

Popular Topics of the Day.

This filibustering business is growing monotonous; the people who are engaged in manufacturing rumors should switch off and do something else or the government will lose confidence in them. Such reports do the country no good and we fail to see where the rumor makers are benefited—Hawaii does not seem to mind it much for things are as quiet and peaceful here as in a well conducted grave-yard.

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EDITOR BULLETIN:—The eight young lady school teachers who arrived in Honolulu on the S. S. Miowera, returned to their homes in Victoria on the Warrimoo on Thursday last. This is the first excursion of the kind that has visited Honolulu from British Columbia and will, no doubt, be followed by many more in the near future. Amongst the party was Miss Agnes Deans Cameron, principal of South Park School, Victoria, who is a bright newspaper correspondent, and who will, no doubt, give Hawaii a splendid advertisement in the Victoria press, as all the ladies were perfectly charmed with their sojourn here. The boast of this country has always been its exceptional advantages as a resort for tourists. This is all very fine so far as climate, scenery, hotel accommodation and all that sort of thing is concerned, but unless a little of the milk of human kindness and hospitality is thrown in these count for naught. We would like to know how many of the local teachers entertained these young ladies while they were here, and how many families invited them to their homes? Even the newspapers, with two exceptions, failed to refer to their presence in the community. This may seem a small matter to be discussed in a newspaper, but then it must be remembered that life is made up of little things and some of the items apparently very insignificant at that. The fact is that eight highly respectable and cultivated young women from a friendly country have been permitted to spend eight days in Honolulu, and with a single exception did not receive common ordinary hospitality. Had it not been for the fact that friends of some of the ladies in Victoria communicated with members of the Scottish Thistle Club here the pleasure of the visitors would have been very much curtailed. The officers of the Thistle Club deserve credit for their forethought in extending hospitality and information to these ladies. While here the visiting teachers engaged rooms at the Hawaiian Hotel and also carriages to be at their disposal whenever required. They took advantage of every moment of time to take in the sights and were sorry their vacation term did not permit them to stay a month in the country. On Wednesday evening they entertained the few friends they made in Honolulu to a dinner such as the Hawaiian Hotel can put up, when a very pleasant evening was spent. Your correspondent views the tourist travel as one of the chief sources of income to this country in the near future and every effort should be made to encourage it and make people coming here under similar circumstances to the above feel that there are good, warm-hearted, hospitable people living here and that it is a pleasant place to come to in every sense of the word. I venture to say that if ever a party of teachers from Honolulu have the good fortune to visit Victoria, B. C., especially if they are ladies and alone, they will not find any clam-shell exclusiveness there, but lots of good baked clams and a warm welcome to as pleasant and refined homes as there are to be found in Honolulu, and first to receive them and give them welcome will be Miss Cameron and her friends who recently visited the Paradise of the Pacific.

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