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TUESDAY, MAY 9, 1893.

WHO KILLED COCK ROBIN?

One of the royalist prints is again exerting itself to prove that the United States forces overthrew the Queen, saying that a letter exists which shows—actually—that Minister Stevens recognized the new government "three minutes" before Mr. Dole and his triumphant party entered the doors of the Hawaiian Capitol.

If the American marines overthrew the Queen why did she not say so in her official protest of January 17th?—a protest which covered about everything else. The only acts done against herself and her authority at that time, of which she and her ministers complained, were those of "certain persons claiming to have established a Provisional government."

Now if the royalist papers can show how it came about that Liliuokalani forgot to mention that the American forces had coerced her and alleged instead that the Provisional authorities were guilty of the overt acts; if they can show any international or other law which makes the landing of foreign troops to protect foreign life and property during a revolt an act of coercion against the local authorities; if they can prove by an item of sound evidence that Minister Stevens connived at the revolution or gave it military support before it had won its own way to power—why then they will have a case to bring before the United States authorities.

ONE INTERVIEW ONLY.

In our last night's issue we used the following words in a leader entitled, "What of the Queen?"

"Certainly, her right to treat with a foreign envoy, has not been denied, as witness her unhindered interviews with Commissioner Blount."

We have since learned upon good authority that Mr. Blount has had no interviews with the ex-Queen, except one, which occurred with the full knowledge of the government and without any objection on its part. We cheerfully make this correction, and regret any unfavorable impressions which may have been made by the publication of the paragraph referred to. At the same time we must call public notice to the fact that the

question of whether one interview or two was had by the ex-Queen with the United States' Commissioner, does not lessen the force of the STAR's proposition that had Mrs. Dominis been deported, she would not be in a position now to trouble the official ear of any envoy with her alleged royal claims and pretences.

It has become a proverb in the newspaper guild that the New York Herald always turns up on the defeated side of every national issue. That journal, while conceding to be the most expert American news gatherer, has never of late years shown capacity to judge public sentiment in the United States, nor to gauge the current of politics there.

WHILE the resolutions of regret over the death of Capt. Gilbert C. Wiltse were in excellent time and taste, the services of that commander here ought to receive more enduring and public recognition than that which obtains in a legislative minute. The name of the English sailor who restored the Hawaiian flag, fifty years ago, was given by a grateful monarchy to a public square of Honolulu.

NEWS BY THE OCEANIC.

Cholera has appeared at Nagasaki. Dr. Koch will visit Japan next year. Mr. Nomura, Japanese minister to France, has been recalled.

Smallpox is raging at Osaka with 1099 fatalities to date. The Governor of Tokio was stoned by natives at Omomachi.

One of the Japanese imperial princes is learning to ride the bicycle. Eighteen Scandinavian evangelists have arrived in Japan.

Valuable anthracite coal mines have been discovered at Shiratsuku Ken. A duplicate cable will be laid from Singapore to Hongkong.

H. I. H. Prince Kikumaro Yamashina has been sent to Germany to study. The Chinese government is encouraging the study of English.

The tonnage of the Japanese exhibits for Chicago was 1,650. A number of fatal avalanches are reported from the interior of Japan.

An anti-foreign feeling has developed in Corea. H. M. S. Daphne has arrived at Hongkong from Esquimaux.

There were 864 earthquakes in Japan during 1890. A gold field has been discovered at the bottom of Nagasaki harbor.

Much of the tea crop has been injured by cold weather. On the 16th of April H. M. S. Niobe went ashore on Futsu spit. She got off.

The Miike Maru arrived at Yokohama April 2 from Honolulu. Dr. Kitagata, ex-assistant to Dr. Koch, will erect, at Shita, a laboratory for the study of infectious diseases.

The War Department of Japan will fix electric lights on coast fortifications for use in time of war. A large number of officials of the Japanese imperial household have been dismissed for economy's sake.

An Indian paper, discussing the recrudescence of leprosy in India, says that Doctor Manson discovered that leprosy is caused in China by the introduction of the poison into the blood by mosquitoes. It is thought that this may account for the prevalence of leprosy in the extreme north, where mosquitoes abound. In Japan, minute precautions are taken against mosquitoes and other insects; where they abound leprosy is endemic.

PERSONAL. E. Dekum leaves on the Kinau for the volcano to-day. Dr. A. Mouritz, of Molokai, is in the city. He reports his coffee plantation there as flourishing.

A. Herbert, wife and daughter, expect to travel abroad this summer, visiting the World's Fair and then crossing the Atlantic to England.

Ex-Editor H. N. Castle and wife go to the States by the Oceanic, and will afterwards visit Germany.

LENZ THE CYCLIST. He Has a Rough Time of it in the Chinese Provinces.

Since Lenz the bicyclist was here Honolulu people have watched his globe encircling journey with much interest. The Oceanic brings particulars of an attack which was made upon him near Ichang. The Chinese there, in spite of the fact that the wheelman had a soldier as an escort, assaulted him, men and women coming upon him from the rear and from all sides.

"Strike! Strike! Kill! Kill!" was the cry taken up from the mob in rear, and passed along from field to field far quicker than the rider could cover the

distance, tiding for dear life though he was. The laborers suddenly looking up, as this cry reached their ears, beheld a sight well calculated to rouse their worst superstitions, in the shape of a foreign devil literally flying over their country on a hellish contrivance of glittering wheels and pumping legs.

It was as if the thing had dropped straight out of the sky; so with inflamed passions they darted towards the path with uplifted hoes, and thus heading it off waited to deliver a swinging blow as it passed—as they would have awaited some wild beast. Meantime Mr. Lenz pressed on, thinking it more prudent to run this murderous gauntlet than be surrounded by a howling crowd, eager for the blood of a flying devil.

He dodged this blow, charged that man, and besides a knock or two on the knapsack on his back, and some bad bruises on his machine, was doing wonderfully well; until, he found himself suddenly confronted with an embankment, about fifty feet high, whose crest was crowned with about one hundred and fifty excited Chinamen, awaiting his arrival with hoes and bamboo. He was now encircled, so got off his machine and walked forward to the embankment to meet his fate.

The mob yelled furiously as he advanced, and on arriving close enough one of the leaders, an old man, aimed a murderous blow, with a hoe, at the head of the cyclist, which would have cleft his skull and finished the business had not Mr. Lenz dodged his head and received the blow on his side, glancing off to his ear and shoulder, but partly broken by the head of the hoe falling on the top of his knapsack. Then followed a shower of blows and stones. The machine was wrested from its owner and the spokes hooked out, and various parts broken and damaged. Getting out of the thick of his assailants Mr. Lenz made towards a few of a better-looking class of natives who were holding aloof in rear and apparently better disposed, and to these he appealed by gesture to intercede and give him a hearing. In this he succeeded, and the mob was induced by these better-looking Chinamen to desist and listen. The machinist then picked up his machine again just as the out-distanced mob came up in rear, and others closed in from all sides. Thus entirely surrounded this single foreigner—surely in one of the tightest of tight fixes—explained his machine by gesticulation, and played some funny tricks with it, until he succeeded in melting the awe-stricken and solid angry faces around him and caused laughter to ripple over them, which he eventually turned into peals of laughter by increased fooling. A spell of this and he made motions to be allowed to proceed, and the better-class natives interceding for him the circle opened and he was allowed to go; so he descended the opposite side of the embankment and continued his journey again; to the intense amusement of his late assailants—the assembled spectators. Pushing on a mile or two not now pursued by the shout of "Strike!" or "Kill!" he found the natives less hostile and so put up at an inn, at a little hamlet a few miles distant from the place of the encounter, to await his soldier; who presently arrived badly bruised and beaten and relieved of every article of value from his person.

BY AUTHORITY. ABRAHAM KAUIHI has this day been appointed Pound Master for the Government Pound at Waikiki, District of Waikuku, Maui, vice C. L. Kookoo resigned.

J. A. KING, Minister of the Interior. Interior Office, May 8, 1893. 36 31

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The center line of this channel bears N 26° 42' E, true. The line of the Harbor Light (red) and the Inner Light (green), bears N 25° 20' E, true, and just touches the east side of this channel at the outer end.

The line of the Harbor Light (red) and the Clock Tower of the Honolulu Planning Mill on Fort street, bears N 28° 30' E, and just touches the west side of this channel at the outer end.

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On reading and filing the petition of C. BOLTE of Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, alleging that said Rudolf Aschheim, died intestate at San Francisco on the 7th day of March, 1893, leaving property in the Hawaiian Islands necessary to be administered upon, and praying that Letters of Administration issue to petitioner.

It is ordered that TUESDAY, the 23rd day of May, 1893, at 10 o'clock A. M., be and hereby is appointed for hearing said petition, in the Court Room of this Court, at Aliiolani Hale, Honolulu, at which time and place all persons concerned may appear and show cause if any they have, why said petition should not be granted.

Dated Honolulu, April 20th, 1893. By the Court: HENRY SMITH, Clerk. 36 61

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JOS. M. OAT, Postmaster-General. 20-11

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that bids will now be received at the Treasury Department for the New Hawaiian Loan for \$750,000 U. S. Gold Bonds, authorized by an Act of the Hawaiian Legislature, approved January 11th, 1893, and also by an Act of the Provisional Government of the Hawaiian Islands, approved February 18, 1893, for INTERNAL IMPROVEMENTS, up to the amount of Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000) or any part thereof.

These Bonds are of the denomination of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) each, running not less than Five (5) nor more than Twenty (20) years, are all dated April 1st, 1893, bearing six per cent. interest per annum, payable semi-annually in U. S. Gold, and are free from taxation.

The principal and interest to be paid in Gold Coin of the United States of America or its equivalent at its present standard of weight and fineness.

The Minister of Finance does not bind himself to accept the highest or any bid. Receipts will be given to all parties whose bids are accepted, guaranteeing the delivery of the Bonds on their arrival in Honolulu.

THEO. C. PORTER, Minister of Finance. 22-131

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