### U.S. FORCE HAS LARGE PART IN ALLIED SUCCESS

Advance on Meuse River and in Argonne Forest, Pershing Announces.

POSITIONS HELD IN FACE
OF SUPERIOR NUMBERS

100 Planes and 21 Balloons
Destroyed in the Past

Four Days.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Further advances by the American forces attacking long the Meuse river and in the Argonne forest were reported in General Pershing's communique for today, received toaight at the War Department. American patrols have passed beyond Clerges and are maintaining contact with the enemy. More than 100 hostile planes and 21 ballong a fare been alord down by American

Has datement-follows:

"Has dusters of the American expeditionary forces, October 1, decition A. During the day we advance out lines in the forest of Argonne. For the fact to the east our patrols have passed beyond Cargos and are operating north

The the sorth our troops are edvancing with the French and British and paricipating in their successes.

Since September 26 cur aviators have
foot down more than 100 hostile planes
and 21 balloons.

Section B. There is nothing to re-

#### Tanks Drip-With Enemy Blood After Smashing Line

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mans interest the country with talk mines apparently anticipating a withdrawal apparently anticipating a withdrawal apparently anticipating and apparently apparently apparently apparently and apparently apparently apparently one casualty resulting. The other pot-through and did uplends execution. These American tank crew were trained in ingland and had been waiting behind in the front for the states. They rolled size,

machine gan nests.

After the manner of the British, th
Americans drove their machines right or
top of the German, crushing down men
gans and nests. Some of the crews can
out of the fight with their tractors drip
ping with bleed, showing how completel

#### Fierce Firing by Americans Inflicts Heavy Casualties

(By the Associated Fress).

PARIS Oct. 1—A Gerran counter attack in the vicinity of Aprenion, on the battle front northwest of Verduo, was successfully beaten back in the forenoon of today by the Americans. Otherwise the fighting on the American front was virtually at a standard.

Drosen rods and destroyed bridges telms repaired in order that the transmiss as sopplies to the front may be considered, till greater regularity. There was some in the battle line at 230 o'clock acceptance, when this dispatch was

the American artillers and infantry the American artillers and infantry the American artillers and the operations of the American the American that the treath strongth of one community of Germans was reduced from 50 to Amother company jobs 30 per cent of

The champy on Tuesday was continually tringing any reinforcements leading to the state that it is his intention to endeaving to hold this present line, at least temporarily.

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of Supply Department

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## ARMY RESERVE CORPS HEAR ADDRESSES FROM PRESIDENT AND MARCH

Wilson Tells Youths They Have Become Comraftes in Cause of Making World a Better Place to Live in.

University Men Become Part of the Military Forces and Pledge Themselves to Defense of the Nation.

ASELINGTON, Oct. 1.—One hundred, and diffy thousand college attudents in all bactons of the country were mustered into the Student Army Reserve Corps at more than 500 colleges and universities today, becoming part of the military forces and pledging themselves to the defense of the nation. Special pragrams Inaugurate the corps with formal coremony, Standing at attention the students heard messages from President Wilson, Acting Secretary Crowell and General March, the chief of staff.

President Wilson's message said:
"The slep you, have, taken is a most significant one. By it you have ceased to be merely individuals, each, seeking to perfect himself to win bis 'ord', place in the world, and have become contracts in the common cause of making the world a better place to live in. You have joined your selven to the cottine manhood of the country and pledged, as did your forefathers, your lives, your fortunes and your 'as credithonor,' to the freedom of humanity,

Enterprise lyon which you have embarked is a hazardous and difficult one This is not a war of words; this is so that is not a war of words; this is so that is not a war of words; this is so that is not a war of words; this is so that is not a war of words; the so that is not a war of the power of machines. To acceded you must not only be inspired by the case of which this country stands, but you must also be masters of the technique with which the hattle is fought. You must with which the hattle is fought, and must be with the word of the words of today.

"There can be no doubt of the Issue. The spirit that is revealed and the manner in which America has responded to the call is indominable. I have no doubt that you, too, will use your pimost strength to maintain just spirit and to earry it forward to the final victory that will extainly be out:

Advisability of extending the students army trailing corps plan to high schools a being considered by the general staff, Senstor Hitchcock of Nebraska took up the question with the War Department and it was learned today that the idea is regarded favorably.

# STUDENT ARMY MEMBERS SWEAR FEALTY TO FLAG

Inducted Into Service of Nation at Local Institutions With Fitting Exercises.

Topsdy morning at precisely 11 o'clock at Vindyrbit University 700 students when enlisted in the Students Army Training. Corps atood at attention and a "The Single Spangled Banner," was played and o'cloy flung to the breese, solemnly re peated the outh of allegiance to the United States.

At the same hour time-these exercises were stated in Jaco 200 other colleges and universities; were conducting similar programs. The hour will be a memorable one for hendreds of lastitutions through out the nation; and one which will prove to be interest in the making. The great case of the army training corps will be more significant when it is understood that his number who took the oath of allegance and the process of the could be a supported by the country of the

sed: 150,000. These young then whe so fervenily remaked the oath, did so with the greatest f reverence, and thereby pledged the treatment of the committee of the continued remedies at their country and to the plantings, which is uplicits as a symbol freedom and democracy for all the proference and democracy for all they are

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PRESIDENT WILSON

President Wilson, whose message to the Simple that the president Army Training Corps yesterday, was read during the exercises that took place in 500 colleges.

#### SEWANEE OPENS DOORS TO ARMY TRAINING CORPS

Bishop Knight, Col. Brown and Others Address Khaki-clad Student Band.

SBWANEE, Tonn. Oct. L. (Special.)—"Pils country will never be stopped unitable marches into the streets of Berlin or sees forower an end put to the military autocracy of Germany." So spoke the Revellency D. Phillips, chaplain of the University of the South At the exercises connected with the induction of the members of the Students 'Army Training Corps. Tecchay morning.

And auch was the belief in the mind of the large crowd present when the memhers of the corps, 'elad in their khakl und forms which had been lambed, the day before, together with the faculty and offers of the university and the Sewiane Mittary Academy and others present. Meind women with one voice repeated afte-Colonel Brown, the eath of allegiance to the flag.

The pledge was as follows:

If pledge allegiance to my fing and the republic for which it stands, one nation indivisible with liberty and justice for all. The members of the corps were assembled on the lawn fronting the Carnegie Science Building, flanked on one side by the stands of the other by Walsh Hall, in the center of the quadrangle formed by these buildings, stand the tail flag pole, and nearby was the stand occupied by the stands of the tail flag pole, and nearby was the stand occupied by the stands of the

What They Stand For,
Preceding the raising of the flag Colonel
frown made a short talk regarding what
he flag stands for. He said it stands for
un republic, liberty and justice for all
that under our form of government the

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### IMPERIAL GERMAN Secretaries out

Prussian Ministers Also Intend to Resign Posts.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 1.—All the imperia German Secretaries of State have resigned and the Prussian Ministers intend to resign, according to the Berlig Tegeblatt, copy of which has been received here.

#### BOCHES MEET GREATER Opposition in Russia

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—The German re-meeting with Increasing opposition. It is the efforts to establish control in Russia weetall press reserts received at the Stat to the control of the Control of the Stat of the control of the Contr

## CITY HOSPITAL FULL; 50 CALLS TURNED DOWN

150,000 COLLEGE STUDENTS MUSTEREL

Influenza Epidemic Here Is Regarded as Most Serious in Many Years.

Due to the epidemic of influenza in Nainville, on aimost unprecedented condition prestaits at the city hospital, as many as fifty calls received between 4 octobe. Tuesday afternoon and 9 octobe. Tuesday alight having been turned down because of lack of systaliable accommodations.

At 4 o'clock there was not in the inattution an available hed for a man, all of the private rooms and the charity wards appropriated for men being entirely occupied at that hour, and in the women's department only about half a dozen beds were available.

As long as there were any beds available two ambulances were kept constantly in operation bringing patients affleted with the disease to the hospital, and Dr. W. F. Fessey, superintendent of the hospital, stated Tursday night-there were helween, fifty and seventy-five cases in the institu-

"The coldenie is the most serious I have known in Nashville since I became uperinfendent of the hospital." said Dr. Fessey. "A number of the patients are in sesse being generally far more serious than previous epidemics of grip. It is commonly accompanied by brenchitts, but we have the serious than the properties of the serious than the serious that the serious serious of the lack of accommodations, it is necessary for as to turn down the serious serious of the lack of accommodations, it is necessary for as to turn down unbided to criticiam. But, of course, under the circumstances we have no alternative. So far very few negroes have been discussed to the serious serious than the serious serious than that the serious s

## Physicians Discuss Influenza Epidemic

Before a meeting of the Nushville Academy of Medicine, held in the assembly room of the Tulsare Blott Tuesday evening, a comprehensive discussion of the Industrial producine was led by Capt. R. C. Derivaux, United States Public Health Service; City Eusteriologist Herman Spitz

In this discussion it was emphasize that the present outbreak was but a recurrence of a disease that has been not denke and epidemic in various countrie for many years, and at least three distinct periods in the past, the most notable of which accurred in 1888-190-11c-was satisfy by all the speakers that in itself the disease was not fath except in case of an most fruit except in case of an most fruit routbreame to the physician is that of hysteria bred from the germ of hyperbole.

hyperbole. The cases at Nashville and Jacksonville are no more severe or numerous than all similar points throughout the country Single precautions can reduce the privalence to a minimum of danger, and little common sense and coolbeadedness.

Suggestions for the guidance of the nations, their, families and the public in general were given out by the academy, the suggestions being along the lines of those made by Dr. W. E. Hibbett, City Health Officer, and printed in The Tennessean of Toesday morning.

Other hospitals in the city are also asid to be crowded. The malady is atill very much in evidence at the bowder plant, while physicians of the city are kept busy attending patients at their homes.

MORE NEW CASES
OF INFLUENZA

## Pneumonia Increase Is Also

Shown in Camps.

WARHINGTON. Oct. 1 Spanish. In Duema continues to apreed in army camps to the office of the Surgeon-General Garming the steady-four hours, ending at most today. This was an increase over yester day of 1800 cases. The mountain cases also the foundation of the continues cases.

demic began number 1,877.

Ceasp Custer, Mich, where induensa had
not previously appeared reported 1,766
eases. The most serious increase was a
Camp Meade, Md., which reported 1,877
eases against 356 yesterday.

#### PEACE RIOTERS SMASH STATUES IN HUN CAPITAL

I.ONDOM. Oct. 1—A peace demonstration took place in Berlin on Satur day, according to news/pectwof her today. The cheering crewdy aromable in from of the Bulgardan legation a the German capital, necessifating policitations.

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Major-General William C. Gorgas, Su geon-General of the American army, we reach the age of retirement next month.

#### ANOTHER DAY OF VICTORY CROWNS ALLIED EFFORTS

Influenza Epidemic Long Lines of German Transnecting of the Nushville AcadIdeline, held in the assembly
Tuliane Hotel Tuesday evepreferensive flacusmon of the
Cambrai Section.

(By the Associated Press).
WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN
FRANCE, Oct. 1.—G:40 p. m.)—This wa
another day of vikeries for the fighting
British army. The Belgians also continue

Gains of the greatest importance we made by the Australians between Cambr and Si. Quentin, and it seems that the bave crossed the canal everywhere.

Long lines of enomy transports ar fleeing east and northeastward from thi

region, as well as other regions.
One more, cannot like of great proportions have been inflicted on the Germans who now are fighting with greatest desperation, realizing that their position in this entire area is more precarious than

True, there has been again the hardes of close fighting astribe and in the Hin denburg system; but back of here there is open country. Joncourt now is well be hind the British lines after brisk fighting The lines are some distance east of Lever gies. Estrees, captured once and then los in a counter, attack, here have been taken again by storm. The Austrians smasher well essaying of it, making sure, or main

taining their gain.

From here the battle line curves bac northwestward, passing about 1,500 yard southwest of Goupy, which also has on been reached by the Allied troops, but a the present noment is in German hands.

The torch has been applied to Cambra and the town is burning brigkly. It'd ave

The second base been a contract of the best and the town is burning brinkly. If it is and the town is burning brinkly, if it is the first and the first an

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## U. S. SUBMARINE CHASER IS SUNK

Collides With Oil Steamer Off New Jersey Coast.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Navai submariae chases No. 60 was sunk early today in a collipion with the oil steamer S. W. Waller of the const of New Jersey, Two collips members of the crew ware reaccided. Partol boats and other craft are searching for the missing men, who are Machinist Mate Waller H. Kluth and Seaman

isrtin A. Wilson.
The collision occurred at 2-0 clock thus orning, the Navy Department announcement said. No cause was given but it ras assumed hat it resulted from the ossible lact that both craft were running tithout lights.

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WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Benators an Representatives from wheat-growing state and offenias of the National Wheat. Grow re' Amociation in conference here tonigh decided to machin a special committee in type type President Wisson immediates Turkey Cannot lowing King According to Lers—Solemn N

Surrender Spel Germany's Ho dle East and For World Er

AMSTERDAM, Oct. indapest newspapers, it an government desire; ent with Germany, in the that measures have fense as a result of rayal, from the war. A dispatch received

Ruddrest quotes the martin as saying that, a could Saturday, at widels hat had become necessibilities at effective defense an effective defense ment was still striving albie moment, in agreem to secure; a peace that preserve the monarchy.

#### End of Great F Tragedy Near

"LONDON, Oct. 1.—The garlans to the Centra garland by the London foreshadowing the end years' tragedy. The edthe most part are unable key can avoid following gary must to the same, der spells ruly to beder spells ruly to beder spells ruly to because of the same, penaltre.

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