

Mexican bank notes, state bills, @18c; pesos, 76c; Mexican gold, \$2.00; national, 17.90; silver, H.H. quotation, \$1.01; copper, 32c; grains, higher; livestock, steady; higher.

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SALONIKI, Greece, Oct. 3.—"We will soon direct our blow at Constantinople, and the vanquished Turk will be thrown once and for all into Asia," declared Gen. Franchet d'Esperey, the allied commander-in-chief on the Macedonian front, in replying to a demonstration today.

Peace Plans Proposed.

The allied commander said that the beginning being made now in the peace negotiations was well advanced. The carrying out of the clauses of the armistice between Bulgaria and the allies began Wednesday.

U. S. Control Of Wearing Apparel Is Coming Next

War Industries Board To Regulate Both Prices and Distribution.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 4.—Prices and distribution of virtually all articles of wearing apparel are to be controlled by the war industries board. Regulations issued prescribing certain fixed prices for shoes constituted only the first step in a general policy for price control of clothing, it was disclosed.

Chairman Baruch Made the Announcement in an Address to the National Dry Goods association.

Referring to the putting into effect of the agreement between the board and shoe industry, Mr. Baruch said:

"After that will have to come the regulation and distribution of most all of the things which you gentlemen have to do with. I don't want you to say it can't be done, because it must be done. It is unthinkable that only the man with the longest pocket-book can get the things that he needs."

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Washington, D. C., Oct. 4.—One hundred seagoing vessels, 46 steel and 54 wood, aggregating 20,433 gross tons, were completed in American shipyards during September and officially numbered by the bureau of navigation. In addition, 79 non-seagoing vessels, of 1837 gross tons, were built during the same period.

Miss Dean Will Sing El Paso Song All Next Week at Crawford Theater

El Paso is calling, calling you, the song written by Dr. F. J. Jenness and set to music by Bert Beysersmidt, will be sung all next week at the Crawford theater by Miss Hobbie Dean.

Headliners in Today's Theaters

ALHAMBRA—"Clemencia's Case," Theda Bara.
BIJOU—"Eulpa."
CLEVELAND SQUARE—"Fidelity of the Allies."
CRAWFORD—"Remember Your Promise Mary," Ed. Raymond Follette.
GREGGIAN—"Clemencia's Case," Theda Bara.
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WIGWAM—"Remember Your Promise Mary," Ed. Raymond Follette.

YANKS CAPTURE BLANC MONT HELP FRENCH IN CHAMPAGNE AUSTRIANS FLEE IN ALBANIA

LONDON, Eng., Oct. 4.—Austro-Hungarian forces in Albania are retreating in considerable disorder before the advancing Italians. The Austrian forces are blowing up their depots. Concerning British activities on the Italian front the war office today issued this statement:

GEN. CROWDER CALLS 29,999 GRAMMAR SCHOOL GRADUATES

Washington, D. C., Sept. 4.—Proctor marshal general Crowder today called for 29,999 grammar school graduates from 42 states and the District of Columbia to enter October 15 for the military schools. Of the total, 285 will be negroes.

Yanks to Into Action.

With the American Army in France, Oct. 4.—(By the Associated Press.)—American troops in action yesterday morning on the Champagne front. A report from the French army states that they had advanced considerably by noon and had taken Blanc Mont and Meudon farm.

QUOTE PRESIDENT WILSON EVEN IN FAR-AWAY INDIA

New York, Oct. 4.—In report to the joint committee of the Methodist Episcopal church by the Rev. Benson C. Baker, superintendent of the missions in the Meaur district, India, Mr. Baker told how people in the farthest villages of that country, are talking of the United States and President Wilson. Quotations from the president's statements have spread almost everywhere in the Meaur district.

SOCIALISTS JOIN UNDER NEW GERMAN GOVERNMENT

Berne, Switzerland, Oct. 4.—The Socialist and Social Democratic groups of the German Reichstag have announced their agreement to participate in the organization of a new German government under the leadership of prince Maximilian of Baden.

ARMY AIR SERVICE CLUB FORMED; KENLEY AT HEAD

Washington, D. C., Oct. 4.—Organization of an air service club association, comprising all clubs at flying fields and training stations, and only one from each division, was announced today by the war department.

PACKERS PLEDGE SUPPORT FOR MINIMUM HOG PRICE

Washington, D. C., Oct. 4.—Although offering vigorous objection to the plan to stabilize the price of hogs, as recently proposed by a special investigating committee of the food administration, representatives of the five large packing companies and about 25 smaller concerns have pledged their support to the food administrator's plan.

GERMANS THROW IN BEST RESERVES TO STEM ADVANCING BATTLE TIDE; IN DANGER ON ENTIRE WEST FRONT

LONDON, Eng., Oct. 4.—News from all sectors of the western front tell of giant efforts by the enemy to stem the daily advancing tide of battle. The Germans are putting in their best troops and reserves, according to all correspondents, and are fighting with the energy of desperation.

YANKS CAPTURE BLANC MONT

Paris, France, Oct. 4.—French troops in the St. Quentin region have advanced northward to capture Blanc Mont and Meudon farm. The capture of Blanc Mont and Meudon farm was announced in last night's French official statement. It was not made known, however, that the American forces had effected the capture.

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CARRIED SUPPLIES FOR THE U. S. ARMY

Steamship Herman Frasch, Victim of the Accident, Had Naval Crew.

Collision At Night.

The vessel collided at night with the American tank steamer George G. Henry, about 150 miles southeast of the Nova Scotia coast, and went down in seven minutes. She carried a crew of about 13 officers and 75 men, and survivors reported number only 41.

Yankee Aviators Bomb Many Towns; Oakland Flyer Captures German

With the American forces North of Verdun, Oct. 4.—(Associated Press.)—American aviators were busy all day Thursday carrying out bombing attacks on Comblain, Longueval, Andern, Demmary, Buxieres, Vignoulles, Chambray, Esch, Arville and Grandpre. They dropped 12 1/2 tons of bombs.

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CENTRAL POWERS INTEND TO ORGANIZE NEW FRONT FOR DEFENSE OF NISH AND SOFIA, SAYS ZURICH PAPER; MAY MEAN MERELY WAR OF MANEUVER; DEFECTION OF BULGARIA IS SERIOUS BLOW AT FOE FROM A FINANCIAL STANDPOINT.

ROME, Italy, Oct. 4.—On a front of 50 miles, the Italian forces in Albania continued to advance during the day yesterday, the war office announced today. In addition to occupying Berat, they are advancing in the direction of El Basan and in the Devoli valley.

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