

Foreign Mail Service.

Steamships will leave for and arrive from San Francisco, on the following dates, till the close of 1893.

LEAVE HONOLULU	DATE	AT HONOLULU
FOR SAN FRANCISCO, PM. SAN FRANCISCO		
Arava for Van-Monowai	Nov. 23	
couver	Dec. 2	Warrimoo, from Van-
Oceanic	Dec. 4	couver
Australia	Dec. 9	China
Mariposa	Dec. 14	Australia
Warrimoo, for Van-Alameda	Dec. 22	
couver	Jan. 1	Arava from Van-
City Peking	Jan. 2	couver
Australia	Jan. 6	Oceanic
	Dec. 26	Australia
	Dec. 30	Warrimoo, from Van-
	Jan. 23	couver

From the Water-Front.

Arrivals.

FRIDAY, NOV. 24
 Stear Warrimoo, Perry, from Vancouver.
 Stear C B Bishop, Le Claire, from Kauai.
 Stear Monowai, Carey, from San Francisco.

Departures.

FRIDAY, NOV. 24
 Stear J A Cummins, Neilson, for Koolau.
 Stear Jas. Makee, Haglung, for Kauai at 4 P. M.
 Stear Kinan, Clarke, for Maui and Hawaii, at 5 P. M.
 Stear Warrimoo, Perry, for the Colonies at 6 P. M.
 Stear Monowai, Carey, for the Colonies at 9 P. M.

Vessels in Port.

H B M's S Champion, Rooke.
 U S S Adams, Neilson.
 U S S Philadelphia, Parker.
 Ger Bk J. C. Pfuger.
 Br sch Norma, Yokohama.
 Am sch Robert Lewers, Goodman, P. T.
 Am Yacht Tolua, Tolua, S. F.
 Haw bk R P Rithet Morrison, S. F.
 Am sch C S Holmes, Johnson, Port Townsend.
 Am bk S C Allen, Thompson, S. F.
 Am bk Albert, Griffiths, S. F.
 Am bk Enoch Talbot, Nanaimo.
 Am bkt Amelia, Ward, the Sound.
 Am bkt Irmgard, Schmidt, S. F.
 Am bk Alden Besse, Frits, S. F.

Foreign Vessels Expected.

[This List does not include Steamers]

vessels.	where from.	due.
Am bk Martha Davis	Boston	Dec 20
Ger bk Nautilus	Liverpool	Dec 30
Br schr Villata	Liverpool	Jan 10
H Luckfeld (sld Sept 25)	L'pool.	Dec 25-31
Am bkt Wrestler	N S W	Oct 29
Br bk Duke Argyle	N S W	Nov 10
Am bk C D Bryant	S F	Nov 27
Ger bk Galveston	Hongkong	Nov 7-12
Am bkt Planter	S F	Nov 15
Am bkt Discovery	S F	Nov 28
Am schr Alice Cooke	Pt Blakely	Dec 25
Haw sh John Ena	N S W	Nov 15-22
Haw sh Hawaiian Isles	N S W	Nov 19-26
Ger sh Terpsichore	N S W	Nov 20-30

LOCAL NEWS.

The editor of the Tiser repeats his murderous threat this morning. Enough of that, old man.

It is generally understood, that the "official visit," yesterday, was made to the Minister of Foreign Affairs, and not to the "President."

When a Diplomatic Representative of a foreign nation, has official audience with the Head of another friendly nation, it is customary to receive such Representative with military honors due his rank.

The Star calls the English sailors of the Champion "young boys about twenty years old." That may be true, but the Star should remember that the "kids" are Britishers everyone of them.

This morning's screecher, in its magnanimous way, announces the visit of Her Britannic Majesty's Minister Resident, and Consul-General, and Captain Eustace Rooke, to the Minister of Foreign Affairs yesterday as follows:—"British Minister Resident Wodehouse, accompanied by Capt. Rooke of the Champion, paid an official visit to President Dole yesterday morning."

Thurston,--after he saw Gresham



The Shareholders in the Cyclorama.

Good-by Billy.

It is generally reported that Mr. W. O. Smith has resigned from his position as Attorney-General.

If there is any truth in this report we can only compliment Mr. Dole and his government, but we can hardly realize the possibility of Mr. Smith performing such a remarkable and gentlemanly act. Of course, if Billy really has gone and done it again and become a private citizen and simply a partner in the drug store of the gentleman who doesn't write rot for the Chronicle—we have no more use for him and the learned Attorney will not be known in our columns any more except he succeeds in making himself conspicuous once more.

We are informed that Mr. C. L. Carter has been appointed Attorney-General. If that appointment had been made about seven months ago, the situation would perhaps have been entirely changed.

HERE WE GO AGAIN.

The volunteers have all been called on duty. The HOLOMUA is frightfully scared. For God's sake let us see some Americans.

LEPROSY AND VACCINATION

TO THE EDITOR OF THE AUSTRALASIAN.

Sir:—My attention has been called to the brief notice in *The Australasian* of my recently published volume, *The Recrudescence of Leprosy and its Causation*, and I shall be glad of space for further explanation. It is needless to say that the question of the connection between vaccination and leprosy is one of urgent and imperial importance, and must sooner or later command the attention of everyone interested in the public health, and in well-being of our vast colonial populations.

Evidence to show that there is such a connection was laid before the Select Parliamentary Committee on Vaccination as early as 1871, by Dr. R. Hall Bakewell, then visiting physician to one of the largest leper

hospitals in the West Indies, and vaccinator-general for Trinidad, but the idea was poohpoohed by the chiefs of the poor law boards of that time (who had probably never seen a case of leprosy amongst them), and the evil was allowed to go on unchecked until it has reached its present alarming dimensions. Evidence of a much wider experience has been laid before the Royal Vaccination Commission now sitting in London under the presidency of the Lord Chancellor.

The eminent bacteriologist, Dr. Edward Arning, of Hamburg, who spent three years in the Sandwich Islands studying the causes of the serious increase of this scourge, says—in a paper read before the Berlin Medical Congress in 1890, and published in January, 1891, on the transmission of leprosy—that "a very remarkable accumulation of fresh leprosy cases took place in 1871-73 at Lahaina, on the island of Maui, Hawaii, about a year after a general arm-to-arm vaccination. From 50 to 60 cases occurred suddenly in this locality, which up to that time had been comparatively free." Evidence pointing in the same direction has been given with particulars of cases of invaccinated leprosy by Professor W. T. Gairdner, M. D., F. R. S., of Glasgow; Dr. John D. Hillis, of Demerara; Professor Montgomery, of San Francisco; Dr. Rodger S. Chew, of Calcutta; Dr. S. P. Impey, of Robben Island, South Africa; and other well-known authorities. Dr. Arning, Dr. Hansen, and Professor Montgomery, discovered the leprosy bacilli in the virus of vaccinated lepers. At a meeting of the Microscopical Society of Calcutta, reported in the *Englishman* of Calcutta, 23rd December, 1890. Dr. W. J. Simpson read a paper on the Bacillus Lepre. Dr. Simpson said he had vaccinated three lepers with vaccine lymph, and had found the bacilli in very large numbers in the lymph obtained from the pustules formed on these patients. He had blistered a patient over a leprosy tubercle and got bacilli in the serum from the blister, but they were not nearly so numerous as in the vaccine lymph. As all bacterial diseases are inoculable these experiments show the danger of vaccination.

I am aware of the numerous attempts (in my judgement most cruel and unwarrantable) to inoculate human beings with leprosy and syphilis *per se*, and of the alleged negative results. The late Dr. George Hogan, who had given many years close attention to the subject, maintained that the leprosy virus is mixed with vaccine lymph as in the process of vaccination, the transmission is easily made, and this will account for the alarming increase of leprosy in countries where leprosy is endemic, and vaccination is enforced. About 120 pages of my volume, with high medical testimony and particulars of numerous cases of invaccinated leprosy, are devoted to this part of the case.

During my visit to Hawaii, in October, 1890, several members of the Honolulu Legislature, and other influential residents, begged me to make known the facts concerning this special danger, and to assist them to get rid of a medical ordinance which was

neither adapted to the native race nor to their climatic conditions, and was decimating the population with the most hideous and destructive of human afflictions.

Allow me to conclude by thanking you for calling attention to the subject through your influential columns.—Yours, etc.,

WILLIAM TEBB.

Dovenshire Club, St. James's, London, Aug. 30.

THE FRENCH PACIFIC CABLE.

In response to representations from Mr. Patterson, Lord Ripon, Secretary of State for the Colonies, has addressed a circular letter to the colonial governments condemning the action of the eastern colonies respecting the New Caledonia cable. He states that Her Majesty's Government cannot but view with regret the action taken by the Governments of Queensland and New South Wales, as it implies a departure from the principles with regard to colonial cohesion and the consideration of Imperial interests, to which prominence was given in the discussions of the Colonial Conference of 1887. They share the views expressed by the Victorian Government that inconvenience, loss, and, indeed, danger, to both colonial and Imperial interests, might arise in time of war if the Pacific cable passed through New Caledonia.

In reply to this rebuke, Sir George Dibbs said that the Imperial authorities seemed to forget that the Eastern Extension service ran half over the globe, and through a tremendous lot of foreign territory. He agreed with the views of the Home Government, and held firmly that a separate line passing through English or protected territory was absolutely necessary. He had discussed with Mr. Mackenzie Bowell the need for a new cable to Canada, and he believed something would come of the matter. The New Caledonia line would wake the British Government up to the necessity of constructing a separate cable to Vancouver, via New Zealand, Fiji, Samoa, and Honolulu.

BUNDABERG, Monday.

The final splice of the cable was made yesterday, and the Francois Arago has returned to Bundaberg to land the surplus cable and renew her stores. She goes to Brisbane or Sydney to be docked prior to visiting Noumea for cargo. M. Ronillard and the principal officers of the expedition return to France by this month's mail steamer.

BRISBANE, Thursday.

A letter has been addressed by Mr. McKenzie Bowell, the Canadian Minister of Trade, the Premiers of the colonies enclosing a communication from Mr. Sandford Fleming, one of the directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company on the cable question, and asking if the Australian Governments will send representatives to a conference to be held at some central position in the colonies to consider the subject before Mr. Bowell's departure.

Matter of Fact.

Mr. Faxon.—It has been figured that Jay Gould's fortune in silver dollars would require one hundred and fifty-six cars and eight locomotives to move it.

Mrs. Faxon.—Indeed! Where is it to be moved to?

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Reward.

A Postal Savings Bank Book No. 465 has been lost at my residence during this month. Who ever finds it and returns same at my residence at Heeia, Koolau-poko, Oahu, or at the law office of Jas. K. Kaulia, in Honolulu, will receive a reward.

MRS. MIKALA KAULIA. Honolulu, Oct. 23, 1893. oct23 1m

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