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BY E. P. ADAMS.

AUCTION!

Tuesday, August 15, at 12 M.

AT SALESROOM.

3 OPEN BUGGIES, 1 TOP BUGGY,

Sets of Single and Double

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BY ORDER OF

Messrs. H. Hackfeld & Co.,

I WILL HOLD A

CREDIT AUCTION SALE

.... AT ....

THEIR STORE

—ON—

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY

..... AND .....

FRIDAY,

Aug. 16th, 17th and 18th, commencing at 10 a m Each Day, and will offer

Their Stock

—OF—

New Goods

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Per Late Arrivals,

— COMPRISING —

The Largest Assortment

—OF—

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Of Every Description, including

Prints, Dress Goods, Silks,

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Liquors—Brandy, Gin, Beer, Wines, etc.
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Bags—Sugar, Rice, Coal and Gunny, Burlaps
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Perfumery and Jewelry.
Groceries—Sardines, Biscuits, Med. Bread, Fancy Crackers. Also,
Cement, Corks, Wash Blue. Blue Mottled Soap, Candles. Olive Oil, &c.

au12 wlt-16 dlt E. P. ADAMS, Auctioneer.

Executors' Sale of REAL ESTATE.

By order of Messrs. John Ena and T. R. Foster, Executors of the Estate of J. Fraser, deceased, I will sell at Public Auction,

ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 19th,

At 12 M., at Sales Room, if not previously disposed of at private sale, that certain

PIECE or PARCEL of LAND,

— WITH THE —

Buildings Thereon,

situated on Punchbowl street, Honolulu, nearly opposite the entrance to the Queen's Hospital, and belonging to the Estate of said J. Fraser, deceased,

Containing an Area of about 1-3 of an Acre

The House has a Parlor, Sitting Room, Dining Room, Two Bedrooms, Dressing Room, Bath Room and Pantry. There are also a Kitchen and a Stable.

☞ Deeds at the expense of Purchaser.

au5 3t E. P. ADAMS, Auc'tr.

Mortgagee's Notice OF SALE!

By Direction of Antone Levaro,

The mortgagee named in a certain Indenture of Mortgage dated February 5th 1879, made by W. Thomas Martin to the said Antone Levaro, I am instructed

To Sell at Public Auction

— ON —

SATURDAY AUG. 19th, 1882,

At 12 M., at my Salesroom in Honolulu,

All that certain Piece or Parcel of Land,

Situate on Kau, Island of Hawaii, known as the land of

KIOLOKAA!

More particularly described in Royal Patent No. 3219 and containing an area 1290 acres. And also,

All that Certain Piece of Land,

Situate in said KIOLOKAA, more particularly described in Royal Patent No. 898, containg 60 acres, and being the same conveyed to said W. Tomas Martin, by the Administrator of the Estate of Kaulia, by deed dated March 25th, 1879, of record in Liber 56, on page 372.

☞ For further particulars inquire of

E. P. ADAMS Auct'r.

Or CECIL BROWN, for Mortgagee.

FOR SALE AT AUCTION

.... AN ....

ARTESIAN WELL BORING APPARATUS

— ON —

THURSDAY, AUGUST 24th,

The undersigned will sell at Public Auction, at 12 noon, at Salesroom, by order of the Artesian Well Boring Company,

COMPLETE APPARATUS

IN EXCELLENT ORDER.

This Apparatus has been recently overhauled at a large expense, and has

COST OVER $4,000.

A full List of the Tools, Rope, &c., can be seen at the Auction Room, or at the Office of Messrs. G. W. Macfarlane & Co., where all particulars may be learned. The Apparatus itself can be seen on the open space between Mr. West's Shop and the Hon. H. A. Widemann's Store on Queen Street.

Terms Cash--Sale Positive.

Also, separate, a lot of

PIPE FOR WELLS.

E. P. ADAMS, Auctioneer.

Honolulu, August 12, 1882. au12 wtf

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For freight or passage apply to

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FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE FIRST-CLASS STEAMSHIP

"SUEZ,"

DODD, Master.

Will leave Honolulu for San Francisco

TUESDAY, AUGUST 22nd, at 2 p.m.

For Freight or Passage apply to

Wm. G. Irwin & Co., Agents

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SCHR EMMA WILL LEAVE Honolulu every TUESDAY at 4 p. m. for

Waialua & Waianae,

Returning Saturdays. For Freight or Passage, having superior cabin accommodations, apply to

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A. FRANK COOKE,

OFFICE,

CORNER NUUANU & QUEEN STREETS.

HONOLULU, H. I.

AGENT FOR

The Following Packets

WAILELE, WAIOLI,
WAIEHU, WAIMALU,
MALOLO, KALUNA,
MANA, JULIA,
KA MOI, GEN. SIEGEL.

FLAG:--Red, with White Ball!

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TIME TABLE

STEAMER LIKELIKE

KING, Master.

Steamer Likelike will leave Honolulu each Tuesday a 4 P. M., touching at Lahaina, Maalaea Bay, Makena, Mahukona, Kawaihae, Laupahoehoe and Hilo.

Returning will touch at all the above ports, arriving at Honolulu each Sunday A. M.

No Credit for Passage Money.

We positively refuse to open accounts for Passages, and we particularly call the attention of the traveling public to the necessity of having Baggage and Freight PLAINLY MARKED; the Steamer will not be responsible for any unmarked Baggage, or for Freight or Parcels, unless RECEIPTED FOR.

Freight Money Due on Demand.

In all cases of Freight for parties not responsible or unknown, the Freight Money will be required in advance.

Packages of Liquors and Wines Must Be Plainly Marked

For the party whom they are for, or plainly stated in the Receipt to whom they are consigned.

All demands for damage or loss must be made within one month.

In no way liable for loss or accident to Live Stock.

☞ Hack Drivers, Boys and such like, will not be allowed on board the steamer on arrival, until after passengers have been landed.

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STM. LIKELIKE

THE LIKELIKE WILL LEAVE HER WHARF at P. M., and NO Freight will be received after 3 P. M. Due notice is given of this rule, and it will be carried out (my1) WILDER & CO.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY

For San Francisco.

THE SPLENDID STEAMSHIP

"AUSTRALIA,"

CARGILL, Commander.

Will LEAVE HONOLULU FOR SAN FRANCISCO ON OR ABOUT AUG. 28.

FOR SYDNEY VIA AUCKLAND!

THE SPLENDID STEAMSHIP

CITY OF SYDNEY,

DEARBORN, Commander.

WILL LEAVE FOR THE COLONIES ON OR ABOUT SEPTEMBER 3.

For Freight and Passage, apply to

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Goods for Shipment per Steamer can now be Stored, Free of Charge, in the Fire-proof Warehouse near the Steamer Wharf. mar 4

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STEAMER SUEZ

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VERNON H. BROWN & CO.,
mar4 4 Bowling Green, New York.

BY AUTHORITY.

Sale of Lease of Government Land.

ON WEDNESDAY, September 13th prox., at the front entrance of Aliolani Hale, at 12 o'clock noon, will be SOLD at Public Auction the Lease of a Lot in front of the CUSTOM HOUSE, on the ESPLANADE, HONOLULU, running 200 feet frontage on Fort-street, and 100 feet in depth, with this condition:

The LESSEE to erect within one year from date of lease a substantial fire-proof brick or stone building, costing not less than $15,000 which he is to keep in repair, and revert to the Government at the expiration of the lease.

TERMS: Lease, 25 years; upset price, $500 per annum, payable semi-annually in advance.

J. E. BUSH, Minister of Interior.

Department of Interior, Honolulu, 10th August, 1882. aug12 5t

MR. MALCOLM BROWN has, this day, been appointed Deputy Registrar of Conveyances for the Hawaiian Islands, with authority to certify acknowledgements to instruments, vice Mr. Godfrey Brown, resigned.

THOMAS BROWN, Registrar of Conveyances.

Approved:

SIMON K. KAAI, Minister of the Interior.

Registrar's Office, August 1, 1882. aug12 tf

IT has pleased His Majesty the King to appoint His Excellency John E. Bush Minister of Interior, vice His Excellency Simon K. Kaai resigned

IT has pleased His Majesty the King to appoint His Excellency Simon K. Kaai Minister of Finance, vice His Excellency John E Bush resigned.

Iolani Palace, August 8, 1882. Aug9-3td.

THE Government Pound for estrays, formerly located at Kaupakuea, Hilo, Island of Hawaii, has been removed to Kuhua, in the same district, some two miles distant from the former location.

SIMON K. KAAI, Minister of Interior.

Interior Office, August 1st, 1882. 3t

FROM and after this date, all Fees and other Charges levied upon Produce or Conveyances of Produce, delivered at the Honolulu Fish Market, by land or by water, are abolished.

SIMON K. KAAI, Minister of Interior.

Interior Office, July 27th, 1882. au5 3t

MR. JOHN STUPPLEBEEN has been appointed Collector and Boarding Officer for the Port of Kawaihae, Hawaii, vice C. E. Stackpole resigned.

W. F. ALLEN, Collector-General.

Approved:

JNO. E. BUSH, Minister of Finance.

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MR. A. KU has this day been appointed an Agent for the taking and certifying the Acknowledgments to Instruments for Koolaupoko, Oahu.

THOMAS BROWN, Registrar of Conveyances.

Approved:

SIMON KAAI, Minister of the Interior.

Registrar's Office, July 27, 1882. jy29 3t

MR. A. KU has this day been appointed Agent to take Acknowledgements to Labor Contracts for the District of Koolaupoko, Oahu.

SIMON KAAI, Minister of the Interior.

Interior Office, July 27, 1882. jy29 3t

IT has pleased His Majesty the King to appoint Their Excellencies Walter Murray Gibson and Edward Preston, Commissioners of Crown Lands vice the Honorables W. N. Armstrong and J. S. Walker resigned.

Iolani Palace, July 21st, 1882.

Board of Health Notice.

The Board of Health having received information of many cases of Small-pox being introduced into the Port of San Francisco, and the disease, although subject to close restriction, might possibly get beyond the Quarantine limits; therefore, the Board deemed it their duty to enjoin upon the Port Physician of Honolulu to exercise the utmost vigilance in respect to all vessels coming from the Port of San Francisco; as it has occurred, as in the case of the "Australia," that a vessel from that Port having reported a clean bill of health, had, however, cases of of small-pox on board. However, the Board having further assurances that the cases of small-pox that have entered the Port of San Francisco have been confined strictly within Quarantine limits, make known the following order:

"The Port Physician will go in company with the Pilot to board any steamer arriving from the Port of San Francisco, and make a medical examination of passengers and crew, and should there be no evidence of contagious disease, passengers may land without being subject to further Quarantine surveillance."

Sailing vessels will be subject to the usual regulation, and having reported to the Pilot a clean bill of health, will not be boarded by the Port Physician.

FRED. H. HAYSELDEN,
Secretary Board of Health.

Honolulu, July 14, 1882.

Licenses Expiring in August, 1882.

Retail—Oahu.

2	Ah Soon, Waikane, Koolaupoko	Honolulu
3	Wong Gee, Pawaa, King street,	"
4	W H Place, Maunakea street,	"
5	A F Cooke, cor Queen and Nuuanu streets,	"
6	Moses Mahelona, Waianae	
8	Chas E Henson, Hotel street,	"
12	John Leal, King street,	"
13	A Insel, King street,	"
16	W E Foster, Fort street,	"
17	Ong Goon Gee, cor King and Maunakea sts,	"
18	Cho Wing & Co, Nuuanu street.	"
19	Afo, Pauoa, Kona,	"
22	Sun Cheong Leong & Co, Heela, Koolaupoko	"
25	A W Peirce & Co, Queen street,	"
31	S Magnin, Fort street,	"

Retail—Hawaii.

1 Asiu, Mahukona
1 Aki, Punaluu, Kau,
4 J C Ayong, Hawi, Kohala
10 F D A Marquez, Honuapo, Kau
10 C Afong, Pepeekeo, Hilo
15 Kwong Chong, Piihonua, Kohala
15 Con Hing, Paauhau, Hamakua
16 Ah Qui, Napoopoo, South Kona
18 Amana, Kukuihaele, Hamakua
20 San Hop Sing, Naalehu, Kau
21 Akim, Pauwela, Hamakua
22 Awo, North Kona
22 Lei On, Pueo, Hilo
22 Kwong Tai Lung, Kaiophi, North Kohala
23 G Awana, Waimea
28 Estate W H Reed, Hilo
29 Mrs Eugenie Briggs, Honokaa, Hamakua
30 J Wight, Halawa, Kohala

Retail—Maui.

1 Leong Afat, Wailuku
2 C A Hons, Waihee
2 Quong Fong, Paia, Makawao
2 G Ahsee, Kula, Makawao
30 Ahulii, Kaupo, Hana

Retail—Kauai.

15 A Dreier, Eleele, Koloa
23 Gee Wo, Hanalei

Victualing.

8 Ahuna, Wailuku, Maui
12 Atsi, Hilo, Hawaii
22 Akim, Pauwela, Hamakua, Hawaii
22 Ah Chong, North Kohala, Hawaii
22 Ah Foo, North Kohala, Hawaii
23 Kwong Tai Lung, Kaiophi, North Kohala, Hawaii
23 Yee Sung, Punahoa, Hilo, Hawaii
25 Sun Cheong Leong & Co, Heela, Koolaupoko, Oahu
35 Mrs Adele Dejean, Hotel street, Honolulu
29 Asee, Lahaina, Maui

Wholesale.

10 Hollister & Co, Nuuanu street. Honolulu
21 On Chong & Co, Nuuanu street, "
25 A W Peirce & Co, Queen street, "
30 W L Green, Queen street, "

Butcher.

4 N Perry, Fish Market, Honolulu
5 G W C Jones, Kau, Hawaii
7 J R Sylva, Fish Market, Honolulu
16 Pomaikai, Waihee, Maui
18 John Bell, North Kohala, Hawaii

Billiards.

11 Hart Bros, Nuuanu street, Honolulu
12 J Like, Punahoa, Hilo, Hawaii
14 N W Aluli & G K Kepoikai, Kahului, Maui

Fire Arms.

12 Wong Muk Chee, Kona, Oahu
30 H K Hyde, Kona, Oahu
30 Jas Torbert, Kona, Oahu

Retail Spirit.

22 J S Lemon, (Commercial) Honolulu
22 H Bradley, (Keystone) "

Jobbing Spirit.

2 Macfarlane & Co, Kaahumanu street, Honolulu

Cake Peddling.

3 Ah Sin, Honolulu, Oahu
19 Aka, Waialua, Oahu

Peddling.

15 Thos Jefferson, Kingdom

Pork Butcher.

11 Sing Wo, Hotel street, Honolulu

Auction.

8 D Moa, Hamakua, Hawaii

Salmon.

22 Kauai, Waialua, Oahu

Rev. Walter Frear, for many years pastor of Fort Street Church, in this city, has accepted a call from the Second Congregational Church, at West Oakland. His labors there were to begin last Sunday.

Reception at Aliiolani Hale.

On Friday the 11th instant at 11 o'clock A. M., His Majesty the King received Mr. F. A. Schaefer, H. I. M. Consul, who presented to His Majesty Captain Federico Labrano, Commanding H. I. M. S. *Christoforo Colombo*. Captain Labrano then presented the following officers: Lieutenants De Gregoris, Buono and Pinchia; Paymaster Squillace; Doctor Calcagno; Chief Engineer De Griffi; Sub-Lieutenants Patris and Scotti; Midshipman Guarienti.

His Majesty was attended by His Excellency Walter Murray Gibson, Minister of Foreign Affairs, Colonel, the Honorable Charles H. Judd, H. M. Chamberlain, and Staff Officers Colonels C. P. Iaukea, J. H. Boyd and Major C. T. Gulick.

HIS MAJESTY the King has received from General Guzman Blanco, the President of Venezuela the Order of the Bust of the Liberator, as set forth in the following letter:

CARACAS, Abril 15 de 1882.

MINISTRO DE RELACIONES EXTERIORES.

Excmo Senor:—El Presidente de los Estados Unidos de Venezuela ha tenido á bien condecorar con el Busto de El Liberador en la primera clase de la órden á V. E.; y espera que sabrá apreciar en todo su valor una distincion con que la República honra y premia los grandes servicios, el merito relevante.

Adjunto envio á V. E. el deploma correspondiente y un ejemplar de las disposiciones legales sobre la órden.

RAFAEL SEIJAS.

A. S. M. Kalakaua,
Rei de Haway.

[TRANSLATION.]

CARACAS, April 15, 1882.

OFFICE OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

Sire:—The President of the United States of Venezuela, presents to Your Majesty the decoration of the Order of the Bust of the Liberator, First Class; and he trusts that you will appreciate fully a mark of distinction by which the Republic honors and rewards great services and eminent merit.

Accompanying this I send the confirmatory diploma, as also a copy of the regulations of the Order.

I present to Your Majesty the assurance of my very exalted consideration.

RAFAEL SEIJAS,
Minister of Foreign Affairs.

To His Majesty Kalakaua,
King of Hawaii. aug12 3t

THE PACIFIC

Commercial Advertiser.

SATURDAY ..... AUGUST 12, 1882.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

THE bark D. C. Murray sails for San Francisco at noon to-day.

THERE are a few more seats for sale for the concert this evening at the Music Hall.

HIS EXCELLENCY J. O. DOMINIS returned to town on the Lehua yesterday from a visit to Lahaina. We are happy to see he is much improved in health.

AMONGST the numerous passengers who left for windward ports by the Likelike, was Mr. A. T. Atkinson, who goes to enjoy a well earned vacation.

THE Chinese Commissioner, An Yeang Ming, went to Kauai yesterday in the C. R. Bishop, on an inspection tour amongst his countrymen.

THE Italian sloop-of-war Cristoforo Colombo hauled alongside the wharf on Thursday to take in coal. A number of her crew were ashore on liberty and presented a very neat appearance.

SAM'L NOTT has imported some instruments that look like 14th Century battle-maces on a small scale, "for which" as he remarked, "there should be a large demand here, as they are used to pound tough beef steaks with, to make them tender."

MR. FRANK COOKE'S little schooner, the Moi Keiki, 23 tons burthren went on a trial trip yesterday afternoon to beyond Diamond Head. She behaved in a seaworthy manner, and gave much satisfaction to all who witnessed her evolutions. The Moi Keiki's frame was built at Waialua, and the vessel completed here.

THE Amateur Musical Society give a concert in the Music Hall this evening. As the special object of the concert is to put the society's funds into good condition every one who can go ought to go. Societies which provide entertainment for the public of this city deserve every encouragement.

As most of the sugar plantations are now overhauling the machinery between crops, their attention is called to Wm. G. Irwin & Co.'s advertisement, in to-day's paper, of the celebrated "Reed Steam Packing" for covering steam pipes and boilers. It is said to be one of the best non-conductors of heat known and has the advantage of being put on or taken off as convenience may require.

A GROUP of furious riders came along Hotel street on Wednesday night, and fell straight into the hands of the police. The Deputy-Marshal and Officer McKeague were going home at the time, and made a very efficient capture of the party. They were all Norwegians, and among them was a young woman who confessed that it was the first time she had ever been on horseback, and was of opinion that it would be the last. The men pleaded guilty next day, and paid their fines. The ringleader of the party is a servant of Judge McCulley's, whose saddle horse he appears to have thus "put in training" without leave.

THE Chief-Engineer of the Fire Department has arranged to have one of the steam fire engines take water from Dr. McGrew's artesian well this afternoon, at 4 o'clock, and if, as is hoped, the supply of water is sufficient, attachments will be made to the well so as to enable the Department to get water on Alakea Street and in front of the Hotel. It is to hoped that this plan will work well, as, in such a case the owners of like wells in around Honolulu can arrange to have an available supply ready in all cases of fire.

A MEETING of the Organizing Committee of the Agricultural Society was held Thursday afternoon, and arrangements were made for the early issue of a prospectus and call of a general meeting of those who wish to become members of the Society. It was decided, amongst other things, to recommend that the Annual Show of the Society be held in the month of June of each year; also that flowers, fruits, etc., should be included among the exhibits, there being no special Society here to promote horticultural pursuits.

THESE clear moonless nights are favorable to star-gazers. Venus shines with a magnificent lustre, as do the many beautiful constellations visible in this latitude. It is about the time when the earth should pass through the group of bodies that form the "August shower" of meteors, which, though not so brilliant or many as may be expected in November, are well worth looking out for, especially if one has a fair companion in whose eyes to see a duplicate of the brightest stars that shine.

AT 2 o'clock on Thursday morning a call of "haul in" was heard from the servant's yard of Hon. C. R. Bishop's premises in King street. A policeman, answering the call, caught a man who was running out of the yard, and who was immediately identified by a woman who lives in the yard. He had got into her house through the window, and attempted to get into her bed. A solitary couch has been provided for him at the gaol for fifteen nights to come, and he will be given a little wholesome work to do in the daytime for the benefit of his adopted country. This was the only case on the police charge sheet yesterday.

THE Italian sloop-of-war Cristoforo Colombo arrived in port on Tuesday afternoon. She left Acapulco on 24th ult., and is on her way to Yokohama, whither she will proceed early next week. The Cristoforo Colombo carries ten guns and has a crew of two hundred men. The following is a list of her officers:—

Captain—F. Labrano.
First Lieutenant—E. Gualteris.
Second Lieutenant—F. Ferrarini.
Lieutenant—G. Ricotti.
Lieutenant—A de Gregorio.
Lieutenant—E. Buono.
Lieutenant—G. Pinchia.
Sub-Lieutenant—C. Corsi.
Sub-Lieutenant—G. Maghano.
Sub-Lieutenant—G. Patris.
Sub-Lieutenant—G. Scolti.
Engineer—F de Griffi.
Engineer—C. Capuccini.
Paymaster—C. Squillace.
Surgeon—M. Coleagno.

REV. W. L. JONES will occupy the pulpit of Fort Street Church to-morrow, morning and evening.

DURING the absence of the James Makee, Messrs. Foster and Co. propose to have the C. R. Bishop make the circuit trip of Kauai on alternate weeks.

IT will probably interest lovers of ferns to know that a new and very fine *Asplenium* has been added to the list of Hawaiian filices. The species is called by Professor Baker, of the Kew Botanical Gardens, *Asplenium leucostegioides*, as the involucre is very much like that of Davallia and Leucostegia. The new fern grows in clumps, reaching a height of five feet. No trunk.

THE Evangelistic work, under Mr. Hallenbeck, was begun on Maui on Wednesday evening last. The house was crowded. Already there have been a good number of conversions, and a good deal of religious interest is manifested by natives and foreigners. The choir is under the leadership of Mr. Keauelamahi—"Sankey"—and the Gospel Hymns are admirably sung. Everything promises a successful work, and that the labor of the Evangelists at Wailuku will not be in vain.

THE following is the programme for the regular concert at Emma Square, this afternoon, commencing at 4.30 p.m.:—

March:—"The Fourth," (new) ..... Unrath
Overture:—"Light Cavalry." ..... Suppe
Selection:—"Traviata," ..... Verdi
Medley:—"The Jingoes," (new) ..... Beyer
Waltz:—"Naples," ..... Waldteufel
Two Quicksteps:— { 'In the Country,' (new) Faust
{ 'Boccaccio,' (new) ..... Suppe

CELSO CESAR MORENO is evidently still a name to conjure with in Honolulu, as was evidenced on Tuesday by the excitement caused by a story set in motion by some waggish individual that this ingenious gentleman had arrived on board the Cristoforo Colombo. The curious part of the matter was that scores of people seemed quite ready to believe the tale, and were hard to convince that the whole thing was a hoax.

MR. WILLIAMS, the photographer, while on Maui took a very complete set of negatives of the mills at Spreckelville, and has now prepared a series of pictures that are excellent in every particular, of the extensive works in operation at that place. The series of views shows the buildings from different points, and much of the machinery, and give a good idea of the magnitude of the works. With these, and a portrait of Colonel Spreckels, one can carry with them a vivid realization of what enterprise and capital can do.

AT the Telephone Central Office last night, in an incredibly short space of time, Mr. Cassidy and his assistants removed what we may call the keyboard of the establishment, and replaced it by one larger and better arranged. All the wires had to be disconnected, tagged with numbers, and subsequently reconnected, yet the business of the office was not suspended for a moment. Mr. Cassidy's ingenous arrangement for rapid corrections is unique, and is not equalled by any of the numerous methods employed elsewhere.

THE directors of the Honolulu Athletic Association met on Monday night. Further subscriptions to the building fund of the gymnasium to the extent of $150 were reported, also some promises of life membership subscriptions (100 each). It was resolved to hold the next meeting on the 22nd inst., when it is expected that the requisite funds will have been secured, and arrangements for building can be proceeded with. There was no election of new officers to fill vacancies at the quarterly meeting of members of the Association, the large quorum required by the rules not being secured.

On Monday afternoon His Majesty the King entertained the Nobles and Representatives at a banquet at the dining hall of the New Palace. Besides the members of the Assembly there were present as invited guests, Captain and Mrs. Haley, Mrs. Hastings, Mr. W. H. Cornwell, Mr. Crowningburg, the Press reporters, and many others. The members of the Royal Family, except Her Majesty Queen Kapiolani were present with the ladies of their suites. After the banquet His Majesty invited his guests to inspect the Palace. An exhibition of singlestick practice followed, at which, some prizes were spiritedly competed for; and the victors were presented with wreaths by H.R.H Princess Liliuokalani.

THERE was a very pleasant little dance at the Hawaiian Hotel last night. The guests at the Hotel at the invitation of the host and hostess, and to inspiring strains from a party of Professor Berger's String Band, made the night lively until sometime after midnight. Other friends of Mr. and Mrs. Lawlor were also present. The array of the gentler sex was just numerous enough to make every dancing gentleman anxious to secure a partner, which is just the proper thing at a party. There were no "wallflowers" among the ladies, but many jealous hearts among the men. Every thing was exactly as it ought to be to make a successaful evening. Outside, a good many envious people wished that they were "guests at the Hotel."

MR. C. C. COLEMAN'S new cane planter has been tried by him at Kaneohe, and he expresses himself fully satisfied as regards the practicability of the machine. The arrangement is that of a double-mould plough supported between the two fore wheels of a stout four wheeled carriage, and so connected by levers with a screw as to permit of its being raised or lowered some 24 inches. The screw is perfectly under the control of a man sitting near it. Behind the plough a bin is fixed in which the seed-cane is carried. From the bin it is placed by one or two men on a sliding platform from which it is taken by teeth arranged on the surface of a revolving drum. The seed caught on the drum is thrown into a shoot whose lower end is so arranged as to deliver the sticks of seed one by one in the bottom of the newly made furrow thrown up by the double-mould plough, and in a line with its length. A double scraper is fixed behind the shoot so as to draw the turned-up soil back over the seed, thus covering it from the sun immediately. Mr. Coleman is confident that with five yoke of oxen and four men to tend the planter he can furrow, plant and cover four acres of land in a day. After a few points developed in the trial trip of the working model have been adjusted a fuller report will be made of the work done by the perfected machine.

FOR hard swearing commend us to the members of His Majesty's household troops and their wives. In a case which occupied His Honor the Police Justice for a considerable time on 28th ult., and again last Saturday, the witnesses were all soldiers or soldiers' wives, and it is a dead certainty that a considerable number of them committed perjury. The case hinged in a great measure on whether the wife of one of the defendants was living at the barracks during the month of December last or was away on Hawaii. The cross swearing about this during the first day's hearing was so bad that the Magistrate adjourned the case in order to allow both parties time to bring up more evidence. For the prosecution it was not only sworn that the woman was away, but some of the witnesses saw her off on the Likelike, and one of them testified to having travelled with her as far as Kawaihae. For the defence, four of the neighbors of the defendant at the barracks swore that his wife was never away during the period in question, and the wife herself swore that she did not go away, but that she slept with her husband every night during the time that it was alleged she was away. The Magistrate convicted the defendants, and they have made an appeal. If all this cross swearing is repeated in the Supreme Court, it is to be hoped that those who have been lying will get into trouble.

A San Francisco contemporary remarks on the reduction of the rate of freight from that port to Honolulu by the Oceanic Steamship Company to $2 50 per ton, and says: "This and other lines of steamers will at this rate drive out the half-dozen lines of sailing packets that have been plying between this coast and the Islands." In the natural course of things this prediction must prove true. Steamers have, in a great measure, driven sailing craft out of the trade in every other line of traffic in the world. Even the coal and timber trades have for long past been invaded by them. Our harbor, even as things are, often presents anything but a lively appearance, but when we are reduced to about one steamer at a time in port, and an occasional vessel from the Old World, Eastern States or the coal and timber ports, we shall miss our rakish clippers very much.

CAUTION.—AMERICAN WALTHAM WATCHES.—WE BEG TO CALL THE ATTENTION OF THE TRADE AND THE PUBLIC to the well known quality and elegance of finish of our gold cases, guaranteed by us to be of eighteen karat gold, U. S. Mint assay, or of fourteen karat gold, as may be stamped; and also to our mode of selling the same, charging only for the ACTUAL WEIGHT of the gold used, and not for the base metal comprised in springs, key pipes, filling of crown, &c. To illustrate which a tag accompanies each one of our gold cases, which plainly indicates not only the gross weight of the case, but also the NET weight of the gold. Our silver cases are all STERLING quality—925-1000 fine. IN EXPLANATION OF THE ABOVE, we desire to say that the old plan of charging for the gross weight of the case, as if it were all gold, worked well enough as long as the manufacturers were content with the amount of brass and steel actually required in its construction; but when the business was degraded into a contest as to who should get the most base metal into the least quantity of gold, and call it a GOLD case, then the time came when, in the interest of dealers in American watches, it became necessary to adopt a plan of selling, showing the buyer exactly how much GOLD each case contained. In adopting this method, we act in conformity with the earnest wishes of the leading houses of the trade, some of whom have already undertaken to carry out the same idea in their own business.—AMERICAN WATCH COMPANY, Waltham, Mass. M. M'INERNY, Agent for this Kingdom; also Agent for Gorham Sterling Silverware. The Trade supplied on the most liberal terms. ju23 3m.

THE news from the South Western Pacific, which we published to-day, shows that if any change is in progress there in regard to the labor question it is towards increased difficulty in procuring laborers, and increased insecurity for those who visit the islands for that or any other purpose. No mail reaches us without bringing the news of some loss of life on the part of the white traders or their crews. It is said that the energetic measures of Sir Arthur Gordon have rendered kidnapping by traders carrying the British flag all but impossible. But there are still complaints of this class of outrage being perpetrated by vessels carrying other flags. These may not be numerous, but a single unscrupulous captain may, by wrong doing, render the islands he visits unsafe for all other traders for years to come. Moreover old scores are not forgotten, and the enmity which has been created or revived in so many quarters during the last few years will probably not be appeased during the lifetime of the present generation of islanders.

This year another cause of difficulty appears to exist. The seasons have been exceptionally good, and food is plentiful. Whenever this is the case it is always found doubly difficult to induce the islanders to ship. So far as we can gather it is chiefly the difficulty of getting hands from the islands, and not any objection to them as laborers, which has led the Fiji planters to look to more distant sources for their supply of labor. Taking all the circumstances of the case into consideration, we fear that there is but a poor outlook for ourselves in that direction.

Fourth Judicial District (Kauai.)

AUGUST TERM, 1882,
Before His Honor the Chief Justice.

CRIMINAL CASES.

Rex vs Hezekia (k); larceny, 3rd degree. The Deputy Attorney-General Mr. Cecil Brown for the Crown; Mr. S. B. Dole for defendant. This was an appeal from the local court. A verdict of guilty was returned. Sentence, 3 months imprisonment and a fine of $20, and costs $6.

Rex vs Pahuulaula (w); selling awa without a license. In this case Mr. Brown entered a *nol. pros.*

Rex vs Kauwe (k); same offence. *Nol. pros* entered.

Rex vs Eke (k), Uwa (k), and Keaupunu (w); larceny of $539 50. Mr. W. O. Smith for defendants. After some discussion of the matter by counsel, an amendment of the indictment was allowed. A verdict of guilty of larceny in the 2nd degree against Eke and Keaupuia was brought in, and one of receiving against Uwa. Eki received a sentence of two years' imprisonment and a fine of $100; Keaupuni one year's imprisonment and a fine of $25, and Uwa the same.

Rex vs Kailinli; larceny, in 2nd degree. Kailiuli was defended by Mr. W. O. Smith. The jury returned a verdict of guilty in the 3rd degree only, and a sentence of eight months' imprisonment with a fine of $50 was pronounced.

Rex vs Apukai (Ch); gross cheat. Defendant pleaded guilty and was sentenced to six months penal servitude and to pay costs.

Rex vs Kau On (Ch); selling liquor without a license. This was an appeal from the District Court of Kawaihau. A verdict of guilty was brought in and the fine of $500 and costs confirmed.

Rex vs Ah Lee Kulolika (Ch); same offence. In this case a verdict of not guilty was returned.

CIVIL CASES.

John Puni vs George Mundon. This suit was to recover a mattock or its value $2 50, and damages $1. Plaintiff lost his case in the lower court and appealed with success, the jury returning a verdict in his favor.

E. Lindemann vs Alama (Ch) *et al.* This was also an appeal. The suit was to recover $75 for damages committed by the defendants' cattle in a cane field. A verdict for the plaintiff for $23 50 was returned.

LAKSAMANA;

THE GREAT HERO of the MALAYS.

A ROMANCE.

By WALTER MURRAY GIBSON.

CHAPTER XII.

Laksamana obtains much treasure from the Giantess.

When the Rakshashah had been released from the quagmire, she presented a hideous and filthy appearance. Much of her clothing was torn away from her body during her struggles in the adhesive mud. Her enormous limbs were smeared with black, offensive slime; and her huge brown body was covered all over with filth. Her appearance was now repulsive as well as fearful; and all the men of Laksamana ran when she stood up before them. The Princess Umba had remained weeping in the palanquin whilst her lord was chased by the Giantess;—but now when he stood beside the terrible creature, and placed confidence in her, that she would strive no more to hurt him or his people, then the Princess came forward without fear. Laksamana stood calm, resolute and watchful, all the time. The Giantess at first shook from off and raked off with her hands a portion of the mud adhering to her person. After a little while she spoke to Laksamana, saying: "Thou follow me, and let the girl and thy men follow us." And the Giantess stalked onward, till by and by, she entered a broad pathway in the forest. She followed this pathway some distance, till there appeared on top of a small hill, a curious round fort, built of camphor wood logs; and the whole place was redolent of the smell of camphor, and of various spices.

There was utter silence about this curious place. Not any sound of human beings, or of animals was heard. The Giantess approached a huge gateway; and pulling a small string several times, the heavy portal was suddenly lifted up,—and as the Giantess entered, she motioned to Laksamana to follow. Again his men cried out, to their chief to beware, and not be led into some trap to be tortured and slain. Then Laksamana bade his men remain outside with the Princess, and he would enter alone;—but on the entreaty of Umba, that she should share whatever fate befel him, he permitted her to accompany him. The Giantess now led the way into a chamber fragrant with musk, and hung all around with rich silk dresses of both men and women's wear; along with multitudes of rich ornaments of gold. Passing through this chamber, the Giantess led them into another one that was glittering with strings of diamonds, pearls, and other precious stones. And passing through this chamber she led them into one that was full of rare and curious weapons; swords with golden hilts,—daggers with handles inlaid with diamon