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The Enemy Pressed Back in Direction of Vesle River Allied Forces Renewed Offensive on Wide Front

WORTHY IN JUST CAUSE ATTACK WAS MADE

Four Years of Memorable Deeds, Says Wilhelm-Divine Hand Gracefully Extended Over Germany

By Courier Leased Wire Amsterdam, Aug. 2.—In a proclamation issued to the German people, Emperor William

FORTY SEVENTH YEAR

"Four years of hard struggle have passed, full of eternally memorable deeds. An example has been given for all time of what a people can do that stands in the field for a most just cause and for the maintainence of its existence.

"Greatly revering the Divine hand which has been gracefully extended over Germany, we may proudly say we were not found unworthy in the task before which Providence placed us. "If in the struggle our nation

was given leaders capable of the highest achievements, it has daily proved by fidelity that it has deserved to have such leaders. How could the army front have performed its tremendous deeds if the entire labor at home had not been carried to the highest measure of personal performance? Thanks are due to

all whom, under difficulties, have co-operated in the task set the state and community, and especially to our faithful unwearying officials. Thanks are due likewise to the countrymen and townsmen, and also the wo-men on whom, in this war time, so much falls."

HELP! MORE OF IT., Amsterdam, Aug. 2.—King Ludweg, of Bavaria, in a procla-mation on the opening of the fifth year of the war, published in the Zeitung of Frankfurt, refers to the exemplary bravery and achievements of the Ger-

inan armies.
"It is not our fault that we enter the fifth year of the ighting," he added. "Our opponents still regard the crushing of Germany as their aim. No German, however, thinks of a shameful peace. We must, therefore, continue the struggle and continue to shoulder our troubles and hardships in sure confidence that God will lead our just cause

Make Bid For Sympathy of Liberal Press Voices Sharp the Governing Body in Finland

GREAT EFFORTS MADE Germany Offers to Secure Plan to Use Economic Weap-Cession of Karlia by Russia

By Courier Leased Wire London, Aug. 2.—As a sop for the ted Press)—Sharp dissent of the establishment of a Monarchy Ger-threat of premier David Cloyd sia of Eastern Karlia on the principle of self-determination, but the Landtag, which has summoned to meet August 5, must decide imme-dictable according to a despatch to liberal press and the Premier's view diately, according to a despatch to The Times from Stockholm. Every effort, the despatch adds, is being made to win over the 18 members of the Landtag, who oppose the mon-

thirds majority. Order Gorky's Arrest. London, Aug. 2.—The arrest of It is certainly not the view of American Gorky, the Russian author ican opinion, generally Americans at-



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Dissent to Lloyd George's Scheme U. S. ALSO OPPOSED?

on After the War is Discouraged

London, Aug 2 (By the Associamany has offered Finland to use its George to use the economic weapon offices to obtain the cession by Rus- against Germany after the war as outlined in an address made by Premier before a delegation from the National Union of Manufacturit is said, will not be indorsed in America.

Quoting the phrase. "The longer the war lasts, the sterner must be archial plan, and thus prevent it the fee" used by Lloyd George in the economic terms we impose on his address., the Chronicle says: "We doubt very much whether

that is how Pres Wilson views it

Franco-British Smash on Front of Five Miles Penetrated Enemy Lines to a Maximum Depth of Three Mile-Results in Capture of Ridge Between Ourcq and Aisne

By Courier Leased Wire. LONDON, August 2.-Yesterday's Franco-British attack on the westerly side of the Marne salient was on a front of five miles, and penetrated to a maximum depth of three miles, according to news received today. It resulted in the capture of the entire ridge which forms the watershed between the Ourcq and the Aisne, the advices indicate.

The advance by the Allies along the western side of the salient is described as very important—possibly the most important thing the Allies have achieved since the Germans

retired from the Marne: The importance of the victory it is explained, lies in the fact that the new Allied positions command the whole area to the northward, and taken in flank and rear, the entire western gate through which the Germans have been retiring. This area is a nest of German reserves and field

PARIS, August 2.—On the battlefield north of the Marne, the French troops during the night continued to press back the Germans farther toward the Vesle, says the official statement from the war office today. The text of the statement follows:

During the night, French troops made new progress north of the Marne.

BRITISH OFFICIAL. LONDON, August 2.—The British have carried out raids at Festubert, northwest of Lens, and at Albert, in the Picardy sector, and have captured several prisoners, according to a statement issued by the war office today. The German artillery, the statement says, has shown increased activity south of the Somme, and south of Ypres, while it has been active north of Bethune and east of Hazebrouck, in the Lys

DOLLAR DAY BEST YET, ALL AGREE

Merchants of City Did Record Business All Day Yester-day—Have Nothing But Praise For Big

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The French also captured the entire Neijmiere Wood on the line to the north of Goussancourt, at about the center suggest the fronts on which the enemy may attack in the order of their opportunities. The attack on the Montdidier-Soisson's front looks to be the best the enemy can make. On the whole it would seem that the of the Ource has considerable uld be wise to leave the British alone, even though Haig's li forces have been weakened by the sending of divisions on both sides of the Soisson's-Rheims salient.

ALL COPPER STATUES not only the summit, but the northern slopes of this terrain.

By Courier Leased Wire.

Will not be worth while to dismantle gion In addition they have a view by German military, authorities for amount of metal to be obtained. by German military authorities for amount of metal to be obtained.

where the enemy still clings along copper and brass to be used in mak-; The large copper figure of Berolina the Soissons-Chateau Thierry road ing munitions has disclosed that a female figure representing the city most of the supposedly copper state of Berlin on the Alexander Place, is tues in Berlin are nothing but metal the first Berlin monument to be tak-

THE ALLIES ON BOTH SIDES OF HE ALLIES ON BOTH SIDES OF London, Aug. 2.—Reuter's correspondent on the American front, telegraphing Thursday might says: "There may be some danger of misconception or disappointment arising from certain rather flamboyant accounts of the fighting on the American front, since these give the impression of tremendous effort with little headway, and the conclusion may be drawn that the Americans

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Allies Renewed Offensive on Fourth Anniversary of Outbreak of War

BLOW WAS SURPRISE Ground of Considerable Value Won North of the Ourcq

AMERICANS HELPED

Paris, Aug. 2.—Allied troops cele brated the fourth anniversary of the war by a victorious resumption of the offensive, to the surprise of a great many who had believed that the battle had entered to one of its periodical lulls.

Incidentally the official statement on the total of prisoners-more than 33,000-brings out forcibly the exa short month has effected. On the first of July the Allies, to reverse Walpole's famous phrase, were al-

Crise and the Ource and is a valuable observation point. the Germans prevented the Allies from seeing the Crise, while overlooked the ground won from them in Ourcq. The Allies stormed

As a consequence they can now and from the south by way of Hill

The Allies also gained an import ant advantage on the left in the capture of Meuniere Wood by the Americans, giving them a position which, according to Henri Bidou, is the keystone of the whole German