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**LOCAL NEWS.**

The Moanui plantation began grinding last Wednesday.

Captain Davis reports fine weather on the steamer Lakelike's last trip.

A party went out to the Waikiki baths in a wagonette yesterday.

The Eureka and the Ella had each a newspaper mail for Mr. Soper.

Mr. L. B. Kerr will probably be back from England by the Zealandia at Christmas.

An overcast sky all day yesterday is probably a further premonition of a Kona storm.

One of eighteen horses shipped on the Claus Spreckels died on the passage from San Francisco.

The W. H. Dimond and the Claus Spreckels were nearly out of water when they arrived in port.

All the vessels arrived from the Coast within the past two or three days report an absence of trade winds.

The Kinu will sail for Kilo, but not the volcano, this afternoon, returning on Friday. Her volcano trip is deferred till Monday next.

Seventeen vessels arrived in port on Saturday—six steamers, one ship, one bark, one brigantine, two barkentines and six schooners. Two steamers, a barkentine and a schooner arrived yesterday.

There were three runaways yesterday, and still doubtful if the returns are all in. Two brakes hired from the Hawaiian Hotel Stables came to grief up the Valley, and "Joe Duke" upset Dick Davis out Waikiki way.

Mr. Z. K. Meyers' horse and buggy performed the daily runaway for Saturday. The horse came careering down Fort street at a tearing pace, but was stopped without damage by Mr. George Wilson, of the United Carriage Company.

At Chambers on Friday, before Chief Justice Judd, a hearing on examination of judgment debtor was had in the case of J. E. Wiseman vs. E. E. Mayhew. The defendant was examined and judgment reserved. Chas. Creighton, attorney for plaintiff.

The trustees of the estate of John Robello, an insane person, are seeking authority from the Supreme Court to sell their ward's property at Palama, Kailhi, Honolulu, and Waiohinu (Hawaii). Objections to the proposed sale will be received up to the 28th inst.

The billiard room of the Hawaiian Hotel was lighted on Saturday night with a pair of incandescent electric lights over each table. Opal shades softened the result, and the light was clear and steady. The arc lamp is still kept at the main entrance of the Hotel.

The S. S. Australia will sail from San Francisco next trip on January 5th, and thenceforward every twenty-eight days, coming between the Australian mail steamers and thus giving a regular semi-monthly service, to the great advantage of the business interests of these islands.

Fort-street Church Sunday school will have its Christmas festival at five o'clock next Friday, and on Sunday morning the children's Christmas service will be held in that church at the usual hour of worship. In the evening of the same day the choir will render the annual Christmas service.

The Hawaiian bark Star of Devon was 25 days hence to Fanning's Island. In returning she was fourteen days, five of which were spent in a calm in sight of the Oahu mountains. She brought about 250 tons of guano, which will be loaded on the bark Pacific for Hamburg instead of ballast, and 50 cords of ironwood. Captain Lovell was entertained at a luau before leaving the island.

Hon. J. L. Kaulukou, Marshal of the Kingdom, returned from his official visit to Maui by the Kinu, feeling better in every way than when he left. His intention was to go to Kohala, Hawaii, before returning, for the purpose of rectifying the bad state of affairs there. Hearing, however, of Chun Hook's escape and knowing that the approaching Supreme Court term added materially to the work of his office, he deferred the trip to Kohala till a more convenient time.

**Hotel Arrivals.**

Saturday—James Renton, C. A. Chapin, Kohala; E. K. Darrin, Denver, Col.; H. A. Vgorman, San Francisco; Geo. Glendon, Honolulu; J. H. Mahy, Volcano House; E. P. Drew, brig Claus Spreckels; W. Sherry, Heia. Sunday—Arthur E. H. Swift, Chas. Gay, R. A. Macfie, Jr., Kaula.

**QUITE POSSIBLE.**

Latest Theory of the Origin of the Pacific Navigation Company's Fire.

Mr. A. Frank Cooke, President of the Pacific Navigation Company, has informed our reporter that he believed he had traced the origin of the fire in that company's building. He had been informed that Engine Company No. 2, while practising on the water front just before the fire was discovered that evening, had their machine stationed in such a position that sparks from the funnel flew all over the building. The boards in the roof were put on green and had contracted, leaving cracks that in some cases came directly under the laps of the corrugated iron covering. As the sparks moved over the roof some of them were sucked in by the draught, igniting inflammable material on the attic floor and thus starting the fire.

If this theory is correct, and it is a plausible one, then the fire companies should have their engines fitted with spark arresters. Until that be done the engines when practising should give buildings a wide berth. The flying sparks from the engines are very strong when wood is being burned in the fire boxes.

**DO NOT BE SURPRISED**

At anything these days. At an alliance between the Spreckels party and people who have fought hardest against that party's dominance.

At those people having to fight harder than ever one day to save themselves from restored dominance.

At a gross betrayal of public confidence among the tribunes of the people one of these days.

At the obliteration of an honored motto.

At a foolish throwing away of the substance for the shadow.

At a beggar on horseback riding over the man who placed him in the saddle.

At the Oceanic steamers giving a real semi-monthly service.

At a newspaper repudiating its own report.

At Chun Hook turning up in some counting room with a kit of burglar's tools.

At the Samoa folly being persisted in.

At the granting of the opium license.

At the planting of valuable forests on Arbor Day.

At increasing business confidence with the beginning of the New Year.

At a lively holiday trade from this out.

At political discontent going down as sugar goes up.

At municipal incorporation in 1900.

At Smith returning with arc lights for the streets.

At the Herald seeing the New Year in spite of those who gave it but three months to live.

**SIDE LIGHTS.**

LIGHTS FOR THE MILLION.

The Pacific Hardware Company has a glittering and gorgeous assortment of lamps and chandeliers. Bewildering in their unit brilliancy by day, what must these lamps be when alight? The magnificence and variety of chandeliers could not be described in anything short of a whole issue of this paper. With all the lighting apparatus for utility, there is at the same place an ornamental lamp, of beautiful device, called the "fairy lamp." It can be used to set off a stand of flowers so as to make a veritable fairyland effect. All shabby old lamps ought to be laid aside on Christmas eve, for preservation till the antique craze of the twentieth century.

**SATURDAY NIGHT'S DISPLAYS.**

Several stores had a very Bostonian aspect on Saturday night, with their glowing light, resplendent display of rich goods, and throngs of customers. Mr. C. J. Fisher's Hotel street window presented a gorgeous picture of holiday wares, arranged in the most attractive style possible. Crossing over to Mr. Goo Kim's on the opposite corner, an exhibition was to be seen that rooted every stroller to the spot. The graceful festooning of ribbons and draping of rich fabrics above tiers of holiday gift goods could hardly be over-roughly in keeping with its title of the season, "Santa Claus' Headquarters," a labyrinth of juvenile playthings, of treasures of art and literature, in the midst of which the clerks moved spryly about, serving a continuous stream of customers. Next door was a crowd of gazers at Mr. Sachs' windows all the time, admiring the superb arrays of dress and millinery goods on one side and of an interminable variety of fancy wares on the other. Inside the store there was a steady crush among the mountains of dry goods all the evening. Further down Fort street Mr. Goldberg's store was a beautiful picture of light and color. His window on Merchant street is a masterpiece of showing goods effectively.

The "Pink of Key West" at McCarthy's. "As a true tonic, effective invigorator and genuine appetizer, Duffy's Malt Whisky is unequalled."

**SPANISH MISSIONS.**

Last evening Rev. Thos. L. Gulick, son of a former missionary on these islands and pastor elect of the Makawao church, preached in Fort-street Church, before a large congregation. His text was Romans x, 13: "For whosoever shall call on the name of the Lord shall be saved. But how shall they call on Him in Whom they have not believed? And how shall they believe except they hear? And how shall they hear except a preacher be sent?" In this text was a warrant for foreign missions, and he believed foreign missions constituted the one work left to Christians by the Lord's last command. In proportion to the work done by Christian churches in spreading the gospel to such as had it not were they blessed. The preacher would speak particularly of the eleven years in which he had been engaged in missions among Spanish speaking people—nine years in Spain, two winters in Cuba and last year in Mexico.

He gave several reasons why Christians of America and these islands should take a deep interest in the Spanish and Portuguese peoples. It was not true that the Spanish people were a decayed and a decaying people. They had fallen from their former greatness in the 15th and 16th centuries, but to-day were increasing in intelligence, in numbers and in power. Notwithstanding the large emigration to the American continent and numerous island groups in both hemispheres, the Spanish and Portuguese populations were increasing at home. Excepting the Russian, after the English, there was no language spoken by a greater number of civilized people than the Spanish. Max Muller had predicted that in a century 53 million would speak Italian, 72 million French, 157 million German and 505 million Spanish.

When the Panama Canal is opened this country will have direct communication with Spanish people. Then there are thousands of Portuguese in these Islands who should enlist the warmest sympathy of Christian residents. They should take an interest in Spanish people because they owed their very existence here to them, as he showed by reference to the intelligence and generosity of Spaniards which sent Columbus out to find the New World. He could rejoice that here, in the United States and every country that had the Bible, the Roman Catholic Church was so largely a Christian church. Alas, it was not so in countries with a closed Bible such as Spain. The preacher proceeded to give an account of the religious condition of that country according to his observation, and of mission work among its people, the results of which had exceeded those of most other foreign missions. There were not more than 20 to 25 Protestant missionaries in Spain during the first ten years that field was occupied, and there are now five or six thousand members of evangelical churches there. More Bibles were sold there every year than in Italy, which had been open a great deal longer. During his remarks the preacher indicated on a map the scenes of labor of his two brothers and himself in Spain.

**Police Court.**

Before Judge Bickerton on Saturday two victims of the social glass forfeited \$6 each.

Lee Chin was remanded till Monday on a charge of having opium in possession, his companion in trouble, Ah Ho, being discharged.

Nine native policemen of Wainane were accused of ill treatment of a Chinese storekeeper, and after partially hearing the evidence the case was continued till Monday.

A sailor named H. Everhardt deserted from the bark Discovery, and one named Otto Tillander from the bark W. H. Watson, last week.

**BUSINESS ITEMS.**

Everybody says the imported Candles at the Elite are yum-yum. Go and try some!

Miss Tuck, at Miss Barry's, Punchbowl street, has received by last steamer a large assortment of Stamping Patterns for fancy work.

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**FOREIGN NEWS.**

**EUROPE.**

**Rumors of War.**

A correspondent at Constantinople is reported, November 25th, as saying: "I have just had an interview with a British Navy attache who has arrived from a tour of observation around the Black Sea. He has seen nothing to warrant the assumption that Russia is meditating any hostile action. Russian officers, however, speak openly of an advance to be made upon the Bosphorus when its ironclad fleet is ready. Great preparations for defence are going on at Batoum. The large fort at the entrance is being extended, in order to mount six heavy guns. In addition to the present armament a new battery on the northeast side of the bay has been begun, and earthworks have been run up along the shore to westward, so as to prevent any hostile landing between Batoum and the Choruk river, which forms a strong barrier in that direction. Russia will force events, when she is ready, at the first favorable opportunity. This will not come before next year."

**IRELAND.**

**Dillon Prosecuted.**

John Dillon was summoned to appear in Court at Dublin on Tuesday, November 30th, for using language calculated to incite resistance to the execution of decrees and to intimidate. The citation called Dillon to find sureties for his good behavior, in default of which he would be committed to jail. Dillon and O'Brien, after the service of summons on the former, attended a meeting of Lord Dillon's tenants. They urged the tenants firmly to resist all attempts to compel them to pay unjust rents. It was expected that Dillon would fill all his speaking engagements before returning to Dublin. O'Brien, O'Kelly and McDonald, Nationalist members of Parliament, on arriving at Dublin November 27th, were greeted by great crowds, but the authorities would not permit them to address the people.

**English Companies Unloading Lands.**

London city companies have resolved to sell their lands in North Ireland on easy terms to tenants. The Salters' Company will transfer 25,000 acres at the purchase price, £20,000, under the terms of the Ashbourne Act. The Fishmongers' Company will transfer 20,500 acres at a yearly rental of £9,500. They offer to sell to the tenants a twenty years' purchase on Government valuation, the tenants paying annually 30 per cent under the present rental. The Drapers' Company offers 27,025 acres at a yearly rental of £12,500 at eighteen years' purchase. The tenants accept the offer. The transfer covers nearly all the county of Londonderry.

**Gen. Buller Converted.**

The New York Tribune's special of November 25th contains an important piece of news in regard to Irish affairs. It is in effect that Gen. Buller, who went to Kerry to see that the laws were rigidly enforced in behalf of the landlords, has been converted to a belief in the justness of the Irish peasants' demand to be relieved from oppression, and, what is more, that he has frankly told his convictions to Lord Salisbury's Royal Commissioners, who are now investigating the state of Ireland with the utmost secrecy.

**German Socialists Sentenced.**

The Court at Leipzig has sentenced the Socialists, Thener and Behlman, to two years, Kissling to two and a half years and Schumann to four years' imprisonment at hard labor for fomenting a riot on September 26th. The severity of the sentence has caused general surprise, as the prisoners were only taking part in a demonstration when arrested.

A young man and a young woman of Peoria, Illinois, have made a wager upon the fate of a Congressional canvass which makes the forthcoming election a subject of grave concern to them. If the candidate in question wins, the girl agrees to marry the man. If he loses, the man agrees to marry the girl.

**Band Concert.**

The Royal Hawaiian Band will play the following programme this Monday evening at 7:30 at Emma Square:—Overture—French Comedy... Bela Waltz—Southern Breeze... Meisler Cavatina—The Pirate... Bellini Selection—Rienzi, new... Wagner Owi Nani Medley—Christy Minstrels... Riviere Chorus—Last Days of Judgment... Schneider Waltz—The Sirens... Waldteufel Polka—First Kiss... Waldteufel Hawaii Ponoi.

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