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The French Win a Victory South of the Somme.

TREMENDOUS BLOW RESULTS

IN CAPTURE OF TWO STRONGLY FORTIFIED VILLAGES.

Whole System of German Trenches on a Front of Nearly Three Miles—More Than 500 Germans Taken Prisoners.

Paris, Nov. 8.—French troops struck a tremendous blow south of the Somme yesterday. On a front of over four kilometres (nearly three miles), extending from Chaulnes Wood to southeast of Ablaincourt sugar refinery, Joffe's troops smashed forward against the forces under the Crown Prince of Bavaria, carrying the villages of Ablaincourt and Pressoir, both of which were strongly fortified, as well as several other German positions. More than 500 prisoners were captured. The War Office report states that the attack brought on important gains despite the heavy rain. The villages of Ablaincourt and Pressoir were first brilliantly conquered by the infantry. Pushing their lines forward the French captured the Ablaincourt cemetery, which was strongly fortified by the enemy, and carried their positions as far as the outskirts of Genecourt.

The attack was launched early yesterday morning after the artillery guns had pounded the German front throughout the night. The French swept forward against the dazed Teutons, breaking down obstacles and inflicting heavy losses on the enemy, who had sought refuge in their deep underground galleries.

The advance puts Peronne, the southerly point of the German line, in imminent peril. The town is now practically pocketed, as was Comblies just before its fall. The fall of Peronne and Bapaume would menace the entire 100-mile Noyon salient of the German armies.

Germans Admit French Success.

(Special to the Whig.) Berlin, via Sayville, Nov. 8.—The War Office statement to-day admitted the French and British claims of yesterday, that the Entente Allies had captured the villages of Ablaincourt and Pressoir, and mentioned counter-attacks delivered against those places last night without success.

Rumanian troops have gained further small advances on the northern Rumanian front, the War Office announced to-day.

MILITARY CIRCLES

Nineteen members of the army class of the R.M.C. are leaving college in order to accept commissions in the Canadian army. They are: G. B. Brown, W. Sutherland, G. F. Benson, Montreal; G. G. M. Carr-Harris, Kingston; H. B. Gilbert, F. A. Warren, Toronto; N. G. Bethune, W. H. D. MacMahon, H. H. Wiggins, G. L. Ross, H. B. Thorburn, Ottawa; R. L. Chalfoer, Victoria, B.C.; R. L. Ferrie, C. G. Wood, R. S. Morris, Hamilton; W. H. O'Reilly, Cornwall; A. R. McLaren, Buckingham, Que.; G. E. Cushing, Westmount, Que.; J. H. Price, Quebec.

It is rumored that Capt. Richardson, assistant director of medical services, will be appointed to the Hospital Commission.

Capt. Simpson, of the dental Corps, is at present attached to the Convalescent Home at Cobourg.

The resignation of Lieut.-Col. W. D. Johnston and the appointment of Major C. H. Ackerman to the 247th Battalion Peterboro with the temporary rank of lieut.-colonel in the Canadian militia is affected from November 6th.

Lieut. G. B. Richardson 75th Battery; Lieut. R. B. Brooks, 247th Battalion; and Capt. J. H. Edwards, 240th Battalion.

Lieut.-Col. Georges Roy, commanding the R.C.H.A. and the Royal School of Artillery, is to go to the front for a while for the purpose of observation and instruction.

The following are taking the bayonet fighting and physical training course, which began on Nov. 7th: 240th Battalion—Lieut. E. J. L. Coles; Corporal M. W. Sandusky, J. P. Ryan, F. Fisher; Lance-corporals R. Sivel, J. Andrews and Carter; privates H. C. Baldwin, A. Grayson, E. Waldon, J. B. Legace, J. D. Morrison, J. S. Sutherland and Mallet. Queen's Field Ambulance Corps—Sergeant Barry.

235th Battalion—Lieut. Armstrong, Corporal R. Watson, Lance-corporal S. Scripture, privates R. Taylor, R. G. Eddy, L. Flynn, J. Parago, J. Chubb, W. Coyle, R. Bruce, V. Skerrett.

247th Battalion—Lieut. C. G. Shaw, sergeant H. M. Latimer, Q.M. sergt. O'Hara; privates Chas. Deline, Herman Shier, Charles Avery. "C" Battery, R.C.H.A.—Guinness Hall, Higgins, Valader, Behan, bdr. Kuchner.

A handwriting expert is here from Ottawa, going over the cheques alleged to have been forged by a military clerk.

Lieut.-Col. Percy Allen, officer commanding the 254th Battalion, which has just been authorized, was in the city on Wednesday, conferring with Gen. Hemming. He reports that the outlook for recruits is ex-

cellent. The Battalion will recruit in Prince Edward, Hastings, and Lennox and Addington, the headquarters being at Belleville.

Gen. Hemming went to Brockville on Tuesday, where he inspected the 230th Battalion. He found the soldiers looking well and happy. They are greatly contented with their environment. Twelve recruits joined the battalion Monday night, and a vigorous recruiting campaign will be inaugurated in a few days.

Four recruits were secured Tuesday at the Princess street recruiting depot, all for the Canadian Mounted Rifles. They were C. J. Hepburn, Kingston, and William Turney, John Pain and John Ralph, St. Lambert, Que.

INSPECTOR W. H. WYLLIE TENDERS RESIGNATION.

W. H. Wyllie, inspector of the Children's Aid Society for the past two years, has tendered his resignation in view of the action of citizens in turning out the old executive. All Mr. Wyllie would say to the Whig was: "They evidently don't want me." It is likely that when a new inspector is appointed the new executive will also appoint a matron to look after girls taken in charge.

THEATRICAL NEWS

At the Grand. To-night will be the last chance to see Harold Lockwood and Mary Allison in "The River of Romance," taken on the St. Lawrence river. For Thursday and Friday an excellent programme has been arranged. George Walsh will be seen in the feature picture, "The Beast," a drama of social intrigue. Also a two-reel Universal feature, a comedy, and the Pathe News will be shown. In the vaudeville will be seen Mary Cook in a pianologue act, and the two Brownies, who present a comedy singing, dancing and skating specialty, which comes highly recommended. This bill will be seen on Thursday and Friday only.

"September Morn."

There are six emphatic song hits in the season's greatest musical festival, "September Morn," which Le Coite and Flesher will present at the Grand on Saturday, Nov. 11th, matinee and night. The title song, "September Morn," has proven the sensation of the decade, and "In Parade," "When a Little Boy Loves a Little Girl," "Beautiful Dreams I'm Dreaming," "A Spare Rib From the Butcher Shop of Life," "Where is the Pleasure in Wine and Song if the Woman is Not There?" follow closely as popular favorites. Ruth Wilkins, whose piquant personality has made her a reigning favorite will be seen as "Argentina," the tango dancer.

At the Strand.

Capacity houses and everyone pleased was the order of things last evening, when "The Light That Failed," with Robert Edeson in the stellar role, played at this popular theatre. The two vaudeville acts were also well received. To-night will be the last chance to witness this splendid programme. For the last three days of this week the feature picture will be a four-act Triangle play, "The Little Liar," featuring Mad Marsh and Robert Harron. "The Winning Punch," a Keystone comedy, other good reels, and two acts of high-class vaudeville will also be shown.

Ideal Theatre.

Wednesday and Thursday, third episode of "Liberty," also Francis Ford and Grace Canard in "Brennan of the Moor," a strong Irish play, which gives these two stars ample scope for their abilities.

THE HEARST PAPERS BANNED IN CANADA

The Government Fixes Saturday, the 11th of November, as the Date.

(Special to the Whig.) Ottawa, Nov. 8.—The Dominion Government has decided to put under the ban all Hearst papers after Saturday, Nov. 11th. All Hearst's publications will be refused the privileges of the Canadian mails, and any person found with copies in his possession will be liable to arrest, fine or imprisonment. The list of publications so banned include the New York American, the Chicago American and thirteen other Hearst publications from various parts of the States.

LIEUT. KENNETH TAYLOR HOME.

He Was Wounded at Courcellette on Sept. 15th. Lieut. Kenneth Taylor, formerly of the 59th Battalion, but who was transferred to No. 1 Company of the 21st Battalion, and who was wounded on Sept. 15th at Courcellette, returned to his home at 132 King street on Wednesday afternoon. He has been given two months' leave of absence. He is suffering from a wound in his leg, and is walking lame. He was met by his brother, Quartermaster-Serjt. Taylor, of the 72nd (Queen's) Battery.

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Reports to the Provincial Board of Health say that the infantile paralysis cases are scattered over seven or eight counties, showing that it has not become epidemic in any particular municipality.

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