

Senator T. P. Gore will Speak at the County Court House Tonight. Come and Hear Him.

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## RUMANIAN ARMY WINNING AGAIN

AFTER REPORTED DEFEATS, RUMANIANS ARE ON OFFENSIVE AGAIN.

## FRENCH LINES HOLD

Three Times Last Night, the Germans Tried to Dislodge the French from Newly Won Positions at Saily-Sailliseil, But Were Repulsed.

The Rumanian troops in the Predal region, southwest of Kronstadt, have resumed their offensive and are driving back the Teutonic forces on the Transylvanian side of the border, says an official statement issued at Bucharest this afternoon.

Three times last night the Germans delivered attacks on the French positions in Saily-Sailliseil, on the Somme front. The Paris war office announces that the French maintained all their positions and inflicted heavy losses on the Germans.

Near Bery-End-Santerre, the Germans gained a footing in the French first line trenches, but they were driven out.

The French attacks on Morval and Rancourt, north of the Somme, were repulsed yesterday after hard fighting says a German official statement today. The British and French attacks near Thiepval, Courcellette and Bouchavesnes also failed, says the Berlin statement.

### Captain Boelke Injured.

Paris, Oct. 18.—A local newspaper says it learns from an authorized source that Captain Boelke, the celebrated German aviator, has been severely wounded. On October 8, Captain Boelke brought down thirteen entente machines.

## COTTON TAKES ANOTHER BIG JUMP TODAY

HIGHEST PRICE EVER PAID HERE WAS RULING TODAY — PREDICTIONS ARE THAT COTTON WILL GO TO TWENTY CENTS.

Cotton was selling on the streets here today for 17.75 to 18 cents. This is the top price so far for the season, but cotton buyers are predicting that the staple will reach 20 cents. The highest price ever paid for cotton in Ardmore previous to this season was 14 cents, but that season was a failure from the growers' standpoint, as very light crops prevailed in this section.

The farmers in this locality still have a lot of cotton to market. There is quite a lot yet to be picked, and then too, the recent rains have prevented many farmers who have their cotton out and glined from putting it on the market here. Up to last night approximately 7,000 bales had been received from wagons. All this cotton has brought a good price, nothing selling under 14 cents, and while the recent rains will lower the grade of the remaining crop, it will not materially injure the price to any extent.

The chestnut blight in Massachusetts has not attacked Senator Lodge's speeches yet. — Minneapolis Journal.

### WEATHER FORECAST

New Orleans, La., Oct. 18. —The weather forecasts for Oklahoma for tonight is partly cloudy; Thursday fair and colder in the western portion.

## COTTON TAKES BIG ADVANCE

SENSATIONAL ADVANCE SEASON ON NEW ORLEAN. CHANGE TODAY.

## DUE TO THE STORM

Reports That Tropical Hurricane Had Struck Cotton Region Near Mobile Caused Advance from Sixty-Five to Eighty-Nine Points.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 18.—The most sensational advance of the season in the cotton market occurred at the opening of the exchange here today.

As a result of the rumor that the tropical hurricane had struck the cotton region near Mobile, prices were lifted from eighty-five to eighty-nine points, nearly \$4.50 per bale.

On the strongest months, July option went to 19.17.

## MANY BIG MEN ENDORSE THE PRESIDENT

JAMES MILLER, 81 YEARS OLD, SAYS WILSON WISEST PRESIDENT WE HAVE HAD.

New York, Oct. 18.—The popular subscription campaign for the reelection of President Wilson has now spread into every part of the country. Hundreds of small sums from people of all ages and conditions are pouring daily into the office of W. W. Marsh, treasurer of the Democratic national committee. The letters accompanying these gifts show clearly that the people appreciate that Woodrow Wilson is their president and that they welcome the opportunity to contribute their share to offset the wealth of Wall street that is being poured into the Republican campaign.

Miss Alice Armstrong writes from Baltimore: "This is pitifully little, but, if a million times as much, it could only faintly express my appreciation of our efficient and faithful president."

"He is engaged in the work of the world," declares Francis Okcott Allen, Jr., of Philadelphia. "No limited Americanism animates him, in either his domestic or foreign policies. His patriotism includes the aspirations of all peoples."

Miss Ida Hagen of Lake Linden, Michigan, sent \$10 and writes that it was from a teacher who wishes she could afford to send one hundred times as much to help re-elect the greatest man in the world to the office which he has filled with so much credit to himself and so much honor to the country.

"As a great leader of a nation, and as a solver of great national problems, his equal has certainly not appeared since Lincoln, and I am somewhat doubtful if it ever has," declares Dean Swift, a prominent patent lawyer of Washington, D. C.

Dr. S. Wolfenstein of Cleveland, former superintendent of the Jewish orphan asylum in Ohio, declares that the president's demonstration that a Republican victory would involve us in war caused the German-American element to think, and that "a large number of Germans will vote for Mr. Wilson."

Says Ella Goad Hooker of Burlingame, California: "Mr. Hughes's election would mean handing the United States over to the rule of that inviolable and ruthless government of those quiet, skillful, well equipped gentlemen who know exactly what they want, and, when the Republican party is in power, how to get it, without a fuss but at great loss to others."

"I have voted the Republican ticket for twenty years, but I am for Wilson heart and soul this trip," says James L. Royce of New York City. "We have had no better president, nor one as good, since Lincoln."

James Miller of Elizabethtown, Penn., eighty-one years old, writes: "Mr. Wilson is the best and wisest president we have had in my lifetime and deserves re-election irrespective of party. May the American people re-elect this great patriot for the sake of the country and the welfare of mankind the world over."

"I am a stock broker and 'supposedly' a Republican, but La Salle street and Wall street could not buy my vote for Hughes for a million dollars in cash or its equivalent in U. S. Steel 5 per cent bonds," declares W. L. Melick of 112 South La Salle street, Chicago.

## DESTROYERS, DIRECTED BY GLEAVES, PATROL NORTH ATLANTIC COAST



ADMIRAL GLEAVES - DESTROYER ON PATROL

Although American naval authorities confessed that they were in ignorance of the whereabouts of the German submarine U-53, the patrol of Atlantic waters from Nantucket shoals to northern Maine engaged the services of every available torpedo boat destroyer. The navy department, according to the best authority, had no intention of interfering between a U-boat and any non-American shipping so long as the rules of war are observed, but it does intend, if possible, to prevent any unlawful and inhumane act imperiling the lives of non-combatants.

Further, the department is eager to find whatever mother ship or base may be aiding the Germans in northern waters. It is chiefly to that end that the war craft which went rushing out of Newport harbor have been racing up and down the Atlantic, patrolling every mile of the roadway and scrutinizing every vessel that seemed in the least interesting. There has been a constant interchange of code messages between the two admirals, Knight, in command of the Narragansett bay station, and Gleaves, in command of the torpedo boat destroyer flotilla, headquarters at Washington, and the ten or more destroyers in the searching party.

tend the Shadow Lawn exercises will return to their respective gathering places in Greater New York late that evening and there read the message.

## WILSON DAY CELEBRATION EVERYWHERE

OCTOBER 28 IS TO BE OBSERVED THROUGHOUT THE UNITED STATES AS WOODROW WILSON DAY.

New York, Oct. 18.—Saturday, October 28, is to be observed in every city, town and hamlet in the United States as "Woodrow Wilson day." Thousands of celebrations at which a proclamation by the president on Americanism is to be read.

In Greater New York no less than two hundred of these meetings will take place. A special program has been arranged for each. In the Bronx, ten thousand mothers will parade, carrying banners proclaiming Woodrow Wilson the man of the hour, and the one who saved their sons from war. The parade will terminate with a huge mass meeting which men and women orators will address. Throughout New York and the other states, the observance will be of the same spirit and scope.

Business men, both in New York City and all the other states, towns, hamlets and cross roads, have written the committee in charge of "Woodrow Wilson day" that they intend to decorate their buildings with flags, bunting and banners heralding Wilson as the man who has brought the country to the pinnacle of prosperity.

In rural districts, what the celebrations may lack in numbers will be more than made up in patriotism and enthusiasm for the man the nation is calling to continue at its head. In the west, the proclamation is to be read in all the school houses. Teachers have arranged special programs including original verses by the children and songs, in which the "Star Spangled Banner" will have its place.

The committee in charge of "Woodrow Wilson day" has enlisted the aid of every Wilson club and all the organizations working in his interests to arrange local meetings.

The message that is to be read will be delivered by the president in person before a huge gathering at Shadow Lawn that day, which will be locally known as "New York day." Leaders of the delegations which at

Hanley Exposes Hughes. Battle Creek, Mich., Oct. 18.—"Invisible government" in the form of the liquor traffic, existed in New York state while Charles E. Hughes was governor and he refused to take a stand against it. Frank Hanley, the prohibition presidential candidate, declared here yesterday. "Invisible government, as represented by this traffic," Hanley said, was so dominant in Albany throughout Mr. Hughes administration that the governor could not be persuaded to recommend the enfranchisement of the electors against it even in small cities."

## WILSON OFF TO CHICAGO FOR SPEECHES

PRESIDENT TO MAKE THREE ADDRESSES IN CHICAGO TOMORROW, HOPING TO REACH EARS OF THOUSANDS.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 18.—President Wilson left this morning for Chicago, where he will make three speeches tomorrow and reach thousands of voters through the middle west.

### Flynn and Parkinson at Perry.

Perry, Okla., Oct. 18.—Dennis Flynn and Frank A. Parkinson, republicans, today delivered addresses to a crowded house in this city. Flynn was greeted with cheers by the hundreds of farmers present, who remembered his work for free homes to the early settlers while he was a delegate to congress from Oklahoma Territory.

Frank A. Parkinson, candidate for corporation commissioner, discussed state affairs from a republican viewpoint.

### 65 Aerial Engagements.

Paris, Oct. 18.—French and German aeroplanes yesterday fought sixty-five engagements in the region of the river Somme, says an official statement. Five German aeroplanes were brought down.

## MOBILE IN THE STORM'S PATH

GULF PORTS IN PATH OF TROPICAL STORM SUSTAIN HEAVY DAMAGE TODAY.

## MOBILE IS CUT OFF

Last Message From Mobile Was Received in New Orleans at Nine O'clock This Morning and Said Wind Was Blowing Ninety Miles An Hour.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 18.—The wind was blowing seventy-two miles an hour at Pensacola this morning at nine o'clock and a tide two feet high was running with the barometer falling rapidly, according to a weather bureau report.

A message received shortly before nine o'clock this morning by the Postal Telegraph company from Mobile said the wind was blowing ninety miles there. All communication with Mobile was lost shortly thereafter.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 18.—Reports to the weather bureau received here from other sources indicated that the center of the tropical hurricane which came up from the Caribbean Sea is apparently passing inland from the gulf today, somewhere on the lower Alabama and west Florida coast, probably in the vicinity of Fort Morgan, Alabama, and Mobile. The wind is averaging ninety miles an hour with occasional gusts averaging ninety-eight miles.

### Storm Moving Rapidly.

Washington, Oct. 18.—Hurricane warnings issued by the weather bureau today stated that the tropical storm is approaching the middle Gulf coast and moving more rapidly. Warning signals were ordered displayed from New Orleans to Apalachicola.

Later reports to the weather bureau narrowed the hurricane's path from Apalachicola to points to the west.

### No Storm at Galveston.

Galveston, Tex., Oct. 18.—The weather here is clear and cool, with a light wind.

## JNO. RINGLING ARRIVES HERE FROM HOUSTON

WILL REMAIN HERE SEVERAL DAYS — IS ACCOMPANIED BY CHARLES WILSON — MAY DO MORE BIG THINGS.

A fine mist of rain began falling last night at Houston, Texas. Storm warnings had been sent out by the government, and the city, remembering the fierce storm or a few months ago, grew nervous.

John Ringling and Charley Wilson were there with the show and they immediately left for higher ground. They arrived here this afternoon in their private car, which is parked near the station of the Ringling road on North Washington street.

Mr. Ringling has been intending to visit Ardmore for several days, and Mrs. Ringling has been here for the past week a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. George Schueler.

Mr. Ringling could not be seen before press hour today, and it is not known whether he will make any statements or not concerning what his intentions are with reference to the building of a line of road from some point on his line into the Fox district. Mr. Ringling and his show manager, Mr. Wilson, will be here the rest of the week.

How Mr. Ringling feels personally toward Ardmore was demonstrated recently when upon the request of Sheriff Garrett he went to the trouble of changing the date of the Barnum

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