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OMAHA PACKERS FEEL FORCE OF CHICAGO CLOSE

Large Part of Industry Shifted from Yards of Windy City to Those Here and Elsewhere.

TWO MORE STATES UNDER BAN

Iowa and Massachusetts Quarantined to Stop Spread of Foot and Mouth Scourge.

LAKE TOWN SHUT NINE DAYS

No Cattle, Hogs, Sheep Received Until November 16.

OPTIMISTIC VIEW IS TAKEN

Disinfecting is Proceeding Night and Day—Action of Government Has Co-operation of Stockmen.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—A large part of the cattle receiving and meat packing industry of the country, long centered in Chicago, tonight temporarily was shifted to Kansas City, Omaha, St. Joseph and other western cities, and the Chicago Union stock yards, for the first time since its organization in 1855, was closed down for nine days, in consequence of the prevalence of hoof and mouth disease among cattle. The quarantine against the stock yards and all other cattle pens within the state went into effect at midnight. The state's action supplements the federal quarantine against Illinois.

No more cattle, sheep and hogs are to be received in Chicago until November 15, when business is to be resumed after the yards have been thoroughly disinfected and pronounced free from the disease.

Killers to Other Cities.

The packers tonight sent to Kansas City and their other western branches 1,000 killers and butchers to kill and dress the animals which ordinarily would have been sent to Chicago. They announced that the products from their western plants would be sufficient to supply the market without any change in price.

An optimistic view was taken of the situation here. All the packers said they had enough stock on hand to run their plants for three or four days, and none of their work would be entirely shut down. A. G. Leonard, president of the stock yards, said: "By the middle of next week every animal in the yards will have been killed, and the thousands of pens and miles of water troughs will have been cleaned and disinfected. I feel confident full operations might be resumed by next Thursday, but as the cleanup is to be thorough and as such a vital point—the health of our cattle throughout the country—is at stake a few days' other delay won't matter."

The Only Apprehension.

"Our only apprehension is that the disease might spread in other states which the government might quarantine and we would be unable to get cattle even when the Illinois quarantine is lifted. However, the drastic action of the federal government has the full co-operation of stockmen everywhere."

Disinfecting is proceeding night and day at the stock yards. Spectators who formerly from the elevated gangways saw herds of cattle now behold acres of empty pens from most of which spout streams of pungent disinfectant. A notice cautioned people not to enter the pens occupied by affected cattle said: "Those who do will have to undergo a very disagreeable form of fumigation."

No other restriction is placed against any other stock yards operative.

More Infected Found.

The herd of 600 infected cattle originally found was augmented by the discovery today of 24 more cattle and 600 hogs which had been affected. No sheep so far have been affected.

The collection of 300 prize cattle brought here for last week's dairy show from twenty-eight states and Canada is still held in quarantine. Eighteen of the herd have been infected. The owners today formed an organization to protect the remainder.

The Weather

Temperatures at Omaha Yesterday.

Hour	Deg.
6 A. M.	44
7 A. M.	44
8 A. M.	44
9 A. M.	44
10 A. M.	44
11 A. M.	44
12 M.	44
1 P. M.	44
2 P. M.	44
3 P. M.	44
4 P. M.	44
5 P. M.	44
6 P. M.	44

Comparative Local Record.

Year	High	Low	Precipitation
1914	52	28	1.31
1913	51	28	1.21
1912	51	28	1.31
1911	51	28	1.21
1910	51	28	1.31

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M.

Station and State	Temp.	High	Low
Chicago, Ill.	54	58	41
St. Louis, Mo.	52	56	39
Indianapolis, Ind.	50	54	37
St. Paul, Minn.	48	52	35
Des Moines, Iowa	46	50	33
Omaha, Neb.	44	48	31
Rapid City, S. D.	42	46	29
Sioux Falls, S. D.	40	44	27
Denver, Colo.	38	42	25
Portland, Ore.	36	40	23
San Francisco, Calif.	34	38	21

TEACHERS VOTE TO TAKE THE SCHOOLS OUT OF POLITICS

State Association Also Favors Establishment of a Free Teachers' Employment Bureau.

BETTER VOCATIONAL TRAINING

FAVOR STATE PENSIONS, TOO

THREE THOUSAND TEACHERS VOTE UNANIMOUSLY FOR RESOLUTIONS.

SPEND THE DAY IN SIGHTSEEING

Some Go on Trade Excursions to Omaha and South Omaha and Others Attend Special Meetings at Theaters.

Total enrollment.....4,000

Removal of county and state school superintendents from politics, establishment of a free teachers' employment bureau, better vocational training, a special rural department in normal schools, state pensions for teachers and sanitary hospitals for the treatment of the criminal were some of the resolutions recommended by the Nebraska State Teachers association at the close of its meeting.

A crowd of 4,000 teachers voted on the resolutions, which were carried without a dissenting vote. The report of Chairman A. M. Dixon of the resolutions committee as adopted follows:

Employment Bureau.
"Believing that at present, there is no adequate means by which teachers of the state may gain a knowledge of the schools and teachers, and also believing that the schools have an adequate method by which they may gain a knowledge of the teachers of the state, we recommend that a state teachers' employment bureau be established. In this bureau, to be under the management of a state official, every teacher may register, giving education and special qualifications. In this way complete information would be made available to teachers on the one hand and the school superintendent on the other, thus increasing the efficiency of our school system and the opportunities of its teachers.

Believing that public education would be made more efficient and put upon a higher plane if it could be removed from party control, we recommend that the state and county superintendents be made appointive by nonpartisan boards. If continued under the elective system be placed upon the same basis as judges of the courts.

Legislature to Help.
"Believing that vocational training should be extended and developed in both city and rural schools, we recommend to the state legislature that it pass any needed laws and make necessary appropriations to aid in securing efficiency and (Continued on Page Five, Column Two.)



GERMAN EFFORT ON FRONT CONTINUES

French War Office Report Says There is No Marked Advance or Retirement at Any Point.

MINOR ACTION ALONG CENTER

French Outposts Along Southern Part of Great Line Attacked by Mixed Detachments, Which Were Repulsed.

PARIS, Nov. 6.—The French official announcement given out in Paris this afternoon says yesterday's fighting was without any perceptible modification on the front. The fighting between Dixmude and the Lys continued without any marked advance or retirement at any point. There was violent cannonading to the north of Arras, and also directed upon Arras without result for the enemy.

The German effort in Belgium and in the north of France continues. The Germans seem to have undertaken changes in the position of their forces which are operating in this region and are reinforcing their reserve corps with active troops with the idea of undertaking a new offensive movement or at least to mitigate the bloody checks which have been inflicted upon them.

"Between the Somme and the Oise and between the Oise and the Meuse there have been minor actions. We have consolidated our advance on the village of Audechy, to the west of Roye. A column of German wagons has been destroyed by the fire of our artillery at long range in the region of Nampel, to the north of the forest of Aigue.

"Near Berry Au Rac we have retaken the village of Saigneul, which had been captured by the Germans.

"There has been a furious fight in the Argonne, where as a result of fighting with the bayonet our troops drove the Germans back.

"In the Woerthe district fresh attacks by the enemy have been repulsed.

"To the northeast and to the east of the Grande Couronne of Nancy (the chain of fortified positions surrounding Nancy) in the region of the forest of Perroy and between Bacaract and Blamont, our advance posts have been attacked by mixed detachments of the enemy, whose movements everywhere were checked.

DEMS TO MAKE LAWS AT OWN SWEET WILL

Will Control Legislature in Both Branches, Besides Executive Office.

TIGHT SQUEAK ON STATE OFFICE

More Complete Returns Reveal that Some of State Officers Are Running Ahead of Others.

Almost complete returns on the Nebraska legislature show the democrats in full control of both branches of the body. They will have nineteen members of the senate to the republicans' fourteen, and so far as reported, have fifty-nine members of the house to thirty-four republican members. With a democrat in the executive chair this will permit them to have full control of the law-making machinery of the state, though they do not have a two-thirds majority in each house.

On State Ticket.
The possibility is that the democrats may elect one or two of the state officers, those leading now under incomplete returns, in order of their strength, being Hall for state treasurer, Smith for auditor, Reed for attorney general, Miller for regent and Pearson for lieutenant governor. For these to pull through they must retain the lead he now holds in practically two-thirds of the state reported on head of the ticket.

The contest for supreme justice is set. (Continued on Page Two, Column One.)

GENERAL JOYST JOINS ARMY OF THE KAISER

LONDON, Nov. 6.—The Amsterdam correspondent of Reuter's Telegram company says that General Joyst, formerly a commander in the Boer army, has entered the German army as a volunteer. Two naval aviators participating at Johannistal were killed in an accident, the correspondent says.

The American consul at Leipzig, the correspondent concludes, has urgently recommended that all British women and children leave Germany.

"Russia announces officially a great Russian victory in Galicia."

Helm BOUND OVER.

PIERRE, S. D., Nov. 6.—(Special Telegram)—A. P. Helm was bound over to the circuit court at Fort Pierre today on a charge of murder for the killing of station agent Hunter at Midland. The offense is not bailable and the term of court in Stanley county is in April of next year.

Germans Make Second Concerted Attempt to Break Line of Allies

LONDON, Nov. 6.—What has now become another well defined stage of the battle in West Flanders, that is to say, a second concerted attempt of the German army to blast its way through to the sea, was flaming and roaring from Nieuport to the French frontier today without definite result so far on either side.

The area near the coast formerly held by the extreme German right and from which the invaders were forced by the allies after many days of hard fighting, is held only by dead, wounded and dying, the inundation having made the vicinity uninhabitable for the living and having prevented an advance of the British, French and Belgian allies.

Hundreds of Germans left behind in the retreat doubtless will perish, as many were marooned like driftwood on an American lowland in time of flood. Thousands more on both sides are yet to perish in the struggle now progressing, the outcome of which would decide whether the Germans are going to reach the French coast this winter.

An official dispatch from the British army headquarters at the front today pays a tribute to the way the invaders are meeting with death and disaster, as heretofore, whether this is due to patriotism or to iron-clad discipline. Whatever the explanation, Colonel E. D. Swinton of the British army intelligence department, who writes these eye-witness accounts, says:

"The German troops have won our respect for the way in which they have advanced."

Meanwhile fighting is proceeding actively by land and sea in the new war zone created by Turkey's entrance into the conflict, and a British warship is said to have met with disaster in the attack on the Dardanelles.

The battle in Belgium has resulted in no decisive advantages on either side. The fiercest encounters center about a sharp bend in the German line, forming a triangle with the northern base at Dixmude, the southern at Ypres and the apex at Roulers.

Reports from British and French sources make the claim that the German attack is weakening and that the allies now have a reasonable hope of driving back their foes to the interior of Belgium and thus compelling a general retirement along the rest of the line.

German advances, however, offer no basis for such a conclusion. Apparently Germans are bringing in heavy reinforcements, in the determination of increasing instead of diminishing the fury of their attack.

Along the rest of the line the offensive generally remains with the Germans. The French statement says that in the region of the Argonne forest, in the Woerthe district, and further east, around Nancy, there have been heavy engagements, in some instances leading to bayonet encounters. No important victories are claimed by the French, although minor advances are said to have been maintained at various points.

In the east the Russians claim a decisive victory over the Austrians. They have recaptured the town of Jaroslavl, near the long disputed fortress of Przemyel, Petrograd reports, capturing 5,000 Austrian prisoners.

In Poland the Germans have employed the same tactics as in France by pushing forward their troops as rapidly as possible, and meanwhile fortifying a strong line to the rear, to which they might fall back. They have given way to those selected positions and the Russians now face the same problem which confronted the French and British in France.

Russia is prosecuting vigorously the war against Turkey. Petrograd advices are that Russian forces have entered Armenia by two routes and that several Turkish regiments have been captured.

RUSSIAN ARMIES INVADE ARMENIA

One Column is Moving Toward Ercizum and Other is Striking Southward.

TURKISH REGIMENTS TAKEN

Armenians Welcome the Russians Everywhere, Regarding the War as One of Liberation—Turks Bombard Batum.

ROME, Via London, Nov. 6.—The Tribuna publishes a Petrograd dispatch regarding the operations of the Russians in Armenia. It also says that the Russian newspapers refer to Constantinople by its old Slavonic name of Tsargrad. The dispatch follows:

"The Russians in Armenia are operating along a front of 100 miles. They entered Turkey by two routes, one column towards Ercizum and the other striking southward. The Armenians everywhere welcomed the Russians, regarding the war as one of liberation. Several entire Turkish regiments have been taken prisoners."

Emperor William's cousin, Count von Schwerin, died at Leds from wounds received in an action near Skierniewice.

Turks Bombard Batum.

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 6.—(Via London.)—The Vossische Zeitung has published a dispatch from Sofia, Bulgaria, saying that Turkish cruisers have successfully bombarded the Russian fortified seaports of Batum on the east shore of the Black sea.

BELGIANS HOLD BOTH BANKS OF THE YSER RIVER

German Force Which Occupied Last Village on the Stream Retires to City of Bruges.

GREAT BATTLE IS PROCEEDING

Triangle Formed by Dixmude, Roulers and Ypres is Center of the Conflict in West.

ALLIES CLAIM AN ADVANTAGE

London Report Says that Germans, While Repulsed, Are Not Yet Demoralized.

RUSSIA INVADES ARMENIA

Four Corps of the Czar's Troops Reported Well Across Border.

WAR ON NONCOMBATANTS

Imprisonment of Alien Civilian Enemies Reaches Acute Stage—Both Sides Appeal to the United States.

WAR SUMMARY

Germany is striking another mighty blow along the whole line of battle. Recrudescence of activity is indicated by today's official French statement, which mentioned severe encounters at various points between Flanders and the Swiss border.

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BOGGS STILL INSISTS THAT HE IS INNOCENT

WATERLOO, Ia., Nov. 6.—(Special Telegram)—E. A. Boggs, formerly prominent business man of this city under conviction for embezzlement while in the monument business, is now in danger of nervous collapse owing to refusal of the supreme court to grant a petition for a new trial in Grundy county in the case of the state against Boggs. He reiterates innocence and claims his conscience is clear. Only clemency from the governor can save him from imprisonment.