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ARMY BILL WILL BE ENTIRELY CHANGED, IS PROSPECT NOW

Senate's Withdrawal of Insistence on Volunteer Provision Paves Way for Harmony; New Measure Next Week

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—Work was resumed today by House and Senate conferees upon the army reorganization bill.
As the result of today's developments in the conference, it is expected that virtually a new bill will result from the compromise plans, and that this new bill will be ready next week. The prospects are that the Senate conferees will give up the provision for a volunteer army, upon which they have heretofore insisted. It is hoped to strengthen the House provision for citizen instruction and training camps, which will afford a nucleus for the volunteers.

(Additional details of the compromise plan, as reached last night, will be found on page 9 today.)

U. S. AND MEXICO NEAR AGREEMENT

Conferences Between Scott and Obregon on Border to Be Continued

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
EL PASO, Tex., May 10.—Gen. Funston said this afternoon that he has no idea when he will return to San Antonio, which is taken to indicate that today's conference may not be the last. Gen. Obregon and his advisers are still optimistic. Gen. Scott's message reporting Obregon's proposal for a joint patrol of the boundary is not yet answered by Washington.

MARATHON, Tex., May 10.—The troops of the 14th Cavalry here, under Col. Frederick W. Sibley, are expected to be sent across the border tomorrow.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—Secretary of War Baker informed President Wilson today that the conferences between General Scott, General Funston and Gen. Alvaro Obregon have been so far inconclusive, and that they will be continued between Scott and the Mexican general. The indications are that an agreement is being reached, but the points still at difference have not been revealed.

EL PASO, Tex., May 10.—General Pershing, in command of active operations across the border, has been ordered to begin concentration of the American troops, now widely scattered. The detachments operating from San Antonio are to be withdrawn from Colonia Dublan.

Hawaii Guard's Offer Cordially Received

Governor Pinkham's cablegram to the war department yesterday offering the services of the National Guard of Hawaii, in view of the calling out of the border states' militia, has been received with cordial appreciation by the department.

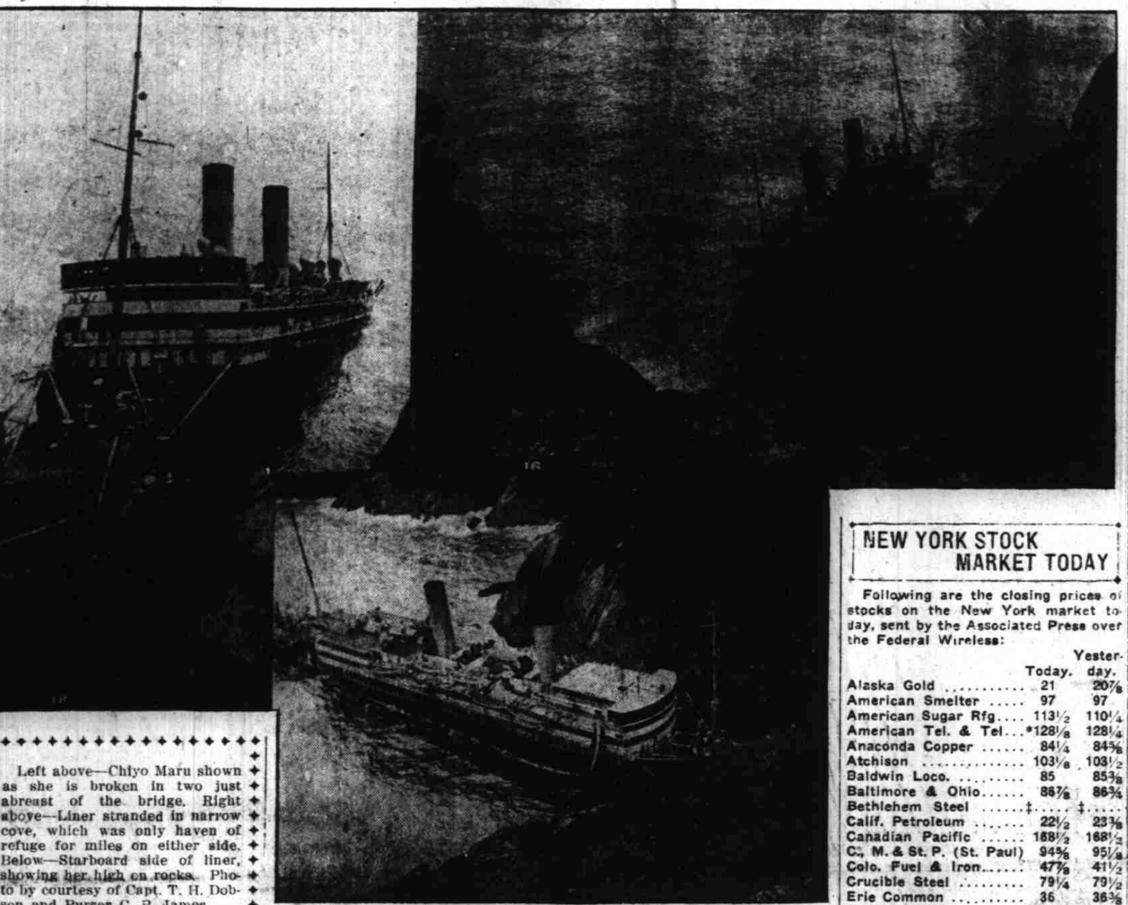
The following reply came today from Secretary Baker:
"Pinkham, Governor of Hawaii, Honolulu:—
"Cordial thanks for offer services National Guard, Hawaii. Offer will receive full consideration, but trust no occasion for services will arise."
"BAKER."
"Secretary of War."

The Associated Press today also carried the news over the country that the Hawaii guard has offered its services. A despatch from Washington says: "Secretary Baker has received from Governor Pinkham a tender of the services of the Hawaiian militia."

TRANSPORT THOMAS IS EXPECTED SATURDAY

Wireless messages received at the quartermaster's department state that the army transport Thomas was 1023 miles from Honolulu at 8 o'clock last night. This afternoon the department wireless to the transport again for information concerning the location of the ship and the amount

Five-Million Dollar T. K. K. Liner Chiyo Maru Now Broken On Rocks of Lema Island, Near Hongkong



Left above—Chiyo Maru shown as she is broken in two just abreast of the bridge. Right above—Liner stranded in narrow cove, which was only haven of refuge for miles on either side. Below—Starboard side of liner, showing her high on rocks. Photo by courtesy of Capt. T. H. Dobson and Purser C. P. James.

NEW YORK GIANTS WIN ANOTHER ONE FROM PITTSBURG

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
PITTSBURG, Pa., May 10.—The western trip of the New York Giants is certainly benefiting the team. They won their second straight game from the Pirates today by a big margin. Both victories have been by a big margin, and the John McGraw machine looks like a much improved organization. Chicago's victory over the Yanks sent them in sixth place in the league race; Detroit jumped into third place by virtue of another win from the White Elephants. The scores of the games today were as follows:

American League.
At Boston—Cleveland 6, Boston 2.
At Washington—Washington 1, St. Louis 0.
At New York—Chicago 5, New York 2.
At Philadelphia—Detroit 9, Philadelphia 3.
National League.
At Pittsburg—New York 7, Pittsburg 1.
At Cincinnati—Brooklyn 4, Cincinnati 0.
At Chicago—Boston 11, Chicago 10.
At St. Louis—St. Louis 9, Philadelphia 4 (seventh inning).

National League Standing.
W L Pct
Brooklyn 11 4 733
Boston 11 5 688
Chicago 12 9 571
St. Louis 11 10 524
Cincinnati 11 12 478
Philadelphia 8 9 471
Pittsburg 8 14 364
New York 4 13 235

American League Standing.
W L Pct
Cleveland 16 8 667
Washington 12 9 571
Detroit 12 11 522
New York 10 10 478
Boston 11 12 478
Chicago 11 13 458
St. Louis 8 11 421
Philadelphia 7 13 350

PRESIDENT WILL STAY AT WASHINGTON POST

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—President Wilson will remain constantly at Washington for the next few weeks. In order to stay here he has broken an engagement to speak at Hampton, Virginia, this week at the dedication of an educational building.

of freight and number of passengers she carries. She is now expected to arrive off port Saturday evening.

REFERENCE MADE TO SOLDIERS IS NOW ELIMINATED

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., May 10.—The Methodist Episcopal conference in session here today adopted a resolution requesting Congress to prohibit the sale or manufacture of intoxicants in Hawaii. The reference to the conduct of soldiers in Honolulu, contained in the resolution as offered yesterday, was eliminated.

(Note—Further details regarding this will be found on page 5, with the overnight telegraph news.)

BRANDEIS PROBE TO BE CONTINUED ON MERGER DEAL

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—The senate sub-committee on judiciary will reopen the hearings on Friday upon the nomination of Louis D. Brandeis for associate justice of the supreme court. The fight against him is being waged bitterly.

The committee announces that it will inquire into Brandeis' connection, as an attorney, with the merger of the United Cigars Stores, and the Riker-Hegeman chain of drug stores.

CENTRAL SUGAR GRINDING PLANT IS SUCCESSFUL

Hawaiian Plan as Adopted in Philippines is Working Satisfactorily

That the adoption of central sugar-grinding plants in the Philippines, following the methods used in Hawaii and on the mainland, has resulted in notable success, making a "higher grade of sugar possible, and enabling planters to realize better prices for their product, was stated today by Christian J. Hedemann, manager of the Honolulu Iron Works, who returned this morning on the China Mail liner China, after passing four months in the Orient, and studying the Philippine sugar industry carefully while away.

"In the beginning, Philippine sugar planters were a little reluctant to consider installing central grinding plants," said Mr. Hedemann. "However, the central built at San Carlos and Calamba have enabled them to stop the old antiquated mills and dispose of their cane to the centrals.

"The Calamba central is now offered far more cane than it can grind with its present milling plant, and this will be still more the case next year. The principal reason for the centrals has been that with the high cost of transporting Philippine sugar to New York, with freight rates up to unprecedented figures, it does not pay to export a low quality of sugar to the mainland. The sugar must be of a higher grade and of a higher value to

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NEW YORK STOCK MARKET TODAY

Following are the closing prices of stocks on the New York market today, sent by the Associated Press over the Federal Wireless:

Stock	Today	Yesterday
Alaska Gold	21	20 1/2
American Smelter	97	97
American Sugar Rfg.	113 1/2	110 1/4
American Tel. & Tel.	128 1/4	128 1/4
Anacosta Copper	84 1/4	84 1/4
Atchafalpa	103 1/2	103 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	85	85 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	88 1/2	86 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	103 1/2	103 1/2
Calif. Petroleum	22 1/2	23 1/2
Canadian Pacific	168 1/2	168 1/2
C. M. & St. P. (St. Paul)	94 1/2	95 1/2
Colo. Fuel & Iron	47 1/2	41 1/2
Crucible Steel	79 1/2	79 1/2
Erie Common	36	36 1/2
General Electric	166 1/2	166 1/2
General Motors	430	420
Great Northern Pfd.	119 1/2	119 1/2
Inter. Harv. N. J.	111 1/2	111
Kennecott Copper	55 1/2	55 1/2
Lehigh R. R.	78 1/2	78 1/2
New York Central	105 1/2	105 1/2
Pennsylvania	58	56 1/2
Ray Consol.	22 1/2	22 1/2
Southern Pacific	97 1/2	98
Studebaker	131 1/2	131
Tennessee Copper	44 1/2	45
Union Pacific	134 1/2	135 1/2
U. S. Steel	82 1/2	83 1/2
U. S. Steel Pfd.	116 1/2	116
Utah	80	80
Western Union	91 1/2	91
Westinghouse	59 1/4	60

*Bid. †Ex-dividend. ‡Unquoted.

DOOR OF WEST POINT WILL BE OPENED WIDER

Twenty-three Unmarried Enlisted Men May Take Examination For Entrance

By an act of Congress, approved by the President last Thursday, young unmarried enlisted men of the army, who will have served not less than one year on July 10, 1916, are to be admitted to the military academy at West Point, admission being based upon a competitive examination. Of 23 to be admitted this July, 15 are to be allowed from Hawaii.

Word received this week from the adjutant-general at Washington directs Brig.-gen. John P. Wisser, commanding the Hawaiian department, to select not more than 15 well qualified candidates who desire to try for the entrance examinations. This is the first time that enlisted men have ever been given an opportunity to enter the military academy on this basis, and the news should be well received by men in the service here who are seeking officers' commissions. Whether or not Gen. Wisser will select 15 men for the examinations depends largely upon the interest shown by the men themselves, but it is thought probable that many more than this number will apply to the commanding general. In substance the cable is as follows: "Act approved May 4 provides appointment to West Point from enlisted men of the regular army. Twenty-three are to be admitted on July 10, this year, as a result of competitive examinations, the same as for entrance to the academy. Candidates must be between the ages of 19 and 23 years, unmarried, and must have served as enlisted men not less than one year on July 10, 1916. You are requested to select from your command not exceeding 15

DISAVOWAL, PUNISHMENT OF DIVER'S COMMANDER RESULT OF WILSON'S EMPHATIC NOTES

AMSTERDAM HEARS GERMAN INVESTIGATION SHOWS MISTAKE BY UNDERSEA RAIDER—BRITISH AND ENEMY TORPEDO CRAFT IN BATTLE—LONDON ESTIMATES TOTAL GERMAN CASUALTIES AT 2,822,079

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireless)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—Reports from Berlin that Germany would apologize for the sinking of the Sussex were confirmed late today by the state department. The note acknowledges responsibility for the attack on the Sussex, promises reparation and the punishment of the commander. It says that the commander, believing that he was facing a warship, formed his judgment too hurriedly, and did not act in accordance with his instructions. The note also admits that the assurances given the United States were not adhered to in this instance, and expresses "sincere regret regarding this deplorable incident." Germany declares readiness to pay an adequate money indemnity for the Americans injured in the explosion, and hopes the United States will consider the case settled.

BERLIN, Germany, May 10.—Ambassador Gerard today delivered to Foreign Secretary von Jagow the American reply to Germany's long note regarding the general submarine situation.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—That Germany is disavowing indorsement of the attack on the British Channel steamer Sussex, and is apologizing for the act of her submarine, is the intimation from Berlin today coming by cable from U. S. Ambassador James Gerard. Ambassador Gerard cabled today to the state department that a new note had been handed him and that he was forwarding it to Washington. The indications are that the note admits that the Sussex was attacked by a German submarine in violation of international law, that the submarine commander has been punished, and that promises are made of reparation for the act.

The Sussex was blown up in the Channel but towed to Boulogne harbor, where she sank in shallow water. Germany first denied that the attack had been made by a German warship of any kind.

AMSTERDAM, Holland, May 10.—A semi-official statement comes from Berlin today that an investigation by the German government has revealed the fact that the Sussex was torpedoed by mistake, the submarine commander believing her a warship.

Brazil Wants Indemnity of Germany

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil, May 10.—The Brazilian government will demand an indemnity of Germany for the Brazilian steamer Rio Branco, which, it is declared, was sunk by a German submarine in the war-zone.

Irish Rebellion to Be Investigated Now

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
LONDON, Eng., May 10.—With the resignation of Lord Wimborne, lord lieutenant for Ireland, announced today, there is evident the determination of the government to go deeper into the events preceding the late rebellion. The resignation was expected, as there has been widespread criticism of the administration of Irish affairs since the outbreak. A commission to investigate the rebellion has been named, consisting of Baron Hardinge, Justice Sir Montague Shearman and Sir Mackenzie Chalmers.

NATIONAL DEFENSE IS GIVEN INDORSEMENT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

What to do for the soldier? is a question still held in abeyance by the chamber of commerce committee having it in charge. It met this morning and after a long discussion agreed that no definite settlement of the question could be reached now, with such a great diversity of opinion as exists among the membership of the committee, among the army men concerned and in the community.

This was brought to the board of directors of the chamber at a meeting this afternoon. The directors adopted the report without comment this afternoon. The finance committee reported at the directors' meeting that the greater part of the money necessary to retain George McK. McClellan in Washington had been secured. About \$225 in cash is on hand, there are \$1350 in promises and a very strong probability of getting \$650 more. Secretary Raymond C. Brown declared that the rest of the amount needed would undoubtedly be raised without trouble.

The directors voted in favor of the national defense referendum of the national chamber of commerce. All ten provisions of the resolution were passed.

Circuit Judge Stuart today judged "Hen" Wise to be in contempt of court for having failed to obey certain orders with regard to a suit for divorce brought against him by Kate Wise. The court has ordered Wise to be confined in jail until he complies with the orders.

well qualified candidates who are willing, and to instruct them to appear for mental and physical examination at 9 o'clock in the morning of June 6, at the General Hospital, Presidio of San Francisco, Cal. They should go by liner. Forward this office by letter full names, companies, regiments and dates of birthdays.

British and German Torpedoboats Clash

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
BERLIN, Germany, May 10.—An engagement of British and German torpedo craft took place today off the Belgian coast, a number of shots being fired. One British boat was badly damaged while the Germans emerged unscathed from the conflict.

FRENCH AND GERMAN REPORTS ABOUT VERDUN SHOW LITTLE CHANGE

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
PARIS, France, May 10.—Activity on the Verdun line decreased today. The artillery duels and infantry fighting were noticeably lighter than for the past several days.

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
BERLIN, Germany, May 10.—The Germans made progress today in the vicinity of Hill 304, taking French positions.

LONDON, Eng., May 10.—Germany has suffered casualties of nearly 3,000,000 men since the war began, according to the official British estimates made public today.

The estimates give the number of German casualties in April as 91,162 and the number since the war began as 2,822,079. They state that more than 41,000 German soldiers have died of sickness.

GERMAN OFFICIAL CABLEGRAMS

GERMAN HEADQUARTERS, May 9.—In connection with success on height 304, the Germans took south of Termete, a hill, and south of Hautcourt several trenches by storming them. The enemy's attempt to reconquer with strong forces terrain lost on height 304 failed. The enemy's losses were heavy. Other French attacks on the east bank of Meuse in the district of Thiaumont were equally unsuccessful. A number of French were prisoners, including 3 officers and 375 men besides 16 wounded. Nine machine guns were taken. At other parts on the west front, there were only several patrol enterprises which were successful for the Germans.