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THE WEATHER:

Table with weather forecast: Fair and warmer in southeast, unsettled probably with local thundershowers S day; Monday generally fair. Hourly temperatures: 5:00 66, 6:00 68, 7:00 70, 8:00 72, 9:00 74, 10:00 76, 11:00 78, 12:00 80, 1:00 82, 2:00 84, 3:00 86, 4:00 88, 5:00 90, 6:00 92, 7:00 94, 8:00 96, 9:00 98, 10:00 100, 11:00 102, 12:00 104.

BRIEF BRIGHT BREEZY BITS OF NEWS

BEAUTIFUL SKIES FLED WITH JOHN BARLEYCORN

Lincoln, Aug. 9.—(Special)—Secretary Webber of the horticultural department of the state in his last issue of Nebraska Horticulture, the official organ of the society, prints the following without indicating what connection, if any, it may have with horticulture.

"The tenderfoot artist was up on Lookout mountain painting away to beat the band—Sunset, red, with blue streaks and green dots. The old bassy-amped Beaver Brook came along and stopped to rub its neck. 'Ah,' said the artist, looking up suddenly, 'perhaps to you, too. Nature has opened her sky-pictures page by page? Have you seen the lambent flame of dawn leaping across the vivid east; the red stained, sulphurous islets floating in the lake of fire in the west; the ragged clouds at midnight, black as a raven's wing, blotting out the shuddering moon?' 'No,' replied old whiskers shortly, 'not since Colorado went dry.'

PROFITING CHARGES LAND FARMERS IN JAIL

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 9.—In a drive to curb profiteering among farmers who sell foodstuffs in this city at abnormal prices and do not properly mark measures as required by state law, Murray Livingston, city ordinance officer, today arrested 32 farmers, charging them with misdemeanor.

RESENTS BEING HELD UP AS "HORRIBLE EXAMPLE"

Philadelphia, Aug. 9.—Charges that the shoe retailers are profiteers as made in a report of the federal trade commission were denied today in a statement by A. H. Geuting, president of the National Shoe Retailers' association. The bulk of next fall's shoes will be sold at from \$8 to \$12 a pair instead of higher prices, he said.

MILLIONAIRES CANNOT AFFORD TO BUY SHOES

Santa Barbara, Cal., Aug. 9.—Rector Sullivan of Chicago, who came here in the private car of Cornelius K. G. Billings for a stay at Montecito, declared that neither he nor Billings has bought a new pair of shoes for two years.

"We are wearing old ones because during the war it was patriotic to do so and since the armistice we feel prices are too high," he said. Mr. Sullivan, who is a democrat of national prominence and a biscuit manufacturer, is reputed to be a millionaire. Billings is said to be worth several millions and is owner of Uhlans, fastest trotting stallion in the world.

FAMINE AND DYSENTERY RAMPANT IN PETROGRAD

Stockholm, Aug. 9.—Famine in Petrograd has attained terrifying proportions and an epidemic of dysentery is beginning to rage throughout the city according to messages received here.

SELLING EX-KAISER'S YACHT FOR SAKE

Copenhagen, Aug. 9.—The magnificent former imperial yacht Metter, in which the ex-kaiser used to make his annual summer cruises in northern waters, is offered for sale at the price of half a million marks (\$125,000). German kaiserist newspapers are denouncing the offer, first, because they consider "the very idea" an insult to the monarch and secondly, because they regard the price as "ridiculously low."

GOVERNOR PARSONS HERO WHO ERRED

Austin, Texas, Aug. 9.—Gov. W. P. Hobby has granted an unconditional pardon to D. M. Delmas, escaped penitentiary convict who was recently arrested in Seattle, where he had gone after being discharged from the British army.

PROMINENT LAWYER WEDS JOURNALIST

Saugatuck, Conn., Aug. 9.—Amos Pinchot of New York, prominent lawyer and publicist, and Miss Ruth Pickering, a magazine writer of Elmira, N. Y., were married here Saturday.

Mr. Pinchot and his wife, Miss Gertrude Minturn, were divorced last year. Mr. Pinchot is 46 years old and his bride 27.

DOCTOR AND WOMAN HELD ON CHARGE OF POISONING

Macomb, Ill., Aug. 9.—Dr. Frank L. Alderson and Mrs. Lawrence Clugston have been arrested charged with poisoning Mr. Clugston, who died July 20 last after he had been treated by Dr. Alderson for typhoid fever. The arrests were ordered by a coroner's jury which returned a verdict that Clugston had been poisoned by his wife.

Mr. Clugston was a prominent farmer. Dr. Alderson, who is 51 years old, has been making his home with the Clugstons and practicing at nearby towns. He formerly was a physician at Chicago.

'HOT FOOT' AFTER PROFITEERS

STRIKERS CONTINUE OBDDURATE

Representatives of Chicago District Council Refuse to Allow Shopmen to Return to Work at Present.

ADMINISTRATION FORCES LOOK FOR IMPROVEMENT Seem to Think Men Will Resume Old Jobs Gradually as the True Situation is Explained to Them.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—(By The Associated Press.)—Representatives of the Chicago district council of the Federated Railway Shopmen's union which called a strike August 1, in defiance of the international officers of the shop crafts unions, today dominated conferences at which some of the international officers sought to have the men return to work in obedience to the wishes of President Wilson.

At the request of the district council, former Senator James Hamilton Lewis of Illinois last night telegraphed to President Wilson recommending that the director general take up the subject with the international officers and heads of the men's committees or confer with them to go to Washington and sit with the grand lodge presidents in the conferences, so that an agreement to get the men back to work at once might be reached.

Look For Relief. Washington, Aug. 9.—Officials of the railroad administration said tonight they expected a great improvement in the strike situation over Sunday with virtually a full force in all shops by Monday. Their reports indicated the men were returning to work gradually as the situation was explained to them, though radical groups in some cities were refusing to go back without wage increases.

No Freight Moves. New York, Aug. 9.—No freight moved over the lines of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad (Continued on Page Two, Column Two).

Lt. Col. Roosevelt Opens Campaign for Assemblyman Oyster Bay, Aug. 9.—In his first public speech in his campaign for nomination as one of Nassau county's republican candidates for the assembly, Lieut. Col. Theodore Roosevelt touched on national affairs and launched an attack on the democratic party.

SAYS 5,000,000 JEWS WILL GO TO PALESTINE

Judge Brandeis Enthusiastic Over Possibilities of "Homeland."

By FORBES FAIRBAIRN, Universal Service Staff Correspondent. London, Aug. 9.—"I am thoroughly convinced and enthusiastic about the practicable possibilities of developing Palestine into the long-promised Jewish homeland," said Justice Louis Brandeis in an exclusive interview with Universal Service today upon his return from an extended visit to the Holy Land.

Must Set Up Ideals. "No people could live here without setting up ideals and being moved by moral fervor. We can trust our people to grow up here and resume an ideal life."

Only 75,000 "Home" Now. "There are 14,000,000 Jews in the world," said he. "Our homeland of Palestine will eventually have a population of 5,000,000. At the present time there are only 75,000 Jews there."

Abductor Caught With Young Girl He Spirited Away Bluefields, W. Va., Aug. 9.—Manderville Farley, alleged leader of an outlaw and moonshiners' band in the Flat Top mountains and charged with desertion from the army and abduction of the 14-year-old daughter of Kenneth Abshire, a farmer, was arrested Saturday by the sheriff of Raleigh county.

52 Persons Killed in Rioting Near Chemnitz Berlin, Aug. 9.—Fifty persons were killed during disturbances Friday near Chemnitz, a railroad station 38 miles southwest of Dresden. Troops were overpowered and dispersed by a mob. The soldiers' bodies were slaughtered and the flesh distributed to the crowd.

N. hammedans Rising Against the Bolsheviks London, Aug. 9.—The Mohammedans of northeastern Persia and Turkestan are rising against the Bolsheviks because of resentment over conscription, according to dispatches from Simla, India.

Italian Composer Dead. Rome, Aug. 9.—Ruggiero Leoncavallo, the composer, is dead.

WAITS IN VAIN FOR HUSBAND

Mrs. Edith Mudge of Chicago Files Charges Against Spouse Who, She Says, Is Living With Another Woman.

KNOWN HERE UNDER THE NAME OF DON WALLACE Claims Desertion and Names Frances Reeme as Core-spondent—Asserts He Gets Salary of \$25,000 a Year.

Has Two Aliases. In her petition Mrs. Mudge says her husband has been using two aliases since he deserted her two years ago. He has large deposits in the United States National bank under the name of Don Wallace, she says, and she alleges that the Uplike Grain company owes her husband large sums of money.

Cities to Take Entire New York Allotment of Parcels Post Sales Washington, Aug. 9.—Under an arrangement with the War department, the entire allotment of surplus army food stores for New York state probably will be taken up by municipalities of that state for distribution and there will be no parcels post sales or sales by other federal agencies in the state.

Ferris Enters Race for Governor's Seat in U. S. Senate Oklahoma City, Okl., Aug. 9.—Congressman Scott Ferris of Lawton, who has represented the Sixth Oklahoma district for the last 13 years, has announced that he will be a candidate for the democratic nomination for United States senator in 1920.

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Officials at Washington Deny Pershing Recalled Washington, Aug. 9.—Secretary Baker and General March, chief of staff, said today they knew nothing of any order recalling General Pershing to the United States. White House officials said they had not been advised that such an order had gone forward.

A Vision---How Soon Will It Come True?



CITIES MAY BUY FOOD SUPPLIES ON 10-DAY TIME Government to Extend Credit to Municipalities—Will Start Receiving Orders at Once.

The United States air mail service brought to Omaha late last evening final instructions relating to the sale of millions of pounds of surplus food stock by the War department, which starts Monday.

Under these instructions goods may be sold by credit to municipalities, state, county and public institutions; and by cash payment, forwarded under signature, to postmasters, acting as agents for the parcels post, Boy Scouts and employees of the government.

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ALLIED PROTEST LETTER REFUSED BY ROUMANIAN Commander in Budapest Declines to Accept Missive Tendered by Britisher.

London, Aug. 9.—General Gordon, British representative on the inter-allied military commission, appointed by the allies to arrange a settlement in Budapest, visited the Rumanian commander in that city Friday to protest against the excesses of the Rumanian troops, according to advices from Vienna.

Commander Issues Statement. Paris, Aug. 9.—The Rumanian command in Budapest has issued this statement: "I hope the whole world will take pains to learn the truth about the peril which forced us to fight for our lives. We have never left the peace conference and shall obey its orders, but we cannot sign the Austrian treaty if it contains the provisions for the protection of minorities. We believe it is wrong for the big powers to force such conditions on the small powers."

Striking Street Car Men in New York Call Off Walkout New York, Aug. 9.—The strike which for four days has paralyzed traffic on the surface, subway and elevated lines of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company, was called off Saturday night after an agreement had been reached between representatives of the strikers and Lindley M. Garrison, receiver for the road.

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AUTO GOES OVER 30-FOOT BANK; DRIVER KILLED F. E. Middlebrook Dies in Clarkson Hospital Following Accident—Woman Companion Is Injured.

F. E. Middlebrook, proprietor of the Crown dairy, 1617 Howard street, died at 11:10 last night as the result of an automobile accident at Seventieth and Dodge streets earlier in the evening.

Police Seek Fiance Of Murdered Girl; Body Found in Ditch Eaton, Colo., Aug. 9.—That Eva Bingham, 20 years old, of McGrew, Neb., was slain by the man she refused to marry, was alleged today by her relatives when they asked the police to find a young man who has been attentive to her.

Bill Hart Wins Case Against Film Company Washington, Aug. 9.—The W-H Production company has been ordered by the federal trade commission to discontinue the re-naming of old moving picture films featuring William S. Hart without "clearly and distinctly and unmistakably" indicating to the public that they are old films renamed.

Bolsheviki Suffering Shortage of Munitions London, Aug. 9.—The bolsheviki are suffering a shortage of munitions and have been obliged to cease operations against the troops of Admiral Kolchak, head of the all-Russian government at Omsk, according to advices received here.

OPERATIVE FORCE OF U. S. BUSY Order Issued Saturday Directs Entire Secret Service of Bureau of Information to Uncover Food Hogs.

PROMPT ACTION OF CONGRESS PROMISED Will Proceed at Once With Legislative Measures Urged by President Wilson in His Address on Friday.

Senate Already at Work. The senate interstate commerce committee discussed suggestions of the president that interstate shipments of necessities be controlled by a licensing commission and Chairman Cummins announced that he would appoint a subcommittee Monday to recommend such legislation as it should decide was necessary.

First Arrests Made. Cleveland, Aug. 9.—What are believed to be the first arrests in the country resulting from county special grand jury investigations into the high cost of living, were made here today when three officers of the Ohio Farmers' Co-Operative Milk company, an organization of 2000 farmers and dairymen, were taken into custody.

Sugar Men Held. Pittsburgh, Aug. 9.—George W. Sheehan, president and directing head of the Central Sugar company, Chicago, and three representatives of the concern's local branch, were held for the November term of the United States district court by Federal Commissioner Edward F. Duffy, following a hearing here today on charges growing out of alleged sugar profiteering.

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