attorney fees. Irene Brown has been granted a divorce, with custody of children, from Chas. A. Brown.

Gordon Hamlet Mohailani Norrie, the apple of our editor's eye, was on the juvenile passenger list of the Kinau, which arrived this morning. The young Hawaiian-Dane gives early promise of following in the illustrious footsteps of his noble sire.

On account of Monday being Decoration Day there will be no concert at Emma Square in the evening. The band's engagements for the three following evenings are as follows: Tuesday evening at Makee Island, Wednesday at Thomas Square and Thursday at the Hawaiian Hotel.

The newspaper fraternity are arranging to entertain the war correspondents expected by the U. S. S. Charleston. Messrs. Billeynue and Hoogs have been appointed as a committee to take charge of arrangements. One scheme of entertainment is a drive, a swim and refreshments at Sans Souci.

TOPICS OF THE DAY.

Mr. Thurston has caused a letter to be published in the official organ, in which he gives the direct lie to Mr. Dillingham. In this instance we believe that Mr. Thurston is right, but it becomes him ill to foul his own nest.

The owners of the horses racing at the track this evening are anxious to know whether the "time" made will be a record. THE INDEPENDENT holds that the time made at a private match, where no money is collected at the gate is no record, and that the horses in question can enter in any event without consideration of the time made at any private exhibition.

Why the soldiers of the United States should have a special feed here, while our own people are starving is a puzzle to the taxpayers. We may sympathize with the men going to Manila, but we should have more interest in the starving kanakas who cannot get their national food even leave alone the frozen mayonaisse fit only for axle grease made for the braves from San Francisco.

We understand that a box of tomatoes was sent yesterday to Minister Cooper of San Diego, to show the kind of fruits raised by the new clever Commissioner of Agriculture. The tomatoes claimed to have been grown on the precincts of this horticulturist from Pasadena were prolific in holes and devoid of substance. It is understood that the Pasadena contingency will adopt a tomato as a badge during the visit of the United States soldiers in Hawaii, they being prevented from joining the great Committee of the 100 patriots.

The Kinau Arrives

The steamer Kinau of the Wilder's Steamship Co., arrived early this morning from Hawaii and Maui. Following is the list of her passengers and cargo:

Passengers—From the Volcano—Peter Lee, R. H. Mitchell and wife, Miss J. B. Cooke, Miss K. M. Cooke, W. O. Atwater, Miss Stewart, Way ports—F. S. Peachy, D. Howard Hitchcock, C. A. Holt, Mrs. G. W. A. Hapai, Mrs. E. A. Collins, Miss M. A. Chamberlain, Miss Elizabeth Brown, S. Hirai, Rev. S. Sokawa, Rev. D. Sarakura, John Miller, E. W. Baroard and wife, Chu Kul, C. V. E. D. ve, E. P. Low, Mrs. F. Norris and son, Miss I. Richardson, Miss H. Gay, Mrs. T. Parker, J. W. Waldvogel and wife, G. P. Wilder, Mrs. Buchanan, T. R. Kayworth, Mrs. E. F. Ward, L. Asee, Mrs. Akui and child, Rev. Koug Fet Yim, Mrs. B. Bailey, Miss M. Smith, Rev. S. W. Kekeua, W. H. Roplee, Chu Tan, Tee Quong, Rev. T. Okamura, A. Enos and wife, T. Katpoo, T. Akeona and 83 deck passengers. Cargo 6253 sacks sugar, 241 sacks potatoes, 125 sacks corn, 64 sacks coffee, 28 bundles hides, 204 head sheep, 25 head cattle, 85 head hogs, 275 packages sundries.

Death of Mrs. Davis.

We regret to announce the death, in this city, this morning, of Mrs. R. Whalley Davis, nee Alice Everett, aged thirty-one years, at Sumner's Island, in the Port of Honolulu. The deceased Hawaiian lady received her early education at St. Andrew's Priory and was looked upon by her tutors as a bright and apt pupil. THE INDEPENDENT condoles with the bereaved husband and family in this their sad bereavement. The funeral will take place on Monday morning next.

A General Invitation.

The millinery displayed at L. B. Kerr's Queen street store is a sight long to be remembered. Hats and bonnets are many and beautiful. The style of trimming most artistic; the arrangement of colors most exquisite, and must be seen to be appreciated. An inspection is solicited. All are cordially invited.

She was married to her third husband, and they had had a quarrel. "I guessed how it would be, William," she said. "You're as bad as the others."

LOST FORTY POUNDS

Sergt. Dunn Wasted to a Shadow and Was Thought to be Dying of Consumption.

The Detroit (U. S. A.) Journal publishes the following interesting account of one of the heroes of the American war: For twenty-five years Sergeant Dunn has been a resident of Detroit, Mich. Like thousands of his comrades, he came out of the war with an impaired constitution. His great disability was a weak stomach.

"For years I had been troubled with my stomach," said he, "and received treatment for many diseases which the doctor said were due to indigestion. It got so bad that I had to quit my place and get outdoor work which it was thought would benefit me. I first had one trouble and then another which my doctor stated was caused by indigestion. Some weeks I would nearly starve as I could not digest the most common foods and I lost forty pounds in weight. One day I read a testimonial in the paper about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I began taking them. Three boxes were enough to stop those terrible, distressing pains in my stomach, and I began to have an appetite again. I took Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as regularly as I ate my meals, and I slowly but surely got well again. I gained ten pounds in six months, which was a lot for a man that had been so run down as I was. My friends said I had consumption. This is the reason I can truthfully recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. They are a cheap but effective remedy, and I call them the working people's doctor."

MORRIS P. DUNN.

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Before me personally appeared Morris P. Dunn, who acknowledged the foregoing statement to be true in every respect.

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The Russian Government, it is reported, has decided to adopt the metric system. The United States and Great Britain will then be the only important countries which have not adopted the decimal system of weights and measures.

A new method of preserving meats, from which much is expected, consists in immersion in a 30 per cent. solution of salt through which a continuous current of electricity is being passed. The curing is completed in from 10 to 20 hours, when the meat is taken out and dried.

Gold leaves so thin that 250,000 measure only an inch in thickness are produced in the Swan process by placing thin sheets of polished copper in an electrolytic gold-plating solution until a continuous gold film has formed, then dissolving away the copper by chemical means.

Many of the ocean liners are now provided with a very ingenious machine for turning out large quantities of bread-and-butter for sandwiches. The machine cuts and butters 60 slices a minute, and with it 8,000 sandwiches have been made in 2 hours.

Mortgagee's Notice of Foreclosure.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS of a certain Mortgage made by D. H. Aukai and Hoan, his wife, to Peter Joseh, dated August 6, 1897, recorded in Liber 179, page 211 and 212; notice is hereby given that the Mortgagee intends to foreclose the same for non payment of principal and interest.

NOTICE is likewise given that after the expiration of three weeks from the date of this notice, the property conveyed by said Mortgage will be advertised for sale at public auction, at the auction rooms of Jas. F. Morgan, in Honolulu.

On Wednesday, June 22nd, A. D. 1898,
AT 12 NOON OF SAID DAY.

Further particulars can be had of A. G. Correa, Attorney at Law
Dated Honolulu, May 24, 1898
PETER JOSEPH,
Mortgagee.

The premises, covered by said mortgage, consists of: That certain piece or parcel of land situate at Pulehuiki, Kula, Maui, being Home-land Lot No. 3, described in Royal Patent No. 3905, containing an area of 11.5433 acres.

Roman Catholic Cathedral.

FEAST OF THE HOLY GHOST.

SATURDAY—7 p. m., blessing of the meat and vegetables to be given to the poor. Procession; illumination of the premises; bazaar. Portuguese Band Concordia in attendance. Grounds open till 11:30 p. m.

SUNDAY—7:30 a. m., distribution of alms to the poor of all nationalities; 10:30, High Pontifical Mass by Rt. Rev. Bishop Gulstan and assistants. Procession with crown and banners. St. Louis College band playing during the service. Mass of Mercadante by the choir of the cathedral; 1 p. m., banquet for the poor, presided over by the Bishop of Panopolis and clergy, Mr. Canavarro, charge d'affaires, and prominent members of the Portuguese colony; 3 p. m., Confirmation and Benediction of the M. B. Sacrament. During the afternoon the Concordia band will serenade on the grounds of the Catholic Mission till 5 o'clock.

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"Er—really—er—I—"

"She's a peach, I tell you! I've her photo framed on my desk."

"Why—why—how in blank did you ever get it?"

"How did I get it? She gave it to me, of course. Ho-ho-ho! You never knew I took her out to theaters and roof gardens, did you? It was a mean trick; I should have told you! Ha-ha-ha!" And Fiddlesticks winked both this and the other eye.

"No—o—o, I never knew that," admitted Dunn.

"Say, old chap, it was dead easy. Some day I'll show you the letters she used to write me. They're as spicy as a grocery store. He-he-he!"

"They are, eh? They are, are they? Glad to hear it. Ticked to death. Simply delighted! I wish you would let me see them."

"I will, old man, gladly. In the meantime, when you go back to the office give her my love."

"She's not in my office any longer."

"Why, how's that?"

"I married her!"—Providence Telegram.

FOURTEENTH ANNUAL MEETING

— OF THE —

Hawaiian Jockey Club

JUNE 11, 1898.

OFFICIAL PROGRAM.

Races will commence at 9 a. m. sharp on the 11th.

- 1.—MERCHANTS' PURSE. Trotting and Pacing to harness. Best 2 in 3; 2:50 class. Purse \$150
- 2.—UNION FEED CO'S CUP. Running race; half mile dash. Free for all. Purse \$150 added. To be won twice.
- 3.—HAWAIIAN JOCKEY CLUB PURSE. Five-eighths mile dash for Hawaiian bred. Purse \$200.
- 4.—KAPIOLANI PARK PURSE. Trotting and Pacing to harness. Best 2 in 3; 2:30 class. Purse \$200.
- 5.—IRWIN CUP. One mile dash; for Hawaiian bred horses; to be won twice by members of the Jockey Club. \$150 added.
- 6.—WAIKAPU CHALLENGE CUP. Three-fourths mile dash; free for all. Winner to beat record of Hancock, 1:16½. \$150 added.
- 7.—KAMEHAMEHA PURSE. Trotting and Pacing to harness. Best 2 in 3. Free for all. Purse \$300.
- 8.—OCEANIC S. S. CO'S CUP. Three-fourths mile dash; Hawaiian bred. \$150 added.
- 9.—ROSITA CHALLENGE CUP. One mile dash; free for all. Winner to beat time of Angie A, 1:45½. Purse \$200 and \$50 added if record is beaten.
- 10.—HONOLULU PURSE. Trotting and Pacing to harness. Best 2 in 3; 2:25 class. Purse \$250.
- 11.—PRESIDENT WIDEMANN'S CUP. One and one-quarter mile dash; free for all; to be won twice. \$200 added.

All entries are to be made with the Secretary before 2 o'clock Wednesday, June 8, 1898. Entrance fees to be 10 percent of purse, unless otherwise specified.

All races to be run or trotted under the rules of the Pacific Coast Blood Horse Association and the National Trotting Association.

All horses are expected to start unless withdrawn by 9 o'clock a. m. on June 10th, 1898.

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