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## WAPPA WARNS RUSSIA OF FISHERIES

**Demands Settlement  
Before Opening of  
Season in April**

TOKYO, Feb. 16. (AP)—Hachiro Ariga, Japan's foreign minister, instructed Ambassador Shigenori Togo at Moscow again to press Russia for settlement of the fisheries dispute before the season opens late in April.

The Japanese press reported that Tokyo warned Russia that the Japanese government would not permit Russian fishermen to fish in Japanese waters without settling the dispute. It was understood that Togo was to press the matter.

TOKYO, Feb. 16. (AP)—Japan is not a democracy, Premier Baron Hirota said today in a statement to the Diet.

The premier's statement followed an earlier foreign office announcement that Foreign Minister Hachiro Ariga was dispatching "important instructions" to Ambassador Togo in Moscow concerning a dispute with Russia over far eastern fishing.

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## Senators Claim Craig Overruled by FDR on Foreign Plane Sales

**Say Morgenthau Testified That Chief of Staff  
Was Opposed to Purchases by France**

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## CROZIER MOVE HILL CRITICIZES BEEBE'S STIFF FIGHT SEEKING ON NEW TAXES

**Poll Shows No Legislator Favors Both Levies  
Proposed by Governor to Balance Budget**

Reluctance to impose a tax on liquor and cigarettes was apparent today on the heels of Governor Joseph B. Poindexter's message to the legislature advocating the new taxes as a budget balancing measure.

A poll conducted by The Star-Bulletin which included 10 senators and 18 representatives showed none of the legislators favored the new taxes.

The bulk of the lawmakers were not fully studied the proposal and would like more time before definitely going on record for or against the new taxation proposal.

From Senate Eugene H. Beebe, chairman of the finance committee, said the proposal of increasing the payroll tax instead of increasing the liquor tax which he said he personally opposed.

Under Senator Beebe's proposal the present one half of one per cent tax on payroll would be increased to one per cent.

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## SENATE TURNS DOWN HUNTER AS COUNSELOR

**House Proposal Is Rejected by Ways and Means Committee**

The senate today turned down a proposal by Senator Hunter to make him a counselor to the governor.

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**Be a Joiner:** For the American Red Cross Miss Barber, offers you a chance to respond to the annual roll call of the Hawaii chapter, which began today and will continue through Saturday.—Star-Bulletin photo.

## Line Island Pioneers Form Colonists' Club

To perpetuate the fellowship of Hawaiian youths who have served as colonists on American equatorial islands, a colonists' club has been formed.

James Kinney, president of the new organization, said today.

An organization meeting was held at the Marine Memorial building Wednesday evening and another meeting will be held at the building today.

Approximately 60 young men, all of whom either have been or are now line island colonists, are members of the club.

Richard B. Black, field representative of the department of interior, is club adviser.

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## LATE NEWS

**RFC Extension**  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 16. (AP)—The senate today passed and sent to the house a bill extending the life of the Reconstruction Finance Corp. until Dec. 31, 1941.

**Reds Arrested**  
PRAGUE, Feb. 16. (AP)—The government today arrested 1,000 leading members of the communist party.

**No Confidence**  
BRUSSELS, Feb. 16. (AP)—The house of representatives today voted no confidence in the government.

**No Fascist Goods**  
NEW YORK, Feb. 16. (AP)—The senate today passed a resolution prohibiting the sale of goods made in Germany, Italy or Japan.

**Admiral Lands**  
SAN JUAN, P. R., Feb. 16. (AP)—Admiral Adolphus Andrews, commander of the fleet, landed today at San Juan.

**Back Ship Buying**  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 16. (AP)—The senate today passed a resolution authorizing the purchase of ships.

**Britain Not Bound**  
LONDON, Feb. 16. (AP)—The foreign office today notified the League of Nations that Great Britain was not bound by the league's decision.

**New Boeing Clipper**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16. (AP)—The Boeing company today announced that its new Boeing clipper was performing satisfactorily.

**Burned Fisherman Dies; Rites Today**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16. (AP)—Funeral services for Kitaru Matsu, a fisherman who was severely burned in a gasoline explosion on the bay, will be held today.

**4 Men Fall 70 Feet on Fair Ski Jump**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16. (AP)—Four men were injured today when an elevator cable broke while they were riding on a ski jump.

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