The Polnesian.

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[From the Pacific.]

THE SCHOLAR.

BY MRS. M. D. STRONG.

There was one who walked not in pleasure's train,
Whom wealth could not bind with her glit'ring chain,
Who sat not with those who the wine cup drain.
At midnight.

For a gem was the gift at his spirit's birth,
And whispers there were that told him its worth,
When the stars kept watch o'er the slumb'ring earth
At midnight.

And the toil-polished gem gave him light to scan
Where the mystic lines of God's writing ran
On the walls of space and the soul of man
At midnight.

It made him friends of the ages flown,
And they taught him their lore, as he sat alone,
While over the pages the dim light shone
At midnight.

And into his ear with these voices of yore
The sounds of the coming ages pour,
Like the voices of waves on a reef-girdled shore,
At midnight.

And the nations repeated the world-honored name,
The noble work and the deathless fame
Of the toiler who wrought by the taper's flame
At midnight.

Yet few who were blessed by his mighty thought.
Ever knew of the price with which it was bought,
Of the life that had burned with the taper out
At midnight.

The Great Change in California.

Old Californians love to talk of the days of 1849, but we doubt whether San Francisco was at its apogee of vice, pleasure, dissipation, etc., before or after the years 1851 and 1852. The strange population of the city—its gamblers, gentlemen, miners, merchants, vagrants, drawn from all nations; the mingling of the habits of all climes; the streets, where a speciality marked every shop—as, for instance, Pacific street, distinguished for its Jews and old clothes; those about the plaza where were the bar rooms, where "the shoulder strikers" resorted; and other establishments, among them the restaurants kept by Frenchmen, and patronized only by men of means who could afford half a dollar for a hard boiled egg. The days of 1851 and 1852 knew no earthquakes, previous terrible conflagrations were forgotten. Business was at its liveliest point; those were the days of the "flour kings," when Friendland held the sceptre by reason of that extraordinary rise which put flour up to fifty dollars per barrel, making fortunes for a few, and ruin and misery for many. The days when gambling was recognized by law were halcyon times for adventurers from every part of the globe; every known game of chance—faro, monte, lansquenet, baccartet, roulette, etc., was played; French women, Spanish damsels, and Chillienness, were the decoys to many a place called 'Polka,' 'Diana,' 'Bella Union,' 'El Dorado,' and so on. There were streets in San Francisco, which were really musical with the chink of money; the orchestral music, the sound of decanters and glasses, the noise of oaths and obscenity, rose and fell, sometime ceasing for a few moments; but the coin rattled monotonously and equally from one P. M. until four, five and six in the morning. Such gambling probably never was known in any city, ancient or modern. The gambling hells were the lounging places of business—staid, sober citizens, who now attend to buying and selling, law making and church going with a proper honesty and regularity. The memorable poker games, where $25,000 was the ante; the 'slugs' of fifty dollars' worth of gold were the counters, and a pack of cards changed at every deal, cost a mint drop of dollars value!—The city was gayer than Paris; balls, theatricals, and 'house warmings' were frequent; murders there were in plenty, and politics were with bloody strife, public opinion was lenient, morals were lax, and so long as nobody desired to borrow, so long he was considered respectable, and even trustworthy. The days of 1851 and 1852 were kindly to fortune-hunters.

Real estate in the metropolis was better than the richest claim up country; one merchant, and a Boston one too, if we remember right, rented a little corner store for $1,500 per month, and sent the whole to his wife for pin money. The clubs were not organized then, there was but little good female society, although plenty that was not good, and a bachelor's life in California was hardly beyond reproach. Washing bills were fabulous. A starched shirt collar required an outlay of a dollar and a half, and clean pocket handkerchiefs were proportionately expensive. The Vigilance Committee was tranquil at that period; the whole State seemed prosperous, emigration was large, gold poured down from the mines, there was brisk trading with the Pacific Islands and with China. Buildings were erected which would vie with the Broadway marble architure; everybody seemed to have work, and everybody made money. The flour speculations were brief but brilliant. Pork and rice soon had superior charms for enterprising souls; the Chinamen caught the spirit, and their particular street, the name of it at this moment does not occur to us, was one animated thoroughfare, where the quantity of vegetables to arrive, the probability of a rise, &c., were freely discussed. Certainly those were blessed days. Even dried apples proved lucrative to a lucky shipper.—Things have changed in California since then. The artificial has given place to the natural; a quiet, sober prosperity distinguishes the State. It is progressing in everything; It is drawing now upon its own resources—a sure source of wealth. It has order, churches, and newspapers, and is altogether quite a reformed rake. Its wild oats have yielded a good harvest of experience, at least, and every month it improves in decorum and well-doing. All of which observations are suggested by looking over a file of the *Alta California*, brought a day or two since by the *Star of the West*, and finding in one number an editorial against a legislative "Bill to License Gambling."—*Boston Post.*

IDEAS OF WOMAN.—Here is a collection of aphorisms concerning woman, with the names of the authors prefixed:

Charles Lemesle—Most of their faults women owe to us, while we are indebted to them for most of our better qualities.

Daniel Sterne—Most women are endowed with such natural endearing charms that even their very presence is generally beneficial.

Madam de Stael—Love, in a woman's life is a history; in a man's, an episode.

Diderot—there exists among women a secret tie, like that among priests of the same faith. They hate each other, yet protect each other's interest.

Stahl—No woman, even the most intellectual, believes herself decidedly homely. This self-deception is natural, for there are some most charming women without a particle of beauty.

Duclos—Great and rare heart offerings are found almost exclusively among women; nearly all the happiness and most blessed moments in love are of their creating, and so also in friendship, especially when it follows love.

Madame Fee—A woman frequently resists the love she feels, but cannot resist the love she inspires.

J. J. Rosseau—Men can better philosophise on the human heart, but women can read it better.

Michelet—It is a universal rule, which, as far as I know, has no exception, that great men always resemble their mothers, who impress their mental and physical mark upon their sons.

A friend who recently returned from Washington, in reply to a question as to where he had been, replied, "I have been after an office and got the refusal of it."

The Mines of Arizona.

We compile the following list of mines in Arizona, from an article communicated to the *Arizonian*, by H. Ehrenberg, Esq.:

The Santa Rita silver mine, 10 miles from Tubac, opened in 1856; place of forming Company, Cincinnati; owned by the Santa Rita Mining Company.

The Sopori silver mine, 11 miles from Tubac, opened in 1856; place of forming Company, Arizona; owned and opened by Mr. Douglass.

The San Javier silver mine, 35 miles from Tubac, opened in 1856; place of forming Company, San Francisco; owned by Mr. Schuchard and others.

The Patagonia silver mine, 48 miles from Tubac, opened in 1858; place of forming Company, Arizona; opened by Captain Ewell and others.

The French silver mine, 46 miles from Tubac, opened in 1858; place of forming Company, Arizona; owned by Col. Titus and others.

The Cahuabi silver mine, 75 miles from Tubac, opened in 1858; place of forming Company, Arizona; owned by Brunckow, Hulseman and others.

The Ajo copper mine, 135 miles from Tubac, opened in 1854; place of forming company, San Francisco; the ore is transported to Fort Yuma, 230 miles.

The Grand Cobre de Santa Rita copper mine, 250 miles from Tubac, opened in ——; place of forming Company, Rio Grande; owned by Judge Hart and others; the ore is smelted.

The Cerro Colorado silver mine, 12 miles from Tubac, opened in 1856; place of forming Company, Cincinnati; owned by Sonora Exploring and Mining Company; the ore is reduced by Fryberg and Mexican amalgamation, and smelted at Arivaca.

The Arivaca silver mine, 30 miles from Tubac, opened in 1856; place of forming Company, Cincinnati; property of Sonora Exploring and Mining Company.

A Rich Scene.

In the Canadian House of Assembly last week, they had quite a spirited debate on the bill to prohibit the use of hoops and crinoline, introduced by Mr. Atkins. We publish a few of the most brilliant passages:

Mr. Drummond was an ardent admirer of hoops from childhood. He was born with a love of hoops. When he was a child of tender growth, he used to trundle his hoop, all unconscious of the fate that was in store for him. Later in life he had swallowed a ring, which resulted in a hoop-in-cough; and even now the sight of an empty hogshead brought tears into his eyes.

Mr. Brown complained that it was impossible now to chose a wife, since her defects were so hid by hoops, and enveloped in crinoline, that the naked—

Speaker—Order.

Mr. Brown—Mr. Speaker—

Speaker—The honorable gentleman's out of order.

Mr. Brown—But, Mr. Speaker, the naked—

Speaker—Hold your tongue, sir.

Mr. Brown—The naked—

Speaker—Upon my soul, Brown, cork up, or I'll have you arrested.

Mr. Brown—Permit me to explain, Mr. Speaker. When I said the naked—

Speaker—(yelling)—Clear the galleries of ladies, Mr. Sargeant!

Mr. Brown—In the name of the seven graces and the fifteen muses, Mr. Speaker—dearly beloved Smith—let me apologize then. I only meant to say that hoops and crinoline had reached to such a rotundity, that it was impossible to arrive at the naked—

Speaker—(frantically)—Death and blue devils! Stop, or I'll brain you with the mace! Consider the impropriety of—

Mr. Brown—(wildly)—Truth! truth! truth! naked truth, was what I was going to say!

THE BROADWAY DANDY.—"An English Workman" has just published in London a book on New York, from which the following piece of description is extracted:

"Oh, for the pencil of Cruikshank or Leech, to sketch for the delectation of my readers a Broadway swell, with the stub boots and military heels an inch and a half high, his parti-colored pants, invariably too short, and so tight that it is with the greatest difficulty that he can squeeze his hands into his pockets, the national substitute for gloves; his rowdy castor, pulled down over his eyes, or balanced on the back of his head; his swallow-tailed blue coat and brass buttons, the fashions of a quarter of a century ago; his over powering vest; his shirt-front, composed of the same materials and pattern as ladies' habit shirts, lace, insertion, &c.; his face rouged, and his hair curled, having gone to bed the previous night *en papillotte*; the sickly smell of perfumery, and lastly the dazzling effulgence of his trinkets, sown broadcast over his person. Now let us stick him on the steps of one of the large hotels, and as he discourses eloquently (through his nose) of his 'gr-reat and gel-lorious ked-n-try,' the tobacco-stained saliva runs down over his goatee beard, and there you have a specimen of the representative man of the model Republic."

HOW TO MAKE YOURSELF UNHAPPY.—In the first place, if you want to make yourself miserable, be selfish. Think all the time of yourself, and of your own things. Don't care about anything else. Have no feelings for any one but yourself. Never think of enjoying the satisfaction of seeing others happy, but rather, if you see a smiling face, be jealous lest another should enjoy what you have not. Envy every one who is better off in any respect than yourself; think unkindly towards them, and speak lightly of them. Be constantly afraid lest some one should encroach upon your rights; be watchful against it, and if any one comes near your things snap at him like a mad dog. Contend earnestly for everything that is your own, though it may not be worth a pin; for your "rights" are just as much concerned as if it were a pound of gold. Never yield a point. Be very sensitive, and take everything that is said to you in playfulness, in the most serious manner. Be jealous of your friends, lest they should not think enough of you; and if at any time they should seem to neglect you, put the worst construction upon their conduct you can.

THE SCIENCE OF GOING TO BED.—The earth is a magnet, with magnetic currents constantly playing around it. The human body is also a magnet, and when the body is placed in certain relations to the earth these currents harmonize, when in any other position they conflict. When one position is to be maintained for some time, a position should be chosen in which the magnet currents of the earth and the body will not conflict. This position, as indicated by theory, and known by experiment, is to lie with the head towards the north pole. Persons who sleep with their head in the opposite direction, or lying crosswise, are liable to fall into various nervous disorders. When they go back to the right position, these disorders, if not too deeply impressed upon the constitution, soon vanish. Sensitive persons are always more refreshed by sleep when their heads point due north. Architects, in planning houses, should bear this principle in mind.

☞ The editor of the Logan (Ohio) Gazette, having been presented with a bottle of old London Dock Gin, drank it, and then attempted to write a paragraph of thanks, with this melancholy result:

"In conclusion, here's to "Fire Fountain Company No. Some," the Brassfontaine Belle Band, and the rest of our home insutions and org'zations, including the ladies, and other branches of business (hie) in and around town—and especially the Messident's Pressage, Monington Washument, etc., all of which may be had cheap at the Buck—Drook—Brook and Dud Strore of Bininger's old London Dock Gin, for $2 a year, if payment is delayed until the end of the Atlantic Cable."

☞ In a state of mental absence, a young man demanded the hand of a young lady, but perceived his error when he got her father's foot instead.

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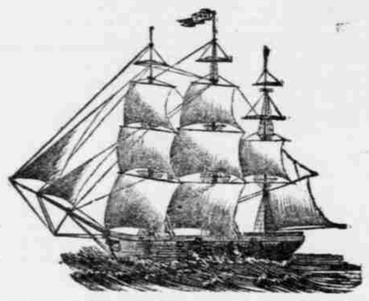

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Cases brogans, calf. & kip, sewed & pegd, cases slippers and shoes, cases English saddles and bridles, cases American saddles and bridles, cases whips, stirrups, leathers and girths.

Cases charcoal irons, nests trunks, four each, cases figured black merino, cases fig'd blue merino, cs plain merino, black; cases plain merino, blue; bales brown sheeting, bales bleach'd sheeting.

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Bales pea jackets, cas silk handkerchiefs, cases linen and cotton hdkfs, 1 case heavy camb. quilts, a new article; 80 kegs nails, 4, 6, 8 and 10d, cs Hunt's han'ld axes, cas palm leaf hats.

Cases umbrellas, cases tobacco, cases powder, cases felt hats, Manila cordage, nests rattan clothes baskets 100 sup'r native spades (oo's), nsts camphor trunks, nsts leather do.

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Honolulu, 28th August, 1855 17-tf

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HOSTETTER'S BITTERS;
BOKER'S do;
STOUGHTON'S do;
CLARETS of different kinds;
HOCKHEIMER;
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	HAW.	U. S.	TOTAL.
United States, East, *	5	12	17
San Francisco City, *	5	3	8
Inland California, Oregon & Utah Ter, *	5	5	10
Mexican Ports,	5	12	17
Panama (New Granada),	5	22	27
Peru,	5	24	29
Bolivia, Chile and Equador,	5	36	41
Canada & Brit N American Provinces, *	5	17	22
Great Britain, *	5	31	36
German States, Prussia and Austria, *	5	32	37
Russia and Poland, *	5	39	44
Belgium and Holland, *	5	23	28
Lauenburg, Lombardy and Altona, *	5	35	40
Denmark, Holstein and Switzerland, *	5	37	42
Norway, *	5	48	53
Sweden, *	5	44	49
Brazils,	5	47	52
Canary Islands and Maderia,	5	67	72
Cape of Good Hope,	5	35	40
Cape De Verd Islands,	5	67	72
Cuba and British West Indies,	5	22	27
West Indies not British, (except Cuba)	5	46	51
St Thomas,	5	30	35
Azores, (via Southampton and Lisbon)	5	65	70
St Helena and Mauritius,	5	35	40
Ports in the Pacific by Ships direct,	5		

All letters to and from foreign countries, (France and the British North American Provinces excepted), are to be charged with single rate of postage, if not exceeding the weight of half an ounce; double rate if exceeding half an ounce, but not exceeding an ounce; quadruple if exceeding an ounce, but not exceeding two ounces, and so on, changing two rates for every ounce or fractional part of an ounce over the first ounce.

To France and Algeria.

Foreign postage on letters for the above countries is 15 cents if not exceeding the weight of ¼ ounce; double that rate if exceeding ¼ ounce but not exceeding ½ ounce, and so on, an additional rate being charged for each ¼ ounce or fractional part of a ½ ounce, with the addition of Hawaiian postage, at the rate of 5 cents for each ½ ounce or fractional part of a ½ ounce in weight, with 2 cents sea postage added to the total amount.

By Sealed Mail to Great Britain direct.

Hawaiian Postage *only*, collected at the rate of 7 cents for each ½ ounce in weight.

Postage on Newspapers must be prepaid.

	HAW.	U. S.	TOTAL.
Any part of the United States,	2	1	3
Great Britain,	2	2	4
France,	2	2	4
German States,	2	6	8
British North America,	2	1	3
Pacific South American Ports,	2	6	8
Mexico and Panama,	2	2	4
Islands in the Pacific—Australia, China and East Indies, by Ship direct,	2		

Pamphlets and Bound Volumes.

Hawaiian Postage *only*, collected on pamphlets and bound volumes to *all* foreign countries.

For each pamphlet containing 40 pages or less, 4 cents.
" " " " from 40 to 150 pages, 8 "

For bound volumes, 2 cents an ounce or fraction of an ounce.

Newspapers and periodicals to foreign countries, (but particularly to the Continent of Europe,) must be sent in narrow bands open at the sides or end, otherwise they are chargeable with letter postage. JOSEPH JACKSON, P. M.

Post Office, Honolulu, May 18th, 1858.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS THE UNDERSIGNED HAS BEEN INFORMED on good authority that great irregularity exists in the taking and killing of the wild cattle on the mountains on Hawaii, belonging to His Majesty and to the Government, by parties who claim or pretend to claim right under bills of sale from His Majesty or from the Government, and whereas, from the nature of the country and other causes it is almost impossible to place agents to guard the interests of His Majesty and of the Government, and whereas all parties having legal claims on the said wild cattle have already had time sufficient, if they have used due diligence to remove the same.

Now therefore, the undersigned hereby gives notice to all parties who purchased wild cattle running on the mountains on Hawaii, previous to the 1st day of January 1857, to remove the same if not already removed, on or before the 1st day of May next, after which time, parties taking wild cattle will be prosecuted.

Interior Office, Jan. 29th, 1858. } L. KAMEHAMEHA. 39-tf

FIRE INSURANCE NOTICE.

THE NORTHERN ASSURANCE CO.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO NOTIFY TO THOSE parties who have insured in this office wooden buildings or their contents, within the precincts of Honolulu, that in consequence of the continued erection of large and high wooden buildings close together in narrow streets, no more risks on timber constructions in the town will be taken, and those already taken will not be renewed on the expiration of their terms.

ROBERT C. JANION,
17-tf Agent for the Northern Assurance Co.

A. F. & A. M.

LE PROGRES DE L'OCEANIE LODGE, NO 194, under the jurisdiction of the Supreme Council of the Grand Central Lodge of France, working in the ancient Scotch Rite, holds its Regular Meetings on the first Wednesday nearest the full moon of every month, at the old Lodge Room in King Street.

Visiting brethren respectfully invited to attend.

By order of W. M. 16-tf. J. O. CARTER, Secretary.

A. F. & A. M.

HAWAIIAN LODGE NO. 21, F. & A. M. (UNDER THE jurisdiction of the M. W. Gr. Lodge of California), holds its regular meetings on the first Monday of every month, in the third story of Makee & Anthon's brick building, corner of Kaahumanu and Queen streets. Entrance from Kaahumanu street. Visiting brethren respectfully invited.

By order of W. M. A. FORNANDER,
24 tf Secretary.

Honolulu Royal Arch Chapter,

UNDER DISPENSATION OF THE GENERAL GRAND Chapter of United States of America, will hold their Regular Meetings on the third Thursday of every month, at the Hall of the Lodge, "Le Progres de l'Oceanie." Per order. 19-tf G. H. P.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED IS PREPARED TO FURNISH TO THE Honolulu public the following, on the most reasonable terms:

CORAL STONE!

In any quantity, for building and other purposes, at so much each. In the rough, or not squared, for foundation to buildings, at so much per ox cart load. Steps and Door or Window Sills, and Caps, with smooth surface, cut out in any size to suit.

Lime, Fire Wood,
Ballast for vessels,
Hides, Sheepskins, Horns, &c.

11-tf J. I. DOWSETT.

Notice.

The undersigned having been appointed guardian of the person and property of George Holmes, hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to him to make immediate payment; and all persons having claims against the same are hereby requested to present them to R. G. Davis; and he, the said guadian, hereby forbids any person trusting the said Geo. Holmes, as from this date, the aforesaid guardian will pay no debts contracted by him.

Honolulu, Dec. 6th, 1858.
32-tf R. G. DAVIS.

Notice.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE CANTON HOTEL, OR to the late Mr. John Bartlett, are requested to settle the same with the undersigned without delay, or their accounts will be passed to an Attorney for collection.

8-tf D. P. TRUE, Executor.

LAW REPORTS!

FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE, THE FIRST VOLUME of the Hawaiian Reports, comprising many of the most important Decisions and Rulings of the Superior Courts of this Kingdom during the ten years ending with 1856, compiled by GEORGE M. ROBERTSON.

Price five dollars, bound in calf. 8-tf

English Hops.

FOR SALE BY THE AGENT OF THE HUDSON'S BAY Company—

4 packets best ENGLISH HOPS. 45tf

HONOLULU PRICES CURRENT

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY

J. C. SPALDING,

COMMISSION MERCHANT AND IMPORTER, HONOLULU, H. I.

HONOLULU, July 15, 1859.

The quotations in the following prices current are the wholesale prices of first class articles of all descriptions. Sales are mostly made for cash, or on short credits, for most articles, with the exception of dry goods, which are ordinarily sold at 3 @ 4 months credit.

Duties payable in coin, 5 ℘ cent. ad valorem on all wares and merchandise, excepting Liquors. On Liquors as follows: Brandy, Rum, Gin, Whisky, Arrack, and distilled spirits not exceeding 55 per cent. of alcohol, $5 ℘ gallon.

Wines, Cordials and Liqueurs of all descriptions, other than Claret, not exceeding 27 ℘ cent. of alcohol, $1 ℘ gallon.

Claret Wines, Ale Porter, Beer, Cider, and all other fermented liquors, cordials and liqueurs, not exceeding 18 ℘ cent. of alcohol, 5 per cent. ad valorem.

Distilled Spirits, Wines of all descriptions, Ale, Porter, Beer Cider, and all other fermented liquors, cordials and liqueurs exceeding 55 ℘ cent. of alcohol, $10 ℘ gallon.

PORT CHARGES ON MERCHANT SHIPS.

Pilotage, One Dollar per foot of draft of water, (in and out of port.)

Entry, Permit, Inward Manifest, &c., 50 cents each.

Towage, $30 to $40, Health Certificate $1, Buoys $2, Harbor Master's fee $3, Clearance $1.

RATES OF COMMISSION

As established by the Honolulu Chamber of Commerce 1850, and which are at present usual:

On the sale of merchandise,	5	per cent.
" " or purchase of specie,	1	"
" guarantee of sales,	2½	"
On remittance on account of sales,	2½	"
On adjusting and collection of insurance losses	5	"
On survey of hatches and stowage of ship,	$8	
" " of a ship for repairs, each survey,	$16	
On procuring freight,	5	per cent.
On outfits and disbursements,	2½	"
Storage, 2 per cent. on gross amount of sales.		
Letters of credit on London,	5@7½	pr cent.
" " New York,	5@7½	pr cent.

FREIGHTS.

To the United States and Europe, usual rates:

Oil,	7 cents	℘ gal.
Whalebone,	1 "	℘ lb.
Hides,	1½ "	"
Goat skins,	3 "	each.
For old Copper, &c.,	1 "	℘ lb.
For measurement Goods,	$16