

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Rice is now coming to this port very freely.

Light rains and heavy winds are reported from Hawaii and Maui.

Hon. H. P. Baldwin has donated \$2,000 to the Kammakapili church.

The infant son of Mr. E. P. Low died Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The Planters' Labor and Supply Company's conference adjourned Wednesday sine die.

It is reported that a rifle association has been formed on the island of Maui, but particulars are not yet to hand.

Mr. Parker Makoee is said to be still suffering from illness at San Rafael, California, and shows few signs of recovery.

In another column is the Tax Collector's notice to taxpayers for the present year. It requires careful attention.

Mr. Justice Dole rendered a decision Oct. 30th in the case of Ah Hin vs. H. A. Widemann, in which His Honor allowed the demurrer.

"Barnes' Hawaiian Geography" is published, and a few advance copies have reached the Board of Education. More copies will follow soon.

There was a dinner and dance on board H. B. M. S. Espiegle on Friday evening, the Royal Hawaiian Band was in attendance to furnish the music.

A Hawaiian jury acquitted R. W. Wilcox on a charge of conspiracy Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The jurors were nine for acquittal and three for conviction.

Dictator Wilcox had a grand inquest at Palama on Wednesday evening. Many of the natives took of their hats to him, and Missy Wilcock's name went from mouth to mouth.

The silver cup trophy, to be presented by the coming long earnings and how to enjoy them in the home circle. Read the advertisement for information.

It is stated that the Hawaiian jurors who acquitted Wilcox found fault with the supper that was served to them. It is questionable whether they earned any supper, but some people never can be satisfied.

The contents of the Planters' Monthly for October are given elsewhere. From these contents it will be seen that the subjects treated in the magazine of the monthly are of a very interesting and instructive nature.

Advices have been received by the S. S. Alameda of the death of Captain W. G. Bush in New London, Connecticut.

Eighty men are now engaged in the construction of a road from the landing to the upper Government road at Hahaione, North Kona, Hawaii.

It is notified in our "By Authority" column that tenders will be received at the office of the Board of Education until 12 noon on the 20th inst. for the construction and completion of a school house at Miloli, South Kona, Hawaii.

In our "By Authority" column it is notified that sealed tenders will be received at the Interior Office until November 20th, at noon, for the construction of a road from the landing to the upper Government road at Hahaione, North Kona, Hawaii.

Preparations for the widening of Alakoa street, between King and Hotel streets, are being made by some of the landowners on said street, by trimming the grounds to the required width. It is therefore probable that the work of widening will soon begin.

The Board of Education has awarded school-house building contracts as follows: School-house at Manoa, Honolulu, to H. F. Bertram; school-house at Kalaheo, Molokai, to Tuck Lung Chong; and an addition to school-house at Kaula, Honolulu, to P. A. Anderson.

The following sports were on the Alameda en route to the colonists: Duncan C. Ross, champion swordsman of the world; Captain Brewer, champion wing shot of the world; and Professor Donaldson who seconded LaBlanch the marine, when he defeated Jack Dempsey on 27th August last.

The Mechanics' and Workmen's Union held their usual weekly meeting in Knights of Pythias Hall, Fort street, on Friday evening—a good attendance in point of numbers being present. Sixty-eight members were added to the roll—the total of membership to date being reported at 490.

The manner in which bricks are being landed from the Lady Lampton, puts the quality of the bricks to a severe test, and guarantees the soundness of the material laid into the walls of Honolulu buildings. Bricks that can stand the tumbling referred to, without breaking must be strong and tough.

The residence of R. Penik, Esq., the District Justice of Hawaii, was destroyed by fire on the 23rd inst. The cause is not known. Nothing was saved. Five books of records of the District Court for that district were destroyed, as well as \$208.50 of fines and costs belonging to the Government, besides about \$70 in cash belonging to Mr. Penik and all his personal effects.

The proprietor of the Enterprise Planing Mill on the Esplanade, C. J. Hardee, died at the Queen's Hospital Wednesday morning of consumption. Deceased has been afflicted with this lingering disease for a long period, and for many months back had felt his strength gradually failing. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon from his late residence, Queen street, to Makiki cemetery where the remains were interred.

Mr. C. J. Lane, marble cutter of this city, deserves great credit for the fine work from his chisel displayed upon the tablet unveiled at Kawaiaho Church yesterday in memory of the late Rev. Hiram Bingham, the first pastor of that historic church. There are over two hundred words on the tablet—all as clearly and artistically executed as could be done anywhere. It is a work of art of which any marble cutter might justly feel proud.

UP IN THE CLOUDS.

Successful Parachute Jump by Prof. Van Tassel.

The well advertised local event of the season, a balloon ascension and parachute jump by Professor Van Tassel, took place from Kapiolani Park on Saturday afternoon. Some two thousand people were on the ground at the hour advertised, 3 o'clock, but the balloon did not sever contact with mother earth until an hour later. At 4:02 the lines were parted and the balloon sailed quickly upward, Professor Van Tassel with his parachute, being attached as an appendage. At 4:08 the balloon reached its highest point, variously estimated at from two to three thousand feet, and a minute or so after, the daring aeronaut severed his connection with the balloon and came rapidly earthward with his frail support, successfully accomplishing the first parachute jump attempted in this kingdom. Prof. Van Tassel states that (which was plainly apparent while the balloon was in easy view) the ropes of the parachute got twisted or the jump would have been made from a greater height. Mr. Frost the manager states that the party remains in Honolulu but three weeks longer. Mr. Levey, to whose energy the public are indebted for the exhibition, hopes to arrange for another and higher jump.

The Concert. Prof. Felix Ollert was honored with a very good audience, on Saturday evening, at the Opera House, and he was plainly in his best trim. The grand piano used by him on the occasion was a very superior instrument, and in his hands was heard to best advantage.

The violin solo by Miss Katie McGrew was very well executed, and was received with applause by the audience. Though not last on the programme mention has been reserved with regard to the masterly manner in which Prof. Ollert rendered the difficult execution in the renowned musical chef d'oeuvre of Liszt's arrangement of the March from Wagner's famed opera of Tannhauser.

The song by Mrs. Paty and the duet by Misses Dowsett and Rhodes, were also well sung. Mr. Hoop's comic song was given in its best vein. The following is the programme:

- 1. Piano, Salut a Peste—"Marche Hongroise" de Concert... Kowalski
2. Piano—"The Elite Value Brilliant" Felix Ollert
3. Duet (Soprano and Alto)—Harp of the Winds... Abt
4. Violin Solo—Chanson Polonoise... H. Wieniawski
5. Song... Mrs. J. H. Paty
6. Piano Solo—"Tannhauser March" (Arranged by Liszt)... Wagner
7. Comic Song—"Will come back—L. Denza" Mr. W. H. Hoops
8. Piano Solo—"Recollections of Home" Felix Ollert

An Important Sale. The following bonds and stock were sold at auction on Saturday at the salesroom of James F. Morgan:

Eleven \$500 Government 6 per cent. bonds to A. Drier; \$2,850; three \$1,000 Government 6 per cent. bonds to A. Drier at \$1,130.

Ten shares Paia Plantation, par value \$100, to A. Lazarus at \$200; ten shares Paia Plantation, par value \$100, to W. H. Purvis at \$250 50; sixteen shares Paia Plantation, par value \$100, to J. B. Atherton at \$280.

Twenty Union Feed Company, par value \$50, J. F. Hackfeld at \$60. On account of whom it may concern—Ten shares Ooakala Plantation, par value \$100, to Mrs. M. D. Hall at \$100; ten shares Ooakala Plantation, par value \$100, F. W. Macfarlane at \$105; ten shares Ooakala Plantation, par value \$100, J. F. Hackfeld at \$105; twenty shares Ooakala Plantation, par value \$100, to Col. Jona. Austin at \$105.

Sold per order—Fifteen shares Hawaiian Agricultural Co., par value \$100, to Mrs. F. E. Hobron, trustee, at \$167 50; ten shares Hawaiian Agricultural Co., par value \$100, to T. W. Hobron at \$167 50; ten shares Hawaiian Agricultural Co., par value \$100, to J. F. Hackfeld at \$167 50; ten shares Hawaiian Agricultural Co., par value \$100, to Hon. W. O. Smith at \$167 50; twenty shares Hawaiian Agricultural Co., par value \$100, to Col. Jona. Austin at \$167 50.

Ten shares Ooakala Plantation, par value \$100, Order \$105. Total sum realized from the Harcastle estate, \$30,140; on account of whom it may concern, \$5,280; per order, \$11,567 50; horse and mule sale, \$729 50. Grand total, \$38,061.

The Investigation. The first investigation, in regard to the recent maneuvers of the steamers Kinawa and W. G. Hall off the coast of Maui, was held Thursday. The captain and other responsible officers of the Hall were examined; and, on Monday next, the captain and officers of the Kinawa will be subjected to a similar ordeal. These examinations are under the Customs' Bureau, and the Board of Examiners upon this occasion, as selected by the Collector-General, are: Captain A. Fuller, harbor master; Captain H. W. Mist, R. N.; and Captain P. E. Shepherd, a pilot of this port. They are all as well qualified for this duty as any to be found in Honolulu, and the public may trust to them that action in accordance with the facts elicited will be taken. The harbor master is chairman of this Board of Examiners.

Election of Officers. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Paia Plantation was held Tuesday, when the following officers were elected for the coming year: H. P. Baldwin, president; W. O. Atwater, vice-president; J. B. Atherton, treasurer; T. W. Hobron, secretary; and T. May, auditor.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Koloa Sugar Company was held Tuesday when the following officers were elected: W. E. Anton Cropp, president; H. F. Glade, vice-president; John F. Hackfeld, treasurer; E. Muller, auditor; C. M. Cooke, recording secretary.

HILO NEWS LETTER.

The Second Literary and Musical Club of the season opened well. The first piece a piano solo was played by Miss Meserole of Brooklyn, N. Y., and was rendered in a very artistic manner. There were recitations by Miss Weight, Misses Alexander and Hitchcock, and Mr. A. B. Loebenstein whose selection was the relief of Lucknow—Mr. J. Napier playing the bagpipes. It was very effective and was a treat. There were readings by Mrs. Loebenstein and Mr. J. Moir. Duet piano and violin; Mrs. A. B. Loebenstein, Mr. C. J. Stevens. Male quartette, Dr. Williams, Mr. Severance, Mr. Lord, Mr. Burt. Quartette, Mrs. P. L. Lord, Mr. A. W. Burt, Mr. P. L. Lord, Mrs. H. C. Austin. At close there were some excellent choruses well gotten up.

There are at this time twenty-three brakes and fifteen carriages in Hilo in use, and five more will come on the next Kinawa. All are anxious to go through with them to the Volcano. No doubt they will be generally used for that purpose, and there will be many brake boys on the road which will make a blacksmith shop necessary at the half-way house.

The Catholic Mission students, some of them, are making rapid progress in taking fine pictures. They will take a small photograph and make a large picture from it, and execute it in a splendid style. They have many of these pictures on exhibition at Silva's photograph window, Hilo, which have been spoken of as being very life like. Lately there has appeared the picture of a Mr. Wilcox who was kindly treated by the Hawaiian people, and has been trying to repay them lately. The last picture on exhibition is that of Gen. John A. Logan—very life-like.

On the ever memorable day of October 28, 1889, four amateur photographers met on the banks of the Waialama river, Hilo, with each a camera for the ostensible purpose of taking views of that enchanting locality. They met by chance each being ignorant that there was any one coming but themselves. They were all respectable gents, characters without a blemish, and in love with art. In their line they were all artists, and as they are all modest gents I shall not name them. There were:

- 1. The American Consular Officer.
2. The Deputy Collector-General of Customs of the great Hawaiian Kingdom.
3. Our new doctor, just arrived, always genial, and who will make lots of friends.

Last but not least, our new school teacher, whose school is increasing quite rapidly on account of his popularity. Well, you should have been there and seen them laugh when they began to get their cameras ready for action. They got their (4) faces each under the black cloth of their (4) cameras. There seemed just then to be more than a usual number of people, wading across the Waialama, and some ran as for dear life for fear the artists wished their pictures, which they did not care a snap about. They wished only for the charming landscape, not the watercourse. So the four (4) artists had a jolly good time and will ever remember the meeting of the four on October 28, 1889. Amateur photographers seem to be increasing rapidly and some of our photographers are making beautifully truthful pictures of Hilo and vicinity.

The natives at their dances in the rink dance the Lancers much, and often dance Yankee Doodle and seem to enjoy it hugely. They go in to it as though it gave them special pleasure. It pleases some foreigners also.

The tax assessor has only given those who wish to appeal, only one day for that purpose.

Two murders reported—a Japanese in Hamakus, and a Chinese in Kona. The sheriff, ever alive to his duty, has gone to look after the cases. J. A. M. Hilo, Oct. 31.

Advertisements.

Administrator's Notice! ALL PERSONS HAVING claims against the Estate of J. R. HAL-LIDAY, late of Paaloa, Hamakua, are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned within six months from the date of the publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred. And all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned or to R. M. HOBSON, Executor.

Executors Notice! NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons having claims against the Estate of THOMAS H. HOBSON, late of Honolulu, deceased, to present the same to the undersigned within six months from the date of the publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred. And those indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

NOTICE! ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY notified that any debts contracted on behalf of the Estate of JOSE ESPINDA, without my written order, will not be paid. And all persons are cautioned not to purchase any of the Personal Property belonging to the said Estate, except from the undersigned.

NOTICE! NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at a meeting of the Kipahulu Sugar Co. held in Honolulu, on the 21 day of October, 1889, the following officers have been elected for the ensuing year:

- President..... T. F. Hackfeld
Vice-President..... H. F. Glade
Treasurer..... Ed. Muller
Secretary..... H. LOSE
Auditor..... O. Unna

Tax Appeal Notice. THE TAX APPEAL COURTS for the several taxation districts in the Second Division, will be held in the month of November, A. D. 1889, as follows:

- Waialua—Court House, Tuesday, the 19th, 10 A.M.
Pukou, Molokai—Court House, Monday, the 25th, 10 A.M.
Lahaina—Court House, Thursday, the 28th, 10 A.M.

Tax Collector's Notice. THE TAX COLLECTOR FOR the District of Kau and Puna will attend at the times and places specified below, for the purpose of receiving annual taxes:

- KAU:
Honouliuli, November 16, from 7 A.M. to 9 A.M.
Hilo, " " " " 10 " " 12 "
Paahoa, " " " " 12 " " 2 "
Pahala, " " " " 12 " " 1 "
PUNA:
Kahala, November 20, from 3 P.M. to 4 P.M.
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Waiohoku, Kau, on all other dates to Dec. 15.

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Plantation Supplies of every description. Hart's patent "Duplex" Die Stock for Pipe and Bolt Cutting; Manila and Sisal Rope, Rubber Hose, Wire bound Rubber Hose, Spincaster-grip; Sprinklers and Sprinkler Stands.

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Auction Sales.

BY J. F. MORGAN. SLOOP YACHT! AT AUCTION.

On Saturday, Nov. 9th AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON. At Brewer's Wharf, I will sell at Public Auction, The Center-Board Sloop Yacht LORNA DOONE!

Formerly the REFORM, in good order, with Topsail and Spinnaker, in addition to Regular Sails.

TONNAGE 1.46. Record—First Prize in Second Class Yacht Race on 16th November, 1887; and Second Prize in Yacht Race of July 7th, 1888.

The Vessel can be inspected on application to JAS. F. MORGAN, Auctioneer.

Auction Sale of Leases of Desirable Building Lots AT WAIKIKI.

On Wednesday, Nov. 13 AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON.

At my Salesroom, Queen Street, by order of H. R. LILIUOKALANI, I will sell at Public Auction,

The Lease for 20 Years! Of the following Desirable Building Lots, suitable for Residences, situated at Waikiki, on the main Road, and being a portion of the Waikiki Property of H. R. Liliuokalani.

Lot A—Size 175 feet front and 186 deep; this Lot adjoins the bridge and is on the main road leading to the Park. The Lot is fenced.

Lot B—Adjoining Lot A, has a frontage of 130 feet on main road, and is 186 feet deep.

Lot C—Adjoining Lot B, frontage of 130 feet on main road, 186 feet deep.

Lot D—Adjoining Lot C on main road, Has 130 feet frontage and a depth of 186 feet.

Lot E—Size 140 feet by 360 feet, at rear of Lots A, B, C, D has a frontage on a new road 35 feet wide, connecting with main road to Park.

Lot F—Adjoining Lot E. Size 140 by 360 feet.

Lot G—Adjoining Lot F. Size 140 by 360 feet.

Lot H—Adjoining Lot G. Size 140 by 360 feet. All these Lots are level and well planted with grass. The Waikiki Cars run past the front of the Lots.

The Lots are situated about 50 feet from the Beach. Parties purchasing any of these Lots will receive gratis a 20 year lease of 50 feet of Land on the Beach, for erection of bath houses and bathing facilities. Rents payable semi-annually in advance. A Chart of the Property can be seen at my Salesroom.

For further particulars apply to J. F. MORGAN, Auctioneer.