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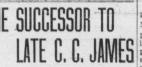
## HUNS CAN'T WITHSTAND SLAV VALOR

**Russians Inflict Colossal** Losses on Germans, Smash Through Lines on the Dvina

General Kuropatkin Directs a Terrific Artillery Bombardment for Three Days Against the Defences of Von Hindenburg on the Northern End of Line,

New York, July 21.--A Rome des days and has succeeded in destroying patch to the Journal says: "The forces of General Kuropatkin, that the Russians are now ready for

"The forces of General Kuropatkin, on the Dvina, in the northern section of the German line in Rus, have smashed through the German front with artillery fire lasting three days, adcording to despatches received here from Petrograd today. The Germans suffered what are described as 'col-ossal' losses. "General Kuropatkin has been at-tacking the German defensive works with furious artillery fire for several





Report of the Meredith-Duff Commission That Investigated the Kyte Charges Made on the Floors of the House of Commons Clearly and Emphatically Exonerates Sir Sam Hughes and the Members of the Old Shell Committee From All Insinuations Against Their Probity and Honor.

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Wallace Gibson Under Surgeon's Knife for Appendici-

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**Opinion of Liberal Organ** "The Free Press has been concerned only in the defence of the members

Germans Frantically Rush Troops to the Somme to Ward Off Attacks of the Allies

The British Again Advancing Into Foureaux Wood, the Capture of Which Will Give Them Possession of the Highest Piece of Ground in the Vicinity-

tis-Condition Good.

London, July 22.—Some idea of the huge forces now engaged in the battle of the Somme, in Northern France, is given in the official statement from Berlin tonight, in which it is stated that more than 200 000 French and lines north and south of the Somme Thursday on a front of twenty-seven miles. Today's news from the battle ground, whice has been contested bit-terly since July 1, shows no great change in the relative positions of the Franco-British and German forces.

WOODSTOCK MAN More Casualties Among Canadians OPERATED UPON Ottawa, July 21 .- The midnight cas

Engineers

Previously reported unofficially, now officially prisoner of war-Sapper John Robert McLeod, Thorburn, N.S.

Seriously III-Gunner Ronald Mon-crioff, Lunenburg, N. S.; Joseph Wade, 113 Queen street, Hall-fax, N. S.

Infantry. Wounded-Lewis Ayotte, Campbell-ton, N. B. Lestof Edgar Ince, 54 Gerrish street, Halifax, N. S. Jemes Kidson, Sydney, N. S. J. G. McGrsth, Escuminac, N. B.

MIDNIGHT LIST. Infantry.

Killed in Action-Ralph N. Secord, pohaqui, N. B. Apohaqui, N. B. Lieut. Bertram Smith, Box 45, St John, N. B.

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small job and soon found test in trolling the biggest industry in the country." The Free Press claimed also that it has been completely justified in its defence of Sir Sam Hughes from charges of dishonesty. In the Capital general satisfaction is expressed in the findings except among the active political workers in the Liberal party. They condemn it and yet claim that it justifies the statements made by their leaders in Parliament. General Hughes must repudiate Allison. He can no longer maintain that his "guide, counseller and friend" has been true to him or to the Shell Commission that reposed in his parlice Allison. Me cac of the report, can repudiate Allison and re-main without a stain on his adminis tration, or costinue to defend the Morrisburg promoter and be judged with him.

## STEAMERS RELEASED.

Montreal, July 21.—The British Ad-dicatly has released three of the Vhite Star Dominion Line steamers which were formerly in the Canadian rade, the Northland, Southland and canada, and which have been engag-d in the Government service between freat Britain and the Mediterranean. News of the release of the three ships was received here today.

On account of the internet ontrover a harvesting their oats by moon bit. Last Skurder night the har sters had to retire from the fields 10.46 o'clock, the mean being in trial eclipse until 12.12.