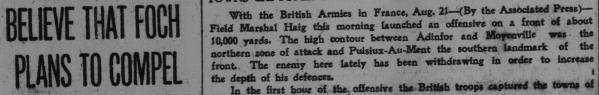


ville and Beaumont-Sur-Ancre.

The attack this morning was made without artillery preparations. It was completely successful. It was made by the British third army under General Byng. After capturing Achiet Le Petit the British troops advanced an-other mile and a half to the east and reached Achiet Le Grand.

TOWNS CAPTURED IN FIRST HOUR.



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Some German field guns and 200 prisoners had been taken in the British drive at an early hour. All the German outposts and positions along the important Dranoustre Ridge , between Koudeket and the Locre hospice have been attacked by the British. The result so far is not known. This front is in the Lys salient.

Courcelles and Achiet Le Petit also were captured in the British drive Early this morning British troops carried out a successful local operation

in the Locre sector on a front of more than a mile. All the objectives of the attack were taken, and prisoners were captured.

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Mangin's Advance Towards

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General Scheme

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On the French Front in France, Aug 20—(Havas Agency)—The battle is pro-ceeding with fierce resistance by the enemy, but with guick and steady prog-ress by the French. The objectives set by the French command appear to have been attained. The enemy is suffering severe losses, although his receding line is fighting with marked determination. The French tatack between Soissons and The French tatack between Soissons and The French and is defended by pleked Bav-train and Alpin units. Documents on prisoners show that the enemy expected an attack. Orders were given that the additate. Orders the advance continues over a plid progress ordinarity is fighting with marked by pleked Bav-train and Alpin units. Documents on prisoners show that the enemy expected an attack. Orders were given that the rapid progress ordinarity is difficult. Captain Wallace Bruce, master of the Gloucester schooner, told the Cana

Washington, Aug. 21-Strong forces of swift naval patrol boats and de-troyers sped today to the North Atlantic fishing banks, where the trawler Triumph is reported raiding fishing fleets.



Triumph Into Raider An Atlantic Port, Aug. 21—(By the Associated Press)—A German submar-ine late yesterday seized the big fishing trawler Triumph. The summer has the spanish merchant marine has been sunk and more than 100 Spanish trawler Triumph. The crew, who had sailors killed

reached shore safely, said they believed the Germans intend to use the trawler AUSTRIA OBJECTS as a raider. They reported that the U-TO GERMAN GRAB boat is "playing havoc" with the flect

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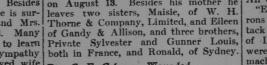
This has been another day of grief In St. John homes over messages from the war department. The following notices have been received:— Arthur Steeves of Fairville and Miss Halen at home. Prior to going over-seas he was employed with James H. Pullen, painter. KILLED Pte. J. V. McDaid. Pte, Arthur C. Doyle, Pte, Robert King, Pte, Roy Murray, Pte, J. V. McDaid, Sgt, H. G. Akerley, Gr. Joseph Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. McDaid, 50 El-liott Row, were notified this morning from Ottawa to the effect that their son, Pte. James Verner McDaid, had made the supreme sacrifice on Aug. 8, Private

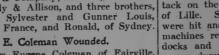
City Homes Saddened Today by News From

The Battlefront-Several Other Local Men

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