

# BY BRUTE FORCE

## Chinese Prisoners on Kauai Were Handled.

News Notes of Garden Isle. Grand Ball in Honor of Jubilee.

KEALIA, Kauai, June 5.—Interest in the Kapaa court proceedings during the past week have been centered in the case of one Ah Young, a Chinese merchant, doing business at Kapaa, whom the police have had under surveillance for some time, in the belief that he was dealing in dope.

Last week Deputy Sheriff Coney effected his arrest. He was captured in the act of selling a tin of opium, by the aid of stool pigeons, marked money, etc., and placed in jail to await trial in default of \$2,000 bail, upon the two charges of opium in possession and selling the drug contrary to law.

Attorney J. A. Magoon, of Honolulu, was retained by Ah Young. The case was tried before the District Magistrate this week. Mr. Young was found guilty upon the latter count and received a sentence of six months' imprisonment and fine of \$500. Appealed.

Another case of more than ordinary interest was that of several sportive gentlemen from the Flowery Kingdom, who were indulging in an innocent game of che fa the other evening. They did not notice the intrusion of a policeman. The exponent of law and order invited them to accompany him as far as the Kapaa jail. They deferred and seemed rather reluctant to comply, but they changed their minds and went and they went quickly, too. The manner of their going was unique. The policemen have such persuasive ways about them. It is usually irresistible and proved so in this instance. They generally carry the persudor in a belt about their waist, but this fellow hung his in a coil upon the pommel of his saddle, and this is the way he managed it: The Chinese sports were fastened together in pairs, like brogans, the difference being that in the shoes were fastened at the heels, while in this case the Chinamen's hands were fastened. A lariat was then passed through the right, the end fastened to the pommel of the saddle. All ready, they disappeared in the darkness; away they went, lickety-split at a gallop, a la Texas cowboy. But the sportive Celestials not being accustomed to this mode of rapid transit, got rattled, lost their equilibrium, spilled over and were dragged across the Kapaa flat to the jail. They were rattled, indeed—at least, they had that appearance when they reached the end of their remarkable journey. They survived until next morning, however, when they were brought up before "His Honor," who sentenced them to one, two and three months in jail, respectively; possibly meeting out justice in accordance with the probable time it would require to heal their wounds.

And the officer, what of him? I believe he was arrested and fined \$10 for his bit of fun. In justice to the regular police force of Kauai, it is only fair to add that this particular brute was a "special." Perhaps Goo Kim may find it expedient to visit this Garden Island again, in the near future.

It strikes the ordinary mind just a trifle singular that it is so much more sinful for a Chinaman to play che fa than it is for white gentlemen and ladies to indulge in the fascinating game of poker, even if it is only "penny ante," and a nickel limit.

Very pretty invitations are out for a grand ball, given in honor of the celebration of Diamond Jubilee of Her Britannic Majesty, on Friday evening, June 18th, at Waimea, Kauai. The following gentlemen are the committee in charge of the affair: John Anderson, Dr. D. Campbell, James Cowan, James Dyson, T. H. Gibson, R. W. Hamilton, James Ogilvy, Francis Gay, chairman; James Scott, floor manager, which is a guarantee in advance of success, and a most delightful evening for all in attendance. Saturday, the 19th, will be given over to sports and festivities.

Wednesday, June 24, Mrs. R. C. Spalding returned to her home at Kealia, from an extended tour of Japan.

Col. Z. S. Spalding departed for the Coast last Saturday, after a brief visit to his plantation at Kealia.

The Kealia mill is still grinding, but will probably round up the season's crop early in July. The output will be in the neighborhood of 10,000 tons.

The James Makee arrived at Kapaa this morning, and will depart for Honolulu this afternoon with a full load of M. S. Co's sugar.

Shipments from this port for the week are: June 3, 2,550 bags sugar, M. S. Co.; 120 bags rice, Wong Fat and Ne Faun. June 5, 2,650 bags sugar, M. S. Co.

Weather is warm and dry; wind, regular northeast trades.

### Hagey Social Club.

This club held its first semi-annual election of officers under its new constitution last evening. Allen B. Serimgeour was unanimously elected president; John G. M. Sheldon, vice president; Charles Henry White, secretary; Charles Lind, treasurer, and W. C. Lounsbury, sergeant-at-arms; Executive and Employment Committee, William Horace Wright, J. Copeland, J. H. Weatherbee; Entertainment Committee, J. W. Yandley, William Horace Wright, Frank Metcalfe, E. B. Thomas and J. K. Stewart. The retiring treasurer reported the financial condition of the club to be good.

### LOCAL BREVITIES.

An arrest has been made in connection with the recent hold-up on Beretania street.

John Ena and family will return to Waikiki from their Manoa home during the early part of this week.

Mrs. Rose and her daughter, Miss Anna Rose, of Hilo, who arrived on the Kinau Saturday morning, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brown, Punahou.

W. W. Dimond calls special attention to his large stock of plain and decorated English and American crockery. These goods are sold in full sets or single pieces.

Maj. J. Walter Jones will leave for Hawaii on Tuesday, to be absent several weeks. This will put Captain Camara, the senior captain, in command of the Second Battalion.

Among the arrivals from Maui ports on the Claudine Sunday were Attorney General Smith and Miss Ethel Smith, R. R. Berg and wife, C. von Hamm, J. Hedemann and A. Sinclair.

The Kapiolani race track is not in very good condition. If something is not done very soon it will be a case of spill in some of the bicycle races on June 11th and 12th. Then, again, the time will be very slow, and record-breaking will be impossible.

D. B. Smith, of the Manufacturers' Shoe Store, is distributing very useful, as well as a very ornamental score-card for the marksmen of the city. On the left-hand side is a Hawaiian flag, in colors, while on the right is a target, with bull's-eye very prominent. Included between these is the score card proper.

There is talk of a Y. M. C. A. bicycle track. Should the scheme go through the track will be run on distinctly sporting principles, and money will not have any influence. Such a track as the one proposed is just what the sporting fraternity of the Islands desire, and it certainly is in accordance with the wishes of the bicycle men.

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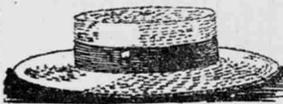
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