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ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND, MONDAY, AUGUST 7, 1916.

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Asquith Gets a Big Reception at Public Meeting in London

ception as he Moves Resolution ation of People of London to see War to Successful Endand Costly Mistakes

ENEMY EVERYWHERE

Demonstrative Proof of Su-were unarmed. preme Importance of Command of the Seas-Bonar Law Says!

LONDON, Aug. 5.—At the meeting derhann by a German submarine. of yesterday Premier Asquith received a tremendous reception when he moved the resolution expressing the inflexible determination of the people of London to continue the war to a mier said the war breathed a new tured by the Russians, the statement spirit into the British nation, while adds. there was nothing more remarkable during the past year than the success Russian Successes with which the entente Allies had developed a common policy and a unied plan, which had resulted in the present successful vigorous offensive on three fronts of the theatre of war. theatre has he attempted to regain prisoners were taken. the initiative. There are signs of mat erial weakening and exhaustion. That erial weakening and exhaustion. That is all the more reason why the Allies should co-operate in maintaining the struggle with increasing tenacity, and unrelaxing will. The recrudence of deliberate and calculated barbarity on the part of Germany indicates their sense of desperation. The record of the latest atrocities are as black as ever besmirched the annals of the In an Interview With Correspond-German army, nor can we forget the great infamy directed against ourselves in the judicial murder of Captain Fryatt which has stirred the indignation, and outraged the conscience of the whole world. The Premier was greeted with an outburst of applause when he repeated the statement he had made in the Commons, that the Entente Allies were considering how to deal with German atrocities. He ecneluded by stating that all the allied army staffs are agreed that the prospects for an allied victory have

never been so bright, and that the final result of their victory would lie in a great partnership of nations, and was assured the allied armies. the joint pursuit of a freer, fuller life, or countless millions, who by effort and sacrifices, generation after generation have maintained progress and enriched the inheritance of humanity BONAR LAW, Minister of State for the Colonies characterized the war as the most wicked the world has ever seen. He declared that despite the advantages which years of prepara- Serbs Again tien had given "The toils were closing around them." The Minister said "It is uscless to talk about the latest African Forces urging the continu- ed the despatch declares. ance of the war with determination. The resolution moved by the Premier Constantinople

"Out Again; In Again"

Premier is Given Tremendous Re- Several Steamers Sunk

IS ON DEFENSIVE wood, 3,106 gross tons, London; Br't- north of the Pozieres-Bapaume road. George. ish steamer Favonian, formerly Alem-British Navy Says Asquith is wick, 3,095 gross tons, Newcastle; Throttling the Life of Germany Italian steamer Siena, 4,553 tons, along the Somme front in northern quarters said: "I am equally deter--Never Has History Seen Such Genca. The Tottenham and Favonian France last night the British made mined we in Russia shall make good

Present War the Most Wicked ish steamer Commerce, loaded with mans actively shelled various portions seek that the peace for which we fight 260 standards of battens consigned to of the front during the night. England, was sunk yesterday off Sol-

Berlin's Side Of the Story

successful end. Referring to Ger- BERLIN, Aug. 6.—The Russians many's costly mistake, and her de- have been driven from the position to lusion in supposing that Britain would which they were still clinging near never join France and Russia in arms Zarecze on the Stokhod in southern the Premier said that never in the Volhynia, according to to-day's army tangled and bungled web of German headquarters statement. German diplomacy had there been an error troops in the Carpathians are continso crude, or a conception so disas- ung successful operations on the west After a spirited engagement in the trously fatal to its authors. Proceed-bank of the river Sereth near Zaloco. ing to review the two years, the Pre- Northwest of that place has been cap-

In North Galicia

PETROGRAD, Aug. 6.—Russian at tacks along the Sereth and Graberka Our Navy, the Premicr continued with river south of Brody in northern Galiever tightening grip, is throttling the cia have broken the Teutonic resistlife of Germany. Never in history has ance, and resulted in the capture by there been such demonstrative proof the Russians of six villages, and the of the supreme importance of the entire ridge along which they are command of the sea. The enemy is located, according to a War Office everywhere on the defensive. In no announement to-day. More than 3,000

ent of Associated Press in which he Discussed Current Phases of the War he Expresses the Belief Victory is Assured the Allied Armies

phases of the war. He expressed the changed. view that the turning point in the great conflict has now been successfully reached, and that with the united

PARIS, Aug. 6 .- At French headquarters Joffre in an interview with says that the turning point in the war is now reached, and that the Germans' collapse is now a certainty.

In Fighting Trim

German atrocities; we must do some- won another success in their opera- Turks, according to an official statething as the wild beast is at large, tions along the Macedonian front ac- ment issued today by the War Office. There is no good appealing to the civ- cording to a Havas despatch from The Turks are attacking along a front ilized world about it. There is only Salonika to-day, taking the village of of seven to eight miles, the statement one thing to be done and we can do Remly near Prosba, which had been says, and have so far been repulsed. it. Shoot it. Bonar Law read mess-occupied by the Bulgarians. German gaes from General Louis Botha, Prem-reports that the Bulgarians delivered Sun Press ier of South Africa and Lieut. Gener- successful attacks against the Seral Smuts Commander of the South bians south of Monastir are unfound-

Bombarded fire.

LONDON, Aug. 5.—Constantinople and the suburbs of Kartsland Penbik LONDON, Aug. 6.—Baron Wimborne recently were bombarded by a sub-maid?" cording to Constantinople advices. | mobile, sir?" she said.

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BRITISH

LONDON, Aug. 6.-The main German second line system on a front of 2000 yards north of Pozieres, on the Somme front has been captured by Czar Nicholas, Emperor Yoshihito the British it was officially announced by the War Office on Saturday afternoon including this during the last two days the British pushed forward Expressing Inflexible Determin- By German Submarines two days the British pushed forward their line north and west of Pozieres some 400 to 600 yards, over a front of LONDON, Aug. 6-Lloyds announ- about 3000 yards. Troops from Aus-Reviews Germany's Blunder ces the sinking of the following ves- tralia, Kent, Surrey and Sussex partisels-Greek steamer Tricoupis, 2,387 cipated in the operation and consolid- the various Allied nations on the secgross tons; Cephalonia; British ated the position won, despite the ond anniversary of Britain's entry into 2096 Private Samuel Herding, Greenssteamer Tottenham, formerly Har-shell fire, which was especially heavy the war, have been received by King

FRENCH

tor of Thiaumont and Fleury. The night until this morning, the Germans freedom shall be fully vindicated." making unsuccessful efforts to drive village of Fleury the situation is without appreciable change.

PARIS, Aug. 6.—On the right bank of the Meuse the enemy made no attempt on the sector of Thiaumont We have organized our position conquered immediately west of the road from Thiaumont and Fleury, and in the village, the entire southern part of which we hold, after a violent bompardment which lasted the entire day The Germans launched two powerful attacks in Vaux-Le Chapitre Wood.

BELGIAN.

Our batteries of all calibre successreplied feebly.

RUSSIAN.

in our favor. Our troops, after con- casualties. solidating their positions on the right bank of the river have captured two ful work by our artillery. The latter more villages by assault and part of a in connection with the aeroplanes dewood situated southeast of one of stroyed several gun emplacements. hem on a height situated between the two villages especially fierce fighting occurred. It was necessary to drive the enemy out of nearly every stretch. The enemy made nine coun-

ITALIAN.

penetrated by the Italians.

GERMAN.

the Flanders coast on Saturday.

Turks Attack **British Positions**

PARIS, Aug. 6.—The Serbians have being attacked by 1400 (14,000?)

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—The press on We took also numerous machine guns Premier Morris Gets which the New York Sun is printed and bomb throwers. was badly damaged last night by

you marry me, my pretty

and King Peter of Serbia Reply to King George's Message and Assure Him of Their Determination to Continue War Until Allies Cause is Won

LONDON, Aug. 7.-Answers to telegrams which he sent to the heads of

A message from Emperor Nicholas LONDON, Aug. 6.-In the fighting of Russia, dated from General Headadditional slight advance in the high the sacrifices which my brave troops wood, according to an official an- and people have given to a just cause STOCKHOLM, Aug. 5.—The Swed-nouncement this afternoon. The Ger-which will bring its own reward. We shall be secured by a complete victory over our enemies."

From the Emperor of Japan he has Strong Turk Force PARIS, Aug. 5.—All German attacks received the following: "After all the on French positions last night were trials of a great defensive battle the repulsed, says a French official state-indomitable armies of the Allies are ment issued this afternoon, the Ger- now marching forward steadily and mans sustaining heavy losses. A bom- successfully on all fronts. I beg Your bardment of the most violent char- Majesty to believe I am entirely in acter took place over the entire sec- accord with you in your strong determination to carry on the struggle battle lasted from nine o'clock last until our common cause for right and Messages from King Peter of Serbia said he had received with satisfaction the fresh testimony of the inflexible determination to bring about triumph of a noble cause.

LONDON, Aug. 7 .- An official toearly this morning on the ground we had gained north-west of Pozieres. In one attack, by use of liquid fire, he of the trenches we had captured but Will Cross Each fully shelled to-day German works in later we recovered all but some forty the region of Dixmude. The enemy yards of the ground thus lost. In another attack the enemy was repulssed with loss. In the afternoon we Devonshire, Canada's new Governor-PETROGRAD, Aug. 6.—An official ches east of Pozieres in the direction early part of October. Connaught to-day *reads:-Battles along the of Martinpuich. South of Steloi we will leave shortly before and the Sereth south of Brody are developing raided enemy trenches, causing many incoming and outgoing Governor-

Improved weather has enabled use- according to custom.

French Official

PARIS. Aug. 7. (Headquarters of ter-attacks from the neighboring duel north of the Somme and in the Government that politics should be of all German property, and the Genl. staff in France).—Genl. Joffre woods. All of these were repulsed. region of Chaulnes. The French postponed until the demand for munihanging of Emperor William, Admiral to-day received an associated Press The enemy suffered heavy losses. screen of fire checked a German at- tions was not so urgent. correspondent here for upwards of an Over 1,200 were taken prisoners. tack at Thiaumont in Vaux Chapitre hour, and talked freely and fully French prisoners continue to arrive. Woods, Germans preceded their atefforts to advance were frustrated by the machine guns and rifle fire of the ROME, Aug. 6 (Official).-Austrian are said to have been brought down on unwounded Turks captured by the action of the Entente Allies victory lines on Monfalcone Ridge have been the Somme front and two captive British at the battle of Romani was balloons destroyed.

BERLIN, Aug. 6 (Official)—An official communication the number of of the Suez Canal. an Associated Press correspondent enemy battle plane was destroyed off of prisoners taken by the French during the week of July 30th Aug. British Mine Sweeper 5th for the most part of the Meuse region exceeded 2,500.

> PARIS, Aug. 7.-Repulse of German LONDON, Aug. 5.—British positions and Chapitre Woods, in Verdun sector, sweeper "Clacton" was torpedoed

Coming In

PETROGRAD, Aug. 7.-According to late reports the total prisoners captured from August 4th-5th amounted to 140 officers including a regimental Damaged by Fire Commander and over 5,500 men while prisoners are continuing to come in.

mile international championship.

OFFICIAL CASUALTY LIST FIRST

NEWFOUNDLAND

REGIMENT

(Received 10.15 a.m., Aug. 7th.) 26 Private Llewellyn Stone, 15 Long's Hills. At Wandsworth, July 26; gunshot wounds in head and chest-slight. (Previously reported at Dannes Camiers July 3; gunshot wound in shoulder-

pond. At Wandsworth, August

4th; ulcer on foot. 1881 Private Alexander King, Western Bay, C.B. Again dangerous-

J. R. BENNETT,

put to flight by a counter attack, says survivors of her crew. an official statement, issued to-day

Shackleton Fails Rescue

again failed to rescue the main body pedoed by a German submarine. of the Antarctic expedition left on Elephant Island, says the Daily Turk Prisoners at Cairo Chronicle, and has returned to the night from General Headquarters nizes that it is useless to attempt to Falkland Islands. Sir Ernest recogery to come from England.

Other At Sea

OTTAWA, Aug. 5.—The Duke of DEMAND THE made some progress along the tren- General, will arrive in Ottawa in the

Politics

Wales and cotton brokers of Lanca-Frayatt of the British steamer"Brus-PARIS, Aug. 7.—French official shire British working people to-day sels," by the Germans in Belguim. statement records vigorous artillery loyally accepted the decision of the All speakers urging the impounding

Number 3145 peace.

French. Three German aeroplanes LONDON, Aug. 7.—The number of French Report Gains 3,145. The Turks were pursued for PARIS, Aug. 6—Further gains of Warspite, which may have been caus-Paris, Aug. 7.-According to an yond Katia, which is 23 miles east

"Clacton" Sunk

LONDON, Aug. 7.—The Admiralty attacks at Thiaumont and in the Vaux announced to-day the British mine near Romani, East of Port Said, are is announced in an official statement, and sunk off Levant on August 3rd, five members of the crew are missing

No Need For Letter

ROME, Aug. 7.-There were no Americans on board the Italian steamer Letimbro, which was sunk by submarine in the Mediterranean last week, with reported heavy losses.

Cheque For £1,000

Long Distance Runner LONDON, Aug. 7.—Premier Morris in effect today on virtually every surof Newfoundland, received a cheque face car line in the boroughs of Man-BOSTON, Aug. 6.-Ablice Wood, for a thousand pounds from Lord hattan, Queens and Bronx, involving Canadian champion long distance run- Rothermore, Chairman of the Anglo- 6,600 conductors and motormen, and for the War contingent comforts.

Anzacs Add Another Victory to Their Already Brilliant Record

Turks Were Driven Into a Trap

LONDON, Aug. 7.—A description of how Turks were drawn into a trap at Romani by British cavalry, is given in a Cairo despatch. The despatch says that the cavalry was sent out to en- MACHINE GUN FIRE. tice the enemy, who hd shown disposition to assume the offensive. The Pritish horsen er fought an admirable ly ill at 24th Stationary Hospital, rear-guard action, says the despatch, Etaples. (Previously reported on the drawing Turks until their with compound fracture, femur. flanks were turned by a mounted division. A whole brigade was compelled to surrender. Among the prisoners were 70 Germans, including 36 officers. A complete battery of German guns was also taken.

Is Put To Flight | More Shipping Losses

LONDON, Aug. 6-The strong Turk- LONDON, Aug. 7.-Lloyd's shipish force which attacked the British ping Agency announces the Danish at Romani, 22 miles east of the Suez steamer Jogersborg of 1797 tons Canal of August 4, were defeated and gross, has been sunk. There are 20 powerful counter attacks to retake the

The Turks, adds the statement are LONDON, Aug. 7.—The British ward holding up their hands and surbeing vigorously pursued by the Brit-steamer Mount Coniston of 3108 tons rendered. Behind, the British guns ish, who have taken more than 2,500 was last reported at Swansea on placed curtains of shell fire through prisoners, including some Germans. Jly 7th, according to a Lloyd's des-

Main Body Expedition wegian newspaper "Tidens Tegn," COPENHAGEN, Aug. 7.—The Nor-Christiania, states steamer "Aaro" a having been by the right flank the LONDON, Aug. 5.—Shackleton has British vessel of 2603 tons was tor-

CAIRO, Aug. 7.—Sixteen hundred heat, under a blazing sun they had reads: "The enemy made two attacks force a passage with light ships, and Turks, prisoners, have arrived here, been working in a continued shell fire he is waiting for the steamer Discov- they are part of the army which at- digging their new trenches opening tacked British positions at Rottani beyond Pozieres facing the German and which was defeated with heavy front line trenches on left of the break

LONDON, Aug. 7.—One of the biggest demonstration by working men that has occurred during the war. took place in Trafalgar Square to-LONDON, Aug. 7.-With exception day. Great gathering demanded reof a portion of coal miners in South prisals for the execution of Captain Von Tripitz and Governor General Von Bissing of Belgu'm as "Common The "Warspite"

Northwest Thiaumont

the Verdun front are announced

ground by French local operations, northwest of the Thiaumont work on the War Office this afternon. German counter attack in this sector tral correspondents visited last week was repulsed. Progress for the French southwest of Estrees and on the Somme front as a result of small engagements is also announced.

Infantile Paralysis

New York, Aug. 7.—Thirty three deaths and one hundred and ninety said the commander of the destroyer two cases of infantile paralysis reported here today. Since the ception of the epidemic there has her. She was able to return to port been 5023 cases of which 1022 have

Conductors And Motormen Are Out On Strike

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.-Strikes were has been reappointed Lord Lieuten- marine from the Sea of Marmora, ac- "How many cylinders has your auto- ner, defeated Kolemainen in the five Newfoundland Development Company, affecting 2,300,000 who daily use these Markham, M.P. for Mansfield division

Australians Under Merciless Concentration of Shell Fire Hold Gains Made on Front of Two Miles-Powerful German Coun ter Attacks to Retake Ground Have Failed-Many Germans Surrender

MOWED HUNS DOWN

Australians Lost no Time in Securing What They Set Out For and Are Now in Sight of Martin puich and Courcelette-Beyond is Thiepval Where British Attack of July 1 Met its Heaviest Lesses and Was Repulsed

LONDON, Aug. 7. (With the British armies in France).-Under a merciless concentration of shell fire, the Australians are holding on to their gains to-day after their advance of last night on a front of two miles. The Germans already delivered three lost ground, but all failed. In one counter attack the Germans came forwhich it was impossible for them to retreat, while the Australians' machine guns and rifles mowing them down made it hopeless to continue the charge. Their last previous attack British renewed the offensive by the left flank after a week of bombing and sapring. Here the task fell to the Australians who have added another victory to their brilliant record in the taking of Pozieres. In a gruelling losses, a total of 2,500 prisoners being the British already had made in their previous attack. This was one of the remaining important positions on high ground which has been so bitterly contested. The Germans were surprised, even the British staff was somewhat surprised when it was found on first reports that the Aus-CED tralians had taken every road in front of which they had attacked were correct, same six hundred prisoners were

With this additional front, the British now hold five miles of the former German second line. Australians are to-day in sight of Martinpuch and Courcelette. Beyond is Thiepval on the summit of a hill where the British attack of July first met its heaviest losses, and was repulsed. Now this whole section could be put under the

as Good as Ever

LONDON, July 31.—Doubts concerning fate of the British battleship ed by German assertions that she was sunk in the Jutland battle, were dispelled when a representative of The Associated Press and other neua British port, where the squadron of Vice-Admiral Sir David Beatty was viewed. The entire squadron, with light cruisers and destroyers, was aligned ready for work. Whatever damages it suffered in the battle had been repaired, and no scars were visible.

"Here she is, as good as new," are on which the party encircled the in- Warspite within a stone's throw of at a speed of 21 knots, a navy officer said, and was in dock, undergoing repairs, two hours after her arrival. Officers and men of the squadron with whom the correspondent talked, all expressed eagerness for another encounter with the Germans.

Markham, M.P., Dead

LONDON, Aug. 6 .- Sir Arthur Basil of Nottinghamshire died on Saturday.