

BURNED CANE FIELD.

A SERIOUS LOSS TO THE MAKAWELI PLANTATION.

Two Men Thought to Have Been Incinerated—Over \$36,000 Worth of Sugar Goes up in Smoke.

The steamer Iwalani brings news from Kauai of a disastrous fire in the upper cane field of the Makaweli plantation, which has destroyed between 165 and 170 acres of cane.

The fire broke out last Tuesday afternoon near 2 o'clock and burned for over two hours and a half. It was started by a spark from a Baldwin locomotive in the field above the mill, which covers the point of land extending to the beach.

The fire burned very rapidly as the cane leaves were as dry as straw, and the dense clouds of smoke which arose could be seen for many miles along the coast. Large relays of men from the neighboring fields were engaged in fighting the fire, but their efforts were useless and its ravages were only stayed when the flames reached the ocean limits of the plantation.

As soon as the fire was over it was discovered that two men were missing, who had been engaged in fighting it. One is thought to be a water tender at the Makaweli Mill, named Taylor and the other a Japanese laborer, whose name is unknown.

During the whole of Tuesday night over one hundred men were kept in the burned field with lanterns searching for the remains of the missing laborers, but up to hour of the Iwalani sailing nothing further had been learned.

Makaweli plantation has about 2,000 acres of growing cane, estimated at about 12,000 tons of sugar, and the management at the Makaweli Mill, reports that the loss from the amount burned will reach the neighborhood of 1,000 tons of sugar. A portion of this will be saved, as the burned cane will be rushed to the Eleele, Waimea, and Makaweli mills and ground as rapidly as possible before it sours, which generally takes place within a week.

The net loss will probably reach 600 tons of sugar valued at a little over \$36,000.

FOUND UNDER A HOUSE.

How the Stolen Schwank Dollars Were Recovered.

Marshal Hitchcock began an investigation of the Schwank robbery yesterday afternoon, and during the evening a Portuguese woman named Teresa Machado who was formerly employed at Schwank's house, was arrested.

Marshal Hitchcock learned enough during the afternoon to convince him the woman had stolen the money, and at 4:30 p. m. officers Juen and Schlemmer were detailed to work up the case.

The officers proceeded at once to Teresa Machado's house on Fort street, above the Chinese church, which was thoroughly searched, but nothing was found. The detectives then left the premises, but placed a policeman on watch in front of the house. The assistance of two native boys from the neighborhood was secured, who watched the actions of the woman as they played in the yard.

Shortly after the detectives had left the boys saw her come out of the house and, after crossing the yard, go under another dwelling situated within the enclosure. Their suspicious were aroused and they informed the policeman on guard in front. He returned with the boys and following the woman under the house began a search, which resulted in finding a bag containing \$500 in coin.

The woman was arrested and taken, with the money, to the station house where she is now confined, not being allowed to converse with anyone except the Marshal.

At the first search of her house the officers found a small sum in a purse under the pillow of the bed, which was secured later. The amount of money stolen was \$840, of which \$607 has been recovered, leaving \$233 missing.

Marshal Hitchcock states he believes he is on the track of a man who has the \$233, and expresses the opinion that he will be arrested in a day or two. The woman Machado has been under the eye of the police for a long time and has a bad reputation. She is about thirty-five years of age.

Captain Juen states that the money was doubtless taken during the woman's visit to the store in the morning. When an examination of the room was first made it was noticed the thief had raised a window to make it look as if some one had entered that way. Examination, however, showed the window could not have been opened from the outside without breaking it.

The case was remanded when called in the Police Court this morning.

PERSONAL.

George H. Williams is the new Sheriff of Hawaii.

The following will leave for the coast on the Mariposa:

Miss J. A. Brown, J. Bartram, Miss Heilbrunn, E. V. Church, Oliver G. Jones, E. L. Jones, James A. Parry and wife, J. L. Laid and wife, E. W. Hollister, wife and 2 children, H. C. Kneass, W. E. Kneass, W. D. Robinson, J. F. Carter, J. Richards, E. E. Robinson, wife and child, W. T. Janghuah, J. R. Robbins, Mrs. F. J. Knapp, Mrs. W. McChesney, Mrs. A. W. Keech and child, Miss L. Henson.

In Supreme Court.

In the case of Kawai K. George vs. Hanakaulani Holt, a decision was handed down to-day sustaining the Circuit Court in refusing to grant an estoppel. Exceptions overruled.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

NATIVE FANS AND ISLAND CURIOS in great variety at THE ELITE ICE CREAM PARLORS.

COMING INTO LINE.

Native Leaders Willing to Support Annexation for the Suffrage.

The native political leaders are preparing to pull themselves out of the hole they have been put into by the scheming of foreign politicians, who work the wires behind the various anti-annexation leagues now extant.

The average native has been guilty of doing some thinking for himself, in spite of the influence of his haole friends; and the result has been that the good judgment and independence of character of the native Hawaiians, are coming to the front.

Matters have been canvassed thoroughly by a good many of leading Hawaiians, and a marked reaction has already begun in the rank and file of the different native parties. The natives allege they have learned the deception regarding the voting franchise which was being imposed upon them as fact.

It is understood that this deception had been almost the sole cause of the Hawaiian support which has thus far been given the ex-Queen's cause. The native leaders declare their followers are now anxious and willing to support annexation, and that they will drop the ex-Queen's cause, which they find to be daily growing more unpopular among the people.

The proposition is to rally the native people to the support of annexation, with the proviso that they are to be granted equal rights with American citizens.

It is further proposed, by the native Hawaiian leaders, to petition Commissioner Blount to use his influence to secure the admission of Hawaii into the American Union as a State.

R. W. Wilcox is a prime mover in this movement a meeting was organized which held last night.

The Annexation Club has received a letter from a native named Puhua on Hawaii saying that very few there are opposed to the annexation movement.

A similar letter comes from Kauai and Maui. The good work is making excellent progress at the latter point.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.

Meeting to-night of the Red, White and Blue League.

The steamer Kinau has docked for repairs.

Wm. Wilson, the watch thief, has been sent to the reef for six months.

Kalua, a native boy, has been arrested for an attempt at incendiarism.

The brigantine Lurline leaves Hilo for San Francisco next Friday.

The Board of Health will meet to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

Four guards, taken from Company A, were stationed in the Government Building yard this morning.

An erroneous report that the Mariposa had been sighted put people to writing letters last night.

The four-masted barkentine C. F. Crocker has arrived at Hilo from San Francisco.

Annual meeting this evening of the Second Congregation of St. Andrew's Cathedral.

Five tins of opium have been stolen from the Finance office out of a lot stored there.

Something like 60,000 words of newspaper correspondence will leave the islands on the Mariposa.

A. R. Dunbar & Co., of San Francisco, propose to mark the street corners and number the houses.

There will be the annual meeting and election of officers at the Y. M. C. A. this evening.

The next mail to the coast, after the Mariposa leaves, will be taken by the China.

Steamer Iwalani brought a cargo of 4757 bags of sugar from the Makaweli and Waimea plantations.

The bark Mary Winklemen has arrived, 16 days from San Francisco. She brings no late news.

The STAR now has the largest circulation in the evening field and it is growing at the rate of fifty a day.

The Foreign Office is busy issuing permits under the new law to Chinese, who will depart by the Belgic due on the 11th instant.

Jean Selmex, who attempted to commit suicide at the Police Station was taken to the hospital yesterday afternoon.

A Japanese woman lately arrested for insanity was ordered to the hospital yesterday by Dr. Miner, who declared she was only suffering from fever.

The new board of five commissioners, Messrs. Andrew Brown, James Boyd and A. W. Keech, will hold their first regular meeting this evening at 7:30 o'clock, at the Bell Tower.

Last evening a Portuguese woman named Merandez was arrested for stealing \$500 from the Schwanks. Something over \$600 of the amount was recovered.

Mr. Cassidy states that the Government has given no orders, as far as he knows, for the discharge of any of the native Hawaiians employed at the Electric Light station.

An annexation meeting was held at Waimea, Kauai, last Saturday afternoon, which was largely attended. Another meeting will be held next Saturday for enrollment of names and the transaction of business.

A party of Japanese held a farewell social, given to friends who will leave on the Belgic, at Robinson Hall last night. The gathering caused a report that a Japanese political meeting was being held.

Wants Information. Commissioner Blount has called for a statement about revenues and taxation which the Minister of Finance is preparing for him. He will also examine the lists of the Annexation Club and the Royalist League to ascertain the amount of capital represented by the names enrolled.

THE HEATHEN RAGED.

BUT ALL THE SAME WAIAMAU WAS ACQUITTED.

Alapai's Effort to Get Rid of the Pastor of Kaunakapili Church Proves Abortive.

The Oahu Evangelical Association continued its session to-day at the Kaunakapili church, Rev. S. Timoteo and Rev. J. M. Ezera, native pastors, acting as Moderator and Scribe.

The chief interest of the meeting centered upon the effort of Alapai, the leader of the heathen and royalist faction in the church, and a lay delegate to the answeration, of the pastor, Rev. A. Waiamau, on various trumped-up charges. Alapai's real grievance was, of course, the recent attempt on the part of Mr. Waiamau to purge Kaunakapili of its sorcerers and pagans of which Alapai is the master spirit.

The accused pastor addressed the association this morning upon the trouble he had been having with the heathen element, and was followed by Rev. C. M. Hyde, chairman of the committee which had investigated Alapai's charges. Mr. Hyde reported, that the case against Mr. Waiamau was not sustained, and on motion he was acquitted.

This result is a triumph of the Christian party in Kaunakapili not only over Alapai and his friends but over the palace gang which has been trying for some years to gain the church to its side and use it in politics.

The Association, in spite of Alapai's protest, discontinued the title of Reverend borne by S. Panulani and J. Niau, convicted of heathenism and gambling.

CIVIL AND CRIMINAL.

Records of Proceedings in Judge Foster's Court.

Following are the civil cases:

E. B. Thomas vs. Captain Anderson, suit for \$100 damages for sand brought by plaintiff which defendant refused to deliver. Judgment reserved.

Frank Brown vs. J. J. Carvalho, D. J. L. Mattos and J. M. Vivas, assumpsit for \$297.92 on a note. Defendants claimed misjoinder of parties; objection overruled. Notice of appeal to Supreme Court given on points of law.

The cases of Montana vs. Drysdale, Ho Fong vs. Paikawai, and Andrade vs. Peterson, were discontinued.

A. Sinclair vs. E. G. Hitchcock, garnishee. Judgment for plaintiff for \$272.46, including costs.

Kate Keough vs. Mr and Mrs. J. U. Kawainoi, assumpsit. Judgment for plaintiff for \$17.54, including costs.

Following are the police cases:

A Craig was fined \$50 for assault and battery. Deputy Marshal Brown requested that a fine only be imposed.

John Peter, charged with violating section 2, chapter 37 of the Penal Code, was discharged.

The charge against B. Gallagher for assault and battery was not pressed.

Puhili forfeited \$6 bail for drunkenness.

John McLean charged with cruelly beating a horse belonging to Peter High. The evidence showed the horse had not been cruelly treated but only hit by the defendant to make him stand up in the box white being shod. Found not guilty and discharged.

The Crown Jewels.

The Attorney-General is reticent about the crown jewels, but says that investigations are being pushed. Miss Krout, the Inter-Ocean's correspondent, stated she saw the crown on the 26th of March, and that one large diamond was missing which, an attendant told her, had been taken out during Kalakaua's reign. R. J. Greene, who succeeds James Robertson as custodian of the palace, tells a reporter that the latter had the keys up to Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

Trousers for the Troops.

The Provisional government has ordered of the Columbus, O., house of M. C. Lilley & Co., over 300 pairs of uniform trousers for the National Guard. The material is regulation U. S. military goods such as the law requires. A order for caps was sent to the same firm a month ago, but no blouses have yet been contracted for, a fact which makes much dissatisfaction in the rank and file.

The Style is the Man.

On a rare old bird is the "Citizen" man. The writer of letters free. Who signs with a dozen non de plumes. A profane scrawl which he quite presumes. Will earn him a royal fee.

But a simple old bird is the writing man. Whose style lets all men see. That "Economist's" letter and "Tourist's" too, And the letters of all the scribbling crew. Are his own from A to Z.

Natives for Annexation.

R. W. Wilcox and other prominent Hawaiians are about to begin organizing native clubs in support of the annexationist movement. Mr. Wilcox says that a study of the fifteenth amendment is bringing his countrymen around to the right side. A meeting of Mr. Wilcox's friends was held last night and preliminary work done.

Annexation at Kohala.

There is a strong annexation movement among the whites and natives at North Kohala. A mass meeting was held at the Court house on March 31, and a club formed of which James Renton, Sr., is President and J. Barnett Secretary.

Joined the Club.

B. J. Kuamoo, aged 75 years, and E. M. Kalawaia, aged 71 years, both signed the Annexation Club roll yesterday. Mr. Kalawaia said he was the foster-father of the ex-heir apparent.

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NOTICE.

The steamer Kinau has on the Marine Railway and will sail on Monday, at 2 o'clock, for Hilo, returning Saturday morning, April 13th.

WILDER'S STEAMSHIP CO. Honolulu, April 5, 1892.

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Records of Proceedings in Judge Foster's Court.

Following are the civil cases:

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Thirty-Third Annual Statement

EQUITABLE

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OF THE UNITED STATES,

For the Year Ending December 31, 1892.

ASSETS.

Bonds and Mortgages..... \$ 21,983,944 02

Real Estate, including the Equitable Buildings and purchases under foreclosure of mortgages..... 23,912,412 43

United States Stocks, State Stocks and other investments..... 75,084,749 48

Loans secured by Bonds and Stocks (Market value, \$7,673,700)..... 5,913,500 00

Real Estate outside the State of New York, including purchases under foreclosure..... 14,122,796 70

Cash on Hand and in transit (since received and invested)..... 5,554,000 06

Interest and Rents due and accrued, Deferred Premiums and other Securities..... 6,488,702 66

Total Assets, December 31, 1892..... \$163,060,052 01

We hereby certify, that after a personal examination of the securities and accounts described in the foregoing statement, we find the same to be true and correct as stated.

THOMAS D. JORDAN, Comptroller. FRANCIS W. JACKSON, Auditor.

LIABILITIES.

Reserve on all existing Policies (4% Standard), and all other liabilities..... \$121,870,236 52

Total Undivided Surplus (4% Standard), including Special Reserve of \$2,500,000 towards establishment of a 7 1/2 % valuation..... 31,189,815 49

\$163,060,052 01

We certify the correctness of the above calculation of the reserve and surplus. From this surplus the usual dividends will be made.

GEO. W. PHILLIPS, J. G. VAN CISE, Actuaries.

INCOME. Premiums..... \$ 34,046,568 30

Interest, Rents, etc..... 6,230,969 10

\$40,277,537 40

DISBURSEMENTS.

Claims by Death and Matured Endowments..... \$ 10,850,373 04

Dividends, Surrender Values, Annuities and Discounted Endowments..... 5,675,074 94

Total Paid Policy Holders..... \$ 16,525,447 98

Commission, Advertising, Postage and Exchange..... 4,084,478 35

General Expenses, State, County and City Taxes..... 3,544,021 01

\$ 24,161,947 34

New Assurance written in 1892..... \$290,490,316 00

Total Outstanding Assurance..... \$30,982,245 00

We, the undersigned, have, in person, carefully examined the accounts, and counted and examined in detail the assets of the Society, and certify that the foregoing statement thereof is correct.

E. BOUNDNOT COLT, T. S. YOUNG, H. S. TERRELL, G. W. CARLETON, W. B. KENDALL, Special Committee of the Board of Directors, appointed to examine the accounts and assets at the close of the year 1892.