COMMERCIAL.

SATURDAY, JUNE 2, 1866.

The bark *Bhering*, which had a very good passage, as compared with the arrivals before her and since, brings us San Francisco papers to May 12th—ten days later than our previous dates. The full details of commercial news given in Messrs. C. W. Brooks & Co.'s letter published below will be read with interest. Reports of island staples are there given in detail. The sugar imports for 1865 will be noticed. There is no doubt that from this year, Hawaiian sugar will take the first place in respect to quantity. Quite a number of our larger plantations are not at work, and will not resume for eight or ten weeks, but still the exports continue fully up to the estimates.

The arrivals the past week, besides the *Bhering* noted above, are the ship *Bunker Hill* from San Francisco, and the whaleship *Nile* from a cruise. Both arrived on the 31st and sailed the same day—the former for Hongkong and the latter for the Arctic.

The bark *Ethan Allen*, in the Regular Dispatch Line, sailed on the 31st for San Francisco, having a full cargo of sugar and molasses. She will be followed in the same line by the bark *Live Yankee*, which is now loading.

The *D. C. Murray* in the Hawaiian Packet Line, will be dispatched to-day for the same port. The *Bhering* is ready to take her place to follow her.

Gold in New York at the latest date, May 11th, was quoted at 129. Sperm oil, $2 35; whale oil, $1 22, and Arctic bone, $1 25, on the 10th of April.

The ships *Ceylon* and *Iolani* had both arrived at New Bedford, turning their cargoes out in good order. The former arrived on the 24 of April, and the latter on the 8th—each 130 days passage. The *Ceylon* was expected to sail from Boston for Honolulu early in May, and the *Iolani* a little later.

We know of no vessel likely to arrive from San Francisco before the *Comet* or *Smyrniote*. The bark *Monitor* is due with with a cargo of lumber, and also the bark *Metropolis*, from Puget Sound, with a cargo of coals.

The cargo of the bark *Kalosh*, from Australia, consisting of 800 tons of coal, has been sold on private terms.

Chas. W. Brooks & Co.'s Circular for the Hawaiian Islands.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 12, 1866.

GENTLEMEN:—Spring trade is not likely to disappoint expectations; the interior is reported comparatively bare of goods; stocks generally have been run as low as possible; demand, although still quite limited, has commenced to improve; better roads now afford communication with many interior points, while the more distant sections are yet to be heard from. Country dealers, having anticipated a general decline in Eastern imports, have delayed purchasing, beyond current necessities. Accounts equally encouraging reach us from all the agricultural districts. The season has been most favorable for vegetation, and the incoming crops of cereals bids fair to exceed any ever produced on this coast.

Money continues abundant; capital is stimulating many new enterprises, calculated to develop our self-supporting resources. Codfisheries on the Pacific begin now to assume commercial importance. San Francisco sends this year a fishing fleet of fifteen schooners and brigs, aggregating 3,000 registered tons, chiefly, with reasonable catches, to finish our market in November next with at least 1,500 tons of dried fish. Our local consumption has been 775 tons per annum. The present season should enable us to export largely. We doubt not Hawaiian plantations will be glad to consume considerable quantities, which being fresh and of excellent quality, cannot fail to prove superior to any imported. Cod liver oil, for medical purposes, will doubtless be saved by the fishermen and become an article of export.

Hawaiian produce now finds ready sale. Recent heavy importations of sugar, reaching here in a body, made purchasers timid, and large offerings at auction temporarily depressed quotations, rendering subsequent sales difficult to effect. Within about a month, say from March 10th to April 15th, our receipts of Hawaiian sugars reached 21,460 kegs, an amount nearly equal to the entire imports of January, February, March, April and May, 1864, and quite equaling the combined receipts of July, August, September, October and November and December of that year, which was thus thrown on our market in the short space of 35 days. Latterly, however, rates have again rallied; prices have improved fully half a cent per pound for current grades, while sales have in some instances been effected at about one cent advance from early prices. Supplies now coming regularly forward in moderate parcels, are taken freely by the trade, and rates are likely to become firmer as the season advances. We quote as follows, viz:

SUGAR.—No change in present duty has yet been reported to Congress; the Committee of Ways and Means, who hold the matter under advisement, have had their report laid on the table, by a vote of 107 to 40. Imports of Hawaiian have been, March, 8,904 kegs; April, 16,056, which latter far exceeds the receipts of any previous month, and all reached here within ten days from April 12th to 22d. Heavy offerings at auction temporarily stayed transactions, causing prices to fall materially; but firmness shown by importers offering at private sale, has since stiffened our market, which is now decidedly stronger; choice grades, particularly, are firm and in demand. The near approach of our fruit and preserving season, the most active period of consumption, will offer ready sale for current receipts, and quotations will then improve, although not likely to resume last year's figures. Recent receipts from Manila and Peru have been placed within a few days. 6,500 sacks (each 100 lb) Peruvian have been taken by refiners @ 8½ ₱ lb and 4,000 bags "*Conejo*" white crystalized Peruvian sold at private sale to dealers @ 12½c. Extra No. 1 choice Hawaiian, 11½@11¾c; No. 1 Cane, 10½@11c; Medium No. 2, grades, 9 @ 10c; Ordinary molasses sugar, 7@8c.; dark in mats, 6½@7c. Refined crushed, 16c; Yellow Ca 12c. In our circular of January 5th, we gave approximate number of tons of sugar the year 1865, which was as correct as could be obtained at a date so early after the close of the year. Since then all outstanding entries at our Custom House have been liquidated, giving exact returns, and showing receipts divided as follows:

Hawaiian Islands	lbs 13,566,062	$1,013,069
Manila	16,283,000	622,248
Peru	3,604,421	219,035
China	3,446,088	169,240
Mexico	5,746	259
Cuba	2,872,658	130,340
Central American Republics	1,435,600	65,099
Porto Rico	412,151	28,359
Dutch East Indies	405,964	17,060
British East Indies	147,106	6,576
Hamburg	54,858	4,637
Africa	46,000	2,070
New Granada	29,883	1,442
Total	lbs 44,809,509	$2,279,414

All the foregoing consists of raw sugars, excepting one lot of Dutch refined from Hamburg.

MOLASSES.—Importations exceed current consumption, 1,487 barrels ex Mauna Kea, received May 24, ordered for the new Sugar Refinery, are offering on the market, having been tried and found unsuited for their use. Imports for March, 2,021 bbls; April, 1,825 bbls. Total imports for year 1864 were 573,396 galls, invoice value of which was $92,840,27. Quotations will continue to rule from 32½@35c. ₱ gall.

COFFEE.—Considerable parcels advised as on the way. Receipts freely at hand from Manila, Central America, and Rio. Imports of Hawaiian the first quarter of this year were, 104,790 lbs. Supplies ample, quotations weak. Green Rio, 22½@23c.; Manila, 23@23½c.; Guatemala, 22½@23c.; Java, (Old Govt.) 25½@27c; Hawaiian Kona, 22@22½c.

RICE.—Large accessions of low grades have made easier terms for purchasers. No. 1 China, 6½c @7c.; Peruvian, uncleaned; dull @6c.; Hawaiian, choice table, jobbing in limited quantities 8½c.@9c., for city trade.

PULP.—Consumption nominal, having rapidly passed from use. None lately received. Small sales made at 12c.; demand very limited.

COTTON.—No parcels of Hawaiian Sea Island have reached us since our last circular. Samples of Tahitian, recently at hand per Suerte, show a long staple, and are of superior quality. The Oakland Cotton Mills, near our city, will require about 50,000 pounds for consumption the balance of this year. They are now using a mixture of Mexican and Southern California varieties, mostly short staple, costing 25 @ 27c. ₱ lb. Their present machinery will consume 100,000 pounds per annum. They decline contracting, but will purchase at current rates. This article furnishes paying freight for steamers; hence, when largely cultivated, would materially assist in supporting such an enterprise.

ORANGES AND LIMES—No Hawaiian Kona Oranges have been received, being now out of season. Six cargoes reached us from Tahiti, have sold as follows: Ex J. D. Sanborn, 200 M oranges, 25 M limes, for $4,000, round sum. Ex Eugenie 275 M oranges, @ $18 per M. Ex Maria Scott, 160 M oranges; 20 M limes, 500 cocoanuts, for $3,000, round sum. Ex Suerte, 420 M oranges, 20 M limes; former lot sold at $23.25 @ $27 50 ₱ M. Ex Sea Nymph, 250 M oranges, 4 M limes, @ $27 ₱ M. Ex Lopoi, 420 M oranges now jobbing slowly @ $27 ₱ M; only 20 M sold.

OILS—Polar, crude, without change, dull at 75c.@80c.; California coast whale, 57c.@60c.; Sperm, crude $1 50@$1 80, according to head matter; Cocoanut, 65c @72c. for limited quantities; Coal oil, 75c @80c. No whale ships have recruited at our port this spring.

EXCHANGE—On Eastern cities, at sight, payable in gold coin, 1½ ₱ cent. premium, payable in currency, 50c.@2c. gold; purchasers furnishing stamps. Telegraphic transfers in gold, 2½ ₱ cent. prem. French Government bills at 15@20 days, 5f to 9fr; sterling, 60 days' sight on London, Banker's bills, 48½ @ 48¾d; Commercial credits, 49¼d. On China, nominal, 5@7 ₱ cent. prem. Mexican dollars, 7@8 ₱ cent. prem.

FINANCIAL—Money abundant on first-class collaterals and undoubted double name city paper. Bank rates 12@14 ₱ cent. Country rates on grain and other usual securities 1½@2 ₱ ct. Several of our monetary institutions have large amounts of specie on hand uninvested because unwilling to loan except upon first-class city or real estate security. Legal tender notes selling here 78c.@79c. Gold in New York ruled yesterday @ 129¼.

FREIGHTS—Active inquiry for tonnage, far in excess of supply, shows more encouragement for shipping than has been felt for a long time. All vessels suitable for off-shore voyages find ready employment at profitable rates. Flour shipments to Australia continue, and grain shipments to Europe have been resumed. To New York and Boston, $15 per ton weight: Mess'l, $13@14. Oil 7c @8c. Bone 1c. To Tahiti $10@12. To Honolulu $5. To Shanghae $12@15. To Japan $12@15. To Australia £2 2s. 6d. Amoor River $18@20. Medium sized vessels are scarce and wanted. The scarcity of desirable tonnage is restricting business.

Vessels under dispatch, bound westward, are as follows: For Hongkong, Ham. bark Pelo, 441, this day; Am. ship Bunker Hill, 998, May 13th; Am. ship Fearless, 909, May 19th; Port. ship Pedro First, 1,482 (late Am. ship Twilight) May 31st. For Kanagawa, Japan, Am. bark Swallow, 280, May 24th; Am. brig Ida D. Rogers, 199, May 31st. For Tahiti, Tah. brig Suerte, 247, May 19th; Haw. bark Mauna Kea, 351, May 16th; Am. brig D. W. Rice, 194, May 26th. For HONOLULU—Am. bark Bhering, immediate dispatch; Schr. Milton Badger, (new) 248 (from Noyo River) probably this day; Am. bark Smyrniote, about May 26th.

Faithfully yours,
CHAS. W. BROOKS & Co.

MARRIED.

MCCULLY—HARVEY—May 26th by the Rev. S. C. Damon, at the residence of Chief Justice Allen, Nuuanu Valley, Mr. Lawrence McCully of Honolulu to Miss Eliza Ellen, the daughter of Mr. G. P. Harvey, of Kennebunkport, Maine. No cards.

DIED.

BEST—In Honolulu, May —, Mealope, wife of Mr. Z. Best. The deceased was a native of Maushiki, one of the South Sea Islands, and had been taught by Missionaries of the London Missionary Society.

BULLAGHER—May 11th, at the U. S. Hospital, Honolulu, Thomas Bullagham. He belonged to South Boston, Mass. He had papers showing that his friends reside at the corner of B and Gold streets.

Ships' Mails.

For SAN FRANCISCO—per D. C. Murray, this day.
For WINDWARD PORTS—per Kilauea, Monday.
For HANALEI—per Prince, Monday.

PORT OF HONOLULU, H. I.

ARRIVALS.

May 27—Am bark Bhering, Lane, 14 days from San Francisco, with mdse to Walker, Allen & Co.
27—Am schr Milton Badger, 16 days from Humboldt, with lumber to Walker, Allen & Co.
27—Schr Mary, Nika, from Anahola.
28—Schr Moi Kelii, Napela, from Kahului.
29—Schr Onward, Lambert, from Koloa.
30—Schr Manuokawai, Marchant, from Hana.
31—Am clipper ship Bunker Hill, Davis, 18 days from San Francisco.
60—Am wh ship Nile, Davis, from cruise.
31—Schr Mary Ellen, West, from Waihee.
31—Schr Moi Wahine, Mellish, from Koloa.
31—Schr Nettie Merrill, Kinney, from Lahaina.
June 1—Schr Prince, Hatfield, from Hanalei.
1—Schr Allerui, Clark, from Kona and Kawaihae.
1—Schr Ka Moi, Wilbur, from Kahului.
1—Br bark Hadwen, Swain, 65 days from Sydney, via Tahiti, with coal.

DEPARTURES.

May 26—Schr Emeline, Crane, for Kona and Kau.
28—Schr Active, Kapuahi, for Lahaina and Kohala.
28—Haw'n brig Pflel, Zienhardt, for Marquesas.
29—Schr Moi Kelii, Napela, for Koloa.
29—Old'rg bark Diana, Toegel, for Nicholaevski.
30—Schr Onward, Lambert, for Koloa.
31—Am bark Ethan Allen, Snow, for San Francisco.
31—Am clipper ship Bunker Hill, Davis, for Hongkong.
June 1—Schr Moi Wahine, Mellish, for Koloa.

MEMORANDA.

☞ Bark *Bhering*, Lane, reports—Left San Francisco, May 12th at 4.30 P. M., was becalmed between the Farralones and Heads for 36 hours. Passed the Farralones May 14th at 6 A. M. Had light winds and pleasant weather, the remainder of the passage.

IMPORTS.

From SAN FRANCISCO—per Bhering, May 27—16 pkgs agricultural implements, 5 bf bbls dried Apples, 8 bdls bags, 202 barrels, 2097 pkgs and 10,447 pcs bbl materials, 1 cs books, etc 2 cs boots and shoes, 24,320 ft lumber, 155 M shingles, 100 bbls cement, 1 cs cigars, 15 coils cordage, 1 cs crockery and glassware, 5 csks crockery and glassware, 21 cs and 21 pkgs drugs, 12 cs furniture, 10 cs and 15 bales dry goods, 4 csks grindstones, 4 cs hardware, 100 bbls lime, 40 rolls matting, 1 cs musical instruments, 100 cs coal oil, 6 cs and 2 kgs paints, 6 cs paper, 5 cs photographic material, 1 bale rubber hose, 16 pkgs saddlery, 1 cs sugar, 56 pkgs sundries, 10 nests trunks, 1 wagon, 57 pkgs woodenware.

From NOYO RIVER—per Milton Badger, May 27—20437 ft flooring, 19244 ft siding, 45330 ft surfaced boards, 12910 pickets.

EXPORTS.

For NICHOLAEVSKI—per Diana, May 29—10 bales puloi, 53 kgs sugar (9150 lbs), 2 cs bread, 1 bbl flour, 1 cs woolen goods, 1 keg rum.
Value of Domestic produce, $384 63.
Value of Foreign produce, $222 53.

For SAN FRANCISCO—per Ethan Allen, May 31—4,076 kgs sugar (546183 lbs), 20 csks sp oil (2951 galls), 1075 bbls molasses (3014 galls), 22 bags peanuts (3456 lbs), 3160 cocoanuts, 50 bunches bananas, 3 bxs lime, 1 keg butter.
Value of Domestic produce, $30292 09.
Value of Foreign produce, $31 95.

PASSENGERS.

From SAN FRANCISCO—per Bhering, May 27—Messrs S N Castle, Hiram Sandford, Thomas Waters, John Kingin, A Garston, Wm Gude, A F Schamm—7.

For HONGKONG—per Bunker Hill, May 31—H A Peterson.

For SAN FRANCISCO—per Ethan Allen, May 31—Mr Euler, H Hecle, Mr and Mrs R Hunt, Jno Hunt, D Smith, Mr and Mrs J Marsh, J Hart, E Redmund, O Hunter, F Casey, Mrs Edwards and 8 children, Mrs Snider and 3 children—25.

PACIFIC
Commercial Advertiser.

SATURDAY, JUNE 2.

Death of the Heir Apparent.

The community were startled by the announcement on Tuesday last, of the death of Her Royal Highness VICTORIA KAMAMALU, sister to the late and present King, and by the will of KAMEHAMEHA III., heir apparent to the throne of Hawaii. The deceased had been ill for several weeks, residing for the most part of the time at her country seat at Waialae, and during last week it was reported that she was quite low. On Sunday she was better, but her disease took an unfavorable turn soon after, and she died at 10 A. M. on the 29th of May, 27 years, 6 months and 29 days of age, having been born on the 1st of November, 1838. She was the daughter of Kinau, the wife of His Highness M. Kekuanaoa, who is the father of Lot, the present King, Alexander, the late King, and Victoria, now deceased. They were consequently of the highest chief blood in Hawaii.

About the year 1840, when quite an infant, she was placed in the Royal Chief School, presided over by Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Cooke, and with her royal brothers, continued there for ten or twelve years, or as long as the school was kept up. Hon. Judge Ii was appointed to be her guardian, and she continued to look up to him with paternal respect till her death. Of this school and its teachers, it may be said in passing, that all the instruction which she and her brothers ever received was given them by Mr. and Mrs. Cooke and their assistants. Here all the young chiefs were educated, and to their credit be it said that they always looked back with pleasure to the years spent in the school, and felt a gratitude towards their preceptors, which probably only death will terminate.

The Princess VICTORIA never appeared much in public, though under the reign of the late King she filled the office of Kuhina nui, and on several state occasions appeared as such. Since the abolition of the office of Kuhina nui, having been deprived of her office, she has been rarely seen. She was an attendant, and we believe also a member, of the Stone Church, where, since infancy, she has attended regularly. As a prominent leader in the choir she will long be remembered, for she was an excellent musician and singer, and did much to promote a love of music among Hawaiian females.

But perhaps her most meritorious act was the part she took in organizing the "Kaahumanu Society," of which she was the President. This was a benevolent society, after the plan of the Odd Fellows and Masonic associations, intended to operate among Hawaiians in providing for the wants of sick members, and for their burial after death. Its popularity and the good it effected may be judged of from the fact that it comprised several hundred members. By a small monthly fee it has aided to alleviate much want and destitution among a class proverbially improvident. Often have we seen her following to the grave the deceased members of this society, and now that the survivors will be called to follow the remains of their President, it will be as sincere mourners for one who was the originator and sustainer of the most worthy benevolent institution ever organized among her people. More than ever they will be taught that

> "Death rides on every passing breeze,
> And lurks in every flower."

But it was as a friend of Americans and American Missionaries that VICTORIA will be missed. Like her noble father KEKUANAOA, and worthy guardian JOHN II, she often declared, when pressed to desert them and go over to the Reformed Catholic Church, that all the instruction she ever received was from them, and she would never desert them. In this she showed the true nobility of her royal heart and her gratitude to her early teachers.

On Wednesday the corpse of the deceased was laid out in state at the Palace, and was visited by thousands of natives and foreigners. The funeral will not take place for some weeks yet.

☞ The untimely death of the PRINCESS ROYAL raises an important question regarding the succession to the Throne of Hawaii. She, by the will of Kamehameha III., was appointed to succeed our present King in the event of his leaving no children. As his Majesty is not married, his people cannot as yet count on any succession in that direct line, though we express the wishes of not only his foreign but native subjects when we say it would be most desirable could the dynasty be continued in the direct line. In the absence of any such hope, it is but proper that some provision should be made for a contingency which is liable to occur at any time, though we hope His Majesty may live and rule for many years to come.

The Constitution promulgated by His Majesty in 1864 provides for the succession in Article 22, as follows:

ARTICLE 22. The Crown is hereby permanently confirmed to His Majesty Kamehameha V., and to the heirs of his body lawfully begotten, and to their lawful descendants in a direct line; failing whom, the Crown shall descend to Her Royal Highness the Princess Victoria Kamamalu Kaahumanu, and the heirs of her body, lawfully begotten, and their lawful descendants in a direct line.

The succession shall be the senior male child, and to the heirs of his body; failing a male child, the succession shall be to the senior female child, and to the heirs of her body.

In case there is no heir as above provided, then the successor shall be the person whom the Sovereign shall appoint with the consent of the Nobles, and publicly proclaim as such during the King's life; but should there be no such appointment and proclamation, and the throne should become vacant, then the Cabinet Council immediately after the occurring of such vacancy, shall cause a meeting of the Legislative Assembly, who shall elect by ballot some native Alii of the kingdom as successor to the throne, and the successor so elected, shall become a new *Stirps* for a Royal Family; and the succession from the Sovereign thus elected, shall be regulated by the same law as the present Royal Family of Hawaii.

While there is a reasonable hope of the King leaving heirs of his body, it may perhaps be thought unwise to select and promulgate a successor. But at the same time the succession should be provided for in some way, and perhaps the choice and proclamation should be made, subject to the condition of no lawful heirs of the body being left to take precedence. If this plan is adopted, it ought to be done at once, for, though the Constitution provides for the event of the King dying and leaving no one as successor, yet history teaches us that such occurrences give rise to bitter partizan strifes and contentions, which wise prevision should seek to forestall.

The Constitution says that none but an *Alii*, or high chief, shall ever sit on the throne. The right to the kingly office is thus limited to a very small number, whom we will name. The male *Aliis* are:

His Highness WILLIAM C. LUNALILO, son of Kekauonohi and C. Kanaina and grandson of Kamehameha the Great.

The Honorable David Kalakaua, son of Kapaakea and Keohokalole, a chiefess of the Hawaii line of Kings.

His Highness M. Kekuanaoa, C. Kanaina, K. Kapaakea, Peter Young Kaeo, and his brother Albert Kuniakea, are Aliis. The latter is the adopted son of Queen Kalama, about 14 years old, and is at present in the Catholic school at Koolau.

On the female side are:

Mrs. Bernice Pauahi Bishop, daughter of A. Paki and Konia.

Mrs. Lydia Kapaakea Dominis, sister of David Kalakaua, and daughter of Kapaakea and Keohokalole.

Queen Dowager Emma, relict of the late King, and adopted daughter of the late Dr. Rooke.

Queen Dowager Kalama and Luka Keelikalani also rank as *Aliis*.

From this list of male and female *Aliis* the selection will probably have to be made. If birth gave any claim, it would belong to Lunalilo, who, besides the King, is the only living representative of the Great Kamehameha. Both are grandsons of that founder of the dynasty. But the Constitution has, in this case, taken away all hereditary claim, and makes the succession the gift of the King, failing which the Legislative Assembly chooses a successor to the throne by ballot. While there are male *Aliis*, probably no female will be selected, although such a choice is not made obligatory.

NOTES OF THE WEEK.

THE NEW ENGINE—To which we referred last week, was tried on Thursday, in front of the Post-office. Taking water from the excellent reservoir under the street, she threw a heavy stream fifty feet above the ball on the flag-staff over Oat's sail loft—a perpendicular hight of about 100 feet. From near the door of Fliiner's watch-store, a stream was thrown over the lookout of Makee's three-story brick building—the largest structure we have here. This trial was sufficient to demonstrate to the Fire Department and all others that NUMBER ONE has obtained a very superior machine, and one of which all may be justly proud. The possession of such an engine will add much to the security of property in Honolulu. This engine is provided with several new patent arrangements, the most important of which is a flexible suction hose, which does not require to be taken off, but is made to rest over the engine. The company entertained the subscribers and Fire Department with a splendid lunch on Tuesday, and also proposed testing the qualities of their new engine at the same time, but the unexpected death of the Princess VICTORIA, which occurred the same day, compelled them to postpone the trial of their machine until Thursday. We hear that Company No. 4 intend asking for an appropriation for a new engine, and the pride which they take in the department, justifies us in seconding their motion. This company is composed wholly of native Hawaiians, and has proved an efficient organization.

☞ The steamer *Kilauea* has hauled around to her old berth at steamboat wharf, preparatory to receiving freight. It looks quite natural to see her again in her former quarters. She has been put in excellent running order, and is as well fitted for freight and passengers as ever before. We doubt not she will attract the trade and travel she had before her accident, and, in the hands of her new agents, long run as a coaster. She leaves on Monday for Lahaina, Ulupalakua, Kawaihae, Kailua and Kealakekua, returning on Saturday next.

THE EYES.—Dr. Beehtinger requests us to state that he devotes his attention to the treatment of the eyes as a speciality. He can be found at the drug-store of J. M. Smith & Co.

MOONLIGHT NOTES.—Last Tuesday evening, as was noticed by many, was a most lovely one, not a cloud spotted the heavens, but all lay in mild subjection to the Queen of night, who was out in all her splendor, shedding her resplendent rays over mountains and plains. Among the numerous equestrian parties, we may here notice one composed of Honolulu's fairest daughters and nobby young men, who went galloping, "like a herd of buffaloes," through the streets of the city and suburbs. To crown all, the company were taken by surprise (excepting our reporter, who thinks he knows everything in the programme,) by an invitation from the most gentlemanly man in the company—whose generosity has won for him no little popularity—to a most tasty supper on board the flag-ship of the Hawaiian Packet Line, where everything was provided in the utmost abundance, and all enjoyed themselves in a most cheerful manner. From what our reporter says, the supper passed off in a most satisfactory manner, and we feel confident that the guests will never forget the exceedingly pleasant evening they spent.

> "There are moments in life which we never forget,
> Tho, brighten and brighten, as time steals away."

HOME INDUSTRY.—We commend the following item to the consideration of our Legislators and capitalists. A petition came before the Assembly some days ago asking for an appropriation or premium for the erection of a woolen factory. Just see what one mill will accomplish in the way of retaining capital and labor in the country. Instead of sending a quarter of a million of dollars abroad to buy woolens, a good portion of it might be retained here to promote home industry. Of course the mill described below is larger than anything required here:

WHAT A WOOLEN MILL DOES.—For the information of those of our citizens who have or intend to subscribe to the Marysville Woolen Mills, we copy the following statement from the proprietors of the San Francisco Mills, which have been running only seven years. The disbursements of the Mission Company have been as follows:

For California wool	$1,275,000
For wages	546,000
For Mount Diablo coal	81,000
To machine shops of San Francisco	73,800
To lumber dealers	35,420
To stone and brick makers	24,300
For Soap (Cal.)	58,000
For oil	45,000
For leather (Cal.)	6,000
For tannin	45,000

In their statement introducing these statistics the proprietors say, that during the month of January past, the pay roll amounted to nine thousand seven hundred and forty-two dollars, against six thousand five hundred per month during the past seven years, showing an increase amounting to about sixty-five per cent in the cost of wages alone.—*Appeal.*

REAL ESTATE SALE—An auction sale of a tract on Lanai, takes place to-day at 12 M. at the auction room of C. S. Bartow. It comprises some 600 acres.

—On Thursday next, on Robinson's Wharf, Mr. Bartow will sell the entire cargo of Lumber from the *Milton Badger*. See auction advertisement.

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Honolulu Fire Department.
THE ANNUAL ELECTION OF ENGINEERS for the HONOLULU FIRE DEPARTMENT will take place on MONDAY EVE, June 4, in the Hall of MECHANIC ENGINE COMPANY No. 2. Polls open from 7 P. M. to 9 A. M.
CHAS. A. GULICK,
1t Secretary Department.

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Just Received
From Bremen ex Diana
SUPERIOR SWISS CHEESE.
No. 1 Prunes in glass,
London Fancy Biscuits
Salt Herrings in tins
Herb Vinegar in glass
Wine Vinegar in glass
Wine Vinegar in demijohns
French Chocolate, East India Rice
Split Peas in demijohns
Pearl Barley in demijohns
Canary Seed in demijohns
Rape Seed in demijohns.
For Sale Cheap by
523 1m S. SAVIDGE.

Lime and Cement.
FRESH CALIFORNIA LIME and ROSENDALE CEMENT, all in perfect order.
Just Received per COMET and for sale by
517 3m VON HOLT & HEUCK.

AMERICAN HOUSE!
THE UNDERSIGNED FORMERLY PROPRIETOR of the ALDRICH HOUSE, begs to inform the
CITIZENS OF HONOLULU!
—AND THE—
TRAVELLING PUBLIC GENERALLY,
That he has opened the well known premises on Beretania street, recently occupied by the British Commissioner, as a
FIRST CLASS HOTEL!
The accommodations are ample, there being numerous sleeping rooms, the situation airy, and the fine shrubbery and shade trees on the premises will make it a pleasant retreat.
The proprietor trusts that his previous reputation gained in the management of the "Aldrich House," will be a sufficient guarantee that he will still continue to merit a share of the public patronage.
No pains or expense will be spared in providing the guests with all the delicacies as well as the solids that the market affords.
521-3m M. KIRCHHOFF.

To Sugar Planters.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING had much experience in erecting, repairing and running Sugar House Machinery in Louisiana, and being a first class mechanical Steam Engineer, would respectfully offer his services to Planters who are in want of them. Address
HIRAM SANDFORD,
Late Chief Engineer Steamship "Ajax."
Care of Walker, Allen & Co., Honolulu.
Refers to
Messrs. J. S. WALKER, S. N. CASTLE and C. BREWER & Co. 1t

Administrator's Sale
—OF—
Desirable Real Estate at Auction!
Belonging to the Estate of the late Hon.
LEVI HAALELEA.
BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER ISSUED out of the Supreme Court of the Hawaiian Islands, will be sold at Public Auction, at the Court House Door, in Honolulu, on
Saturday, 30th day of June, 1866,
AT 12 O'CLOCK, M.,
The following Real Estate belonging to the Estate of the late Honorable Levi Haalelea.
The Land of *AUHAUKEAE*, Kona, Hawaii.
The land of *PAPAKA*, Honuaula, Maui.
The land of *KAHUANUI*, Lahaina, Maui.
The lands of *KIPU*, *KAHANUI* and *MANUWAINUI*, Molokai.
The land of *WAIMALU*, Ewa, Oahu.
The land of *KEALIA*, Puna, Kauai.
The land of *HAKALAU*, Hilo, Hawaii.
The land of HONAUNAU, Kona, Hawaii.
TERMS LIBERAL. For further particulars apply to
C. C. HARRIS,
523 5t Administrator of the Estate of L. Haalelea.

NEW GOODS, NEW GOODS!
Just Arrived per Live Yankee
FROM SAN FRANCISCO.
A VERY CHOICE ASSORTMENT OF GOODS suitable for this market, consisting of
ENGLISH, AMERICAN and CHINA GOODS.
Many choice articles among the China Goods, suitable for the Ladies and Gentlemen, viz:
Work Boxes, Fans,
Ivory and Sandal Wood articles of a very superior kind,
All of which will be sold on reasonable terms at the store of
522 4t AFONG & ACHUCK.

PHOTOGRAPHIC NOTICE!
HAVING RECEIVED MY ENTIRE STOCK OF
Photographic Apparatus!
With all the recent improvements in the art, I wish to inform the resident of these Islands that it is my intention for the future to follow the
Higher Branches of the Profession only!
Painting and Retouching Photographs made in my own rooms, where portraiture will be my constant study. Proofs will be shown to persons sitting for negatives (if requested). Particular attention paid to copying old pictures.
Mr. B. is now completing arrangements to produce Landscape, Stereoscopic and Microscopic Pictures of any size.
☞ An elegant assortment of Oval and Rosewood Frames; Morocco, Jenny Lind and Velvet Cases constantly on hand.
523 3m CHAS. BURGESS, Photographic Artist.

JACOB HARDY,
DOING BUSINESS AT 138 MONTGOMERY STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, offers his services to his friends at the Hawaiian Islands, as an
AGENT
For transacting business, filling orders, and forwarding any description of goods; and will execute any commissions intrusted to him with judgment and promptness.
Orders may be left with H. M. Whitney, Honolulu, or sent by mail.
His charges will be moderate and proportioned to the amount of service rendered. 523-6m.

Makawao Female Seminary.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING ENLARGED and improved his buildings and grounds, would respectfully remind the community that the above mentioned Seminary is open to receive pupils. The Seminary is situated in the coolest and most healthy locality on the islands. The scholars already number thirty-seven.
Having secured the services of Miss MARY PARKER and Miss MARY GREEN, who have had many years of experience in teaching English to Hawaiians and half castes, he is prepared to take scholars on the most liberal terms. In addition to the branches of a thorough English education, housekeeping and butter making are taught.
TERMS—Board, Tuition and Washing, *FIFTY DOLLARS* ($50,) per year payable quarterly in advance.
Capt. Wilerbur of the *Moi*, or Capt. Barrister of the *Helen* will take charge of scholars to Kahului or Haiku from which places transportation will be provided.
For information call on Rev. H. H. PARKER, Honolulu, or the Seminary, Makawao, East Maui.
521 1m* J. PORTER GREEN,
Principal Makawao Female Seminary.

Estate of S. H. Dowsett, deceased.
ALL PARTIES HAVING CLAIMS against this estate are requested to send them in, and all persons indebted to the said estate to make payment before June 20, 1866, to JAMES I. DOWSETT,
Honolulu, May 25, 1866. (522 6t) Administrator.

HONOLULU, MAY 26, 1866.
THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD Respectfully inform the Planters and public generally that they have purchased C. H. Lewers' interest in the Barrel Factory, hereafter to be known as the Hawaiian Barrel Factory.
522 3t J. A. HOPPER,
ROBT LEWERS.

HAWAIIAN BARREL FACTORY.
THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD Respectfully inform the Planters that they are now prepared to furnish Sugar Kegs and Molasses Barrels, at reasonable rates. Having improved machinery they are prepared to manufacture a superior article. All work and every cooper warranted.
All orders filled with promptness and dispatch.
522 3m J. A. HOPPER & Co.

Assignee's Notice.
WHEREAS CHUNGTAI OF HONOLULU did on the 21st day of May, A. D. 1866, make an assignment of all his property to the undersigned, for the benefit of his creditors, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the said Chungtai to present the same at once, and those indebted to the said Chungtai are requested to make immediate payment.
522 2t J. W. AUSTIN, Assignee.

PAINTS JUST RECEIVED!
BEST ENGLISH WHITE ZINC, 28 lb. tins.
Best English Chrome Green, 28 lb. tins.
Best English Black Paint, 28 lb. tins.
And for sale at
522 1m S. H. DOWSETT'S LUMBER YARD.

COOLIE RICE.
NO. 1 RICE FOR FAMILY USE, from the Panaewa Rice Plantation, for sale by
522 5t WALKER, ALLEN & Co.

NOTICE.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN appointed an Administrator to the estate of the late *S. H. DOWSETT*, deceased, will furnish
BUILDING MATERIAL
Of every description at low rates, from the Lumber Yard.
522 6t J. I. DOWSETT.

FOR SALE!
BEST CALIFORNIA CEMENT.
522 1m H. HACKFELD & Co

Salmon per Ethan Allen.
WE HAVE RECEIVED A SMALL LOT of superior quality *COLUMBIA RIVER SALMON* in half barrels.
522 5t BOLLES & Co.

Fraser River Salmon!
FOR SALE BY
522 5t BOLLES & Co.

FOR SALE!
HEIDSIECK & Co's. RHEIMS, GRAND VIN ROYAL.
Ruinart pere et fils', Rheims, Carte Blanche.
Adolphe Collins', Chalons S. M. Carte Blanch
The above favorite brands of CHAMPAGNE are just received and offered for sale by
521 1m H. HACKFELD & Co.

NOW LANDING
From bark A. A. Eldridge, and For Sale by
GEO. G. HOWE,
NORTH WEST LUMBER!
50,000 Feet NORTH WEST BOARDS,
50,000 Feet Assorted Scantling,
10,000 Feet Battens,
17,000 Feet Tongued and Grooved Flooring. 521 1m*

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FOR
SAN FRANCISCO!
The Fine American Bark
Live Yankee,
JOHN WIGGIN, Commander.
Will have immediate dispatch for the above port.
For freight or passage apply to
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Hawaiian Packet Line
FOR
SAN FRANCISCO.
The A 1 Clipper Bark
BHERING,
G. OSCAR LANE, Commander.
Is now ready to receive cargo for the above port, and will have quick dispatch