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## HEAD OF STEEL CORPORATION IS HERE FOR VISIT

Judge and Mrs. Elbert H. Gary of New York Will Spend a Brief Time in Hawaii  
EARLY PEACE EXPECTED BY NOTED BUSINESSMAN

Combatants are Approaching Exhaustion, He Says—Predicts Much American Prosperity—Deprecates Demagogic Attacks on Business

Judge Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel Corporation, welcomed the shores of Hawaii at 6 o'clock this morning with a broad smile that lasted from that hour until the arrival of the Matsonia at Pier 15 at 7:30 o'clock—and it lasted for an indefinite period thereafter.

## CAPTAIN OF AMERICAN INDUSTRY IS VISITOR



Judge Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel Corporation, the so-called "steel trust." Judge and Mrs. Gary arrived today for a brief visit.

## KAMEHAMEHA IS ONLY HOPE FOR GETTING TROPHY

Day Practice at Other Oahu Forts Has Fallen Below Expectations This Year

It remains now for Fort Kamehameha to uphold the reputation of the coast defenses of Oahu for gun and mortar marksmanship. The day practice with the 12-inch mortars at Rucker, the 14-inch gun at De Russay and the 3-inch battery at Armstrong has fallen below expectations and it now depends on the mortars at Kamehameha, which are being fired today, and the 12-inch battery at the same fort, to be fired tomorrow, whether or not Oahu will have a chance at the Knox trophy this year.

There is a chance that the batteries that have already completed day practice may do so well at night firing that their figure of merit will be well up with the leaders but even the most optimistic admit that they are off to a poor start.

## SEC. LANSING TO INVESTIGATE ORDUÑA INCIDENT

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20.—The attack on the British steamer Orduña by a German submarine and the imperiling of American passengers, has been formally laid before Secretary of State Lansing. It will be the basis for an investigation to ascertain all the facts.

## ADMIRAL MOORE BIDS ALOHA TO HOSTS OF FRIENDS IN ISLANDS

When the Manoa sails at 4 o'clock this afternoon Rear Admiral C. B. T. Moore, for more than two years naval commandant in Hawaii, will say goodbye to the islands. Admiral Moore, who is accompanied by Mrs. Moore, hopes to return here before long and build a home in the Nuanu valley.

A petition has been filed in circuit court by Mrs. Jennie Blythe Brown asking that, pending the hearing of an appeal notice filed by Gertrude Marie Sledge, that Ella A. C. Long be appointed special administrator of the estate of James Oswald Luttied. Mr. Long has been appointed under bond in the sum of \$5000.

## 5000 STANDARD OIL MEN STRIKE; PLANT MAY CLOSE

Management Threatens Retaliation For Walkout of Bayonne Employees

## TROUBLE AT REMINGTON COMPANY LESS SERIOUS

Unionists Now Admit Extent of Strike Not Up to Expectations

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20.—There is virtually a general strike today at the Standard Oil plant at Bayonne, N. J. About 5000 men have quit.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., July 20.—Only part of the machinists of the Remington Arms Company and four sub-contractors walked out in the strike here.

## KNOWS NOTHING ABOUT POLITICS, SAYS GOVERNOR

"Tariff? The Less Said About It the Better," Comment of Returning Executive

"I know nothing about politics." "The tariff? The less said about it the better."

With epigrammatic brevity, Governor Lucius Pinkham parried all questions addressed to him this morning as he hurried down the gangplank from the steamer Matsonia, after a visit of almost two months' duration on the coast. Many friends surrounded him, and he was closely escorted by Charles R. Forbes, superintendent of public works, who is also chairman of the Public Utilities Commission.

Mr. Forbes met the Governor outside the harbor, and is understood to have discussed with him the question of the reappointment of J. N. S. Williams, whose term as a member of the Public Utilities Commission expires July 30. The discussion is said to have taken place in the dining saloon of the steamer while the governor was at breakfast.

## D. KALAUOKALANI, SR. DIED AT HOME TODAY

David Kalauokalani, Sr., one of the best-known of the elder generation of Hawaiians, died at 12:30 o'clock today at his home. Nephritis was the cause of death. The body has been removed to Silva's undertaking establishment.

## BASEBALL RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE  
At New York — St. Louis 3, New York 1.  
At Brooklyn — Pittsburg 6, Brooklyn 2.  
At Philadelphia — Philadelphia 3, Chicago 6.  
At Boston — Boston 6, Cincinnati 2.  
AMERICAN LEAGUE  
At Detroit — Detroit 6, Philadelphia 5.  
At Cleveland — Cleveland 5, Washington 4 (10 innings).  
At Chicago — Boston 3, Chicago 0.  
At St. Louis — St. Louis 3, New York 2.

# BRITISH SEIZING U. S. CARGOES

## NEARLY 100,000 VICTIMS KILLED BY CANTON FLOOD

Tremendous Death-List Growing—U. S. Consul-general Appeals to World for Aid—U. S. Naval Vessels Ordered to Help in the Relief Work

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20.—Despatches received in Washington from China bring the news of a terrible death-toll from the great floods that have swept Canton and vicinity for several weeks past.

A few days ago 10,000 deaths were reported. It is now declared that from 80,000 to 100,000 deaths have occurred and that the suffering and want are indescribable.

U. S. Consul-general Fleming D. Oshire of Canton has cabled that relief measures are imperative else the death-roll will be much higher.

## WATER BILL TOO HIGH FOR FLOOD; WILL FIGHT CASE

Owner of Steamer Mackinaw Refuses to Settle for \$756; Puts Up Bond and Leaves

The refusal of George Flood of San Francisco, owner of the steamer Mackinaw, to sail today with a cargo of wheat for Australia, to pay to the steam lighter Pioneer a bill amounting to \$756 as the cost and for the delivery of 210 tons of water to the Mackinaw, is to be threshed out in the local courts.

This is according to a statement given the Star-Bulletin by Mr. Flood and Fred L. Waldron today. Mr. Flood claims that the charge of 36 cents a ton for water at the local wharf pipe lines, coupled with a charge of \$3.60 a ton for delivery to a vessel in the stream, is exorbitant.

Mr. Flood said today that when the bill for \$756 was presented to him he refused to pay it, whereupon the Mackinaw was libeled. Mr. Flood says he then put up a bond with a local bonding concern as surety of \$1750 and that he is determined to fight the matter to a finish.

At this morning's session of the ninety-third annual convention of the Hawaiian Evangelical Association the time was occupied with reports from the island associations, and by a discussion of the work of the agents of the Hawaiian Board.

## Italians Claim Continuous Successes

LONDON, England, July 20.—Continuous Italian successes are resulting from the engagements high up in the passes of the Carnic Alps, as well as on the Isonzo front, in Trieste, according to the Italian claims today.

## French Bombard Alsace Town, Colmar

LONDON, England, July 20.—French aeroplanes have successfully bombarded the railway station at Colmar, Upper Alsace.

## Russian Vessel Sunk by Submarine

LONDON, England, July 20.—The Russian vessel General Radetsky has been sunk by a submarine. The crew was saved.

## TWO GERMAN GENERALS SMASHING TO SUCCESS



Above—Gen. von Mackensen. Below—Field Marshal von Hindenberg. These two, with Gen. von Linsingen, command the three great German armies that are battering down Russian defenses in Poland and steadily closing in on Warsaw. Their smashing tactics in the past few weeks have resulted in the greatest German advance since von Kluck's drive toward Paris early in the war.

## STEAMER BURNS ON ALASKA BAY

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20.—The American steamer Bertha, carrying cannery supplies, went ashore at Uyak bay, Alaska, and burned with her cargo, according to advices received here today. There were no casualties.

## NOW IT'S ZAPATA'S TURN TO "RULE" IN CAPITAL OF MEXICO

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20.—According to advices to the state department, Gen. Zapata recaptured Mexico City on Sunday, Gen. Gouzales having marched south to meet an advancing Villa column.

## CAUSE OF FIRE ON BATTLESHIP UNDER CONSTRUCTION UNKNOWN

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20.—The cause of the fire on the battleship Oklahoma, now under construction at Philadelphia, is uncertain, but it is believed to have been due to the dropping of a cigarette in some rubbish.

# RUSSIANS SHATTERED BEFORE TEUTON FORCES; ALLIES ARE EXPECTING EARLY EVACUATION

GEN. VON HINDENBERG, REPEATING SUCCESSES OF MAZURIAN CAMPAIGN, NOW CONTROLS COURLAND—IN SOUTHWEST AND FURTHER EAST OTHER GERMAN FORCES PRESS FORWARD—ITALIANS GAINING IN CARNIC ALPS AND ON ISONZO FRONT—U. S. NOTE TO GERMANY APPROVED BY CABINET—AMERICANS ON OBSERVATION DUTY LEAVE WAR-FRONT

LONDON, England, July 20.—Most of the American cotton which has been held up by the British authorities will be condemned and sent to prize courts, it is announced.

The British attempt to stop the importation of cotton from foreign countries to Germany is due to its alleged use in the manufacture of explosives. Britain is said to be preparing to declare cotton absolute contraband.

LONDON, England, July 20.—A despatch to Reuter's Telegram Agency says that 59 Turkish sailing-vessels, laden with supplies for the Turkish army in the Caucasus, have been sunk by Russian torpedo boats and submarines in the Black Sea. The crews were taken prisoners.

LONDON, England, July 20.—Three great German armies commanded by the redoubtable von Hindenberg, von Mackensen and von Linsingen, are apparently sealing the fate of Warsaw and making ready to capture the Polish capital from the shattered Russian forces.

On the north in the center and on the south these armies are closing in, driving the Russians from trench to trench and from hill to hill. London observers reluctantly are beginning to talk of the capture of Warsaw as something new to be expected.

Gen. von Hindenberg, after a series of sharp engagements in which he was continuously successful, now controls Courland, according to today's despatches. The Russian tenure of Warsaw is so hazardous that the Allies are speculating as to when it will become necessary for the Russians to evacuate the city in order to save the army. It is a question whether evacuation is not already settled upon.

In the center the strong German force is reported to have driven Gen. Gallwitz's army to within 20 miles of Warsaw. Southeast, the Teuton soldiers are pressing hard upon Lublin. The railroad from Lublin to Cholm is threatened. This covers Krasnostav, which is thus menaced by the attempt of the Teutons to encircle the district.

Further east, the Austrian advance is being carried out as part of the big Teuton plan of campaign. The Germans are advancing on Windau, a few miles from Riga, the Russian port on the Baltic, and threatening to strike the Russians to the southward.

German despatches today say that Ostrolenka has fallen to Teuton arms. The Teutonic Allies say that in the last few days during which this drive has continued they have made 45,000 prisoners. Even the Russian line between the Bzura and Rawa rivers is yielding.

German cavalry has reached the Radom-Ivangorod railroad and is pressing the fleeing Russian rear-guard closely.

## Wilson and Cabinet Approve Final Draft of Note; Goes Forward Today

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20.—President Wilson and the cabinet today spent two hours in earnest conference over the American reply to the latest German note on submarine warfare. After the session it was given out that the final draft of the note had been approved.

## Teutons Don't Want U. S. Observers

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20.—The European battlefields are today practically without the official American observers, representing the military branches. It is reported that the feeling of the Teutonic Allies against the Americans is so bitter that a continuance of their stay on the Austrian front would be embarrassing. The American observers on the German front were called home some time ago.

Col. John Biddle of the engineers and Capt. Berkeley Enochs of the 27th Infantry, who have been with the Austrians as American observers, are ordered home and assigned to the War College.

## Welsh Coal Mine Strike Settled

LONDON, England, July 20.—Closely following the visit of David Lloyd-George, minister of munitions, to the strike-affected district of Cardiff, Wales, it is announced that the strike is settled. The exact basis is not known, though it is reported both sides agreed to compromises discussed with Lloyd-George.

ASK READING-MATTER FOR PRISONERS IN THE SIBERIAN CAMPS  
An appeal has reached Honolulu for reading-matter for German and Austrian prisoners now confined in the bleak detention camps of Siberia. The German-Austro-Hungarian Relief Society, an American relief organization with headquarters at Chicago, has sent to H. A. Schroder of H. Hackfeld & Company a request for such reading-matter. It being stated that the Siberian camps are unspeakably dreary for the prisoners, and anything to read will be welcome. Mr. Schroder asks that available reading-matter, particularly books, newspapers and magazines printed in German, be left at Hackfeld's, and will be forwarded at once through the proper channels.

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