

'SHADY WORK SEEN' IN CLOTHING DEAL

Defense Council Committee Members Involved, Senate Inquiry Develops.

FAT CONTRACTS ALLOWED

Witnesses Testify That Relatives of Committeeman Get Clothing Contracts Whereby Enormous Profits Can Be Obtained.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The Senate War Inquiry committee today investigated further the canceled scrap uniform cloth picking contracts...

Charles Eisenman, vice-chairman of the committee, who approved the contracts and Samuel Kaplan, another member of the committee...

Loss Causes Yell of Protest. Quartermaster-General Sharpe testified that when the War Department canceled the contracts last Thursday...

Replying to testimony yesterday of Quartermaster-General Sharpe, General Sharpe placed responsibility for delay in obtaining supplies...

Policy Displeases Committee. Regarding lack of motor trucks for training men at the cantonments, General Sharpe said the Department's policy...

Profit Declared Excessive. A clique in New York, Kaminsky charged, was interested in trying to get control of the country's rag business...

AMERICAN CAMP VIEWED (Continued From First Page.) Among the civilian population, cannot be expressed in words...

These people who have gone over there and are devoting themselves to the work at the front in the spirit of the finest self-sacrifice...

Home Folks Have Duty. The duty of keeping these people supplied with the necessary things to carry on their work rests with us...

The person that will not cheerfully help this cause is not worthy the name of American; in fact, he is not even worthy to be called a Hun...

WOMEN GIVE ASSISTANCE Besieged City Early Learns Need of Hiding From Destructive Hun Bombs.

At this town I also saw several hundred uniformed girls, belonging to what is known as the Woman's Army Auxiliary Corps...

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COAST MAKES GOOD White Hope of Wooden Ship Industry, Says Hurley.

Contracts for Construction of 500,000 Deadweight Tons Will Be Placed in Western Yards During Year 1918.

FARMERS TO GET NITRATE

War Industries Board Will Sell 100,000 Tons at Cost.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Deliveries of upward of 100,000 tons of Chilean nitrate purchased through the war industries board under the food control act...

TEUTON CRAFT WRECKED

Zeppelin and Seaplane Reported Lost in North Sea.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—A Zeppelin and seaplane, which was accompanying it, have been reported lost in the North Sea...

TWO RIDDLE SCHOOL TEACHERS MARRY.

RIDDLE, Or., Dec. 29.—(Special.)—Two of Riddle's school teachers have been married in the past week...

BALLOON LANDS IN MEXICO

ARMY GAS BAG LOST COURSE AFTER LEAVING SAN ANTONIO.

LAREDO, Tex., Dec. 29.—The Army balloon, manned by Captain McCullough and eight soldier aviators, which left San Antonio yesterday afternoon...

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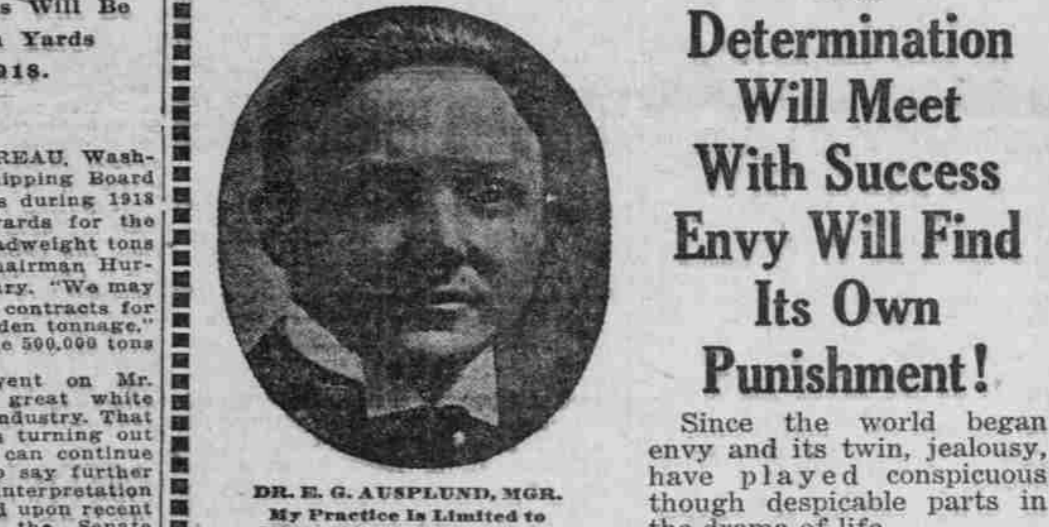
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HAWAIIANS ASK FOR PROHIBITION. HONOLULU, T. H., Dec. 29.—(Special.)—Signed by 120 of the leading business firms in Honolulu, a petition has been forwarded to Congress asking that prohibition be enacted in the territory of Hawaii...

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