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Wanted, bills of Exchange on the U. S. and Europe. Consignments from abroad promptly attended to. Island produce of all kinds taken in Exchange for goods.-35-tf.

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Importers and Commission Merchants.
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I. 35-tf

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☞ Refer to MAKEE, ANTHON & Co. and R. W. WOOD.-35-tf

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Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
Money advanced on favorable terms for Bills of Exchange on the United States, England, or France.-35-tf

THOS. SPENCER,
Ship Chandler and Commission Merchant.
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
Ships supplied with refreshments, provisions, &c. at the shortest notice, on reasonable terms. WHALERS BILLS WANTED.-35-tf

W. A. ALDRICH, C. E. BISHOP.
ALDRICH & BISHOP.
Importers and Dealers in General Merchandise.
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
Island Produce bought and sold. Agents for the sale of the products of the Lihue Plantation.-35-tf

SAM'L N CASTLE, AMOS S. COOKE.
CASTLE & COOKE,
Importers and Wholesale and Retail Dealers in General Merchandise,
At the old stand, corner of King and School streets, near the large Stone Church.—Also, at the New Store, corner of King and Bethel streets, near the Seamen's Chapel.-35-tf

R. COADY, J. C. BULLIONS.
R. COADY & CO.,
Ship Chandlers & Commission Merchants.
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
Ships supplied with refreshments, provisions, &c., at the shortest notice, on reasonable terms. N. B.—Wanted, whalers' bills on the U. S. or Europe, for which money will be advanced on favorable terms. 35-tf

SILVEY ROBINSON HENRY RHODES.
ROBINSON & RHODES,
Importers, and Wholesale Dealers in Wines, Liquors, Cigars, &c.
R. & R. intend keeping a large and well assorted stock of the best quality at the lowest possible prices, and for this purpose Mr Rhodes will remain in San Francisco for a considerable period to select, with his well known good taste and judgment, the best that market affords, previous to his visiting England to make permanent arrangements for future supplies.-35-tf

J. E. MITCHELL, CAPT. NATH'L FALES JR.
MITCHELL & FALES,
Successors to Lewis & Co., Ship Chandlers,
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I. 35-tf

R. VON HOLT. C. TH. HEUCK.
Von HOLT & HEUCK,
General Commission Merchants.
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I. 35-tf

J. T. WATERHOUSE,
Commission Merchant and General Dealer in Merchandise, Wholesale and Retail.
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I. 35-tf

P. MICHEL,
Dealer in General Merchandise.
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
At the French Store corner of Nuuanu and Marine st.-35-tf

PIERCE HEGARTY,
Wholesale and General Commission Merchant.
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
N. B. Money advanced on vessels bound to the Colonies or N. S. W., and on Goods consigned to JOHN RICKARDS ESQ., Pitt St, Sydney.-35-tf

G. W. GULICK, A. K. CLARK.
GULICK & CLARK,
Importers and Commission Merchants,
King st., Honolulu, Oahu, S. I. 35-tf

FLORENS STAPENHORST,
General Agency and Commission Business.
REFERENCES.
Messrs. D. H. Watjen & Co., Bremen.
Messrs. Meyer & Stucken, } New York.
Messrs. Oelrichs & Co. }
John A. Parker, Esq., } New Bedford.
George Hussey, Esq., } tf 35

J. WORTH,
Dealer in General Merchandise,
Hilo, Hawaii.
Ships supplied with Recruits at the shortest notice, on reasonable terms. Bills of Exchange wanted. tf-5

BUSINESS CARDS.

WHOLESALE & RETAIL.

GUST. C. MELCHER, GUST. REINEKE.
MELCHERS & CO.,
Commission Merchants and Ship Chandlers,
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
Stone Store, corner of Kaahumanu and Merchant sts. Money advanced on favorable terms for Whaler's Bills on the United States and Europe. 35-tf

RICE & CO.,
Auction and Commission Merchants.
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
☞ JOHN F. COLBURN, Auctioneer.-35-tf

Wm. DICKSON,
Importer and Commission Agent,
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I. 35-tf

FELDHEIM & CO.,
Importers and Commission Merchants,
Merchant st., Honolulu, Oahu, S. I. 35-tf

WILLIAM BOWDEN,
Ship Broker and General Agent.
Honolulu, Fort St. tf-2

C. T. AVERBERG & Co.,
Merchants and Commission Agents,
Corner of King and Maunakea Sts. tf 1*

VINCENT GRENIER,
Importer & Commission Merchant,
Nuuanu Street, Honolulu.
VINCENT GRENIER, Proprietor, Bordeaux. J. J. CARANAVE, Agent, Honolulu.

B. PITMAN.
Ship Chandler and Dealer in General Merchandise.
Byron's Bay, Hilo, Hawaii.
Ships supplied with general Recruits, Wood, &c., at the shortest notice, and most reasonable terms in exchange for bills or goods adapted to the market. Wanted, Whaler's bills on the United States or Europe, for which money will be advanced on favorable terms. N. B.—Storage for 3 or 4,000 barrels taken at customary rates.-35-tf

G. D. GILMAN, CAPT F. C. SMITH.
GILMAN & SMITH,
Ship Chandlers and General Agents.
Lahaina, Maui, S. I.
Ships supplied with RECRUITS, STORAGE, and MONEY.-35-tf

B. F. BOLLES, W. HOFFMEYER.
B. F. BOLLES & CO.
Commission Merchants, Ship Chandlers and General Agents,
Lahaina, Maui, H. I.
Ships furnished with recruits. Whaler's Bills wanted on the U. S. and Europe. STORAGE.-35-tf

C. H. NICHOLSON,
Merchant Tailor.
[Establishment opposite Seamen's Chapel.]
Honolulu, Oahu, H. I.
A large assortment of Broadcloths, Cassimeres and Linen Drillings, constantly for sale. Garments made at short notice, in latest fashion. 35-tf

LAFLEUR & FISCHER,
Cabinet Makers and French Polishers.
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I. 35-tf

S. JOHNSON,
House Carpenter, &c.
Fort st., Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
Next door to Mr. Marshall's Cooperage. All orders punctually attended to, and jobbing done on reasonable terms. Plans and Specifications drawn to order. Doors and Sashes constantly on hand.-35-tf

ROBINSON & ELDRIDGE,
House, Sign and Coach Painters,
At the old Stand, Nuuanu street. 3-3m

J. FOX'S
Bakery and Grocery Store,
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
Nuuanu street, between Chaplain and Hotel streets.-35-tf

T. MOSSMAN, T. MOSSMAN JR.
MOSSMAN & SON,
Bakers, Grocers and Dealers in Dry Goods.
Nuuanu St., Honolulu, Oahu, S. I. 35-tf

C. A. TANER,
Sail Maker, Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
Has constantly on hand and for sale, hemp and cotton Canvass, Duck, Rigging, Patent Blocks, Needles, Old Sails and everything appertaining to the trade. Orders promptly attended to, and executed with quick despatch.

DANIEL JANNER'S
Restaurant Republic,
Meals at all hours, and with the best the market affords Mauna Kea street, 1 door below Liberty Hall.-35-tf

D. N. FLITNER,
Continues to repair Chronometers, at the old stand: accurate rates determined by observations of the sun and stars, with a transit instrument made by Roskill, Liverpool. Particular attention given to fine watch repairing. Sextant and Quadrant glasses silvered and adjusted.-35-tf

J. H. WOOD,
Boot and Shoe Manufacturer, Shoe and Leather Dealer.
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
At the Brick Shoe Store, corner of Fort and Merchant sts.-35-t

C. H. LEWERS,
House Carpenter, & Joiner,
Fort st., Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
On the premises adjoining the French Hotel. All orders punctually attended to and jobbing done on reasonable terms. Plans and Specifications drawn to order.-35-tf

STUART & KAHL,
Cabinet Makers and Turners,
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
☞ Successors to R. A. S. Wood, on Hotel street. 35-tf

G. RISELY, B. F. HARDER.
GEO. RISELY & CO.,
Butchers and Sausage Makers,
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
Would respectfully inform the Residents and Ship Masters that they can be supplied with the best Beef, Pork and Mutton at their establishment, the Rose Cottage Market also at the New Market, at the very lowest prices. Families, Hotels and Boarding Houses can be supplied at any time of day with the best Sausages, Pork &c. Vessels supplied with Corned Beef and Live Stock on the shortest notice.-35-tf

HENRY SMITH,
Blacksmith, Honolulu,
Oahu, S. I.
For Sale, two new hand carts and one Carriage with double harness complete.-35-tf

H. F. ELMORE,
Carriage Trimmer, Harness Maker, and Saddler,
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
Carriages re-covered. All work done with promptness, in a workmanlike manner, and on reasonable terms. Corner of Fort and Merchant sts, adjoining the Brick Shoe store.-35-tf

JOHN FEY'S
Hat and Cap Establishment,
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.,
Late of San Francisco, would respectfully inform the residents and visiters of Honolulu that he has opened a Hat establishment in Nuuanu st., one door above J. Fox's Bakery and Grocery Store, where may be found an assortment of fashionable hats.-1y-25.

JOHN G. LEWIS,
Real Estate Broker and General Agent,
Honolulu, Oahu, H. I.
N. B. Sale and Transfer of vessels attended to, and Money advanced on Bottomry. Exchange on the U. S. bought and sold at the lowest rates. Money received on deposit. Office over the New Post Office, in the Honolulu House, Merchant street. Refers to—
JAMES HUNNEWELL, Esq., Com. Wharf, Boston, U. S.
G. B. POST & Co., San Francisco.
SAMUEL LOVERIDGE, No 2 Dey street, New York.-tf-

WM. WEBSTER,
Land Agent to His Majesty.
Office in the King's Garden, Beritania Street. tf-4

MORT & OPPENHEIM,
Commission Merchants,
Sydney, N. S. W. 35-tf

BUSINESS CARDS.

PHYSICIANS.

GEO. A. LATHROP,
Physician and Surgeon,
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I,
Office at the Market Drug Store. Residence corner of Fort and Beretania sts., next above the Catholic Church.—Langherne, Druggist, wharf street, next door above Spencer's Store.

G. P. JUDD, M. D.,
Physician and Surgeon,
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
At the Office formerly occupied by Dr. Ford, in Kaahumanu street. Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.-35-tf

S. PORTER FORD,
Surgeon and Physician,
Kaahumanu st., Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
N. B.—Particular attention given to the treatment of diseases of the eye and ear.-35-tf

C. H. WETMORE,
Physician and Surgeon,
Hilo, Hawaii S. I.
N. B. Medecine Chests replenished on reasonable terms.-35-tf

DR. Ch. Fr. BERG,
Physician and Surgeon.
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
☞ Office in Queen street.-39-tf

J. O'BRIEN,
Physician and Surgeon,
Late of Baltimore, U. S.,
Respectfully offers his services to the citizens of Honolulu and vicinity, in the various branches of his profession. With industry, an unsullied reputation, together with twenty three years experience in the profession, he feels emboldened to offer to a kind and discerning public. Office in Wyllie's Row, Nuuanu street.-36-tf

E. S. RUGGLES. A. G. THURSTON.
RUGGLES & CO.,
Drug Store and Dispensary,
Corner of Kaahumanu and Merchant streets. Open at all hours of the day and night. Prescriptions carefully compounded. tf-44

AUCTIONEERS.

M. C. MONSARRAT,
Auctioneer, Honolulu,
Oahu, S. I. 35-tf

G. D. GILMAN,
Auctioneer, Lahaina,
Maui, S. I. 41-tf

UNDERWRITERS.

WM. B. RICE,
Underwriter's Agency, at Rice & Co's.,
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.,
Having been appointed Agent for the Underwriters in Boston, U. S. A., hereby gives notice that he will be at all times ready to transact any business connected with this department. Masters of vessels will confer a favor by giving early information of any marine losses or disasters occurring in this vicinity, or elsewhere in the Pacific 35-tf

HENRY A. NEILSON,
Agent of the N. Y. Board of Underwriters
[Office at the counting room of Rice & Co.]
Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.
Masters of vessels and others will confer a favor by giving early information of any marine losses or disasters occurring in the vicinity of the Hawaiian Islands, or elsewhere in the Pacific.-35-tf

COOPERAGE.

FRANCIS B. SWAIN, CHAS. H. BUTLER.
SWAIN & BUTLER,
Coopers, Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.,
Having formed a copartnership under the style of Swain and Butler, have taken the shop recently occupied by J. C. Walters, and intend carrying on the Coopering Business in all its various branches. Hoping by strict attention to merit a share of the public patronage. On hand and for sale, 2000 bbls casks, barrels, buckets, tubs, shower bath and bathing tubs.-37-tf

J. A. BURDICK,
Cooper, Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.,
Having taken the premises formerly occupied by W. Vincent, Hotel st., near Mauna Kea st. will continue to carry on the cooper's business in all its branches at the above mentioned place where he hopes that those of his friends who have hitherto afforded him a liberal patronage will not fail to give him a call. N. B. 1,500 bbls water casks on hand and for sale on liberal terms.

C. H. MARSHALL,
Cooper, Honolulu, Oahu, S. I.,
Has removed his shop to the yard in rear of the store formerly occupied by Pitchard & Cox, and would respectfully inform the public that he is now prepared to execute any orders in the cooperage line, at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms. Tubs, shower baths, and work of every description made to order.-35-tf

ATTORNEYS.

F. BAKER,
Attorney at Law,
Hilo, Hawaii,
Will practice in the various Courts of Islands, and solicit collections and other business. Refer to Hon. W. L. Lee and W. Newcomb, M. D., Honolulu, and Judge Masters, Lahaina, Maui.-6m

J. LIPPITT,
Attorney at Law,
Lahaina, Maui, S. I. 35-tf

J. D. BLAIR,
Attorney at Law,
Will practice in the various Courts at Honolulu, and in the Circuit Court at Lahaina, he will also prosecute claims before the Land Commission, and act as agent for the collection of debts and the purchase and sale of real estate. Conveyancing and the examination of title deeds promptly attended to. Office in French's building.-35-tf

J. E. CHAMBERLAIN,
Attorney at Law.
Office in the Honolulu House.
49-tf.

THE HONOLULU IRON WORKS.

The undersigned is now prepared to manufacture and repair all kinds of
MACHINERY AND MILL WORK,
and also all kinds of IRON AND BRASS CASTINGS made to order. Also, SAWING OF LUMBER promptly attended to,
1-tf D. M. WESTON.

SAN FRANCISCO NOTICES.

BURGESS, GILBERT & STILL,
Wholesale, Retail Booksellers and Stationers,
San Francisco, Cal.
And Agents for American and Foreign Magazines and News papers. No. 126 Commercial street.-35-tf

STEWART A. SMITH, EDMUND SMITH
SMITH, BROTHER & CO.,
(LATE PROBST, SMITH & CO.)
Commission Merchants,
San Francisco, Cal.
Exchange on Messrs. Grinnell, Minturn & Co., A. C. Rossier & Co., New York. W. Weld & Co. Boston. F. Huth & Co., London.-35-tf

WELLS, FARGO & CO.,
Bankers, Commission Agents and Expres Forwarders,
San Francisco, California.
MITCHELL & FALES, agents in Honolulu for the above firm will forward to San Francisco, by Express, all package parcels or letters for delivery in any part of the United States, Canada, or Europe. tf—47

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Hawaiian Anniversaries.

We give the following, from the Friend, as the prominent facts and proceedings of the various Hawaiian benevolent Societies, at their Anniversaries held during the last week in May.

The Hawaiian Missionary Society.

Receipts for the year, - -	$7,738 76
Disbursements, - - -	4,590 49
Balance in the Treasury Dec. 31st, 1853,	$3,148 27

Appendix to Report to June 1st, 1853.

Balance and receipts, - -	$5,856 48
Disbursements, to June 1st. - -	4,956 65
Balance, June 1st., - -	$ 899 83

Considering the ravages of the small pox, and the fact that the last was the first year of a general effort by the Native Churches to sustain their own Pastors, and the comparatively large contributions by the Hawaiian Churches, for the erection of church edifices and for other religious and benevolent objects, the falling off has not been so great as anticipated, and the future is full of hope. Money is needed to carry on the most important of all works committed to man, the evangelization of the world, and if the *hearts* of Christians are engaged in this momentous enterprise, and their prayers ascend in *faith* for its success, the Lord to whom belongs the silver and the gold will not permit it to be wanting in carrying on this great work, till it shall have been accomplished—in the subversion of the Prince of darkness, and the establishment of that of the Prince of Peace. S. N. CASTLE, Treasurer.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Rev. A. THURSTON, President.
Hon. JOHN II, } V. Pres'ts.
Rev. W. P. ALEXANDER, }
" T. COAN, }
" R ARMSTRONG, }
" G. B. ROWELL, }
Rev. E. W. CLARK, Corresponding Sec.
Rev. D. POLE, Recording Secretary.
C. R. BISHOP, Esq., Auditor.
Rev. S. C. DAMON, } Ex. Com.
Rev. L. SMITH, }
Mr. J. T. WATERHOUSE, }
Rev. W. P. ALEXANDER, Preacher for 1855.
Rev. L. SMITH, Alternate " "

The Hawaiian Bible Society.

Receipts for year ending May 31, 1854,	$522 00
Disbursements, - - -	21 12
Balance on hand, May 31st, - -	$500 00

A large invoice of bibles and testaments are now on the way to the islands, in the John Caskie, from New York, which will require the whole amount of funds on hand to pay for on their arrival.

The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:

HON. W. L. LEE, President.
G. M. ROBERTSON, Esq., } V. Pres't.
WARREN GOODALE, Esq., }
REV. S. C. DAMON, Secretary.
A. S. COOK, Esq., Treasurer.
Mr. I BARTLETT, } Ex. Com.
Mr. J. T. WATERHOUSE, }
REV. R. ARMSTRONG, }
REV. S. E. BISHOP, Preacher, for 1855.
REV. A. BISHOP, Alternate " "

Rev. A. Thurston was appointed, to prepare to be read at the next Anniversary, a history of the Hawaiian Translation of the Bible. At the close of the exercises, a collection, amounting to $208, was taken to promote the distribution of the sacred scriptures among Hawaiian seamen. The statement was made that many hundreds of them left annually unfurnished with the Bible.

The Hawaiian Tract Society.

The Report of the Secretary gave an account of the Society's operations during the past year. The Report of Mr. Ryan, the Society's Colporteur, was also read.

From the Report of the Treasurer, it appeared that he had received as follows:

From donors and sale of books and tracts, - - - - -	$301 17
For Colporteur enterprise, -	747 03
Total receipts, - -	$1,048 20

The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:

HON. L ANDREWS, President.
J W. MARSH, Esq., Vice President.
G. M. ROBERTSON, Esq., Secretary.
O. H. GULICK, Esq., Treasurer.
REV. S. C. DAMON, } Ex. Com.
MR. J. T. WATERHOUSE, }
MR. G. B. C. INGRAHAM, }

At the close of the exercises, a collection of about $74 was taken up.

Hawaiian Evangelical Association.

During many years past, the American Missionaries have been accustomed to assemble at Honolulu annually, forming a body, styled the "General Meeting of the Mission." The Mission having been dissolved, when they assemble hereafter, it will be in an ecclesiastical body, styled "The Hawaiian Evangelical Association." This is not a new organization, but one which has existde for about thirty years.

MEMBERS PRESENT FROM HAWAII.—*Hilo*, Rev. D. B. Lyman and Rev. T. Coan; *Kailua*, Rev. A. Thurston; *Kau*, Rev. M. Kinney; *Waimea*, Rev. L. Lyons.

MAUI.—*Lahaina.*—Rev. D. Baldwin. *Lahainaluna.*—Rev. W. P. Alexander, and Rev. J. F. Pogue. *Wailuku.*—Rev. Mr. Conde, and Mr. Bailey.

MOLOKAI.—Rev. C. B. Andrews, and Rev. S. G. Dwight.

OAHU.—*Honolulu.*—Rev. E. W. Clark, Rev. L. Smith, Rev. D. Dole, and Rev. S. C. Damon. *Ewa.*—Rev. A. Bishop. *Waialua.*—Rev. J. S. Emerson and Rev. P. J. Gulick.

KAUAI.—*Koloa.*—Dr. Smith. *Hanalei.*—Rev. Mr. Johnson, and Mr. Wilcox.

It is a matter of congratulation that Societies like the Missionary, Bible and Tract have been organized and sustained in this Kingdom, and that they are quietly engaged in their useful and benevolent operations for the benefit of the needy and ignorant. It is sometimes thrown in the teeth of good enterprises, that "charity begins at home," a doctrine, we believe, *not* found in the Christian's "marching orders"—the Bible; but rather "*Go ye into all the world*, and preach the Gospel to every creature." This renders the *world* the field; and wherever misery, ignorance and destitution are found, there is the legitimate field for Christian enterprise, and there Christians should be found laboring.

It will be observed that the gross receipts of the three Societies mentioned, were but $12,017 17: while war demands its millions and hundreds of millions, to inflict injuries, instead of conferring blessings, upon men. We hope these Societies will "go-ahead" in their unpretending work, and that their friends will rally around and sustain them in their work and labor of love. There is no question that the influence of such Societies is much more effective and salutary, in elevating and civilizing the nations, than the sword, the Paixhan gun or the fear induced by physical power, at a thousand fold the cost of the more Christian method adopted by them. And we hazard nothing in the assertion, that the Hawaiian nation has advanced farther in the road towards an enlightened Christian state, in the last 34 years, through the influence of operations like these, than it would advance in 40 centuries under the influence of guns and powder, the sword and military garrisons. Who doubts this?

Royal Hawaiian Agricultural Society.

[CONTINUED FROM LAST WEEK.]

EVENING SESSION,—June 13th.

The exercises commenced with singing, by the Honolulu Amateur Musical Society. After which, the President introduced to the audience the Hon. D. L. Gregg, who had kindly consented to deliver the annual address before the Society. Mr. Gregg's address,—which was an eloquent production,—was listened to with admiration and much attention, by the crowded audience, and elicited during its delivery frequent applause, and at its close a long and continued round from the whole assembly.

On motion of Mr. S. N. Castle, seconded by R. W. Wood, a vote of thanks was unanimously passed to Mr. Gregg, for his eloquent address, and the Secretary was instructed to request a copy for publication in the Transactions.

The exercises of the evening closed with a fine and well executed piece of music by the above named Society, when, on motion of S. Reynolds, seconded by R. C. Wyllie, a vote of thanks was unanimously passed to the Amateur Society.

Adjourned till to-morrow, at 12 o'clock, to attend the Fair.

WEDNESDAY, June 14, 1854.

The Society met at 12 o'clock, and the Committees chosen, proceeded to judge of the productions exhibited, who made the following Reports.

The Committee on *Cattle* reported, and their report was accepted, and is as follows:—

Mr. President and Gentlemen of the R. H. A. S:

Your Committee of judges on Cattle have awarded—

For imported, short horned Durham bull, $20 or silver cup, to Thos. Cummings, of Honolulu.

For best native bull, "Derby," $10 or silver cup to Thos. Cummings of Honolulu.

For best native cow, $10 or silver cup, to Paul Manini.

For best fat ox, over 4 years old, $5 or medal, to J. Holmes.

For best fat steer, under 5 years old, $5 or medal, to Paul Manini.

For best working oxen, $5 or medal, to J. S. Emerson.

We regret that exhibitors did not comply with the rules of the Society in entering their cattle, as by so doing they put it out of our power to award the premiums which we could otherwise have done. It is to be hoped that in future, the regulations will be understood, and that exhibitors will take the trouble to regard them.

L. L. TORBERT
JNO. JANION,
R. MOFFIT,
J. PIKOI.

The Committee on *Sheep, Swine, &c.*, reported, as follows:—

To the President of the Royal Hawaiian Agricultural Society:—

The Committee on Sheep, Swine, Wool and Terriers, do report that we have awarded prizes to the following exhibitors:—

No 32, best Merino Ram, R. Moffitt, $10 or cup.
" 38, " native Ram, do., Morrell's Shepherd.
" 41, " 3 fleeces, do., silver medal.
" 44, for terriers, Paul Manini, $10 or collar.
" 45, best boar, imp., John Meek, $5 or medal.
" 46, do. do. native, Prince Lilioliho, $5 or medal.
" 47, imp. Sow, John Meek, $5 or medal.
" 48, " " owner unknown.
" 49, lot of pigs, R. Moffitt, $5 or medal.

In numbers 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 39, 40, 42 and 43, there were no competitors.

Your Committee remarked 2 wethers of native breed, of superior quality, and worthy of notice, exhibited by Thomas Cummings.

Respectfully submitted for Committee.
JNO. MONTGOMERY.

The Committee on Flowers, reported as follows, which was accepted.

HONOLULU, June 14, 1854.

To the President and Members of the R. H. A. Society:

GENTLEMEN:

Your Committee on Flowers have examined with much care, the various boquets and collections of flowers on exhibition, at your Fair, and would report the following as deserving of the premiums under their several classes.

No. 130, best collection and greatest variety of flowers—Mrs. Hillebrand, $10 or cup.
No. 131, 2d do. do. do. do.—Mrs. Wm. Ladd, medal.
No. 132, best floral design—Mrs. Judd, pr vases.
" 133, " boquet,—Mrs. Makee, boquet holder.
No. 134, most beautifully arranged basket of flowers—J. Montgomery, do. do.
No. 135, greatest variety of roses—Mrs. Makee, do. do.

Your Committee have found no little difficulty in selecting from so rich and beautiful a collection of boquets and groups of flowers, those most deserving of premiums, and they cannot conclude their report without expressing the highest satisfaction, in view of the progress in floriculture, since your last Fair, and their admiration of the many beautiful specimens exhibited, which, in an ordinary collection, would have demanded prizes. Among the new gems of this floral exhibition, we would particularly notice the splendid blue lily of Mrs. Makee.

J. FULLER,
G. H. LUCE,
E. HOFFMANN.
B. W. FIELD.

The Committee on Grain, flour, seeds, and Field crops, reported, which was accepted, and is as follows:—

GRAIN, FLOUR, SEEDS AND FIELD CROPS.—The undersigned, Committee to which was assigned the duty of determining as to the best specimens of "Grain, Flour, Seeds and Field crops" exhibited for a premium at the annual Show and Fair of the Royal Hawaiian Agricultural Society held this day, have had but a very limited amount of labor to perform, owing to the want of competition in this particular department of the Exhibition. We have been informed that various farmers upon East Maui alone have raised the present season, upwards of fifteen hundred acres of wheat of a good quality, which has yielded an average of more than twenty bushels to the acre! This is above the average yield of the best wheat growing regions of the United States, and but a little below the average in the wheat districts of Great Britain. The average produce in the State of New York is but fifteen bushels, and in the celebrated wheat region of Western New York, but nineteen bushels, while in England it is but twenty-two bushels, and in Scotland only thirty. Individual instances of the produce of fifty bushels to the acre in New York, and of sixty in Scotland, are, however, by no means rare.

With such reported success in wheat culture upon the windward Islands of this group, it is a source of much regret to the Committee, that but a single specimen of about two bushels was offered for a premium. This is marked No. 1, and was raised by Messrs. CROSWELL & GOWER, of East Maui, and in the opinion of the Committee, is entitled to the premium of ten dollars or a silver cup. The berry is full, of medium size, but does not bear the clear, distinct, glossy appearance of the Valparaiso—Soule's red chaff—flint blue stem or Crate wheat—or indeed of any of the best winter varieties as grown in the western portions of the United States.

Its general appearance is much like the Spring varieties, especially such as is known as the Mediterranean Spring wheat, at present raised to a considerable extent in the middle and Eastern part of the State of New York. This variety is very good for family consumption, and the bread made from it retains a pleasant moisture, and is of an agreeable flavor; but as its flour is not as white, and will not absorb as much water, it is not sought for by bakers, and is less valuable for export.

There was no flour on exhibition, and the Committee are, therefore, unable to determine what grade or quality of flour can be manufactured from the wheat of these Islands, but we are clearly of the opinion that the quantity and quality would be alike satisfactory, and that wheat growing will be a most profitable pursuit on all those portions of the Islands where it can be raised. In this respect, the wheat region does not seem to be limited to the high lands of East Maui and Hawaii, as a very creditable specimen was shown us, which was raised by Mr. Emerson, of Waialua, only a few feet above tide water.

In corn, we award the premium for the best twenty ears, to specimen marked No. 2, and for the best bushel of Indian corn, to specimen No. 1, both raised by Mr. W. Chamberlain of Oahu.

The corn upon the ear is a superior quality of the twelve rowed yellow variety, and we have seldom seen, in the most favored corn countries, a better specimen of the kind.

We award the premium for the best sample of white beans, to specimen No. 4, presented by Mr. Dole—and for the greatest variety of garden seeds to Mr. Eugene Bal, who exhibited upwards of seventy choice kinds, all apparently in good order, and raised in the garden of J. Montgomery, Esq., of this city.

Very fine tobacco, and only tolerable cigars were exhibited by Messrs. Archer & Gruben, of Kauai, and the Committee award the premium of ten dollars or a cup to Mr. A. Archer, for the best half acre of tobacco.

Several varieties of beans were shown by Mr. W. Chamberlain, but as the rules of the Society confined the award of a premium to white beans, we can only refer to them for the purpose of commending them to the attention of cultivators.

Mr. Emerson, of Waialua, had on exhibition specimens of wheat, barley and oats, in the ear, raised by him on land but slightly elevated above the level of the sea, as an evidence that grain, contrary to the generally received opinion, can be successfully grown within the tropics and near the sea coast. We commend the enterprise and perseverance of Mr. Emerson as an example worthy of the attention and imitation of the members of the Society.

The Committee observed, with much pleasure, a dozen ears of sweet corn raised by Capt. Makee. This is the variety known in the United States as Tuscarora or sugar corn, and is a most delicious vegetable for the table at all seasons. Its cultivation should be encouraged, and we recommend a premium in the present instance of two dollars, and that in future a suitable premium be offered by the Society for the best twenty ears of sweet corn.

Respectfully submitted,
B. F. ANGEL,
R. W. WOOD,
R. ARMSTRONG,
T. MOSSMAN,
H. RHODES,
Committee.

The Committee on sugar, syrup and coffee, made a report, which was accepted.

The Committee appointed to award the premiums on sugar, syrup and coffee, beg leave to report that, having examined the several specimens submitted by the different competitors, their award is as follows:—

ON SUGAR.—1st Premium to Alexander McGregor, for 100 lbs. exhibited, being a sample of thirty-four tons, manufactured at Koloa, Kauai, within the last year, as attested by the requisite vouchers, $20 or a silver goblet.

2d Premium to L. L. Torbert, for 100 lbs. exhibited, being a sample of 15 tons, manufactured at Honuaula, East Maui, within the last year, as attested by the proper vouchers—$10 or a silver cup.

3d Premium, to L. L. Torbert, for the best 100 lbs. exhibited, $5 or a medal.

ON SYRUP.—Premium to L. L. Torbert, for 20 gallons syrup exhibited, being a sample of about 300 barrels, manufactured within the past year, as attested by certificate, $10 or a cup.

ON COFFEE.—1st Premium to Cummings & Hall, for over 25 lbs. exhibited, being a sample of 10,000 lbs., raised by them at Napoopoo, District of Kona, Hawaii, within the last year, as per certificate signed by "P. Cummings," $15 or a silver cup.

2d Premium for over 25 lbs. coffee exhibited being a sample of at least 20,000 lbs, raised by natives in the District of Kona, Hawaii, and collected