FRENCH ADVANCE:

BERLIN ADMITS

Further Gain of Territory in Cham-

pague Announced by Paris,

While Germans Say Hill

171 Taken.

121 Field Guns and Heavy

Pieces.

mans lost Hill No. 191.

"Western theater: Yesterday the enemy

ur lines only in the Champagne region.

small sections. Fighting continues.

prisoners and destroyed the others,

we forced the enemy back into the

"Army of Prince Leopold: Enemy at-

'Army of Field Marshal Von Macken-

"Army of General Von Linsingen: On

Forty-Six Hundred

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.-That wireless

Miles by Wireless

en: The situation is unchanged.

About 806 prisoners were taken.

Voice Transmitted

planes were shot down,"

South of Dvinsk,

of Massiges.

nent follows:

was blown up.

progressed slowly.

easily repulsed.

"Eastern theater:

SUNDAY REVIVAL HERE HALF OVER; SYRACUSE NEXT Scenes of Confusion at Reception

Campaign in Omaha Will Come to an End on Sunday, October Twenty-Fourth.

MANY THOUSANDS LISTEN TO HIM

Addresses Four Hundred Thousand and Gets Twenty-Six Hundred Trail-Hitters.

CRITICISES CHURCH ARISTOCRAT

PRIDAY MEETINGS

10 a. m .- Neighborhood prayer meetinge. 11 s. m. to 2 p. m .- Business women's

Miss Miller. 12 noon-Shop meetings. 2 p. m .- Sunday at the Tabernacle. 3:45 p. m .- Boys' and girls' meeting,

Bluffe, Miss Gamlin. 4 p. m.-Bible study for school teach- burgh, and Captain Patrick Coney of ers and others, First Methodist churen, Topeka. Miss Saxe.

4:30 p. m .- Boys' and girls' meeting,

Miss Miller. 7:30 p. m .- Bunday at the Tabernacle.

Bluffs, Miss Gamlin. 8 p. m .- Bible class. First Congrega-

tional church, Council Bluffs, Miss Baxe.

At the close of yesterday afterteen and a half week days were past lances.

cured 2,657 trail hitters, besides as Policemen guarding the gates refused many more boys and girls. Many to honor any but those having badges thousands had been reached in scores ments had been made. Added confusion of other meetings throughout Greater resulted from souvenir ribbons of the Omaha and Council Bluffs.

referring to the time it has taken them to learn to make good bread and ples, the ribbons bake bread, but I can fry beefsteak and everything like that."

at case among the cushions once a week and going through the religious forms. "Billy" was in a frenzy of denunciation against such and there was many a true," from people in the audience.

Too Many Sellers of Rhetoric. "Too many preachers in modern and States. so-called 'aristocratic' churches degenerate into mere sellers of rhetoric," said. "They smooth down the stubble of God's demands. They go through the empty forms. They tell their gangs the things they want to hear and are very cautious to say nothing that might offend the bunch. They have to do it to hold their Jobs."

He referred to the rugged and active do something for sinners."

"I'll follow you, Jesus, even if You tell

me to crawl into a coffin," he said. "I'll Army of the Republic at Minden in May some dance."

from Chicago, was introduced by "Rody" ing of Captain C. E. Adams of Superior, and sang a song. He is en route to York chairman; Judge Lee Estelle, P. H. Wilto take part in a revival.

The Weather

l'emperature at Omaha Yesterday.



Comparative Local Record.

Highest yesterday. Lowest yesterday. Mean temperature Temperature and precipitation ures from the normal

Station and State Tem
of Weather.
Cheyenne, clear
Davapport clear
Denver, clear
Den Moines, cloudy
archerical action
Orch Pintte slear
Omaha, cloudy
Pueblo, chai

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Sept. 18.-Governor Spry has just announced that president has not been given out.

CRUSH NEAR PANIC AT VETERAN MEET

by President of Union Soldiers.

CAMPAIGN ON FOR PENSIONS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30,-Colonel David J. Palmer, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, announced today that the organiza-

tion was to make an effort to secure "proper" pensions for civil war

Lieutenant General Nelson A. Miles deprecated the fact that many of the veterans were forced to stand for several hours before they took their places in the parade yesterday, which meeting and lunch, 1809 Farnam street, resulted in many cases of exhaustion. Only four nominations for commanderin-chief were made at today's business session. They were Elias H. Montfort, Cincinnati, and Frank G. Cole, Jersey First Presbyterian church, Council City, between whom the election is said to rest, and William J. Patterson, Pitts-

A formal invitation was extended at the meeting today for the veterans to Pirst Christian church, Council Bluffe, attend the laying of the cornerstone of the great memorial to the soldier dead 4:18 p. m .- Commercial High school at the Arlington National cemetery toand business college girls, T. W. C. A., morrow. President Wilson will lay the torner stone and Commander-in-Chief Palmer will speak. The memorial, which 7:30 p. m .- Meeting for young people, congress appropriated \$750,000 for, is ex-First Presbyterian church, Council pected to be completed for dedication on

Memorial day, 1917, Scenes of confusion surrounded the White House for nearly half an hour today while several thousand members of the Grand Army of the Republic and At the close of yesterday after-allied organizations sought to gain ad-moon's tabernacle meeting the Sun-mittance to the east room to shake hands day campaign in Omaha was exactly with the president. Several persons half over. Four Sundays and seven- fainted and were taken away in ambu-

Arrangements had been made for the and four Sundays and seventeen and officers of the union army, members of a half week days were to come. The the Loyal Legion, ex-prisoners of the civil campaign will end Sunday, October war and members of the Women's Relief corps to meet the president. The report became prevalent that everyone connected Y., will open the following Sunday, with the various Grand Army of the Re-At this half-way point Mr. Sunday public organizations would be received. All the gates of the White House grounds were besteged, the crowds extending several blocks.

Women's Relief corps, bearing the pic-Discussing the length of time required ture of the chairman of the local citito build a good sermon, "Billy" won the zens' committee worn by many men, who hearts of the women in the audience by believed the ribbons gave them admiselon. Some said they paid 25 cents for

I can seek, too," he chuckled. "I can't Secretary Tumulty heard of the difficulties and instructed the police to allow members of all bodies allied with the The sermon was an arraignment of these who are asleep in the churches, who think Christianity consists in sitting at each among the cushions once a week Army of the Republic commander-inchief, introduced the former officers to

the president. In a short address Colonel Torrance tor J. D. Brown of Leon, Ia. assured the president that the members warm "amen" and "yes, yes, that's of the Grand Army of the Republic stood solidly behind him in his conduct of the foreign affairs of the United

Omaha Loses Chance To Entertain G. A. R.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Sept. 30 .- (Special Telegram.)-Omaha today lost a golden opportunity to entertain the Grand Army religion of Phillips Brooks, the great of the Republic next year. Up to the Episcopal clergyman, and said, "If they last moment of voting by the national all had as much religion as he had they'd encampment it was hoped by the friends of the Gate City a proposition would be "Billy's" closing prayer was an inti- received from Omaha inviting the vetmate conversation with Jesus, in which erans of the civil war to meet in the midhe even chuckled as he said, in referring | west, and everybody seemingly was ready to those who do no work in saving to vote for the city which only for a others, "You bet, you never shirked that tornado would have entertained the national encampment three years ago. "At the state encampment of the Grand

follow You to the graveyard. I won't do of this year," said Department Comas some do, sing 'Where He Leads I'll mander Humphrey tonight, "we unani-Follow, and then the next day go off to mously endorsed Omaha for the national encampment of 1916. As department com-J. Q. Brown, an evangelistic singer mander I appointed a committee consistcox, Andrew Trainor and Jonathan Edwards to wait upon the Commercial club and other civic organizations for the purpose of ascertaining whether Omaha would like to entertain the Grand Army of the Republic. Nothing came of the suggestion to meet in Omaha next year. No interest was shown on the part of the city, and today with Illinois, Pennsylvania. Ohio wanting to go to Omaha, was compelled to vote for Kansas City, which became a candidate this morning. My judgment is that Omaha lost its supreme opportunity in not asking the mem bers of the Grand Army of the Republic to be its guests next year."

Directory to Show 200,000 Population

directory of Greater Omalia do be issued. The numerical streets, which excend into South Omaha, will be numbered from Dodge, and all numbers on houses and business places of the South Side will have to be changed in accordance with the new plan. The names of several streets on the South Side have also been changed. All of Dursies will appear in Silence. No one joined him.

The vote was loud and enthusiastic.

the recognition of Greater Const. Mr. Thumpson says he already is sure that Omaha is in the 200,000 class.

HILLSTROM REPRIEVED UNTIL OCTOBER 16

he has granted Hillstrom a reprieve until Telegram.)-Rain interferred with the October 16, 1916, out of courtesy to Presi- county fair this afternoon. John L. dent Wilson. Hillstrom has been notified. Kennedy of Omaha gave an adres on the The text of the governor's message to the development and improvement of the

"BILLY'S" LAUGH IS A HEARTY ONE, and he knows how to make the best use of it when he has told a good



"TREASON!" CRIES FARMER DELEGATE

Session Waxes Exceedingly Warm Highway Run in Connection with Over Endorsing Foreign Policy of President Wilson.

The ugly word rang through the Wednesday 3,650

of Silver Creek, Neb., by State Sena-

Brown is a veteran of the civil war Wooster is a farmer who raises huge ters to the letter columns of the hence. newspapers on all subjects from astronomy to invasions of Berlin.

The fight occurred over the proposed esolution to commend the foreign policy of President Wilson. Following is the resolution as it was in-

troduced and as it was finally adopted after the fight: "Resolved, That this congress commends the foreign policy of President

American nation during one of the most critical and trying periods of its history, "Resolved, That we express absolute onfidence in his courage, patriotism and din'omatic ability.

Resolved. That we offer him our loyal support in his efforts to protect the rights of American citizens and to maintain the impartial neutrality of this na-

Wanted Part Stricken Out. No sooner was it introduced than Charles Wooster wanted to amend by striking out the last paragraph.

"Wilson has not protected the lives American citizens" was Wooster's pr was Wooster's protest. "He ordered them out of Mexico when they were in danger and when they refused to so he did not give them protection. Late, he tried to plunge the country into war by the occupation of Vera Crus. He does not represent the American ppyth."

Wooster and still raving when Senator Brown of lows got up and exhibited his Grand Army button on the lapel of his "I fought four years in the civil war."

"I was not for Wilson at the election and did not vote for him. I was proud that 1 did not. But, gentlemen, he is our president and it is the duty of every citizen to stick by him now. These are treasonable untterances that have been heard here. If this man don't like

Not One Joins Wooster. The vote on the resolution was called

Wooster was again on his feet demanding a roll call on the vote. As it rebring about a roll call Wooster made quires the demand of five persons to

the new dieser.

Charles 1. It memor, manager of the Charles 1. It makes adopted and equally unanimous, for Wooster response to the superstance of the control of the contr and equally unanimous, for Wooster re-Rural finances as affecting agriculture was the subject then taken up by a num ber of speakers with discussions fol-

lowing. KENNEDY MAKES SPEECH AT GAGE COUNTY FAIR

BEATRICE, Neb., Sept. 36.-(Special

KING AK BACK WITH SOME BIG DOINGS

Fall Festivities Opens with Crowds Present.

WILSON IS FINALLY ENDORSED MERRY-MAKING IS UNDER WAY

CARNIVAL ATTENDANCE.

Farm congress at the Hotel Rome As they say in advance of Jingling North of Massines, Hill No. 191, which ville and Nashville tracks three miles Bros., "bigger and better than ever was very much exposed to the enemy's north of this city. It was directed at Charles Wooster before!" And this time it's true.

The King's Highway blossomed and mining engagements of varying inforth last evening in one of the tensity took place. most complete opening nights of all who marched and fought for years. carnival history—and a crowd that marshes and lakes to the east of Wessuentered into the festival spirit that lovo. Our cavalry engagements in the crops of ink with which to write let- would do credit to the affair a week region of Postawy were successful.

as has ne'er been seen on its expanse.

Everyone appeared to be delighted with the new location, which is in the heart of the hotel district, and on a level Wilson while standing at the head of the stretch. This particular seemed to strike the out-of-town visitors who have come to Omaha in seasons past and are here now.

For the start of the merrymaking it is doubtful, if ever, has the carnival grounds the job, without any practice.

they're the very essence of delight. Everything from Alaska on a six by six wagon frame to the "girl in the auto. This young and beautiful woman whirls around a circular track at the rate of something over ninety-nine and seveneighths miles an hour, standing out like the skirts on great-grandmother's hoops in operation. A terrific engine of speed, painted vividly, rests in front of this breath-bottling attraction, almost an ex-

cifiets and laws of gravity. The Hippodrome contains wild beasts. including the "hot dog," one of the most horrible brutes in captivity. Other little things, such as lying lions, panting panthers and leperous leopards entertain the awe-struck populace.

After seeing the ferocious animals one can get far from the jungle by passing "Through the Panama Canal." which is this country let him get out of it and in miniature of the big ditch is there. Or go where it suits him better. I am if you wish to put still more territory between you and the beasts, you can fourney to the opposite side of the Hippodrome and embark on "A Trip to

> Visit to Mars. Once on the planet you will receive many little novelties which will delight your partner-and, perhaps-also you

Big Ak-Sar-Ben Special

Place Your Order Now

convention hall of the National . "Back again! The big show is on!" the front near Massignes broke down feet of water is reported over the Louis-

the enemy position by storm. One thou-This year the carnival grounds are sand prisoners, including seven officers on Fifteenth street, from Howard to were taken and six cannon and four ma-Jones, and the length of King Ak- chine guns were captured. South of Smorgon the battle continues. Sar-Ben's Broadway is a blaze of lights, song, music and confetti, such tacks against many sections of the front were repulsed with sanguinary losses.

driven back in an easterly direction.

been as well prepared for the king's subjects. The booths are fully decorated and manned with crews that are hep to

Some Shows There. As for the shows! La, me! Why, act duplicate of the fourteen-cylinder "Bearkat" in which the girl annoys pa-

A little farther along is a place called the "Arabian Nights," in which beautiother at Wilmington, Del., 20 miles apart. (Continued on Page Two, Column Three.)

> **UPON SERIOUS CHARGE** The Bee's (From a Staff Correspondent) brought back from Omaha today by a mber of the sheriff's office to answer entered please of not guilty, the wife to fair at this place. the charge of being an accessory, and their bond was fixed at \$1,000, which Mil-Next Sunday ler's mother will furnish.

Pearl Harbor station.

YOUNG PHYSICIAN HELD

Miller is a physician just out of school, looking for a location. He and his wife lived next door to the Dishers for a short

TWENTY-FOUR ARE REPORTED DEAD IN LOUISIANA STORM

LOSS OF GROUND Seven or Eight White Persons and Several Negroes Victims of High Waters at Frenier.

Heavy Damage Done at New Orleans, According to Latest News from There. THIS IS IMPORTANT POSITION

MANY ARE NOW MAROONED Republican Soldiers Have Captured

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 30 .-Seven or eight white persons and GREAT BATTLE STILL RAGES a score more injured at Frenier, La., in yesterday's storm, according to reports to the office of the general su-PARIS, Sept. 30 .- A further gain perintendent of the Yazoo & Missisof ground in Champagne to the north sippi Valley railroad here today.

of Mesnil is recorded in the French The news came from Superintendent official communication tonight, T. E. Hill at McComb City, Miss., who miles northeast of Arras. The capwhich adds that on the Champagne also stated that fifty or sixty persons, front alone since September 25 field some of them injured, were marooned on box cars and immediate help was guns and heavy pieces to the number needed. Miles of roadway had been of 121 have been captured by the washed away by the wind driven waves from Lake Pontchartrain, the message stated.

MOBILE, Ala., Sept. 20.-With every BERLIN, Sept. 30 .- (Via Lon- telephone and telegraph wire to the don.) - Loss of another position in westward prestrated by the West Indian France to the allies as a result of the storm, Mobile today was without information as to the extent of damage at great battle now in progress, is an- Coden, Bayou La Batre, Gulfport, Pass nounced in the official statement Christian and other points along the gulf, from the war office today. The Ger- Three families are reported missing at Crab Creek.

Although Mobile escaped the full force Hill No. 191 is a position in the of the hurricane a furious southeast gale Champagne region north of the town swept this city and adjacent territory practically the entire night, attaining a velocity of sixty miles an hour. The text of the German official state-

Timely warning by the government weather bureau prevented material damage to the water crafts. One launch craft. A few days of clear, dry ontinued its attempts to break through may be lost and three coal barges were set adrift. Practically the entire waterfront of the

South of the Menin-Ypres road a position occupied by two English companies city was flooded as a result of the unusually high tide. Citizens were com-"North of Loos our counter attack pelled to use wagons and boats in order Southeast of Souches the French suceeded in penetrating our lines in two being two to three feet under water. Several families are reported missing "A French attack south of Arras was along the nearby coast.

The storm did little damage at the Battles between Rheims and the Arresorts along the east shore of Mobile gorne were very bitter. South of St. bay.

Marie-Py an enemy brigade broke The coast guard cutter Tallapoosa through our outer lines of trenches. Our which remained on duty in the harbor reserves in counter attack captured 800 throughout the night, reports that there have been no advices of distressed ship-"All French attacks between the Somm-

1915.
S,201 fered heavy losses.

Early today a strong enemy attack on the tracks are reported washed out. Three the tracks are reported over the Louis-Storm Central in Mississippi. "On the other front artillery duels WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 30 .- The

West Indian hurricane was centered over the interior of Mississippi this morning, but it had greatly diminished in force. The storm, however, is not over, as it their knock to get into the automomaintains considerable intensity and is bile. Before the father could load his causing general rain throughout the south Atlantic and eastern gulf states the road. "East of Smorgon we broke through and Tennessee.

During the night it caused winds of hurricane force on the middle gulf coast and the weather bureau orgered a coninuance of storm warnings along the gulf coast from Mobile to Cedar Keys, Fla., and on the Atlantic coast from Jacksonville to Wilmington, N. C.

Indications are that the storm is mor ing in a northeasterly direction, and that it will cause rains during the next thirty-six hours everywhere east of the Misthe upper Kormin the Russians were sisippi river, except in the upper lake regions.

No official reports had reached the weather bureau from New Orleans since 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, but other advices indicated that the storm had almost abated there.

LIBRARIANS SPEND BUSY DAY WHILE TALKING SHOP

FREMONT, Neb., Sept. 30 .- (Special elephone communication from the At. Telegram.)-Dr. S. M. Crothers of Harvard madethe efature address before the antic seaboard to Hawati, a distance of Nebraska Library association at the eve 4.600 miles, is now an accomplished fact ning session today. Dr. Crothers spoke on was announced today at the offices of "A Literary Clinic." The day session conthe American Telephone and Telegraph sisted of talks by librarians in attendance and the discussion of matters of inter-Exceeding even in success the transest to librarians. mission of the human voice from Arling-

Charles Arnot of Scribner, formerly ton to Mare Island, Cal., a distance of county superintendent of Dodge county 3,500 miles, accomplished last night, it was the principal speaker at the forenoon was stated that subsequent experiments session. Mr. Arnot urged the library trus had resulted in successful telephone comtees to take more interest in the work munication between Arlington and the of the librarians and co-operate with naval radio station at Pearl harbor, Hathem, to the end of getting better results. Members of boards of trustees who refuse The distance over which this wireless communication was held is greater than give way to someone else who will atto attend the meetings should resign and the distance from New York to London. Paris, Berlin or Rome. The voice had

Other speakers on the program today to travel over the whole of the United were: Miss Zora Shields of Omaha, who States, a distance of 3,500 miles, before it talked on "The Development of L brary encountered the more simple wireless Taste." "Modern Poetry was the subject conditions which exist over large bodies assigned to Miss Ione Armstrong, libraof water. For the purpose of this test rian at Council Bluffs, Miss Annie C it was stated that the receiving was done Kramph of North Platte spoke on "The on small wireless antennae erected by Library as a Social Center. engineers of the telephone company by At noo nthe delegates were guests of

permission of the naval authorities in the the Commercial club and members of the library board at luncheon. An automobile Th experiments, it was explained at the ride about the city as guests of the offices of the company, are the success- Commercial club followed. The convention ful culmination of a series of tests be- will close tomorrow forenoon with the gun last spring with an experimental election of officers. tower erected at Montauk Point and an-

Killed in Auto on Way to County Fair

BEATRICE, Neb., Sept. 30 -- John Truto LINCOLN, Sept. 30.-(Special.)-Dr. of Elk Creek was killed and four other Raymond Miller and his wife were men injured, one of them, Joseph Schultz, probably fatally, today, when the auto mobile in which they were driving turned to a charge of a criminal assault on 15- over in a ditch near the town of Virginia. year-old Buth Disher. Miller and his wife. The men were on their way to the county

> Guilty of Causing Her Death. CLEARWATER Ia. Sept. 29.—J. J. Mendenhall, orange grower and mill owner, was found guilty here today of causing the death of Mlas Susie Elliott whose body was found in the ruins of Mendenhall's burned automobile near here July 12 The jury recommended

LENS OBJECTIVE POINT OF GREAT BATTLE IN WEST

Capture of This Town with Its Radiating Railroads Would Open the Way to an Attack on Lille.

ALLIES HOLD CREST NEAR LENS

Germans Believed to Be Making Counter Attack to Recover This Position.

seventeen negroes were drowned and GENERAL MOVEMENT EXPECTED

BULLETIN. LONDON, Sept. 50.-The great struggle on the western front has now resolved itself clearly into a battle for Lens, in Pas De Calais, nine ture of this town, with its radiating railways, would bring into the fore-

ground the possibility of retaking

Both north and south of Lens, the allies hold high ground dominating the town--the British on Hill No. 70, the French on Hill No. 140, the high crest between Souchez and Vimy. The official report from Paris last night said merely that this crest had been reached so that presumably a terrific counter attack is raging there today, with final mastery of this important position at stake. Rain, fog and soggy ground have been hampering both the contenders and limiting the activities of airweather might have a marked effect

on developments. Offensive Thirty Miles Long. The offensive of the alites thus far has been confined to stretches of the to reach offices and business houses in front amounting to less than thirty the inundated section, some of the streets miles in all. The general belief in England is that these attacks are only the prelude to what is coming. At any rate the public would be disappointed if the

movement were not sustained. There is the usual speculation as to the shifting of German forces from the east to the west, although anything like reliable information is lacking, against the report that some Prussian (Continued on Page Seven, Column One.)

Py-Souain high road and the Challerange-St-Menehoud railway were repulsed partly yesterday after bitter hand to hand fighting, in which the enemy suffered heavy losses. The strict to the southward have been annulled and at Blioxi and southward by Four Armed Me by Four Armed Men

CISICAGO, Ili., Sept. 30.-Marguerite Grosiano, 12, caughter of Viao Grosiano, a wealthy farmer and contractor of Harvard, Ill., near here, was kidnaped here last night by four armed men, who escaped in an automobile. The drove the car up to the door of Grosiano's home and at the point of rifles The storm, however, is not over, as it their knock to get into the automocommanded the girl, who responded to

> Posses were sent throughout the surrounding country, but Grosiano was unable to furnish the authorities with a definite description of the car.

> "They took my daughter for ransom," he said. "It's some fellows who have a grudge against me. They want money. I'll get a letter in a few days."

President Hands Out Land Office Places

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Sept. 20 .- (Special Telegram.) - President Wilson today appointed the following registers and receivers for the land offices in Nebraska: Broken Bow-Ross J. Moore, register; John R. Robinson, receiver, North Platte-E. J. Eames, register; Arnold F. Beeler, receiver O'Neill-F. Campbell, register; James

THE WANT-AD-WAY

Valentine-J. D. Scott, register.

Quigley, receiver.



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Cheer up, boys, and smile a little; What's the use of looking sad; Better have a sinnce around you, See what's making business bad.

See your neighbor's business flourish, Eay! that fellow's got some nep; Ah! he uses See Want Ad service; Boys, you'll have to watch your step.

When a man is using want ads,
"He should worry," "he should fret,"
'Cause he's got great stuff to back him
Yes, the best that you can get. Use the classified want ads daily and attack to it. Don't let your competitor beat you to it. If husiness is good, keen it good with our help. If business is help boost it by the same method. We mill gladly assist you in the matter of wing wood ads.

Call Tyler 1000 now, and put your ad in

THE OMAHA BEEL,