# AMERICA IS HELD TO BE IN WAR PERIL

Complications Likely to Endanger Only Great Power of

International Lawyer Reveals How Easily United States May Become Involved Through Neutrality Duties and Fighters' Acts.

BY AN INTERNATIONAL LAWYER. WASHINGTON, Aug. 9 .- (Special.)-The United States today is the only first-class power of the white race in the world which is not engaged in war. Naturally this country is congratu-lating itself on this fact. But few Americans realize, however, that their ountry is on the precipice and may e forced over into the world-wide con-

There are many possibilities of in-ternational friction to which this country is exposed as a result of the Euro-

pean struggle.
Greatest of all is the danger which Greatest of all is the danger which will be run in the carrying of contra-band after a merchant marine is ob-tained. Danger also lurks in the pro-posed amendment to the registry laws. America Must Police Asia.

Almost equally great is the danger in the Orient, where the United States must police Asia against the aggres-

sions of the Japanese.

The Fanama Canai may force the United States into international disputes if the warships of two or more of the warring nations meet near it and those of one attempt to escape from the other through the canal.

Possibly the greatest danger will followed the war closes. If one power Possibly the greatest danger will fol-low after the war closes. If one power emerges triumphant over the others in such a degree that it will be looked upon as the world's foremost fighting nation, undoubtedly it will turn its at-tention to South America. The Mon-roe doctrine as facing its severest test.

England, if she suspects any cargoe will insist on the right of search and will act as her best interests dictate in the premises. What England may regard as contraband of war may be very different from what we regard as contraband of war.

Contraband May Cause Friction.

Where differences arise, especially where differences arise, especially in times like the present, an aggravated international friction is bound to be the result. Italy, for instance, has declared her neutrality in the present crisis. She was not bound by treaty to help Germany and Austria against Russia alone in the present crisis, but laday Park. when France declared war against Germany she was bound to assist Ger-Italy's exact neutrality on this phase

the question has not yet become Germany and italy was for a long time secret, it does not take a great stretch of imagination to suppose that trate of imagination to support that the support of neutrality and allow the export of foodstuffs to Austria and Germany.

Foodstuffs are "conditional contraband," according to the declaration of

Foodstuffs Status Puzzling. The United States regards the declaration of London as authoritative is so far as its, the United States, view of the questions of neutrality are con-cerned. England does not recognize is any way the declaration of London a

Italy, a neutral nation, might, there fore, with propriety consider food stuffs as not contraband. She woul then become the haven for the Unite States trade in wheat and other food

Then if England stopped this tradethat is, between the United States an Italy-she, in a way, would be inter fering with the trade between tw neutral nations, one of which would be the United States. This almost surely would cause friction between the governments concerned.

Shipping Registry Also Issue.

The promiscuous transfer of ships of foreign registry to the United States flag especially if laws were so framed that a transfer of registry could be effected in the future, is another point where caution must be exercised.

At present the United States is the only great white power not involved in only great white power not involved which has a representation civil and military in eastern Asia. I therefore becomes automatically th protector of the whites in eastern Asia

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and the United States are causes in themselves sufficient to bring on trou-

Panama Canal Offers Difficulty. Panama Canal Offers Difficulty.

The United States has guaranteed a neutrality of the Panama Canal to all nations. This, of course, applies to war as well as peace. The ships of any of the belligerents can use the canal, therefore, as soon as it is opened.

Suppose that England, if badly defeated on the sea, called on Japan some time next December for a division or two of battleships to go to her aid in accordance with the provisions of the Anglo-Japanese alliance. Would the American people look with favor on this?

White Race Not in Conflict.

Suppose a German ship were being chased by a Japanese ship and it were captured close under the forts of the Pacific entrance of the canal and the forts sunk it. What would be the result if the Japanese claimed that they were not within the three-mile limit?

JOYS OF COUNTRY LIFE AT FOREST GROVE TOLD BY YOUNGSTERS.

Preparations for Outfitting Tillamook Delegation Set for Wednesday. Clothing Is Needed.

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City Band Concerts Announced. The Municipal Band, Charles L. Brown,

director, will play the following pro-gramme at Lents Park tonight at 8 o'clock:

o'clock:

March, "Stars and Stripes Forever," Sousa;
waitz, "Dolores," Waldteufel: overture,
"Merry Wives of Windsor," Nicolal; Oriental
danse, "Sultana," Voelker; bouquet of popu-lar melodies, "Tip Top." O'Hare, Intermission, Scenes from "High Jinks." Frimiparaphrase, "Die Loreley," Neswadha; selections from "Bohemian Girl," Baife; popular rags, "Remick's Hits," Lampe,
Wednesday's concert will be at Holladay Park.

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT. PORTLAND, Aug. 10.—Maximum temperature, 88 degrees; minimum, 60 degrees. River reading at 8 A. M., 5.6 feet; change in last 24 hours, 6.3 feet fall. Total rainfall since September 1, 1913, 38,91 inches; normal rainfall since September 1, 44.66 inches; deficiency of rainfall since September 1, 1913, 5.75 inches. Total sunshine August 10, 14 hours, 24 minutes; possible sunshine, 14 hours, 24 minutes. Barometer (reduced to sea-level) at 5 P. M., 29,92 inches.

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It is incumbent on the United States to look after all whites in China, in Manchuria, in Corea, and even in Japan. In China alone many instances have arisen in the past requiring military protection for white subjects and citizens by their respective governments. Should conditions of this kind arise in the near future, would it be in keeping with the dignity of the United States to shirk these responsibilities?

Japan Bangerous Competitor.

Japan will be in an extremely favorable position to claim the trade of the Orient, a status which she is perfectly ready to maintain against all comers. The old saying is that where two lines of trade cross war is the result, it usually is, as a high-handed act by one leads to retaliation on the part of the other.

Not only will American and Japanese commercial interests clash in Asia, but also to a considerable extent in South America. Japan has a considerable merchant marine for this purpose; the United States has almost none. The fabories of Alaska and the immigration WEATHER CONDITIONS.

westerly.

Idaho—Generally fair and warmer.

THEODORE F. DRAKE,

Acting District Forecaster,

Cutting Off of German Supply Sends Brewers Into Market Before They Are Ready - Crop Estimates Reduced.

Hop dealers are steadily reducing their stimates of the coming Oregon crop. Some of them now figure the yield as low as 110,-00 or 115,000 bales. It is likely that the Pacific Coast will be 50,000 bales short

of last year's production The market has gained materially in strength, and a strong demand for contracts has developed. Growers are not ready sellers and business is being put through with difficulty. About 60.000 pounds are with difficulty. About 90,000 pounds are known to have been signed up in this state and Washington at 14% and 15 cents. Dealers were offering these prices in sev-eral sections and many orders are known

to be unfilled at 14 censs. In Cultiornia, according to wires received yesterday, 13 and 14 cents was offered for Sacramentos for early shipment, and it was reported that 15 cents was bid for Sonomas. Picking starts in that state this

ket, but it is not extensive. H. L. Hart bought 60 bales of 1913s from T. A. Lives-ley & Co. at 11 cents. There were orders in California for spots, and up to 12% cents was bid for, Yolos, with no sellers.

Two cables received from London Saturday night reported the market advancing, with prices much stronger and little being

Plump as little partridges after 10 days in the country, the first party of fresh air children that was sent to Forest Grove came back to Portland yesterday, escorted by Mrs. Charles N. Hines. There were 22 of them, and hardly had they come from the train when some of them began to ask if there might not be a chance for them to go to the country again.

"I had an awful good time: three times better than I ever had before," declared "Filbert," who was the fresh air mascot in the parties last year.

"Tm nine and a half pounds heavier than I was, and I had blackberry ple all the time and seven eggs for supper."
Filbert lugged home with him a chicken and two dozen eggs.

Among the individuals sent out to-

Resources for War Abundant.

The United States has the advantage, if war comes, of being able to feed and clothe herself, as well as furnish all her building material and fuel.

Europe, on the other hand, with its dense populations in its western half, largely urban and industrial, must despend on ocean-borne commerce to a great extent for food supply. This is especially so with Germany and England, whose large populations are for the most part concentrated in great cities.

England, so far, at least—holds the sea, and from her preponderance of naval tonnage should continue to. This should insure a sufficient food supply for her own people, and under present conditions for France also.

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Germany, certainly, will put the highest price on blockade running. If a cargo of wheat is landed in Hamburg in the children to Tillamook. It is planned to include many family groups in this party, which could not be sent on other weight in silver, and a year from now its weight in sold.

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now held at \$27.
Local receipts in cars were reported by
the Merchants Exchange as follows:

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200	The weekly wheat statistics of the Mer- chants Exchange were confined to Ameri- can supplies, no figures on the foreign movement being available. The American visible supply compares as follows:
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August 16, 1909 5,283,000
August 17, 1908 17,442,000
August 19, 1907 49,271,000
August 20, 1906 91,040,000
August 21, 1905 183,722,000

Poultry and Dressed Ments Are in Small

was firm at Saturday's prices. Dressed meats were also scarce.

The egg market was steady and unchanged, with the demand almost wholly for candled stock.

Merchants Exchange Quotations.

A special meeting of the Merchants Exchange Association was held vesterday morning to take further steps to put the exchange in working order. Every firm in the local trade was represented. The officers were appointed a committee to decide on the best method by which to ar-

rive at actual local values. The committee will report at a later meeting and until then prices will not be posted.

An all-around advance of 2 cents a pound in the prices of the leading lines of smoked meals was announced by provision dealers yesterday. This advance is in keeping with the higher prices of hogs. Hams of all sizes and bacon of all grades were the lines

PORTLAND MARKET QUOTATIONS

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc. WHEAT-Track prices: Club, 88c; red tussian, 84ch bluestem, 89c; forty-fold, 87c, PLOUR-Patents, 84.80 per barrel; ex-orts, \$3.50@3.65; valley, \$4.50; graham. \$4.80: whole wheat, \$5. MILLFEED—Bran, \$23@23.50 per ton; shorts, \$27; middlings, \$31. OATS—No. 1 white, \$22; feed, \$22 per

BARLEY-No. 1 feed, \$20 per ton; brew-ing, \$20.50; rolled, \$22.50, HAY-Old timothy, \$18.617; new-crop timothy, \$13.615; grain hay, \$8.910; alfalfa, \$11 - 12. CORN-Whole, \$35; cracked, \$36 per ton.

Fruits and Vegetables.

Local jobbins quotations:

TROPICAL FRUITS — Oranges, \$1.75@3
per box; lemons, \$9@5.58 per box; bananas,
4@4%c per pound; grapefruit, California,
\$2.75@3.

VEGETABLES—Cucumbers, 50c per box;
eggplant, 10c per pound; peppers, 7@10c per
pound; head lettuce, \$1.70 per crate; artichokes, \$1 per dozen; tomatoes, 50@55c per
crate; cabbage, 1%@2c per pound; peas, 5@
6c per pound; beans, 4@6c per pound; corn,
\$1 per sack; celery, 35@75c per dozen,
ONIONS—Yellow, \$1.35 per sack,
GREEN FRUITS—Apples, new, 75c@\$2
box; cantaloupes, 50c@\$1.40 per crate;
peaches, 50@75c per box; plums, 60c@\$1;
watermelons, 50@75c per hundred; casabas,
\$2.50 per dozen; pears, \$1@2 per box;
grapes, 75c@\$2 per crate.

POTATOES—Oregon, 1@11%c per lb.;
sweet potatoes, 4c.

Dairy and Country Produce.

Local jobbing quotations:

EGGS—Fresh Oregon ranch, case count.

23@24c; candled, 23@27c per dozen.

POULTRY—Hens, 14@14%c; Springs, 15@
16c; turkeys, 20c; dressed, choice, 22c;
ducks, 10@11c; gesse, 10c.

BUTTER—Creamery prints, extras, 52%c
per pound; cubes, 25%c.

CHEESE—Oregon triplets, jobbers' buying
price, 15c per pound f. o. b. dock Portland;
Young Americs, 15%c per pound.

PORK—Block, 12c per pound.

VEAL—Fancy, 14@14%c per pound.

Local Jobbing quotations: SALMON-Columbia River one-pound tails, \$2.25 per dozen; half-pound flats, \$1.40; onepound flats, \$2.45; Alaska pink, one-pound talls, \$5c: silversides, one-pound talls, \$1.25. HONEY—Choice, \$3.50@3.75 per case. NUTS—Walnuts, 14@20c per pound; Brazil nuts, 20c; filberts, 14@15c; almonds, 19@ 28c; peanuts, 6@6'4c; cocoanuts, \$1 per cores; chestnuts, 8'4' gloc per pound; pecans, 14 gloc.

BEANS—Small white, 6'4c; large white, 5.4c; Lima, 8c; pink, 5.15c; Mexican, 7c;

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COFFEE—Rossted, in srums, 214/652½c
per pound.

SUGAR — Fruit and berry, 36.55; beet, ison

Sol. 35; extra C, \$6.05; powdered, in barrels, strong and unquoted.

Wheat—Spot. strong; sew No. 2 red, 10.34, and No. 2 hard, \$1.05½, both elevator domestic; No. 1 Northern Duluth, strong and 100s, \$10.75 per ton, 50s, \$11.50 per ton, dairy, \$14 per ton.

RICE—No. 1 Japan, 4½.65c; Southern head, 6½.67½c; island, 565½c,

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, 10½.61c per pound, apricots, 16½.626c; peaches, \$211c, per pound, 26.7½c; unbleached Sultanas, 8c; seeded, 9c; dates. Persian, 767½c per pound; fard, \$14.0 per box.

FIGS—Packages, S-oz., 50 to box, \$1.35; package; 10-oz., 12 to box, \$0.0; white, 25-ib. box, \$1.75; black, 25-ib. box, \$1.75; black, 25-ib. box, \$1.50.

Provisions

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Grain, Etc., at New York,

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—Flour—Entirely normal and unquoted.

Wheat—Spot. strong; sew No. 2 red, \$1.03%, and No. 2 hard, \$1.05%, bor elevator domestic; No. 1 Northern Duluth, \$1.17½, and No. 1 Northern Duluth, \$1.10½, and No. 2 hard, \$1.05%, both elevator domestic, No. 1 Northern Duluth, \$1.10½, and No. 2 Hard, \$1.05½, both elevator domestic, No. 1 Northern Duluth, \$1.10½, and No. 2 hard, \$1.05½, both elevator domestic, No. 1 Northern Duluth, \$1.10½, and No. 2 Northern Duluth, \$1.10½, and No. 2 Northern Duluth, \$1.10½, and No. 2 Northern Duluth, \$1.10½, and No. 1 Northern Duluth, \$1.10½, and No. 2 Northern Duluth, \$1.10

HOPS-1913 crop, nominal; 1914 contracts, HOPS—1912 crop, nominal, 157 colors 14@15c.

PELTS—Dry, 13c; dry short wool, 9c; dry shearings, 10c; green schaarings, 15@30c; saited sheep, \$1.25@-.50; Spring lambs, 25@35c; green pelts, short wool, 20@60c; lambs, August take-off, 50@70c.

HIDES—Saited hides, 13c per pound; sait kip, 14c; saited caif, 18c; green hides, 12c; dry hides, 25c; dry caif, 28c; saited bulls, 10c per pound; green bulls, 8%c.

WOOL—Valley, 18%@20%c; Eastern Orecon, 16@20%c.

gon, 16@20%c.

MOHAIR—1914 clip, 27%c per pound.

FISH—Salmon, 8@9c; halibut, 5@6c;

smelt, 8c; black cod, 7c; rock cod, 5c,

CASCARA BARK—Old and new, 4%c per

occurred yesterday, when all grades of re-fined were advanced 75 cents a hundred. SAN FRANCISCO PRODUCE MARKETS This puts the price of fruit and berry sugar Prices Quoted at the Bay City on Fruits,

vance, but hardly expected it to be so extensive. The California & Hawalian reflicery in the forenoon raised its list 25 cents, and in the afternoon tacked on another 50 cents. The Western Property of the forenoon tacked on another 50 cents.

STRONG DEMAND FOR LOCAL PEACHES

Good Cantaloupes Selling Well—Sweet Potato Scason Opens.

Peaches were the firmest article in the financial district continued today, although surface conditions pointed to increased confidence. Another large batch of American securities sold by London in this fruit list. The supply was not large and there was a great demand. The best peaches readily brought 75 cents.

There was a good demand for good cantaloupes, standards and jumbos selling at 131.23@1.40. Ponies brought anywhere from 50 cents up. Meions were in oversupply and weak.

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Grapes were plentiful and sold well. A fancy car came in, Malagas going at \$1.35 and Rose of Peru at 75 cents.

Lemons were strong at the advance, fancy now selling at \$9.50.

The first straight car of new potatoes was received, and they sold well at 4 cents. Tomatoes were weak at 50@65 cents.

BUTTER FIRM AT NEW PRICES

CHICAGO, Aug. 10.—Hogs—Receipts, 17.—600; market, strong. 35.15@10.10; heavy, \$5.55@9.80; mixed, \$9.15@10.10; heavy, \$5.55@9.80; cows and feeders, \$2.20@10.05; steers, \$5.50@8.80; stockers and feeders, \$5.50@8.80; cows and heifers, \$3.70@9.25; caives, \$5.50@11.30.

Sheep—Receipts, 24.000; market, strong. Sheep. \$5.40@9.25; caives, \$5.50@11.30.

Sheep. \$5.40@9.25; caives, \$5.50@11.30. Chicago Livestock Market.

Supply.

The butter market was firm yesterday at the 2½-cent advance already announced. All the city creameries are not quoting the top price, but the new quotation is likely to be general in a day or two. The demand for cubes is strong. No change was made in cheese quotations.

Poultry receipts were light and the market was firm at Saturday's prices. Dressed meats were also scarce.

The cgg market was steady and unchanged, with the demand almost wholly plee—Steady. Sancy 114 catagorated appropriate the continued fails demand for spot coffee, and while Rio grades were unchanged, with 15 quoted at 9½c, Santes coffees were firm and higher, with 4s quot ed at 14½c to 15c. Arrivals reported at New York tooky were 12,301 bags.

Dried Fruit at New York.

**Enlargement of Visible Supply** Checks Advance.

TOTAL GAIN FOUR CENTS

Prices Early Begin to Recede and at Close Net Rise Is Two to Two and Eighth Cents-Coarse Grains Are Lower.

CHICAGO. Aug. 10.—Although war fever sent the wheat market today coursing higher by far than had previously been known since the crisis began, the ascent was out of all proportion to the amount of business transacted. The close was unsettled at 20 to 2½c above Saturday night's level. Corn finished at a net decline of %c to 2%c, cate off %c to ½c and provisions frregular, ranging from 50c loss to a rise of 17 ½c.

Piling up of the domestic visible supply

would hinder any large resumption of exports.

Brokers had early orders to buy the wheat
pit bare of offerings, owing to general heliof
in an ultimate big European demand. Prices
which had started easy jumped quickly ½c
or more at a time until nearly 4 cents upturn had taken place compared with Saturday's close, and May wheat had touched
\$1.11½. On the rise, there had been a temporary setback of more than a cent, but
it was not until about midday that the reredling became continuous and was emphasized by attention to the huge enlargement
of the United States visible supply.

It was a nervous and erratic market in
corn. corn.
Profit-taking by longs was the main fea-ture of the oats trade.
Realizing sales by holders of pork and rios more than offset big advances due to hog prices being at the highest point since lete. Lard remained in demand from start.

Leading futures closed as follows:

CORN 79 16 OATS. Sept. .... 40% .42% Dec. ..... 45% .45% MESS PORK. Sept. .....23.25 28.25 LARD. 10.27 10.45

| Dackage | 10-oz., 12 to box, 80c; white, 23-ib. box, \$1.75; black, 25-ib. box, \$1.75; black, 25-ib. box, \$1.75; black, 20-ib. box, \$2.50; black, 10-ib. box, \$1.15; black, 20-ib. box, \$2.50; black, 10-ib. box, \$1.15; black, 20-ib. box, \$1.50 \cdots; red Russian, \$1.50 \cdots; red Russian, \$1.50 \cdots; red Russian, \$1.50 \cdots; red Russian, \$1.50 \cdots; Turkey red, \$1.55 \cdots; Turkey red, \$1.55 \cdots, \$1.50 \cdots; red Russian, \$1.50 \cdots; r

DRY SALT CURED—Short clear backs, 13\(\frac{1}{2}\) 216\(\frac{1}{2}\) c; exports, 14\(\phi\)16c; plates, 11\(\phi\)
13c.

LARD—Tierce basis: Pure, 12\(\phi\)13c; compound, 3c.

SEATTLE, Aug. 10. — Wheat, September and October delivery quotations: Riuestem. 91c; fortyfold, 87c; club, 86c; Fife, 85c; red Russian, 83\(\phi\)c.

Yesterday's car receipts—Wheat 19, oats 3, barley 2, hay 5, flour 13.

NOISE TO GREET OPENING Choice cows Medium cows Portland Will Celebrate Panama Canal Day on Saturday.

Portland will celebrate, sanctioned by proclamation of the Mayor and under the auspices of the Portland Chamber

of Commerce.

At the minute the canal opens for commerce, blasts on the whistles in the city and ringing of bells will announce the event. Bands will play in the street and a general jollification will be held. This will be at about 10

o'clock.
At noon at the Commercial Club a luncheon will be held at which A. H. Averill, president of the Chamber, will preside. H. B. Miller will be the principal speaker. Members of the committee in charge are W. B. Mackey, W. E. Coman, C. H. Moore, J. B. Yeon and H. M. Miller,
All commercial organizations in the city will participate in the celebration.

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The local trade was looking for an advance, but hardly expected it to be so extensive. The California & Hawaiian refinery in the forenoon raised its list 25 cents, and in the afternoon tacked on another 50 cents. The Western refinery raised its prices 80 cents. Local jobbers therefore followed the lower refinery quotation by advancing their prices 70 cents. The New York market was strong and higher, with all the Eastern refineries at the 84 basis. In the latter part of last week they were quoting \$5.

The Portland sugar market, although high, is still \$1 a sack under the record price, and the followed the lower refinery control of the lower refinery of the same and the results of the same and the s

Bitulithic pavement was found so satisfactory in Lewiston, Idaho, and so fully up to representations of its manufacturers that the City Council wisely decided there was no need of experimenting further in paving materials from the standpoint of durability, economy and general satisfaction.

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SOUTH OMAHA, Aug. 16. — Hogs—Receipts 1400; market, higher. Heavy, \$8.00 g. 9.00; light, \$8.50 g. 9.00; pigs, \$1.75 g. 8.75 g. 8.75 g. 9.75; cows and heifers. Native steers, \$7.75 g. 9.75; cows and heifers. \$5.75 g. 7.75; Western steers. \$6.50 g. 8.75; fexas steers, \$6.00 g. 7.75; cows and heifers. \$5.50 g. 7.25; calves. \$7.50 g. 19.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 14.000; market, higher. Yearlings. \$5.75 g. 0.25; wethers, \$5.50 g. 6.16; lambs. \$7.60 g. 8.5. Ten-Dollar Hogs at St. Louis

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