

emy from Wytschaete.

The convention did not find it pos- Senator Fletcher, of Florida, chair-The southerly side of the salient as sible to overcome the objections of man of the committee which was ap over-subscription of its Liberty Loan

outheast, likewise, they repelled a ed by the majority, which he states, lina; Representative Small, of North claim. German attempt to advance north should be enacted into law. west of Givenchy, the high ground sbout which protects the British right that the government contemplated imlank before Bethune.

eport was issued in London.

The British task here patiently is of our labor," says Sir Horace, "The prevent the sides of this salient work of an Irish settlement, it is now from being materially widened out, felt, admits of no further postponeis the tip cannot be pushed in much ment. In the Dominions and the

Northwest of Armentieres, abanwithdrawal from Ploegsteert, whence report which would be a narrative of nut streets early last night, accordthey fell back, fighting, to the vicinky of Neuve Eglise, close to the which protects their new positions. The British lines apparently are beng firmly maintained along the high fround in the Messines and Wytschlete regions and to the north toward Ypres. No material change in the ituation is reported here. The bate, however, is continuing along the whole front from LaBassee canal torth to Hollebeke, the Germans bammering hard in their desperate itempts to win something substanfal out of this new ambitious effort of theirs. So far its only definite rewilts has been the piling up of casalties on both sides, notably their

On the Somme battlefield there as been no resumption of infantry ingagements on a large scale. The British, however, were subjected to trong local attacks near Neuville-Vihey repulsed. The artillery is reforted increasingly active in the vi-Jangard.

On the center of the battle front ists, agreed, in order that a Parlia- of a snowstorm. Local weather offibetween Estaires, Lestrem and Loisne ment might be established at once, to cials, however, are not inclined to there has been bitter fighting. Along postpone the decision in regard to think that Wilmington will see weathhe river Lawe, between Lestrem and control of the customs. The Nation er of this nature. Loisne, the Germans made incessant alists were prepared to agree to free ttacks only to be repulsed with se trade with England, but the Southern tere loss by the flifty-first division. Unionists joined the Ulster Unionists

majority.

the enemy from positions he had toms control.

tront is quiet and the French have der this plan would be elected by the Elders Stephens and Waldron. In any interference with military trainepulsed two German attacks in the Irish parliament. region of Noyon. North of Montdid- It was agreed that Ireland should burying ground. The services were furlough will be denied.

The has been violent. The German rial service. The Irish parliament, it al designs were beautiful attestations prepared. It is necessary for the

"Marriage as it exists today is rap- folk succeeding W. R. Morton, who Vladivostok with the British and Jap- would be composed of Unionists. Will Have a Canteen. of the farm, name of the owner or The National Special Aid unit of tenant, the nature of the farm, num- Columbia, S. C., April 12.-A warn- idly approaching a form of immortal- has been transferred to St. Johns. N. ese and their presence is expected B. Wallace, who has been assistant Sunset Park will have a "Canteen" ber of persons normally employed, ing was issued by the local Weather ity. have a reassuring effect on Rus- BOMBARDMENT OF PARIS RESUMED Saturday afternoons near the en- acreage, acreage under cultivation Bureau today that there would prob-"Matrimony is often an arrange- immigration inspector at Jacksonville, lan feelings. Although no official trance to Sunset Park, at which cold crops to be grown this year, number ably be a heavy frost tonight in this ment by which the woman trades her Fla, is to assume his new office at in his been received in drinks, sandwiches and cakes will be of horses, mules, cattle, hogs and vicinity. The thermometer dropped irreproachable conduct for irreproach- once. intrograd is said to view the Paris, April 12—The Germans re-sold. There will be no wheat flour sheep, market value of farm, the ex-to 37 degrees this morning. Great able gowns. Washington, the step was not unex-Entheror Charles of Austria-Hun- of Paris with their long range guns. tian costumes will serve Event to a the soldier along agricul damage to gardens is feared. "Children are not the result of Further Advance in Palestine. marriage, but marriage is the result London, April 12.-British troops on Fighting in Brenta Valley. year ago, and which he directed attitude with a view to beginning one will be welcome. of children.' lary in an autograph letter written pass upon the application before it April 9 advanced their line north of Vienna, Thursday, April 11, via is sent to the commanding officer. Jerusalem, in Palestine, to a depth of hould be given the French govern- peace preliminaries. The Austrian Furloughs will not be granted en- London, April 12.-West of Lake Preparatory Services Tonight. Offensive Starts in Palestine. one and a half miles along a front hent, declared that France's claim to Emperc; fA 'a message to the Ger-Services preparatory to communion listed men above the rank of first ser- Garda and in the valley of the Bren-London, April 12 .- The Turkish and of five miles, the British war office Lorraine was justified and that man Emperor denies that he informed leigium and Serbia should be re- the French government that its claim on next Sunday will be held tonight stability and serbia should be re- the French government that its claim on next Sunday will be held tonight and act at 8 o'clock in the lecture room of tion that has been ordered abroad or by thrusting troops, says the state nesday opened on offeneric offeneric offeneric of the state lisace-Lorraine was justified and that man Emperor denies that he informed stum and Serbia should be re- the French government that its claim of anounced yesterday. Notwithstanding stablished. Prince Sixtus, of Bour- to Alsace-Lorraine was just and ac-the Church of the Covenant. A full is actually in transit for overseas ment from Austro-Hungarian head-ing the British front near the stubborn resistance of the Turks, the church of the Covenant. A full is actually in transit for overseas ment from Austro-Hungarian head-ing the British front near the coast, the British captured the villages of the Church of the Covenant. A full is actually in transit for overseas ment from Austro-Hungarian head-ing the British front near the coast, the British captured the villages of the Church of the Covenant. A full is actually in transit for overseas ment from Austro-Hungarian head-ing the British front near the coast, the British captured the villages of the Church of the Covenant. 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It runs southeast toward Givenchy, is the Ulster Unionists, says Sir Hor- pointed at the meeting in Baltimore quota and consequently will stand at being strongly held by the British. ace. A majority of the Nationalists, last month, headed the delegation the head of the nation's honor roll They were standing firm today at all the Southern Unionists and five which saw Mr. Hurley. Those who Loisne, three miles northeast of Be- of the labor representatives agreed accompanied him included General

Carolina and Colonel Harvie Jordan, "We have every reason to believe of Georgia.

WON'T ISSUE WARRANT. mediate legislation upon the results

Young Woman Said "Nay."

whether burnington, vermont, or Jo-wrther without grave danger to the United States as well as the Allied Roger Miller, the soldier driver of liet, Ills., deserve first honors for stracking forces from flank attack is a disturbing factor both as regards slightly injured Miss Cora Lee Hen 25 000 population. Siour City has took place last night in the neighbor.

the convention's proceedings, with a ing to statement made at police head. Liberty Loan campaign will open acsoutherly end of Messines Ridge, formation of the conclusions adopted father of the young woman insisted try school houses.

unanimously, or by a majority. This upon the swearing out of the wardraft of the report was adopted by a rant. Miss Henry, however, has previously told the police that the acct HEAVY ARTILLERY ON Sir Horace adds that the public has dent was entirely unavoidable: that been provided with no majority report she was not injured, and that she did in the sense of a reasoned statement not wish to prosecute the driver of in favor of conventions upon which the machine. Young Miller made no left to gather from the narrative of going to headjuarters and making re-

HEAVY FROST PREDICTED.

such a rpeort would have been. The he could be found in event he was issue of minority reports by the UI- wanted. ster Unionists and a minority of Nationalists has minimizde the agreement reached and emphasized the disagreement.

East Carolina, Excepting Cape Fear Section, Has Snow Today. In his letter which is addressed to Premier Lloyd-George the President Fair weather is forecasted tonight says the customs question became one and a heavy frost is probable, alof the vital points and that upon a though it is not expected to be of decision regarding it depended the killing proportions, according to a extent of an agreement which could statement given out from the local be reached. The geographical posi- weather bureau early in the afterasse, southeast of Arras, all of which tion of Ireland imposed restrictions noon. Vegetation will feel the effects, regarding naval and military affairs, however, and truck will probably sufand the claim for home rule was con- fer to a certain extent. Snow was Mesnil, bringing back prisoners.

Inity of the Somme, while Paris an centrated on the demand for unre- reported at Raleigh, Weldon, Little stricted fiscal powers. The National- Washington and throughout that seclong the French line to the south ists made a strong case for such fis- tion through the local bureau, and ast of Amiens, in the vicinity of cal autonomy. A majority of the Na- unofficial reports were to the effect tionalists and of the Southern union, that Rocky Mount is held in the grip

FUNERAL HELD THURSDAY.

Rest at Hampstead.

er and around Lessigny the artillery contribute to the cost of the impe-largely attended and the many flor- Forms for application have been points.

American marines have landed in that 40 per cent of the lower house diency rather than an inate virtue. lace immigration inspector at Norbehalf the request is made, location

London, April 12 .- Attacking yesterday in the neighborhood of Ploegby States. Iowa claims the honor steet, the Germans pressed back the thune, and along the line northwest upon a scheme of Irish self-govern- Julian S. Carr, of North Carolina; flag for over-subscription, but has not British to the vicinity of Neuve-Further ment given in the conclusions reach- Philip H. Gadsden, of South Caro- filed reports to substantiate the Eglise, it is announced officially. Last night the Germans captured

> Portland, Ore., and Toledo, Ohio, ress in the neighborhood of Merville are claimants for the first honor flag and Neuf Berquerin. for cities of between 100,000 and

> 250,000 population and are the largest battle front, there is little change.

The treasury is trying to determine front between Loisne and the Lawe in France with General Pershing. No warrant will be issued against whether Burlington, Vermont, or Jo- river German attacks were repulsed. The announcement follows:

stacking forces from flank attack countries, the discution of charges West. anless they succeed in broadening war effort and neace aims." rv. a daughter of Mr. J. F. Henry, heen awarded first honors for the bood of Merville and Neuf Berguin, in forbidding false registration at hotels. ry, a daughter of Mr. J. F. Henry, been awarded first honors for the hood of Merville and Neuf Berquin, in forbidding false registration at hotels. much from a military standpoint, but After every possibility of an agree- of East Wilmington, who is visiting class between 25,000 and 50,000 and both of which localities the enemy is

In many rural communities the the enemy during the night.

neighborhood of Neuve Eglise, to new positions.

THE FRENCH FRONT

tially unchanged. A part of our posi-Paris, April 12.-Heavy artillery tions into which the enemy forced his the majority agreed, but has been effort to keep his identity unknown, fighting occurred last night in the way North of Festubert was regained vicinity of Hangard-En-Santerre, on by a counter attack. On the front the proceedings what the conetents of port of the matter and advising where the front North of Montdidier, the and the North hostile attacks have a tremendous injustice." War Office announced.

been repulsed. Fighting is continu-

"The artillery battle became rath- ing on the whole front North of Laer violent during the night in the region of Hangard-En-Senterre.

"French patrols developed activity RATES ON COTTON in the sector between Noyon and Canng-Sur-Matzu. The French took a number of prisoners.

"Spirited bombardments were carried on in the regions of the Oise canal and the forest of Parroy. The French successfully raided the Ger- Mississippi river crossings, Gulf ports has a three-year-old child living with South of the Armentieres the Britthe Allette, and West of Butte de cities, were contained in a supple-"On the remainder of the front the

Crops Must Be Made, But Service cation, which includes both increases Not to be interrupted in Any Way. and decreases in transportation Granger have been living at a South- There was especially bitter fighting

the planting and harvesting seasons vious orders in this case should be to C. W. Warrer's name, according where the Germans crossed by washave been issued to local exemption modified as to rates on direct lines hotel, is Mrs. Rains.

Tained previously. North of Estaires, The principle of representation for Funeral services for Mr. B. H. San with the act of Congress of March rates to Eastern cities should be he British have been driven back Ireland in the imperial parliament was ders, whose death occurred here at 16, this year. Commanding officers permitted to correspondent with omewhat, but the town is still held insisted upon by the Southern Union- the James Walker Memorial Hos are authorized to grant furloughs changes made in water rates; that Field Marshal Haig. On the Pic- ists, says Sir Horace, and the Nation- pital, were held from the Latter Day whenever it is apparent that such specific relief should be afforded as battlefield there has been no alists conceded it. The Irish mem- Saints church at Hampstead Thurs- will contribute to farm work, but it to rates from certain points along the thange in the situation. The British bers of the parliament at London un- day afternoon and were in charge of is desired to reduce to a minimum Tennessee river and other navigable

The statement follows:

night was calm."

eral Officers

ed ground by a counter attack. On the to be the wife of a Texas man now bottling up the city.

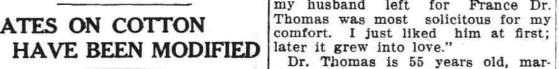
progress. Merville was captured by Washington, are said in the data giv- effect at home.

en Mr. Clyne to have registered at "Attacks made by the enemy yes- a down town hotel last night as man steert succeeded, after heavy fighting clerk, becoming suspicious, notified in pressing our troops back to the Mr. Clabaugh and the latter sent

"On the remainder of the Northern battle front the situation is substan-

attempted little if any concealment. Thomas said: between Loisne and the Lawe river whole world knows it. My arrest is

woman as saying: Basse canal as far as Hollebeke."



ried and has grown children. Washington, April 12.-Modification of cotton transportation rates from ers of the Woman's Peace Party. Southern producing points to Ohio and mentary decision of the Interstate

The commission directs that its pre-

these troops then attacked and drove in opposing a separate system of cus- Remains of Beloved Citizen Laid to boards from the office of Provost Mar- from intermediate points to interior

were:

terment was made in the family ing and when such is the case the should be afforded in various cases affecting rates from interior junction

to limit their number.

In the neighborhood of Ploage Chicago Professor and Wife steert, the enemy again surged for of a Soldier Taken By Fed- ward and hard fighting was proceeding in this section late today. South of Armentieres the enemy also deliv ered violent assaults.

Chicago, April 12 .- Hinton G. Cla- The British this morning made baugh, chief of the local bureau of the successful counter attack and forced Merville. Heavy fighting is in prog- Department of Justice, today an- the enemy from Paradis, southwest nounced that his agents last night of Lestrem. Armentieres was evacutook into custody Dr. William Isaac ated yesterday afternoon. On the remainder of the Northern Thomas , of the faculty of the Univer- ish withdrawal became necessary sity of Chicago, known as an author, when the Germans on the north drove Father Wished to Prosecute, But cities to report having reached their North of Festubert the British regain ity on sociology, and a woman said forward to the vicinity of Steenwerck,

> By their operations, the Germans Mr. Clabaugh said he had turned had gradually thrust forward lines on over to District Attorney Clyne evi- either side of the city toward the

Dr. Thomas and the woman, who the Germans undoubtedly will make Northwest of Armentieres, aban-foned vesterday by the British, the ment had been explored, Sir Horace in the city at 817 Meares street. at Lynn, Mass., for the class between continuing his pressure and has made said she was a Mrs. R. M. Granger, of much of the capture for the moral

statement for the government's in- parters this morning, although the tively tonight with meetings in coun- terday in the neighborhood of Ploeg- and wife from Gary, Ind. The hotel fensive operations must be viewed as In order to appreciate fully the a whole for they go to make up what agents who looked through their lug- the war. The loss of a city here or

Both were taken before Mr. Clyne 10 miles of territory in any sector last night and are quoted as having does not mean disaster.

The battle has got beyond such con-According to Mr. Clabaugh, Dr. siderations and has settled down to a grim race to determine whether the "I love her and I don't care if the German manpower is enough to make good the threat to annihilate the

British army and force its capitula-Mr. Clabaugh further quoted the tion. It is a cold proposition of which "Dr. Thomas was kind to me. After side can kill the most men in the my husband left for France Dr. next few weeks and at the same time

Thomas was most solicitous for my find more recruits to fill the depleted comfort. I just liked him at first; ranks. The mists yesterday continued to

favor the enemy and to hamper the defending gunners. It was partly on Mr. Thomas was one of the found account of these fogs that the Germans progressed as far as they did

and South Atlantic ports to Eastern her mother at Fort Worth, Texas. She ish yesterday and last night continusaid, according to Clabaugh, that she ed to hold most of their front sataccompanied her husband from the isfactorily. The enemy crossed the Commerce Commission today in the training camp at Fort Worth to New river Lawe and obtained a footing in York to say good-bye when he sailed. Lestrem, but were juickly forced out Dr. Thomas was in the city to gath- again. Last night a considerable er material for a book on Poland. German force crossed the river be-50 roads are affected by the modifi- They were introduced by Mrs. Gran- tween Vielle-Chapelle and Lestrem,

side family hotel for about two along the Lys near Croix Du Bac, to G. W. Wayson, manager of the ing. As they worked in towards the river from both flanks, the British

Dr. Thomas for some time was held their fire and allowed the enemy much in demand for his lectures on to assemble. Once the Germans sociology and the relation of sex were in the river the defenders openthereunto. Among his teachings ed a terrific firfie and there was a big pile of bodies in the waterway before

"Women are better off for having some of the enemy succeeded in gethad their fling as men do. Dissipat- ting across.

WALLIS INSPECTOR AT NORFOLK PORT

^{idvance} in the Coucy region has halt was decided, should consist of two of the respect and esteem in which person making the application to FROST WARNINGS Washington, April 12 .- Secretary houses, the Nationalists guaranteeing the deceased was held. "The morality of women is an expe-Wilson today appointed Joseph Walstate the name of the soldier in whose ISSUED TONIGHT



case of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange versus the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company. Nearly

FURLOUGHS ARE POSSIBLE.

Regulations for extending furloughs tariffs.

shal General Crowder, in accordance competitive points; that changes in

"Chivalry is the persistence of the

old race habit of contempt for women. "Any girl, mentally mature, has the right to have children and the right