

UNCLE'S LASSIE IS VICTOR IN FEATURE

Paid Five to One in the Mineola — Rhine Maiden Wins.

Belmont Park, Sept. 4.—The races here today resulted as follows:

FIRST RACE—For three-year-olds and up, claiming, \$601.33, 6½ furlongs, main course.
1. The Decision, 122 (Lottus), 16 to 5.
2. Defense, 112 (Ensign), 11 to 5, even.
3. Poor Butterfly, 105 (Wells), 20 to 1.
4. 5 to 4 to 1.

SECOND RACE—Maiden, three years old and up, purse \$601.33, one mile.
1. Mose, 115 (A. Collins), 15 to 1, 6 to 1.
2. Grouse, 115 (Knapp), 9 to 5, 7 to 10.
3. Phalaris, 115 (Lyke), 5 to 1, 2 to 1.
4. 5 to 2.

THIRD RACE—The Locust Valley, 3-year-olds and up, handicap, selling, \$601.33 added, 11-16 miles.
1. Wyoming, 108 (Ensign), 5 to 2, 3 to 1.
2. Smart Money, 115 (Lyke), even, 2 to 1.
3. Gamecock, 99 (Wells), 7 to 1, 2 to 1.
4. Time, 146 2-5, Irregular and The Banquo II also ran.

FOURTH RACE—The Mineola, value, six furlongs, straight.
1. Uncle's Lassie, 106 (McAtee), 5 to 1.
2. Aunt Dinah, 107 (Lyke), 2 to 1, even.
3. Blarney, 108 (Schuttiger), 13 to 1.
4. 5 to 1.

FIFTH RACE—The Brentwood, for 3-year-olds and up, non-winners of \$600 in this handicap, with \$701.34 added, one mile.
1. Rhine Maiden, 100 (Wells), 16 to 5, even, 2 to 1.
2. Brooks, 100 (Callahan), 8 to 1, 3 to 1.
3. Walnut Hall, 107 (Ensign), even, 2 to 1.
4. Time, 139 2-5, Peter Piper and Berlin also ran.

SIXTH RACE—Two-year-olds, non-winners of a race of the value of \$250 other than selling, purse \$601.34, 5½ furlongs, straight.
1. Purchase, 113 (Lyke), 13 to 10, 1 to 2.
2. Ophelia, 110 (Wells), 3 to 1, 7 to 10.
3. Lion d'Or, 113 (Ensign), 5 to 1, 1 to 2.
4. Time, 104 4-5, Roi Craig also ran.

Playgrounds Teams Decide Soft Ball Championship

Elizabeth defeated McCormick last night for the intermediate 115-lb. City Playgrounds soft ball championship, 5 to 4. The two teams played great ball all thru. Rotstein, Elizabeth, had a home run with the bases full. Teams: Elizabeth (G)—West, Bailey, Dunlop, Rotstein, Ross, Sullivan, Bluestine, Wilkes, Kicker, Levy. McCormick (A)—Woodward, Kirk, Woods, Beck, Clarke, Mercer, Britton, Duffin, Atchison, Ivers. St. Andrews won the City Playgrounds juvenile 85-lb. championship yesterday at Elizabeth. Playgrounds won on March 28, defeated O'Neill, 22 to 14. St. Andrews, Carlton Park and O'Neill won their sections. St. Andrews defeated Carlton Park in the semi-final, 11 to 5. Teams: St. Andrews (2)—H. Frankel, J. T. Baldo, F. Jeffries, H. Sniderman, S. Rubinoff, A. Oelbaum, N. Pearlstone, S. Samuel, E. Freedman, C. Mitchell. O'Neill (14)—F. O'Hara, E. Culligan, F. Lynch, H. Harrison, W. Patterson, T. By, E. LeGarde, F. Hinde, H. Bochner, M. Robinson.

HANGED AT PRINCE ALBERT.

Prince Albert, Sask., Sept. 4.—John Stanko was hanged here this morning at 7 o'clock for the murder of Michael Nowinski at Elstow on March 28, 1918. He walked to the scaffold without a tremor.

RETREAT BEFORE FRENCH.

With the French Army in France, Sept. 4.—The Germans are in retreat on the French front east of the Canal du Nord. French cavalry was in pursuit during the night, and this morning had pushed to within two miles of Guisard, on the Noyon-Ham road.

The World's Selections BY CENTAUR.

BELMONT PARK.

FIRST RACE—Nightstick, Water War, Everest.

SECOND RACE—Brand, Max Meadows, Topsy Nix.

THIRD RACE—Resist, His Sister, Pluvius.

FOURTH RACE—Fairy Wand, Flagg, Papp.

FIFTH RACE—Buckboard, Barry Shannon, Elderkin.

SIXTH RACE—Kiss Again, Merry Princess, Lucky Lady.

AT BELMONT PARK.

Belmont Park, N.Y., Sept. 4.—Entries for Thursday:

FIRST RACE—Three-year-olds and up, selling, 6 furlongs, straight.

Water War.....116 Everest.....115

Nightstick.....123

SECOND RACE—Maiden, 2-year-olds, claiming, 5 furlongs, straight.

Topsy Nix.....145 North Star.....145

Moccasin III.....145 zBrand.....145

Contender.....132 Far Beyond.....132

Max Meadows.....149

THIRD RACE—Maiden, 2-year-olds, claiming, 5 furlongs, straight.

Umbala.....110 His Sister.....112

Dahinda.....112 Far Beyond.....112

Pluvius.....112 County Kerry.....112

Unwise Child.....107 Resist.....112

FOURTH RACE—The Autumn Highweight Handicap, all ages, 6 furlongs, straight.

zHollister.....123 War Machine.....105

Flag.....122 Ima Frank.....108

Papp.....120 Fairy Wand.....108

FIFTH RACE—Three-year-olds and up, selling, 11-16 miles.

Garbage.....110 Prunes.....104

Barry Shannon.....113 Buckboard.....113

Puts and Calls.....109 Elderkin.....109

SIXTH RACE—Fillies, 2-year-olds, conditions, 5 furlongs, straight.

Lillian Shaw.....115 zPolygon.....115

zKiss Again.....115 Stellas Shrd'w.....109

Comfort.....115 War Kiss.....115

Looking Up.....109 Merry Princess.....115

Lucky Lady.....115 zCatspaw.....109

Gold Vale.....115

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BORDEN SENDS MESSAGE TO SIR ARTHUR CURRIE

Ottawa, Sept. 4.—The prime minister has sent the following telegram to Lieut.-General Sir Arthur Currie, commander of the Canadian Army Corps:

"Warmest congratulations to yourself and gallant troops under your command on magnificent achievement in breaking famous Drocourt-Queant line. All Canada recognizes with thrill of pride and gratitude the tremendous significance of this latest triumph which must bring dismay to the heart of the enemy. While mourning for those who have fallen, the nation will be inspired by their example to get greater efforts in emulating the dauntless spirit and determination of the Canadian army."

SOVIET FORCE DESTROYED.

Washington, Sept. 4.—Related despatches reaching the state department from Irkutsk, Siberia, via Peking, dated Aug. 13, state that the Bolshevik army east of Lake Balkal has been destroyed by the Checho-Slovaks, that Cossacks are co-operating with the Czechs, and that all Americans in Siberia are safe.

TO RETIRE FROM VESLE.

London, Sept. 4.—The Germans are contemplating a general retirement from the Vesle region, where they have been facing the Americans and French along the river, according to indications reported from the battlefront today. Today's Franco-American successes in the south apparently have prompted such a move.

ALLIES ON LAST LAP.

London, Sept. 4.—Paris papers print the following semi-official statement: "The hour seems close at hand when the superb efforts of the allies will begin to bear fruit, one of our great chiefs said yesterday: 'We are on the last lap and close to the winning post.'"

VICTORY WAS WON WITHIN 24 HOURS

Second Phase of the Battle of Arras Results in Retreat of Enemy.

DEEDS OF CANADIANS

Hindenburg Line Opened to Within Grappling Distance of Main Resistance.

By J. F. B. Livesey.

With the Canadian Corps, Sept. 3.—The second phase of the battle of Arras is over. It was decided within 24 hours. The enemy is in full retreat and the British army on the right of the Canadian corps is marching unopposed thru villages which yesterday were in the hands of the enemy. It has passed over the famous Hindenburg line with little opposition.

The first phase of the battle, now concluded, was that of preparation, the second, of victory. It is difficult to write with becoming modesty of the deeds of the Canadian corps during the past few weeks, but the Canadian people are entitled to know the facts.

On July 20 the last great trek in the silent watches of the night began. At twenty minutes past four on the morning of Aug. 8 the Canadian corps, in the centre between the Australians and English, and directly in front of Amiens, opened the battle of that name. They are against an enemy flushed with victory and preparing a new offensive. All his guns were in forward positions and 2000 rounds lay behind him. They were waiting the word to push ahead, and thus is accounted for the great capture of artillery.

Canadians Victorious.
By Aug. 20 the battle was over and won so far as the Canadians were concerned. Those two weeks of fighting dealt a tremendous blow at the enemy's morale. Von Hutler, the German commander in that area, is a brother-in-law of Ludendorff, and the great general staff sought to make excuses for him by publishing the statement that he was up against a line of the French army and the celebrated Canadian corps. Now excuses must be made for Von Hutler. It will suffice that he was up against the Canadian corps fresh from that victory.

Five days later the Canadian corps went into action in front of Arras. Due credit must be given to those gallant British troops, including famous divisions, who during the eight days' battle fought alongside the Canadians. The battle opened at 3 o'clock on Monday last week. The first drive carried our troops thru the Hindenburg line in front of Arras and within grappling distance of the main line of enemy resistance, known by them as the Wotan line, and by us as the Queant-Drocourt switch. The rest of the week was spent in consolidating our positions, straightening out the line and preparing a favorable strategic jumping-off point for the great final task of breaking thru the switch. This was not completed until midnight of last Sunday. Five hours later the assault was started, accompanied by the greatest concentration of artillery this war has ever seen. By evening we had carried the whole line of front of us and had penetrated beyond. This was done in face of the most desperate resistance yet encountered.

Casualties Relatively Light.
In the fighting of the past month, depending primarily on his innumerable machine gun posts, the enemy sought to stay our advance until he could evacuate his guns and material. Today not a Boche is left this side of the Canal du Nord. Our casualties have been heavy, as they are bound to be in operations of this kind, but when taken in conjunction with this second blow to the enemy's morale and immense number of prisoners we have captured, they are relatively light.

In the present battle we attacked him on the ground he has held and fortified since 1914. He has challenged us to attack him there, and now we have not taken up the gauntlet.

Completely Succeeded.
The Canadian corps has succeeded here as completely as it succeeded at Amiens. These two great victories under such opposing conditions within one month are without parallel in this war. If the Canadian corps did nothing more this year, its laurels are safe. Outside of the crushing blows to enemy morale, these victories have re-energized widely elsewhere. London, Paris and every allied capital has been heartened.

Up to this morning, well over 5000 unwounded Boche prisoners have passed thru the corps cages as the fruits of yesterday's battle. Add to these the wounded which crowd our dressing stations, and the total cannot be less than 7000. To these, add the 4500 captured last week, and the 9000 odd of the battle of Amiens, and the Canadian corps is thus credited with over 20,000 prisoners as the result of a month's work. This number is in excess of our total casualties, so far as current figures show.

Fed on victories and not knowing what it is to fall, the Canadian corps is ready to go in again when such another task shall be required of it.

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Galt, Sept. 4.—Mrs. Theresa Pfeiffer, Victoria avenue, was arrested in the police court this morning charged with perjury. Her counsel, G. F. Kelleher, waived preliminary hearing, and she was committed to the county jail at Kitchener to stand trial at 10 o'clock. The action of the police was the result of evidence given by the woman in court a week ago, when she denied positively the evidence of her parents to the effect that a boater had been in her room.

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DESERTER ARRESTED.
Chatham, Sept. 4.—Leo McMasters, who deserted from the 116th Battalion two years ago, and who has been away in the United States, was arrested here yesterday by the local police. He is awaiting a military escort from London.

BODY FOUND AT FALLS.
Niagara Falls, Ont., Sept. 4.—The body of a man about forty-five was taken from the Niagara River below the Falls this afternoon and awaits identification. The body was almost entirely nude, and the features were almost unidentifiable.

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