

RUSS TO GET GOVERNMENT LIKE SWISS

Slav Consul at San Francisco Returning From Petrograd Says Republic Will Stand; Most Urgent Need Now is Stable Administration; Korniloff Still a Prisoner

Russia is to have a federal republic somewhat similar to that of the Swiss republic, thinks A. W. Woodzoff, Russian consul in San Francisco for the past two years, but who since June has been on sick leave to Russia. He is in Honolulu today en route to the coast.

"Whatever comes in Russia the new government will be sustained," he says. "At the constitutional conference to be held next month I believe a federal republic will be formed. The form of government organized will consist of an executive council with representatives from all the Russian provinces. The executive council will have both executive and legislative powers. It will be very similar to the Swiss form of government. This, of course, is the expression of a personal opinion and not an official one."

He adds that as there is a movement in Russia to give all the different nationalities self-government it may lead to the formation of separate state governments, but all united in representation in the national council. The form of government as outlined by him is the one which he thinks the Socialists—meaning the Kerensky followers—will follow.

The San Francisco consul discusses conditions in Russia with more frankness than most Russian officials. He does not hide his belief that the formation of a stable government is just now of more urgent need to Russia than is the defeat of the Germans. And it is apparent he believes a strong government must come before much can be expected of the Russians in the war against Germany.

Some of his views are nearly American in coloring. "There was no fear in Petrograd that the Russian capital was to be taken after the abandonment of Riga. There are plenty of soldiers to defend Petrograd," he says with confidence. Then adds the oft-repeated intimation that the Russian army might have been expected to fight with some of its former effectiveness if Petrograd had been defended by the Huns.

Two reasons are given by him why the Germans will not and do not want to take Petrograd. One of these is a memory of Napoleon's retreat and a desire not to excite Russian anger and cause national animosity among the Russians against a common foe. Like others, he seems to think Germany hopes to gain more by diplomacy in Russia than by big guns.

The abandonment of Riga was a question of debate for a year before it was allowed to fall into the hands of Germany. It would have been given up before if it was not for its moral effect, both on the Russians and Germans," he lets a listener infer.

"Strict supervision of all visits of foreigners to Russia is maintained and will be for several months. Both at Yokohama and Harbin all passports are carefully viced again, to keep political foes of the revolutionary government, German spies and useless travelers from gaining entry to Russia. Only those having legitimate business reasons for going to Russia are permitted to do so," he says.

Korniloff is still a prisoner in Petrograd, says Consul Woodzoff. He speaks of him with an air of regret over a misplaced movement, rather than in condemnation. "It is a question whether Korniloff will be tried as a traitor to the revolutionary government, or upon some lesser charge. It is true he made an armed advance on the Russian capital, but he did so after warning the government of his intention. Whether his actions constitute those of a traitor has not been decided," he declares.

Upon one point the Russian consul speaks with extreme confidence when he says: "No one wants a monarchial form of government. There is no danger that the Romanoff family will ever regain their power. The revolutionary government will stand."

CHARLIE CHAPLIN WILL POSE FOR PROMOTION BODY

Owing to the fact that he is under contract which prohibits him from appearing in any moving pictures but that of his own company, Charlie Chaplin, visitor to Honolulu, has not been able to gratify the wish of the promotion bureau to perform for their benefit, but has agreed to let the bureau take as many "still" pictures as they desire. The bureau is making arrangements to secure pictures of the famous comedian bathing at Waikiki, surfing, swimming and seeing the sights of this island.

THREE CRIMINAL CASES WILL BE INVESTIGATED

City Attorney A. M. Brown this afternoon was to present the following criminal cases to the territorial grand jury for investigation: A. Davy, charged with murdering David, is alleged to have run a Chinese with an automobile. An Mossman, charged with forging three orders, on E. O. Hall and Son, signing the name of Mrs. Robert Lishman. Chong Wou, charged with passing forged writing.

THE MODEL HUSBAND

Mr. Jinkworthy had become greatly puffed up over the fact that his wife was telling the neighbors that she had a model husband. He bored his colleagues in the office about it until one of them called him to one side and suggested that he should look up the definition of the word "model". Mr. Jinkworthy took down the dictionary and read: "Model—a small imitation of the real thing!"—Exchange.

LETTERS

REGULATE SIDEWALK WALKING

Editor Honolulu Star-Bulletin, Sir: When you editors come to a halt on account of a belt slipping off or something of the kind, and there is a moment's letup along the line of trying to make the public think as you do, you "take your pencil in hand" and have a jab at the traffic problem, incorporating therein much sarcasm and uncharitable balloon essence regarding the motorists and his utter disregard for the law. That is where you can say just what suits your fancy, and your fancy usually leads along lines that fall in unpleasant places for the motorist and his doings. Should anybody suggest to you that the pedestrian himself is, in a large way, directly responsible for many of the accidents that occur, you come at them the next day with something along the "funny" line on traffic rules and limited speeds for the pedestrian. That is all right and goes for the minute, but there is still a most important problem to be solved on this very complex question.

The drivers of automobiles are under the stringent regulations of the traffic laws, and have, notwithstanding the general idea to the contrary, much more respect for constituted authority than have pedestrians. What discipline is framed for the user of the sidewalk? Do they regularly observe the law of "right of the road" toward other pedestrians? Do they move along with any sense of the rights of others? And let me say that there are sidewalk hogs that put the street hog so far in the shade that he loses all porcine identity.

Promulgate a lot of laws for the pedestrian. Make them along the same lines as those governing the motorist and you will find that there will be but few funny things to write about from either side, and the pedestrian and the motorist will be more capable of being judged.

There was a time when the streets were in just as bad a tangle and muddle with vehicle traffic as prevails among the pedestrians on the sidewalk today, when people are dodging each other, to the right or left, whichever shows an opening, bumping into each other. Standing in groups in the middle of the sidewalk to talk over some dance of last week, while other pedestrians have to take to the street to get by. Get along the best way you can.

Traffic regulations straightened out all such similar doings among vehicles. Subject those who use the sidewalks and crossings to regulations along the same lines and then we will have the traffic problem fairly well solved.

EQUALITY.

RUSSIAN MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS IS AUTHOR OF SOME NOTE

[By Associated Press] PETROGRAD, Russia.—A. M. Petrov, appointed assistant minister for foreign affairs in July, was formerly director of the Near-Eastern department of the foreign office. His first diplomatic appointment was in Turkey, where he made a special study of politics. He served some time in Macedonia. He was one of Russia's representatives at the London conference, convoked during the Balkan war of 1912-13. Later he served as commissioner in Albania. Petrov has written valuable treatises on Balkan affairs.

FAMILY HAS GREAT AMERICAN WAR RECORD

ELIZABETH, W. Va.—The family of N. D. Madden, near here, is a soldierly and patriotic one. Madden is a veteran of the Civil war. His grandfather served in the Revolutionary war. His grandfather served in the war of 1812. He and another brother fought in the Civil war and a younger brother fought in the Spanish-American war. Two of his sons are in the present war and four other sons are awaiting the call.

ANTI-SUICIDE LEADER FINDS WAR ADDS WORK.

NEW YORK, N. Y.—Because war is a fruitful source of suicide, the Rev. H. M. Warren will not take his customary vacation this summer, but will work here right through the hot season.

Dr. Warren is the foe of suicide. He works untiringly to redeem those whom despair has brought to the brink of rushing untimely into the presence of their Maker. His Save-a-Life league established several years ago, is finding an even greater mission.

SONGS THEY REALLY SING.

Come on, dirty soldiers, Wash your blooming clothes, Where you get the soap from Goodness only knows. Clean and brush your tunics, Give your socks a rub. While you're looking for the soap, Some blighter's pinched your tub.—Pearson's Magazine.

LIBERTY LOAN DINNER

The Business Girls' club of the Y. W. C. A. will hold its monthly dinner and business meeting tonight at 5:30. The matter of cooperation and support for our nation is the subject of keenest interest on the part of many business women. Richard Trent of the Loan committee will speak regarding all phases of the Liberty Loan so that a thorough understanding will be given. Many of the girls of this club subscribed to the first loan and many more are planning to aid the second one. No more patriotic group exists in our nation than its wage earning women. Mrs. Bernice Kahanamoku will sing at the dinner.

UNIVERSITY CLUB LECTURE

The public is invited to the lecture to be given this evening at the University Club by Prof. Gregory of Yale University. Prof. Gregory is a most entertaining speaker with a fortunate ability to put dry facts into attractive and easily understood form.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The report of the Manoa Improvement club in regard to the alleged discrepancy in the matter of asphaltum used and the amount which was called for in the contract for the Manoa road work will be submitted to the board of supervisors at their meeting tonight.

Henry Torbert, colored, of Company 1, 25th Infantry, charged with assault and battery, was fined \$25 by Judge Irwin this morning. The defendant, according to reports of the arresting officer, threw a stone at a small boy near the corner of Vineyard and Kukui streets last night.

A class in dramatic instruction will soon be started at the Y. M. C. A. Mrs. Roger Burnham, the dramatic director, will have charge of the class. Registrations are now being made for membership. Mrs. Burnham had charge of the recent production of the Lanai players. She is manager of the Lanai theater.

Two building permits were issued today by the building inspector's office. N. Y. Nuirakanii was given a permit to construct a one-story six-room cottage to cost \$150 and a wash room to cost \$400 on the waikiki side of Kamehameha IV road near King street. Mrs. Rose Amelia will build a home on the makai side of Iolani avenue near Bernice street to cost \$945.

In the absence of the regular pastor at the First Methodist church, the pulpit will be occupied Sunday by Dr. Wm. H. Fry, the superintendent of the Methodist missions of the territory. The theme of his discourse will be "The Stayers by the Staff." Soldiers and civilians are alike invited to be present at the morning service and hear Dr. Fry's presentation of this vigorous and timely theme.

The fourth night of the motorcycle squad's activities in rounding up traffic violators ended in the arrest of four men. The names and charges are as follows: J. E. Boyle, charged with passing a street car which had stopped to discharge passengers. Y. Kawamoto was charged with the same offense. E. A. Jones was charged with running his car with a cutout open. H. McCriston was arrested for operating his car without proper lights.

PERSONALITIES

HUGH HOWELL, a Maui contractor, is in Honolulu today on a business trip.

MISS ELIZABETH APPLETON, daughter of Mrs. S. C. Huber, arrived in Honolulu from her home in Tama, Iowa, Wednesday, and expects to spend the winter here.

MAJ. CHARLES R. FORBES, O. R. C., who is attached to the aviation section, is situated at Charlotte, N. C., as divisional signal officer. Forbes was formerly superintendent of public works in Hawaii.

G. TASHIRO, local Japanese business agent, who has been a resident of Honolulu for many years, is to visit in Japan for four months. Next Tuesday afternoon he will entertain friends at a farewell banquet at the Tokiwa club, Nuuanu street.

SPENCER BROWN, former manager of the Associated Charities of Honolulu and who was assigned to duty as inspector at the Brooklyn navy yard shortly after America entered the war, is now assigned to the aerological research bureau of the signal corps, which is under the control of the weather bureau.

LITTLE INTERVIEWS

J. K. NAKILA of the Kuokos. I am very sorry to see Rev. H. H. Parker of Kawalahaoh church resign his position. He has been a good adviser of the Hawaiian people.

SUPERVISOR BEN HOLLINGER. What's the matter with the Japanese fountain at Kapiolani park? It is not finished yet. I hope the Japanese will hurry up with their work.

CITY EDITOR KAWAMURA of the Nippon Jiji: There must be something doing down in the Marshall Island waters. I expect to hear from the Japanese navy department in Tokyo.

WANTED ADS

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

HELP WANTED. Three young ladies to sell millinery. Apply corner Fort and Beretania 7:30 Saturday morning. 6915-11

FOR SALE.

AUTOMOBILES. Saxon Roadster, \$150.00; Buick Roadster, \$225.00; Ford Roadster, \$300.00; Stoddard-Dayton Roadster, \$200.00; Chalmers, 5-pass., 1917, \$850.00; Buick, 5-pass., 1916, \$900.00; Pope-Hartford, \$275.00. Frank Coombs, Bishop and Merchant streets, Telephone 2182. 6915-21

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ADENOIDS.

Dr. Brady says of operations, "The great relief is short-lived in many cases. The original trouble remains or becomes worse in course of months. Why? Because the original causes are still active." Chiropractic removes the cause of adenoids. F. C. MIGHTON, D. C. 204-6 Boston Bldg. (Over May's.)

DIFFERENTIAL ON BEET SUGAR LIMITED TO 10 CENTS AT OUTSIDE

A circular letter was issued by sugar factors of San Francisco recently notifying "the trade" that in future there would be no differential on beet sugar, "or at the most ten cents."

This move represents the effort of George M. Rolph, Hoover's representative where sugar is concerned, to do away with the market discrimination against beet sugar, which has existed from time immemorial.

This differential heretofore has been 20 cents per hundred pounds which means that the 100-pound sack of cane sugar has invariably cost more than a corresponding sack of beet sugar.

As the sweetening power of each of these sugars is supposed to be equal the discrimination against beet sugar merely represented a prejudice on the part of the consumers.

RUSS METROPOLITAN IS REFORM ADVOCATE

[By Associated Press] PETROGRAD, Russia.—Tikhon, whose lay name is Vassili Sielavin, who was elected in July as Metropolitan of Moscow by joint vote of clergy and laymen, was born in Pskoff in 1864, and educated at the Petrograd Ecclesiastical Academy. After teaching in different seminaries for the education of priests, he became, in 1897, Bishop of Lublin, and in the year following Bishop of Aleutsk. He spent nearly ten years in America. In 1907, Tikhon became Bishop of Yaroslavl, and in 1913 Archbishop of Lithuania and Vilna. Tikhon is a progressive, and a champion of radical reforms in the Ortho dox Church.

ISOLATED COUNTY IS WORTH \$5,463,491.

SANTA FE, N. M.—Without a railroad, a telegraph line or an acre of land classed as "agricultural" within its border, the county of Lea, created early this year, shows a total property value of \$5,463,491, according to assessment rolls forwarded recently to the state tax commission here. The chief asset of the county is cattle, of which 85,158 head are shown.

The county has but one incorporated town, Lovington, its county seat.

TROOP V NOTICE.

Report at the Armory at 8 a. m. Saturday morning in full uniform to help in the Liberty Loan drive.

Per order EDGAR S. BARRY, Scoutmaster. 6915-11

NOTICE TO PUBLIC.

Commencing Monday, Oct. 15, all Rapid Transit cars having cars following on which passengers are carried, will display two red flags, one on the front right hand corner and one on the rear left hand corner. Cars preceding a car going to the barn will have only one red flag on the rear left hand corner.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the resolution passed at the adjourned special meeting of the MINERAL PRODUCTS COMPANY of Nevada, September 20, 1917, the Mineral Products Company, Limited, has been incorporated under the laws of the Territory of Hawaii and the new stock is ready for delivery and will be exchanged share for share for stock of the Mineral Products Company, Limited, of Nevada, at the office of Mr. J. H. Fisher, Campbell Block, 828 Fort Street, Honolulu.

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U. S. JURY FREES 3 HAWAIIANS OF SLACKER CHARGE

No Bills Found in Cases of Maui Men Who Failed to Register; Others Are Exonerated

Manuel K. Kaina, Charles Kama and John Kakaia, Hawaiian boys living on Maui who were arrested and brought to Honolulu a month or so ago for having failed to register on July 31 for military service, have been cleared of charges of "slacking" by the federal grand jury.

No bills were returned in all of the cases by the federal jury yesterday morning when they presented a partial report to the court, including 23 indictments. Shortly after his arrest, one of the Hawaiians was released on bond in the sum of \$1000. The others were recently released on their own recognizance. Since their arrest, all three have registered with the sheriff.

Other no bills returned by the grand jury were in the cases of Sam Kawawa, Wong Poon and Ah Young, P. Rodrigues, Juan Gijabian, M. P. Rego, Shun Soo, O. Johnson, George Wong and Fushishige Tanji.

Mrs. M. D. Henderson, secretary to Secretary Raymond C. Brown of the Chamber of Commerce, returned to her desk yesterday after a two weeks' vacation in Hilo.

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MR. JOHN A. HUGHES, Chairman Food Conservation Committee, Honolulu Lodge No. 816, B. P. O. Elks.

I hereby pledge that for the duration of the war the following rules will be observed in my household:

- That one meal each day shall be served without wheat food.
- That one meal each day shall be served without meats.
- That no butter shall be used for cooking purposes when a satisfactory substitute is available.
- That bread shall be sliced during each meal only as required for immediate consumption.
- That at three meals each week at least one dish shall be served prepared from food unconsumed at previous meals.

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