Allies Batter German Lines. GERMANS ON THE OFFENSIVE

French Column Reaches a Wood Only

Fighting in Belgium.

The French continue to batter the German lines all the way from the North sea to Alsace, according to the reports from Paris.

The French made distinct gains at four different points, they assert, and admit losing ground to the Germans at only one point.

The gains claimed by the French of Rheims, in the forest of La Grurie, and many guns. near the Ravine of Courte Chaussee and in the forest of Le Pretre.

In Alsace the Germans regained one of their old trenches in the vicinity of Steinbach.

The allies are continuing their determined resistance in Belgium and beat back two attacks in the region of the Dunes and to the southeast of St. Georges.

To the north of the Lys and from the Lys to the Oise the only engage-Concerning other operations of the day the French war office report declares:

"In the valley of the Aisne and in the Sector of Rheims our batteries gained the upper hand over those of the enemy, reducing them to silence. At a point northwest of Rheims it is reported that certain of our troops have made an advance of about 100 yards.

"In the Argonne there developed a very spirited action, which permitted us to retake 300 yards of trenches in the forest of La Grurie, at the same place where there was recently a slight giving way, as previously reported. From Bagatelle and from Montaine Madame there were delivered two violent German attacks, each of which was repulsed.

"Near the ravine of Courte Chaussee we blew up by. exploding a mine 800 yards of German trenches, half of which we subsequently occupied.

"In the region of Thann (in upper Alsace), in spite of a violent cannonading, we retained the gains achieved the night before at Steinbach, as well as in the trenches to the southwest and to the northwest of this village. The enemy succeeded in reoccupying one of his former trenches on the eastern flank of a nearby height, the summit of which, however, remains in our possession.

"It should be set forth that in the Argonne, near the ravine of Courte Chaussee, at the point where we blew up the eGrman trenches, the attacking regiment commanded by Lieuten ant Colonel Garibaldi delivered a vigorous attack against the breach made by the explosions. The Italians captured 120 prisoners, including twelve this region is declared to be in full under officers, and took one machine retreat in a mountain pass deep in gun and one caisson. The chief adjue snow, while a violent snowstorm is let everybody catch it. January 10th, the tant of this regiment, Constantine raging, and the Russian cavalry is great day of preparation. All church Garibaldi, brother of Lieutenant Colo attacking on the flank and rear. was killed during this

a Few Miles From Altkirch-Fierce Von Hindenburg Huris Great Army Toward Warsaw in New Drive In Poland.

Broken remnants of the Turkish army that invaded Trans-Caucasia are being pursued by the victorious Russian forces.

The defeat of the Ottoman forces was a rout. The Russians are report. ed to have taken 35,000 prisoners, bewere in the region to the northwest sides vast quantities of war munitions

The Ninth Turkish corps (40,000 men) was annihilated and the Tenth corps was so badly shattered that it was unable to offer any organized resistance

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Grand Duke Nicholas notified the war office that the Russian victory was complete, and paid a tribute to the valor of the Russian troops.

The Ninth and Tenth Turkish corps were in the army which crossed the Notes of Interest to Church People of frontier near Sari-Kamysh, on the ments of the day were artillery duels. road to Kars. Another column, which took Ardahan, two days ago, has been driven from that town and is reported to be almost surrounded by Russian troops, which hold the main day 8 p. m., $9\frac{1}{2}$ E. High street. roads.

> The Russian victory at Sari Kamysh and the recapture of Ardahan, an important juntion point of the moun this week flags were displayed at certain roads from the Turkish frontier to Kars and Tiflis apparently removes whatever menace to those cities was meaning is, "there will be a prayer presented by the Turkish invasion. The German invaders of Poland These neighborhood prayer meetings mark the first services in the interest

> have renewed their activity in the of the Union Evangelistic meetings north. The line from Thorn to Plock which begin January 17th. The borough is swarmed with Teuton troops, and and outlying sections have been divided it is believed the German command into sixteen divisions; and a "captain" er-in-chief has as his objective the has been placed over each of these dicapture of the right bank of the upper visions. Vistula. This would indicate a German pointed, and all arrangements made for advance on Warsaw by way of Nove prayer meetings. All christian people Georgievsk.

> The enemy is employing light river boats, armed with machine guns, to id this mean art in the transformation of the transformation o aid this movement, but the Russian are merging all their interests for this commanders are confident that their time. Where you see a flag, go in. overwhelming superiority in number: Plans are being perfected for meetings will preclude success by Germany in Sabbath, January 10th. Men will come this new plan of campaign. Large from Sunbury who passed through the Stough campaign there. Men will come Russian forces now occupy that terrifrom Philipsburg who passed through the tory

> By entrenching the troops on the have men who passed through the "Bilfront in central Poland, Field Marshal ly" Sunday campaigns in Pittsburgh or von Hindenburg has so strengthened Scranton. Fuller announcements will be his defenses that he has been able to made from the pulpits Sabbath. Everywithdraw at least five army corps thing is working in the best of shape (200,000 men) from the central front Ministers and laymen are joined heart and throw them into the new attack and hand. All are praying and laboring for a great blessing upon all. This is a from the north.

Austrians Are In Flight.

Austrians Are in Flight. The Russians report another victory and to attend your own church Sabbath. Bring your load of fuel to help kindle over the Austrians in the Uzok Pass the fire. of the Carpathian mountains. Emperor Francis Joseph's army in



S. BATCHELER. Philipsburg, Pa. 58-47-6t NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stock-holders of the Whiterock Quarries will be held at the offices of the company in the Centre County bank building, Bellefonte, Pa., on Monday, January 25th, 1915, at three o'clock p. m., for the election of directors for the ensu-ing year and to transact such other business as may properly come before such meeting. Homes are secured, leaders apliving in the vicinity of a home that dis-L. A. SCHAEFFER,

herd.

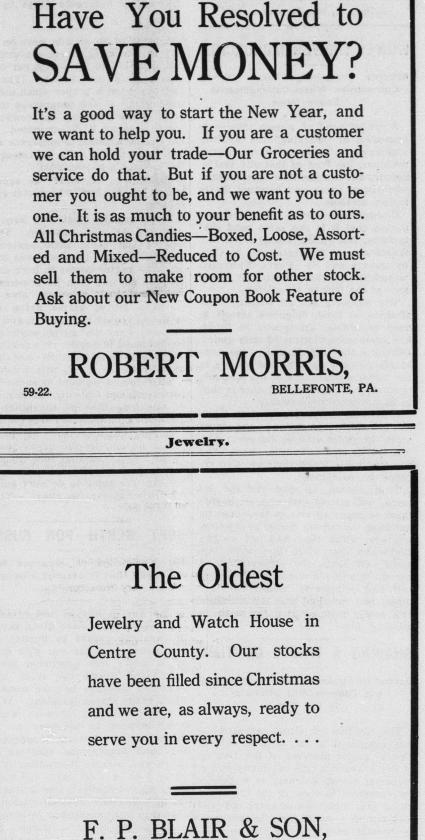
Bellefonte, Pa., Jan. 7th, 1915 60-2-3t

Contract Wiring.

Business Places and Private Houses Wired according to latest approved methods. Repairing of all kinds done satisfactorily. Work done promptly. satisfactorily. Terms right. GREGG CURTIN, Bell Phone No. 203R. 60-2-1t. Bellefonte, Pa.

EXECUTRIX NOTICE.—Letters testamentary having been granted to the undersigned upon the estate of Samuel Decker, late of Bellefonte borough, deceased, all persons know-ing themselves indebted to said estate are re-quested to make prompt payment and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement. notice, and an invitation, to the reader to attend the nearest prayer-meeting

MRS. NANNIE DECKER, S. KLINE WOODRING, Attorney. 59-48-6t Executrix, Bellefonte, Pa.



Candyland for the Best.

attack."

But all the fighting has not been in favor of the allies, as the Germans also claim to have made some gains. French trenches in the Argonne wera occupied by German troops, and in upper Alsace French troops were driven away from a position near Sennheim (Cernay), according to the German official statement.

"The French continued their syste matic bombardment of villages sit uated behind our front," the state ment says. "They seem indifferent to Cracow and have crossed Bukowina, the killing of their own countrymen and to the destruction of French homes. In any event, this bombard ment causes us very little trouble.

"At Souain and in the forest of Argonne we captured several of the enemy's trenches and made prisoners of two officers and 200 men.

"The French again obtained a foothold on the much-fought-for height west of Sennheim (Cernay), in upper Alsace, but they were again driven off after a strong bayonet attack, They have not dared to attempt fur prison in Trenton. Those who died ther advances. Fifty Alpine chasseurs were taken prisoners by us."

FRENCH TRAITOR EXECUTED

He Gave Germans Tip That Caused Air Raid.

A French railway employe, who had furnished the Germans with information that resulted in their aerial raid care was there, was executed on a charge of treason.

from death when a bomb dropped from one of the German aeroplanes exploded a short distance from him.

Germans Arrest Cardinal Mercier.

A dispatch that was received by the Amsterdam Tijd from Rosendael, Belgium, says Cardinal Mercier, primate of Belgium and archbishop of Malines, has been arrested by the German authorities and held a prisoner in his own archepiscopal palace at Malines under a military guard.

German Armored Train Shattered. In a fight between German and French armored trains in Flanders the latter came off victorious. The German train was shattered.

Two Drink Bay Rum; Die. Charles McKee, thirty-three years old, and Hugh Beck, forty-five years old, died at Perryopolis, near Union hospital. The funeral of Senator Hall — Safe, sure, and speedy, describes town, Pa., as a result of drinking will be at Ridgeway next Saturday af the action of "OIL OF GLADNESS" in old, died at Perryopolis, near Union bay rum in a Perryopolis barber shop on Sunday. Each man is said to have drank a half pint of the liquid.

Smallpox Among Austrians. An epidemic of smallpox has broken out in the Austrian armies, according to a dispatch from Trieste, and has will succeed Governor-elect Brumspread to the interior. General vaccination has been ordered.

machinery to be side-tracked or headed By forcing this pass the Russians gain control of some of the most val. glory of God. District prayer meetings covering the entire borough is the plan. uable oil fields in the Austrian em-American flag only to designate the pire, and thus shut off another of the homes where meeting is to be held. Sunsources of supplies which the Austro day school 9.30; preaching 10.30; services German armies are said to be so much 6.30 at U. B. church. Evening service to in need of. This, however, has been be led by out-of-town men in the interest of evangelism. only part of the Russian task. A. B. SPRAGUE, Pastor.

Peacock campaign there. It is hoped to

Yours for a great spiritual quickening. G. E. HAWES.

The slogan for Bellefonte is-Revival-

Pennsylvania Legislature Meets.

In the house the new speaker

carrying out his pledges to the peo-

The senate adopted a resolution of-

burg on Tuesday.

While forcing back the Austrians, the Russian troops are holding the

"Lost-a Boy," will be the subject of a line of the Mazurian lakes in East Prussia, are fighting strenuously to sermon for children next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, in the Reformed church. withstand the German offensive in Parents come and bring your children. north Poland, are advancing toward -----All good things have imitators The only genuine "OIL OF GLADNESS" which is now virtually in their pos-

session. is prepared by Moyer Brothers, Blooms In north Poland the weather is burg, Pa. 25c and 50c sizes, proving a useful ally to Russia. The Germans are making only slow progress with their offensive operations, while the Russians are advancing to ward Cracow and South Silesia.

Three Die In Chair at Trenton. New Jersey's first triple electrocution took place Wednesday when three Charles A. Ambler, of Montgomery slayers were put to death at the state county, urged the members to support Dr. Brumbaugh in his policy of were Richard Sparks, seventeen years old, and George Green, twenty-four years old, both negroes, who killed

Charles A. Ely, and Griffin J. Johnson, negro. who killed Laura Smith.

To Exchange War Prisoners.

Pope Benedict has been notified in Rome that both Germany and Ausupon Furnes while President Poin tria had accepted his suggestion that prisoners of war incapacitated for further service should be exchanged. The president had a narrow escape The pontiff regards the action of the Teutonic allies as indicating success in his efforts to relieve, in part at least, the useless suffering caused by votes. Charles W. Sones, of Lycomthe war.

gating the finding of the explosive.

State Senator Hall Dead.

Heads Philadelphia Schools. William C. Jacobs was chosen su

perintendent of schools of Philadel-

phia. Dr. Jacobs has been associate

superintendent for nine years. He

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Try to Blow Up Church. An attempt to blow up St. Joa-

chim's Roman Catholic church in Trenton, N. J., was frustrated by the failure of a fuse to ignite twenty-six ounces of dynamite in a can, found in

chief clerk of the senate, and W. Harthe vestibule of the church by the ry Baker, secretary, were re-elected without opposition, as were Herman The fuse had been ignited, but was P. Miller, librarian, and James R. extinguished before it had burned its Bagshaw, sergeant-at-arms. full length. The police are investi-

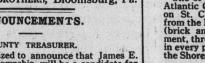
Kinsman of Taft Dies In Cab. Horatio Taft, second cousin of ex-Presient William H. Taft, died in a Word has been received in Ridgetaxicab in Rockford, Ill., while on his way, Pa., that State Senator James way to a hospital for treatment for K. P. Hall is dead. He was taken to pneumonia and Bright's disease. Tampa, Fla., several weeks ago, after being critically ill in a Cleveland, O.,

croup, colds, asthma, burns and frost 25c and 50c sizes

MOYER BROTHERS, Bloomsburg, Pa.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

COUNTY TREASURER.



We are authorized to announce that James E. Harter, of Penn township, will be a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic voters as expressed at the primaries on the third Tuesday of September, 1915. 59-38-tf

estate are requested to present authenticated without delay to J. M. KEICHLINE, Executor. Bellefonte, Pa 60-1-6t

CEWING MACHINES

I am selling the two best Sewing Ma-chines made-the Standard Rotary and Eldredge Rotary. I keep in stock other cheaper Machines, as low in price as you can buy in Chicago. I repair all makes of Sew-ing Machines; keep in stock Shuttles, Nee-dles, also Key Blanks. Shop on west Bishop St., Bellefonte, Pa. G. S. CLEMENTS, 59:43-8t Agent for Companies. 5

PRIVATE SALE.—In the matter of the estate of Charles W. Cook, late of the Borough of Beech Creek, County of Clinton, and State of Pennsylvania, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the Orphans' Court has ordered the private sale for the payment of debts of the above named decedent, of the fol-lowing described real estate situated in the town-ship of Liberty, County of Centre, and State of Pennsylvania, as follows, to wit: Tract No. 1 to Themes W. Couch of Uther

Tract No. 1, to Thomas W. Cook of Liberty ownship, Centre County, Penna., for the price or sum of \$500.00. The general assembly of Pennsyl vania started its 130th session, when both branches of what is commonly

Tracts Nos. 2 and 3, to Elizabeth Cook, of Liberty township, Centre County, Penna., for the price or sum of \$200.00. called the legislature met in Harris-

DESCRIPTION.

NUMBER ONE. Beginning at a post in the mid-dle of the Public road leading from Eagleville to Beech Creek; thence south 31 degrees east 27 perches along lot of Fannie Nestlerode to a post; thence along lot of David Bumgardner south 26 degrees west 3% perches to a post; thence along lot of Clara Eva Hunter north 31 degrees west 22 perches more or less to the middle of the afore-said road; thence along the middle of said road north 34½ degrees east 3.4 perches to the place of beginning. Containing 79 3.7 perches.

fered by Senator McNichol, of Phila-

fered by Senator McNichol, of Phila-delphia, providing for a committee composed of three senators, three representatives, the speaker and the president pro tem. of the senate, to confer with the governor-elect as to the introduction of bills advocated in the Republican state platform and in the platform of Dr. Brumbaugh. In the senate Charles H. Kline, of Allegheny, was re-elected president pro tem., receiving all the Republican votes. Charles W. Sones, of Lycom-ing county, received the complimen-tary vote of the Democrats. The one Washington party senator, Raymond E. Smith, of Crawford county, also voted for Mr. Sones. Harmon W. Kephart, of Fayette, chief clerk of the senate, and W. Har

ning. Containing 107 perches more or less. It was further ordered and decreed by the said Court that the return of the said private sale will be made to the Orphans' Court of Centre County, on Tuesday, January 26th. A. D. 1915, and thereupon confirmed unless exceptions be filed thereto or an increased offer made for said premises; that Dorothy B. Cook, administratrix of said decedent upon confirmation as aforesaid, will be authorized and directed to make, execute and deliver deeds of conveyance in fee simple for the above described premises, to the purchasers thereof.

DOROTHY B. COOK, Administratrix of &c., of Charles W. Cook, deceased

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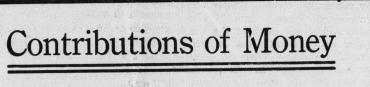
BROWN & STEVENSON, Atty's for Estate.

Lock Haven, Penna.

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in every particular. Owners the Shore. Address, C. J. SHOENBERGER,

169 St. Charles Place, Atlantic City, N. J



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Bellefonte, - 59-4-tf - Penna.

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Do You Want to Help Them?

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The First National Bank BELLEFONTE, PA. 59-1-1y

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