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What it must be a subject of supreme satisfaction to the Chinese Emperor and his court, that the capital of

### PEACE TO BE PROCLAIMED.

Results of Oriental Plenipotentiaries Are Forecast.

#### JAPAN'S CLAIMS ARE ALLOWED.

Chinese Evidently Glad to Escape Under Any Conditions - Formosa, Pescadores, Korean Independence and Indemnity - Japanese Feeling Hostile.

Though the arrangements for peace have not yet been officially promulgated, the Government Gazette being silent on the subject, yet there does not appear to be farther reason to doubt that the plenipotentiaries who have exercised the responsibility of determining the terms of the agreement precedent to the termination of hostilities, have finally, after ample discussion, finished their labors, and the Chinese negotiators will shortly take their leave and return says the Japan Herald Mail of April 18th.  
Up to this no authoritative announcement has been made of the details of the compact, though it is not likely that publicity will be long delayed, but it is generally surmised that they will not be found to greatly differ from what was originally published in the Jiji Shimpo, and these were recognition of Korean independence; cession of Formosa and the Pescadores; surrender of a portion of Shingking; payment of an indemnity of 300,000,000 taels; and grant of certain trading privileges, which are to form the subject of a special convention.  
Upon the assumption that the above-mentioned demands substantially represent what has been agreed to by the plenipotentiaries, and without waiting for the publication of what has actually been determined, so far as can at present be ascertained, speaking generally, the Japanese appear to be far from enamored of the result of the labors of Count Ito and Viscount Mutsu, though what farther was expected to be wrung out of the Chinese to satisfy national avariciousness, is not very clear.  
Several of the journals are already writing against the terms of peace, and some of them published in the metropolis have been suspended by the authority of the Minister of Home Affairs. Elated by its extraordinary amount of success, both on land and at sea, the nation knows no moderation, and there appears to be no bounds to its exultation and its pride; it has become giddy and exhibits just as much rancor against China as though no peace had been discussed and amicably arranged.  
The present excitement of the populace is altogether irrational, but as is usually the case in this country, will be likely to end in nothing more formidable than an infinity of useless talk. The effervescence which prevails just now amongst civilians affords a singular contrast with the pacific sentiments which appeared to prevail so long as it was feared that the war, with all its trials, might prove of protracted duration, but no sooner is there an assurance of immediate peace than fierce public opinion at once veers round, and the war's continuance is the one popular sentiment of the day. We think that so far from dissatisfaction being justified, that the people of this country ought to feel, and be willing to admit, that their negotiators have made prodigiously successful and very profitable bargain with humiliated and victimized China. If the people of that unfortunate country complain of the hard terms which have been exacted by their conquering foe, which apparently had to be submitted to in order to stay hostilities, nobody could find fault with them for so doing, and the world will watch with interest what China finds to say on the subject.  
It does not seem to have yet occurred to the Japanese malcontents that the emperor, in whom is vested the prerogative of making peace as well as that of making war, must have been kept entirely conversant with the negotiations as they have proceeded, and it is consequently with his majesty's concurrence and approval that the terms of peace have been agreed to. The name and will of the sovereign is so potent that the cabinet will be able to still popular excitement by advising the issue of an imperial rescript dealing with the subject; the tempest of popular passion will then be stilled and calm prevail.  
Were it so to happen that the Emperor of China should be advised by the counsellors of the throne to refuse to ratify the agreement which the Chinese envoys have signed and sealed, that would be an act of inexcusable bad faith, since telegraphic messages have been frequently passing during the progress of the negotiations, it is therefore to be apprehended that nothing of importance has been agreed to by Li Hung Chang without previous sanction from Peking.  
What it must be a subject of supreme satisfaction to the Chinese Emperor and his court, that the capital of

his empire has been preserved from the violation and intrusion of the victorious troops of Japan, yet it must be confessed that the sacrifice by which that impending crowning humiliation have been averted are indeed heavy and grievous to be borne; but what will assuredly excite anxiety and some apprehension is what spirit will actuate the Japanese army when it learns that its ambitious designs to capture Peking and dictate the terms of peace there have been frustrated by what will be considered to be by them a disappointing and partially inglorious peace. The emperor, however, wills it, and, however distasteful it may be when his majesty's fiat goes forth, the army has no option but to loyally obey.

#### HAWAIIAN RELIEF SOCIETY.

#### Report of Receipts and Expenditures During Month of April.

Report of the receipts and expenditures of the native Hawaiian Women's Relief Society, organized for the purpose of supporting the fifty-two destitute families of the political prisoners, from April 4th to April 27, 1895:

	Weekly Receipts	Weekly Expenditures
April 4.....	\$ 314 10	
April 6.....		\$ 48 00
April 10.....	447 25	96 25
April 17.....	312 60	85 65
April 20.....	99 55	72 10
April 27.....		
Total.....	\$ 302 00	
Bal. on hand on April 27.....		\$ 862 50
Total.....	\$1164 50	\$1164 50

Cash given to fifty-two families for four weeks, from April 6 to April 27.....\$253 25  
Other expenses, as poi, repairing rooms for nine families at the Immigration Depot, etc.....\$48 75  
Total.....\$302 00  
JAS. K. KAULIA,  
Secretary.

#### PORT CHARGES REMITTED.

#### Contract With Canadian Steamers For Carrying Mails.

Made by Minister Damon Under the Act of 1894 - Other Companies Soon to Follow.

Minister Damon has recently closed a contract with the Australian-Canadian Steamship Company, under the Act of 1894, which remits to that company all the port charges except pilotage and water.

Though the agreement was completed but a short time ago the conditions will date from October, 1894. The contract is made under the Act authorizing the Executive Council to make contracts for mail service between ports of the Republic of Hawaii and North America, Australia and intermediate ports, and to grant aid to steamships carrying such mails.

The Republic grants the steamship company for the term of two years, freedom from all charges at the port of Honolulu for wharfage, lights, buoys, blanks at the Custom House and harbor-master's fees for the steamships plying between said ports; also grants free use of all those tracts of land in Honolulu known as lots No. 56 and 57 on the Esplanade, for storing coal not exceeding 3000 tons at any one time for the use of the company's vessels.

The steamship company on the other hand agrees during the term of two years to carry all Hawaiian mails without charge to this Government and to hold to the present schedule of passenger and freight rates.

It was the intention of Minister Damon to complete similar contracts with the Oceanic and Pacific Mail during his recent trip to the Coast, but a combination of circumstances prevented his so doing. It is only a matter of a few weeks, however, when all the steamship companies will come under the same contract. The money saved to the companies is from \$125 to \$150 a month.

Photographs of Company A have been sent to the ladies who kindly furnished them with edibles and refreshments during the late unpleasantness. Captain Smith has received numerous replies in return, thanks being extended.

### TO IMPROVE MAIL SERVICE.

New Plan of Postmaster-General Oat Put in Operation.

#### BENEFITS AND CONVENIENCES.

Location of Boxes and Hours in Which Mail Will be Collected - Record of Operations to be Kept - Route of Carrier Personally Inspected - Notes.



ROMINENT among the persons who believe in the progress and improvement of the Islands and especially of Honolulu is Postmaster-General Oat, who has just completed arrangements for placing mail boxes at various points in the city. Mr. Oat has had this scheme long in mind, but only lately did he see his way clear to put it in operation.

Following are the locations of boxes and time of collection of mail:

1. Waikiki road and Waikiki-kai 9:30 a. m., 3:10 p. m.
2. King street and Waikiki road 9:40 a. m., 3:20 p. m.
3. Lunaliilo and Keaumoku 9:45 a. m., 3:25 p. m.
4. Beretania and Victoria 9:50 a. m., 3:30 p. m.
5. Beretania and Punchbowl 9:53 a. m., 3:33 p. m.
6. King and Punchbowl 9:55 a. m., 3:35 p. m.
7. Emma and School 8:15 a. m., 2 p. m.
8. Nuuanu and Pauoa 8:20 a. m., 2:05 p. m.
9. Nuuanu and School 8:20 a. m., 2:05 p. m.
10. King (near Kamehameha School) 8:35 a. m., 2:20 p. m.
11. King (in front of O. L. & R. depot) 8:40 a. m., 2:25 p. m.
- Executive Building 9:55 a. m., 3:35 p. m.
- Judiciary Building 9:55 a. m., 3:35 p. m.
- Hawaiian Hotel 10 a. m., 3:40 p. m.
- Arlington (King street) 10 a. m., 3:40 p. m.

The boxes were placed in position on telephone posts yesterday, and are similar to those used in cities of the United States. The collection of mail from these will begin on May 1st.

In an interview yesterday, Mr. Oat said: "The scheme which I have just completed is in the nature of an experiment, and I hope it will prove a success. If the venture is successful, more boxes will be put up. I intend to keep a record of all the mail brought in from various localities where the boxes are situated. Should I find that certain boxes contain a great quantity of mail regularly I shall order more boxes in that vicinity. If, however, mail is very light in other localities I shall order the boxes removed."

"In regard to paper mail I do not think there will be any trouble. Papers may be placed on top of the boxes, as is done in the States. I have been over the route myself and have had men do the same. The time of arrival at the various boxes by a mail-carrier on a bicycle has been taken from these experimental trips. There are places where I have marked the time of arrival of the collector ideal. The reason for this can be plainly seen. The points are so close together there is no material difference in time.

"The plan of collection has been arranged so as to take in all the regular island mails and save persons living some distance from the postoffice the trouble of a long walk or ride."

Following are the trips of the collector as arranged by Mr. Oat:  
First—Leave postoffice so as to reach corner of Emma and School streets at 8:15 a. m.; thence to Palama and return, reaching postoffice at 8:50 a. m.

Second—Leave postoffice so as to reach Waikiki Kai road at 9:30 a. m.; thence by way of baseball grounds, Beretania street and return, reaching postoffice at 10:10 a. m.

Third—Leave postoffice so as to reach corner of Emma and School streets at 1:24 p. m.; thence to Palama and return, reaching postoffice at 2:35 p. m.

Fourth—Leave postoffice so as to reach Waikiki Kai road at 3:10 p. m.; thence by way of baseball grounds, Beretania street and return, reaching postoffice at 3:50 p. m.

By a glance at the collector's time of arrival at the postoffice it will be plainly seen how unnecessary it will be to send through the boxes anything for mails which close before 5:50 a. m., 10:10 a. m., 2:35 p. m. or 3:50 p. m.  
Great credit is due Mr. Oat for his zeal in searching for means of benefiting the public. In his position he has always been known to do everything in his power toward advancement. The Postmaster-General will receive the thanks of the entire community for the improvements he has recently inaugurated and which have been so long needed.