



CONGRESSMAN WILLIAM M. SPRINGER.

Congressman Springer, of Illinois, chairman of the Committee on Banking and Currency of the House, has prepared a national currency bill. By issuing notes on state, county and municipal bonds Mr. Springer proposes to combine all advantages of other financial schemes.

PEDAGOGUES.

An Interesting Teachers' Meeting at Wailuku.

WAILUKU, Feb. 13.—According to notice published in the ADVERTISER, most of the teachers of the district assembled promptly at 1:30 P.M. on Saturday, the 10th instant. Miss Charlotte L. Turner, chairman of the "Ways and Means" Committee, took the chair and soon had everybody engaged taking in a lesson in drawing, conducted by Mrs. J. L. Dumas. This was a continuation of Mrs. Dumas' former lessons, and the whole should be taken down in full and filed away for use in the class-room work.

We are so fortunate to have among us so many thoroughly-competent and capable teachers, who are wholly devoted to the cause of education. Miss Turner continued her language lesson, using a sweet orange leaf and a taro leaf. If one could only give in a communication like this, Miss Turner's own manner of conducting these lessons, they would be invaluable. We are sorry to erase the work from the boards; we want to keep it to show our classes how skillfully sentences are made, and how profitably contrasted words may be used by small children. Everything properly done without any great effort, but with unbounded satisfaction. It is such a pleasure to see teaching done in a Horace Mann style.

Every one seemed delighted with the work done by both Mrs. Dumas and Miss Turner, and well they might, for it would be difficult to find two better teachers. These meetings are certainly doing wonders for our younger teachers, and the older are so willing to give their time, that the next meeting is to be held on Saturday, March 17th, when Frederick Froebel will be discussed. We look forward to this meeting with the eagerness, for the seventy years from 1782 to 1852 will furnish us a fine stock of teaching lessons. Those present were:

- From Kamehameha Preparatory, Miss A. E. Mudge.
- From Paia, Miss Rose Ellen Crook.
- From Ulupalakua, Mr. Alex. Ilihia.
- From Waikapu, Messrs. A. St. C. Pihanaia and Moses Kahimahu.
- From Waihee, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dumas, Miss C. L. Turner and Miss Blanche Horner.
- From Wailuku, Misses L. M. Cunningham and M. E. Chillingworth and John A. Moore.

The chairman appointed Prof. J. L. Dumas, Misses Blanche Horner and Bessie Akana a committee to arrange a programme for the next meeting.

Public Moonlight Concert.

The Hawaiian Band, under the leadership of Professor Berger, will give a public concert this (Friday) evening at 7:30, at Thomas Square. Following is the programme:

- PART I.**
1. Overture—"Eliza and Claudio"
 2. Ballad—"Thoughts and Tears"
 3. Miserere—"Il Trovatore" Verdi
 4. Selection—"Patience" Sullivani

PART II.

 5. Selection—"Stradella" Flotow
 6. Waltz—"Love's Old Sweet Song" Bucalossi
 7. Waltz—"Turkish Patrol" Michaelis
 8. Galop—"Light as a Feather" Nicolai

"Hawaii Pono!"

A European mathematician of world-wide celebrity claims that from a single potato a careful cultivator could raise 10,000,000,000 tubers within a period of ten years.

A RASCALLY SCHEME.

Japan to Restore Mrs. Dominis by Force.

The latest news from Hawaii should be perused by the Government of these islands with attention and interest, for it is manifest that the rare and noble opportunity which Japan has of restoring the queen to her throne has not yet passed away forever, and no such favorable chance for this country to creditably distinguish itself in the cause of right, may ever occur again.

The elevated and statesman-like message from the President of the United States, read by the American Minister at Honolulu to the confederates there, reflects the greatest credit upon Mr. Cleveland and his Cabinet. Queen Liliuokalani has accepted the conditions dictated to her by the authorities at Washington precedent to her restoration to sovereignty, but the usurping Government refuse to step down and out as required to do by the President, and state their intention to hang on to the posts which they have filched for themselves. In this contumacious course it is to be presumed that they are placing reliance on annexationists and Republicans who regardless of right and most other respectable considerations, are carrying on an excited and unconscientious opposition to the President's views in several of the Republican journals, and even the pulpit is in some measure relied on, in aid of the dishonest course taken by the revolutionists in carrying out their nefarious design.

In spite of all obstacles, it will be incumbent on the President now that he has put his hand to the plough, to go through with this business; the House of Representatives have already approved of his action, and we apprehend the Senate also will affirm it, for it cannot surely be tolerated that the hand of conspirators, principally American, who have seized on the government of an independent kingdom at peace with, and friendly to the United States, shall be allowed to continue in possession, being without so much as a shred of legitimate authority from the Hawaiians themselves.

There is, however, nothing to prevent the Japanese Government from exercising the power of intervention to dispossess the usurpers, and restore the rightful ruler to her throne, an act by which Japan would gain an immense amount of credit in the estimation of the world. What is there to hinder her from setting about the achievement? We apprehend nothing of any consequence whatever. Possessed of ships of war with nothing whatever to do, with men and arms in abundance, and the certainty of success crowning the effort, the adoption of a spirited policy in Hawaii, such as that which is recommended, would be regarded with widespread approbation, except of course by the few who have created the present situation for their own advantage, and whose conduct is entirely in opposition to the unswerving and time-honored foreign policy of the United States.

We see it stated amongst the Hawaiian news, that what is dreaded by the usurping Government is an apprehended interference on the part of Japan, which it is thought that the royalists will be likely to invite if disappointed in President Cleveland.—Japan Herald.

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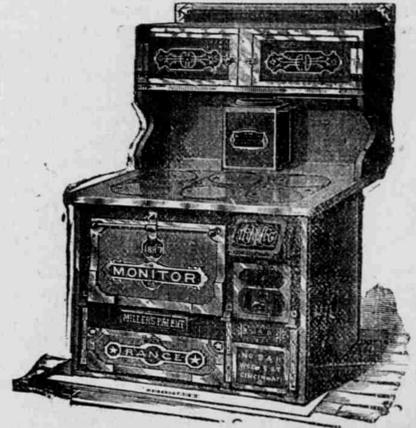
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