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NEBRASKA BRIGADE OFF FOR DEMING; 10,000 IOWANS SAY GOOD-BYE TO BOYS

COUNCIL BLUFFS BIDS FOND FAREWELL TO MEMBERS OF COMPANY L, OFF FOR FRANCE

Rock Island Station Crowded With Citizens Who Came to Witness Entrainment of First Troops Bound for Des Moines and Then to War Across the Ocean.

Ten thousand Council Bluffs residents gathered at the Rock Island station at 6:30 this morning to bid goodby and good luck to Company L of Council Bluffs, who left for Des Moines enroute for France.

Billion Dollars: Autos Will

Be Taxed According

to Values.

Washington, Aug. 17.-Disposition

by the senate today of many uncon-

tested provisions of the \$2,006,000,000

war tax bill almost cleared the way

for the sharp fight, which probably

will begin Monday over income and

federal taxation of inheritances, de- back.

signed to raise \$6,000,000. New Eng-

Automobile Section Amended.

\$750 and \$1,000, \$10, with \$5 addi-

\$10 for each \$500 above \$3,000.

Navy League and U. S. Navy

Washington, Aug. 17 .- All unoffi-

cial connection between the navy and

the Navy league was severed today

result of the recent action of the

investigation of the recent fatal ex-

profits taxes.

house rates.

ness purposes:

The company, which was at full ? war strength, 150 men, was given one of the greatest demonstrations ever with the strength of the greatest demonstrations of the greatest demonstrat witnessed in this Iowa city. Cheering frantics, with tears streaming down their faces, mothers, wives, sweethearts and even men with gray streaked through their hair could not suppress their emotions as these stalwart sons of democracy bade a last

Cheers for the United States, for the entente allies, for the commanding officers and for the khaki-cladmen Will Raise Two and One-Half khemselves rolled over the station time and again. The great crowd overflowed for blocks around the Council Bluffs station.

soldiers after entraining quickly raised the windows to obtain a last look at their relatives-not all, however, for in many instances the soldiers sat stolidly in their seats, fearing to trust themselves with another glance at home and mother. A short stop at Des Moines, then on to the Atlantic coast, where they will entrain for the battle torn fields of France, is the program that confronts Company L. Their honor in being chosen as one of the first group of men to be sent abroad is in recognition of their truly remarkable showing both in drilling and war

of the city, preferring to be too early 000, against \$6,000,000 under the rather than too late.

Company L is in command of Cap-tain Clifford Powell of Council Bluffs and First Lieutenant J. Mead.

Whistles Toot Loud.

As the long train slowly gamed their throat soldiers aboard the en-gueer tied down his whistle to clear nance committee's agtion in striking ground in yesterday's attack on a the track of reluctant parents. Whistles all over the Iowa city were also tied down, while brass bands played "So Long, Mary," "Goodbye, Little land senators protested that inheri-Girl. Goodbye" and "America, tances are a prime source of local

For several minutes after the train had rounded the bend carrying Council Bluffs boys, some of whom may make the supreme sacrifice for their country, the vast multitude of people was silent. The silence, however, spake volumes.

Street cars were hurried to the de-

Street cars were hurried to the depot to care for the throng, but the heart-heavy people preferred to walk in the brisk morning air in a vain effort to let mother naturé help lift their weary feet and still their throbbing breasts.

"My God," cried one mother, "I wonder if the German kaiser knows how many heartaches he is causing in this world. Will peace ever come? How we will appreciate and understand what a wonderful thing is peace when it again settles over the world." Company L is gone.

Denver & Salt Lake Road Into Hands of Receivers

Denver, Colo., Aug. 17,-The Denver and Salt Lake railroad was placed in the hands of receivers today by the by order of Secretary Daniels, as a district court of Adams county, sitting at Brighton, Colo. The action was league headquarters in charging that the result of a friendly suit on a claim for \$15,000 by McPhee and McGin-nity, a lumber concern of Denver,

The Weather

For Nepraska-Pair; warmer Temperatures at Omaha Yesterday



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Reports From Stations at 7 P. M.

ation and State Temp. High- Rab of Weather. 7 p. m. est. fall

L. A. WELSH, Meteorologist.

Wheat and Meat Daily

Washington, Aug. 17.—Traveling salesmen's organizations compris-ing about 600,000 members have pledged themselves to a wheatless and meatless meal every day, the food administration announced to-

FRENCH CHECK ENEMYRUSHON VERDUN FRONT

Germans Hurl Forces Against New Allied Line in Vain Effort to Recover Lost Positions.

London, Aug. 17.-French troops in the Ypres area have progressed the neighborhood of the River

On the British portion of this front, according to the official report from British headquarters in France tonight, there has been no change and the Germans have ceased their counter attacks.

The French and British troops

have captured twenty-four German

The number of prisoners taken by the Canadians in the Loos-Lens sector now has reached 1,120.

The Canadians have organized and made secure the positions captured yesterday and have made an advance west of Lens.

(By Associated Press.)

The Germans made violent and of during the day were the wine and important positions recently wrested Police Find Veritable Liquor Corriers d'Italia Declares Promotor xehicle schedules. The re- from them by the French and British. visions of the finance committee levying between \$40,000,000 and \$50,000. They gained some small advantages 000 on owners of motor vehicles, in- on the Verdun front; otherwise the stead of \$68,000,000 on manufacturers, only result of their attacks was to add Island station as the first streaks of as proposed by the house bill were to the heavy losses which they have dawn crept over the Iowa bluff east adopted as were the increased rates sustained in their herce local offenon wines, estimated to raise \$21,000,- sive operations of late.

attacks against their new lines near House provisions leving a 5 per Loos. At the second effort the Gercent tax upon gross sales of many mans gained slight successes at points manufacturers and designed to raise but were driven back again and the \$118,750,000 also were formally elim-third assault failed to shake the Britinated, the new automobile and other ish defense. Heavy artillery fighting momentum with its cargo of heart-in- reduced exise taxes being substituted. is reported in the Ypres sector, where

Attacks Scattered.

The attacks on the French were tances are a prime source of local state taxation and should not be intermade at widely separated points. In Belgium the Germans attempted to fered with by the federal government. recapture the ground taken by the French along the Steenbeke river, but An amendment to the automobile met with no success. On the Aisne section, suggested yb Senator Knox front the Germans made vigorous assaults near the Californie plateaus and east of Cerny. Shattered by the ter-rific artillery fire of the French, the German infantry formations were swept back with heavy losses.

vehicle taxes, payable by owners of those not used exclusively for busi-On the Verdun front heavy fighting was resumed with a German Motorcycles, \$2.50; automobile coststroke on a front of two kilometers ing under \$500, \$6 annually; costing between Caurieres wood and Bezonbetween \$500 and \$750, \$7.50; costing vaux. At points the attackers succeeded in gaining a foothold in the tional for each \$500 up to 3,000 and foremost French trenches, but subsequently they were driven out of the The tax based upon original list greater part of these position. price would be reduced by 10 per cent for each year's use of the ma-

British Air Men Busy.

British aviators yesterday dropped several tons of bombs on military establishments in Belgium. French brought down two German airmen in Belgium and forced two Sever All Connections others to land back of the German

> Another winter campaign is regarded as inevitable by Lieutenant (Continued on Page Two, Column Three.)

> Hoover's Wheat Corporation Has New York Headquarters

plosion at Mare Island navy yard was being blocked by influence of labor Washington, Aug. 17.-New York will be made headquarters of the Thousands of women throughout 'administration's \$50,000,000 the country are knitting sweaters and wheat buying corporation. Julius other articles for sailors under the Barnes, president of the corporation, auspices of the Navy league. Today's and his staff, it was anounced tonotice means that these will not be day, will go to New York within accepted unless tendered through some agency other than the present officers of the league. a few days to open general offices. Twelve branch offices in the wheat

the central organization. A committee under President Gar-Draft Under Investigation field of Williams college, which will East St. Louis, Ill., Aug. 17.-Of- set a price for the 1917 crop of wheat, will make its report before September 1, the date on which the wheat control becomes operative.

buying centers will report direct to

VON HINDENBURG-Probably the most remarkable personal portrait study ever taken of the "strong man of Germany," Field Marshal von Hindenburg. The picture shows him seated at his desk, musing over a map.



FIELD MARSHAL VON HINDENBURG. ONTENNAL

CONFESSED GIRL PATHETIC STORY

Stockade in Lower Section of City, Where Principals in Tragedy Secured Drinks.

tragedy yesterday.

law husband led to the murder.

Bonney Walters, furnished the po-South Fourth street suspected of harboring liquor and when this place was investigated thirty gallons of whisky, which they allege is the prop-erty of Guy Brown 1212 South Fourth crty of Guy Brown, 1212 South Fourth street was discovered.

It is from this place that Viola Smith obtained the liquor which led

to the tragedy. The whisky that was consumed at he party at the Smith home last night she alleges was purchased from Guy Born, Frank Hassen and "Bugs' Eddie Mullen, all of whom she says bootleg in the vicinity of Sixth and Pierce streets. They have been purchasing liquor from these men at various times for the past month she

illegal possession and illegal sale of intoxicating liquor. Mullen and Hassen are being searched for.

After a quarrel in which the character of the women in the party was assailed Louis McCarthy left the home of Mrs. Viola Smith after stating that he would come back and eign office the text of Pope Benedict's "kick her head off" according to the version of the affair given by the murderess. All had been playing cards and drinking together all evening. Upon the return of McCarthy, for

the key to her home, Bonney Walters says, Mrs. Smith shot through the front door. McCarthy gained enterance through the kitchen and in a scuffle in the parlor was shot to

revolver which he attempted to take if necessary, were hailed joyfully as

(Continued on Page Two, Column Two.) lowa Man and Texan Named

Washington , Aug. 17.-Clarence Ousley of College Station, Tex., and Raymond A. Pearson of Ames, Ia., forward. were nominated today by President Wilson to be assistant secretaries of agriculture under provisions of the Strike Agitation Again

RESTORATION PLAN OF POPE, SAYS VATICAN

posal Coincides With Views of Lloyd George and

Viola Smith, confessed murderer of Rome, Aug. 17 .- "The pope's peace ve operations of late.

"The British report three counter- Louis McCarthy Friday told in police proposals are true restoration in the New Mexico, Arizona, 46,518

While grayhaired little mothers and court a pitiful tale of wrong living sense of Livyd George's last speech which resulted in the early morning and constitute a peace as outlined by Dakota, Minnesota, Iowa, Illinois, President Wilson, while they also cor-A day passed in drinking followed respond to peace without annexation the national army to cantonments knowing why, the echo reverbatedby violent quarrels with her common- or indemnities supported in other which will result in sending men al- prophetic of the valiant part the solquarters," says the Corrière d'Italia, ready assigned to a cantonment to the semi-official organ of the vatican.

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And to, oh, how many came a vision fice with information early yester- the semi-official organ of the vatican. out the house provision for additional nine-mile front, were finally pressed day of a shack in the rear of 1208. The paper adds that the pope's note does not propose to return to the May Send Federal Troops status quo and suggests the restoration of "the old kingdom of Poland'

The note suggests autonomy Armenia, a rearrangement of the colraine and Trent and Triest to their respective nationalities.

Lloyd George said, the word 'restoration'?" asks the Corrière d'Italia,

Attitude Indicated.

Washington, Aug. 17.-Premier the British Parliament was in-Warrants were immediately issued terpreted here as a preliminary indiand Born was arrested charged with cation of the attitude the allied nations may be expected to adopt toward any question of peace on a basis which might permit Germany, as a State Dairy and Drug Men conquerer, to dictate terms.

News of the premier's speech came while the State department was recrent nations proposing a basis for pealing for its consideration. -

In entente dipromatic quarters and among government officials Mr. Lloyd George's announcement of improvement in food conditions removing the danger of England being starved into submission, his assurance that losses through submarine attacks continued to decrease, and his After warning McCarthy to stay away from her Mrs. Smith drew a cient tonnage for 1918 and for 1919 a sign of Great Britain's safe position ington Shortly. and firm attitude.

President Wilson by Secretary Lan-As Agricultural Secretaries

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Important conferences, which must precede a reply, will begin shortly, but necessarily some time must of The Masses, a New must elapse before the response goes

Called Unjust by U. S. Senator

Washington, Aug. 17.—Exclusion badly burned. The other aviator, from the mails of The Masses, a New Mose name is withheld by the Royal must elapse before the response goes

of strike agitation in war industries, evidently on the part of extreme so- Canadian Grain Exchanges cialists, is reported from Berlin. A semi-official notice says that circulars are being distributed in munition factories advocating a walkout. The notice appeals to the workmen

and betray their brothers fighting in the west and east.

Preliminary Hearings on Coal Prices Open in Chicago | Wants Congressmen To Chicago, Aug. 17.—Public hearings

preliminary to plans for fixing the price of coal opened today before Judge O. N. Carter, who has been appointed director of coal for Illinois by Governor Lowden.

Arguments have been prepared for submission by mine owners, retailers, officials of miners' unions and railroad representatives. The hearing is expected to continue for several days.

WE'RE ALL RIGHT" IS MIGHTY SLOGAN OF OMAHA BOYS

Mothers, Sisters and Sweethearts Weep as Flower of State's Young Manhood Entrains for Great Camp at Deming to Make Ready for War on Teutons Across Broad Atlantic.

"Tell the world we're all right!"

This was the parting message of the boys of Company C of the Dandy Sixth and Company G of the Fighting Fourth, who at 4 p. m. yesterday left for Deming to train for foreign service.

Some fellow in the rear car shouted it as the train lay waiting in the shed where hundreds of loyal mothers, wives and sweethearts lingered for a farewell sight of their "boys" before they left-perhaps forever.

CORNHUSKERS GO

Secretary Baker Approves Order That Will Send Nebraska Men South to Kansas Camp.

Washington, Aug. 17.—Secretary Some fellow in the rear car shouted it as the train lay waiting in the shed of the 687,000 men of the first draft wives and sweethearts lingered for a as recommended by the provost mar- farewell sight of their "boys" before shal general. The average number of they left-perhaps forever. men allotted to each of the sixteen The soldiers in the car took up the cantonments is approximately 43,000, slogan and then it rolled on to the

Washington, Aug. 17 .- Sending federal troops to Washington, Oregon, Montana and Idaho to keep war industries moving and to check disor- the dying and the living ring the exonies and the return of Alsace-Lor- ders, is regarded by officials as a pos- ulting cry-"Tell the world we're all sibility in the near future, should the right. threatened, Industrial Workers of the As it sounded yesterday in the rail-"It is possible that the central World strike attain serious proportion road station, the friends waiting, those powers will consent to make peace, and the civil authorities, state and who had been brave up to the last imposing upon them such sacrifices federal, in the affected area, be unable moment broken down. But the boys and obliging them to pronounce, as to meet the situation adequately,

Lloyd George's optimistic speech in studying with some apprehension to- the last. day the situation in the northwest and The call for the two companies were prepared, it was said, to take im- came but a short time before they mediate steps to meet any develop- were to go. There was little con-

Co-operate With Government Harrisburg, Pa., Aug. 17.-James ceiving by cable from the British for- Foust, dairy and food commissioner of Pensylvania, president of the namessage to the leaders of all bellig- tional organization of Dairy, Food and Drug officials of the several peace negotiations and earnestly ap- states, today anounced the appointment of a committee to co-operate with the national government food control. The committee consists of Mr. Foust, Commissioner Newman, P.Illinois, secretary; Commissioner John P. Street, Connecticut; H. E. Two Canadian Planes Meet Barnard, Indiana; E. F. Ladd. North Dakota; Benjamin A. Purcell, Virginia, and eGorge F. Flanders, New The committee will meet in Wash-

The pope's message was laid before Boycott of Socialist Paper Called Unjust by U. S. Senator

sailed in the senate today by Senator machine and reached earth safely. Hardwick of Georgia, as arbitrary and unjust. He said he proposed to introduc a resolution asking the First Half of August Reported from Berlin Postoffice department for information Copenhagen, Aug. 17 .- A renewal regarding its action.

Stop Future Wheat Trading

Winnipeg, Manitoba, Aug. 17 .-Trading in wheat for future delivery will cease on all grain exchanges in not to be misled and not to desert Canada on August 31. Official notice to this effect was posted today on the Winnipeg Grain exchange on orders from the board of grain supervisors for Canada.

Give Up Liberty Bonds

Washington, Aug. 17.—Members of congress would be prohibited by a bill introduced by Represen-tative Morgan of Oklahoma from purchasing or owning Liberty bonds, Members who fix the interest rates on the bonds should not be permitted to hold them, he con-

WE'RE ALL RIGHT. The soldiers in the car took up the slogan and then it rolled on to the next coach, till the whole train almost rocked with the mighty shout-"Tell the world we're all right."

While gray-haired little mothers and sweet young sisters sobbed, while young wives clung close in a last embrace of their loved ones, and toddlers cried "because mamma does," not knowing why, the echo reverberated-prophetic of the valiant part the soldier lads are so soon to play-"Tell the world we're all right."

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Des Moines-Troops from North sweet young sisters sobbed, while young wives clung close in a last em-Some changes were made in the brace of their loved ones, and toddlers plans for assigning drafted troops of cried "because mainma does," not

-a scene of death and glory mingled, a line of youthful soldiers charging West to Check I. W. W. up a hill, a sickening clash as foe meets foe-and then victory! We're All Right.

And as they charge, from the lips of

The Departments of Justice and young hearts were aching with sorrow Labor, the board of mediation and for the weeping women they were conciliation, the food administration leaving behind, they showed no sign. and other government agecies were but carried themselves as soldiers to

> fusion, however, Captain Whipperman, and his aides, Lieutenants Metcalfe and Benjamin, worked like trojans and by 2 o'clock every comfort kit, was packed, every blanket rolled and every cot and suit case loaded on

the trucks and off for the station. There was a sharp summons, and a quick blast from the little bugler out on the steps of the Auditorium sounded the "hurry-up" call. Before the spectators realized what was happening the men were swinging along the street on the way to the station (Continued on Page Two, Column One.)

In Mid-Air: Aviator Killed

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 17.—Two air-planes flying at high speed crashed together 800 feet in the air at the Armour Heights aviation camp today. one of the machines bursting into flames and plunging to earth, killing the aviator, Cadet S. H. J. Dorr, The York socialist publication, was as- Flying corps, was able to manage his

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Alleged Opposition to

ficials of the Department of Justice are investigating an alleged seditionary movement in southern Illinois counties. Farmers are said to be organizing a league to oppose the sending of drafted men to France. For weeks, it is stated, petitions

vent transporation to France. Ashurst Says I. W. W. "Wilhelm's Warriors"

have been circulated among men of

draft age, asking them to take an oath

that they will refuse to go to Europe

and will use force if necessary to pre-

Washington, Aug. 17.-Senator Ashurst of Arizona denounced the Industrial Workers of the World today in the senate.
"With the Industrial Workers of

the World, perjury is a fine art and murder has been reduced to a science," the Arizona senator de-clared. "After murder has been committed and a man is brought into court, the organization produces fine alibis. I have been asked the meaning of I. W. W. It stands for Imperial Wilhelm's Warriors." 'He Ain't No Good Nohow;'Nebraska Man Asks Son Be Drafted Following is an exact copy of a letter received by the district exemption board from a western Nebraska town.

The letter is from a patriot that thinks his son should go to war declares he will take care of his son's family: Provo Marshall General Crowing-Dear Sir: in regard to this Draft bill there are so many that need to go to the army that is talking so hard against it and make lite of it. "I have a son that ought to go. I have raised 7 boys to men grown

and my father was in the Civil war and I hate a coward and I have a son-in-law that ought to go.
"Now don't overlook this for I can take care of my Daughter's family and my son's Wife's father can take care of her. They will probably make a fus about it but Don't you pay no attention for my soninlaw is so mean to her I think it will dew him good.

"They are already living in my house and have my chickens and cows to make a living off of and I want to get read of him. "Now you come to O'Neill and you will find out there is the most slackers hear and I wouldn't doubt but these examiners can be bought off for most people can in this town on anything else. I don't think it is eny more than fair that some of the bunch goes. So that is the 2 they can go and you see that they go.