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## WIRELESS FROM THE BIG FLEET

ATLANTIC FLEET WILL REACH AUCKLAND AUGUST NINTH.

Ships in the Atlantic Fleet which are crossing the Pacific are setting a new mark in amount of coal used—Experts say record is revelation to the world—Indulge in maneuvers en route—Sailing in battle formation.

Wireless to Suva, Fiji Islands, aboard Georgia, Aug. 4.—The Atlantic fleet passed Suva this afternoon. The ships are making a remarkable record for coal endurance. Experts on the vessels say the distance traversed and coal used is a revelation to the entire world.

The ships spent yesterday and all of this morning in evolutions. At a signal from the Connecticut, the vessels swung around from a single column in which they have been traveling for two days, into battle line. The fleet will arrive at Auckland August 9.

**Fire at Chehalis.**  
Hoquiam, Wash., Aug. 4.—One of the worst forest fires in the history of Chehalis county is threatening the entire logging district in this vicinity. The flames are raging 12 miles north of here. It is reported that the loss is now a quarter of a million dollars. In view of the recent catastrophe in Canadian cities resulting from forest fires there is much alarm here.

**To Decide Kansas Senatorship.**  
Topeka, Kan., Aug. 4.—Whether Chester I. Long of Medicine Lodge, senior United States senator from Kansas, will be returned, or will be succeeded by Joseph L. Bristow, of Salina, country editor, former fourth assistant postmaster general and foe of railroad and corporation dominance in political affairs, will be decided by a primary today in which the republican voters of Kansas are expressing their sovereign will. This is the first primary election ever held in Kansas.

Democrats, prohibitionists and socialists are also taking part in today's primary, and all parties will nominate, in addition to senatorial candidates, a full state ticket, including governor, justice of the supreme court, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, auditor, treasury, attorney general, superintendent of public instruction, superintendent of insurance, state printer, railroad commissioner and presidential electors. The various districts will nominate congressional candidates.

Joseph P. Farrelly, of Chanute, will be given the democratic nomination for United States senator, but the democrats have little hope of victory, and the choice apparently lies between Long and Bristow, the republican aspirants.

The Long-Bristow contest will be the center of interest in today's primary, since it affords the voters their first opportunity to select a senator. The prohibition element which adorns the occasion, favors the vote for "with Kansas" with the explicit statement, "Abolish I. Long, a candidate of a Prohibition victory. Bristow is not lacking in the shape of anti-prohibition messages promising victory from Prohibition men—over the state—but their hope is well founded. If Long is defeated, however, he will have gone down fighting for his supporters have waged bitter warfare in his behalf that has seldom been witnessed in the history of the "blue-law" state.

The fight on Long has been made on the allegation that he is a "rail-road" senator, and that he belongs to the infamous corporation-controlled clique of the senate which also includes Aldrich, Allison, Elkins, Hopkins and Penrose.

**Runs Amuck With Hammer.**  
Rockville, Conn., Aug. 4.—Charged with beating out his wife's brains with a sledge hammer, and cutting his daughter's throat, John Zett, a Hungarian farmer, is being brought here. He was captured after he was knocked unconscious by his son whom he also attempted to kill. He sought the lives of his family for a fancied wrong.

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