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For Nebraska - Generally fair; warm Saturday.

THE WEATHER-

LIES DRIVE BACK ENE OSIDES

Germans Retaliate for Raid on Aisne Bridges by American Aviators With Attacks Along Vesle.

By Associated Press.

With the American Army on Germans launched a combined tion. gas, artillery and air bombing

The President Pro Tempore—Does man's motive. I believe that the attack upon the French and the senator from Nebraska yield? Americans along the Vesle early Friday morning. This senator from Mississippi. was in retaliation for a bombing raid by American airmen the senator from Nebraska whether man here who will go further or on bridges over the Aisne late he did or did not say he feared we were about to put the dollar mark tory than I.

Thursday.

The German artillery continued shelling the crossroads south of the Vesle for hours, on the assumption that Exercise the Exercise of the Exercise the that the French and Americans were bringing up troops. German aviators bombed the woods and villages south of the Vesle, apparently working in the vesle, apparently

bridges. Early Friday other Americans bridges. Early Friday other American fliers went up and took photosing the effects of the bombs dropped. A great deal of traffic had been reported passing over the Aisne bridges, and the French and Americans increased the fire of their heavy guns.

As a result of the reports of observers the French and Americans in regard to it he has the senator allow in the senator allow in the proper for the control of the United States, chargeners, and I never expressed such an idea. I never intended to say and did not say anything of that kind; but the great power of wealth has done more to bring us to our present position than any other; and men may be influenced by it unconsciously. I realize.

Mr. James—Will the senator allow in the senator allow bridges. Early Friday other Ameri- people of the United States, charg- man is wealthy he is not patriotic

servers the French and Americans himself in regard to it he has the laid down a box barrage during same right to his judgment and the Thursday night on machine gun same right to his opinion that every nests along the hills to the northwest of Fismes. Observers and patrols Mr. Reed-Mr. Presidentof Fismes. Observers and patrols reported Friday morning that 12 machine guns had been destroyed and the senator from Nebraska yield to

Very German gunner killed. The Aisne bridges bombed by the Americans were located between will yield.

Pont Arcy and Gernicourt, a distance The Pre of about 12 miles. The same district is also within range of the French and American heavy guns. The al-lies are desirous of harassing the enemy as much as possible owing to reports that large ammunition trains, southward bound, have been sighted using the bridges.

Huns Carting Away Loot.

The northward traffic has consisted principally of infantrymen and trucks loaded with goods taken from houses in villages, according to reports by terial observers and three Italians who escaped from the Germans and reached the American line. The Italians said they saw enormous ship-ments of household material and similar articles and expressed the belief that the Germans had brought them from south of the Vesle during the

The Italians, before they reached the American lines, hid during the day and traveled during the night. They told the American officers that the Germans were very active after dark, when their troop movements were carried out and when also there was much traffic north and south.

Bomb Conflans Yards. With the American Army in France, Aug. 16.-An American bombing squadron commanded by Lieutenant Gundelach dropped 20 bombs on the railway yards at Conflans yesterday. Eighteen direct hits were observed in the center of the tracks in the east portion of the yard and two on the roundhouse,

Three Victories in Air. With the American Army in France, August 16 .- Three aerial victories, two of which already have been confirmed officially, were achieved Thursday by American aviators, Lieutenants Stiles, Drew and Putnam.

Dual Monarchy to Grant Home Rule to Autonomous States

London, Aug. 16,-A plan has been adopted for the formation of a league of Austro-Hungarian states to be autonomous in dealing with home af-fairs, according to a Vienna dispatch quoting the Czech radical organ in the Austrian capital, which reads: "It is learned from a reliable source that Premier Hussarek has reached ties for a complete revision of the Austrian constitution. It is planned to form a number of states that shall have home rule, including the German, Czech, Polish and South Sla-

vonian states. These, with Hungary,

will form a league of 'Austro-Hunga-rian states,"

When Norris Declared Our Going Into the GROUND GAINED World War Put the Dollar Mark on the American Flag, He Insisted He Meant It

Then After We Were at War, Norris Voted Against Nearly Every Vital Measure to Raise and Support the Army to Do the Fighting.

Congressional Record, April 4, 1918. I believe myself that we would not be Mr. Williams-Mr. President, I on the verge of war now if it were not for the influence of money, and that the Vesle Front, Aug. 16.—The should like to ask the senator a ques- is the idea I expressed. I expressly

the senator from Nebraska yield?

Mr. Norris-Yes; I yield to the standing the fact that I am opposed

Mr. Williams-I should like to ask and war is declared there will be no

the senator from Missouri?

Mr. Norris-In just a moment I The President Pro Tempore-The senator from Nebraska declines to yield for the present.

DAZZLING FEATS

THRILL CROWD AT

Five Thousand Persons See

Wonders That Young Men

Displayed at Kountze

Park Circus.

Five thousand persons last night

attended "the greatest show on earth,"

the Municipal Guard circus at

Fierce animals, wild men from

Council Bluffs and Albright, agile

acrobats, clowns, glass eaters and

ballet dancers made the display one

of unexcelled splendor. The usually

quiet park was dotted with circus

tents strung with lights and noisy

with the cries of showmen and ven-

Besides the main "three-ring" show there were scores of side shows and

the place echoed with the cries, "See

Kountze park.

BIG GUARD SHOW

Mr. Norris-I will yield to the sen-ator from Missouri, if he wants to

ask me a question.

Mr. Reed—The senator used the expression: "I feel that we are about to put the dollar sign upon the American flag." I read from the senator's manuscript, as I also read the other that way.

Mr. Nor Mr. Ree

statements purporting to come from him from his manuscript. ield for the present.

Mr. Norris—I have not denied put a construction on it to mean that making that statement. I did make when we get into the war it would

Evacuation of Belgium

Austria's Condition for

London, Aug. 16.-According to a

dispatch to the Daily Mail from the

Hague, Germany has demanded

that Austria send 10 to 15 divisions

Austria, on condition that Ger-

many would accept Austria's solu-

tion of the Polish question and

make a strong peace move, includ-

ing the evacuation and restoration

Austrian archduke as king, the dis-

Governor Asked to Resign.

adopted by the republican state com-

Germany promised to concede to

of Belgium, assented to this.

A. C. Lewis of Omaha in

to the western front.

patch asserts.

to this resolution, when it is passed

Mr. Norris-It may be that I will.

Senator Norris' Votes Since the War Declaration:

(As Shown by the Congressional Record.)

Selective Draft....."Nay" May 17, 1917. Espionage Bill. May.14, 1917:

Mr. Gronna (when the name of Mr. Norris was called): I am requested to announce that the Senator from Nebraska is unavoidably absent, and that, if present, would vote "Nay."

War Revenue....."Nay" September 10, 1917. Trading With the Enemy....."Nay" September 24, 1917. War Declaration Against Austria....."Yes" December 7, 1917.

To Punish Seditious Acts and Utterances....."Nay" May 4, 1918. Mr. Reed-Mr. President-Mr. Smith of Arizona-You will Soldiers' Civil Rights Bill....."Yes" February 6, 1918.

it, and I do say that I feel that way. | not be my duty and every other senator here. Wealth has had its means by that the dollar means by the dollar means by that the dollar means by the

the answer in my mouth.

do that. Mr. Norris-Then he must not un-

That is what you meant.

Mr. Norris-No. Mr. Reed-What did you mean, Mr. Norris-No; by the passage of

the resolution.
Mr. Reed-That is entering the Mr. Norris-Yes; you can put it

Mr. Reed-That is what I said. Mr. Norris-The senator cannot

Mr. Reed-The senator, of course, man's duty to do everything we could

Fliers Take Photographs.

A group of 12 American aviators participated in the raid on the Aisne participated in the raid on the president or congress or the presid dollar sign on the American flag, and Mr. Reed-No; I do not desire to does the senator regard that kind of president and not as grossly insult-

dertake to do it. I said I believed ing the president?

we were about to put the dollar sign on the American flag.

Mr. Notris—Mr. President, of course the president or anybody else can put what construction he pleases.

The tile what the must not unit and not as grossiy insulting the president? on it. I do not believe in the ordinary construction of the English language he has a right to put any such

construction on it.
Mr. James-Will the senator yield

What More Could He Have Done for 'Kultur' Had He Been in Kaiser's Pay? Sweden Ready to Act When Warring Powers

> London, Aug. 16.—According to a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange l'elegraph company, Professor Eden, the Swedish premier, replying to a deputation from the Swedish organ-ization of Good Templars who asked whether one of the neutral states could take the initiative regarding peace negotiations, said that as there was no reason to believe that the belligerents were willing to consider me-diation Sweden could not commence

negotiations. Sweden, the premier added, was following the present developments with great interest and was at the sult of the efforts of Chief of Police disposition of the warring powers should any desire for mediation be expressed.

BY FRENCH AND BRITISH TROOPS

Germans' Hold Upon Lassigny Precarious; When This Flank Breaks Whole Line Must Crumble; Troops Being Drawn From Other Sectors in Efforts to Stom Progress of the Allied Forces.

By Associated Press.

Evidently it is not in the plans of the allies to leave the Germans secure in their possession of positions between the Somme and the Oise. Although the front from the south of the Somme past Chaulnes through Roye to Noyon has been studded with fresh reinforcements and innumerable guns to keep back the allied troops, the Germans again have been forced to give ground.

French and Canadian troops Friday

Open to Turning Movement.

Huns Evacuate Vieux Berquin.

parts of the northern front continues,

but these maneuvers as yet lack defi-

nite explanation. Following closely

upon the evacuation of front line po-sitions north of Albert, which were taken over by the British, has come another voluntary relinquishment of trenches in the Lys sector. The vil-

age of Vieux Berquin has been given

up and ground over a front of about nine miles to a depth of from one to

two miles has been ceded without fighting. All the way between La

Bassee canal and Ypres the Germans

still are exhibiting signs of nervous-ness and daily are bombing the Brit-ish front heavily with shells and gas

Along the Vesle river front the

Germans are similarly bombing the positions held by the French and Americans, but their efforts have gone

for naught so far as causing a relin-quishment of territory is concerned. The American aviators are busily en-gaged in bombing operations behind

the German lines, especially against the bridges leading northward across the Aisne river. The American ar-

The retirement of the Germans on

night between Goyencourt and Laucourt, on a front of about three miles, had fought their way west of Roye until they were at the door of the town, a keystone of the German de-fense in Picardy. To the immediate north British troops were still in pos-session of Damery and Parvillers afer heavy counter attacks.

West of Roye, the allies' line is now only a scant mile and a quarter distant. This adds materially to the danger of Roye by direct assault on the part of the Francisco of the Process of Flotilla Fired Upon From Both Banks and Halted in Progthe part of the French and Canadians at its western gates and from a flank-ing maneuver by the British on the ress From Archangel by Barricade.

ing maneuver by the British on the northwest.

The French have carried out successfully an advance five miles to the south which seemingly lays the town open to a turning movement from the Loges wood. Not alone is Roye menaced by this later advance, but, debouching from the woods southeastward the French are in a position to outflank Lassigny, and with the French troops in the Oise valley near Ribecourt also strategically placed to By Associated Press. Amsterdam, Aug. 16.—The first connected story on the advance of the entente forces southward from Archangel, northern Russia, is given in a special dispatch to the Dussel-dorf Nachrichten from Stockholm. The dispatch, dated August 14,

Mr. James—Will the senator yield to me?

Mr. Norris—Just let me finish and then I will yield. I do not cast any reflection, in my judgment, upon any person. I did not charge anyone with being unpatriotic. I believed, and I do believe now and I repeat it, that there is a war craze; that men have lost their judgment, and that we (Continued on Page Two, Column Three)

Says:

"Last Monday 6,000 entente troops, reinforced by 3,000 Russians, assembled at Archangel and the same night the order was given to proceed southeastward. Three thousand Russians and wooded country now standing as a barrier to the capture of Noyon.

German reserves in the Somme-Oise salient no longer are sufficient to stem the allied pressure and troops on the Dvina river. The remainder of the troops marched along the that there is a war craze; that men have lost their judgment, and that we (Continued on Page Two, Column Three.)

Archangel-Vologda railway with orders to halt at Trusanovskaya, 70 miles south of Archangel.

Encounter Barricade.

"The flotilla was first fired upon from both river banks near Kakutzkaya, and a half mile further on encountered a barricade of sunken Incline to Mediation (Continued on Page Two, Column Two.)

> German Musicians Renounce the Kaiser And the Fatherland

Chicago, Aug. 16.—German mem-bers of the Chicago symphony or-chestra today renounced the kai-ser, the "Vaterland," and such of their kin as are fighting in the enemy armies, at a meeting of the Chicago federation of musicians.

Loyal alien enemies of the union will not be expelled, as was for-merly announced. Joseph Winkler, president of the organization, who announced the change in policy, said all disloyal members would be

Soon to Run in The Bee! "Who Stacks My Cards?"

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To all these thousands of girls this story is affectionately dedicated

The Action of This Story Takes Its Start Right Here In Omaha

tillery also is paying strict attention to the areas behind the line to har ass the Germans. On the other battle fronts little fighting of moment is taking place, although the Italians have been forced to sustain several counter attacks by the Austrians in the Tonale region. Child Dies of Burns

From Fire He Started Playing With Matches

Neighbors rescued Mrs. S. M. Haw kins and her 5-year-ol 1 son, Donald, last night from their home, 3855 California street, but not until both were severely burned. They were taken to the Methodist hospital and were attended by Dr. Hamilton. The child

died at 1 o'clock this morning. Shortly after 8 o'clock Mrs. Hawkins had put Donald to bed and had returned to her rooms on the floor below. In a few minutes she smelled smoke and rushing up stairs, found the boy's bed room a mass of flames. Rushing in, she grabbed the boy and started for the street. Neighbors attracted by the smoke hurried to the house and wrapping blankets about mother and child, smothered the

The boy was badly burned on his face and neck and the mother on her arms and body. The boy told his mother that after she left the room and after putting him to bed he played with matches Mrs. Hawkins will live

(Continued on Page Two, Column Two.) ernor when he was state auditor. Pies and Plenty of Them For Soldiers and Sailors

One big luscious truit pie for each soldier and sailor in Omaha, is promised by the War Camps Community service. And nothing but wheat flour and lots of sugar will go into the pie, too, if the food administration grants the request presented Friday afternoon after a committee meeting of the community

32 cars reported stolen and the po-

Wednesday, August 28, will be "Pie day." On that day 2uge proximate 36, an understanding with prominent rep-resentatives of all the Austrian par- field to the other flying fields and to the recruiting afficience field, to the other flying fields and to the recruiting offices of the city. Not a man in uniform will be overlooked. Young Omaha society women will be on hand to dipense,

distribute pie, and to see that every soldier gets his fill. en will underestimate the capacity of Uncle Sam's doughboys

Lads in khaki say that the only danger is that Omaha womand bake too few pies.

POLICE LOCATE Troops to West Front STOLEN MOTORS NEAR AUBURN

Arrest and Confession o Charles Foley Leads to Recovery of Large Number of Stolen Autos.

Austria solution of the Polish ques-Six more stolen cars were recovered tion, including the naming of an by Omaha police yesterday as a re-Dempsey and Acting Captain Dunn, to break up the gang of organized automobile thieves and "fences" who Canadian Casualty List were operating on a wholesale basis Ottawa, Aug. 16,-The Canadian in this city for the past six months. casualty list names among the wounded Lt. A. C. Lewis of Omaha.

Detective, Del Rich, accompanied by Ed. Simon, went to Auburn, Neb., yesterday, where they located five Burlington, Vt., Aug. 16.—Gov. cars that had been stolen from Omaha Horace Graham today was asked to resign his office, in resolutions The information leading to the re-

the Hula Hula Girls do the Lula mittee at a special executive session. Lula," "Get Kissed at the Kissing This week discrepancies amounting covery of the machines was given by Charles Foley, 2121 Grace street, who Booth, right this way!" "See Pana- to \$20,000 were said to have been ma," "Buy red pop-it's better'n found in the accounts of the govwas recently arrested by the police for complicity in automobile thefts. With Foley was arrested George Dodd, 1811 North Thirty-second street, and Hans Snyder, 2717 South Twenty-third street.

One of the cars recovered yesterday was that of the Northwall company. Another was a second car that had been stolen from Ed Simon. The latter now has his two stolen cars in

his possession.

The recovery of the cars from the Auburn garage is an important step and may be the means of uncovering lice recoveries of stolen cars now ap

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