

WEATHER FORECAST. Fair and slightly cooler to-day; to-morrow fair; west to northwest winds. Highest temperature yesterday, 56; lowest, 53. Detailed weather reports on page 13.

LOAN EXCEEDS 5 BILLIONS; N. Y. TOTAL IS \$1,650,000,000 TEN MILLION SUBSCRIBERS

Belief Is That Country Responded With \$300,000,000 Over Maximum. FEW DISTRICTS LAG This Reserve Centre Leads All Others on Percentage Basis. \$875,000,000 IN A DAY

Table with columns: District, Estimated Subscriptions, Maximum Allowance, Actual Subscriptions. Lists districts like New York, Chicago, Cleveland, Boston, Philadelphia, San Francisco, Richmond, Kansas City, St. Louis, Minneapolis, Atlanta, Dallas.

Nation Ends Campaign With Final Offering Above a Billion.

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GERMANS SINK SHIP IN BRAZIL

Tenton Gunboat Eber Destroyed by Fire at Bahia—Feared Seizure.

RIO JANEIRO, Oct. 27.—The Germans today set on fire and sank the German gunboat Eber, a vessel of 984 tons, which has been lying at the port of Bahia.

WAR BAN PUT ON FREIGHT CARS

Order Forbids Use of Open Top Carriers for Non-Essentials After Nov. 1.

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LA FOLLETTE REBUKED. His Home County Exceeds Bond Quota by 100 Per Cent.

MISS HELEN CUDAHY IS A SUICIDE AT SEA

Paris, Oct. 27.—Miss Helen Cudahy, daughter of Patrick Cudahy, a Milwaukee banker, committed suicide in midocean on October 18, according to the army edition of the Chicago Tribune.

LONGBOAT INSISTS HE IS MUCH ALIVE

Runner Reported Killed Will Sue Inspector.

TOMORROW, Oct. 27.—Tom Longboat, the famous Indian Marathon runner, twice unofficially reported killed in action in France, still is alive.

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This District's Figures. The fact that the Second Federal Reserve district has played the loan has overshadowed the whole country.

MARK AT NEW LOW RECORD. COPENHAGEN, Oct. 27.—The dollar continues to slump and it is now worth under 33 cents here.

BETTING IS 9 TO 5 ON HYLAN. Same Odds That Mitchell Will Defeat Hillquist.

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Emperor Charles Leads Army. The German official statement to-day asserts that the whole Italian line today has been broken.

Have 2,000,000 in West. The above figures are aggregates which include all mobilized men.

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Pershing's Men Brave and Happy in Entering Initial Actions Against Foe.

FRENCH ENTHUSIASTIC

Boches Taken Unaware by Infantry's Night Invasion of Battle Front.

LUCKY OMENS AT START

Red Headed Irishman Fires First Big Gun Shot, Which Strikes Tenton Squad.

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GREAT TEST CONCERT OF THE YEAR AT THE HIPPODROME TONIGHT Broadway's Most Famous Players Will Appear for THE SUN'S Tobacco Fund—For Details See Page 12