

## LA FOLLETTE'S FILIBUSTER HOLDS UP NAVAL BILL

### REPUBLICANS ARE GIVEN CHOICE BY CHAIRMAN BERNDT

"Reorganize Committee or I Will Feel Compelled to Quit," His Attitude

### BUSINESS COMMUNITY REPRESENTATION SLIGHT Party Harmony Can Only Be Reached By Having All Interests Fairly Dealt With

Enil A. Berndt, interviewed this morning on the subject of his attitude on resigning the chairmanship of the Republican party, made the following statement:

"In view of misleading statements that have been made, I desire to emphatically confirm previous statements to the effect that unless it can be arranged to effect a reorganization of the central committee whereby party harmony can be reached by having all elements in the community equitably represented, I am convinced that my efforts would not be attended with success, and therefore feel it incumbent to tender my resignation in order that those responsible for the present organization, and who are in favor of continuing it, may have entire control and the responsibility that goes with it.

"I believe that the committee was fairly chosen, so far as the voting was concerned, but without due deliberation and that it will be readily appreciated that the business community is not adequately represented. Perhaps the fault for this lies more with the business community than anywhere else; nevertheless I believe it would be wisdom on the part of those in control to see that it is given representation. I have naturally regarded that my greatest opportunity for service to the party would be through securing the united support of the business people, and without a fair chance of accomplishing this, my greatest means for usefulness has been destroyed.

"Let those who believe that party interests are paramount give due consideration to the rights of all to fair representation.

Chairman Berndt's statement corresponds precisely to the situation as outlined by the Star-Bulletin, yesterday afternoon. Since that time several "harmony" conferences have taken place. John H. Wise, who was prominent in the late platform convention, has worked particularly hard to bring about harmony.

It is conceded by all the party leaders who have followed the developments that the party is on the verge of a big split—a split with the so-called business community on one side and the rank and file of old-time Republican voters on the other.

Predictions were made today that unless Chairman Berndt's attitude brings about a reorganization of the central committee, he and others will resign and the substantial Republicans who have almost always aided the campaign in the past will decline to have anything to do with the campaign managers selected by the committee as it will then shape up.

### JUDGE STUART'S LETTER FAILS TO DISTURB WILSON

Jurist's Bomb Touched Off But No Big Explosion Results

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(Special Star-Bulletin Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 6.—Judge T. B. Stuart of Hawaii rigged up a bomb and touched it off. The purpose was to shake the governmental foundations, having Secretary Lane, Attorney General Gregory and Governor Pinkham out of the water. Incidentally, it was calculated to jostle the President of the United States.

The net result of the explosion was to disturb nobody and effect nothing. It did not make a ripple on the surface of the water. No public mention was made of the matter. The newspapers did not carry a line of the Judge's letter.

Governor Pinkham, with Judges Robertson and Whitney, will not hear of the bomb except from unofficial sources. The shock will not reach them. Judge Stuart, after this bomb-throwing, could not achieve the governorship inside of a million years. His attack on Secretary Lane and Attorney General Gregory had no effect other than to materially strengthen Governor Pinkham and the members of the bench as a whole.

"Governor Pinkham is a queen compared with Judge Stuart" is the way in which the situation is described by interior department people.

Judge Stuart began the formulation

### 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.

	Today	Yesterday
Alaska Gold	17 1/2	17 1/2
American Smelter	94 1/2	93 1/2
American Sugar Rfg.	109 1/2	109 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	129 1/2	129 1/2
Anacosta Copper	80 1/2	81
Atchafalca	104 1/2	104 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	71 1/2	71 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	89 1/2	89 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	44 1/2	44 1/2
Calif. Petroleum	20	17 1/2
Canadian Pacific	178 1/2	180
C. M. & St. P. (St. Paul)	96 1/2	97
Colo. Fuel & Iron	43 1/2	43 1/2
Crucible Steel	68 1/2	68
Eric Common	35 1/2	35 1/2
General Electric	166 1/2	165
General Motors	111 1/2	111 1/2
Great Northern Pfd.	118 1/2	118 1/2
Inter. Harv. M. J.	117 1/2	117
Kennecott Copper	45 1/2	45 1/2
Lehigh R. R.	78 1/2	78 1/2
New York Central	103 1/2	103 1/2
Pennsylvania	56 1/2	56 1/2
Ray Consol.	22 1/2	22 1/2
Southern Pacific	97 1/2	97 1/2
Studebaker	128 1/2	128 1/2
Tennessee Copper	25 1/2	24 1/2
Union Pacific	137 1/2	138 1/2
U. S. Steel	85 1/2	85 1/2
U. S. Steel Pfd.	117 1/2	117 1/2
Utah	78 1/2	76
Western Union	93 1/2	94
Westinghouse	56 1/2	56

\*Bid. †Ex-dividend. ‡Unquoted.

### ATHLETICS WIN A GAME; BLANK FOHL'S TOSSERS

Connie Mack's Baseball School Wins Third Victory of Month; White Sox Lose Twice

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 20.—The Athletics won their third game this month when they shut out the Cleveland Indians in the second game of the double header today. The White Sox, playing in Washington, dropped two close games to the Senators, going from third to fourth place. The Browns and Tigers defeated the leaders today. Second division teams made a good showing in the National League, Philadelphia being the only eastern team to win a game.

The scores of the games today are as follows:

AMERICAN LEAGUE		
At Philadelphia	Cleveland 4	Philadelphia 2
At Washington	Washington 4	Chicago 3
At New York	St. Louis 4	New York 2
At Boston	Detroit 3	Boston 2

  

NATIONAL LEAGUE		
At Cincinnati	Philadelphia 6	Cincinnati 0
At Chicago	Chicago 1	New York 0
At St. Louis	St. Louis 5	Boston 2
At Pittsburgh	Wet grounds.	

NATIONAL LEAGUE		
	Won	Lost
Brooklyn	45	32
Philadelphia	43	33
Boston	41	33
New York	38	39
Pittsburg	37	40
St. Louis	40	45
Chicago	39	45
Cincinnati	33	49

AMERICAN LEAGUE		
	Won	Lost
New York	50	36
Boston	49	36
Cleveland	47	39
Chicago	45	39
Washington	46	40
Detroit	45	41
St. Louis	37	49
Philadelphia	20	59

### POLK TO ASK ABOUT BRITISH TRADE BAR ON AMERICAN FIRMS

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20.—An informal inquiry is to be made by Counselor of the State Department Polk to the British embassy for information concerning the application of the British "Trading with the Enemy" act to American business firms.

### JAPANESE TENNIS MEN LOSE TO EASTERNERS

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)

NARRAGANSETT PIER, R. I., July 20.—Craig Biddle of Philadelphia and Kolmet Canar of Harvard defeated Kumage and Mikami, the Japanese tennis champions, in four hard-fought set today, 6-3, 7-5, 4-6, 6-4.

The cork oak of Spain is said to grow best in poorest soil, thus proving itself first cousin to the grouch.

### Late News At A Glance

**PROHIBITION CONVENTION IN UPROAR**  
(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireless)

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 20.—Efforts on the part of some leaders of the national Prohibition convention here to get the resolutions committee's draft of the platform adopted without distributing copies to the delegates precipitated an uproar here today. For 10 minutes delegates stood on their chairs, shouting, while Chairman Patton vainly pounded with his gavel to restore order. The motion to adopt the platform was withdrawn.

The platform as drafted carries nationwide prohibition, woman suffrage, anti-preparedness and peace planks. An extract reads: "Mexico needs not a conqueror, but a Samaritan. The Democrats have blundered and the Republicans have evaded their responsibility in Mexico."

The appearance of William Sulzer, ex-governor of New York and a candidate for the Prohibition nomination, caused a demonstration.

**MANOA PROJECT MAY NOW MOVE AHEAD**  
W. G. Allen, representative in Honolulu of F. R. Ritchie, the contractor on the Manoa improvement work, has received the following cable from his principal: "Amended power mailed. Bonding company will cable agent all well." This means that the acknowledgments to the power of attorney made out to Allen by Ritchie, necessary under the Hawaiian law, will reach here before July 27, the last date allowed by the supervisors for signing the final contract. If the bonding company carries out the promise in the cablegram Ritchie's bond will be filed Tuesday night, and work on the Manoa project started soon after.

**JAMES J. KULIKE SUDDENLY STRICKEN, DIES**  
James J. Kulike, keeper at Ala Park, died suddenly about noon today, presumably of heart failure. He was about 43 years of age and is survived by his wife and children. There will be a post-mortem examination this afternoon by Police Surgeon R. G. Ayer. Kulike was a member of the police department years ago and was later in the road department.

### COL. LINCOLN'S RESIGNATION IS CAUSE OF RUMOR

Friction With Gen. Johnson is Denied Absolutely By National Guard Heads

### SOON TO BE PROMOTED TO MAJOR, REGULAR ARMY

After serving efficiently since January 1 of this year, Col. Charles S. Lincoln, U. S. A., inspector-instructor of the National Guard of Hawaii, tendered his resignation yesterday as colonel of the 1st Infantry, N. G. H., and has requested the Hawaiian department that he be relieved as inspector-instructor.

Both Col. Lincoln and Brig. Gen. Samuel I. Johnson, commanding the National Guard of Hawaii, declare that the only reason for the former's resignation is that he is soon to be promoted from captain to major of the regular army, under the new National Defense Act, but reports from outside sources are persistent that the colonel's action is the result of disagreement with General Johnson's alleged political activities.

"I resigned because I am about to be promoted, and under the new conditions prefer to be with the regular troops," said Col. Lincoln this morning when asked for a statement.

"There is nothing to rumors of any friction with Gen. Johnson." The colonel added that he has been in regular army service on Oahu for the last three and a half years, having come to the islands in January, 1913, as captain with the 2nd Infantry at Fort Shafter. He was appointed January 1, 1916, as inspector-instructor of the National Guard of Hawaii and is conceded to have filled the position very satisfactorily. It is reported that he will be assigned to command a battalion of regulars soon as major in the

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### CITY PURCHASING AGENT COMPILES TABLE OF COSTS

Wheat will cost the city 5 cents a ton less, about 1.10 of 1 per cent, and coal \$5.50 a ton more, about 42 per cent, this six-month period than during the last, H. E. Wescott, city purchasing agent, has completed his tabulation of bids for materials and supplies for city use and is sending contracts to 27 firms today.

Only two items were found in a partial examination that will cost the city less from now on. As stated, wheat has gone down 5 cents a ton; meat will cost the city but 8.9 cents, instead of 9 cents a pound.

Asphalt is to cost \$19.30 a ton, instead of \$15.20; gasoline, 18.5 cents a gallon instead of 15.5 cents; cement, \$2.85 a barrel, instead of \$2.65; copper wire, 33 cents a pound, instead of 24 cents; bran, \$37 a ton, instead of \$30, and so on through the list.

Because of the strike on the coast the city is paying lighterage cost of 50c a barrel on cement at present. The city contracts call for the payment of extraordinary cost of material due to strikes and other such causes.

**NEW KWANGTUNG GOVERNOR**  
(Marconigram to Liberty News)

SHANGHAI, China, July 20.—Chow Sun Chun has been appointed governor of Kwangtung province to succeed Lung Chi Quan, who has been removed by Li Yuan-Hung. Lung Chi Quan refused to give up his position, and an armed force has been called upon to oust him.

### Longshoremen Back At Work

Unionists in Coast Port Back on Jobs at Old Wages; Question of Closed Shop Awaits Further Discussion

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 20.—Indications of the breaking-up of the coast port strike which has tied San Francisco shipping and water commerce tight for weeks came today when the bulk of the longshoremen returned to work.

Four thousand of the men, employed in many branches of the shipping business, including the bay and river boatmen, went back to work at the old wage scale. No agreement between the longshoremen's union and the Shipowners' Association has been reached upon the question of an "open" or "closed" shop.

That remains to be settled by negotiations.

Announcement made last night that all the longshoremen who were striking, excepting those loading lumber, would return to work today proved correct.

TACOMA, Wash., July 20.—The striking longshoremen here went back to work today.

### Villa Is Likely To Be Captured

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)

CHIHUAHUA CITY, Mex., July 20.—The capture of the "Pancho" Villa, the wily outlaw who long has eluded Carranza and American pursuers, seems probable today. Villa and a band of 800 men are surrounded in the vicinity of Amador according to a report today to Gen. Trevino by Gen. Ramos. The latter sends a message that his 4000 men have trapped "Pancho" and the latter will probably be taken.

### SAN FRANCISCO BUSINESSMAN IS SUICIDE VICTIM

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)

SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—Louis Rosenfeld, member of John Rosenfeld Sons, committed suicide early today by shooting himself in the head in Golden Gate Park. He was in the hospital recently and was suffering from nervousness, which is ascribed as a possible explanation of his deed.

### NEARLY 500 NOW CARRIED OFF BY GREAT EPIDEMIC

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)

NEW YORK, N. Y., July 20.—Thirty-one deaths from infantile paralysis were reported today for the last 24 hours, with 119 new cases.

The toll of the epidemic is now 487 deaths and 2446 cases.

### GERMAN OFFICIAL CABLEGRAMS

**GERMAN HEADQUARTERS**, July 19.—The 26th Magdeburg infantry regiment and Allenburg infantry, after hard fighting, reconquered the village of Longueval and connecting wood of Delville. The British suffered large and bloody losses. Eight unwounded officers, 280 men and a number of machine guns were captured.

The enemy's attacks against our positions north of Ovillers and further south toward the edge of Poelers, broke down in curtain fire. The enemy is now fighting without the least success. A separate French attack north of Barleux and in Barleux failed. Attacks in other places did not pass the first line.

East of Meuse the enemy continued fruitless efforts against our line in Froidterre. North of Bandesep a German patrol was successful.

Hindenburg's army on the east: South and southeast repeated Russian reinforced attacks broke down with usually high losses under resistance of our gallant regiments.

Prince Leopold's army: The situa-

### BRITISH TRAP NEW U-BOAT OF CLASS 35; DEUTSCHLAND GETS READY FOR DASH TO OPEN SEA

Engines Tested and Found Perfect--Heavy Fighting on East and West Fronts Continues--French Claim Important Gains--Austrians Repulse Italians

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireless)

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20.—Senator La Follette almost single-handed is holding back the administration's "preparedness" program.

Today on the floor of the senate he continued his attack upon the naval appropriation bill and the entire preparedness propaganda. He shows no sign of yielding on his filibuster. This afternoon he aroused the veteran Senator Gallinger when he referred to members of Congress as "representatives of the interests."

BERLIN, Germany, July 20.—The British attack northwest of Fromelles has been defeated and wherever the British entered trenches they have been ejected. Fighting has been resumed on the east front southwest of Lutsk. As a result of Gen. von Linsingen's aggressiveness the Teutons have advanced.

PETROGRAD, Russia, July 20.—The Russians have captured the Turk stronghold of Kugl, in the Caucasus. The Teutonic attempt to advance at the Stockhod river has been repulsed.

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireless)

LONDON, England, July 20.—British patrolling cruisers or the nets spread in the North Sea and the English Channel have trapped one of Germany's newest and greatest submarines.

First official announcement was made in the House of Commons today by Financial Secretary McNamara of the capture of a diver of the U-35 class. He said that one of the U-35 submarines would soon be brought to London and that the general public would have an opportunity to see it.

(Note.—The U-35 class is said to be practically as powerful as the Deutschland, which is now in harbor at Baltimore after its trans-Atlantic trip. The U-boats, however, are equipped with torpedo-tubes and guns, whereas the Deutschland, for merchantman's purposes, is not equipped with offensive weapons, according to the report of the American experts.)

BALTIMORE, Md., July 20.—Further indications were today that the Deutschland is preparing for her dash under water into the open sea. Capt. Paul Koenig donned his uniform today and studied the charts of the Patapsco river and Chesapeake Bay. The vessel's engines were finally tested out and pronounced perfect.

### Fighting on River Somme at Furious Pace Night and Day

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireless)

LONDON, Eng., July 20.—Fighting on the river Somme continues at a furious pace today. The British made gains at Delville wood, north of Longueval, at Bazentin and east of Leipsic delvile. At all of these positions the fighting was bloody.

### French Deliver Hot Attacks on German, Both Sides of the Somme

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireless)

PARIS, France, July 20.—The French delivered stiff attacks today on both sides of the river Somme. The north trenches of Hardecourt sector were taken by repeated charges.

Southward five miles of the German front-line trenches were captured, between Barleux and Soyecourt.

There is continuous bombardment today at Avocourt and Chat tancourt, on the Verdun sector.

### Austrians Smash Enemy With Rocks

BERLIN, Germany, July 20.—Italian forces swarming into the Austrian terrain near Borcola pass were repulsed and shattered when the Austrians guarding the hills rolled huge boulders down on them, says an official Vienna despatch. Machine guns aided the damage done by the avalanche of stones.

Repeated French attacks upon the Germans south of the Somme have been repulsed.

There is intense French and British artillery activity on both sides of the Somme.

### German Zeppelin Said Shot Down

LONDON, Eng., July 20.—A big German Zeppelin which recently raided the Russian Baltic port of Riga was hit by the gun-fire of anti-aircraft guns and wrecked near Tokum, says a Russian despatch.

Most of the crew were saved.

tion on the front is unchanged. A German air squadron successfully bombed stations in Horodzieva and Poroyekson. The squadron attacked in the mass toward Baranovitski, where hostile troops and transports are stationed.

Linsingen's army: Partially livelier enemy fire activity, especially in Stochod and further southwest of Luch.

Bothmer's army: No incidents of importance.

Balkan sectors: Unchanged.

Reval Bombarded.

The German admiralty reports that on July 18 German naval aeroplanes bombed the enemy's torpedo boats, submarines and military establishments in the Russian naval port of Reval. Numerous hits obtained on enemy's forces. One submarine hit four times. Large conflagrations took place. In spite of heavy anti-aircraft gun fire and enemy's aeroplanes, German aeroplanes returned unharmed to sea forces, who waited outside the bay.

Russian Air Fighting.

Three Russian aeroplanes on July 17 attacked at the entrance to Riga bay a part of German sea forces. They were unsuccessful with bombs. One was shot and the others were chased.

CHINA BORROWES \$50,000,000  
(Marconigram to Liberty News)

SHANGHAI, China, July 20.—The Chinese government has secured a loan of \$50,000,000 to carry out a number of definite plans. The money was secured from the Japanese government.