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ALLIES TO RUSH TROOPS TO ITALY; SOCIALIST SPEAKER IS FLOGGED

PASTOR HORSEWHIPPED BY MOB; PRAYED FOR KAISER; **KU KLUX KLAN GARB WORN**

Herbert Bigelow, Preacher and Member of People's Council, Gets "Twelve Lashes" From Kentucky Citizens When He Attempts to Address Socialist Meeting.

Cincinnati, O., Oct. 29 .- Herbert Bigelow, head of the Gate City Sets Record With People's church here and a leading member of the People's Council, who was kidnaped in an automobile last night just before he was to have addressed a socialist meeting, was found near Florence, Ky., this morning.

HORSE WHIPPED IN WOODS. 9 Bigelow had been taken into a

woods, his clothes removed and thrashed with a "black snake" whip by a party of men dressed in "long, white robes resembling those de-scribed as being worn by the re-nowned Klu Klux Klan."

Previous to 12 lashes being applied to Bigelow's back one of the party raised his hand, commanding silence, and then read from a paper he held as follows:

report

Bigelow was then turned loose and directed toward Cincinnati. He lost his way, however, and wandered in the woods until he found himself in Florence.

Bigelow was taken into custody by five men as he was entering a hall in the city of Newport, Ky., shortly before 8 o'clock last night. He was scheduled to address a meeting of socialisté. At the time of his apprehension handcuffs were put-upon him and he was thrust into a waiting automobile and spirited away.

ducted a raid on Bigelow's office in

AMERICAN ARMY **IN FRANCE TAKES FIRST PRISONER**

"In the name of the poor women and children of Belgium this man should be whipped," according to the Dies in Hospital; Red Cross to Feed Captured "Sammies."

(By Associated Press.)

With the American Army in France, close of business Saturday night, but Oct. 29 .- The first German prisoner of war taken by the American expeditionary forces died today in an American field hospital, having been shot when he encountered an American patrol in No Man's Land in front that Nebraska may pass the \$35,000, Recently federal authorities con- of the American trenches, He, with another German, was dis-

Germans Hurry Men

To Help Fight Italy London, Oct. 29.-A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Rome says, it is reported from Berne that the Austro-Swiss frontier again has been closed and that the Germans are hurrying reinforcements to the Italian war front.

OMÁHA GOES **OVER TOP IN** LOAN DRIVE

Subscriptions Totaling \$11,-390,200. Thirty Per Cent More Than Maximum,

With a maximum of \$7,488,000 as its quota of the Liberty loan bonds, Omaha set a new record when it found itself for \$11,390,200, or 30 per cent more than its greatest allotment.

Checks of the sixteen banks, which reported to Kansas City yesterday, totalled the figure which was higher than the most optimistic predicted. If Omaha could hit the eleven mil-lion mark, the ambitions of the com-mittee in charge were met, but when it went a cold one-third of a million more, members of the comittee could scarcely believe it. This figure may even be raised a considerable sum, for the banks have until Wednesday night to forward subscriptions. The books for applications closed with the to give the member banks of the federal reserve a chance to check up, the time limit for forwarding loan sales was placed at November 1.

Reports from the state yesterday to Secretary E. F. Folda indicated 000 mark. It is now only a few hundred thousand shy of the figure and with belated returns may go aver the

Checks Approve Fgures.

Checks yesterday by the local com-



Take Courage, Italia!

ITALIAN LINES WIPED OUT; **ENEMY'S ARMY BEFORE UDINE ONCE CADORNA'S QUARTERS**

Cividale and Gorizia Captured; Isonzo Line Threatened With Annihilation; Austro-German Troops Swoop

Down Into Lowlands Making Defeat a Rout;

Allies Plan to Aid Italy.

BULLETINS.

Rome, Oct. 29 .- The Italians are checking the advance of the Austro-German troops into the plains of northern Italy, the war office announces.

The Italian troops are fulfilling their duty and all movements ordered by the general staff are being carried out, the statement says.

London, Ogt. 29 .- Steps already have been taken for rendering the fullest possible assistance to the Italians.

Berlin, Oct. 29.-The third Italian army made a brief resistance to the advancing Teutonic forces, from Wippach to the Adriatic. This army is now in retreat along the Adriatic coast. Cormons has been captured and the Austro-German troops are approaching the frontier of the Italian coast region.

RETREAT OF HUN AT RIGA CONTINUES

Germans Extend Withdrawal Movement to Include Force Recently Landed on Wer-

der Peninsula.

(By Associated Press.)

O The number of prisoners is increasing. The Italian front is yielding north of the broad sector which was pierced in the Teutonic attack, the weakening extending as far as Ploecken pass.

The entire Italian Isonzo front has collapsed. The second Italian army is retreating towards the Tagliamento. All the roads are covered with columns in disorderly retreat, the crowds comprising both soldiers and civilians. The Austro-German forces on the Isonzo front are commanded by General Otto von Below, it is announced.

The Austro-German troops invading northern Italy are standing before Udine, where the Italian headquarters have been located, according to today's army headquarters announce-(By Associated Press.) Italy's soldiers have failed to check the onrush of the Austro-Germans and the entire line of the Isonzo-is On the northern Russian front the threatened with annihilation. Sweepubmit Proof of Co-operation Germans have extended their with- ing down from the mountains into the plains of Friuli, the invaders have drawal to include the force that recaptured Cividale and Gorizia, 100,000 cently was landed on the Werder

Cincinnati, where documents concernproud men surrounding him."

Head Soaked with Oil.

Mr. Bigclow's own stater ent, written last night at Florence, Ky., says that previous to his being taken into the woods he was blindfolded. He also says that oil was poured over his head after the lashes were administored:

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He says that owing to the darkness he was unable to give an accurate guess as to how many made up the party and was unable to identify them. but residents along Lexington pike state that they noticed a line of twenty-two automobiles pass on the way to Florence, Ky., last night, some of which were crowded and carrying men upon the running boards of the

cars. Mr. Bigelow was democratic candidate for secretary of state of Ohio in 1902 and was a delegate from Hamilton county to the constitutional convention in 1912. He was elected by, this convention as its president. For the last several years, however, he has been actively associated with the socialist party.

Bigelow was removed to a hospital in this city shortly after his arrival here from Florence this morning. His iriends issued a statement that it is not believed he is in a serious condi-

Pasadena Man Awarded War Cross For His Bravery

Paris, Oct. 29 .- Charles F. Paxton of Pasadena, Cal., has been awarded the war cross for courage and daring removing wounded under heavy shell fire in the recent operations around Hill 304, in the Verdun region.

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1917. 1916. 1915. 1914 Highest yesterday 28

57 28 48 60 79 19 64 24 26 T Lowest yesterday. Normal temperature ...

Deficiency since March 1...... 5.90 inches Deficiency for cor. period, 1916.11.80 inches Deficiency for cor. periods, 1915. 1.91 inches

Beports From Stations at 7 P. M. Rain-

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	Station and State Te		High-
	of Weather, 7		- ent.
	Cheyenne, clear	30	2.0
	Davenport, snow		3.8
	Denver, clear	30	32
2	Des Moines, cloudy	26	3.0
7	Dodge City, clear	20	26
	Lander, clear	8	14
	North Platte, clear	24	28
	Omaha, clear	35	28
	Pueblo, part cloudy	20	24.
	Rauld City, clear	26	24
	Santa Fe, clear	26	40
	Sheridan, part cloudy		24
	Stoux City, clear		26
	Valentine, clear		12.6
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L. A. WELSH, Metcorologist.

covered Saturday night ing the activities of the local People's and was called upon to halt. The Ger- top. Council were seized. Sunday after- mans ran; the patrol fired and one - noon, at his People's church services, of the enemy was hit. The prisoner Bigelow prayed for "the response of was removed to a field hospital where the soul of Emperor William and the the combined efforts of several surgeons failed to save his life.

Lost Way in Dark.

The prisoner was a mail carrier and etters of some value were found on im. He explained his presence near the American trenches saying he had ost his way in the dark. He declared the most intensive drive of weeks, all hat the German soldiers did not know that Americans were on the ront or in France, the officers telling them nothing.

American batteries are continuing to shell the German lines at regular the year. intervals, the enemy following similar

tactics. No further official communique has een issued, but there has been no special infantry activity. Snow that fell last night interfered

with all operations. Provide for Americans Taken.

Washington, Oct. 29 .- As Germany loes not provide sufficient food to her prisoners of wars in good keep health, nor sufficient clothing, the

junction with the American Red not. Cross, to feed all American soldiers "I and sailors who may be taken prisoners. The War and Navy depart- have about public institutions and we ments are co-operating with the Red

Cross in working out plans. Appropriation of \$31,212 to buy 75 tons of food for American prisoners as saying. now in German camps, numbering about 100, was announced today by the Red Cross.

Therfood will be sent to the Red Cross warehouse at Berne. Switzerland, where 25 tons have been sent up to this time. The 75 tons will be sufficient for nine months for the Americans now held prisoners, It will many American legation in standard containers every two weeks. Three 10pound packages will go to each prisoner, which is sufficient to keep him

in good health a fortnight. The Navy department has shipped 100 outfits of clothing for the interned seamen, and the War department 85 cases of clothing for soldiers and interned civilians.

Great Britain Gets More

will explode, must have a special

These licenses or permits must be

County Clerk Dewey's jurisdiction units.

who has just received word of his ap-

will extend all over Douglas county.

license.

D. C.

Cash From U. S. Treasury Washington, Oct. 29 .--- Another advance of \$25,000,000 was made today by the government to Great Britain,

bringing the total loaned that country thus far up to \$1,400,000,000 and the total to all the allies \$2,851,- train was wrecked by a collision with 400.000 a freight engine today

Permits Needed to Sell Gasoline

as first reported. In one or two mschusetts and James S. Parker of New tances there have been decided gains York, was attacked by a German suband in one instance, That of Cuming marine off the coast of Wales Saturcounty, a decided loss. But the gains will more than offset this loss. The gunners on the steamer opened Members of the state and city comfire immediately and the submarine mittees were jubilant yesterday. After submerged before having time to launch a torpedo.

were happy, but tired Saturday night A Sunday's rest, however, put them on their mettle and plans are already being discussed for the floating of the next loan, which may come early in the year.

Ferret Out Slackers.

The Liberty loan committee will within the next few days, compile and publish a list of the banks of the state which contributed to the success of the second Liberty loan in Nebraska. There will also be a list of banks which refused to back the big patriotic Farmers to Be Remunerated loan and did not subscribe.

The purpose of the committee is to lay bare the facts to the people of this country, showing which institu-United States is preparing, in con- tions were patriotic and which were

"In times like the present this is information which the people should propose to give it to them, regardless of who may be affected by it," a member of the committee is quoted

Bonds for Sale. The committee of building, savings

and loan associations is preparing to keep the throttle open wide all this week in its Liberty loan drive. W. R Adair expressed the opinion that th advertisements which the committee is running this week will bring i subscriptions from share be dispatched from Berne by the holders and others who were unable to purchase last week. All the associations in Greater Omaha have combined to offer their help in aiding these people over their neglect. Paul weeks of investigation of the Chicago W. Kuhns said the associations take packing plants. this means of allowing their friends

and others to purchase bonds on the easy terms which they have been giving the past week. He thinks that many people will appreciate the opportunity thus afforded.

which were United States Senators John D. Kendrick of Wyoming and THEIR LOYALTY Checks yesterday by the local com- William S. Kenyon of Iowa and Rep-mittee practically approved the figures resentatives John J. Rogers of Massa-After Wattles Expresses Im-

Attacked by Subsea

BULLETIN.

for Increased Production of

Food Animals; Packers

to Be Licensed.

the plants then being under license.

The announcement was coincident

with the grand jury drive against high

Government in Control.

"The government is in full control

London, Oct. 29 .- The steamer or

patience With Excuses for Not Signing Pledges.

> Federated club women of Nebraska will not have the stigma of disloyalty attached to their name.

FOOD LEADER OF

When Gurdon W. Wattles, food ad-IN U. S. CONTROL; ministrator, expressed his impatience Petrograd. with trivial excuses made for not signing food pledges, at a meeting of the WILL FIX PRICES Omaha Woman's club at the Fou-tenefle, Monday, Mrs. M. D. Cameron, recording secretary of the Nebraska Federation of Women's Clubs, walked across the meeting hall and extended her hand to Mr. Wattles, in token of

the loyalty of the club women to the federal government. Then she read patriotic resolutions adopted by the convention in Omaha last week.

Mr. Wattles had construed statements made by Mrs. John Slaker, Chicago, Oct. 29 .- Official aninterview in The Bee, to mean that nouncement was made today that federated club women of Nebraska every packing plant in the country is would not conserve food until men gave up tobacco. "I am out of patience under control of the government and with people who put obstacles in the that after the first of November The way of patriotic work," said Mr. control will be absolute, operation of Wattles.

> Later Mr. Wattles conceded that he might have misunderstood Mrs. Slaker.

Let Men Sign, Too.

priced milk and was made by Joseph Mr. Wattles urged men to sign food immediate counter attack recaptured P. Cotton, chief of the meat division ledge cards, since some women de- the major portion of the lost ground. of the food administration, and Prof. lare men in their households stand Charles McCarthy of the University n the way of conserving food. "Let there be no discord in this. There is of Wisconsin, personal representative enough across the water," he said. "If the food pledge campaign fails, of Food Administrator Hoover, after (Continued on Page Two, Column Three.)

Greek Queen Refers to

of the meat packing industry of the country," said Prof. McCarthy today "It has been for some time, but after sages exchanged between the royal November 1, when the packers will be palaces of Athens and Berlin which man held for identification at Ashland operating under a license, the control have fallen into the hands of' the will be absolute. This insures fair prices to both the public and the King Constantine urged Emperor

Balkan front, promising that Greek forces would attack General Sarrail's army in the rear.

Copenhagen, Oct. 29 .- The Danish government food council, after considering the growing difficulties of supplying the home population with an adequate ration of fats, has rejected the proposed prohibition upon the export of swine and, instead, 300,000 swine will be slaughtered and reserved for the population of the towns. Farmers will be permitted to kill swine for their own use and the balance will be available for export. It is stated that both Germany and England have expressed themselves as satisfied with this arrangement.

pound will be introduced. The government will assume the financial burden of nearly 50,000,000 crowns invested and will reserve enough butter from each port to provide this ration. Milk and bread cards are also proposed.

by the municipalities to the classes which are subject to government war

prisoners, and 700 guns. peninsula after the capture of Oesel Great Britain and France are reported to be taking steps to give the

ably would offer a stronger defense.

LOSS OF GORIZIA SERIOUS.

The fall of Gorizia is a serious

menace to the Italian troops holding

the Carso line southward to the head

of the Adriatic, but General Cadorna

wedge between the armies on the

Carso front and those in the moun-

tains northwest of Udine. Some of

the advanced Italian positions in the

Allies Advance in West.

and Moon islands, at the entrance to the Gulf of Riga. shattered Italian army prompt and This landing was viewed at the time full support. What form this aid will take has not been disclosed. The as a threat against Reval, the Russian naval base on the Gulf of Fin-French cabinet met last night to deland, and as a possible prelude to cide upon the manner of co-operaeven more extensive land operations tion on the Italian front. by the Germans in the direction of Where General Cadorna will make

The withdrawal leaves the Ger sitions capable of defense are availmans without a foothold on the Es- able. The Germans have reached the thonian coast, attempts by them to lowlands and are but nine miles from follow up the original landing by put Udine, Cadorna's general headquarting troops ashore at points both ters. The railroad running north and north and south of the peninsula havnorth and south of the pennsula hav-ing failed, according to the Russian defensive line, but the Tagliamento reports. river, 18 miles west of Udine, prob-

. There has been somewhat prevalent assumption, however, that there was never any intention by the Germans to push their Riga operation much beyond the naval stage this fall, the view being that the threat against the Gulf of Finland may well have Hastings, clubwoman, in an exclusive been a diversion for political effect still would be able to offer stout rein Russia or to distract attention from operations in preparaton elsewhere. The artillery battle is being con-and Gradisca. The capture of Gradtinued in Flanders and in sections of isca by the Teutons, however, would the Aisne front and the Verdun re- make a retreat from the Carso inevigion. In the last named the Ger- table and also somewhat of a diffimans attacked spiritedly last night culty. The line of the Tagliamento

between Chaum wood and the Bezon- river, it appears, would give the Italvaux, eas of the Meuse, and won mans the better natural position from something more than 500 yards of which to hold the Germans from the Venetian plains and the overrunning advanced trenches. The French in an of northern Italy. Apparently Field Marshal von Mackensen is endeavoring to drive a

Brother of Omaha Man, Missing 30 Years, Found Dead Carnic Alps probably have been abandoned already. If this should

prove true, the Tagliamento river seems to offer General Cadorna Lis Allies As "Infamous Pigs" Ashland, Ky, Oct. 29.-(Special Tel-egram.)-Benjamir. L. Yohe, a miller of Omaha, has identified as his brothfirst defensive line, unless his armies stiffen greatly and hold the invaders within a few miles of their present er, Marcus H. Yohe, the body of a position.

for more than a week. Marcus Yohe Greek government was one in which had been missing from St. Louis for 30 years. He has a family there and William to attack the allies on the brothers and sisters in Omaha, serted his family and assumed the

In another message Queen Sophie last 10 years had been working as a allied troops, who have also taken alluded to the allies as "infamous powder man in the coal mines of Mercken and several other villages West Virginia.

Danes Lay Up Fats; Butter Cards Allow One-Half Pound Each Week

(By Associated Press.)

Butter cards allowing a weekly ration of a half pound at 50 cents a

It is recommended that all lard be reserved for the poor and distributed relicf measures.

The food council's report embodying these provisions will be presented to the Rigsdad for action.

Operations carried out by the Belgians and French looking toward the rothers and sisters in Omalia. elimination of Houtholst forest, north Marcus Yohe, his brother said, de- of Ypres, are progressing favorable. The entire Mercken peninsula, south name of Martin Edwards and for the of Dismude, has been captured by west of the forest. The British hold the southern side of the forest and a continuation of the Belgo-French advance would make the German position untenable.

A German retirement between Warneton and Dixmude to straighten out the line and eliminate the Ypres salient is not unlooked for in German military circles. One leading German critic, Major Morelit, says the front is

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Means Indictment Goes To Grand Jury at Concord

Concord, N. C., Oct. 29 .- The case of Gaston B. Means, held for the shooting of Mrs. Maude A. King, the wealthy widow whose sensational death here in August led to investigation in three states, went today before the Cabarrus county grand jury, which assembled to consider an indictment for, first degree murder drawn and presented by Solicitor Clement,



Within a short time meat price bul-

Double Guards at Food Depots.

New York, Oct. 29 .- All granaries food depots and other places where food is stored in great quantities in New York were under heavy guard today, under orders of Arthur Wil oubled and United States secret service agents are co-operating in the

farmer-producers. "To the producer of meat animalit will insure prices that will encourage him to increase production and to the consumer prices that will assure him that he is not plying excessive profits

"Our big aim is to assure farmer: they will be amply repaid for increasing animal production. We must have more meat animals if we are to win And Explosives; Dewey Collector the war and to keep meat prices from ascending to points beyond the public

letins will be issued. After November 15 every concern | November 15. There is a penalty for or store that sells explosives of any selling explosives after that date

description, or any chemical com-pound or mechanical mixture that Under the law every store that sells gasoline must have a license. The permits will cost 25 cents each. The law covering the special licenses covobtained from County Clerk Dewey, ers gunpowders, power used for liams, federal food administrator for blasting, all forms of high explosives, the city, who on Saturday was warnpointment as explosive tax collector blasting materials fuses, detonators, ed by Herbert Hoover, national food from Van H. Manning, director of smokeless powders and any chemical administrator, of the discovery of the Tureau of Mines, Washington, compound or mechanical mixture wholesale plots to destroy the nacontaining oxidizing or combustible tion's food supply. Guards have been

In this way the government will be He is empowered by the government able to check up on the quantity of work. Arrangements have been made to notify all dealers in explosives that explosives sold in each community to call out the home guard for service

School Injured in Wreck Austin, Tex., Oct. 29 .- Five volunteers for the aviation school at San Antonio were injured when a Missouri, - Kansas & Texas passenger

Men Enroute to Aviation

they must obtain special licenses by and the uses to which they are put. if necessary

