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Table listing names and titles of officials such as Hon. J. W. Kaha, Circuit Judge, and others.

WHAT A BOTANIST MAY SEE IN HONOLULU.

One will find in Honolulu very few plants belonging to the original flora of the island. Even the grasses and weeds are nearly all exotic.

The tree ferns which abound in the forest, and which are peculiar Hawaiian species, you will rarely see in cultivation in Honolulu.

Among the indigenous trees occasionally seen in Honolulu is the breadfruit tree, which is planted as a shade tree with an eye to utility.

Conspicuous by the paleness of its silvery foliage among the shade trees near the city, as well as in the valleys of the interior, is the Kukui, or candlenut tree, Aleurites Moluccana.

Banana trees you see everywhere, but not generally planted for ornament. The trade wind blows too constantly to allow them to keep a whole leaf more than a day or two, unless under shelter of a house.

The fruit of the different varieties varies greatly in size, shape, color and flavor; the fruit cluster in some varieties are very large, in others always small.

One variety has the fruit cluster erect instead of pendant. Some are good to eat uncooked, and spoiled by cooking, others are unpalatable unless cooked, when they are delicious.

in Honolulu is the mango. Compact in its growth, its foliage is dense, consisting of linear-lanceolate, rather rigid leaves, six to nine inches long, dark green when mature, but, while young in the spring, of a rich purple-red color.

There is nothing beautiful about a guava tree, except its white, rose-like blossoms, and its profusion of golden-yellow fruit.

A characteristic plant in Honolulu, especially about the houses of natives is the papaya. An erect trunk, generally, but not always unbranched, bearing at the summit a cluster of large palmately lobed or divided leaves.

Another tree during the summer months will attract especial notice by its tempting display of fruit: this is the avocado, more commonly known as the alligator pear, Persea gratissima.

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ISLAND NEWS

FROM HONOLULU

The Democratic Territorial Convention met in the Drill Shed last Monday evening to elect delegates to the National Democratic Convention at Kansas City on July 4.

J. M. Sims was elected temporary secretary. Mr. Rhodes then moved that one man from each district be elected on credentials.

Mr. Rhodes moved that the Convention elect by acclamation the following delegates to the Democratic Convention to be held at Kansas City: Prince David Kawananakoa, John S. Wise, John D. Holt, W. H. Cornwell, Chas. T. Wilder, now Consul at San Francisco, and W. S. Withers.

The wireless telegraphy instruments came off the Australia Friday afternoon. It will take but a short time to put the one up at Kaimuki, and then the workmen will proceed to Molokai and Maui.

The Council of State met yesterday and made such changes in the appropriation bills as were suggested by President McKinley.

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etc. It will take time, of course, to straighten out the details, but you can say that the 5-cent postage on letters to the States will be a thing of the past next Thursday.

Among the through passengers on the steamship Gaelic is Doctor David Starr Jordan, president of Stanford University and one of the greatest ichthyologists in the world.

The Doctor has never been out in this part of the world before and intends to put in his time driving around Honolulu today until the Gaelic is ready to sail for the Orient.

The following is the list of winning owners on Saturday's and Monday's races:

Table with columns: Owners, Races Amount. Lists names like Prince David and Par-kor's stables with amounts.

The horses that won were: Garterling 2, Vioris 2, Weller, Maples, Sir Cassimir, Evereth, Albert M, Amariano, Aggravation, Directress, Ahumanu, Leahi, Antidote and Violin.

"All coons looked alike" to the people on the Pacific Mail wharf yesterday evening, when Hogan's minstrel troupe waved aloha from the deck of the Warrimoo as she left the wharf for Vancouver and Victoria.

The negroes were literally buried in leis. Their black faces looked like big chocolate drops struck in bunches of flowers.

The band was in such a hurry to get through each farewell selection in order to spend the time throwing leis and kisses and smiles and witty remarks at the people on the dock, that half of the band commented "There'll Be a Hot Time" at the beginning while the other half of the musicians began at the end of the piece, and they played towards each other, as it were, until, meeting at that point where each hadn't another note unplayed, they ended in an indescribable sound which was mercifully drowned by the last blowing of the Warrimoo's whistle.

As the steamer went out of the harbor, Hogan was taking a light from the captain's cigar and telling him a funny story, while the rest of the minstrels graced the rail like so many blackberries on a fence, and screamed good-bye to the broken hearts left behind.

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