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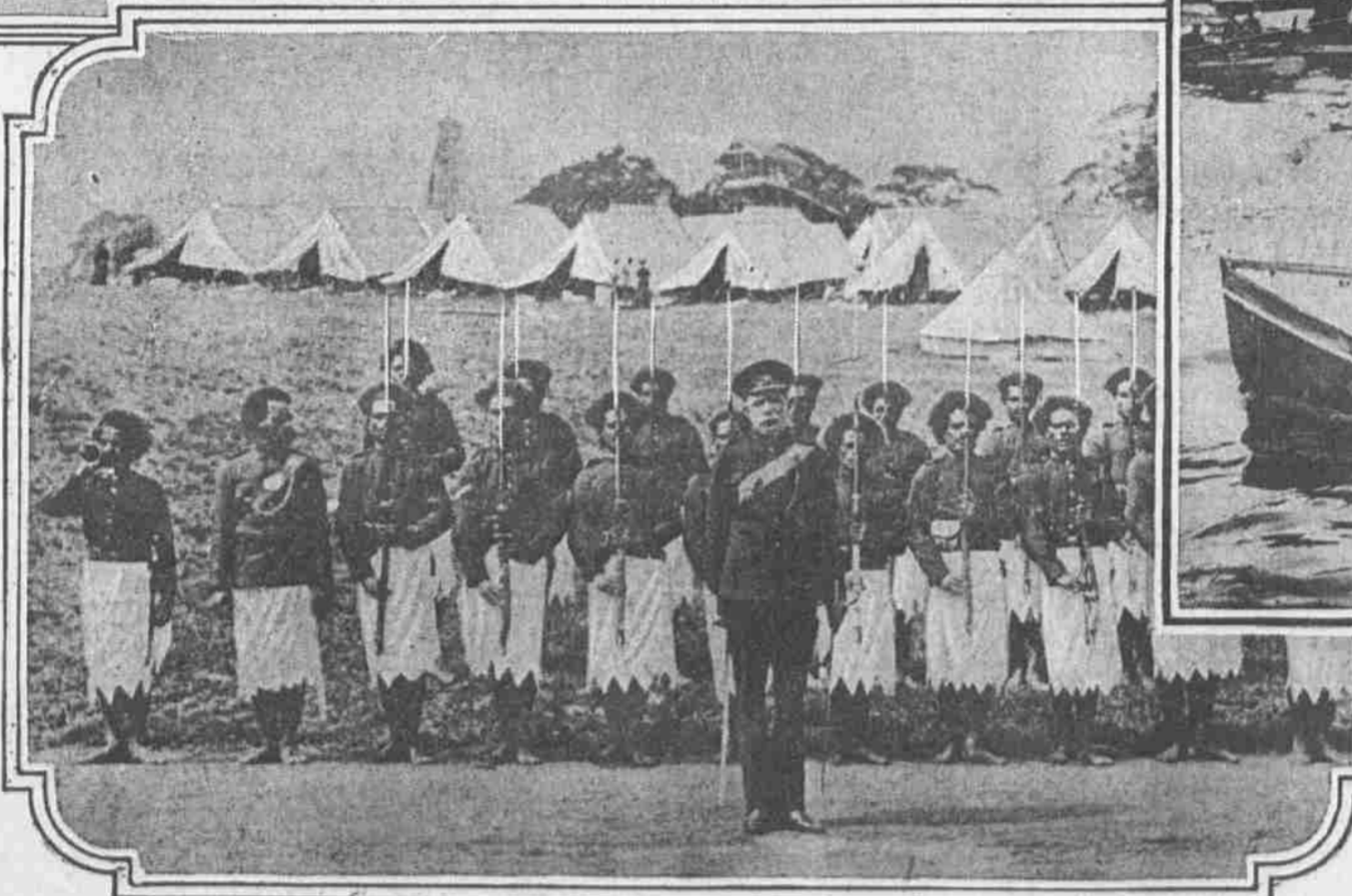
SHOPPERS CROWD CORNERS

The campaign for early shopping is bearing fruit, department store owners testify. Scenes like this are now common on the principal street corners both morning and afternoon. This photograph was taken at one of the busiest traffic centres at Eighth and Market streets just two weeks before Christmas.



THE NEWSMAN IS EAGERLY GREETED AT THE FRONT

The news vender who has the right sort of journal is permitted to visit German camps freely and sell his papers.



WAR FRONT TO SEE STILL ANOTHER RACE IN ACTION

The British forces at the front will soon be joined by native troops from the Fiji Islands. The Fijians were formerly cannibals. However, most of them have embraced the Christian faith, notably the Methodist Episcopal Church.



MOTOR BATTLEBOAT IS NEW FACTOR IN WAR

The present conflict in Europe has brought out methods and weapons of warfare never before dreamed of. The Germans are responsible for this new type of fighting craft. The photograph shows a fast armored motorboat, carrying a machine gun, built to make sudden raids upon the enemy anywhere in the network of canals that cover Flanders.



MIMI, THE WALLINGFORD MONKEY, WHOSE OWNER IS CONVINCED SHE HAS A SOUL AND A MORAL CODE

This remarkable chimpanzee leads a life of retirement at Wallingford, near Media, on the estate of Dr. William H. Furness, her owner. Dr. Furness has taught Mimi to understand his every word, to read and write the letters of the alphabet and to distinguish between the names of colors. Mimi has scores of other accomplishments. She has a special code and

Dr. Furness says that if there are such things as souls he is convinced that Mimi has one. Mimi's versatility is shown in the photographs above. In one a distinct and unmistakable smile may be detected on her features, despite Colonel Roosevelt's assertion that animals have no emotions. Mimi also smokes a pipe with a puff of air. She is very fond of the knit motorizing costume.