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The Costa Rica Packet Case.

The decision of M. de Martens, the arbitrator in the case of the Costa Rica Packet, an Australian whaler, which was wrongfully seized by the Dutch in the Moluccas in November, 1891, and whose captain was imprisoned, was announced at the Hague recently. According to this decision the Dutch Government has to pay the captain, crew, and owners of the vessel a total sum of 8,550%, with interest from Nov. 2, 1891, and a further sum of 2501, as

Reuter's agency states that the bark Costa Rica Packet was a whaling vessel owned by a syndicate of Sydney merchants and commanded by Captain John C. Carpenter, a South Sea whaler of 20 years experience. On a whaling cruise the vessel put into Ternate, one of the Moluceas, for fresh provisions and medical assistance. The chief Dutch official, the Government resident, at once had Captain Carpenter arrested, and without giving any reason threw him into prison. The captain begged in vain to be informed of the offence with which he was charged, protested that his detention would entail great loss on himself and the owners of the Costa Rica Packet, the whaling season being still at its height, and finally offered to give bail for 100,000 guilders (8,0001.) as security that he would return at the end of the season and answer any charge then brought against him. The resident abruptly refused the offer, stating that there was no such thing as bail in Dutch colonies, and ordered Captain Carpenter's immediate removal to the common gaol. After lying there for four days the captain was roused in the middle of the night and taken on board a Dutch steamer bound for Macassar, the capital of the Celebes, which was reached after a voyage of ten days. Here Captain Carpenter was again taken to the common gaol for criminals, and was placed in a filthy dungeon inscribed on the outside, "For condemned Europeans." He found it already occupied, however, by a Malay prisoner, who was lying ill and almost helpless, and with whom he was confined for nearly a fortnight, the horrible condition of the cell becoming, if possible, worse daily. At the end of a week Captain Carpenter was informed for the first time of the offence alleged against him. It was piracy on the high seas. Three years before Captain Carpenter had fallen in with a dereliet prah, some thirty miles from land. He sent a boat to examine the abandoned vessel, and his men on their return brought with them two cases of brandy and a tin of oil. Captain Carpenter entered the circumstances in his log, and shortly afterwards reported the matter to the Dutch authorities at Batjan, in the Moluccas. This was the basis of the charge preferred against him. Captain Carpenter was now brought before a magistrate, who, after examining him five times in private, committed him for trial. No evidence was taken. Six days afterwards the sheriff came to Captain Carpenter's cell and told him to get his traps ready. He did so, and after being taken to the prison gateway was told he might go, the sheriff using a Malay word equivalent to the English "Clear out." He was thus turned adrift and left to get back to his ship, 1,000 miles away, as best he could. The whole circumstances of Captain Carpenter's experiences were investigated by a select committee of inquiry of the New South Wales

Legislative council, and the result

was communicated to the home

Government. When the matter was

brought to the attention of the

Dutch Government the latter at first

refused to consider the question of

presentations having been made negotiations on the subject were opened. In July, 1893, Lord Rosebury suggested that the Dutch Government should pay Captain Carpenter 2,500%, in full settlement of all claims, and this the Dutch were apparently willing to do, but the proposal was opposed in Australia, where the select committee of inquiry had assessed the claims which should be made at 10,000t. for Captain Carpenter, 10,000%, for the owners of the Costa Rica Packet, and 5,000% for the crew. Eventually it was agreed to refer the matter to arbitration, the late Emperor Alexander III. being asked to select an umpire. In September, 1895, his Majesty appointed Professor de Martens, Russian Councillor of State, who has now given his decision.-From Lloyda Weekly.

#### BY POLICE AT CALLAO.

Inquiry here confirms the story coming from Lima to the effect that the State Department has lodged a demand with the United States charge of legation at Lima for the release of the mate of the American bark "Uncle John." He was ashore on December 19 last at Callao, and was arrested because of his constant demand for "Rainier Beer." On tap or in bottles at the Criterion Saloon.

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

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#### THEIR LITTLE GAME.

If the friends of this "funny little republic" in Washington are so sure of annexation they are not showing it by their works. If annexation is to be, why work for the treaty? Annexation will secure for Hawaiian grown sugars all that the treaty does. The sequence of the two bills about Hawaii shows much more than columns of twaddle in the Advertiser. Had the order been changed so that the joint resolution of Mr. Spalding of Michigan followed the action for the treaty this "best government" might be singing the Jubilate.

Here in Hawaii we know that the action taken by Mr. Dole in sending Mr. Hartwell, and now Mr. Kinney, is to save so much of the reciprocity treaty as may be possible. The last thing that Mr. Dole and his friends desire is the erection of an American State in Hawaii. They want a territorial government, so as to be able to hold down the boys who carried guns in 1893 and 1895, and who are now realizing the ingratitude of this "funny little republic" and its salary grabbers.

#### ON TWO SIDES.

The following is from the S. F. Chronicle:

THEFT IN STATESMANSHIP.

The evidence given by Cecil Rhodes ss to events past and present in the South African Republic reveal him as a typical British empirebuilder. Whenever pressed with inquiry as to why he connived at the invasion of Boer territory he took refuge in the statement that the Boers had not been doing right by the Uitlanders. But what he had to do with that was left to the imagination. The Boers owned the country and enjoyed the privilege of running it. Mr. Rhodes was not a Uitiander, in the sense of being a foreign resident of the Transvaal, and if he had been and was not satisfied with the Boers he was able to move somewhere else. It was not his business to rectify the errors of Boer administration, least of all by means of a filibustering raid on Transvaal territory.

Applied to rules of individual conduct the Rhodesian precept that when a man is not doing as someone else wants him to with his own property the person feeling aggrieved should steal it from him, has landed many an enterprising spirit in the penitentiary. The people who practice this doctrine in private life are of the sort "known to the Shillitto, Scanlan, Ahlo, Catton, Gilthe rogues gallery and their phy- Worrall.

sical assistance is in demand at the State jute mills and stone piles. It is one of the curious contradictions in human affairs that a thing so revoiting in social life becomes "statesmanship" when practiced by strong untions in their dealings with weak ones. -That Mr. Rhodes' excuss is deemed sufficient appears at every phase of the Parliamentary inquiry. And why not? Great Britain gathered its empire precisely the same way that the Premier of the Cape Colony tried to add to ber South African possessions, and it would cloud British imperial titles in both hemispheres to admit that his method was wrong.

Every principle applied in the above excerpt to the action of Mr. Cecil Rhodes and Great Britain in Africa can be applied with crushing force to the action of U.S. Minister Stevens, Captain Wiltse of the U.S. S. S. of war Boston, and Mr Dole, in Hawaii, in January, 1893. In fact the action of the United States officials was far more dastardly, and yet the Chronicle maintains a purchased silence on Hawaiian affairs, save in the following editorial item:

Queen Lil will find McKinley a man of different mold from her "great and good friend," who has just gone into permanent retirement The President will give her to understand distinctly that whatever may be done with Hawaii, the opera bouffe of kanaka royalty will never be restored.

Malice and money wiggle the pens of the Chronicle writers.

#### Registration.

So extremely busy were the clerks at the Registration for Electors' Office that it was unnecessary this morning for the chairman of the Board to be present at the advertised opening hours, although persons were waiting for him for nearly twenty minutes to ascertain his views on certain matters.

It was learned, however, through the courtesy of a member\_of the Board, that the registrations are actually "approaching" the hundred mark, and that the reason for the request, not demand, that persons should produce their different titles excepting the tax receipts which are requested by law to be produced,was to save the time of hunting through the books for previous registrations in the event of a "rush" to register. A very valid reason, forsooth, in the case of men registering for the first time, but it is to be preease, have to refer to the books, and claiming a previous register even if they produce their carpet bags and titular documents for the election of Representatives in September next. As it is, however, only the "P. G.'s" who are registering the matter is of trivial importance, and there are nearly three months to register in.

#### Cricket on Saturday.

Unless there is a down pour on Saturday afternoon, a match game at cricket for the sake of practice will be played at the old recreation grounds at Makiki, between the teams of Married and Single, sud all players or lovers of cricket are cordially invited to attend at 2 o'clock when the wickets will be pitched on the new pitch which is now being placed in order.

Up to date, the teams have been arranged as follows, and appear to be fairly well matched as several new players of merit have agreed to play, while several of the former stalwarts have consented to brush off the rust in the interest of the

noble British game. MARRIED.—Hatfield, Prince Cupid Kalanianaole, Dr. Sloggett, Weedon, R. Serimgeour, Lishman, Jordan, Lycett, Hewett, Mossman, Vincent, Davey, Herbert and Simpson.

Single.-Dr. Murray, Dr. Irwin, Starkey, Mackintosh, Clive Davies, police." Their faces are wanted in bert, Taylor, Kane, Shanks and

#### TOPICS OF THE DAY.

The forest fire caused the loss of 20,000 valuable young trees. Better arrange for a Sunday school arbor day to replace them. An early morning planting on Queen Victoria's birthday would be fun and a

On our outside pages will be found an article on "the Costa Rica Packet Case." Is it not slightly reminiscent of certain events in Honolulu in 1895? There is a rumor current that the Hawaiian claims are to be "mentioned" in the Legislatures of the countries interested owing to the alleged apathy of the governments of the persons inter-

Through the S. F. Chronicle of the 30th March we learn that Mr. John E. Searles is in San Francisco, to attend the annual meeting of the Western Sugar Refining Company. The fate of our sugar magnates will hinge very heavily upon the fiat of Mr. Searles; but not that of the sugar industry, necessarily, for trusts may come and trusts may go, but Hawaiian sugars will grow forever, Make your game, gentlemen.

The N. Y. Nation says: "The Consul General at Honolulu has just struck a nefarious blow at Hawaiian annexation. He has given out the results of the census lately taken in Hawaii. This shows the total population of the islands to be 109,020, the native Hawaiians numbering 31,019, the Japanese 24,407, the Chinese 21,616, the Portuguese 15,191, half breed Hawaiians 8485, with scattering Americans, British, Germans, etc. Consul Mills may try to shelter himself under the pretence of a love for statistical information in the abstract, but that will hardly pass. Why should he have chosen the very beginning of the McKinley administration to bring out the fact that a proposition to annex Hawaii is a proposition to annex 70,000 Chinese, Japanese, Portuguese, and halfbreed Hawaiians? Was he aiming to put Annexationist Lodge, with his educational-test immigration bill, in the deepest of holes? The Consul is evidently meddling with to their privilege of voting,-always things that do not concern him. He should be removed, and a new census should be taken, or else the old one extensively altered."

With the ultimate effects of the Hagey treatment, THE INDEPENDENT has no views at present to express in this column. That is a matter which sumed that the Board will, in any the future will decide for itself, and for those who have honestly or distrace up the names of the men honestly passed, or will pass, through the medical and social treatment presented by the Institute. It may, however, be permmitted to extend a few kindly words in the spirit of au revoir, or farewell to the gentlemen who introduced the "cure' in our midst. They came to us as business men with a business venture, and they have so comported themselves that they depart from our city leaving behind them a large number of very sincere friends, and local successors of prominence to carry on the work they have so thoroughly well initiated; to the satisfaction of those, at least, who have placed themselves in their hands. A spirit of sterling friendship has been engendered between Col. Moore, Messra. Cowart and Kirkpatrick, and the members of the Hagey Social Club, and the Institute, that must be equally gratifying to both, and we feel assured that the community at large will join with us in wishing them, and their local associates, Messrs. Ables and Daniels, both eminently well qualified to act with them in New Zealand and Australasia, a most pleasant and profitable career with lives full of usefulness and benefit to those who are afflicted with the diseases they aim to ameliorate.

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#### CHINESE BUREAU MATTERS

More Frauds Detected in Chinese Laborer's Permits, Customs, Negligence.

Mr. Girvin, Secretary of the Chinese Bureau, certainly has no sinecure in dealing with the crafty agents who manipulate the Hongkong end of Chinese labor importations. Scarcely a mail goes out, or comes in, but some tricky evasion of the law is discovered calling for the attention of his bureau and the Hawaiian Consulates in the Grient.

The latest is one of the boldest and cutest yet devised for it was calculsted to do exactly what it did, to throw the Customs' officials here off their guard, and to obtain the admission of the persons holding the fraudulent and forged permits into

the country.

Without unnecessarily entering into details, the plan adopted was somewhat like this. The permit baving been obtained for a contract laborer in the usual manner and properly vised and registered by the Consul-General at Hongkong and the Bureau, the name was re-forwarded to the Chinese Bureau here as having embarked. So far so good, but some one got hold of that permit, and calmly committed a forgery by erasing the name of the original owner of the permit and other details and inserted another name and details in red ink. As the registrations were made in the original name in the offices of the Cousul-General and the Chinese Bureau, the trick could not be discovered until after the landing of the Chinese, and in checking the register at the Chinese Bureau when the dissimilarity of names, numbers and descriptions was detected.

How it came about that the Customs officials did not notice the patent alterations in the permits and challenge them is worthy of an explanation on their part. The result is that both the Government and the Consul-General are out the amount of their legal fees.

Another delightful occupation of Mr. Girvin's yesterday was to append his name and fill out the blanks for no less than 959 Chinese contract laborers, who are to arrive in the course of a few weeks to assist Labor Commissioner Fitzgerald in finding work for Californian white laborers on the plantations. These blanks go out by the Coptic to day. Of course the Chief had to put in a double day of it working up to nearly 11 p. m. and starting in with his correspondence about daylight this morning.

The Coptic only takes away 23 return permits and a few six-month residenters. There are comparatively few Chinese leaving the islands at present owing to the fact that times are fairly prosperous with them, and perhaps the more important one that since the withdrawal of the Velocity, Alden Besse, Amy Turner and other of the old stand by sailing vessels, there is no longer the same rate of cheap transportation as formerly. It is thought there is a good margin of profit for a shipowner who will go into this line regularly.

Bieycle locks are now made with an alarm operated by clock work. The lock proper is a U-shaped fork, fitting tightly on the front wheel, so that the slightest turn of the wheel starts the alarm ringing.

### BY AUTHORITY.

#### IRRIGATION NOTICE.

Holders of Water Privileges, or those paying water rates, are hereby notified that the hours for irrigation purposes are from 6 to 8 o'clock A. M. and from 4 to 6 o'clock ANDREW BROWN,

Supt. Honolulu Water Works. Approved:

J. A. KING.

Minister of Interior. Honolulu, H. I., April 6, 1897. 551-tf

#### REMOVAL NOTICE.

On AND AFTER APRIL 1st DRS, Cooper and Raymond will occupy the offices of Dr. McGrew on Hotel Street, Office Hours from 8:30 to 10 A. M., 1:30 to 3 and 7 to 8 P. M. Telephone No. 154.

## Timely Topics.

Honolulu, April 3, 1897.

The arrival of the last "Australia" was greeted with a sigh of relief from the whole community. The unusually long interval between mails had made people quite anxious, and rumors of war and other political disturbances were flying as thick as leaves in Vallambrosa. The encouraging news of the probable passage of the Dingley bill, imposing a duty on all foreign Sugars while preserving for Hawaii nei the advantages of the Reciprocity Treaty, gladdened the hearts of all, planters as well as merchants, who predict a new era of prosperity and progress for these beautiful Isles of the Pacific. News was also brought of the knocking out of Champion Jim Corbett by his sturdy opponent Fitzsimmons.

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permission from either of the unders'gned.
If found contrary to this notice, they will
be prosecuted according to law.

ANTONE RICARDO,
FRANK R. HARVEY.
Honolulu, April 1, 1897. 547-1w

#### SHIPPING NEWS

#### Arrivals

WEDNESDAY, April 7.

Am ship Iroquois, Taylor, 13 days from San Francisco Stmr Helene, Fitzgerald, from Hawaii stmr Kaala, Mosher, from Oahu ports Stmr Lehua, Nye, from Honomu Stmr James Makee, Tullett, from Kaual Schr Ka Moi from Hawaii

THURSDAY, April 8. Am batne W. H. Dimond, Neilson, from San Francisco Stmr Walaleale, Parker, from Kausi

#### Departures.

WEDNESDAY, April 7. Stur Iwalani, Gregory, for Lahaina, Hono-kas and Kukuihsele Stur Jas Makee, Tullett, for Kapaa at 4

Stmr Noeau, Peterson, for Hanamaulu THUSSDAY, April 8.

8 S Copt c. Sealby, for Yokohama and Hongkong at 1 p m Am bark Highland Light, Lewis, for the Sound Mis steam bktne Morning Star, Bray, for

San Francisco Am bktne Skagit. Robinson, for the Sound Stmr Lehus, Nye, for Otowalu. Honomu, Honohina and and Pohakumanu at 4

p m ir Waialeale Parker, for Kilauea, Kalihiwai and Hanalei, at 4 p m

#### Vessels Leaving To-morrow. Bk Callao, Koster, for New York

#### Passengers.

ABBIY (LB DEPARTURES.

For San F accised, per O S S Australia, Apri 7—Dr Avery and wife, W N Armstrong, Miss E Teylor, Miss E Taylor, Miss Owls, Mrs J W Winter, G N Webber and wife Mrs I. Marks and 2 children, J N Mardock, J D Mcherny, W C Parke, M and Mrs Chameon, Mrs Brenham and child, Mrs C J Ludwigsen and daughter, Mrs 3 W Hall, Mrs J T Waterhouse and 4 children, J L Baker, Miss B E Finder, D E Miles, Major and Mrs H A Bartiett, Miss Hoffman, Mrs H Smith, Southard Hoffman, Jr, S H Boardman, Miss Newlands, Mr and Mrs Fred G Bulkley, Dr W F Channing, H S Channing, Mrs Kirkpatrick, W A Kunney and George Grau

PARKER-In Honolulu, April 6, 1897, to the wife of Capt, Robert Parker, a son. ROESCH-In Honolufu, April 7, 1897, to the wife of Charles Roesch, a daughter.

#### Died.

BANNISTER—In Honolulu, at Queen's Hospital, April 7, 1897, Caroline H. Bannister. Relatives and friends of the family are

respectfully invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, Makiki, at 3 p. m. to-day.

#### Board of Health.

President Cooper presided at yesterday's meeting. Keliipio reported 38750 fish received for the week and that they were scarce, and further that pond and sea mullet were being mixed, and an arrest had ensued.

Meyer of Molokai notified the Board that he didn't want an eye specialist around there as the complaint did not require special treatment.

Dr. Shaw was engaged to assist in the examination for tuberculous cows. It was decided that private cows had to be investigated. Dr. Monsarrat stated that there were 37 dairies in the Honolulu District but he had not yet traced them all up.

#### No Delay.

night that "work on the Campbell block on Fort street has been delayed through the non-arrival of building material." We are every day frequently passing by the block under erection and we have been unable to notice any "delay" in the building of this magnificent structure. More than 20 men are daily seen working there, and the Bulletin must have been dreaming when it talked about a delay. A representative of THE INDEPENDENT called on the contractor this morning, but did not find him. The foreman of the job stated, however, that the notice in the Bulletin was the first he had heard about any "delay" in the

White, Cream and Butter Laces in endless variety at Kerr's.

What a jolly good time they all should have on the Mariposa's trip with the Jordans, the Bristols and Butler the hero of volumes of col-umns in the San Francisco Press, to say nothing of the minor men and women of interest who generally women of interest who generally aid in making an ocean voyage pass off pleasantly. Imagine cute little Denver taking a glass of wine at the first table with a flying Jordan, or the arithmetical quadruped analysing Bristol's pocket book. A hearty aloha to them all including the Hages. Hagey.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Sugar has advanced 1.46, it is now

Drill of the first battalion this

Board of Public Instruction meets this afternoon.

Flannelettes 16 yards for \$1.00, Victoria Lawns 60 cents a piece at N. S. Sachs.

Wm. G. Irwin, Esq., leaves by the steamer Waialeale this afternoon for Kilauea.

Here's to the health of yourself and family Capt. Parker-may your olive tree never cease from sprouting. Josesh Tinker is unrivaled in the

excellency of his Cambridge Club breakfast and Frankfurter lunch sausages. They are immense. It is understood that British Commissioner Hawes will remain on Kauai, on a visit to friends for three

The Foreign Office claims to have received favorable news from Washington. We hope they have, but it must be very different from ours.

It will probably be useless for any one to attempt to see Butler on board the Mariposa. England's system of dealing with criminals in her custody is not yet quite american-

The police are again hot after the Chinese gamblers, but the white boys are left alone. Unsavory romor are current in regard to these matters and they are being quietly investi-

Miss Cahill offers all an oppor tunity to inspect her magnificent as sortment of bewitching Easter Millinery in the Arlington Block. outrivals in beauty the artists' brush or the poet's pen.

At all hours of the day and evening Juan Camancho is prepared to supply Eastern and California Oystera received fresh by every steamer from the Coast, and dished up in the latest club styles.

Otto Graef is still at the Mid-Ocean Billiard Parlors, corner Hotel and Nuuanu streets, opposite the Empire Soloon, and would be pleased to see his old friends call. He has lately added a new billiard table.

The steamship Coptic left this afternoon for Japan and China. She took 163 Japanese immigrants refused landing here by a late steamer. It is understood some little hitch occurred in sending the Japs home-

#### A NICE PARENT.

He Flirts on the Steamer and Forgets His Son.

One of our prominent fellow citizens was in a nice quandary yesterday afternoon. His name shall be withheld for the sake of domestic peace, but will be furnished to the public if he does it again. This gay old man had some departing friends on board the Australia yesterday. He wanted to see his fair friends off and he wanted to do the pretty by decorating them with yellow leis. He also has a precocious boy six years old who followed his nice papa to the wharf.

There, papa suggested to the nice The Evening Bulletin stated last little boy to sit on a nice little box among some sweet scented bags of bonemeal while papa carried the flowers to the nice ladies on board the vessel. The steamer's sailing time was postponed. Our esteemed fellow citizen was busy banging leis around the necks of his fair friends and the nice little boy on the box on the whar! was forgotten.

About an hour after his arrival at the wharf the whistle sounded, the gangway was hoisted and the nice papa waived his last goodbye to his friends. Then he started for home, but before crossing the gate of the wharf he remembered his six years old heir on the little box. The box was there, so were the sweet scented bags of bonemeal, but the "kid" was not in sight. The nice papa rushed to the telephone only to learn that the boy had not reached his place of business in town. A guard thought that he had seen the child board the Australia and the now thoroughly frightened nice parent threw himself into a boat, overtook the steamer and set the whole outfit of officers, stewards and passengers on a wild hunt for the missing six years old, who, it was surmised had left with secret instructions from Dole to join the other "children" at

The search was in vain and the perspiring parent returned in a dismal mood wondering what fib to tell his wife in regard to the boy, the leis and the ladies. Assisted by sympathizing friends he eventually reached his place of business not very far from Bishop's bank, and there he shook hands with his sorrowing friends prior to his walk to death-and home.

And then a little voice from the sidewalk piped up and said ."say, daddy, you are through with the lei and lady business, should we go home to mamma?"

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A plainly dressed young man came in and ordered a drink of whisky. He gave it a dash of absinthe, tossed it off at one gulp, threw fifteen cents on the bar, and glanced over at the sporting man.

"Shake?" said the latter. "One or two to kill time," said the

stranger.

The sporting man tossed a halfdollar on the bar. The stranger did likewise, the dice rolled out and the stranger won. He won the second and the third time, then lost twice and won once more.

"Lucky start," remarked the sporting man. "Have something?"

"Nothing for me, thanks." The sporting man drank a hot Scotch, and the game went on. Half an hour passed away and the sport was \$10 behind the game.

"Make it a dollar and one shake." he suggested.

"I never change my game," said the stranger.

"Very well," said the sporting man good-naturedly. "It's a little faster, that's all."

"This is fast enough for me."

"Have a drink?" "No. thanks."

The sporting man drank another hot Scotch, and the game went on. The luck was against him, and his losses grew with every shake. Once in a while he'd make a spurt and

win three or four straight pots. Then the stranger would win half a dozen and make up for it. Two hours had passed and the sporting man was \$40 in the hole. He grew excited.

"I'll shake you for \$80 or quits," he said hauling out a roll as big around as his leg.

"I never change my game," said

the other quietly. In another half-hour the stranger was \$50 ahead, and the sporting man

was very nervous. "Friend, will you oblige me by taking a drink?" he said.

"I really don't care to drink," said the stranger, and the sport drank his Scotch alone once more.

Then there was a turn in the luck. Ten dollars went back to the sporting man in less than fifteen minutes. Ten more followed it, and the sport's brow cleared. The stranger never turned a hair. Gradually the half-dollars went back to their original owner, and finally, after three hours of play the men were

just where they started. "Now have a drink," said the sporting man, with a sigh of relief.

"No, thanks," said the stranger, tossing a half-dollar on the bar and picking up the box. "Let's shake." In three throws be rolled out four

deuces. The sporting man threw four trays and hauled in the money. "Thank you," remarked the stranger, "for a pleasant evening."

"You're not going to quit?" said the sporting man in amazement.

"Can't do anything else. Only started with a half-dollar. I couldn't drink with you without asking you to drink, and I couldn't do that without using money which I meant to give you a chance to win back. Good day," and he walked out of the saloon.

"Well, I'm blanked," said the sport to the bartender. "To think I had a roll of \$500 up against his 50 cents. Great Scott! If the luck hadn't changed he might have had the whole roll and I never had a chance to get more than that half-dollar. Give me another Scotch," and looking very pale, the sport drank up his liquor, buttoned his coat, and went out .- Flotsam.

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Warehouse Full of Ivory.

The city of Anvers, in Belgium, is a great depot, for African ivory. The November sale, the fourth of the year, assembled tusks weighing about 123,200 pounds. Among them was one remarkable pair weighing about 330 pounds. In assorting tusks those are considered the choicest which permit of the making of billiard balls from the largest part of the tusk. Among the tusks most sought for, which must weigh from about 40 to 155 pounds, the most esteemed are the class called by the English "bangles," which are sound, round and glossy and serve the natives for rings and bracelets

for arms and ankles.

Started but five years ago, the ivory business of Anvers is now the most important in the world. The sale for 1895 amounted to nearly 60,000 pounds, of which over 455,061 pounds came from the Congo Free State. Some days before the sale at Anvers the periodical collection is shown to interested dealers. Most of the ivory comes, as above stated, from the Belgian Congo, though large quantities are shipped from there that Emin Pasha and Lupton Bey had gathered in the Soudan.

The average annual consumption of ivory from 1889 to 1893 was not far from 1,500,000 pounds, of which America took nearly 200,000. At Anvers, the world's ivory market, the product is worth about \$1.65 a pound.

Is the elephant being exterminated? Yes. Is nothing being done to preserve it? Yes, in the Congo at least. By official decree it is forbidden to hunt the elephant outside certain prescribed seasons. This prohibition is addressed to the native chiefs of European districts. Moreover, these chiefs and their deputies alone have the right to hunt the elephant, and, besides, each chief must pay a tax equivalent to half the ivory taken by him or his people. Furthermore. it is discussed whether, in the Congo country, there should not be established some elephant farms to perpetuate the elephant in the same way the English are fostering the ostrich in Egypt .- Paris L' Illustration .

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The Costa Rica Packet Case.

The decision of M. de Martens, the arbitrator in the case of the Costa Rica Packet, an Australian whaler, which was wrongfully seized by the Dutch in the Moluccas in November, 1891, and whose captain was imprisoned, was announced at the Hague recently. According to this decision the Dutch Government has to pay the captain, crew, and owners of the vessel a total sum of 8,550%, with interest from Nov. 2, 1891, and a further sum of 250t., as costs.

Reuter's agency states that the bark Costa Rica Packet was a whaling vessel owned by a syndicate of Sydney merchants and commanded by Captain John C. Carpenter, a South Sea whaler of 20 years experience. On a whaling cruise the vessel put into Ternate, one of the Moluceas, for fresh provisions and medical assistance. The chief Dutch official, the Government resident, at once had Captain Carpenter arrested, and without giving any reason threw him into prison. The captain begged in vain to be informed of the offence with which he was charged, protested that his detention would entail great loss on himself and the owners of the Costa Rica Packet, the whaling season being still at its height, and finally offered to give bail for 100,000 guilders (8,000l.) as security that he would return at the end of the season and answer any charge then brought against him. The resident abruptly refused the offer, stating that there was no such thing as bail in Dutch colonies, and ordered Captain Carpenter's immediate removal to the common gaol. After lying there for four days the captain was roused in the middle of the night and taken on board a Dutch steamer bound for Macassar, the capital of the Celebes, which was reached after a voyage of ten days. Here Captain Carpenter was again taken to the common gaol for criminals, and was placed in a filthy dungeon inscribed on the outside, "For condemned Europeans." He found it already occupied, however, by a Malay prisoner, who was lying ill and almost helpless, and with whom he was confined for nearly a fortnight, the horrible condition of the cell becoming, if possible, worse daily. At the end of a week Captain Carpenter was informed for the first time of the offence alleged against bim. It was piracy on the high seas. Three years before Captain Carpenter had fallen in with a derelict prah, some thirty miles from land. He sent a boat to examine the abandoned vessel, and his men on their return brought with them two cases of brandy and a tin of oil. Captain Carpenter entered the circumstances in his log, and shortly afterwards reported the matter to the Dutch authorities at Batjan, in the Moluceas. This was the basis of the charge preferred against him. Captain Carpenter was now brought before a magistrate, who, after examining him five times in private, committed him for trial. No evidence was taken. Six days afterwards the sheriff came to Captain Carpenter's cell and told him to get his traps ready. He did so, and after being taken to the prison gateway was told he might go, the sheriff using a Malay word equivalent to the English "Clear out." He was thus turned adrift and left to get back to his ship, 1,000 miles away, as best he could. The whole circumstances of Captain Carpenter's experiences were inves-

tigated by a select committee of inquiry of the New South Wales

Legislative council, and the result

was communicated to the home

Government. When the matter was

brought to the attention of the

Dutch Government the latter at first refused to consider the question of

presentations having been made negotiations on the subject were opened. In July, 1893, Lord Rosebury suggested that the Dutch Government should pay Captain Carpenter 2,500%, in full settlement of all claims, and this the Dutch were apparently willing to do, but the proposal was opposed in Australia, where the select committee of inquiry had assessed the claims which should be made at 10,000l. for Captain Carpenter, 10,000t. for the owners of the Costa Rica Packet, and 5,000% for the crew. Eventually it was agreed to refer the matter to arbitration, the late Emperor Alexander III. being asked to select an umpire. In September, 1895, his Majesty appointed Professor de Martens, Russian Councillor of State, who has now given his decision .-From Lloyda Weekly.

#### BY POLICE AT CALLAO.

Inquiry here confirms the story coming from Lima to the effect that the State Department has lodged a demand with the United States charge of legation at Lima for the release of the mate of the American bark "Uncle John." He was ashore on December 19 last at Callao, and was arrested because of his constant demand for "Rainier Beer." On tap or in bottles at the Criterion Saloon.

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#### THEIR LITTLE GAME.

If the friends of this "funny little republic" in Washington are so sure of annexation they are not showing it by their works. If annexation is to be, why work for the treaty? Annexation will secure for Hawaiian grown sugars all that the treaty does. The sequence of the two bills about Hawaii shows much more than columns of twaddle in the Advertiser. Had the order been changed so that the joint resolution of Mr. Spalding of Michigan followed the action for the treaty this "best government" might be singing the Jubilate.

Here in Hawaii we know that the action taken by Mr. Dole in sending Mr. Hartwell, and now Mr. Kinney, is to save so much of the reciprocity treaty as may be possible. The last thing that Mr. Dole and his friends desire is the erection of an American State in Hawaii. They want a territorial government, so as to be able to hold down the boys who carried guns in 1893 and 1895, and who are now realizing the ingratitude of this "funny little republic" and its salary grabbers.

#### ON TWO SIDES.

The following is from the S. F. Chronicle:

THEFT IN STATESMANSHIP.

The evidence given by Cecil Rhodes ss to events past and present in the South African Republic reveal him as a typical British empirebuilder. Whenever pressed with inquiry as to why he connived at the invasion of Boer territory he took refuge in the statement that the Boers had not been doing right by the Uitlanders. But what he had to do with that was left to the imagination. The Boers owned the country and enjoyed the privilege of running it. Mr. Rhodes was not a Uitiander, in the sense of being a foreign resident of the Transvaal, and if he had been and was not satisfied with the Boers he was able to move somewhere else. It was not his business to rectify the errors of Boer administration, least of all by means of a filibustering raid on Transvaal territory.

Applied to rules of individual conduct the Rhodesian precept that when a man is not doing as someone else wants him to with his own property the person feeling aggrieved should steal it from him, has landed many an enterprising spirit Davey, Herbert and Simpson. in the penitentiary. The people who practice this doctrine in private life are of the sort "known to the police." Their faces are wanted in | bert, Taylor, Kane, Shanks and the rogues gallery and their phy- Worrall.

sical assistance is in demand at the State jute mills and stone piles. It is one of the curious contradictions in human affairs that a thing so revolting in social life becomes "statesmanship" when practiced by strong nations in their dealings with weak ones. -That Mr Rhodes' excuse is deemed sufficient appears at every phase of the Parliamentary inquiry. And why not? Great Britain gathered its empire precisely the same way that the Premier of the Cape Colony tried to add to her South African possessions, and it would cloud British imperial titles in both hemispheres to admit that his method was wrong.

Every principle applied in the above excerpt to the action of Mr. Cecil Rhodes and Great Britain in Africa can be applied with crushing force to the action of U.S. Minister Stevens, Captain Wiltse of the U.S. S. S. of war Boston, and Mr Dole, in Hawaii, in January, 1893. In fact the action of the United States officials was far more dastardly, and yet the Chronicle maintains a pur chased silence on Hawaiian affairs, save in the following editorial item:

Queen Lil will find McKinley a man of different mold from her "great and good friend," who has just gone into permanent retirement The President will give her to understand distinctly that whatever may be done with Hawaii, the opera bouffe of kanaka royalty will never

Malice and money wiggle the pens of the Chronicle writers.

#### Registration.

So extremely busy were the clerks at the Registration for Electors' Office that it was unnecessary this morning for the chairman of the Board to be present at the advertised opening hours, although persons were waiting for him for nearly twenty minutes to ascertain his views on certain matters.

It was learned, however, through the courtesy of a member\_of the Board, that the registrations are actually "approaching" the hundred mark, and that the reason for the request, not demand, that persons should produce their different titles to their privilege of voting,-always excepting the tax receipts which are requested by law to be produced,was to save the time of hunting through the books for previous registrations in the event of a "rush" to register. A very valid reason, forsooth, in the case of men registering for the first time, but it is to be presumed that the Board will, in any case, have to refer to the books, and trace up the names of the men claiming a previous register even if through the medical and social treatthey produce their carpet bags and titular documents for the election of Representatives in September next. As it is, however, only the "P. G.'s" who are registering the matter is of trivial importance, and there are nearly three months to register in.

#### Cricket on Saturday.

Unless there is a down pour on Saturday afternoon, a match game at cricket for the sake of practice will be played at the old recreation grounds at Makiki, between the teams of Married and Single, and all players or lovers of cricket are cordially invited to attend at 2 o'clock when the wickets will be pitched on the new pitch which is now being placed in order.

Up to date, the teams have been arranged as follows, and appear to be fairly well matched as several new players of merit have agreed to play, while several of the former stalwarts have consented to brush off the rust in the interest of the noble British game.

MARRIED.—Hatfield, Prince Cupid Kalanianaole, Dr. Sloggett, Weedon, R. Serimgeour, Lishman, Jordan, Lycett, Hewett, Mossman, Vincent,

Single.-Dr. Murray, Dr. Irwin, Starkey, Mackintosh, Clive Davies, Shillitto, Scanlan, Ahlo, Catton, Gil-

#### TOPICS OF THE DAY.

The forest fire caused the loss of 20,000 valuable young trees. Better arrange for a Sunday school arbor day to replace them. An early morning planting on Queen Victoria's birthday would be fun and a

On our outside pages will be found an article on "the Costa Rica Packet Case." Is it not slightly reminiscent of certain events in Honolulu in 1895? There is a rumor current that the Hawaiian claims are to be "mentioned" in the Legislatures of the countries interested owing to the alleged apathy of the governments of the persons inter-

Through the S. F. Chronicle of the 30th March we learn that Mr. John E. Searles is in San Francisco, to attend the annual meeting of the Western Sugar Refining Company. The fate of our sugar magnates will hinge very heavily upon the fiat of Mr. Searles; but not that of the sugar industry, necessarily, for trusts may come and trusts may go, but Hawaiian sugars will grow forever, Make your game, gentlemen.

The N. Y. Nation says: "The Conul General at Honolulu has just struck a nefarious blow at Hawaiian annexation. He has given out the results of the census lately taken in Hawaii. This shows the total population of the islands to be 109,020, the native Hawaiians numbering 31,019, the Japanese 24,407, the Chinese 21,616, the Portuguese 15,191, half breed Hawaiians 8485, with scattering Americans, British, Germans, etc. Consul Mills may try to shelter himself under the pretence of a love for statistical information in the abstract, but that will hardly pass. Why should he have chosen the very beginning of the McKinley administration to bring out the fact that a proposition to annex Hawaii is a proposition to annex 70,000 Chinese, Japanese, Portuguese, and halfbreed Hawaiians? Was he aiming to put Annexationist Lodge, with his educational-test immigration bill, in the deepest of holes? The Consul is evidently meddling with things that do not concern him. He should be removed, and a new census should be taken, or else the old one extensively altered."

With the ultimate effects of the Hagey treatment, THE INDEPENDENT has no views at present to express in this column. That is a matter which the future will decide for itself, and for those who have honestly or dishonestly passed, or will pass, ment presented by the Institute. It may, however, be permmitted to extend a few kindly words in the spirit of au revoir, or farewell to the gentlemen who introduced the "cure" in our midst. They came to us as business men with a business venture, and they have so comported themselves that they depart from our city leaving behind them a large number of very sincere friends, and local successors of prominence to carry on the work they have so thoroughly well initiated; to the satisfaction of those, at least, who have placed themselves in their hands. A spirit of sterling friendship has been engendered between Col. Moore, Messrs. Cowart and Kirkpatrick, and the members of the Hagey Social Club, and the Institute, that must be equally gratifying to both, and we feel assured that the community at large will join with us in wishing them, and their local associates, Messrs. Ables and Daniels, both eminently well qualified to act with them in New Zealand and Australasia, a most pleasant and profitable career with lives full of usefulness and benefit to those who are afflicted with the diseases they aim to ameliorate.

New Gloves in Black, White and Tan at L. B. Kerr's.

Don't fail to visit Sachs store, and see the startling bargains that are offered.

CHINESE BUREAU MATTERS

More Frauds Detected in Chinese Permits, Customs, Laborer's Negligence.

Mr. Girvin, Secretary of the Chinese Bureau, certainly has no sinecure in dealing with the crafty agents who manipulate the Hongkong end of Chinese labor importations. Scarcely a mail goes out, or comes in, but some tricky evasion of the law is discovered calling for the attention of his bureau and the Hawaiian Consulates in the Trient.

The latest is one of the boldest and cutest yet devised for it was calculsted to do exactly what it did, to throw the Customs' officials here off their guard, and to obtain the admission of the persons holding the fraudulent and forged permits into the country.

Without unnecessarily entering into details, the plan adopted was somewhat like this. The permit baving been obtained for a contract laborer in the usual manner and properly vised and registered by the Consul-General at Hongkong and the Bureau, the name was re-forwarded to the Chinese Bureau here as having embarked. So far so good, but some one got hold of that permit, and calmly committed a forgery by crasing the name of the original owner of the permit and other details and inserted another name and details in red ink. As the registrations were made in the original name in the offices of the Cousul-General and the Chinese Bureau, the trick could not be discovered until after the landing of the Chinese, and in checking the register at the Chinese Bureau when the dissimilarity of names, numbers and descriptions was detected.

How it came about that the Customs officials did not notice the patent alterations in the permits and challenge them is worthy of an explanation on their part. The result is that both the Government and the Consul-General are out the amount of their legal fees.

Another delightful occupation of Mr. Girvin's yesterday was to append his name and fill out the blanks for no less than 959 Chinese contract laborers, who are to arrive in the course of a few weeks to assist Labor Commissioner Fitzgerald in finding work for Californian white laborers on the plantations. These blanks go out by the Coptic to-day. Of course the Chief had to put in a double day of it working up to nearly 11 p. m. and starting in with his correspondence about daylight this morning.

The Coptic only takes away 23 return permits and a few six-month residenters. There are comparatively few Chinese leaving the islands at present owing to the fact that times are fairly prosperous with them, and perhaps the more important one that since the withdrawal of the Velocity, Alden Besse, Amy Turner and other of the old stand by sailing vessels, there is no longer the same rate of cheap transportation as formerly. It is thought there is a good margin of profit for a shipowner who will go into this line regularly.

Bieyele locks are now made with an alarm operated by clock work. The lock proper is a U-shaped fork, fitting tightly on the front wheel, so that the slightest turn of the wheel starts the alarm ringing.

## BY AUTHORITY.

#### IRRIGATION NOTICE.

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Supt. Honolulu Water Works. Approved:

J. A. KING, Minister of Interior. Honololu, H. I., April 6, 1897.

#### REMOVAL NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER APRIL 1st DRS, Cooper and Raymond will occupy the offices of Dr. McGrew on Hotel Street, Office Hours from 8:30 to 10 A. M., 1:30 to 3 and 7 to 8 P. M. Telephone No. 154.

## Timely Topics.

Honolulu, April 3, 1897.

The arrival of the last "Australia" was greeted with a sigh of relief from the whole community. The unusually long interval between mails had made people quite anxious, and rumors of war and other political disturbances were flying as thick as leaves in Vallambrosa. The encouraging news of the probable passage of the Dingley bill, imposing a duty on all foreign Sugars while preserving for Hawaii nei the advantages of the Reciprocity Treaty, gladdened the hearts of all, planters as well as merchants, who predict a new era of prosperity and progress for these beautiful Isles of the Pacific. News was also brought of the knocking out of Champion Jim Corbett by his sturdy opponent Fitzsimmons.

The TRIBUNE BICYCLE knocks them all out. Like the Roman tribunes of old, it stands on a pinnacle of fame, elevated above all others, and like Fitzsimmons it beats all the other Champions.

The '97 MODEL is the acme of perfection in wheels; it has no equal. We received a number of them by this "Australia" and can furnish them in Black, Royal Blue or Maroon.

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be prosecuted according to law.

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Honolulu, April I, 1807.
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#### SHIPPING NEWS

#### Arrivals

WEDNESDAY, Артії 7.

Am ship Iroquois, Taylor, 13 days from San Francisco Stmr Helene, Fitzgerald, from Hawaii Stmr Kaala, Mosher, from Oahr ports Stmr Lehna, Nye, from Honomu Stmr James Makee, Tullett, from Kanal Schr Ka Moi from Hawaii

THURSDAY, April 8. Am bktne W H Dimond, Neilson, from San Francisco Stmr Walaleale, Parker, from Kausi

#### Departures.

WEDNESDAY, April 7. Stmr Iwalani, Gregory, for Lahaina, Hono-kas and Kukuihaele Stmr Jas Makes, Tullett, for Kapaa at 4

p m Stmr Noeau, Peterson, for Hanamaulu

THUSSDAY, April 8. 8 S Copt c, Sealby, for Yokohama and Hongkong at 1 p m Am bark Highland Light, Lewis, for the Sound

Mis steam bktne Morning Star, Bray, for San Francisco
Am batne Skagit. Robinson, for the Sound
Stmr Lehua, Nye, for Olowalu. Honomo,
Honohina and and Pohakumanu at 4

p m 17. Waisleale Parker, for Kilaues, Kalihiwai and Hanalei, at 4 p m

#### Vessels Leaving To-morrow.

Bk Callao, Koster, for New York

#### Passengers.

ABBIVALB DEPARTURES

For San F accised, per O S S Australia, Apri 7—Dr Avery and wife, W N Armstrong, Miss E Teylor, Miss E Taylor, Miss Owls, Mrs J W Winter, G N Webber and wife Mrs I. Marks and 2 children, J N Mardock, J D McInerny, W C Parke, Mr and Mrs Chameon, Mrs Brenham and child, Mrs C J Ludwigsen and daughter, Mrs N W Hall, Mrs J T Waterhouse and 4 children, J L Baker, Miss E Finder, D E Miles, Major and Mrs H A Bartlett, Miss Hoffman, Miss H Smith, Southard Hoffman, Jr, S H Boardman, Miss Newlands, Mr and Mrs Fred G Bulkley, Dr W F Channing, H S Channing, Mrs Kirkpatrick, W A Kunney and George Grau

#### Born

PARKER-In Honolulu, April 6, 1897, to the wife of Capt, Robert Parker, a son. ROESCH-In Honolufu, April 7, 1897, to the wife of Charles Roesch, a daughter.

BANNISTER—In Honolulu, at Quaen's Hospital, April 7, 1897, Caroline H. Bannister. Relatives and friends of the family are

respectfully invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, Makiki, at 3 p m.

#### Board of Health.

President Cooper presided at yesterday's meeting. Keliipio reported 38750 fish received for the week and that they were scarce, and further that pond and sea mullet were being mixed, and an arrest had ensued.

Meyer of Molokai notified the Board that he didn't want an eye specialist around there as the complaint did not require special treatment.

Dr. Shaw was engaged to assist in the examination for tuberculous cows. It was decided that private He wanted to see his fair friends off cows had to be investigated. Dr. Monsarrat stated that there were 37 dairies in the Honolulu District but he had not yet traced them all up.

#### No Delay.

The Evening Bulletin stated last night that "work on the Campbell block on Fort street has been delayed through the non-arrival of building material." We are every day frequently passing by the block under erection and we have been unable to notice any "delay" in the building of this magnificent structure. More than 20 men are daily seen working there, and the Bulletin must have been dreaming when it talked about a delay. A representative of THE INDEPENDENT called on the contractor this morning, but did not find him. The foreman of the job stated, however, that the notice in the Bulletin was the first he had heard about any "delay" in the

White, Cream and Butter Laces in endless variety at Kerr's.

What a jolly good time they all should have on the Mariposa's trip with the Jordans, the Bristols and Butler the hero of volumes of columns in the San Francisco Press, to say nothing of the minor men and women of interest who generally aid in making an ocean voyage pass off pleasantly. Imagine cute little Denver taking a glass of wine at the first table with a flying Jordan, or the arithmetical quadruped analys-ing Bristol's pocket book. A hearty aloha to them all including the

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Sugar has advanced 1.16, it is now 3.le.

Drill of the first battalion this evening.

Board of Public Instruction meets this afternoon.

Flannelettes 16 yards for \$1.00, Victoria Lawns 60 cents a piece at

Wm. G. Irwin, Esq., leaves by the steamer Waialeale this afternoon for Kilauea.

Here's to the health of yourself and family Capt. Parker-may your olive tree never cease from sprouting.

Joseph Tinker is unrivaled in the excellency of his Cambridge Club breakfast and Frankfurter lunch sausages. They are immense.

It is understood that British Commissioner Hawes will remain on Kauai, on a visit to friends for three

The Foreign Office claims to have received favorable news from Washington. We hope they have, but it must be very different from ours.

It will probably be useless for any one to attempt to see Butler on board the Mariposa. England's system of dealing with criminals in her custody is not yet quite american-

The police are again hot after the Chinese gamblers, but the white boys are left alone. Unsavory romor are current in regard to these matters and they are being quietly investi-

Miss Cahill offers all an oppor tunity to inspect her magnificent assortment of bewitching Easter Millinery in the Arlington Block. It outrivals in beauty the artists' brush or the poet's pen.

At all hours of the day and even ing Juan Camancho is prepared to supply Eastern and California Oysters received fresh by every steamer from the Coast, and dished up in the latest club styles.

Otto Graef is still at the Mid-Ocean Billiard Parlors, corner Hotel and Nuuanu streets, opposite the Empire Soloon, and would be pleased to see his old friends call. He has lately added a new billiard table.

The steamship Coptic left this afternoon for Japan and China. She took 163 Japanese immigrants refused landing here by a late steamer It is understood some little hitch occurred in sending the Japs homewards.

#### A NICE PARENT.

He Flirts on the Steamer and Forgets His Son.

One of our prominent fellow citizens was in a nice quandary yesterday afternoon. His name shall be withheld for the sake of domestic peace, but will be furnished to the public if he does it again. This gay old man had some departing friends on board the Australia yesterday. and he wanted to do the pretty by decorating them with yellow leis. He also has a precocious boy six years old who followed his nice papa to the wharf.

There; papa suggested to the nice little boy to sit on a nice little box among some sweet scented bags of bonemeal while papa carried the flowers to the nice ladies on board the vessel. The steamer's sailing time was postponed. Our esteemed fellow citizen was busy banging leis around the necks of his fair friends and the nice little boy on the box on

the whar! was forgotten. About an hour after his arrival at the wharf the whistle sounded, the gangway was hoisted and the nice papa waived his last goodbye to his friends. Then he started for home, but before crossing the gate of the wharf he remembered his six years old heir on the little box. The box was there, so were the sweet scented bags of bonemeal, but the "kid" was not in sight. The nice papa rushed to the telephone only to learn that the boy had not reached his place of business in town. A guard thought that he had seen the child board the Australia and the now thoroughly frightened nice parent threw himself into a boat, overtook the steamer and set the whole outfit of officers, stewards and passengers on a wild hunt for the missing six years old, who, it was surmised had left with secret instructions from Dole to join the other "children" at

The search was in vain and the perspiring parent returned in a dismal mood wondering what fib to tell his wife in regard to the boy, the leis and the ladies. Assisted by sympathizing friends he eventually reached his place of business not very far from Bishop's bank, and there he shook hands with his sorrowing friends prior to his walk to death-and home.

And then a little voice from the sidewalk piped up and said ."say, daddy, you are through with the lei and lady business, should we go home to mamma?"

That boy got the biggest quarter in town to keep his mouth shut, but his papa ain't going to take him down to the wharf in a hurry. Not if the boy's mamma knows.

"Is your son who was at college back?" "No; he is half-back."

No ruler's head was impressed on coins until after the death of Alexander the Great. All images before that were of deities

### J. T. Waterhouse.

The only rest we have had in a year was during the time we were taking stock. That time is over and now we are back at work hustling to keep up with our customers. Low prices bring the crowds when the goods are full value; they wouldn't if they were not. Every thing we advertise is as represented and one word "Best" ex presses all.

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## J. T. Waterhouse.

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"Historical Truths" may be had at 327 King street, if applied for early. Although the edition was considered large enough for all demands the books are already becoming rather scarce.

> Klinken Sie, Drinken Sie, Book Beer. Take me, make me, Anchor dear.

Two drinks, two chinks Anchor Beer. Prattle, Seattle, Bock Beer.

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You have three shades to select from and if the pieces included in the set are not to your liking, you may have others.

The breakfast sets are charm-

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A plainly dressed young man came in and ordered a drink of whisky. He gave it a dash of absinthe, tossed it off at one gulp, threw fifteen cents on the bar, and glanced over at the sporting man.

"Shake?" said the latter.

"One or two to kill time," said the stranger.

The sporting man tossed a halfdollar on the bar. The stranger did likewise, the dice rolled out and the stranger won. He won the second and the third time, then lost twice and won once more.

"Lucky start," remarked the sporting man. "Have something?"

"Nothing for me, thanks." The sporting man drank a hot Scotch, and the game went on. Haif an hour passed away and the sport was \$10 behind the game.

"Make it a dollar and one shake." he suggested.

"I never change my game," said the stranger.

"Very well," said the sporting man good-naturedly. "It's a little faster, that's all."

"This is fast enough for me."

"Have a drink?"

"No, thanks." The sporting man drank another hot Scotch, and the game went on. The luck was against him, and his losses grew with every shake. Once in a while he'd make a spurt and win three or four straight pots. Then the stranger would win half a

dozen and make up for it. Two hours had passed and the sporting man was \$40 in the hole. He grew excited.

"I'll shake you for \$80 or quits," he said hauling out a roll as big around as his leg.

"I never change my game," said the other quietly. In another half-hour the stranger

was \$50 ahead, and the sporting man was very nervous.

"Friend, will you oblige me by taking a drink?" he said.

"I really don't care to drink," said the stranger, and the sport drank his Scotch alone once more.

Then there was a turn in the luck. Ten dollars went back to the sporting man in less than fifteen minutes. Ten more followed it, and the sport's brow cleared. The stranger never turned a hair. Gradually the half-dollars went back to their original owner, and finally, after three hours of play the men were just where they started.

"Now have a drink," said the sporting man, with a sigh of relief.

"No, thanks," said the stranger, tossing a half-dollar on the bar and picking up the box. "Let's shake."

In three throws be rolled out four deuces. The sporting man threw four trays and hauled in the money. "Thank you," remarked the stran-

ger, "for a pleasant evening." "You're not going to quit?" said

the sporting man in amazement. "Can't do anything else. Only started with a half-dollar. I couldn't drink with you without asking you to drink, and I couldn't do that without using money which I meant to give you a chance to win back. Good day," and he walked out of

the saloon. "Well, I'm blanked," said the sport to the bartender. "To think I had a roll of \$500 up against his 50 cents. Great Scott! If the luck hadn't changed he might have had the whole roll and I never had a chance to get more than that half-dollar. Give me another Scotch," and looking very pale, the sport drank up his liquor, buttoned his coat, and went out .- Flotsam .

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Warehouse Full of Ivory.

The city of Anvers, in Belgium, is a great depot, for African ivory. The November sale, the fourth of the year, assembled tusks weighing about 123,200 pounds. Among them was one remarkable pair weighing about 330 pounds. In assorting tusks those are considered the choicest which permit of the making of billiard balls from the largest part of the tusk. Among the tusks most sought for, which must weigh from about 40 to 155 pounds, the most esteemed are the class called by the English "bangles," which are sound, round and glossy and serve the natives for rings and bracelets for arms and ankles.

Started but five years ago, the ivory business of Anvers is now the most important in the world. The sale for 1895 amounted to nearly 60,000 pounds, of which over 455,061 pounds came from the Congo Free State. Some days before the sale at Anvers the periodical collection is shown to interested dealers. Most of the ivory comes, as above stated, from the Belgian Congo, though large quantities are shipped from there that Emin Pasha and Lupton Bey had gathered in the Soudan.

The average annual consumption of ivory from 1889 to 1893 was not far from 1,500,000 pounds, of which America took nearly 200,000. At Anvers, the world's ivory market, the product is worth about \$1.65 a pound.

Is the elephant being exterminated? Yes. Is nothing being done to preserve it? Yes, in the Congo at least. By official decree it is forbidden to hunt the elephant outside certain prescribed seasons. This prohibition is addressed to the native chiefs of European districts. Moreover, these chiefs and their deputies alone have the right to hunt the elephant, and, besides, each chief must pay a tax equivalent to half the ivory taken by him or his people. Furthermore. it is discussed whether, in the Congo country, there should not be established some elephant farms to perpetuate the elephant in the same way the English are fostering the ostrich in Egypt .- Paris L' Illustration .

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