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FIELD SIEGE OPERATIONS IN THE WESTERN CAMPAIGN FAVORS THE ALLIED ARMIES

So States the French Army
Bulletin, Which Reviews
Operations From Novem-
ber 15 to January 15

WHERE GERMANS MADE PROGRESS

Their Only Material Gain
Was North of Soissons—
Elsewhere the Allies Have
Secured all the Advantages

Paris, Jan. 21.—There was given out this afternoon an official statement under the caption of "The War from November 15 to January 15," reading as follows:

"Since November 15, in other words since the conclusion of the battle of Ypres, and up to the complete resumption of the great German offensive movement against our left wing, the war has taken the character of a siege. In such a warfare, it generally is expected that the advantages obtained by one side or the other, virtually offset each other. But in this case it can be said that with one exception, we alone have gained ground. With this one exception, the Germans everywhere have gone back.

The following recital of points gained makes it possible to get an idea of the progress on either side.

"By the Germans: Destruction of the market, of the cathedral, and of the hospital of Ypres; destruction of the town of Nieuport, and of the Nieuport baths, and the bombardment of Armentieres, Bethune and Arras. Bombardment of Soupir and of Soissons; recapture of Hill No. 132 and of an eminence near Crouy, and a gain of from 1,200 to 1,800 metres to the north of Soissons; advance of 300 metres in the Argonne along a front of 800 metres at a point near the Brook des Mourisins, bombardment of a church at Nancy, and of the hospital at Thann.

French Gains

"Results obtained by the French: From the sea to the Lys, recapture of all the left bank of the Yser between Knoeke and Helzas, and an opening on the right bank between the sea and St. Georges. The installation of a bridge-head four kilometres (2 miles and a half) into this region, and the installation of one bridge head to the south of Dixmude. Capture of St. Georges, and of the house of the Ferry man and of Korteker. The general extension of our front around Ypres; the success of Wybrandt and the cessation of the attacks of the enemy's infantry.

"From the Lys to the Oise, the capture of the chateau and of the village of Vermerous and of Ruterie, the capture of numerous German trenches between Aix-Noulette and Carency; the partial recapture of Saint Laurent, and of Blangy, near Arras; the capture of La Boisselle; the capture of German trenches at Lihons; the capture of Quesney-en-San-terre; (the end of October), and progress to the east followed by a general extension and consolidation of our front.

From the Oise to Rheims

"From the Oise to Rheims, the capture of the German trenches at Nempcel, and of the plateau of Noubron; the taking of Spar No. 132 and eminence of Crouy, both of which, however, we lost again; the destruction of numerous pieces of German artillery; the reduction by four-fifths of our previous percentages of infantry losses, thanks to the greater efficiency of our artillery, and the consolidation of our defensive system.

"From Rheims to the Meuse, advance of one kilometre (two-thirds of a mile), in the region of Prunay; advance of more than two kilometres in

the region of Perthes and the stopping of 17 German counter-attacks; advance of nearly one kilometre in the Argonne, in the forest of LaGrutere, and of Bolants, and the repelling of numerous counter attacks; the extension of our front in the neighborhood of Verdun, and the destruction of numerous German batteries.

"From the Meuse to the Swiss frontier, important advances in the forest of Consenoyle, in the forest of Apremont, in the forest of Ailly, in the forest of Mortinere and in the forest of Le Fretre; the checking of all the German attacks here; progress to the northeast of Nancy; in a locality called the forest of Parroy; progress to the north and south of Seonnes and in the entire neighborhood of Ban de Sapt; capture of the Tete de vion, which commands Sainte Marie, and of the Tete de Faux, the complete checking of 34 counter-attacks delivered by the enemy; the capture of Steinbach, and progress in the direction of Munster, Cernay and Altkirch.

A Favorable Comparison

"Summing up, we get ten general advances on the part of our troops which were distinctly perceptible at certain places as compared to 20 general withdrawals on the part of the enemy, always with the exception of the situation to the northeast of Soissons. This is a comparison of the last two months. To complete it, it should be added that, first, the German offensive in Poland has been restrained for a month past; second, the Russian offensive continues in Galicia and in the Carpathians mountains; third, the Turkish army in the Caucasus has been in large measure annihilated; fourth, Germany has exhausted her resources in officers (an average of twelve officers to a regiment) and will not be in the future able to develop her resources in effective men except at the expense of the existing units; fifth, the armies of the allies, on the contrary, are finding it possible to further strengthen themselves to a measurable degree.

"It can consequently be observed that to attain final victory it is sufficient to say that France and her allies know how to wait for it and at the same time to prepare for it with inexhaustible patience.

"The German offensive has been broken, the German defensive will be broken in its turn."

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Dominions Are Playing A Big Part

And, in Proportion to What Each is Doing, Will Be Its Voice in the Council of the Empire

London, Jan. 26.—In paying a tribute to Commander Halsey, of the battle cruiser New Zealand in connection with the North Sea victory of Sunday, Hon. Thomas MacKenzie, High Commissioner of New Zealand, said:

"What has already occurred in the way of support from the Dominions is only the beginning of things. Canada will undoubtedly follow in the naval lead already given.

"Events are showing every day that the young Overseas States are getting past the period of infancy and when this war is over other conditions will require other management and in proportion to what each is doing will be its voice in the Councils of Empire where the first and foremost plank will be efficient defence."

Laborers Strike

The labourers employed discharging the Desola at Bowring's South Side wharf quit work because their demand for more pay was not granted. An arrangement was made and the men resumed work Tuesday

Wonderful Results From the A. I. C., The World's Cure

The remedy discovered at far Labrador has given relief to many a sufferer; hundreds testifying of this great remedy. Another gives her testimonial from the City.

Couldn't Eat a Half Meal.

St. John's, Oct. 12, 1914.
I have been troubled with indigestion for a number of years, in fact I have been so bad I couldn't eat half a meal of anything.

A friend advised me to try A.I.C. and one half pint bottle cured me. I couldn't believe I could be cured in such a short time and now I can eat anything, and food does not trouble me in the least. I think I am perfectly cured, I haven't felt indigestion this month.

I recommend this medicine to all sufferers from indigestion. You are at liberty to use my name, and anyone not believing this statement can write or consult me personally.

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St. John's Municipal Board.

NOTICE TO QUARRYMEN

Tenders addressed to the undersigned will be received until Friday next, 29th inst., at 4 o'clock p.m., for the delivery in the West End of the City near the promenade of One thousand tons (1,000) Quarry Spawls.

Also, for the delivery in the East End on the Old Railway property one thousand tons (1,000) Quarry Spawls.

The spawls are to be subject to the approval of the City Engineer or the Road Inspector.

Tenders are requested to mark across the envelope the words "Tenders for Spawls."

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

By order,
JNO. L. SLATTERY,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Jan.27,29,21

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COAKER ENGINE CAN'T BE BEATEN SAYS FISHERMAN.

Mr. W. F. Coaker, M.H.A.

Dear Sir,—Just a few lines concerning the Coaker Engine that I purchased from the U. T. Co. this spring. I have used this engine all the summer without any trouble or difficulty; it really works like a clock.

We had our traps twelve miles from the schooner and that engine used to go there twice a day for a month, making its forty-eight miles a day back and forth, and used to tow another trap boat with her, which made a difference of about seven miles in forty-eight, so she actually ran fifty-five miles per day while at Belle Isle.

At Mugford's Harbor she averaged about thirty-five miles a day from the 14th of August to the 10th of September. I would not change this engine for any other six horse power engine on the market, either for speed or simplicity of operation. I passed motors this summer up to nine horse power. I haven't seen one to go with her this summer.

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