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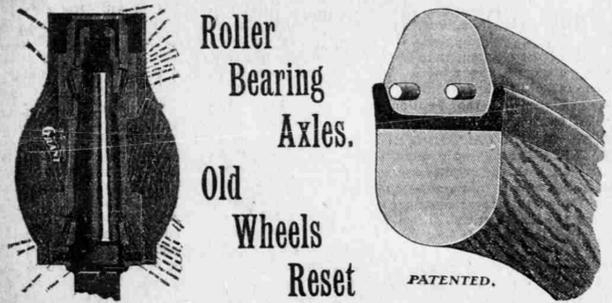
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THAT "PETITION"

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There is no possibility that the officers of the organizations named did not know of the frauds and forgeries enumerated above, and yet they have certified to the genuineness and correctness of each individual page, and have even taken oath before a Notary Public certifying thereto, and secured the certificate of the United States Consul as to the official standing of the notary.

A summary of the facts which appear upon the face of the male petition, inconsistent with its genuineness and bona fides, which must have been known to Kaulia and Johnson when they certified it, are as follows:

1. The petition certifies that the minor petitioners are between 14 and 20 years of age.

The male petition shows on its face that out of a total of 308 pages, 105 pages, or more than one-third, contain the names of 350 minors ranging from 2 to 13 years of age.

2. That on 31 pages of the male petition, the ages of 53 petitioners who are under 14, have been fraudulently changed to 14 or upwards.

3. That on 18 pages, 13 persons have signed 208 signatures as high as 46 signatures on one page being in the same handwriting (Page 164, male petition.)

4. In a great number of instances, the ages are all in the same handwriting and in round numbers only.

5. The signatures of the boys, 2 and 3 years of age, are in good, round handwriting. This may be claimed as evidence of the advanced educational system of Hawaii.

Each and every page above indicated is countersigned by Johnson and Kaulia.

1. The female petition shows on its face that 327 of the minors are under 14 years of age.

2. There is no separate certificate on the female petition that minors are over 14, but the common management of the two petitions is evidenced by the fact that on 73 pages of the female petition, the ages of 228 petitioners who are under 14 years, have been fraudulently changed to 14 or upwards.

3. On 42 pages, 43 persons have signed 1,104 names; as high as 126 signatures in one case and 178 in another being all in the same handwriting; and in one instance, 16 female names (page 8) and in another (page 240) are in the handwritings of well known men.

4. In a great number of instances the ages are all in the same handwriting, and in round numbers.

5. The signatures of the 2 and 3 year old girls are in good round handwriting, impossible to be genuine.

Each and every page indicated above is countersigned by Mrs. Aholo and Mrs. Campbell.

In conclusion I desire to make some explanation concerning the getting up and signing of petitions in Hawaii. It is common knowledge there, that even to a greater degree than in this country, there is little feeling of responsibility attached to signing a petition. Among the native Hawaiians especially, the feeling is that it is rather an honor to see one's name attached to a petition and that it would be unfriendly to refuse to sign a petition—am act which costs nothing. For example, the petition in question was, I am credibly informed, taken to many prominent supporters of annexation and they were requested to sign it simply to show that there was no hard feeling in the matter. Subscription papers were also passed around to raise money to send the Royalist delegation now in Washington, and leading annexationists asked to subscribe thereto. As an example of the irresponsible signing of petitions, which have come to my personal knowledge, I was a member of the Hawaiian Legislature in 1886, and noticing a native member sitting at my side writing at the top of a document which contained a number of signatures. I asked him what he was doing?

He replied that he was preparing a petition in support of a bill which he had introduced. I said, "Why you don't mean to say that you get your petition signed first, and write in the heading afterwards, do you?"

"Why certainly I do," he replied. "It's too much bother to send clear to my district to get a petition, so I had a lot of blank sheets signed up in advance, and every time I want a petition to back up one of my measures, I fill in a heading on one of these sheets." He thereupon pulled open the drawer of his desk and showed me 20 or 30 sheets all signed in blank with a space at the top in which to insert the object of the petition.

Another member of the Hawaiian Legislature once made a wager that within a

given time, he could secure a hundred signatures to a petition praying the Legislature to make an appropriation to move one of the Islands so that it would be nearer to headquarters and easier to get at. He got the signatures within the time named.

Dated Washington, D. C., March 4, 1898.

RUGBY IS LIKED

Honolulu Boys Best the Klondike Bound Team.

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HONOLULU 14. KLONDIKERS 8.

The line gives the score of the first Rugby football game to be played in these Islands. The match was witnessed by a crowd of 400 at the old Recreation grounds in Makiki yesterday afternoon.

While it was a friendly contest, it was fast and furious from start to finish, abounding in quick work and brilliant mass or combination and individual plays. There was not a single protest or dispute. It was a great victory for the town boys and the public will be all the more anxious now to see the charity game, scheduled for Saturday afternoon. Six of the Klondikers (off the S. S. Cape Otway) played for the Maori team against all England but a few years ago and of course showed true form yesterday. For real practice, the game of yesterday with the travelers was worth a whole season of hard work at home to the local XV. The Klondikers were delighted to have the opportunity of a game on their journey. They were under the disadvantage of lack of training, but not a man of the lot weakened during either of the halves of 25 minutes each. The Klondikers were immensely pleased with the treatment accorded them by the Honolulu boys and they declare that not a town in the world three times the size of Honolulu can show so good a Rugby team.

Captain Mackintosh and Prince Cupid made the feature plays of the day. In scoring they made magnificent runs and were enthusiastically applauded. Hamilton, Prince David, Sam Johnson, Sam Woods and Vida made a splendid forward line.

H. L. Herbert, the cricket captain, was referee. Viggo Jacobsen and Dr. H. V. Murray were the touch judges. All did satisfactory work. The experts remarked on the "passing" of Rev. Mr. Lane and Chris Willis. Bridge and Elers each scored a touch down for the visitors. For the home team Captain Mackintosh, Prince Cupid, Phillips and Woods scored. Goal was kicked from Mackintosh's try.

These were the teams:
HONOLULU XV.—A. St. M. Mackintosh, captain; W. Soper, Prince Cupid, Rev. G. R. Lane, Chris Willis, W. L. Stanley, A. Robertson, S. P. Woods, R. Hamilton, S. Johnson, W. Vida, Prince David, L. Singer, A. Phillips.

KLONDIKERS XV.—W. Bridge, captain; Pooley, Elers, Baird, Grant, Jonsen, Sweaton, Cunningham, Morrissey, Levaen, Coyan, Harting, Blake, Mantivera, Francis, Blair.

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The Minister does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any bid.

(Sig.) H. E. COOPER, Minister of the Interior ad interim. March 29, 1898. 4879-3t

SEALED TENDERS.

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