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JAPAN DECLARES AGAINST SENDING TROOPS TO EUROPE

R.R. MEN HINT AT STRIKES

Demands of Employes for Higher Wages Make Situation More Serious Than That of a Year Ago

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 14.—A national industrial crisis more serious than that of a year ago is foreseen by the new demands of the railroad brotherhoods for wages totaling an increase of \$109,000,000.

It is understood that the labor executives are not willing to commit their organizations unconditionally to arbitration, but that adjustment is hoped for, at least for the duration of the war, to prevent the interruption of transportation.

President Wilson in a letter to Judge Chambers says: "The last thing I wish to contemplate is the possibility of being obliged to take any unusual measures to operate the railways. I have so much confidence in the men that I will not only appreciate your patriotic efforts, but look forward with assurance to your success."

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 14.—The chiefs of the four great railway brotherhoods are planning to see President Wilson next Monday in connection with the wage increases they are seeking.

NEW YORK, N. Y., Nov. 14.—The brotherhood of railway firemen through its leading officials will meet in Cleveland this week to determine whether its membership, numbering 61,000, shall join with the conductors and brakemen of all the railroads in demanding a 40 per cent increase in wages.

THIRD LUCKENBACH STEAMER IS SUNK

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Nov. 14.—Twenty-four members of the crew of the steamer D. N. Luckenbach arrived at this port today and brought the news that this vessel has been torpedoed. Thirty of the crew were lost in the sinking of the vessel.

HALF-HEARTED AMERICANS FLYED BY FRED B. SMITH

"I want this war to produce a new thing in the life of every American. I want to see notice served on every man if he doesn't like this country the exits are wide open and he can get out. I am sick and tired of the man who climbs on the soap-box and hurls epithets at the flag and the government of this country.

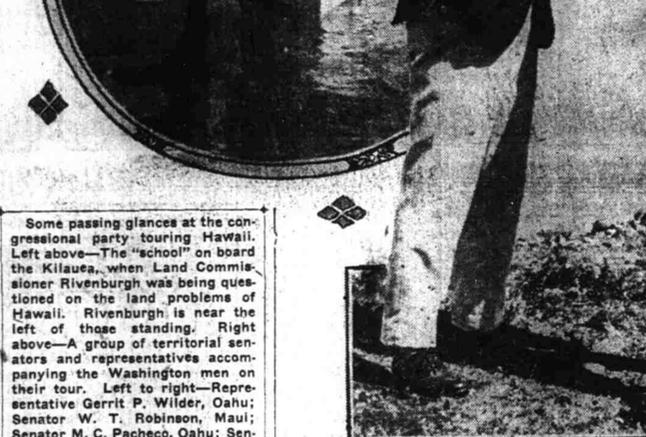
In an address which teemed with patriotism, and which, in no uncertain terms, branded the kaiser as a wilful murderer, Fred B. Smith, business evangelist, just arrived from his local campaign, spoke to about 100 members of the Ad club and business life of the city, on the roof garden of the Alexander Young hotel.

"The biggest patriotism on earth is that which builds a sound morality for a nation," declared Mr. Smith. "In this war the nations which are fighting will not be wiped from the earth. It is those nations which are rotten inside which finally collapse. There has been a class of people that criticized President Wilson for his slowness in entering the war. But, gentlemen, the same bull-headedness that made him slow in slow will make him slow in coming out."

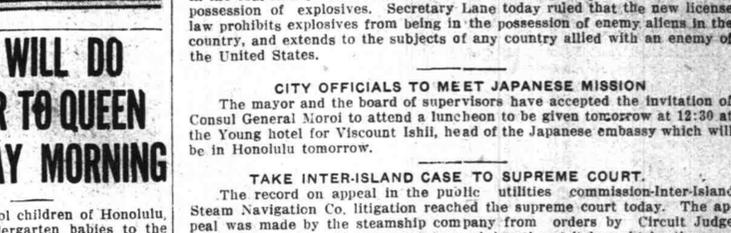
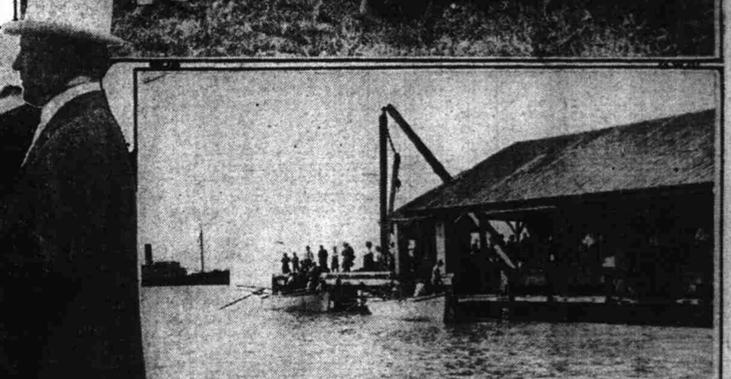
"This is our war; even more so than it is Belgium's war. We are fighting for that which our forefathers fought for in 1776. And we need some new lessons in just what our flag means to us. In this way we are going after a political government that was born in hell and which should be driven back to its birthplace. The kaiser and his gang are cold-blooded, deliberate murderers! And it is the kaiser's, not Germany's war."

"If it takes 25,000,000 Yankees and 100 years let's get in and finish this thing now that we have begun." Mr. Smith pointed out that today the businessman is king. He has taken the place of the soldier, the philosopher and the orator who were once looked upon as heroes, he said. He

Following The Congressional Party On Big Island With The Camera



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NEW YORK STOCK MARKET TODAY

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes Alaska Gold, American Smelter, American Sugar, etc.

CONGRESSMEN ON TOUR TAKE TRIP BY HAWAII R. R.

(By Wireless from Staff Correspondent) HILO, Hawaii, Nov. 14.—The hospitable citizens and residents of the Big Island are making it pleasant today for the touring congressional party and visitors from Oahu.

The railroad trip to Paaulo is the feature for today with lunch at Paaulo, and tonight there will be a patriotic rally at the armory with speeches by visitors and local orators.

U. S. WON'T SEIZE GERMAN PROPERTY

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 14.—A Mitchell Palmer, in charge of enemy property interests in the United States by designation of the President, reiterated today previous assurances he had given that the United States government has no intention of interfering with the money or property of Germans, or of citizens of countries allied with Germany, living and doing business in the United States.

PUPILS WILL DO HONOR TO QUEEN FRIDAY MORNING

All the school children of Honolulu, from the kindergarten babies to the seniors in the Normal and McKinley High, are contributing their bits to purchase wreaths to be laid around the casket of Hawaii's queen next Friday.

The wreaths, which will be made of malle and ilima, will be borne to the church by a procession of students from the normal grades of the Normal and High schools, and laid at the foot of the bier by the guards at the church.

UNCLE SAM TO BOOST FOR NATIONAL SAVING DURING STRESS OF WAR

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Wireless.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 14.—Department of the treasury officials are planning a campaign beginning December 3 to raise \$2,000,000,000 in small savings through the sale of thrift-stamps, war-savings stamps and war-savings certificate.

LATE NEWS AT A GLANCE

BRITISH AGAIN GIVE TURKS A BEATING LONDON, Eng., Nov. 14.—Under the pounding of the British, the Turks in Mesopotamia have withdrawn 30 miles north of Tekrit and the British have retaken positions they formerly occupied. In Palestine the British have attacked new Turkish positions and driven the enemy back seven miles.

BIG STEEL MAN TO HEAD DEFENSE COUNCIL BRANCH WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 14.—J. L. Replogle, vice-president of the American Vanadium Co., has been appointed director of the steel supply branch of the Council of National Defense.

U. S. AND NEUTRALS TO AGREE ON EXPORT CONTROL WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 14.—Final agreement between the United States and European neutrals on the control of exports is forecast as the result of conferences today between the department of state and Swedish and Norwegian missions.

EXPLOSIVES TO BE KEPT FROM TEUTONS IN U. S. WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 14.—Austrians employed by the thousands in the coal mines of the United States are to be greatly restricted in the possession of explosives. Secretary Lane today ruled that the new license law prohibits explosives from being in the possession of enemy aliens in the country, and extends to the subjects of any country allied with an enemy of the United States.

CITY OFFICIALS TO MEET JAPANESE MISSION The mayor and the board of supervisors have accepted the invitation of Consul General Moroi to attend a luncheon to be given tomorrow at 12:30 at the Young Hotel for Viscount Ishii, head of the Japanese embassy which will be in Honolulu tomorrow.

TAKE INTER-ISLAND CASE TO SUPREME COURT. The record on appeal in the public utilities commission-Inter-Island Steam Navigation Co. litigation reached the supreme court today. The appeal was made by the steamship company from orders by Circuit Judge Ashford overruling its demurrer to an injunction suit brought by the commission, and declining to grant its motion to dissolve the injunction. The company has also appealed from the commission's decision ordering it to return to the schedule of rates in effect in 1916.

HAWAII'S RED CROSS NURSES ARE SUMMONED Hawaii's Red Cross nurses have been called to active service. In a letter received today by Miss Grace H. Ferguson, secretary of the local organization, from the director of the bureau of nursing service in Washington, D. C., local Red Cross nurses are instructed to be ready to leave for the mainland upon notice, and it is believed here that this notice will come within a month. Miss Ferguson announced that about 10 nurses are ready to leave now. She expects to go herself, and Miss Agnes Maynard, girls' probation officer, may also go. There are about 16 Red Cross nurses in the territory.

PRISONERS ESCAPE, BUT ARE SOON CAPTURED Two Filipino prisoners working on the new territorial prison in Kailua made a dash for liberty this afternoon and succeeded in getting into the bushes surrounding the prison site before they could be stopped by the guards. The guards then formed a circle about the tract of bushes, and less than 20 minutes afterward the escaped prisoners were in custody again.

ISHII MISSION WILL HONOR DEAD QUEEN (Associated Press by U. S. Naval Wireless.) Following the welcome the party of distinguished Japanese diplomats and officers of the army and navy will visit Kawaiahaoho church to pay a final tribute to the late Queen Liliuokalani.

A formal luncheon in honor of the visit will be held at the party at the Alexander Young hotel at noon at which many prominent local Japanese and Americans will be present.

The balance of the afternoon will be spent in sight-seeing about the island. As the ship sails at 5 o'clock, the banquet which was to have been held in honor of the party has been cancelled.

VILLA BEGINS ANOTHER MEXICAN REVOLUTION (Associated Press by U. S. Naval Wireless.) PRESIDIO, Tex., Nov. 14.—Gen. "Pancho" Villa, often eliminated from affairs in Mexico, is once again in the saddle at the head of an outlaw army and is seeking by revolution to overthrow the government of Venustiano Carranza.

Villa's forces and federal troops are reported today as fighting at Ojinaga, the battle having begun in the early morning hours. The attack was made southwest of the city. No artillery has been brought into play, only rifles being used. An American detachment is keeping guard on the opposite side of the Rio Grande, at a ford which crosses here. Bullets are falling on the American side.

KERENSKY NOW IN POWER AT RUSS CAPITAL

Bolsheviki Faction is Defeated; Heavy Fighting Between Italians and Teutons

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Wireless.) TOKIO, Japan, Nov. 14.—Lieut.-Gen. Oshima, Japanese minister of war, told Japanese newspapermen today that it is absolutely impossible for his country to despatch troops to Europe because of the tremendous cost of such action and the lack of vessels upon which they might be carried.

Minister of Finance Takahashi has issued a written statement that the army is deficient in ordnance and airplane equipment.

ITALIAN HEADQUARTERS, Nov. 14.—Severe machine gun fighting is taking place today between the Italians and the Teutons, the Austro-Germans attempting to cross the Piave river on pontoons near Zenson.

ROME, Italy, Nov. 14.—The withdrawal of the northern Italian troops was announced today. On the lower Piave river the fighting continues where the Germans yesterday crossed near Zenson. The enemy is not yet dislodged, but an attempt of the Germans to cross the river between Quero and Fenero has been defeated.

LONDON, Eng., Nov. 14.—Premier Kerensky in a few days of fighting has won back the power temporarily lost when the Maximalists and Bolshevik factions seized the government of Petrograd.

A Finnish telegram received by the Russian bureau here says that the whole of Russia except a small part of Petrograd is in the hands of Kerensky and his followers. Kerensky is in Petrograd and has virtually taken the whole city.

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, Nov. 14.—Premier Kerensky has entered Petrograd, says a despatch to the newspaper Haparanda.

BERLIN, Germany, Nov. 14.—The Germans today succeeded in making a further advance on the Italian front. The town of Primolano and Sugana, in the valley of the Feltr, west of the upper Piave valley, were captured.

On the Russian front, a raid of Russians south of Riga, on the Petrograd railway, was repulsed.

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FLANDERS, Nov. 14.—The British troops on this front have completely defeated the Germans in the latter's attempt to recapture positions near Passchendaele.

MATSONIA BIDS ALOHA TO HAWAII

Because the Matsonia is not expected to return here again before being sent to the Atlantic as a troopship for the United States government, a large number of the friends of the ship's officers were at the dock this morning to wish them good luck in the submarine zone and bid them good-bye until they can return to the Honolulu run on some future day.

There was little suggestion of war, however, at the departure of the steamer or apparent thought of the danger the steamer and her crew may face soon as a troopship. Streamers of multi-colored papers and lighthouse-like streamers added a gay atmosphere to the departure of the steamer. An inebriated passenger rather fitly, if unfortunately, kept shouting "Over There," as the steamer pulled into the stream.

The sailing of the Matsonia was also enlivened by the departure of the Monte Carter comedy company, which has been playing a Honolulu engagement for the past two months. Members of the company had scores of friends present to give them an "Aloha" and an invitation to return.

Only the officers of the ship, nearly all of whom have joined the naval reserve, officers of the Matson Navigation Co., and waterfront workers seemed to look with some sadness on the sailing of the Matsonia from Honolulu—perhaps for the last time.