

BRIEF BRIGHT BREEZY BITS OF NEWS

WOMEN AID MAN GARNER ONION CROP. Hutchinson, July 27.—C. G. Curtis, an onion grower, has started his harvest...

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THE WEATHER: Generally fair Monday and Tuesday; warmer in north portion Monday; continued warm Tuesday.

SAY KAISER NEVER ABDICATED

RACE WAR OUTBREAK IN CHICAGO

Policeman Wounded and Fifty Other Persons Injured; Every Available Officer Rushed to Scene.

ONE NEGRO IS DROWNED; WHITE MAN SAID TO BE

Sunday Riots Had Their Start in Petty Quarreling at Beach it is Claimed; Negro Fatally Shot.

Chicago, July 27.—Serious rioting of whites and blacks in the negro district of Chicago broke out Sunday afternoon and before midnight two men were dead, according to police reports...

TOOK JUDGE AT WORD AND GOT IN WRONG. Topeka, July 27.—When Police Judge Hugh McFarlane told the complaining witness in a case against Ethel Sylva, charged with assault, to "take the chair," he almost fainted as the result...

BRIDE'S PARENTS GO ON THE HONEYMOON. Butler, July 27.—It used to be that the bride and groom took the wedding trip, but now it is "father and mother." A short time ago Miss Froese of this city, and Nick Martens, were married...

GIRL STUDENT HAS THROAT OF A BIRD. Emporia, July 27.—Miss Mildred Boylan, of Arkansas City, a student at the Emporia Normal school here this summer, was known as "the girl with the bird throat." Miss Boylan can imitate a redbird, canary, robin and mocking bird so well...

PLAN GRAND OPERA DIVERSIONS FOR DIME. Wichita, Kans., July 27.—Grand opera for a dime. This is the plan which is being arranged for under the municipal opera idea.

GROGGER LEAVES TOWN WITHOUT GOODBYE. Kansas City, Mo., July 27.—Sergt. Harry Moulder and Patrolman J. C. Snively were making the first tour of Snavely's beat early in the morning, when they found the rear door of the Sam Winchell grocery open.

Austria Asks Longer Grace in Peace Pact. St. Germain-En-Lay, July 27.—Dr. Karl Renner, Austrian chancellor and head of the Austrian peace delegation, has arrived here from Feldkirch, near the Swiss border, where he conferred with Austrian government representatives from Vienna.

40 Persons Hurt. Fort Lee, N. J., July 27.—Forty persons were injured, 17 seriously, when two trolley cars of the Public Service corporation, both loaded with passengers, met in a head-on collision on top of the Palisades near an amusement park today.

PLAQUE OF CROWS DESPOILING CROPS. Winchester, July 27.—A plague of crows has struck this vicinity, and farmers report shocks of wheat have been devastated. The loss is serious in some cases.

Omaha Officer With Transport Convoy to Be Here This Week



Lt. Martin W. Cavanaugh, Jr. BOSTWICK PHOTO

Lieutenant Cavanaugh is the only Omaha officer with the army transport train, enroute on its transcontinental trip, is due to arrive in Council Bluffs late this morning...

OSTERMAN HERE TO JOIN U. S. CONVOY ON ITS LONG TRIP. Plan to Cross Missouri River on Pontoon Bridge Given Up.

The United States motor transport train, enroute on its transcontinental trip, is due to arrive in Council Bluffs late this morning, according to advices received Sunday from Denison, Ia., where the train camped last night.

Pontoon Bridge Abandoned. "It is hardly possible that the river will be crossed as planned," Lieut. Lee Ward, acting chief recruiting officer at the Omaha station, said yesterday.

Local reception plans went apace Sunday. The committee, headed by Randall K. Brown, yesterday prepared a statement calling on business men to decorate their stores with flags and bunting.

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STRANGLER OF CHILD CONFESSES

Married Chicago Night Watchman of Residential Hotel Had Hidden Girl's Body in Coal Cellar of His Own Home.

CALLS FOR OFFICER AND ADMITS CRIME. Had Been Constantly Kept Under Gruelling Examination and Never-Ceasing Scrutiny for Five Days and Nights.

Chicago, July 27.—Thomas Fitzgerald, 39 years old and married, has confessed to the police that he killed little Janet Wilkinson, 6 years old, a neighbor's child, last Tuesday, by strangling her.

The solution of the mystery, which has stirred Chicago as few police cases have aroused the popular imagination, came in the morning when Fitzgerald, after five sleepless days and nights, constantly kept under a gruelling examination and never ceasing scrutiny, called for an officer and made his confession.

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LOAN CERTIFICATES TO BE ISSUED BY SECRETARY GLASS

Will Be of Five Months' Maturity and Will Bear Interest of 4 1/2 Per Cent.

Washington, July 27.—Loan certificates of five months' maturity, bearing interest at 4 1/2 per cent will be issued by the treasury semi-annually on the first and fifteenth, beginning August 1, for the remainder of the calendar year for the purpose of financing the government's requirements.

In making this announcement in a letter to the banking institutions of the country, Secretary Glass said the minimum amount of each issue in August and September would not exceed \$500,000,000, while subsequent issues probably would be about half that amount, with the total estimated at \$3,500,000,000.

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C. OF C. IS PLEASED WITH CITY

Seventeen Members of National Organization, Representing Leading Cities Spend Several Hours Here.

TAKEN ON RIDE THROUGH WHOLESALE DISTRICTS. President Ferguson Is Enthusiastic in Praise of Omaha. Tells of Aims and Purpose of National Chamber.

Enroute to Seattle where they will hold their annual meeting, officers of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, 17 of them, representing that number of the leading cities of the country, spent the greater portion of Sunday in Omaha.

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PACIFIC FLEET SAFELY THROUGH PANAMA CANAL

Admiral Rodman's Flotilla Makes Passage Into Ocean Waters.

Aboard the Flagship U. S. S. New Mexico, July 27.—(By Wireless to the Associated Press.)—The Pacific fleet, under the command of Admiral Rodman, is floating in Pacific waters.

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TREACHERY CHARGED IN BERLIN

German Papers Claim Emperor William Has Never Renounced Throne of Prussia as Had Been Given Out.

IMPERIAL CHANCELLOR BLAMED FOR FALSEHOOD. Prince Maximilian Said to Have Fathered Story of Abdication to Check Revolutionary Outbreak Last Year.

Berlin, July 27.—(By the Associated Press.)—Sunday morning's pan-German newspapers of Berlin make a feature of a five column expose of occurrences in connection with the outbreak of the German revolution last November, including a struggle taking place at German headquarters at Spa, November 9, lasting nearly 24 hours, to induce Emperor William to abdicate.

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