AUCTION SALE

BY ADAMS & WILDER.

REGULAR ROOM SALE.

ON TUESDAY, : : : NOVEMBER 10th,
At 10 O'clock, A. M., at Sales Room.

An Asst. of Desirable Merchandise!

Dry Goods, Groceries, etc., etc.

—ALSO—

5 casks Bremerman's Ale, pints and quarts,
10 sacks California Oats.

One Old Fire Engine.

Also, Expected per Steamer "Idaho,"

50 bags Humboldt Potatoes, 10 bags California Onions,
10 bags New Silver Skin Onions, 20 bags Beans,
BOXES FRESH APPLES.

EVENING SALE!

ON SATURDAY EVENING, NOV. 14th,
Will be Sold

Books, Framed Pictures, &c., &c.

A HOUSE TO LET,
IN GARDEN STREET—Inquire of MRS. HUMPHREYS,
649 6t Emma Square.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG LEAVE TO invite the attention of their Friends and the Public generally to their large and varied stock of

NEW IMPORTATIONS!

Received per last IDAHO,
Via Panama and San Francisco, direct from the Manufactories of

England, France, Germany, and the United States.

PARTICULAR ATTENTION

Is directed to the fact that that, having perfected arrangements with the above mentioned Manufactories, they will hereafter receive, per every Steamer, an Assortment of

Goods Adapted to this Market,
WHICH,
Coming Direct from First Hands!
They will be enabled to offer at
Lower Prices than other Houses
IN HONOLULU.

Per "Montana," due Monday, 19th inst.,
WILL BE RECEIVED

A Few Choice Invoices
—FROM—
England, France, and the United States,
—ALSO—
On the way per sailing vessels from Liverpool, via San Francisco, of which further notice will be given hereafter.

M. S. GRINBAUM & CO.
647 1m

THEO. H. DAVIES,

Offers for Sale to Arrive,

THE CARGO!
—OF THE—
THE BRIT. BARK GARSTANG,

THE WHOLE OF THIS CARGO HAS been
SELECTED WITH GREAT CARE
—AND—
Is Worthy the Attention of Town and Country Dealers.

THE PRINTS
CONSIST OF
All the Best and Newest Styles
—OF—
2 Greens, Orange and Blacks, Green and Orange, 2 Pinks, Pink and White and Fancies,
BEING ONE OF THE CHOICEST ASSORTMENTS EVER IMPORTED HERE.

Cottons Goods.

Prints, Moleskins, Shirtings,
Horrock's Long Cloth, Blue Denims,
Brown Drills, Blue Shirtings, Brown Shirtings,
Striped Ticking, Blue Jumpers, White Drills
&c., &c., &c.

Linens.

White and Brown Drills, Plain and Col'd Deny.
Blouse Linen, Black and Brown Hollands, Coatings,
Sheetings, Cambric Bibbs, Bleached Linens,
Printed Lawns and Linens, &c., &c.

Woolens.

Black and Col'd Baratheas, Blue and White Flannel,
Heavy Four Point Blankets, Assorted Colors and Sizes,
Velvet Rugs. Pekin Cloth,
Waterproof Tweeds, Scotch Tweeds, &c., &c.

Sundries.

Silk and Cotton Umbrellas,
Plain Watered Silks and Moire Antique.
Ladies' Ties, Fancy Straw and Leghorn Hats, Lace Collars,
Felt Hats, Linen Thread, Writing Paper, Envelopes,
Stationery, Bagatelle Boards, Croquet Sets, Ladies Fans,
White Cotton and Linen Shirts, Regatta Shirts,
Crimean Shirts, Alpaca Socks, White Duck Trousers.
Jean Shirts, Black Cloth Trousers,
Wool Packs, Bagging, Twine, Linen Towels, Linen Collars

GOSNELL'S PERFUMES.

Hockin, Wilson & Co.'s Oilman's Stores.
TAYLOR'S JAMS, JELLIES, AND BISCUITS.
Ind, Coope & Co.'s Ale, in glass,
Marrian's Ale, in glass,
Guinness' Stout, in glass,
Dunville & Co.'s Whisky, in glass & wood
Penile's Champagne, in pts. and qts.
English Ploughs, very strong.
Best White Lead, Zinc, and Boiled Oil.
Fine Glassware, Earthenware, and China,
Yellow Nappies.
French and English Paper Hangings
BLACKSMITH'S COAL,
Liverpool Salt, &c., &c.
647 3t THEO. H. DAVIES.

NOTICE!

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO INFORM the public that
He has Just Received direct from Paris, A Full Assortment of Merchandise,
Of the Newest and most Fashionable Style. Please call and examine.
648 1m FRANCOIS MILLE, Tailor, Merchant Street, opposite the Sailors' Home.

AUCTION SALE

BY C. S. BARTOW.

THIS DAY!

SCHOONER AT AUCTION
ON SATURDAY, : : : NOVEMBER 7th,
AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

At the wharf below the Store of Messrs. C. Brewer & Co. (unless previously disposed of at private sale), will be sold at Public Auction, the Hawaiian

Schooner "MARY,"
48 14-95 tons. ☞ Sale positive. ☜
For further particulars apply to
C. S. BARTOW, Auct'r,
Or L. L. TORBERT, Agent.

Sale of Valuable Real Estate.

WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION,
On Monday, the 9th day of November next,
At 12 o'clock noon,
At the Auction Room of C. S. Bartow.
THE ILI OF KAPAKAHI IN WAIKELE, OAHU,
Containing 40 Acres of Land.

This tract is most advantageously situated, is excellent Taro or Rice Land, with a small portion of Kula, and a living stream of fresh water flowing through it. It is in sight of Ewa Bay or Pearl River, and would be a desirable investment.

TERMS EASY.—TITLE WARRANTED.

KOKE KEANUI,
by W. C. JONES,
648 3t Her Attorney in fact.

REGULAR ROOM SALE.
ON WEDNESDAY, : - - - NOV. 11th,
At 10 O'clock A. M., at Sales Room,
Will be Sold:

Dry Goods and Liquors,

Quarter Casks of Superior Sherry,

Cases of Brandy, 1 qr. cask Scotch Whisky, qr. Casks of Dunville's celebrated Whisky, bbls. of Ale—qts. and pts., bbls. of Molasses, cases of Benzole.

—ALSO—

ONE WHEELER & WILSON SEWING MACHINE,
Warranted in perfect order and as good as new.

Also, a Lot of Books and Pictures.

Whaling Brig Comet at Auction.

ON THURSDAY, : : NOVEMBER 12th,
AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

At Robinson's Wharf, for and on account of whom it may concern, will be sold at Public Auction, the

North German Whaling Brig Comet
OF 235 TONS,

With all the hull or body of said brig, together with masts, bowsprit, yards, boats, anchors, cables, spars, rigging, running rigging, sails, and all other necessaries thereunto appertaining and belonging. After the sale of the brig will be sold

A Lot of Spare Sails,

Namely, foresail, mainsail, topsails and topgallant sails, trysail and jib, lot of spare running rigging, coils of new hemp rigging, mincing machine, blubber hooks, bomb guns, fluke chains, whale anchors, oil casks, shook heads, oil shooks, iron hoops, slops, 1 barrel of copper, 1 box of tea, cutting and other hooks, pork and beef.

SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION, for Cash in hand, on the premises at Wilhelm's Bakery,
On MONDAY, Nov. 30, at 10 o'clock, A.M.,
By C. S. Bartow, Auctioneer,

the following property, distrained under the law for the payment of four months' rent due the undersigned from said G. Wilhelm:

1 Writing desk, 4 bottles pie fruit, 3 bottles ground pepper, 21 kegs sugar, 1 lot arrowroot, 1 tobacco cutter, 1 clock—24 hours, 1 calendar, 1 large scales—duplex counter, 1 small scales and weights, 9 bags buckwheat flour, 3 chairs, 3 kerosene side lamps, 1 lot carpenter's tools, 2 biscuit cutters, 4 baskets, 1 tub, 1 steelyard, 1 brass kettle, 2 bread troughs, 1 gallon measure and 2 tin pots, 1 bread box, 1 lot bake pans—large, 1 lot bake pans—small, 1 lot firewood, 1 hand cart, 3 wood axes and mallet, 2 shovels, 2 charcoal enclers, 3 yeast tubs, 1 scrubbing brush, 1 baker's oven (to be removed within one week after sale), 1 lot of sandiron, 2 brooms.

649 2t ROBERT LETT.

STEAMER KILAUEA
AT AUCTION.

On Wednesday, the 2d day of December,
AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT *PUBLIC AUCTION*, at her Wharf,

The Hawaiian Steamer "Kilauea,"
414 TONS PER REGISTER,

With all her Engines, Boilers, Boats, Tackle, Apparel and Appurtenances, as she will arrive on the 14th of November, after completing a twelve months contract with the Hawaiian Government.

Sale positive and without reserve. For particulars apply to
648 3t C. S. BARTOW, Auctioneer.

F. A. SCHAEFER & Co.

EXPECT TO ARRIVE,
Per Hawaiian Bark "Wilhelm I."
ENGLISH FANCY PRINTS,

WHITE VICTORIA LAWNS,
Black Victoria Lawns,
Dyed Silesias,
White Cotton Undershirts,
White-brown Cotton Drawers,
White brown Cotton Undershirts,
Black Cobourgs,
Black Thibet,
Black Cachemere,
A splendid Assortment of

TABLE COVERS.
New Styles and of the Latest Fashion.

Fine Black and Blue Broadcloth.

Black Silk Umbrellas.
Lubin's Extracts,
Sardines,
Raisins in 10 lb tins.
Currants, in 10 lb tins,
Shelled Almonds, in demijohns,
Pearl Sago, in demijohns,
Westphalia Hams,
Lead Pipe,
Whiting, &c., &c.

A SMALL INVOICE OF SUPERIOR
Rhine Wine (Hochheimer,)
GERMAN PALE ALE.

ALSO, ON HAND,
A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF
Goods of every description!
—Namely—
DRY GOODS,
WOOLEN GOODS,
HOSIERY,
French Dress Goods & Fancy Articles,
Silk and Velvet Ribbons,
DUNDEE HEMP CANVAS,
And Sail Twine.

Burlaps, Letter and Wrapping Paper,
Blacked Calfskins,
Lamp Chimneys, Shingle Nails.
Paints and Paint Oil,
Groceries, Hardware!
BEERS, WINES AND SPIRITS &c., &c.
All of which are offered at reasonable Prices and on most Favorable Terms.

RECEIVED
Per Hawaiian Bark "R. C. Wylie,"
FROM BREMEN.
An Assortment of
Wines, Liquors & Beers,
CONSISTING OF
Cognac, in qts. and pts.
Cognac of very Superior quality.
Holland Gin in green cases.
French Wines,
Chateau Cantemerle,
Milon Clerk,
Margeaux de Tertre.
Sherry, Cherry Cordial.
DEETJEN'S PALE ALE & PORTER,
In quarts and pints.
FOR SALE AT F. A. SCHAEFER & CO.'s.
648 2m

QUARTER BARRELS FAMILY CLEAR PORK, received per Ceylon. For sale by
648 1m I. BARTLETT.

Pure Cider Vinegar,
JUST RECEIVED PER CEYLON.—FOR sale by
(648 1m) I. BARTLETT.

English Dairy Cheese,
JUST RECEIVED PER CEYLON, IN FINE ORDER. For sale by
648 1m I. BARTLETT.

NEW GROCERIES JUST RECEIVED
Per Steamer Montana.

EXTRA FAMILY GOLDEN GATE FLOUR
Fresh Wheat Meal,
Fresh California Cherries, in tins,
Boxes Fresh Apples,
Cases California Thyme,
Bags California Potatoes, California Oats,
Fresh Onions.
For Sale at the Family Grocery and Feed Store.
648 1m By I. BARTLETT.

FOR SALE!
—BY—
L. L. TORBERT.

LINSEED OIL—HUBBUCK'S PALE BOILED—in 6 gall. drums.
Liverpool Green, in 15 lb. cases,
Paris Green, Prussian Blue,
Celestial Blue, Chrome Green,
Imperial Green, Red Paint.
Carson's Anti-Corosive Paint, in 10 lb tins,
Dry, in 100-lb. Cask.
Deep Green,
Bright Green, Chocolate,
Light Portland Stone, and black.

These are the only Paints that will stand the sun in the tropics without blistering, and are the best Paints for every description of out door work, Vessels, Iron Work, Doors, Shutters, Fences, &c.

Hubbuck's pure White Zinc, in 25-lb cans.

Copal Varnish, fine Cabinet, in 1½ gal. cans.
Glazier's Diamonds, for Sheet and Plate Glass.
Tracing Paper, 42 in., 30 in. and 18 in. wide,
Nails, all sizes, Cut and Wrought,
WALL PAPER.

ALSO, TO ARRIVE!
Per "Garstang" and "Wilhelm,"
Welch Roofing Slate, 10 by 20,
Window Glass, all sizes.
Stained Glass,
White, Red, Blue, Orange, Green, Purple and Crimson.
THE ABOVE ARE OFFERED AT VERY LOW PRICES
649 For Cash. 1m

Gunnies.
4,000 GUNNY BAGS.—JUST RECEIVED and for sale by
648 1m BOLLES & CO.

Japan Rice.
A SMALL LOT OF SUPERIOR QUALITY for sale by
(648 1m) BOLLES & CO.

Oars.
A NEW LOT OF WHALEMEN'S OARS, just received, per *CEYLON*. For sale by
648 1m BOLLES & CO.

Hams,
IN PICKLE—FOR SALE BY
648 1m BOLLES & CO.

American Beef and Pork,
IN BOND—FOR SALE BY
648 1m BOLLES & CO.

Bread in Bond.
BREAD IN WHALEMEN'S CASKS—FOR sale by
(648 1m) BOLLES & CO.

FOR SALE,
The Valuable Property in Honaunau
CONSISTING OF A LOT FRONTING on the harbor, on which is a fine Frame Store House, a Frame Dwelling House, and a large and new Halepili—one of the most desirable locations in South Kona.

—ALSO—

Three Large Kuleanas of Land,

On the Ahupuaa of Honaunau, on which are 43 bearing Orange Trees and 1000 Coffee Trees.

The above valuable property will be sold low for cash. For terms apply to
647 1m W. E. WRIGHT, Honaunau,
Or, W. C. JONES, Honolulu.

WALKER & ALLEN

Offer for Sale,
Ex "D. C. Murray,"
(Due from San Francisco, Nov. 3d.)

GOLDEN GATE EXTRA FLOUR.
Golden Gate Superfine Flour,
Pilot Bread,
Navy Bread,
Humboldt Potatoes,
California Oats,
Molasses Barrels,
Downer's Kerosine,
Ale and Porter, Brandy in Casks, Beef,
649 4c., 4c., &c. 1m

COOKING STOVES!

E. O. HALL & SON
HAVE ON HAND A NEW SUPPLY OF the highly approved
Harp Stoves,
Nos. 1, 2, 3, and also the
BAY STATE STOVE, Nos. 0 and 5,
ALSO, A FULL SUPPLY OF
THE MODEL COOK,
Nos. 2, 3, 4, all the sizes made.

THE MODEL COOK has now been before the public for five years, and thoroughly tested in all respects, and to say that no Stove yet made has given equal satisfaction is speaking within the bounds of truth, while it is no disparagement to other stoves.

The superiority of the Model Cook consists in its plan of construction, and adaptation of a means to an end, viz: to do the greatest amount of work with the smallest possible quantity of fuel. That

The Model Cook will do More Work

With a given amount of fuel than any other stove made is a fixed fact.

A novel and peculiar feature of the Model Cook is the addition of a

VENTILATED ROASTING OVEN,

So arranged that it can be used separately for roasting, or in connection with the larger oven for baking. By this arrangement the process of roasting and baking is entirely separated.

A Full Assortment of the above
Stoves will be Kept Constantly on Hand,
AND WILL BE SOLD
AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.
649 1m

CEYLON AND MONTANA!

JUST RECEIVED
BY W. N. LADD,
FROM BOSTON AND ENGLAND,
A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF
Hardware, Paints, Oils,
—AND—
A Choice Selection of Cutlery!
INCLUDING
RIM LOCKS, WEST. LOCKS.
Chest Locks, Padlocks,
Butts, T Hinges,
Blind Hinges and Fasts.
Brass and Iron Screws, asst.
Watts' Ship Adzes and Axes,
Ship Carpenters' Bevels, Rules,
Coopers' Anvils, Adzes, Rivets,
Blacksmiths' Hammers, asst. sizes.
New London Horse Nails, 5d, 6d,
Charcoal Irons, $2, $3, $4; Clothes Pins and Lines,
Garden Hose, Leather Preservative, Sponge Blacking,
Harness Oil in qts and pts, Door Mats, Foot Scrapers,
Knife, Market and Clothes Baskets—all sizes,
Grind Stones—55 to 99 lbs., Oil Stones, Scythe Stones,
Hat and Coat Hooks, Enamelled Kettles, Bake Ovens,
Charcoal Furnaces—$1, $2, $3, $4; French Sauce Pans,
Scythes and Snaths—heavy, Socket Hoes, Planters do.
Wheelbarrows assorted sizes.
Horse Brushes—leather back; Jewelers Brushes,
Scrub, Centrifugal, Dust and Crumb Brushes,
Wood Saws, Hatchets, Axes, Boys' do.
Wood and Zinc Wash Boards,
Tin Cash Boxes, Japanned Spittoons
Best Linseed Oil, White Lead, Zinc,
Litharge, Bt. Umber, Copal and Damar Varnish,
Shellac, Pru. Blue, Ch. Green, Paris Green,
Venetian Red, Yellow Ochre, Putty, Rosin.
Nails 3d to 60d, Finishing Nails assorted sizes.
Boat Nails, Iron and Copper Tacks.
Fairbanks' Grocer, Counter, Union and E. B. Scales.
Shortly Expected per Garstang,
Best Plated Table Spoons, best Plated Tea Spoons,
648 5t Best Plated Table Forks, Soup Ladles, &c.

C. BREWER & CO.

Offer for Sale
THE CARGO
—OF THE—
HAW. SHIP "IOLANI,"
TERWILLIGAR, MASTER,
Now Arrived from Boston!
CONSISTING IN PART OF

STEAM COAL. CUMBERLAND COAL.
Row Boats, Whale Boats,
Carts and Waggons, Nests Trunks,
New and Second-hand Oil Shooks,
Cotton Duck, Cotton Twine, Flax Twine,
Spirits Turpentine, bbls. Fire Clay,
Winter's Metallic Paint,
American Mess Beef,
Eastern Laid Manila Cordage,
Honolulu Spades,
Black Paint, Putty,
Kegs of Nails,
LUMBER,
Canada Shipping Boards,
Michigan Clear Plank, 1½ to 2 in.
Paper Bags, Wrapping Paper, bbls. Cement.

DRY GOODS,

Cases 4-4 Bleached Cottons, "Namasko,"
Cases 4-4 Bleached Cottons, "Langdon,"
Cases 4-4 Bleached Cottons, "Forest Dale,"
Cases 4-4 Bleached Cottons, "Turku River,"
Cases 8-4 Bleached Cottons, "Baltic,"
Cases 10-4 Bleached Cottons, "Baltic,"
Bales Amoskeag Denims,
Bales "Pearl River" Denims,
Bales "Manchester" Denims,
Bales "Powhattan" Denims,
Bales "Merrimac" Denims.
Bales "Amoskeag" Brown Drilling,
Bales "Amoskeag" A Brown Sheeting,
Bales "Edgartown" 40 in. Brown Sheeting,
Bales "Edgartown" Brown Sheeting,
Cases Allen Prints,
Cases Green Prints.

Packet Boats, Bbls. Rosendale Cement,
CONCORD WAGONS,
1 Extra built Business Buggy, and numerous other articles.

GROCERIES,

Dried Apples, Cheese, Corn Starch,
Chocolate, Cod Fish, Mackerel,
Cider Vinegar, Card Matches,
Cases Lemon Syrup,
Cases Tomato Ketchup,
Cases Sage, in glass,
Cases Ginger, in glass,
Cases Summer Savory, in glass,
Cases Pepper, in glass,
Cases Pepper Sauce,
Cases Lobsters, 2 lb tins,
Cases Lobsters, 1 lb tins,
Cases Quohaugs, 2 lb tins,
Cs Quohaugs, 1 lb tins.
SALERATUS IN BOXES, TIERCES HAMS IN BRINE,
Cases Lard, in 10 lb. Tins,
Chopping Trays, Wash Boards,
Sieves, (649 2m) Market Baskets.

Cheap! Cheaper! Cheapest!

WHALEMEN'S SLOPS!

THE ONLY HOUSE IN HONOLULU
WHICH HAS THE
Largest and best Selected Stock
ADAPTED FOR
Merchants and Whalemen,
IN THE LINE OF
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING,
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,
Boots and Shoes, Hats,
AND AN ENDLESS ASSORTMENT OF
Whalemen's Slops.

We Call the Attention of the Public at Large, and particularly the
MASTERS OF WHALE SHIPS!
—TO—
Our Extremely Low Prices,
AND TO BE CONVINCED,
PLEASE CALL AT OUR OLD STAND.

HYMAN BROS.,
Capt. Snow's Building, Merchant Street,
648 HONOLULU. 3m

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing under the firm of *AHANA & APO*, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts will be settled and all outstanding claims collected by Ahana, who will continue the business for his own account. AHANA,
648 2t APO.

THE PACIFIC
Commercial Advertiser.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7.

NOTES OF THE WEEK.

PUNAHOU COLLEGE.—This, which may be called our best, as it is our oldest literary institution, appears to be in a prosperous condition, having now nearly seventy pupils of both sexes, mostly white children, with a few half castes and pure Hawaiians. In the school, we find a Chinese, Japanese and Russian, and one lad from California. The Japanese is the interpreter, who accompanied the coolies from Japan, and who is receiving an education at the expense of the Hawaiian Government. We notice by one of our exchanges that there are five Japanese students at the Monson, (Mass.,) Academy. The paper refers to them in the following item:

"They find it a good deal of difficulty in speaking English, but have learned to read it with some facility, and manifestly understand what they read. They are very fond of studying the Bible and comparing Christianity with the philosophy of Confucius, in which they are thoroughly grounded. All points of dissimilarity they consider and weigh with the deepest interest, and the man who discusses religion or philosophy with them will be asked some very knotty questions, and the questioners will not put up with any halfway answers either. Evidently they are philosophic thinkers. Two of the oldest of them, men of high rank at home, recently received a letter from their prince, stating that on account of the troublous condition of the country he would probably be compelled to call them back to Japan, so as to get the advantage of their counsel. Since this intelligence they have applied themselves to Bible study with even greater assiduity, as the opportunities they now have for doing so will be deprived them in Japan."

The Chinese is the son of one of our merchants, and the Russian recently arrived from Sitka in the bark *Peru*. The College is certainly doing good service, though it could be more useful had it more abundant means. Among the recent additions we notice a very fine piano received by the *Ceylon*, from the famous establishment of Chickering in Boston.

THE FIRE EXTINGUISHER—was tried again, on the Esplanade on Tuesday last, agreeably to notice, and gave, if possible, even more satisfaction than at the previous trial. A larger pile of tar barrels, saturated with kerosene oil, was used, and the fire was considerably greater, but it was extinguished with an ease that satisfied every one that the invention is no humbug. The two machines received by the *Ceylon* have been taken by the fire department, and will be kept for public use. Messrs. Brewer & Co., offer to furnish any number that may be required by merchants or others. Every public building, and every large store ought to be provided with this cheap and ever ready safeguard against fire, which can be operated at a moment's notice and by almost any one.

CHOICE GROCERIES.—The recent arrivals from home ports have filled the stores of our grocerymen, with as fine a display of fresh eatables as has ever been seen in Honolulu. Goods for this market are generally put up in European and Eastern American ports with more special care than for other places, and as a consequence arrive in better condition. We would particularly call the attention of shipmasters and house keepers to the full advertisements of I. Bartlett, H. May, and H. McIntyre & Brother, who are prepared to supply all that any appetites can crave, and we can vouch for the quality of the articles they offer.

EARTHQUAKES AT SEA.—The ship *Broughton*, which arrived at San Francisco in September, reports having felt earthquakes on her passage from Glasgow to that port, when about 1500 miles east of this group, and midway between it and the Mexican coast. The following is his report as appears in the *Times:*

On September 11th, in lat. 20.15 north, lon. 123.23 west, the vessel encountered a shock of earthquake. Again, on September 18th, in lat. 30.21 north, and lon. 123 west, the officers and crew felt a trembling, as if the vessel had grounded, and at ten o'clock the same night a fog arose, being clear overhead, accompanied with a smell of fire. This continued all night. At nine A. M., September 19, the fog cleared off, but the smell continued some time after. Again, in lat. 34.23 north, lon. 131.42 west, the air had the same smell as of fire. The weather was clear at the time, with a heavy sea running.

ELECTION DAY.—Tuesday last, November 3d, was the day of Presidential Election in the United States. Nobody thought of having a vote taken here till about noon, when a ballot box was prepared and put up in Richards & Company's store. It was kept open for twenty-four hours, closing at 12 o'clock on the 4th, when the votes were counted as follows:

Grant and Colfax	121
Seymour and Blair	6
Dr. J. Mott Smith and Capt. Gibson	1

If the Republicans have done their duty as nobly in the States, as they did in Honolulu, Grant is elected for the next four years. There is no doubt of the result.

SHADE TREES.—We are pleased to observe the efforts made in various quarters to plant shade trees in the streets. As a general thing, if planted just inside the fence, they will, when grown, shade the sidewalk sufficiently, and are reared with much less trouble than in our narrow streets. The monkey-pod or samang tree, grows so rapidly and is such a wide-spreading tree, that on these accounts it is preferable to other kinds. We have never heard any complaints made against it, and should like to see it line every avenue leading out of the city. There is no better time for starting trees than now.

THE PRISONERS.—Between fifty and sixty of the rebel prisoners, brought down from Kona, have been bound out to service as laborers on plantations and elsewhere. They shipped voluntarily, and both men and women are to receive the wages usually paid to farm laborers. They engaged with the understanding that they are to appear for trial in May next, if called for. The remainder of the gang, some twelve or fifteen, are held as principals in the murders committed, and will be confined until their trial.

A HEAVY IMPORTATION.—The *Gazette* reports this week that the schooner *Favorite* brought from Victoria, *forty-four and three quarter millions* of shingles. Considering that the schooner is only about one hundred tons burthen, this is an enormous cargo, and threatens to drive regular dealers out of the market. A wag suggests that it may be the intention to shingle over all Honolulu against the next Kona storm; if so the stock will barely meet the demand, and leave an easy market.

☞ By a a Boston paper at hand by the last mail we observe that General James F. B. Marshall, formerly Paymaster General of the State of Massachusetts has become associated with Mr. D. A. Alden, under the name and style of D. A. Alden & Company. These gentlemen have become General Agents for the New England States of the North-Western Mutual Life Insurance Company, with their office at No. 15 Pemberton square, Boston.

DOES THE MOON INFLUENCE THE WEATHER?—Most sailors think it does, and in this belief a meteorologist agrees with them, according to the following:

Professor Elias Loomis read a paper upon the "Influence of the Moon upon the Weather," before the American Association for the Advancement of Science, at Chicago, and at its close exhibited a table of results which he had deduced from seven years' observations. He drew the conclusion that the moon did affect the weather, and maintained, in direct opposition to Professor Herschel, that the moon just before its full influenced the weather towards cloudiness rather than clearness, and followed the same law as the sun.

☞ While the ship *Benj. Cummings* was on the passage from rather a poor cruise in the Ochotsk, she luckily fell in with a large school of sperm whales spouting in latitude 24, and due north of Hawaii. Three boats were lowered, and each captured one, the whole making ninety barrels. Sperm whales are frequently met around this group, and are worth stopping to pick up.

☞ On Saturday last, October 31st, a fore and aft schooner, of about 175 tons, passed the port under a press of canvass, traveling along at a rate which showed that she could not afford to stop and report herself. She was probably from San Francisco bound to Japan or China.

☞ A letter from Hilo, dated the 24, reports that the crater of Kilauea is again quite active, and the reflection at night brilliant. No earthquakes are felt at Hilo, and only an occasional one in Kau.

☞ The weather since Tuesday has been calm and uncomfortably warm. On Tuesday and Wednesday it rained hard. The absence of the trades, and the prevalence of variable winds are usual at this season. Last night the south wind set in, promising more rain.

☞ A fire alarm was given on Monday forenoon last, but it proved to be a small fire, which was put out with a bucket of water.

THOSE COOLIE PIRATES.—By the schooner *J. H. Roscoe*, from Hakodadi, Japan, we learn that the bark *Cayaltil*, referred to in last week's paper, and which was captured by the coolies off Callao, arrived at Hakodadi, while the schooner was there, having been successfully navigated into port from the Ochotsk Sea, where she was seen by the whalers. When she arrived, there were only forty-two out of the fifty original coolies left on board, and the bark was almost a wreck, with no sails left. The American Consul made complaint, and claimed possession of the vessel, while the Chinese were taken possession of by the Japanese authorities and placed in confinement. Letters were then sent to different ports in China inquiring if anything was known of the vessel. In the mean time, the pirates were spending their money very freely, and will probably make way with most of the twenty thousand dollars they stole. The owner is expected here in the whale-bark *Sea Breeze*, and has only to proceed to San Francisco, and thence to Japan, to claim both the bark and coolies as his property. The whole forms rather a checkered adventure, and when fully written out will prove among the most remarkable piracies on record.

A GOOD CHANGE.—A late *Bulletin* says: "The Labor Exchange has won the first fight with the sailors' boarding-house men, and a ship has obtained her complement of men mostly from the Exchange, and all of them against the wishes of the boarding-house people. The result is a saving of several hundred dollars to the owners of the vessel besides all the advantage to the sailors. In the first place, the crew had the pleasure of going on board sober, with a decent kit, instead of drunk with a few worthless slops. Secondly, they had the advantage of handling and expending their own advance money, instead of its all going into the clutches of their old taskmasters. The battle, however, is not over, but only beginning, and this is merely the first skirmish. Ship captains and ship owners may expect further trouble before the trade of shipping seamen is freed; but it can be accomplished."

ALL FRESH AND NEW.—The Rifles have had a new undress uniform recently prepared, which is now completed and ready for use. It consists of brown Holland, trimmed with green, and exceedingly appropriate for our climate. The custom of burdening soldiers with heavy woolen uniforms is not the thing for hot weather—linen is much better and healthier.

THE NEXT MAIL.—The *Idaho* is due on Monday next with the American and European mails of October 1st. She will leave again on Saturday next, the 14th, arriving at San Francisco on the 28th, in time to connect with the Panama steamer, leaving on the 30th. Letters by her will reach New York, overland, December 15th, 31 days from Honolulu, and passengers, via Panama, December 20th, 36 days from Honolulu.

☞ Strangers and others, in search of fun, should not forget that Martin the wizard holds forth to-night at the Theatre, and promises new attractions at each performance. The wonderful spectacle of the "floating head" will be exhibited to-night. Don't fail to see it.

LIBERAL PAY.—The crew of the bark *Peru* were yesterday paid off ten thousand dollars in gold, as their season's earnings. This does not include the pay of the officers and others engaged on the island in sealing, which amounts to a much larger sum.

☞ We would specially thank those captains who have taken the pains to prepare and hand in the full reports of their voyage. No news that we publish is more eagerly read by those interested in whaling than these reports.

☞ The Boston *Post* says a sailor's definition of a comet would be "a star sprung a-leak." That may be a merchant sailor's idea; but a whaleman would hail a comet with "thar she blows."

SCHOONER AT AUCTION.—The schooner *Mary* of Hilo will be sold to-day by C. S. Bartow, Esq.

LAND AT AUCTION.—On Monday, Mr. Bartow will sell eighteen acres of taro land situated in Ewa.

The Washington Letter Again.

MR. EDITOR:—The oracle has spoken. The Government organ of the 28th of October, brings up its heaviest batteries to reply to the able letter published in the San Francisco *Bulletin*, and the effect is only comparable to the sound of a Chinese gong, answering to the sharp crack of a Chassepot rifle.

The sapient writer, from his lofty pedestal of unimpeachable virtue, finds something underhanded in a letter addressed to "whom it may concern" and published in a public newspaper, in which the writer expresses views openly held and frequently stated by himself in this community, draws conclusions from facts not at all disproved, conclusions which may or not be wisely drawn, but at least are not logically controverted.

For thus giving publicity to political opinions a writer is taken to task for plotting against the interests of the community. This charge derives its chief interest as coming from the pen of one whose machinations in the conspiracy of 1864 resulted in the worst blow the interests of this Kingdom ever received from human ingenuity.

The doctrine that any one who criticises the Government or its officers is a "common enemy" has long been held in the Government offices, though not so commonly believed in outside those retreats of perfect wisdom.

And who is this that invites his fellow citizens to frown upon a "malicious detractor?" whose high (?) sense of honor receives so painful a shock; can he have known aught of certain oaths violated, of underhanded and malicious detraction of others to obtain their positions; can it be a perfect saint whom the sugar interest would prematurely canonize because, forsooth, he worked for a time in the questionable character of a lobbyist at Washington in their interest?

Shall all recollections of the intrigues and plots which signalized the early part of the present reign, (which found their chief opponent in the writer thus arraigned in his answer at the bar of that public opinion to which he imparted its best tone)—shall all these recollections be lulled to rest by siren song of treaty? Can a few months in the lobbies at Washington purify and make beatific a character formerly considered only as remarkable for unprincipled efforts of self aggrandizement? If so, let us bow to this would-be censor of his political opponents and accept the doctrine that criticism is malignant treason and needs no argument to disprove its conclusions.

Who doubts but that the present Government is a petty despotism? Think back to the January elections and refresh your memories. Who doubts the desire at least to suppress free discussion? Read the convention record when in the first flush of perjured begotten power these conspirators made no secret of their wishes. Is there a denial of the abrogation of constitutions? Can any government who acknowledges no constitution or compact binding be other than an incubus upon a nation? The fact is generally acknowledged and is ably expressed in the editorial of the *Bulletin*, that any independent government here is a bar to progress and an incubus to the prosperity of the islands; but it is also felt, and properly perhaps, by some that such progress is not fairly earned when made at the expense of existing rights. This feeling however does not change the fact.

The allusions of the Government writer to what the Government are doing for the schools, can only mislead those abroad who are unfamiliar with the persistent efforts of the Government for some years to force the people into patronizing a system of education repugnant to them, a system which has forced the majority of the people to support independent schools while taxed to sustain a system which is odious to them, or with the artifice of the Ministers in the last Legislature to get some of their measures through by supporting a bill to correct some of these evils while advising His Majesty to veto it.

But to quote this apostolic editorial, "how shall those who have not lived among us" know how false these assumptions are if not apprised by those whose love of truth and hatred of petty despotism is above their desire of gain? Who can grasp and appreciate the idea of a "broader and more benignant policy" than will ever dawn upon the narrow minds of those who now stalk upon the little stage of Hawaiian politics and imagine that after them the deluge?

Doubtless the high character of the writer of the letter gave it some weight, but after all it derived its greatest force from the fact that its allegations were matters of history. When the constitution was abrogated, the opponents of the Ministry predicted that such an act would injure the reputation of the Government abroad, and especially with the friends of liberty and progress; and if the Goverament in this attempt to open a path of prosperity for the nation, found itself defeated because of its own wrong doing, they need not vent their spleen upon those who expose them, but regard it as the natural consequence of their course. For the United States to do anything to perpetuate a Government founded upon an act like the abrogation of the constitution of 1852, seems to many Americans wrong and unworthy the intelligence of that people, however unwise they may be. Those holding such views will make them felt, and if the foreign capitalists, especially those interested in the sugar interest, find that its interests are "jeopardized" by such acts, perhaps they may in future learn that they who quietly acquiesce in evil-doing may suffer with others in the results.

The irreverent and irrelevant closing of this overflow of Ministerial superciliousness, was a fitting close to an editorial remarkable even in the columns of that paper, for unblushing arrogance and assumption.

American Summary.

The Union Pacific Railroad is finished to Green river. Passenger trains will commence running there next week.

CHICAGO, Oct. 4.—Senator Cole arrived at Council Bluffs yesterday, making the trip from Sacramento in nine days.

It is said that there is a colored population on the Pacific coast of 15,000, with thirteen prosperous African M. E. Churches already established.

New York has a population 200,000 greater than Philadelphia, and 50,000 less dwellings.

A female burglar has been arrested in Orleans county, N. Y., armed with revolver and bowie-knife.

A farmer in Oneida raised seven thousand quarts of strawberries on a single acre this year.

The Russian Grand Duke who is coming to America is eighteen years old, and is the third son of the Emperor.

Last year 1,000,000 pounds beet sugar were made from 600 acres of beets, at Chatsworth, Illinois.

Miss Garcia, of Havana, stopping at the Union Hotel, Saratoga, wears diamonds valued at over $100,000.

The travel to the White Mountains is greater this year than ever before, although the weather has been bad—rain most of the time, and one day snow.

The Republicans of the Fifth District of Massachusetts nominated Benjamin F. Butler to Congress. He received one hundred and seventy-five votes; four scattering. The nomination was subsequently made un