### Teutons Charge Prisoners Abused in France THE-OMAHA DAILY BEE WHEN AWAY FROM HOME THE WEATHER. The Bee is The Paper you ask for; if you plan to be absent more than a few days, have The Bee mailed to you. Fair

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# WOMEN SPIT ON HATED CAPTIVES IN FRENCH CITIES

German Ambulance Troops Taken Prisoners in Republic Kicked by Angry Mobs.

ALL BUT STARVED TO DEATH

Story of Abuse of Helpless Soldiers Given to Press From Official Source.

BRITONS BLAMED FOR BLOOD They Refused to Allow King Albert to Surrender Antwerp to Invaders.

DESTROY SHIPS OF THE ENEMY Thirty-two Merchantmen and Twenty-two Rhine Vessels Lost.

ACTION CAUSES ANGER THIS

Berlin Considers It a Shame for England to Behave That Way and That Need Can't Be Justified.

BERLIN, Oct. 11 .- (By Wireless to Sayville, L. L. Oct. 14.)-The news from Antwerp was received last evening. No extra editions of the papers announced the fall of the Belgian town, but the fact became generally known and the streets were filled with people carrying flags. There was no formal demonstration, only a quiet feeling of satisfaction over the achievement of German arms.

It is commonly believed here that the army will now be able soon to force the French lines. Emperor William personally telephoned the news about Antwerp to the empress.

It is officially stated that the bomb thrown by the British airmen on the Zeppelin works at Dusseldorf caused nparatively little damage. The roof of the shed shows an insignificant hole. Let been stated with sufficient emphasis It is reported the airship in the shed was not inflated and consequently the dam- with no effort at frills of any sort. It ege can easily be repaired.

King Albert of Belgian in order to the project itself is about the most potent avoid useless bloodshed is said here to



## CHRISTMAS SHIP'S APPEAL IS STRONG

Purpose Does Not Need Emphasis of Mere Rhetoric to Drive Home Its Simple Message.

ON THE FIRIN

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ments in the

OMAHA WOMEN IN THE WORK German machines. Four Well-Known Ladies Volunteer to Help Gather and Pack Presents for the Children of

the War-Torn Lands. One friend of the Christmas Ship editor said yesterday that the cause has not Maybe so; it has been presented simple.

ought not to require any emphasis, for in its appeal of any ever set before the

French Expert Says One Aeroplane Worth Much as Division of Cavalry

. WITH THE FRENCH-This photograph of French soldiers fir-

shelter of a stone wall was taken during one of the many engage-

of France. The censor has deleted the name of the town.

general discussion of the value of these thrilling aerial ducis between French and to drive the scout away. In a daring

by aerial scouts. between a German menoplane and a attained an advantageous position. ver north of the River Oine. The Ger- this French flier. The monoplane flasted makes progress impossible." man machine was seen salling over the for a few moments as if the pilot had

LONGEST SESSION

Has Put in Effect Large Number

of War Measures.

pal Laws Backed by Admin-

istration in Putting New

Policies in Force.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14 .- The first reg-

sion called by President Wilson a month

sitting of congress in the history of the

The work, including that of the spe

cial session for tariff reform and in-

PARIS, Get. 14 .- The activity of German of the air be removed, and a French biaeroplanes over Paris has brought up a plane undertook the responsibility. The French machine gained an aititude greater than that of the German, but in the situation." machines in warfare, and a recital of even this advantage was not sufficient

dive, in which he braved a heavy fire One French corps commander is quoted from the French lines, the German de- press burcau tonight issued the folas saying that in his opinion a single scended to a height of 1,000 yards and lowing statement: croplane is as valuable as a division of skillfully avoiding the French machine. cavalry. Aeroplance are of the greatest headed for the German lines. The Frenchservice in preventing surprises, and few man seemed to have the advantage in with the enemy toward the left of mportant movements have been made speed. For a while the German was suc- the allied line (in rance) with the which have not been reported promptly causful in keeping out of reach of the result that the Germans have been A daring encounter took place recently its flight at a considerable height, finally French hipiane during a critical moment "loen there could be heard the quick in the execution of an important maneu- and sharp reports of a machine gun on ducted, being a mining center,

French lines just before a strong detach- lost control and then, fluttering like a mont of troops was to start on a move- wounded bird on the wing, the machine ment to the north. For the success of started an oblique flight downward, flthis maneuver it was vital that this sentry nally crashing to earth,

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PARIS, Oct. 14.—The official communication issued tonight by the war office\says:	hitting a ting three It is ret
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Summary mpts of the Germans to right wing of the allies French province of ntinues with little to incourse of the battle. ernoon's French official says that the operahe allies as far as the developing normally. ety less importance and ame ultimate object in he struggle of the Ger-Antwerp to reach the othing definite of this has been revealed. Paris

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fighting in the region

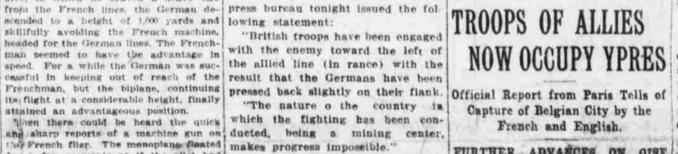
0 Germans have entered large number of them ing for Bruges with the f continuing to\_Ostend. atch from Ostend says

a few Reigian and Britin in Ostend, Indicating allied armies have gone ect the Germans. elgium government has established at Havre,

ograd despatch says it is here that a great battle the Russian and the Aus in forces is being waged Vistula river. ermans made an aero-

ack on Nancy Tuesday, railway train and injurpersons. sported from Berlin that

the Germans are preparing to attack Belfort. LONDON, Oct. 14 .- The official



**VON KLUCK TRIES TO CUT THROUGH** LINE OF ALLIES

Determined Effort of Germans to Break Through Defenses Near Coast Are Frustrated.

CENSOR IS SITTING ON THE LID

English and French Hope for Big Victory to Celebrate Anniversary of Battle of Jena.

CRYPTIC STATEMENT BY CZAR

Battle Line Along the Frontier Now Said to Extend as Far South as Dueister River.

WILL TRY TO CRUSH SERVIA

Austria Preparing to Hurl Large Army Into Little Kingdom.

GERMAN BALTIC FLEET ACTIVE

Rumor from Constantinople that Former German Cruisers Will

Attack Russian Warship in the Binck Sea.

BULLETIN.

LONDON, Oct. 14 .--- "A flerce battle is proceeding in the triangle of Dixmude, Ypres and Dunkirk," says the 'Times' Ostend correspondent, relegraphing Monday.

"General Von Kluck's right is making a determined effort to cut through the allies' lines, but thus far it has been trustrated."

HULLETIN.

THE HAGUE, Oct. 14 .--- (Via London, 4:17 P. M.)-According to a special despatch to the Avonpost, no fewer than 50,000 Germans are in Ohent. Many of them, however, are leaving in the direction of Bruges. A. German officer is quoted in this dispatch os anying that Osland was the FURTHER ADVANCES ON OISE objective of the German advance. LONDON. Oct. 14 -- There is hope in London today that the anniversary of the battle of Jona, in which the French cained a victory over the Prussians and Saxons, just 108 years ago today, may be celebrated along toth battle fronts by events recalling this great and decisive struggle, but, whatever the outcome, only the briefest reports are received of what "In the Belgian field of operations there is now transpiring in Belgium, in France were some encounters during the night of and in Russian Poland. The latest French official communication declares there is nothing to report except a notable advance in the region of Berry Au Bac, while Petrograd gives out the cryptic statement that warlike operations continue to develop along the Vigtula and San rivers as far as Przemysl. of the progress of our armies in the re- and further south as far as the Dacister. gion of Herry-du-Bac have been con- A great battle along this front may even now be under way and, in any event, it

drew. The British, it is said destroyed thirty-two merchant steamers and twenty-two German Rhine river vessels in the

harbor. This act is described here as a wanton destruction justified by no milltary measure of defense. The following has been given to the

press from official sources: The correspondent of the Daily Chron-

icle states that the Belgian government after the fall of Antwerp, planned to go to London.

"The Baseler Machrichten states that the Matin of Paris published pictures of the cathedral of Rheims taken after the bombardment and showing that edifice was only slightly damaged. The Baseler Machhichten deduces that the French official statement on the deseruction of the cathedral is thus proved untrue.

"An official telegraphic agency of Petrograd admits that the Russians suffered great losses in men and guns during the September fighting with Austro-Hunsarians.

"Reuter's Telegram company reports from Peking that the Japanese have occupied the German Island of Yap.

"It is reported from Basel that German ambulance troops taken prisoners in France and returning by way of Basel,



Forecast till 7 p. m. Thursday: For Omaha. Conncil Bluffs and Vicinity -Partiy cloudy Thursday; rising temperature.

Temperatures in **Omaha** Yesterday Dog Hours

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Temperature and precipitation departures from the normal: Normal temperature	That the smaller towns of Nebraska are waking up is proven by this message
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have intended to surrended Antwerp, but public. It is merely that American boys was prevented by the British, who led and girls are asked to contribute gifts to the defense before the garrison with- the end that the Boys and girls of Europe may have something of Christmas joy in this year of grace, 1914. CONGRESS TO END

#### Carry Only Sanshine

That homes that have been darkened by death, that have been wrecked and broken as a result of the war, may get a little of the sunshine of this land of bleased peace. That is all.

It is for no one country in particular. Democratic Gathering of Lawmakers All Subjects of Kaiser in Capital of but for the children of all the countries that are involved in the strife, and when the big ship of the American navy, flying

the Stars and Stripes and bearing this precious cargo, crosses the Atlantic ocean DEAL WITH TWO FOREIGN WARS next month, it will be received on the other side as a harbinger of joy and a Enactments Passed Include Princimessage of peace on earth, good will to men by, all the nations that are at war. Their governments are pledged to that, and to co-operate as far as possible in seeing that the gifts are properly distributed.

That's the purpose of the Christmas Ship.

lar session of the Sixty-third congress, Isn't its appeal sufficiently strong, which began December 1, 1915, is about to without the embellishment of rhetorical be concluded. Begun as an uninterflourish? rupted continuation of the special ses-

**Omaha** Ladies Active.

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Omaha is beginning to wake up to the lafter his inauguration, it is the longest message of the Christmas Ship. Yesterday Mrs. Clement Chase, Mrs. Charles Of- nation. (Continued on Page Two, Column Five.) futt, Mrs. Frederick & Nash and Mrs. M. T. Barlow formed themselves into a committee that will take charge of the work in the west part of town, and look lative achievement of the first demoafter the gathering together and proper cratic congress since March 4, 1897. The packing of all articles that will be chief enactments include the new curdonated in that section. Another meet- rency law, anti-trust legislation, repeal ing of these ladies will be at luncheon on of the toll exemption provision for Amer-

Time is Getting Short.

brances by the Christmas Ship.

The members of the Presbyterian Sun-

day school are now filling a large box

with dolls, toys, clothing, etc., for Santa

Each of the other Sunday schools will

also fill a box with similar remembrances,

it is said, to be conveyed across the big

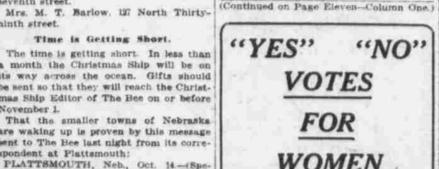
Rev. J. H. Steger, pastor of the Ger-

his parents and other relatives reside.

meantime, gifts or donations of any sort | railfoad in Alaska may be sent to the homes of any of

The congress was remarkable for th these four, where they will be properly fact that in less than two years it had cared for and acknowledged: to deal with conditions arising from two Mrs. Clement Chase, 201 South Thirtyforeign wars-the revolution in Mexico

and the European conflict-and was on Mrs. Charles Offutt, 144 North Thirtythe verge of facing a war between the United States and Mexico. Both of these Mrs. F. A. Nash, 504 South Thirtysituations demanded emergency legisla-



In the interest of fairness to both sides and to help along, the educational side of the suffrage campaign, The Bee will open a special department on the subject-putting one column at the disposal of the local suffrage organization and another column at

man Lutheran church here, has raised by subscription about \$500 to be given to the widows and orphans in Germany, where

**GERMAN MINISTER** LEAVING LISBON

> Portugal Are About to Start for Madrid.

CONGRESS CALLED FOR FRIDAY

Special Session Will He Held to Pass a Vote on Order to Mobilize the Portuguese

Troops.

LONDON, Oct. 14 -- (1.21 p. m.)-- A Central News dispatch from Madrid says it reported from Lisbon that Portugual has declared war against Germany. The message, which lacks official confirma tion, is published in Madrid with all re-Serve.

of the line of hattle. LONDON, Oct. 14.-(1.35 p. m.)-Cabling from Lisbon, the correspondent of the Central News says it is reported that the German minister to Portugal and other Germans residing in Lisbon are about to leave for Madrid.

come tax provisions, represents the legis-As a result of cabinet meetings and onferences between the leaders of the various Portuguese parties and the president of the republic, the correspondent continues it has been resolved to con-Thursday, when they will more formally ican coastwise ships in the Panama canal voke congress October 16, in order to organize and plan for the work. In the and the provision to build a government pass a vote for the mobilization of the disarranging the allies' line. Portuguese troops.

#### Miss Pankhurst Comes to America for Extended Visit

NEW YORK, Oct. 14 .- Christabel Pankhurst, militant suffragette leader of Enghurst voyaged as "Elizabeth McDonald" the Finland was within sight of the shore. "I do not come to America to advocate fact that several states have already granted woman suffrage. "The women's fight for votes in Eng-

land has been laid aside temporarily. believe, however, that England would have been better equipped for war if her women had been given the vote. It had been generally expected for years that the war would come. The women, who are the greatest sufferers, should have had a coice in the preparations to meet it.

HEY! you motorevelist! Want a bargain? Have 1914 Indian ful-ly equipped: cost \$340; ran very little: first \$200 takes this,

For further information about this opportunity, see the Want Ad Section of today's Hes.

There Are Said to Be Dr wholly irreconcilable assertions regarding veloping Normally-Alties Aino the war in Europe, emerges the seem higly established fact that the Germana

them almost to the gates of Paris,"

British naval guns are able to render

tenure impossible. The length of their

stay at the popular seaside resort should

on the outcome of the great battle now

understood to be opening near the fron-

department of the North.

tiers separating the provinces of West

coast town fifteen miles northeast of

Entire Corps in Lille.

Gain Ground in Vicinity of are attempting to repeat the rapid sweep-Barry-Au-Bac. ing movement which five weeks ago took PARIS, Oct. 14.-(1:10 p. m.)-This offi-

With most of Belgium already occupied. cial announcement was given out in Paris there is nothing that can stop the inthis afternoon: vaders reaching the coast and remaining there at least temporarily, unless the

October 12-13, and doring the day of the 13th, in the region around Ghent. Irench they seize Ostend, will, of course, depend | and English troops have occupied Ypres. "First, on our left wing, as far as the Oise, the operations are developing normally "Second: on the center previous reports

Flanders and Hainaut from the French. Beyond an unconfirmed report of fighting in the direction of Zeebrugge, a firmed.

"Third, on our right wing there is cannot be long postponed. Ostend, there is no further news of the nothing new."

German advance in this vicinity. Fur-German Story Contradicted. ther south there is reason to believe that this is found in the latest report from news published in certain German news-General Joffre, the French commander- papers concerning the pretended destruc

in-chief, that the offensive against the tion of two divisions of French cavalry, Germans had been resumed in that part This information is absolutely erroneous. The truth is that certain forces of French and German cavalry, with supports, have order to strengthen his forces in been engaged for several days along the this vicinity General von Kluck has front at LaHassee, Esfaires and Bailleul

thrown an entire army corps inth Lille. The German cavalry succeeded in mak-This manufacturing city has once before ing a slight advance between the canal been in German hands, and it has been of La Basse and the Lys, but they were within the German lines since an early obliged to draw back in the territory stage of the hostilities. Its occupation north of the Lys. today does not seem to have been seri-The losses sustained by the German ously opposed, in fact it is explained cavalry are assuredly as perceptible as here that it could not have been without our own. One of the German divisions suffered particularly because it was pur-

Verdua Story Also Myth.

"The Germans have not succeeded up to

the present time in hurting themselves

against the fortified position of Verdun.

They have, however, made two futile ef-

forts to envelope, at a considerable dis-

tance, the French forces which are oper-

ating around Verdun. One of these ef-

forts was characterized by their attempt

tween Binarville and Varennes. It will be

recalled that this movement failed, with

buttalions had been annihilated in this

Second Movement Deteated.

engagement.

to go through the Argonne forest be

According to observers in London the sued during one entire day by our avia-Germans have been particularly anxious tors, who did not cease to throw down to reach Amlens and thus secure control bombs in German troops.

of the railroads to the north and to the south. But, according to a French official announcement, the allies have mans announce they are undertaking the checked their movement in this direction, investment of Verdun. In this instance, and have made a "marked advance bealso, to learn the truth, it is sufficient to tween Arras and Albert," where the prinrefer to the situation as set forth to lipal effort centered.

several different occasions in the French French Pushing Toward Mets. official communications.

The intermixing of the armies along a and, came unannounced to New York front of hundreds of miles appears today today on the steamer Finland. Miss Pank- to be as chaotic as is the news concerning the operations furnished by the inteland did not announce her identity until ligence departments of the different headquarters. The French armies are declared to be gaining ground at Berry an militant methods," were almost her first Bac, northwest of itheims, and at Souain words as she met a dozen reporters, on the cast side of the cathedral city "Militant methods are not needed in while at least one portion of the Germans America. This is demonstrated by the under the duke of Wurtemburg is still stoutly holding its position between them on the plains of the Marne, Again, further to the east, the French occupy Apremont

in the forest of Argonne, well to the porthwest of Verdun, and Verdun is the position which the army under the Ger man crown prince has for so long been attempting to reduce. To the east of the position of the crown prince the French are said to se pushing loward Motz. It toward crossing the Meuse in the region ; is reported that in order to improve the of St. Mihiel. If the Germans succeeded crown prince's chances of reducing Ver- in reaching this river on the front be

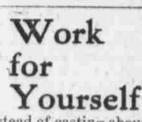
iun, some of the siege guns released from | tween Mainey and Chauvoncourt all their efforts to advance further resulted in Antwerp are on the way to join him. failure These German forces found

PARIS, Oct. 14-A dispatch to the themselves caught on the flank by detach-Havas agency from Rome says: "Cases ments of our troops which advanced from of cholera are multiplying rapidly in the south to the north through the south-Galicia. Transylvania and north and east ern section of the heights of the Mouse Hungary. The disease may prove a and through the southern section of the erious menace to military operations." Woevre district."

Vienna reports that the Austrian offensive continues successful north and While it is not our custom to reply to south of Przemysl, and that Jaroelau, an the left wing of the allies have been the inaccuracies of the German press, it important fortress taken by Russia zevstrongly reinforded, and confirmation of seems to us proper to denounce the faise (ral weeks ago, has been reoccupied by the Austrians.

#### Expects to Crush Servis.

A dispatch received here from Nish, Servia, relates that, acting on the instructions of the German general staff. Austria has concentrated on the banks of (Continued on Page Two, Column Three.)



Instead of casting about aimlessly for something worthy of "Another case is the fact that the Ger- your life's work, why not look into some of the attractive propositions offered every day under "Business Chances?"

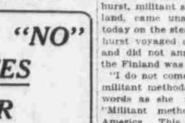
> A man is more likely to be successful in a material way if he is working for himself and if you have any push in you a small business will grow fast enough.

Get a business of your own very important losses. We did not even announce at the time that two German and build it up on the basis of giving full service to those who patronize you. Let the world "The other enveloping movement on the know that you have the right part of the Germans, undertaken in much idea in your business and you greater numerical strength, was directed will succeed.

> Further details may be found in the "Business Chance" column.

Telephone Tyler 1000.

THE OMAHA BEE Everybody Reads Bes Want Ade



WOMEN -Plattsmouth children will unite

> the disposal of the anti-suffrage association. See Magazine Page