Breslau, capital of Silesia, the city hall of which is here shown, is in some danger of being besieged by the Russians, and has been prepared for a stubborn defense.

GOVERNMENT OF C **BELGIUM LEAVES** CITY OF ANTWERP

German Demand for Surrender of the Temporary Capital Was Refused.

LONDON HEARS OF DISASTER

Unconfirmed Report That the City Had Been Taken by the Germans--Both Combatants Claim Victories | tance from it of eight kilometers." in East Prussia-Kaiser Will Attack England After Fall of Antwerp.

London, Oct. 10 .- It is reported here that Antwerp, after a terrific 48-hour bombardment by the Germans, has fallen. The Morning Post announces that it "has the information on good authority."

Neither the official press bureau sor Count de la Laing, Belgian minlater to Great Britain, has received confirmation of the report.

British re-enforcements, whose advance guard was reported to have arrived to the relief of Antwerp, have appeared and have effected a junction with the French at a town which cannot be revealed.

Refuse to Surrender City.

Antwerp after the garrison had refused a demand that it be surrendered. The commander of the German troops sent an officer under a white flag into the city to announce that the bombardment would begin unless the city was given up. The request was refused.

Immediately after the decision of the Belgians was announced the temmoved to Ostend, and an exodus of the people began.

The permanent capital, Brussels, is held by the Germans.

Death and destruction are carried into Antwerp not only by the siege guns, but also by a fleet of six Zeppelins, which circle high overhead, dropping bombs. These have destroyed, by some accounts, at least a score of houses, maining and killing the thirty or forty occupants.

London Is Without News.

London, Oct. 11.-Censorship of war news has become so strict that not one word regarding the fighting between the huge German and allies' armies in France has been given out by the British official bureau today.

In some quarters this is believed to presage a further slight advance by the allies. This belief comes from a similar situation just prior to the complete check of Von Kluck's army, which had reached a point 25 miles from Paris. At that time the lid was clamped down tight, but when the forward movement became an assured fact the censors permitted news to be given to the public.

Yesterday's news indicated that the allies were near victory, particularly in the northwestern area of the battle scarred district. The official communication from Paris this afternoon said the general situation had under- nounces the complete breakup of the gone no change. This would indicate Russian invasion of Hungary. The re- their aeroplanes have been lost."

that the expected retreat of the Ger- | cent attacks on Przemysl were remans had not materialized.

French Official War Report. The official communication given out by the French war office this aft-

ernoon says: "The general situation has under-

gone no change. "On our left wing the two opposing bodies of cavalry are still operating to the north of Lille and of La Basse and the battle continues along the line marked by the regions of Lens Arras, Bray-Sur-Somme, Chaulnes, Roye and Lassigny.

"On the center of the Oise and on the Meuse only actions of minor importance have been reported.

"On our right in the Woevre district there has been an artillery contest along the entire front.

"In Lorraine, in the Vosges, and in Alsace there has been no changes. "In Bosnia Montenegrin troops have continued their advance in the direction of Sarajevo as far as the fortified Little News of Battles in France line which protects the city at a dis-

Allies Repel Attack on Line.

On the Battle Front, via Paris, Oct. 10.—The fiercest fighting of the battle of seven rivers has occurred since Monday on the left wing of the allies. In the northerly position assumed by the rival armies on the extended lines, new cavalry forces hurled to Von Kluck's relief by the German general staff, heavily supported by infantry, have been hurled with terrifice force against the British and French lines, only to rebound from the vigor of the defense, in turn forced to suffer attack by the allies with equal determined energy.

At certain points the Germans were forced to recede, particularly north of Arras, where the situation developed in favor of the allies. The operations London, Oct. 9.—The heavy guns of of the German cavalry have become so the kaiser's troops were trained on extended as to reach almost to the sea coast.

Between the Somme and the Oise rivers the Germans are still in force, but the French have succeeded in retaking a number of positions which vacate. On the heights of the Meuse, Between Verdun and St. Mihiel, the and Alost. Germans are declared to have withporary capital of the nation was re- drawn to the north of Hattonchatel. The war office admits, however, that the enemy still holds the town of St. Mihiel and some of the positions to the north, on the right bank of the Meuse.

Report From Berlin.

Berlin, Oct. 9 .- Heavy fighting between great forces of cavalry continues at the western end of the battle line in France. Infantry figure in the conflict only occasionally. We took Doual from the French and they have been striving to drive us out for several days without success. We are making steady progress.

Both Claim Victories. Petrograd, Oct. 10.-The Russian northern army has occupied Lyck in East Prussia, according to an official

statement issued by the general staff. The German forces, which have been driven back during the three days' fighting, are concentrating in three defensive positions to the west | seldorf: and northwest of Suwalki in an effort to protect Marggrabowa, an important railroad center 15 miles north of Lyck, which commands lines of communication in all directions. The loss of this place, military experts say, would preclude further activity

in this region. Russians Repulsed, Austrian Claim. A wireless message from Berlin gives the following official statement: "The Austrian general staff an- of the gas of an airship.

pulsed with terrible loss to the enemy. "The Russians have been cleared from the Carpathians to the western ridge of Wynzkow. The Austrian troops have retaken Sziget, in Marmaros county, Hungary."

AFTER ANTWERP, ENGLAND.

Rome, via Paris, Oct. 10.-The war against Great Britain, according to German newspapers received here, will commence at the end of October, after Antwerp has fallen.

Belgium then will become the base of operations against Great Britain. the newspapers say.

They add that Admiral von Tirpitz, the minister of the navy, who is now at general headquarters with Emperor William, has announced that he will go aboard the flagship of the German fleet and direct the operations of the

GENERAL WAR NEWS

London, Oct. 10.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company says: "The Belgian government has addressed to the neutral powers a vehement protest against the action of Germany in monopolizing all the foodstuffs found in Brussels and its envious and reducing the native population to famine."

Berlin, Oct. 8.-The forty-third German casualty list has been made public. It contains 10,600 names in dead. wounded and missing. It is headed by the name of Major General von Walter, who was wounded at Tarnovka. Russian Poland, September 9.

New York, Oct. 7 .- Canada is willing and able to furnish 500,000 picked men to fight against Germany if the British government needs them, according to Col. Sam Hughes, the Canadian minister of militia, who sailed for England today on the steamer

Folkestone, via London, Oct. 6.-The number of Belgian refugees arriving here is steadily increasing, more than they previously had been forced to two thousand landing today. Many of these refugees came from Malines

Peking, Oct. 10.-The Japanese have mounted siege guns on Prince Henry mountain, which entirely dominates all three of the Tsing Tao forts, according to advices reaching Peking today from Kiauchau. These forts are named Bismarck, Moltke, and Iltis, and are between three and four miles from the mountain. The attack on Tsing Tao may begin any day. Prior to it a demand for the surrender of

the place will be made. Rome, via Paris, Oct. 9.—According to reports received at the Vatican. more than 63,000 ecclesiastics now are serving in different capacities with the armies in the field, especially with the Belgian, French and Austrian forces. Most of these clergymen are engaged in hospital work. They include seven bishops and 19 other prelates.

London, Oct. 10.-The following official statement was issued tonight covering an attack by a British air squadron on a German airship shed at Dues-

"The secretary of the admiralty announces that Squadron Commander Grey reports that, as authorized, he carried out with Lieut. R. L. G. Marix and Lieut. S. V. Zippe a successful attack on a Duesseldorf airship shed. "Lieutenant Marix's bombs, dropped from a height of 500 feet, hit the shed,

went through the roof, and destroyed a Zeppelin. Flames were observed 500 feet high, the result of the igniting "All three officers are safe, but

HOPE THIS WEEK END

LEADERS FIGURE ON CONGRESS CLOSING SATURDAY.

JAPAN GIVES ASSURANCES

Three Dead and Many Injured When Twenty Ton Rock Crushes Into Colorado

Train.

Western Newspaper Union News Service. Washington. - Administration leaders in congress are making every effort to wind up the long session by Saturday night, with assurances from the president that it will be unnecessary to return until the first Monday in December. While no new legislation is to be permitted, there is no certainty, however, that action on the war revenue bill can be completed within the week. When it has passed the senate, a conference will be necessary, and a prospect is that it will be October 20 before congress can ad-

Japan Gives Satisfactory Assurance.

Washington. - Satisfactory assurances have been received from Japan regarding her intentions in the war against Germany, according to statements made by President Wilson. The president said he had not followed the details of the Japanese explanations of the recent attack on German possessions in the Pacific. He indicated however, that nothing had occurred liable to cause concern on the part of the American government. China's protest to Japan against the seizure of the German owned Shan Tung railway in China is regarded by the state department officials as in harmony with the policy that country has pursued since hostile Japanese activities in the far east began.

Boulder Crashes Into Train.

Grand Junction, Colo.-H. R. Hollinsbury, Thomas Linkins and Harry Braddock were killed and fourteen were injured, several seriously, when a twenty-ton boulder, falling from a precipice, crashed into the day coach and smoker of a Denver & Rio Grande passenger train eighteen miles east of this city Sunday. The train was run-ning at high speed when a rock struck the coupling between the tender and smoker, parting the train. Before the automatic air brakes had brought the rear section to a stop, a huge boulder crashed upon the smoking car and day coach, shattering the roofs and crumpling the steel walls.

Fatally Stricken at Football Game. Lincoln, Neb .- Paul E. Yates of 2145 A street became suddenly ill while attending a football game on Nebraska field Saturday afternoon flicted painful wounds by biting. and died at 7:45 p. m. Sunday. He was attacked by uraemic poisoning boy, fell down the elevator shaft at while watching the game and became unconscious. He was rushed to St. Elizabeth's hospital and every effort made to combat the effects of the poisoning. He did not regain consciousness.

William Lorrimer Indicted.

Chicago.-William Lorimer, who was voted out of the United States senate after an investigation on the ground that he had not been legally elected, has been indicted in the federal court on a charge of misapplication of the funds of the LaSalle Street National bank, the forerunner of the defunct LaSalle Street Trust & Savings bank. Lorimer was president of both institu-

No Increase in Coal Rates.

Washington.-An advance of 20 cents a ton in the freight rate on bituminous coal from mines in the Illinois field to destinations in the middle west, of which Omaha, Neb., is typical, has been suspended by the interstate commerce commission until February 2, 1915, pending a general investigation.

Enjoins Strict Economy.

Washington.-Strict injunctions to practice economy during the coming year in view of the emergency situstion, were given by President Wilson to cabinet members who called to discuss with him their estimates, which are to be sent to the treasury.

The Fall of Antwerp.

London.-"The fall of Antwerp might be accurately dated midnight Thursday, though the burgomaster did not go out to surrender the city until 8 o'clock the next morning, and the Germans did not enter until noon," says a Morning Post correspondent in Belgium. "By midnight Thursday it was clear that further resistance to the attacking party was in vain, and the field forces and the garrison forces on our side began to be withdrawn to the west side of the river Scheldt."

Omaha Woman Wears Iron Ring. Omaha, Neb.-Wearing an iron ring, given her in exchange for a valuable opal set one, which she contributed to the war relief fund of the Austrian Silver Cross society in Vienna, where a charge at Columbus. she nursed wounded soldiers, Miss Eleanore Rentz has arrived in Omaha from a two-year stay abroad. She was formerly a teacher of piano at Brownell hall. "I gave gold for iron," is the inscription on Miss Rentz's iron ring. which she prizes highly.

BRIEF NEWS OF NEBRASKA

Friday is G. A. R. patriotic day in Alliance will have a council of the

boy scouts. York will hold her fall festival October 13 to 17.

Platte county has made great preparations for the fair this week.

The national dog races are being pulled off at Wymore this week. The exhibits at the Gage county fair far surpass those of any previous

The most successful celebration of Omaha's Ak-Sar-Ben closed Saturday night.

E. T. Hartley, a well known Nebraska educator, is dead at his home in Lincoln A system of union delivery has been

put into effect by the merchants of Fremont. The Hastings Chautauqua park has been secured for the big democratic

barbecue. During a storm last week hail stones over an inch in diameter fell at Col-

The attendance at Omaha's Ak-Sar-Ben this year has beat all records of previous years.

lege View.

Homes will be found at Tecumseb for a number of waifs brought from New York City.

J. F. Smith has been engaged as physical director of the Parish gymnasium at Ainsworth. A three days' session of the Men

nonite church will be held at Beatrice commencing October 28. Many Nebraska farmers are increasing their alfalfa acreage, finding

it a most valuable crop. C. F. Shaffer of Alliance was injured when his auto turned over on the road near Scottsbluff.

R. B. Jameson of Weeping Water shot an owl measuring four and a half feet from tip to tip of its wings. Beatrice is making arrangements to

properly care for the crowd expected at the poultry show to be held there this winter. Will Schellinger raised 900 bushels

of tomatoes on a two-acre patch near Nebraska City, and they netted him nearly \$300. A floating body found in the river at Rulo recently has been identified

as that of Fred Ogg, who was drowned at Stella in August. A district meeting of Odd Fellows will be held at Falls City, October 16. Nearly 200 delegates are expected

from over the district. At the home of William Hinrichsen, at Plattsmouth, is the unusual sight of an apple tree in full bloom for the

second time this year. Miss Sophia Teeters of Cedar Bluffs was nearly scalped when her hair got caught in the gear of a washing machine she was operating.

Rev. A. J. Hollingsworth, for several years pastor of the Christian church at Peru, has accepted the pastorate of

Temple church at Kansas City. Charles Selick of Weeping Water was severely injured when attacked by a horse which seized his arm and in

Eddy Clark, a 15-year-old Omahs the Ramge building at Omaha and received injuries from which he died later.

The Meyer jewelry store at Grand Island was burglarized, \$150 worth of goods being taken. No clue to the identity of the burglars has been secured.

Although bonds have been voted for the construction of a new electric light plant at North Bend, the town may purchase current from the Fre-

mont plant. The session of the Central Nebraska Poultry association, to be held at Kenesaw during the week of November 30, promises to be one of the most

interesting ever held by that body. Workmen excavating on the streets at Lincoln exhumed a headstone mark ing the grave of a little child, evidently buried by early settlers when the present site was a boundless

waste of barren prairie. Roy Haggerty was run over by an auto as he was on his return from school at Lincoln and seriously injured.

Rev. Charles Burns, pastor of the M. E. church at Western, has been assigned to the pastorate of the Cedar Bluffs church.

John J. Ryder of Omaha was reelected president of the league of American municipalities at its meet ing at Milwaukee.

Edith Shoff, a 16-year-old Wymore girl, suicided rather than face threat ened charges of an alleged exposure of a financial deal. William Hartman, an aged resident

of Beatrice, was badly beaten up by burglars who broke into his home. Sixty decorated autos were in the suffrage parade on old soldier's day

at the fall festival at Falls City. D. M. Amsbury, for twenty-five years publisher of the Broken Bow Repub lican, has sold out to C. E. Shea or Brainerd, who will turn it into a democratic organ.

Miss Eileen Kavanaugh of Columbus contracted diphtherla while in Omaha purchasing her wedding trousseau, from the effects of which she fied in less than a week.

Probation Officer Bernstein of Omaha has made an appeal to the public for funds with which to fight the traffic in cocaine.

Rev. Harry Huntington, pastor of the M. E. church at Pawnee City for several years, has been assigned to

Nebraska City is growing enthusiastic over the prospect of a horse shoe tournament in the near future. The first serious football injury to be reported in the state this season

occurred at Tecumseh when Frank

Morrissey suffered a fractured collar

bone while in practice.

Heavy Pasturing Condemned. Heavy pasturing of alfalfa is not dvised. The number of animals per acre should be so regulated that two or three small cuttings of hay may be taken from the field. This is necessary to insure tender green growth for grazing. When little buds begin to shoot at the base of the stalk the alfalfa should be cut. In a very few days a fresh new growth makes its appearance, Overpasturing, without occasional cutting, also tends to injure the crowns of the plant and eventually destroys the stand.

A Distinction.

The heathen in his blindness bowed down to wood and stone. "For shame!" cried the children of

light, and shuddered ostentatiously. Whereupon the heathen fell thoughtful. "Are wood and stone so much worse than a bit of bunting dyed in

divers colors?" he queried. "Don't get sarcastic, now!" warned the children of light. "We're not talking about patriotism, we're talking about religion!"

Przemysl.

We are indebted to a Pittsburgh contemporary, educated in a place where the smelting of races is going on, for the proper pronunciation of that Galician stronghold. It is to hold a "p" between your teeth while pronouncing "zhem," and at the psychological moment hook a "p" in the outer hook of the "z." Thus "Pzhemis-l." A cinch.—Syracuse Post-Standard.

Not Needed.

Two college students were arraigned before the magistrate, charged with hurdling the low spots in the road in their motor car. "Have you a lawyer?" asked the

magistrate. "We're not going to have any lawyer,' answered the elder of the students. "We've decided to tell the

Simple Cure.

truth."

Si Attica-Drinking is a mighty bad habit: it's easy enough to cure yourself, though. My brother had the drink habit and he cured himself just by walking.

Bi Heck-Wonderful! Si Attica—Yep. Every time he saw a saloon he just walked right past it.

His Escape.

The young man had threatened suicide if she rejected him. And although she did, he didn't.

"Why didn't he?" was asked. "Said he'd give his heart to her." "What's that got to do with it?" "Oh, he didn't have the heart to kill himself."

Strategy Illustrated. First Urchin-Say, Chimmie, wot's dis strategy t'ing dey talk about?

Second Urchin-Well, it's like dis: Supposin' yer run out of amminition an' yer don't want de enemy ter know it, den it's stratergy ter keep on fir-

An Exacting Leadership.

"I don't see why you should regard me as an enemy," said Senator Sorghum. "I have frequently shouted Votes for women."

"Yes," replied the resolute propagandist; "but you didn't shout loud enough.

Love and the Wolf.

At a dinner in Tonopah Senator Key Pittman, apropos of a rash elopement on the part of two young constituents, shook his head and said:

"Logs laughs at locksmiths. And later on, alas, my young friends will find the wolf doing the same thing."

The greatest pleasure some people seem to have is to keep other people from having any.

But even if you are able to convince a fool, what's the use?

Breakfasts of "Other Days"

ran something like this:

Ham, bacon or sausage; fried potatoes; doughnuts and coffee - prepared by overworked mothers.

Today's and Tomorrow's Breakfasts

run about like this:

Post **Toasties**

- with cream or fruits: a poached egg or two; crisp toast; and a cup of Postum a royal starter for any day.

Quick, easy to serve, appetizing, and -

"Mother" has it easier !

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