

Germans Are Retreating From Section to South of Arras Hard Pressed by Victorious Armies of Field Marshall Haig.

Along the Arras-Albert railway embankment and on both sides of it the south having been reached by them.

Breadstuffs.

Live Stock Markets
Toronto, Aug. 27.—Extra choice heavy steers \$15.50 to \$16.25; choice heavy steers, \$14.50 to \$15.00; butchers' cattle, choice, \$13.25 to \$13.75; do. good, \$12.00 to \$12.50; do.

Albert has been the scene of some desperate fighting and in the recent British drive the town was surrounded on three sides by the armies of Field Marshall Haig, the village of Aveluy on the north and Meaulte on the south having been reached by them.

Canada's Coal Problem—Facts about the production, importation and consumption of coal in Canada put into concrete form. How can the question of distribution be solved?

**Gallantly Stormed Devitte Wood
and Drove Out the Enemy.**

While the officer commanding the Chasseurs, at the head of his men and with a rifle in his hand, led them to the summit of the height to the east of Lassigny and planted the French flag there, an infantry regiment, advancing from Plessier-de-Roye, turned the famous Plemont height to the north.

Thus Lassigny not only had fallen, but its possession by the French was made secure by the encircling of a strong position from which the Germans might have delivered counter-attacks.

Twenty-One Driven Down Out of Control During Same Period.

Severe air fighting has occurred on the front between Albert and the Amiens-Roye road, resulting, according to latest reports, in the destruction of 62 enemy machines, and the diving down of 21 airplanes out of control. Twenty-six British machines have been reported missing. This superiority has been attained without any diminution of the aerial activity in other sectors, a large number of raids having been made against enemy positions far behind the German lines, in which more than 120 tons of bombs were dropped, and attacks on the Rhine provinces press-

**Gain Numerous Towns and Inflict Terrific Losses on Enemy—
British Within Striking Distance of Bapaume.**

Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria, the German Commander, has thrown his men in before the advancing British armies in an effort to stave off the inevitable, but only to have them mowed down again and again by storms of metal which poured from the British guns. One entire enemy battalion was annihilated during the fighting.

Dead Germans in great numbers are scattered everywhere over the bat-

Win Decided Victory Over Bolshevik Forces in Trans-Baikalia.

Allied troops on the Ussuri River front, north of Vladivostok, out-numbered by the enemy have been forced to withdraw after heavy fighting, says a despatch to The Daily Mail from Harbin dated Wednesday.

British and French troops were engaged in the battle, but the brunt of the fighting fell on the Cossack and Czecho-Slovak troops. Japanese units aided in the retirement.

Bolshevik monitors operating on Lake Hangka are harassing the allied left, and have detained additional

CANADIANS SUFFER 10,482 CASUALTIES

of the war by achievements which have confirmed the reputation of the Canadian corps as the most formidable fighting force of its size on the Western battlefield. The recent advance made by our men has been important in its results and brilliant in execution. In the past three weeks they have captured 10,000 prisoners, 150 guns, and thousands of machine guns. During this same brief period they have suffered 1,382 casualties in killed, wounded and missing, 130 officers and 1,474 men.

General Mangin and General Humbert Capture Thousands of Prisoners and Great Quantities of Trophies.

The French command towards the roads leading to Chauny adds another menace to their line of retreat, and explains the acceleration of the enemy's retreat. Bourguignon, St. Paul, and the 1st Cavalry Division of the French on Thursday, giving them command of the valley of the Ailette from the region of Coucy-le-

Prisoners Captured by Canadians, Though of Splendid Physique, Lack Morale.

Since August 8, the exact number of enemy divisions identified by the allied armies on the Amiens-Montdidier front approaches forty with the addition of "milked" battalions from another division.

A despatch from Ottawa says:—Severe tests made of the Quebec Bridge on Wednesday are regarded by the Railway Department as very satisfactory. The bridge will be formally taken over by the Government within a few days.

A despatch from Washington says—Italian soldiers and civilians have succeeded in harvesting the grain on the right bank of the Piave River under fire of the enemy, according to official reports from Rome. The entire district was swept, while the harvesters worked, by the enemy's artillery fire.

A despatch from Washington says—Czecho-Slovak troops in France have participated in a successful attack against German positions in the Vosges, according to a despatch received on Thursday at the headquarters here of the Czecho-Slovak National Council.

A despatch from London says:- Austrian losses on the British front in Italy between June 15 and August 15 were 20,000, according to advice received here. British casualties in the same period totalled 2,500, it is said.

A despatch from Paris says:—The Allied armies have taken more than 100,000 prisoners since July 18, say Marcel Hutin in The Echo de Paris.

Casualties Were 1,435, 45 Per Cent. of Them Will be Fit Again in 6 Months.

A despatch from Ottawa says:—A net gain to the Canadian Expeditionary Force of 1,115 recruits is shown in the recruiting figures for the period between August 1 and 15, given out by the Militia Department. The total number of recruits secured in Canada, the United States and England was 4,002, while the total wastage reported was 2,887. It is estimated that 45 per cent. of the casualties will be replaced within a period of six months be fit for general service.

A despatch from Ottawa says:—

During the present fiscal year the people of Canada will pay in extra taxation for the war at least one billion dollars, or a little over one-third of the total year's revenue. The extra taxation is now almost equal to the total revenue before the war. In 1914-15 Canada's total revenue was only \$133,073,481. For the present fiscal year it will reach nearly \$300,000,000. For 1917-18 the total revenue will be \$361,125,450.

I think of the wide still sky.

Where the breath of God like
beauty lies
And the clouds are sailing by.

Whenever her care-worn face I see,
Or feel her lips on mine,
I think of the tears she has shed for
me,
Silently, without sign.

Whenever she holds me to her breast
To still the aching pain,
My heart is lulled to a perfect rest,
And—I am a child again!

DISH WASHING IS A CINCH - I DON'T MIND IT.

HURRY UP, I'M GETTING AHEAD OF YOU.

WHAT'S THE TROUBLE TOM?

WHY DIDN'T YOU TELL ME SOME ONE WAS LOOKING AT ME? !!!