The papers referred to are as follows:

**HAWAII.**

Mr. Sewall to Mr. Sherman.

**LEGATION OF THE UNITED STATES,**

Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, September 13, 1877.

Sir: I have the honor to forward, specimen of the form and manner in which any sums or sums over $100 which may be due him within ninety days after giving such notice, and the officer making such repayments shall enter the same upon the books of the postmaster and attend to the execution thereof. That payments may be made to depositors, in the discretion of the postmaster-general, on demand, or at any time prior to the periods required in the regulations.

SEC. 773. The rate of interest payable on deposits made under this act shall not exceed 6 per cent, annually, and shall not exceed 5 per cent per annum on all amounts exceeding $500 in any one account, but no interest shall be paid on any deposit made under this act, if the amount of such deposit is less than $50. Such interest shall be paid on any deposits made after September 30, A.D. 1872, exceeding $500 in any one account. Interest shall not be calculated upon any deposit not held for the full term of one year.

The Hawaiian government owns no interest in any telephone or telegraph lines.

I have the honor, etc.,

**HAROLD M. SEWALL.**

**INTERROGATORY 3.** The annual aggregate amounts of deposits in postal banks, as shown by official reports for each year since the establishment of the system:

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**INTERROGATORY 5.** What is the shortest period for which deposits are received?

The government owns no telegraph or telephone lines.

**INTERROGATORY 8.** Are the certificates of deposit convertible into government bonds, and if so, under what regulations?

The government owns no telegraph or telephone lines.

**INTERROGATORY 11.** Are the certificates of deposit convertible into government bonds; and, if so, under what regulations?

The government owns no telegraph or telephone lines.

**INTERROGATORY 12.** Are the certificates transferable; and, if so, under what regulations?

The government owns no telegraph or telephone lines.

**POSTAL SAVINGS BANK.**

**SEC. 772.** There shall be established in the general post-office at Honolulu, as a part of the bureau of the Hawaiian postal service, a savings bank to be known as the "Hawaiian Postal Savings Bank" and the postmaster-general shall be ex-officio manager.

**SEC. 773.** It shall be lawful for the postmaster-general to authorize and direct such officers as he shall think fit to receive deposits, and to pay the same, together with the interest accrued thereon, under such regulations as may be prescribed by the authority of the postmaster-general.

**SEC. 774.** In case any deposit is made by a person who shall not be a citizen of the United States, or an authorized agent of the postmaster-general, it shall be lawful for the postmaster-general to require such person to obtain a certificate of the importance of the deposits to the public interest, and such deposit shall be made payable only to such certificate.

**SEC. 775.** The officers engaged in the receipt of deposits shall not disclose the name of any depositor nor the amount deposited or withdrawn except to the postmaster-general, or to such officers as may be authorized by him to carry the deposits.

**SEC. 776.** The books of the Hawaiian Postal Savings Bank shall be open, and the manager shall receive all deposits on and after the 1st day of January, 1873.

**SEC. 777.** Married women and minors in their own right make deposits or drawings in all cases, and in the case of a married woman, the certificate of the importance of the deposits to the public interest, and such deposit shall be made payable only to such certificate; and in the case of a minor, the certificate of the importance of the deposits to the public interest, and such deposit shall be made payable only to such certificate. That minors under the age of 15 years can only give a valid receipt therefor upon the counter-signing of the same by their natural or legal guardian.

**SEC. 778.** In case any deposit is made by a person who shall not be a citizen of the United States, or an authorized agent of the postmaster-general, it shall be lawful for the postmaster-general to require such person to obtain a certificate of the importance of the deposits to the public interest, and such deposit shall be made payable only to such certificate.

**SEC. 779.** The books of the Hawaiian Postal Savings Bank shall be opened, and the manager shall receive all deposits on and after the 1st day of January, 1873.

**SEC. 780.** If a depositor becomes a minor, he may in his discretion, authorize payment from time to time out of the funds of such depositor to any person having charge of the same. The interest paid to depositors shall not exceed 5 per cent per annum on all amounts exceeding $500 in any one account, but no interest shall be paid on any deposit made under this act if the amount of such deposit is less than $50. Such interest shall be paid on any deposits made after September 30, A.D. 1872, exceeding $500 in any one account. Interest shall not be calculated upon any deposit not held for the full term of one year.

**SEC. 781.** On demand, by notice upon the postmaster-general in such form as may be described in the regulations under this act, any sum or sums over $100 which may be due him within ninety days after giving such notice, and the officer making such repayments shall enter the same upon the books of the postmaster and attend to the execution thereof. That payments may be made to depositors, in the discretion of the postmaster-general, on demand, or at any time prior to the periods required in the regulations.

**SEC. 782.** The rate of interest payable on deposits made under this act shall not exceed 6 per cent, annually, and shall not exceed 5 per cent per annum on all amounts exceeding $500 in any one account, but no interest shall be paid on any deposits made after September 30, A.D. 1872, exceeding $500 in any one account. Interest shall not be calculated upon any deposit not held for the full term of one year.

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