

Again, I will add, it is not so certain that innoc-

Minister Harris said that he would move to insert, under the annuity for John I., for salaries due and unpaid, \$1,189 35.

Minister Harris asked the House to pass by the Item, and that he would consider it at some future time.

Secretary Privy Council, \$290—passed.

Hon. Mr. Nabaku was in favor of tabling the resolution.


And whereas, His late Majesty King Kamehameha IV, of gracious memory, has been used to liquidate the debts with which the estate had been burdened, during his late Majesty's life time, so that His Majesty our most gracious Sovereign, to this time of his reign has derived but small advantage therefrom. And whereas, this Assembly has likewise been apprised that the amount of indebtedness upon the said estate at the time of His late Majesty's decease, was very large, and greatly exceeded the amount

thousands of miles away. I thought the petitioners were persons of great weight, and had no doubt that they were competent judges, as they have studied the matter well. These men have not heard both sides of the argument, but just signed the petition because it was carried round to them. He hoped the Assembly would consider

That is the use of passing a law that is going to be a dead letter? It has been said that a great deal of business is done here by paper through different parties. This is a very different thing. If I give anybody my note at thirty days, it is an agreement between him and myself, and not with the bank. If I give him a dollar to carry, he takes the bank and can pass it anywhere, but not so with my note. It has been said that laws will affect produce the same as it will money. For instance, a man

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THE PACIFIC
Commercial Advertiser.
SATURDAY, JUNE 16.
Punahou College.
The annual examination of this, the leading
literary institution of this kingdom, took place
on Tuesday and Wednesday. On Thursday evening
there was a public exhibition, and on Friday
evening the annual social gathering of the
Alumni of the Institution, which now embrace
several hundred. There were present last evening
between one and two hundred. The follow-
ing report of the Examining Committee
gives a satisfactory exhibit of the proceedings at the
examination and exhibition:
Report of the Committee
Appointed to attend the Examination of the Oahu
College on the 12th and 13th of June, 1866.
The annual examination of Oahu College never
fails to call together a large assembly of its patrons,
and of the friends of education; and the interest
which they manifest in the various exercises of the
examination indicates the high which the institution
has taken on their affections.
The catalogue informs us that fifty pupils have
been in attendance the past year, though the number
present at the examination must have been
considerably less. The majority of those were
younger than those we were accustomed to meet
on such occasions a few years ago, and consequently
they were not so far advanced in their studies; yet
among them are materials for excellent scholars.
In some there is evidently a latent power, which,
if ever fully developed, will both surprise and de-
light themselves and their friends.
We could not help noticing among them quite a
variety of character and scholarship. The answers
of some were prompt and accurate, and their prob-
lems and demonstrations on the blackboard were
characterized by neatness and dispatch. The manner
of some was hesitating and confused, and a few
failed altogether in one or two studies.
We noticed that in repeated instances the teach-
ers were obliged to assist for missing scholars;
hence the inference to our minds perfectly logical,
that these were those who had been in the habit of
neglecting their studies, for those who thoroughly
prepare themselves for the daily recitations will
appear well at examination—and such are the
pride and joy of teachers and relatives.
Among the audience there was complaint that
they could not hear the pupils. With some excep-
tions the pupils did not speak loud enough either
in recitation or in reading their compositions. This
was doubtless owing in part to timidity and lack
of self possession; yet there was the feeling that
they might have spoken louder and more distinctly.
We noticed that some of the pupils pretended
almost every answer with "why." This may seem
a very small matter; yet the frequent repetition of
the word in conversation or recitation is not pleas-
ing to listeners.
As far as the teachers are concerned we have
nothing to say, except in praise. It is evidently
their aim to make their pupils exact and thorough,
and to train them to the habit of knowing the na-
ture of things by patient study and investigation.
We noticed that some of the pupils pretended
almost every answer with "why." This may seem
a very small matter; yet the frequent repetition of
the word in conversation or recitation is not pleas-
ing to listeners.
The exercises of Thursday evening passed off
well. Taking in account the age of the performers,
we must pronounce the singing excellent, and the
speaking above mediocrity. That the young men
who appeared on the stage will be no orators by
persuading their friends, we have no doubt. We were
struck especially with the manner of Poli. The
gracefulness and appropriateness of his gestures,
and the naturalness of the tones of his voice, pro-
claim him to have a high order of talent. He had
selected Fox's Hesperus for his oration, and if he
had been able to pronounce distinctly, he would
have made that wonderful production of genius ap-
pear in a new light.
D. DOLE,
L. McCLELLAN,
E. BOND,
A. O. FORBES,
Committee.
NOTES OF THE WEEK.
The exhibition at Punahou on Thursday
evening drew out a large assembly, mostly from
Honolulu, and the spacious hall was filled to its
best capacity. The walls were tastefully decorated
with mottoes, evergreens, and pictures.—drawings
or paintings executed by the scholars. Among the
ornaments we observed the life-like portraits of the
three former presidents of the institution—Messrs.
Dole, Beckwith and Mills, each encircled with a
mistle wreath. The performances were excellent,
considering the ages of the pupils, and everything
passed off creditably to all concerned. Several of
the young ladies possess voices which, with proper
culture, will make them superior singers. The
original song of Master Jacob Brown was most
admirably executed, and he has an excellent voice.
The exercises of Thursday evening, "Topsy"
did well. They have the gift of oratory, to a remark-
able degree. David Malo's closing address was
one of the best, and was well delivered. We must
not omit to refer to the debating society, which be-
sides the students, comprises a number of the gradu-
ates living in town. Last week, Friday evening,
a very spirited debate took place on the subject of
slavery and equality of races.—which was won
by a negro, if he only behaved himself.
PERSONAL.—Among the passengers by the *Comet*
is J. J. Ayers, late of the San Francisco *Morning*
Call, who brings his family, purposing to remain
here. We see it stated in the San Francisco pa-
pers that he designs establishing a newspaper
and printing office, and for that purpose he has
brought a cylinder printing press with a stock of
types, &c. Now, if the Government Printing
Monopoly were sold out or closed, it would be an
admirable opportunity for a second printing office
and paper, and we would not be surprised to see
a step forward. But until the Ministers cease to
single out printers only of all tradesmen, to hold
their noses at a public grindstone, and curse the
country with a pampered press, there is little hope
of progress in the debating society. Mr. Ayers,
we understand, is a good printer as well as editor,
and if Government wishes to get rid of its costly job,
it can probably do so.
Captain Reynolds, to whom we referred a
couple of weeks since as having been appointed to
command in the North Pacific, will leave Hampton
Roads in June, for Honolulu, in the United States
steamer *Lakeview*, 7 guns, and 1,533 tons bur-
then. The ship will touch at Valparaiso to coal,
and arrive here about November. We believe this
ship is not connected with the Pacific Squadron,
but has a separate and independent sphere, with
this port as headquarters.
A new bell has recently been received for
the Catholic Church in this city, which is said to
be the heaviest bell on the islands. The steple of
the church has been taken down the past week
preparatory to the erection of a new spire, which
is to be half the height of the old one. It will be
several weeks before it can be completed.
The American bark *Sealion* was to leave
San Francisco about June 5 to 9, with the Ameri-
can Ministers for China and Japan, and Hon. Chas.
R. Bishop and wife. The bark will remain here
some ten days, or till after the 4th of July. She
will probably have to bring out the Eastern mail, that of
January 11, and will be due in all next week.
Rev. S. C. Damon will preach a sermon on
Foreign Missions before the Hawaiian Evangelical
Association, on Sabbath evening, at the Fort Street
Church.
The British steamer *Thames* was offered at
auction on Monday, as advertised, at the upset
price of \$18,000, but not a bid could be obtained
on her.

Hawaiian Evangelical Association.
This body, which has been holding its Annual
Meeting in this city for two weeks, closed its ses-
sion today. It comprises a large number of
American and Hawaiian clergymen and laymen,
of whom about sixty were present, as per list be-
low. It is probably the most intelligent and influ-
ential society on the group, and is exerting a
greater influence on the social and moral condition
of the Hawaiian than any other organization—we
may say than all other organizations put together
—and yet the Hawaiian Government, through its
miserably constituted Board of Educational and
educational officers is doing all it can to thwart
the good these men can do, and to deprive them.
If possible, of all influence in educational matters,
and even to wrest from them the school-houses and
churches which they have erected.
Members Present from Hawaii.—Rev. T. Coan, D. B.
Lyon, T. Pohane, J. Kaulana, J. P. Pagan, S. W. Papahua,
A. Pali, S. C. Lahiua, E. Bond, S. Kakaheke. Delegates
from the Churches—B. Barenba, Pakaia, Kakaia.
From Maui and Molokai.—Rev. S. Kamaheke, W. P.
Alexander, D. Baldwin, S. E. Bishop, C. B. Andrews, J. H.
Moku, N. Pali, A. O. Forbes. Delegates—A. Kakaia.
From Oahu.—Rev. B. W. Parker, M. Kamae, J. S. Emerson,
A. Kakaia, J. Kakaia, H. H. Parker, L. Andrews, S. C. Da-
mon, E. Coan, O. H. Gulek, L. H. Gulek, P. J. Gulek, A.
Bishop, Z. P. Kakaia, S. E. Bishop, S. E. O. Hall,
Eug. H. S. N. Castle. Delegates—F. Naame, P. Kapaeha,
N. Pakaia, Nantahia.
From Kauai.—Rev. E. Johnson, D. Dole—Mr. A. Wilcox.
Delegates—W. Kakaia, S. D. Kapaeha, S. V. Naumu.
Corresponding Members.—Hon. John H. Major, W. L. Mo-
houn, S. Kamaheke, P. Kakaia, W. Kakaia, P. W.
Kakaia.
The Comet beat the *Supriole* over on the
last passage to San Francisco, by about a week.
The *S* sailed from this port on the 22d of April,
and arrived the 17th of May—25 days passage. The
C sailed on the 25th, and arrived on the 14th, 3 P.
M.—19 days passage. The *S* made a cruise up to-
wards the Kodiak, but Captain Lovett, thinking
he was rather early in the season, and might not
find whales, plenty, put back for San Francisco.
Without any late reports from the Arctic bowheads.
The *Comet* was very deeply laden on her passage
to San Francisco, and when a week out began to
leak. She was put about for Honolulu, after
running back some distance, fell into a calm-struck.
While lying there, the leak was discovered near
the main chub, above water, and stopped, when a
fair south wind sprang up and she ran over in 14
teen days passage.
Rev. E. BOND'S SERMON ON HOME MISSIONS.—Last
Sabbath evening the Rev. E. Bond, Missionary
from Koloa, Hawaii, preached the Annual Ser-
mon on Home Missions, at the Fort Street Church.
It was a good discourse occupying nearly one hour
in its delivery. The reverend preacher discussed
fully the moral and religious condition of Hawai-
ians, and then indicated in plain English—just as a
preacher should, and a Puritan may be expected to
do—what is required in order to improve the
moral state of this people. Sugar planters were
plainly told that they had a part to act in this un-
derstanding, and private Christians, as well as Mis-
sionaries, were given to understand that they had
a duty to perform. We hope the sermon will be
published and circulated among foreigners upon
the islands.
CASUALTY.—We have received a letter
from a gentleman in New York State, engaged in
raising cashmere goats, who says he can deliver
these animals at Boston—females at \$300 each and
bucks at \$250. His animals are nearly pure blood,
being 15-16ths pure. Pure breeds are worth \$500
each, while the 3-4ths breeds are much cheaper.
He sends a sample of the unwashed wool of these
goats, measuring about twelve inches in length—a
most elegant staple. Any parties wishing to ob-
tain cashmere goats, will be furnished by us with
the full particulars gratis. We hope to see them
introduced ere long, as they will thrive well on
Hawaii.
SHARP WIT.—Yesterday, when the bank note bill
was under discussion, Mr. Ukeke proposed that the
Sergeant-at-Arms be instructed to get a coffin made
instantly of white pine, have it brought before the
Assembly, the bank note bill deposited therein, and
a formal funeral held at 4 P. M. After several long
speeches from various members, Mr. Hulekuk, who
to speak, and was interrupted by the same rep-
resentative, and reminded that 4 o'clock was set for
the funeral services of this bill. The House, how-
ever, did not kill it, but it will be called up again
on Monday next, and we suggest that the speaker
in making it, if he large enough to take the bill and all
its advocates.
"THEM SARPENTS."—A correspondent from the
"Green Emerald Isle," favors us with a protest
against Dr. Hillebrand's "rat-catchers." It will
be found on our first page, is decidedly rich, and
considering its source, will command general at-
tention. Our correspondent does not state what is
popularly understood, and we do not think the snake
charmers of India always pull the fangs of their
pets. If Dr. Hillebrand has obtained some of these
extracted-tooth snakes, supposing them to be
born toothless, he has been as badly sold as in the
coolies he sent here. Just think of importing
snakes here, from four to six feet in length!
A GUN-BOT AT LAST.—The Hawaiian Govern-
ment has made a step towards providing itself with
a gun-bot.—a thing much needed, and which will
no doubt do good service. It is the tug *Pele*, fitted
out with masts, schooner rig, with sails and equip-
ments, and made a very neat little craft, and in
her new dress and outfit, only a small riddled gun
of suitable caliber, to make her a complete gun-
bot. Then her commander, Captain Brown, can
bid defiance to Captain Hanham, "or any other
man."
CHANGE OF FRENCH CONSUL.—His Ex. M. Desnoy-
ers, who for the past two years has represented the
French Government at the Hawaiian Court, with
much credit to himself and his government, has
been appointed to reside as Consul at Newcastle,
England. His successor will be a gentleman now
living in New York.
BURNED TO DEATH.—A native woman living on
Alakoa street, in Honolulu, was burnt very badly
last Saturday night, from the accidental spilling of
a tin of kerosene oil on her clothes, which at once
caught fire. On the day following she died from
the wounds, after great suffering.
The remains of the late Samuel H. Dowsett
were received from San Francisco by the *Comet*.
The funeral was held at the residence of the fam-
ily, and a large concourse escorted the corpse to
its last resting place in Nuuanu Valley Cemetery.
FOR SALE.
BUTCHER KNIVES, JACK KNIVES,
Table Knives and Forks, Pocket Knives,
Scissors, Saw Files, Percussion Caps,
Bone Barrel Knives, Bone Chains,
Shot, French Nails, Lead Pipe, Peweeing Wire, etc.
519 2m
AT MELCHERS & Co's.
For Sale.
BEST COOLING TEA.
Preserved Ginger in jars, Currants in glass jars,
Raisins in glass jars, Salad Oil,
Triple Vinegar in demijohns,
White Vinegar in cases, Stearin Candles,
Ultramarine, German Candles, &c., &c.
518 2m
AT MELCHERS & Co's.
For Sale.
FRENCH CLARET IN CASES.
French Burgundy Wine in cases, Rock Wine,
Pale Sherry in wood and bottled,
Cherry Cordial,
Genuine Heidsieck Champagne, in quarts and pints.
519 2m
AT MELCHERS & Co's.
FOR SALE!
BLACK AND BLUE BROADCLOTH,
Hickory Stripes, Berlin Wool,
Checked Cotton, Canton Flannel,
Turkey Red and Yellow Prints,
Silk Hosiery, Black Silk Velvets,
Black Silk Hat Ribbons,
Buffed Linen, Bunting,
Cotton Under-shirts, Denim Frock and Trowsers,
Cotton Thread in balls, Worsted Lastings,
Silk Under-shirts, Woolen Blankets, Woolen Comforters,
Gent's Brown Cotton Socks, Dundee Hemp Canvas,
Barfaps, etc., etc.
519 2m
AT MELCHERS & Co's.
HONOLULU, May 20, 1866.
Fully inform the Planters and public generally that they
have purchased C. H. LEWIS' interest in the Sugar Factory,
heretofore to be known as the Hawaiian Barrel Factory.
J. A. BOYER,
ROBT. LEWIS.
ARMSTRONG, SHELTON & CO.
(SUCCESSORS TO NATHANIEL PAGE.)
Pioneer Lumber Dealer!
UNION LUMBER YARD.
Corner California and Davis Streets, and No. 121 Market Street
SAN FRANCISCO.
SUGAR PINE, EASTERN PINE, WHITE
CEDAR,
AND ALL KINDS OF BUILDING MATERIALS CONSTANT
LY ON HAND.
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European Intelligence.
Dates to May 13th.
HALIFAX, May 21.—The steamship *Cuba*, with
dates to May 15th, has arrived.
Consols closed on Friday, the 11th, at 86 1/2 for
money. The bullion in the Bank of England had
decreased £253,000. The rate of discount was ad-
vanced to 9 per cent. Nothing definite as to Ameri-
can securities, owing to the prevailing panic. Con-
sols closed on Saturday at 86 1/2. Five-twentieths
64 1/2. The Bank raised its rate of interest to 10
per cent. The financial panic culminated last
Thursday, the 10th, in the suspension of Overend,
Gurney & Co., with liabilities of from ten to twelve
millions sterling. Assistance was asked from the
Bank of England, but they decline to grant any
on the ground that it would be ruin in a crisis like
this to assist one establishment and not be prepared
to help other applications as well.
The following morning (Friday) intense excite-
ment prevailed in the financial circles of London,
Liverpool, and other centres, and business was
almost suspended. Meanwhile, additional and most
serious disasters were hourly announced. The first
was on a comparatively small bank, which Eng-
lish houses compute for £800,000. (Governor came that
Peto & Betts for £4,000,000; then W. Shrimpton,
railway contractor, for £200,000; and, finally, it was
understood that the Imperial Mercantile Credit
Association, with a paid-up capital of £500,000, and
the Consolidated Dispatch Company, with a paid-up
capital of £250,000, must, with extremely heavy
commitments, pass into liquidation. During the
day, the most intense anxiety prevailed to ascertain
if any steps had been taken by the leading merchants
and bankers to represent to the Government the
extent of crisis; and the false notice in the Stock
Exchange of an extra issue of Bank notes, to the
extent of £10,000,000, had been ordered, caused, at
one time, a general rebound in prices. Later in
the evening, it transpired that the Government had
resolved to suspend the Bank Charter Act.
In the Liverpool cotton market there was an in-
creased panic at the commencement of Friday, but
less unsteadiness at its close. At Manchester there
was a complete panic. At Glasgow the iron brokers
resolved to suspend business on Friday. In the
produce market of London, prices were almost wholly
nominal. Taking into account the depreciation that
has simultaneously occurred in English funds,
railroad, and foreign securities, etc., the diagram
in the market value of this property since the begin-
ning of the year, may be considered to reach £130,-
000,000 sterling, to say nothing of losses in cotton
goods, iron, and other articles.
The *Times'* editorial says, "If anything can jus-
tify the suspension of the Bank Charter Act, it is the
panic which awakens the city to and on Friday
night excuses the step, although we believe the reign
of terror was approaching its end, and would have
speedily ceased, had no infraction of the Bank law
been permitted. Even now it is probable that the
license allowed to the Bank will not be used. It can-
not, however, be denied that about midday yesterday
the tumult became a rout. Such excitement on all
sides has not been witnessed since the great crisis of
1825."
The *Daily News* applauds the wise and prompt
action of the Government, and says, "during Friday
the Bank had extended its discounts until the
amount had exceeded four millions sterling. The
effect was to reduce the bank reserve nearly £3,000,-
000. This diminution, and the prevailing distrust,
justified Government intervention."
The action of Government was announced in the
House of Commons on Friday midnight, by Mr.
Gladstone, who had been engaged all the evening in
consultation with bankers and other persons, who
estimated that the panic was without parallel in the
financial history of the country. Mr. Gladstone
said he had addressed a letter to the Bank of Eng-
land, that if they should find occasion to apply
for such advances as would require the issue of notes
beyond the amount allowed by Government, he
recommended them not to hesitate in doing so, and
undertook, in the event of that contingency, to make
immediate application to Parliament for an act of
indemnity.
The Bank of France, on the 13th, advanced the
rate of discount from 3 1/2 to 4 per cent.
Napoleon made a significant speech at Auxerre,
in which he said he detested the treaty of 1815.
The Paris Bourse had accepted it as a signal for war.
A severe panic had set in.
The *Military Review* of the 11th says the whole
Prussian army is massed along the frontier, and
Austria is bringing into the field every man she can
raise. It is enough to say that the whole nation is
panicking for war.
An attempt was made to assassinate Count Bismark,
as he was walking in Berlin. The assassin fired
several shots from a revolver, but Bismark re-
ceived only a slight contusion. The assassin was
arrested, but committed suicide in prison.
The Vienna correspondence of the *London Times*
says Mr. Motley had announced he would visit
Mexico. A detachment of 1,000 men was to have
embarked at Trieste, May 1st, but there is no an-
nouncement of their doing so. A dispatch of the
11th says: In consequence of the protest of the
American Minister, the late late volunteers who
joined the corps destined for Mexico, have been sent
home on unlimited furlough.
New York, May 17.—In the House of Commons,
May 31, Mr. Gladstone read the annual financial
statement for the ensuing year, estimating ex-
penses at £26,225,000 and the revenue at £27,575,-
000, leaving a surplus of £1,350,000. Mr. Glad-
stone, in referring to the American debt, said: "I
must confess, I think the future of America, as far as
finance is concerned, will not be attended with any
embarrassment. I do not believe the debt will con-
stitute a difficulty for the American people. In a
moderate time it would be brought within very small
limits, and this may, even within the time of persons
now living, be effected, although at this moment
America is embarrassed with the enormous debt
to amount to the Revenue of the United States is
not less, I apprehend, than about eighty millions of
British money, the largest sum ever raised in any
country for the purposes of a Central Government."
The Venice correspondent of the *London Times*
says: "Austria is placing herself in a state of com-
plete defence. Troops are arriving from all points,
and without neglecting Prussia and Leg-
nana, [?] the military authorities are striving to
make a display, more especially in the artillery of
Verona and Mantua. The artillery of Verona con-
sists of more than five hundred cannon in battery,
besides the spare guns at all the main points between
Verona and Mantua, where the Austrians have erect-
ed redoubts and entrenchments which will be strong-
ly relied on. The Quadrilatero, it is therefore, an im-
mense entrenched camp, where all the advantages
will be on the side of the defenders."
Napoleon has made an exposition of the position of
France towards Italy and the contending German
Powers to the French Legislature, through M. Rou-
her, Minister of State. It is terse and decisive, de-
claring a pacific policy, an honest neutrality, and
entire freedom of action for the empire. "Italy,"
the Emperor says, "is free to choose her own course,
but, like Austria, must take on herself alone all the
risks and perils of war."
The *Tribune's* Florence correspondent, writing
April 30th, heads his letter thus: "Within a fort-
night we shall be involved in war. The abandoned
armies of Cron

