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BAND CONCERT.

The band will give a concert at Emma Square this afternoon, beginning at 4:30, the program being as follows: Overture, "Fra Diavolo".....Auber
"Introduction and Polka".....Naylor
Ballad, "Alicia Mine".....Newton
Festal March, "Anne of Tharan".....Hoffman
Potpourri from Italian Operas, Kappey
Waltz, "Remembrance".....Waldteufel

NEW ORLEANS SAILED.

The cruiser New Orleans left the wharf yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock and laid outside of the harbor until about midnight when she sailed for San Francisco. She will go up in about six days.

Report of Geo. R. Ewart and Associates

ON THE HIDALGO PLANTATION AND COMMERCIAL COMPANY'S RUBBER LANDS AND COFFEE PLANTATIONS AND ON LAZACUALPA RUBBER PLANTATION SITUATED IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCONUSCO, STATE OF CHIAPAS, MEXICO.

RUBBER.

In order to see what had been accomplished during the past four years on La Zacualpa the foremost rubber plantation in Mexico, we visited that property remaining there for several days.

The appearance of the place is a pleasure to behold.

The plantation is laid out in squares of 32 acres each, with roads 25 feet wide between the same.

The roads running from north to south are termed avenues and those running from East to West are streets, each having its corresponding number.

As each square is planted it is numbered on the survey in the manager's office. The same idea has been carried out in the buildings for the labor, these being plazas or squares and streets.

The population of La Zacualpa including men, women and children is about 600.

Without including the 8 nurseries which were planted this year (1904) on La Zacualpa, and contain millions of saplings, there are 2,200,000 trees planted out, and under cultivation ranging from a few months to 5 years old, and the growth of these trees has to be seen to be realized.

We tapped six 4 years old trees, and from the latex, got 29 ounces of commercial rubber, making on an average 4.5-5 ounces per tree.

This was from one tapping in the season which was not suitable for the same, and also in the heat of the day when it is not usual to do this work, and there is no doubt in the mind of the management that 6 months from now these same trees could be re-tapped and a similar amount of rubber obtained from them.

The tapping of these trees at so young an age, was entirely an experiment as there is no intention of tapping them for commercial purposes until they are 6 years old.

The result of our visit to La Zacualpa was to fully convince us that rubber planting is no longer an experiment, and with such management and organization as exist today on this plantation, rubber culture is bound to be an immense success, and we have no doubt in our own minds that if the shareholders in this plantation are so inclined at the present time, by extracting every ounce of rubber possible from the trees, (it would mean of course, the killing of a large number of trees) they could obtain for it double the money that they have put into the proposition.

The Hidalgo lands consist of rolling ridges with dark-red volcanic soil, over laid with black vegetable loam, thus forming a fine strong land.

Owing to the dense forest we could only travel over trails, and from the wild rubber trees, we saw growing, there was proof to us that cultivated rubber would grow there as well as on La Zacualpa.

Rubber has been sold from these and neighboring lands for many years, as the Castilla elastica, the rubber that is being planted here, is indigenous to Soconusco.

It is our opinion that the cultivated trees will grow better and yield more rubber than those in the wild state as, the underbrush being kept down and perfect drainage given to the land, it stands to reason that it will be better in every way.

The cost of producing rubber from the wild trees and such cultivated trees on La Zacualpa as are being tapped at the present time, is 30 cents per pound. Guatemalan Silver, about 12c gold.

When all cultivated trees are tapped, it is reasonable to suppose that this figure will be very much reduced, as the trees being close together, instead of being scattered over a wide area, as at present, will facilitate the process of tapping.

The average price for all grades of crude rubber in the United States for the last three years was over 61c per pound, and it has been proved that cultivated rubber is better than wild-rubber, even Para, for we find that on November 25th, plantation rubber was selling for \$1.48 per pound against \$1.32c.

The methods which will be employed, and of which we had evidence on La Zacualpa for preparing the rubber will bring it almost if not quite, on an equality with Para.

A sample of this rubber was sent to the works of the Silver Town Gutta Percha, and India Rubber Co., Ltd., of London, the company that recently laid the Pacific cable to Manila, which company, has written to the effect that they are prepared to take at all times, the total output of the plantation on a basis of 2 cents per pound less than the market price of Para Rubber.

Taking everything into consideration

though the H S has a fast team and may come out with colors flying. They will line up as follows at 4:45 p. m.

Punahou—Forwards: Roth, Taylor; centers, Damon, Fisher; guards, Goodale (capt), Waller.

High School—Forwards: Smith, Crewes (Capt), centers, Smith, Robertson, guards, Stone, Akau.

SUGAR ON HAWAII.
Admiral Beckley of the steamer Kinanui, reports the following sugar on hand at various Hawaii plantations: Waiuku, 7500 bags; Waiuku, none; Onomea 4700; Pepeekeo, 7597; Honouliuli, 1200; Hakalau none; Launahoecho 2000; Ooakala 1045; Kukialau 2000; Hamakua 3500; Uauahu 4500; Honokaa none; Honouliuli, 2043.

from the minute investigations we have made, both as to the coffee and rubber industries, we are fully convinced that the conditions in the Department of Soconusco for the growing of these two important articles are ideal, and for La Zacualpa and Hidalgo properties under the present management, particularly so.

We would here state that a great work has been done on La Zacualpa and the results achieved are surprising, especially when it is remembered that it is the pioneer company, and has no doubt had to suffer for its want of experience in the beginning, as is natural in an undertaking so entirely new to the world.

Hidalgo which will be under the same management, will have the benefit of this experience without having to pay for it.

We consider therefore, that there is a great future for the property.

COFFEE.

The following plantations were visited: Laguna del Carmen, Alicia, Hidalgo, Paris, Santa Rosalia and Emmeralda, containing 20000 acres all owned in fee simple, and we verified titles to some.

1500 acres are planted but not more than half of the same are in full bearing yet.

This year's crop from these six plantations is 600,000 pounds and promises to exceed the estimate about 20 per cent.

We are fully convinced that coffee raising in Soconusco is a good and sound proposition, depending largely, however, on proper and efficient management, which applies of course to any business proposition, and we feel quite safe in testifying to the efficiency and completeness of the organization that the Hidalgo Plantation and Commercial Company has inherited from Mr. Harrison.

This organization is the result of several years of experience and the principal parts of it, both in the office and in the field, are men of experience and ability, and each one is adapted to his particular kind of work.

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FOREIGN STEAMER TIME TABLE

STEAMERS TO ARRIVE.

Date.	Name.	From.
Jan. 4	Mongolia	San Francisco
5	Alameda	San Francisco
7	Doric	Yokohama
11	Miowera	Colonies
13	Nebraskan	San Francisco
14	Aorangi	Victoria, B. C.
17	China	San Francisco
17	Sonoma	Colonies
18	Sierra	San Francisco
27	Korea	Yokohama
27	Alameda	San Francisco
Feb. 3	Nevadan	San Francisco
3	Coptic	Yokohama
4	Manchuria	San Francisco
7	Ventura	Colonies
8	Sonoma	San Francisco
8	Moana	Colonies
9	Doric	San Francisco
11	Miowera	Victoria, B. C.
14	Siberia	Yokohama
17	Alameda	San Francisco
21	Korea	San Francisco
24	Nebraskan	San Francisco
24	Mongolia	Yokohama
28	Sierra	Colonies
Mar. 1	Ventura	San Francisco
4	Coptic	San Francisco
8	Aorangi	Colonies
10	Alameda	San Francisco
10	China	Yokohama
11	Moana	Victoria, B. C.
15	Siberia	San Francisco
17	Nevadan	San Francisco
21	Sonoma	Colonies
21	Manchuria	Yokohama
22	Sierra	San Francisco
25	Mongolia	San Francisco
31	Alameda	San Francisco

STEAMERS TO DEPART.

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Jan. 4	Mongolia	Yokohama
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In the more northern districts of these sections the ice on ponds and many small streams is already thick enough for harvesting. It is very improbable that the immediate temperature changes will take such an upward turn that the ice will be spoiled for storage purposes. The indications are that this month will be colder than usual in the Atlantic states generally, but an abnormally cold December is not always followed by a similarly cold January and February. On the contrary, the middle and closing periods of winter are in some years relatively milder than December, and when this is the case late harvested ice may be inferior in quality to that gathered earlier in the season. It is therefore advisable not to defer too long the harvesting of ice.—New York Herald.

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