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County Democratic Ticket.

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The city is giving a discount of 8 per cent. off the taxes of the rich who pay their taxes in this month. Only the wealthy can take advantage of the plan and it is therefore an injustice to the poor, those that need help, that the legislature should remedy.

The buildings at the fair grounds are being whitewashed and put in order for the coming fair. THE WATCHMAN is hoping the gentlemen interested in this enterprise will give the people who come here to see it no cause for complaint and at the same time will make a financial success of it.

What is Democracy and the relations of the party so named therewith, would be a very important subject for discussion. Parties ought to be made subject to the rules and regulations of the pure food laws, particularly so as to the label on the goods.

It is stated that John D. Brown, Senator Overman's executive clerk, is to assist at the County Democratic Headquarters during the present campaign. We wonder if he does not draw a salary from the government for other services while so engaged.

Some Republicans are trying to make capital out of the buy-a-bale program, but we do not see any reason why such efforts should be detrimental to Democracy. It is more than the Republicans did for the farmer when cotton went down to eight cents during the McKinley administration.

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Germany and Russia Make Claims

Battle on the Oise Growing Violent While Comparative Calm Prevails on Center.

That the battle between the Allies and the Germans to the north of the River Oise is growing more and more violent is the information that winnows through the sieve of official secrecy concerning the conditions prevailing on that part of the long battle line in France upon which the eyes of the world are focused.

The report of the French War Office makes no mention of whether progress is being made by either side in this zone where for days the armies have been battling desperately.

The statement is made that the Allies have gained a little ground on the northern heights of the Meuse. On the center of the battle line comparative calm prevails. No mention was made in the statement concerning the strong forces of German cavalry previously reported operating in the department of Nord, nor was any thing said of the situation of Antwerp against which the Germans are operating. A news agency dispatch said, however, that the military governor of Antwerp had reported to the burgomaster of Antwerp that a bombardment of the city was imminent.

Both Germany and Russia continue to report successes in East Prussia and Galicia thus leaving the situation in these spheres of warfare in doubt.

The French, as an offset of previous similar action on the part of the Austrians have placed mines in the Adriatic in a zone which comprises "all Austrians water and channels between the island and the coast of Dalmatia."

A Berlin dispatch says: "The Turkish Navy, it is expected, soon will be sailing in the Black Sea." No explanation of the statement was vouchsafed.

A news agency dispatch from Bordeaux announces that a number of changes have been made in German army commands.

Epidemic of dysentery has broken out among the Austrian troops in Bohemia and Moravia.

Winston Spencer Churchill, First Lord of the British Admiralty, is said to be at Antwerp consulting with the Belgian chief of staff.

The Washington Government is still without official advice concerning the landing of Japanese blue-jackets on the island of Jaluit in the Marshall archipelago in the Pacific Ocean.

Tuesday.

London, Oct. 5.—9:57 p. m.—General von Kluck, reinforced with troops from the German Central continues to make a determined stand against the attempt of the allies to outflank him.

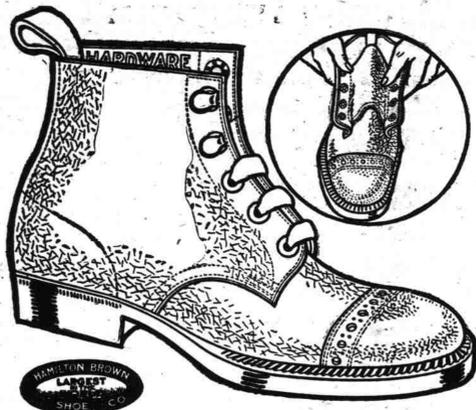
The French, who yesterday officially reported that all German attacks in this region have been repulsed and that the allies had resumed the offensive, announced today that the battle to the north of the Oise which commenced seriously about September 25 continues with great violence with no decisive result and that at certain points the French troops have had to yield ground.

The Germans, in their report issued last night, say the battle is proceeding successfully for them. Both in London and in Paris there is the greatest confidence, although some surprise is displayed at the success of the Germans in preventing the outflanking movement. They feel however that the Germans cannot extend their line much farther north without weakening it at some point.

Along the rest of the line the French communication says there has been no change. Therefore the progress in the region of Soissons and in Woivre reported Sunday either has satisfied them for the movement or they have been checked by the Germans. Of the fighting here as on their right, the Germans reports say it is proceeding favorably for the German arms. Progress by either side must be extremely slow, for after every advance, no matter how slight, the troops making it must outrench themselves for protection against the shells from the enemy's guns, posted in strong positions from one end of the line to the other.

On the battle front, via Paris, Oct. 5.—The allied armies, after

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having permitted their adversaries as they thought, to exhaust themselves by continued attacks today took a most vigorous offensive. The British and French encountered such a strong resistance however, that their most advanced detachments on the western wing were compelled to fall back. Only at this part of the long battle line did the opposing troops actually come into close contact.

Many picturesque villages, around which hundreds of thousands of men occupy positions, have suffered severely in the recent fighting and probably will suffer still more before the struggle is over.

The country where the chief fighting is going on is flat and under cultivation. In many places it is boggy and there are scattered coal mines. The allied armies are extending continually toward the north and bending eastward toward the Belgian frontier, thus compelling the Germans, in order to prevent the crumbling up their main army, to move large forces from the center and so keep pace with the allies, whose position menaces the invaders along the whole line. The allies plan it is thought may compel the Germans to release the pressure of the Belgians.

The rapidity with which the French change position is considered remarkable. Two entire divisions of infantry marched 80 miles Saturday and 25 miles Sunday. The Germans, however, by means of their aviators who are flitting continually over the lines despite numerous casualties, discovered the movements and brought up reinforcements to meet them. As the Germans occupy the inside of the circle, they are able to reach an appointed spot with much shorter marches.

Rome, Oct. 5.—Via Paris, 11:20 p. m.—The Russian Embassy here tonight made public official communication received from the Russian headquarters staff saying:

"The defeat of the Germans is complete. Their retreat is changing into a rout that is so disorderly and precipitate that they are forced to abandon everything.

"Two Russian armies are proceeding one from the west and another from the south, toward Allenstein (in East Prussia, 50 miles southeast of Elbing.)

"The German losses have not yet been officially ascertained, but it is estimated that they had 70,000 men disabled."

Washington, Oct. 5.—While no confirmation of the report from Berlin that Portugal was preparing to rejoin forces with the Allies against Germany has been received by the Portuguese Legation here, the Minister, Viscount d'Alto, said today his country was prepared to take the step when ever Great Britain should call upon her to do so. A treaty of long standing between the two countries, providing for mutual protection, was re-affirmed at the outbreak of the present war, he said, and that action ratified by the Portuguese Cabinet September 25. Great Britain sent a cruiser to Lisbon on that date to fire a special salute to the Portuguese flag in recognition of the act.

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Democratic Headquarters Opened

Chairman Walter H. Woodson has opened headquarters for the Democratic executive committee of Rowan in a room over the Wachovia Bank. The committee, we understand, has arranged for speakers and barbeques. The first barbeque is slated for Woodleaf on Saturday, October 17th the second at Landis, Saturday, October 24th and the third at Rockwell, Saturday, October 31st. The campaign will close in Salisbury Monday night, November 2nd. Speakers of considerable prominence will be secured as much as possible.

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