

My dear Princess,

I have much pleased at the great success you made of the affair of the luau and sales of articles. I repeat that I was pleased, because I feel that my days for active work is over and that no other person should assume that position but yourself as a leader; not only of our Church but of our people, the Hawaiian people. The Prince as Delagate of Hawaii and yourself as the leading lady of the land, heap a great duty on your shoulders and to hold people together in unison of friendliness and good feeling, is what you have to assume,- Be gracious to all-whetehr they like you or not---You are not supposed to know it or see it. I was much pleased also when I heard that you were all taking interest singing of the singing of the Choir and that Mr. Bodey had the leadership of the Choir. I only wish I was there to hear it- and I hope to be there about the 1st, week in January, when I will that pleasure fulfilled. I adore Mr. Bode playing- I think it is Heavenly.! This place is rather a dead and alive place-but I like the climate, for I have not known a sick day since I have been up here. I think it will do you good to come up-and spend a few days--Great preparations are being made and Wailuku and Molokai people and officials are all coming over to be present at this grand affair. Tuckseedoes, are discused, Swallow tials

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Sincerely Yours,

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