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GERMAN REPLY IS INDEFINITE

HUNGARY IS TO DECLARE INDEPENDENCE

KING CHARLES IS SOON TO ISSUE MANIFESTO

(By Associated Press.)
AMSTERDAM, Oct. 21.—Emperor Charles will shortly issue a manifesto to the Hungarian people announcing the independence of Hungary, according to the Budapest correspondent of Rhenische Westphalian Zeitung. Hungary, the manifesto will say is to have independence and will maintain her own army and her own diplomatic corps.

ALLIES MAKE PROGRESS IN BELGIUM

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, Oct. 21.—The Allied forces while pushing further on the north are fighting their way forward on the south toward the Belgian border south of Valenciennes. Sunday Allied troops had to fight the elements as well as the Germans. Rain fell continually and the soldiers were soaked and badly blinded while airplanes were of little use.
With spirits undiminished, however the Allied troops continued their efforts and in Flanders they worked a little nearer to the important city of Ghent, and are approaching the city from the west bank of the Scheldt. On the right of the front in Belgium the British fifth army has to all intents and purposes taken Tournai, an important railroad junction.
British Crossed Selles.
Further south the British third army has crossed the Selles and is heading toward Mons by way of Quenoy and north of the Mormal forest while General Rawlinson's fourth army has reached the Sambre-Oise canal and is advancing toward the southern tip of the Mormal forest up the valley of the Sambre toward Maubeuge. The net result of the efforts of the fourth and fifth British armies was to force the German retreat across Belgium swamps was badly shaken.
The British also captured a dozen or so of villages.
On the British right General Debeney is outflanking Guise and is marching toward Hirson for the purpose of taking the Hunting line in the rear.
ALLIED FORCES ARE IN TEN MILES OF GHENT
LONDON, Sunday, Oct. 20.—Allied forces in Belgium are within ten miles of Ghent, according to the official statement on operations there by the war office tonight. The statement reads:
"The advance of the army groups in Flanders under command of King Albert continued through the day. After vainly trying our progress toward the west bank of the Lys, along the Deynze-Recceol canal and near the Dutch frontier, the Germans have been forced to withdraw over the whole front."
The past day they have advanced a mile on this front and appear to have reached a point from which they seriously threaten the railroad running through Avesnes and Berlamont. This is believed to be extremely probable as is also the report that the fate of Ghent has been sealed.
South of the Scheldt the British have straightened the line between Denain and Le Cateau and are within three or four miles of the Valenciennes railway line. The Allies also have straightened out their line between the Oise and the Serre and the French are engaged in heavy fighting in the strongly fortified Hunting line.

Day's War Developments

(By Associated Press.)
British troops in smashing through the formidable German positions along the Selle river north of Le Cateau, captured more than 3,000 prisoners. The Germans were forced from positions of great natural strength on a wide front and the British gains were maintained notwithstanding many counter attacks. If it is taken into account the heights between the Selle and Harpies rivers and are in a position to outflank the Mormal forest and cut the railroad between Valenciennes and Avesnes.
Further north the Allied forces continue their progress through Belgium the French Flanders. On the north the Belgians are approaching Ghent while the British are marching on the Scheldt river and outflanking Tournai, an important railway junction which towns have been made useless to the Germans.
Allies Hearing Ghent.
In spite of the Germans' endeavor to check their advance, the Belgians the British and French continue their sweeping march from Tournai to the Dutch frontier. Official reports show that they have reached points within ten miles of Ghent. The Belgians are along the Deynze-Recceol canal which runs northward from the Lys River. Farther south they have crossed the river at various points. Along the Lys the British have moved swiftly toward the Scheldt river and are at Pecq on the west bank of the river.
In this sector of the battle line, the Allies are moving toward the south and it seems they will be able to reach Ghent with their main forces in a very short time. The Germans have flooded some of the country but this has failed to interfere with the progress of the armies commanded by King Albert.
Fighting On Ten Mile Front.
British and American troops are fighting the day's war along a ten mile front east of Le Cateau. During

TEXT OF GERMANY'S REPLY

LONDON, Oct. 21.—The text of the German note, as received by wireless is as follows:
"In accepting the proposal for an evacuation of occupied territories, the German government has decided on the assumption that the procedure of this evacuation and of the conditions of an armistice should be left to the judgment of the military advisers and that the actual standard of power on both sides in the field had to form the basis of arrangements safeguarding and guaranteeing this standard.
"The German government suggests to the President that an opportunity should be brought about for fixing the details. It trusts that the President of the United States will approve of no demand which would be inconciliable with the population of the German people and with opening a way to a peace of justice.
"The German government protests against the reproach of illegal and inhumane actions made against the German land and sea forces and thereby against the German people. For the covering of a retreat destructions will always be necessary and they are carried out by the German government in international law. The German troops are under most strict instructions to spare private property and to exercise care for the population to which they are their ability. Where transgressions occur in spite of these instructions the guilty are being punished.
"The German government further denies that the German navy in sinking ships has ever purposely destroyed life boats with their passengers. The German government proposes with regard to all these charges that the facts be cleared up by neutral commissions.
"In order to avoid anything that might hamper the work of peace the German government proposes that it be despatched to all submarine commanders, precluding the torpedoing of passenger ships, without, however, for the German government being able to guarantee that these orders will reach every single submarine at sea before its return.
"As a fundamental condition for peace the President prescribes the destruction of every arbitrary power that can separately, secretly and of its own single choice disturb the peace of the world. To this the German government replies: Hitherto the representation of the people in the German empire has not been endowed with an influence in the forming of government.
"The constitution did not provide for a concurrence of representation of the people in decisions of peace and war. These conditions have just now undergone a fundamental change. A new government has been formed in complete independence of the wishes (principles) of the representation of the people, based on equal, universal, secret, direct franchise.
"The leaders of the great parties of the reichstag are members of this government. In the future no government can take or continue in office without possessing the confidence of a majority of the reichstag.
"The responsibility of the chancellor of the empire is being legally developed and safeguarded. The five sets of the new government has been to lay before the reichstag a bill to alter the constitution of the empire so that the consent of the representation of the people is required for decisions on war and peace.
"The permanence of the new system is however, guaranteed not only by constitutional safeguards, but also by the unshakable determination of the German people whose vast majority stands behind these reforms and demands their energetic continuance.
"The question of the President with whom he and the governments associated against Germany are dealing is therefore answered in a clear, unequivocal manner and by the statement that the offer of peace and an armistice has come from a government which is free from any arbitrary and irresponsible influence, is supported by the approval of an overwhelming majority of the German people."
"SOLF"

BRITISH LABOR SOLIDLY BEHIND WILSON PROGRAM

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, Oct. 21.—In the situation created by the recent German peace offer, British labor ranks itself solidly behind President Wilson's declared aim, Arthur Henderson, the British labor leader, in a speech at a meeting Saturday night. Labor men should continue to support President Wilson because his peace program embodied the war aims of organized labor.
British democracy sought a peace of impartial justice and the destruction of the arbitrary power in Germany which planned the war and has carried it on with ruthless fury.
It has become increasingly clear, Mr. Henderson said, that unconditional surrender on the part of the rulers of Germany was necessary in order that the vital interests of the German people themselves could be safeguarded.

WITH SIGN LANGUAGE CONFESSES TO CRIME

(By Associated Press.)
HACKENSACK, N. J., Oct. 21.—By means of pen-and-ink language a German spy was convicted of a crime today in a court of law. The spy, a deaf-mute, confessed to the murder of Anna Delaney, 11-year-old, in a park Saturday night.
When the prosecutor, through an interpreter of the deaf and dumb language, asked Thompson how he killed the girl, the boy traced the outlines of a butcher's cleaver. He added that he had been prompted to the slaying because his victim had teased him regarding his affliction.

SWISS COURTS SENTENCE TWO FOR BOMB PLOTS

(By Associated Press.)
ZURICH, SWITZERLAND, Oct. 21.—Linot Andri, a deserter from the Italian army, and Rudolf Englemann, a German consular agent, have been found guilty in the Swiss courts of having in their possession bombs, internal machines, and revolutionary pamphlets for use in Italy. Englemann was sentenced to two and a half years' imprisonment, to pay a fine of 5,000 francs and expulsion from Switzerland for life. Andri received a two-month prison term of 1,000 francs and expulsion.

WANT AN ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION FOR SHIPS

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—An additional \$20,000,000 for ship construction, making a total for that purpose of \$3,004,000,000 was asked of Congress today by the shipping board. The Senate appropriations committee in the military deficiency bill now under consideration.

FORT WORTH MAN IS INJURED IN MISSOURI

(By Associated Press.)
SPRINGFIELD, MO., Oct. 21.—W. B. Kellert, railroad claim agent of Fort Worth, Texas, was slightly injured yesterday when two cars of St. Louis & San Francisco passenger train number four were derailed between Lebanon and Newburgh, Mo. Four other persons also were injured.

IRISH STEAMER IS SUNK BY TORPEDO
BELFAST, Oct. 21.—The Irish steamer Dundalk was torpedoed in the Irish sea last week. Of the crew of more than thirty only thirteen were rescued.

GOAL PASSED IN LOAN BY SEVERAL HUNDRED MILLION

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—Estimates and figures showing the success of the Fourth Liberty Loan poured into the treasury today, indicating the six billion dollar goal was passed by several hundred millions.
All orders for coupon bonds are being filled immediately, and plenty of registered bonds will be ready as fast as a requisition for them, accompanied by the necessary information concerning the individual owners, reach the treasury.
Reports from all of the reserve districts early in the day show the honor roll of subscribers bears 2,000,000 as a minimum and probably will be found to have several million more.
It is apparent that at least twenty per cent of the population of the United States bought bonds, a record equalling and probably exceeding the percentage record of the British victory loan of 1917, which had nine million subscribers. The five billion subscribed to that loan is exceeded by more than a billion dollars. Thus all records both for size and distribution of war loans are broken by the Fourth Liberty Loan.

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KING AND QUEEN ARE GIVEN WARM RECEPTION

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, Oct. 21.—The men, women and children of Ostend were so overjoyed when the king and queen of Belgium landed there Thursday that many of them heartily kissed the rulers of the liberated town. King Albert and Queen Elisabeth were warmly greeted by the mayor and the town council. The king and queen were carried to the town hall in the shoulders of men in the large crowd which greeted the king and queen at the landing. All ordinary bonds of restraint were loosed in the happy delirium of the occasion. The queen walked to the city hall surrounded by a great crowd of children.

MANY DESERTIONS FROM RANKS OF BOLSHIEVIKI

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—Reports from Russia, reaching the state department today, tell of large numbers of desertions from the ranks of the bolshieviki and hint at reprisals to be taken by the leaders of the bolshieviki movement against the families and relatives of these men. An order issued by Trotsky on September 30 warned commanders of the large number of desertions and instructed them to send to headquarters lists of the names of deserters with any information regarding the relatives.

EARTHQUAKE TOLL IS ESTIMATED AT 200

(By Associated Press.)
SAN JUAN, P. R., Oct. 17.—Latest estimates on the loss of life in the recent earthquake which shook Porto Rico place the total at not more than 200, mostly at or near Mayaguez. The property damage is estimated at \$5,000,000.

TURKEY'S NEW MINISTRY HAS BEEN COMPLETED

(By Associated Press.)
CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 20.—Turkey's new ministry has been completed. The members of the cabinet include: Grand Vizier Tewfik Pasha, and Minister of Foreign Affairs Refat Pasha.

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WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY
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OSTEND CHANNEL WILL BE BLOCKED FOR SOME TIME

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, Oct. 21.—The British shells did terrific damage to Ostend harbor and naval establishments and did not harm the residential or business section to any extent. The only money to be found in Ostend and other liberated cities is German. Many of the smaller children, especially in Ostend, were taken to their own language. The enemy apparently went out of his way to teach his tongue to these children.

AMERICAN AIRMEN DOWN SEVENTEEN GERMAN MACHINES

(By Associated Press.)
WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY
Northwest of Verdun, Sunday, Oct. 20.—In the all-American bombing expedition behind the German lines Friday, American pursuit airplanes brought down seventeen German machines. Most of the victories have been confirmed officially. Not one American machine was lost.
During the expedition the Americans met and vanquished several enemy formations of thirty and forty machines each.

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MAKE APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE

(By Associated Press.)
AUSTIN, TEX., Oct. 21.—Comptroller Terrell stated this morning that his department is receiving applications for liquor licenses in anticipation that the prohibition law will be declared unconstitutional. The applications are not considered.

DIFFERENCE OF OPINION DELAYS GERMAN REPLY

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, October 21.—Differences of opinion on various points of the German reply to President Wilson has delayed the arrival of the official text. The text will be ready in a few days. As a consequence, the despatch of the reply has been postponed for several days, says a Zurich dispatch to the Matin.

ORDER SUBMARINES TO CEASE SINKING PASSENGER VESSELS

(By Associated Press.)
Germany has replied to President Wilson's note, saying she accepts his conditions for an armistice. She declares Germany now has a parliamentary form of government. Germany says orders have been given submarine commanders not to sink passenger steamers henceforth.
The reply received by wireless in London, says Germany agrees with the president that the military leaders shall arrange an armistice and the terms for the evacuation of occupied territories. Denial is made that the Germans have been unnecessarily destructive in retiring from occupied territory.

SITUATION AS TO INFLUENZA IS IMPROVED

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—Germany's reply to President Wilson as received today by wireless is regarded here as an awkward attempt to accept the terms for an armistice laid down by President Wilson. It is believed certain that the wireless version is garbled to an extent, and officials wait until the arrival of the official text before reaching conclusions.
In the meantime there will be no official comment. Even unofficially no one will express an opinion of what the President will do with the note, though the general impression seems to be that it at least does not close the door to further exchanges.
Upon the exact language of the official text may depend whether the President will consent to propose an armistice to the Allied powers. Details of the Germans that atrocities have been committed are immaterial, the important thing is that atrocities no apparently have been ordered stopped.

Minor Arnold Dead

(By Associated Press.)
GAINESVILLE, Tex., Oct. 21.—Minor Arnold aged 40 years, well known railroad man died here today of Spanish influenza. He had been past master of the Brotherhood of Firemen and Enginemen.

TWO SONS OVERSEAS; THIRD IS TO TRAIN

(By Associated Press.)
AUSTIN, TEX., Oct. 21.—With two sons as majors in overseas service General Henry Hutchings, who is retired after three months service as brigadier general in France, announced this morning that his third son, Richard Lee, has been authorized to attend a machine gun officers training camp.

ANNOUNCE NEW CREDITS FOR ITALY AND FRANCE

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—New credits of \$200,000,000 for Italy and \$100,000,000 for France were established today by the treasury, making the total loans to Italy \$1,000,000,000 and to France \$2,150,000,000.
For all the Allies American loans now amount to \$7,530,476,666.

TWELVE HUNDRED AT AIRCRAFT PLANT STRIKE

(By Associated Press.)
SPRINGFIELD, MASS., Oct. 21.—The employees of the Springfield Aircraft Corporation walked out this morning in an effort to enforce demands for an increase in wages. The corporation employs about 1,200 persons.

ESSENTIAL WORK TO BE REQUIRED OF ALL CITIZENS

BAN PLACED ON IDLENESS AND NON-ESSENTIAL OCCUPATIONS.

CAMPAIGN IS BEGUN

Community Labor Board to Classify and Authorities Promise To Do The Rest.

At a meeting held Sunday afternoon in the rooms of the local exemption board a resolution was adopted...

The meeting also went on record as favoring an amendment to provide that every able bodied person in the city be required to work at least six days in each week...

In attendance at the meeting were city and county officials, members of the local exemption board, the council of defense, community labor board, as well as a number of business men...

District Organizer Speaks. Preliminary to the action referred to above, Mr. Overson addressed the meeting on the importance of the work...

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During his remarks he paid a glowing tribute to the men who are fighting the battles at the front, recalling the sacrifices they are making without complaint, and without regard to the number of hours employed or the wages paid...

AVIATOR IS INJURED ATTEMPTING ESCAPE

GENEVA, Oct. 20.—Lieutenant Duncan, the American aviator, who with a companion, landed in the Jura Alps with his undamaged machine a month ago and was interned, made a bold but futile attempt to escape from the internment camp at Andermatt on Wednesday night...

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BURKBURNETT HAS DAILY PRODUCTION OF 21,570 BARRELS

The average daily oil production in the Burkburnett field for the past week is given at 21,570 barrels...

Big Pool Oil Co.'s No. 1 Musick is making 400 barrels a day at 1660 feet. Playada Oil Co.'s No. 1 Patrick is making 300 barrels a day at 1660 feet...

Big Three Oil Co.'s No. 1 Beach is a 250 barrel well at 1660 feet. Lease Star Oil Co.'s No. 1 Rigby is swabbing 200 barrels a day at 1590 feet...

Powder Farm Oil Co.'s No. 2 Fee is showing for 100 barrels a day, and is not yet completed at 1730 feet. The No. 3 on the same tract is rigging a star machine to drill in at 1700 feet...

The average daily production of the Electro field was 13,970 and the following completions reported: Magnolia Petroleum Co.'s No. 24 Sumner is a 40 barrel well at 1830 feet...

Magnolia Petroleum Co.'s No. 31 H & T. C. is at the top of the sand at 1800 feet and looks like a productive Sims of all No. 1 Burnett is good for 35 barrels a day at 140 feet...

McGraw et al's No. 1 Granger is good for 10 barrels a day at 1925 feet. The Texas Co.'s No. 16 McBurney is dry and abandoned at 2040 feet.

GAINESVILLE MAN KILLED IN WRECK OF KATY FREIGHT

J. C. Brasswell, brakeman of Gainesville, was killed, and eight cars of oil were destroyed when the Gainesville-Whitesboro short line freight No. 19 went off the track near Woodbine...

NO MEETING OF THE ODD FELLOWS TONIGHT

The Odd Fellows will not attempt a meeting tonight, as there is not sufficient improvement in the influenza epidemic to justify the assembling of any number of citizens as yet...

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Naber have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Robinson of Fort Worth.

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DOUAI A PLACE OF DESOLATION AND DESTRUCTION

By Associated Press. WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN France, Sunday, Oct. 20.—(Havas)—Douai in its waste and desolation is a sad sight.

The streets are filled with furniture and articles of all kinds. It might be said that in Douai all the industries had been opened and that madmen in their fury had taken delight in destroying everything.

The stained glass windows in the church of St. Peter have been smashed and the great organ has been broken up. Religious ornaments were found scattered about the floor of the church.

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AMERICAN AIRMEN ARE ATTRACTING MUCH ATTENTION

By Associated Press. WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY Northwest of Verdun, Oct. 20.—American aviators by inaugurating night patrols along the Meuse have attracted much attention among the armies of other nations.

As soon as one of these forces is heard the American searchlights begin sweeping the sky. The American night patrols arrive at the same time as the German machine is to be seen in the ray of a searchlight.

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ALLIES ADVANCE THIRTEEN MILES DURING SIX DAYS

By Associated Press. WITH THE ANGLO-AMERICAN Forces South of Le Cateau Sunday, Oct. 20.—American forces fighting the British armies have made a total advance of thirteen miles in the last six days of battle in this sector.

Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, commander in chief of the British armies in France, has sent the following letter to the general commanding the American troops.

I wish to express to you personally, and to all officers and soldiers serving under you, my warm appreciation of the very valuable assistance and gallant services rendered throughout the operations of the fourth British army.

Called upon to attack positions of the greatest strength held by a determined enemy, all ranks of the twenty seventh and thirtieth divisions under your command have displayed an energy, courage and determination which has proved irresistible.

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TO MAKE HOMES AVAILABLE AFTER WAR TO SOLDIERS

By Associated Press. DALLAS, TEX., Oct. 21.—The state council of defense received notice today that the plan to make homes available after the war to soldiers and sailors as well as to workers in war industries had received a great impetus by the action of the United States Senate committee on public lands reporting favorably on the bill to appropriate \$1,000,000 to make a survey of farms for those who participated in the war.

Secretary of the Interior Lane in reporting on the committee action telegraphed Joe Hirsch, state director, saying it was intended to promote a "land movement" that recognized the fact that one of the great evils of the times is the overcrowding and congestion of people, many of whom are unfitted for city life.

It is the object of this proposed legislation to provide the opportunity of getting on the land. Furthermore, the undertaking which this legislation proposes would afford employment to thousands of men who would be out of employment at the termination of the war.

PROFESSORS ARE ORGANIZING THE RED TRIANGLE LEAGUE

Special to The Times. AUSTIN, Tex., Oct. 21.—A team consisting of college and university professors and school superintendents, headed by W. P. Mather, professor of physics in the University of Texas, is organizing the Red Triangle League of the Texas Y. M. C. A. A membership of 18,000 will be secured. The purpose of the league is to keep the morale of the men at the front through the efforts of the people at home. The members assist the boys before they go across by giving them information concerning their equipment and see to the provision of articles for convenience and cleanliness.

Baptist Minister Creates a Ripple Over Camp Travis

Special to The Times. CAMP TRAVIS, Tex., Oct. 21.—He is just plain Private Blankenship, but the name of the Baptist minister who today by this veteran Baptist minister from Higgins, Texas, created more than a ripple at Camp Travis. Had he been a soldier, he would have been a hero. He is the only man in the camp who has been in the service since the beginning of the war. He is a Baptist minister and he is a hero.

GENERAL LIGGETT AND BULLARD ARE PROMOTED

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—Major General Hunter Liggett and Robert L. Bullard were promoted by President Wilson to be lieutenant general.

Notice Staley-Wills Oil Co. Stockholders

You are hereby notified that a meeting of all of the stockholders of the Staley-Wills Oil Co. will be held in its office, Room 202, Kemp & Kell Bldg., Wichita Falls, Texas, on Wednesday the 23rd day of October, 1918, at eight o'clock p. m. Important business will be disposed of at this meeting, therefore all stockholders are requested to be present.—J. E. CHILDS, Sec'y.

OFFICIAL Market Report

BRITISH CAPTURE MORE THAN 3000 PRISONERS

By Associated Press. LONDON, Oct. 21.—More than 3,000 prisoners were captured by the British yesterday in the operations north of Le Cateau when the Selle River was crossed on a wide front, according to Field Marshal Haig's statement today.

New Orleans Cotton.

By Associated Press. NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 21.—Disappointment over the failure of the market to rise today was expressed Sunday morning when the opening of the cotton market today. In the first half hour of business prices lost 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 before the end of the first hour, or 40 to 50 points under Saturday's closing.

Liverpool Cotton.

By Associated Press. LIVERPOOL, Oct. 21.—Cotton spot steady; prices firm. Good middling at 12 1/2; good ordinary at 11 1/2; ordinary at 10 1/2.

AMERICANS MAKE HUN CALL NEW DIVISIONS

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—Germany is drawing heavily upon other parts of the western front for reinforcements to check the American offensive at Verdun. General Pershing's communique for Sunday says during the heavy fighting of the past week the steadily increasing number of German divisions have been brought up and are bitterly contesting every foot of ground.

FRENCH REPORT ONLY ARTILLERY ACTIVITIES

By Associated Press. PARIS, Oct. 21.—There was no infantry fighting of moment on the French front last night. The official statement from the war office today only reports artillery activity between the Serre and the Aisne.

SERBIAN TROOPS HAVE ENTERED ZAIETCHAR

LONDON, Oct. 21.—Franco-Serbian troops have entered Zaietchar, 28 miles from the river Danube at Negotin and 45 miles northeast of Nish, according to a Serbian official statement issued Sunday. West of Zaietchar the Allies have captured Belovatz.

ITALIANS IN ACTIVE ARTILLERY FIGHTING

ROME, Oct. 21.—Active artillery fighting on the Asiago plateau in the Trentino region and in the Piave river is reported today by the war office.

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Because every Eye is different and to get comfort and perfect vision the Lens should fit each defect of your Eye. It is only possible to do this where Lenses are ground. FONVILLE OPTICAL CO. 621 8th St. Phone 2161

Cotton Market

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—The cotton market was easier during today's early trading. Buyers of late last week found the over Sunday political news disappointing and there was a good deal of scattering liquidation and southern and Liverpool selling.

Grain Market

By Associated Press. CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—Uncertainty connected with the delay of the German answer to President Wilson's note had a bullish effect today in the market. Opening prices, which ranged from 1/2 to 3/4 cents higher with November \$1.24 1/2 to \$1.24 3/4 and December \$1.19 to \$1.19 1/2, were followed by a moderate reaction, and then a fresh uptick.

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—Trading on the stock exchange today opened with a moderate advance. The market settled down to a very moderate pace in the afternoon recording few changes of interest.

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Dr. F. M. Edwards for 17 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During those years he gave to his patients a prescription made of a few well-known vegetable ingredients mixed with olive oil, naming them Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. You will know them by their olive color.

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For the last eight months we have been trying to get this end of our business in shape to give our patrons the best service obtainable; but owing to the manufacturers of certain instruments, which we deemed necessary to make our examinations thorough and scientific, perfect, being engaged in governmental work, we have just succeeded in getting our complete equipment installed, which will be in charge of our efficient optometrist.

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Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—Butter: unsettled; creamery 50¢/55. Eggs: higher; firsts 49¢/50; ordinary firsts 46¢/48; at mark cases included 46¢/49. Potatoes: higher; receipts 118 cars. Minnesota and Dakota bulk \$1.70/1.75; do sacks \$1.90/2.00; Wisconsin bulk \$1.75/2.00; do sacks \$2.00/2.10. Country: alive, unsettled; fowls 24¢/28; springs 26¢.

Another substantial demonstration of strength, the list showing no indications of last Saturday's abrupt reaction. Mexican Petroleum was again 10% points and as suddenly being all its rise. General Motors advanced 7 1/2 in the first few minutes but the most impressive movement was in Southern Pacific which opened at an extreme rise of 6 1/2 points. U. S. Steel, shipping and some of the war issues rose one to two points.

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MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

WANTED—To buy all kinds of second hand furniture and stoves. Highest cash prices paid. McLaughlin Furniture Co. Phone 810. 615 7th Street. All piano work and tuning specialty. 92-12c

FOR RENT—Bed Rooms

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WILL RENT 2 rooms furnished to parties wishing furniture; rent reasonable. X C. Care Times. 136-3tp

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USED AUTOS FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One 7 passenger Willis-Knight, 1917-90. This car is in first class condition; 5 new casings. Phone 828. Call for Gupston. 119-12c

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—New 4 room house, lot 62x170, one block at 5090 7th st. 111 Dallas. Phone 2225. 137-6tp

HELP WANTED

LABORERS WANTED—Men familiar with building work desired. Northwest Texas Insane Asylum, J. C. Dietmann, Contractor, Wichita Falls.

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Phone 2546. 1100 Holliday. 132-12c

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MAN ABOVE DRAFT age wants work of any kind. Handy with tools. Any kind of reference. I. D. Care Times. 136-3tp

OIL STOCK AND LEASES

FOR SALE—50 or 100 shares Weavon Oil Co. stock. See me in market. L. A. Pat Casey, Westland Hotel. 137-3tp

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EXEMPTION BOARD MAKES REQUEST OF ALL REGISTRANTS

Much of the time of the local exemption board is being consumed by registrants unnecessarily according to a statement made at the headquarters today, and to relieve them of the responsibility of having to answer so many questions in person and by telephone, a notice to those interested has been issued and is given below.

Statement of The Board: "We will mail class cards out to all registrants during the next few days and until you get this card we will not discuss your case with you. We wish to warn all again about the erroneous ideas prevalent among you. The country is flooded with pamphlets concerning bankers, railroaders, workers in fields, and workers in every other industry, which lead registrants to believe that if they are working along these lines they will be exempt. These concerns are putting in wholesale claims for everybody in their employ, from snipes on the railroad to great deals of different concerns, and all we can see that it amounts to is that the majority of these registrants who now think they are exempt are going to find out they are not, and feel like we have done them an injustice."

All Classes Included: "Every week that passes we entrain railroaders, bankers, oil field workers, and every other class of men, and will continue to do so as we have hundreds more of the same kind ready for enrollment. When it is summered down this week the workers in every other industry will find that this local board will decide who will stay at home, and not the man you are working for, nor any association he is connected with. This week it is taken all the time of one clerk in this office to answer questions concerning the above, and we hope this will be full explanation to all."

Noted Ball Player Killed in Action Leading Company

By Associated Press. WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY Northwest of Verdun, Oct. 21.—Captain Grant, former third baseman of the New York National league club and attached to the 10th Infantry, was killed by a shell while leading a unit to the aid of the famous "Lost Battalion." The battalion was surrounded for five days in Argonne forest and Captain Grant was killed during one of the attempts to reach it.

FUNERAL OF MRS. FORD HELD THIS AFTERNOON

Funeral services for Mrs. W. H. Ford, who died Saturday night at her home at the Hines chapel at 3 o'clock this afternoon, Rev. S. A. Barnes officiating.

BELIEVE DALLAS DISTRICT HAS REACHED QUOTA

Special to The Times. DALLAS, Tex., Oct. 21.—Final figures for the Liberty Loan will not be ready for several days, but indications are that a magnificent effort was made Saturday to put the district over the top and it is possible that we have reached our goal, said J. W. Hoopes today.

EPISCOPAL BISHOP DIES AT PARIS RESIDENCE

By Associated Press. PARIS, Oct. 21.—(Havas)—Monsignor Grunwald, bishop of Nancy since 1882, is dead at the Episcopal residence there. He was born in 1828.

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Serum Efficiency In Preventing and Curing Influenza

The latest issue of the "Journal" published by the American Medical Association contains the following discussion on the use of vaccines and serums for preventing and curing Spanish influenza. Local physicians who are constantly being consulted as to the efficiency of such methods, are citing this article as the basis for opinion.

"With the appearance of the epidemic of influenza, reports began to appear, chiefly in newspapers, as to new serums, drugs and other methods for checking and even for curing the disease. In Massachusetts, Commissioner E. R. Kelly appointed a committee to investigate the value of influenza vaccines as a preventive agent and as a treatment of the disease. The first committee, a special board for scientific investigation, consisting of Dr. A. J. Rosenau, chairman, and Frederick P. Gay and George W. McCoy, was appointed to consider the evidence available on the present and prospective use of vaccines against influenza. This committee presented the following conclusions:

1. The evidence at hand affords no trustworthy basis for regarding preventive vaccination against influenza as of value in preventing the spread of the disease, or of reducing its severity in children. 2. The evidence at hand convinces the board that the vaccines which have been considered have no specific value in the treatment of influenza. 3. There is evidence that no unfavorable results have followed the use of the vaccines.

Another Report Made. The second committee, known as the Special Board of Statistical Investigation, consisted of Dr. George C. Whipple, chairman, William H. Davis and F. C. Crum. This committee reported:

1. The weight of such statistical evidence as we have been able to accumulate indicates that the use of the influenza vaccine which we have investigated is without curative benefit. Exceptional cases where apparent benefit has resulted from the use of the vaccine can be matched by other cases where similar recoveries have been made without vaccination. 2. The statistical evidence, as far as it goes, indicates a probability that the use of this influenza vaccine has some preventive value. 3. There is also some evidence to the effect that other methods of protection, such as open-air treatment and the use of proper masks, are effective in protecting exposed attendants, and the use of vaccine should not be taken as an excuse for omitting such safeguards.

As a result, the following recommendations were made: "That the state encourage the distribution of influenza vaccine intended for preventive use, but in such manner as will secure scientific evidence of the possible value of the agent. The use of such vaccine is to be regarded as experimental. "That the state shall neither furnish nor endorse any vaccine at present in use for the treatment of influenza. "These reports are conservative, and offer to other health commissioners and their communities a reliable guide as to procedures that should be adopted before subjecting or trying out on the public any method of prevention or treatment that may be offered. These matters are the domain of medical science, and medical scientists of recognized ability should be called on to make the decision.

MR. AND MRS. JOLLY BUY \$8500 OF BONDS HERE

The \$1500 subscription to the Fourth Liberty Loan made by Mr. and Mrs. Jolly of Wichita county, is the largest of the total amount of their subscriptions in Wichita county to the four war bonds issued by the government at \$500.

Humble Company Finds Dry Sand At Fourteen Hundred

The Humble Oil and Refining Company found a dry sand at about 1400 feet in its well on the H. C. Herndon tract northwest of Burk Burnett. The sand was tested Saturday and found to be dry. Drilling is to be resumed for the Fowler sand.

Oil and Gas Leases. H. F. Mitchell, J. B. Davidson, W. N. White, W. M. Nabors to Laclede Oil Co. 25 acres of C.T.R.R. Co. survey and being west half of block 8 of Subdivision of East Rexford Farm, \$5000.

High Grade Oil Co. to H. F. Mitchell, W. N. White, J. B. Davidson, W. M. Nabors. 25 acres of C. T. R. R. Co. survey No. 2 west 1/2 of block 8 Rexford Farm \$6000.

Marriage License. James W. Price of Fort Worth and Evelyn M. King of Holliday, Texas. Deeds Filed for Record. W. Newton Maer to Humbert Vaekler, lots 9 and 10 block 59, Floral Heights, \$1500.

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Mrs. Mark Walker Dies of Pneumonia At Family Home

After only a brief illness with pneumonia, developed from influenza, Mrs. Mark Walker died early this morning at her home, 2702 Ninth. Mrs. Walker became ill about a week ago when she had brought her five year old daughter through an attack of the influenza and her condition did not become critical until a few days before her death. She was young-a daughter of Mrs. A. D. Anderson, and had made Wichita Falls her home for the past sixteen years. Besides her mother, one sister, Mrs. Bruce Greenwood, 1710 11th street, her husband and three children, Mark, age seven, Leona, age 5, and Mary Ann, age fourteen months, are left. Outside the immediate family Mrs. J. A. Kemp, an aunt, and several cousins all of Wichita Falls, survive. Mrs. Anderson was born in Clifton, Texas, in 1888, and came to Wichita Falls with her parents in 1900. After attending school at the Academy of Mary Immaculate, she took a course at St. Mary's in Dallas, finishing with a musical course in New York city. In June 1910 she was married to Mark Walker, of the Cravens, Walker Co., for years one of Wichita Falls most popular and successful insurance men. She was a member of the Church of the Holy Spirit and one of the most devoted and efficient young women in the city. She was unusually devoted to her children and loved to see them grow up and prosper. Her death was a great loss to her family and to the community.

GERMANS PREPARING TO WITHDRAW FROM FRANCE

By Associated Press. WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY Northwest of Verdun, Oct. 21.—When the German government on October 12 told President Wilson that it was ready to comply with the proposition of the President concerning evacuation of the German army, the country has been the result of causing an other industry to flourish. Fishermen report catches of shrimp near Corpus Christi has been heavier lately than in many years. Recently 60,000 pounds of seafood was caught in one night and sold to the market for one night for the sum of \$50. Fishermen find a ready market for all shrimp they can catch and receive a dollar per pound. Large shipments has been made to St. Louis, San Antonio, Austin, Dallas, Oklahoma City, Houston and other points.

CATCHING SHRIMP IS PROFITABLE OCCUPATION

By Associated Press. CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex., Oct. 21.—Recent rains in the Gulf Coast country has been the result of causing an other industry to flourish. Fishermen report catches of shrimp near Corpus Christi has been heavier lately than in many years. Recently 60,000 pounds of seafood was caught in one night and sold to the market for one night for the sum of \$50. Fishermen find a ready market for all shrimp they can catch and receive a dollar per pound. Large shipments has been made to St. Louis, San Antonio, Austin, Dallas, Oklahoma City, Houston and other points.

SAN ANGELO COUNTRY HAS GOOD RAINS

By Associated Press. SAN ANGELO, TEX., Oct. 21.—Rains that began falling last night in a dozen counties within a hundred mile radius of here had spread this morning to a larger territory and very heavy rains were reported as far south as Red Rio and north in Tom Green, Crockett and Glasscock counties. At Sterling City a deluge of four inches swelled the north Concho river fifteen feet, the highest stage reached in nearly twenty years. The moisture will erase a large vestige of drought in some sections. Other sections however need rain.

Ozona Drought Broken.

By Associated Press. DALHART, TEX., Oct. 21.—A severe drought has been broken here by a general rain throughout Crockett county. Two inches have fallen and the rain continues.

Half Inch Rain at Dalhart.

DALHART, TEX., Oct. 21.—A general rain fell over this section last night. One half inch was recorded here.

LEGAL NOTICES

Notice by Guardian of Application For Mineral Lease of Real Estate of Ward. In guardianship of Arwin Griffin, et al, minors. No. 798. In the county of Wichita, Texas. Notice is hereby given that I, Mrs. Nora Griffin, guardian of the estate of Arwin Griffin, minors, have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the county judge of Wichita county, Texas, authorizing me as guardian of the estate of said wards to make a mineral lease of oil and gas lease upon such terms and conditions as the court may order and direct of the following described real estate belonging to the estate of said wards: An undivided 3-8 interest in and to Lot No. Fifteen in Block No. Twenty-Six in the town of Burk Burnett, Wichita county, Texas, and which application will be heard by the county judge at the court house in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, on the 26th day of October A. D. 1918.

MRS. NORA GRIFFIN, Guardian of the estate of Arwin Griffin, et al, minors. 156-7to

BREVITIES

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Parizer have returned from San Antonio where they were cared by the illness of their son, Ruyle, who has been seriously ill with influenza. They left him convalescent.

Funeral services for T. R. Williams, who died last week in Shreveport, La., were held this afternoon from the Mill chapel at four-thirty this afternoon.

The body of Miss Wynne will be held all day Tuesday out of respect to N. W. Kraft, member of the company, whose wife died at their home in Amarillo last week.

Mrs. A. A. Young has returned from Sherman where she attended the funeral of her niece, Miss Lynette Moore, who died at that place last week.

GREEKS FROM MACEDONIA FORCED TO BUILD TRENCHES

By Associated Press. SALONIKI, Sunday, Oct. 20.—Greeks from eastern Macedonia who were taken from their homes by the Bulgarians and sent to the neighborhood of Kiopekto, Serbia, during the war, are arriving here from their liberation by the Allies. They say that they were forced to construct trenches along the Serbian front and were under fire much of the time. Not only the men but women and children were under shell fire from the Allied artillery at times.

During the occupation of Greek Macedonia, tens of thousands of persons were deported and many of them have died from their harrowing experiences.

Dr. J. S. Nelson, Dentist, 308 First National Bank. Phone office 586. 135-26tp

TIMES SPECIAL CARRIER SERVICE

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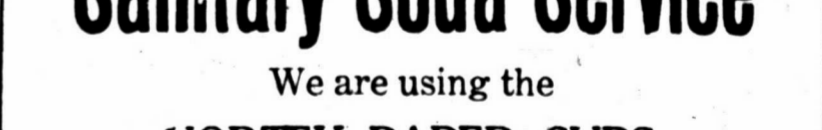
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