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British Pressing Hard All Along the Line From Pozieres to Guillemont---Territorial and Australian Troops Carried Outer Works of Pozieres, But Met Fierce Resistance in Village --- Desperate Conflict for Possession of Longueval and Guillemont.

GERMANS MAKE DESPERATE EFFORT TO STEM TIDE OF BRITISH ADVANCE

"Anzacs" Consolidating Positions Won After Hot Fighting at Pozieres-British Advanced Successfully West of the Village, But on Right of Pozieres Were Held Up By Wire Entanglements and Heavy Machine Gun Fire.

ONDON, July 23, 3.45 p.m.—The battle on the British front in northern France was resumed today along the whole line from Pozieres to Guillemont (a length of about five miles), the war office report of his afternoon says. The British captured the German outer works near regieres by assault and carried the fighting into the village. Longueval as also the scene of a desperate struggle. Violent fighting is in progress. ANZACS' SPLENDID WORK.

A Reuter despatch from the British front in France, filed at 3.30 p.m. "Following a heavy bombardment last night British troops and Anzacs
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the stacked towards Pozieres and Guillemont. Despite desperate resistance the stacked towards Pozieres and Guillemont. Despite desperate resistance the stacked towards Pozieres, where they are those succeeded in establishing themselves in Pozieres, where they are now consolidating their lines. It is reported that the casualties were com-

zieres the British successfully advanced. On the right of Pozieres the wire entanglements were insufficiently destroyed and progress consequently was checked by heavy machine gun fire. Nevertheless we gained a footing in Guillemont, but owing to a determined counter-attack we were unable to maintain the advance.

"On the whole, our progress concludes satisfactory, especially in the neighborhood of Pozieres and along the road thru the village northward, on which we are reported as established."

The fourth week of the Somme battle begins well for the allies and is expected to be fruitful of important developments. Before Saturday night

Intense Violence. The official statement, which was issued at 2.25 o'clock this af-

ternoon, says: "The battle has been resumed today all along the German front from Pozieres to Guillemont and eached a stage of intense violence. "In the neighborhood of Pozieres, territorial and Australian troops, attacking from the southwest and outheast respectively, carried the German outer works by assault shortly after midnight Violent fighting is now taking place in the village, where the Germans are offering a desperate resistance with large numbers of machine

On other parts of thebattle front On other parts of thebattle front the fighting is equally intense and here no definite progress is yet reported. At one time this morning we had recaptured the whole of Longueval, but the enemy once more regained the northern end of the village. Similarly the outskirts of Guillemont aiready have twice charged hands"

changed hands."

Destroyed Six Aeroplanes.

The official statement assued by the war office Saturday night, said:

"The day passed without the occurence of any important incident on the

Yesterday our airmen destroyed six hostile aeroplanes and forced several others to descend to the ground in a naged condition. One of our machines was brought down by gun fire and two others are missing." Kuropatkin Driving Wedge Deep Into the German Lines

Russians Reported to Have Penetrated Five Miles Into Territory Defended by Von Hindenburg -Nearing Hungarian Frontier.

LONDON, July 23 .- From the eastern frontier come further reports of continued Russian successes. Gen. Kuropathin has cut Field Marshal Von Hindenburg's line at several points and, according to an unofficial report, has penetrated a distance of five miles. Russian official reports of the operations in this sector (Riga) are exceedingly reticent, but Von Hindenburg's line was considered the strongest on the whole eastern front, and that the Russians were able to break it is regarded as most significant here. it is regarded as most significant here.

At the other extremity of the long line the Austrians officially admit their withdrawal toward the main ridge of the Carpathians, and the Russians are within four miles of the Hungarian frontier, moving toward Maramaros Sziget.

Except in the Dniester region heavy fighting is proceeding along operations, but, according to unofficial accounts, he is on the point of entering northeast Galicia, Gen. Boehm-Ermolli and Gen. Bothmer being outflanked by north and south: Gen. Sakharoff's forces are supposed to be working in the direction of Brody and Sokal.

METTLE WITHSTOOD TEST

so soon after the unsuccessful Ger-man counter-attacks of last week. in which very strong German forces were brought forward, is regarded as a good Losses Were Surprisingly Light-Great British augury.

The fighting has been of the fiercest character, the Germans working with their utmost strength to pre-Offensive Reaches End of Third Phase. vent the British from advancing to

vent the British from advancing to their third line positions, but when last reports left headquarters in France the Australians had firmly established themselves in Posteres and are reported to have placed themselves estride the road in the direction of Bapaume, while at Guillemont and Longuezal fortunes fluctuated both Longueval fortunes fluctuated, sive to the end of its third week and what might be called the third phase. places changing hands several times. Late tonight fighting was proceeding

> Mud-covered men return from the trenches and rested battalions go in.
> Prisoners taken in each fresh attack superhuman struggle.

According to a reliable estimate the British and French together have captured since July 1 more than 26,000 prisoners, 140 guns and hundreds of

has been able to resume the offensive

There is no mistaking the Australia at the front. He wears a slouch hat, while all the rest of the British troops were caps. Some say that the cipline of the Australian is poor. Some of the military critics said the Australians were all right for Gallipoli but not for this kind of work against the Germans. Today they had their first big test in France. The free-limbed sons of the southern cross, charging from their trenches on their

did not have much to do at the first German trench, or at least they did it quickly. Then out of the confusion of the night illumination of shell flashes, which is the hardest test for a mili tary oranization, came the news

trenches, which were being made into Erritish trenches.

By location of the shellbursts in the morning it could be seen how far the morning it could be seen how far the morning it could be seen how far the British had wormed their way up overnight. Thru all the army there is a sense of exuitance their way up one one the come tired. The death of common, which seems to a sense of exuitance and supported with instructing inertiable, and there is a something inertiable, and there is a something inertiable, and there is a strange absence on the part of any rimness. The post at the way it is a part of the day's work.

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Miles in Northern Offensive.

INFLICT BIG LOSSES

Southern Column Captures Height Near Summit of Carpathians.

ial Cable to The Toronto World. LONDON, July 23.-A despatch

The Russians are on the point of trust which The World believes is Garentering the northeast corner of standing all the denials that have been golden. Count Von Bothmer being outGen. Count Von Bothmer being outed out in the Canadian press.

flanked both on the north and south The heights captured by the Russians are only four miles from the

Maramaros Sziget.

Make Gains Near Riga.

A Petrograd despatch says: "In heavy fighting in the district of Riga the Russians penetrated the German first line at several points and they fighting to took German positions northeast line at teck German positions northeast line at the line at several points and they have took German positions northeast line at the line at several points and they have the line interests of the dustries. But it still believes that the dustries. But it still believes that the dustries. But it still believes that the dustries in its line at several points and they lead to be there refined and distributed in such a way as we now know that the Deutschland can set all the line at several points and they lead to be there refined and distributed in such a way as we now know that the Deutschland can set all the line at several points and they lead to be there refined and distributed in such a way as we now know that the Deutschland can set all the line at several points are severa also took German positions northeast know that the Deutschland can get all the ment to establish a customs emelter and of Smergon, 50 miles east of Vilna, and repulsed German counter-atand repulsed German counter-attempts by the fire of their batteries,
so that the enemy was compelled to
retire," it was announced in official retire," it was announced in official

communications today. German troops in Volhynia tried last night to break the Russian line along turned to this country for distribution. the Stokhod River near Bereznica, 25 and were compelled to retire.

Took Many Prisoners.

July 20 and 21 they took prisoners 370 officers, including a general and a colonel, and 13,700 men. They also captured ten guns. The total number of prisoners made by them in the recent fighting, including those given in ghting, including those given in turday morning's official communication, is 27.000. The total number of guns taken is 40.

They have also won a success in the Carpathians on the road from Delatyn to Maramaros Sziget in Hungary, and took prisoner five officers, including a (Continued on Page 2; Column 2).

PROMINENT SCIENTIST SUMMONED BY DEATH

few months. And it has said a great
deal against the armament trusts of
Europe; but when it published a list of
the American Naval League a while ago-

William Ramsay, Noted Chemist, is Dead in England.

and it contained the name of one of the chief officials of the International Nickel LONDON, July 24 .- (2.27 a.m.) -Sir

of Pozieres, and hugging close the Germans on the other side of the street so that the German artillery could not fire on them.

Losses not Heavy,
It had been said that either the Australians would get there or be killed.

The Australians met the 114th German Division, which had been rushed from Ypres, and prisoners taken including one hundred in a body, say, frankly that the Australians came on too quickly for them. At other points over the four mile front the British attacked at the same hour, at some points for diversion and the surgician and the surgicians are surgicially and the surgicians and the surgicians

CAPTAIN KOENIG HAS A BIG CARGO OF CANADIAN NICKEL

Probably the most interesting topic of Nevertheless The Miner's latest attithe moment to the great mass of Ameri- tude, in spite of the friendliness to the can citizens is whether the German governments at Toronto and Ottawa, is undersea boat Deutschland will be able as follows: But there is no question of the advisability of legislation to bring the nickel industry within control of the laws of the land. There has been altogether too close a connection between Copper Cliff and the heads of departments in Queen's Park for the public good. This influence has been used to prevent the International Nickel Company from paying their due share of taxation on their output for procuring other illegitimate conto get away from Baltimore with her cargo of nickel and rubber for Germany, and get past or underneath the fleet of Czar's Forces Advance Five out of American waters. But even more interesting to Canadians is The New York

Herald of Saturday, which reports Capt.

Koenig of the Deutschland saying: "that

she now has enough nickel abourd to

supply the German munition plants for

two months"! Whether this vessel runs

the gauntlet or not is another matter to

Canadians; but it is of the utmost

supply of nicket enough to last the German munition plants for two months; and that the bulk of this nickel, notwith-

Again we repeat that Canada has been

empire; as against the interests of the

nickel refined from it be forthwith re-

Britain is satisfied with what is being

done! We are not satisfied, nor are the

Canadian people satisfied; because we now

and, indeed, we know enough to say that

something very near to treason against

the cause of the empire may be charged

to some people in this country because of their service to the nickel trust!

We have put it up to The Globe news-

paper day after day to say what it thinks as to our proposal to prohibit the export of the ore unless the refined nickel is

returned to Canada, but it says nothing

It has said a great deal favorable to the International Nickel Co. within the last

Co. as a member of that enterprising society—we pointed out in reply that the

nickel trust was the key of the armo

months. And it has said a great

know how the thing has been engineered

standing all denials, is Canadian nickel from Canadian ore smelted in the United States by the International Nickel Trust, hich seems to have an abounding inand Toronto and which is represented so millions and millions of dollars a year Reuter's from Petrograd says:

A Russian advance of five miles is reported on the left wing of the Riga sector. Gen. Von Linsingen's recent losses on the Styr and Lipa rivers are computed at least 50,000 men out of three corps engaged.

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The Sault Star, very friendly to th governments at Ottawa and Toronto. summit of the Carpathians, and the linto taking care of the International says they are doing everything from a Hungarian frontier, in the direction of Nickel Co. as against the interests of the patriotic point of view for Canadian in-

> refinery for Canadian nickel ore as part the nickel trust. Even papers like The States, except on the condition that the nickel trust.

And we must reprint the latest article We have put this proposal up to the in The Sudbury Mining News of July government day after day and have got 21, which knows what it is talking about, no response; all we are told is that Great especially in regard to nickel, and which gives straight advice to politicians in Canada on this matter. Here it is:

especially in regard to nickel, and which rives straight advice to politicians in Canada on this matter. Here it is:

To The Toronto World and its energetic editor. W. F. Maclean, M.P., largely belongs the credit of focusing the attention of the people of Canada on what is today considered a question of paramount importence, Werefer to the tickel situation.

The World commenced to stir up things almost two years ago, and its efforts were strangely unsupported by the influential city papers until very lately, when The Mail, The Globe, The Star, The Telegram, The Saturday Night of Toronto, The Hamilton Spectator. The Ottawa Citizen, The Montreal Mail, The Winnipeg Free Press, The Canadian Minning Journal and other influential journals espoused the cause. This is a pretty good indication that the tide has turned, and that the power, possessed in the past by the International Nickel Corporation of New York City, and its Canadian wins, the Canadian Copper Company of Copper Ciff, over both political parties in Canada, is coming to an end. The nickel trust has no political convictions nor political principles. When the Torles are in power the Grits are holding the reins a mickel representative is sitting beside the driver, which just means that this same trust is always in close touch with the loaves and fishes. Its ramifications are not confined to its affairs at Copper Ciff, where the real mining operations are carried on by a competant staff, but the other employes, which might be very properly designated "the diplomatic branch of the service," is a sort of a field force, which, it is understood, is intended to keep in close touch with political and municipal affairs, board of trade matters, dealings in mining properties, etc., and it is even said that the public. If Sir Robert Borden and Premier Hearst are as wise as they are honest and honorable, they will scrutinize with the utmost care any proposals emanating from the nickel trust, as they can invariably bank on it that it is not for the good of Canada, or of t

: WAR SUMMARY:

THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

F IERCE combats were being fought between Britons and Germans on the line between Pozieres and Guillemont at a late mans on the line between Pozieres and Guillemont at a late hour last night with the battle still undecided. The British were able to attack the Germans almost immediately after they had repelled counter-attacks launched with the object of driving them back and relieving pressure on the third system of the enemy's defence. The Australians secured a firm lodgment in Pozieres at the outset of the general attack, and other British troops secured possession of Longueval and Guillemont, and were later pressed somewhat back, but in the struggle these places changed hands several times.
The combats are raging on a front of about five miles.

It is considered encouraging that the British were able to renew their offensive operations so soon after repelling the German counterattacks, and considering the great number of men that the enemy has massed to attempt to stem the allied advance, it appears as if the German counter-blows were comparatively feeble. It is estimated that the British and the French have taken in three weeks of fighting since July 1, 26,000 prisoners, over 140 cannon and hundreds of machine a sense

The French found operations comparatively quiet. They repelled a German counter-attempt against their new line south of soyecourt on the Somme front, and their batteries engaged in a heavy artillery exchange with the German batteries all day Sunday. In aerial operations French machines were conspicuous.

(Continued on Page 2, Columns 1 and 2).

ANZACS WON CHIEF GLORY developments. Before Saturday night the British began a new attack on the whole line from Posieres to Guille-mont, and the fact that Gen. Haig mont, and the fact that Gen. Haig

Their Vim Carried All Before Them at Pozieres, and Their

WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES not explode, but emit a volume of gas. One British soldier called out: "If you expect to kill us with them you will have to come over and hold them up to our noses."

Another called to the Company.

with the utmost violence.

Take 26,000 Prisoners. The German counter-attacks recently delivered against the French front have proved equally unsuccessful, and the allies are now fighting slowly in the direction of Combles, which is only two miles distant from Guilleonly two miles distant from Guille

express the same wonder at the persistence of the hammering of the It has become 24 hours a day, the army fighting night as well "I Must Have That!"

While resisting many counter-at-tacks thru the week, the British have been creeping forward. More Ger-man artillery and more troops have been massed to meet the increasing numbers of the British, while the Briof the British, while the British guns kept moving nearer. tish guns kept moving nearer.

More important than ever to either side are those points of high ground on the front of the British pressure. Both straining combatants strive for the positions, saying "I must have that!"

Villages like La Boiselle have be come so unrecognizable from shell fire that one does not know where the vil-

Driven From Pozieres. Pozieres was under the came British shellfire as the other villages suffered, before the Germans were forced out. Not a human being was seen in the neighborhood except near a com-munication trench, in front of which few British were making a shell rater into a field fortress. Across the the Germans were engaged in same business, both having sneaked out of their positions in the night. The British yelled satirical thanks to the Germans for timbers for their

what might be called the third phase. What once in the three weeks have the guns been silent. All the while the your shrappel and high explosives." fighting has continued until the spec-fighting has continued until the spec-tator has become numbed with this crack," everybody has been saying in the last few days. That task was given to the Australians this morning. Australians Full of Vim.

venture in the darkness against the new German trenches around Pozieres,