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LOCAL NEWS.

Ghost stories seem to thrive even in Honolulu.

A prayer meeting for ladies will be held this afternoon at three o'clock at Fort-street Church.

Mr. Cousins, of the circus troupe managed his "six in hand" admirably, yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Manual Cuhna and family will stop a month at Mr. G. West's seaside residence at Waikiki.

There is a lot of pink coral on exhibition and also for sale on board the barkentine Morning Star.

The bow oarsman of the Myrtle's Senior crew, is assuming the dignity of a man—his bread is prospering.

In the Civil Court Tax Collector J. Kaee obtained judgment against A. K. Kuniakaea for \$41.15 and costs.

Governor Dominis will leave for Maui next Monday by the Kinau. He will be absent about a month.

The algebra and geometry class will meet at the Y. M. C. A. building this evening at half-past seven o'clock.

The sidewalks on the corner of Maunakea and King streets are continually blocked by hand carts and their owners.

Yesterday forenoon, a Chinaman, named Ah Leung was arrested for attempting to pass a counterfeit American dollar.

The ornament that was mounted on top of the band wagon yesterday must have been specially imported for the occasion.

There will be no steeple chase at the Circus Saturday afternoon. The balance of the programme will be given as published.

The circus band paraded yesterday afternoon, as advertised. Mr. Cousins was complimented by all on his excellent driving.

The free Chinese bulletin on the corner of Beretania and Fort streets is better patronized than any other news place in Honolulu.

On the corner of Hotel and Fort streets yesterday morning between nine and ten o'clock, somebody seemed to be on the war-path.

Carpenters were at work yesterday putting in a new platform at the water hydrant for the watering cart, at the corner of Nuuanu and King streets.

Mr. T. Isay Oke, secretary to the Japanese Legation, has been appointed to the Foreign Office as assistant secretary, in place of the former incumbent.

Wooden platforms have been laid around the watering pipes throughout the town. The incessant pools of mud and water will, it is hoped, exist no more.

The closeness of the atmosphere was most intolerable yesterday, a welcome shower in the afternoon about half-past five gave considerable relief and was appreciated.

To-night at half-past seven o'clock, Captain Isaiah Bray of the Morning Star will lead the children's meeting at the Bethel Vestry. All young people are requested to attend.

Mr. Chris. Miller, formerly with Mr. J. E. Wiseman, starts a general agency and messenger business this morning. He will occupy part of Mr. Magoon's law office on Merchant street.

The Chinamen on Hotel street near Maunakea street, who have allowed cesspools to form under their places, have been threatened with arrest if the nuisance is not immediately abated.

Yesterday morning on Nuuanu street a careless Chinese hack driver, No. 10, allowed a rope attached to his horse's neck to become tangled around his legs. The result was almost a smash up.

The pool of mud and water that for some time past has existed on the corner of King and Maunakea streets has at last been rendered passable, by placing a wooden platform over the place.

Mr. J. Steiner, a clerk in the employ of Mr. Henry Hart was bitten by an enormous centipede last Monday. By prompt action, and immediate attention serious consequences were avoided.

Last night the senior crew of the Myrtle Boat Club were practicing with their new scull. Through an error of the bow oarsman they collided with the Knuckle Buoy damaging the boat to some extent.

The meeting of the Eclipse Rowing Club held a special meeting at the Y. M. C. A. last evening. Mr. W. J. Forbes tendered his resignation as President which was accepted. Mr. J. H. Reist was unanimously elected to fill the vacancy. Owing to the recent decision of the Rowing Association regarding what constituted a Junior, the club has decided to withdraw from that organization.

The authorities think that the fugitive Chinaman, Pap Sui, will attempt to escape to China by the Lady Harwood which sails for Hongkong next Monday. A thorough search will be made.

The usual stillness of the night was disturbed at the foot of Punchbowl hill about half past nine Wednesday evening by a quarrel between a native man and wife. The affair would have resulted in blows but for the interference of the woman's father.

The Kapiolani rowing Club, generally known as the "Feniens" were out exercising yesterday morning. Owing to the boat having no deck and the sea being unusually rough considerable water was shipped, compelling them to return to the boat house.

Mr. Frank Cooke sent his steam launch up to Hilo on the schooner Waimalu. Mr. Spencer goes up to run it. It will be used to tow boats with freight from the vessel to the wharf and also to tow vessels down the coast, if necessary, during the calm weather.

The Circus lot was the scene of a merry time yesterday afternoon. While a native was hauling some tent canvas from the grounds, the juvenile representatives of Honolulu were jeering their necks and limbs, by attempting to do impossible athletic evolutions.

At the Lucas-Bannister wedding Thursday evening Mr. James Dodd caused much merriment by donning Mr. H. Berger's hat and coat and with baton in hand assuming the leadership of the band. The boys played in time, however, in spite of Jim's contortions.

A Chinese hack driver had a little time with his horse on Nuuanu street, near Beretania street, yesterday. The horse settled the matter by refusing to go. The horse was taken out of the vehicle and the Chinaman took its place and pulled the hack to the stable.

The Rifles held a meeting last night. Private business was transacted. The Company is in thorough good fellowship and expects to soon re-establish its good name with the Government. It is stated that the King will expect the Honolulu Rifles to fill the position they at present occupy.

The opening of the new Kapiolani Leper Home will be celebrated at that place on next Monday morning at eleven o'clock. Invitations, numbering about two hundred, will be issued to-day. One hundred will be distributed among foreigners, the rest will be issued to natives.

At a meeting of the Myrtle Boat Club held last evening, the club has concluded to withdraw from the Association on the grounds that they do not consider it just for their Junior crew to row against the Iolani Club's Seniors as per rule passed by the Association at its last meeting.

Yesterday morning between nine and ten o'clock, six Chinamen escaped from the prison gang working at the Kamoli quarry. A gang of twelve men were sent to a distant part of the quarry. The luna in charge left them for a short time and on returning found six of the prisoners missing.

At half past four yesterday afternoon as the family of Justice McCully was driving along King street near Richard, the wheel of the carriage dished. Fortunately the horse was quiet and no one was hurt. The services of another vehicle was brought into requisition and the party drove home, none the worse for the accident.

The residents and storekeepers on Maunakea street near Beretania had the monotony of yesterday morning broken by an aged Chinaman who was terribly exercised over the loss of some charcoal, which he charged, was taken by the native women who kept a fruit store adjoining his place. At one time it looked as if matters would turn out seriously, owing to a broom which he threatened to use as a support to his argument.

The fine collection of genial Hart's curiosities has been augmented by some very rare pieces of handiwork of nature. The most worthy of mention is a pearl shell with a handsome piece of coral, resembling a tree, attached to the back. It would be almost impossible to enumerate all of the rarities comprising this valuable collection, suffice to state that there are many that would serve as useful ornaments as well as "curios."

O Luso Hawaiian, No. 9, is to hand, with a new feature, a "femillator," as it is called in the European papers, of a story in pure Portuguese language, written by a man on a plantation on Hawaii. This shows that natural genius is not lacking, even amongst the humblest laborers. Another feature, of course, of the greatest importance to the Portuguese readers, is the full list of the unclaimed letters now to be found at the Post Office.

The foreign news given by our neighbor are of a peculiar kind in this number, for they are extensively dedicated to the past event which has occupied the attention of all the press and all the people of Portugal. This is the triumphal return to Lisbon of two explorers, Ivens and Capello, both officers of the Portuguese army, who have accomplished through Africa a most perilous voyage, said, by their enthusiast admirers, to be far ahead of the celebrated expedition by Stanley. A fine selection of local news, keeps up as usual the interest of the Luso's friends, and we are glad to hear that their number increases daily, as it is only fair to Mr. Marque's efforts that they should.

The Circus last night was a "great big" success. You bet, Robert Love was a daisy and the way he jumped the hurdles, was a caution to riders in the ring who have had less experience than he. The performance of last night was in every way a success as was testified to by the crowd who gathered around the tent by half past seven o'clock. There will be no performance to-morrow night. On Saturday afternoon and Saturday evening performances will be given. Popular prices.

A meeting of the Board of the Honolulu Fire Department was held last night at the hall of the Mechanic Engine Company No. 2; Second Assistant Engineer J. Ashe presiding. There was a full attendance and considerable important business was transacted. Engine Company No. 4, petitioned for an additional number of twenty men. After a lengthy argument the matter was laid on the table until the next meeting. An important matter relative to organizing an engine company at Waikiki was laid before the Board by Mr. C. K. Miller. The suggestion was favorably received and a motion to that effect was made and carried.

They say that the editorial in yesterday's Press was unfair; that the house rents of Honolulu are coming down in the near future to meet people of moderate means; that the King's soldiers deserve more credit than they get; that the imposition of impositions is the street business; that the "Loves of the Angels" will be translated into Hawaiian; that Jimmie Williams does everything in a negative manner; that the Hotel street man who makes "puns" will be severely punished if he does not stop it; that George Kavanagh is growing thin; that the Government is a sort of good old thing-after-all; that the coolest thing in town is Henry Davis & Co's big ice safe; that the new road over the pali will be built by a stock company who will charge toll; that the custom of taking afternoon naps is becoming a Beretania street pastime; that the Circus band looked as handsome as a new wagon yesterday; that silver will soon be discounted by the Government; that newspaper reporters are constantly getting into hot water; that the restaurant business is looking up in Honolulu; that the best political prospects are sometimes dashed to the ground; and that the best investment in the Kingdom, at present, is to buy stock in the new colonization scheme.

Smuggler.—No. The 99 tins of opium "picked up" in the box by Marshall Dayton were not sold beforehand; they had only been contracted for, but the contracting parties failed to "catch on;" the Marshall made the haul. No offence.

One of 'em.—Yes, dear boy, we consider you are entirely right; whenever the Government is foolish enough to believe you, then there will be a great April fool.

X. M.—Yes, you know we have always advocated the restriction act; especially when it doesn't apply to ourselves or Government officials. O, no, we don't object, you know, we only demurred.

EDITOR HONOLULU PRESS.—Sir: A communication in yesterday's Gazette calls upon all foreigners who have been five years resident in this country to become naturalized and assume the duties and responsibilities of Hawaiian citizenship. I think the communication in question was written in ignorance of the law bearing on the subject. If my memory serves me, the present naturalization law which was passed by the legislature of 1882, requires not only five years residence but also the ownership of real estate in the Kingdom, to render any one eligible for naturalization. The law moreover, so far as the action of the Government is concerned, is not mandatory but simply permissive. It gives the Minister of the Interior the right at his discretion to issue certificates to such applicants as are eligible in accordance with the requirements above named and who in his judgment are desirable persons for citizens. It will be seen therefore that the Administration have the game entirely in their own hands. I suppose there can hardly be much doubt as to who would and who would not be considered desirable under the present regime.

FOREIGNER.

To the EDITOR of the DAILY PRESS: Seeing an article in your issue of last Thursday, which was derogatory to my character, in justice to myself I write this letter of information and trust you will publish the same. My story is as follows: Yesterday I asked the young man mentioned in your article, who is known as L. J. Martenier to attend the fireman's meeting, but he declined, stating that he was tired and intended to retire early. I returned from the meeting at twenty minutes of nine and found the house closed. I entered through the dining room door and went immediately to my wife's bed-room. I found this man lying out on the floor, refusing my wife's offer of a chair, close to my wife, who was sitting on a chair. I asked him what he was doing in such a position and instead of answering, he jumped up and made his escape. I immediately suspected that something was wrong and so called the police. My wife states that after my leaving the house Mr. Martenier entered, disguised with a long beard which he took off as soon as he entered the house. After setting in the

chair for a few minutes he sat on the floor. At the same time he invited her to take a ride; she asked him why he did not take his wife out to ride, at which he only laughed, and then calling her to him he caught her by the dress pulling her to a sitting posture on a chair; but from the way he acted it was evident that he tried to pull her to the floor. At that moment I entered and the rest is as I have already stated. I can furnish witnesses that I did not beat my wife.

Yours Respectfully, M. S. PERRY. I am willing to testify to what Mr. M. S. Perry states regarding myself. MARY PERRY.

The Coffee Blight.

EDITOR DAILY HONOLULU PRESS.—Sir: In your article, in the issue of October 28 on the threatened diminution of the coffee and orange crops of the Islands, through blight, I find in the solicitude expressed that an erroneous view might prevail, viz: that our agriculturists had done little or nothing to check the evil as it began to show itself. Reference to the "Transactions of the R. H. A. Society," Vol. 1, 1853 shows a report on the appearance of the smut blight attacking coffee, and other trees having dark leaves, and suggests that it may be caused by great moisture and an imperfect circulation of air. Pruning is stated to act as a preventative if practised in the proper season.

In the "Notes on the history of coffee culture in the Hawaiian Islands" in the Hawaiian Annual for 1876 it is shown that various remedies for the blight have been tried in different parts of the islands with little or no effect, among which are mentioned weak brine solution, kerosene oil, admitting flocks of sheep in afflicted groves, planting alternate rows of eucalyptus with the coffee trees, and planting at a higher elevation. This would show that coffee and fruit growers have not been indifferent to the inroads of the blight upon their products.

The writer has no knowledge of any trials of late, but it is worth the trial to practice the remedy reported in the Saturday Press the early part of this year, that was giving satisfaction in California, for the scale bug pest, viz: a weak solution of whale-oil soap sprayed over the branches and trunks of the trees by means of a force pump.

In this tropic land where the trees are in full leaf all the year round, the cultivator has not the advantage of getting so readily at branches and trunks as where the trees shed their leaves. In our trouble the smut is added year by year to leaves that won't shed, except to afflict new ones the quicker.

I join in the hope that some steps may be taken to overcome this evil, and if the above suggestion is acted upon by any one, I trust they will report the effect produced. T.

BON BON PARTY.

There will be a bon-bon party this evening together with a skating race and dancing at the Central Park Skating Rink. A special feature of the evening will be the Roller Coaster and those buying tickets to the Rink and not wishing to skate are allowed to ride on the coaster without extra charge. Dancing will commence at 8:30 o'clock and will continue until 10 o'clock if so desired. Ladies will be admitted free, and everything in the power of the manager will be done to make the evening one of pleasure. N. H. BABCOCK.

A CORRECTION.

In justice to the agent, Mr. John Montgomery, of the Medical Work which is offered at a reduced price at T. G. Thurm's Fort street store, the undersigned would state that this lot was purchased at a sacrifice, on account of being somewhat injured, and had to be rebound. The reduction casts no reflections on established agents subscription prices. THOS. G. THURM.

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ARRIVAL.

THURSDAY, October 31.—
Star Mokoli from Molokai
Star Likelike from Maui
Star Kinau from Maui and Hawaii
Star Kaulike from Kohala
Star Leahi from Hanalei
Star Mary Foster from Waimea
Star Kilauea Hou from Hawaii, Maui.

FRIDAY, November 1.—
Sch Laka from Hamakua
Star Waimanalo from Waimanalo
Star Planter from Kauai
Star Ehuakai from Waialua

MONDAY, Nov. 2.—
Sch Waimalu from Puna, Hawaii.
Sch Mile Morris from Koolau

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 4.—
Star James Makee from Kapaa, Kauai.
Star C. R. Bishop from Hamakua
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Sch Bertie Minor for Humboldt
Sch Kaulike from Kohala
Sch Leahi, for Hanalei Kauai
Sch Maunakea for all ports in Koolau
Star J. I. Dowsett for Molokai

TUESDAY, Nov. 3.—
Sch Likelike for Waimea, Kauai.
Star Kinau 4 P. M. for Maunakea & Hawaii.
Star Planter at 5 P. M. for Nawiiliwili, Koloa, Eleele, Kekaha and Waimea.
Star W. G. Hall, 3 P. M. for Maunakea, Kona, Kau and the volcano
Sch Caterina for Waimanalo
Sch Ehuakai for Waialua
Sch Waiehu for Kauai
Sch Rob Roy for Koolau
Sch Kawela for Koolau
Sch Sarah & Eliza for Koolau
Sch Rainbow for Koolau
Sch Mile Morris for Koolau

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 4.—
Star Iwalani 4 P. M. for Hamoa, Paauhau, Honokaa, & Kukuhiwa
Sch Laka for Kohala
Star Kilauea Hou for Hamakua

PESSERS LEAVING THIS DAY.

Sch Kulamau for Honolulu
Sch Waimalu for Lupaohoe & Maliko.
Star C. R. Bishop S. A. M. for Waianae, Waialua, Kilauea, & Hanalei.

ARRIVAL.

From Maui per star Likelike, Saturday Oct 31.—W. D. Alexander, E. D. Baldwin, Miss M. Benbank, Mrs G. C. Williams, C. F. Baldwin, W. D. Goodale, A. Enos & wf, W. Sammon & wf, and 78 deck.

From Maui, Hawaii and Volcano per star Kinau, Saturday Oct. 31.—J. C. Wason & wf, G. P. Robertson, N. E. Sainsburg, Dr. Partch, Mrs MacChinery, H. MacChinery, N. H. Bebock, W. Beckwith, T. J. Gay, G. Raas, A. Barnes, K. Wallace, A. Smith, J. C. Forsyth, Mrs C. S. Kymersley, Miss S. Bannister, J. Viera & wf, Ah. Dak, Capt J. Harrison & son, Mrs D. Taylor & son, and 146 deck.

From Waimanalo per star Waimanalo Sunday Nov. 1.—H. R. H. Kapiolani and suite, Mr. J. A. Cummings.

From Kauai per star Planter Sunday Nov. 1.—J. W. Alapai, Mrs J. Guerrero, Levi Guerrero, E. L. Kauai, Miss May Green, S. Aukai, W. Breda, C. T.uch, Mrs J. Robinson, T. T. Kalae, P. F. Ploger, G. B. Palohau, W. B. Kaona, Mr. Couchee, Ah. Wah, Ah. Kim Ah Sing, and 33 deck.

From Maui per star Likelike, Monday Nov. 2.—Howard Bryant, Mrs Schraeder & son, Mrs S. B. Suttill, and 75 deck.

DEPARTURES.

For San Francisco per star Alameda, Saturday Oct. 31st.—Mr & Mrs Wason, Mrs Sainsley, J. M. Oat wf & ch, S. May, R. Wallace, C. S. Kymersley, A. F. Judd & son, M. Grossman, D. B. Cunningham & wife, S. G. Wilder, Mrs J. Hyman, E. A. Bestingburg, W. Centre, W. G. H. win, Frank Brown, H. A. Wideman, Farini & troupe, Rev. J. Taylor & wife, Mrs Robertson, A. A. Sturges, S. Maginn, Mrs J. Congdon, G. B. Robertson, D. Moehonus, Mr. Garnisberg.

For Maunakea, Kona, Kau, and Volcano, per star W. G. Hall, Nov. 3.—H. B. Atkins, A. Enos & wf, G. NaRayama, T. Torii, A. Spencer and 50 deck.

For Kauai per star Planter Tuesday Nov. 3 Gov. Kamaea, E. R. Kawai, Miss Mary Green, A. McBryde, H. Forke, C. Tuck.

For Maui and Hawaii per star Kinau Tuesday Nov. 3.—Sam Parker & wf, A. Horner, T. Gay, D. Noley wf & ch, Mrs S. G. Wilder, A. F. Hopple, C. W. Ashford, W. W. Goodale, W. Green, A. Smith, H. C. Austin, Judge Preston, W. A. Whiting, L. Wilcox, W. Fabler, S. Tucker & wf, Mr. C. J. Wright, Judge Holokani, and 100 deck.

For Hamakua per star Kilauea Hou, Wednesday Nov. 4.—W. Breda, and 10 deck.

For Hawaii per star Iwalani Wednesday Nov. 4.—J. Marsden, T. S. Kay, W. H. Rickard, Miss E. Rickard, Mr. Lutz, and 40 deck.

From Waianae and Kapa per star C. R. Bishop, Wednesday Nov. 4.—H. A. Wideman, J. H. Patey, Mrs H. Macfarlane, Mrs F. Hastings, W. T. Rhoads, and 33 deck.

IMPORTS.

From San Francisco per bkine Discovery, 891 bales hay, 456 sis. mats, 710 sis. bran, 75 sis. wheat, 210 sis. middlings, 525 sis. salt, 135 sis. potatoes, 25 sis. onions, 25 sis. sugar, 25 sis. sugar, 1900 sis. flour, 250 sis. oil, 50 sis. break, 5 sis. tins, 8000 R. R. ties, 2 bbls wine, 250 doors, 16 blinds, 15 windows, 4 sis. varnish, 15 legs nails, 90 legs white lead, 32 bbls sack weights, 270 sis. barley, 170 bbls salmon, 75 bbls lime, 20,000 ft lumber, 269 pcs sewer pipe, 2562 split R. W. posts and 21,818 hard bricks.

NOTES.

The English bk Jupiter is still taking in rocks for ballast.

Two schooners were all the shipping that left Honolulu yesterday.

The bkine Discovery is discharging red posts. She brought a deck load of them.

New Advertisements.

Notice to Planters.

The undersigned wishes to make known to Planters that he has a variety of machinery which he would like to dispose of, either as a whole or in part, to those who may wish to purchase. The machinery is still new and in good order. The following articles are for sale:

1 Horizontal Steam Engine 12x24 inches (Eastern manufacture.)
1 Boiler 14 feet long, 5 feet diameter.
1 Boiler 16 feet long, 6 feet diameter.
1 Smoke Stack.
1 Mill 42 inches long, 26 inches diameter.
5 Centrifugals.
3 500-gals. Clarifiers with Iron Pipings.
1 Vacuum Pan, complete, 7 feet diameter.
1 New Blake Pump.
Several Coolers, Etc., Etc.

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General Advertisements.

CENTRAL PARK SKATING RINK, Corner Beretania and Punchbowl Sts.

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One great evil of this city is a certain feindishness displayed by restaurant keepers in the manner in which they slap victuals together and throw the same at their customers.

Worse by far than a certain Nevada Eating House where a tramp was in the act of walking out without paying. The irate cashier violently seized a pie crust, took deadly aim, and brought down the unfortunate free luncher, badly cut about the head. The Grand Jury afterwards held the cashier to answer for assault with a deadly weapon. Take for instance a Honolulu Hash Factory doughnut when cooled off. A leaden bullet is no where in comparison; then again some of the HOT CAKES would prove unworkable for mending old shoes and will stretch further than any rubber band ever made. From all such, etc., deliver us.

The above named instances of cooking depravity are much to be deplored.

A recent change in the Proprietorship of the ASTOR HOUSE (at all times famous for good grub) enables the management to greatly facilitate the suppression of such villainous systems of careless cooking which tend in such a marked degree to destroy the Human Digestive organs. Upon all occasions it will be found a real luxury to step into our Dining Parlors (no flies) and there partake of a savory meal cooked by our Champion Chef.

Every morning Boarders and Transient customers may order German Papnake, Tender Loin, Porterhouse, or Sirloin Steak, with or without onions, Prime Ham and fresh eggs Royal Breakfast Bacon, Fish every day, Rib Mutton Chop (none but the best of material used.) The midday bill of fare as published on the Bulletin Board is something that everybody should read and inwardly digest. For supper we supply in addition to the substantial goods. Sponge cake, Ice cream, Jellies, Fruit, and various other dainties. Some of our would-be competitors are surprised to know how we can sell 21 meal tickets for \$4.50. And in our elegantly appointed private dining room only charge 35 cent for meal.

The secret may easily be given away; the ASTOR HOUSE is centrally located and doing a large Transient cash trade. Meals at all hours produces a constant flow of ready money, thereby enabling us to go out to the market and buy at reduced rates for cash. Our patrons receive the full benefit of this superior system of dealing. All who have not yet experienced the luxury of eating at the Astor House can now come right in and be made welcome at the