

THE WEATHER: Fair in east, unsettled in west portion Thursday; Friday probably showers. Hourly temperature: 3 a. m. 50, 4 p. m. 60, 7 p. m. 65, 8 p. m. 60, 9 p. m. 55, 10 p. m. 50, 11 p. m. 45, 12 m. 40.

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GERMANY REGARDS 14 POINTS AS TREATY

Wilson's Terms of Armistice Looked Upon by Huns as Sacred International Peace Pact.

By Universal Service. Berlin, April 23.—Universal Service is able to give some "inside" facts about the makeup and the personnel of the German peace delegation.

COURT PERMITS WIFE TO TESTIFY FOR HUSBAND. New York, April 23.—The rule of jurisprudence that a wife shall not testify in behalf of her husband was characterized as "under our modern ideas archaic" by Federal Judge Mayer today in the treason trial of Paul Albert Fricke.

BREAD WILL BE DEAR EVEN IF FLOUR IS CHEAP. New Orleans, April 23.—Even though the price of flour falls so that it costs the bakers of the country no more than the water they use in their bakeries, the price of bread will not fall to its former level, said George S. Ward of New York, president of the American Association of the Baking Industry.

ESTABLISH 10-HOUR DAY IN DOMESTIC SERVICE. Sacramento, Cal., April 23.—A bill providing for a 10-hour day for women in domestic service passed the lower house of the legislature today, 43 to 23.

RUMANIAN ARMY IN HIGH SPIRITS. London, April 23.—According to authoritative information the Rumanian advance into Hungary is progressing well.

CAPTURED BOLSHIEVSKI TURN AGAINST REDS. Berne, April 23.—A large part of the bolshevik first army which surrendered several days ago to the Ukrainians offered voluntarily to fight the bolsheviks and already has been in action with the Ukrainians against the bolsheviks at Uitim, in the Pripiet region.

GERMAN GUARDS STOP U. S. RED CROSS TRAIN. Berlin, April 23.—(By Associated Press.)—The Zeitung Au Mittag reports from Landenberg on the Warthe that German frontier guards stopped an American Red Cross train carrying food to Warsaw and searched it for ammunition.

IOWA FIRST STATE TO GO OVER ITS QUOTA. Chicago, April 23.—With two states of the seventh federal reserve district already over their quotas, and meager reports from Illinois, Indiana and Wisconsin indicating that the campaign on these states was making substantial progress, Victory Loan officials said tonight the progress was better than scheduled.

GERMANS WILL INSIST ON IMMEDIATE RETURN OF PRISONERS OF WAR. Amsterdam, April 23.—The German peace plenipotentiaries, the Frankfort Zeitung says, have been instructed not to sign the treaty of peace unless it provides for the immediate and unconditional return of German prisoners of war.

Salt Lake Authorities Bar I. W. W. Convention Planned for That City. Salt Lake City, Utah, April 23.—There will be no convention of the Industrial Workers of the World in Salt Lake City, was the declaration made here today by Mayor W. Mont Ferry, following a conference between the mayor, sheriff, state officials and United States attorney.

LOCKS ON BREWERY PIPE LINES UNSEALED. Resumption of Beer Bottling Permitted by Government, Council Announces in Federal Court. New York, April 23.—Coincident with an announcement by United States District Attorney Coffey that he had received no instructions from Washington to prosecute brewers distributing beer of 24 per cent alcoholic content in violation of food conservation regulations promulgated by the internal revenue department, government counsel stated here today that the department had taken steps to permit resumption of beer bottling.

BURLESON PLEA IMPUTES PLOT TO HIS ENEMIES. Postmaster General Assumes Role of Martyr Attacked by Interests Seeking Postal Subsidy. Washington, April 23.—Postmaster General Burleson in a statement issued tonight asserted that an organized propaganda had been inaugurated in an effort to destroy him and thereby to aid in bringing about repeal of the zone postal law increasing second-class rates.

WRITES \$10,000 CHECK; SAYS HE HAS BUT 11 CENTS. Maryland Youth Estranged From Wife, Thinks House He "Bought" Will Bring Her Back to Him. Write a check for \$5,000, even if you are worth only 11 cents and buy a nice big house in Omaha for your wife, if you can't have her, is the message that a young man in an estranged wife has written her. The man is a young man who has been estranged from his wife for some time. He has written her a check for \$5,000, which is all the money he has. He says he has but 11 cents left. He says he will buy a nice big house in Omaha for her if she will come back to him.

NEBRASKA TROOPS OF THE EIGHTY-NINTH SOON TO COME HOME. Treves, April 23.—(By The Associated Press.)—In a great hangar near Treves formerly used by the Germans for housing Zeppelins, Secretary Baker and General Pershing this afternoon addressed the troops of the Eighty-ninth division after a review which was witnessed by the members of the military affairs committee of the United States house of representatives on their way to Cologne.

GERMANY TO PRESENT SUBSTITUTE PLAN FOR LEAGUE OF NATIONS. London, April 23.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Amsterdam asserts that the German peace delegates have been instructed to propose at Versailles a plan for a league of nations to replace the plan adopted by the peace conference in Paris.

YOUTH GIVEN STAB WOUND. Thern Jefferson, 18, suffered a deep knife wound below his left ear last night when he engaged in an "argument" with LeRoy Baker, 17, over \$1.50. Both boys are colored.

WILSON ISSUES STATEMENT EXPLAINING HIS REASONS FOR REFUSING HIS CONSENT TO ASSIGN TO ITALY PORT ON ADRIATIC SEA. Conditions Changed Since London Treaty Was Made, President Points Out, and Dalmatian Islands No Longer Strategic Position Since Austrian Naval Menace Has Ceased to Exist; New States Created Require Natural Outlet to Sea. Paris, April 23.—President Wilson today issued the following statement explaining his position on the Adriatic question: "In view of the capital importance of the questions affected, and in order to throw all possible light upon what is involved in their settlement, I hope that the following statement will contribute to the final formation of opinion and to a satisfactory solution.

FIUME BELONGS TO CROATIA UNDER TREATY OF LONDON. Great Britain and France Prepared to Carry Out Pact if Italians Insist on Rights It Gave Them to Trieste, Pola and Part of Dalmatia. London, April 23.—(By The Associated Press.)—With reference to the Italian claims, the Associated Press learns that under the treaty of London, Italy was entitled to Trieste, Pola and part of Dalmatia, but Fiume was to go to Croatia.

COUNCIL REINSTATES DETECTIVE WHO SHOT CAMP DODGE SOLDIER. Armed with the pistol from which he fired a bullet through the body of Private Charles Coleman of Camp Dodge, and under indictment for shooting with intent to commit murder, Guy B. Knudtson yesterday afternoon returned to work as a city detective.

LOAN SUBSCRIPTIONS BELIEVED TO AMOUNT TO ABOUT HALF BILLION. Washington, April 23.—A quarter of a billion dollars has been subscribed to the Victory Loan, and officially reported through banks and federal reserve district headquarters to the treasury.

MAJOR GENERAL WRIGHT TO COMMAND CAMP DODGE. Washington, April 23.—Army orders published today announced the detail of Major General William H. Johnston to command Camp Dodge, Wash., and Major General William M. Wright, to command Camp Dodge, Ia., relieving Charles Ballau, who is to return to his permanent rank of colonel, on May 15.

BISHOP HASSE DIES. Muskogee, Okl., April 23.—Bishop Embree Hosse of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, died at his home here tonight, following a paralytic stroke two months ago. He was born in Jonesboro, Tenn., April 14, 1849.

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