

CONDENSED LOCAL ITEMS

Rock Beer by the bottle, or on draught, at the Union Saloon.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lycurgus, of the Volcano House, spent Wednesday in Hilo.

The best quality of sewing machine oil, needles and sewing machine supplies at E. H. Moses'.

Circuit Court adjourned for the February term on Friday. The May term will commence on May 16.

The funeral of James Gordon Bennet, a well-known horse trainer, occurred, at 3 p. m. Monday from his late residence in Hilo.

A report of the meeting of the Hilo Teachers' Union is not printed in this issue for want of space. It will appear next week.

The engineers, foreman, and all connected with the construction of the sewer system, with a few invited friends, celebrated the completion of the job with a luncheon at Coconut Island Saturday afternoon.

Deputy Attorney General Prosser, of Honolulu, is in attendance at the Circuit Court at Kailua, prosecuting the territorial cases, among which are two for murder in the first degree and the celebrated Kona school riot cases.

Bettenberg materials of all kinds at E. H. Moses', Phone 178.

The Kona school cases on trial before the Third Circuit Court at Kailua, were thrown out of court upon demurrer. The grand jury consequently was recalled for Monday to present new indictments. Attorney-General Prosser represents the Territory.

J. M. Ross, manager of the Hakalau plantation, has agreed to have the village site at Kaiwika-Wailea clear of the cane crop by May 15, in order to allow the settlement association to proceed with the building of its village. The plantation lease does not expire until June 15.

Sell Hamakua Land.

Sub-land-agent Williams will leave overland on Friday for Honokaa, where on Saturday he will sell several tracts of government land at public auction. These lands adjoin or are enclosed by the Louissou coffee plantation and are situated near the Hamakua government experiment station. One tract contains 111.03 acres and is suitable for tobacco growing, as experiments at the station have proven. The upset price on this tract is \$1388. The remaining tracts are eight in number and consist of strips of land a couple of hundred feet wide that have been held by the Territory as forest reserve to serve the purpose of wind-breaks. It is presumed that the Louissons will buy these tracts and preserve them for the purposes intended, for the protection of their coffee orchards. Mr. Williams will return Sunday or Monday.

Delayed Mail Rushed.

The Inter-Island steamship company rushed the coast mail over to this island with as little delay as possible, the Mauna Loa leaving Honolulu Saturday at noon on receipt of the Alameda mail, making a special trip and being met at Mahukona by the Kailua sent from Hilo Saturday morning. The latter made her best time down to Hilo, 8 hours and 55 minutes, including a 20 minute stop at Pepeekeo. As this was the first foreign mail in two weeks and contained the first full news of the San Francisco disaster, its coming was watched and anticipated with considerable interest by everybody.

Not Opposing Kuhio.

Col. C. P. Iauka, the democratic leader of Honolulu, was in the city the latter part of the week laying political wires and speaking at Serrao Hall, Ponahawai Street Friday evening. The colonel says he favors fusion with the Home Rule party but has not decided to enter the race against Kuhio for Congress. The contest for the delegate's seat, recently decided in Congress, was made, he says, for the purpose of settling some points relative to the manner of holding elections. The colonel came down the coast overland and goes on to Kau.

Cases For Grand Jury.

Now On and Young Kat arrested on the charge of subornation of perjury secured \$3000 bail each on Wednesday and were released. On Friday their cases were called before Judge Hapai. Defendant's waived examination and their case was committed to the grand jury, which will convene in July.

The case of Isumi Minekichi, arrested on April 18, for assault with a deadly weapon at Hakalau, was tried before Judge Hapai on Thursday and Friday and was committed to the grand jury.

The Burned Area.

John K. Dillon, received by the mail a letter from his brother who lives in San Francisco, giving exactly the boundary of the burned district, as follows:—Beginning at the north end of Van Ness avenue running south to Clay, up Clay to Franklin, thence to Sutter, thence to Van Ness ave., thence to Golden Gate ave., thence to Gough, thence to Market, thence to Dolores, to Twentieth, thence to Capp, thence to Eighteenth, thence zig-zag to the water front, around the water front to Van Ness ave..

See E. H. Holmes' announcement of lace curtain sale.

Rev. C. W. Hill will preach at Hakalau at 2 p. m. next Sunday, May 13, and at Honokaa, May 20.

Every man to his taste and the taste of the big majority runs to Primo Lager. All dealers sell it.

F. J. Linderman, traveling salesman for Hackfeld & Co., Honolulu, registered at Hotel Demosthenes, Thursday.

Suit lengths at cut prices at Economic. Call and see them.

Col. Iauka in his speech Friday evening advised that all, regardless of party, support Kuhio for congress. The suggestion received enthusiastic applause.

If you wish your coffee to bring the highest market prices let the Hilo Coffee Mill clean, classify and place the same on the market for you. Liberal cash advances made on shipments.

Kipa Kawahae, a 14-year-old boy of Papeaia, was sentenced by Judge Hapai last Saturday to serve a sentence of six years at the Reform School for larceny and the fact that he was incorrigible.

Miss La Voy, at one time superintending nurse of the Hilo hospital, is one of twenty Honolulu residents to secure passage on the Manuhua for San Francisco. She will be absent from the Territory for about a year.—Advertiser.

Superintendent Babbitt has received a letter from Mrs. Rice of Kaneohe offering a scholarship of \$50 a year for pupils standing best in their studies in the Kaneohe and Kailua schools. The distribution of the fund is left in the hands of the department.—Advertiser.

Mr. A. G. Curtis, of Kurtistown, met with a painful accident Wednesday, being thrown violently from his horse and dragged some distance. The horse he was riding shied and fell. Suffering a severely strained knee and a number of bruises there was, fortunately, no serious injury.

Company Encampment.

A report on the inspection of Co. D has not yet been received from Washington. The inspecting officer, Maj. Van Vliet informed the colonel of the regiment that Co. D. stood second in the Territory. The company will go into a two days' encampment at Coconut Island on Saturday, May 19, and anticipates going in June to the annual encampment of the regiment, probably in the vicinity of Honolulu, although the idea of having the encampment on this island has been considered.

First Foreign Church.

Sabbath, May 13, 1906, 11 a. m.—"Help thou mine unbelief, Mark 9:24. 7:30 p. m.—"Not disobedient unto the heavenly vision," Acts 26:19.

Jury Lists Drawn.

Grand and trial juries were drawn in the Fourth Circuit Court Friday to serve for the May term. The term will begin May 16, and the grand jury is summoned to appear on July 10; the trial jury on July 17. The lists are as follows:

GRAND JURY.

A. Lidgate, R. A. Lyman Jr., J. M. Ross, J. E. Elderts, H. Elderts, Chas. R. Kennedy, Kinnie M. Konahou, Jas. Webster, H. B. Elliot, J. W. Mason, W. C. Walker, Geo. Mumby, Jos. Vierra, J. C. Moline, Geo. F. Hall, John Watt, John Ai, J. D. Kennedy, David Forbes, R. T. Moses, Adam Lindsay E. J. Weight and Antone Simao.

TRIAL JURY.

W. C. Borden, Aug. Iken, Henry West, Wm. Harbottle, Adam C. Baker, P. Pfeiffer, N. P. Copley, John Ross, N. Varina, C. Lehman, M. R. Freitas, Jr., J. T. Henry, P. C. Beamer, J. E. Rocha, Otto Medeiros, Geo. W. Weight, Jr., C. F. Bradshaw, W. Hay, David Butchart, M. S. Pacheco, Wm. Campbell, Jr., A. W. Richardson, H. Bischoff, J. D. Easton, F. L. Mini, Richard J. Lyman.

Economy in the End.

A few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will cure your cold and perhaps save a doctor's bill later on. It always cures and cures quickly. For sale by Hilo Drug Co.

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Absolutely Pure
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ROBIN HOOD, OUTLAW.

A Successful Production of the Play At Hilo Boarding School.

Seldom has an Hilo audience been favored with a more excellent performance than the musical comedy of "Robin Hood", given Friday and Saturday nights by the Hilo Boarding School, assisted by local talent. Only the thread of the narrative, adapted from the book by Howard Pyle recounting the merry adventures of "Robin Hood" was attempted, but interspersed throughout the play were artlessly arranged the songs and choruses from the opera of the same name by Reginald de Koven, which added much to the effectiveness of the play and the enjoyment of the performance.

The title role of "Robin Hood" was interpreted by Wm. McCluskey, and his acting and treatment of the character of this intrepid bandit was marked by a degree of dramatic ability as perfect as is seen on the contemporaneous stage.

No less can be said of the portrayal of the other characters by members of the company and only a faint idea of the performance can be given in these few lines.

Playing opposite to "Robin Hood" was Mrs. May L. Curtis in the role of "Maid Marian", and no part of the performance was more subtle and bewitching than her acting. J. U. Smith as the picturesque "Little John" brought real tears to the eyes of the audience by his discomfiture in the highly ridiculous situations of the play. Although making but one appearance during the evening, D. E. Metzger as "Wat, the Tinker" made the most of his opportunities, and his character work in the drinking bout was droll and little less than real. W. H. Beers made a melodious and dignified "Sheriff of Nottingham", and pleased the house with his solo work. G. A. Cool as "Priar Tack" sang the Armorer's song with good effect and J. W. Marsh, as "Midge, the Miller" rendered the ever popular "Brown October Ale". Luther Severance as "Sir Stephen" and Harry Irwin as "The Bishop" were resplendent in costume and gave faithful interpretations of their parts. The delicious impersonation of "Annabel", the milkmaid, by Mrs. Helen Siemsen, was one of the treats of the evening and the style of her singing and acting in the churning song was both sincere and gentle. She was repeatedly the recipient of encores. Miss Harriet Hapai as "Maken o' the blue Boar" and Mrs. Louise Hapai as "Nan o' the Mill" were clever, sweet and pretty, and filled the stage with their daintiness and charm. The milkmaid's chorus, and St. Switthen's chimes, rendered by Mrs. Siemsen, Mrs. Hapai, Miss Harriet Hapai, Messrs. J. W. Marsh and James Mattoon, were enthusiastically received with encores.

Catherine Westervelt as "Ellen o' Deirwoold", Charles Siemsen as "The Farmer", Jeremiah Malua as "Allan Dale", James Mattoon as "Will Scarlet", Soichi Yamamoto as "David o' Doncaster", Will Westervelt as the head of the King's Foresters, were all worthy of mention. Much credit for the excellence of the performance is due to the ensemble work of the entire company, the remainder of which was made up of members of the Hilo Boarding School. The minor parts in the large cast, both male and female were excellently filled, and the stage management was notably and unusually good. The groupings on the stage made effective pictures, and the individual work of each performer blended into complete and harmonious whole. In its entirety, the production of "Robin Hood" by the ladies and gentleman of the cast and the Hilo Boarding School was one of the best ever seen by a Hilo audience.

The scenic effects as well as the drop curtain were the product of Miss Kalei Ewaliko and were a marvel in their naturalness of color and perspective. The costumes were elaborate and appropriate to the times, when Robin with his outlaw band held sway over Sherwood Forest. The musical numbers throughout the play were well rendered, and great credit is due to Mrs. J. T. Lewis, Miss Caroline Potter and Mrs. Westervelt for the painstaking care bestowed upon this part of the program. The dramatic situations and the interpretation of the lines were under the direction of Mrs. A. G. Curtis, who added her own personality to the play. The entire performance was under the personal supervision of Mrs. Levi C. Lyman of the Hilo Boarding School, who displayed keen executive qualities in bringing the production to a high standard of perfection.

The performance will be repeated this afternoon at a nativete in the Hilo Boarding School assembly hall. The price of admission has been reduced to twenty-five cents to enable the school children to witness the performance.

Pineapple Growers' Company.

The Hilo Pineapple Company was organized during the week with a capitalization of \$40,000, divided into 4,000 shares of \$10 each. P. S. Lyman was elected president; L. A. Andrews, vice-president; L. C. Lyman, secretary; H. E. Kelsey, treasurer; D. E. Matzger, auditor and Thos. Mutch and Wm. Kinney, directors. The object of the company is to hold land and grow pineapples. Certain lands have been taken for stock issued. About three-quarters of the stock has been subscribed, distributed among some twenty or more individuals. Articles of incorporation have been forwarded to Honolulu.

EXPERIENCED THE EARTHQUAKE

First Arrival in Hilo from Wrecked City.

The first person to arrive on this island from the earthquake—and fire-stricken city of San Francisco was Henry Dillon, the ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dillon of Pepeekeo. He landed Sunday from the Kailua with his father who had gone to Mahukona to meet him. The little fellow was greeted by everyone and told in his artless way and very intelligently about the catastrophe. He was in the city at the time of the earthquake, living with his aunt near Sacramento street and a few blocks above Van Ness avenue. The fire came to within a block of the house in which he was living. He was awakened by the earthquake and the falling of plaster from the walls and tumbling down of chimneys, followed by the screams of frightened people. The shock lasted forty-seven seconds, the trembling gradually increasing, diminishing and increasing again. The first night was spent in the house, cooking being done in the street, but on account of the proximity of the fire, the following night was spent on Holliday hill. Conditions were awful. Many were shot for looting, and many innocent persons, also, much complaint resulting of the recklessness of the soldier guards. Provisions were dealt out and the use of water was allowed for drinking purposes only. Work of clearing up began soon, and all who would not work were ordered out of the city. Labor commanded good wages, carpenters receiving as high as \$10 a day. The wharves were not so seriously damaged, and the Alameda left from her dock. The ferry landing, though in use, was supported by braces. The Bulletin and Chronicle newspapers were being issued from the Oakland Herald office. The young fellow saw a good deal of the destruction and the confusion, and did his share of the work, selling papers, coffee, etc., but is probably glad to be safe home. His first remark as he sat down in the quiet of the hotel, after a few minutes' reflection was: "My, I wouldn't like to go through that earthquake again."

Completion of Important Work.

The Board of Health expects the part of the sewer system so far completed to be accepted by the Board of Public Works during the present week and that the following week the whole system will be completed. Immediately on acceptance of all, or the portion, of the system, the Board of Health will proceed with connecting up the houses, beginning with Front street and hotels and restaurants. This part of the system is under the supervision of the Health Board, while the superintendent of the water system is responsible for the oversight of the street portion. Property owners are required by the territorial law to connect up their houses with the system on a thirty days' notice from the Health Board. The completion of this important public work is welcomed by the public generally as a great convenience and means of improvement of sanitary conditions. As an aid to making a city beautiful of Hilo its importance is inestimable.

Horses at the Track.

Considerable interest is being aroused in Honolulu in the Fourth of July races. Inquiries are being received from there about them and four Honolulu horses are to arrive soon to go into training at the track for the races. Some ten horses belonging to Hilo people and ranchers are already at the track.

Hawaiian Evangelical Association.

The annual meeting of the Hawaiian Evangelical Association will be held in Honolulu May 11-21. All the pastors of the churches in the city, excepting Rev. C. R. Shields and Rev. C. W. Hill, will be in attendance and take part in the programme. Miss Erbeck, superintendent of the Waialae Settlement, accompanied by one delegate, several delegates from the Hilo Church, and pastors and delegates from all the congregational churches of this island will also attend.

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PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY, JULY 4th

	PURSE
1/2-mile Hawaiian Bred	\$ 75.00
1/4-mile Free-for-All	150.00
1 mile Trot, best two in three	150.00
1/2-mile Hawaiian Bred	50.00
1/2-mile Jap Race	50.00
1 mile Free-for-All	150.00
1/4-mile Hawaiian Bred	75.00
1 mile Bronco Bustins, Club to furnish mounts	50.00

THURSDAY, JULY 5th

	PURSE
1/2-mile Free-for-All	\$125.00
1/4-mile Hawaiian Bred	75.00
1 mile Luna Race	50.00
1 mile Free-for-All	150.00
1/4-mile Hawaiian Bred	50.00
1/2-mile Jap Race	50.00
1/2-mile Pony Race for Boys	20.00
1 mile Hawaiian Bred	100.00
3 mile Relay Race, for other than race horses	50.00

TERMS: Entrance fee, 10% of purse. Three or more to enter, two or more to start. Professional jockeys will be barred in all races excepting Free-for-Alls. Hawaiian bred races to be catch weights. Free-for-All races to be weight for age. No stall rent will be charged.

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Power of Attorney.

During my absence from Hawaii, Evangelino da Silva, Esq., will act for me under full power of attorney. Oloa, April 19, 1906.
26-3 F. G. DA ROSA.

Lost.

A surgical bag and contents between Hakalau and Hououliua. A reward of \$25 will be paid for its return to Dr. Fred Irwin.