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HUNS WILL NOT SEND PRESIDENT

By Associated Press.

London, Oct. 26.—Germany is not now contemplating sending any further notes to President Wilson, says an Exchange Telegraph Copenhagen dispatch. Germany is awaiting the peace conditions of the allies, it is very evident.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 26.—Heavy fighting on the Verdun front is described in General Pershing's communique for today. Strong German counter attacks east of the Meuse everywhere were repulsed except in Belleau wood, where four successive assaults forced a partial withdrawal by the Americans. West of the Meuse river the American lines were further advanced in the face of very determined resistance.

The idea obtains that the family of A. E. Morden, of the Model Market and Bakery, is sick. Mr. Morden has asked us to correct the statement and say they are all in their usual good health, and he is able to look after the wants of his customers in his line.

THREE BIG BAT- TLES ARE NOW IN PROGRESS

By Associated Press.

Paris, Oct. 26.—The battle has flared up again and heavy fighting is now under way from Valenciennes to the Meuse river. The Germans are fighting well everywhere but the allies continue to make substantial progress, driving back the enemy on the Meuse line. Although the recent fighting was marked by no sensational development, it is having a cumulative effect on the enemy. The last four days the enemy lost well up toward fifteen thousand prisoners and two hundred guns. The total loss in effectives to the enemy cannot be less than fifty thousand men. Three large battles are now in progress, all of which are being conducted with equal success for the allies. The first battle is being carried on by the British third and fourth armies which are pushing on toward Mons. They have now reached the Valenciennes-Hirson double track railroad. The second attack was delivered by General Mangin's forces north and east of Laon which resulted in a gain on

TURKEY GOING TO SURRENDER

By Associated Press.

London, Oct. 26.—The Turkish minister to Switzerland has handed to the British and French ministers to that country an offer of peace, which virtually amounts to a surrender of Turkey, according to a Berne dispatch to the Daily Mail.

A letter from Jack Hines, who is in the Navy Training school at Mare Island, California, has some interesting news about ex-Carlsbad boys. He says: "Howard Nutt and brother, Johnnie, Edward Purdy, Clyde Hines, Jack Mathews, who used to work in the Star Pharmacy, and several other boys, are here at the Island. We are under quarantine and have been for the past 30 days on account of Spanish influenza, but we all here hope to be able to go on liberty again soon. The doctors have it about under control on the Island. We are enjoying some awfully nice weather here in California now." Jack further says the Carlsbad boys are all anxious for the Current, that they may keep up on the news from the old home.

COLLAPSE OF AUSTRO-HUNGARY SEEMS NEAR

By Associated Press.

Basel, Oct. 26.—Vienna newspapers are publishing articles relative to preparations for demobilizing the Austro-Hungarian army. One newspaper says two infantry regiments stationed at Karlowitz have revolted. Karlowitz is a village in Croatia Slavonia, Hungary.

Zurich, Switzerland, Oct. 26.—Prince Frederick Lobkowitz and Baron Nadherny, who represents the strongest anti-German tendencies at Vienna, have left that city for Switzerland, charged with a mission about which no details are given out, according to the Neuste Journal of Vienna.

Miss Nell Atkins, stenographer at the Santa Fe station, left last night on a six weeks visit to relatives and friends, going first to Wichita, Kansas, and later to points in Iowa. Miss Naomi Wallis will have charge of Miss Atkins' desk while the latter is gone.

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a front of 8 miles for a distance of 2 miles. This operation carried the line out of the swamps around Sissonnes. The third battle is being fought by General Gillamont's forces.

London, Oct. 26.—The British have pressed forward between Valenciennes and Tournai, capturing Odomez and Maubeuge, north of Valenciennes. These forces also captured Carmel Hill and Englefontaine, on the south.

Paris, Oct. 26.—On the Serre front the French captured Mortiers after violent fighting. Between Sissonne and Chateau Porcien, the French carried their lines forward on a front of four and a half miles to a depth of two miles at certain points entirely through the German position.

London, Oct. 26.—Operations in Belgium continue to develop favorably to the allies it was officially announced today. The French carried Sulte in spite of desperate resistance, while the British captured the village of Ingoyheim, also occupying Oesteghem and advancing toward Scheldt.

U. S. Weather Forecast.

Carlsbad, N. M., Oct. 26.—Fair tonight and Sunday; freezing temperature tonight; warmer Sunday.

MARCUS LUKE, JR., DEAD.

The Current is grieved to announce the death of Marcus Luke, Jr., which occurred this morning at the Sisters hospital.

Mr. Luke had been a resident of Carlsbad about two years, coming with his wife from Ocilla, Georgia, for health purposes. He had been ill for some time, but very few people knew of his condition being critical until his death occurred as stated above. Mr. Luke was city recorder and a man who made friends and was worthy of the friendship of all who knew him. He was about forty years old. Mrs. Luke is ill at this time and until she gets better no arrangements for the funeral can be made, but it is thought interment will occur at the old home in Ocilla, Georgia.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. J. M. Halbert wishes to thank her friends for their kindness in her bereavement, also for the beautiful tribute of flowers.

John W. Zimmerman, of the local post office force, is able to sit up in a chair. Although still very weak, as is the case with all when recovering from the epidemic.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 26.—The Interstate commerce commission today approved of the increase in express rates.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 26.—Ella Flagg Young, chairman of the National Woman's liberty loan committee, died of pneumonia today following an attack of influenza.

By Associated Press.

London, Oct. 26.—An official statement that the demobilization of the Austro-Hungarian army will take place shortly, is being prepared to be published in the newspapers of Vienna, says an Exchange Telegraph Copenhagen dispatch.

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