

Austria Spurs Peace; Forces War

Scotch Troops Fire on Irish Mob in Dublin Streets

First Shots in Conflict Are Fired by Forces of Servia

Germany Serves Ominous Notice on Members of Entente That Austrian-Servian Conflict Concerns Only Them Alone; Great Britain and France Hold Their War Fleets in Readiness for Instant Action.

VIENNA, Austria, July 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—According to a Servian rumor reaching here the first conflict between Austria Hungary and Servia occurred yesterday near Remedria on the Danube, near Belgrade, when vessels conveying Austrian infantry are reported to have been fired on by the Serbs. The Austrian boats returned the fire.

LONDON, July 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—New proof that Austria is fully determined upon war is seen here, while the possibilities for a general European war are greater this morning than in any crisis that has yet confronted the present generation.

All Europe is smouldering, war preparations are everywhere in evidence and any development may fan the flame that will involve the Powers of the world in a mighty conflict.

The Servian reply to the Austria-Hungary ultimatum was a complete acceptance of all the imperious demands of that country save acquiescence in the demand for Austrian officials' participation in the investigation of the charges of the spreading of anti-Austrian propaganda.

Notwithstanding this surrender, Austria gave the Servian minister his passport. The arrest of General Putnik, chief of staff of the Servian army by the Hungarian officials, also is construed as a declaration of war.

Germany showed her determination to brook no interference in the conflict yesterday by issuing a semi-official statement directed to Paris and St. Petersburg in which she informs those two members of the Entente that she regards the conflict as the concern only of Austria and Servia alone.

FLEETS OF FRANCE AND BRITAIN ARE HELD IN READINESS FOR QUICK ACTION

LONDON, July 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—The Austrian ambassador here has issued a notice to all his countrymen liable to military duty to return home at once.

The French fleet, planning for target practise, has been ordered to remain at Toulon, subject to instant orders. In addition the British fleet has been ordered on a war basis.

VIENNA, Austria, July 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—The sending of passports to Servian Minister Jevanovitch by the Austrian foreign office today is deemed here as equivalent to a declaration of war against Servia. This action was taken today. The earlier report that the Servian minister had left yesterday was incorrect. He will depart for home immediately. The Russian minister here will handle the Servian interests.

VIENNA, Austria, July 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—Italy has informed Austria that in the event of a conflict with Servia, Italy will adopt a friendly attitude toward Austria-Hungary.

PARIS, July 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—Montenegro is carrying out its promise to throw its support to Servia in the event of a conflict with Austria. This was indicated today with receipt of a report that a general mobilization of the Montenegrin forces is now under way.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—An order was issued today forbidding the publication during a period of one year of detailed information relating to the army and navy of Russia.

An exodus from Belgrade is reported under way. Mob disorders also are reported in Servia and Austria.

VIENNA, Austria, July 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—It is believed here that there will be no formal declaration of war as Servia has never subscribed to The Hague Convention. Patriotic demonstrations on the streets continue numerous despite the fact that a heavy rain is falling.

AUSTRIA BEGINS MOBILIZATION OF FORCES

VIENNA, Austria, July 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—A proclamation has been posted ordering the partial mobilization of troops in Austria and Hungary. The Austro-Hungarian bank today raised the rate from four per cent to five per cent and announcement is made that the Bourse is to be closed today, tomorrow and Wednesday to prevent an unwarranted disturbance of industrial conditions.

The Neue Freie Presse essays to state that the Austrian minister of finance will at once raise sixty-five million pounds for immediate requirement. It is expected here that Servia in the conflict will attempt to hold the frontier along the Danube and Drina with a small force, concentrating the bulk of its army in the central district.

Fighting Strength of European Nations

Following is a brief summary of the strength and the probable alignment of the nations of Europe who seem about to be drawn into war as a result of the Austro-Hungary Servian situation:

Triple Entente—Great Britain, France and Russia.					
	Under Arms.	Reserves.	Battleships.	Others.	Submarines.
Great Britain	264,000	476,500	77	407	85
France	720,000	3,280,000	32	267	90
Russia	1,290,000	3,300,000	31	151	48
Totals	2,264,000	7,056,500	140	855	223

Triple Alliance—Italy, Austria and Germany.					
	Under Arms.	Reserves.	Battleships.	Others.	Submarines.
Italy	250,000	950,000	16	138	20
Austria	390,000	1,610,000	13	86	15
Germany	870,000	4,430,000	46	249	30
Totals	1,510,000	6,990,000	75	473	65

Total Fighting Strength of Opposing Forces.

	Troops.	Fighting Vessels.
Triple Entente	9,320,000	1218
Triple Alliance	8,500,000	613

Another factor to be taken into consideration is that of the smaller nations. What side will they throw their support to? is a question that only developments can tell. It can safely be presumed that Norway, Sweden and Denmark will align themselves with the Triple Alliance, not so much because they love Germany and Austria as much as they dislike Russia. These nations could put an armed force of about six hundred thousand men in the field with an added sea force of one hundred and sixty fighting ships.

Lined up with the Triple Entente in all probability will be Greece, Montenegro, Servia, Rumania and Bulgaria. The unsatisfactory settlement of the Balkan trouble makes it doubtful whether or not Bulgaria will be found with these forces, but it is probable. These nations can put a fighting force of approximately 816,000 men in the field. They would add forty-one fighting ships to the sea forces of the Triple Entente. This includes the battleships Idaho and Mississippi, recently purchased from the United States by Greece.

The status of Turkey in the situation is not taken into consideration.

HILLO MARVELS AT BIG APPETITES

Japanese Wrestlers Surprise Crescent City Residents with Gastronomic Feats.

(Mail Special to The Advertiser.)
HILLO, July 27.—The giant Japanese wrestlers who came here on the Manha Kea last Thursday have been showing themselves to great crowds of their countrymen and to a few whites. On the street they were objects of much attention, and on the morning of their arrival there was a big crowd of Japanese around the Matano Hotel waiting to see them arrive. They drove to the town in autos, forming a long procession, and after rounding the business center, went to the hotel.

These Japanese are so big that it is hard for those accustomed to the ordinary subject of the Mikado to realize that they are of the same race. Tachiyama, the champion, is reported to be six feet three inches tall and of 215 pounds weight while in good training, and he looks like it. Many of the wrestlers wear long hair, which made some of those who saw them parade through the streets think there was a very large proportion of wahoines in the company.

The feeding and housing of these champions must be quite a contract, judging by their size and by the terrific performance of one of them who arrived at a local restaurant last Friday in search of a meal of the haole brand. He ate a whole mutton as an appetizer, and then absorbed a Spanish omelet, three eggs. By this time his appetite was wanting, for he only ordered half a chicken and a big bowl of rice.

The crowds at the performances were nearly all Japanese. On Saturday the plantations generally declared a holiday, it being evident that most of their Japanese laborers wanted to come to town and see the famous aggregation. After the first performance the demand for seats was so great that the management made some hasty enlargements of the building on the Hialeah lot, where the show was held. The show impressed many as more an exhibition of strength than of skill in wrestling, and to the haole mind it wasn't a show for ladies, though the Japanese ladies attended in large numbers. Altogether the visit to Hilo was a big success.

McADOO COMES TO AID OF FARMERS

WASHINGTON, July 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo today announced that he will deposit thirty-four million dollars in the national banks throughout the country to facilitate the movement of the crops now being harvested.

CHAMP COLIC.
No need of suffering from cramps in the stomach, or intestinal pains, Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy never fails to relieve the most severe cases. Get it today, there will be no time to send for it after the attack comes on. For sale by all dealers, Benson, Smith & Co., Ltd., agents for Hawaii.

M'BRIDE GIVES BAIL IN SUM OF \$1,000

***** Although I do not want to go into details at this time, I am desirous to be given a hearing on these charges as speedily as possible, as I can prove beyond any possible doubt that these charges are groundless, without foundation and are the result of spite on the part of District Attorney McCarroll.—Claudius McBride. *****
(From Monday Advertiser.)

Not until he had read the account in yesterday morning's Advertiser did Claudius McBride know that there was a warrant out for his arrest on a charge of white slavery, and that it had been issued at the instance of United States District Attorney McCarroll. Mr. McBride so stated when he arrived in Honolulu last night. In the meantime Marshal Holt had spent all of yesterday trying to locate the missing attorney.

Attorney McBride left the city Saturday afternoon in an automobile in company with several army officers and visited the Officers' Club at Lelehu. The party spent several hours there and then drove to Haleiwa Hotel. They took an active interest in a political meeting that was held in the grounds of the hotel by Frisoe Kuhio, and McBride volunteered to make a speech, but was balked in his attempt by John Wise, who was acting as master of ceremonies.

At the close of the meeting the party motored to the Hotel Ambrey, at Hialea, where they passed the night. When the Advertiser was received at Hialea yesterday morning and McBride read the account of the issuance of a warrant for his arrest he immediately made preparations to return to the city. He arrived in Honolulu last night and after securing his baggage notified Marshal Harry Holt of his presence in the city. In company with his bondsmen and Marshal Holt, McBride next located Commissioner Charles Davis and gave himself into custody. Commissioner Davis fixed McBride's bail at \$1000 and released him a few minutes later.

Henry Afong, who was arrested on a similar charge on Saturday, and McBride, will appear before the commissioner this morning at ten o'clock to answer to the "white slavery" charges.

ROUMANIS ARRESTED AND SOON RELEASED

(Mail Special to The Advertiser.)
HILLO, July 27.—John Rومانis, manager of the Hilo Hotel, was arrested last Friday on a warrant sworn to by George A. Davis, the Honolulu attorney, charging assault and battery. He appeared before Judge Smith in the morning and entered a plea of not guilty, and as the complaining witness was not in evidence the case was postponed until afternoon. By that time investigation had shown that there was nothing in the charge, and Deputy Sheriff Martin entered a nolle prosequi. Rومانis explained to the court that he thought Davis was not in his right mind when he made the charge. Later in the day Davis, who was in serious ill-health, was given medical attention.

BOARD BALKS AT STREET WIDENING

Lack of Funds Given as Reason for Delay in Widening Hilo Thoroughfare.

HILLO, July 27.—The long-discussed problem of widening Front street appears to be nearer a solution now than it has ever been. The plan suggested to the supervisors at their last meeting by Secretary Thayer has been agreed to by all but the supervisors, and the main ground for opposition on their part is said to be that they cannot appropriate the necessary \$2500 for moving buildings and constructing sidewalks.

Among the concerns most heavily interested in the Hilo Mercantile Company, Manager Nichols of this company stated that he considered his concern was giving about \$25,000 to the project in agreeing to surrender its lease to valuable waterfront property needed for the widening of the street.

He didn't think the company should be asked to put up anything, he said, in reply to a question as to a public subscription for a fund to move the buildings and build sidewalks, the money subscribed to be returned to the subscribers by the county next year.

However, a contract plan for the moving of the buildings and the construction of the sidewalks is being discussed, with a view to having the contractors wait for their money until next year, when the county is expected to be in funds.

The various interests are the nearest to an agreement now that they ever were," said Nichols, "and it seems to me that the work should be carried on. Front street will be a splendid road when it is all widened and improved, like the new section in front of the Volcano Stables, and business men want to see the work done."

SPORTSMEN WOULD USE ACCUMULATED FUND

(Mail Special to The Advertiser.)
HILLO, July 27.—At their next meeting the supervisors will probably be asked to do something with the money which has been accumulating in the treasury for the purpose of importing wild game, or preserving game here, to improve conditions for those who like to hunt. For years, while other funds of the county have been overdrawn and the county has gone deeply into debt, this one fund has slowly grown. It comes from the fees collected for hunters' licenses, and now amounts to over \$500.

This is thought to be enough to make a good test of the possibility of stocking the land with quail or pheasants, (California or Japanese, or other birds valued by hunters.)
The fund was started as a result of an agitation begun many years ago in Honolulu, and all the islands took about the same action, setting aside certain money for the purpose. It is stated that the problem would be to find a game bird which can live where the mongoose is, for this animal is a deadly foe to birds which nest on the ground. It has been suggested that Judge Wise, who is a well-known sportsman and now on the Pacific Coast, be asked to investigate the possibilities.

Three Killed, 60 Wounded Result of the First Clash

Yacht Commanded By Woman Lands Arms and Ammunition for Nationalist Volunteers, Who Fight Off Police and Coast Guard Until Fired on By King's Own Scottish Borderers.

DUBLIN, Ireland, July 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—Blood flowed on the streets of Dublin today, the result of the first conflict that has come as a result of the Home Rule question in Ireland. Three men and one woman are dead, sixty persons are in the hospital as a result of a battalion of the King's Own Scottish Borderers firing into a mob on the streets yesterday afternoon. Seven of the wounded, including three women and a boy of ten years, are expected to die.

The affray followed a gun-running exploit of a party of Nationalist Volunteers. A consignment of ten thousand rifles consigned to the Nationalists was landed at Howth, nine miles from Dublin, late yesterday. The arms were from a private yacht.

Those on the land who directed the unloading of the arms, made their plans carefully to guard against capture or seizure. Communication on both sides of Howth was crippled by the cutting of the telegraph wires, all travel was halted on the road to Dublin and the task of sending the arms, together with seventy thousand rounds of ammunition on motor cars was started.

News of the landing of the guns and ammunition reached the authorities despite this precaution and a battalion was immediately ordered to proceed to the scene to seize the consignment. The troops were met at the outskirts of Dublin by a force of Nationalist Volunteers who were guarding against an advance of the government forces.

Surrounded by Mob.
However, there was no shooting until a mob of excited supporters of the Home Rule movement gathered, surrounding the Scottish Borderers and jeering the soldiers. At the same time they cheered for John Redmond and Home Rule, throwing bottles and stones at the soldiers upon whom they were closing. It was at this point that the commander gave the order to fire, the battalion responded with a scattered fusillade, mowing down those in the front ranks of the mob and dispersing the others.

The work of caring for the wounded and dead was at once started. The dead were taken to the morgue while special rigs were commanded to hasten the injured to the hospital.

The city is being patrolled to maintain order. It is believed that as a result of the encounter the arms and ammunition have been successfully concealed.

Woman Commanded Ammunition Ship.

A woman is believed to have commanded the sailing vessel or yacht from which the arms and ammunition were landed. The name of the vessel was obliterated by being painted over. If the commander of the craft was not a woman, at least it was a person dressed in woman's clothing.

A thousand volunteers marched openly from Dublin to receive the shipment, once news of the arrival of the boat was received. The volunteers drove off the local police and the coast guard prior to the arrival of the boat.

The troops after firing on the mob had a running fight with the mob as well as members of the volunteers back to the barracks.

The Lord Mayor of Dublin has sent a strong letter of protest, declaring that the troops were ordered out without his consent.

For weeks past the Nationalists in and around Dublin have been equally active with the Unionists of Belfast and vicinity in landing arms and ammunition in preparation for the conflict which it is claimed will follow the enactment of Home Rule in Ireland. The Nationalists are as determined that the measure shall be put in force as the Ulster men are not to submit to Home Rule.

The so-called "provisional government" force at Belfast announces that it is prepared to resist with every means within its power every attempt made to impose the authority of a Home Rule parliament on Ulster. The principles of the Ulsterites, or Unionists, as set forth in a recent resolution are:

"Since our object is only to hold Ulster against a home rule parliament in trust for the King and the British constitution, we enjoin our people to see to it that all persons within our area, while it is under our jurisdiction, irrespective of class or creed, shall be subject to the same laws and have the same civil and religious freedom they now enjoy. We earnestly desire to impress on all Ulster loyalists that the same restraint which hitherto has characterized all our actions under grave provocations should be maintained in carrying out whatever forward steps our executive may consider it desirable to take in pursuit of our policy, that the world may thereby be shown the steadfastness of Ulstermen when suffering for their God and their country."

Dismissal to Take Place of Imprisonment for Bluejackets Guilty of Minor Offenses.

WASHINGTON, July 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—Secretary of the Navy Daniels issued an order today abolishing imprisonment for desertion from the navy in time of peace.

Under the new regulations bluejackets who overstay their leave of absence or commit similar breaches of discipline will be summarily dismissed from the navy instead of being sent to prison, as formerly.

It is also provided that men dissatisfied with the service may obtain honorable discharge by merely refunding certain enlistment allowances.

WINS ON FOUL.

BORDEAUX, France, July 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—George Carnotier won the decision on a foul over Kid Jackson in the fourth round here last night.

Rebel Leader Hesitates at Granting Amnesty Until After He Enters Mexican Capital.

WASHINGTON, July 27.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—Advices were received here today to the effect that General Carranza of the Constitutional forces is not disposed to make a formal agreement to the granting of amnesty in advance of his actual assumption of power in the City of Mexico.

These advices came direct from General Carranza's headquarters today.

If Carranza insists on this position he may disrupt the proposed peace conference at the very beginning.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gilliland of Waianae celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding yesterday by giving an elaborate luncheon at which a large number of guests from the surrounding country attended. Delegate Kahanamoku and Robert W. Breckon, in company with several friends, motor-ed down to Waianae yesterday to take part in the festivities.