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PROBS—Some local showers, but for the most part fair and warmer.

BRITISH CAPTURE SLOPES OF GREENLAND HILL

Advance is Made on Front of Mile North of River Scarpe, Taking Nearly Two Hundred Prisoners—French in Fierce Battles North of Chemin des Dames Repulse German Attacks—Anglo-Franco-Belgian Artillery Continues Heavy Bombardment on Front Between Ypres and English Channel.

FRENCH REPEL GERMANS' ATTACKS ON LAON ROAD

Fierce Battle Proceeds North of Chemin-des-Dames.

ENTER SOME LINES

German Get Footing in Salient—Duel Takes Place in Belgium.

Paris, June 6.—The official statement issued by the war office tonight says that the German attack on the Chemin des Dames, north of Ypres, was repulsed. The enemy was driven back to their own trenches. The day was calm on the remainder of the front, save in Belgium, where the British and French artillery fighting took place in the sector of Neuport.

FRANCE'S WAR AIMS CALL FOR DAMAGES

Premier Ribot Says Country Will Insist on Restoring Alsace-Lorraine.

U. S. SUPPORTS STAND

League of Peace Must Arise to Prevent Future Wars.

DISORDERS IN NORWAY OVER FOOD SHORTAGE

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DINEEN'S SILK HATS.

Health, Hillgate and Christy famous London-made silk hats. Dineen's are the exclusive agents in Toronto for Henry Heath, hatter to the King, Oxford street, London. Dineen's, 140 Yonge street.

DAYLIGHT SAVING WILL BE IN FORCE THROUGHOUT CANADA

Federal Legislation Will Require All Clocks to Be Put Ahead One Hour on Appointed Day.

Ottawa, June 6.—The government has decided to put in force daylight saving throughout the Dominion. Sir George Foster has given notice of legislation to put all clocks ahead one hour on a day to be fixed later, and keep them so throughout the summer. Daylight saving has been adopted in previous years by municipalities in Canada, but was not so successful as it would have been had the system been general, as it will be under the government legislation.

BETTING ON HORSE RACES PROHIBITED DURING WAR

Order-in-Council is Passed By Dominion Government Which Probably Will Put an End to Racing in Canada.

Ottawa, June 6.—An order-in-council has been passed by the government forbidding public betting at Canadian race tracks during the continuance of the war. The order does not apply to spring meets which are now being held on the Canadian circuits. It is probable that the order will put an end to betting in Canada so long as the betting prohibition is effective.

GERMANS SET FIRE TO INTERNED STEAMER

Cap Vilano Was Transferred Yesterday to Brazilian Flag at Pernambuco.

Pernambuco, Brazil, June 6.—Germans last night set fire to the steamer Cap Vilano, which was transferred yesterday from the German to the Brazilian flag. The steamer is the second largest of the interned German merchantmen in this port. The twelve other German steamers here were transferred to the Brazilian flag today.

ALL MUNITION WORKERS TO GO BEFORE DOCTORS

Single Ones Fit for Overseas Service Will Be Notified of Their Dismissal.

Ottawa, June 6.—Single men of military age employed in Ottawa by the imperial munitions board, with no dependents, have been requested to present themselves for medical examination at the base recruiting office here. Any physically unfit for service overseas will be retained on the staff, but the others will be notified that their services are no longer required. The board will also order 5000 out of the 6000 on his inspection staff through Canada to present themselves for examination. The other 1000 are returned soldiers. Medical examination of the staff in Ottawa began today.

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Rubber Heel May Afford Clue To Gunner Payne's Murderer

London, Ont., June 6.—A half-worn rubber heel torn from a man's boot was the one clue discovered by the police today that may bring to justice the murderer of Gunner Harold Payne, of the 53rd Battery, whose body was found this morning at 8 o'clock in the lonely woods on the farm of Wesley Sheoebotham, between the sixth and seventh concessions of London township.

CAUCUS LIKELY TO DETERMINE UPON ELECTION

Laurier Understood to Have Definitely Refused Offer of Coalition.

LEGISLATION REQUIRED

Liberals Are Prepared to Obstruct Passage of Federal Franchise Act.

Ottawa, June 6.—It is understood that Sir Wilfrid Laurier definitely notified the prime minister today that he could not accept his invitation to join with him in forming a coalition government. Some announcement may be made to the house tomorrow afternoon. Meanwhile the formal call has been issued for a Conservative caucus to be held at ten o'clock tomorrow morning. The purpose of the caucus will be to receive the report of the prime minister upon his negotiations with Sir Wilfrid Laurier and to discuss the future line of action. There are some who think that now the big coalition has failed a little coalition may be attempted, and Hon. Geo. F. Graham, Fred Borden and A. J. Maclean, of Halifax, are mentioned as Liberals who might be willing to enter the government to help put through conscription. The British cabinet seems to be that tomorrow's caucus will discuss and perhaps decide upon an early dissolution and appeal to the people.

LUXEMBURG WORKMEN GO ON GENERAL STRIKE

German Cavalry, as Result, Occupy Five Industrial Communities.

Geneva, via Paris, June 6.—The Gazette de Lausanne says it learns that a general strike has begun in the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg owing to the high cost of living and the refusal of the proprietors of factories, mostly Germans, to increase wages as a result of the insecurity of their factories from attacks by allied aircraft. Five thousand workmen, says the newspaper, began a strike at Poch, regardless of severe warnings by the German commander. The strike spread to other towns and German cavalry immediately occupied five of the principal industrial communities.

STOCKHOLM MOVE DOOMED TO FAIL

Socialist Conference Will Lose Great Part of Prestige.

THREE ALLIES DROP IT

Jules Cambon Commends U. S. for Refusing Passports to Delegates.

Paris, June 6.—The socialist conference at Stockholm, without the participation of American, Italian and French delegates, will lose a great part of its prestige, said Jules Cambon, general secretary to the ministry of foreign affairs, today. "It will not have the practical character its organizers expect. We appreciate the United States has shown by its refusal to provide socialist delegates with passports, that the greatest democracy in the world will not consent to tolerate that any party should substitute itself for the regular government of the country."

BRITISH ADVANCE ONE MILE ON GREENLAND HILL SLOPE

Successful Attack Wins Positions North of Scarpe River from Germans After Lengthy Action—Raids Against Enemy Continue North of Ypres.



INQUIRY INTO CHARGES MADE AGAINST ROGERS

Chief Justice McLeod, of New Brunswick, and Hon. Louis Teller, of Quebec, Constitute Royal Commission—Borden Relieves Rogers of Duties Temporarily.

Ottawa, June 6.—Upon the orders of the day this afternoon, Sir Robert Borden informed the house that a royal commission had been appointed to review and consider the findings and report of Mr. Justice Galt, insofar as they reflected upon the integrity of Hon. Robert Rogers. By the terms of the order-in-council the royal commission is also to report whether in his opinion, the findings and observations of Mr. Justice Galt were based upon or supported by any evidence. It is, therefore, a fair surmise that not only Hon. Mr. Rogers, but also Judge Galt is to be investigated, and the former's friends are predicting that the minister will be exonerated.

WORKDAY SIX HOURS IN PETROGRAD PLANTS

Threatened Strike in Factories Engaged in Metal Manufactures and Other War Work Averted.

Petrograd, June 6, via London.—The threatened strike in 140 factories in Petrograd, engaged in metal manufactures and other war work, which was fixed for today, has been averted. The strikers' claims were granted, including the six-hour day.

London, June 6.—The British troops have captured German positions north of the Scarpe River, over a front of about a mile, according to the official report from headquarters tonight. The text reads: "The operations commenced last night north of the Scarpe were successfully completed during the day and all our objectives gained. We have captured the enemy's positions on the western slopes of Greenland Hill on a front of about a mile and taken 162 prisoners, including four officers."

EIGHTEEN VESSELS ARE SUNK IN WEEK

Fifteen Victims of Submarines Were Sixteen Hundred Tons or Over.

London, June 6.—The weekly report of the British admiralty concerning British shipping losses by mines or submarines, says that 15 vessels of 1,600 tons and over and three vessels under 1,600 tons and five fishing vessels were sunk last week. The summary follows: Arrivals numbered 2,693 and callings 2,542. British merchant ships sunk by mine or submarine, of over 1,600 tons, including one previously sunk, 15; under 1,600 tons, three; British fishing vessels, five. British merchant ships unsuccessfully attacked, including four previously, 17.

GEN. GURKO GIVES UP COMMAND OF FORCES

He Reaches Decision After Having Previously Reconsidered Resignation.

Petrograd, via London, June 6.—Gen. Gurko, commanding the forces on the western (Russian) front, has again resigned. War Minister Kerensky has directed that all officers employed with the Red Cross and other medical services behind the lines, and all rank and file under the age of 40 years in those services, be sent to the front within three weeks.

OSTEND DOCKYARD HIT HOUSES NOT DAMAGED

If Any Belgians Got Killed, They Worked on Shipping.

London, June 6.—The admiralty, in a communication alluding to the German official statement regarding the shelling of Ostend, says: "Photographs obtained show that there was no damage to houses at all at Ostend. If Belgians were killed, as stated, they must have been employed in the dockyards."