

Financial Commercial Promotion

By DANIEL LOGAN

POSSIBLE NEW USE FOR COTTON

E. C. Smith, the Pearl City culturist in different lines, has received a letter from C. J. H. Woodbury, Boston, secretary of the International Association of Cotton Manufacturers, which gives intimation of a possible new use for cotton. He acknowledges the receipt of samples of cotton from Mr. Smith and encloses the proof of the latter's paper read before the Association, which has been printed in The Star. Mr. Woodbury trusts Mr. Smith will be able to get some of the "native cotton cloth" for him, and in conclusion says: "The General Electric Company have been consulting me in regard to the use of cotton for a peculiar purpose and I may give them one of the bags for the experiments."

EWA ADVANCES AN EIGHTH POINT

An advance of one-eighth point in Ewa, with sales at the board of sixty shares in small parcels at \$31.12 1/2 is the most interesting exhibit of the Honolulu Stock Exchange list today. McBryde holds at \$7.40, with two sales, making sixty-five between boards at two making seventy-five at the session, and a quarter advance is asked. One sale of ten shares of Oahu at the previous figure of \$30.00 is reported. Honokaa shows a gain of one-eighth in a sale of 125 at \$11.87 1/2 reported. Waiialua retains its closing position of last week in reported sales of sixty shares in three lots at \$112.00.

On the Hawaiian exchange sales of 100 and 200 shares of Honolulu Consolidated Oil are reported.

PROPOSED LOAN FUND COMMISSION

S. C. Dwight, Andrew Adams and E. Faxon Bishop are proposed as the members of the commission to be appointed by the governor on the Loan Fund Expedition. Under the terms of the loan bill the money is to be spent under the supervision of a commission of which the Mayor and Superintendent of Public Works are ex-officio members. The Governor is to appoint three others.

PER CAPITA WEALTH OF NATIONS.

That the per capita wealth of France is greater than that of any other nation in the world has long been an accepted fact. A new demonstration of this situation is published by the Wall Street Journal, which recently printed the following table of the total wealth of the four nations: United States \$125,000,000,000; Great Britain \$8,725,000,000; France \$8,000,000,000; Germany \$3,500,000,000.

The per capita wealth, together with the population of the four nations, is indicated in the following statistics: France, population 40,000,000, per capita \$2075; Great Britain, 46,000,000, \$1930; United States, 90,000,000, \$1290; Germany, 64,000,000, \$992.

Such a statement as the foregoing makes it simpler to understand why the present community of action of England and France in financial as well as political questions serves to block effectually German aspirations for the extension of political and commercial influence in the near East. At the present time there is lacking to Germany adequate capital for her own enormous industrial expansion at home, and in this her situation resembles our own. As for foreign enterprises, for these she must have the aid of Paris or London, aid which in the present state of affairs is steadily refused.

It will be seen that the per capita wealth of France and England is almost the same, the slight advantage resting with the former. A greater advantage lies in the fact that in France more than in any country in the world there is an actual division of wealth, which makes a much larger percentage of French than English, American or German citizens or subjects capitalists.—New York Sun.

SEEK PERE MARQUETTE'S TREASURE. The location of the spot where Father Marquette buried the crucifix and the combined Spanish and French affiliation money nearly 300 years ago has occasioned much speculation in the upper peninsula of Michigan recently because of a visit to the locality by an aged man named George who, it is claimed, was the only individual living who has any idea where the treasure is buried. It is generally believed the spot is some-

ALLOW A ROAD THROUGH FORT

Word from the war department has been received by Governor Frear to the effect that permission has been granted for the extension of Eighteenth and Twenty-second avenues, Kaimuki, through the Fort Ruger military reservation, thus connecting with the Diamond Head road and gratifying the residents of that flourishing district.

When Mather Marquette first came to the upper peninsula 300 years ago he established a mission at the Soo and caused a crucifix to be erected on the spot, which is said to be near the government locks. Later, he caused to be buried near the place an emblematic crucifix and other treasures on the banks of the rapids, then covered by a growth of underbrush.

The location of the spot was known only to his own party and the chief of the tribe of Indians in that section, Father Marquette also caused a description of the buried treasures to be placed in a cathedral at Montreal, where it remains to this day.

The Indians out of reverence for Father Marquette always held the location of the treasure as sacred ground and would never reveal its location to any white man. Talbot, however, who was a close personal friend of the late Chief Shawno, the last of the great chiefs of the Chippewas, is said to have gained the information from the aged chief just prior to his death.

Several attempts have been made to locate the cove containing the treasures, the last being in 1892, when the government sent a party of engineers to make a search. They went back unsuccessful.

Talbot was employed by the party to assist in the search and it is asserted by himself and others that he succeeded. But he would not work with other members of the party and quarreled with the government party over the amount that he was to have in case the treasure was unearthed. The sum asked for his information was so great that it was refused. Talbot then left the party, vowing he would never reveal the secret for any price.

Talbot now regrets his action at the time of the search made by the government. He says if there is still a desire to locate the spot he will do his best and give his services free of charge. He is now more than seventy years old, and it is said he fears he will die before he is ever able to locate the spot again.—Sault Ste. Marie Correspondence St. Paul Dispatch.

NEW GOODS AT SACHS'. Women's Tailored Suits, Auto Coats and Dusters, Lingerie Dresses, Linen and Pongee Suits, Evening Capes and Wraps that were received by the Honolulu are now on display at Sachs'.

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STOCK EXCHANGE

HONOLULU STOCK EXCHANGE.	
Ewa Pln Co	31.00 31.25
Hawn Ag Co	235.00 255.00
Hawn C & S Co	39.50
Hawn Sug Co	41.25 42.00
Honolulu Sug Co	140.00
Honokaa Sug Co	11.75 12.00
Haiku Sug Co	150.00 160.00
Hutchinson S P Co	16.75 18.00
Pahuku Pln Co	16.50 17.50
Kekaha Sug Co	207.50 212.50
Koloa Sug Co	160.00
McBryde Sug Co	7.00 7.25
Oahu Sug Co	30.00 30.25
Onomea Sug Co	43.00
Olau Sug Co	4 1/2 4 3/4
Panauhau Sug Pln	22.50
Pacific Sug Mill	110.00
Pala Pln Co	150.00 160.00
Pepeekeo Sug Co	140.00
Pioneer Mill Co	202.00 205.00
Waiialua Ag Co	112.00 112.50
Wailuku Sug Co	165.00
Waimanalo Sug Co	220.00
Waimea Sug Mill Co	125.00
L-I S N Co	125.00
Hon. R T & L Co	107.50
Hilo R R Co	15.00
Oahu R & L Co	135.00
Hilo R R Co	8.75 9.00
Hon B & M Co	21.75
Hawn Pine Co	36.00
Tanjong Olok Rub Co	42.50
Pahang Rub Co	22.50
Cal B S & R Co	100.00
Hamakua Ditch Co	102.00
Hawn Irrig Co	102.00
Hilo R R Co	99.00
Honokaa Sug Co	101.25 102.50
Kohala Ditch Co	100.00
McBryde Sug Co	94.00
Mutual Tel	102.50 103.50
Oahu R & L Co	100.00
Hilo R R Co R & E	96.00 94.50

HAWAIIAN STOCK EXCHANGE

May 8, 1911.	
Ewa Pln Co	31.00 31.25
Haw C & S	39.50
Haw Sug Co	41.50 42.50
Honokaa Sug Co	11.50 11.75
Haiku Sug Co	152.00
Hutchinson Pln Co	15.50
Kahuku Pln Co	18.00
McBryde Sug Ltd	6.75 7.00
Oahu Sugar Co	30.00
Onomea Sugar Co	42.00 43.00
Olau Sug Ltd	4.62 1/2 4.75
Panauhau Sug Co	25.00
Pala Pln Co	152.00
Pepeekeo Sug Co	140.00
Pioneer Mill Co	203.00 205.00
Waiialua Agri Co	112.00
Wailuku Sug Co	150.00
Waimanalo Sug Co	225.00 250.00
Hall & Son, Ltd	75.00
Inter-Island S N Co	125.00
Haw Elec Co	170.00
Mutual Tel Co	15.00 16.00
O R & L Co	138.00 150.00
Hilo R R Co	8.75 9.25
Waw Pine Co	36.50 37.00
Haw Prod Co	20.00 21.00
Tanjong R-b Co	41.50 43.00
Pahang Rub Co	22.00 23.00
Pahang Rub asd	19.00
Haw Amer Rub	18.00
Haw Irr 6s	101.50
Hilo R R Ex 6s	90.00 95.00
Honokaa Sug 6s	101.50
McBryde Sug 6s	94.00
Mutual Tel 6s	102.00
Olau Sug 6s	87.00 90.00
Pioneer Mill Co	100.50
Crete Oil Co	.65
Hono Con Oil	1.98 2.10
Humauma Oil Co	.48
Templor Oil Co	.13
Ventura Oil Co	.07
Purissima Oil	.21 .25
Jewel Oil	.10
Sierra Nev T & D	10.50 11.75
Mt King M & M	.85 1.50
King Sol M & M	.50
Engels Copper	2.45 2.75
Burlington Gold	.50

NATURE'S BIG INCUBATOR.

On a ranch in a valley of the Colorado desert we find a new and strange method of hatching chickens. Many artesian wells are in this valley to furnish water for irrigation. They are made by drilling a hole in the earth, and as the dirt is drawn out, a pipe is pushed in until water is reached, which then rises to the top and flows over the edge. One hole was drilled for 750 feet

into the earth, and a flow of water came up with a temperature of 102 degrees. Since chicks will hatch when eggs are kept just about as warm as this for twenty-one days, the people who own this well decided to use its heat to hatch eggs.

The earth was dug away from the pipe, so that the water, as it flowed over, formed a pool, in which an ingenious form of incubator can be submerged.

Of course, the eggs would spoil if placed directly in the water, so a round can of galvanized iron was made, eighteen inches in diameter and six inches deep. By stretching the arm and hand down this chimney, the eggs are placed on straw on the bottom of the can. In this way, too, they are turned twice each day, and out of the chimney the chicks are drawn when two days old. They are then placed in brooders and given their first food and water.

The can is securely fastened in the warm pool by weights. The only things that appear above the water are the chimneys and the end of a small tube, which is inserted in the bottom of the can and curves upward.

Through the chimney the foul air rises and escapes, into the tube rushes fresh air with moisture, which ascends as vapor from the water. Both are necessary to give health and strength to the little birds growing in the shells.

These chicks are as strong as any chicks have ever been, and hatched in this way, it is claimed that they are out of their shells one day earlier than when a hen sits on the eggs.—St. Nicholas.

HARVARD CLUB OF HAWAII.

The fifth annual meeting of the Harvard Club of Hawaii will be a smoker to be held at the University Club, on Thursday evening, May 11, 1911, at 8 o'clock. Every member of the club is cordially invited to attend and also any Harvard men who may happen to be visiting Honolulu.

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BUSINESS NOTES

Sales by the Kaimuki Land Company in April approximated \$60,000 and for the first six days this month amounted to \$6003. A building restriction of \$2500 is being put on lots in four sections of the company's tracts. John Walker began work today on the contract for erecting the can factory of the Standard Oil Company at Iwilei. It will be of sheet steel upon concrete foundations. This is part of the development of the company's station here, changing from a package to a bulk station, reported in The Star last week.

FILED FOR RECORD

Documents entered for record, May 6, 1911: L. K. Tilton and wife to Lahaina Agri. Co., Ltd., D. John D. Holt Tr. to A. V. Gear, L. Robert W. Davies to John D. Holt Tr. Consent. A. V. Gear to C. A. Peterson, A. L. Chas. A. Peterson to Addie B. Gear, A. L. Addie B. Gear to Fred Harrison, A. L. J. Ajmoku Dominis to Kaneohe Rice Mill Co., Ltd., L. May 8, 1911. Lahapa Mundon and hsb to Mrs. Mileka Kabele, D. Est. of Aholo Kaukau by Exor. to Samuel Makaila, D. T. Konemoto to T. Koretoshi, C. M. Alfreda Furtado to Arcenio H. Sylva, D. Arcenio H. Sylva to Young Men's Savs. Socy, Ltd., M. John Walker and wife to Thomas H. Young, D. Thomas H. Young and wife to L. L. McCandless, M. Walter H. Bradley and wife to William G. Pillar, D. Honolulu Planing Mill, Ltd., to Bishop & Co., C. M. Guilhermina C. Teixeira and hsb. to Joao Garcia, et al., D. S. Makaila and wife to Francis Gay, M. Keola Kanoho and hsb. to Richard K. Clark, D. John F. G. Stokes and wife to Wm. A. Bryan, Agrmt. Peter C. ones, Ltd., to E. Austin Jones, D. Peter C. Jones, Ltd., to Alice H. J. Lewis, D. Choy Seem (w) by Atty to Wong Chew et al., L. Peter C. Jones, Ltd., to Belle F. Jones, D. Peter C. Jones, Ltd., to Ada Jones Gartley, D.

Shipping News

(Continued from Page Two.) The Noeau is now loading for Kealia, Kilauea, Kalihwai, Hanalei and Wainiha and will sail at five o'clock tomorrow afternoon. O. M. Kellogg Goes on Marine Railway. The schooner O. M. Kellogg is at present being fumigated at the quarantine wharf, but after this operation has been concluded she will be put on the marine railway in order to ascertain where the leak is. She suddenly sprang a leak a few days ago, and as she is ready for the coast, the matter is to be fixed up immediately. The Kellogg has not been off the slip very long, having been repaired for a leak that was discovered on the way down from Eureka, and a portion of her keelson replaced.

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