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### THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

[FROM A HONOLULU CORRESPONDENT OF THE IRISH TIMES.]

"You take the boat at San Francisco and then my place is the second to the left." This was Stevenson's refreshing manner of directing visitors to Samoa. Similar directions are good for the Sandwich Islands, but this place is the first on the left. It might perhaps be as well if people were to give up calling these islands after the English fashion. When, in 1778, Captain Cook made what was practically the first discovery of this group (though for cartographical purposes they had been discovered by Gaetano in 1555), he paid a pretty compliment to the first Lord of the Admiralty by calling them after the Earl of Sandwich. The native name of the group, however, is Hawaii nei—the official name is the Republic of Hawaii—and you can see on the stamps that we call ourselves here the Hawaiian Islands.

So many people are absolutely "at sea" in all matters connected with the Pacific Ocean that it may not be unnecessary to state that the Hawaiian group occupies a lonely position in the North Pacific. Roughly speaking it is 2000 miles from the American coast, 3500 from Japan, and 4000 from New Zealand; it is thus the first point of call on the steamboat lines from San Francisco to Japan and China, and from San Francisco to New Zealand and Australia; and its position, from the point of view of traffic, or cable communication is quite unique. The Hawaiian Islands have nothing to do with—in fact, are thousands of miles from—the groups which are generally known as the South Sea Islands. We are thoroughly exclusive here, with no telegraph to bother us, and about six days from the nearest post office. We go one better than the little girl in Wordsworth's poem—we are eight—eight of us that are inhabited. Hawaii is by far the biggest, and contains two big mountains 14,000 feet high, and the famous volcano of Kilauea; but I am sure it will be news to many well-educated folk that Honolulu, the capital of the Hawaiian Republic, is not on Hawaii. It is on Oahu, the third island in point of size, but the first in population, development, and political and commercial importance.

The first glimpse of the islands reveals the outline of the north side of Molokai. We are here almost in view of view of the Leper Settlement of which everyone has heard so much. The island is not given up to the lepers entirely. On the contrary, the island is 40 miles in length, and contains 200,000 acres. The Leper Settlement is a strip of grass plain on the north coast, cut off by steep precipices from the mainland of the island. It is about 10 miles in length and one in width, containing therefore, between 5000 and 6000 acres—a mere fraction of the whole island. More precisely it should be called the Plain of Kalapapa. Here the lepers were collected more than 20 years ago. Cases as they occur—or rather as they are detected—are promptly dealt with. At Honolulu, for instance, they are isolated at a spot on the edge of the harbor entrance, and thence at convenient intervals transferred to Molokai. There they are supported by the nation at an annual cost of \$100,000. They have places of worship, a gymnasium, a reading-room, a band of leper musicians—in fact everything which can be contrived to relieve the misery of their living death. A leper in the rest of the Archipelago is as rare as a buffalo in the United States.

Honolulu itself is a disappointing town. There is one reason which accounts for much disappointment which everyone will experience in these islands. Strangely enough,

the only book upon the place which is in circulation is Mrs. Bishop's (then Miss Bird's) account of her visit in 1873. People came here primed with anticipations formed upon descriptions now nearly a quarter of a century old. And for Hawaii, and especially for Honolulu, what a quarter of a century! In 1873 Lunalilo was King; the Government was a hereditary or, as just then, an elective Monarchy; the population of the islands was just half its present size; of foreigners of all races there are about 5,000 to 50,000 natives, whereas to-day the foreigners considerably outnumber the native population. In a word, Honolulu in 1873 was Hawaiian; to-day it is American-British-German-Portuguese-Chinese-Japanese-Hawaiian. So when Miss Bird landed she saw coral fishers at work, natives swimming in the lagoon, catamarans riding the breakers, and shooting round the ship, canoes swarming over the harbour, a crowd of two or three thousand waiting on the wharf displaying all the fantasies of native costumes and habits, hundreds of saddled horses mounted by flower-wreathed riders of both sexes, hucksters selling brilliant flowers and fruit—in brief, all the simple pageantry which we associate with a tropical landing. There is nothing of this to-day—swarthy officials, a few white friends, Chinese coolies, a score of American buggies—that was about all. I cannot express our disappointment better than by saying that, when we realised what the scene was going to be we all went down and ate lunch as indifferently as if we were landing at Liverpool.

I used to think the Myrtle Bank Kingston, Jamaica, was as ill-managed and shiftless a house as I had ever known to claim the primacy among the hotels of a important town, but the Honolulu Hotel has all the disorder and 20 times the dirt of that very inferior establishment. The plaster is in holes on the wall, the woodwork is crumbling, the chairs and carpets are aged in dirt, paint has not been here for a many day, the baths are cracked and grimy, the plumbing ancient and dangerous. In vain wire screens and mosquito curtains exist when the large gaps in the joints of doors and windows admit the very numerous mosquitoes which infest the night. Rats run riot in the wainscoting, and gigantic cockroaches, with what look like goggle eyes, stare at in your dressing-room. It goes without saying that the attendance is, to put it mildly, scanty, and the hotel meals exceedingly bad. One or two boarding-houses are said to be rather better, but are always full, and visitors cannot often take a small house and cater for themselves. The most genial temperature under the sun and the proximity of the largest volcano on earth are not enough to attract visitors, to retain them, and to make them come again. They call this "The Paradise of the Pacific," but it is not a Paradise without a serpent.

### Canadians Bear American Laborers.

TORONTO (Ont.), August 6.—Canada has begun to take means to enforce the alien labor law against Americans. Commissioner McCreary is here on business in connection with work on the Crow's Nest Pass railway through the Rocky mountains, and he informed the Canadian Pacific railway authorities that any American laborers engaged for that work would be deported to their own country again. McCreary has instructions from the Canadian Government to strictly enforce the new law.

The Examiner says, the gunboat Marion has been ordered home from Honolulu and the Bennington will take her place. It is expected that the Marion will never be ordered on another cruise.

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|----------------------|----------------------|
| Friday.....Aug. 20   | Tuesday.....Aug. 17  |
| Tuesday.....Aug. 23  | Friday.....Aug. 27   |
| *Friday.....Sept. 10 | Tuesday.....Sept. 7  |
| Tuesday.....Sept. 21 | Friday.....Sept. 17  |
| *Friday.....Oct. 1   | Tuesday.....Sept. 28 |
| *Tuesday.....Oct. 12 | Friday.....Oct. 8    |
| *Friday.....Oct. 22  | Tuesday.....Oct. 19  |
| Tuesday.....Nov. 2   | Friday.....Oct. 29   |
| *Friday.....Nov. 12  | Tuesday.....Nov. 9   |
| Tuesday.....Nov. 23  | Friday.....Nov. 19   |
| *Friday.....Dec. 3   | Tuesday.....Nov. 30  |
| *Tuesday.....Dec. 14 | Friday.....Dec. 10   |
| Thursday.....Dec. 23 | Tuesday.....Dec. 21  |
|                      | Friday.....Dec. 31   |

Returning will leave Hilo at 8 o'clock A. M., touching at Laupahoehoe, Mahukona and Kawaihau same day; Makena, Maui, Bay of Makena the following day; arriving at Honolulu the afternoon of Tuesdays and Fridays.

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## SENATOR MORGAN ON ANNEXATION.

Senator Morgan has written an article on the annexation of the Hawaiian Islands in the tone which naturally would be expected from one of the most fanatic jingoes in the United States.

The Senator makes several statements which are as bold as they are incorrect. He describes the irritation of Japan from not being allowed to annex these islands and says: "The loss of this opportunity, which Japan expected to secure through the process of emigration, by smothering out the native population of Hawaii has caused her an irritation that is surprising to us only we have not readily perceived, as she has done, the vast benefits to her commerce of this acquisition of territory on the highway of the North Pacific."

Judging from that language the Senator must be laboring under the erroneous impression that the presence in Hawaii of the large number of Japanese laborers is due to the Japanese Government and not to the Hawaiian people. The fact is that it was from this end that all the overtures were made to secure Japanese emigration. The benefit to be obtained by the emigration of Japanese falls on these islands, not on Japan. It is true that the Japanese Government made no obstacles to the emigration of plantation laborers. Owing to her very large population and comparatively small area, it is natural that Japan looks favorable on emigration to any country where there is a guarantee that the emigrants will be treated decently and enjoy the same rights as other foreigners. But there is no truth that the emigration to Hawaii took place at the instigation of Japan for some wicked object. It was simply the result of the selfish policy of the Hawaiian sugar barons, who all want cheap labor.

Where Senator Morgan gets especially interesting is, when he must have Hawaii as a strategic point to protect the Pacific Coast about 2250 miles away from us. He says: "Honolulu is the central point, and is, therefore, the strategic point from which our coast can be better defended by sea than it could be from a fortress at every seaport we have on the Pacific. It requires no scientific knowledge to understand this any more than it requires such learning to understand that a man cannot so well defend his gold when he is shut up with it in a barrel as he can from the outside." We cannot follow Mr. Morgan in his reasoning.

The Pacific Coast from Alaska to San Diego is 3200 miles, which Senator Morgan evidently expects to defend from the big fortresses he desires to erect at Pearl Harbor, 2000 miles distant. Pearl Harbor may be very good for a navy—to be

blockaded in, but why it should be supposed that any sea power should be anxious to put a navy into the Hawaiian "barrel" and then feel comforted by being outside their own barrel with the gold is beyond comprehension. "If we will draw our outer circle from Altu through Hawaii to the Mexican border, our frontier will be stronger and safer than it can be as it is now established. Hawaii is our true Pacific frontier to the Southwest as Altu is to the Northwest." The Senator's geographical ideas are somewhat original.

We are, however, to be annexed not only on account of the Japanese bugaboo, or to secure a safer frontier line. No! We are to be annexed in the name of Christianity. "Those islands," says the virtuous Senator, "are dedicated to Christianity and constitutional liberty under our guardianship upon the invitation of the people and we have no option to renounce the trust." If the stealing of a country is Christianity, then we have indeed been dedicated to it, and if constitutional liberty means depriving a people of self-government, a nation of its autonomy, then we have got all the "constitutional liberty" we desire.

Senator Morgan is expected to arrive here shortly. If he and his colleagues come here to learn the truth they can easily find it. If they only come on a senatorial junketing trip with their minds made up to see, and hear nothing except what Mr. Hatch and his crew will tell them, they might as well stay at home.

## TOPICS OF THE DAY.

Private information from Washington, D. C., has been received by THE INDEPENDENT that the Statesmen are concocting a plan whereby, after annexation, eighty percent of our Chinese residents are to be deported. The leverage to be used is the argument that as most of the Chinese arrived here on labor contracts, which stipulated that they should return to China on the expiration of those contracts, their deportation must be enforced under the terms of those contracts. What a joyful time there will be in tracing up the habits of ten or fifteen thousand ex laborer-merchants and mechanics.

As the town is ringing with mirth at the inaccurate journal's "fake" about Claus Spreckels' intending to pay each inhabitant of the Hawaiian Islands, men, women and children, Asiatics included, \$10 a head to fight against annexation, we republish the article in order to give it the benefit of our superior circulation. It is too merry a quip to allow it to perish with the fading away of the evening star before the sunlight of truth.

Although the Hawaiians are said to be managing their projects for a mass-meeting against annexation entirely by themselves, it is understood that will hold one after the arrival of the United States Senators; and furthermore that in the event of the Oligarchical Government endeavoring illegally to repress them they will be joined in the constitutional exercise of the rights of free speech by the Portuguese colony almost en masse.

Of course the comment of Charles O'Connor, the great lawyer, that "the inherent vice of all governments is their tendency to devour the substance of the people," cannot apply to "the best government Hawaii ever had," and yet there are many "miscellaneous" expenditures in regard to which the method of disbursements is kept dark from the people even by the Dole oligarchy. Explanations will come, however, some day and so may personal responsibility for illegal actions committed under the garb of law.

Is it a coincidence merely that Mr. Hatch returned from Washington yesterday, and the Advertiser this morning pokes fun and insult

at the Japanese generally, and the Minister for Japan in particular? It goes without saying that the whole Japanese-Hawaiian question was worked up for the purpose of precipitating annexation. So far the scheme has failed of its purpose, and it is to be hoped that Japanese officials will bear the taunts and sneers of Mr. Dole's organs and maintain the dignified demeanor that has so far marked their intercourse with foreign nations.

The San Francisco Argonaut naively enquires "Can Christian Missionaries lie?" In answer to this question it says:

"A dispatch from Honolulu per steamer Miowera, says: 'The condition of affairs is very threatening, and a popular outbreak may occur at any time, when international interference from ships in the harbor would occasion a complication.'"

"Why should there be a 'popular outbreak' in Honolulu? Against what or whom? Not surely against the benevolent Christian and missionary gentlemen who have erected the so-called 'republic' there? But why should there be a popular outbreak against them? Are they not engaged in bringing about annexation to the United States—an end which is said to be dear to the Hawaiian heart? Is so, why should there be a popular outbreak? Can it be possible that the Hawaiians do not desire annexation? And can it also be possible that these benevolent Christian and missionary gentlemen were lying when they said so?"

We hope that the people here will not place faith in false reports and set out for the so-called gold mines in Alaska. The circumstances with which the adventurers who seek gold under the snow-clad mountains of the Klondyke, have to contend are such that can only be overcome by the bravest of braves, or the man with plenty of money in his pocket. It is undoubtedly true that there is plenty of gold in that desert of snow, but let it be well understood that it cannot be extracted from its virgin bed by the same methods as those used in California and Colorado

Any warning however will be disregarded by the gold seeking hordes. If Hawaii-nei has to add a contingent to the skeletons which eventually will fertilize Alaska's soil, do, please, take Ministers Cooper and Owen-Smith along. They are getting used to the frosty stare and the marble heart.

Queen Victoria, while at Balmoral recently, visited an aged cottager living near. On leaving Her Majesty said to the old lady who had been entertaining her, "Well, Mrs., you will now no longer be afraid of me, and I shall expect you to pay me a visit." "Ah, ma'am," replied the old dame, "it's them grand servants."

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The government received the Admirals with customary honors yesterday.

L. B. Kerr commences his annual clearance sale on Monday, read his advertisement.

Cricket match between Little England and Great Britain this afternoon. Both teams are strong ones.

The Philadelphia and Marion men have been given permission to use the targets at the military butts, Kakaako.

Mrs. Mary Carter has obtained judgment in her favour for \$5,525.90 against the Manhattan Life Insurance Company.

F. J. Crundell, formerly employed on the dredger, has taken charge of the Government wash house at Iwilei, vice George Otterson, resigned.

W. W. Dimond has something very interesting to say to-day about pressed glass as a substitute for cut glass. It will pay you to read his article.

Considerable overtime is being put on the work of discharging the Australia. The steamship Australia will leave on Tuesday next at 4 p. m. bar nothing.

A report goes forth from rather reliable sources that the battleship Oregon is coming to Honolulu this month, to be followed later by the Bennington and Baltimore.

Rev. A. J. Bell, evangelist, will preach in the M. E. Church to-morrow at 11 a. m. Subject: "Household of God." In the evening he will speak at the Christian Church.

The ever welcome Planter's monthly for August is distributed. It is one of the most valuable and useful publications emanating from the Hawaiian Islands, and is deservedly highly appreciated abroad.

The Philadelphia and Marion's Minstrel Entertainment to-night is all right. The Philadelphia Band will be there, and seats are almost at a premium. It is not wise to trust to the doors.

The first Regiment had an excellent drill last evening. Majors Jones and McCarthy had their respective commands well in hand and all the spectators were well pleased with the martial bearing and conduct of our gallant little peace army.

A heavy piece of machinery for the Oahu Sugar Co., was landed this morning from the Australia. Which weighed about 14 tons, officer Lawless and the dock hands in the management of the piece performed their duty well.

Twenty-six to thirteen was the base ball record in the game for sweet charity's sake and in this instance the Navy met with defeat. This making the games even, of course there must be a return match as everyone was delighted at the fun.

The Kilauea Hou slipped in from Hawaii this morning with 4,015 bags of sugar for T. H. Davies & Co., and H. H. Hackfeld & Co. The bark Martha Davis received part of the Kilauea's load this morning, the remainder remains on the wharf for shipment per schooner. Aloha now due from San Francisco.

The police have done excellent service in discovering a gang of about a dozen urchins who for some time past have been sneaking thieving from many houses. When they struck the premises of E. B. Thomas they were shipwrecked. They should have plenty of time for reformation.

One ounce of prevention is better than ten ounces of cure. The Empire boasts of infallible remedies against the varioloid. Wieland beer on draft beats vaccination, and Doctor Charlie Andrew presides over the finest stock of "remedies" that can be found in town. All for medicinal purposes—and cash.

George Osborne, the popular engineer of the Kukaiau Mill, Paauilo, Hawaii, gave a pleasant house warming on the 16th inst. at Kukaiau. By reports receive by the Kilauea Hou to-day a most enjoyable time was had by genial Georges' friends; and uppermost of all the Hilo whistling band was in attendance and rolled off the cake. Good luck to George is the wish of his many friends.

## The Child That Did Not Die.

The reporter of a local paper was lately deputed to interview a Mrs. Bonnick, 5, Courthurst-road, Charlton-road, Blackheath, London, S. E. Mrs. Bonnick showed him her baby, a stout, healthy little girl.

"Ah, but you should have seen her this time last year," said the mother, "you would not have thought she would have lived a day. Till last winter she was a bright, healthy child."

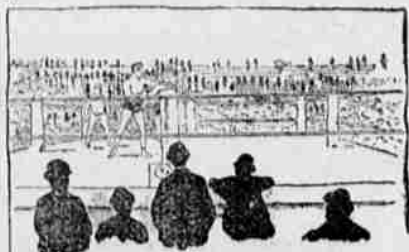
She was then taken ill with influenza, followed by pleurisy and pneumonia. She wasted to a shadow, and dropsy set in. The doctor gave up hope, and only called occasionally to see her. Last June I read a small book about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and how a child on the verge of death had been completely cured by the use of the Pills. As a last resource I determined to try them. I gave her the third part of a pill dissolved in water thrice a day, and the very first night she slept better than she had done for weeks. On the third day her appetite commenced to improve, and she asked for food. At the end of a fortnight she was able to sit up. She took two boxes altogether, and at the end was as well as ever. She has had no relapse or ailment since. The people of the neighborhood thought she could not last many days, and now they think she is a perfect wonder."

Mrs. Bonnick added, "I can never be too grateful. We all thought she was dying, but she is quite cured now." Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a strengthening tonic medicine for men, women, or children. They are not like other medicine; take care that the package bears the full name Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. They have cured numerous cases of anaemia, palpitations, and disorders arising from impoverished blood, such as weakness, loss of appetite, shortness of breath, pains in the back; also nervous headache, early decay, all forms of female weakness, hysteria, paralysis, locomotor ataxy, rheumatism, and sciatica.

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### The Veriscope on Monday.

The success Trilby made here last season prompted Mr. Wm. A. Brady to have the Veriscope pictures of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons contest shown here. Mr. Brady is sending them around the World and the pictures which will be shown here



FITZ DELIVERS THE "KNOCK-OUT BLOW" on Monday evening at the Opera House, will be taken on to Australia by the Alameda Thursday. It cost nearly fifty thousand dollars to originally secure these pictures, they last nearly an hour and a half. The great boxing contest is shown as life like as if one was at the ring side. All the seconds, timekeepers, principals and the audience being represented. One hundred and fifty odd thousand pictures were taken by E. J. Rector who will personally superintend the presentation here as he is making the trip to Australia to see they are properly presented.

### Medicinal food.

Raisins and apples are now considered two of the most valuable foods known; the former contain all the essential elements of a perfect food in convenient form. Apples are highly beneficial in liver and kidney diseases, and are much used in brain troubles. Physicians now recommend people to eat them freely just before going to bed, claiming that they induce sleep, work in a pleasant way on the digestive organs, promote the action of the liver and prevent stagnation of the kidneys.—S. F. Bulletin.

Big reductions in Childrens trimmed hats for one week only at N. S. Sach's.

## Baseball Game.

Stars and St. Louis this afternoon—Stars—P. Lishman, ss; L. Hart, p; H. Wilder, c; S. Mahuka, 2b; Rr. Pahau, 1b; T. Pryce, 3b; Wood, cf; S. D. Koki, lf; McNichol rf; Babbitt, sub; Ross, sub.

St. Louis—J. Thompson, 2b; C. Willis, 1b; C. Aiwohi, rf; P. Gleason, ss; Clark, 3b; B. Lemon, p; J. Hausman, cf; C. J. Holt, lf; D. Dayton, c; Kiwa, sub; D. N. Gay, sub.—Hart pitches and has bled in his eye and nerve in his arm.

### To the Public

It affords me much pleasure to state that we have had the Pipe Organ of the Roman Catholic Cathedral thoroughly overhauled and put in a far better condition than it has been in. The work has been done to my greatest satisfaction by Mr. G. R. Harrison whom I can recommend as a competent and best workman I ever employed in the Islands. F. H. VALENTIN.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned has this day been appointed Administratrix of the Estate of John Camacho, deceased, of Honolulu, Island of Oahu, Hawaiian Islands, and all creditors are hereby notified to present their claims duly authenticated, and with proper vouchers, if any exist, even if the claim is secured by mortgage, at the office of A. G. Correa, 208 Merchant Street, Honolulu, within six months from date or be forever barred. And all persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to make immediate payment of said indebtedness to A. G. Correa, at his office. EMBELINA CAMACHO, Administratrix Estate of John Camacho, deceased. July 20, 1897. 639-4 oaw

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HAVING BEEN THIS DAY APPOINTED by Her Majesty the Queen Dowager, Kapiolani, as Agent (Konohiki) of the Fisheries of Hanalei and Awaena, obtained by her under Lease from the Trustees of the B. P. Bishop Estate, extending from Makapuu Point to Koko Head, to the south of this Island, I hereby warn all persons from fishing in or trespassing upon the same without first obtaining permission. Anyone disregarding this notice will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law. WM. AULD. Honolulu, July 28, 1897. 647-1m

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Hawaiians to be Induced to Assem-  
ble in Honolulu to Protest—  
\$1,000,000 in the Sack.

The enemies of annexation are  
working. Money is put up to de-  
lude the Hawaiian, and a great anti-  
annexation scheme is afloat.

The Hawaiians from the Island of  
Hawaii to the Island of Kauai have  
been notified to center in Honolulu,  
about the middle of September,  
when the Australia is due to arrive  
from San Francisco, carrying on  
board at least two distinguished  
United States Senators.

The Hawaiians are to be persuad-  
ed to make a grand, open meeting  
demonstration against annexation.  
They are to be paid to convince the  
Senators that they do not want the  
country absorbed by the greater  
Republic.

The scheme is the latest move of  
Claus Spreckels, who is a bitter  
opponent of the present Republic,  
and is championing the opposition  
to annexation for spite.

The details of the deep laid plans  
of the sugar king arrived in private  
advice to a high Government official  
and private parties by the  
Australia. Spreckels has his agents  
in the islands whose chief duty will  
be to judiciously distribute an  
enormous sum of money to the  
natives. There will be no saving in  
funds, as it is understood that it is  
Spreckels' last and only fight in the  
hopes of blocking annexation.  
Spreckels' actions go to prove the  
truth of a statement recently ac-  
credited to him: "I don't mind if I  
do spend a million or two to defeat  
annexation."

Ex-Queen Liliuokalani and her  
court, including Captain Julius A.  
Palmer, will arrive in San Francisco  
from Washington within a week or  
ten days. She will confer with Mr.  
Spreckels in regard to the scheme.

The work of notifying the Hawai-  
ians has been going on for the past  
three weeks. The Islands of Ha-  
waii and Maui have already been  
canvassed. Oahu, Kauai and smaller  
islands will be worked systematical-  
ly within the next few days.

Senator John Morgan of Alabama  
and Senator Matthew Quay of Penn-  
sylvania are the gentlemen who will  
arrive on the Australia. Both are  
members of the Foreign Relations  
Committee, in whose hands the an-  
nexation treaty is now entrusted.  
It is to influence the opinions of  
these gentlemen that the scheme  
has been started. Good as the  
scheme is, the money portion will  
kill it dead.—Hawaiian Star.

### At the Turks' Mercy.

LONDON, August 7.—The Athens  
correspondent of the "Daily Tele-  
graph" asserts that the frontier line  
upon which the powers have agreed  
gives the Turks possession of the  
height situated on the right bank of  
the river Salambria, west of Gunitza,  
and also of the defiles of Kalamakas  
and Xeria, thus rendering the de-  
fense of Larissa and the Salambria  
valley impossible to the Greeks.  
The correspondent says that this  
line places Greece completely at  
the mercy of Turkey.

The Paris correspondent of the  
"Daily Telegraph" says the French  
cruiser Linera has been ordered to  
Crete from Toulon and will start at  
once. The cruiser Forbin is prepar-  
ing to follow.

A dispatch to the "Daily News"  
from Tabriz, North Persia, capital  
of the province of Azerbaijan, says  
that serious trouble has broken out  
on the Turko-Persian frontier and  
that both Governments have dis-  
patched troops and guns to the scene  
of the difficulty.

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