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### Nominations Held Off.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Among the nominations made by the president which at the adjournment of congress were unacted upon and which will have to be nominated again at the session beginning December 7, were fifty-five postmasters. The president has the power to make recess appointments to these places, which will serve until the regular nominations are confirmed by the senate. The hottest fight in the list of those which expired today, was over the Grand Rapids, Mich., postmastership. The republican incumbent of the office has two more years to serve, but was removed on charges.

The republican senators from Michigan held up the confirmation and the position which pays \$6,000 a year was filled by a bondsman who named a republican. The big nominations are as follows: Marin F. Dillon, to be the collector of internal revenue, twenty-first district, New York Frederick L. Siddons, to be associate justice of the supreme court, District of Columbia, and the following postmasters: Argo, Ill., Pearl Richsquick, Farmington, Ill., Henry A. Stokoe, Greenville, Ill., Chas. D. Kukendall, Lockport, Ill., John E. Mackin, Macomb, Ill., J. Ross Mickey, Mendota, Ill., Emil J. Hess, Worthington, Ohio, Samuel C. Litsinger, Homestead, Pa., Wm. A. Kissler, Latona, Pa., Michael Monahan, Grand Rapids, Mich., Chas. H. Hogdon, Marine City, Mich., Chas. J. Parte, Lincoln, Neb., Francis W. Brown, Olean, N. Y., H. D. Sibley, Foughkeepsie, N. Y., John E. Townsend.

### MOST REMARKABLE BATTLE IN HISTORY

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Zeppelin has been in action. The German aviators have succeeded in preventing the further use of captive balloons by the fleet with which, earlier in the fighting, the range of the German positions was secured by the allies.

The remnants of the Belgian army, commanded by King Albert in person, and supported by two brigades of British marines armed with heavy calibre naval guns, hold the territory in the vicinity of Nieuport. Not only have they repulsed all of the violent German assaults, but they have also pushed forward a few miles toward the northeast. From Dixmude to the vicinity of Armentieres, the French and British are engaged. At Labasse, the Germans have been able to advance slightly and hold the line of the canal and in the vicinity of Dixmude, the Germans are moving northward. Elsewhere along the line in the north, the allies are gaining ground. Severe fighting is also in progress on the right wing, where the armies operating from Toul and Nancy have made material progress, pushing their line through the Mort-mare forest which lies south of Thiaucourt and about equally distant from St. Mielzel to the great German fortress of Metz. In this vicinity, the German losses have been so great that they demanded an armistice to bury their dead. Because he believed that this was merely a ruse to gain time until German reinforcements could reach the scene, the French general commanding, refused to grant it.

While the Germans maintain their hold on the right bank of the Meuse at St. Mielzel and have mounted powerful batteries on the site of the captured Fort Camp Des Homains, they have been unable to gain any ground elsewhere and their boasts of gains in the vicinity of the great French fortress Verdun, are officially denied. The French army sent from Belfort to attack the Germans who proceeding from upper Alsace to attack that city, are reported to be steadily advancing north from Altkirch which was taken by a series of violent bayonet charges.

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### AMERICAN FOOD SENT TO BELGIANS

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ple exhibited, leads me to hope that we will rise rapidly from the accumulated material ruins, strewn throughout our beloved country by the barbarians.

"Belgium will be as energetic in peace as she has been in war. And it will not be the first time that great things have sprung from heroic suffering."

### RUSSIA

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in front, desperately met the charging horsemen with the bayonet and their rapid fire. The Russian charge was momentarily checked and all of the officers with one exception, jumped into their automobiles and escaped. Wounded Russian soldiers who participated in the charge, declare that they could not mistake the form of the kaiser as the difference in his height with that of his staff-wart staff, was very plain.

### ENGLAND

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of Jaroslav. There is apparently a determined effort in progress against the entire Russian left wing and as a result, the main offensive against the Germans who have been driven in front of Warsaw to the eastern bank of the Warta river, have been halted. Additional reinforcements are being rushed to the points of danger and the Russian forces are expected to prevail shortly.

### TROOPS TO EGYPT.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 24. (Via Rome.)—It is reported here that a strong detachment of Canadian troops have been sent into Egypt by the British government.

### GERMANY

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near Flirey, the French declined a short truce to bury the dead and to collect the wounded, who are covering the field in front of the French battle line.

"West of Augustowo, in the Russian theatre of war we have repulsed a number of Russian attacks."

[The German and French official reports agree to a great extent regarding the location of the fighting on the French right flank. The French claimed that armistice was asked for Thiaucourt almost midway between St. Mielzel, now held by the Germans and the strong German fortress of Metz, Germans place the location at Flirey,

which is just five miles directly south of Thiaucourt.]

### RED CROSS FUNDS.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—The German Red Cross society has raised more than \$500,000 in the United States it was stated at the German embassy tonight. Although exact figures could not be obtained, it was declared that the fund is close to that raised by the American Red Cross society, which tonight amounted to \$550,000.

### THE WEATHER

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Weather forecast:  
Iowa: Fair Sunday; Monday fair, warmer.  
Illinois: Part cloudy Sunday; showers extreme south portion. Monday fair.  
Missouri: Partly cloudy Sunday; Monday fair.

Local Observations.  
Oct. 24 7 a. m.—30.27 56 NW L.Rain  
24 7 p. m.—30.37 51 NE Cld'y  
River above low water of 1864, 5.5.  
Mean temperature, 53.  
Lowest temperature, 51.  
Highest temperature, 56.  
Lowest temperature Friday night, 54.  
FRED Z. GOSEWISCH, Observer.

### THE DOLL PARADE WAS ATTRACTIVE

Several Hundred People Were Interested Spectators at the Prize Contest.

The big doll parade and prize contest had fifty-four entries and between 700 and 800 people witnessed the event. It was unique in arrangement and management and elicited a deep interest, especially on the part of the little ones. The winner of the first prize, a ten dollar doll, No. 1 Miss Clara Baur, 211 Bank street, Prize won by doll dressed in white in doll go-cart covered completely with white flowers.

Winner of second prize, No. 43, Mary Louise Crimmins, 1302 Fulton street. Prize won by doll dressed in corduroy hat and coat, in doll go-cart covered with yellow and red flowers. \$5 doll given as second prize.

Winner of third prize, No. 38, Charlotte O'Brienness, 1205 Exchange St. Prize won by doll dressed as a nun. \$3 doll given as third prize.

All the dolls were very neatly dressed, and much credit was given the girls who entered even if they were not fortunate enough to win a prize.

Judges—Mrs. Chas. Pond and Mrs. John W. Rovane.

### Poisoned Pen Letters.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] ELIZABETH, N. J., Oct. 24.—Grilled for six hours by Prosecuting Attorney Alfred A. Stein, Mrs. Nelson L. Pollard, the middle aged wife of a well to do business man, confessed that she was the author of the famous "poisoned pen" letters that have been mystifying authorities here for seven years, according to the statement of authorities tonight. Mrs. Pollard was tried last March on a charge of being the author of the objectionable letters, but was acquitted. Since that time, all the persons who testified at the trial have received bitter, scurrilous letters.

### Burleson Speaks.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] PEORIA, Ill., Oct. 24.—President Wilson's policies were upheld by Albert S. Burleson, postmaster general, who addressed a political meeting here tonight.

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### DIARY OF THE WAR.

Sunday, Oct. 18.  
French capture Armentieres, on Belgian frontier, marking their nearest point to the German main line of communications.

Allies drive Germans back thirty miles in northern area of fighting, from St. Omer.

British warships assist in land battle along Belgian coast southwest of Ostend.

Anti-German mobs wreck and loot stores belonging to Germans in east end of London.

British casualties between Sept. 13 and Oct. 8 are officially given as 561 officers and 12,980 men.

### Monday, Oct. 19.

The Germans announce attacks of allies to the west of Lille have been repulsed with great loss.

Germans attempt unsuccessfully to drive Belgians back between Nieuport south of Ostend and Dixmude. Petrograd announces 500,000 additional Russians are proceeding toward Warsaw.

Japanese announce cruiser Takachio was sunk by a mine off Kiao Chau.

French cruiser is reported to have sunk Austrian submarine in Adriatic.

### Tuesday, Oct. 20.

French war office announces attacks by Germans along entire front were repulsed.

Germans state their army advanced along Belgium coast to Ostend, encountering strong resistance along Yser river.

Austrians claim important victories at Warsaw and Przemysl. Japanese occupy German Pacific islands in Marshall, Marana and Caroline archipelago.

### Wednesday, Oct. 21.

Berlin states British warships have bombarded Ostend.

French official reports state allies are holding their own along the battle front.

British war office issues statement highly praising the manner in which the Belgian army has been holding off superior numbers of the enemy.

Petrograd affirms Germans occupying roads leading to Warsaw have been repulsed with heavy loss.

British admiralty states German cruiser Emden has sunk five more British merchantmen in Indian waters, making twenty-one in all.

### Thursday, Oct. 22.

French claim victories north of Verdun but state conditions are unchanged elsewhere.

Petrograd dispatches claim the German invasion of Poland has failed and Russians have won decisive victories.

Germans report the capture of 2,000 British troops west of Lille.

Prussian diet votes \$375,000,000 for war purposes and Vice Chancellor Delbrouck says Germany will fight on until a lasting peace is possible.

Viennese reports claim victories of Russians in Bukovina crown lands which Russians had completely occupied.

### Friday, Oct. 23.

French war office states German right wing has been heavily reinforced and has advanced about Labasse. The allies moved forward east of Armentieres.

French are reported to have recaptured Altkirch, in Alsace.

British admiralty admits German cruiser Karlsruhe has sunk twelve British merchantmen near Canary Island.

German reinforcements are advancing toward Warsaw from east Prussia.

Japanese capture German destroyer which escaped from Kiao Chau.

### Saturday, Oct. 24.

Petrograd reports German army in east Prussia is being driven back with large losses.

Russia offers to liberate and return to Italy all Austrian soldiers of Italian blood who are prisoners of war.

Berlin claims German counter-offensive between Arras and Lille is being continued successfully.

French claim successes east of Nieuport and Armentieres.

Germans ask armistice to bury dead at Thiaucourt which French refuse.

French resume offensive in eastern frontier district against Metz.

### To Jail for Life.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] SALINAS, Calif., Oct. 24.—Geo. Kodani, Japanese photographer, who confessed to killing Miss Helena Wood Smith, a Carmel artist, was found guilty of murder here this afternoon and sentenced to life imprisonment. The jury deliberated nearly twenty-four hours. Kodani was expected to plead insanity, but instead pleaded self defense, saying Miss Smith was fond of him and aroused jealousy by a letter he received from a woman of the Monterey underworld, attacked him, compelling him to kill her, to save himself.

While the jury was out Kodani was the least concerned of anyone in the court room, laughing and chatting with his counsel and showing confidence that he would be treated leniently.

### It's a Long Way.

Springfield, Mass., Republican: By automobile the Germans are only an hour from Paris; it may be longer as the army marches.

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## Church Announcements

TIME OF SUNDAY SERMONS, LOCATION OF CHURCHES, TOPIC OF SERMONS AND SPECIAL MUSIC TO BE GIVEN AT THE VARIOUS SERVICES

St. Mary's Catholic church, corner Fourteenth and Johnson streets, Rev. George Gillingier, pastor—First mass at 7 a. m.; second mass at 9 a. m.

St. Francis de Sales Catholic church, Fourth and High streets, Rev. James Dunnion, pastor—First mass at 8 a. m.; second mass at 10 a. m.

St. Luke's chapel, Episcopal, Reid and E streets, Rev. John C. Sage, pastor. Sunday school at 3 p. m. Children of this neighborhood cordially invited.

St. Mary, the Virgin, Episcopal, Rev. John C. Sage, pastor. High and Fourteenth streets. Evening services and sermon 6:30 o'clock. All colored people cordially invited.

St. Paul's German Evangelical church, Eleventh and Exchange Sts., Rev. A. C. Ernst, pastor. German services at 10:30 a. m. English services at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Welcome to all services.

Redeemer English Lutheran Church, Fourteenth and Johnson streets, M. Engel, pastor, 1405 Johnson street—Morning services at 10:45. Sunday school at 9:30. No evening services. A welcome to all, especially to those without a church home.

Union Baptist church, corner of Thirteenth and High streets. Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11:30 a. m. by the pastor. Subject, "The Vanity of Christ." At 6:30 p. m. preaching by Rev. Birde of Keokuk, subject "The Love of God." Be on time. Rev. G. W. Smith, pastor.

Swedish Evangelical Lutheran church, corner Twelfth and Morgan streets. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning service at 10:30. Evening service at 7:30 in the English language. H. A. Larson of the Augustana college, Rock Island, will occupy the pulpit.

Services at Charleston. Rev. J. F. Stillwell will preach morning and evening, November 1. The men's chorus has been re-organized and they are expecting to do better work even than last year. The morning subject will be: "The War in Europe." Evening subject, "Walters." You are cordially invited to these services.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 728 Main St., second floor. Entrance on Eighth street. Services Sunday morning, 10:45; Sunday school at 9:30. Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:45. The Christian Science reading room is open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 2:30 to 4:30 o'clock.

Unitarian church, Fourth and High Sts., C. F. Elliott, minister. Services at 10:30. Subject of discourse "The Sublime Art of Living." Sunday school at 11:45. The Woman's Alliance meets with the Misses Graham, 608 Franklin street, Monday at 3:00 p. m. Unity club in the church parlors Friday at 7:30 o'clock.

First Westminster Presbyterian Church, Seventh and Blondeau street. Rev. E. B. Newcomb, D. D., pastor.—Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning sermon on "Calling a Busy Man;" evening, "Really Alive." A special invitation to the evening

service to strangers and young people. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Special "rally day" in the C. E., at 6:30 p. m., to which all young people are invited.

The United Presbyterian church, corner of Blondeau and Ninth Sts., Rev. H. B. McDree, pastor, 803 Franklin St. Sabbath school at 9:30. L. A. Hamill, superintendent. Morning worship at 10:45. Subject of sermon, "The Great Commission." Communion services at Summitville at 3:00 p. m. Y. P. S. C. U. at 6:30. A cordial invitation to those who have no church home to worship with us. No evening services.

Swedish M. E. church, corner of Twelfth and Concert Sts. Rev. Clarence H. Lind, pastor. Preaching services 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. and Epworth league at 7 p. m. K'd-week prayer service Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock. The services Sunday evening will be conducted in the English language. All are welcome to these services.

First Congregational church, corner Sixth and High. A pleasant place to worship with music to warm the heart and the gospel of the Master to uplift the soul. Rev. Frank G. Beardsley, S. T. D., pastor. Sunday school at 9:45. Morning worship at 10:45. "The Light of the World." Evening worship 7:30. "What's in a Name?" The public is cordially invited.

The Salvation Army. The meetings in charge of Rev. Harrington of University park are continuing in interest. Good crowds enjoy the "Old time religion." The speaker has been a student of the largest holiness university in the country for the past four years and is renowned as an evangelist and singer. Sunday 11:00 a. m. Holiness meeting; 2:30 p. m. Christians rally; 8:00 p. m. salvation meeting. These meetings are in charge of Rev. Harrington.

Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Mission church, Fourteenth and Morgan streets. Wm. L. Hawkinson, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; morning service 10:30 a. m. evening service 7:30 p. m. Mrs. John Olson, 1613 Franklin street, will entertain the Ladies Aid society on Thursday afternoon. Friday evening, the Young People's Sewing circle will be entertained at the parsonage. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

St. John's church, Episcopal, Concert and Fourth streets, Rev. John C. Sage, rector. Rev. R. C. McTwan, D. D., rector-emeritus. Twentieth Sunday after Trinity. Holy communion 8:00 a. m. Morning service 11:00 a. m. with sermon by the Rt. Rev. Harry S. Longley, D. D. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend our services.

The services for Sunday in the First Methodist Protestant church, corner Twelfth and Exchange, are as follows: Sunday school at 9:30 in the morning, W. C. Thon, superintendent. Morning sermon by the pastor, Rev. E. LeRoy Steffy, at 10:45. Sermon subject, "God's Fellow-Workers." Class meeting in the afternoon at 3 o'clock. W. F. Butcher, leader. Y. P. S. C. E. Prayer meeting 6:30. Topic,

"The Christian's Vote." Evening sermon 7:30, subject, "Perilous Times." The public is invited to these services.

First Christian church: 9:30 a. m. Sunday school, J. O. Boyd, Supr. 10:45 a. m. worship. Sermon "The Love of Christ Constrains Us." Communion. 6:30 p. m. Senior and Intermediate Christian Endeavor. 7:30 p. m. Sermon, "The Unused Talent." Church board meeting Monday evening at 7:30. Sunday school officers and teachers will hold a conference Wednesday evening at 7:30. All are cordially invited to attend these services. W. M. Baker, pastor.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal church, corner Tenth and Main streets. Wm. H. Nell, pastor. Rally day in the Sunday school today, every teacher and officer is attempting to have the full enrollment of the school in attendance; don't fail to be there. Junior league at 9:30 under the efficient leadership of Miss Anna Ritter, with good music by the orchestra, and a good program. An interesting and profitable time is assured every boy and girl. Epworth league at 6:30 and all the young people are invited to be present. Preaching at 10:45 by the pastor, also at 7:30 p. m. In the morning the subject will be "The Blood of Atonement," and in the evening, "The Liquor Traffic Not a Business, But a Crime." All are invited. Strangers are welcomed.

Baptist church, Rev. F. B. McAllister, pastor. In the church study from 8:00 to 12:30, will gladly meet anyone who wishes counsel or advice. Sunday school at 9:30, growing enthusiasm. Come. Preaching service by pastor at 10:45, subject of address "Why I Am Not a Christian." This will be a chance for christians to look upon their religion from the other man's eyes, for the pastor has in his hands letters from a great many business men stating why they do not become christians. He will try and meet their objections. Baker Mission at 2:30. Junior League at 3:30. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30, leader, Olive Rice. Subject, "The American City." At 7:30 the subject for the address will be: "Do Women Know Enough to Vote?" Bring a friend.

Gang War Battle. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—In a gun fight between the notorious Gopher and Hudson Duster gangs here tonight, Joseph Patterson and James Dunn were both probably fatally shot. Patterson and Dunn were near 140th and West streets with several members of the Hudson Duster gang when four gun men of the Gopher gang appeared and opened fire. The Gopher and Duster gangs have been at war for years.

JEWELRY IN POCKETS. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] LONDON, Oct. 24.—The correspondent of the Evening News telegraphing from northern France, says that a party of German prisoners arrived at Calais tonight. When searched, the correspondent alleges that their pockets were found to be filled with jewelry which they had looted. The Belgians, the correspondent adds, are still maintaining their positions on the left bank of the Yser, although vastly outnumbered. Opposing the Belgians alone, the correspondent adds, are two entire German army corps.

Hope for the Hard Up. Well, there is one consolation for the man who is hard up. There isn't even the hope of finding a quarter in a waistcoat pocket when you do new fall clothes, but when putting on last year's left overs there is always hope.