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Kuu Moi.

Ob, Lydia, Heaven born child of the sun!
Liliuokalani, aloha, kuu Moi!
True sovereign of the sun kissed isles of the sea.
Let it not be said that thy race is now run.
How shall the intruders for their crimes atone?
For the vile indignities cast upon thee?
Oh, what, indeed, should the fit punishment be
For those who so basely robbed thee of thy throne?
Even now with stones thy children are fed;
Aye, but it were better that they should be dead
Than pledged allegiance to the foreign born band,
Or take subsistence from their accursed hand.
Akua mana loa forbid it be said
That thy people deserted their native land.

CLARENCE E. EDWARDS.

The Hawaiian Situation.

They protest too much. This is the conclusion that is reached by the careful observer who talks with the adherents of the present Government of the Hawaiian Islands.

They seem too anxious to impress upon you the fact that it is a most serene and peaceful political atmosphere. You are not permitted to use your own judgement but are blandly told that you don't know what you are talking about when you venture to express an opinion that is contrary to what is said to be an established fact. Of course no fault can be found with such procedure. It is a part of politics. They want certain conditions to obtain and the desire is so great that by long effort to fool others the "P. G.'s" eventually fool themselves. It may seem presumptuous for one who spent but a month in the island republic to give an opinion as to the real political status of the island, but there is so much evidence obtainable that such opinion can easily be formed, even if it does happen to be against the desire of those who now hold the reins of Government.

The stranger who visits Honolulu almost immediately feels that he is surrounded by an air of uneasiness. Things evidently are not as they seem. There is an indefinable something in the atmosphere that makes one feel as if he should be watching over his shoulder. Where the impression comes from it is difficult to say, but if you will talk politics for five minutes with any resident you cannot help but notice the lowered tone of voice, the careful watch of passers-by or the guarded manner, as if there were a constant fear of spies. Nor is this noticeable alone when talking with royalists. The adherents of the Republic are just as guarded and just as careful.

It looks as if they feared a change of Government and as if their expressions might be treasured up against them.

Yet the Republicans and the papers are persistent in their declarations that the islands were never more peaceful than at present. Perhaps this is true, but if the the present Government is not sitting over a smouldering political volcano, then the signs are wrong, and this same Government has not failed to realize this fact. Nor has it failed to prepare a soft place to light after the explosion.

What is this soft place? When a man who had been a resident of the islands but ten months made the public announcement of a new Government, that announcement was successful because of the unwarranted interference of the American Minister, who backed up the revolutionists with the force of an American warship and the naval support of the United States. Liliuokalani was dethroned and the Re-

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*Tuesday..... " 20	Friday..... " 16
*Friday..... " 30	Tuesday..... " 26
*Tuesday..... Nov. 10	Friday..... Nov. 6
Friday..... " 20	Tuesday..... " 17
*Tuesday..... Dec. 1	Saturday..... " 28
Friday..... " 11	Tuesday..... Dec. 8
*Tuesday..... " 22	Friday..... " 18
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Returning will leave Hilo at 8 o'clock P. M., touching at Laupahoehoe, Mahukona and Kawahine same day; Makana, Maalaea Bay and Lahaina the following day; arriving at Honolulu the afternoons of Tuesdays and Fridays.

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"I am in the place whereof I am demanded
of conscience to speak the truth, and the truth
I speak, impugn it who so list."

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EDMUND NORRIE, - - Editor.

F. J. TESTA, - - Manager.

Residing in Honolulu.

SATURDAY, JULY 11, 1896.

AND NOW THE FUN BEGINS.

The following modest request has been served to almost all who ought to pay taxes for the support of the Government which protects their lives, properties and "sacred" honor. It is a puzzle for the tax shirkers and of course will be responded to truthfully and faithfully. It reads as follows:

"Schedule E. Information required in estimating aggregate value of Business Enterprises for Profit, required by Section 68 Session Laws 1896.

"Statement of Past Years Business—Amount gross receipts; Total actual running expenses; Amount net profits; Number of tons of crop—if a sugar, coffee or rice plantation.

"Sales of Corporation Stock.—Name of vendor; Name of vendee; No. shares; Price paid; Total. Number tons, estimated crop, for the succeeding year; Estimated aggregate value of business enterprise. Remarks."

THE INDEPENDENT can safely announce that as the provisions for the Income tax do not come into operation before July 1, 1897, the questions asked do not for the present operate upon the Income tax law. But Tax Assessors are inquisitive, and the Internal Tax Law of 1896 authorizes and almost compels the Assessor to ask these questions, inasmuch as the opinions expressed in our Legislature and the Press were to the effect that the poor paid the taxes and the rich reaped the benefits. Of course the information gained, if obtained, will be useful in experienced hands to assist in fixing the incomes of taxpayers next year. The Assessor apparently relies upon the following section of the law of the Republican Legislature of 1896. He and Minister King are obeying the orders of the Legislature. Will the people obey them?

"Section 68. If any of the property by this Act directed to be returned shall consist of real and personal property, or several classes or kinds or parcels of real or personal property respectively, which are combined and made the basis of an enterprise for profit, the person making the return shall give a detailed description of such property

and state the aggregate value thereof, taking into consideration the net proceeds made by the same, also the gross receipts and actual running expenses, and where it is a company being a corporation whose stock is quoted in the market, the market price thereof, as well as all other facts and considerations which reasonably and fairly bear upon such valuation.

"He shall state what, if any, the net profits as well as the gross proceeds and actual running expenses of such enterprise have been during the twelve months next preceding; and if known, what sale or sales of stock or other interest in such enterprise have taken place during the twelve months next preceding, giving the name of the person selling, the person buying, the number of shares or proportion of interest sold upon each sale; and, when known, the purchase price thereof."

TOPICS OF THE DAY.

THE INDEPENDENT, it is understood, was impartial and discreet in its reports of the amalgamated Fourth of July celebration. It commented rather strongly upon the lack of interest evinced in the decoration of business houses and on the streets. Formerly a prize was given for the best decoration, but this was in the days when E. O. Hall & Son, Castle & Cooke & Co. felt in duty bound to boom the P. G. or the "funny little republic." On the last Fourth there was only one place in town that attempted to thoroughly honor the day, and that was Jim Dodd's saloon the Pantheon. There was no prize for him because he was a saloon-keeper. If money is wanted to celebrate or to aid in charity, "Jim" is there, but when appreciation is merited he is not there.

When the Advertiser the other day wrote its congratulations to its own anniversary, several statements were made which were absolutely false and which we to some extent corrected according to memory. We have since communicated with Mr. Fred. H. Hayselden who confirms our claim that the Advertiser was not bought by a "Gibson-Spreckels" combination as asserted by the writer of the editorial referred to. Mr. Gibson alone bought the P.C.A. from J. H. Black in August 1880 for \$15,000. Mr. Hayselden was made manager and acted as such for three years. During that time the receipts and expenditures amounted to \$96,000, Messrs Gibson and Hayselden receiving and charging nothing for their services. In 1883 a corporation bought the paper from Gibson. Spreckels was a stockholder and so were many others. During the Gibson period the paper became a power and it remained so until 1887, when it again fell into the hands of the "missionaries." The Daily Advertiser was first issued in 1881 and Spreckels had no more to do with it than the man in the moon. At that time, in fact, Gibson and Spreckels were not even acquainted. We think that the Advertiser when it writes its own history ought to refrain from misstating facts and indulging in its daily habit of prevarication.

Hawaiian Consul Gorham Gilman, formerly of Lahaina and now of Boston, has come to the rescue of Mr. Dole's "funny little republic" and of our beloved "missionaries" and is answering back Captain Julius Palmer's correct and terse statements in regard to Hawaii, which have from time to time appeared in the Boston Transcript and other leading journals. Mr.

Gilman, who at one time found pleasure in worshipping at the shrine of the Hawaiian monarchy can now only find faults with the Hawaiians, who dare to object to Mr. Dole's oligarchy at whose feet Mr. Gilman now is found. The Boston Consul who, with misstatements and falsehoods rushes into print in his endeavor to discredit Captain Palmer's sober words, which always have and always will have strong influence on the mind of every sensible American, is well-known in Hawaii-uei. Who of our kamaainas has forgotten the "Star of Bethlehem," under which name Mr. Dole's Consul was known here? His record here is not obliterated. The Lahaina people used to say that Mr. Gorham Gilman was "very much a missionary—but only above his collar-button." A literal translation of what they did say would be too "strong" for this family paper. Captain Palmer needs not fear the kind of criticism coming from such a source as the "Star of Bethlehem." The Captain is not given to making statements or writing one word not justified by information derived from his personal observations or the very best and reliable authority. Mr. Gilman will do anything even to becoming a "missionary"—above his collar-button.

Iolani School Closing Exercises.

The closing exercise of this school took place on Thursday last in the large school room which was crowded with parents and friends of the scholars. Among those present were noticed: Ex-Queen Liliuokalani, Minister Cooper, Princes David and Cupid, Mr. and Mrs. T. May, J. L. Kaulukou and Mr. J. Nott, Jr. The ex-Queen arrived shortly before the commencement of the exercises, and it was a pretty sight to see Miss Carrie Clark approach her and gracefully tie a lei of Ilima flowers round her neck.

The schoolroom was tastefully decorated with flags, Hawaiian, English, American and Chinese. While on the blackboards were hung drawings and maps, the work of the boys during the school year. These would be a credit to any school in America or England, so well were they executed. The teachers Mr. C. Willis and Mr. J. R. Bush, deserve great credit for this result. The various numbers in the program were well rendered. The singing of the boys was very sweet, and the recitations of Alex. May, A. Kaulukou, F. Iaukea and C. Jenkins were delivered in a very distinct manner. After the distribution of the prizes and the singing of Hawaii Pono, during which the audience stood, the visitors adjourned to the ground to witness the athletic sports.

The prizes for the year's school work were awarded as follows:

1st Class—Year's Marks—A. Kaulukou, 2d, A. May. English Subjects—A. May, A. Kaulukou, equal. Mathematics—Ah Leong, 2d, T. Ah Chong. Religious Knowledge—Ah Leong.

1st Class, 2d Division—Arithmetic—Edward Ah Yin. English Subjects—Joseph Aea. Religious Knowledge—Jas. White, John S. Smithies, equal.

2nd Class—Year's Marks—E. P. Hatfield. Arithmetic—J. D. Aimoku. Composition—C. F. Jenkins.

3d Class—Year's Marks—Mak Fui On, 2d, Hugo Koelling. Examination—Hugo Koelling, 2d, Mak Fui On. Second in English—Ah Sin.

4th Class—Year's Marks—Manuel Andersen, George W. Baker. Examination—George W. Baker, Manuel Andersen.

General Prizes—Conduct: Jos. Aea, John Bolster, Albert Kia. Drawing: Mong Wa. Map Drawing: Ah Sang.

SOME FANCIES IN FOOD.

Articles of Diet Preferred by Some Tabooed by Others.

From the beginning of time there has been always some variety of fruit, fish, vegetable or meat which certain portions of mankind refused to eat. Among the edibles at some time or other under the ban were the apple, pear, strawberry, quince, bean, onion, leek, asparagus, woodpecker, pigeon, goose, deer, bear, turtle and eel.

The Jews have an antipathy to pork. On the other hand this meat was highly esteemed by the ancient Greeks and Romans, as frequent reference to it in accounts of banquets is made. At the great feast held annually in honor of Demeter roast pig was always the piece de resistance. Those who took part in another Grecian festival abstained, however, from beans.

Mice are esteemed in China and some parts of India, while, on the other hand, the Egyptians, Greeks and Jews abhorred mouse meat. In old Egypt rats and mice were sacred and in Greece the mouse was sacred to Apollo.

People have abstained from eating flesh which we think is pretty good stuff. For example, the Thebans would not touch mutton—and what can be said against a juicy mutton chop? The Romans sneered at the Egyptians because the latter would not eat onions and garlic, while on the other hand the Romans refused to touch woodpecker stew.

It is claimed by students that antipathy to any kind of meat has its origin in the peculiar custom and belief called totemism. There is a time in the history of every people when they claim kinship and descent from wild beasts and birds. This particular animal is the family totem and they religiously refrain from eating it. No member of the bear family, for instance, would eat bear meat if starving.

The survival of antipathy to certain foods was found among people so highly civilized as the Egyptians, Greeks and Romans. The goat could not be eaten in Mendes, nor the cat in Bubastis nor the crocodile at Ombos, nor the rat, which was sacred to the sun god. In Greece families were named after plants as well as animals.

Depew off for Europe.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Chauncey M. Depew sailed to day on the St. Paul for Europe. He will be gone nine weeks. During his stay in Europe Mr. Depew will make a study of the bimetallic question from a transatlantic point of view. He will gather the views of European financiers upon the possible consequences of silver free coinage in the United States. The results of his observations will be utilized on his return in his speeches during the Republican campaign.

Base Ball.

The game to-day between the Honolulu and Stars promises to be one of the most hotly contested one of the season, each side claiming to be certain of victory. The players will be as follows:

HONOLULU	POSITION	STARS.
G. Clarke	p.	Lionel Hart
D. Dayton	c.	H. Wilder
J. H. Wodehouse	1b.	C. Willis
W. Lucas	2b.	C. Conradt
J. Lemon	3b.	P. Lishman
Jack Low	ss.	W. Wilder
Chris Holt	lf.	T. Pryce
Eddie Holt	rf.	D. Ross
O. Kalamianaole	cf.	S. Woods

The closing exercises of the Anglican Chinese Mission School will be held in St. Andrews' Cathedral Sunday School room on Monday, July 13th, at 1:30 p. m. All those who are interested are invited to attend. The exercises will consist of English and Chinese recitations, dialogues and singing.

NOTICE.

ON ACCOUNT OF DEPARTURE, THE undersigned hereby requests all bills due her to be settled before the 20th of this month. A. M. MELLIS.

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NOTICE.

MR. MORRIS K. KEOHOKALOOLE will be at my office between 8 and 9 A. M., to transact business during my absence from the city. H. V. MURRAY, M. D.

Timely Topics.

Honolulu, July 9, 1896.

To-day we have something to say in regard to the De Laval Cream Separators and Barber's refrigerating machine.

As you all know, the purpose of the Cream Separator is the expeditious and complete separation of cream from milk in the most practical manner possible. The De Laval Separator is the invention of Dr. Gustaf De Laval of Sweden, one of the most practical scientists and useful inventors of any time, and distinguished generally as the Edison of Dairying."

Since its introduction in 1879 the De Laval Separator has wholly revolutionized dairying methods, and won the fight on behalf of centrifugal separation. It has alone brought about the broad development and universally demonstrated superiority of the new system to all other methods.

There are two general elements in the construction, purchase and use of the De Laval Cream Separators; complete separation, which is naturally the primary purpose of the machine, and the equally important one of accomplishing that separation in the most practical and economical manner.

The "De Laval" Power or Creamery and Factory sizes of Cream Separators are made in eight styles, in addition to the six sizes of the smaller "Baby" or Dairy De Laval machines for house dairying and cream gathering factory use. They range in capacity from 1100 lbs. to 4000 lbs. per hour, while the smaller ones run from 150 to 700 lbs.

For household and small dairy use the "Baby" or the Alpha "Humming Bird" which can be used by hand are recommended. You will save at least \$10 a year each cow by their use, save time and trouble and obtain the most perfect cream. Barber's refrigerating machine is another one of those marvels of the inventive genius of the age and has been especially designed for small plants such as creameries, butter, cheese and egg storage houses.

We shall be pleased to furnish fuller information to all applying for it.

The Hawaiian Hardware Co., L'd
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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Stars vs. Honolulu 10-day.
The prettiest dress materials in town at N. S. Sachs'.

The Mexican man-of-war Zaragoza will leave to-morrow morning.

The only place to buy Dresses in town is at L. B. Kerrs.

At the Royal Annex you will gather in all the sporting news

Figured Dimities only 15cts. per yard at L. B. Kerrs.

The base ball game this afternoon promises to be the hottest of the season.

A good article for little money is what any body can get at Kerrs.

Professors Koebele and Perkins are in the mountains hunting after bugs and flora.

At the Cosmopolitan as warships are in port call for Pabst Milwaukee Beer.

Mr. Paul Neumann was around this morning after his short confinement to his bed.

At the Pacific Exchange don't hesitate to call for Pabst Milwaukee Beer.

The Band plays at Emma Square this afternoon, much to the gratification of the ball players.

A fine line of Kid Gloves, Corsets, and Corset Covers at N. S. Sachs', 520 Fort street.

Judge Wilcox has purchased the Kalihī brewery, according to the Real Estate Register. The sum paid is \$16,000.

Silks, Gauges, Drapery nets, for evening dresses, for balls, parties and weddings at N. S. Sachs'.

After the ball game is over call at the Empire and ask "Duke" for a "Star" cocktail, or take National Beer if you prefer it.

Don't be misled! Make your purchases at Kerrs and save at least 25 cents on every dollar spent.

Clarence Macfarlane has the prettiest dog in town. Let us have a dog show here as a change from the political monkey show.

The Peacock saloons—the Royal, Pacific, and Cosmopolitan—give you interchangeable checks for Pabst Milwaukee Beer.

Secretary Girvin and his assistant paid a visit to the Quarantine Station this forenoon to release 42 Chinamen who arrived under special bonds.

Colonel McLean has appointed Capt. Murray, Lieutenants Bergstrom and Fetter an examining board for non-commissioned officers.

White Honey-Comb Bedspreads at 75cts., \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 each only enough to last a few days. L. B. Kerr, Queen St.

The brick vault now being erected in the office of—so many titles—Mr. Marsden, Mr. Wray Taylor and others is a move in the right direction.

The Japanese Government having cancelled the labor contract with Ogura & Co., Geo. Boardman and others left by the Gaelic yesterday to investigate.

Minister King is taking a trip to Waianae on business and pleasure combined. From steering a steamer to steering a State is naught of a transition to a capable man.

At the Empire Saloon, D. C. L., McBrayer and other topical drinks may be had. The new manager "Duke" McNichol is making many improvements for the convenience of his guests.

That Bock Beer bottled at the Anchor is simply immense. Cunningham and Simpson have other treats in store outside of Long Life and the standard goods.

The Royal annex was one of the most tastefully decorated resorts in town, even if the grand mirror has a splash upon it. It is surprising to learn what bracers for weak nerves Peacock's men can put up for you while you admire the latest Correggio.

Fred. Harrison will not leave for San Francisco by the China due here on Monday, being detained by important business. He will probably leave by the Australia.

Our visitors have consumed so much beer that there is almost a beer famine in town. So far the prominent dealers think that they can hold on until the Australia arrives.

The two Charley's have "Tim Cooper" at the Criterion. The boys appreciate it. It is said that the esthetical songster and all round utilitarian has expressed his approval of the concoction.

Our dearly beloved Collector-General will leave us on Monday next by the S. S. China for about a three months vacation. His position will be ably filled by his deputy Mr. McStocker. This information is given for the benefit of the plotters who want Mr. Castle's position.

The Austrian man-of-war Saída left this morning shortly after 10 o'clock. The officers of the Imperial vessel expressed themselves charmed with their visit to Honolulu, and society here wish the genial Austrians a pleasant voyage and a speedy return to our Paradise.

Those small fish shaped boxes that puzzle all but gourmets contain Sardines with Tomato sauce. The round boxes have inside of them Sardellen and Leber Wurst, Roquefort and Brie and other dainties. The home productions are principally Guava Jelly and spiced Pine Apple Pickle. Call on Lewis & Co. to explain.

Sixty-two tins of opium, we are informed, have been found on the Lanai beach. The tins are covered with waterproof cloth and are presumably floating from boxes deposited in the briny deep and bursted by the tidal wave. A Lahaina correspondent says that it generally understood that 1500 tins were "deposited" while the Lebus and the clever officials of the Republic were hunting for smugglers. Is it not a proper occasion to form a wrecking company?

WATERFRONT WHISPERINGS.

The steamer W. G. Hall arrived yesterday afternoon with 3,490 bags A. H. A. & Co. sugar, and 2,510 No. 2 Hutchinson Mills. Both lots of sugar are being shipped on the Tillie E. Starbuck at the Oceanic wharf.

The steamer Waialeale came in this morning from Hamakua, with a full load of F. A. Schaefer & Co. sugar. 2,200 bags was put aboard the bark Martha Davis, and 1,300 bags to the ship Tillie E. Starbuck. The big ship requires about 600 tons to complete her cargo.

The Ke Au Hou sailed at 3 p. m. for Waimea, Kekaha and Makaweli. 60 tins of No. 1 Hongkong dope was captured by Captain Jack McVeigh this morning at the Quarantine Station. The tins were concealed comfortably in six innocent-looking baskets with false bottoms. The contraband article was carried to the Station House with all speed.

Ten unfortunate lads came by the Mokoli'i this morning from the Leper Settlement. There was an affecting scene when the boys were taken from the wharf to the Kalihī Station.

At Whist.

Across the polished table there I see her sitting now; her hair, Her eyes, her dainty fingers, too, Just as in years gone by I knew My partner.

I led a heart—I think the king— It passed around the silent ring, And though it was the best one out, She paused a moment, half in doubt, Then trumped it.

"Oh, partner, that was the command," She said, when she had played the hand;

Then, wrinkling up her pretty brow, "You will forgive me, won't you now, For trumping?"

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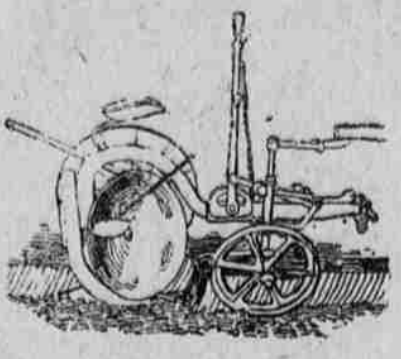
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public declared. It was announced to the world that the change was satisfactory to the great majority of the people of the islands, and the establishment of a new Republic in the Pacific was generally supposed to be the work of the natives, who had learned to govern themselves.

But facts are sometimes stubborn and refute false statements. The facts of the change of government are not what have been made public.

There are, in round numbers, a hundred thousand people of the Sandwich Islands. Fifty thousand are natives, thirty thousand Chinese and Japanese, nine thousand Portuguese, and eleven thousand whites of other nationality. When the men who established the provisional government broke their oath of allegiance and possessed themselves of the reins, they disfranchised all the inhabitants except the whites. They will tell you that only Japanese and Chinese were disfranchised, but by the establishment of a rigid oath of allegiance to the new government, they disfranchised the natives as well, for the native still retains enough of his primitive honor to hold himself bound by his oath, and he cannot swear that he will not try to get back that which rightly belongs to him.

The natives are not alone in their feeling of resentment at the new government. Many of the whites who have lived for years on the islands see how their country is being ruined by unnecessary interference, and they, too, are restive. The Portuguese have found that the change benefitted only the few who ran the machine, and they are ready to aid in bringing about a change.

The members of the present government are not as blind to the situation as they appear. When the queen was robbed of her throne and her means of living at the same time, it would seem that common justice should have given her a pension; but the government refused to do anything of the sort. They realized, however, that they were on dangerous ground and proceeded to provide a means of safety.

The queen was imprisoned on charges of treason, and while under duress was forced to abdicate. According to the monarchical constitution the reigning sovereign names his or her successor, and following this rule the queen had named her niece Princess Kaiulani, as heir to the throne. The Princess, Miss Cleg-horn, is well-off in this world's goods, yet at the same sitting of the legislature which refused to pension the queen, a bill was passed granting to Princess Kaiulani \$4,000. It was what a politician might call a very "smooth" piece of work. If abdication under duress could be held as legal, then Kaiulani is the legal sovereign of the islands. If the present government gets ousted and the monarchy re-established, Kaiulani will rule, and those who so generously donated other people's money expect to be graciously remembered by the new queen.

In short, it is pretty well understood just now that the republican form of government under existing conditions on the Hawaiian Islands is a failure, and the men who are now at the head of the government hope, by putting Kaiulani on the throne, to save themselves and their property and avert the disaster of overthrow, which they realize is bound to come.

But they reckon without their host. The Hawaiians are not illiterate savages. Neither are they heathens. With all the boasted educational facilities of the United States the percentage of illiteracy is much higher here than on the islands. Strange as it may seem, there is but 1 percent of the natives who are illiterate. Go to the rudest hut, made of grass and occupied by fishermen, and you will find that they take and read the native paper. They not only read, but they think. They are honest and resent dishonesty in others. The natives will not be appeased by a re-establishment of the monarchy with Kaiulani on the throne. Nor would

Princess Kaiulani accept the throne so long as Queen Liliuokalani is alive. The queen is still the queen to her people and they not only honor her, but love her, and treat her with as much difference and respect to-day as at any time during her reign.

This simply means that when the change comes, and come it will as sure as the islands remain, Queen Liliuokalani will be on the throne, not through any effort or design of her own, but by the expressed will of a vast majority of the people of the islands. I say this advisedly. The queen will take no part in any attempt to recover the government. She is willing to sacrifice herself and her interests for the good of her people, but will under no consideration jeopardize the welfare of her people for her own benefit. She has persistently refused to counsel with those who desire a change and has kept in seclusion that is painful to her friends.

Probably no woman has been more maligned than the queen. Before her overthrow her virtues and good qualities were extolled to the skies by those who lose no opportunity of slandering her in the hope of bolstering their own cause. The people of the United States have been told all sorts of malicious stories regarding the private life of the queen and she has been pictured as an untutored, uncultured, coarse woman, whose sole object in life was her personal pleasure. This is anything but the truth. She is a woman of education and refinement, every inch a queen in talk, appearance and manner. Her face, which the published pictures of her much belie, shows deep thought and delicate refinement. There is strength in every line of it and her everyday life is a counterpart of what it depicts. A member of the Episcopal church, she is a devout and sincere Christian, doing no lip service, but making her life conform to the tenets of the belief. Her desire is that her people may advance and profit by the wonderful resources of the islands and reap the benefits of the improvement. In their present condition of subjection to foreign domination this is impossible as it is the policy of the Government to keep all natives from places of emolument.

The feeling of the natives could not better be illustrated than by repeating a story told me by a friend in Honolulu.

The government in its blindness to the welfare of the islands has devised registration rules and regulations that are revolting to all decent people. Among the regulations is one requiring every person on the islands to put his thumb mark on a piece of paper after the Bertillon method of identifying criminals. An old native was asked if he had registered. No. Was he going to register? No. Then he would get into trouble. What trouble? He would be fined. He had no money. Then he would be put in jail. Drawing himself up he said:

"We are all of one mind. There are not jails enough to hold us all and the government hasn't money enough to feed us all if we go to jail."

The thumb mark regulation will be rescinded. It cannot be enforced, especially as it applies to tourists and visitors as well as residents.

The situation in a nutshell is this: The present government is unable and cannot stand. Its adherents are hoping against hope for annexation with the United States. Failing in this they hope to place Kaiulani on the throne. Neither plan will succeed. Within two years a monarchy will be re-established and then, and not until then, will the islands progress and the people be happy and contented.

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