

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

A full line of kid gloves for sale at Egan & Gunn's new store.

The planet Jupiter rises about 6 p. m. in the east and is very brilliant.

Deputy-Clerk Wundenberg commenced his duties in court Wednesday.

Mr. F. M. English enters Judge Hartwell's office to-day as a law student.

The Post Office department sent by the Australia 6299 letters and 2156 papers.

The State dinner and the festivities for Her Majesty's birthday have been postponed.

Bishop & Co., trustees for the Ewa Plantation Company, offer some stocks and bonds for sale.

John L. Sullivan is not meeting with much success in Australia according to Colonial papers.

The new electric light works on King street attract a large number of people almost every evening.

In the case of the Queen vs. Jim Kaka the defendant has employed six attorneys to conduct his defense.

Mr. Ben Salor, the billiard player who came down from the Coast some time ago, returned by the Australia.

The through passengers of the Alameda made use of their time Friday taking in sights around town.

The U. S. man-of-war Pensacola was to leave San Francisco Sunday, August 23, for here, to remain five months.

The Minister of Finance announces that tenders for government bonds will be received up to September 15th.

Prof. F. A. Hosmer announces Monday, September 7th, as opening day of Punahou Preparatory School and Oahu College.

A reward of \$250 to anyone who will give information which will lead to the arrest and conviction of whoever is doing the burglarizing.

A sudden intentional ignition of a phosphorus match at Emma Square Monday evening, exposed an interesting scene in one of the numerous buggies.

Repeated drilling of the handsome team of bays for the new fire engine of Company No. 1 is resulting in the horses learning to go quickly to their places at the tap of a bell.

A driver of a horse and buggy, through too close attention to his companion, collided with another outfit, taking a wheel off the latter, at Emma Square, Monday evening last.

The light showers of rain the past two days promise to continue. That they are needed is evident from the fact that a great many townspeople have not near enough water for all purposes.

An unknown Chinaman committed suicide at Moanalua Monday afternoon by cutting his throat with a razor. An express wagon was sent down, which brought up the remains in the evening.

That advertising pays in the P. C. A. is shown by the fact that the 50,000 orange trees wanted by Mr. B. F. Dillingham have been provided for, and a great many more could be had if he wanted them. Moral: Advertise.

A waffle thrown in just at a Turk in a Chinese "hash-house" Thursday morning, resulted in the tosser of it being pelted with cups of coffee, sugar bowls, and dishes in general, till he beat an unceremonious retreat.

Steward Lucas and Manager McIntyre of the Hawaiian Hotel, had their hands full directing to the wants of the many guests who breakfasted at that popular hostelry Saturday morning. Over one hundred guests sat down to the tables, the "divine" Sarah being one of them.

Chaplain Frank Thompson, of the Charleston, baptised the little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Woods at St. Andrew's Cathedral, on Sunday, the 30th inst. Quite a number of the friends of the family were present. During the entire ceremony of about twenty minutes Mr. Wray Taylor played the organ.

At the Sunday morning services of the second congregation of St. Andrew's Cathedral, the Rev. Alex. Mackintosh made a very touching allusion to the death of H. R. H. the Prince Consort. A very good congregation was present. Mr. Mackintosh also referred to the death of Major Wroughton.

The Post Office dispatched to San Francisco by the Mariposa 2128 letters and 501 papers, making for the month of August a total of 19,726 letters and 5954 papers. This does not include a large number that is put on board the steamer at the last moment of sailing. There is no doubt the letters numbered over 20,000.

The S. S. Australia left promptly on time Tuesday, amidst the popular playing of the Hawaiian Band. By far the largest crowd was at the wharf as has been congregated there for a long time. The usual decorations of leis covered many of the passengers. The Oahu College yell was given to some of the departing as the vessel left her moorings.

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The U. S. S. Charleston will remain only long enough to take on coal.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Walker are expected home in the Zealandia to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Spreckels arrived by the Alameda. They are guests at the Hawaiian Hotel.

The O. S. S. Zealandia is due here to-day at noon, with four days' later news than that brought by the Alameda.

The funeral services over the remains of the late Prince Consort will probably take place on Sunday, September 6th.

The Royal Hawaiian Band will play at the Palace daily from 4 to 6 o'clock, until the funeral of H. R. H. the Prince Consort, Sunday next.

Mr. Albert W. Crockett, a graduate of Amherst and of Phillips Andover Academy, has been engaged to teach at Oahu College the coming year.

The American war ships, Mobican and Alert have been ordered from Behring sea to proceed to China. They will have to pass here, stopping long enough to coal.

Ben Hogan spoke for over an hour to the inmates of Oahu prison Sunday morning. He also spoke again at the Central Union church in the evening.

The Likelike must have appeared natural to the large number of passengers, Sunday, on her old route from Maui, the Claudine having taken the Kinau's route.

The bark Albert, which arrived Sunday afternoon, has on board twelve horses. The barkentine S. N. Castle, to leave a few days later, is also to have twenty-five head.

Flags were flying at half-mast from nearly every flagpole in the city Thursday, and from many masts in the harbor, out of respect to the memory of the late Prince Consort.

Mr. W. H. Hoogs left by the Mariposa for San Francisco, having received news by the Alameda of the serious illness of one of his children, who was taken to the Coast some time ago by Mrs. Hoogs.

The brig W. G. Irwin, which sailed from San Francisco for Honolulu on Saturday, August 15, is bringing down for the Fire Department, an improved fire engine, with ladders and other paraphernalia.

A coffee grinder was one of the attractions in a window of Lewis & Co.'s store Saturday evening. It was run by electricity. The new electric light company has put in many a light the past few days.

Mrs. Green, a survivor of the Donner party, died at Madera, Cal., August 12th. She belonged to the portion of the party which came through the mountains. She was the mother of the first white child born at Stockton, Cal.

Mr. Walter R. Salter, the watchmaker, died on Saturday at the early age of 26 years. He was a native of London, England. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon, the Rev. Alex. Mackintosh officiating at the service.

At the missionary concert at Central Union Church next Wednesday evening, a paper will be read by Mr. W. O. Smith on "The precious environment of our Portuguese immigrants," another by Prof. A. B. Lyons on "The state of religion in Brazil."

Kauai Industrial School.

The Directors of this school have decided to make a change in the charge for admission, which for the past year was \$40, with a view to enabling poor boys to obtain an industrial education.

On the payment of \$25, as an admission fee, boys over twelve years of age who can read in the Second Reader used in the Government day schools, will be admitted, with the understanding that if the results of the boys' work in the workshops and on the farm is sufficient to meet the cost of their board and books, no further charge will be made.

The school will open on the 7th of September, but pupils will be admitted at any time if there is room for them. Boys of any nationality will be received.

Maj. Wroughton Dead.

Major Wroughton, whose death is noticed in another column, was an Englishman, who lived very retired in the country districts of this island for several years, and was known to but few except his personal friends.

The funeral took place from St. Andrew's Cathedral on Friday afternoon at 3:30 p. m. The pall bearers were Messrs. F. M. Swazy, Acting British Vice Consul, W. S. Luce, A. T. Atkinson, and Malcolm Brown. The deceased officer was born in India fifty years ago, and entered the army at an early age, served both in West and East, from Canada to Japan. In Hawaii, since his retirement, his time has been given to fishing and shooting. He was a man of considerable acquirements, but of reticent manners.

OUR SAN FRANCISCO LETTER.

Per S. S. Alameda, San Francisco, August 21, 1891.

(From our special correspondent.)

Sugar.

New York, Aug. 21.—Cuban centrifugal 96 degrees 3.47c; granulated 4 1/2c. There is absolutely no change on the local or eastern situation. Importations of refined beet sugar via Panama and New Orleans continue, and the importers say that they will continue to import until the Western Sugar Refinery Company reduces its price to below what importations can be made for.

Will Call at Apia.

In future, the steamers of the Oceanic Company, plying between here and Australia, will call at Apia, the capital of Samoa, instead of transferring mails and passengers to a small uncertain cutter seventy miles from that port. The steamer Alameda will inaugurate the new departure, and hereafter all of the Oceanic steamers will drop anchor in Apia harbor on both outward and homeward trips.

This course has been deemed advisable for the reason that ever since the big hurricane at Apia the traffic between America and that port has increased wonderfully. Prior to the hurricane the freight either way did not average over a schooner-load in six months, while now there are three or four vessels constantly in the trade. Some time ago there was considerable talk among those having business interests at the islands of offering the Oceanic Company a guarantee to make Apia a regular port of call. The company, however, is not asking for the inducement mentioned, having every confidence in the growing business relations with Samoa warrant the proposed change. Samoa is a heavy purchaser, and the success planters have met there with coffee and tobacco will guarantee reciprocity if present plans are carried out. The alteration in the route will necessitate about fifty miles of extra steaming, as Apia is in the center of the long island of Upolu, which runs at right angles with the steamer route.

The Tahitian Flag Gone.

The brig Galilee has arrived from Tahiti, bringing advices contradicting the rumors recently afloat, to the effect that the natives were in revolt against the French.

In Raiatea, a small island of the same group, over a hundred miles from Tahiti, however, there are about 500 native warriors in arms against the French, and only 100 in favor of the white rulers. Those people sent for the daughter of Pomare to be their Queen, but, after some months, they found she was favorable to the French, for which she was sent back to Tahiti without being crowned.

By the brig Galilee arrived Mme. Atwater, wife of the French Consul at Tahiti, and sister-in-law of the dead King.

Wheat Away Up.

Wheat has been sent away up in price during the past week or so, and is now held at \$1.70 per cental in San Francisco, with every prospect of a further advance. The terribly low returns from the European crops is the cause. Russia, which is one of the great granaries of the world, is a way short, and the crops of Germany, England, France and Austria are below the average.

The American Agriculturist estimates the American corn crop at 2,000,000,000 bushels, and wheat at 500,000,000 bushels, which will leave a splendid surplus for export.

In all European countries the situation is exciting the general fears, and steps are being taken by all legislative bodies to secure any possible relief.

San Francisco News.

Judge Hoze, of the Superior Bench, died on the 15th inst., after a long illness. He was one of the most noted attorneys in San Francisco.

The union stevedores on the Pacific Coast, Oregon, and Pacific Mail docks, have struck for an advance of wages to 50 cents an hour. The Oceanic company is not affected. The companies are getting along very well with the strikers.

The Treasury Department has made a ruling which will permit the 200 Chinese on the steamer Oceanic to land, under the guise of "merchants." A test case is in the United States Circuit Court.

A skin-grating operation has just been performed on William Duggett, a railway mail clerk who was injured in a railway smash-up at Port Costa. The skin was supplied by Mrs. Lucy Pratt and, in all, 45 square inches were used.

A bitter contest is anticipated over the will of the late William Renton, formerly a partner in the firm of Renton, Holmes & Co., the lumber men. Renton's estate is worth \$3,000,000. The contestants come from Nova Scotia.

The channel in Oakland creek is to be widened to an average width of 300 feet. The State Board of Equalizing is threatening to raise the assessment of the city by \$60,000,000. The city authorities are resisting this strongly.

The North Beach and Mission railroad is to be converted, in part, into an electric road.

Russel J. Wilson and Judge John H. Boalt have gone east to begin Timothy Hopkins' contest for the estate of the late Mrs. Hopkins-Charles.

Parsons, Bezel & Co., wholesale liquor dealers, have failed. Liabilities \$76,909, assets \$130.

David S. Jordan, the new president of the Stanford University, is in San Francisco and has given several public receptions.

Anthracite coal in large quantities has been discovered in Sonora, Mexico.

William E. Melbourne, the rain producer of Canton, Ohio, is still making his experiments. He has thus far succeeded in inducing a rainfall every time within twenty-four hours. He offers to sell his secret to the government for \$1,000,000 failing which he will organize a company. The government tests by exploding dynamite, etc., in the air in Western Texas have met with fair results.

George Jones, founder and editor of the New York Times, died at Poland Springs, Maine, on the 12th aged 78 years.

President Harrison is said to be anxious to be his own successor, but is not yet actively in the race.

Several new cases of leprosy are reported at New Orleans. Steps looking to isolation are to be taken.

A balloon ascension occurred at Denver August 16th. When at a height of 8,000 feet the balloon burst and the aeronaut Prof. King and a young married couple fell over a mile like a bolt. Then the silk spread converting the remnants into a sort of parachute which broke the fall. The three fell in a cornfield and were unconscious several hours afterwards.

Prof. Woodhall, an aeronaut, fell from his balloon at Tacoma on the 15th and dropped 2,000 feet to the ground. He was a fearful mass of flesh when found. A child without legs has been born to a German woman at Portland, Or.

A statue is to be placed in Westminster Abbey in memory of James Russell Lowell.

Postmaster-General Wanamaker proposes pneumatic tubes for rapid transit of mails in New York, Philadelphia and other places.

Dayton, Wash., was burned out on the 18th. Loss, \$250,000.

Fifty buildings were burned at Jacksonville, Fla., on the 18th, doing damage placed at \$50,000.

The schooner Ethel has been seized at the Seal Islands by the Government vessels.

Mrs. James Knox Polk, widow of ex-President Polk, died at Nashville, Tenn., on the 14th instant, aged 88 years.

Mrs. Woodworth, who set Oakland crazy with her "Doomsday" excitement about two years ago, is conducting similar revivals at Topeka, Kansas.

Jay Gould has been detected in a scheme to get control of and wreck the Union Pacific.

H. W. Blair, who was rejected as United States Minister to China, is in a fair way to be rejected by Russia, he having been made United States Minister there. Too free criticism of the Czar's people as drinkers is the cause ascribed.

A monument commemorating the victory at Bennington, Vt., in the Revolution, was unveiled at Bennington on the 14th. President Harrison and many other prominent men were there.

Foreign News.

The British fleet in the Mediterranean has been ordered to assemble at Alexandria. This is done in accordance with secret information that the Italian and French in Egypt are endeavoring to overthrow the British protectorate.

There is no news of importation from China. The insurgents are constantly receiving stores and arms and recruiting their forces. Definite action is expected ere long.

The fleets of France, England and Russia are expected to assemble on the Chinese coast before September, and the United States fleet at Charleston, Thetis, Alert and Mobican have been ordered thither. The 8th of that month is set for another anti-missionary rising in the Flowery Kingdom, and the ambassadors of all the countries have warned the Emperor that if any outrages are committed, the country will be held strictly accountable. The Emperor and his advisers are in a bad situation, and there are those who believe that the Tartar dynasty will be overthrown. The situation at Peking is very grave.

The Victoria City Council is contemplating the expenditure of \$3,000,000 in subsidies to railroads principally the Canadian Pacific.

The Jews are publishing in London a book called "In Darkest Russia." It has made a great sensation.

A terrible accident occurred near Port-au-Prince, Hayti, on the 14th. A bridge was washed away, and eighty persons were drowned.

A new Canadian Transcontinental road the Pacific Peace River, and Hudson Bay road is contemplated. Port Simpson, 600 miles north of Vancouver, is the proposed Pacific terminus, and Montreal the Atlantic. The road would open up 7,000,000 acres of agricultural land. The distance from Yokohama to England, via the route, would be 1988 miles shorter than by the Canadian Pacific, and 2625 miles shorter than by the Central Pacific.

The Grand Duke Alexis, of Russia, is visiting France.

The Russian Government has issued a ukase forbidding the exportation of rye. This is a terrible blow at the Eastern provinces of Germany, which depend on Russian rye for breadstuffs. The shortage in the Russian crop was the cause of the ukase.

The town of San Jose del Cabo, Lower California was laid low by a hurricane on the 6th instant. One life was lost.

An electric light plant is to be sent to Corea, for use at Seoul.

Conflicting stories are circulated about the Emperor William. The French journals have it that he is insane, and that the continual discharge from his ear is malignant. The Kaiser has been confined on the Imperial yacht Hohenzollern for some days, and no one is allowed on board. The German papers say that he has broken his knee-cap, and is merely feverish.

Forty persons lost their lives at Kahlman, Austria, on the 17th, by a conflagration.

The Mariposa is two days late on her up trip. She should have left Auckland on the 15th but did not away until the 17th for some unknown reason.

Two new four-masted schooners are well under way on the stocks at Port Blakeley, and will be launched early next month. They are sister vessels in point of size and dimensions, although built for different parties. Each schooner will be of 1,200,000 feet lumber-carrying capacity. One is the William H. Talbot, and Captain A. H. Paul of this city is the managing owner. Captain Blunne will be the commander. The other vessel is the Attie T. Lewers, and Lewers & Cooke are the managing owners. Captain Penhallow, now on the schooner Robert Lewers will command the new schooner. Both vessels are built on the latest models of four-masted schooners, and will rank at the top of their class.

The schooner C. H. White is back from a sealing cruise to the Behring. She was chased by the man-of-war Thetis but outsailed her.

Advices have been received from the Hervey Islands that the hooper Vanderbit is a total wreck. She drifted on a reef in a calm and is broken up.

LAST OF THE SEASON.

Hawaii Defeat the Kamehamehas—Score 11 to 10.

Saturday's game of base ball between the above-named teams ended the series of games for the season of 1891. Following is the official score:

Table with columns: NAMES, A.B., R., B.H., O., A., E. for KAMEHAMEHAS.

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Score by innings—Kamehamehas 4 0 0 3 0 2 1 0 0—10 Hawaii 0 1 1 2 0 2 3 *—11

Two Base Hits—Thompson 2. Double Plays—Simmons, Morris, Davis, Mahanah and Baker.

Struck Out—By Thompson 3; by Davis 4. Passed Balls—Pohan 1, Pryce 3. Bases on Balls—By Thompson 1; by Davis 1.

Left on Bases—Kamehamehas 5, Hawaii 6. Umpires—Messrs. Hengee and Lockwood. Scorer—J. W. Winter.

LETTER OF CONDOLENCE.

The K. of P. are Prompt in Tendering It.

CASTLE HALL OF OAHU LODGE, No. 1, KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS, HONOLULU, August 29, 1891.

To Her Majesty Liliuokalani Queen of the Hawaiian Islands.

AUGUST MADAM:—In accordance with instructions received from the lodge, at its session held last evening, I beg to convey to Your Majesty the assurance of our heartfelt sympathy, in the great affliction that has so suddenly come upon you, by the death of your beloved Consort, H. R. H. Prince John Owen Dominis.

His genial, kindly disposition was well known to all who had any intercourse with him; but those who knew him best valued and esteemed him most. The loss by his death is a national one, as Hawaii had no truer friend.

On my own behalf, permit me to add that I had long been honored with his friendship, and feel the loss as a personal one.

In times of great affliction, words of consolation have, in most cases, but little effect; grief must run its course; we therefore commend Your Majesty to time and its All-wise Ruler to heal the wound so recently given.

With assurances of our loyalty and respect, I remain, Your Majesty's Very humble servant, GEO. WILLIAMS, P. O. K. of R. & S.

Death and Funeral of Mrs. W. O. Atwater.

On Saturday last Mrs. Atwater wife of Mr. W. O. Atwater, secretary of the Honolulu Iron Works, breathed her last at the family residence, Kinau street, after a long and painful illness. The deceased lady who bore her sufferings with much fortitude was a sister to Mrs. S. M. Damon, Mrs. W. D. Alexander, and Hon. H. P. Baldwin. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon from the residence and was largely attended. The remains enclosed in a handsome coffin, laid in the front parlor, and the floral offerings were most beautiful. Rev. E. G. Beckwith, D. D., pastor of Central Union Church officiated. The hymns "Asleep in Jesus" and "Not my will, but thine" were effectively sung by a quartette, Miss Beckwith, Mrs. A. F. Judd, Mr. W. W. Hall and Dr. A. E. Nichols, Mr. Wray Taylor presiding at the piano. The remains were followed to Kawaiahae cemetery by a large number of carriages. Messrs. J. B. Atherton, W. O. Smith, C. M. Cooke, W. W. Hall, G. P. Castle, E. C. Damon and A. F. Cooke acted as pall-bearers.

The Japan Cabinet has again been reorganized. By the present arrangement the responsibilities of the Ministers are vastly increased, while those of the Vice-Ministers are diminished. Fixed salaries are arranged and the reform has cut off many attaches of the official staff.

Hawaiian Hardware Co., L'd.

MONDAY, August 31.

Anyone who knows anything about crockery knows that for every-day-knock-about stuff, England sends us the best. A good deal of it is too thick for use in private families, but some of it is made of medium thickness and is serviceable. By the "Anna Johnson" which arrived the other day we got a lot of this quality, and it has turned out cheaper and better than we expected. The plates and saucers are all regular—not a misfit in the whole bunch.

We've never handled toilet sets, but there has been such a demand that we included some in an English order. The ewers are all latest shapes and nicely decorated; not gold and silver, you know, but just a neat bunch of flowers here and there on a prettily tinted ground, a cluster of roses here and sprig of something else there. The sets will improve the appearance of any bed room and you won't be extravagant either. We give them away—for a song. Come in and sing to us.

Understand we make a specialty of Haviland China because it is the finest and because there are certain capital features about it that other decorated ware does not possess. You can duplicate any piece broken. You can't do that with any other decorated ware but, some people want full sets for some certain meal. They've called for them and we had to order them; not special orders, but just so as to have them in case someone else should call. We haven't many, but what we have are beauties. One set has a white ground with a tiny blue forget-me-not in a sort of lei around the top of the cups, and on the edge is a gold band and the same on the other pieces. The effect is certainly very pretty. The cups, by the way, are not of the conventional pattern, but are decidedly odd in shape.

We have another set of an indescribable color. Odd enough for anyone. They're pretty to look at even if you don't want to buy them; the door is open, step in and see them. We've called your attention several times to an adjustable fly or mosquito screen; they're a good thing and you want one. If you prefer something not adjustable we have a frame made especially. It is adjustable to a certain size, then you tack it together and put on your wire cloth. The frame is neat and strong and very, very cheap.

We've imported some very handsome brass chandeliers and electroliers with colored shades. This week we will have a large invoice of lamps, some of which may suit your fancy. If you're thinking about painting your house we have paints of every imaginable color—from elephant's breath to Mozambique blue. Oils, varnishes and brushes go with them, and if you are a little bit handy you can do some painting yourself. A few dollars go a long way in paints at our store.

Have you seen the pictures of the Aermotor in our window? They give you an idea of what they can do.

HAWAIIAN HARDWARE CO., L'D. (Opp. Spreckels' Block), FORT STREET.