

# Hawaii Holomua

PROGRESS.

The Life of the Land is Established  
in Righteousness.

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## TO OUR READERS.

The HAWAII HOLOMUA appears to-day after two weeks suspension in a new form. The HOLOMUA PUBLISHING COMPANY having become proprietors of the paper have decided to issue an English daily paper to be published every afternoon. This step has been taken according to the often expressed desires on the part of our patrons, and we hope it will be satisfactory to them. We have noted with some amusement the haste and glee with which our alleged demise was hailed by the two annexation-organs. The Editor of the morning paper has even braced up during the last week, and become quite fresh—he needs salt—while the dreary Star man has some what prematurely read his R. I. P. over our supposed corpse. The HOLOMUA is still to the fore, and will remain there in spite of the croaking of the would be official journals and their handful of political supporters.

The Star and the Advertiser have taken occasion to repeat the lie invented some months ago for political purposes by themselves, that Her Majesty the Queen has been supporting this journal or was in any way financially interested in it. We fail to see what possible benefit the annexation cause can gain by the constant reiteration of this assertion which both the editors referred to know to be a lie, but we shall confine ourselves to once more stamp the statement of the two papers as utterly false and untrue and positively declare that the Queen in no way ever has been or is interested in the HAWAII HOLOMUA.

The policy of the HAWAII HOLOMUA will be continued on the same lines as has heretofore been the case. The proprietors and conductors of this journal firmly believe in the honor of the United States, and are convinced that the great wrong done to Hawaii and to the Hawaiian people in the name of the Great Republic will be undone, and that all possible redress will be made for the outrage committed by John L. Stevens—the man chosen in a moment of evil to Hawaii and to the United States to represent the American administration in Hawaii. That justice will be done to the Hawaiians we have never doubted, and that the self government deprived a free people through the agency of United States troops and guns will be re-established, no man can refuse to believe who knows the character, the principles and the high sense of honor of that true American who to-day by the will of the American people is placed at the head of the United States' government.

The HAWAII HOLOMUA will fearlessly handle the topics of interest to the country and to the people, and will never hesitate in telling the truth, independently of who will get hurt, but, there will in these columns be no prying into

the affairs of private individuals, no Hosanna sung over the misfortunes of political enemies, and no scandal-mongering for the satisfaction of the male and female gossips so abundant in this Paradise of the Pacific. The HAWAII HOLOMUA is pledged to support the rights and privileges of the Hawaiian people, the interests of the laboring man and good and honest government for the whole country, and to the fulfilment of that pledge, we will devote all our efforts and all the means at our disposition.

## TOPICS OF THE DAY.

It is too bad about that ball at the Hawaiian Hotel to-morrow night, which is given as a farewell to the officers on the Boston, and as a welcome to the Philadelphia officers, and which does not receive the countenance of the annexation club and of the Star editor. The last named complains because the ball is to be given at the Hotel, a building which has a royalist flavor, and which is too small to hold the members of the club. The Star editor evidently intends to issue invitations for the ball to his chums in the club, and if the 2,000 Portuguese are included in that number, the Hotel will undoubtedly be too small to hold them. But the leading annexationists' who prophesied that the ball will be a failure, because they "ain't going" should have kept still until they received their invitations. It may sound unnatural to the editor of the Star and the leading annexationists, but it is yet a fact that a ball can be given and be a great success, and that the officers on the Boston and Philadelphia may be able to meet all they care to meet of Honolulu society without a single member of the club or the Star editor being present. It may seem impossible to the great guns in the club and brother Smith, "but them's are the facts."

We had decided to throw a veil of oblivion over all the ebullitions which have appeared in the annexation organs for the last two weeks, and we were prepared to ignore all the usual or unusual rot which the two editors hurled in during the suspension of our paper, but when Mr. Johnstone calls Editor Logan an "excuse for an editor," we must compliment him for speaking about what he knows for once. When Mr. Johnstone at one time was the editor of the Bulletin, Mr. Logan had constantly to be "an excuse" for him, and satisfy the clamor of the "devils" for copy by writing the editorials himself. The reason—why we tell it not in Gath.

We would like to know where in the world a detachment of regular soldiers with a cannon is even used for the purpose of arresting one (1) criminal. If the police force is unable to perform the simplest duties, generally attached to such an organization, they should be disbanded and relegated to sell leis on Nuuanu Street among the other old women.

A contemporary states that \$100 was offered as an inducement to find out if the criminal in Ewa was really dead after

the one thousand (more or less) shots had been fired into the house where he was known to be. The policemen must be well off indeed, even for these bad times since even \$100 were not sufficient temptation for any of them to go and take a look at the bad, bad corpse.

In the expedition to Ewa, the Foreign Office was represented by Mr. Hatch's Aide de camp Major Potter. His presence is accounted for by the possibility that diplomatic negotiations might have been necessitated between the learned Attorney-General and the Leper, and the Major could then have been used to carry the white flag or otherwise exhibit his military and diplomatic proclivities.

The Star contained a glorious description of the fertility of the Puuwaawaa land in Kona Hawaii the other day and made the mouths of the "young men with savings" in Honolulu water by explaining the prospects of making a fortune by taking up homesteads in that God-forsaken district. It was quite interesting to read about the band of cattle which the Star-correspondent and other enthusiastic homestead-boomers drove to the fertile plains of Puuwaawaa ably assisted by Colonel the Hon. C. P. Laukea homestead-promoter-in-chief of the P. G. The Star forgot though to tell its readers that the last heard from Puuwaawaa about the band of cattle was that the boys were busy skinning the horned quadrupeds—everyone of them having died from disgust and despair by looking at the Star's fertile homesteads. The Colonel arrived in Honolulu without being skinned.

## The P. M. S. S. China Arrives.

The P. M. S. S. China, Captain Seabury, arrived this morning from San Francisco, which port she left on Monday, the 12th instant, at 3 o'clock p.m. She carries a large list of passengers for Yokohama and Hongkong, and is unable to take any passengers from this port. The Chinese ex-Minister to Washington is returning to China by her. Among the kamaainas returning to Honolulu we notice Hon. August Dreier, who has spent several months in Germany and the United States. Mr. Dreier is looking unusually well, and has enjoyed his trip greatly. The China leaves this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

The mail brought by the China contains little of interest to Hawaii except the appointment of the successors to Minister Blount and Consul-General Severance—Mr. Albert S. Willis of Kentucky has been selected to represent the United States in Hawaii while Mr. Ellis Mills who was here as secretary to Mr. Blount has been appointed Consul-General. Both appointments will be hailed with great satisfaction in Honolulu, where Consul-General Mills has won many friends. The new officials did not arrive by the China, but may be expected by the next steamer from the coast.

Mr. Vizzavona, the French Commissioner, called on board the Philadelphia this forenoon, and received the usual salute.

## THE NATIONAL BAND.

We are authorized to state that the item in regard to a contemplated tour of the National Band to the United States which appeared in this morning's Advertiser is utterly false. The boys are going to remain right here in Honolulu and have no intentions of blowing the horn for the benefit of Mr. Thuston or the other annexationists. If satisfactory arrangements can be made with acceptable parties, the band may decide to go to the Midwinter Fair in California.

## The Supreme Court.

The banco term of the Supreme Court opened this morning at 10 o'clock. The Aldrich bankruptcy case was argued and submitted. Mr. Hatch appeared for the creditors and Mr. Peterson for Mr. Aldrich. The different cases of the Provisional Government vs. Sam Gee, Ah Sam and Ah Faw are being argued by Deputy-Attorney General Wilder for the prosecution, and Mr. J. L. Kaukua for defendants.

Mr. Ables, the manager of the Ice Company met with a painful accident yesterday in that he sprained his knee through a fall from an ice wagon. He will consequently be confined to his house for some time.

A number of lepers in the Wainiha valley on Kuaui have surrendered to the authorities, and will be brought to Honolulu on the James Makee which has been chartered by the government to perform such service.

The trotting match between Lot Slocum and Gerster for a purse of \$1,000 a side comes off next Saturday at Kapiolani Park. It is understood that Mr. Hollinger will have the use of Mr. Horner's pneumatic tire sulky while Lot Slocum will go to a road cart.

Hon. W. H. Cornwell arrived by the Claudine from Maui yesterday. The Colonel intends to bring his family to town next week, where they will take up their residence permanently, occupying the beautiful house on the corner of King and Pukoi Streets, which Mr. Cornwell purchased from the estate of the late Judge Preston.

We are pleased to state that Dr. Foote is improving, and that there are good prospects that he shortly will be fully restored to health and able to show his genial features around the town again.

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