

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

The Gaelic is due from the Coast this evening.

The Doric may arrive this evening from the Orient.

The June number of the Paradise of the Pacific is out and has been received.

A nice front room for a lady or gentleman to rent at No. 9 Garden Lane.

Mail for the Coast, per S. S. Doric, late this evening or early tomorrow morning.

The annual commencement dance of the Oahu College students took place last evening at Progress Hall.

A big luau will be given by Mrs. R. W. Wilcox this evening, in honor of the return home of Delegate Wilcox.

The shipping in the harbor was gaily decorated yesterday, in honor of the coronation of England's King.

The Honolulu Brewery is building a \$50,000 storage house at its plant in Kakaako. Room will be made for the storage of 5000 more barrels of beer.

Under "By Authority" today appears a notice to taxpayers on the amount of incomes received during the year next "proceeding" the 1st of July next.

Kentucky's famous Jesse Moore Whiskey, unequalled for its purity and excellence. On sale at any of the saloons and at Lovejoy & Co distributing agents for the Hawaiian Islands.

It is rumored that another happy event like the one that culminated last night at Kamehameha School will occur in December next, being that of a member of the class of '96. Ding-ling!

A banquet in honor of the coronation of King Edward VII was given at the Hawaiian Hotel last evening by the Japanese Consul, Miki Saito, to the representative Japanese residents of Honolulu.

The R vs. Canons Ault and Weymouth were outgoing passengers on the Mauna Loa, which sailed at noon today. J. A. Hughes, Albert Bush, and Miss Allie M. Felker were also among her passengers.

J. A. Abeong et al. have sued the Haiku Sugar Company, claiming valuable land in Kaupakalua, Maui, and \$1500 damages for trespass. It is alleged that the defendant has been occupying the land in question for six years without legal right or authority of law.

Harry Klemme's saloon, the Aloha, will probably have to close up on the first of July. His license expires on that day and Treasurer Wright, according to Judge Estee's decision, will not renew it. There are nine or ten Primo saloons whose licenses expire next month.

At St. Louis College.

An enthusiastic audience crowded the St. Louis College Hall last evening and witnessed one of the most delightful musical and dramatic entertainments ever given in this city. The music furnished by the St. Louis College orchestra was excellent and the melodrama very well rendered. Special mention is due to the callisthenic marches, executed by small boys. The little fellows dressed in white suits and cadet caps, executed the movements with military precision and won much applause.

Damages for Rapid Transit.

Damages in the amount of \$1500 were assessed by Judge Humphreys yesterday against the Sun Kwong Mau Co. because of Pain's attempt to prevent the extension of the Rapid Transit road to Waikiki through the McCully tract. The court allowed damages only as to attorneys' fees, and said as he did so that he was of the opinion that his action was wrong, but was governed by the decision of the Supreme Court of Hawaii.

TOPICS OF THE DAY.

The Advertiser with its usual accuracy says that Sanford B. Dole has been a Trustee of the B. P. Bishop Estate for a long time. Since when?

Nothing seems to have been said by the Rapid Transit Company's organ about the accident by the derailing of a car on Pacific Heights the other day. My! how the Advertiser would harp on the accident if it had been the Tramways Company's car.

For the information of the Advertiser who seems to be ignorant of the elementary rules of journalism we will state that there is no "manipulator who hides his identity in the editorial columns of THE INDEPENDENT." The manipulator is a member of the staff of this paper, the names of whom appear daily in its editorial pages. THE INDEPENDENT does not need the services of a "Vindex" to express its opinions, and its editor is perfectly able to cope with the situation. Try again and make another guess, dear Morning Glory. *A bon entendeur, salut!*

As the governor has decided that all applications for saloon licenses hereafter shall be referred to the Anti-Saloon League for investigation, it is expected that the number of "full" license saloons will increase materially in the near future. The Primo beer saloons are practically "pau" as their licenses expire during the coming month and will not be renewed. What more natural, now, than that the Anti-Saloon League should give a helping hand to their associates in the fight which has routed the Primo people—the full license saloon keepers?

Nuptials at Kamehameha.

Wedding bells were joyfully rung last evening for Miss Jeanne T. Bates and Mr. Charles E. King. Accompanied by the best wishes of hundreds of boys and maidens of the Kamehameha schools, the popular couple joined hands in the Bishop Memorial Chapel and pronounced the vows which made them man and wife, when two hearts were united for life to beat as one.

The bride was given away by Theodore Richards and the groom was accompanied by Mr. Robinson. Preceding them in the procession to the church were Emily and Minnie Ingham, one in pink the other in blue, carrying baskets filled with flowers. Behind them came two boys of the preparatory school bearing a cushion on which rested the wedding ring. The Rev. Henry H. Parker performed the ceremony, assisted by the Rev. E. S. Timoteo. Following the wedding a reception was given the couple at the preparatory school during which the boys of the school standing upon the lawn outside, sang a number of Hawaiian selection. After the reception the couple were driven over to the other side of the Pali and will spend their honeymoon at Waialeale. They will make their home on Maui where Mr. King will serve as Normal School Inspector.

Preparatory Graduate.

Commencement exercises at Punahou Preparatory School yesterday afternoon were attended by a large number of relatives and friends of the pupils, and an interesting literary and musical program was much appreciated. The members of the graduating class are as follows:

Lillian Ackerman, Lum Amos, Rena Bertelmann, Renny Catton, Ellsworth Cocant, John Conant, Violet Damon, Mamie Dee, Norah Dee, Goo Kim, En Kong, Philip

Hall, Moses Heen, Florence Ho, Ho Chung Sin, Albert Johnson, Kui Kyau, Alice Lsing, Li Chin Fen, Helen Lowrey, Charlotte Matheson, Maria Mutch, Josephine Pratt, Philip Rice, Alice Roth, Maluhia Schmidt, Adolph Schnack, Ethel Spalding, Robert Thurston, Robert Wilcox, James Winne.

Had Blood in Their Eyes.

There was blood in the eyes of the Japanese and Porto Rican residents of Iwilei last night and but for the timely appearance of the police, a serious affray would have been the result. As it was, however, one Japanese was slashed across the forehead with a knife and is now under the tender care of the police surgeon. The Porto Rican women make no concealment of the manner in which they make a living and this has brought about frequent fights among the Japanese and Porto Rican men.

THE INDEPENDENT 50 cents per month.

The Alameda ought to arrive at any time now, with five days later news.

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