

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER
U. S. WEATHER BUREAU
Dec. 18, 1916—Last twenty-four hours' rainfall, .23. Temperature, Min. 67; Max. 79. Weather, pt. cloudy.

Hawaiian Gazette

LATEST CABLED SUGAR QUOTATIONS
Cents Dollars
96° Centrifugals N. Y. per lb. per ton
Price, Hawaiian basis 5.14 \$102.80
Last previous quotation 5.37 \$105.40

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HONOLULU, HAWAII TERRITORY, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1916.—SEMI-WEEKLY.

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CHICAGO IN DEADLY NEED OF COAL TO FIGHT COLD

Fuel Famine Threat Grows More Menacing As Supply of the Needed Fuel Drops Thousands of Tons Below Normal Demand

ZERO WEATHER AND HIGH WINDS ADD TO TORMENTS

Sufferings of the Poor Unable To Keep Fires Going Already Intense; Dealers Blame Shortage On Lack of Railroad Cars

CHICAGO, December 18.—The coal famine which has been threatening Chicago ever since the winter set in is here. The weather which has been excessively cold and stormy has become more so, the temperature yesterday having dropped to zero and a high wind blowing in from the lake.

Already the hospitals are filled to overflowing with such cases and the charity boards of the city have more than they know how to attend or care for on their lists.

The city government has taken official cognizance of the situation and has issued a manifesto calling upon the business men and manufacturers of the city to reduce their expenditure of the precious fuel as much as possible so that the supplies which are reaching Chicago will meet more needs.

MORAN OUTPOINTED
NEW YORK, December 18.—Gusshot Smith and Frank Moran went the legal limit here last night, in a boat before a large crowd.

WHEN the war broke out it found the British army hardly better equipped with heavy artillery than is that of the United States, but two and one-half years of war have enabled Great Britain to "catch up" with her friends and foes in this respect.



DIVER IMPERILS MORE AMERICANS

Members of Crew On Horse Transport Sunk By Submarine In Mediterranean Sea

LONDON, December 19.—The British steamer Russia, being used as a horse transport, which carried a number of American muleteers in her crew, was submerged and sunk in the Mediterranean on the fourteenth, according to an official announcement last night by the admiralty.

PEACE RESTS WITH GOD SAYS KAISER

AMSTERDAM, December 18.—The Kaiser, in an address to the troops in Lorraine yesterday, assured them of victory.

NEW TURKISH ENVOY

WASHINGTON, December 18.—The state department yesterday announced that Fand Bey will succeed Rustem Bey as Turkish ambassador to the United States.

President Celebrates Wedding Anniversary

WASHINGTON, December 19.—One year ago yesterday President Wilson led Mrs. Norman Galt to the altar.

MOTHER COUNTRY CALLS ON CANADA TO SEND RAILS FOR FIGHTING FRONT

OTTAWA, Canada, December 18.—Canada has begun tearing up 1000 miles of railroad tracks belonging to the roads controlled by the Dominion government.

HIGH TREASON CHARGE LAID AT DOOR OF ELEUTHERIOS VENIZELOS

LONDON, December 19.—A Reuter despatch from Athens announces that a charge of high treason has been made officially against Eleutherios Venizelos, head of the provisional government of Greece.

Sixteen Thousand Guardsmen Ordered Home From Border

WASHINGTON, December 19.—An announcement was made at the war department yesterday that sixteen thousand of the nearly one hundred thousand and militiamen still on border duty are to be brought north and mustered out of the federal service in time for the men to spend Christmas in their homes.

BARON OPPENHEIM ORDERED DEPORTED

NEW YORK, December 18.—Baron R. E. Oppenheim, credited with being a son of a wealthy European banking family, and who was detained at Ellis Island on arrival here yesterday, was ordered deported by an immigration board today.

AMERICAN BLOCKADE PROTESTS PRESENTED

LONDON, December 18.—Ambassador Walter Hines Page today presented to Lord Robert Cecil, secretary of state for the blockade, the peace notes of Germany, Austria and Turkey.

Cuban Sugar Crop Reaches New Records

NEW YORK, December 18.—The Federal Sugar Refining Company has received news that the new Cuban sugar crop is 3,366,000 tons, a new record.

SENATE REJECTS DRY BILL

WASHINGTON, December 18.—A substitute bill offered by Senator Reed Smoot of Utah for the Sheppard bill calling for prohibition in the District of Columbia was rejected by the senate today.

RUSSIAN SLASHES WIFE AND HIMSELF

Uses Razor When Refused Money Which He Had Turned Over To the Woman

In a fit of fury because his wife refused to turn back to him some of the money he had given her, Petro Eskin, a Russian, living in the Ah Leong Block at Punchbowl and Queen Streets, last night attempted to kill the woman, and then slashed himself with the razor he had used to attack his wife.

UNCLE SAM FACING DEFICIT NEXT YEAR

WASHINGTON, December 18.—Faced by a deficit for the year ending June 30, 1918 the Wilson cabinet is concentrating its attention upon plans for meeting the shortage when the time comes.

POPE WILL NOT ACT AS PEACE ADVOCATE

ROME, December 18.—A statement issued at the Vatican today says that the Pope has no intention of attempting to mediate to bring a peace settlement now.

SAILORS SAVED

NEW YORK, December 19.—The twelve members, crew of the Brazilian bark Nerthis, have been rescued, but the bark itself was lost off the Jersey coast, according to latest information.

GOVERNMENT WHIP QUITS

OTTAWA, December 18.—John Stanger, government whip in the Canadian house, yesterday tendered his resignation. He is reported to dislike some of the recent appointments to the railway service.

BRITISH ENFORCE WAR DIET PLAN RECENTLY PASSED

Potatoes, Wheat and Milk Are Articles Which Are Causing Much Trouble; Australian and Indian Supplies May Be Tapped

LONDON, December 18.—In view of the shortage in food supplies, the British government today took drastic action in enforcing the "war diet" in the country.

WAR VICTIMS NOW TOTAL MILLIONS

German Figures of Somme Fighting Give Allied Losses As 1,300,000 Men

NEW YORK, December 19.—According to the official German accounts the losses of all the combatants on the Somme front since the inauguration of the Allied offensive last July up to the end of November total 1,300,000 men, the principal sufferers having been the British, whose total losses now amount to 550,000 killed, wounded and taken prisoners.

Delegate Kalaniana'ole Presents Hawaiian Bills

WASHINGTON, December 19.—Delegate Kalaniana'ole yesterday introduced a number of bills relating to Hawaiian affairs, the principal one of which was a measure providing for a more complete system of home rule in the Islands, making the Governor an elected officer in stead of, as at present, an official designated by the President.

Sylvia Pankhurst Fined

LONDON, December 19.—Sylvia Pankhurst, who led a peace parade on Sunday, resulting in a riot near the entrance to the docks, and who was arrested and held without bail, appeared in Old Bailey for trial yesterday, the charge against her being that of obstructing the highway.

POILUS CREEP NORTHWARD ON VERDUN LINES MAKING GAINS

Recapture Chambrettes Farm Which the German Forces Had Succeeded in Wreasting Earlier In the Day After Bitter Fighting

BATTLE ON BLOOD SOAKED FIELD RAGING FIERCELY

Teutonic Allies in Dobrudja Are Reported To Be Making Steady Advances, and Are Believed To Be Menacing Russian Flanks

NEW YORK, December 18.—Slugging their way forward the French are still steadily advancing north and northeast of Verdun.

But the French were prepared for the reverse and late yesterday afternoon launched another attack which drove the Teutons out of the recaptured trenches and beyond the positions they had formerly occupied.

The toll of German prisoners which the French are taking here is mounting swiftly. Already they have taken more than eleven thousand men and the German losses in the fighting have been tremendous.

In an apparent effort to drain away the Allied force from the blows at Verdun the Germans for the last several days have been launching a series of attacks north of the Somme.

Reports from the eastern fronts indicate that the fighting, while important has not been of a sensational character.

Berlin reported officially last night that the Germans have succeeded in crossing the line between Bahadagh and Peenung.

The Russians northwest of Lutzk in the Volhynian triangle are still attempting to drive the German-Austrian Turkish forces back, but according to the Berlin reports their attacks were repulsed yesterday with heavy losses.

SERVICE SCHOOLS OF UNCLE SAMUEL FREE TO MILITIA

United States Military Academy Only Expected in Training of Guard Officers

APPLICANT MUST NOT BE ABOVE GRADE OF COLONEL

Enlisted Guardsmen Soon Will Have Opportunity of Attending West Point

Officers and non-commissioned officers of the national guard, upon recommendation of the Governor...

Upon authorization of the President, national guard officers will be permitted to enter the Army War College...

Officers attending these schools must provide themselves at their own expense with the prescribed text-books...

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NATIONAL GUARDS NOT LIKELY TO BE BEHIND OF PAY

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The procedure to be followed under the new order probably will allow the guard the coming six months period to recruit up to the new strength...

Hawaiian Killed In Train Accident

A Hawaiian named Mumu was killed Saturday afternoon on the O. R. & L. Co. near Canaan. Mumu who was a freight brakeman, was riding on a freight car loaded with stone...

A coroner's inquest will be held on the remains at Waiulua on Wednesday.

army for routine duty at or near an army post during a period of field training or other outdoor exercises.

Changes in the insignia on uniforms of commissioned officers and enlisted men of the United States Army...

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FISHERY RESERVES FOR ISLANDS PLAN

A. R. Todd, Head of Tuna Canning Company Would Make Supply Inexhaustible

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NEW YORK STATE SOLONS TO AMEND TORRENSLAND LAW

Act Will Be Made Workable After Several Years of Legal Tinkering

REGISTRATION OF TITLE UNDER SYSTEM SIMPLE

Research Companies Chief Obstacle To Safe and Simplified Property Legislation

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Honolulu Wholesale Produce Market

ISSUED BY THE TERRITORIAL MARKETING DIVISION December 15, 1916.

Table with columns: BUTTER AND EGGS, POULTRY. Includes items like Island butter, Eggs, Young chickens.

Table with columns: VEGETABLES AND PRODUCE. Includes items like Beans, Peanuts, Green peppers.

Table with columns: FRUIT. Includes items like Alligator pears, Limes, Pineapples.

Table with columns: LIVESTOCK. Includes items like Hogs, Cattle, Sheep.

Table with columns: DRESSED MEATS. Includes items like Beef, Pork, Mutton.

Table with columns: FEED. Includes items like Corn, Wheat, Hay.

The Territorial Marketing Division is under supervision of the U. S. Export Station...

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MATSON LINE WILL MAKE MILLIONS ON SUGAR CONTRACTS

American-Hawaiian Steamship Company Expects To Lose \$2,000,000 By Arrangement

LOCAL SOURCES DECLINE TO CONFIRM COAST RUMORS

Matson Boats Will Carry Thirty Thousand Tons During December and January

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Fourth Section of Drydock Base Is Ready To Be Placed

Another section of the base of the Pearl Harbor drydock is ready to be dropped into position this week.

This is the fourth of the immense concrete monoliths completed for the base of the drydock.

Work has been rushed on the drydock construction and the contractors are now making progress at the rate of a section every forty days.

DEPIES LONDON'S WILL

OAKLAND, December 2—Mrs. Bessie M. London, first wife of Jack London, said today that she would not turn over the custody of her two daughters, Joan and Bess London...

BOY KILLED BY FUMES OF GASOLINE

HILO, December 16—The body of Kaimi Iokai, a Hawaiian youth, was found yesterday lying in the bottom of a gasoline launch on the Waialeale River...

THE BEST COUGH MEDICINE.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the largest selling cough medicine in the world today because it does exactly what a cough medicine is supposed to do.

DIANA AND PHOEBUS PLAN HIGH JIMKS THIS COMING YEAR

During the year of 1917 there will occur the maximum number of eclipses of both the sun and the moon...

To the average man it matters little whether there are seven eclipses or only one...

At such a time astronomers are enabled to study what is known as the solar corona or the streams of light that flare out from around the dark spot of the eclipse...

Such an eclipse will occur on December 13 of next year and it is more than probable that all the great telescopes of the world will be trained on the phenomenon where it is visible...

DOCK LABORERS MOB PEACE PROPAGANDIST

LONDON, December 18—While leading a gathering which was making a demonstration for peace here yesterday, Sylvia Pankhurst, the noted militant suffragist, was mobbed by a body of dock laborers...

JAPAN'S ROYALTY SEES BIRD WOMAN'S FLIGHT

TOKIO, December 17—The flight of Miss Catherine Stinson, the American birdwoman, will be held today in the same place and all princes of imperial blood will see the flight of the American girl...

VICTIM OF THANKSGIVING SHOOTING GETTING WELL

Private Christ Johns, Headquarters Company, Field Artillery, the man who was shot as a burglar by Lieut. Dexter C. Ramsey of the Fourth Cavalry...

FORMER STAR KILLED

NEWARK, New Jersey, December 2—The body of a man killed in an explosion in the Aroma Chemical Company's plant last night was identified this afternoon as Stanley P. Penneck...

RESIGNATION ROW GOES TO FUNSTON

O'Ryan Sends Johnston's Letter Quitting Twelfth To Department Commander for Action

Reported Colonel's 40 Subordinate Officers Will Send Their Resignations in Over His Head

While Major General O'Ryan was making his decision to send the resignation of Col. Gordon Johnston, of the Twelfth New York Infantry, to Major General Funston, commanding the Southern Department, the officers of the regiment were taking steps to induce their retiring commander to approve their resignations and to send them through the military channels to divisional headquarters...

GUARD EQUIPMENT COMING HERE FAST

Two More Months Should See Militia of Islands Fully Outfitted

Two months more, in all probability, will see all national guard units in the islands completely outfitted with the equipment and supplies, and already a great deal of the lack felt so keenly has been filled.

This welcome news was confirmed at guard headquarters last night. It is stated that for the past six weeks guard equipment has been arriving in ever-increasing quantities. The machine, last Wednesday, in particular, brought in large amounts, including thirty escort wagons.

MANY BUNKERERS HEADED THIS WAY

Port Will Be Busy Next Month Supplying Coal To Passing Ships

The busiest period in the port's history so far as ships to be supplied with bunker coal is concerned, will come next month. This seems to be a certainty from cabled advices to the Inter-Island Steam Navigation Company which has listed twenty-two vessels here between the present time and the end of January.

These figures do not include the vessel that occasionally slips in unannounced, seeking coal to continue their voyage. One of these twenty-two is due today, the Kongoson Maru from the north ports of South America. The last three vessels due for bunkers have come in not later than twelve hours from the time they were listed, but there is no guarantee, of course, that the Kongoson will stick to this record and be in today.

JAPANESE LIQUOR DEALERS WARNED

Local Daily Paper Foretells Coming of Prohibition To the Territory

The editor of the Nippon Jiji, one of the leaders among the Japanese papers of the Territory, has issued a warning to the Japanese liquor dealers of Hawaii to "stand firm under" as soon as possible, for "prohibition is surely coming in the near future."

The writer gives the "dry" forces four or five years in which to overcome the opposition of the "wets" in Hawaii. "In the past," he says, "the 'dry' movement has been confined largely to the missionaries and reformers of the Territory. They have done the pioneer work, and now the business and practical men of the islands are beginning to see for themselves that prohibition is 'good business' and profitable not alone to themselves, but to the men who work for them, and for the wives and families of these men."

SPORTS "STUBBY" KRUGER BREAKS TANK RECORD FOR 100 YARD BACKSTROKE LAST NIGHT

SWIMS CENTURY IN GOOD TIME AND BETTERS HIS TIME FOR OPEN WATER—BIG INTERCLUB MEET AT "Y" PROVES A SUCCESS

(From Sunday Advertiser.) Swimming in his old-time form, Harold Kruger last night, in the Y. M. C. A. interclub swimming meet, broke the one-hundred-yard backstroke record for the "Y" tank and also bettered his open-water record, made last September in the adval slip. Kruger's time for the century backstroke last night was 1:12.4.5. The former tank record at the "Y" was 1:13.2.5, while his American record for the distance is 1:14.1.5.

REDS WILL BE READY FOR STOCKTON FIVE

With the holiday basketball series with the Stockton High School but a few days off, the Reds are putting on the finishing touches to their team work. This is undoubtedly the strongest five in Honolulu, and will be able to give the quietest which arrives from the Coast on the Great Northern a hard fight for first honors.

Castle & Cooke, LIMITED.

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IF YOU HAVE A Little Daughter

Bank for her right now three dollars for her first year of life, six dollars for her second, nine for her third, and so on until you catch up with her present age, and then on her next birthday bank to her credit three dollars for each year of her age and keep this up until she is 21—she'll have nearly a thousand dollars, and you'll never miss the money.

CANADIAN -- PACIFIC RAILWAY

ATLANTIC LINE OF STEAMERS from Montreal to Liverpool, London and Glasgow via the CANADIAN-PACIFIC RAILWAY and St. Lawrence Route.

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TANKERS CROWDED HARBOR LAST WEEK

One of the features of the shipping for the week just ended in Honolulu was the numerous vessels of the tanker fleet which entered and cleared. The last of these, the ship Falls of Clyde, sailed at two o'clock yesterday afternoon for San Francisco.

Maui Press Notes

A small whale, about twenty feet long, got into the shallow water over the reef near Harold Rice's place east of Kahului, last week, and was killed by Japanese fishermen. The carcass was cut up and the oil extracted from it.

TEACHING WIRELESS BY WIRELESS ITSELF

IOWA CITY, Iowa, December 2.—Teaching wireless by wireless is the latest innovation of the University of Iowa. In order that a student, miles away probably, may "attend" his daily lectures on some wireless subject all he has to do is sit at his receiving instrument and "listen in" as it comes to him from somewhere out of space.

MODERN THEATER ON FORT STREET

Work On Two Hundred Thousand Dollar Auditorium Will Begin in January

Completing quietly, plans for a new large theater in Honolulu, W. A. Stone, of the Reliable Film Company, 401 Kaanaloani Building yesterday announced that construction of a \$200,000 auditorium will commence in January. The site was not announced.

BULLETS TO BE MADE FROM AMERICA'S CUP YACHT

The Priscilla, built to defend the America's cup in 1885, was an iron centerboard sloop, which was many exciting races conducted under the auspices of the New York Yacht Club. It is being broken up by a Philadelphia dealer in old iron, and the leader keel will be utilized in the manufacture of bullets for rapid fire guns, rifles, and revolvers.

PINE PACKERS PLAN TO INCREASE CAPITAL

A special meeting of the stockholders of the Hawaiian Pineapple Company has been called for next Wednesday, December 20, to vote on the proposition of increasing the capital stock of the corporation from seven hundred thousand dollars to one million dollars by the issuance of a stock dividend of fifteen thousand shares.

E. H. PIEPER

Eliot H. Pieper, for twenty-eight years a prominent resident of Central Maui, died suddenly at nine o'clock on last Sunday night at his home in Paia, says Friday's Maui News. He had been unwell for several days but his condition was not believed to be at all serious.

CAUGHTON MAY LEAVE BASEBALL FOR FOOTBALL

CAMBRIDGE, Massachusetts, December 5.—Coach Percy D. Haughton is expected to abandon his position with the Boston Braves to devote his time entirely to the Harvard football interests. Haughton, anxious to make Yale, as well as Tufts and Brown, smart for the liberties they took with the criminal machine, is expected to devote his entire time in developing the eleven next fall.

CAVALRY TO PLAY LITTLE BROWN BROTHERS AT POST

Ball players of C Troop, Fourth Cavalry, will meet the Filipino "house boys" this afternoon on the upper Schofield post diamond. C Ramos who will do the pitching for the Filipinos is said to be a slub artist of ability.

FOOTBALL FANS DONATE \$8429 TO RED CROSS

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LOOMIS TO CONTINUE

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SWEDISH ATHLETES TO INVADE AMERICA

(By The Associated Press) NEW YORK, December 15.—The recent visit of the American track and field team to Scandinavia promises to be the forerunner of other and more important international athletic encounters. As a result of the competition of the team in Sweden, the sum of 165,000 crowns (\$44,500) has been subscribed by the leading patrons of amateur sport in that country, for the financing of a return invasion of Swedish athletes to the United States during the summer of 1917.

ALERTS LOSE TO HILO BASKETBALL PLAYERS

HILO, December 12.—One of the fastest basketball ball games ever played in Hilo was that between the crack team of the U. S. S. Alerts and the championship team of the Hilo Boarding School, last evening in the Army. The Alerts won four ten-minute quarters to the game, instead of the usual twenty-minute halves. The game was won by the Hilo Boarding School team by a score of twenty-eight to twenty.

LINE OF SPORT

Salaries of baseball players in the American league, who were signed at high figures to retain them during the Federal war, will be sharply reduced, according to Ban Johnson.

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