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ITALY TO FIGHT TURKEY, TROOPS GO TO DARDANELLES

CHINESE PLAN TO TRY FOR SHARE OF SHIPPING TRADE

Five Modern Vessels Equipped For Freight and Passenger Service Will Soon Be Making Honolulu Port of Call VENTURE GETS SUBSIDY FROM YUAN GOVERNMENT Fung Sui, in Honolulu Today, Bound for Mainland—May Purchase Two Ships and Arrange for Three Others

A. P. by Federal Wireless) PORTLAND, Ore., June 28.—"We need more ships in the Pacific," said Chang Chen Hsu, member of the United States party touring the United States in the course of a statement today. When the Chinese return, it is their plan to confer with financial interests to establish a Chinese steamship line on the Pacific.

At least five modern steamers, equipped for passenger and cargo traffic, constructed along lines similar to the vessels now operated in the trans-pacific service by the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, designed to follow the semi-tropical route and make regular calls at Honolulu both outward and homeward, are assured and will go into commission within a year, says Fung Sui, the representative of a company of Chinese capitalists, who is on his way to the mainland to close negotiations and place contracts for material leading to the early completion of the fleet of steamers.

Fung Sui, accompanied by Woo Li, a publisher and editor, are through passengers in the Toyo Kisen Kaisha liner Chiyo Maru for San Francisco. That the Chinese republic has granted a concession authority to the company to operate freight and passenger services, was admitted by the Chinese today. Much of the capital was subscribed in south and central China. The vessels will make Shanghai a terminal port. The route may be extended to include a visit to Hongkong and possibly to Manila. They are expected to fly the Chinese flag and will, with but few exceptions, carry an entire complement of Chinese as officers and crew.

Two steamers are expected to enter the trade within a short time. It is possible that they may be purchased on the east coast in order to hasten the development of business which is believed to give promise of great expansion.

Fung Sui is said to have been commissioned to attend to many details concerning the launching of the new service. "I can not say much about my mission at this time, other than that it is to look into the prospect of maintaining a line of at least five vessels. The capital has been raised in China. I hope to be able to give out more concerning the project on my return to the Orient the early part of September."

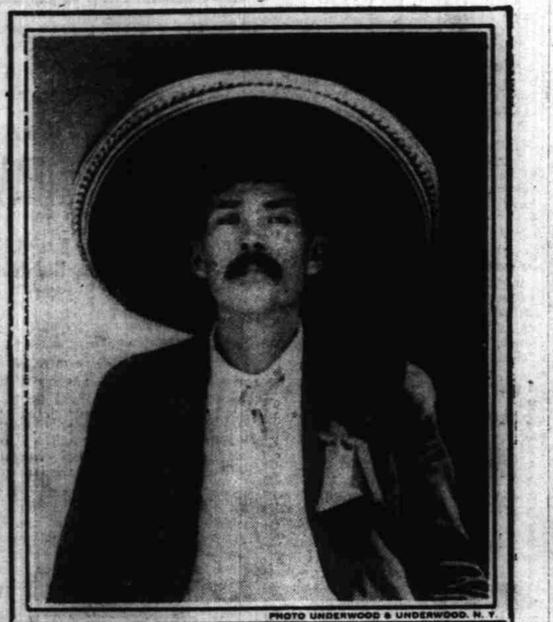
The vessels may carry a few European officers. This much was given out on the China coast before the Chiyo Maru had steamed from Shanghai. "Honolulu will be a port of call at least one way," the commissioner said. "Much will depend on the condition of the freight market and the support given the new line by shippers of China and Japan with cargo intended for the Hawaiian islands."

The Chinese trade commissioners and delegates from Chinese chambers of commerce, who went through Honolulu about two months ago, have recently held conferences with bankers and financiers in the eastern states. At the time of their visit to New York a statement to the effect that they intended to establish a line of ships between China and the west coast of North America was widely circulated on the mainland, and eventually met with confirmation from some of the more influential members of the party of visitors. Fung Sui's mission may be in connection with the same project.

BASEBALL RESULTS AMERICAN LEAGUE. At Boston—New York 3, Boston 2; Boston 6, New York 3. At Chicago—Chicago 4, St. Louis 2. At Detroit—Detroit 6, Cleveland 3. At Washington—Washington 2, Philadelphia 0. NATIONAL LEAGUE. At New York—New York 3, Boston 2 (11 innings); New York 5, Boston 3. At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 3, Chicago 2. At Philadelphia—Brooklyn 4, Philadelphia 0.

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U. S. to Put Sharp Check On Huerta-Orozco Faction



Gen. Pascual Orozco, arrested with Former Dictator Huerta at El Paso, Texas, and implicated with him in a plot for Huerta's restoration.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 28.—State department advices today are that the Zapata forces holding Mexico City have again defeated the Carranza attacking army. The city has been cut off by assailants and Carranza is rushing reinforcements.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 28.—An official investigation is being made by the United States to determine who are the backers of Gen. Victoriano Huerta, who was arrested at El Paso, Texas, yesterday as he was about to cross into Mexico, apparently to head a new faction. It is disclosed that Huerta's preferred services at Washington and informed Huerta that he was persona non grata with the American administration if he reentered politics. Huerta later accepted Huerta's aid without acknowledging his leadership.

A Huerta "junta," or active headquarters, has been maintained in El Paso for weeks. It is the government's firm intention that no more revolutionary factions shall be introduced in Mexico.

COL. GEN. WUDAN FAILS IN FIGHT TO REACH COAST

U. S. Department of Immigration Won't Interfere in Case of Chinese Agitator Col. Gen. D. J. Wudan, Chinese Nationalist and revolution-agitator, is barred from entering the mainland United States from Hawaii. His case, which brought into attention the Chinese consul here, Mr. Te-zang Wu-huan, and the U. S. immigration authorities, and which is understood to have been the subject of discussion between Washington and Peking, has been settled in effect against the colonel-general.

Uncle Sam has definitely declined to interfere with the Chinese consul's right to give or withhold his visa and certificate to those wishing passports, and without this certified document, the local immigration office cannot issue passports. Incidentally, an important precedent has been established, which is expected to have direct bearing on immigration under the Chinese exclusion act, mutual treaties and provisions which go to make up procedure between the two nations.

The Wudan case in brief is that Consul Wuhuan declines to grant the colonel-general a visa certificate because of Gen. Wudan's avowed hostility for the Yuan Shih-Kai government and his revolutionary professions. Gen. Wudan maintains that the consul has no right to withhold his certificate because Wudan happens to differ in political faith from Yuan and the Chinese consul here. The consulate, while reticent in discussing the matter, takes the position, it is understood, that Wudan's activities are subversive to the Chinese republic and that the consulate cannot vouch for him in any official way.

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Okuma Sends Formal Objection to Boycott

TOKIO, Japan, June 28.—Premier Count Okuma last Saturday sent to Peking a communication containing a formal protest against the Chinese boycott on Japanese goods. It is understood that protest was made directly to President Yuan Shih-Kai. Count Okuma's protest was the outcome of a lengthy conference at the residence of Marquis Inouye, which was attended by Okuma and five of the Genro, or elder statesmen, at which time the premier was urged to take some action to put a stop to the boycott.

CORNELL WINS, STANFORD MAKES GREAT SHOWING

Coast Oarsmen Second in Four Mile Varsity Race on Hudson River

[Associated Press by Fed. Wireless.] Poughkeepsie, N. Y., June 28.—Cornell's splendid crews carried off the major share of the honors in the intercollegiate regatta today but Stanford's brilliant showing in the varsity eight race was one of the outstanding features of a day of fine water sport. Cornell won the junior eight, with Pennsylvania second and Columbia third, the time 10 minutes and 1-5 seconds setting a new record for the two miles. In the freshman race Syracuse was first, Cornell second, Columbia third and Pennsylvania fourth. In the varsity race, Cornell was first, Stanford second, Syracuse third, Columbia fourth and Pennsylvania fifth. The time was 20 minutes 35 3-5 seconds for the four miles.

LOWER RAILROAD FREIGHT RATE ON SUGAR BIG BOON

Southern Pacific Announces Voluntary Cut of 20 Per Cent to Middle West

A voluntary cut of 20 per cent in freight rates on sugar between California points and a zone with an easterly boundary marked by the Missouri, Pacific, eastern Illinois, Iowa and southeastern Missouri, was announced in San Francisco by the Southern Pacific Railway Company on June 14. This new reduction, which has been approved by the interstate Commerce Commission, will mean a big saving in freight rates to Hawaii sugar planters, and in addition makes more accessible the big market of the Mississippi and middle western states, which have heretofore been hard to compete in because the rail rate from California was so high as to give the beet sugar men and Louisiana growers an advantage. Transportation to that territory via the Panama Canal and the eastern seaboard was also immensely costly.

Several Honolulu sugar men had not heard of the reduction until informed of it today by the Star-Bulletin, but at once conceded its importance. In February the railroads, at the instance of the Interstate Commerce Commission, made a reduction from the west coast to Mississippi valley points which varied from 16 to 22 per cent. This new cut, however, is a flat cut of 20 per cent under the February rates, according to advices at hand, and so far has been announced only by the Southern Pacific, but others roads will, of course, fall into line.

In February the average cut was from 55 to 46 cents per hundred pounds. The new cut will be, roughly, from 46 to 37 cents per hundred, and will be a cut of from \$9.20 to \$7.40, or a saving of \$1.80 per ton. The beet sugar men on the mainland will also benefit by the cut, but the net result will be, as viewed in Honolulu, that a territory largely controlled by the beet trade, will now be open to Hawaiian growers on a good competitive basis.

Western refiners, under the new rate, are enabled to compete with those of New York, Philadelphia and New Orleans. So far this season the 365,000 tons shipped from these islands, 176,000 tons have been sent to California refiners. A saving of \$1.80 per ton in mainland freight on that output would total \$315,000. One result of the new freight tariff will probably be an increase in the tonnage shipped to the western refiners, which for the last two years have not been run to full capacity. The reduction in the freight rate, it is considered probable, was made to allure tonnage to the west coast, and thereby offset the loss of sugar handled by the western mainland carriers since the Panama Canal was opened to traffic.

SUGAR

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 28.—Sugar: 96 degrees test, 4.89 cents. Previous quotation, 4.87 cents.

New York City has 26,000 factories, employing nearly 700,000, who earn over \$250,000,000 a year.

GERMAN OFFICIAL CABLEGRAMS

The following cablegram from official German sources was received today: "WASHINGTON, D. C., June 28.—Against the laws of nations, French airships on May 30 and 31 destroyed the German consulates in the open Turkish towns of Alexandrette and Haifa. In retaliation for this crime and damage and in the interest of Turkish and German property, the French towns of Valenciennes and Roubaix have been fined 150,000 francs each."

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British Expedition Force Busy in Africa

LONDON, England, June 28.—A British expeditionary force sent against Germans in Africa has destroyed a fort, sunk boats and broken up a wireless station at Bukoba, Lake Victoria Nyanza, Africa.

RUSSIAN WAR MINISTER RESIGNS AFTER DEFEAT



Gen. Soukhomlinoff, Russia's minister of war, who has resigned. It is understood that his action is due to the recent disastrous defeats of the Russian armies in Galicia—defeats largely due, the Russian generals complain, to the insufficient ammunition supplied them.

"OPEN DOOR" IN CHINA DEMANDED

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 28.—Japan and China have been notified in identical notes that "agreements will not recognize any agreement impairing the principle or practice of the 'open door' in Chinese trade."

MORE MIDDIES ARE ACCUSED IN EXAM. SCANDALS

ANNAPOLIS, Md., June 28.—As a result of the revelations of alleged cheating at examinations in the Naval Academy, seven additional midshipmen have been made defendants before the court of inquiry. The total number of accused is now 23.

BIG RANGE FOR U. S. ARTILLERY IN PENNSYLVANIA

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 28.—The war department has bought 19,000 acres for a field artillery range for regulars and militia at Tobyhanna, Pa.

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ALLIES WILL GET HELP FROM LAND FORCE; U. S. HEARS NEW GERMAN NOTE IS FAVORABLE

ATTITUDE OF KAISER'S GOVERNMENT SAID TO BE INFLUENCED BY VISIT OF BERNSTORFF'S EMISSARY, WHO EXPLAINED FEELING OF AMERICAN PEOPLE—AUSTRIO-GERMANS CROSS DNEISTER AND FURTHER DEFEAT RUSSIAN FORCES—BRITISH PUSH ATTACK IN SOUTH AFRICA—SUBMARINE GETS ANOTHER BRITISH STEAMER

PARIS, France, June 28.—Official announcement is made in the Italian press that Italy has severed diplomatic relations with Turkey and will send troops to the Dardanelles.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 28.—That Germany will make a reply to the latest American note concerning submarine warfare which will be favorable to the main American contentions and which will assure the safety of neutral passengers in the war-zone is indicated in advices received by the state department from the U. S. ambassador at Berlin, James Gerard.

The exact nature of Ambassador Gerard's message has not been divulged, but it is understood that in answer to President Wilson's rejoinder note, Germany will express herself willing to safeguard the lives of neutrals travelling on vessels used primarily for the transportation of passengers.

Ambassador Gerard's observations are based on the favorable effect made on officialdom of Germany by Dr. Anton Meyer-Gerhard, who sailed from the United States a few days ago as the special emissary of the German ambassador at Washington, Count von Bernstorff. His mission was to convey to the German officials the true feeling of the American people as well as advices from Ambassador Bernstorff.

Conflicting Claims Indicate That Austro-Germans Progress in East

NEW YORK, N. Y., June 28.—Conflicting claims from Berlin and Petrograd come today but the sum total of the official statements shows that the Austro-German forces have succeeded in forcing a passage of the river Dneister and are further defeating the disorganized Russians.

The Germans officially claim to have crossed the Dneister along their entire battle-front. The Russians admit a partial withdrawal of their armies from the north bank of the Dneister and the general indications are that the battle is shifting to the eastward.

Czar Nicholas at War Council; Rumor of Changes in the Cabinet

PETROGRAD, Russia, June 28.—Czar Nicholas presided today over a council of war attended by the Russian leaders. It is reported that serious changes in the cabinet are imminent, following the resignation of the Russian minister of war, Gen. Soukhomlinoff, announced last Saturday.

Serbia Won't Make Separate Peace

LONDON, England, June 28.—The Serbian minister to Italy is quoted as saying that Serbia will decline to entertain any proposals from the Teutonic Allies of a separate peace but will continue with the Entente Powers to the end.

Russian Armies Regrouped For Fight

PETROGRAD, Russia, June 28.—It is officially asserted here that the Russian armies have been regrouped and are now able to resist further attacks in Galicia as well as in Poland.

German Gunners Claim Air-Victims

BERLIN, Germany, June 28.—Official announcement here says that the German gunners on the west front have brought down two French aeroplanes flying over the German lines.

British Aviators Bombard Smyrna

LONDON, England, June 28.—British aviators have bombarded the Turkish city of Smyrna, causing 70 casualties at the Turkish garrison.

LONDON, England, June 28.—The British steamer Indriani has been sunk by a submarine. There were no fatalities, all on board making their escape in boats.

LONDON, England, June 28.—The British bark Dumfriesshire, carrying barley from San Francisco, has been sunk by a submarine.

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