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FORTY SEVENTH YEAR

THE COURIER, BRANTFORD, CANADA, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1918.

TWO CENTS

FOE IN RETREAT ON ENTIRE FRONT **General Retirement is Under Way From Rheims to Ypres** Huns Yield Before Unremitting Allied Pressure

## **MARKED PROGRESS MADE BY BRITISH ON FLANDERS FRONT**

Ploegstert Village and Hill 63 are Captured; Success in Lys Salient Also; German Retreat Before French Continues East of Noyon

By Courier Leased Wire.

LONDON, Sept. 5.-Marked progress was made by the British last night along the Flanders front, according to today's war office report Ploegsteert village has been captured as has Hill 63, southwest of Messines.

On the Lys front the British hold the general line of Voormezeele, Wulverghem, Ploegsteert, Nieppe, Laventie and Givenchy.

From Neuve Chapelle southward to Givenchy, the British have reached the line they held up to the German attack on April 9 last, while to the eastward of Givenchy, sections of the old German positions have been taken.

On the battle line in front of Cambrai, an improvement in the British position south of Moorres is reported. The positions to the east of Hernick, near Canal Du Nord, just to the south, also have been improved. Still further south, the British have captured the village of Neuville-Bourjouval, east of the Canal Du Nord.

More than 16,000 prisoners and more than 100 guns have been taken by the British in the past four days. RETREAT CONTINUES

PARIS, Sept. 5-Bulletin.-The German retreat before

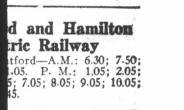


of the plateau from Vauxcere phalian Gazette Captain von lost since March and have gainto Baslieux to a position to the By Courier Leased Wire ments by a surprise attack wrested Levetzow, it is said, has been ed east of Arras a position north dominating the Aisne and following official statement dealing and Mont Montello and a summit granted greatly extended powwhich is a permanent threat for Douai and Cambrai. In less than six months Ludendorff will the Chemin-des-Dames. Ameriwith operations on the Italian front was issued to-day by the War Ofhave been ruined as well as the can patrols confirm reports effectiveness and morale of capacity of the attackers, who are best known for his operations those western German armies, that the enemy has removed his "Cn the northern part of the equal to the severest Alpine condi- against Oesel Island. so formidable at the beginning stores and supplies, and addi-Tonale Pass our mountain detach- tions." of the year. tional territory in this sector is KORNILOFF REPORTED expected to be taken with little WEATHER WARM INDIGNITY TO more than rear-guard opposi-KILLED BY A SHELL tion. AND CLEAR FOR **EMBASSY HAS** Elsewhere along the battle front. from Rheims to Ypres, Former Russ Commander-in-Chief Has Met Death for the German retreat continues, 'Steenth Time-London Hears He Was Killed heavy gains having been made OPENING GAME **ROUSED NATION** in Yekate rinovar. by the French who are advancing in the direction of Ham, af-By Courier Leased Wire London, Sept. 5.—General Korniloff, formerly Russian commander-in-chief, has been killed by a shell in Yekaterinoter taking Guiscard. After The death of General Korniloff has been reported many times since the overthrow of overcoming of resistance, Gen-Cubs and Red Sox Clash .for Public Spirit in England eral Humbert's army broke the the Kerensky Government. Last var, according to an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Copen-hagen, quoting from The Politi-May it was reported that he had been killed in a battle with the World's Baseball Honors Roused by Murder of line and advanced in this sec-To-day. Soviet troops. tion from four to seven miles Capt. Crombie. **INTEREST RUNS HIGH** REPRISALS DEMANDED. to the Canal Du Nord. **GENERAL ADVANCE** By Courier Leased Wire The concentration of German By Courier Leased Wire. Chicago, Sept. 5.-With clear and troops in the wide front before Cam-London, Sept. 5.—The attack on the British embassy in etrograd last Sat-**MADE BY THE FRENCH** warmer weather here the Chicago brai has served to slow down the British advance in this section ap-Nationals and Boston Americans at urday involving the sacking of the preciably, although some progress is 2.30 o'clock to-day were scheduled British embassy and the killing of to make a belated start in their ing made. Increased German ar-Captain Cromie, the British attache, battle for the baseball championship Captain Cromie, the British attache, Progress to Depth of Over Four Miles Recorded-Guistillery fire is reported all along the British lines. Here the Germans pulsed two violent German affack; south of Mort Des Tombes and east of Leuilly, maintaining their post-mies and have taken Neuville-Bur-nets and have taken Neuville-Bur-nets and south of More taken Neuville-Bur-the clubs will play here to-day, to-the clubs will end will en-the clubs will play here to-day, tocard. North of Noyon, Captured had the advantage of the defences Summer the strain of the optimer and explored by the op formed by the Canal Du Nord and morrow and Saturday and will entrain Sunday for Boston, where the British Government's action in the BULLETIN Toronto, Sept disturbance is distu was killed and his corpse wat mutilat-ed. The documents at the embassy were destroyed. It is feared that similar outrages have been committed against the French Embassy at Petrograd. Pre-lo 10011 Continued on Page Four Hollocher, ss. gion our operations resulted in the Strunk. cf. Mann, lf. capture of about thirty prisoners, Ruth. If. Paskert, cf. Merkle. 1b. Scott, ss. Pick, 2b. (Continued on Page 2.),



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## **B. RAILWAY**

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the French northeast of Noyon, continued during the night, today's war office announcement shows. The French troops kept in touch with the enemy rearguards, and pushed after the retreating foe east of the Canal Du Nord.

Advancing north of the Vesle, French and American troops reached the crest of the ridge dominating the River Aisne.

In the Nesle region, on the Somme front, the French crossed the Somme canal near Voyennes and Offoy. Just to the south they have reached the region beyond Hombleux, Esemery-Hollon and Flavle-le-Meldeux.

Between the Aflette and the Aisne London, Sept. 5 .- The text of the the towns of Clamecy, Braye and statement reads: Missy-sur-Aisne have been captured.

"Sharp fighting took place yester The operation on the Vesle has day north of the River Lys. During heen extended to the cast and a the morning our troops attacked and crossing has been offected between captured Hill 63, southwest of Mes-Venteux and Jonchery, a two and a sines, taking over a hundred prisonhalf mile front. ers. In the afternoon we attacked

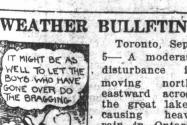
The text of the statement follows; another hundred prisoners and a "During the night French troops number of machine guns. North of maintained contact with the enemy Hill 63 our troops were continuousl rearguards and made progress east engaged in the sector of Wytschaete of the Canal Du Nor: and in the direction of the Aisne. East of the Vesle they crossed the Somme Can-

al in the region of Voyennes and Of- hold the general line of Voormezeele-foy. Further south they went b -- Wulverghem - Ploegsteert - Nieppeyond Hombleux, Esmery-Hallon ant' Laventie-Givenchy.

Flavy-le. Meldeux. carrying their in-s north of Guiscard as far as the outskirts of Berlancourt. • tions of the old German positions.

"On the southern battle front the Between the Allette and the Aissie the French captured Clamcey. enemy strongly attacked our new positions at Inchy-en-Artois yester-Braye and Missy-sur-Aisne. day evening, but was repulsed after

"Late yesterday the French resharp fighting. pulsed two violent Cerman affacks "We have improved our positions





ing slowly north- Kloostermolen. In the Merckem re- Shean, 2b. ward. Forecasts

Fresh to strong northerly winds, machine guns and grenade throw- McInnis, 1h. clearing. Friday, northwest winds, ers." fair and cool. (Continued on Page 4.) reson saper sates

advanced his lines to the edge

on a line from Mont St. Simeon