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The tenacity with which the Nation holds to its support of the administration's Hawaiian policy is an exhibition of American journalism which though quite general is fast going out of date. The Nation set out to support President Cleveland, and the loyalty or bigotry, better the latter, of the editor to each and every act of the administration has led him a merry chase up diplomatic hills and down political dales to find good and sufficient data to explain the righteousness of his cause. It is done on much the same principle that a man gives his life for a friend. Fortunately for the United States and this country as well, the majority of the public journals have shown that there is a limit to the elasticity of even a partisan editor's opinions. The American politician stands in wholesome fear of the independent newspapers, which have made and unmade more than one political career.

AN INTERESTING decision which shows the foolish extent to which labor organizations allow themselves to be carried, was recently made in Queensland under the act which prohibits Polynesians being employed for skilled labor. Suit was brought because a Polynesian was employed in breaking rock in the field with a sledge and drill, and the judge was called upon to define whether or not pounding rock in this manner could be construed as coming under the head of skilled workmanship. The judge in rendering his verdict says, the Polynesian island laborer has been allowed to clear land of scrub, and also up to the present time permitted to use certain tools to break up stones and remove them; and he can then be employed to dig holes in the ground for the reception of cane plants. The process of drilling, in this instance, seemed to have been performed with the most primitive instrument in use. "A certain amount of practice in such work may be necessary to perform it expeditiously; but it cannot, in my opinion, be classed as skilled labor, if that were a proper objection."

The skilled laborers of Queensland must be getting in pretty hard straits to go into litigation on account of a farmer employing an ignorant field hand to break up rocks.

## SUBSCRIPTION FOR THE LEOPERS.

For sometime past the attention of the Board of Health has often been called to the dilapidated condition of the instruments used by the band at the leper settlement. These instruments have been in use many years and are dented, broken and worn out so generally that the best music that can be produced from them is of a wheezy, discordant nature, pleasant to the ear only because it is all there is to be had. As the band is practically the only source of entertainment and amusement available for the poor unfortunates of the settlement, it seems highly fitting that what pleasure may be obtained from this source should not be marred by the lack of ways and means which can be contributed by the public. The band is a local organization and it is hardly within the province of the Board of Health to furnish the funds for the new instruments. Hence the inhabitants of the settlement must content themselves with what they have until some one can see their way clear to give the needed money.

Certain it is that this has been a season of donations, and the public purse has been called upon to an unusual degree to reward the good work of many of our citizens. This object, however, appeals to a spirit of humanity, not sentiment, which cannot well be refused even though pocket books had been depleted to

a much greater degree than at the present time. If it were necessary, each and every citizen could well afford to sacrifice a few personal pleasures, if by so doing they could assist in brightening the lives of these people irretrievably cut off from the hope of return to the outside world.

It is stated on good authority that \$300 will be an ample sum to supply the needs of the band—a small amount indeed when the conditions are taken into consideration. That this matter may receive prompt and active attention the ADVERTISER has taken the initiative and offered its columns to inaugurate a subscription fund, each donation being credited from day to day as received. When a sufficient amount has been subscribed, the money will be collected and put in the hands of Prof. Berger or any other person who may be selected to purchase the instruments, which will be handed over to the Board of Health. We hope and expect there will be a universal and hearty response. Send your subscriptions to the ADVERTISER office and set the ball rolling.

## VOICE OF THE PRESS.

The Hamilton Star thinks that the acquisition of the Hawaiian Islands by the United States is not at all desirable.

If Mrs. Dominis really has had a share in the conspiracy to overthrow the Hawaiian Republic by force, it will go hard with her. But doubtless her head is secure, which is more than would have been true of President Dole if the conditions were reversed.—Boston Journal.

If Bro. Mitchell could be favored with a sight of the mongrel population of Chinese, Malays, Japanese, Portuguese and South Sea Islanders, the Hawaiian national debt, and a dozen or more other detestable things down there, his opposition would be considerably intensified.—The (Wash.) Mountaineer.

It is a pity that the Hawaiian question is complicated with partisan politics so much that nine-tenths of the newspapers in the country use the Hawaiian matter to make a point either for or against the Cleveland administration, totally regardless of even sound national policy, to say nothing of questions of abstract right or wrong.—S. F. Report.

This is the end of the "royal line" of Kamehameha, the "Kanakas Napoleon." There are a number of British subjects under arrest, as well as some American citizens, for complicity in the recent conspiracy. These persons are now appealing to the Ministers of their respective countries for protection. They deserve none. It is the duty of this country to protect its citizens when they are unjustly treated in foreign countries. But when they mix themselves up in the domestic broils of foreign governments with which this country is at peace, they are entitled to no shelter under the protecting folds of the American flag.—S. F. Argonaut.

## Sugar Statistics.

Mr. W. C. Ford, of the United States Treasury Department, reports that since the 28th day of August, 1894, there have been imported 405,000,000 pounds of sugar up to and including December, 1894. He estimates that in the next six months there will be needed of imported sugar for domestic consumption 712,652,000 pounds.

Of the sugar imported since the tariff act went into effect, 190,000,000 pounds came during the month of December, showing that sugar importations on a considerable scale are being resumed, and that the heavy importations of sugar prior to the tariff act—which came in free of duty and which he places for the statistical year of 1894 at 4,311,105,482 pounds, and of which 1,917,652,000 pounds were imported between June 30th and August 28th—have been practically consumed. He estimates that the import of sugar for the fiscal year of 1894 represented 1,200,000,000 pounds above the normal consumption which, with the imports between June 30th and August 28th, 1895, left of imported sugar in the United States 2,117,652,000 pounds.

Mr. Ford estimates from the figures given that the highest revenue obtainable from sugar annually under the present sugar tariff is about \$38,000,000.—[Louisiana Planter.

Keep your friends abroad posted on Hawaiian affairs. Send them copies of the ADVERTISER or GAZETTE.

## Timely Topics

March 5, 1895.

There's more satisfaction in the possession of a good cooking stove than in a large family of children. We have sold to three-fourths of the families here our celebrated Pansy stoves, and have never had a complaint from persons using them. They are good bakers and economists in fuel. We have them from \$15 to \$25 according to size. If you are in need of a stove you cannot do better than buy a Pansy.

The reason so many newly painted houses in Honolulu look so well, is because Hendry's Ready Mixed Paints are being used.

We have these made especially for this trade, because the climate is so severe on wooden houses that ordinary paints will not last any time. The pigment used in our paints is the very finest, and we have in addition to this a certain quantity of white zinc and Japan added. It is this combination that makes the paint retain color and gloss longer than the average ready mixed paints, or even white lead and oil that are mixed "while you wait."

Our stock of Wrought Iron Lamps is being rapidly disposed of; the people who buy them are those who understand harmony, and who recognize the fact that this style blends with almost any decorations. This lot was selected from the best at the factory, the burners are the celebrated B & H and the price will be quite satisfactory.

We have more sorts of Filters for ridding drinking water of impurities than you have any idea of. That a filter is a necessary article around a house, every physician in the country will testify. If you doubt the physician take a bucket of water from the hydrant and let it stand twenty-four hours and see if you can count the millions of squirming things that are in the water.

The Avery Plantation Implements have proven a boom to managers whose aim it is to get off large crops at small expense. The following letters are the opinions of the gentlemen who wrote them, they are a sort of echo of the expressions of managers who had used the implements before.

ONOMEA SUGAR COMPANY,  
PAPAIOU, HAWAII, February 25, 1895.  
MR. JOHN A. HENDRY, Wainaku, Hawaii.  
DEAR SIR:—The Onomea Sugar Company has now in use three of the Stubble Diggers.

I think these machines are indispensable for the proper cultivation of ratoon.

We have never had an implement that would so thoroughly loosen the earth around the stools, and put the soil in such condition that the air, moisture and fertilizer would so readily find access to the fine roots of the cane and the roots around them.

I am glad to testify to the merits of these tools. The sugar Land Die Cultivators arrived too late for much use in the cultivation of the last young plant and ratoon, but I believe they will prove to be very useful and labor saving implements in districts where cane is raised without irrigation.

Yours Truly,  
WM. W. GODALE,  
Manager Onomea Sugar Company.

HAKALAU, HAWAII, February 16, 1895.  
MR. E. R. HENDRY, President and Manager Hawaiian Hardware Company, Honolulu, Oahu.

We use the Avery Stubble Digger, Fertilizer Distributor and Cane Cultivator. They save labor and do the work claimed for them. The Stubble Digger I consider a particularly good implement.

Yours Truly,  
Geo. Ross,  
Manager Hakalan Plantation Company.

These gentlemen are known as conservative managers, neither of them apt to adopt new fangled implements unless there was something in them. The letters show their appreciation of the work done by the implements.

We will be pleased to furnish photographs or any information regarding these implements to persons interested.

The Hawaiian Hardware Co. Ltd.

Opposite Spreckels' Block,  
307 FORT STREET.

## Chronometer

Repairing and  
Adjusting.

Requiring skillful handling, is work which we are especially fitted to do.

The attention of Sea Captains and all owners of fine Chronometers which they value, is called to our excellent facilities for putting their instruments in PERFECT SHAPE.

The long experience of our Head Watch-maker with the best concerns on the Coast in just this kind of work, enables us to guarantee absolute

## SATISFACTION

## IN EVERY

## CASE.

We spoke casually in our last "Ad" of complicated work. You'd ought to see the array of Chronographs and Repeaters repaired during the last few weeks. Surprising where they all came from. People appreciate this kind of work at home, and it won't be long before we do every complicated watch in the country.

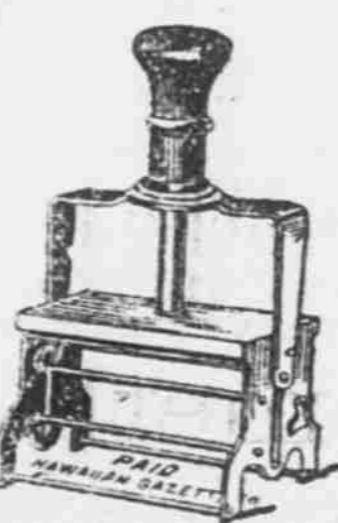
## H. F. WICHMAN

Fort Street.

Embarrassing isn't it, to have your best girl "take in" your feet whenever you visit her.



Buy a pair of McInerny's perfect fit stylish Shoes and enjoy peace of mind and foot.

McINERNY'S  
SHOE STORE.

Rubber  
Stamps  
Made to  
Order  
at the  
Gazette  
Office.

## WHERE ARE WE AT?

The Aloha Map Will Show You.

## The Maps :: :: ::

The Aloha Map shows the eight inhabitable islands of the group, with the mountain ranges, harbors, bays, and rivers well defined; also the names of over one hundred of the towns on the islands.

It is an excellent reference map for the home or office. It is just the map you have been looking for, to send to your absent friends, who have no distinct idea of our unique geographical position in the cross-roads of the Pacific. This is illustrated intelligently by a separate map in one corner, showing our distance between North America, Australia, and China. The three steamer routes across the Pacific are indicated.



## Aloha Tooth Powder :: ::

Our aim has been to produce a tooth powder that will clean the teeth without harm, and at the same time prove agreeable and pleasant to use. Aloha powder is manufactured from the very best materials, and contains no "sand" or cuttlefish bone to make it cheap. There is nothing in it that will harm the teeth or gums.

We have received many very flattering verbal testimonials. That it is pleasant to use will be conceded by anyone with a brush and a pinch of the powder. That it will not harm the gums is another claim we make for it. What outsiders say seems to carry weight. One of our customers who has used Aloha powder for several months, says:

"Before using your Aloha powder I had been troubled with sore gums. I was never free from this trouble for more than a week at a time. I have now been using your powder for several months, and have not had the slightest trouble with sore gums. I believe that it was the powder that I used irritated the gums."

## The Premium Offer :: :: ::

We give with each bottle of Aloha Tooth powder the map above referred to. We do this to push faster the introduction of this excellent dentifrice, for when once used its reputation is established. Do not ask us for the maps. They are given only as a premium with every bottle of powder. We do not sell the maps. You get the Aloha Tooth powder for 25 cts., and the map thrown in.

## HOBRON DRUG COMPANY.

## SUFFERERS FROM ASTHMA

ARE REQUESTED TO PERUSE THE PAMPHLET  
ON THE

## Himalya Asthma Remedy

THE NEWLY DISCOVERED

## SPECIFIC :: for :: ASTHMA.

The Pamphlet doesn't cost anything—the cure only

Two Dollars.

Call on or address the

## HOLLISTER DRUG COMPANY

543 FORT STREET, HONOLULU.

VINA'S VISITATION,  
or the  
HEADLESS HACKMAN.

"I loath this horrid prison house!" exclaimed Vina, as she paced her boudoir. She was the beautiful daughter of a stern, but wealthy parent, who kept her in, like a bird in a gilded cage. Still she was beloved by Apollinaris, who promised to come that night at twelve and carry her off in a hack. Towards midnight her father retired; the dog also. As she waited she dozed. Presently there appeared to her a headless hackman. "So you have come with Apollinaris to set me free! But why headless? Ah, I perceive. You can hear nothing—see nothing. O what a jewel of a hackman you are!" rushed the girl. But her emotion caused her to awake and she saw her cruel parent standing before her. Apollinaris was true to the tryst, but because she came not he drove away and threw himself into the sea.

## Carriage Trimming Goods

In Leather, Duck, Cloth, Fringes and Carpet, comprising many varieties in color and design, are offered for inspection.

## HAWAIIAN CARRIAGE MANUFACTURING COMPANY

NO. 70 QUEEN STREET.