

EWA GIVES 200 TO RED CROSS

The drive of the Red Cross for new members is meeting with a hearty response and many of the workers have already sent in requests for more application blanks. Among the latest returns is that from Ewa, where 200 members have been enrolled and the workers there say they will have 200 more.

A. L. Castle, chairman of the local committee, is more than pleased with the results, and he feels sure that Hawaii will have more than her proportion of the 10,000,000 members sought.

Next Saturday night, at the national guard armory, in connection with the drive, the Red Cross will be host to Honolulu with an entertainment which will be free to all.

CANTON WANTS \$1,500,000 FOR ROADS IN YEAR 1918

an outlay of \$10,000. In the skeleton of the general fund budget the report shows that if the whole balance of the general fund after appropriations had been made for other expenses was used a total of \$338,866 could be expended for road maintenance. The report opens with a list of the regular salaries of employees in the engineering and roads department. The second part of the report gives the estimate of the current needs of the engineer and roads departments for 1918. There is an increase of 87 per cent for engineer's incidentals noted. Additions to the staff of employes on permanent improvement projects are expected to be made as needed which will bring the salaries up to \$2,000.

Total estimates for the road department including salaries, incidentals and materials call for \$311,400 and the report points out that this can be appropriated from the various funds as follows: Permanent improvement fund \$42,000; road tax fund \$117,960, and general fund \$151,440.

The report also contains an exhibit showing the estimated revenues for the year for current expenses, permanent improvements and road maintenance which after deduction of the cash basis fund, the police, fire and bandmen pension fund leaves a balance of \$951,000 which in turn is subject to the deficit of balance left from this year. The permanent improvement fund with the total general fund deducted together with the territorial budget and delinquent tax will have a balance of \$680,000 subject to the balance or deficit from this year.

Autos Are Cheaper Added to the report on estimates for expenditures is the report on the proposed consolidation and motorizing of the garbage and street sweeping departments and a plan for a municipal corporation yard on Beretania street near Alapai street. The estimated cost of the latter being \$19,500. The report also includes the list of the automobiles operated by the city and county and the fifty animals used in the various departments. Repairs to road equipments of the various departments is estimated at \$12,874.27.

The report goes on to say that by motorizing the garbage and sweeping and watering departments 36 animals could be dispensed with. Figures are given to show that cost of motor-driven vehicles as compared with animals in the road department results in a great saving.

The report includes a map of the city covered by the garbage department as at present organized. It might be added that the increase in freight rates between the mainland and Honolulu will cause a rise in cement and other road materials and that on account of that there is a possibility that some of the proposed projects may have to be eliminated even if \$1,500,000 is expended on roads in 1918.

The Star-Bulletin for one year sent as a Xmas gift will be appreciated. Adv.

Miss Viruboy, who was called the female Rasputin, was sent back to Petrograd from Finland with other exiles.

VENUS PENCIL advertisement featuring a woman and a pencil.

CITY BUSINESS AND SUPERVISORS NOTES

S. F. Kern was awarded the contract for the building of the Manoa storm ditches by the board of supervisors. His figure was \$2768.50.

The road committee invited Mayor Fern and other members of the board to take a trip around the island Friday for an inspection of the belt road.

H. H. Williams, undertaker, was awarded the contract for the burial of the city's indigent dead for the next six months. He bid \$18 which was one dollar more than he asked last July.

Supervisor Mott-Smith announced that the preliminary draft of the budget for the first six months of 1918 was finished and the board agreed to meet Sunday morning at 10 o'clock to consider it.

The next meeting of the board of supervisors will be held Saturday at 1:15 p. m. to pay labor payrolls in order that the city's workmen may have money for Christmas.

A report for the electric light committee approving the plan to light Kalakaua avenue with the same kind of lights as are now in the Beach Walk district was adopted by the board last night.

A final step in the arrest and conviction of L. A. Hart for embezzlement was taken last night by the board of supervisors when it approved the payment of \$150 to Chester Doyle who aided Captain McDuffie in Hart's arrest in San Francisco.

An opinion from the attorney's department stated that as William Ahia, supervisor, is not an owner but simply manager of the Johnson Mill, that company can deal with the city and county. The question was raised at a former meeting of the board by Supervisor McClellan.

A report from Fire Chief C. H. Thurston announcing the burning of several firemen at a recent fire, also mentioned the fact that during the fire he had stepped into a hole filled with boiling water with the result that he would be unable to attend to duty for several weeks. Assistant Chief W. W. Blaisdell is now in charge.

A letter from H. E. Vernon of the Ad Club asking the city to pass a tenement segregation ordinance for the moral betterment of the city was received by the board last night and referred to the health committee and attorney's department. Mr. Vernon believes that the tenements of the city should be so operated that some are reserved for families, others for only single men and still others for only single women. He also requested that an ordinance be passed making it compulsory for all tenements to have janitors in constant attendance.

MONEY NOT TIGHT IN STATES BUT SUGAR IS SCARCE, SAYS BROKER

Guy Buttolph of the firm of Williamson & Buttolph returned to Honolulu today following an extended tour of the mainland, during which he stopped over in Chicago, New York, Atlantic, Los Angeles, Philadelphia and also, Los Angeles, Philadelphia and Cleveland.

"Money is not tight and judging from the opinions of various brokers in different cities, there appears to be no indication that money is going to be tight," said Mr. Buttolph, speaking of the financial situation on the mainland.

"I was in New York—spent a week there—early in November during the big crash on the exchange and while the brokers were not happy there was a pile of business done. The Canadians were blamed for that slump, and it was said that they were doing the unloading to get money needed for their war expenses."

BISHOP C. B. BREWSTER DEFENDS HERBERT BIGELOW

HARTFORD, Conn.—Bishop Chauncey B. Brewster of the Connecticut Episcopal diocese in a sermon spoke in defense of Herbert Bigelow, a Kentucky pastor who was recently threatened by night riders. The bishop declared that the Kentuckian had not violated restrictions upon speech when he criticized the government but the bishop made it plain that he was not defending the substance of such criticism. Bishop Brewster also alleged in his sermon that the press of the country had failed to publish pertinent paragraphs contained in the rules laid down for the voluntary censorship as asked by Washington authorities.

NEW COLLECTOR OF REVENUE ON THE JOB

(Continued from page 1)

appointment. He stopped at Everett only about twelve hours on the trip to Hawaii, to straighten up some affairs in his office.

There is some sad discouragement in Washington, not discouragement regarding essential victory, but that it may take from three to five years more to defeat the huns, the colonel says.

Colonel Hathaway declares he has never sought office and says the only reason he knows for his being appointed collector for Hawaii was because he was recommended for the position by the Democratic state central committee of Washington.

When Colonel Hathaway was only 21 years of age he was elected to the legislature of Virginia from Lancaster and Richmond counties in which he served for several sessions. Since then he has run for office only once—in 1904, when he was candidate for election as congressman at large from the state of Washington. He gives one the impression that he made the race then so the Democratic party would be represented on the ticket.

Politically the colonel has been prominent in other ways than office seeking. He was permanent chairman of the last Washington state convention, delegate at large to the St. Louis Democratic national convention and a delegate to the Baltimore convention which first nominated Wilson.

Questioned as to his conduct of the revenue office, he said: "I have to conduct it in a business way as it has been conducted in the past. I do not think it will be necessary to make any changes in the personnel of the office staff, and at least not soon. However, I do not know."

Despite his 53 years, gray hair and the fact that he has been ill the last few days of the voyage to Honolulu, Colonel Hathaway presented a cheerful, youthful appearance, dressed as he was in a conservative check suit this morning.

The colonel gained his military title while he was on the staff of the governor of Virginia during the Spanish-American war. His home town in Virginia is at Whitestone. It was after the Spanish-American war that Colonel Hathaway located in Everett. Col. Hathaway was accompanied to Honolulu by W. W. Anderson, chief revenue agent of the western division, who is to audit the books and turn the revenue office over to the new collector on Friday, Dec. 21.

This will make the fifth collector that Ralph Johnstone, chief deputy, has initiated into the work of the office.

72 YEAR OLD WOMAN DROWNED AT PORTLAND

PORTLAND, Conn.—Mrs. Elizabeth W. Payne, 72 years old, was accidentally drowned in Wilcox's pond here. While on an errand that took her to a dam at the pond, she slipped on a piece of ice, fell, striking her head, and then rolled into the water, about five feet deep. Her body was later recovered by her brother, Luther Wilcox. She is survived by her mother, 94 years old, and two brothers, Luther of this place and Ralph Wilcox of Middletown.

GUARD MAY TAKE UP TRENCH WORK

Bayonet dummies and lines of trenches for national guard practice may soon become a part of the training equipment on Punahou range if plans now under consideration at guard headquarters crystallize.

It is the intention to carry on practice of the most intensive sort during the coming year, the program under consideration being set to begin about the first of the year. School for officers will be held three times a week, it was said today, and the officers must qualify along regular army lines.

Overnight camps by battalions are also included in the plans. These camps will most likely be held in the crater itself which is equipped for them.

WAR SAVINGS DRIVE DELAYED

What is John S. Drum of San Francisco, who has been appointed by the United States treasury department as director of the war savings certificate sale campaign for both California and these islands, going to do for the Territory of Hawaii in the way of making the drive here, is the question that is worrying Postmaster D. H. MacAdam, and the local financial and business men.

It is more than two weeks since the campaign started on the mainland, and as yet not a single stamp, war-savings stamp or war-savings certificate has reached here.

What tangles the situation still more is the cancellation yesterday in a letter from the Postmaster General at Washington, D. C. of the authority previously given the local postmaster to appoint first class agents to carry on the campaign. The postmaster general did not revoke the authority merely in this one case, but has revoked the order given to all postmasters throughout the United States and its territories to appoint these agents.

Plenty of literature about the campaign should be carried on has been received, but no stamps, or certificates. A number of the financial houses received letters this morning from the treasury department at Washington, D. C. asking them to act as agents for the campaign and push it along, but these financial men have gone to Postmaster MacAdam and asked him for the stamps and he has thrown up his hands and replied that the stamps are not here. The consensus of opinion appears to be that one John S. Drum of San Francisco has dared to send a cablegram asking him up to the fact that before a war savings certificate sale campaign can be conducted the goods to be sold must be on hand for display.

The French vessel Midge was sunk in the Mediterranean with a loss of 200 lives mostly of Algerian troops.

Yat Loy Company advertisement for holiday gifts, featuring 'Yes! We Have It!!' and 'the season's choicest offering for HOLIDAY GIFTS'.

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THEATRICAL OFFERINGS

JOAN CARRIES APPEAL TO U. S.

The triumphal march of "Joan the Woman" will begin tomorrow night at the Bijou theater to the accompaniment of the strains of the Bijou's new \$10,000 organ which has been installed the forepart of the week. For those who do not comprehend the tremendousness of the theme, there is much to wonder at, for not only does "Joan the Woman" make a strong appeal in behalf of all France, but it carries a message of loyalty and patriotism, significant in the light of current events. Change the locale and environment of the play and it will appeal direct to Americans for the atmosphere breathes a determination to uphold national rights against the invader, maintain democracy and liberty and justice in the face of oppression.

Whether you term Joan's patriotic enthusiasm a fanatical mania or a religious fervor or inspiration, the fact still remains that it was an enthusiasm which swayed all France from the king to the lowliest of his vassals and caused them to rise with new vigor and shake off the yoke of the despot. And the same spirit that Joan breathed in life prevails on the screen; Geraldine Farrar carries the same message of appeal to America today in this hour of world-struggle that the Maid of Orleans did centuries ago.

With Miss Farrar in a transcendent role, the supporting cast is a collection of stars, including Wallace Reid in the role of Eric Trent, British count ravaging Orleans; Hobart Bosworth as General in Hire; Raymond Hatton as Charles VII; Theodore Roberts as Pierre Cauchon; Tully Marshall as the fanatical monk; Charles Clary as La Tremouille (the Spider), and many others well known to movie fans.

Miss Farrar is superb in this picture. Her facial expression, the sincerity of her action and the conviction carried in every move are masterpieces of acting.

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HAWAII DRAMA IS HUMAN APPEAL

One of the biggest photoplay successes ever produced by William Fox, "The Derelict," is the feature offering of the week-end bill at the Hawaii theater. Stuart Holmes, who was recently seen here in the "Scarlet Letter," is the star and in the new production he returns to the kind of character upon which most of his fame as a screen favorite rests. In the role of a vagabond outcast it is stated that the star has no equals in filmdom. With Holmes in the picture also appear Mary Martin and Dan Mason, both of whom won praise for parts they played in the "Scarlet Letter."

"The Derelict" is a picture that carries an intense human appeal. It chronicles the life of a wastrel ne'er do well, who neglects home, family and position for the fleeting pleasures of gay life. With wife and daughter forgotten, he is caught in the whirl of wild night life and is carried down to his fate. A great climax is devalued when he saves the daughter who long since has forgotten her dissolute father.

Included in the bill is the Billy West comedy, "Back Stage," which has been held over from the first part of the week, and the new installment of the serial, "The Neglected Wife."

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Sessue Hayakawa, the noted Japanese screen star, has achieved notable successes in a wide range of roles. He has been seen as a Mexican, as an American bandit and in a long list of parts representing many nationalities, but it was in playing parts of his own nationality that he first won fame and it is conceded that when he appears as a Japanese, he is pre-eminent in the screen world. His part in "Forbidden Paths," a Lasky-Paramount production, which is the feature offering of the program at the Liberty theater, fully demonstrates this.

The picture is a narrative of the hopeless love of a Japanese for a young American girl. The man to whom she has given her heart has allowed herself to be won away by the adventuress and learns his mistake only after he has married her. The climax of the story is reached in a powerful dramatic scene in which the Japanese and the adventuress are at sea in a launch. To insure the happiness of the girl the Oriental carries out a plan he has made and scuttles the craft. He and the woman go down together.

The program, which will be shown for the last time tonight, includes the new installment of the serial picture, "The Mystery of the Double Cross," and the Weekly Pathe News pictures.

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**FOUR-MINUTE
SPEAKER PLEADS
FOR RED CROSS**

Prof. Vaughan MacCaughy in his four-minute speech last night at the theaters made a plea for the Red Cross, detailing the accomplishment of the association. He said: "The woman in this audience fainting right now, every person here would be willing to help her. The ordinary courtesy of ordinary life would lead us to assist her in every possible way. "If a little child, ragged, hungry, sick, its father shot dead, its home a heap of ashes, were to stand here where I am standing, and ask for a place to sleep and a little food, every person in this room would be glad to do something for that child. "If one of your good friends, a man whom you have known and loved for many years, were to lie here on the floor, with his eyes shot out, or his arms hanging helpless, or his body torn and bleeding with terrible shell wounds, you would do much to help that wounded, suffering friend. "That is exactly what the American Red Cross is doing. Our nurses are helping the fainting women who have suffered and are now suffering the unspeakable horrors of German invasion. Our Red Cross nurses are comforting the little children who have been trapped into the roadside mud by the iron heel of the Hun. The Red Cross nurses are tending our boys, our men, our sons, sweethearts, husbands, friends. "Who are the Red Cross? We are the Red Cross. It belongs to the people of the United States, all the people, from Honolulu to the bloody trenches of France. "What is the Red Cross doing? Here are some items from its last report: "We are sending supplies to 3500 French military hospitals. "We are caring for thousands of French and Belgian children and refugees. "We have established a sanatorium with 1000 beds for tuberculosis patients. "We operate an ambulance service which transports 1000 refugees daily. "We have sent 3,000,000 pounds of milk for Russian babies. "We are carrying on repair work in devastated towns. "Are all of you members of the American Red Cross? Has every one here joined? If you are a member, do a good turn by getting another member. If any one here has not joined, perhaps it's because he has not had a good opportunity. "Now is a good time to join. Your hearts are full of the Christmas spirit. The spirit of the Red Cross is the spirit of Christmas. We cannot all go to the front, but at this Christmas, 1918, we can all enlist under the Red Cross flag. Let us make it OUR CHRISTMAS FLAG."

**\$200,000 REQUIRED TO
CARRY OZAWA CASE TO
U. S. SUPREME COURT**

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 19.—As Eastern jurist has asked \$200,000 to give three opinions on the Takao Ozawa naturalization case. This was announced today when the Japanese association's investigating committee brought in a report on the question of supporting Ozawa in his fight for naturalization. "A local attorney has promised to give one opinion in the case for \$2500, and further investigation has led the committee to believe that \$200,000 will be necessary to fight the case in the courts of the United States. "Japanese government officials, who have been interviewed on the subject, disapprove of any action being taken at this time, and this opinion is held by a number of other Japanese in San Francisco. "Old cord and tarred ropes are made into brown packing paper."

ADDITIONAL TELEGRAPH NEWS

**HIGH ARMY OFFICERS
ASSIGNED TO POSTS**

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Wireless.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 19.—Important assignments of high army officers were announced by the war department yesterday. It was also announced that one brigadier general had been promoted to major general. Brigadier General Hermann Bell is assigned to the command of the Eightieth Infantry Brigade of the Fortieth Division, which is stationed at Fort Kearney, about fifteen miles north of San Diego. Brigadier General George H. Cameron, who only a few months ago was a colonel of cavalry, is promoted to major general and assigned to command a new division of the regular army. Brigadier General Bernard J. D. Irwin, who has been retired, but who was called back into active service on account of the war, is assigned to the command of the First Field Artillery Brigade of the Forty-first Division, relieving General Jerrey, who is ordered to Washington for duty. The Forty-first Division is at Camp Fremont, near Charlotte, North Carolina. Major General George W. Goethals, who resigned a few months ago as executive head of the federal shipping board following his controversy with William Denman, is again called into active service and detailed as acting quartermaster general of the army.

**GERMANY PLOTTED TO GET
CHINA IN INDIA REVOLT**

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 19.—That Germany was scheming to secure Chinese help in her plan to foment a revolution in India, the details of which were being worked out in the United States and the Philippines, was brought out in the evidence at the trial of the alleged neutrality plotters yesterday. The evidence disclosing this alleged plot showed that one issue was to effect a secret treaty between Peking and Berlin, based on which Germany was to guarantee China against any Japanese or other aggression for a period of five years from the termination of the war. Chinese to Fight In return, China was to furnish a large number of Chinese to be sent into India, these to rise when the signal for revolt was given and to join forces with the Hindu revolutionists. Arms for these Chinese were to be smuggled into India and distributed. The details of this secret treaty were disclosed in a number of code messages, presented in evidence by the prosecution, which messages are alleged to have passed between Chakravarty, one of the defendants, and a committee of German officials in Berlin.

**PLAN TO INCREASE
OUTPUT OF FLOUR MILLS**

NEW YORK, N. Y., Dec. 19.—The milling division of the food administration has announced a series of new regulations affecting the milling industry, prescribing what degree the output of flour must bear in relation to the amount of wheat ground. The output will be less fine, but there will be appreciably less waste product from the milling, with the flour approximating to a slight extent the whole wheat product. It is calculated that the new restrictions will mean a saving during the present crop year of sixteen million bushels of wheat.

**U. S. SAILORS RESCUED
BY HUN SUBMARINE**

AMSTERDAM, Netherlands, Dec. 19.—Two American sailors of the destroyer Jacob Jones, sunk last week by a Hun submarine, were saved by the German undersea craft, according to an official announcement made yesterday.

**EARL D. BABST GIVES
EVIDENCE IN SUGAR ROW**

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Wireless.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 19.—The senate committee on manufactures investigating the various allegations made against the sugar commission and the sugar administrator of the food commission, yesterday had as its main witness, Earl D. Babst, president of the American Sugar Refining Company, between whom and some of the independent refiners there has been strife during the past few weeks. Mr. Babst, in the private hearing before the committee, was not permitted to make any statement, but was limited to replying to such questions as were asked by the committeemen. At the close of the hearing he voiced a vigorous objection to this, demanding that he be allowed to make a complete statement of the American's position. The committee then went into executive session, when Babst is understood to have been allowed to talk as he would. Food Administrator Hoover was yesterday again denied permission to respond from the witness stand to the allegations of unfairness filed by Claus Spreckels, which charges were repeated from the witness stand. Mr. Hoover explained that he desired to make a reply and claimed that it was unfair to him that Mr. Spreckels' charges and claims should go out unanswered. Senator Reed, in refusing to permit Mr. Hoover to take the stand yesterday, said that he would have to wait his turn and could make his explanations when he was called upon.

**ATTEMPT TO RECALL
FICKERT BEATEN AT POLL**

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 19.—Charles M. Fickert, district attorney of San Francisco county, came out victorious yesterday in the election held under a petition for his recall. He won by a big majority, snowing under his opponents, Charles A. Sweigert and Frank P. Hayes. The specific charges against Fickert, as contained in the recall petitions were that "he has failed to appreciate the duties and responsibilities of his office, and has been guilty of violating the standard of conduct demanded of him by the supreme court of California," and that "he is not conducting the office of district attorney in the interest of justice and to the satisfaction of the people of San Francisco."

**BOSS DAROUX SHOT
BY DIVORCED WIFE**

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 19.—Frank Daroux, politician, gambler and one of the most notorious characters of this city, was shot and dangerously wounded last night by his divorced wife, Mrs. Tessie Wall Daroux. Daroux recently obtained a divorce from his wife after a long and bitter fight in the courts. This was followed by another legal battle in which Mrs. Daroux attempted, unsuccessfully, to obtain a substantial share of Daroux's property. After the shooting Mrs. Daroux said in explanation: "He broke me and left me penniless." Daroux was married to Tessie Wall when she was proprietor of the most notorious house of ill fame in San Francisco, which she ran for many years.

**ITALY CALLS HER SONS
TO FIGHT HUN HORDES**

ROME, Italy, Dec. 19.—The Italian government yesterday issued a call for new contingents to join the colors. The government has decided that Italy must put all her available man power into the field to stem the tide of the Hun advance, and the call for new contingents is a part of the program that has been mapped out by which Italy hopes to hurl the Austrians back off Italian soil.

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HOUSE PROPOSES TO TAX FEDERAL OFFICERS' INCOME
(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Wireless.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 19.—That all federal officeholders, from president to post collectors, ought to pay income tax upon their salaries, the same as other salary earners, is the sense of a resolution passed in the house yesterday by a large majority. The resolution, which carried said that members of congress, judges on the federal bench and all other federal employees should have their salaries taxed. This resolution will be taken up in consideration of amendments to the income tax and war revenue measures when these are reported out for amendment.

SENATE ORDERS PROBE OF TRANSPORTATION TROUBLES
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 19.—On motion of Senator Cummins of Iowa, the senate yesterday ordered a thorough investigation to be made of the recommendations proposed by the interstate commerce commission for the solving of the railroad transportation difficulties which are hampering the government. The investigation, according to the terms of Senator Cummins' motion, is to be made by the senate interstate commerce committee.

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SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. C. Von Hains of Honolulu are at the Palace. Mr. Von Hains gives quite encouraging reports of the constantly increasing traffic to the islands, so much so that hotel accommodations will have to be increased the coming season. Western Traveller.

Ellen Beach Yaw, the noted singer, arrived from Hawaii yesterday, enthusiastic after having seen the wonders of the Volcano and Haleakala on Maui. Miss Yaw feels that island folk are justly proud of both.

Mrs. A. Rudge of Hilo is in the Queen's hospital convalescing from an appendicitis operation. Her room is fragrant with flowers, showing the thought and affection of her many friends.

Mrs. Clifford Kimball has gone to Kauai for the holidays, to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles Rice. Mrs. Kimball has taken her two small sons with her. They will be home the first week in January.

Great sympathy is expressed to Captain R. C. Holliday, for the loss he has sustained in the passing beyond of his mother, who was well known in army circles here.

Miss Florence Ward, who is the houseguest of Miss Bernice Halstead, arrived from a Volcano visit last Saturday.

Captain and Mrs. J. Morton Riggs, who have been at the Volcano house for a month, arrived last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickson Nott have taken a bunkalow at Halekulani for the coming months.

Miss Whitmore and Miss J. Devo of Hilo are in Honolulu for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. J. M. Kuhns and baby were arrivals from San Francisco last Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Ketchum were arrivals last Saturday from the mainland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parrish arrived from their Hawaii home on the Mauna Kea.

Mrs. John Galt was an arrival on Tuesday's steamer from Hawaii.

Mrs. George Ross of Hakalau is a town visitor.

MAUI SOCIETY NOTES

(Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence.)
WAILUKU, Dec. 17.—Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Ralph N. Villiers, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. Charles Villiers of Wailuku, and Miss Clara Savage of Memphis, Tenn. The ceremony will take place at 8 o'clock on December 26 at the Church of the Good Shepherd.

L. P. Judd of Hartford, Conn., is expected to arrive on Maui the last of this month to spend a year's vacation visiting his son, Robert A. Judd, director of the citizenship work of Maui county, and his daughter, Miss Gertrude B. Judd, who is with the Maui Aid Association. This is the first vacation that Mr. Judd has taken from home in many years. His visit on Maui is greatly anticipated by his Maui friends.

The concert given by Miss Ellen Beach Yaw at the Pala Community House last Tuesday evening was a great success. The appearance of Miss Yaw on Maui was due to the efforts of the Maui Music Club.

Mrs. H. K. Duncan returned on Saturday morning to Maui. Her mother whom she has been attending in Honolulu and who has been very sick, has much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cooke and their family arrived on Maui Saturday morning. They will be guests of Mrs. H. P. Baldwin at Maluha for three weeks.

Mrs. William Searby was a returning passenger Saturday morning to Maui.

Mrs. H. B. Penhallow is still visiting in Honolulu.

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HAGENS DENIES RUMOR OF ASSOCIATION WITH CASTLE & COOKE CO.

A rumor, denied, however, by one of the principals, filtered through Honolulu's Wall street circles this morning following announcement of the resignation of J. P. C. Hagens from H. Hackfeld & Co. that Mr. Hagens was to become associated with Castle & Cooke in the near future, and take with him to that institution the agency of the Pioneer Mill Co., now held by Hackfeld & Co.

Mr. Hagens, seen today at noon, emphatically denied the truth of the report.

"I will seek active war service just as soon as I am released from my present position," Mr. Hagens said. "And until that comes I will mark time. If I am not called for war service, then it will be time to consider the future."

E. D. Tenney, president of Castle & Cooke, laughed when told of the rumor. He branded it as "ridiculous."

WHAT BECAME OF PEN USED TO SIGN PAPER KNOWN AS 1917 WILL?

Representative "Jimmy" Jarrett is still looking for his fountain pen.

On August 11, "Princess" Theresa Owana Wilcox Belliveau borrowed Attorney Jarrett's pen. She says it was used by the late Queen Liliuokalani to sign the alleged 1917 will.

Whether it was or not, Jarrett doesn't know. What he would like to know, however, is who took his fountain pen after the "Princess" had returned it to his desk.

Theresa is sure the pen was used by the queen, for she says her late majesty shook it, when it refused to write, and spilled ink on the Japanese robe she was wearing at the time.

LANAI PLAYERS GIVE \$150 TO RED CROSS

The regular monthly donation of \$150 to the Red Cross by the Lanai players was given Tuesday by Mrs. Robert N. Burnham, director, to A. L. Castle, although there was no performance in December. Enough money, however, was made at the two previous plays to make it possible to continue the contribution rehearsing for their January play, in which the leading parts will be taken by Mr. and Mrs. Reynold McGrew. The play is a clever farce-comedy and the other players who will appear are Arthur Wyman, Miss Osgood, Miss Mary von Holt, R. N. Burnham, Arthur Mackintosh, Young Corretthers and possibly others. Miss Juliet May Fraser is decorating some special posters for the play.

The treasurer's report in full follows: Receipts of October play, \$391; expenses, \$152.80; Red Cross donations, \$150; balance, \$88.20; receipts of November play, \$385.65; expenses, \$160.10; Red Cross donation, \$150; balance \$163.75; Red Cross Christmas donation from reserve fund, \$150; balance on hand, \$12.75.

FOUR PAINTINGS BY OTTO WIX ARE SHOWN

Four paintings by Otto Wix, well known here from visits in previous years, are on display at the Pacific Framing Company's shop. They are "Morning View" (Palo Alto), "California Sunset," "Among the Oaks," and "Sunrise at Dublin, Cal."

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MAY'S STORE OPEN EVENINGS

Beginning with Thursday evening, the store of Henry May & Co., Ltd., will be open every evening until Christmas.—Adv.

PHOTO SUPPLY OPEN NIGHTS

Until Christmas, the Honolulu Photo Supply will keep its doors open evenings to accommodate Christmas shoppers.—Adv.

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I.-I. UPHELD BY SUPREME COURT IN RATE FIGHT

Decision Holds That It Can Increase Rates; Utilities Authority Curbed

That the Inter-Island Steam Navigation Co. has authority to increase its freight and passenger rates in accordance with the new schedule which was to have gone into effect October 1, but which was held up by an injunction suit brought by the public utilities commission, is the finding of the supreme court in a decision handed down late yesterday afternoon.

The supreme court holds that the public utilities commission has no jurisdiction to regulate the rates and charges of a common carrier by water in interstate commerce for the transportation of persons and property from port to port in the territory of Hawaii.

On September 28 the commission in a decision, ordered the shipping company to return to the schedule of rates in effect in 1916, whereupon the company immediately announced an increase in its rates to take effect October 1, declaring that this new schedule had been approved by the federal shipping board and that the company did not have the authority to reduce or otherwise change them without the consent of the board. At this time the company filed an appeal from the commission's decision and order.

The commission then brought an injunction suit against the company to restrain it from disobeying the order, and the company also took this case to the supreme court on appeal.

As regards the authority of the federal shipping board, the supreme court decision says:

"The shipping board established by act of Congress of September 7, 1916, has sole and exclusive jurisdiction to regulate rates and charges of a common carrier by water in interstate commerce."

In this connection one of the four contentions upon which the steamship company appealed was that the public utilities commission had no jurisdiction over the reasonableness of the freight and passenger rates charges by the company, but that this jurisdiction was vested solely in the federal shipping board.

The decision continues, in part: "There is no question that the appellant, under provision of the shipping act, is a 'common carrier by water in interstate commerce.' It is engaged in the transportation of passengers and property from port to port in the territory of Hawaii.

"Congress has the exclusive power of controlling and regulating foreign and interstate commerce and plenary legislative power in the territories. It has the power to place all shipping on the high seas in the territory on the same plane as interstate commerce and to withdraw the control thereof from an local board or commission and place the same in a board created by it, and we are satisfied it has done so in the shipping act."

SUGAR SCARCITY DUE LARGELY TO CAR SHORTAGE

Sugar scarcity on the mainland during the last month has been generally due to a lack of cars to get the product where needed, according to Horace Johnson, consulting chemist with C. Brewer & Co., who with Mrs. Johnson has just returned from a visit as far east as Chicago.

"There were times," says Mr. Johnson, "when small parcels of sugar would be doled out to consumers, but no sugar cards were used in the sections we visited. The distributing was taken care of by the grocers themselves at the request of the authorities. At the time we left matters were adjusting themselves as the transportation facilities had again come into play.

"Business throughout the West seems to be booming," continued Mr. Johnson. "Industry is moving steadily along and no one seems to be out of work. All through the country people are looking for a long war and are making their plans accordingly."

Mr. Johnson will be in the city for several days preparing to take up his work. Mrs. Johnson will return shortly to their home at Hilo, accompanied by the children, Ralph, Paul and Evelyn, who have been in school here while their parents were away.

RUSSIAN BONDS DROP TO \$86

Russian government 5 1/2 per cent internal bonds have reached a new low level on the New York market, dropping from \$101 for a 1000-ruble bond to \$86, which caused considerable quaking among local investors, who hold several million rubles' worth of these securities. The drop is the outcome of the declaration by the Bolsheviks repudiating Russia's national debt. The news of the drop was received yesterday by the Bishop Trust Company.

No quotations were given on the Imperial Russian 6 1/2 per cent externals nor on the Imperial Russian 5 1/2 per cent externals, but there is no doubt that these two securities fell at the same time as the internals.

Although the bonds are very low, the par value of the internals being \$514.50, both the financial men on the mainland and the local investors are not pessimistic, but appear to be pes-

ACQUISITION OF FISH RIGHTS BY TERRITORY, PLAN

Child Favors Taking Fight to Congress Direct; Would Cost \$150,000

Condemnation of the fishing rights of the islands and turning them over to the territorial government for administration is the latest war measure of J. F. Child, federal food commissioner, in his efforts to conserve the food supply of the territory.

Mr. Child has already a list of all the fishing rights which are in number, with a full tabulation as to their ownership, valuation and income derived. It is estimated by Mr. Child that it will cost in the neighborhood of \$150,000 to condemn the properties.

Just what method will be employed to have the rights condemned has not been definitely decided, but it is felt that the quickest and surest way would be to take the matter direct to congress as already several similar measures have been before the local legislature and failed to pass.

It is the present plan if the project is put through to have a fish commission which would formulate fishing restrictions and issue fishing licenses similar to the hunting licenses now in vogue, the fees for licenses to cover the cost of an inspector. The commission itself would serve without pay.

At present the fishing rights are owned by persons who lease them to fishing companies. Under the proposed plan anyone may fish who takes out a license.

KURTISTOWN IS SOLD FOR \$10,000

Kurtistown, 11 miles from Hilo on the Volcano road, and the store, store building and store site, has been sold to T. Branga, a Crescent City business man, for approximately \$10,000, according to reports reaching Honolulu today.


The transfer was made last week after A. G. Curtis, the owner, returned from the mainland. It is his mercantile business which Mr. Curtis has disposed of, but he still retains much of his cane land, from which he has made an independent fortune in the last few years.

Kurtistown was named after Mr. Curtis, who was one of the early day coffee planters who tried to wrest wealth from the Olaa lands. This venture proving unprofitable, Mr. Curtis started a general store after which a postoffice was allotted to "11 miles", as Kurtistown is colloquially known on Hawaii.

Mr. Curtis is now bound again for San Francisco where he proposes starting a purchasing agency for island patrons.

The buyer of Kurtistown was formerly engaged in the plumbing business in Hilo, and more recently has conducted a second hand store there.

It is believed that the Bolsheviks will shortly be ousted and the new government will cancel the repudiation of the national debt.



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STATE OF TEXAS WILL ADVERTISE IN NEWSPAPERS

Legal Notices to Be Published in Papers Instead of Being Posted Publicly

The (Cates) publicity law, which reorganizes the press of Texas as the medium through which the state must talk to the people, has finally become law after fifteen years of continuous fighting. The battle was made by R. F. Cates, sponsor of the measure (Cates is the publisher of the Bartlett (Tex.) Tribune.

The Cates bill provides that public notices shall be published in newspapers instead of being posted in prominent places. Hitherto official notices have been posted on the court house, in the postoffice, and on one or two trees that edged the road way here and there. This was well enough in days gone by, when the sparse population gathered to a man in the court house square. But in these days of busy men it was obviously an absurd method of informing the people of matters of public interest. In this day, when every citizen worthy of the name takes a newspaper, it is silly to give public notice of anything by posting a little sheet of paper among hundreds of others on a court house door.

Long, Hard Fight

In spite of the sound reason for this bill, however, it was greeted with a spirited opposition. It was first introduced 5 years ago and was regularly put to sleep, but Cates never gave up. As the result of his tireless effort and the good work of other men who think as he does, the bill was finally passed.

Under the old system had grown up in certain parts of Texas a condition that was objectionable to good citizens. Because of the inadequacy of the public notice with reference to certain legal matters men could make big profits merely by watching the court house door and getting news that other persons overlooked.

Provisions of Measure

The Cates publicity bill provides: "That whenever any law notice is required to be given of any act or proceeding, whether public or private, or relating to a judicial, executive, or legislative matter, which notice is not authorized by law or by contract to be made by posting notices in one or more public places, such notices shall hereafter be given by publication thereof in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year, in the county in which said act or proceeding is to occur; provided, that nothing in this act shall be construed to require the publication of any general election notice, public road notices nor probate notices, when the appraised value of the estate in which same is issued is less than one thousand (\$1000) dollars, and provided further, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to sales made under a written contract whereof it is provided the notice of sale thereunder may be posted."

"All notices published under the provisions of this act, shall be printed at least once each week, for the period of time now required to be given, then such notices may be posted as now provided by law."

"The price to be paid for all publications required by this act, shall be not more than one (\$1.00) dollar per square of one hundred (100) words for first insertion, and not more than fifty cents per one hundred (100) words for each subsequent insertion, said publication fee to be taxed as other costs in the case."

WANT JOFFRE TO BECOME ONE OF IMMORTALS

PARIS, France—Belief that Marshal Joffre would be the next person elected to the French Academy has been entertained by the public for months, but his reported declination in favor of the Academy by announcing himself as a candidate appears to create a situation resembling a deadlock.

The thirty-four "immortals" now composing the Academy are said to be unanimously in favor of Joffre as the first of the six new members to be elected. Everyone has talked about the eventuality—everyone but Joffre, and it appears to be essential that the reticent hero of the Marne speak up if he wants to become an "immortal." It is a rule of the Academy that aspirants for membership declare their candidacy and it has been the tradition that they should call upon the members to solicit their votes, much in the same way as a candidate for a political office. This Joffre has not done and it is said that he will not do it.

"The Marshal has never had any ambition to become an Academician," said a close friend of Joffre. "In fact he asserts that he has no right or title to the honor. Several of his friends have urged him to propose his candidacy, but he considers that there is no personal consideration in the matter, that if he were chosen it would be simply in honor of the army and that, consequently, personal solicitation or expressions of personal preference in the matter are not in order."

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CAVALRY FINDS NO TROUBLE IN OUSTING TURKS

General Maude's Victory at Ramadie Robs Opponents of Last Line of Retreat

(By Associated Press)
LONDON—General Maude's victory at Ramadie in Mesopotamia was the result of a battle of the old picture genre style, before the "war of action" swept the spectacular element out of modern warfare.

The movement which determined the whole action was the sudden swinging around of the British right until it became the left, and the enclosing movement of the cavalry which robbed the Turkish garrison of its last line of retreat. The idea was admirably executed, but even the staff strategists of the British army scarcely anticipated the surrender of the whole Turkish force without a blow by the waiting cavalry.

The British "eye-witness" writing from Ramadie, says in his account of the battle: "We captured Ramadie today, and with it the whole Turkish garrison, including its commander, Ahmed Bey, and a number of field guns, pom-poms, machine guns and rifles."

"Our force moved in two columns on the night of September 27 from an advanced camp on the Euphrates, west of Feilaja, one column on the right, the other on the left, and at dawn they attacked Musaid Ridge, a low line of dunes running north and south from the Euphrates to the Habaniyah canal."

"To clear the ridge and cross the canal was our first objective. The first knolls were quickly occupied. At dawn we bombarded the main crest of the ridge, but the Turks had evacuated it."

"We then changed our line of attack. The right column was withdrawn, and swinging round west behind the left column became the left wing of the force. Our front, three and a half miles in breadth, now lay between the Habaniyah canal on the right and Aziziyah canal on the left, at a point nine miles from the Euphrates."

"Our cavalry made a wide sweeping movement across the desert round the right flank of the Turks and occupied a line five miles west of Ramadie. By this move the Turks were cornered. Their only chance was to drive in determined counter-attacks and to break through before we drew the ring in closer."

"The expected attack began after 3 o'clock the next morning when the Turks tried to break through between the cavalry and the river. The action continued for two hours till dawn, when it degenerated into casual sniping. The nearest Turkish dead were found within 50 yards of the cavalry trenches."

"Soon after daybreak the infantry column took up the attack again, and carried the last outlying defenses of the Turks on our left. An intense bombardment was opened on the Turkish trenches."

"Our line of cavalry, far away west, soon saw the dark masses of the enemy approaching and apparently prepared for bloody battle. The Turkish guns were silent, and white flags went up all along the line. It was a general surrender. Ahmed Bey, the Turkish commander, who has been on the Euphrates all through the campaign from the battle of Shatba, in March, 1915, and whose troops confronted us at Nasirah all last summer and autumn, came out and surrendered with his whole force."

U. S. BAKERS MAY CUT BREAD PRICE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Immediate reduction in bread prices whenever possible has been recommended to bakers throughout the country by the war emergency council of the baking industry.

Bakers will go under government license December 10, using a set formula, and producing a standardized loaf required by the food administration.

In announcing recently that the baking industry was to be put under license, the food administration declared there is a reason why bread prices should not be sharply reduced.

Bakers Are Willing

The information that a reduction has been recommended came to the food administration today, in a telegram from Henry Stude, of Houston, Texas, president of the National Association of Bakers. The telegram was similar to one sent by the war council to the bakers. It reads:

"The council calls attention to the various recommendations in the United States food administration's report suggesting a reduction in prices, with government control of raw materials used by the baker, and a reduction in operating expenses. There should be, wherever possible, an immediate reduction in price to the retailer."

DECLARES U-BOAT FAILURE AS DECISIVE FACTOR

WASHINGTON, D. C.—"The submarine menace as a decisive factor in the war has failed."

This declaration was made by Secretary of the Navy Daniels. "Germany sought to starve out England by this fall," Secretary Daniels said. "This object has not been accomplished. American destroyers operating with British and French destroyers have greatly minimized the menace of the submarine."

Secretary Daniels declared that maneuvering had been found to be the most effective method of meeting the U-boat danger and stated that American naval statistics now conclusively show that speed and maneuvers can greatly reduce the efficiency of the submarine.



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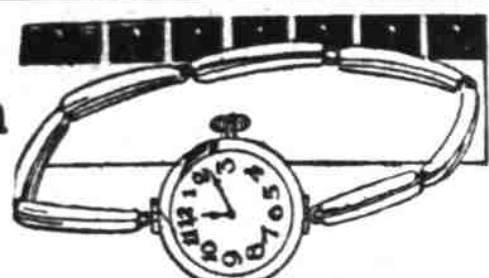
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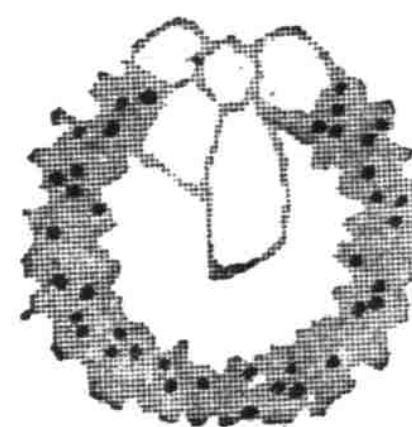
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE First Judicial Circuit, Territory of Hawaii—At Chambers—in Probate. Notice of Time and Place of the Drawing of Grand Jurors and Trial Jurors for Service During the January, 1918, Term of Said Circuit Court.

My check, No. 4852, drawn upon the Henry Waterhouse Trust Co., Ltd., in the sum of \$308.54, has been lost. Payment has been stopped. All persons are hereby warned against negotiating same.

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SMITH COLLEGE GIRLS PROVING ANGELS OF MERCY (By Associated Press) FREEMAN TROTT, Boston, 11—A small band of Smith college girls is sharing the distressed populations of these stricken cities as France devastated by the Germans before they were forced to retreat last spring.

The girls bought motor trucks, and several of them are motor drivers. Once or twice a week each of the villages in their district receives a visit from a party of the girls in their trucks which are loaded with necessities, and these are sold to the peasants at cost price or less, and thus many of the needs of the people are met.

PLATTSBURG OPEN TO POLISH-AMERICANS BOSTON, Mass.—Secretary of War Baker has shown America's appreciation of the new army of 200,000 Polish-American young men being raised in the United States to fight on the side of the entente allies by offering the use of the camp at Plattsburg for the training of Polish officers.

Silver Novelties For Xmas Gifts We have a most excellent assortment of Silver Novelties for Christmas Gifts.

HUN INVASION OF ENGLAND IS NOW REGARDED AS AN IMPOSSIBILITY Officer of Cycling Patrol Says Britain's Shores Guarded With Utmost Caution (By Associated Press) HEADQUARTERS OF BRITISH HOME DEFENSE, London (Special)—Since the beginning of the war the coasts of the United Kingdom have been guarded by the British bicycle militia or cyclist patrol, and today the cyclist patrol are on guard against German invasion.

FOOD BUYING FOR WAR AND NEUTRALS TO BE CENTRALIZED WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 27.—Centralization in the food administration of all purchases of staple foodstuffs by the army and navy and by allied and neutral buyers for the purpose of stabilizing prices and controlling supplies was announced tonight by Food Administrator Hoover.

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HONOLULU STAR-BULLETIN, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1917.

Dorothy Dix Talks

WHEN LOVE TIRES.

(By DOROTHY DIX, The World's Highest Paid Woman Writer.)

I get a great many pathetic letters from women who write that the men they love have ceased to love them and pitifully ask how they can re-

gain this lost affection. Sometimes the letter is from a wife who says that her husband has grown tired of her, that he does not take the trouble even to pretend to care for her or take any interest in her any more.

Sometimes the man comes out boldly and honestly and tells his wife that he no longer loves her and asks her to give him a divorce.

And then something happened, something so vague and intangible that the woman never knew why, nor when, nor how the tragedy occurred, but gradually the fire died out of the man's love making and it grew colder and colder until it was just a handful of ashes on the altar of what had been a great passion.

But to come back to the question asked by the neglected women who find that the men they love have ceased to love them, which is, what shall they do in the heart-breaking situation they confront.

My advice is to face the question asked by the neglected women who find that the men they love have ceased to love them, which is, what shall they do in the heart-breaking situation they confront.

Therefore, let her waste no time in the hopeless undertaking, but let her make her life over from another angle than the sentimental one.

And in any case, the one remedy for a broken heart is work. Let her fill her days so full of constructive labor, and especially labor for others, that she will have no time to think of whether she loved or not.

We do not know why we fall in love. We do not know why we fall out of love. The thing merely happens and it is folly for the forsaken one to blame the one whose temperature has dropped from fever heat to below normal.

Unfortunately this is impossible, and while we may have recurrent attacks of love as long as we live, it is never from the same source of infection. When we wake up from our dream of love the familiar old hand and voice to which we are accustomed can never wave us back into the hypnotic trance again.

This is what makes so futile the efforts of women to win back their wandering husbands and sweethearts. It is so absolutely impossible to recreate the spell that first fired a man's fancy.

If women appreciated this perhaps there would be fewer of them shatter their husbands' ideal of them by their sordid selfishness, their nagging and their littleness.

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When a Feller Needs a Friend - By BRIGGS



badge previously belonging to another. If any badge is won three times consecutively, then the cadet may have the badge as his permanent property.

The honors of the fall term went to the following boys: First honor—Ralph Ault, Watson Williams, Carrol Horner, Preston Chaplin, Montgomery Clark, Frederick Forbes, Gay Harris, Richard Raymond, Henry Afong, Andrew McGill, Howard Babbitt, Walter Holt.

For the past term's work several awards were made. Twelve silver badges were awarded to the twelve highest honor men in school.

USE MOVIES TO STIMULATE FOOD RAISING 'DRIVE'

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 2.—Official motion pictures bringing home the vital importance of increased food production will be shown by the United States department of agriculture in hundreds of regular motion picture theaters throughout the United States.

Y. W. TO OMIT COURSE IN GERMAN NEXT YEAR

Classes for the new term will begin at the Y. W. C. A. on January 7. This announcement was made today by the educational committee of the association.

CORNELL MAY STOP VACATIONS FOR WAR

ITHACA, N. Y.—Cornell contemplates shortening the college year four weeks by reducing and eliminating vacations. The purpose is to release students early for war service.

PUNAHOU'S NEW MILITARY-PHYSICAL TRAINING SYSTEM PROVES SUCCESS

Last week Punahou Academy and Preparatory School closed what has been rather a new departure in school activities—a combination of military training, Scout activities and physical training.

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