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AMERICANS FIGHTING IN FINE FORM.

With the American Forces of the Marnes, June 7. The American marines, who began a second attack on the German line late yesterday, captured the village of Torcy and drove their way into Boursches, north west of Chateau Thierry. This morning they were holding Torcy, in the fact of repeated counter-attacks, and were pushing back the Germans thru the streets of Boursches. Virtually all their objectives in this attack were attained. The American plan did not include the taking of Torcy, but the marines swept into it and drove out the Germans. The one point where the objective was not reached was on the right of the attack, in the Bellau Wood. The fiercest fighting is continuing here. These troops, fighting on the main battle front, have gained ground on the line of Torcy-Bellea and Boursches, west of Chateau Thierry, the war office announced today. West of Noyon, and north of Mont Didier, in the Picardy area, local operations by the French were successful and prisoners were taken.

IT WAS A GREAT DAY FOR THE ALLIES.

With the French Army in France, June 11. The Allied troops today showed the Germans they could not have it all their own way by executing a number of counter-attacks, which were invariably successful. Some important territory was won back and in roads even were made into the German position. It was, in fact a thoroughly good day for the Allies, who, in addition to regaining ground captured more than a thousand prisoners. The French troops displayed remarkable courage and willingness to get at the foe, who appeared completely disconcerted by their dash. Horse teams could be seen galloping forward to save their guns and some of the Germans lost their heads completely. The battle ground is literally covered with German dead. The counter-attack on the French left wing, which was the first carried out today, took the French close to the original lines as they stood Sunday. The Allies also got beyond Merry and in another assault, while a further fierce return blow in the vicinity of St. Maur.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE ARCHDEACON MARTELL.

Windsor, N. S., June 11—Christ Church was thronged this afternoon at the burial service for the late Archdeacon Martell. Clergymen were present from many points in the diocese, and residents from East Hants. There was a great procession of flowers on and about the casket in church, and on either side of the steps leading thereto, the service was most impressive. In the chancel were Archbishop Worrell, Archdeacon Armitage, Rev. Mr. Lloyd Rev. Dr. Craper, Rev. Mr. Morris of Middleton, and Rev. Dr. Vroom. His Grace gave an eloquent address paying a graceful and well deserved tribute to the memory of the departed who he said was beloved and revered by his brethren, and many others thruout the Maritime Provinces. He was a man of the kindest heart and broadest sympathies, a friend of the sick and all in trouble, who never disappointed those who came to him for help and encouragement. He took a deep interest in King's College and kindred institutions and the students loved him. The long procession from church to the railway station was headed by many clergymen. His memory will long be cherished. At the close of the service Rev. Dr. Willets played the Dead March in Saul, the congregation standing.

DARING ITALIAN TROPEDO BOATS.

Rome, June 12—An official statement, issued by the Italian Admiralty today says "At dawn on Monday near the Dalmatian islands, two small Italian torpedo boats, under command of Commander Rizzo Luigi De Milazzo, attack an Austrian naval Division, consisting of two large battleships escorted by the destroyers. Our units, having boldly broken thru the line of Destroyers, hit the leading battle ship with two torpedoes and the other two with one and returned to their base unscratched. One of the destroyers which pursued them was damaged seriously. "Battleships of this type are four in number and are the largest in the Austrian navy. They display 20,000 tons, and carry a thousand men each.

GERMAN CENTER IN GREAT DANGER—NO CHANGE AFTER 3 DAYS SEVERE FIGHTING.

Paris, June 12—The brilliant counter-attack, delivered by the French left, has undone most of the advances gained by the Germans in the first two days of the battle, threatening, as it does, the flank of the enemy columns in the center marching on Compeigne, from which they are now only six miles away. The point, thrust forward by the Germans in the center is extremely precarious unless the enemy succeeds in flanking it by giving possession of the heights on either side. This, the Germans secured Monday, by the capture of Merry Plateau on their right and Thiescourt Wood on the left. Last night they lost the former and their efforts to improve the situation on their left have been baffled by the French, who hold firmly. If anything, the German Centre, is in greater danger than before inasmuch as it has advanced further. After three days of fighting, in which the Germans have incurred a serious wastage of manpower, the general situation remains unchanged. The enemy has failed to reach Compeigne, his immediate objective. His advance on the right bank of the Oise is not sufficient to place in jeopardy the allied positions on the other bank between the Oise and the Aisen. At the other extremity of the battle line, the Mont Didier plateau has not been changed.

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WANT ACTION TAKEN IN THE PILOT FRANCIS MACKAY CASE ON CHARGE OF MANSLAUGHTER.

Halifax, N. S. June 12—At the request of John J. Power, K. C., counsel for a number of citizens living in the devastated area of the city, Mayor Hawkins has written Hon. O. T. Dandfield, attorney General of Nova Scotia, asking his best efforts to bring before the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council the case of the manslaughter, charge against Pilot Francis MacKay, in connection with the Mont Blanc-Imo collision here on Dec. 6th, of last year. The correspondence, "Mr. Power's letter to the Mayor and his Worship's letter to the Attorney General, was made the public today.

Reviewing the case and referring to the release order of Mr. Justice Russell Pilot MacKay, who was committed for trial by Stipendiary Magistrate in March last on a charge of Manslaughter, Mr. Power says that "It may be that Justice has miscarried."

Writing to the Attorney General Mayor Hawkins suggests that, in view of the fact that the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council will sit in London next month, the promptest action is necessary in the matter. His Worship informs the Attorney General that it is his belief that public opinion is very strong that these responsible for the disaster have not been punished. "I would urge upon you," he says "to take every step possible in order to secure that the conduct of those responsible should be duly and adequately investigated in the only correct legal way—namely a trial by Jury."

CUNARD LINER ANSONIA TORPEDOED IN MID-OCEAN.

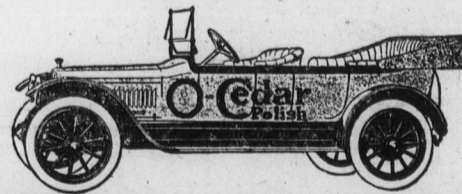
New York, June 12—The British transport Ansonia, owned by the Cunard Steamship Company, has been torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine several hundred miles from the British coast while on her way westward, according to private cable messages received here yesterday. Ninety members of her crew were picked up by another steamer bound east, and landed on the English coast the message said. Search is being made forty more of her crew who are reported missing. The Ansonia was a steel four masted steamship of 8,158 tons, built at Newcastle, England in 1907 for the cabin and immigrant trade between London and Canada.

WIN LOCRE AGAIN.

With the British Army in France, June 8. Locre Hospice, which the Germans captured on Wednesday night, was retaken by the French yesterday. They battled their way to this much contested position and completely re-established their original line.

SUCCESSFUL RAID.

London, June 9—Field Marshal Haigs reports from British Headquarters last night as follows: "We raided the enemy's trenches last night south of Arras and inflicted casualties on his garrison. Early this morning French troops carried out a successful minor enterprise east of Dickebusch Lake and captured forty seven prisoners."



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