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IN SAROA.

Interesting Conference.—Thiting & Cato—Poisoned by Milk.—But in a Safe—Bow for Your Lives.

On April 2nd, 1891, the following party—President W. O. Lee, A. Beasley, H. L. Bassett, and two native teachers, Imae and Hojo—left Apia, Upolu, bound for Saipan, Saipan, the largest island of the group, to hold conference with the inhabitants of that Island. We had passage on a small schooner of ten tons, owned and manured by Capt. Kinney. We had but a slight wind and did not reach the nearest point of Savaii till about 10 o'clock P.M. We concluded to run to the harbor and wait till daylight before continuing our journey. We had gone about forty miles and had to go about twenty-five more before reaching our destination. Early in the morning of April 3rd we landed on the anchor and again set sail. We made several uneventful "back-hands" before we were able to get outside the opening of the reef that surrounds the harbor. A short time after leaving harbor the wind died out and left us tossing helplessly under the rays of a tropical sun. The heat was very oppressive. Quite frequently the ears were brought into requisition to keep us from being drifted out to the dredged reef. The day was gone and when darkness came upon us we had only traveled about three miles nearer to our destination. A slight breeze sprang up, and when we arose on the morning of April 4th, we were not far from Saipan, our destination, at which place we arrived at about 8 o'clock A.M.

Saipan is a district comprising several villages. We village at which we stopped is called "Saipan." We were here welcomed by Dr. J. Wood, Mr. H. H. Bennett, Mr. G. M. Wood, and C. W. Price. The prince was also pleased to meet us. Under the management of Drs. Wood and Price the hospital had been very satisfactorily conducted with few errors.

In response to an invitation, we assembled together in the large village house of Dr. Wood, who was kindly invited. We were here presented with numerous gifts, consisting of two pigs, several chickens, 400 tave, two large salt hams, two cans of salmon, two young turkeys, two boxes of dried fruit, two boxes of dried fish, two boxes of eggs, fourteen bunches of bananas, eight pieces of sugar cane, twenty-four palm-tau, two fish, one basket, ten dried coconuts, and two boxes of dried fruit. The boxes were termed "tame live." Our only regrettable omission by this array of articles that we were well fed during our stay at Saipan.

Wednesday, April 8th, 1891, at about 20 o'clock P.M. we commenced the first conference held on the Island of Savaii by our Church, the conference numbering fifty-four, excluding visitors.

President W. O. Lee, Brothers Wood, Beasley, Simon, Carpenter, Fitch, Morris, Price, and Bassett, Pres. J. J. Wood, and the Rev. Mr. Carpenter, president of the Naval branch, presided.

The conference was over our responsibility. Brother Wood for the conference entitled "No to Humanism, Yes to God."

The speakers were Pres. W. O. Lee, and Brothers Wood, Beasley, Simon, Carpenter, Fitch, Morris, Price, and Bassett, Pres. J. J. Wood, and the Rev. Mr. Carpenter, president of the Naval branch, presided.

We held a meeting the next morning at which the usual reports were made, and the Articles of Faith were also submitted.

In the afternoon we were to be lifted off the Island of Savaii by the steamer "Leviathan," and returned our journey. We reached "Tutu" at about nine o'clock, a small town Captain Kinney had built on the beach on the Island of Upolu, on the coast of which we were to hold conference.

We left the harbor at 11 o'clock a.m. but were delayed by a heavy rain which continued all day and night. Morning came with it a faint breeze, which gently wafted us towards Upolu. The clouds were broken and scattered about, nicely masking "Leviathan," our destination by name.

On Sunday morning, April 12th, we commenced our conference. The missionaries present were President W. O. Lee, Dr. J. Wood, Mr. A. Beasley, Mr. A. Carpenter, Mr. Fitch, Mr. Morris, Mr. Price, and Bassett, Pres. J. J. Wood, and the Rev. Mr. Carpenter, president of the Naval branch.

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On the morning of Monday, April 13th, we were to travel to the Island of Savaii to hold conference with a congregation of fifty-four persons.

On Tuesday, April 14th, we held conference with a native teacher, Imae, and his wife, and their two sons, Lele and Harry. Sister Imae and her two sons were very ill with fever, and were unable to attend the conference.

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On Thursday, April 16th, we held conference with a native teacher, Imae, and his wife, and their two sons, Lele and Harry. Sister Imae and her two sons were very ill with fever, and were unable to attend the conference.

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were perpendicular and composed of lava rock. They were so smooth and even that they appeared to be the work of man.

We followed the river some distance, when we found the height of the river increased much, an elevation we were compelled to make. This condition of affairs existed not a short time. The water was deeper and deeper, and increased in volume with each successive hour. In many places little stones hung down from the stems, indicating the rate of the current. We descended from above and piercing through the stems to the base of the tree, where we obtained a clear view of the water.

We found two large clumps of trees on the right, but did not follow them.

Upon reaching the exit we were met by forces of lightning, cast out upon us by numerous flittering birds, and were compelled to turn back.

We soon ascended the daylight and started back through the forest for home.

On the way we passed through a valley of great length.

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At 10 o'clock P.M. we arrived in the south side of the island, and only after several hours.

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and said, "Tui, we have come to you."

The forest was in a terrible commotion. The huge waves would roar like lions.

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