



ded only a short time before cali :ants of sailors, who have lost their ing, also his parents, four brothers lives in the present war Fred and Herbert, overseas Frank It is likely that another Public and James at home and two sisters Meeting will be held in the near Miss Jennie of the Montreal General future to complete organization Hospital and Miss Arnie at home a distance of about eight and a half PIET UNDERHILL afternoon the British Tuesday Mr and Mrs George Underhill of threw back strong German attack Blackville have received word that against the new British positions their son Private Theophikus Un south and north of the Scrape derhill, who went overseas with the French troops are continuing their advance between the Oise and the Aisne, and have made additional im-

Kerr and R A N Jarvis

The object of the Navy League is

urge the formation of a Canadian

Navy and also to assist the depend-

Thursday Between two and three thousand afsoners were captured by the with the bank of Nova Scotia, New British in yesterday's operation North of the Ancre, the Arras-Bapaume railway has been crossed.

portant gains at some points. Sev-

eral more villages have been occup-

in spite of strong enemy resistance British troops have reached the village of Neuf Besquin, northeast of Merville.

General Mangin's troops have eached the Ailette river in their

thers and sisters to mourn his loss: Frank of Campbellton; Hiram and Leontine, at home; Chester castle; Theodore, Alton and Jessie at home H W FLEIGHER

132nd Battalion, had been killed in action oh the 8th instant. Pte Underhill left the teaching profession to enlist in the 13?nd Besides his parents he leaves the following bro

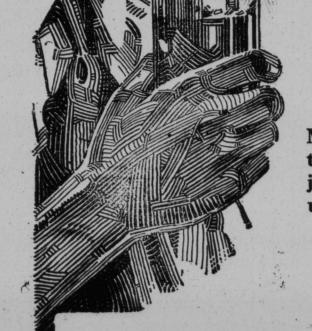
with a reinforcing draft shortly af

terwards The young hero, leaves

a wife formerly Miss Gallop of Kings-

clear, Yerk Co to whom he was wed

It was with a profound feeling of sympathy for the bereaved parents and family that the community learn ed on Wednesday morning last that Harold Fleigher, the second eldest



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Fighting continued last nights on whole from the region of the battle field of Europe Lassigny to the neighborhood of Soissons. ons). passing out ti the morth-ward

and reaching the Ailette at Laquincy-Bagge.

Friday Paris Aug 22-Between the Oise and the Aisne, French croops advanced their lines during the night to Guny and Pont St Mard, just

south of the Ailette river They hold the right banks of the Oise and the ceived a telegram from Ottawa on Ailette from Sempigny to the railroad west of Coucy-Le-Chateau, acsued by the war office today The British troops are making progress at a number of points Two enemy attacks near Beaucourt were repulsed during the night On the Lys front, the British line

and east of Outterstein Brislet troops are reported to have capured Chiegolles and Herleville, south of the Somme river More than a thousand prisoners were tak- Royal Engineers and is now in Chaten i n this operation, which elimin ham, England While another brothates the bend in the line Field Mar. er Major Cecil Mersereau has seen shal Haig's forces are also reported to have takan Boyeites and Boiry revenuerate and to be still pushing forward They are piling up prison-

ars and guns The Germans have reached Gom-necourt, which is considered to be to be John J. Wishart, has been admitt-te do a French hospital on Aug 10th the chief point of the German de-South of Gon the British were attacking and (Continued on page 4)

and only surviving son of Mr and Mrs Howard W Fleigher, of Chatham had made the supreme sacrifice on

This . toung man when not nine The French cap cred St. Paul-Au- 13"nd Battalion which went from teen years had enlisted with the Bris (11 miles northwest of Sols here under Col Mersereau two years ago His older brother Charles. was killed in France over a year ago and besides his parents, there survive two sisters, Misses Louise and Marion

LT CHARLES MERSEREAU Ald J Y Mersereau of Chatham re-

Sunday which stated that youngest son. Lieut Charles. Mersereau, on cording to the official statement is- Aug 8th inst was one of the heroes of the recent offensive who gave up his life in the conflict on Aug 8th Lieut Mersereau, was but 22 years of age and had enlisted with the 132nd Battalion when it was formed here two years ago, and being transwas slightly advanced east of Le ferred to New Brunswick unit in Touret, northwest of Neuf Berguin France Here he had almost six months of trench warfare and had been wounded previously, but soon returned again to duty His eldest brother Wynn is a member of the

much service at the front

PTE JOHN J WISHART

Wm Wishart 'of Tabusintac has been notified by Ottawa that his son

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