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BRADSTREETS, the New York journal of finance and public economy, in its comments on the opening of the Legislature of Hawaii says: "It is now recognized on every hand that the statements indicating that the government of the republic was tottering were without foundation, and that the story about Minister Thurston being engaged in planning to restore the monarchy was simply a canard."

ANSWERS TO IGNORANT SIMPLICITY.

At last the "friend of the working man, foreign capital, etc., etc.," has succeeded in getting a few definite ideas on the electric railway bill, and penitently asks a series of questions to bring it out of the woods of doubt. Ignorance is at all times to be pitied, and we cannot refuse the humble request for enlightenment. Among other things it asks "if a line running through Thomas Square is a trifle?" If this could be avoided, it would undoubtedly be better, but as the Tramway Company's lines occupy both King and Beretania streets, it is impossible for the Hotel street line to be built without going through the square. The company is limited to a right of way twelve feet wide, and the method of construction and the material used is to be such as the Minister of the Interior shall approve.

"Are exemptions from taxation and import duties trifles?" That depends on circumstances. The bill transmitted to the Senate exempts the company from taxation for two years, or in other words, during the period of construction. As there would be no taxation during construction anyway, this is not saddling the community with a particular terror, to say the least. With the possible exception of the rails, the material for the construction and equipment of the road will be purchased in the United States. As this material comes to the country free of duty in consequence of the reciprocity treaty, the concession is not a remarkable one.

"Is the absence of consideration a trifle?" This is decidedly ambiguous and reminds one of Jim Fisk's query, "What is there in it for me?" It is also asked if "no stipulation of service or character of plant" is a trifle. Our contemporary evidently has not read the bill. Section 26 reads, "The company may make reasonable and just regulations with the consent of the Executive Council regarding the hours during which the cars shall run on said streets and roads, and the fares to be charged and collected by said company * * *". The franchise also requires a high standard of construction, "made in a substantial manner according to the best modern practice and under the supervision of the Minister of the Interior." The whole construction of the road is under the direction and subject to the approval of the Minister of the Interior. If our contemporary has no confidence in the Executive Council and the Minister of the Interior, it had better come out and say so and not beat about the bush. The community, however, has that confidence and that is sufficient.

"Is it a trifle that the 'schemers' refuse to offer any guarantee that they will do anything but trade on the valuable concessions which the Government might as well sell?" It is a notable fact that these valuable concessions have never been regarded of sufficient moment for any other company to come forward and offer to construct the road. Our contemporary once

said it wanted an electric road for the city. Is this sudden change of heart evidenced by the "friend of foreign capital, etc., etc.," caused by the failure to see any money or benefit in an electric railway?

The company asking the franchise has not refused to put up a bond. It is understood that they are perfectly willing to do so, as soon as the Government or any of its representatives will assure an undisputed right of way. About one-fifth of the right of way must be acquired by purchase, the Legislature being asked to grant the remaining four-fifths. Can the "friend of foreign capital, etc., etc.," tell how long it will take to acquire this right of way? Neither purchasers, arbitrators or the Supreme Court can be controlled or "hustled along" by the company.

There is another general question about the "glittering generalities" in which the promoters are dealing. The editor must be studying Yankeeisms. When he cannot answer a question he asks for information. The standing of the foreign "promoters" is easily ascertained. The three Victoria gentlemen are wealthy business men, occupying prominent and responsible positions. They have the confidence and respect of the community in which they live and are thoroughly acquainted with the operation and management of an electric railway. If the company is a "combine," it is a combination of good capital and practical experience.

LITTLE has been heard lately of the proposed union of Central American republics. The executives are, however, making an honest endeavor to remove the sources of friction between the different states. One subject that has been given careful attention is the restraining of exiles from either country residing in the others from fomenting or assisting revolutions. Detailed accounts of the action taken have not been made public, but it is well understood that an arrangement has been made whereby this fruitful source of disturbance will be eradicated, and revolutionary spirits kept under surveillance during their residence in either Honduras, Salvador or Nicaragua.

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By Lewis J. Levey.

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Just at this time Eastern mercantile houses commenced directing their attention towards Japan for closer business relations, but unfortunately for them the report was circulated that foreigners were barred from doing any business in the Empire. Until 1868 Japan had very "dark days," but in that year the existing form of government was overthrown and a new dynasty stepped into power with leaders who saw that the future of the country depended on reciprocity.

As we are all familiar with their more modern history, it is needless to describe their phenomenal success and the rapidity with which they adopted the manners and customs of their Eastern competitors.

It is to be hoped that their recent success in overthrowing the Chinese will not so assure them of their being unable to err, that they will stand in the light of their own advancement.

People say this is the fin-de-siecle age, but from the appearance of the streets of Honolulu, one would think that it was the fin-de-bicycle age. "Coming events cast their shadows before them," as will be plainly seen by the sale of the MONARCH BICYCLE since its arrival in Hawaii nei. When we first considered taking the agency for the "Monarch," we, of course, expected that it would give the other bicycle agents something to think about. No one, if they had been asked to give a conservative estimate on the length of time it would take us to sell our first consignment of eleven wheels, would have guessed it correctly, and when we state that it took exactly four days, we feel certain that they would have asked to see our books in order to verify what we say. In fact, we are glad we have the books to show, otherwise we would be tempted to doubt our own word.

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NO. 12.—SPLENDID BUSINESS Property on Nuuanu street, just above Beretania, now brings in \$600 per annum and water rates; 43 feet frontage by 105 feet deep. For terms call on the undersigned.

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