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BOOK AND JOB PRINTING.
☞ BILL-HEADS, VISITING, BUSINESS AND ADDRESS CARDS printed in the highest style of the art.

Feet of Size.

Take them up tenderly,
Lift them with care—
Fashioned so slenderly
A beautiful pair.

Look at those number "twelves,"
A sight of themselves!
Made from two ox hides,
The truth shall I tell?
Made for a young bride,
A Terre Haute belle.

Touch them not scornfully,
Think of her mournfully,
Who has to wear them;
To vaught on land or sea,
Under the canopy,
Can we compare them!

How were her father's feet,
How were her mother's?
How were her sister's feet?
How were her brother's?
What had the maiden done,
That she should merit it;
Was it a judgment,
Or did she inherit it?

Alas! for the rarity
Of Christian charity—
Scarcer than pearls;
Oh; it was pitiful!
To see a whole city full
Of big footed girls.

Ah! those huge bridal shoes,
Look at their soles!
Laces like clothes lines
Pass through the holes.
Take them up tenderly,
Lift them with care—
Fashioned so slenderly,
A beautiful pair!

If such her slippers,
What were her stogas!
Fabrics of leather, like
Two "Saratogas,"
Droves of horned cattle,
While passing around,
Look at her brogans,
Then paw up the ground;
Bellowing all the while,
Knowing full well,
The leather required
For a Terre Haute belle!

She has good understanding,
That's morally certain;
Her footing is proper—
So let's drop the curtain,
And pledge in a bumper,
With proper solemnity,
A health to the fair bride's
Pedal extremity.

VARIETY.

The hard times also affect the Indians. One horse will now purchase two Apache women, and the owner of the women will throw in a dog or two rather than spoil a trade.

Lucy Randall, of Lynn, Mass., was jilted by her lover and her hair turned gray in one hour. It is an awful thing to disappoint a woman when she has set her heart on marrying a man.

Two little girls were comparing progress in catechism studies. "I have got to original sin" said one. "How far have you got?" "Me? Oh, I'm beyond redemption," said the other.

A southern editor announces his intention of securing a hall, if one of sufficient dimensions can be found, for the purpose of holding a convention of the authors of "Beautiful Snow."

A learned doctor in Iowa has given his opinion that tight lacing is a public benefit, inasmuch as its tendency is to kill off all the foolish girls and leave the wise ones to grow into women.

An Italian girl of twenty has been sentenced at San Francisco to thirty years' imprisonment for highway robbery, and one of her victims offers to marry her if the judge will suspend the sentence.

An unstamped letter was deposited in an Indiana post-office last week, and underneath the address was the indorsement: "Let her slide, P. M., she's all hunk; inside air one of them post hole keerds."

Mrs. Julia Ward Howe recently remarked that "there were strikes and revolutions for men, but only dumb submission for women." We admit the submission; but the "dumb" is too untrue to be thought of for a moment.

A dry-witted soldier of the Tenth Vermont regiment, during the war, was heard to pray when the bullets were falling in showers about him, as follows: "Oh, Lord, make me as thin as a knife!"

An intelligent resident of Maine lately sued a neighbor for slander in having called him "an indefatigable genius," and an equally intelligent judge and jury awarded $212 damages for the undeserved epithet.

Twenty-three years ago John McDonough left three million dollars for the maintenance of free schools in Baltimore and New Orleans, all but $20,000 of which has been used up in litigation about his will.

A Nebraska man willed $5,000 to a widow and $1,000 to his own wife, and the way that widow's hair came out was a caution, while the dead man in his tomb hadn't a softer word than "old fool" applied to his remains.

An Indiana man stole a lawyer's tombstone and had a beer counter made of it, and the justice refused to try him for larceny, holding that the lawyer could be found at the last day, even if his grave was hidden under a six-story building.

Several Irishmen were disputing one day upon their own best points, when one said in an aggressive manner, "Faith, and I'm a brick." "And, indade," said another, "I'm a bricklayer," and felled the first speaker to the ground.

The late Rev. Baron Stow of Boston said: "Sermons are like guns, long or short, new or old, bright or rusty, loaded or empty. Some shoot too high, some too low. They teach, amuse, or exasperate, according as they are managed."

A genius was expatiating upon the utility of an India-rubber ship which he was inventing, when an old sailor exclaimed: "No, no! It will never do; an India-rubber ship would rub out all the lines of latitude and longitude, to say nothing of the equator!"

"Your future husband seems very exacting; he has been stipulating for all sorts of things," said a mother to her daughter, who was on the point of being married. "Never mind, mamma," said the affectionate girl, who was already dressed for the wedding, "these are his last wishes."

A LEGAL JOKE.—The death of Baron Channell, of the English Court of Exechequer, has revived an anecdote of his practice at the bar. His lordship was always regarded as a man of sound legal learning, and very considerable general erudition, but he was, at the same time, remarkable for his utter disregard of the unfortunate letter H. Being engaged in a commercial suit, in which the ship *Harrow* was the bone of contention, the judge expressed a wish to know what was really the name of the vessel. "Was she," he asked, "the *Harrow* or the *Arrow*?" "My lord," replied Mr. Channell's witty, but disrespectful junior "when the ship is at sea, she is known as the *Harrow*, but when she gets into the chops of the *Channell* she becomes the *Arrow*."

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Business Cards.

M. PHILLIPS & Co.,
IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS in Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Men's Furnishing and Fancy Goods. (o15 6m) No. 11 Kaahumanu St., Honolulu.

E. O. HALL & SON,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN HARDWARE, Dry Goods, Paints, Oils, and General Merchandise. Corner Fort and King Sts. n15 1y

JAS. W. GIRVIN,
COMMISSION MERCHANT AND DEALER in General Merchandise. LAHAINA.
Orders from the other Islands promptly attended to. n1 6m

A. S. CLEGHORN. JNO. S. SMITHIES.
A. S. CLEGHORN & Co.,
IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN
General Merchandise,
Corner Queen and Kaahumanu Sts., Nuuanu St., and Corner Fort and Hotel Sts. oc4 1y

BROWN & CO.,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN ALES, WINES AND SPIRITS, AT WHOLESALE.
9 Merchant Street, [o25 1y] Honolulu, H. I.

THOS. G. THRUM,
STATIONER, NEWS DEALER AND BOOK BINDER, Merchant Street, Honolulu, H. I. oc4 1y

W. L. GREEN,
COMMISSION MERCHANT. FIRE-PROOF Building, Queen Street, oc4 1y Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands.

H. E. McINTYRE & BROTHER,
GROCERY, FEED STORE AND BAKERY. Corner of King and Fort Streets, oc4 1y Honolulu, H. I.

H. HACKFELD & Co.
GENERAL COMMISSION AGENTS, oc4 1y HONOLULU.

T. J. HAYSELDEN. F. H. HAYSELDEN
HAYSELDEN BROS.
DEALERS IN DRY GOODS, FANCY GOODS AND CLOTHING.
Criterion Building, Fort St. (s21 1y) Honolulu, H. I.

D. N. FLITNER,
CONTINUES HIS OLD BUSINESS IN THE Fire-proof building, Kaahumanu Street, Chronometers rated by observations of the sun and stars with a transit instrument accurately adjusted to the meridian of Honolulu. Particular attention given to fine watch repairing. Sextant and quadrant glasses silvered and adjusted. Charts and nautical instruments constantly on hand and for sale. 1y
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THOS. G. THRUM,
ENGRAVER ON GOLD, SILVER, BRASS, IVORY, &c., &c.
STENCIL CUTTER IN PLANTATION, Business and Name Plates. my17 1y

DR. O. S. CUMMINGS,
HOMŒOPATHIST. 63 FORT STREET, Honolulu, H. I. mh22

THEO. H. DAVIES,
(Late Janion, Green & Co.)
IMPORTER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT. AGENT FOR
Lloyds' and the Liverpool Underwriters, Northern Assurance Company, and British and Foreign Marine Insurance Company.
mh23 Fire Proof Buildings, Kaahumanu and Queen Sts. 1y

S. B. DOLE,
ATTORNEY AT LAW. OFFICE OVER Richardson's Store, corner of Fort and Merchant Streets mh23 Honolulu. 1y

ED. HOFFSCHLAEGER & CO.,
IMPORTERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, Corner of Fort and Merchant Streets. mh9 1y

CASTLE & COOKE,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN GENERAL MERCHANDISE,
SHIPPING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
f8 No. 80 King Street, Honolulu, H. I. 1y

LAWRENCE McCULLY,
ATTORNEY AT LAW. OFFICE IN THE Attorney General's rooms, Court House, Honolulu. fc1 6m

CHULAN & CO.,
IMPORTERS OF AND DEALERS IN CHINA GOODS
Of all descriptions, and in all kinds of Dry Goods. Also, constantly on hand, a superior quality of Hawaiian Rice.
s28 Nuuanu Street, Honolulu. 1y

W. C. JONES,
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND LAND AGENT. Will practice in all the Courts of the Kingdom. He will attend the Circuit Courts on Kauai, Maui and Hawaii, and visit either of those Islands on special business.
au23 Office on Fort Street. 1y

BOLLES & CO.,
SHIP CHANDLERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
Importers and Dealers in General Merchandise, Queen Street, Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands.
Agents for the Kaumakaki, Maunaloa and Kakaako Salt f8 Works. 1y

ALEX. J. CARTWRIGHT,
COMMISSION MERCHANT AND GENERAL SHIPPING AGENT,
Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands jy27 1y

PERKINS & HOUSE'S
PATENT
Metallic Kerosene or Coal Oil
SAFETY LAMPS
—AND—
FILLING CANS!
THIS IS THE ONLY ABSOLUTELY SAFE LAMP AND FILLING EVER MADE.
Thousands of families now using this Lamp testify to its Superiority over all other Lamps in use, because:
1. It is **perfectly safe from explosion,** owing to its scientific structure.
2. **It will not break,** being made of metal.
3. It is rendered **perfectly clean** by its patent drip cup.
4. It uses **one-third less oil** in proportion to the light given, **without odor.**
5. It gives a much **more brilliant light,** and more steady than gas, at one-fifth the expense.
ALSO, THE
BEST WINDOW SHADE IN THE WORLD!
THIS SHADE HAS TAKEN THE FIRST PRIZE at the last Fair of the Mechanics' Institute in San Francisco. Also, at the State Industrial Fair at Sacramento, for 1871.
Manufactured from all kinds of Wood suitable for the purpose.
Its fixtures work to perfection, and never get out of order. We paint in every color desired; it is also, a perfect imitation of inside Blinds.
W. G. NEEDHAM & CO.,
Wailuku, Maui,
Sole Agents for the Hawaiian Islands.
Orders may be left with A. S. CLEGHORN & CO., Honolulu.
oc25-6m

HIDES, SKINS, TALLOW.

THE UNDERSIGNED CONTINUE to pay the highest market price for Dry Hides, Goat Skins and Goat Tallow.
oc25 3m C. BREWER & CO.

Business Cards.

A. W. PEIRCE & CO.,
(*Successors to C. L. Richards & Co.*)
SHIP CHANDLERS AND GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS. Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands. (ja3 1y)

E. P. ADAMS,
AUCTIONEER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT.
Queen Street, Honolulu, H. I. ja3 1y*

F. HORN,
CONFECTIONER, NO. 49 HOTEL ST., next door to C. E. Williams, Honolulu. f20

AFONG & ACHUCK,
IMPORTERS, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL Dealers in General Merchandise. Fire-proof Store, Nuuanu Streets. d20 1y

A. W. JUDD. R. W. LAINE.
JUDD & LAINE,
GROCERS AND PROVISION DEALERS, Family Grocery and Feed Store, 52 Fort Street, Honolulu. d20 1y

M. S. GRINBAUM & CO.,
IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS in Fashionable Clothing, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes, and every variety of Gentlemen's Superior Furnishing Goods. Store formerly occupied by W. A. Aldrich, Makee's n22 Block, Queen Street. 1y

JOHN THOS. WATERHOUSE,
IMPORTER AND DEALER IN GENERAL MERCHANDISE,
n29 Queen Street, Honolulu. 1y

J. S. WALKER. S. C. ALLEN.
WALKER & ALLEN,
SHIPPING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS. HONOLULU, H. I.
—AGENTS FOR—
Hawaiian Packet Line, Princeville Plantation. Onomea Plantation. Spencer's Plantation. Naalehu Plantation.
Imperial Fire Insurance Company, London.
Merchant's Mutual Marine Insurance Co., San Francisco.
Nor. Western Mutual Life Insurance Co.
Schrs. Fairy Queen, Active, Mary Ellen and Pauahi. ja11 1y

M. McINERNY,
IMPORTER AND DEALER IN CLOTHING, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Jewelry, Perfumery, Pocket Cutlery, and every description of Gent's Superior Furnishing Goods. ☞ Benkert's Fine Calf Dress Boots, always on hand.
N. E. CORNER OF FORT AND MERCHANT STREETS. ja11 1y

LEWERS & DICKSON,
DEALERS IN LUMBER AND BUILDING Materials. Fort Street. jy27 1y

DILLINGHAM & CO.,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN HARDWARE,
Cutlery, Dry Goods, Paints and Oils, and General Merchandise.
s29 No. 95 King Street, Honolulu. 1y

C. BREWER & CO.,
COMMISSION AND SHIPPING MERCHANTS.
Honolulu, Oahu, (au23 1y) Hawaiian Islands.

ALLEN & CHILLINGWORTH,
KAWAIHAE, HAWAII,
WILL CONTINUE THE GENERAL MERCHANDISE and SHIPPING BUSINESS at the above port, where they are prepared to furnish the justly celebrated Kawaihae Potatoes, and such other recruits as are required by whale ships, at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms. (au23 1y) FIREWOOD ON HAND.

E. HOFFMANN, M. D.,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, CORNER Merchant and Kaahumanu Sts., near the Post-office. au23 1y

C. S. BARTOW,
AUCTIONEER, SALESROOM ON QUEEN jul4 Street, one door from Kaahumanu. 1y

F. A. SCHAEFER & CO.,
IMPORTERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands. jul4 1y

BISHOP & CO., BANKERS,
HONOLULU, HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.
DRAW BILLS OF EXCHANGE ON
The Bank of California.....San Francisco
Messrs. Lees & Waller.....New York
Tremont National Bank.....Boston
Oriental Bank Corporation.....London
Oriental Bank Corporation, payable in Sydney, Melbourne and Auckland.
Agents for the Manhattan Life Insurance Company of New York.
Receive Deposits, Discount First-class Business Paper, attend to Collecting, &c., &c. my24 1y

R. H. STANLEY,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW. OFFICE in Rhodes' Fire-proof Building, Kaahumanu ap26 Street, Honolulu. 3m

H. FISCHER. S. ROTH.
FISCHER & ROTH,
MERCHANT TAILORS, 38 FORT ST., ap26 Honolulu, H. I. 1y

THOMAS SPENCER,
SHIP CHANDLER, DEALER IN GENERAL Merchandise, Island Produce, &c., and COMMISSION MERCHANT,
BYRON'S BAY, HILO, SANDWICH ISLANDS.
Will keep constantly on hand an extensive assortment of every description of goods required by ships and others.
The highest price given for Island Produce.
☞ Money advanced for Bills of Exchange at reasonable rates. ap19 1y

HYMAN BROTHERS,
IMPORTERS, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN
Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats Furnishing Goods, Ladies' and Gents' Boots and Shoes Yankee Notions, &c., &c.
Capt. Snow's Building, No. 40 Merchant St. Honolulu. ap19 1y

IRA RICHARDSON,
IMPORTER AND DEALER IN BOOTS, Shoes, Fine Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Perfumery, &c.
Corner of Fort and Merchant St. [ap19 1y] Honolulu, H. I.

WILDER & CO.,
SUCCESSORS TO DOWSETT & CO.
Corner Fort and Queen Sts.
Dealers in Lumber, Paints, Oil, Nails, Salt, and Building ap5 Materials, of every kind. 1y

JUST RECEIVED
EX BARK CLARA LOUISE!
FORBES, MASTER,
FROM PORTLAND, OREGON.
Columbia River Salmon, bbls. and hf. bbls.
Salmon Bellies, half barrels and kits.
Lard,
Johnson & Spaulding's Sugar Cured Hams,
Dellinger's Pilot Bread,
Preserved Salmon in 1 lb. and 2 lb. tins.
Wheat, Oats, Bran.
FOR SALE BY
oc11 H. HACKFELD & CO.

TO WOOL GROWERS.

THE UNDERSIGNED CONTINUE to buy Wools at good prices. Wools coming to market this Spring particularly desired to make freight.
oc25 3m C. BREWER & CO.

Mechanical.

KEALOHA & PANEE,
House, Ship and Sign Painting!
HOTEL STREET.
HAVING OPENED THEIR SHOP ON THE above street, are prepared to do all manner of work in their line of business. Charges reasonable, and all work done with neatness and dispatch. ja3 1y

F. A. SCHAEFER,
AGENT Bremen Board of Underwriters.
Agent Dresden Board of Underwriters.
Agent Vienna Board of Underwriters.
Claims against Insurance Companies within the jurisdiction of the above Boards of Underwriters, will have to be certified to by the Agent to make them valid. ja3 1y

J. M. OAT & Co., Sailmakers.
OLD CUSTOM HOUSE, FIRE-PROOF BUILDING.

On the Wharf, Foot of Nuuanu Street, Honolulu, H. I.
Sails made in the Best Style and Fitted with Galvanized Clues and Thimbles.
Flags of all descriptions made and repaired.
Thankful for past patronage, we are prepared to execute all orders in our line, with dispatch and in a satisfactory manner. fe22 1y

CABINET MAKER'S SHOP!

THE UNDERSIGNED begs to notify his friends and the public generally, that he has taken
Shop on Fort Street,
one door below the Government Buildings, where he will be found hereafter, prepared to carry on the
CABINET MAKER'S BUSINESS,
in all its branches and on the most reasonable terms.
SECOND HAND FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD,
—and—
Repairing Done Neatly and Expeditiously.
Please give him a Call.
ap26 tf DANIEL McCORRISTON.

W. FISCHER,
Cabinet Maker and French Polisher
a29 Hotel St., near the Drug Store of E. Strehz & Co. 1y

E. C. ADDERLEY,
Saddle and Harness Maker,
CORNER

Fort and Hotel Streets, Honolulu.
☞ Carriages Trimmed with neatness and dispatch. Island Orders attended to promptly. au23 1y

THE PLACE

To get your
Carriage Trimming
TRUNK WORK OF ALL KINDS,
and General Repairing done with neatness and dispatch, No. 83 King St. fe8 R. WHITMAN.

P. DALTON,
Saddle and Harness Maker,
KING STREET, HONOLULU.

Harness, Saddle & Shoe Leather, Constantly on Hand.

Orders from the other Islands promptly attended to. jy25 1y

HONOLULU IRON WORKS CO.

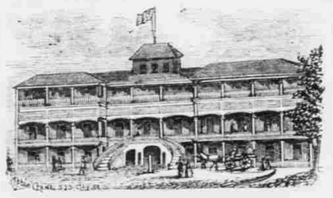
STEAM ENGINES, SUGAR Mills, Boilers, Coolers, Iron, Brass and Lead Castings.
Machinery of Every Description made TO ORDER.
Particular Attention paid to Ship's Blacksmithing.
☞ Job Work executed on the shortest notice. jy26 1y

H. VOSS,
No. 5 Merchant Street,
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN FURNITURE AND BEDDING,
Old Furniture Repaired and Upholstered.
The best Curled Hair constantly on hand and for sale. All ap26 orders promptly attended to.

McCOLGAN & JOHNSON,
Merchant Tailors,
Fort St., Honolulu, H. I., opposite Theod. C. Heuck's. ap26 1y

THOMAS LACK,
(SUCCESSOR TO JOHN NEILL.)
MACHINIST!
NO. 10 FORT STREET,

will attend to all orders in the
LOCK, GUN & GENERAL REPAIR LINE
He will give special attention to cleaning, repairing and regulating Sewing Machines, and all other kinds of Light Machinery and Metal Work of every description, **Blacksmithing**, &c
ALSO, ON HAND AND FOR SALE CHEAP,
A Variety of Sewing Machines,
Guns, Pistols, Shot, Ammunition,
MACHINE OIL, NEEDLES, &c., &c,
Sewing Machine Tuckers, Binders, and all other extra and duplicate parts of Machines supplied on short notice.
☞ Best Machine Twist.
SOLE AGENT IN THIS KINGDOM FOR
The Celebrated Florence Sewing Machines.
jy26 1y

THREE STYLISH BUGGIES
PER CEYLON!
FOR SALE BY
oc25 C. BREWER & CO.


THE HAWAIIAN HOTEL!
THE PROPRIETOR WILL SPARE NO pains to make this
ELEGANT HOTEL
First-Class in Every Particular!
ROOMS CAN BE HAD BY THE NIGHT OR WEEK! with or without board.
HALL AND LARGE ROOMS TO LET FOR ju28* PUBLIC MEETINGS, OR SOCIETIES. 1y

THE RIDGE HOUSE!
KEALAKEKUA BAY HAWAII.

THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS ARE noted the world over for their unrivaled salubrity of climate. Certain localities in the group are especially favored in this way.—The District of Kona, on the leeward side of Hawaii, has long been famed as a place of resort for invalids with bronchital, or lung diseases. With its pure and mild atmosphere, with its absolute freedom from storms or high winds, with its porous soil which, with all its rich vegetation, retains no dampness and yields no malaria, and with an unvarying temperature—that of the American or Southern European June—ALL THE YEAR ROUND, the climate of Kona is one of the healthiest and most luxurious on the globe.
The undersigned, at his house at Kaawaloa, a house unequaled in the district for size, cleanliness, commodiousness, and thoroughness of furnishing, is prepared to give boarders excellent rooms and all obtainable comforts in the way of diet, at the low rate of $5.00 per week. There are fresh water baths on the premises, and fine sea bathing within a short distance. The steamer Kilauea and the schooners Uilama and Prince, run regularly between Honolulu and the Kaawaloa landing.
The undersigned employs no agents nor runners. His house speaks for itself upon inspection.
A. S. TOLMAN.
Kaawaloa, Kealakekua Bay, Kona, Nov. 15, 1873. no29

Mechanical.

CHAS. BLACKBURN,
CARRIAGE AND WAGON BUILDER!
No. 89 King St.,
Next door to Wright & Co.'s Blacksmith Shop. All orders promptly attended to. n22 1y*

J. H. THOMPSON,
General Blacksmith, Fort St., Esplanade.

HAS CONSTANTLY ON HAND AND For Sale at the Lowest Market Prices, a good assortment of the Best Refined Bar Iron, and the Best Blacksmith's Coal. n15 1y

JAS. L. LEWIS,
Cooper and Gauger, at the Old Stand,

CORNER OF KING AND BETHEL Streets. Would inform Planters, Agents and others that, in addition to his former large Stock of Tierces, Barrels and Casks, by the arrival of the ship Corinna from Boston, he has received
3180 Bbl. Shooks and Containers.
Of a superior quality, which will be sold reasonable in lots to suit.
He hopes by attention to business to merit a continuance of the patronage which he has heretofore enjoyed and for which he now returns his thanks. n15

JOHN FREDERICK KENYON,
MILITARY, NAVAL AND CIVIL
TAILOR,
King St., next door to Bradley's Barber Shop, Honolulu. o4 1y

HORSESHOEING
—AND—
GENERAL BLACKSMITHING!
THE UNDERSIGNED HAS TAKEN THE Shop at the foot of King Street, near the bridge of Hoolilamanu, where he will be prepared to execute all orders in the above line with dispatch and to the satisfaction of customers. He learned how to make a shoe and fit it to a horse from the late E. B. HARPER, well known as a thorough Farrier. Please give him a call. HENRY C. SHELDON.
Honolulu, Oct. 17, 1873. o18 3m

86 King Street. 88
M. T. DONNELL,
IMPORTER AND MANUFACTURER OF
ALL KINDS OF FURNITURE!
Suitable to this market.
☞ Old Furniture repaired and Mattrasses of all descriptions made to order.
Before buying elsewhere call at 86 and 88 King street oc4 1y

C. E. WILLIAMS,
Manufacturer, Importer and Dealer in
FURNITURE!
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.
Furniture Ware Room on Fort street; Workshop at the old stand, Hotel street, near Fort.
N. B.—Orders from the other islands promptly attended to. au23 1y

PHOTOGRAPHS, PORTRAITS, VIEWS
AND COPYING DONE IN THE BEST STYLE.
At the Cosmopolitan Photograph Gallery!
64 and 66 Fort St. (ja11 1y) H. L. CHASE

CHAS. T. CULICK,
NOTARY PUBLIC,
AND
AGENT TO TAKE ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS FOR
LABOR.
au23 1y Interior Office, Honolulu.

C. WEST,
Wagon and Carriage Builder, 74 and 76 King St., Honolulu. (ja18 1y) Island orders promptly executed.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING Procured the services of a
FIRST-CLASS HORSE SHOER!
one who is acquainted with that line of business in Honolulu, is ready to accommodate customers at short notice.
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—AND—
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COMMERCIAL.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 30, 1874.

We have to note the lapse of another week with no foreign arrivals or departures.

The bark Comet is partly loaded and sails to-morrow for San Francisco.

The schooner C. M. Ward sails to-morrow for the guano islands.

The bark Helen W. Almy is about loaded and will sail on Monday for Sydney.

The bark D. C. Murray is absent 34 days to-day.

The steamship Mikado, of the A. & A. Line, will be due from the south on Monday.

PORT OF HONOLULU, H. I.

ARRIVALS.

Jan. 24—Schr Rob Roy, Adams, from Koolau.
24—Schr Luka, Kaai, from Hana, Hawaii.
24—Schr Keoni Ana, J Dudoit, from Koolau.
24—Schr Juanita, C Dudoit, from Waialua.
26—Schr Mile Morris, Lima, from Lahaina, Maui.
28—Sloop Live Yankee, Clark, from Hana, Maui.
28—Schr Warwick, Kalawaia, from Pukoo, Molokai.
29—Schr Pauahi, Hopu, from Hilo, Hawaii.
30—Schr Moi Keiki, Patey, from Kahului, Maui.
30—Schr Mary Ellen, Jun, from Kahului, Maui.
30—Schr Rob Roy, Adams, from Koolau.
31—Schr Active, Puashiwa, from Hilo, Hawaii.
31—Schr Annie, Kelolina, from Hilo, Hawaii.
31—Stmr Kilauea, Taylor, from Hawaii and Maui.

DEPARTURES.

Jan. 24—Schr Moi Keiki, Patey, for Kahului, Maui.
26—Stmr Kilauea, Taylor, for Maui and Hawaii.
26—Schr Keoni Ana, J Dudoit, for Koolau.
26—Schr Rob Roy, Adams, for Koolau.
27—Schr Juanita, C Dudoit, for Waialua.
27—Schr Nettie Merril, Crane, for Lahaina, Maui.
27—Schr Mile Morris, Lima, for Molokai.
27—Schr Odd Fellow, Niku, for Nawiliwili, Kauai.
27—Schr Jenny, Ballister, for Koloa, Kauai.
28—Schr Luka, Kaai, for Hilo, Hawaii.
28—Schr Warwick, Kalawaia, for Kahuapapa, Molokai.
30—Sloop Live Yankee, Clark, for Hana, Maui.
30—Schr Pauahi, Hopu, for Hilo, Hawaii.

Projected Departures.

For San Francisco—Bark Comet, sails this day.
For Guano Islands—Schr C M Ward, sails to-day.
For Kahului—Schr Moi Keiki, sails this P M.
For Sydney—Bark Helen W Almy, sails on Monday.
For Windward Ports—Stmr Kilauea, sails on Monday.

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Haw schr Kona Packet, King.
Haw brig Onward.
Haw brig Wm H Allen, Schneider.
Am schr C M Ward, G W Rickman.
Am bk Helen W Almy, Freeman, loading.
Am bk Comet, P F Shepherd, loading.

EXPORTS.

For Guano Islands—Per C. M. Ward, Jan. 30th:—

Bread, qr	15	Palai, lbs	20,000
Beef, lbs	3,000	Potatoes, bags	25
Cotton Duck, bolt	1	Rope, coils	3
Molasses, galls	300		

Value—Domestic.....$711; Foreign.....$209 78.

For San Francisco—Per Comet, Jan. 30th:—

Bananas, bnchs	1,500	Rice, bags	50
Brandy, cse	1	Sugar, pkgs	2,622
Molasses, pkgs	166	Tools, bxs	6

Value—Domestic..$18,624 41; Foreign.....$175.

PASSENGERS.

For Windward Ports—Per Kilauea, Jan. 26th—Major Rutherford, W L Davis, Chas Williams, A P Jones, J P Green, J L Blasdell, G Williams, and about 75 deck.

For San Francisco—Per Comet, Jan. 30th—J Fleming, Geo Hempstead, W A Cooke, Jas Horton, Mr Sackett.

For Guano Islands—Per C. M. Ward, Jan. 30th—W H Ferrier, A J Kinney, C M Shillweil, L Mecall.

From Windward Ports—Per Kilauea, Jan. 31st—Hon C C Harris, T Hughes, W C Parke, James Boyd, Mr Kenyon, His Ex Gov P Nahaolelua, W G Needham and son, Mr Along, Miss Lucy Peabody, Mrs Kenney and daughter, Mrs Lucking and child, F Metcalf, and 52 deck.

THE PACIFIC

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 31.

IOLANI PALACE, Saturday, 4 A. M. }
January 31st, 1874. }

Since our last Bulletin was issued, on Wednesday, the King has been getting weaker every day. Yesterday he was not able to take much nourishment. He is quiet, free from pain, but his state is alarming.

By the attending physicians,
G. TROUSSEAU,
R. OLIVER.

IN THE PRESENCE of an impending public emergency, it becomes necessary not only to cogitate within ourselves as to the proper plans to pursue in the near future, but it is the part of wisdom to take such preliminary steps in advance as may indicate the course marked out. Public exigencies by their gravity override what might under other circumstances be rightly deemed considerations of delicacy or nice perceptions of propriety.

We deem the situation of the country to-day to be one of such emergency that, in the absence of any regularly appointed and proclaimed successor to the Throne, the well understood will of the people in this important regard, should be clearly and emphatically made known through the public press. The first choice of the Hawaiian people for a successor to His present Majesty (whom God preserve) is unquestionably the High Chief David Kalakaua. His claims are in every respect paramount to those of any other person that can be named. Any attempt to thwart the well-known will of the people in this matter, is to be profoundly deprecated, for the sake of the peace and future prosperity of the country.

WHEN IN DOUBT on any question of public importance, there is nothing so reassuring to the perplexed statesman as a sound opinion, clearly expressed through the press. Thus in the *Gazette* of Wednesday last, we have "an opinion as is an opinion" on the question "as to when the functions of a representative holding a seat in the legislature ends." We are thus sententiously told that "a representative's term of office commences from the date of his taking the oath of office;" *but* that from the date when he gets his certificate of election "he becomes the representative elect," and that "these newly chosen representatives are the only lawful ones for any service that may be required of them, even should a special Session of the Legislature be called immediately after the election." This acrobatic style of ratiocination reminds us of a story we have read concerning an experiment in gunnery undertaken by some theorists, where a loaded howitzer was lashed to the back of a mule. After it had been duly primed and pointed and the match ignited, the perverse mule suddenly slewed about and brought the muzzle to bear upon the astounded savants. We leave the application with our readers.

IT HAS BEEN the custom here to give the next place of honor after the Sovereign to the head of the Judiciary Department, and from this fact apparently some have entertained the opinion that the officer has a power, resembling that of an American Vice President, to take the head of affairs in the Kingdom during an interregnum—an opinion which, so far as we can see, has the authority of neither constitutional provision nor statutory enactment for its foundation. Notwithstanding appearances, it was not so during the late interregnum. The "Chancellor of the Kingdom" was doubtless much consulted, mainly as being a high official, and moreover because he was probably considered to be a prudent and experienced political adviser; but more particularly because by his very office he could not exercise executive powers, and was beyond the fear or hope of change. Under these circumstances, he could be supposed to advise only for the honor and safety of the Kingdom, quite uninfluenced by considerations growing out of political machinations or intrigues. But it was really the Cabinet of His Majesty who acted for and as the Government *ad interim*. They convened the Legislature, and all executive authority, till the election of a new Sovereign required its surrender.

Nowhere does the name of the Chancellor appear as the depositary of the authority of the vacant Throne. The provisions of the Constitution are distinct and conclusive as to the division of the Supreme Power of the Kingdom. Article 20 provides that this power in its exercise is divided between the Executive, Legislative and Judicial, which shall always be preserved distinct; a provision fundamental to a Constitutional Government—that is, to a Government of laws rather than of men. We take this provision to require a real and substantial separation of these three functions of a Government. Not that there is no mutual dependence or union among them, for measurably there is and must be. Thus the King, who represents the executive power, is a constituent of the Legislature; the executive and the Legislative departments may require the opinion of the judiciary; the judiciary works through the executive. But we understand the provision under review to forbid a transfer of the whole power of any one of the three enumerated branches to another, such as would be accomplished if the head of the judiciary department were to be vested with the power of the Supreme executive—the Royal Power—though for a brief time and under some restrictions. Nor does it change the complexion of the case to say that, in that event, this officer would be acting, not in his judicial capacity but in an executive—which would be to quibble away a great and vital constitutional principle. By the same quibble, the King could sit as Chief Justice, then acting judicially and so, in short, what was meant for a good deal would come to mean nothing at all.

Articles 64 to 68 provide that the Chief Justice shall preside over the Judiciary Department; shall be Chancellor of the Kingdom, and give him power as such to preside over the House of Nobles when it sits judicially in impeachment cases; and to exercise such other jurisdiction in equity and other cases as the law may confer upon him. And there is an entire absence throughout the whole of this instrument of words conveying any such supposed authority as we have mentioned.

Neither can it be derived from the high title of Chancellor, for there are surely no great powers latent in a name alone without some express gift. The name of Chancellor is applied to officers of very different functions in different states of Europe and in different states of the United States. That officer is just what he is expressly constituted,—whether a political Chancellor as in Prussia; an officer of legation as with the French; the judge of a Court of Chancery, otherwise called Equity, as in some of the United States; or as here, the head of the Judiciary Department, and a judge with Equity jurisdiction—though sharing the latter power with both his associates.

On the other hand, the Constitution does provide otherwise for the temporary and limited exercise of the Royal Power, in several emergencies that may arise. In the event of the Throne falling to a minor heir, and no Regency provided by the will of the deceased Sovereign, his Cabinet call the Legislature to elect such Regency, and meantime themselves act as a Regency exercising the Royal Powers in the name of the young Sovereign. In the same way when there is no successor, the Cabinet call the Legislature who elect a King, and if that King were a minor would also elect his Regent or Council of Regency. There is here no more intimation of the executive power being wielded by the Chancellor of the Kingdom than by the Marshal of the Kingdom. The only act of Royal Power and prerogative mentioned—the convening of the Legislature—is expressly assigned to the Cabinet, of which the Chancellor is not a member. It can never be supposed that the Cabinet, having done this, will then look to the Chief Justice for further authority, and conduct the Government *ad interim* as his Ministers.

The act of convening the Legislature is of high authority and great responsibility, when and where it shall meet; whether in four weeks, as lately, or whether the interregnum shall be longer or shorter. Further, the Cabinet might have the responsibility of deciding who are the Representatives to be called—a subject which we discussed last week—and that responsibility is one that cannot be shifted to other shoulders. The Cabinet being responsible for the acts of a Sovereign, none of which have any force or effect without being countersigned by a Minister, it must be held that they cannot shift the responsibility of interregnum acts and administration upon either the Chancellor or the Court. There is, however, a provision for asking the opinion of the Justices.

But perhaps all this is too obvious, notwithstanding the opinion referred to in the outset as entertained by some. And in fact, we suppose that the distinguished official whose executive jurisdiction we have been considering would be the last to pretend to any such extraordinary, inconsistent and conflicting powers.

The Internationals.

Perhaps no social disturbance of modern days ever occasioned so much alarm at the time among the governments and crowned heads of Europe, as that which was aroused by the uprising of the Internationals, some three years since. For a few months it was the theme of newspaper discourse in all parts of the world, and the prognostications as to the aim and ultimatum of the mysterious society were in many cases as amusing as they were absurd—the sensational class of newspapers being especially great with the cares of nations in this matter. Gradually however, this species of Communism has died out. The members assembled in general Congress could not agree upon vital points of policy, and the House thus divided against itself gradually tumbled to pieces, and now the end has come.

At their sixth Congress, held on the 1st September, only one of the original leaders was present, Jaques Guillaume, the remainder being dead, changed in their opinions, or become too prosperous to care about Internationalism. "Like the St. Simonians," says a contemporary, "the Internationalists seem to have a faculty for getting on in the world; and when they do, they acquire new ideas as to the value of property, or think, like Albert Richard, that an Emperor could do no more than a committee,—just the conviction of the Roman plebs after their long struggle with the patricians, and of the Danish proletariat after their contest with the nobles." Karl Marx is still trying to organize a central despotism over labor, but does not succeed, and the new leaders at Geneva, so far from approving the Commune, are not willing to organize a general strike, for which it is said the working-classes on the Continent have a hankering, but for which they have not the means. The Spanish representative revealed the curious fact that there are still only 50,000 Internationalists throughout Spain, and the entire organization had to congratulate itself on only a few local strikes. Germany was not represented; Mr. Hales, from England, reported no progress, and M. Costa, from Italy, denounced Garibaldians and Mazzinists as people who knew nothing, and understood nothing except fighting. The Americans sent no delegate, but wrote that the Council should have no powers, but all duties; and the Dutchmen point to the rising wages of their tobacconists. Altogether, we should say this bug-bear of mankind, which three years ago nearly launched the Governments of the world into a crusade, is to-day a respectable council of persons inclined to chat in French upon the best way of raising wages. There is no particular harm or good in that. The English operatives have effected that for themselves, without talking about the matter at all. Hodmen, we are told, now receive mason's wages, and nobody has even heard of a Hodmen's League, while their only declaration of principles has been that they won't take less.

"DIPSOMANIA" is the term now in general use to designate the perpetual thirst for stimulant which afflicts the habitual drunkard. The word is compounded from the Greek, and signifies a crazy thirst. Very properly, as we think, dipsomania is now regarded as a disease, and not a crime. In the early days of his downward course, the man who indulgences excessively in drink is undoubtedly criminal, but when that stage is passed and the passion for drink has become a disease, we fail to see the justice of punishing him as we would a thief. Under our statute, any conviction for drunkenness after the first, renders the person liable to imprisonment at hard labor for a term not to exceed three months. In our prison, the inmates are not classified, so that the pitiable victim of dipsomania, who as a last resort is imprisoned to prevent his committing suicide, is sent to work on the roads (if his health will allow of it) in company with criminals of the lowest stamp. We think it will be conceded, in this age of enlightenment, that such a mode of treatment of this class of cases is radically wrong. We have our hospitals for those suffering from any disease, no matter what or how caused, with the exception of the mania for drink. If a man is mad upon any other point than that of insatiable thirst, our laws make provision for his safe custody.

In the United States, in England and in the colonies of Australia, habitual drunkenness is treated as a disease; asylums and "Homes of the Inebriate" have been established with remarkable success. In Melbourne, as we learn from recent papers, an asylum for the reception and cure of dipsomaniacs has been established for some time, and has been found to answer admirably the purpose it was intended to subserve. It has not only redeemed the drunkard, who but for such a valuable institution would have met a horrible death from delirium or suicide, but it has caused many a man to be returned to his family at least temporarily reformed, if not permanently so; and there is the institution to receive back the erring mortal should he find the craving for drink coming on him which may cause a relapse to his former terrible vice. Many of these institutions have been nearly self-supporting, because, as it unfortunately happens, there are many members of the well-off and comfortably situated classes who require the restraining powers conferred on these asylums, and whose friends or relatives are both able and willing to pay for their admission and retention.

In making these statements, we are not about to urge the propriety of building an asylum for dipsomaniacs in this country; but we desire to exhibit the view taken of the subject in other countries as a contrast and a reproof to our own mode of dealing with the disease, with the hope that some action may be taken towards amending the law in this particular.

IN LOOKING over our exchanges we came across an account of a new process for cleaning wool, recently discovered and patented in England, which, as it will be of interest to those of our readers interested in sheep-farming, we here insert. Whether it be on the sheep's back, or after the clip, the way in which wool is cleaned is of vital importance to all any way concerned with this great staple of textile industry. Any improved method whereby wool, however clogged with dirt or grease, can be purified cheaply, thoroughly, and quickly without trouble, and so as not to injure in any way the fibre of the wool, is necessarily welcome as an economic discovery, and claims the closest attention of all industrially or commercially interested in wool. Such a discovery seems to have been made by the Bank Wool Cleansing Company, the patentees (one of the gentlemen connected with it being himself a retired squatter) and exclusive manufacturers of a neutral soap, which, as a detergent, possesses several remarkable and valuable properties. Guaranteed to be destitute of alkali or acid, the chemical effects of which on wool are well known to be so destructive, the soap in question does not in any case damage the wool, which it actually whitens. The patentees also claim for it an improving and preserving quality. The wool has simply to be soaked previously in hot or cold water in order to remove loose dirt; after this the neutral soap to be added in the proportion of one gallon to thirty to either hot or cold water ready to wash the wool or the sheep before shearing, the usual manipulation, results in the wool being rendered perfectly pure, of a dazzling whiteness, and that with an unknown fibre. Cold water will answer, but hot effects an economy in material, time, and labor. In the washing of sheep the value of this new and powerful detergent is enhanced very greatly by the fact that should the animal happen to swallow the liquid no harm will result; another great advantage is that it is free from taste or smell. Potent as the preparation is for removing dirt and extracting grease, it actually softens the skin of the hand of those using it, or even the sensitive lip, without injury to the skin. Those who have seen the efficacy of the neutral soap tested on some very dirty and greasy wool, report that the action was virtually instantcous, on the wool on being taken from the liquid and dried becoming at once clear, white, and quite clean, while the fibre was decidedly perfect. The neutral soap acts with equal efficacy on cotton waste, which is, as some of our readers know, intensely foul at times, and no doubt the scope of this new, innocent, and most economic detergent can be widely extended. For wool producers and consumers, however, the invention promises to be of the greatest moment and value.

MR. EDITOR:—I am informed that a large proportion of the printing required for the Supreme and other Courts—blank processes, &c.—is executed in San Francisco, and comes down here, as the saying is, "by the cart-load." This strikes me as very questionable economy, and is certainly an unjust and illiberal policy towards our own people. In the ADVERTISER printing office, as daily observation shows, there are some fourteen or sixteen native printers employed, and in the *Gazette* say half as many. Many of these have families to support. The sending out of the country of any work that can be as well done here, and in all respects as cheaply and advantageously to all concerned, is doing a direct injury to our own industries. Is this Court work sent away from Hawaiians by the order of Judge Hartwell, the head of the bench, or is the chief clerk, Mr. Seal, the responsible party?

A. B.

MR. EDITOR:—Amongst the work which is to be done by the coming Legislature, I think an amendment to the bankrupt law ought to have a place—such an amendment as is now before the United States' Congress introduced by the Hon. Mr. Tremaine of New York, one of the first lawyers in the United States. Section 1st repeals the present law with all its amendments and the second provides that where there are bankruptcy proceedings pending, a majority in value of the creditors whose claims had been proven, may determine in what manner and on what terms and conditions the estate of the bankrupts shall be administered, and such administration shall be immediately confirmed by the Court.

This seems to me to be eminently just, and no creditor for a small amount ought to have it in his power to force a bankruptcy to the injury of the great body of creditors or the majority in interest.

In the great failure here in 1866, the liabilities were $600,000, and the business of winding up was in process, under a committee chosen by the creditors with a prospect of paying fifty per cent. or more, when a creditor for $1,200, one five hundredth part of the liabilities, puts the house into bankruptcy, and only twenty to twenty-five per cent. of the debts were ultimately paid. I hope that some of the members will try to secure such an amendment as will be just to all and prevent such losses, too often by the caprice or ill will of some minor creditor. I can think of nothing more essentially just than the amendment offered by the great New York lawyer Tremaine.

YESTERDAY P. M. a three-masted schooner passed the port steering west—probably a China-bound lumber vessel.

MR. EDITOR:—It is a matter of general belief that for a people to be happy they should be well governed, but they cannot be well governed unless the laws are wise, and are justly and impartially administered. When the laws press heavily on some members of the community leaving others to act as they like, irresponsible to any legally constituted power, they are undoubtedly bad, and should be repealed at the earliest opportunity. It is for this very purpose that Parliaments and Legislatures have their stated periodical times of meeting; they alter or repeal the old laws if found insufficient to ensure the well being of the peoples, or make new ones to suit the exigencies of the times.

But, no matter how good, how wise, how wholesome the laws may be, the country is not well governed if they are not impartially administered. If one man is held to strict account, and made to undergo the infliction of the most severe penalties provided for the commission of an offense, while another, guilty of the same, or perhaps of a more heinous crime, is suffered to escape punishment, the condition of the community in which such a perversion of justice is knowingly and deliberately perpetrated is deplorable indeed, and those rulers, who act the part of the "unjust judge," cannot too soon be replaced by others at once more upright and more undiscriminating in their pursuit of offenders against good morals.

Article 13th of the Constitution reads as follows: "The King conducts his Government for the common good; and not for the profit, honor, or private interest of any one man, family, or class of men, among his subjects."

We may fairly reason from this article that no one man, family, or class of men may violate the laws with impunity, all others being held strictly accountable and severely punished for any violation of the same laws.

We find it recorded in the Hawaiian *Gazette* of December 24th last, that one man forfeited his bail of $100 for selling awa without a license, in the same paper of December 31, another man was fined $500 with $5 costs, for vending intoxicating liquor; on January 15th, still another fined $300 and costs for the same offense; with numerous fines of from two to fifty dollars, even for fast riding, drunkenness, fornication, and the like. These results to the commission of unlawful acts prove the determination of the Ministry to be the conservators of the public morals, with one class of offenders at least, while the detection of the wrong doers equally proves the devotion and energy of the police force; but how is it, that while punishment for these offenses, the commission of which except for the intervention of the Government through its agents might not have been known to one out of a hundred of the community, has been so heavily visited upon the unfortunate delinquents, how is it, that the agent of the Government, its own exponent, the subsidized publisher of the Mission Board, has been openly accused in the columns of another paper of this city of unrestrained traffic in the vilest obscenities and no official notice taken of the alleged offence? Nor himself had the grace, or the good taste, to come forward and apologize for his wrong doing or deny or attempt to explain it away? What is the unlawful selling of a bunch of awa or of a glass of spirits compared to the systematic and continued poisoning of the minds of the young, and the pandering to the vices of the mature? Why should the small offender be so heavily stricken and the great one be suffered to go scathless? The subject is too unpleasant to be further pursued, but this one case could not be suffered to pass unnoticed, of inequality in the execution of the laws by the toleration of an obstruction and antagonist of civilization and good morals. HAWAII.

[For the Pacific Commercial Advertiser.]

To Write Legibly a Moral Duty.

Books with fair, clear type, are always praised, and a beautiful hand-writing always gains admiration. But printers and others are often at their wit's end to decipher the hieroglyphics of their correspondents; and besides the waste of time, there is often much irritation and bad feeling.

"Time is money," says the old proverb. "Time is the most precious of all things," writes the old philosopher Seneca. The printer is paid according to the number of ms he sets up. If then he loses an hour in a day in consequence of illegible copy, is not the writer guilty of robbing him of one-tenth of his wages for the day? But the writer excuses himself by saying that he cannot spend time to write a fair hand. He should think that the time of the printer, or of his correspondent is worth as much as his own.

I have known individuals to spend a quarter of an hour in finding out the meaning of a single sentence; and that loss of time must be laid to the account of the writer. Others think that it does not pay to spend time in this way, and they pass over such sentences. If one loves his neighbor as himself, and places a just estimate upon his own time, he will not occasion a loss of his neighbor's time by his illegible writing. Press of business does not excuse him for scribbling off what causes wearisome effort to decipher; for some of the most rapid writers are, at the same time, the most legible. It is carelessness, a lack of taste, that covers the sheet with pot-hooks. It is a thoughtless disregard of the rights of others that inflicts upon a correspondent a loss of time, and of patience.

He who wishes his thoughts to be read, will take pains to give form and comeliness to his letters. The late Mr. Wyllie was a voluminous writer; as his Secretary informed me, he left cords and cords of paper covered with his scrawls. But who is the wiser for them? If he had written a fair hand, some doubtless would consult his writings with interest, for the sake of the curious information contained in them. But who ever thinks of looking into them? They might almost as well have been written in Chinese, or Arabic.

And orthography should be united with calligraphy. By the absence of either of these blunders and losses are frequently occasioned. A merchant in England sent an order to his agent at the West Indies for two monkeys to amuse his children; but unfortunately he was not skilled in spelling, and he wrote for *too* monkeys. And as his hand-writing was not very fair, his agent read it 100 monkeys. Accordingly, he procured fifty monkeys, and sent them by the first opportunity; and wrote that he would send the remaining fifty very soon. That merchant received a fitting penalty for his carelessness and ignorance. Could illegible writers be made to do penance in some such way, much vexation would be avoided, and much time would be saved. ALIQUIS.

From the Sydney *Morning Herald* we clip the following:

The departure of the steamship *Macgregor* from this port inaugurates a new mail service for New South Wales. We have before had a service via San Francisco, but of the most temporary character, and quite subsidiary to the general colonial service via Galle. Since then it has been found that the interests of this colony demanded a distinct line of its own, and as the route via San Francisco promised more beneficial results in a commercial point of view, as well as a more rapid course of post than either via Torres Straits or Galle, it has been selected. There is a general wish on the part of our fellow-colonists that the new line receive support commensurate to what may be considered a national undertaking, and in future our usual monthly summary will be published for transmission by it, instead of by the P. and O. steamers.

NOTICE.

MISS LOTTIE ALEXANDER IS prepared to give lessons on the Piano to a few Scholars. The best of references given. ja31 tf

THEOD. C. HEUCK,

IMPORTER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT. (ja31 1y) Honolulu, Oahu, H. I.

GIN!

IN GREEN CASES, 12 BOTTLES EACH.
In Red Cases, 15 bottles each.
In Baskets, 12 Jugs each.
In Bond or Duty Paid.
For Sale by CHAS. LONG.
no8

THE CARGO
—OF THE—
FINE BARQUE LOUISE AND GEORGINE

Now Nearly Due from Liverpool, is offered For Sale, consisting of:

A CHOICE ASST. DRY GOODS, CHOICE PRINTS, BLANKETS,

DENIMS, CLOTHING, BLUE & WHITE CHECKS,
TROUSERING, WATER PROOF TWEEDS,
Large Velvet Rugs
BAGS, HEAVY BAGGING, LEATHER BELTING, SADDLES,
WINES AND SPIRITS!
Ind Coope & Co.'s Ale; Blood, Wolfe & Co.'s Ale; Bass' Ale!
HOOP IRON, FENCING WIRE, HOLLOWWARE, SLATES,
WHITE LEAD, ZINC, BOILED OIL.

ja24 1m THEO. H. DAVIES.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS!

DIVIDENDS AT THE RATE OF TWENTY-one per cent., on account of claims against the estate of W. HUMPHREYS, late of Honolulu, deceased, will be paid to Creditors after this date, at the office of
S. B. DOLE, Executor.
Honolulu, Jan. 31, 1874. ja31 4t

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE HAIKU SUGAR COMPANY will be held at the Counting room of Messrs. Castle & Cooke, on SATURDAY, 31st JANUARY, AT 10 A. M., for the purpose of electing Officers for the ensuing year and other business.
Per Order,
J. P. COOKE, Secretary.
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MANILA CIGARS!

A SMALL LOT OF THOSE SUPERIOR quality CIGARS, just received. These Cigars, are like those we had about one year since, and pronounced to be the best article offered in this market during the last twenty years. Specially put up for us—200 cigars in a box.
For Sale by BOLLES & CO.
ja31

NORTH GERMAN FIRE
INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN appointed Agent of the above Company for the Sandwich Islands, is now prepared TO INSURE AGAINST FIRE upon the most favorable terms,

On Brick, Stone, and Wooden Stores,

And on Merchandise stored therein, Private Dwellings, Furniture, &c. All Losses adjusted and paid for here with promptitude. For particulars apply at the office of
THEOD. C. HEUCK, Agent.
ja31 1y

N. MURPHY,
SHIP SMITH,
MACHINE AND TOOL FORGING!
Also, AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS made and Repaired
Particular Attention Paid to HORSE-SHOEING!
Ja31 Shop at Jas. Robinson & Co.'s Wharf. 3m

SPRING VESSEL, 1874!

C. BREWER & CO.

OFFER FOR SALE

THE CARGO
—OF—
AMERICAN BK. EDWIN
FROM BOSTON.
Due in all March!

SCRANTON STEAM COAL, IN LOTS TO suit purchasers, for family use.
NEW BEDFORD FAMILY SOAP.
5,000 FT. SELECTED BOAT BOARDS.
2 CENTRE BOARD EXTRA TIMBERED WHALE BOATS.
25 BBLS. AMERICAN TAR.
25 BBLS. SOUTHERN PITCH.
50 BBLS. No. 1 ROSIN.
CASES SPIRITS TURPENTINE.
A FINE ASSORTMENT OF OARS.
EAGLE A PLOWS.
25 KITTS No. 1 MACKEREL.
15 CASES CORN STARCH.
16 QR. BBLS. FAMILY PORK.
5 BBLS. GENUINE CIDER VINEGAR.
FOUR FIRE EXTINGUISHERS.
BALES OAKUM.
EASTERN PINE KEG AND BARREL SHOOKS.

ALSO, ON HAND
EX RECENT ARRIVALS!
Which will be offered LOW
TO CLOSE CONSIGNMENTS.

ANCHORS and CHAINS, ASSTD. SIZES.
FARMER'S BOILERS, 20, 25, 30 AND 40 GALLS.
PAINTED BUCKETS AND PAILS.
EASTERN HARD BRICKS.
PINE MOLASSES BARRELS, SET UP.
HORSE, MULE AND HAND CARTS.
CANAL BARROWS.

CUMBERLAND COALS!

CENTRIFUGAL LININGS.
GUNNY BAGS IN CASES OF 250 Pieces
OX YOKES, No. 4, 5 AND 6.
OYSTERS, FRESH AND SPICED.
YELLOW METALS AND NAILS.
C. BREWER & CO.
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OAHU STABLES!

KING STREET OPPOSITE THE BETHEL,
FOR SALE OR HIRE!

GOOD SADDLE OR HARNESS HORSES can be had at all hours on the above premises.
Horses broken to Harness on reasonable terms.
KANOELEHUA,
Late Coachman to the late Queen Dowager Kalama, and
J. C. Pflueger, Esqr.
ja10 3m

NOTICE.

THE PUBLIC ARE HEREBY NOTIfied that JOSEPH DUCHALSKY has no authority to sell any Leather or material made at the KALAUAO TANNERY, nor to incur any expenditure on account of the same, except through the undersigned.
J. I. DOWSETT.
Honolulu, March 17, 1873. mh22

ALES!

JEFFRY'S, TENNENT'S, CHAMPAGNE, Norwegian, Key Brand, &c., &c.
For Sale by CHAS. LONG.
no8

Strangers Visiting Honolulu
WILL FIND AT
DICKSON'S ART GALLERY!
NO. 61 FORT STREET, A SPLENDID COLLECTION OF
Photographic Views of Hawaiian Scenery,
Portraits of Prominent Hawaiians.
&c., &c., &c.
HAWAIIAN AND MICRONESIAN CURIOSITIES!
CORAL, SHELLS, VOLCANIC SPECIMENS, &c.
ja 10 qr

HAWAIIAN MESS BEEF!

PACKED BY C. BERTLEMANN, KAUAI, and WARRANTED. For Sale by
A. W. PEIRCE & CO.
oct18 3m

THOS. G. THRUM,
Stationer
—AND—
NEWS DEALER

BEGS LEAVE TO NOTIFY THE PUBLIC that a
Fine Line of Stationery!
—HAS—
Just been Received ex Late Arrivals
among which may be found:
Foolscap Paper, all kinds;
Legal Cap, Account Current Paper,
Letter Paper, all kinds;
Note Papers, a Fine Variety of American, English and French in White and Blue, plain and ruled; Tinted, plain and ruled, and White and Blue Bank Note, plain.
Initial Note with Envelopes to match, check and tinted, some thing neat and desirable. Also, several plainer kinds.

A Few Boxes only "De Soto" Papeterie,
the latest style out.
Note, Letter and Government Size Envelopes.
Pens—Gold, Steel and Quill, a large assortment.

Arnold's Writing Fluid
The Best Black Ink known.

DAVIDS' VIOLET INKS!
All sizes, the most lasting of any maker of this favorite shade.
Davids' and Underwood's Copying Ink,
Memorandum and Pass Books, Cypher Books,
Blank Books, Mucilage,
Large Rubber Holders with caps for protecting the Pen.
Faber's Postal Card Pocket Pencil, with protecting slide.

Stephen's Combination Eraser and Envelope Opener!
Thumb Tacks or Drawing Pins,
Faber's Rubber Bands, 1-4, 1-2 and 3-4 inch.
Wax Crayons, colored, in boxes;
Camel's Hair Brushes, Gum Labels in variety,
Blotting Pads, 3 sizes;
Blank Visiting Cards, 3 sizes in boxes, 4 sizes in packets.

EX. LARGE AND HEAVY FLAT PAPERS!
for special sizes of Blank Book Manufacture.
Together with many other Articles always found in a Well Appointed Stationer's.
—ALSO—
DIARIES FOR 1874!!
In the usual fine variety of styles and sizes.

T. G. T. IS AGENT FOR THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS for D. APPLETON & CO'S
SUBSCRIPTION BOOKS!
Among which are
Seward's Travels around the World,
Burton's Encyclopedia of Wit and Humor,
Business Anecdotes,
Smith's Dictionary of the Bible,
American Encyclopedia,
Annual Cyclopedia,
Life of Robert E. Lee, &c.
All orders will be forwarded as fast as practicable. The second invoice of the above is expected shortly.

LOOK OUT FOR
VALENTINES
Expected by the S. S. Macgregor.
All Orders will be filled in the order in which they are received, and will be delivered according to address on
ja24 ST. VALENTINE'S DAY.

Superior Clarets.

CHATEAU LA ROSE, CHATEAU LAFITTE, St. Julien,
Medoc, Contry &c., &c.
For Sale by CHAS. LONG.
no8

SALMON!

Columbia River Red Salmon
Of the Packing of 1873.
FOR SALE BY
H. HACKFELD & Co.
se27 tf

NOTICE.

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE AGENT of the Barque "PARAWAY," will be responsible for any debts contracted on account of he said vessel, without their written order.
no8

THE GRAND PACIFIC HOTEL!
CHICAGO.
The Largest and Most Complete Hotel in the World!

THE LESSEES (WELL KNOWN AS THE Proprietors of the SHERMAN HOUSE before its destruction in the Memorable Conflagration of October 8th and 9th, 1871), take pleasure in announcing the completion of this new enterprise, which is now open under their personal management for the accommodation of guests.
GAGE BROS. & RICE,
LESSEES FOR TWENTY YEARS.
Chicago, June 1st, 1873. ja17

NOTICE TO CAPTAINS
TOUCHING AT THE
Sandwich Islands.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL GIVE A FIRST RATE PRICE for the following
LIVE ANIMALS LANDED HERE,
—NAMELY—
A Lion & Lioness or Cubs,
A Spotted Leopard,
A Tiger,
A Variety of Deer,
A Zebra,
—BESIDES—
Anything Alive, Rare or Attractive!
APPLY TO
JOHN THOMAS WATERHOUSE.
ol8 3m Juan Fernandez Villa, Nuuanu Valley.

ESTABLISHED, 1851!

FOR SALE
WHOLESALE OR RETAIL
—AT—
Queen Street Wharf Store,
—EVERY—
VARIETY OF GOODS!
—SUITABLE—
For the Island Trade,
Islands of the Pacific, or
Northwestern Trade!
—CONSISTING OF—
DRY GOODS, GROCERIES
HARDWARE,
SLOPS, CLOTHING,
HATS, CAPS!

Shirts of Every Kind and Quality.
Silks, Prints, Denims, Blue Cotton,
Orange Cotton, Horrock's Long Cloth.

SADDLES AND SADDLERY!
Bits and Spurs of every kind, Mexican Saddles and Saddle Trees, with an almost endless variety of Goods, including Chalk, Whiting, Lamp Black, Plaster of Paris, and perhaps something the reader of this paper would not notice but of very great service when wanted.

Guns, Pistols, Powder, Shot, Caps,
CUTLERY, EVERY KIND!
And very suitable for Trading purposes. Fishing Twine, &c., &c.

WHALEMEN'S INFITS AND OUTFITS!
Anchors, Chains,
Wire Rope, Hubbuck's Paints, Hubbuck's Boiled Oil, Turps.

GROCERIES OF ALL KINDS!
BARRELS AND HALF BARRELS FINE RED
1873 Columbia River Salmon.
—THE—
Whole Invoice of Manila Rope!
KEATING'S PATENT,
EX BENVOIRLICH, JUST LANDED.
DOWNER'S KEROSENE OIL.
CARD MATCHES!
All the Card Matches to Arrive per Syren.

PORTLAND CEMENT!
The newest and best Portland Cement in the Market, guaranteed not only genuine Cement, but genuine Portland Cement, the same quality as used by the British Government and will, when used, remain firm as a rock; while some other kinds will, when most wanted, be found full of fissures, and the tanks empty, at a most inconvenient time.
THERE IS ALSO THE LATEST INVENTED
YANKEE RAT-TRAP!
RETAIL PRICES $2.00 EACH.
This trap beats all the puffs, and one of mine caught an old four-legged rat the other traps could not catch. It was at a Ladies' Seminary; and there was great joy over the event. The rat was under 80 years of age.

My sons J. T. WATERHOUSE, jr., and H. WATERHOUSE
Attend to the business, and will serve all customers
ON THE VERY BEST and MOST LIBERAL TERMS.

Country Orders Especially Invited.

JOHN THOS. WATERHOUSE.
oc18 3m

Maraschino, Curacoa,
ABSINTHE, CORDIALS, BITTERS OF Different Brands. In Bond or Duty Paid.
For Sale by CHAS. LONG.
no8

AUCTION SALE

BY C. S. BARTOW.

ON WEDNESDAY, : : FEBRUARY 4th,

At 10 O'clock, A. M., at Salesroom, will be sold,

An Attractive Assortment of

MERCHANDISE!

—COMPRISING—

DRESS GOODS,

WOOLEN GOODS,

MERINOES, COBOURGS,

DENIMS,

WHITE AND BROWN COTTONS!

LONG CLOTH, CASSIMERES,

CLOTHING, HATS.

At 12 O'clock, Noon,

BROWN SUGAR in KEGS and BAGS!

C. S. BARTOW, Auctioneer.

50 CORDS IRON WOOD

FOR SALE BY
se18 3m A. W. PEIRCE & CO.

NOTICE.

ALEX. CAMPBELL, Merchant Tailor,

WOULD MOST RESPECTFULLY INFORM the public that he has opened a

TAILOR-SHOP,

At No. 36 Fort Street, next door above Mr. McInerny, where he is prepared to execute any orders in the Tailoring Business that he may be favored with. ja17

A FINE CHANCE

FOR INVESTING A SMALL SUM

of money, or of securing

ONE OF THE MOST ELIGIBLE DWELLING LOTS

In the City of Honolulu, is now offered by the Undersigned. He is desirous to dispose of that fine and healthily situated piece of Land adjoining the Government Garden, and fronting School and Fort Streets—at the head of the latter.

Any one wishing to purchase should apply soon, as the Lot will be sold at a low figure. (ja3) J. ✠. LEMON.

COLONIAL SADDLES.

RECEIVED DIRECT FROM THE Colonies, per Brig ONWARD,

A Fine Assortment of

GENTLEMEN & STOCKMEN SADDLES,

made expressly for the undersigned.

P. DALTON, King St.

P. S.—All Saddles bought at Mr. Dalton's establishment Re-Stuffed Free of Charge. no22 3m

PARLOR ORGANS!

PARLOR ORGANS!!

Ex SYREN.

TWO SUPERIOR NEW PARLOR ORGANS, MADE BY

The New Haven Melodeon Company!

FOR SALE CHEAP BY

CASTLE & COOKE, Agents.

☞ Orders for Melodeons and Organs, from One Hundred Dollars and upwards received and filled with dispatch. no22

NEW GOODS

FOR THE

Fall Season.

CASTLE & COOKE

HAVE RECEIVED

—BY—

D. C. Murray and J. W. Seaver

FINE WEST OF ENGLAND BLACK and BLUE CLOTHS,
Fine Black Doeskins, Grey Buckskin,
All Wool Tweeds, just the style for winter.

Fine White Marseilles,

Fancy patterns, suitable for Ladies or Children's Dresses, and Gent's White Vests.

Plain and Striped Brown Linen Drilling, just the thing for Boy's and Men's working clothes.
Gent's Silk, Merino, All Wool and Cotton Undershirts.
Ladies' and Gent's Linen Cuffs, Gent's Collars,
A few dozen of Fine Black Silk Neck Ties, 6-8 and 3-4.
A superior assortment of Gent's and Ladies' Bleached and Unbleached Cotton Hose,

SUPERIOR ALL LINEN

TABLE DAMASK!

5-8 and 3-4 all Linen Napkins from $3.00 to $7.00 per dozen.
Cotton, Linen, Huckabuck and Damask Towels,

Linen and Cotton Sheeting!

61, 72, 80 and 100 inches.

Linen and Cotton for Pillow Slips.
10-4, 11-4, and 14-4 White Marseilles Quilts.

White Merino Blankets

72 by 84.

Scarlet, Blue, Green and White Blankets.
Java Canvas, a fine assortment of Pearl Buttons

AN ASSORTMENT OF

SHELF HARDWARE!

Door, Chest, Pad, Box, Cupboard and Till Locks,
Superior Padlocks, wrought iron, with Spring and Steel Keys.
Spring Chest Locks, 2 Keys each and no duplicates,
Spear & Jackson's Fine Saws, 12 to 28 inch, c c and rip.
Spear & Jackson's Files, all sizes and kinds 3 to 18 inch.
Harness, Bridle and Roller Buckles, Plated and Jap'd.
Saddle Rings, tinned and japanned, 2 1-2, 3 and 3 1-2 in.
Fish Hooks, No. 10 to 80 and larger.
Union and Wool Girths, Shoe Thread, Handled Axes,
Copper Tacks, 1-2 to 1 1-2 inch, Lightning Wood Saws,
Cooper's Tools, Sand Paper, Scrub Brushes, Iron Tacks.

ALSO, ON HAND:

American and English White Lead and Zinc Paints,
American and English Pale Boiled Linseed Oil, Turpentine,
Lamp Black, Yellow Ochre, French Yellow, Venitian Red,
Raw and Burnt Umber, Red Dry Vermillion, &c.

Good Assortment of Paints in Oil,

GENUINE DOWNER'S AND DEVOE'S

Kerosene Oil!

Copal, Damar, Carriage and Bright Varnish.
Hawaiian, California, Chemical, New York, Erasive, Boston, Olive, Pure Castile and Fancy

SOAPS!

—ALSO—

Paris, Eagle, 20 and 2 Steel XI and XO Horse Plows.

Shovels, Spades, Oo's, Scythes, Rakes, Hoes, &c., &c., &c., &c.

ALL ORDERS FILLED AT LOWEST MARKET RATES.
no8

AUCTION SALE

BY E. P. ADAMS.

REGULAR SALE!

ON TUESDAY, : : : : : : FEB. 3d!

At 10 O'clock, A. M., will be sold,

A CHOICE VARIETY OF DRY GOODS

CONSISTING IN PART OF

Heavy Denims, Blue and White Cottons,
Fancy Prints, Merinoes and Cobourgs,
Ticking and Stripes,
Mosquito Netting, Drills, Cloths.

CLOTHING, FANCY GOODS,

Groceries, &c., &c.

Felt Hats, Flannel Shirts, Merino Shirts,
Fine White Shirts, Fancy Colored Shirts.

FOR THE LADIES,

EXTRA HEAVY COLORED DRESS SILKS!

Men's Shoes, Coats and Pants!

Galvanized Pails, Pain Killer, Card Matches,
Yeast Powder, Sardines, Fine Tea, Oysters,
Cigars, Charcoal Irons, Hair Oil,
Candles, Crushed Sugar, &c., &c.

—ALSO—

Sacks Table Rice,

Sacks Brown Sugar

E. P. ADAMS, Auct'r.

Real Estate on Emma St.

ON SATURDAY, : : : FEBRUARY 21st,

At 12 O'clock, noon, at Salesroom, will be offered at Public Auction, that

PIECE OR PARCEL OF

REAL ESTATE WITH THE BUILDINGS

THEREON, SITUATED ON EMMA ST.,

adjoining the property of Her Royal Highness Ruka Keelikolani, and having a frontage of 59 feet on Emma Street and a depth of 146 feet.

A Good Substantial Cottage

and Outbuildings are upon the property, which is covered by a Variety of FRUIT AND ORNAMENTAL TREES, making it a very pleasant residence. Government water is laid on. TERMS AT SALE. Deeds at expense of purchaser.

E. P. ADAMS, Auct'r.

CONSTANTLY ON HAND!

A GENERAL ASSORTM'T OF

SHIP CHANDLERY & SHIP STORES,

For Sale by BOLLES & CO.

Hemp Cordage!

FOUR STRAND RUSSIA CORDAGE, ALL SIZES.
For Sale by BOLLES & CO.

Russia Bolt Rope!

AN ASSORTMENT OF SIZES.
For Sale by BOLLES & CO.

Manila Cordage!

FROM THE BOSTON FACTORY, ALL SIZES.
For Sale by BOLLES & CO.

Cotton Duck!

LAWRENCE FACTORY.
For Sale by BOLLES & CO.

Chain Cables & Iron Stock Anchors.

SIZES FROM 150 LBS. TO 4,000 LBS. CABLES from 3-8 inch to 1 5-8 inch.
For Sale by BOLLES & CO.

Blocks and Oars!

A FULL ASSORTMENT.
For Sale by BOLLES & CO.

Ship Stores!

AM. PRIME PORK. BEEF OF H. BERTLEMAN'S Packing.
For Sale by BOLLES & CO.

Codfish!

A FEW CASES OF EASTERN, IN SPLENDID Order.
For Sale by BOLLES & CO.

Flour Per "Comet!"

GOLDEN GATE, BAKER'S EXTRA, EXTRA Family, and Eldorado.
For Sale by BOLLES & CO.

Bread!

SALOON PILOT, CASES AND QR. CASES; PILOT Bread; Medium do.; Crackers, assorted.
For Sale by BOLLES & CO.

Columbia River Salmon!

CHOICE QUALITY, IN BARRELS AND HALF Barrels.
For Sale by BOLLES & CO.

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

Preserved Meats, Fruits, Vegetables.

FOR SALE BY
BOLLES & CO.

Tea, Coffee and Sugar.

FOR SALE BY
BOLLES & CO.

Crushed Sugar,

IN HALF BARRELS.
For sale by BOLLES & CO.

Lime and Cement.

CALIFORNIA LIME, PORTLAND CEMENT, California Brick.
For Sale by BOLLES & CO.

Sperm and Polar Oil.

VERY SUPERIOR QUALITY. FOR SALE IN Quantities to Suit by BOLLES & CO.

CANNED GOODS,

FROM CUTTING & CO.'S CELEBRATED FACTORY,

CASES MOCK TURTLE SOUP, CASES ROAST Beef, Cases Boiled Beef, Cases Roast Mutton, Cases Boiled Mutton, Cases Roast Veal, Cases Turkey, Cases Chicken, Cases Soups, &c., &c.
For Sale by BOLLES & CO.

Paints and Oil.

ENGLISH BOILED OIL, IN FIVE-GALL. DRUMS.
WHITE LEAD,
BLACK LEAD,
WHITE ZINC,
RED LEAD,
&c., &c., &c., &c.
For Sale by (ja24) BOLLES & CO.

To Graziers, Ranchmen, &c.

A FEW DURHAM AND SCOTCH ANGUS BULLS.

Also, Vermont French Merino Young Rams.

Apply to JOHN A. CUMMINS.
Waimanalo Ranch, January, 1874. ja10 3m

SUPERIOR SHERRY,

MADEIRA, ENGLISH AND CALIFORNIA PORTS, California Hock,
Rhine Wines of different brands.
no8 For Sale by CHAS. LONG.

CARPENTERS' SHOP.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG TO notify their friends and the public generally, that they have formed a Co-partnership and opened a Shop on the Esplanade, opposite Hopper's Barrel Factory, for the purpose of carrying on the business of

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Honolulu, Sept. 30, 1873. o4 3m

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Feb. 2d........Kona touching at Kaunakakai up and back
Feb. 11th........Circuit of Kauai
Feb. 16th........Hilo
Feb. 23rd........Kona and Kaunakakai
March 2d........Hilo
March 9th........Kona
March 18th........Circuit of Kauai
March 23d........Kona
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NOTICE.

THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES HAVING been taken from the Barracks at Honolulu, any person giving information of or returning the same will be suitably rewarded. Four Chassepot Rifles, two Sword Bayonets and one Sword Bayonet Scabbard. If any person is known to have any of the above articles, or any other property belonging to the War Department, in their possession, and does not return the same within thirty days from this date, they will be prosecuted.

JNO. O. DOMINIS, Governor of Oahu.

Office of Governor of Oahu, Honolulu, Oct. 3, 1873. o18

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RED, WHITE, MUSCAT, FRONTIGNAN, &c., &c. For Sale by
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THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned, expired by limitation on the 14th inst. All parties having accounts open with the late firm are requested to settle with Mr. ASSEE, who is duly authorized for that purpose.

ASSEE,
ACHONG.

Honolulu, Nov. 26, 1873. (no29 3m)

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Merino and Cotton Undershirts, Socks and Stockings,
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English Saddles, assorted qualities,
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Silk Umbrellas and Parasols,
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Fine China Breakfast & Tea Sets,

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Tarred Russian Cordage, Spunyarn

LOG LINES, FLAG LINES, &c.

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Gentlemen's List.	Cents.
White or Colored Shirts, Polished, each	10
White or Colored Shirts, Plain, each	8½
White or Colored Collars, Polished, each	4
White or Colored Collars, Plain, each	3½
White or Colored Cuffs, Polished, ℔ pair	4
White or Colored Cuffs, Plain, ℔ pair	3½
White Coats, each	12½
White Pants, each	10
White Vests, each	10
Cloth Coats, each	20
Cloth Pants, each	15
Cloth Vests, each	12½
Undershirts, each	6¼
Drawers, each	6¼
Night Shirts, each	6¼
Night Pants, each	5
Handkerchiefs, each	4
Socks or Stockings, ℔ pair	4
Ladies' List.	
Underclothing, Plain, each	6¼
Underclothing, Starched, each	8½
Underclothing, Starched and Fluted, for each Ruffle	10
Skirts, Plain, each	15
Skirts, Tucked or Fluted, (and 10c. for each Ruffle) each	25
Waists, Plain	8½
Waists, Tucked or Fluted, (and 10c. for each Ruffle) each	15
Waists, Tucked or Fluted, and extra with face, (and 10c for each Ruffle) each	25
Dresses, White or Colored, Plain	20
Dresses, Tucked or Fluted, (and 10c. for each Ruffle) each	50
Dresses, Ruffled with Heading, and extra with Lace, (and 25c. for each Ruffle) each	50
Night Dresses, Plain, each	6¼
Night Dresses, with Fluting, each (8c. for each Ruffle)	8½
Children's List.	
Nightgowns, Plain, each	4
Drawers, Plain, each	4
Drawers, Fluted, each	6¼
Waists, Plain, each	4
Skirts, Plain, each	5
Skirts, Tucked or Fluted, each, (and 10c for each Ruffle)	10
Slips, Plain, each	6¼
Slips, Tucked or Fluted, each, (and 10c for each Ruffle)	8½
Dresses, Plain, each	8½
Dresses, Tucked or Fluted, each, (and 10c for each Ruffle)	12½
Socks or Stockings, ℔ pair	2½
Household List.	
Table Cloths, Large, Plain, each	20
Table Cloths, Large, Starched, each	25
Table Cloths, Medium, Plain, each	12½
Table Cloths, Medium, Starched, each	15
Table Cloths, Small, Plain, each	6¼
Table Cloths, Small, Starched, each	10
Sheets, Single, each	6¼
Sheets, Double, each	8½
Towels, each	3½
Napkins, each	4
Pillow Slips, Plain	4
Pillow Slips, Starched	6¼
Pillow Slips, Fluted	10
Counterpanes, Large, each	25
Counterpanes, Small, each	12½
Blankets, Large, each	20
Blankets, Medium, each	15
Blankets, Small, each	12½
Window Curtains, Large, each	20
Window Curtains, Medium, each	15
Window Curtains, Small, each	12½
Mosquito Nets, each	50

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THE PACIFIC

Commercial Advertiser.

PHASES OF THE MOON FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1874—HONOLULU MEAN TIME.

Feb. 1st—Full Moon........0 4.5 AM
9th—Last Quarter........5 57.5 AM
16th—New Moon........8 43.7 AM
23d—First Quarter........0 14.3 AM

TIME OF SUN RISING AND SETTING.

Feb. 1st—Sun Rises.....6 41 AM; Sun Sets.....5 47 PM
8th—Sun Rises.....6 38.5 AM; Sun Sets.....5 50.5 PM
15th—Sun Rises.....6 34 AM; Sun Sets.....5 55 PM
22d—Sun Rises.....6 29.7 AM; Sun Sets.....5 57.7 PM
28th—Sun Rises.....6 24.5 AM; Sun Sets.....6 00.5 PM

CAPT. DANIEL SMITH.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 31.

Official Notifications.

It has pleased His Majesty the King to appoint Paul Isenberg, Esq., a Noble of the Kingdom.
Interior Office, Jan. 22, 1874.

SUPREME COURT—CLERK'S OFFICE, JAN. 26, 1874.—It is hereby ordered that the February Term, A. D. 1874, of the Fourth Judicial Circuit Court, to be held at Nawiliwili, Island of Kauai, on Tuesday, the 3d day of February next, be postponed from said 3d of February to and until Thursday, the 12th day of said February. By order of the Court.

WALTER R. SEAL, Clerk.

Saturday, the 31st of January, being the birth-day of His Majesty the King, will be observed as a national holiday. Government offices will be closed on that day throughout the Kingdom.

EDWIN O. HALL, Minister of the Interior.
Interior Office, Jan. 26, 1874.

NOTICE TO FAMILY BOARDING SCHOOLS FOR HAWAIIAN GIRLS.—From and after July 1st, 1874, no capitation fees will be allowed by the Board of Education for any pupil over ten years of age who shall have been entered at any Family Boarding School after the date above named; and no claim for capitation fees will be allowed after July 1st, 1874, for any pupils over sixteen years of age.

Capitation fees will be allowed for pupils who shall have attended schools of this class regularly from their tenth year, should they have been transferred to another Family Boarding School at any time between their tenth and sixteenth years of age; but the *rate* of capitation for such pupils shall be reckoned only from the date at which they shall have been admitted into the school claiming fees thereon, without reference to the time that shall have been spent in schools previously attended.

It shall be necessary that pupils transferred as above stated, and for whom capitation fees shall be asked, shall have been creditably discharged from the school previously attended; and that the schools claiming fees thereon shall be subject to the regulations of the Board of Education published June 8th, 1865. By order of the Board of Education.

W. JAS. SMITH, Sec'y.
Honolulu, Jan. 26, 1874.

NOTES OF THE WEEK.

☞ The Hawaiian Mission Childrens' Society will meet this evening at 7½ o'clock, at the residence of Mr. J. G. Dickson.

MASONIC.—The regular monthly meeting of Hawaiian Lodge, No. 21, F. & A. M., will be held on Monday evening next, February 2d, at 7½ o'clock, in Makee's Block.

HIS MAJESTY'S BIRTHDAY.—To-day, January 31st is the birthday of King LUNALILO, and a united people, who would otherwise celebrate the day with public rejoicings, are sorrowing for a King stretched upon a bed of sickness. His Majesty was born in 1835, and is therefore 39 years old.

FIREMEN'S BALL.—The ball of "Mechanic" Engine Co. No. 2, celebrating their 21st anniversary, will take place on Tuesday evening next at the Hawaiian Hotel. Tickets at Dr. Hoffmann's Drug Store and at Whitney's.

ANOTHER SALOON FINED.—Last Thursday, before Judge Kapena, the case of Mr. W. L. Green, proprietor of the Royal Hotel, charged with selling spirits to a native, resulted in a conviction. The defendant was ordered to pay a fine of $60, with $5.30 costs.

KILLED BY A FALL.—Last Saturday, a little native girl, between three and four years old, was playing on the bank of the Nuuanu stream, while its mother was below engaged in washing clothes, when it fell from the plank bridge, a distance of some twelve feet, on to the rock below. The skull was found to be fractured, and the child died in a few hours.

A LONG CRUISE.—The schooner *Pauahi* left this port for Hilo on the 9th of December and arrived here on Thursday last, 29th of January, having been absent fifty days—quite long enough to have made the trip to California and back. But she has experienced almost continuous bad weather on the coast of Hawaii, and lost two anchors before getting a load of sugar.

IN THE foreign news column of Wednesday's *Gazette* we have some of the lucubrations of a correspondent of a New Zealand paper, writing from Honolulu, and describing the "gentle savages" of the Navigator Islands; but his account of them is so "mixed" that people abroad will quite naturally think that he is talking about the Hawaiians. He says "they will do anything for money," but that "any one coming this way will do better far with old clothes in the way of barter than can be done with money. An old shirt will get fruit, shells, clubs, or fancy grass-made counterpanes. We stopped at Honolulu seven days," &c. It is to be hoped that tourists by the new steamship line will not take the advice of this writer and attempt to flood us with "old clo."

SPORTING.—It would be well for the Government to take the pains to inform strangers arriving here from abroad, whether travelers or persons attached to national vessels, that we have a law forbidding the carrying of guns for sporting purposes in the neighborhood of this city without special license. Quite recently, as we are informed, two strangers were seen gunning at Waikiki, and one of the results of their "sport" was the shooting of a valued white cockatoo, belonging to a resident of the city, and which had a nest and was breeding in a tree at Waikiki. The law reads as follows:

"Section 2. Any person in said District (Honolulu) who shall use or carry for sporting purposes, any gun, carbine, rifle, pistol, or other fire-arms, without having first obtained a license as hereinbefore provided, shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined in a sum not to exceed fifty dollars for every such offense, and in default of payment of such sum, shall be imprisoned at hard labor until such fine and costs are paid, according to law."

RAIN-FALL AT KOOLAU.—Mr. J. K. Wilder, at Kaalaea, on the windward side of this island, (whom Capt. Daniel Smith characterizes as a competent and careful observer) gives the following as his record for the year 1873:

January	4.57	July	3.21
February	8.75	August	1.75
March	19.	September	2.61
April	3.44	October	1.89
May	1.71	November	2.62
June	1.41	December	18.52
Total			69.46

And for the present month of January he records:

January	4	.26 inches	January	18	4.67 inches
"	5	.22 "	"	19	1.50 "
"	6	.19 "	"	20	.37 "
"	8	.21 "	"	21	.15 "
"	9	.13 "	"	22	1.60 "
"	11	5.58 "	"	23	.14 "
"	16	1.32 "	"	24	.09 "
"	17	1.29 "	"	26	.17 "
Total					17.20

GOOD TEMPLARS.—On Monday evening next, at Queen Emma Lodge, No. 2, I. O. G. T., the following elected and appointed officers will be installed for the ensuing term:

Wm. G. Blake........W. C. T.
Mrs. H. B. Townsend........W. V. T.
Wm. H. Johnson........W. S.
J. G. M. Sheldon........W. F. S.
James W. Maguire........W. T.
Henry Hart........W. M.
S. Zablan........W. I. G.
John Kauka........W. O. G.
James Iles........W. R. H. S.
Miss S. L. Sheldon........W. L. H. S.
Mrs. H. N. Harrison........W. D. M.
T. H. Harrison........W. Chaplain
Henry L. Sheldon........P. W. C. T.

—On Tuesday evening next, the following officers of Honolulu Lodge, No. 5, will be installed:

John Freeman........W. C. T.
Mrs. Elizabeth Freeman........W. V. T.
H. L. Chase........W. S.
D. Quintan........W. F. S.
Geo. Trimble........W. T.
N. Murphy........W. M.
Chas. Turner........W. I. G.
C. S. Cooke........W. O. G.
John White........W. Chaplain
James Dower........P. W. C. T.

ANOTHER.—Yesterday in the Police Court, William Hughes, licensee of the Bartlett Saloon, was fined $300 for selling spirits to natives. Second offense.

THE TRADES.—After an interruption of about a month, last Thursday brought a puff of the welcome trade winds once more, creating at a vast difference for the better in the atmosphere.

CRICKET.—We learn that there will be a match played on the plain, east of the city, to-day, between eleven officers of H. B. M. S. *Tenedos* and eleven Honoluluans. Wickets pitched at 11 o'clock.

THE ELECTION.—Next Monday is election day for Representatives, and judging from the large number of candidates in the field, the contest will be a spirited one in Honolulu. There is no immediate party issue or principle involved, and the vote will probably turn on the activity and personal popularity of the aspirants. The following is a list of the candidates, so far as we are advised:

W. C. Jones, J. O. Carter,
H. L. Sheldon, W. L. Moehonua,
J. Kahai, Z. Poli,
E. Mikalemi, A. Kalauli,
J. Kakina, G. W. Pilipo,
W. S. Pahukula, D. Malo,
J. K. Unauna, J. Kaili,
D. Kahanu.

FIREMEN'S PARADE.—The Fire Department has its annual parade to-day. The following is the route to be followed by the procession: Starting from the Bell Tower at 10½ A. M., up Hotel to Maunakea, down Maunakea to King, along King to Nuuanu, down Nuuanu to Queen, along Queen to Fort, up Fort to King, along King to Punchbowl, up Punchbowl to Beretania, along Beretania to Fort, up Fort to Kukui, along Kukui to Nuuanu, down Nuuanu to Beretania, where No. 4 will pass in review—down Nuuanu to King, where No. 1 will pass in review—down King to Fort, when the Hose Co., will pass in review—up Fort street to the Bell Tower, where No. 2 and the Hook & Ladder Co., will pass in review. Previous to taking up the line of march, there will be an interesting ceremony, being the presentation by Chief Engineer Hassinger in the name of "Mechanic" No. 2, to Messrs. Wm. B. Wright, Richard Gilliland, and Wm. Adams, of appropriate badges, they being the three surviving members of the original organization 21 years ago.

Thirty Days of Hawaiian History—7.

BY SANFORD B. DOLE.

THE LEGISLATIVE ELECTION FOR KING.

As the eighth of January drew near, rumors began to circulate to the effect that Col. Kalakaua was making every effort to influence the legislators in his favor, and much uneasiness was felt lest the election of the first should be reversed by the action of the Legislature, in which case there seemed little doubt but that serious civil disorder would ensue. On the afternoon of Monday the sixth, these rumors developed into definite reports, and it was stated that Hon. Mr. Kipi, a member from Hawaii of considerable influence, had been gained over by Col. Kalakaua. Later in the evening several more members were reported to have followed Mr. Kipi.

Kalakaua had staked his hopes on the legislative election. It does not appear that he entered the election of the first of January as a candidate, but simply strove by his proclamation and in other ways to cause its failure.

Tuesday had been appointed for the funeral of the late king, but after the troops and people began to assemble for the procession, the clouds which had been gathering on the mountains through the morning, darkened the whole sky and poured down a copious shower which scattered the gathered mourners and caused the funeral to be postponed till Saturday. In the evening the accounts of the recreancy of representatives became more definite and alarming, and it seemed doubtful whether the election of the Prince could be carried, especially as it was believed that a considerable number of the nobles were unfavorable to him. The excitement in the city of Honolulu both among natives and foreigners was great, and the morrow was awaited with anxious foreboding.

The eighth of January opened with a bright, calm morning. All business was given up to the one work of the day,—the settlement of the succession to the throne. During the forenoon the streets were filled with groups of people of all classes and races, eagerly talking over the coming event. The latest rumors as to the position of the different representatives were discussed with discouraging conclusions. The nobles were weighed in the balances of public opinion but without brightening the prospect. Actual fighting was regarded as inevitable should the election reverse the vote of the first. Many prepared themselves for emergencies by arming.

Early in the morning Prince Lunalilo with a number of his friends debated the events of the day and their possible results. Little satisfaction was gained from this consultation. They were unable to count enough undoubted supporters in the Assembly to ensure the election. The Prince was grave and anxious. He was aware of the spirit of the people and that it was their resolute determination to greet him as King that day. No one could divine all that might happen.

At the same time quite a different scene was taking place at Kalakaua's house. The gallant Colonel was preparing himself and his friends for the fortunes of the day over the viands of a well appointed breakfast, to which a number of the representatives and others had been invited. The affair was generally regarded as a political move, but whatever may have been the intention, the meal passed off in an ordinary manner, and little was said about the claims of the rivals to the throne. The number present was small.

Noon was the time fixed for the sitting of the Legislature, and as it drew near the current of movement in the streets, tended toward the Court House; many of the crowd were armed with stones and cudgels and some with revolvers, borne with a grim determination to see the question settled immediately and their choice proclaimed as King in one way if not in another. They thronged into the Court House square and surrounded the building, where they quietly waited for such instruction as events might afford. When the doors of the audience division of the Legislative Hall were opened, those nearest thronged in and filled it at once. At noon the Assembly was called to order. Nearly all of the members were in their seats. A few moments later a tumultuous cheering from the crowd outside announced the arrival of the Prince, who had walked over from his residence with two or three friends. When he entered the Hall, the audience arose and welcomed him with hearty shouts.

Business was opened by the presentation and reading by the Cabinet of the late king, documents relating to his demise and to their subsequent official action. The motion was then made that the Legislature proceed immediately to the election of a king from among the chiefs of the kingdom, according to the provision of the Constitution for a vacancy in the succession; when this was passed, Lunalilo left the Hall, and awaited in an adjoining room, the result. As the members had taken their seats they had each received a duplicate letter from Col. Kalakaua, stating his claim to the throne as being a member of an ancient and honorable line of Hawaiian chieftains, and requesting their votes in the ensuing election. The letter was manly in its tone and couched in simple and appropriate language quite different from his gorgeous manifesto of the twenty-eighth of December. He was not present through the proceedings but remained at the Palace with the military on guard over the still unburied corpse of the late king. Another paper printed over the signature of "The People" was also distributed among the members reminding them of the national decision of New Year's day and suggesting that they should all sign their names to their ballots that it might be known who, if any, should try to thwart the wishes of the people. For the more successful carrying out of this suggestion, Mr. Simon Kaai, member from Hawaii, made the extraordinary motion that each member should sign his name to the back of his ballot. After some trifling opposition from Mr. Kipi and one or two others, the motion was carried with little or no dissent in the show of hands. It is undeniable that the threatening and determined aspect of the concourse of people in and around the building awed the positive opposition which certainly existed, into apparent compliance. The balloting took place immediately upon the passage of this resolution. The members being called off by the clerk went up one by one to the table and deposited their votes. Then one of the tellers read them off with the signatures endorsed upon them. It was a thrilling moment. The audience in the Hall and the great crowd outside were as silent as the grave and almost breathless with excitement. The first ballot was told off "Lunalilo for King." The next was the same; and the next. As each one was reported, the result was telegraphed by those who thronged the open windows to the people below. So the telling went on in the hushed stillness of the great assembly, till as the number reached a bare majority and thus far, all for Lunalilo, a cheer came up from the grounds and gathering strength burst in a deafening roar which rose and fell like the crisis of a storm; the outskirts of the crowd took up the refrain and the streets leading into the square sent on their answering shouts. Never before had the capital been the scene of equal enthusiasm. The whole city echoed with the triumphant acclamations, and suburbans miles away listened to the hearty welcome of the new King.

When the counting of ballots was over in the Hall, showing a unanimous vote for Lunalilo, the audience arose and hailed the result in a manner which was an echo of the outside enthusiasm. In a few minutes the King appeared on the western balcony of the Court House and was vociferously welcomed by the dense throng of his new subjects below. He made a short speech both in the Hawaiian and English languages; and then, dispensing with the carriages that were awaiting him, set out for Iolani the Palace on foot; but he did not go alone; there was indeed no military cortege; no drums and bugles announced his progress; no uniforms and feathers lent their glory to this triumphal march. Bareheaded and reverently the King walked, with the Chancellor of the Kingdom at his side, while the people did him honorable escort. The great crowd who gave him his first welcome as King, surged around him in solid mass as he went, and thus the imposing procession moved through the streets, citizens all, vanguard and rearguard and heralded only by the hearty hurrahs of the populace.

When night came the town blazed with illuminations, and a huge torchlight procession, organized by the patriotic German Club, wound its dazzling way through the place for hours.

THE CORONATION—THE FUNERAL—8.

The thirty days are almost over. Their work is accomplished. Hawaiian citizenship is vindicated. A step upward is achieved. It remains but to mention the attendant ceremonies of the opening of the new regime and the closing of the old.

The morning comes with the usual tropic brilliancy. The whole community is astir. Everybody is out for the grateful work of the day. Flags flutter gaily from staffs and masts. The interior of the great stone church shines with flags and flowers. The people, their guests,—the commissioners, navy-men and strangers from other lands,—their nobles and rulers, themselves, the king-makers, with their wives and children gather in the pews and galleries and throng the aisles and fill the church-yard. The soldiery of the kingdom make a lane to the church door. At noon the King with a few officials of high rank and attended by the glittering staff of the late king, comes on foot to the church and passes up the aisle to the platform; his arrival is greeted with acclamations. The ceremony is rather like the inauguration of a president than the coronation of a king. The Hawaiians have no ancestral crown, but the splendid emblem of sovereignty the royal feather robe is laid over the throne, and seated upon its shining folds, Lunalilo the King, receives the glad recognition of his subjects while discharges of artillery from Punchbowl and the men-of-war add their loud acclaim. After the oath of office is sworn, the King delivers addresses to the Legislature and to the people in both languages. It is an impressive scene; the young King, dressed in plain black, with his fine and commanding figure and dignified bearing, surrounded by the attendant officials in brilliant uniforms, and the enthusiastic assembly in holiday attire. The aid and blessing of the King of Kings is besought in earnest words of prayer, and then the venerable old church is left to its own week day solitude.

Again the city is wholly given up to rejoicing. Again as the sun goes down, lights flash from villa and cottage and the army of torches drives the night before it through the streets.

One more day. The remains of His late Majesty are on the way to their unseasonable burial. The procession is imposing with military display, and well appointed arrangements. Home and foreign officials tread the dead march in their places with manner of appropriate solemnity. Stately kahilis move in gloomy majesty around the funeral car. Out from under the black pall which half hides the splendid coffin, flashes the golden sheen of the royal feather cloak. The national band lament the dead in classic strains from the old masters. And yet few unofficial mourners follow the pageant. The people are there as spectators only and line the roadside instead of making a part of the procession. Joy rather than sorrow is the popular expression, and as the new King passes as chief mourner, scarce can the shouts of the roadside throngs be restrained, in spite of the solemnity of the occasion. When the funeral ceremonies are ended, the last prayer said, the vollies fired, the black kahilis placed standing before the Mausoleum door, then the prevailing joy and gladness break forth and Lunalilo rides back to his Palace and the duties of his reign with the jubilant acclaim of a spontaneous ovation of his subjects.

THE END.

MR. EDITOR:—The law is for all, and must make no distinction in respect to individuals and no discrimination in regard to offenses. You must not get up a hue and cry against one kind of misdeed, and let another sleep; or if you do so discriminate, you ought to attack the greater wrong and let the lesser repose till a more convenient time. But the chief officer of the law is not doing so, at this time. He is occupied with what concerns the stomach, and is neglecting entirely what concerns the heart of the people. He is only anxious about that which may stupify the body, and entirely indifferent about that which may poison the mind. He is busy with a moral broom and the strength of the law to sweep away or pour out vials of extract from corn, rye, molasses and juniper, which are capable no doubt of doing a certain measure of hurt, when abused; but he will not touch the filthy extracts from nasty men's minds, which are ever spread before the people as mental food, and must do incalculable hurt however used. But let him present a correctly translated chapter of Robiana Lo before any intelligent jury of Christian men, and as many bottles of illicit rum as he may please on the other hand, and he would soon see which they would indict as the greater crime. ***

Awa on Kauai.

KAUAI, Jan. 20th, 1874.

To the Editor of the Pacific Commercial Advertiser:

SIR:—Owing to the frequency of meeting people on the public roads with quantities of Awa root slung to their saddles, and as frequent seeing its effects in the bloated countenances of some who use it,—I ask for information if the laws enacted for the regulation of its sale and use are still in force, or not. I ask this more particularly because its use (or rather abuse) in this District is unmistakably very much on the increase, and the supply comes from Honolulu.

Yours, &c., HANALEI.

[The laws regulating the sale and use of Awa are still intact on the statute book, though there has been for years a great deal of laxity in their enforcement; so much so, that until within a few months past they have been looked upon as dead-letter statutes in this city. At present however, it is supposed that the laws are in some degree carried out, although without constant supervision things are likely to drift back into the old channel. There is one Awa license for Kauai, and that is at Hanalei, from whence our correspondent writes. Possibly the supplies may be obtained from Honolulu by the Hanalei licensee. For the information of our correspondent, and as a guide for his further investigations on the subject of the Awa traffic, we refer him to Chapter 55 of the Penal Code, Sections 1 to 5 inclusive.—ED. P. C. A.]

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 31.

Mark Twain and the Ladies.

At the anniversary festival of the Scottish Corporation of London on Monday evening, in response to the toast of "The Ladies,"

Mark Twain replied. He said—I am proud, indeed, of the distinction of being chosen to respond to this especial toast, to "The Ladies," or to women if you please, for that is the preferable term, perhaps; it is certainly the older, and therefore the more entitled to reverence. (Laughter.) I have noticed that the Bible, with that plain, blunt honesty which is such a conspicuous characteristic of the Scriptures, is always particular to never refer to even the illustrious mother of all mankind herself as a "lady," but speaks of her as a woman. (Laughter.) It is old, but you will find it is so. I am peculiarly proud of this honor, because I think that the toast to women is one which, by right and by every rule of gallantry, should take precedence of all others—of the army, of the navy, of even royalty itself—perhaps, though the latter is not necessary in this day and in this land, for the reason that, tacitly, you do drink a broad general health to all good women when you drink the health of the Queen of England and the Princess of Wales. (Loud cheers.) I have in mind a poem just now which is familiar to you all, familiar to everybody. And what an inspiration that was (and how instantly the present toast recalls the verses to all our minds) when the most noble, the most gracious, the purest, and sweetest of all poets says:—

"Woman! O woman——or——
Wom——"

(Laughter.) However, you remember the lines; and you remember how feelingly, how daintily, how almost imperceptibly the verses raise up before you, feature by feature, the ideal of a true and perfect woman; and how, as you contemplate the finished marvel, your homage grows into worship of the intellect that could create so fair a thing out of mere breath, mere words. And you call to mind now, as I speak, how the poet, with stern fidelity to the history of all humanity, delivers this beautiful child of his heart and his brain over to the trials and the sorrows that must come to all, sooner or later, that abide in the earth, and how the pathetic story culminates in that apostrophe—so wild, so regretful, so full of mournful retrospection. The lines run thus:—

"Alas!—alas!—a—alas!
——Alas!———alas!"

—and so on. (Laughter.) I do not remember the rest; but, taken altogether, it seems to me that poem is the noblest tribute to woman that human genius has ever brought forth—(laughter)—and I feel that if I were to talk hours I could not do my great theme completer or more graceful justice than I have now done in simply quoting that poet's matchless words. (Renewed laughter.) The phases of the womanly nature are infinite in their variety. Take any type of woman, and you shall find in it something to respect, something to admire, something to love. And you shall find the whole joining you heart and hand. Who was more patriotic than Joan of Arc? Who was braver? Who has given us a grander instance of self-sacrificing devotion? Ah! you remember, you remember well, what a throb of pain, what a great tidal wave of grief swept over us all when Joan of Arc fell at Waterloo. (Much laughter.) Who does not sorrow for the loss of Sappho, the sweet singer of Israel. (Laughter.) Who among us does not miss the gentle ministrations, the softening influences, the humble piety of Lucretia Borgia? (Laughter.) Who can join in the heartless libel that says woman is extravagant in dress when he can look back and call to mind our simple and lowly mother Eve arrayed in her modification of the Highland costume. (Roars of laughter.) Sir, women have been soldiers, women have been painters, women have been poets. As long as language lives the name of Cleopatra will live. And, not because she conquered George III.—(laughter)—but because she wrote those divine lines—

"Let dogs delight to bark and bite,
For God hath made them so."

(More laughter.) The story of the world is adorned with the names of illustrious ones of our own sex—some of them sons of St. Andrew, too—Scott, Bruce, Burns, the warrior Wallace, Ben Nevis—(laughter)—the gifted Ben Lomond, and the great new Scotchman, Ben Disraeli. (Great laughter.) Out of the great plains of history tower whole mountain ranges of sublime women—the Queen of Sheba, Josephine, Scmiramis, Sairey Gamp; the list is endless—(laughter)—but I will not call the mighty roll, the names rise up in your own memories at the merc suggestion, luminous with the glory of deeds that cannot die, hallowed by the loving worship of the good and the true of all epochs and all climes. (Cheers.) Suffice it for our pride and our honor that we in our day have added to it such names as those of Grace Darling and Florence Nightingale. (Cheers.) Woman is all that she should be—gentle, patient, long suffering, trustful, unselfish, full of generous impulses. It is her blessed mission to comfort the sorrowing, plead for the erring, encourage the faint of purpose, succor the distressed, uplift the fallen, be-friend the friendless—in a word, afford the healing of her sympathies and a home in her heart for all the bruised and persecuted children of misfortune that knock at her hospitable door. (Cheers.) And when I say, God bless her, there is none among us who has known the ennobling affection of a wife, or the steadfast devotion of a mother but in his heart will say, Amen! (Loud and prolonged cheering.)—*English paper.*

Mr. Coville Goes to Count His Shingles.

[From the Danbury News.]

There are men who dispute what they do not understand. Mr. Coville is such a man. When he heard a carpenter say that there were so many shingles on the roof of his house because the roof contained so many square feet, Coville doubted the figures, and when the carpenter went away he determined to test the matter by going up on the roof and counting them. And he went up there. He squeezed through the scuttle—Coville weighs 230 pounds—and then sat down on the roof and worked his way carefully and deliberately toward the gutter. When he got part way down, he heard a sound between him and the shingles, and became aware that there was an interference, some way, in his further locomotion. He tried to turn over and crawl back, but the obstruction held him. Then he tried to move along a little, in hopes that the trouble would prove but temporary, but an increased sound convinced him that either a nail or a sliver had hold of his cloth, and that if he would save any of it he must use caution. His folks were in the house, but he could not make them hear, and, besides, he didn't want to attract the attention of the neighbors. So he sat there until after dark and thought. It would have been an excellent opportunity to have counted the shingles, but he neglected to use it. His mind appeared to run in other channels. He sat there an hour after dark, seeing no one he could notify of his position. Then he saw two boys approach the gate from the house, and watching there, stop. It was light enough for him to see that one of the two was his son, and although he objected to have the other boy knowing of his misfortune, yet he had grown tired of holding on to the roof, and concluded he could bribe the strange boy into silence. With this arrangement mapped out, he took out his knife, and threw it so that it would strike near to the boys and attract their attention. It struck nearer than he anticipated. In fact, it struck so close as to hit the strange boy on the head and nearly brain him. As soon as he recovered his equilibrium, he turned on Coville's boy, who, he was confident, had attempted to kill him, and introduced some astonishment and bruises in his face. Then he threw him down, and kicked him in the side and banged him on the head, and drew him after him to the gutter, and pounded his legs, and then hauled him back to the walk again and knocked his head against the gate. And all the while the elder Coville sat on the roof, and screamed for the police, but couldn't get away. And then Mrs. Coville dashed out with a broom, and contributed a few novel features to the affair at the gate, and one of the boarders dashed out with a double-barreled gun, and hearing the cries from the roof, looked up there, and espying a figure which was undoubtedly a burglar, drove a handful of shot into his legs. With a howl of agony Coville made a plunge to dodge the missiles, and freed himself from the nail, lost his hold to the roof, and went sailing down the shingles with fearful velocity, both legs spread out, his hair on end, and his hands making desperate but fruitless efforts to save himself. He tried to swear, but was so frightened that he lost his power of speech, and when he passed over the edge of the roof, with twenty feet of tin gutter hitched to him, the boarder gave him the contents of the other barrel, and then dove into the house to load up again. The unfortunate Coville struck into a cherry tree, and thence bounded to the ground, where he was recognized, picked up by the assembled neighbors, and carried into the house. A new doctor is making good day wages picking the shot out of his legs. The boarder has gone into the country to spend the summer, and the junior Coville, having sequestered a piece of brick in his handkerchief, is laying low for that other boy. He says that before the calm of another Sabbath rests on New England there will be another boy in Danbury who can't wear a cap.

The New York *World* holds that the inability of England to supply the iron market of the world at a cheap rate arises, not from a failure in the supply of coal or labor, but from the increased demand for iron. Railroads, iron ships and iron buildings created such a demand that the price was raised, and the prices of the material and labor employed in its manufacture followed. According to a universal law, competition grew, as the market expanded. No matter what has brought the change about, one fact is clear, at least, namely, that England has lost the American market. Our manufacturers have loosened the industry of the country from the death grapple of the invader, and may now lay plans for carrying the war into Africa. This much is clear from the following statement of the London *Times* of August 29th:

The protective tariff, it had been hoped, would prove in the event prohibitive. But English manufacturers were found able, in spite of it, to undersell the American on his own ground. Of the commoner kinds of iron which were used in the United States the English sent about one-half, and of the more finished products of skilled labor about four-fifths. Up to 1872 this proportion continued; but from that date onward the change has been remarkable. Step by step the Americans have obtained possession of their own market. In 1872 we were actually undersold, and an immense impulse was given to the American native industry. All over the Pennsylvanian iron district there were signs of a newly-created life. Furnaces were kindled, rail-mills and rolling-mills were everywhere erected. A new prospect, which he had never dreamt of, seemed opening out to the American manufacturer. If he were now to make a vigorous effort, he might dislodge his English rival; and the hopes thus formed were not destined to be disappointed. One of the finest markets we ever possessed has been gradually closed to our goods. The demand for our iron has greatly decreased, and Americans are found to buy only what they have not as yet the means to supply themselves with at home. The statistics of the year 1872 tell their own tale. In the first half of 1872, when our trade had already slackened, we still found a sale in America for 444,000 tons of iron. In the same period of 1873 we sent only 228,000 tons—as nearly as possible one-half of the year previous. But the price we obtained for the entire amount imported was reduced only by one-third. We had charged in 1872 about £9 a ton for iron in America; in 1873 we charged £12, and the result is that Americans can produce their iron more cheaply at home.

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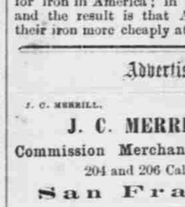

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