

WEATHER FORECAST

North Carolina—Fair and warm tonight; Friday, partly cloudy. South Carolina—Fair tonight and probably Friday.

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HAIG BEGINS A NEW DRIVE ON GERMANS

British This Morning Struck Enemy Lines on Wide Front... STREAM OF PRISONERS SENT TO THE REAR... Satisfactory Progress Reported From British Headquarters.

Striking again on a wide front east of Ypres, the British this morning began another drive at the German lines in Flanders. Field Marshal Haig, in his early report, announced that satisfactory progress was being made.

The renewal of the Flanders drive comes after an eight-day interval. On Wednesday of last week, the British swept forward over ground on both sides of the Ypres-Menin road, advancing from a half mile to a mile at various points along the line.

Some of the heaviest fighting in the war on the western front followed, the Germans making assault after assault in desperate attempts to regain the valuable high ground they had lost.

The same general tactics now being pursued of persistent driving, at the same point in the line are expected to be repeated.

MANY INCOMES TO BE DOUBLE TAXED

People With Incomes of \$6,000 a Year Will be Hard Hit... (By Associated Press.) Washington, Oct. 4.—Business and professional men, and salaried men as well, who have incomes of more than \$6,000 a year face a war profits tax of 8 per cent.

RED CROSS PARADE IN NEW YORK TODAY

(By Associated Press.) New York, Oct. 4.—Nurses and other Red Cross workers from many Northern cities came to New York today to take part this afternoon in the Red Cross parade down Fifth avenue.

WANTS NEW WAR MACHINE TESTED

Congressmen Are Enthusiastic Over Device For Utilizing Free Energy... (By Associated Press.) Washington, Oct. 4.—The House bill, providing for tests of a mysterious machine for utilizing free energy, devised by Garabed T. K. Giragosian, an Armenian inventor, from Boston, went to the Senate today.

NO DECISION AS TO WHAT TO DO WITH LAFOLLETTE

Senate Committee Adjourns Until Friday Without Taking Any Action... (By Associated Press.) Columbus, Ohio, Oct. 4.—Deportation of United States Senator Robert M. LaFollette and his supporters through the Allies to Berlin, because of their "treasonable utterances" was urged in a resolution received today by Governor Cox from the Executive club of Toledo.

TO INVESTIGATE HEFLIN CHARGE

House Names a Committee of Five to Inquire and Report... (By Associated Press.) Washington, Oct. 4.—A committee of five members was appointed by the House today to investigate charges made by Representative Heflin, of Alabama, that certain members of Congress had "acted suspiciously" in connection with the war.

YESTERDAY WAS BUSY DAY AT CONTEST HEADQUARTERS

Many of The Active Candidates Called at Office With Their Subscriptions and Votes and Many Others Mailed Them—Diamond Ring Period Ends in Two Days... (By Associated Press.)

THE PRIZES. \$775 Buick Automobile. Ford Touring Car. \$200 in Gold. \$100 in Gold. \$93 Furniture Suite. \$75 Columbia Graftonola. \$50 Merchandise Order At J. W. H. Fuchs' Department Store. Two \$25 Diamond Rings.

PERSHING WATCHES AMERICAN TROOPS STORM TRENCHES

Rifle Still Has Its Place in Fighting... (By Associated Press.) American and French Officers Spectators at Exercises of Sammies... American Training Quarters in France, Wednesday, Oct. 3.—Major General Pershing today watched a battalion of Major General Sibert's command as it stormed and took three supposed enemy trenches which had been named "Wilson," "Taft" and "Roosevelt" for the occasion.

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SHOOTING AFFAIR STILL A MYSTERY

Physician Dead, Minister Mortally Wounded as Result of Pistol Shots... (By Associated Press.) Russellville, Ala., Oct. 4.—The Rev. J. T. Taylor, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, here, rallied today and was able to talk, but according to the police, refused to make a statement concerning the killing of Dr. Tom Hughes and the probable fatal wounding of himself, near here yesterday.

CAMP JACKSON GETS READY FOR NEGROES

(By Associated Press.) Columbia, S. C., Oct. 4.—Camp Jackson is being prepared today for the reception of over 2,500 negroes from this State, the movement of which begins tomorrow and continues three days. The negroes will be segregated, it is stated by the camp officials.

ADVANCE ONE MILE

(By Associated Press.) British Front in France and Belgium, Oct. 4.—Field Marshal Haig's forces in the offensive begun to the east of Ypres this morning, in some places have penetrated the German lines to a depth of one mile and overran the great, the Passchendaele-Cheluvet ridges.

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MANY GRADUATES OF NAVAL PAY SCHOOL

(By Associated Press.) Washington, Oct. 4.—The largest class in the history of the Pay Corps, 117 students, has just been graduated at the Naval Pay Officers' school here, after a period of 10 weeks' instruction.

ANOTHER EFFORT TO LAND CAMP AT FAYETTEVILLE

Delegation of Prominent North Carolinians Call on Secretary Baker... (By George H. Manning.) Washington, D. C., Oct. 4.—Another might effort to land an army training camp for Fayetteville was made today when a delegation of prominent men from Fayetteville and other cities in the State, accompanied by Senator Simmons and Overman, Governor Thomas W. Bickett and all the North Carolina Congressmen, called on Secretary of War Baker this morning to urge that the proposed machine gun training school and artillery range be located at Fayetteville.

A LAST WARNING TO DRAFTED MEN

Escape Punishment by Reporting Now; Otherwise Treated as Deserters... (By Associated Press.) Washington, Oct. 4.—A last warning was issued today to drafted men who have failed to answer the call to the colors. The government gave notice that those who have failed to report, will be given an opportunity to escape punishment if they join the colors now, and explain their previous failure to do so.

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