

Hawaii - Annexation

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Cushman K. Davis to Hill (from Committee on Foreign Relations, U. S. Senate)

"The papers announce this morning that Germany has obtained a cession of a port and territory in China. This introduces a new naval, military and commercial power into the Orient which two months ago had no potential existence there. The events of the last two weeks have set people thinking very seriously about Hawaiian annexation and I have now great hopes of securing the ratification of the treaty."

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