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British Push Back German Line Southeast of That

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In the south there was new activity. Below the Scarpe the British continued to push forward last night and today. A vicious German counter-attack at Faucourt-L'Abbaye was repulsed with heavy losses for the enemy, while additional prisoners were captured by the British.

British Statement. London, Aug. 26.—British troops at ked this morning in the Scarpe sec-, east of Arras, and good progress the British position southeast of the sect of Crossilies has been proved in spite of a heavy rain the is failing on the battlefield. Trong German counter-attacks th and south of Bapaume have n repulsed by the British. Evreul, a mile and a half northe th of British have advanced bi-the British have advanced bi-the British lines have been ard to dhe villags. A Quick Gain. Marking M

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is morning's attack was launched een the Scarpe River at Fampoux, the heights northeast of Neu-Vitasse. In a few hours the Brit-made an advance of two miles on not of four miles, according to ad-reaching here from the battle-

L'Abbaye, Martinpuich, west of Bezen-in-Le-Petit: Manetz and Carncy and hen proceeds to the Somme, just to he west of Maricourt. There is lit-ie change south of the Somme, except hat the British line has been im-proved to the west of Chuignes. French Statement. Paris, Aug. 26 (1p.m.)—The Ger-nans today attempted a counter-offen-ive on a large scale against the right in eregion between Vally and Sols

Thousands of Visitors To the Maritime Provinces Are Returning Home After Spending Their Vacation.

OURIST TRAFFIC

ATTEND MEETING **OF PROVINCIAL** PREMIERS TODAY

Treemier Foster and Hon. J. F. Tweeddale Left For Halifax Yesterday — Propositions Regarding Returned Sol-diers To Be Discussed. Premier Foster and Hon. J. F. Tweeddale, Minister of Agriculture Will attend a meeting of the Provincial Premiers to be held at Halifax today At this meeting, Premier Foster of New Brunswick, Premier Murray of

will attend a meeting of the Provincian Premiers to be held at Halifax today. Nova Scotia. Premier Aurary of Nova Scotia. Premier Aurany of these Premiers will be present. The meeting is for the purpose of discussing in detail the question of discussing in detail the question of discussing in detail the question of the settlement of returned soldiers and of coming to some scheme where by the different provinces can aid the men who have been at the front. Different propositions have been submitted to the different Fremiers, but the schemes under consideration will not be made public until after tomorrow's conference has taken plac-it if possible, to have the Maritime Pro-ou vinces formulate some kind of a uni-de men. * Hon. Mr. Tweeddale and Premier



church and prominent citizens of the town said: Mr. Hall came here from Harrington fifteen months ago last January. At first we though we had a most won-derful pastor and he is, in some ways. He can preach the most eloquent, bril-liant and thrilling sermons-a regular. Billy Sunday—we never heard any thing like him. But he had not been here a great while when he would sur-prise everybody by "flying off the handle." He would lambaste the con-gregation and talk like a wild man. of-ten so incoherently and wild that there was no sense to his talk. Then at other times he would give us as sound and practical a sermon as you ever heard. His year was up in October 1917 and we tried to get rid of him but he man-aged to stay three monthe longer.

Hon. Charles R. Mitchell, Native of Newcastle, and Studied Law in St. John-New Cabinet.

Edmonton, Alta, Aug. 26.—The line ap of the new cabinet will be: Premier and Minister of Railways and Telephones—Hon. Chas. Stewart. Minister of Agriculture—Hon. Dun-con Morphal can Marshall. Minister of Public Works—Hon. A. J. McLeen. Attorney-General—Hon. J. R. Boyle. Minister of Education and Public Health—Hon. Geo. P. Smith. Minister of Municipalities—Hon. A. an Marsh

Minister of Mu G. McKay. Provincial Trea Mitchell. Provincial Secretary - Hon, W. Hon. Mr. Mitchell is a native of Newcastle and studied law in St.



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BIRTHS.

Maritime—Moderate to fresh west-erly to northerly winds; clearing and a little cooler. Northern New England—Fair and somewhat cooler Tuesday. Wednes-day fair. Moderate southwest shifting to northwest winds. Toronto, Aug. 26—Showers and thunderstorms have been almost gen-eral today from the Ottaws Valley to the Maritime Provinces, and a few light showers have occurred in north-ern Alberta.

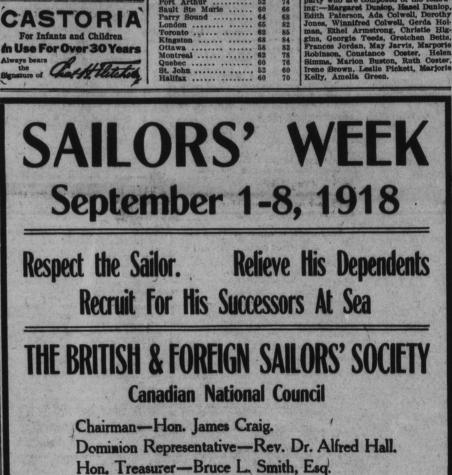


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