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## THE VOICE OF AN AMERICAN.

To the agreeable phrases of the interview in yesterday's STAR we add to-day the text of the reply of the United States' Minister to the memorial of the American League. While Mr. Willis' remarks were cautious, as befitted a diplomat, they contained two statements which must give encouragement to those to whom the future of Hawaii as a civilized State is a cherished and Christian object. We group these declarations together so that they may stand out with the prominence which is their due.

"I am an ardent American. I would like to see the stars and stripes waving, under proper conditions, not only over the Pacific Islands, but over any other territory which would be beneficial to the United States."

And this:

"Knowing the policy of the United States, I could not have accepted the position of an executive officer had it been in conflict with the principles I hold."

That is to say, if the the policy of the United States towards Hawaii was such as to be disapproved of by an "ardent American," Mr. Willis would not be here to carry it out. Fancy, therefore, an ardent American pulling down the flag of a friendly democratic government, organized chiefly by men of American blood and sustained by the great majority of American interests on the ground, and hauling up the standard of Polynesian royalty amid the applause of Yankee haters, both native and European. Just fancy it.

Surely, the time cannot be far off when the American flag shall wave over these Pacific Islands, and do so under "proper conditions." What those are the advocates of an American protectorate may easily surmise. Surely an "ardent American" could be satisfied with nothing less than American rule.

THE *Holomua* squares the circle of ignorance in the following paragraph:

There is nothing before Congress in regard to Hawaii and the undoing of Mr. J. L. Stevens' unlawful actions here is simply an administrative matter.

But a slight acquaintance with American constitutional law and practice would inform the *Holomua* that the President of the United States cannot make war on any Government, particularly one the independence of which his country has recognized, without the assent of Congress. Such procedure would violate Art. I, Sec. VII, ¶ 11, of the National Charter and furnish grounds for the President's impeachment. Far from being an "administrative matter," the expulsion from power of the Hawaiian Government could not be otherwise, under American law, than the gravest kind of a legislative matter of which the executive power would be but an instrument.

AND so Short Weight Colburn is the only man—*vide* the *Holomua*—who doesn't want to surrender his "portfolio" to the "Queen." If she desires it badly it will seem a pity to her that the thing isn't a 1500 pound ton of hay instead. She could procure it then, no doubt, at the usual tonnage rates.

THE procession of sad-faced Royalists, reading last night's STAR, took two hours to pass a given point. P. S. The "given point" was Cunha's saloon.

ARE there any other thieves about who want to try libel conclusions with the STAR?

## NO WHITE FLAGS!

"It may be," says the *Advertiser* with the lugubrious tremors of age, "that, basing his opinion on Mr. Blount's report, he (the President) doubts the expediency of adopting any measure that will lead to annexation or protection, and suggesting the propriety of restoring the monarchy temporarily. *In this way* he may have chosen to refer the whole matter to the Senate for their consideration, together with Mr. Blount's report. *This course has been expected by the press and public generally, and will undoubtedly be adopted by him.*"

If it is a fair question—What of late has come over the spirit of the *Advertiser's* dreams? A week ago our ancient neighbor was shuffling about trying to sow the seeds of compromise in loyal soil. These failing of lodgment, it then began to throw out casual handfuls of discouragement such as its extra of recent date announcing that "President Cleveland Proposes to Restore the Monarchy." And now it says of the Australian report that the President will recommend Congress to put Mrs. Dominis on the throne she has repeatedly disgraced: "This course * * * will undoubtedly be adopted by him."

"Have you seen the *Advertiser?*" said a Royalist this morning. "It's getting ready to flop."

While the STAR is not so in the habit of crediting Monarchist theories as to believe that the business interests of the morning paper would permit a complete betrayal of its cause it must warn the *Advertiser* that in times like these the appearance of evil is a thing to be avoided quite as much as the evil itself. The mind of the Annexation party is sensitive and it will not tolerate any weak-kneed leadership, either in politics or journalism. That reform statesman or editor is doomed who now raises the white flag even in ceremony.

As to the deduction of the morning print that Mr. Blount has advised and Mr Cleveland concluded to restore the ex-Queen with the consent of Congress, let us say that there is nothing to bear it out but Royalist gossip, which no careful paper ought to receive at par. Mr. Cleveland, whatever may be thought of his annexation views, has given no sign of a purpose to go into the Monarchist line of politics. Indeed, in the case of Brazil, he is reported (at Peixotto's request), to have warned the Monarchist conspirators off. So far as Hawaii is concerned, statesmen who share Cleveland's councils have told our diplomatic corps that the restoration of Mrs. Dominis at the hands of the great republic is "unthinkable." So clear is that fact that even the New York *Herald*, violent Monarchist organ as it is, has lately been forced to admit that Mr. Blount had not advised the President to put the "Queen" in power again, and that President Cleveland would not do such a thing if he had. Aside from all this, it is remembered locally that Mr. Blount expressed his amazement to Chief Justice Judd that any reasonable man could expect the Washington Government to join hands with the discarded Hawaiian royalty. The knowledge is also abroad that Mr. Blount became so solicitous for the future of white Government here that he advised the Ministry to amend the proposed army bill, so that all Hawaiians would not be enrolled for militia service. "It will not do," he said, "to accustom the natives to the use of arms." Accordingly, the terms of the bill were changed.

Once more: Restoration and the credentials of Minister Willis are not convertible terms: Said President Cleveland to President Dole of his diplomatic agent here:

He will constantly endeavor to advance the interests and prosperity of both GOVERNMENTS and so render himself acceptable to Your Excellency.

What does that mean? It is plain reading, and the wayfaring man, though a fool or a paleozoic journalist, should not err therein.

These are the facts about President Cleveland and ex-Minister Blount, *in re* their island policy, so far as they have been given to the world. They are authentic. On the other hand is nothing but the shallow gossip of the space-writers, the inventions of Rumor and of Moreno, Rumor's man Friday; the United Press and Reuter sensations; the tittle-tattle of newspaper correspondents, who are required to fill their stint of space with readable stories, trusting to luck that they may be true; the mere persiflage of the political gutters. It is astonishing that the *Advertiser* should have turned a deaf ear to the evidence and rested its case upon such "bald unjointed chat"—upon these misshapen and misbegotten canards which, like the mule in Corwin's speech, have no pride of ancestry nor hope of posterity.

THE notice may as well be served on the old cabal of Royalists now as at any time that neither the STAR nor its editor proposes to be coerced by threats nor intimidated by libel suits. Both have a duty to perform in this group somewhat akin in politics to that which, in agriculture, is to enlist the skill of Professor Koebele. We are here to help keep down the Monarchist pests which have assailed the revenues and reputation of these Islands for so many years and are waiting for another chance. Moreover, we intend to keep at the work until the scale bugs and grubs are thoroughly cleaned out. If necessary, these remarks will be translated into the Tahitian dialect for the instruction of C. B. Wilson—formerly collector and absorber of collections for the Water Department of Hawaii.

THE Monarchists, through one of their organs, boast of their "peaceful and dignified behavior." It's an honor they share with the average corpse.

# BY AUTHORITY.

## SEALED TENDERS.

Sealed Tenders will be received at the office of the Minister of the Interior till 12 o'clock noon on WEDNESDAY, November 22, 1893, for the erection of a Jail at Honokaa, Hamakua, Hawaii. Specifications and plans at the office of the Superintendent of Public Works, also at office of J. W. Moanauli, Deputy Sheriff of Hamakua.

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J. A. KING,
Minister of the Interior.
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(Signed) S. M. DAMON,
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Finance Department, November 15th, 1823. 200-3t

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## Notice.

THE POSTPONED ANNUAL MEETing of the Honolulu Library and Reading Room Association will be held at Library Hall, Friday, the 17th, at 7:30 P. M., for the election of Trustees, and other important business.

H. A. PARMELEE,
Secretary.

## Notice to the Public.

I HEREWITH NOTIFY THE PUBLIC that on the 1st of November, there will be a reduction of fares to one-half, being 2½ cents from corner of Fort and Queen Streets to the terminus of the Street Car line on Nuuanu Valley. The public will be supplied with tickets from the driver of the busses. There will be a buss every half hour in the first week of November and after that one every twenty minutes to meet the requirements of the public. The fares from the Street Car terminus to my terminus, further up the Valley will continue the same as before.

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