

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

The S. S. Roshina is due to-day.
 Beautiful Embroideries at L. B. Kerr's.
 The Monowai is expected to-morrow.
 Get a Piano Coupon from L. B. Kerr.
 The Board of Health met this afternoon.
 For Holiday Goods go to N. S. Sachs.
 Five hundred and sixty turkeys came on the Kioau.
 Miss Alice Winter is now principal of Ookala school.
 To-day's matinee of the circus was crowded with school children. They were delighted.
 A Miranda has had his charge of larceny dismissed. A. V. Gear got his stamps back.
 Mrs. Dumas is now an assistant in the High School in place of Miss Crane, resigned.
 The Japs still draw a crowd at their acrobatic performances. They are worth seeing.
 Ladies Real Hemstitched Handkerchiefs from 75 cents per dozen up at L. B. Kerr's.

J. C. McCartney has resigned the charge of the Waipio school on account of ill health.
 Scalloped Border Handkerchief price 50 cents per dozen, at L. B. Kerr's. This is cheap.

By the China we have an addition of nearly 1000 more to our population—and all Japanese.

Lewis & Co., grocers, have received a lot of Hawaiian cauliflower from Waimea, Hawaii.

Men's Fast Black Socks, reduced from \$3 to \$2 per dozen, at B. F. Ehlers & Co.'s Fort street.

See the steeplechase at Wirth's circus this evening. It is even better than playing the races.

Silk Parasols direct from Paris, the best ever seen in Honolulu, at B. F. Ehlers & Co.'s, Fort street.

J. Lightfoot is now the teacher of the night school as well as vice principal of the High School.

Fancy Table Covers, Silk Drapes, Fans, Hand Bags, just the thing for Christmas at N. S. Sachs's.

M. S. Levy has handkerchiefs in all styles and prices, and everything you want as Christmas gifts.

E. R. Hendry, manager of the Hawaiian Hardware Company, has gone to Maui for a well earned vacation.

Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs, great bargains for Christmas gifts, at B. F. Ehlers & Co., Fort street.

W. W. Dimond is keeping open store evenings till the end of the holidays—that is if he has any more stock left.

Mrs. McLennan is still in a precarious state. Her daughter has recovered but the scar is probably not erasable.

Armstrong Smith has been honored by the Board of Education with an honorary life diploma without examination.

W. H. Coney of the Advertiser has finished his holiday trip to Maui. He feels better and the paper will too.

Wirth's circus to-night will be something extra. You ought to see it. If you don't you will miss something first class.

J. M. Kea has been elected Captain of Co. G, vice H. Kaia deceased. C. Wilcox is now first lieutenant, and J. Morse, second.

Our well-known and well-liked photographer J. J. Williams is back from his Volcano trip much improved in health.

Ehlers & Co. still have cloth suits made to order as bargains. But don't leave it till to-morrow. To-day is your last chance.

The woman's edition of Time is not out on time. But as it is for the kindergarten be sure and buy every copy you can see.

The Richelieu was filled with guests last night to wish many happy returns to Mrs. Freimann. Bartlett's menu was a success.

Entries to the New Year bicycle races close at noon Dec. 26th. The trophies are on view at E. O. Hall's and Hawaiian Hardware Co.

Henry Davis & Co. offer you turkey—also plum pudding. You had better go early before they withdraw the offer, owing to having none left.

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The missionary schooner Robert W. Logan was towed into harbor by the Eleu yesterday. 29 days out from San Francisco. She has a cargo of bibles.

Although the society for the prevention of cruelty to animals seems to have gone under, Judge Perry fined two Chinamen \$20 a piece for cruelty to their horses yesterday.

The average attendance at the Hilo branch of the Salvation Army has been 777 per week according to their statistics. The last report shows one man professing conversion.

First Lieutenant W. E. Wall of the sharpshooters has been unanimously requested not to leave them for the lieutenantancy of Company D. He stays with the boys and D gets left.

Since Townsend has left Lahaina-luna to be Inspector-General, O. Abbott has been appointed principal in his place, and his wife as assistant. J. C. Lenhart is now vice principal.

The conspiracy case against Sheridan and Underwood has been postponed to Monday. The prosecution waits for F. H. Hayselden, who is said to be the principal witness against the accused.

There will be an entertainment at St. Andrews' Priory on Saturday evening next. It is to help the Sisters owing to the extra expense in cholera time. Tickets are 50 cents each. Join in the good work.

Hilo has been shaken up, both as to soda water and arrests. And also as to our recent earthquake. It takes an earthquake to set the full force of the police on duty—and still the Hilo Tribune is not satisfied.

There will be a meeting of the Lei Ilima Social Club at the Hawaiian Hotel at 7:30 this evening, and a full attendance of all members is earnestly desired for completing arrangements for the New Year's Eve ball.

Tents Erected Fort and Bereania Streets.

Wirth's Circus

Proprietor..... Harry Wirth.
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W.W. DIMOND'S

It requires frequent changes of advertisements to get all of the many lines we carry to the notice of the public. You have no idea of the number of things we have for Christmas. We will tell you something new each week. A little about the usefulness of 5 O'clock Teas will interest you to-day. You must understand that these things are not merely for ornament, they may be put to good use even when the lady of the house is not dawdling over her tea cups. It is no longer a fad, but in a great measure, an article of necessity. One of them may be used even by the bachelor in making his morning coffee or his punch. Let us give you a recipe or two: Take a half glass of Scotch Whiskey, a glass of boiling water, a lump of sugar, some thin shavings of lemon peel; stir well and drink, if you like punch of this sort. If you have a five o'clock tea you will not have to run to the kitchen to get your hot water make it boil in the kettle which you have in your room. We can furnish you a little book containing thirty-three recipes for dishes in which the 5 O'clock Tea Kettle may be used in preparing. That is, we furnish the books to purchasers of the kettles which we sell at from \$2.50 up; marvelously low prices compared with what you have been paying. These teas are of the best quality—the difference in the price is the difference in the ornamentation and size.

To accommodate the public our Store will be kept open every night from now until after the holidays. We have to do this in order to accommodate the public.

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