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THE ADVERTISER'S SEMI-WEEKLY

American Generosity

JUST about a year has passed since charitable Americans began sending money, clothing and food to victims of the European war...

The commission for the relief of Belgium is a world-wide organization keeping up an efficient system of accounts by which it is seen that under its auspices about \$80,000,000 has been raised.

The war relief clearing house, which is handling most of the gifts from Americans, reports that it is constantly receiving shipments from about 250 regularly organized societies in this country.

The American ambulance hospital maintained in Paris has spent about \$450,000, but this does not express the value of the service rendered...

Getting a New Name

OF late there seems to be a brisk revival of the fashion of appealing to the courts for a new name. Several cases in New York and Boston have attracted attention because of peculiarities...

reason. The head of the family came from Ireland and grew wealthy. His children were ambitious to rise socially and thought the name would cause them to be received with disfavor.

It is true, of course, that a distinctive name which is at the same time easily pronounced, is a great aid to a man who wishes to advance himself in public life.

Europe's Ban On Drink

THE larger nations of Europe, we all know, long ago began to curb the use of alcohol, a precautionary measure solely in the interests of health and discipline.

Milan (Italy) has withdrawn 1800 licenses, and this drastic beginning is called merely a first step in the campaign. Switzerland has suspended the sale of drink under government auspices...

It may be, of course, that as these measures have been adopted as war regulations, when peace comes the reins may be thrown loose again...

Dreadful as the war is, flashes of humor relieve the gloom. H. G. Wells of London thinks that the Germans will speedily be brought to their knees by England's blockade of cotton...

Foreign husbands come high these war times. Britain's proposed war tax on incomes will cost Mrs. William B. Leeds, an American-born expatriate, \$300,000 a year, it is estimated.

Indifference, Not Hostility

IT was not so much a desire to "snub" the speakers of the chamber of commerce and the Research Club that kept the majority of the charter convention delegates away from the meeting of Thursday evening...

It is too late to get excited over what reception is tendered anyone by the convention now. The time for work and excitement was long ago.

Even as things stand, a chance to accomplish something in the way of charter improvement is offered. The majority report is not "vicious."

Honolulu Wholesale Produce Market

ISSUED BY THE TERRITORIAL MARKETING DIVISION October 21, 1915.

Table with columns for BUTTER AND EGGS, POULTRY, VEGETABLES AND PRODUCE, and FRUIT. Lists various items and their prices.

Table with columns for LIVESTOCK and DRESSED MEATS. Lists various items and their prices.

Table with columns for FEED and HIDES (Wet-salted). Lists various items and their prices.

The following are quotations on feed, f.o.b. Honolulu: Corn, sm. yel., ton, 41.00 to 41.50; Oats, ton, 34.00 to 35.00; Wheat, ton, 40.00 to 40.50.

more hogs are offered than there is demand for. First class hogs as low as 10 1/2 c. during the past week.

By the Matsushima last Wednesday the Division shipped 1530 cases of pineapples, 28 bunches bananas, 18 crates Japanese taro and 5 crates water lily roots.

The price of hogs is low. The butchers claim that the market is using only half as much pork as normally and that

Congress Awake

HOW feeble grow the shouts of those patriots in public life who up to a few months ago were proclaiming from the housetops their antagonism to militarism!

Maui People Wish Kihei To Be Made Inter-Island Port

Maui wishes to know when the Inter-Island will begin using Kihei harbor as a port of call. At a meeting of the Maui Chamber of Commerce held at Wailuku October 21 the secretary was instructed to communicate with the board of harbor commissioners...

McGregor's landing was dismantled September 1 and leave to steamers to call there was withdrawn.

Charles R. Forbes, superintendent of public works, said that he signed a request yesterday for the department of commerce, bureau of navigation, to act upon data submitted to A. L. Arledge, lighthouse inspector, for the installation of three range lights...

Correa & Almeida were again the lowest bidders when tenders for the alterations and repairs to the armory of the National Guard Miller and Hotel streets, were opened yesterday by Superintendent Forbes of the department of public works.

The bids were as follows: Correa & Almeida, \$10,909; H. B. Reade, \$11,294; H. K. K. DeFries, \$11,505; Honolulu Planning Mill, \$11,590; and Bowler & Ingvorsen, \$12,222.40.

MOOSE DEPUTY RENAMED Representative Charles H. Brown has received his fourth consecutive appointment as deputy supreme director of the Local Order of Moose in the Territory.

RECKLESS DRIVERS PUT SAFETY FIRST OUT OF BUSINESS

Pilots of Automobiles Run Down Persons and Crash With Other Vehicles

Safety first seems to have gone into the discard in Honolulu. A number of reports of automobile accidents were made at the police station yesterday, and in the majority of cases the mishaps could have been avoided by the mixture of a little precaution with a mess of common sense.

In the morning in Port street an automobile struck a Japanese woman carrying a child and knocked them both down. The name of the driver of the car was not turned in, nor the injuries sustained by the woman and her child recorded.

A Japanese boy, fourteen years of age, named Kinjiro, reported to the police that while riding a bicycle makai in Keamoku street, and while turning Waikiki into King street, he had been run into by an automobile going Waikiki in King street.

Shortly before eight o'clock yesterday morning Miss Grace Powers, driving an automobile, turned into North Alakea street from East King street at a high rate of speed and ran into a street car, standing still in Alakea, and damaging the running board. J. O'Rourke is motorman of the Rapid Transit car and C. Wood conductor.

PARCEL POST HERE DOUBLES BUSINESS DURING LAST YEAR

Honolulu Makes Fine Showing Despite War and Generally Disturbed Conditions

Parcel post business in Honolulu has practically doubled in the last year. This in the face of war and generally disturbed conditions in the commerce of the world.

This 100 per cent increase is shown in a semi-annual report just prepared by Postmaster Young. The report is based on the parcel post business of the period from October 1 to October 15, while representing only fifteen days' business, these figures with those of a like period in the spring—April 1 to April 15—are used by the postoffice department at Washington to estimate the growth or decline in this branch of the service.

For the October 1-15 period of last year the figures are: Total number of parcels mailed at office, 4891; increase, 7492; postage, \$645.19; increase, \$975.21; weight, 15,703; increase, 21,771. Total number of packages mailed and received, 8007; increase, 8226.

OFFICERS OF MARYLAND VISIT FORT KAMEHAMEHA

Lieut. Herbert E. Kays and Frank Hinckley, with Chaplain MacNair and Dr. J. D. Halleck of the U. S. S. Maryland, motored out to Fort Kamehameha yesterday, where they were entertained at a well appointed luncheon by Capt. and Mrs. C. D. Winn. After luncheon Captain Winn took his guests on a tour of inspection of the fort and the surrounding grounds.